

WEATHER FORECAST
TORONTO, Midnight.
Fresh winds, cloudy, with local snow falls; not much change in temperature.
ROPER & THOMPSON'S, To-Day— Bar. 29.85, ther. 34.

THE EVENING TELEGRAM

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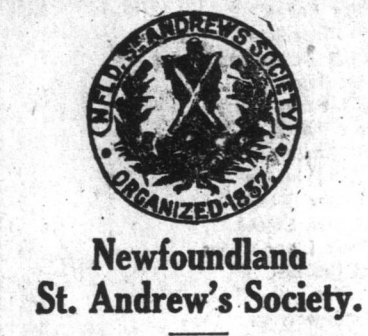
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No. 81 Pte. William Fowlow, Deceased. Next of kin, John Cleary, Last known address, Upper Goulds Road, Brigus.
No. 248 Pte. John Cleary, Deceased. Next of kin, John Cleary, Last known address, Upper Goulds Road, Brigus.
No. 799 Pte. William Edward LeShana, Deceased. Next of kin, Sarah LeShana, Last known address, 27 Power Street.
No. 1697 Pte. Philip Gillett, Deceased. Next of kin, Walter Gillett, Last known address, Leading Ticker, No. 1965 Pte. Patrick Joseph Woodford, Deceased. Next of kin, Alfred Woodford, Last known address, Herling Neck.
No. 2083 Pte. David Scanlon, Deceased. Next of kin, Daniel Scanlon, Last known address, 35 Barter's Hill.
No. 2493 Pte. John St. John, Deceased. Next of kin, Rhody St. John, Last known address, Pennywell Road.
No. 1255X Seaman John T. Morgan, Deceased. Next of kin, John Morgan, Last known address, Seal Cove, C.B.
No. 411X Seaman J. Greening, Deceased.
No. 670X Seaman T. Youden, Deceased.
No. 1490X Seaman W. M. Woodridge, Deceased.
No. 1321X Seaman J. G. Bennett, Deceased.
No. 1490X Seaman J. J. Benoit, Deceased.
No. 1490X Seaman A. Blundon, Deceased.
No. 2245X Seaman P. J. Hennessey, Deceased.
No. 2318X Seaman J. W. Peach, Deceased.
No. 833X Seaman D. Wells, Deceased.
No. 1280X Seaman R. J. Squires, Deceased. Next of kin, Richard Squires, Last known address, 11 Lime Street.
No. 1884X Seaman W. Young, Deceased. Next of kin, Thomas Young, Flat Bay, St. George's, C.B.
W. F. RENDELL, Lieut.-Col.,
Chief Staff Officer,
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Schooner "Britta", 24 tons.
Schooner "Gypsy", 13 tons, with Motor Engine.
8 American Steam Tarred Cod Traps, complete.
6 Trap Skiffs, with Motor Engines.
1 Large Motor Boat, with Engine.
4 New Large Motor Dories.
Apply to
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Newfoundland St. Andrew's Society.
Members of St. Andrew's Society will kindly meet at the Club Rooms on to-morrow, Sunday, at 6 p.m., when the Society will proceed in a body to Divine Service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Sermon by Rev. F. Baird and Special Music by the Choir.
By order of the V.P.
D. JOHNSTON,
Hon. Sec'y.
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Blossom Laundry Tablets.
Used and recommended by good housewives. Will not injure the finest clothes or fabrics.
Make 'other blossom White. Unequaled for polishing Silver. For sale by The Bee-Hive Store and about 50 up-to-date stores in the city.
Ask for Blossom and see that you get Blossom. Refuse substitutes and save disappointment.
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Get in your orders quickly, they won't last long.
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Don't forget to lay in a supply of



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Smallwood's BIG SHOE SALE 6th DAY!
25 p. c. Off Boots and Shoes
10 p. c. Off Rubbers & Gaiters
See Advertisement on Page 10

A Tip to Hubby—

Bet you never thought of it, but isn't it just a wee bit selfish to sit there in your big chair, your feet upon the fender, pipe-dreaming, while that little housekeeper of yours works over a sink full of messy pots and pans or finishing up the day's odds and ends? Have a heart, help her keep those rosy cheeks of hers. Be a real sport, step into Stewart's Fancy Bakery and ask for a loaf of Stewart's Homemade Bread, it's the best. Also Xmas Cakes, Mince Pies, Ladies' Fingers, Pastry Shells, Oyster Pattie Shells, etc. Take it home and tell her to quit baking. If it's anything fancy in the baking line, Stewart's have it.

Stewart's Fancy Bakery.
Water St. East, opp. Seamen's Institute.
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Grove Hill Bulletin!

If you want to give something different for Xmas this year,
Give Flowers.
It will please the whole family. We can supply you with TULIPS, HYACINTHS and NARCISSUS in Pots, and also NARCISSUS cut. Prices to suit everybody.
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HOUSES TO SELL LAND FOR SALE LAND FOR LEASE FARMS FOR SALE SUBURBAN BUILDING LOTS LOANS NEGOTIATED MORTGAGE INVESTMENTS INTEREST PROPERTY RENTS COLLECTED
Listings solicited. No sale, no charge.
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T. J. Edens
All persons indebted to the Estate of the late T. J. EDENS are requested to make IMMEDIATE payment. The office will be open to receive such payments. All bills outstanding will be placed in our Solicitor's hands for collection.

FOR SALE.
One Horse, about six years old, weight about 1100 lbs. Suitable for express work or carriage.

Also, two Large Expresses; one with rubber tyres; and one Express Sleigh. Will be sold at a bargain.
Particulars may be had from
F. A. EDENS,
411 Duckworth St.
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Prayer Books FOR Xmas Gifts!
Our stock of these at present is large and varied.

CATHOLIC PRAYER BOOKS.
The Manual of Prayer, Key of Heaven, Catholic Piety, Leaflets, the Treasury, and other popular Catholic Manuals of devotion in a profusion of neat and beautiful bindings.
Prices up to \$6.00 each.
C. of E. PRAYER BOOKS.
Common Prayer and Hymns in one book. Prices from 86c. to \$3.55 each.
Common Prayer and Hymns, 2 dainty volumes in a case. Prices from \$2.50 to \$5.00 set. Also a very fine selection of

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Price: 1 oz. bottle, \$2.50
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Agents wanted in every place, also travellers.
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King George Seamen's Institute.
EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY OF OPENING.

Illustrated Lecture. Subject: "In the Steps of the Nazarene" by Superintendent, Mr. W. H. Jones, Sunday, December 19th, at 8.15 p.m. dec18.11

A XMAS GIFT CONVENIENT AND SURE TO PLEASE.
Unused Newfoundland Postage Stamps.

Send your friends a complete set of our Caribou Issue (12 Stamps), \$3.00 per set.
L. J. O'KEEFE,
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Lunenburg, N.S.
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CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
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For Sale or To Let!

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1. If your couch or chair is going to wrack, it really has to be upholstered before you can cover it.
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3. Now is the time to have it done as we have a new staff and will guarantee good workmanship and quick delivery.
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Drop a card to 18 Balsam Street and we will do our best to make 1920 link up to 1914 with good work and reasonable price.
KEATS & O'DEA,
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oct27.2m

FOR LADIES' COATS.—We have some splendid Blue and Brown Nap suitable for making a magnificent lady's coat at \$10.50 per yard. Worth \$15.00.
SPURRELL the Tailor, Water Street.—nov12, eod, tf

LOST—During the week, a Black Folding Purse, with owner's name on inside, containing a sum of money. Finder will be suitably rewarded on returning same to this office. dec18.1f

STRAYED—Thursday morning, 16th inst., a small white dog, with brown ears and brown spot on back, answering to the name of LALLY; finder will be rewarded on returning same to 114 Water Street West. dec17.31

FOR SALE—Double Tenement House, 7 and 7 1/2 Carter's Hill, built in 1913, on 99 years' lease; apply 20 Carter's Hill. dec17.31, eod

FOR SALE—One Light, seven seating Motor Car, in perfect condition; will be sold at a bargain, if applied for at once; apply at this office. nov23.1f

FOR SALE—Two New Dwelling Houses, situated on Le-Marchant Road, fitted with all modern conveniences; for price and terms apply at 111 Le-Marchant Road. dec14.31, eod

FOR SALE—One new Side Sleigh and one new Street Sleigh, ready to hitch up; apply to WASHBURN, 62 Adelaide Street. dec15.41

LADIES!—Your Combing made up into Switches, Transformations and Puffs; old hair dried and made over; a visit to our Hair Parlor will convince you of the high class Hair Switches we sell at moderate prices. Apply to MRS. MARION RUBY, 62 Patrick Street, St. John's, Nfld. nov16.2m

Two Gentlemen can be accommodated with Board and Lodging in private family; apply by letter to "T. J.", c/o this office. dec18.21

WANTED—To Rent, a House of 3 or 4 rooms, central locality preferred; will pay good rent; apply by letter to Box 55 c/o this office. dec17.31

WANTED—By a Young Lady, Position as Governess to one or more small children; apply by letter to "GOVERNNESS", c/o this office. dec16.31

WANTED—By Young Married Couple, Board with private family; would furnish own bedroom. Write C. W. G., c/o this office. dec16.31

WANTED—By a respectable young lady, one furnished or unfurnished room; apply by letter to X.Y.Z., c/o this office. dec17.61

WANTS FOR WINTER—Warm inside and outside clothing, such as underwear, suit, overcoats, boots, caps, etc. for Gents and Boys; also suitable wearing apparel for Ladies and Misses. We have them and you need them, and besides your Dollar will realize for you its old-time value on everything; apply from THE DOMINION SECOND HAND STORE, 4 Chapel Street. nov27.1m, eod

BOARDERS WANTED—For 2 or 3 Gentlemen Boarders can be accommodated with modern conveniences; apply at 69 Gower Street. dec17.31

NURSING—Private Nurses earn \$15 to \$30 a week. Learn without leaving home. Descriptive booklet sent free. ROYAL COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, Dept. 42, Toronto, Canada. MAY 15, 1917

MARRY FOR WEALTH, HAPPINESS—Handsome, rich, attractive, congenial, willing to wed. Photos free. 25-year' experience; apply W. W. WAIN, 2216 1/2 Temple St., Los Angeles, Cal. dec8.11.18

Help Wanted.

WANTED—Immediately, a General Girl; apply MRS. (DR.) SMITH, 17 Military Road. dec18.11

WANTED—A Good General Girl; apply to MRS. A. T. WOOD, 280 Duckworth St. dec18.31

WANTED—Good General Girl; two in family; apply MRS. E. R. CLOUSTON, 142 Duckworth St. dec18.1f

WANTED—For Bishop's Cove, a Good Female Teacher, 2nd Grade; musical preferred. Salary commencing \$300 and fees; apply CHAIRMAN C. of B. Board of Education, Upper Island Cove. dec18.31

WANTED—Several Teachers. I shall be glad to consider applications from any persons of suitable character and education. W. W. BLACKALL, Supt. Education (C. of B.), St. John's. dec16.61

WANTED—A Housemaid; references required; apply MRS. H. D. CARTER, 7 Church Hill. dec16.1f

WANTED—A General Servant; apply to MRS. D. F. KENT, 38 Rennie's Mill Road. dec16.31

WANTED—A Girl who understands plain cooking; another girl kept; family of two; apply between 7 and 8 p.m. to MRS. CHESSMAN, 2 Barnes' Road. dec16.1f

WANTED—A Good General Girl; apply at 52 Circular Road. dec15.1f

WANTED—A Girl for general housework; washing out; good wages to suitable girl; apply by letter to "M.L.C." care Telegram Office. dec15.1f

WANTED—Good General Servant; washing out; good wages; apply between 5 and 6 o'clock, care of E. A. Mews' Office, Water Street (over Royal Bank). dec14.1f

WANTED—A General Maid; references required; apply at once to MRS. ALEX. WINTER, Water Street. dec14.1f

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BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS For THE SMOKER at CASH'S TOBACCO STORE.

