

**WEATHER FORECAST.**

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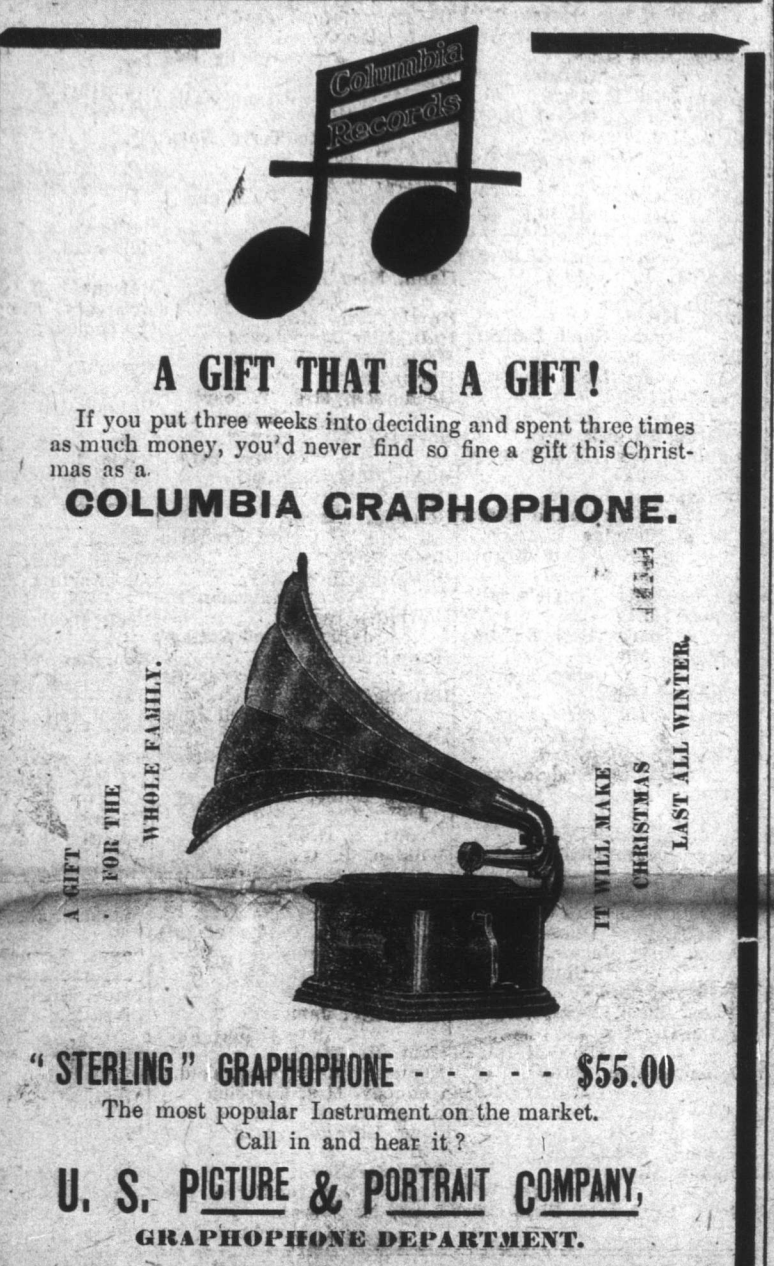
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THE PUZZLE.

(Continued.)

gentleman, he said, 'an officer, is at the door, who wishes to see a Miss Maria Embury, formerly of Swindon.' I stared at the man, discerned a strange expression in his face, and glanced across me at the same moment that I had heard no knock at the door. 'See, Miss Embury!' exclaimed the Widow Thorneycroft, recovering her speech—'there is no such person here!'

'Pardon me, madam,' I cried, catching eagerly at the interruption, as a drowning man is said to catch at a straw—'this young person was at a Miss Embury, Desire the officer to walk up!' The butler banished instantly, and we all huddled back disorderly into the drawing-room, some one closed the door after us. I felt the grasp of Mrs. Allerton's arm tighten convulsively round mine, and her breath I heard, come quick and short. I was hardly less agitated myself.

Steps—slow and deliberate steps—were presently heard ascending the stairs, the door opened, and in walked a gentleman in the uniform of a yeomanry officer, whom at the first glance I could have sworn to be the deceased Mr. Allerton. A slight exclamation of terror escaped Mrs. Allerton, followed by a loud hysterical scream from the Swindon young woman, as she staggered forward towards the stranger, exclaiming, 'Oh, merciful God—my husband!' and then fell, overcome with emotion, in the outstretched arms.

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city, where they now reside. It was not at all surprising that the clergyman and others had been deceived. The disguise, and Martin's imitative talent, might have misled persons on their guard, much more men unsuspecting of deception. The cast in the eyes, as well as a general resemblance of features, also of course greatly aided the imposture. Of Mrs. Rosamond Allerton, I have only to say, for it is all I know, that she is rich, unwedded, and still splendidly beautiful, though of course somewhat passé compared with herself twenty years since. Happy too I have no doubt she is, judging from the placid brightness of her aspect the last time I saw her beneath the transport of the Crystal Palace, on the occasion of its opening by the Queen. I remember wondering at the time if she often recalled to mind the passage in her life which I have here recorded.

The One Black Spot

On the evening of a bleak, cold March day, in an early year of this century, a woman, scarcely clad, led a boy about eight years old, along a high road towards the old city of Exeter. They crept close to the hedge-side to shelter themselves from the clouds of dust, which the sudden gusts of east wind blew in their faces. They had walked many miles, and the boy limped painfully. He often looked up anxiously into his mother's face, and asked if they had much farther to go? She scarcely appeared to notice his inquiries; her fixed eyes and sunken cheek gave evidence that sorrow absorbed all her thoughts. When he spoke, she drew him closer to her side, but made no reply; until at length, the child, wondering at his silence, began to sob. She stopped and looked at her child for a moment, her eyes filled with tears. They had gained the top of a hill, from which was visible in the distance, the dark massive towers of the cathedral and the church-spires of the city. She pointed them out, and said, 'We shall soon be there, Ned.' Then she lay down on a tree that was felled by the road-side, she took 'Ned' on her lap, and, bending over him, wept aloud.

'Are you very tired, mother?' said the boy, trying to comfort her. 'It's a long way—but don't cry—we shall see father when we come there.' 'Yes—you will see your father once more.' She checked herself, and, striving to dry her tears, she looked withfully towards the place of her destination. The tramp of horses, coming up the hill they had just ascended, drew the boy's attention to that direction. In a moment he had sprung from his mother, and was shouting, with childish delight, at the appearance of a gay cavalcade which approached. About thirty men on horseback, in crimson liveries, surrounded two carriages, one of which contained two of His Majesty's Judges, accompanied by the High Sheriff of the county, with his javelin-men, was conducting them to the city, in which the Lent Assizes were about to be held.

The woman knelt until the carriages and the gaudy javelin-men had turned the corner at the foot of a hill, and were no longer visible; with her hands clasped together, she had prayed to God to temper with mercy the heart of the Judge, before whom her unfortunate husband, now in jail, would have to stand his trial. Then, taking the boy again by the hand—unable to explain to him what he had seen—she pursued her way with him, silently, along the dusty road. As they drew nearer to the city, they overtook various groups of stragglers, who had deemed it their duty, in spite of the inclement weather, to wander some miles out of the city to catch an early glimpse of 'Mr. Lorde Judge,' and the gay Sheriff's officers, Troops, also, of itinerant ballad-singers, rope-dancers, mountebanks, and caravans of wild beasts, still followed the Judges, as they had done throughout the circuit. 'Walk more slowly, Ned,' said his mother, checking the boy's desire to follow the 'shows.' 'I am very tired; let us rest a little here.' They lingered until the crowd was far ahead of them—and were left alone on the road.

Late in the evening, as the last stragglers were returning home, the wayfarers found themselves in the suburbs of the city, and the forlorn woman looked around anxiously for a lodging. She feared the noisy people in the streets; and, turning timidly towards an old citizen who stood by his garden-gate, clapping to his housekeeper, and watching the passers-by—there was a kindness in his look which gave her confidence—so, with a homely courtesy, she ventured to inquire of him where she might find a decent resting-place. 'Have you never been here before?' he asked.

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UNCLAIMED LETTERS, REMAINING IN G. P. to DEC. 16th, 1910

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SEAMEN'S LIST.

Table listing names of seamen and their respective ships.

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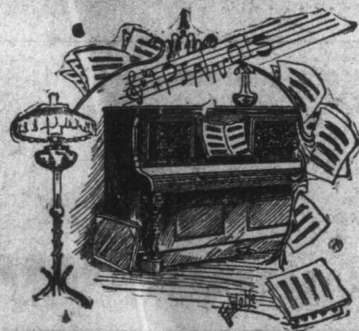
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**The Evening Chit-Chat**

By RUTH CAMERON



I received a letter the other day from a man in which he vigorously berated the inconsistency, the extravagance and the general frothiness of the woman of to-day.

Not the first letter of the kind I've received means. When one writes for the newspapers one thereby becomes the repository of the grouches of all the people who have the habit of getting excited because "the something or other of to-day" aren't what they used to be, and of course "the women of to-day" are a favorite theme with the male members of this cult.

Now, listen, my friends. Do you really want to know whom to blame for a good deal of what the women of to-day are or are not?

No, I know you don't. But I'm going to tell you just the same.

You—the men of to-day are.

It's a truth as old as Adam and Eve that women are what they are because men want them to be, love them to be, choose them for it.

In a recent number of Life there is a most clever little satire on this new subject.

The new husband is getting his first batch of his wife's bills. Presumably the tressouer has begun to wear out and she is replenishing her wardrobe.

He is staggered at the batch of bill-let dous that results and comes to her to protest.

Whereupon his wife, instead of promising to do better astonishes him by coming back with

"And yet that is what you married me for."

"Married you for?"

"That is what I said. You married me because I looked pretty—fretting—and how can a woman look that way unless she spends money on her clothes. If I had been a calm, severe, business-like person, carefully considering only the usefulness of what I bought, you wouldn't have given me a second thought—except possibly to stick up your manly nose at me."