Our stock is now complete with the following suitable presents that the smoker will appreciate and will bring joy to the receiver and the giver.

PIPES—Dunhill's Shell Briar and B.B.B.
TOBACCO—All the leading brands of Cut and Plug.
CIGARETTES—Turkish, Egyptian and Virginian
CIGARS—Bock and other Havana brands.
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CIGARETTE CASES—Silver and Plain.
CIGARETTE HOLDERS—Very best quality.

Als, a full line of SMOKERS' REQUISITES to choose from, especially imported for our Christmas Trade.

DURING CHRISTMAS OUR STORE WILL REMAIN OPEN UNTIL 11.30 P.M.

JAS. P. CASH, Tobacconist, Water Street.

ernment an impossibility" was signed yesterday by many members of the Legislature which assembled in special session.

BARRICADING DUBLIN CASTLE.
DUBLIN, Dec. 17.
In order to prevent a surprise attack at points considered vulnerable, Dublin Castle was being strongly fortified to-day. The northwest corner of Castle Street was closed and barbed wire barricades were placed.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT SECURES VOTE OF CONFIDENCE.
PARIS, Dec. 17.
The Chamber of Deputies voted confidence in the Government to-day after discussing the resignation yesterday of Andre LeFevre, War Minister of the Army Commission. Interpolating Premier Leygues in the resignation of M. LeFevre said, "the fears of former Minister LeFevre would be justified if Germany were not disarmed. We ask the Premier is Germany disarmed or in a fair way of disarmament? If not, why are you waiting to perform an operation which this Chamber has been requesting unceasingly the past year?"

HOLD-UPS IN TORONTO.
TORONTO, Dec. 17.
Motor bandit outlaws were rampant here last night when five hold-ups were made on streets by armed desperadoes who escaped.

BRITISH OFFICER KILLED IN GERMANY.
BERLIN, Dec. 17.
A British officer was killed in Prussian Silesia in a quarrel with a former German aviator, says Vorwaerts.

ALBANIA ELECTED.
GENEVA, Dec. 17.
Albania was elected a member of the League of Nations by the Assembly here this morning.

GENUINE ASPIRIN HAS "BAYER CROSS"
Tablets without "Bayer Cross" are not Aspirin at all



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Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" are now made in America by an American Company. No German interest whatever. All rights being purchased from the United States Government.

During the war, acid imitations were sold as Aspirin in pill boxes and various other containers. The "Bayer Cross" is your only way of knowing that you are getting genuine Aspirin, proved safe by millions for Headache, Colds, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuritis, and for Pain generally.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets—also larger sized "Bayer" packages can be had at drug stores.
Aspirin is the trade mark (Newfoundland Registration No. 761), of Bayer Manufacture of Monocetatecic acid of Salicylic acid.
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Belvedere Acknowledgment.

The little Orphans of Belvedere desire to express cordial thanks to their kind friends at Bay of Islands for a second box of Stockings. Owing to delay in transportation but one box arrived, consequently the following names were omitted from a former list:

SUMMERSIDE—Mrs. Thos. Christopher, Mrs. John Petipas, Mrs. John Sheehan, Mrs. D. Barry, Mrs. R. Antle, Miss Susie Mishud, Mrs. Timothy Quigley, Mrs. John Barry, Mrs. Thos. Petipas, Mrs. H. Carter, Mrs. John McDonald, Miss Jane Ryan.
PETRIES—Mrs. Maurice Hayes, Mrs. J. Marshall, Mrs. J. Cashin, Mrs. T. Hart, Mrs. John Hayes, Mrs. John Brake.

Cameo Brooches, gold and gold filled; Photo Brooches, a few in Black, Bar Pin, Pearl Set; Gold Brooches, Neck Chains in gold, silver and gold filled, at LANGMEAD'S Jewellery Store.
dec11,12,13,14

Civic Commission. WEEKLY MEETING.

The regular weekly meeting of the Municipal Council was held last night. Chairman Gosling and Councillors Ayre, Mullaly, Vinnicombe, Morris, Peet and Jackman being present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The meeting being opened Mayor Gosling took occasion to welcome to the Board the newly appointed Commissioner W. H. Jackman, Esq.

The Mayor then referred to the sad duty it was to record the death of the late City Engineer, Mr. Jno. Ryan who for the past thirty odd years had held the important position of Chief Engineer of the city and whose passing was a deplorable loss to the Council and the city he so faithfully served. Resolutions of condolence submitted were on motion of Commissioners Mullaly and Morris adopted and ordered forwarded to the relatives of the deceased, also the daily papers for publication. Commissioners Mullaly, Morris, Ayre, Vinnicombe, Peet and Jackman spoke to the memory of the late Engineer and referred to the great loss the Municipal Service had sustained through his passing away.

Communications were read from the Colonial Secretary of the appointment of Mr. Jackman to the Municipal Board; also regarding the Fire Insurance Taxes due the Council.

A communication was read from James Murdock in reference to water and sewerage extension Suburb St. The Council will proceed with the work if the weather conditions permit.

Monroe Export Company complained of negligence in watering of shipping. This matter will be investigated.

W. B. Jennings asked that light be placed Junction Blackmarsh Road and Pleasant Street. If the Government pays half cost of installation and upkeep the Council will be willing to contribute the other half. The locality in question is the boundary limits of the city.

A letter was read from Steer Bros. station obstructions at the Cove adjoining their premises were receiving attention.

F. W. Ayre wrote re the condition of drains Circular Road, also a dump rear of same. Drains have been attended to. Persons are to be prohibited from dumping any refuse in this locality.

Colin Campbell Ltd., asked if Council required balance of Tarvia ordered. Same is not required.

In the matter of removing snow from Water St. sidewalks it was ordered all persons found throwing snow from the sidewalks to the main street be immediately prosecuted.

Health Officer Brehm reported 5 new cases Diphtheria, 1 Scarlet Fever, and 1 Typhoid Fever in city during past week.

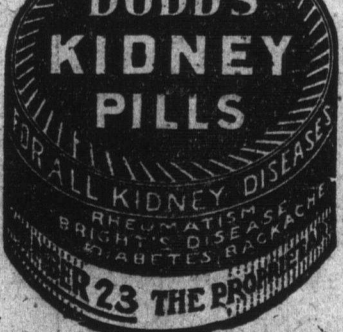
Reports were read from the different Departmental Heads, etc.

After the passing of Pay Rolls and Bills the other routine matter the meeting adjourned at 10.30.

The following resolution of sympathy was passed by the Commission: Be It Resolved:—The Municipal Commission hereby desires to place on record its deep sorrow on the death of Mr. John Ryan, Chief Engineer for the city for the past 30 years.

It is almost impossible to express fully the high appreciation in which the services of Mr. Ryan were held by the Council. His long experience and intimate knowledge of every detail connected with his department, his engineering skill and his ardent interest in the city welfare made him an invaluable servant, whom it will be impossible to replace.

To his son Mr. Wm. P. Ryan and his sorrowing relatives the Council begs to tender its sincerest sympathy.



DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

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What's Put in the Soap Comes Out in the Clothes.

The use of impure soap is ruinous to clothes and hands, therefore insist on having

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LEVER BROTHERS, LTD., Port Sunlight, England.

Story of Jutland Battle Officially Told.

Admiralty Publishes Eagerly Sought Volume -- Jellicoe Says British Organization Inferior to German -- Labor Commission Charges Crown Forces With Incendiaryism -- Dublin Now a Storm Centre -- Police Inspector Shot by Masked Men.

THE JUTLAND CONTROVERSY.

LONDON, Dec. 17.
Another chapter was added to the controversy over the battle of Jutland when the Admiralty to-day published an eagerly awaited volume of six hundred pages on this crucial naval engagement, containing Admiral Jellicoe's despatches describing the battle and narratives of the British squadron commanders. Admiral Jellicoe in his covering despatch dated June 18, 1916, declared he felt an anxiety regarding the advanced position of the forces under Vice-Admiral Beatty, Commander of the battle cruiser squadron, and that when Beatty sighted the enemy battle cruisers the vice-admiral adopted the correct and only possible course in engaging the enemy and endeavouring to keep between the enemy and his base.

There has been much controversy over the question whether Jellicoe should have gone to Beatty's assistance when it appeared a battle was imminent. The facts which contributed to the British losses in the battle, said Admiral Jellicoe in his personal reports, were indifferent, particularly as regards turret armament and deck plating, together with disadvantage of light conditions for the British. "The disturbing feature of the battle cruiser action," Admiral Jellicoe reported, "was the fact that five German battle cruisers engaging six British vessels at the same time were able to sink the Queen Mary and the Indefatigable. "The German organization at night was very good," continued the Admiral, "and their system of recognition signals was excellent while the British was practically nil. The German searchlights were superior and were used to better effect than the British. The Admiral said he was reluctantly compelled to

the opinion that under night conditions the British had much to learn from the Germans. It was not to be doubted, said the report, that the gunnery of the German battle cruisers in the early stages was of very high standard. They appeared to get on the targets and begin hitting two or three minutes after opening fire, even at a range of sixteen thousand yards. As to the German losses the report stated, "I estimate enemy losses in vessels sunk as three battle cruisers, two battleships, one vessel of the Pommern class, two light cruisers and three destroyers, and as severely damaged, two battle cruisers and several light cruisers and destroyers.

PREPARING MODIFIED SCHEME.

LONDON, Dec. 17.
Sir Newton Moore, prominently connected with negotiations looking to the formation of the British Empire Steel Corporation merger, made to-day a statement in relation to the numerous rumours that have been gaining currency recently with regard to its possible abandonment. Sir Newton says that it is incorrect to assume that the big amalgamation scheme is abandoned and foreshadows the appointment of a Committee to carry out a modified plan of amalgamation.

LABOUR COMMISSION'S REPORT.

LONDON, Dec. 17.
The report of the Labor Commission's inquiry into conditions in Ireland made public yesterday, declared eye-witnesses to the burning of Cork "unanimous in stating the fires were caused by Crown forces." The destruction is declared to have been systematic, the most valuable premises being sought out for burning. Lloyd George, Sir Hamar Greenwood and Bonar Law received the Labor Com-

mission with the official report last night.

SAYS NEGOTIATIONS WERE ON.

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.
It is reported that negotiations for a truce between the military authorities and the Irish Republican army actually began last week but were interrupted by the Cork fires. Intermediaries now are trying to effect a resumption of them.

POLICE RAID MONASTRIES.

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.
Two Monasteries were raided by the military and police in Dublin to-day. They arrested two Priests, one of them Father Dominic, who was chaplain to the late Terence MacSwiney. The other Priest was released, but Father Dominic was held.

INSPECTOR O'SULLIVAN KILLED.

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.
The entire business section of Dublin was raided by the police to-day, following the shooting of District Inspector O'Sullivan, of Dublin Castle. The Inspector was passing a Fancy Fair in Henry Street, accompanied by Miss Moore, to whom he was engaged to be married. Inspector O'Sullivan died in hospital an hour after the shooting. He was fired upon by two masked civilians.

GOING STRONG.

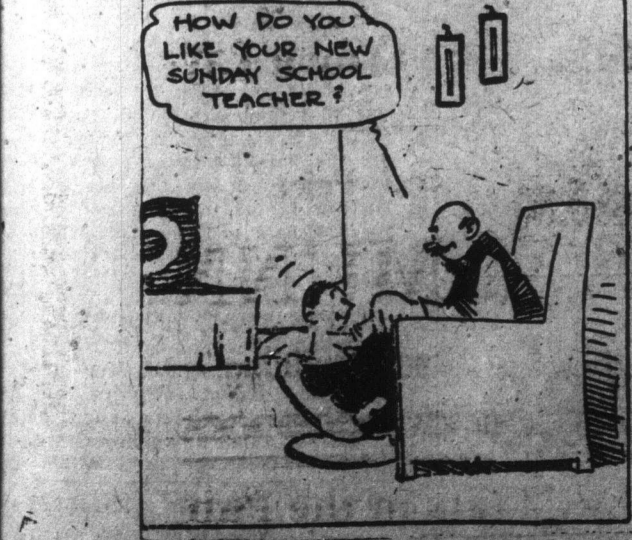
BOSTON, Dec. 17.
A communication to Lloyd George terming the Cork fire a typical British atrocity and declaring the peoples of United States "A majority of six million votes have forever made any alliance with your bloody gov-



Prevent Falling Hair With Cuticura Shampoo.

The first thing to do in restoring dry, thin and falling hair is to get rid of dandruff, itching and irritation of the scalp. Rub Cuticura Ointment into the scalp, especially spots of dandruff and itching. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water; Soap 25c. Ointment 25c. and 50c. Talcum 25c. Sold throughout the Dominion. Canadian Depot: Toronto, 244 St. Paul St. W., Montreal. Cuticura Soap shaves without razor.

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By GENE BYRNES

A Great Lancashire Scientist.

By the death of Sir Henry Enfield Roscoe, science lost one of its most distinguished enthusiasts. For 30 years he was Professor of Chemistry at Owen's College, Manchester, from which he retired in 1887, and it was during that period that the foundations were laid that resulted in the establishment of Victoria University. In the north of England he found

plenty of scope for the application of science to industry, and he was thus able to exert an influence that had its effect on the factories and workshops of Lancashire and Yorkshire. From 1885 to 1895 he represented South Manchester in Parliament as a Liberal. He was a member of several Royal Commissions, and was President of the British Association when it met in Manchester in 1887. From 1896-1902 he was Vice-Chancellor of the University of London. The distinguished chemist, who was born in 1833, was the son of a London barrister. He received his education at Liverpool High School, University College, London, and at Heidelberg, "I consider myself a Lancashire man," he said on one occasion, "for to that country my family belong, and in it I have spent the greater portion of my life." He died on December 18, 1915, leaving a widow and two daughters, one of whom is married to Mr. C. E. Malet, formerly M.P. for Plymouth. His only son died in early manhood.

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Felt bow, leather soles and heels and felt innersoles,

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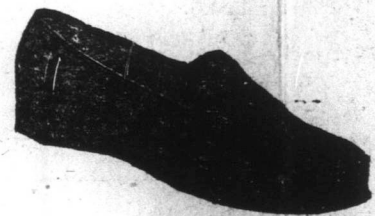
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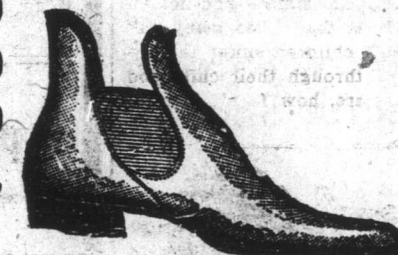
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Cushion soles,
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Black.

7 inch \$6.20 to \$10.50

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Black, Tan and Brown

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Fawn, Taupe and Black.

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..... \$1.60

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..... \$1.35

Men's Gaiter Spats.

Fawn and Grey.

\$2.00 and \$3.50.

Women's Strapped Gaiters.

\$5.00.

Women's High Cut Boots.

Brown.

7 inch \$6.80 to \$ 8.00

9 inch \$8.25 to \$12.00

12 inch \$ 9.95

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All solid leather.

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The Last of the Famous Trio of Midgets.

With the death, at Middleboro, Mass., recently of Count Primo Magri, there passed the last of the famous trio of midgets whose names for nearly three-quarters of a century have been household words in the civilized world.

In 1842 P. T. Barnum chanced to see an 8-year-old boy in a village near New York. The boy's name was Charles Stratton; he was the son of a drayman, but his dwarf body appealed to the instincts of the great showman. He sought out the boy's father and offered him \$3 a week for the custody of the boy. The father agreed, and the next week Barnum exhibited the boy in New York under the name "General Tom Thumb."

This was the beginning of one of the greatest of Barnum's attractions, but it was not until 1862, when Barnum met Lavinia Warren, of Middleboro, Mass., a 20-year-old midget, that he found a partner for Tom Thumb. It is said that Barnum disclosed his genius when he saw a girl, who even before Barnum was found, had been exhibited as a sideshow attraction by a showman along the Ohio River. He arranged for a meeting between his partner and the miniature Lavinia, and, his match-making instincts told him it was a case of love at first sight. The pair were married February 1863, at Grace Church in New York. The "Whole World Heard About"

Barnum was an able press agent, he managed that the whole world should hear about it. There were the occasional disappointments that mark a fashionable wedding. Friends came from many sources; gifts were received from Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. William Basset, Mrs. James Gordon Bennett, and August Belmont. The day following the wedding the couple visited the White House and were received by President Andrew Johnson.

Then followed years of touring, signing in the Civil War camps, not stopping until almost every corner of the world had been visited. It was a tour of triumph. Royalty was as eager to see them as were the common people. There was hardly a ruler of Europe that did not greet them, and the photographs of the midget couple at one time were said to have been in more family albums than any other person's in the world's history. "It has been said," Mrs. Tom Thumb once was quoted, "that the general has been kissed more women than any other man. I can with equal assurance assert that I have shaken hands with more human beings in all stations of life than any other woman in existence."

The "general" died in 1883 and Mrs. Tom Thumb two years later married Count Primo Magri, an Italian dwarf who had made his first appearance in public exhibitions in Bologna in 1870. He came by his title, and also a pension, through Pope Pius IX. He made his first American trip in 1878 and thereafter became one of Barnum's attractions.

After his marriage to Tom Thumb, Mrs. Barnum had made famous, and was generally known as the second Tom Thumb. The two spent nearly the whole of their remaining years upon the stage and in sideshows, and that time amassed a considerable fortune. They retired some five years ago to their home in Middleboro, Mass., where they lived in the miniature furnishings their long years had provided.

Mrs. Tom Thumb died less than a year ago, at the age of 78. Count Magri's health began to fail, and he planned to return to his old home in Italy. The fortune that had been earned by the midgets somehow had almost disappeared and in order to gain money for his trip he sold the furniture and personal effects, the gifts and mementoes that had been collected through a lifetime. The amount realized was pitifully small. But the return to Italy was not to be for within two weeks after the auction was held the count had succumbed to his illness, and so ended the famous trio.

An Old "Windjammer"

How long is a ship expected to "live"? The question is raised by the recent return of the Victory to her old moorings once again. The vessel of past centuries had a career which seems to us modern like the longevity of the patriarchs. The Princess Mary, which brought William of Orange to England, was in active service for more than 200 years. She was 72 years old when she arrived with the Dutch troops in Torbay. Under the name of Hetsy Cairns she continued her life after her 200th birthday in the transport trade between Britain and the West Indies, fourishing at last off our cliffs at the venerable age of 250.

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Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—Let us thank God we have a man amongst us of the calibre of A. E. Hickman who has the pluck and manliness to fight the "Mad Malah" of Port Union.
The fact that Mr. Hickman has already disposed of 25,000 quintals of fish to Italy shows that the Consorzio was willing to do business with us on business terms. We have lost four months' consumption in Italy which it will be impossible to make up.
The parrot cries of the Advocate and Star that but for the regulations the price of fish would be down to \$3 and \$4 deceives nobody. Is it the object of Coaker to bring the whole country to the verge of bankruptcy, and then sell us to Canada and secure for himself a permanency of Ottawa? What other interpretation can be placed upon this mad policy? The fish regulations without any doubt have brought the ruin of business firms on the South West Coast. No one can imagine what it means to the people of Burgeo and LaPoile to see the firm of R. Moulton, Ltd. close its doors.
These large export firms carrying everything necessary for the export people are as necessary to the needs of these people as the large department stores on Water Street are to St. John's.
Their closing means loss and hardship to the people who are attributing it to Coaker's fish regulations. Mr. Hickman's action will be welcomed by every fair-minded man in Newfoundland and he will go down in history as the Hampden of his country.
Yours truly,
CITIZEN,
St. John's, Dec. 17th, 1920.

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Fire Last Night.

COOPERAGE DAMAGED.
A fire of unknown origin occurred late last night in Samuelson's Co-op-erage, Southside. The blaze was first seen by one of the Reid Co's employ-ees, who sent in an alarm from box 42, which called out the Central and West End companies and also the Southside volunteer fire. When the firemen arrived the premises were well ablaze, and it took more than a half hour's strenuous work with two streams of water to extinguish it. A large quantity of hoops, heading and other cooper's material was burnt, and the building considerably damaged. The loss is, however, covered by insurance. So far as is known no person was in the workshop after five o'clock in the evening.

Monseur:
For 15 days in the month of January I was suffering with pain of rheumatism in the foot. I tried all kinds of remedies but nothing did me any good. One person told me about MIRARD'S LINIMENT, as soon as I tried it the Saturday night, the next morning I was feeling very good; I tell you this remedy is very good. I could give you a good certificate any time you would like to have one. If any time I come to hear about any person sick of rheumatism, I could tell them about this remedy.
Yours truly,
ERNEST LEVEILLE,
216 Rue Ontario East, Montreal.

President Wilson a Field Marshal.

By the vote of the Brazilian Chamber of Deputies, President Wilson has been created a Field Marshal of the Brazilian army, sharing the distinction with King George, Albert of Belgium, Marshal Foch and with Epitacio Pessoa, the Chief Magistrate of the Republic of Brazil.
Old World monarchs have in the past been accustomed to bestow upon one another honorary rank in their respective armies, from colonelcies of regiments up to the baton of field marshal, and King George has even accorded that distinction in the British army to the French Marshal Foch. But no republic has ever bestowed any such military honor upon a foreign ruler, and assuredly no President of the United States has ever received the rank of field marshal from any foreign Power.
It is possible that some of the personal and political adversaries of Woodrow Wilson will raise the question as to whether according to the Constitution and laws of the United States, any official of the Government can lawfully accept honors and distinctions from foreign governments.
But since permission has been granted to officers of the United States army and navy to accept medals and orders of knighthood from Great Britain, from King Albert of Belgium and from King Victor Emmanuel of Italy there seems to be no reason why President Wilson, who by virtue of his office is Commander-in-Chief of the army and navy of the United States, should not accept the baton of a field marshal from Brazil, who was one of the allies in the great war in which the United States also engaged.

NOTICE—I, the undersigned, will not be responsible if you are disappointed in your Xmas Poultry, as I am now booking orders for Choice Turkeys, Geese, Ducks and Chickens. W. J. MURPHY, Rawlins' Cross, dec 17

Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

GIVE THE CHILDREN A WHOLE CHRISTMAS.

Here is something I heard some grown-ups say last Christmas: "We really had the best fun trimming the tree and we made it look lovely." The children were crazy to see it, but wouldn't let them until it was time to have the presents. And then they were so excited over their presents that I don't think they realized what a handsome tree it was. I sometimes wonder if they half appreciate the things we do for them.
When you stop to analyze it, doesn't that paragraph strike you as rather funny?
Like Grandfather and the Circus.
Trimming the tree was the most fun of all, they kept it to themselves and wouldn't let the children share it, and then they sighed because the children did not seem to appreciate this delicate attention.
But suppose they had let the children see it, I can imagine them asking, who would there have been left to surprise?
Nobody, of course, and since what they wanted to do was to surprise somebody they would have suffered a deprivation. But don't you fancy that the children would have called it square if they might have had a hand in the fun of trimming the tree?
How the Children Would Love That.
Suppose they had gone even further and let the children (with, if necessary, one grown-up assistant) do all the trimming of the tree and surprise them? Can't you imagine the children's eyes in such a case?
Doubtless the grown-ups would not have had so good a time, but whom does Christmas primarily belong to, anyhow, children or grown-ups?
And since the fun of surprising is quite as great as, if not greater than, the fun of being surprised, on really wise and unselfish grown-up will keep all that fun.
Nor does this relate only to the tree trimming. Don't you get quite

as much fun out of the gifts you hope will give special pleasure as out of the gifts you receive?
Let the children have plenty of this sort of fun, too. Encourage them to plan gifts, give them a chance to earn and to save so that the gifts they buy will mean something in the way of genuine giving.
And Don't Forget to Be Very Much Pleased.
If you are one of the recipients of such gifts, be sure, you are simply surprised and grateful.
A Christmas given over to receiving is only half a Christmas—and not the biggest half at that. Too many parents let their children suffer this deprivation all through their childhood. Poor youngsters, how I pity them! Don't you?