He finally grants that there may be something in this, but urges that she keeps within his income in her efforts to charm him, and this time she staggers him with—

"Nonsense! you love me for my very extravagance. If I stopped to consider every consequence, you would soon get tired of me. You might hang on a little longer, but when you get to middle age you would do what all middle aged men with circumspect wives do—you would cast sheep's eyes at the end ladies of the chorus—why? Because they, my dear boy, are reckless, are 'exaggerant,' and never proceed to do anything by parliamentary rules."

There ought to have been another paragraph on consistency. Men at ways delight to reproach women for inconsistency, and yet show me the man who would enjoy a really consistent woman.

You can't not even if you hunted for him with a twenty-horsepower searchlight substitute for Diggens' lantern.

Carolyn Wells has a little poem which he calls "Unanswerable Questions."

After propounding some half dozen unanswerable queries as to why the fair sex do this or that silly thing he winds up with—

"Why doth she dance us round in glee  
Like puppets tied to strings?  
And yet, in secret, why do we  
Love her for just these things?"

I wish all men were as honest as Mr. Wells.

Ruth Cameron

**No Man is Stronger Than His Stomach**

A strong man is strong all over. No man can be strong who is suffering from weak stomach with its consequent indigestion, or from some other disease of the stomach and its associated organs, which impairs digestion and nutrition. For when the stomach is weak or diseased there is a loss of the nutrition contained in food, which is the source of all physical strength. When a man "doesn't feel just right," when he doesn't sleep well, has an uncomfortable feeling in the stomach after eating, is languid, nervous, irritable and despondent, he is losing the nutrition needed to make strength.

Such a man should use **Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enriches the blood, invigorates the liver, strengthens the kidneys, nourishes the nerves, and so GIVES HEALTH AND STRENGTH TO THE WHOLE BODY.**

You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this non-alcoholic medicine of known composition, not even though the urgent dealer may thereby make a little bigger profit. Ingredients printed on wrapper.



**Fads and Fashions.**

Plaited effects are always attractive in dresses for girls, inasmuch as they afford the long straight lines that are so becoming to the average child.

Mourning veils for draping on the hat and in the back are very wide mesh net and finished with a wide and one or two narrow bandings of ribbon.

Almost every hat one sees nowadays has a touch of fur somewhere about it. Fur, velvet and tullestry to an extremely fashionable combination.

Widows still wear the double veils, but more often veils are single and seldom measure over a yard by three quarters and quite frequently they are smaller.

Evening wraps are very lovely made of beaded lace or net laid over lustrous satins. They often have a deep hem of the satin and a large collar as well.

The day when the debutante was strictly gowned in pure white is past. The new wild-rose frocks for young girls threaten to take the pure-white frocks place.

Ribbon hair ornaments in becoming bow shapes, and also in flat rosette effects, called this season "boutonniers," are greatly liked by both young girls and youthful matrons.

To dress the hair in the new bob-

The newest thing in over-blouses, or jumpers, is of chiffon embroidered in beads of mingled bright colors, a somewhat barbaric color scheme, but very effective in small quantity.

Hosiery always matches the slippers, and many beautiful silk stockings are shown having elaborately wrought drawn-work decorations, or else daintily embroidered floral designs.

Dull jet or enamel jewelry is invariably worn for deep mourning. Brooches, belt buckles and long neck chains for lockette or watch are about all that is really necessary.

The butterfly is the dominant novelty in this season's fashions. It is seen ornamenting stunning evening gowns, perched airily on charming collars, resting lazily on hats of velvet and fur.

Bowl-shaped turbans, hand-crocheted, are being shown at some of the best shops. They are made quite deep, fitting far down over the head, and a turned-back brim is usually of a contrasting color.

The woman with high color rejoices in black millinery this season. The poinsettia is used again for setting off the black hat, though this season a single white poinsettia is smarter than the reds.

Classic bands have been worn in the hair all summer and fall, but these were comparatively simple affairs compared to the new jeweled band which is positively the very latest thing from Paris.

**My Lungs** "I have coughed and coughed until my lungs are sore and weak." Go at once to your doctor. Do not delay another hour. Ask him all about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Then take it or not, as he says. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

**His Old Age Made Free From Suffering**

By GIN PILLS

ANNAPOLIS, N.S.  
"I am over 80 years of age and have been suffering with Kidney and Bladder Trouble for fifteen years. I took doctors' medicine but got no help. I want to thank you for sending me the sample box of GIN PILLS.

I have taken six boxes of GIN PILLS altogether but got relief before I had taken near that amount. I had to get up some nights every fifteen minutes and had to use an instrument before I could urinate.

Now, I can lie in bed four or five hours without getting up. I can say that GIN PILLS have nearly cured me and I shall always keep a box in the house."

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Do as Mr. Pierce did—write us for free sample box of GIN PILLS and see for yourself just how much they will do for you, then buy the regular size boxes at your dealer's—50c. or 6 for \$2.50. GIN PILLS are sold with a positive guarantee of money back if they fail to give prompt relief. National Drug and Chemical Co., Dept. . . . Toronto. 51

able style one must part it in the middle, then drape it back from the face in some soft way, and finally bunch it the back, in a big mass around which is twisted a coil of hair or a band of ribbon.

There is a marked preference for the high, buttoned boot, with its Cuban heel, which is shown in calf-skin and suede and also in velvet, for the tendency of Fashion to make much of rich fabrics has extended even to the world of footwear.

The upper part of all dressy costumes is very transparent, revealing the arms and the shoulders to the bust. As a rule these are elaborately trimmed, jeweled trimmings, spangles, gold and silver laces, metal embroideries and heavy jet ornaments being employed.

The furs that can be worn everyday; not only with warmth, but with sartorial propriety, are pony skin, mole-skin, opossum, sealskin, dyed otter and dyed musk rat. These may be all bordered with skunk or black fox. The latter is also a fur that one can wear in the mornings, and lynx is another.

One rarely sees the old-fashioned, modestly cut round or square neck in the really up-to-date evening gowns. The favourite style is a V shaped décolletage, the point of the V not finishing until it reaches the waist. This gives a broad expanse of uncovered back that a few seasons ago would have been considered shocking.

**Lisbon Has a Big Sensation.**

Lisbon, Dec. 26.—Former Premier J. Luciano De Castro, twelve former governors and directors of the Portuguese Credit Foncier Bank, all of them ex-Cabinet Ministers, and the chief accountant, treasurer and cashier of the bank, were arrested to-day on a charge of using illegal methods in connection with the administration of the institution. All of them were released on bail. Castro, who is a paralytic, was unable to appear before the Magistrate, and his bail was fixed at \$2,000,000. This was furnished by four capitalist friends.

**Indigestion & Dyspepsia**

In all its Forms can be Cured.

It is quite a daily occurrence to hear persons say: "Oh, what a feeling of distress I have after meals, fullness of the stomach, heaviness and headache, I feel too tired to do anything, I have no heart to exert myself and at times I care for nothing. I often have a pain in the pit of my stomach, no appetite, my heart beats rapidly on the slightest exertion. I feel just as tired when rising in the morning as when retiring to bed. My sleep is often disturbed, and I often awake with a sense of suffocation and a difficulty of again going to sleep. I have to be careful of what I eat, and my life seems a veritable burden."

Now, it seems a shame and a pity for persons to be suffering like that when it is in their power to get cured by taking a Bottle of Dr. Stafford's Prescription A. A sure cure for persons afflicted with stomach troubles. It can be obtained at

**DR. F. STAFFORD & SON,**  
Duckworth Street and Theatre Hill.  
Small size, 25 cents; postage, 5c extra; large size, 50 cents; postage, 10c. extra. Mail orders must be accompanied by remittance—oct.29, 11.

**Scotch Express Wrecked—8 Killed.**

Kirby Stephen, England, Dec. 24.—Eight persons were killed and twenty-five others injured in the wreck of the Scotch Express near Hawes Junction to-day. The express collided with a pilot engine and was derailed. Fire broke out in the wreckage and destroyed the coaches.

The express carried 500 persons, bound for their homes in Scotland to spend Christmas. The whole train, with the exception of the locomotive and a rear baggage car, was reduced to ashes.

**NEW ARRIVALS!**

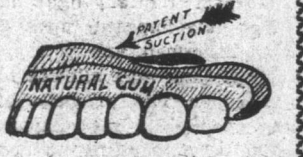
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The Shoe Men.



**Evening Telegram**

W. J. HERDER, - Proprietor  
W. F. LLOYD, - Editor

Friday, Dec 30, 1910.

**The Smith Case.**

Elsewhere in this issue will be found a newspaper report emanating from Gloucester, which states that a New Fisheries Dispute has arisen. The circumstances given are as follows:

"The schooner Blanche left there on November 14th, for a cargo of salt herring. On the way down she encountered a storm, and some of her sails were blown away. On arriving at Bay of Islands, Capt. Smith telegraphed home to the owners, Fred L. Davis & Co., and new sails were sent in another vessel.

The Blanche secured a fare of herring, and was ready to take aboard the new sails, but the Newfoundland customs authorities refused to permit it unless duty is paid. Acting under instructions from the owners, Capt. Smith refused to pay.

We learn that the Blanche was purchasing herring under the privileges which have been allowed to continue this season. She was not exercising the fishing liberties conceded by the Convention of 1812, it may be remembered that the Arbitrators at the Hague expressed in their award the unanimous opinion that Americans "cannot at the same time and during the same voyage exercise their Treaty rights and enjoy their commercial privileges, because Treaty rights and commercial privileges are submitted to different rules, regulations and restraints."

Capt. Smith was exercising a commercial privilege. In doing so he was in the same position as if he had been in St. John's buying a cargo of dry cod, and whilst doing so had imported new sails. Had he done so, he would have to pay duty on them here.

In other words, Americans are subject to all restrictions imposed on the importations of goods as any other persons would be, and, indeed, if they were exercising the fishing liberty under the Convention, that would not free them from any light, harbour, or other duty imposed upon Newfoundland fishermen, nor from any customs duty if they were allowed to exercise the commercial privilege of importing goods, and the importation of sails is undoubtedly a commercial privilege.