Just Folks

HIS RELIGION.
My religion's lovin' God, who made us one and all,
Who marks, no matter where it be, the humble sparrow's fall;
An' my religion's servin' Him the very best I can
By not despisin' anything He made, especially man!
It's lovin' sky an' earth an' sun an' birds an' flowers an' trees,
But lovin' human beings more than any one of these.

I ain't no hand at preachin' no fire, I can't expound the creeds,
I fancy every fellow's faith must satisfy his needs.
Or he would hunt for something else. An' I can't tell the why
An' wheresome of the doctrines deep—and what's more I don't try;
I reckon when this life is done and we can know His plan,
God won't be hard on anyone who's tried to be a man.
My religion doesn't hinge on some one rit or word,
I held that any honest prayer a mortal makes is heard;
To lose a church is well enough but some get cold with pride
An' quite forget their fellowmen for whom the Saviour died;
I fancy he best worships God, when I don't believe He'll fall
To notice us an' how we act when doubts an' fears assail;
I think He'll hold what's in our hearts above what's in our creeds
An' judge all our religions here by our recorded deeds;
An' since man is God's greatest work since life on earth began,
He'll get to Heaven, I believe, who helps his fellow-man.

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all is said an' done. Who tries to be, from day to day, a friend to everyone.

If God can mark the sparrow's fall, I don't believe He'll fall to notice us an' how we act when doubts an' fears assail;

Household Notes.
To pan oysters, place well-drained oysters in hot pan, toss gently over fire, and when edges curl, drain and use.
Sausage and parsnips go well together. Around a center of creamed parsnips, arrange a border of small sausages.
If a little sugar is put in the water when boiling corn-meal mush, the mush will brown very quickly when fried.
If you scorch meat or vegetables in cooking, instantly drop in a small piece of charcoal. The scorched taste will disappear.
If a soft-boiled egg is not hard enough after being broken, set the cup

and egg in hot water. The egg will quickly harden.
When making cream of tomato soup, before adding the tomatoes, put a pinch of soda in them. The milk will not curdle.
If bread flour is used in a recipe which calls for pastry flour, remove one teaspoonful of flour from each cupful required.
If a few drops of lemon juice are squeezed into the chopper before grinding up raisins, the fruit will not stick to chopper.
When making juicy pies, cut lower crust half inch larger than the top and fold over like a hem. The juice will not leak out.
If a cloth garment is stained with fresh paint, rub the spot briskly with another portion of the garment, and the paint will be absorbed.
A delicious sundae is made with vanilla ice cream; spread first with marshmallow cream, and then with caramel or butterscotch sauce.
To mend celluloid, roughen the edges by scratching with a knife, apply collodion, and hold the pieces together firmly for several minutes.
Herbaceous plants should be covered after the ground has been frozen. Plants which retain their foliage all winter should be covered lightly.
A fever patient will be grateful if an orange is cut in small pieces and placed near his bed. This is more beneficial than water for a parched mouth.

A Final Word.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir.—I fear Mr. Foley is a bit peeved if one may judge by the tone of his letter of the 16th inst. He accuses me of being ambitious to have my name figure in the public press by opposing his suggestions. Now, Mr. Editor, I did not oppose Mr. Foley's suggestion. As for being ambitious to spread myself in the press, what about Mr. Foley himself? It is not ambition, so he would have us believe. What is it then—gratitude? You know the cynic's definition of gratitude:—"a lively appreciation of past favours and an expectation of good things yet to come."
Surely Mr. Foley will not deny that gratitude impelled him to write in praise of Messrs. Squires and Coaker. Certainly, I could not object to what he said about these gentlemen; though I would not go as far as to break the law in order to say so.
No, Mr. Editor, the civil servants did not ask me to champion that cause, and I feel just as certain that Messrs. Squires and Coaker did not ask Mr. Foley to sing a psalm of praise to them. As for my stand on the Prohibition question, permit me to state that I consulted with leaders of both parties and was informed that the question was not a party one, and as such a civil servant might take it up. Mr. Foley has probably received later information; but I know how he will vote on that question if ever he gets the chance, and I am satisfied that, like myself, he will vote for modification.
I may say, further, that I took up the Chairmanship of the Moderate Prohibition Committee only after several prominent gentlemen had refused to do so. They alleged that their political records (they are on both sides of politics) might prejudice the movement, and, as a neutral, I was asked to act by a committee comprising men of all creeds and politics. Further, the committee was unanimous in asking me to accept the position. Do I understand that Mr. Foley wants me to resign?
Yours truly,
WARWICK SMITH.
Dec. 17, 1920.
(This correspondence is now closed.—Ed. Telegram.)

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- Mrs. Stephen Sellars, Western Bay.
- Moses Rowe, Heart's Content.
- Warren Dicks, Belleoram.
- Martin Parsons, Gooseberry Islands.
- Woodley French, Harbor Grace.
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- Arthur Osmond, Valleyfield.
- Eli Cross, Badger Quay.
- Wm. Sheppard, Pool's Island.
- Stephen Walsh, Gambo.
- Patrick Barron, Norris Arm.
- Albert Stone, Port Blandford.

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- Frank Walsh, Job's Cove, B.D.V.
- Chas. Cranford, New Harbor, T.B.
- John Fitzgerald, Gambo.
- Peter White, Valleyfield.
- Robert Moss, Norris Arm.

TWELVE PAIRS YOUTHS' LONG BOOTS.

- Jacob Barbour, Port Rexton, T.B.
- Miss Agustria D. White, Western Bay.
- William Wellman, Wellman's Cove.
- J. Atwood Pretty, Dildo, T.B.
- Nathan Andrews, Cape Island.
- Roland Saunders, S.W. Pacquet.
- Richard H. Hodder, Rock Harbor.
- Wm. Tremblett, Salmonier, St. Mary's Bay.
- Patrick Hickey, St. Anns, P.B.
- Benjamin Brown, Clattice Harbor.
- Edward Farrell, Little Bay. (Of Thomas).
- Peter Coady, Jean-De-Bay.

TWELVE PAIRS WOMEN'S LONG BOOTS.

- Miss Beatrice Strong, Old Perlican.
- Miss Alice Blackmore, Gambo.
- Miss Helen Marshall, Crabbes.
- Miss Annie Curnew, Stephenville Crossing.
- Miss Daisy Dawe, Bay Roberts.
- Miss Carrie Dunphy, Salmonier, North Side, St. Mary's.
- Miss Minnie Grouchy, 44 Bannerman St., City.
- Mrs. Eugene Vincent, Cape Island.
- Miss Bertha Rollon, Pinchard's Island.
- Mrs. Martin Humphries, Cape Freels.
- Mrs. Levi Stuckley, Gander Bay, North Side.
- Marguerite Jacobs, Northern Bay, B.D.V. District.

TWELVE PAIRS MISSES' LONG BOOTS.

- John Tite, Deer Island.
- Mrs. Allan Foley, Norris Arm, Middle Brook.
- Sadie H. Vincent, Cape Island.
- Bessie Vincent, Fogo District.
- Miss Jessie Gillam, Crabbes.
- George G. Spracklin, Old Perlican.
- Mr. Martin Cluett, Pilley's Island.
- Maxwell Parsons, Lumsden North.
- John Carnell, 16 Cochrane St., City.
- Jimmy Leary, 16 Carew Street, City.
- Hayward Parsons, Running Brook.

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- Miss Jessie Boone, Seldom.
- Mrs. J. W. Power, Mooring Cove.
- Miss Maud Mahoney, Tilting.
- Mrs. Reuben Gaulton, Brookfield.
- Mrs. Michael Cheeseman, Marystown.
- Mrs. James Baker, North Harbor, P.B.
- Miss Susie Penney, Western Bay.
- Mrs. J. R. Crumney, 400 Water Street, City.
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The Week of Prayer for 1921.

A SUGGESTION.

(L.C.M.)
For more than half a century the first week of the New Year has been observed by the churches which comprise the Evangelical Alliance, as the week of prayer, and our own city of St. John's has participated in this good work. The topics of the week have always been the same, and there are some interested people who think that this sameness has been a weak point. Whether there has really been a weak point in the observance of the week of prayer we do not profess to know, but it is very certain that of late years there has been a big falling off in the attendance, and the impressions of the services have not been as lasting as could be desired.

This suggests to us the possibility of renewed interest in this direction, and now that the date will soon be

here again, it may not be out of place to offer a suggestion to the reverend gentlemen who may have charge of the programme. This suggestion occurs to the writer after having read the report of the dinner at the Presbyterian Hall, held in the interests of the Bible Society. At that dinner there was a re-union of the representative city Protestant clergymen and the report showed that in the essentials of common Christianity, the speakers were one. The dinner did good, inasmuch as it was, and will be, read by tens of thousands of people at home and abroad. If such a re-union could be so successfully arranged at that occasion, why not the same good spirit be manifested during the week of prayer? What doth hinder it? The time is opportune, for never was a greater crisis upon the world, and never was such a crisis in our own midst, and only the message as taught by the churches can save the situation. We may side-track this statement, but it stands all the same. With the present conditions of society so upset, and the

situation so uncertain, there is much to be considered in which all could join, both Catholic and Protestant; hence it occurs to us that the approaching week of prayer could be made a great factor if held in some central place, such as the College Hall, and if addressed by the leading clergymen of the city churches. The old topics could be changed, and the questions of the hour could be dealt with and much that the people would like to hear about could be discussed. Such topics as "A Review of 1920," and "The International Aspect of 1921" or others equally important questions would certainly be worth while; and when we have in our midst such able men as the Lord Bishop of Newfoundland, Rev. Dr. Jones and Rev. Dr. Bond and others it is certain that a little united effort should result in a great good. Why not something like this be tried? If all the places of amusement and all the theatres are able to draw crowded audiences every night, surely the week of prayer ought to be

able to realize as much. There is room and a place for all; but first and foremost the greater should be patronized. Such at least are the thoughts of the writer; hence we pass them on for what they are worth and with the hope that the services of the week of prayer for 1921 will regain some of their former enthusiasm.

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ANNOUNCEMENT—Dr. and Mrs. John Lincoln Ames of 87 Chestnut St. announce the engagement of their daughter, Constance, to Mr. William Laird Orr, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Baldwin Orr, of St. John's, Newfoundland, and Boston. Miss Ames attended Miss May's and the Garland School, graduating in 1918, in which year she made her debut. During the war she was a member of the Red Cross Ambulance Corps, and served in the Red Cross lunch room for two winters. Mr. Orr attended the Middlesex School at Concord, Mass. He served in the French Army at an ambulance driver before the United States entered the war and, later, was transferred to the American Army Infantry. Dr. and Mrs. Ames and Miss Ames are at home informally this afternoon to their friends.

A Teamster's Loss.
A horse owned by Mr. J. Andrews of Freshwater Road, dropped dead yesterday afternoon whilst hauling a load of flour out of Geo. Nell's archarway. This is the second misfortune with horses which has happened to Mr. Andrews within the past couple of weeks.