**Schr. Strikes Wreck and Goes to Bottom**

Messrs. Harvey & Coy., yesterday had a message from Holyrood, St. Mary's Bay, giving them particulars of the loss of the little schooner Isabella, of 37 tons burden. The vessel was from St. Mary's with 520 qts. fish on board, and 4 1/2 tons of fish. Running along the shore at 10 o'clock on Wednesday night, the vessel ran into a lot of wreckage floating in the water and striking one piece of large size she was so badly stove that she sank almost immediately. The accident occurred between Gull Island and Cape Pine as the vessel came down the shore and the crew had only time to get their effects and take to their boats. She sank at a spot about 6 miles S. W. of Cape English and it would seem that the wreckage indicates the loss of another craft, though no other vessel has to-date been reported missing. The crew arrived safely at Holyrood. The vessel was consigned to Harvey & Coy. and the fish and oil on board are insured.

**Ore Shipments.**

Shipping Illustrated says that 1,000,000 tons of ore was shipped from Bell Island by both companies the past season, and further states that the Dominion Co. has chartered the new steamer owned by Roberts Bros., of Liverpool, N.S., and will use her the coming season, conveying ore from the island to Sydney. The steamer is said to be four hundred feet long and capable of carrying 12,000 tons of ore.

We understand that a dredge is now on its way from Sydney to the island for the purpose of dredging near the piers, where steamers load ore. The water has been found too shallow to allow of large steamers loading there, hence the necessity of getting the dredge down.

**BRITISH SOCIETY PARADE.**—The members of the Newfoundland British Society and Albert Edward Branch will hold their annual parade on Monday, January 2nd. The members will meet at the hall at 9 o'clock, and will call at Government house to pay their respects to His Excellency, Sir Ralph Williams. They will then parade, and attend the Queen's Road Congregation Church, where the Rev. J. Thackeray has kindly consented to give a special service. The British will be accompanied by the C. L. B. Band.—adv.

**Music in the Air.**

On Nov. 29th two young girls, well dressed and apparently well educated, went into Mr. Chesley Woods' music store on Water Street and asked to see some sheet music. The leader selected 14 sheets of music valued at 10 cents a sheet. She informed the girl who tended the store she wanted the music for the Mercy Convent and would return the music not required. She was allowed to take the sheets away. Two days after the girl came back to the store and returned three sheets of the fourteen. It was announced that the Sisters of the Mercy Convent had kept the other eleven, and the amount, \$1.10 was charged up by Mr. Woods to their account accordingly. A few days ago he sent the bill to the Convent, but neither the Rev. Mother nor the Sisters knew anything about the order and repudiated the account. Mr. Woods then thought possibly that the girl who ordered the music may have come from some of the other Convents—Presentation, Belvidere or Littledale. He tried all but they knew nothing about the matter. Mr. Woods has now given the case to the police. The girl in his shop knows the girl who took away the music and she will be arrested on sight.

**POLICE COURT NEWS.**

In the police court to-day a disorderly who assaulted Sergt. Myrne yesterday was fined \$5 or 14 days.

A drunk for the 10th time during the year was fined \$1 or 6 days.

The man Whalen, referred to elsewhere, was charged with breaking two panes of glass, valued at \$20, in the windows of the Supreme Court yesterday, and one pane of glass, valued at \$10, in the lockup. On each charge he was fined \$20 or 2 months, or an aggregate of \$40 or 4 months.

Two disorderlies were each fined \$2 or 7 days.

The principal in an affiliation case gave bonds to appear when called upon.

**Child Almost Drowned.**

In the past two issues of the Telegram a warning has been sounded against frequenting the suburban ponds until they are thoroughly frozen over and rendered safe for skating or walking. Incidents are not lacking to prove that the warning is not untimely. Tuesday last while a girl named Morris, aged 15 years, skating on Burton's Pond she fell through the ice out near the centre and for quite a while it looked as if the child would drown. Several boys and girls were on the pond but all feared to venture near her until two girls, Misses Power and Squires, ventured out on the treacherous ice and succeeded at great risk in rescuing the little one. She was chilled and so exhausted that she had to remain all night at the residence of a friend, Mrs. Hanlan, who lives near Belvidere Cemetery.

**Here and There.**

**A Bottle of Stafford's Essence of Ginger Wine for 10c. makes 3 quarts.**—Dec 27, 11.

**ON THE CALYPSO.**—Fourteen men left the Calypso to-day, having completed their term of drill. There are now about 80 men left on board.

The schr. General Laurie, Capt. Matthews, will sail to-morrow for Pernambuco taking for A. Goodridge & Sons 1,740 drums, 348 half drums, equal in all to 2,917 qts. of fish.

**ADDITIONAL GIFTS.**—These additional gifts were received at the C. of E. orphanage, C. P. Eagan, 1 bri. butter bread; Miss Browning, drawing slates and alphabet cards; Mrs. J. G. Hunt, cakes.

**CALENDARS.**—We beg to thank J. S. Robertson (Montreal) for a wall Calendar; also Messrs W. & G. Rendell, agents Phoenix Assurance Co. Ltd., for Desk Calendar, pocket book and pencil.

**FLYING THE PINK, WHITE AND GREEN.**—The Allan Liner Numidian is to-day flying the Pink, White and Green, as the flag of Newfoundland, at her foremast head. The Mongolian also displayed the same yesterday.

**TOM LEE** (Chinese Laundry, Ravilla's Cross) wishes to inform his patrons that work may be sent there as usual. Arrangements have been made to have orders attended to whilst repairs to premises are being made. The same first class service given. Dec 30, 11.

**INSPECTED SLAUGHTER HOUSES.**—Inspector W. O'Brien, of the Health Department, returned from the south shore of Conception Bay yesterday where he had visited all the slaughter houses, 26 in number. He found 11 very good, 5 fair, and 1 which had not been adhering to the rules, so that the cancelling of two of the licenses, at least, will be recommended.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

**Olson and Shallow Boxing Bout**

ENDED IN DRAW.

Special to Evening Telegram. GRAND FALLS, To-Day. The exhibition of gymnastics by Olson last evening was a big success, and the three round boxing exhibition between Shallow and Olson—very exciting. The bout ended in a draw.

**A Valuable Find.**

Two residents of Quidi Vidi Road on going home last night found an express full of grocery parcels with horse attached passing along near the Convalescent Home and no driver around any where to be seen. After stopping the horse and waiting ten minutes to see if the driver would appear, they examined the vehicle and found the name of the owner on it. They then took it in charge and drove it back to the owner's premises.

**Coastal Boats.**

REID Nfld. Co.

The Argyle left Baine Harbor at 11:20 a.m. yesterday and is due at Placentia to-day.

The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 7:55 a.m. to-day.

The Clyde left Lewisporte at 8:40 a.m. to-day for the north.

The Dundee arrived at Port Blandford at 5:10 p.m. yesterday.

The Ethie left Clarendville at 2:30 a.m. to-day.

The Glencoe left Grand Bank at 4:30 p.m. yesterday going west.

The Home left Birch Cove at 8:10 a.m. for the north.

The Invermore is at St. John's.

**BOWINGS' BOATS.**

The Portia left Burgeo at 9:50 a.m. to-day.

The Prospero left King's Cove at 9 a.m. to-day.

**Here and There.**

**AT THE DOCK.**—The Lake Simcoe and Gaspe undocked this morning and Job's Mildred went on for repairs.

**IN FULL SWING.**—Work in the R. N. Co. new car shop is now in full swing. The place was opened the week before Christmas.

**NEW LOCOMOTIVES.**—The Reid Nfld. Co. men are now building four new locomotives for the Bonavista Branch at the machine shop.

**BOAT KITTY ARRIVED.**—The boat Kitty arrived this morning to Goodridge & Sons with a load of dry fish and oats from Tor's Cove and Ferryland.

**RETURNING TO BELL ISLAND.**—About 50 workmen of Conception Bay came in by train to-day to return to Bell Island via the Cove, to resume work.

**CONCERT AT HARBOR MAIN.**—An enjoyable concert was held at Harbor Main last night in aid of the fund for Rev. Father Roe's church. The event was a great success.

**BAZAAR AT PETTY HARBOR.**—There was a fancy fair at Petty Harbor last night in aid of the C. of E. Church fund. The financial returns were beyond the expectations of the organizers.

**FINGER CUT OFF.**—A ten-year-old boy of the West End, Joseph Kavanagh, had the top of the index finger of his right hand cut off by a broken bottle while searching in the dump above the Long Bridge this morning.

**HOME'S REPORT.**—The S.S. Home arrived at Bay of Islands at 8:30 a.m. to-day and reports good water since Monday. Arrived at Battle Harbor on 28th, no seals at Battle Harbor since last trip. Some stob ice around Battle Harbor.

**BRUCE PASSENGERS.**—The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 7:55 a.m. to-day bringing Sir Wm. Horwood, W. H. Courtenay, P. D. Wilson, T. A. Price, J. P. Buckle, J. Chetwynd, J. Corbett, J. Penny, Miss A. Perks and Miss C. Fitzgerald.

**MAKING IMPROVEMENTS.**—The N. S. Co. are making considerable improvements on their premises at Bell Island. They are erecting another large pier and also erecting another very large pocket, and a new conveyer is also being made. These innovations are affording considerable extra employment to people.

**NIMDIAN'S PASSENGERS.**—The s.s. Numidian sails for Glasgow at 4 p.m. taking 1,000 packages of freight, including 500 packages of dried squid for China. Her passengers are: Miss Macpherson, Mrs. W. G. Gosling, Miss Gosling, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. O'uterbridge, Miss Withers, N. A. O'uterbridge and wife, Mrs. J. Wylie, Hon. S. Milley, B. Friedman and one intermediate.

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**Pilot Boat on Fire.**

At 1:15 to-day while a lighted lamp was being used forward on the pilot boat and being placed under the cylinder by one of the men, it exploded and the apartment was soon in flames. A telephone message was sent for the firemen and the Eastern and Central men responded. The men on board in the meantime took water in buckets from the harbor and after a fight quenched the blaze. Considerable damage was done the walls and ceiling of the compartment.

**Mr. F. H. White in American Field.**

The "American Field" for December 24th contains an excellent illustrated article on "Fishing and Shooting on the Terra Nova" by Mr. F. H. White, of the Government Engineer's Office, this city. Mr. White has written several articles of this kind the past year or two in American papers and magazines, and is doing much in an effective way to advertise the country.

**\$1,500,000 Gift**

For Columbia University, New York.

New York, Dec. 26.—In behalf of a donor who withholds his name, Gen. L. Rives, chairman of the Board of Directors of Columbia University, and Robert W. DeForest, president of the Presbyterian Hospital, announced tonight that \$1,500,000 had been pledged for perfection of an affiliation between the hospital and the medical school of the University.

Though the name of the actual donor is unknown, the gift comes through Edward S. Harkness, a member of the wealthy family of New York and Cleveland, who adds \$300,000 himself for the erection upon the site belonging to the hospital of a surgical pavilion containing 150 beds, and equipped with modern apparatus, and conveniently accessible to this pavilion a complete laboratory for advanced research work. Harkness' brother, Chas. W. Harkness, is a director of the Standard Oil Company, and it is commonly believed that some member of the Harkness family also makes the larger gift.

**Marine Notes.**

The S. S. Durango arrived at Liverpool this morning after a run of 8 days.

The S. S. Fogota left Gander Bay at 5:40 a.m. to-day and is due here to-morrow.

The schr. Hispaniola arrived here from Souris via Louisburg to-day with hay and oats for Job Bros. & Co. She made the run in 8 days and had moderate weather.

**Train Notes.**

The west bound express left Bishop's Falls at 9:18 a.m. to-day.

The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 10 a.m. to-day for St. John's.

The local arrived here at 12:10, bringing 50 Harbor Main and Holyrood men going to Bell Island.

**Here and There.**

**LEAVING FOR CHICAGO.**—Mr. Anderson, foreman of Browning's bakery, will leave for his home in Chicago next Tuesday. To him is mainly due the success of Mr. Browning's exhibit at the Prince's Rink last fall.

**SUFFERING FROM TYPHOID.**—Mrs. Whalen, to whom we alluded yesterday, and sister of Mrs. Collins who recently died, was removed from her home in the ambulance to-day and taken to the Hospital. She is suffering from aggravated typhoid, as are her nephews, the three little Collins boys. These are to-day slightly improved, but the woman is very ill.

**CARD TOURNAMENT.**—The card tournament at the People's Club last night was a great success. Fifty-four players took part, and 24 games were played. Mr. Lowe won the first prize a turkey; Messrs. Wills and Malone, the second and third, respectively. The games will be taken up every Wednesday night during the winter. There will be another special tournament to-night.

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## THE LAST BARGAIN LIST FOR 1910

TO OUR MANY, MANY CUSTOMERS, WE WISH THE BEST OF SUCCESS AND PROSPERITY FOR THE YEAR OF 1911.

<p><b>MEN'S WOOD ROD UMBRELLAS</b></p> <p>Straight and bent handles. Reg. \$1.00.</p> <p>SATURDAY 85 cents each.</p>	<p><b>Women's Ringwood Gloves,</b> Best Scotch Manufacture, Black, White and Tan y. Reg. 55c. Saturday 45c. pair.</p> <p><b>Misses CASHMERE GLOVES,</b> Fleeced, colors of Navy, Green, Beaver, Tan, White, Grey and Cardina. Reg. 20c. Saturday 16c. pair.</p> <p><b>Women's KID GLOVES,</b> Colors of Tans, Brown and Black, 2 dome fastners, all sizes. R-g. 45c. Saturday 39c. pair.</p> <p><b>ART SERGE CURTAINS,</b> Crimson and Green, with fancy borders and ends, only 8 pairs. Reg. 3.00. Saturday \$2.30 pair.</p>	<p><b>ENGLISH ART CRETONNE,</b> Assorted fancy patterns and colors, 32 inches wide. Reg. 45c. Saturday 39c. yard.</p> <p><b>SCOTCH WOOL BLANKETS,</b> Sizes 64x84 inches, weight 7 lbs., edges wool bound. Reg. 3.75. Saturday \$3.25 pair.</p> <p><b>American Cotton Blankets,</b> Nice s fl fleece, extra thick and warm, 2-3-4 yards long. Reg. 1.55. Saturday \$1.40 pair.</p> <p><b>CRIB COTTON BLANKETS,</b> Size 30x40 inches, heavy English manufacture, with pretty borders. Reg. 55c. Saturday 44c. pair.</p>
<p><b>MEN'S TIES</b></p> <p>Handkerchief ends, splendid range of colors and patterns. Reg. 55c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 45 cents each.</p>	<p><b>WOMEN'S APRONS.</b> 10 doz. of Women's White Muslin Aprons with embroidered bibs and bretelles, finest English quality. Regular, 95c. each. Saturday 75c.</p> <p><b>CHILDREN'S OVERALLS.</b> 40-only Children's White Cotton Overall with dainty embroidered yokes, and fronts, wide hem at bottom. Reg. 75c. each. Saturday 60c.</p>	<p><b>LADIES' NIGHTDRESSES.</b> 4 doz. of Ladies' Flannelette Night-dresses in Pink, Cream and Striped, trimmed with frills and embroidery. Reg. \$1.25 each. Saturday \$1.00</p> <p><b>LADIES' UNDERSKIRTS.</b> 4 doz. of Ladies' Woolen Underskirts, colors of pink, cream and fancy, full at bottom, with Torchon lace trimming. Reg. \$1.10 ea. Saturday 90c.</p>
<p><b>MEN'S SILK HANDKERCHIEFS</b></p> <p>Crimson and White, with wide hemstitched hem. Reg. 75c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 60 cents each.</p>	<p><b>Grocery Bargains.</b></p> <p>Van Camps Hominy, Reg. 15c. Saturday 12c. tin.</p> <p>1 lb. Tins Coffee &amp; Milk, Reg. 27c. Sat. 24c. tin</p> <p>Lge. Bots. Spanish Olives, Reg. 50c. Sat. 43c. bot.</p> <p>Lge. Tins Stove Polish, Reg. 10c. Saturday 6c tin</p>	
<p><b>MEN'S SHIRTS</b></p> <p>Fancy Regatta, soft bosoms, assorted patterns. Reg. 90c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 75 cents each</p>	<p style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold; letter-spacing: 0.5em;">THE ROYAL STORES LIMITED</p>	
<p><b>WHITE TURKISH TOWELS</b></p> <p>Very thick, full size. Reg. 40c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 32 cents each</p>	<p><b>MEN'S BOOTS.</b></p> <p>Vici Kid, Volor Calif, Box Calif &amp; Patent Leather. Reg. \$4.50</p> <p>SATURDAY \$4.00 pair</p>	<p><b>MEN'S SLIPPERS</b></p> <p>Dongola Kid and All-gator Everett, tan &amp; black. Reg. \$1.20.</p> <p>SATURDAY \$1.05 pair.</p>
<p><b>BOYS' SCOTCH WOOL GLOVES</b></p> <p>Heather mixtures, Assorted sizes, Reg. 30c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 22c. pair</p>	<p><b>MEN'S RINGWOOD GLOVES</b></p> <p>Scotch knit, with Tan Kid palms, Reg. 90c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 75c. pair</p>	<p><b>MEN'S BRACES</b></p> <p>Fitted with neat Japanese unbreakable Nickel buckles, Reg. 30c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 22c. pair</p>
<p><b>MEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS</b></p> <p>Fine quality, full size, Reg. 18c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 12c. each</p>	<p><b>MEN'S GLOVES</b></p> <p>Tans and Brown Kid, wool lined, fur wrists, Reg. \$1.25</p> <p>SATURDAY \$1.05 pair</p>	<p><b>WHITE HONEYCOMB TOWELS</b></p> <p>With striped borders, size 18x40 inches. Reg. 10c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 7 cents each</p>
<p><b>TRAY CLOTHS</b></p> <p>Satin finish Damask, with wide imitation hemstitched hem. Reg. 15c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 12 cents each.</p>	<p><b>PILLOW CASES</b></p> <p>Hemstitched and frilled white cotton, size 20 x 30 ins. Reg. 30c.</p> <p>SATURDAY 24 cents each</p>	<p><b>MEN'S BOOTS</b></p> <p>Box Calif, Patent Leather and Vici Kid, buttoned and laced. Reg. \$3.00.</p> <p>SATURDAY \$2.70 pair.</p>

### Employees of The Royal Stores

Honour The Memory of the Late Campbell Macpherson.

The employees of the Royal Stores met last evening in the gramophone room of the establishment and presented to Mr. Harold Macpherson, Assistant Manager, a portrait of his father, the late Campbell Macpherson, accompanied by an address which was read by Mr. W. F. Parsons on behalf of the employees. The deceased founder of the Royal Stores was loved and respected by his people, and they will ever hold the most pleasing memories of his cheerful handshake and kindly greeting as well as words of encouragement and approval. The presentation intended for his widow was now made to the son. It is a pleasing circumstance and one that enhances the value of the gift is that the portrait was painted by Miss Macpherson, sister of the late Campbell Macpherson and of Mr. Arch Macpherson, and the donors sincerely hope that the gift will still further tend to strengthen the amicable relations that exist in the firm and to keep green the memory of one so dear to the hearts of all who knew him. Following is the address:—

To Mr. Harold Macpherson, Assistant Manager of the Royal Stores, Ltd.: Dear Sir,

It was the sincere desire of the Employees of The Royal Stores, Ltd., whose names are herewith affixed, to perpetuate the fond memory of their late lamented employer and friend, Mr. Campbell Macpherson, your dear father, by presenting to his sorrowing, grief-stricken widow, a tribute of affection and love in the form of a life-size portrait of her departed husband, but an over-ruling Providence decreed otherwise, for within the space of a few short weeks we again stood beside the open grave to weep with you, over the loss of your dear, affectionate mother. Meanwhile, the work upon the Portrait had been begun, and has proceeded to completion, and, while it is impossible for us to carry out our original intention, we do wish to and herewith present, through you, to the family of our late employer, this Portrait as an abiding expression of the high esteem in which he was held by those whose privilege it was to work for a gentleman, whose practical sympathy and help was unmistakably manifested toward those who were about him.

Presented on behalf of the Employees, by

W. F. PARSONS.

### FRESH SUPPLY

TURKEYS  
—AND—  
DUCKS.