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WHITE HUTCHINGS.
A quiet but very pretty wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hutchings, Scott Street, on Thursday afternoon, December 16th, when their eldest daughter Gertrude Louise was united in the Holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Douglas White of Jobs Stores, Ltd. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. B. Darby, M.A., in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. The bride, who was given away by her father, was handsomely attired in a gown of white satin with veil and wreath of Lillies of the Valley, and carried a bouquet of Carnations and Asparagus Fern. She was attended by her sister Olive, while the groom was supported by Mr. Clarence Crane. After the ceremony luncheon was served and the health of the bride and groom toasted, after which the happy couple left on the six o'clock train for Carbonear where the honeymoon will be spent. We wish Mr. and Mrs. White many years of wedded happiness.—COM.

Big Drop in Labrador Fish.

Parties bringing small shipments of fish to the city experience much difficulty in finding purchasers. A fisherman who had a quantity of No. 1 Labrador fish tried all the usual places of sale to dispose of his catch without success, visited the stores on Water Street and after a lot of travelling succeeded in disposing of some 10 or 12 quintals to the shop lands for \$5.00 per quintal.

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C. of E. Cathedral—Holy Communion, 8; Morning Service, 11; Children's Service, 3:15 (Orphanage Collection); (C.M.B.C. in Synod Hall); 6:30, Evening Service.

St. Thomas—Holy Communion, 8; Holy Communion and Intercession for Missions, 10; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11; Proseur, Rev. C. A. Moulton. Sunday School and Bible Classes, 2:45; Gifts for the King services at Canon Wood Hall, 3:30; Evensong and Sermon, 6:30; preacher, the Rector; subject, "Echoes from Lambeth (5); Spiritualism or where Christianity Agrees and Disagrees with Spiritualism."

St. Mary the Virgin—8, Holy Communion; 11, Matins; 2:30, Sunday School; 2:45, Bible Classes; 4:45, Holy Baptism; 6:30, Evensong.

St. Michael's—8 and 11, Holy Communion; 6:30, Evening Service.

METHODIST.

Gower St.—11 and 6:30, Rev. E. W. Forbes, B.D.

George St.—11 and 6:30, Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, B.A.

Cochrane St.—11 and 6:30, Rev. Dr. Bond.

Wesley—11 and 6:30, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.

Congregational Church—11, Rev. T. B. Darby, M.A.; 6:30, Rev. Edwin Moore.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church—11 a.m., Preacher, Rev. Frank Baird, M.A. Subject: "The Significance of 6:30 p.m., Rev. Frank Baird, has been asked to preach a special sermon for St. Andrew's Society, and has chosen for this subject the "Present Duty of Scotsmen."

St. Thomas—To-morrow afternoon at 3:30 the annual Gifts for the King service will be held in the Sunday School Room at Canon Wood Hall. Children will either bring their gifts of groceries or fruit there to-day or to-morrow when they come to school. The tiny ones whose names are on the Cradle Roll are asked to take part also in this unselfish charity through their parents. On Monday the gifts will be distributed to the poor of the parish. To-morrow evening, at 6:30, the Rector will preach his fifth sermon on the Lambeth Conference Report, taking as his subject "Spiritualism or where Christianity Agrees and Disagrees with Spiritualism." The church welcomes strangers and will be glad to see them there.

C.M.B.C.—To-morrow is "Orphanage Sunday" at the Class and a special collection will be taken up for the Orphanages. The Bishop will visit the Class and give the address. All the members are requested to be present. The general committee are asked to remain behind after the meeting.

Gower Street Church—9:45, Men's Class Meetings; 11 and 6:30, Public Worship. The Pastor will preach at both services. Morning subject, "Sures in Heaven"; children's sermon, "How the holly got its red berries"; evening subject, "The source of courage." In the afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock the Sunday School will hold its "White Gifts for the King" Christmas Service. There will be special music and decorations. The public are cordially invited to all these services.

George St. A.B.C. Class will unite with the Sunday School to-morrow in the giving of parcels to the poor, or as it is called, "Pound Sunday." All the members are asked to come along and bring a parcel. It is understood that as usual the Class will occupy the east gallery of the church. The members, however, are asked to assemble in the class room at 2:30. Any stranger in the city is welcome to come along. Entrance to class room on Buchanan Street.

Cochrane Street Sunday School will hold its Christmas Gift Service to-morrow afternoon, in the church, to commence at 2:45. A short, bright and interesting programme has been prepared. Every scholar is expected to bring a gift of money, fruit, vegetables or other useful articles for distribution Christmas week. A hearty invitation is extended to all visitors.

Wesley Sunday School—The anniversary service takes place to-morrow afternoon, and a bright programme has been arranged. The chairman will be the Rev. W. B. Bugden, the Pastor of the church, and the addresses will be given by Rev. Dr. Fenwick, the President of the Conference. The programme in addition contains choruses, songs, recitations, etc., by the scholars, which will all help to make the occasion a most interesting one. Parents and friends are cordially invited to join with the scholars in the service.

Adventist, Cooktown Road—Do not forget the song service at 6:30. The subject "Who are the Spirits of Spiritualism?" is commanding universal interest to-day. Spiritualism is gaining prestige daily and gaining adherents by the thousands and is in danger in the presence of this mighty foe of Christianity. Come, hear the Scripture's warning which is complete.

Gospel Mission—The Gospel Mission will hold its meetings on Sunday at 2:45 and 7:45 p.m., in its Hall, foot of Casey Street, opposite the Dominion Stores. Rev. E. Moore will speak at both meetings.

The Highway Tabernacle, Hamilton Street—Sunday service at 11, 3 and 7. Monday, Wednesday and Friday week nights at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

The Bethesda Pentecostal Assembly, 198 New Gower Street—Sunday Services: Men's Class Meeting at 10. Regular services at 11, 3 and 7, also services on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings at 8. These services are undenominational and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

International Bible Students' Association meet in the Chapter Room, Victoria Hall, at 7 p.m. Discourse: "The Son of God as the 'Loving' Man, the Divine." All are welcome.

At Grenfell Hall—During the past two years, owing to the Grenfell Hall having been engaged for other purposes, the Sunday evening illustrated lectures have not been given there, but to-morrow evening the Superintendent, Mr. W. H. Jones, purposes resuming the lectures and his subject will be "In the Steps of the Nazarene." The lecture begins at 8:15, and is free to all.

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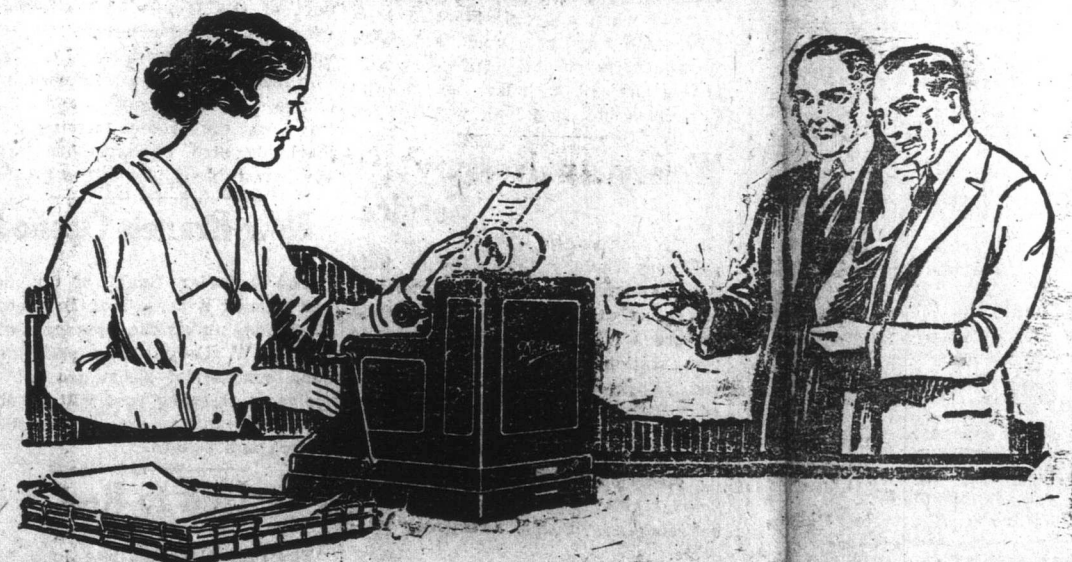


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We thank the teachers and friends for their kindness and liberality. We appreciate it much and hope that the blessing of the Orphan's God may be theirs. If any omitted, or mistake made, please let us know. Further donations very thankfully received:

- Dec. 7th, 1 barrel Apples, fancy biscuits, 1 tub of berries, 1 tub of sugar, Mrs. S. E. Bell; Dec. 10th, 1 box apples, Harold Macpherson, Esq.; Dec. 1st, Books, magazines, Sherie Carter; also a quilt from Mrs. J. W. Taylor and one from Mrs. Dr. Boyle, Carboneau; Dec. 18th, \$20.00 from James Baird, Esq.

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With the season so far advanced we may expect more of this nasty weather from this time on.

One of these mornings when your Big Bear goes off you'll find everything snowed up.

The prospect of a "milkless" breakfast is by no means a cheerful one.

But you should worry if in the cupboard you have your little milkman—"KILM".

Attacked by Bull Moose.

NEW BRUNSWICK GUIDE HAS TWO RIBS BROKEN.

George Hinton, of Doaktown, one of the best known hunters' guides on the Miramichi, had a remarkable experience with an infuriated bull moose on the closing day of the hunting season. Mr. Hinton had shot a very large bull moose, and believing it was about dead, turned away to look at another moose at short distance away, when suddenly the huge animal,

wounded and helpless as he believed, sprang to his feet, and charged the lone hunter. The infuriated bull tried every way to lash him with his horns, at the same time kicking at him with both his foreward and hind feet. However, with wonderful presence of mind, Mr. Hinton grabbed the antlers and thereby held himself so close to the animal's head that it could not gore him with its horns nor kick him with its feet. In that position Mr. Hinton was, rushed through the thicket until the woods became so thick that the moose, because of the

great size of its antlers, could penetrate no further. Then, freeing its assailant, the animal turned and fled, leaving Mr. Hinton much bruised and with two ribs broken, but able to make his camp that night, thankful for his miraculous escape from death.



Evening Telegram

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

Saturday, December 18, 1920.

A Test Case.

Messrs. A. E. Hickman & Co., Ltd., have defied the Fish Regulations, and do not appear to be the least bit alarmed over any action the Government may take. Tired of being sent from pillar to post, the principal of this firm took matters into his own hands, and having a cargo of fish at Malaga, unsold, ordered the master of the vessel to take a Spanish clearance for Leghorn, Italy, where he had disposed of the lot, and some other quantities, without the ceremony of asking permission of Mr. Coaker or Mr. Hawes or anyone else. This action on the part of Mr. Hickman caused consternation in the camp of the Advisory Board. To do such a thing without the authority of that exalted body was verging on high treason, and immediately a consultation was called to decide upon what should be done with the individual who had had the temerity to run counter to the regulations, in order to protect himself from loss. So far nothing has transpired to cause any uneasiness to Mr. Hickman; beyond a petty persecution over some alleged technical infraction of the Codfish Report Act in omitting to report the stock of fish held by him at the end of November. That is merely of trifling import, but it shows how much trouble can be made for those who break clear of the barriers set up about them.