By Rail To-Day.  
100 Selected Turkeys.  
50 Selected Ducks.  
Irish Bacon.  
Fearman's Bacon.  
Davis & Frazer's Bacon.  
Kenny's Bacon.  
Family Mess Pork.  
Libby's Beef.  
Small Jovis.  
Pork Loin.

150 cases No. 1 SALMON, Red Cross Brand.

P. E. I. Butter—selected.  
30 lb. Tubs.  
10 lb. Tubs.  
2 lb. Prints.

Fresh Eggs.  
Fresh Rabbits.  
Fresh Partridge.  
Halifax Sausages.  
Holyrood Cabbage.  
Finnan Haddies.  
Kipperd Herring.

**T. J. EDENS.**

Phone 411 and 411a.

### Hockey Association Fixtures.

The annual meeting of the Hockey Association took place last evening, all the clubs being represented. Mr. W. J. Higgins, the President, in a fluent address made reference to the work of last season, and spoke of the excellent financial condition of the Association as outlined in the Secretary's (P. M. Duff) report. The report having been adopted, the election was held and last year's executive was re-elected as follows: President, W. J. Higgins; Sec.-Treas., P. M. Duff. The fixtures for the season were then settled and are as follows:

St. Bon's vs. Victorias.  
Feldians vs. Crescents.  
St. Bon's vs. Feldians.  
Victorias vs. Crescents.  
St. Bon's vs. Crescents.  
Victorias vs. Feldians.

The second round is similar to the above. Mr. Higgins consented to act as referee for the season, a fact which gave much satisfaction to all present. All the clubs will soon start practice and a good season is looked forward to.

### Medical Men Meet.

The gentlemen of the medical fraternity held a meeting last night and resolved to raise the scale of charges for attending sick people, commencing the new schedule on the New Year. Some of the doctors complained that the fees now charged were less than those prevailing among the doctors in Nova Scotia, and if the fees were not raised here there would be a possibility of them leaving St. John's and going back to Nova Scotia. The Canadian doctors present at the meeting said that the earning power of the people of St. John's was as large, if not larger, than that of the people of Nova Scotia and they all thought that the people of St. John's should pay the doctors higher fees. It was argued that the present rates were made 50 years ago, when only a few doctors practiced here. It was decided to form a Union for mutual benefit and to draw up a list of fees on the sliding scale as soon as the winter would set in. The new system prevails in England and works well. Every man must pay according to his rent. Following is the schedule:

Persons paying rental from £10 to £25—Ordinary visit, 2s. 6d. to 3s. 6d.; night visit, double an ordinary visit; midwifery, 21s.

Persons paying rental from £25 to £50—Ordinary visit, 3s. 6d. to 5s.; night visit, double an ordinary visit; midwifery, 21s. to 30s.

Persons paying rental from £50 to £100—Ordinary visit, 5s. to 10s. 6d.; night visit, double an ordinary visit; midwifery, 42s. to 105s.

### Burned by Matches.

While a young man of the West End was lighting a match on a box, Saturday evening, the whole took fire and he was pretty severely burned about the hands and arms. He had to go to a doctor for treatment.

The accident to the man with the box of matches, reported in the papers on Tuesday, could not have happened if he had been using our famous local manufactured match. There are no highly dangerous explosives used in our matches. They are absolutely safe, will fire every time, and will light in the wind.

HORWOOD LUMBER CO., Ltd.

### Juvenile Society's Annual Report.

T. A. Hall, Dec. 11, 1910.

Mr. President and Gentlemen—In presenting you with the 43rd annual report of the Juvenile T. A. & B. Society, we desire to congratulate you on the prosperous condition of that portion of your Society.

The Society in conjunction with the Adult Society paraded the principal streets of the City on New Year's day calling on His Excellency Sir Ralph Williams, afterwards attending Mass at the Cathedral, calling on His Grace the Archbishop and clergy.

It's gratifying to announce a large increase in membership, 52 members add to roll during the year, and 7 members transferred to the parent Society.

On January 27th the Officers and Guardians with the Officers of the Adult Society attended the funeral of the late Rev. Dr. Howley.

The Society on August 15th held its annual Picnic at Smithville which event was a splendid success and the Guardians take this opportunity to tender on behalf of the boys our sincerest thanks to members of the adult branch, who helped to make it a success, and also the members of the adult band, who gave their service free for dance at night.

August 24th the Guardians in conjunction with officers of the parent society attended the presentation to His Grace the Archbishop.

The health of the Society is good, there has been nine members on the sick list during the year. We regret to report the death of 3 of its members, Martin Mahoney, Austin Oke and Jas. Knox, to whose remains the Society paid its last tribute of respect.

The Band is progressing favorably, under the tuition of Prof. Norris, we desire to thank Messrs. Billingsby, Rols, Walsh and Murphy for their interest they take in the band, and also for prizes they gave, to be awarded to members. We also take this opportunity of tendering on behalf of the members of the Juvenile Society to Messrs. Ellis, Coughlan and Hanly, for prizes to be given to the boy who would bring the most members during the year.

Signed on behalf of Guardians:  
PAMPS J. NORRIS, Chairman.  
JOHN J. MURPHY, Secretary.

### When Sleep Fails You

DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD will bring rest, comfort and vitality by building up the nerves.

Mr. Jas. Wesley Weaver, a veteran of the Fenian Raid, Fort Dalhousie, Ont., writes: "For years I was afflicted with nervousness and dreads, insomnia, so that I never knew five three years what a full hour's sleep was, never more than dozing for a few minutes at a time. Heart pain and headaches almost drove me wild. I had spells of weakness and cramps in stomach and limbs."

"Though I tried several doctors, I was money uselessly spent. Finally Dr. Chase's Nerve Food was brought to me and eight boxes cured me. It is simply wonderful what benefit have obtained from this treatment. Sleeplessness and headaches, warnings of approaching nervous collapse, you can positively remove the symptoms and prevent prostration paralysis by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.50, at all druggists or Pilbrow, Bates & Co., Toronto. Write for copy of Dr. Chase's Receipts."

### Pretty Wedding at Christ Church.

The second wedding in the history of Christ Church chapel took place Sunday evening. The Rev. Dr. L. W. Applegate read the beautiful service at about seven o'clock, when united Miss Annie G. Chislett, of St. John's, Newfoundland, and St. Paul's, N.Y. After a honeymoon in the East they will return to St. John's and reside with Mr. and Mrs. LeDrew—Gary Daily Tribune, Dec. 19, 1910.

I was cured of painful Goutre by MINARD'S LINIMENT.  
CHATHAM, ONT. BAYARD McMULLIN.

I was cured of Inflammation of MINARD'S LINIMENT.  
MRS. W. A. JOHNSON, Walsh, Ont.

I was cured of Facial Neuralgia by MINARD'S LINIMENT.  
PARKDALE, ONT. J. H. BAILEY.

**Election of Officers.**

The election of officers for the coming year took place at the Exchange Building last night, viz.: Chief-Patrolman, J. C. Phillips; High Priest, J. Adams; Senior Warden, S. Butler; Junior Warden, A. E. White; Treasurer, W. J. Long; Guide, G. W. Hierarchy. The installation ceremony that followed was very imposing and was carried out in a successful manner. Addresses were given by several of the members. A most enjoyable time was spent and all present will not soon forget the institution of Prom's Encampment No. 1 of the Independent Order of Oddfellows.

**WATER SHUT OFF.**—The Council's men were engaged last night making connections on Water Street with the mains, and the water supply was cut off from that thoroughfare from 6 to 10 p.m.

### Cells Are Dangerous.

It has now been definitely ascertained that the man Wm. Neary, who broke his collar bone, sustained the injury while in the cells at the lock-up. As the cells are at present, there is always the danger of serious, even fatal, injury to inmates incarcerated there from falling about while under the influence of alcohol. The floors are of concrete and the walls of brick, the surface being uneven, and it is often noticed that men who are placed in them without a blemish on their faces often leave them to go before court with cuts and bruises showing on them, the result of contact with the walls. The plank beds there are also a source of danger, and the wonder is that more are not hurt in falling upon them. The possibility of accidents to prisoners gives the men on guard much worry, but they cannot remain in the cells with prisoners and are not in a position to avert such happenings. For the safety of prisoners the police say that the floor should be planed, the walls ceiled to about five feet in height, and that the present bed should be done away with. The cells are warm and covered with rugs, prisoners would sleep with more comfort on the floors and there would be less danger of accidents. Inspector General Sullivan has always instructed men to be very careful of prisoners, and undoubtedly they are, but while the cells remain as they are at present it will be hard to obviate accidents.

**IS RAPIDLY IMPROVING.**—The Norwegian, Francis Bjorn, who was stabbed in the abdomen, on the Benedict, a few weeks ago by a Spaniard named Benigno Diaz, is doing very well at the hospital, and his complete recovery we learn is now only a question of time.

**MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, &c.**

### LAME BACK

To have a lame back or painful stitches, means disordered Kidneys, and the sooner you have the Kidneys and Bladder in a perfectly healthy condition, the sooner you will enjoy life. As far as we know there is only one remedy that is guaranteed to cure you, and that is FIG PILLS. If they don't make you a strong, healthy person in two weeks, your money will be refunded. 25c. a box, at all leading drug stores.

### A Choice New Year's Gift for a Gentleman!

**Gillette Safety Razor**

NO HONING  
NO STROPPING

THE MODERN RAZOR  
Twelve Water Blades.  
Twenty-four Sharp Edges.

The First Improvement Made in Razor Blades in 400 Years.

All men sound its praise, for it has solved the home-shaving problem, each blade giving from twenty to forty velvet shaves without the loss of a moment in stropping or a penny in honing.

**\$5.00 each.**

**MARTIN HARDWARE CO.**



## Cable News.

### ANARCHIST HEADQUARTERS.

Special Evening Telegram.  
LONDON, Dec. 29.  
Some of the evening papers assert that the police investigations of the recent burglaries conducted by a band of Russians show that London was the headquarters of a gang which carried on extensive robberies to secure money with which to further an anarchistic propaganda. Literature preaching anarchy has been discovered among the burglars' effects, as well as explosives, which might be used in the construction of bombs for the purpose of safe blowing. Translators are engaged on bundles of letters discovered, and which, according to the newspapers, make important revelations. Several anarchistic clubs have meeting places in the East End, where the burglars lived, but they have not been molested as the members confined their activities to writing and making speeches. The papers say that the Government is likely to change its policy in this respect, as it is already indicated in the recent suppression of an anarchistic paper. Neighbors of the burglar who was fatally wounded at the time three police officers who had interrupted a burglary were shot to death, state that the man recently made a trip to America and that he received mail from that country.

### Special Evening Telegram.

PARIS, Dec. 29.  
The correspondent of the Temps added that the activity of the working classes in Portugal is another cause of uneasiness. Strikers in the various trades are frequently making demands which it is impossible to meet.

### SPECTACULAR FIRE.

Special Evening Telegram.  
DEXTER, Me., Dec. 29.  
A spectacular fire to-night destroyed the Dexter House and stables, causing a loss of \$5,000. Nearby buildings were saved after hard work. The property was owned by F. H. Hayes.

### STRONGHOLD CAPTURED.

Special Evening Telegram.  
MEXICO CITY, Dec. 29.  
Malpass said to have been the stronghold of the revolutionists, the State of Chihuahua, was captured to-day by the Federal forces, according to telegrams received late to-night by officials here.

### HEAVY FIGHT.

Special Evening Telegram.  
CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Dec. 29.  
Heavy fighting is rumored to have occurred to-day or yesterday between the main bodies of the Federals and the revolutionists. Owing to the intensity of the hour this cannot be confirmed to-night. An encounter has been expected since Sunday.

### PROF. BUTCHER DEAD.

Special Evening Telegram.  
LONDON, Dec. 29.  
Samuel Henry Butcher, Unkian member of Parliament for Cambridge University since 1906, died to-day. He was born in Dublin in 1850, son of the Bishop of Meath. Prof. Butcher was President of the British Academy of Letters in 1909. He taught successfully at Oxford and the University of Edinburgh, and in 1901 was a lecturer at Harvard. He had written extensively in Greek subjects.

### AUTO SPEEDING.

Special Evening Telegram.  
PROVIDENCE, R.I., Dec. 29.  
Rev. Dr. Walter D. Buchanan, pastor of the 4th Avenue Presbyterian Church of New York, was found guilty of exceeding the auto speed limit by a jury in the Superior Court here this afternoon after an all-day trial. The clergyman was allowed seven days in which to file an appeal, and it is believed that will be done, as his attorneys took numerous exceptions during the proceedings. Dr. Buchanan is a brother of the late Mrs. A. G. Dunn, widow of the founder of the Mercantile Agency of that name, and recently inherited an estate of several million dollars by her will.

### VILLAGES DESTROYED.

Special Evening Telegram.  
LONDON, Dec. 29.  
Special despatches from Athens say that the earthquakes in the Elis District have been continuous for five days. The villages of Lichades, 30 miles from Patris, and Andravida, about 12 miles from Patris, have been destroyed. The inhabitants of these villages, who number about 2,450 and 1,800 respectively, have died by Pyrgos. Their distress has been increased by heavy rains. The shocks continue to-night and the full extent of the damage is not known.

CAPE RACE, To-day.  
Wind S.S.E. fresh, weather dull. The schr. Hispaniola passed in and s.s. Kamford west yesterday; the s.s. Mongolian passed west at 7 a.m. to-day. Bar 29.78, ther 32.

## Relief for Distressed Fishermen.

### Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir:—Will you kindly give me space in the columns of your paper to make a few remarks concerning a letter which appeared in your issue of Dec. 16th, under the heading "Shipwreck Relief," signed by Theophilus Hart, of Lady Cove, Trinity Bay.

Mr. Hart says he was shipwrecked on Oct. 10th at Bolster's Rock and he and crew were looked after and fed by Thomas Clark of Bolster's Rock and that the latter cannot get paid the amount of \$28.00 for board and lodgings.

The facts of the case, Mr. Editor, are these: Mr. Hart applied to me on board the S. S. Invermore and said he had lost his schooner. I told him to go to Bolster's Rock and get a place to stay as the steamer was going north and we would take them on board coming south and bring them home. On our return, Clark presented me with a bill for board and lodging of the wrecked crew. But as Clark had been given sufficient provisions by the Government to carry him through the winter, and money would be no use to him at that time in the season as there was nothing there for him to purchase, I then gave Clarke two barrels of flour extra and some other things which would balance against what he had lost by the wrecked crew, and Clark was quite satisfied, and I am satisfied myself that the Government does not give Clark one cent. Mr. Hart and crew were brought to Trinity and turned over by me to Magistrate Lilly, with instructions to look after and despatch them to their homes as soon possible and which I have no doubt he did.

I would like to remind Mr. Hart that I myself haven't been always fed with a silver spoon as I have been a fisherman myself for twenty-five years and have learned by experience how shipwrecked or any other distressed fishermen should be looked after, and during the past two years I have had a good number of such cases to look after, but I venture to say, there has been no complaints. Mr. Hart says his case may make it bad for other fishermen who may be placed in the same predicament. Don't worry yourself over that, Mr. Hart, as I can guarantee you that no distressed fisherman will be treated wrong while I am there to look after them.

Thanking you for space, Mr. Editor, and wishing you the compliments of the season, I remain,

Yours truly,  
JOSIAH GOOSE,  
Relieving Officer, Labrador.

## Obituary.

### MRS. KENNEDY.

There passed peacefully away at her home in Trepassay on the 21st inst. Susan, beloved wife of William Kennedy. Deceased was a Miss Butler, and was born at Trepassay in the year 1851, where she grew up under the guidance of her parents. At the age of eleven, under the care of her aunt, Mrs. Gooley, she went to Buffalo, U.S.A., where she entered school, studying hard for six years. Returning to her native home in the year 1868, specially trained in English and French language, she opened a school, and for several years labored enthusiastically for the education of her young pupils. She was one of those teachers who knew how to use influence in school, appreciating that much more is gained by good advice and kind words than can be expected from harsh measures. Her gentle ways gained for her great respect and the over-riding esteem of her faithful young charges. Later she resigned her position as school teacher and married, performing all her duties with love and cheerfulness, making her home one of happiness and contentment. In her early years Mrs. Kennedy was a fine healthy woman, but as she grew older her health began to fail. Gradually she developed a cough, till in the end she became a victim of consumption. As her age advanced so did her disease, and she died at 3.30 o'clock on Wednesday evening. Deceased leaves a husband, three sons and two daughters (all unmarried) and two brothers to mourn the loss of a good and virtuous wife, kind and loving mother and sister; also a large circle of friends and relations. Funeral took place at 2.30 on Friday afternoon, and was attended by a great community of relatives, friends and acquaintances. To the grief-stricken relatives we extend our sympathy.

## Swelled Head!

Is not affected by Magic Headache Powders, but a burning headache yields almost instantly to the magic influence of this Headache Cure. Ladies in offices and stores find that one powder gives immediate relief. W. T. COURTENAY, cor. Duckworth and Prescott Streets—dec. 27.

Try Stafford's Essence of Ginger Wine, 10c. per bottle, for New Year's Day—dec. 27.

# AS A NEW YEAR'S GIFT

## Give Your Boy

A pair of Geo. A. Slater's Mule Hide Hockey Boots. Ninety-Nine cases out of the Hundred it is just the Present he most ardently desires.

# Geo. A. Slater's Mule Hide HOCKEY BOOTS

Are Soft and Pliable but as Tough as Wire. Any boy will appreciate the Gift, and if necessary, we will exchange at his convenience.

# MARSHALL BROTHERS.

## Erecting New Churches

The new R. C. Church being erected by Rev. Fr. Cacciola at Barren Island will be a spacious as well as a handsome structure. It will be 110 feet long by 36 wide, and the tower and steeple will be 120 feet in height. Fifty men under the supervision of Mr. Maurice Greene, carpenter, of St. John's, are giving free labour on the building which will be opened for service next summer. Many new and very neat houses are also being erected in Placentia Bay this winter. A very fine new church is also being built at Long Harbor, P. I., several men are giving free labour at it, and it will be opened for service next fall. A new church is also being built by the Catholic people of Grate's Cove, C. B.

## Smashed the Windows

At 4 p.m. yesterday Michael Whalen who was only released from the Penitentiary on the 24th inst., after doing two months for assaulting Sgt. Mackay, appeared opposite the Supreme Court frenzied from liquor. Suddenly he picked up a large stone and hurled it with great force through one of the windows of the office of the Chief Clerk. The missile passed just over the heads of Messrs. Butler and Kent who were at their desks, and striking the opposite wall knocked off a large section of the plastering. He then sent another stone through another window in the office, and walking down the steps opposite the police station started in to bombard that department. The first stone he hurled hit the stones of the building, but the next went crashing through the glass. Sgt. Mackay sat reading the Telegram just opposite the window and the stone passed over his head. He with Sgt. Byrne and Constable Lawlor ran out and arrested the man who violently resisted, and after a hard struggle was placed in the cells. The broken glass was valued for \$20.

## TERRIBLE EXPLOSION.

Special Evening Telegram.  
PITTSFIELD, Mass., Dec. 29.  
The lives of sixteen workmen were obliterated to-day by the explosion of a boiler at the plant of the Morwood Lake Ice Co. at Morwood Lake, two miles south of this city. Twelve men were killed instantly, one died shortly after the accident and three others died in the hospital. In addition 12 others were seriously injured, and it was stated to-night at the House of Mercy here, the hospital to which the injured were removed, that it was feared that two of the patients would die.

## INCREASED LOBSTER CATCH.

Special Evening Telegram.  
PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 29.  
The fishermen of Maine caught 19,938,542 lobsters during the year 1910, for which they were paid \$2,145,204, according to Commissioner James T. Donohue. This is three million more than the previous year and nearly twice as many as in 1908, when the catch was 11,000,000. The steady increase in the lobster catch in the last five years is attributed by the Commissioner to the present method of propagating employed by the State and the better enforcement of the short lobster law.

## Again Convicted.

### At New Trial on Charge of Dynamiting a House.

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 24.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Isabella J. Martin, charged with having dynamited the home of Superior Court Judge Ogden on March 11th, 1907, returned a verdict of guilty last night, recommending the defendant to the mercy of the court. The verdict marks the end of the second trial of the case.