In defying the Regulations, we believe Mr. Hickman will have behind him the solid weight of public opinion. 'Tis a pity that such courage had not been exhibited earlier in the year, and a test case made of the legality of the measures and of their restriction upon trade. Such would perhaps have brought matters to a head in

time to prevent, if not to entirely obviate, the depression and uncertainty existing. But better late than never. The really interesting and most important point is that an exporter has sold fish to Italy, waiving the Fish Regulations. That Italian buyers purchased this fish under the circumstances is very significant, and shows that Italy is still both willing and ready to take Newfoundland fish, excepting through the agency of Mr. Hawes or via the regulated course, and those who have the courage to follow Mr. Hickman's lead will readily dispose of their shipments. Italy has usually taken from one hundred and fifty to two hundred thousand quintals of fish annually from Newfoundland, the shipping months being from September to April. Half of that period has elapsed without one single fish going into the Italian market direct from this country, because of the antagonism to which the Fish Regulations gave birth, and the appointment of Mr. Hawes as sole agent and intermediary. One result of the Hickman Company's break away from the envelopment of the winding shroud which has so long swathed and encumbered the exporters may be further developments in a situation which promises a great many new sensations.

Additional Service.

TELEGRAM TO HAVE EIGHT COLUMN PAGES.

In order to keep up with the many demands on its space, to supply its readers with the best of all the news that is going, and to maintain its claim of being Newfoundland's greatest paper, the Telegram to-day makes its appearance with an extra column to each page. In other words, instead of a seven column page as was the standard heretofore, in future the eight column page will be continued. For a long time past, the management has been considering the advisability of making this change, the mechanical arrangements of which were finalized to-day, matrices and presses being altered to fill the new demand to be made upon them by the capable foreman of the press room, Mr. Robert Mercer, and the Telegram's efficient printing staff. The addition of the extra column is equivalent to two pages of additional news matter in a fourteen page issue, which is the average strike-off daily and when it is announced that this has been done for the benefit of patrons without raising the cost of the paper—it will be one cent—the value of the Telegram as the People's Paper will be further enhanced.

Increased Pensions Discussed.

The question of a 20% increase in disability pensions was discussed at a recent meeting of the Executive Government during the past week, but so far nothing definite has been decided. The Acting Premier, Hon. W. F. Coaker, is alleged to have promised that this increase would be granted when a deputation called on him some time ago and suggested it would be a nice Christmas gift, but at present it looks as if the Christmas box is a long way off yet.

Wesley Anniversary Service.

Wesley Sunday School will hold their Anniversary Service to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 p.m. A special feature of the service will be the presentation of White Gifts to the poor. Each member of school is asked to bring a parcel of food, wrapped in white paper. The Committee will greatly appreciate all gifts presented by visitors or friends of the school. Special singing, recitations, etc., will be rendered. Comet everybody welcome.

For the Poor.

Colonel Martin acknowledges with thanks receipt of the following contributions towards the Christmas Appeal for the Poor:—
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Muddles and Bungles.

THE FISH SITUATION TO-DAY.

The defying of the Regulations by several firms is the chief topic at the Board of Trade Rooms to-day, but in this matter there seems to be no further developments except the issuing of a Gazette Extraordinary announcing that the maximum quantity of salt codfish "which may be sold for or exported to Italy during the months of December, 1920, and January, 1921, shall be 100 quintals." This proclamation apparently confirms the reported breach of the Regulations and is intended to prevent any shipments to that country from here, under a penalty. It may be noted that the 100 qts. is the maximum quantity that a bona fide fisherman can ship, and in this connection it may be noted that a number of fishermen of Green Bay collected a cargo and shipped it across. The vessel was supposed to be procured for them and all arrangements made by some one with authority. However, although the fish has been shipped this some time, the vessel is now at Malaga and the chances of making sales are none too bright. Another cargo of fish that was sent to Liverpool by the S. S. Canadian Miller is also the subject of much discussion. Two-thirds of the cargo was owned by members of the Advisory Board, and though one of the members of that Board asserts that all the fish shipped by that steamer was sold at regulation prices, still others who are not of the Advisory Board contend that there was much underhand work done, and that some portion of the cargo was disposed of at a lesser price than stated. An exporter interested asked why did Mr. Tracey, an agent of Mr. G. M. Barr, go to Liverpool on the Canadian Miller?

It is said that a letter has been received by a prominent fish exporter the trend of which would indicate that there has been some questionable doings going on. It has been explained to us, however, that though the fish by the S. S. Canadian Miller had been sold before leaving here and that certificates to that effect had been given to the Advisory Board when drafts for the amount of the shipments were drawn, they were dishonestly and fraudulently sold at the highest price obtainable, which was considered below regulation price.

White Gifts for the King.

The third White Gifts for the King Christmas Service of Gower St. Sunday School will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the auditorium of the church. This school for many years has held a gift service at Christmas. During the past two years they have presented not only gifts of substance, but also of service and of self. This year as before each member of the school is expected to bring their White Gift for the Christmas King to be used among the poor of the congregation. The service is interesting and always attracts a large congregation. A special offering is being taken in Gower St. Church to-morrow for the China Famine Fund, so that it will be a day of giving in Church and Sunday School alike. To-morrow morning the Gower St. Troop of Scouts and Wolf Cubs will hold a church parade, attending George St. Church.

McMurdo's Store News.

SATURDAY, Dec. 18, '20.
To-day we are glad to be able to announce the opening up of a small but select line of French Perfumes and other dainty toilet goods, the product of the famous laboratories of Pinci, the Paris Perfumers. The shipment includes Saffron, Le Trene, Florance and Aurea Perfumes, some choice Soaps, Colognes and Toilet Powders, the whole forming a remarkably nice display. We would like you to drop in and see the lot.

New Branch Opened.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce has opened a branch at Bridgetown, Barbados, under the management of Mr. A. W. Loring. The presence of such commercial assistance at the molasses shipping port will be of no small advantage to Newfoundland buyers and sellers.

Laid to Rest.

The funeral of the late John Ryan, City Engineer, took place yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. Members of the K.O.C., B.I.S., and Municipal Commission being present. Interment took place at Belvedere.

Fined \$100.00.

The Deputy Minister of Customs has received the following message from the Sub-Collector at Piacentia:—"Philip Power was fined \$100 for smuggling a quantity of liquor. Sergeant Nugent, who found the liquor at the defendant's house in Argentina, presented."

Buy your Felt Footwear at Smallwood's, and save 25 p.c.—dec18.11

Treadle Boot Tops at 25 p.c. off at Smallwood's.—dec18.11

A Seasonable Sentiment.

For once Dodson and I had the club fire to ourselves, and not another soul with whom to argue.

"Fretty, this attendance this evening," he grunted. "Shopping," I explained, "paying their tribute to the Pagan gods, Christmas."

"A relic of medieval religious fanaticism," he growled contemptuously, "dug up and polished into a sham brilliance of festivity by Washington Irving and Charles Dickens."

"I came down to Water Street as the best way home, but outside The Royal Stores I was caught in a festering throng that held me tight up against the windows. It made me distinctly annoyed, especially as a small boy in front of me began to cry because the string had come off a new box of bricks, and the wooden blocks were clattering on the wet, slippery sidewalk. Upon the impulse of the moment I helped him pick them up; that led to further disaster. In gratitude, his small sister held up her new possession, disguised as Lord Kitchener, for admiration. In sheer desperation I bolted through the door of the store and hurriedly asked for a stick of shaving soap, to cover my confusion. But there was such an atmosphere of freedom of choice, of dainty artistic display, that I was impressed. I started wandering around for further investigation and, turning a corner, found myself amongst the toys. "Bless my soul," I said to myself, "it only wants a couple of fairies to complete this fairyland." And even as I mused I heard the deep bass of a familiar voice: "You must not have it too big or it won't fly around the room," he was saying. "Dodson, by all that's wonderful!" I muttered. Through a crack in a pile of boxes I peered, and there he was with a small boy and a smaller girl intent upon the respective merits of two toy aeroplanes. I wondered if he had seen anything in the flames. He was not a bit surprised to see me. "You're cuter than I thought you were," he remarked, as the aeroplane's propeller began to go around. "And this is your Uncle Ned," he continued, introducing me. "Your nephew Dick and your niece Nancy, by adoption." Then the old man started to laugh, and I laughed, and Dick and Nancy laughed until the pile of boxes nearly fell over.

We wandered around together after that. "You are becoming a changed man, although you talk the same," I remarked, flippantly. "It's the shopping here, and the kiddies," he explained. "They're a moral tonic." "And your Christmas?" he inquired as we parted. "Cannot say: suppose I will go and argue with someone or other." I said with forced hilarity. "Don't," he said earnestly. "Come over to us." "Yes, do," echoed Dick and Nancy. So I'm going.

THE GLEANER.

ARRIVED LAST NIGHT.—Thursday's outgoing express reached Port aux Basques at 11 last night.

EXPRESS DUE.—The incoming express with the Kyle's passengers is due at 5 p.m. to-day.

The Gift for Health from the East, "LES FRUITS," ELLIS'S, dec5.11

WILL SAIL TO-DAY.—Repairs to S.S. Turret Ogar are being rushed and she will probably get away for Sydney to-day.

For Evening Wear, Evangeline Pumps; 25 p.c. off at Smallwood's.—dec18.11

MEET TO-MORROW.—The B.I.S. Ladies' Auxiliary meet to-morrow night in the Society's Club rooms to discuss matters in connection with the Association.

Stafford's Ess. Ginger Wine only 20c. bottle. Postage 10c. extra.—dec10.11

Stafford's Drug Store, Theatre Hill. Price: 35c. bottle; Postage 10c. extra.—nov17.11

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"Dunhill's" Shell Briar Pipe is just the right gift for the man who enjoys a really good smoke. A new lot has just been opened at DULEY'S. Price \$7.50.—dec17.21

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A Reliable Flashlight is an essential part of every motorist's equipments. Like Reliable Batteries, they're lively and lasting. dec17.18, 20, Jan 25, 26, 27, Feb 25, 26

JUST IN TIME FOR XMAS.—Our stock of Hockey Skates just arrived, prices ranging from \$1.50 to \$8.00. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD. (Hardware Dept.) dec18.11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21

PUBLIC HEALTH REPORT.—The Public Health Department reports 5 cases of diphtheria, 1 of scarlet fever, and 1 of typhoid fever for the week ending Dec. 16th. A case of diphtheria was reported this morning.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, Etc.

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The other day the Star published in its editorial columns a very interesting article on the "Mad Mullah." We are sure that an article on our own "Mad Mullah" would have been far more appreciated by the public than was that on his prototype. Our own "Mad Mullah" has distinctive characteristics which serve to distinguish him from all the other "Mad Mullahs" who ever existed. Nevertheless, he has also a number of traits which cause him to be considered a very good understudy of the original. Chief amongst these is perhaps his ability to speak about himself in such glowing terms as to cause everybody who hears him to say to his neighbor: "Is he not a very modest man?" His dominant personality, and his masterful speech impresses into his hearer a very mixed feeling, although awe and part admiration, although awe is probably dominant. Yes, our own "Mad Mullah" has a strength of will which marks him out from amongst his fellow men as a man of iron determination—in short, a truly strong man. Another characteristic displayed by our "Mad Mullah" which shows a marked similarity to his predecessor from the Sudan, is his wonderful oratorical ability. Here again he is distinctly above his fellow men. From his lips there proceeds such a flow of melodious language, of such great depth and yet so easy to understand, that his eloquence strikes his listeners to the very depths of their souls and causes them to stare with eyes wide open, ears cocked, jaws agape and necks strained, while the "Mad Mullah" makes his peroration. Such is the power of speech as possessed by him. But if he might dare to criticize a man of such great might, he might perhaps say, (sotto voce, of course) that he probably uses the word "Ego" just a little too often. Of course it is only natural that a man of his great talents should value himself at his true worth, but surely there is no necessity for him to tell the public what it is unlikely to forget. But perhaps the reason is that being a very modest man he wishes to let us know everything he does, so that we shall not at any time, laud him for the deeds of others. Yes, that must be the true explanation. Or perhaps, his ego is a mere inadvertence on his part. At least, it is quite possibly so. Our own "Mad Mullah" has a call to arms just as had the original. But they differ slightly though probably the latter's is not quite so effective as our Mullah's is. One calls upon men to follow him to turn the infidel from his land. Ours, however, says to the men of his land, "Follow me for I have your money invested in my projects, and they follow him.