In the first trial, at which testimony was given that the woman had plotted to kill several public men, she was convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment. An appeal to the Supreme Court brought an order for a new trial.

During the trial the accused woman conducted her own case. The evidence showed that Mrs. Martin plotted to destroy the residence of Judge Ogden, because of the jurist's alleged unfairness toward her in the trial on an insurance case in which she was interested. "Baby" John Martin, who she claims is her own child, testified at both trials that he set the dynamite and fired the fuse under fear of death at the hands of Mrs. Martin if he failed.

## Good Time?


Last night—eating big dinner is often the maker of a BAD TODAY. Why? Over-eating means extra work for the stomach and bowels. You've got to suffer if you don't help nature along with CASCARETS. "They work while you sleep"—you're O. K. in the A. M. Tonight's the night to take care of to-morrow.

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## Christmas at Barren Island.

In the R. C. Church at Barren Island the altars for the Christmas festival were beautifully decorated. At Midnight Christmas Eve a Miss Cacciola, the boy's choir singing the responses in an excellent manner. Masses were also said at 8 and 11 a.m. Christmas Day and large congregations attended including residents of Brewley and Ballard's Town.

## Sgt. Byrne Attacked.

Yesterday as Sgt. Byrne was passing up Williams Lane he was met and attacked by a man who was formerly a member of the police force. In the struggle which the officer had with him he sprained his thumb. Constable Furlong and another officer came to his aid, and the man was then taken to the lock up.

## The Flag Question.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
Dear Sir:—By what authority does the Allan Line steamer Numidian fly the pink, white and green flag at her foremost head? This flag is not the flag of Newfoundland, as she has no flag but that of the British Empire. It is distinctly a society flag.

Yours,  
NATIVE.

## At the Poor Asylum.

The annual tea was given at the Poor Asylum by the ladies of the mission yesterday, assisted by St. Prisca's. The Christmas Tree was a great success owing to the kindness of outside friends who sent such generous gifts. The inmates thoroughly enjoyed the event especially the concert, and the old songs rendered reminded all of the happy days of their youth. The ladies in charge are deeply grateful to all who assisted in any way to make this event a success. Several new names have been added to the Mission list, and considering the good that can be done it is hoped that many more will join and help to make the lives of these poor people as bright and cheerful as possible. The work of giving teas is kept up at intervals throughout the whole year. The Mission was founded by Lady Thiburn and Mrs. J. E. P. Peters thirteen years ago, and nobody but the Recording Angel knows all the good that has been done since through its instrumentalities. The coming year it is hoped to bring about still greater activity in the work of the Mission.

## Electric Restorer for Men

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## Many Schoolers Building

Many of the people of Placentia Bay are now engaged building new schoolers to be used at next summer's fishing. These will run from 28 to 40 tons, and will be fine craft. They will fish at Cape St. Mary's and in Golden Bay next summer.

## Only One "BROMO QUININE"

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## The Eagle's Nest, C.L.B. Armory, Monday Night, The Old Favourites, Under the Management of T.M. WHITE, C.L.B. BAND

ATTENDANCE. Admission—Boxes (8 seats) \$8.00; Reserved Seats 50 and 40 cts. at the Atlantic Bookstore; Gallery, 30c; Parquet, 20c.

## DISHONESTY IN STORES.

During the Christmas season, in at least three stores in the city dishonest dealing was noticed on the part of some individual hands and dismissals requested, the proprietors not wishing to prosecute out of regard for the families of those who transgressed.

## MINARD'S LINIMENT CURE A DISTEMPER.

## About Ginger Wine.

If you want to have good Ginger Wine at the festive season, make it some time before it is required for use and be sure to use COURTENAY'S German Ginger Wine Essence. It always gives satisfaction. W. T. COURTENAY, cor. Duckworth and Prescott Streets, and at COURTENAY'S West End Pharmacy.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Invalid is sincerely grateful to the following for kindness received at Xmas:—Hon. J. Harris, Hon. D. J. Greene, Mr. W. H. Clapp, M. H. A. Mr. F. W. Ayre, Mr. W. L. Donnelly, Mr. W. S. Monroe, Mrs. Ryan (Bonavista), Mrs. J. Henderson, Mrs. J. W. Foran, Miss Carbery—adv.

## DIED.

Last evening, after a short illness, Denis Hennessey, aged 77 years, a native of County Kilkenny, Ireland, leaving a wife, one son and brother to mourn their sad loss. Funeral to-morrow, Saturday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 15 Walsh's Square. Friends will please accept this, the only intimation.

To-day, December 30th, Samuel Henry Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parsons, aged 41 months.

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## EVENING TELEGRAM FASHION PLATES.

The Home Dressmaker should keep a Catalogue Scrap Book of our Pattern Cuts. These will be found very useful to refer to from time to time.



## An Attractive Practical Work Apron.

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## New Fisheries Dispute Arises.

### Caused by Newfoundland Taxing the Sails Shipped to a Gloucester Fisherman.

GLOUCESTER, Dec. 26.—A new fisheries dispute has arisen between local interests and Newfoundland. Action on authority given by the Hague tribunal, the Province has taxed sails in route to a Gloucester schooner. The vessel's owners have appealed to the State Department.

When the Hague tribunal rendered its decision on the fisheries question last September it was expected in this city that all trouble about the rights of American vessels in Newfoundland waters had been settled.

The tribunal sustained the contention of Great Britain that Newfoundland had the right to make local regulations, but held that these regulations should not be unreasonable and that Great Britain could not be the sole judge of their reasonableness.

In the event of the parties failing to agree upon those regulations, the matter was to be left to a commission of three, including Dr. Hock of the Netherlands, Dr. Hugh Smith of Washington and one other to be appointed by Great Britain. In the event of this commission failing to come to a unanimous conclusion, the Hague tribunal was to take up the matter and settle it once and for all.

It is understood, however, in this city that Newfoundland would permit American fishermen to operate in Newfoundland waters until the commission had been formed.

mission had an opportunity to consider the matter.

The schooner *Blanche* left here Nov. 14 for a cargo of salt herring. On the way down she encountered a storm, and some of her sails were blown away. On arriving at Bay of Islands, Capt. Smith telegraphed home to the owners, Fred. L. Davis and Co., and new sails were sent in another vessel.

The *Blanche* secured a fare of hearing, and was ready to take aboard the new sails, but the Newfoundland customs authorities refused to permit it unless duty is paid. Acting under instruction from the owners Captain Smith refused to pay.

American vessels going to Bay of Islands for herring have in previous years paid duty on barrels and other articles which they carried, not to land, but to use in fishing; the barrels being brought back to this country filled with herring. This duty has been paid under protest in some cases.

The State Department at Washington has been informed of the matter, and the Davis firm has notified the Newfoundland Government that they will claim \$50 per day demurrage on the vessel for every day she is detained beyond the time when she had full cargo.

### Seaman Hurt.

WORKMAN HURT.—J. Carey, working at Shea & Co's yesterday helping to discharge the *Mongolian*, had his hand crushed between two barrels. He went to Stafford's drug store and had the wound dressed.

### Princes Rink.

PRINCES RINK.—The Prince's Rink was open last night and a large gathering was in attendance. The music supplied by the new automatic system was liked by the skaters.

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### Harbor Grace Notes.

The children of the Presbyterian Sunday School are having "a treat" and Christmas Tree at Victoria Street School this evening.

The lady of the C. C. C. on Christmas Eve, presented their drill instructor, Constable Grouchy, with a beautiful briar pipe as a token of appreciation of his valuable services. Private William Casey read the address, and Private E. Keefe made the presentation. Mr. Grouchy was taken by surprise, but replied in most suitable terms, thanking the brigade, and assuring them that what he could do for them would be done willingly.

The house of Mr. John Davis, Le Marchant Street, was placarded to-day for diphtheria. Mr. Davis' little girl died of the disease on the 29th inst. and since then another child has been ill. It is a pity the disease had not been diagnosed before, thus saving the intercourse that must have taken place. Every precaution will, no doubt, be made now to stop the ravages of this destroyer.

Miss S. Davis who had been at Sydney, the guest of Mr. W. Spracklin, returned on Saturday last, and was accompanied by one of Mr. Spracklin's little boys.

The Bell Isle boat arrived yesterday evening, and left for the Island again this morning taking the workmen who spent Christmas at their homes back to work.

CORRESPONDENT.  
Harbor Grace, December 29, 1910.

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# T. A. & B. Society's Annual Report.

To the Members of St. John's T. A. & B. Society.

T. A. Hall, Dec. 11, 1910.

Gentlemen.—This being the 52nd anniversary of the establishment of our Society, and as our term of office expires, we take much pleasure in submitting to you a short synopsis of its workings for the past year.

On New Year's day the Society together with its Juvenile branch held its annual parade, accompanied by its Bands, and also the Band of Mount Cashel, and attended High Mass at the Cathedral, where through the kindness of His Grace the Archbishop seats were provided inside the Sanctuary for the Officers. After Mass the Society called upon His Grace and Clergy, being received by them in the Archbishop's Library. The President on behalf of the Society tendered the compliments of the season, and gave a brief resume of its work for the past year. His Grace replied in a most felicitous speech expressing his pleasure at once again meeting the Society, and congratulated the body upon the attainment of its 52nd Anniversary, and complimented its members on the general success of the institution and paid a high tribute to the Committee who had charge of and brought to a successful issue the Society's Golden Jubilee celebration and though a special word of praise was due to those in charge of the compilation and publication of the Historical Jubilee Volume. His Grace also paid a high tribute to the retiring President, Jas. J. Bates Esq., and expressed a wish that the present incumbent of that office would be as successful in guiding the destinies of this time honoured institution.

The Rev. Monsignor Roche complimented the Society upon the good work, and expressed the warmest wishes for its future success. Cheers were called for His Grace and Clergy by the President, which were warmly responded to by the members. After some musical selections, appropriate to the occasion were rendered by the bands, the Society reformed its ranks and proceeded to Government House to pay its respects to His Most Gracious Majesty King Edward the 7th, through his representative, His Excellency the Governor, Sir Ralph Williams. The Society received a most pleasant reception from His Excellency, Lady Williams, and suite. On behalf of the Society, the President tendered to His Excellency the compliments of the season, and gave a brief narrative of its history, and its work. His Excellency replied in a very gracious speech, expressing great pleasure at meeting us for the first time, and eulogized the Society for the good work it had done and was doing. The President then called for cheers for His Majesty the King, also for His Excellency and Lady Williams, which met with a hearty response from the members. After partaking of refreshment and the rendering of the National Anthem by the band, the Society returned to its Hall, having had a most successful parade. The only cause for regret was not having met the Newfoundland British Society during the march and exchange the season's greetings as had been our pleasure for many years past, to show that the regret was mutual, we on our return to the hall received a note from that body containing the season's greetings, and expressing its disappointment at not meeting us.

At the monthly meeting in January the Society took cognizance of the many acts of kindness and valuable services, rendered the institution at various times by His Grace the Archbishop, and the Hon. Sir E. P. Morris, and appointed a committee to procure suitable souvenirs for presentation to each.

On January 27th, the officers, together with the Guardians Juvenile Society attended the funeral of the late Rev. Dr. Howley.

At the monthly meeting in February, the President intimated to the Society, that the officers had arranged for a course of lectures to be held during the Lenten season, the subjects of which would be all appertaining to our Island home. The course was opened in due time by His Grace the Archbishop, who was followed by the Rev. Canon Smith, Messrs. I. C. Morris, H. W. LeMessurier, H. F. Shortis, and the Rev. Dr. Kitchen. The large attendance of members of the Society and their friends at each of these lectures, testified to the wisdom of the Society's action in the matter, and also bore testimony to the popularity of the lecturers and their subjects, and we wish to take advantage of this occasion, to publicly acknowledge our indebtedness to these gentlemen, and to extend to them our sincere thanks and appreciation.

A special meeting of the Society was held on April 15th for the purpose of presenting an address, and a gold watch and chain to the Hon. Sir

E. P. Morris. In the absence of the President who was in New York the Vice-President read the address, and made the presentation. Speeches were delivered by the several of the members present testifying to the great help which Sir Edward had rendered to the Society on various occasions. Sir Edward replied in a most pleasing speech, thanking the Society for the kind words contained in the address, and for their valuable present, which he would cherish as long as life lasts. He eulogized the good work performed by the Society in this community, and closed with best wishes for the Society's future success.

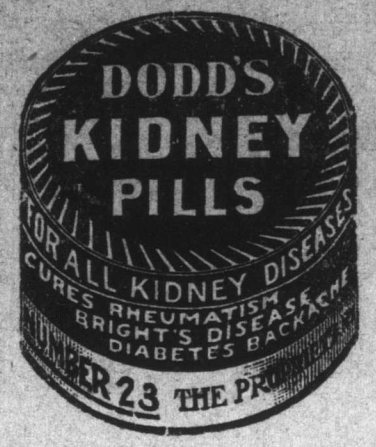
At the monthly meeting in May, it being the first since the death of our beloved Sovereign King Edward the 7th, a resolution of Condolence to the Royal family was adopted, and an order made, that it be presented to the Governor, for transmission to the Rt. Hon. the Secretary of State. At this meeting also your Executive was authorized to take in hands the making of general repairs to the Hall, and to improve the present heating apparatus. The work of repairing was given to Contractor W. J. Ellis, the painting to P. J. Hanly and the installation of a new boiler to Messrs Moore & Co. As the work of repairing proceeded, it was found and reported by the Contractor that the condition of the building was such, that much more extensive repairs were necessary than was at first contemplated, the cost in consequence, was somewhat in excess of what was at first anticipated. The work was completed in a satisfactory manner.

At the monthly meeting in June, a committee was appointed to revise the Rules and Bye Laws of the Society. We understand that up to the present, there has not been much progress made with the work, but we hope that during the winter season it will be taken up in earnest and completed.

At a special meeting held on June 28th, a Committee was appointed in conjunction with the officers to draft a congratulatory address to the President, upon his elevation to the Mayoralty of our City, and at a special meeting held on July 7th, an illuminated address was presented to him. There were present beside the members of the Society, the Rev. Jas. Bell, Rev. Levi Curtis and I. C. Morris Esq. The address was read by L. J. Griffin, Esq., Vice President of the Society, and congratulatory speeches delivered by many of the members and the above mentioned gentlemen. The President replied thanking the Society for their recognition of the high honor conferred upon him, which he attributed mainly to his life long connection with the Society. The Society's Band was also present and discoursed airs appropriate to the occasion.

At the monthly meeting in July, a communication was received from Edward Shanahan Esq., Secretary "Catholic Total Abstinence Union of Canada, containing resolutions of congratulation to the Society upon the attainment of its Golden Jubilee, and the publication of its Jubilee Volume.

On the evening of Aug. 22nd your Executive together with the officers and Guardians of the Juvenile Branch and Messrs T. M. White, P. J. Wallace and W. O'Brien of the Presentation Committee, accompanied by the Society's band, waited upon His Grace the Archbishop for the purpose of presenting to him on behalf of the



Society, an address of welcome, upon his return from his visit to Rome, and also to present him with a fur-lined coat in appreciation of his many valuable services, and the great interest manifested for the Society on all occasions. The address was read and the presentation made by the President. His Grace replied in his usual pleasing and eloquent manner, thanking the Society for its warm expression of loyalty and affection. Amongst the musical selections rendered by the band, was the "Flag of Newfoundland," which was composed by His Grace.

At the monthly meeting in September in pursuance of a former resolution, aashes of honour were presented to the ex-presidents, P. J. O'Neill and Jas. J. Bates. The President in making the presentation dwelt upon the good work and faithful services given by the recipients, during their tenure of office, and expressed the hope that they would be spared many years to assist the Society with their good counsel. Both replied, making pleasing speeches and thanking the Society for the honour conferred upon them.

It is gratifying for us to be able to report the flourishing condition of our Juvenile Branch. The Guardians under whose fostering care and guidance it has made such healthy progress, are to be congratulated upon the success of their efforts, and deserve our best thanks for their untiring zeal and interest in this branch of the institution. We also feel pleased to report that the Band has made great progress during the past year, and has on various occasions taken part in the different functions of the Society, and rendered in a masterly manner, appropriate musical selections, which have been highly appreciated.

We are pleased to say that the health of the Society for the past year was very good, there being but one death, that of Mr. Joseph McGrath, and the wives of two of the members. These were the only mortality assessments, the members were called upon to pay.

At the monthly meeting in October the officers presented a report in relation to the Club, and recommended that its future management would consist of seven members to be elected at the annual meeting of the Society in each year. The report met with the unanimous approval of the Society. This change in the mode of electing the management, will we trust be productive to the well being of that portion of the institution.

Last year's annual report contained a paragraph in relation to the re-establishment of a benefit scheme to its members. Nothing was done in the matter during the past year, owing to the heavy expense incidental to the repairs of Hall etc., but we are of opinion, the subject should be taken up and dealt with during the coming year.

Financial statement for year: Receipts, \$7,996.96; Expenses, \$7,879.86; Balance \$117.10. Total number of

the roll 494. Number admitted for the year 92.

In closing this report we beg to thank the members for their valuable assistance in conducting the business of the Society during the past year, and trust that the coming year may be blessed with even greater results.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the officers.

W. J. ELLIS, President.  
GEO. J. COUGHLAN, Secretary.

After the adoption of the foregoing report Mr. James J. Bates was appointed Chairman to conduct the election which resulted as follows:—

President—Wm. J. Ellis, re-elected.  
Vice-President—L. J. Griffin, re-elected.

1st Asst. V.P.—Robt. J. Power, re-elected.  
2nd Asst. V.P.—Wm. Cox, elected,  
1st Treasurer—M. J. Summers, re-elected.  
2nd Treasurer—P. Hanly, re-elected.  
Secretary—Geo. J. Coughlan, re-elected.  
Grand Marshal—N. J. Murphy, re-elected.

The officers having taken their seats at the table, thanked the Society for honours conferred, after which the following were appointed.

Assistant Marshalls—Jno. J. Neville, Stephen Angel and Francis Woods.

Auditors—Messrs. Jno. L. Skattery, Thos. J. Redmond and James Spratt, Band Committee—Messrs. Thos. J. Ralls, J. P. Grace and P. Hanly.

Guardians Juvenile Society—Messrs J. J. Norris, M. Tobin, Jno. Murphy, James Clancy, Thos. Walsh, Thos. Funn, Wm. Gallivan, Jno. O'Keefe, Patk. Breen and Michael Taylor.

The officers and management of Club—Messrs Jas. J. Spratt, Chairman; Jas. Coady, Vice-Chairman; M. P. Hynes, Secy-Treasurer; M. Hartery, Thos. Ryan, M. Taylor, M. Tobin.

After which the following resolutions were adopted:—

RESOLVED.—That the thanks of the Society are due and tenders to His Grace Archbishop Howley for the very deep interest manifested in all matters appertaining to the welfare of the Society.

RESOLVED.—That the thanks of the Society are tendered to Rev. Dr. Kitchen S.D., for his deep and untiring interest in the Society's affairs.

RESOLVED.—That the thanks of the Society are tendered to Monsignor Roche, and the Clergy of the Diocese for their interest in connection with the Society.

RESOLVED.—That the thanks of the Society are tendered to Hon. Sir E. P. Morris Kt., for his many acts of kindness during the year.

RESOLVED.—That the thanks of the Society are tendered to the officers and members of the "Catholic Total Abstinence Union of Canada" for their congratulatory resolutions upon the Society's attaining its Golden Jubilee Anniversary, and also upon the publication of its Historical Volume.

RESOLVED.—That the thanks of the Society are tendered to Mr. A. O'Brien (retiring from office of 2nd A.V.P.) for the deep interest taken by him in all matters in connection with the Society during the year.

RESOLVED.—That the thanks of the Society are tendered to Mr. Thos. J. Ralls for his services as Guardian of the Juvenile Society during the year.

RESOLVED.—That the thanks of the Society are tendered to the Editors of the daily papers for publishing the reports of the Society gratuitously.

WM. J. ELLIS, President.  
GEO. J. COUGHLAN, Secretary

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