At one time our "Mad Mullah" was the friend of the proletariat. That, however, was long ago. Now, he is the boon companion of the grasping merchant who, (so the M.M. used to allege) takes all he can get and gives naught in return. Rumor has it that again, like the original "Mad Mullah," his power is on the wane. He is exerting to the fullest extent, all of his magnificent and dominating personality in an attempt to reconcile his followers to whom he has lately given cause for discontent. He cannot succeed. If one might venture to make a prophecy, within a short time he will be seen at Catalina, the scene of his former triumphs, tearing his scraggy locks and composing an epitaph to some dog on the strength of which he may probably receive the post laureate ship of Newfoundland, and so gain a name for himself which would cause him to come once more into the limelight that he was so fond of.

Shipping Notes.

Schooner Gilbert H. Walters has cleared for Barbados with 2324 tons of coffee loaded by Balne Johnston & Co.

Schooner Sordello which loaded pulp and paper at Botwood for England has arrived at Waterford, after a fairly good passage.

S.S. Sable I. leaves Sydney to-day with freight and passengers for this port.

A message has been received by Messrs. T. H. Carter & Co. advising that the sch. Roy Bruce, Capt. R. F. Holley, of Burin, which sailed from St. Anthony July last, last month, had arrived at Malaga, all well.

10 p.c. of Ladies' and Gentlemen's, Misses' and Children's Long Rubbers and Gaiters at Smallwood's—dec13.1

From Cape Race.

Specs to Evening Telegram.

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Brown Crash with colored embroidered designs. Prices 80c. and \$1.25 each

Tea Cosies.

Fancy Silk covered or Art Satcen. Prices \$1.49 and \$2.20 each

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In White Linen and in Brown Linen Crash, hemstitched, lace trimmed and embroidered designs. Prices \$1.00 to \$1.50 each

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White with Pale Blue borders; good heavy quality; size 60 x 78. Regular \$17.00 pair \$15.30

Grey Blankets.

50 pairs of part Wool Blankets, 75% wool; hard twisted threads, well combed, good weight; size 60 x 78. Reg. \$12.00 pair for \$12.15

Cotton Blankets.

Soft, fleecy Cotton Blankets; warm and durable; size 60 x 78; Pink and Pale Blue borders. Reg. \$7.00 pair for \$6.50 Reg. \$5.00 pair for \$4.40



"Let Everybody Smile"

Smile Father—Smile Mother—Smile Sister—Smile Brother—Yes, let everybody smile; it's high time to get ready for Merry Christmastide.

Why not get as much joy out of the selecting of Christmas Gifts as the receiving of them?

This Big Christmas Store is certainly the mecca of gift hunters these days. Hundreds are smiling as they make their selections, for they picture the pleasure derived by the recipients. The Royal Stores has a thousand and one Gift Suggestions awaiting your selection at prices you can afford to pay.



Children's Party Dresses as Gifts

Practical Gifts that will please every little Miss.

Green Velvet Dresses.

(for Girls of 5 to 12 years.) Reg. \$ 9.75 each for \$ 8.00 Reg. \$10.25 each for \$ 8.55 Reg. \$12.75 each for \$13.00

Middy Suits.

In Navy Serge for Girls of 6 to 14 years. Reg. \$18.00 each for \$14.98 Reg. \$20.00 each for \$16.60

Child's White Voile Dresses.

(to fit a child of 4 to 8 years.) Reg. \$2.50 each for \$2.05 Reg. \$3.50 each for \$2.90 Reg. \$5.50 each for \$4.50

Infants' White Voile Dresses.

(in a variety of pretty styles.) Reg. \$2.00 each for \$1.60 Reg. \$3.75 each for \$3.15 Reg. \$5.00 each for \$4.10

Cream Cashmere Dresses.

Reg. \$4.00 each for \$3.40

Infants' Silk Dresses.

Reg. \$6.50 each for \$5.47

What to get for Baby ?

There are a lot of suitable things in our Showroom—cute little Dollies, Bibs and Toys, as well as comfortable tiny Clothes—all reduced in price.

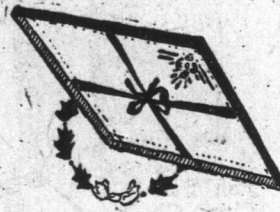


What to Give Father ?

Dad is always recommending common sense. Do not disappoint him. Just visit our Man's Store and select something practical that you know he needs. Then see him smile.

Handkerchiefs--The Gift

That Never fails its Mission

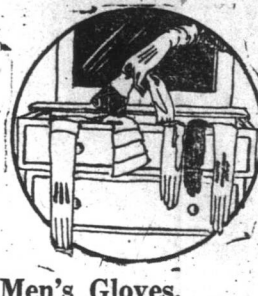


and where is there a woman who will not smile with pleasure as she opens a box of Handkerchiefs, especially if they are real dainty.

80c, \$1.07, \$2.20 and \$2.40 for a box of 3 or 6

The Boxed Handkerchiefs seem to be the most popular for gifts, and we are prepared to meet your demands with a wide selection and values unsurpassed. A complete line of Single Handkerchiefs is also being displayed at prices from 10c. to \$2.00 each.

Gloves--For Discriminating People



and can't you see that smile and then hear the praises as she opens the gift of Gloves.

WOMEN'S GLOVES--Of Soft Kid in Browns, Greys, Champagne and Black; all sizes, unlined.

Prices from \$2.20 a pair to \$3.25.

Men's Gloves.

In heavy Kid or Suede; wool lined. Prices \$3.10 pair to \$5.65

Children's Wool Gloves.

Warm and comfortable; in all sizes. Prices 40c. pair to \$1.00

Women's Heavy Kid Gloves.

In Browns and Tans; wool lined. Prices \$4.50 pair to \$6.40

Sister is Hard to Please ?

but she will surely rave over some of the gift goods displayed here. Mother likes pretty things too—even if she does say she'd rather have something sensible.



How About Big Brother ?

and little brother too—they have their likes and dislikes, but in our Man's Store are just the things to please them—just what a young fellow sets his heart on.

Christmas Furs In Great Variety On Display

For Women and Children—there are Scarfs and Muffs in Sets or in separate Pieces—Stoles, Semi Capes, Costes, or little throat pieces, in various popular Furs.

Muffs.

In Black Wolf, Black Fox, Opossum, Taupe Wolf and Natural Rat, Bat and barrel shapes; finished with heads and tails. Prices from \$9.40 to \$32.00 each.

Scarfs.

In Black and Grey Wolf, Lynx, Mink Marmot, Opossum, etc., in various styles. Prices from \$6.00 to \$40.00 each.

Fur Sets.

Black Seal, Black and Grey Wolf, Fox, Opossum, Skunk, Coon, Badger, etc. Prices from \$14.00 to \$182.00 per Set.

A Damask Table Cloth Or Table Cover

Wouldn't it be a pleasant surprise? Yes, one that would assuredly please the recipient. We offer a splendid selection at Sale Prices.

Damask Table Cloths.

Of beautiful texture and finish, in an assortment of handsome floral designs. Size 56 x 56. Reg. \$3.80 each \$2.88 for \$2.50

Size 66 x 84. Reg. \$9.50 each \$5.20

Table Covers.

Fine Tapestry Cloths, fringed and hemmed ends. Size 72 x 72. Reg. \$ 6.75 each \$ 5.40 for \$4.40

Size 72 x 90. Reg. \$10.00 each for \$8.40

Size 72 x 90. Reg. \$18.00 each for \$14.40

Size 72 x 108. Reg. \$45.00 ea. \$36.00 for \$34.00

Size 72 x 90. Reg. \$65.00 each \$44.00 for \$42.00

Size 96 x 144. Reg. \$40.00 ea. \$32.00 for \$30.00

Now is The Time To Buy

If you want a jolly half hour, visit Toyland at the Royal Stores, and by all means BRING THE CHILDREN (because that is the best way to find what the kiddies want).

OH's and AH's! and sparkling eyes! Eager, smiling faces! Happiness unbounded. 'Twill be indeed a jolly trip for you as you watch the delighted youngsters in the midst of all these Christmas Toys. Ours is the most complete stock in the city and prices are very low.

Have You Heard, My Dears, of the Magic Toys Santa has Brought for His Girls and Boys

LITTLE GIRLS.

Snuggle close to your mother while she reads to you how Santa has planned to bring your dreams true. Baby Go-Carts so cute, wee Tables and Chairs, China and Silverware, Brown Teddy Bears;

Families of Dolls—Princess Olle-Ke-Wob, Patsy Doola, Ketsy Piper—they love to hob-nob.

Smiles that are winning, eyes that are blue—

Oh! they'll be fatal to the heart of you.

LITTLE BOYS.

Crawl into Dad's lap and sooner than said he'll read you this news 'fore you trot off to bed.

A Desk like Dad's, only smaller by far;

A Bicycle, Auto or Kiddie Car, Trains, Wagons and Ships,

Tanks, Cannons and Planes, Guns, Soldiers and Engines,

Magic Lanterns and Games. This is only the half of it.

There's much more to tell, So ask Dad to bring you, He'll like it as well.

Xmas Tree Decorations Gold & Silver Tinsel Fancy Candles Holly Boxes Xmas Stockings Wool Infantees, &c

Rocking Horses Xmas Seals and Tags Xmas & New Year Cards Picture Books Postcard Albums Carpenters' Tools, &c.



Rubbers for Men, Woman and Children, in all styles and qualities. Selling Cheap.

The Royal Stores, Ltd.

Store Hours 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Until the end of the Month.

Something Fresh and Choice Just Received

ELLIS & CO.
LIMITED,
203 Water Street.

Fresh Turkeys.
Milk Fed Chicken.
Fresh Ducks.
Choice Geese.

FRESH EGGS.

New Naples Walnuts.
New Soft Shelled Almonds
Fresh Brazil Nuts.
Shelled Walnuts.
Jordan Almonds.
Gordan Sweet Almonds
Blanched Almonds.

FRESH DAIRY BUTTER.

New Dessert Raisins.
Fresh Tunis Dates.
New Smyrna Figs.
Filled Dates.
Filled Figs.
Canton Ginger in Jars.
Crystallized Ginger Cubes.
Glance Cherries.
Crystallized Cherries.
Glance Apricots.
Glance
Pink and White Peas.
Glance Greengages.
Crystallized Rose Leaves.
Crystallized Violets.
Glance Angelica.

Huntley & Palmer's CAKES & BISCUITS

English Mincemeat.
Plum Puddings.
Fig Puddings.
English Jams & Jellies.
Fruit Salad.
English
Ox Tongue in Glass.
French Green Peas
(Petit Pois Fines).
French Beans
(Haricot Verts Extra).
French
Mixed Vegetables.
(Macedoines).
Asparagus Tips
Champignons.
Bantam Corn on Cob.
English Soups in Glass.
Iced Fruit Cake.
Iced Plain Cake.
Marzipan Confections.

ENGLISH CHEDDAR CHEESE.
ENGLISH STILTON CHEESE.

"Huyler's" Confectionery.
"Durand's" Chocolates.
"Cadbury's" Chocolates.
"Moir's" Chocolates.
Perrier Water.
White Rock Water.
Schwepe's Minerale.
Lemon Squash.
Lime Juice Cordia.

SAVORY'S RUSSIAN, TURKISH and EGYPTIAN CIGARETTES.

Our Philatelic Corner.

Conducted by PHILATELOS.
NEWFOUNDLAND FOR THE GENERAL COLLECTOR.

The 1897 Provisional. In 1897 the supply of one cent stamps became exhausted, and Newfoundland was forced to use provisionals for the first time in its postal history. After some little discussion it was finally decided that the stamp to be surcharged would be the three-cent grey-lilac of 1896 of which there was an enormous remainder. A number of these stamps were sent down to the Royal Gazette office so that various methods of surcharging might be tried, and the most suitable selected. The surcharge was to be "One Cent" in ornamental capitals. Proofs, in red and black were submitted, and the black was finally accepted. 100,000 were ordered, and these were put in the press in sheets of fifty. In setting up the type the printers discovered that they had only enough letters of the small ornamental type to set up forty stamps, so they were compelled to use two other varieties of type for the other ten stamps of the sheet. These two kinds of type were large ornamental and large unornamental. The first eight stamps of the last horizontal row are surcharged with the large ornamental type and the last two stamps with the large unornamental. As was only natural, the third type is very much scarcer than the second, whilst the second is considerably rarer than the first. Great care was taken in the supervision of these provisionals before they were placed on the market, no badly printed copies being allowed to reach the hands of the postage stamp branch of the G.P.O. No varieties of these stamps have as yet been discovered. The official provisionals were all in the grey-lilac shade, and all overprints on other shades of the 1896 issue are forgeries.

CHECK LIST.

One cent on three cents Grey-lilac.
Type I. Light ornamental.
II. Large ornamental.
III. Large unornamental.

NEWS FROM THE STAMP WORLD.

Coincident with the death of King Ludwig III. of Bavaria, Bavaria has ceased to be a stamp issuing country.

In order to encourage young collectors the British Columbia Philatelic Society has formed a junior branch.

I note that mint panes of 25 of the 2c. on 30c. Newfoundland provisional are being offered by English dealers

at 75 shillings. As I understand that stocks in dealers hands are very small, the prices of all the recent provisionals should rise steadily. So far I have not seen any mention of the narrow setting of the 2c. on 15c. or of the missing bar variety of the 2c. on 35c. It is doubtful if there are more than 1000 copies of the latter variety in existence, and it ought, therefore to fetch quite a good price. An English dealer, I notice, was offering the "Postage Paid" envelopes at 20 shillings each. If collectors here had only realized that there would be a demand for these they could have obtained all they wanted at 2 cents each as no restrictions were placed on them. It is very doubtful, however, if philatelists will consider them collectible as although doing duty as postage stamps, by no manner of means can they be so called. I think that several months will elapse before the market price of any of our new provisionals will become settled.

I have heard on good authority that nothing has yet been done in connection with the preparation of a new issue for this dominion, but as soon as the rush of work occasioned by the Christmas season will have come to an end, something will be done in the matter. As the Caribou issue was merely intended to be in use for a short time only, it is certainly about time a new set put in appearance.

Mekeel's "London Special." I have to thank Mr. Frank Willis for a copy of the British Empire edition of that well known American philatelic journal, "Mekeel's Weekly." This edition consists of nearly 40 pages of very readable matter and reflects great credit on the publishers. The cover design is in black and white and is rather unique. It consists of a portrait of H.M. King George V., the former President and present patron of the Royal Philatelic Society, London, with a dolphin and trident on both sides and below, the Royal arms. An article by Fred J. Melville, the great philatelic expert, describing the premises and stocks of the big London dealers, is the principle feature of this edition of Mekeel's, and a very entertaining one it is. There are also quite a number of other articles of great philatelic interest, and these, with the interesting and very readable advertisements, help to make up one of the best editions of any philatelic journal it has yet been my lot to see.

Canada and the League.

Shall the League of Nations exercise any sort of control over the internal affairs of its member nations? The question raised last week at Geneva is probably the most vital for this Dominion that has arisen at this inaugural meeting of the League, and the Hon. N. W. Rowell and Sir George Foster voiced the sentiments of the great majority of the people of Canada when they declared bluntly that

we would resent any hint at such interference. The question was raised by Switzerland, which, save for its scenic attractions for the tourist, has practically no natural resources, and it was supported by Italy and those countries who are poor in their store of raw material.

Article 25 of the Covenant of the League expressly binds the contributing members to "endeavor to secure and maintain fair and humane conditions of labor," and further pledges them "to make provision to secure and maintain freedom of communication and transit and equitable treatment for the commerce of all members of the League."

The difference between the viewpoints as expounded by Mr. Rowell for Canada and Mr. Gustave Ador for Switzerland is fundamental. Mr. Ador regards the League as a super-state exercising jurisdiction over all other members.

states "regardless of their aspirations for the benefit of the majority of the The Canadian representatives view the League as an association of free nations which have voluntarily agreed to limit their individual freedom of action on certain points in order to co-operate for the common good.—Family Herald and Weekly Star.

Rogue Robin.

Why is the robin such a popular bird? Farmers and gardeners say little in its favor, describing it as a mischievous thing whose "robbin" habits aptly suit its name; but the rest of us rejoice to see robins in winter, and chase them among the few bright spots in the dreary season. Robins have been revered by men for many centuries. They are always on the side of the good fairies, and there is superstition that bad luck will fall on anyone who kills a robin, or upon one who keeps a robin in a cage, and deprives it of its freedom.

The following four lines occur in an old "Ode to a Robin," and refer to the confidence which robins repose in us when hopping around in the expectation of crumbs:

"For ever from his threshold fly, Who, void of honor, once shall try, With base, inhospitable breast, To bar the freedom of his guest!"

But probably, when all is said and done, the robin owes its popularity mainly to its red breast and the cheerful picture it makes amid its bleak surroundings.

Try our Special Cambridge Sausages. Made fresh daily at ELLIS.—nov18.12

The Biggest Boot and Shoe Bargains Ever Offered in St. John's.

25 per cent. Off Regular Prices

AT

F. Smallwood's Big Boot & Shoe Xmas Sale!



Local Made Boots, English, American and Canadian Fine Boots and Shoes, and Felt Footwear for Men, Women and Children at 25 PER CENT. REDUCTION.

This is not a sale of a few special lines of Footwear, nor is it a Fire Sale, and we can assure our many customers throughout this Dominion that it is not a sale of Damaged Footwear.

We offer our Customers the Highest Grade of Footwear ever shown in Newfoundland. Besides the styles we carry are the most up-to-date ever shown in St. John's.

Renowned Footwear!

For Ladies:

EVANGELINE PUMPS,
EVANGELINE HIGH CUTS,
WEEDIE BOOT TOPS,
DANIEL GREEN'S COSY FELT FOOTWEAR
25 PER CENT. OFF
ON THE ABOVE LINES.

For Gentlemen:

MEN'S SMART DARK TAN BOOTS, \$13.50. Now \$10.00 pair
MEN'S \$18.00 FINE BOOTS25 PER CENT. OFF
MEN'S \$16.00 FINE BOOTS25 PER CENT. OFF
MEN'S \$14.00 FINE BOOTS25 PER CENT. OFF
MEN'S \$10.00 FINE BOOTS25 PER CENT. OFF
MEN'S \$ 9.00 FINE BOOTS25 PER CENT. OFF
MEN'S \$ 8.00 FINE BOOTS25 PER CENT. OFF
MEN'S \$ 7.00 FINE BOOTS25 PER CENT. OFF
MEN'S \$ 6.00 FINE BOOTS25 PER CENT. OFF

Boys' and Girls' Boots 25 p. c. off

10 Per Cent. Off
WOMEN'S
LONG RUBBERS & GAITERS
Also
MISSES' and CHILDREN'S
RUBBER FOOTWEAR.

**RUBBER FOOTWEAR
10 PER CENT. OFF**

10 Per Cent. Off
MEN'S GAITERS.
MEN'S LONG RUBBERS.
BOYS' LONG RUBBERS.

Our Shoes are now on display. All prices are marked in plain figures. We want your money! Do you want the Boots? Come to the Store with the Big Boot over the door.
MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION.

F. SMALLWOOD, The Home of Good Shoes,
218 and 220 Water Street.

CLEAR YOUR COMPLEXION



WITH
CUTICURA SOAP

This fragrant super-creamy emollient for cleansing, purifying and beautifying the skin and complexion tends to promote and maintain skin purity, skin comfort and skin health if used for every-day toilet purposes. Largest selling complexion and skin soap in the world. Sold everywhere.

Cuticura Toilet Trio
Consisting of Cuticura Soap to cleanse and purify, Cuticura Ointment to soothe and heal, and Cuticura Talcum to powder and perfume. 25c each. Sold everywhere. The Dominion, Canadian Depot, Lyman, Limited, 25, Front St., West, St. John's, Nfld.

Practical Xmas Suggestions!

Newfoundland's
Greatest Shoe House

FROM
Parker & Monroe, Ltd.

The
SHOE MEN

Ladies' and Gent's



- Ladies' Pink Felt Kozy Slippers
- Ladies' Saxe Blue Kozy Slippers
- Ladies' Red Kozy Slippers
- Ladies' Navy Blue Kozy Slippers
- Ladies' Old Rose Kozy Slippers
- Ladies' Oxford Grey Kozy Slippers
- Ladies' Brown Kozy Slippers
- Ladies' Maroon Kozy Slippers
- Ladies' Wine Kozy Slippers

\$2.50
the Pair.

With soft padded insoles and heel, come outer-sole, ribbon trim.

LADIES' FELT JULIETS

With leather soles and heels, ribbon trim or plain felt bow, in shades of—

- Dark Grey leather sole
- Dark Brown leather sole
- Purple leather sole
- Red leather sole
- Black leather sole
- Wine leather sole



\$2.50
the Pair.

Soft flexible turn sole, felt insoles.

- LADIES' JAEGER SLIPPERS \$2.25
- LADIES' GREY JULIET (crome sole) \$1.80
- LADIES' BLACK JULIET (crome sole) \$1.80
- LADIES' CARPET SLIPPERS (leather sole) \$1.35

GENT'S FELT SLIPPERS.



- GENT'S JAEGER WOOL SLIPPERS \$2.35
- GENT'S GREY ROMEO (crome sole) \$1.90
- GENT'S GREY FELT SLIPPER (leather sole) \$2.75
- GENT'S BROWN KOZY SLIPPER \$2.75
- GENT'S GREY FELT SLIPPER (Hilo color, crome sole) \$3.00
- GENT'S BLACK FELT SLIPPER (lea. sole) \$2.75
- GENT'S BLACK FELT SLIPPER (felt sole) \$1.40
- GENT'S CARPET SLIPPER (leather sole) . . \$1.35

GENT'S LEATHER SLIPPERS.

- BLACK KID ROMEO \$2.50
 - TAN KID ROMEO \$2.50
 - TAN OPERA SLIPPER \$4.50
 - TAN ROMEO \$4.50
- Stitched down welt, flexible sole.

SPECIAL, only \$1.50.

GENT'S BLACK and BROWN LEATHER SLIPPERS, sizes 9 and 10 only. Regular \$2.50 value.



FOOTWEAR is always a Sensible, Valuable, Reasonable and Ideal Christmas Gift! We are now in Christmas Attire and are at Your Service with the Best of Footwear that's made!

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS.

A pair of Comfortable Shoes or Slippers for Pa, Ma, Grandpa, or Grandma!

A pair of Hockey Boots for Harry, or perhaps a pair of Storm Boots!

For Sister Mary, a pair of stylish Street Boots, or how about a pair of handsome Dress Slippers?

Fred, of course, would rather have Rubber Boots than anything else. Ask him and see!

Be sure not to forget the Baby's Boots!

Remember that our Prices always stand for the Best Values and our Experienced Shoe Service is always at your command!

Reduced Prices on Our Complete Stocks at Both Stores for Cash Only.

SKATING BOOTS



FOR BOYS (Regulation).
Black Hockey, sizes 1 to 5, \$5.10 to \$5.50.
Skating Boots FOR GIRLS.
Sizes 11 to 2.
In Black, \$3.75, 3.90, 5.00, 5.45.
In Tan, \$4.50, 5.75, 5.90.
In Tan, \$4.50, 5.75 to \$6.70.

GIRLS' SPATS.



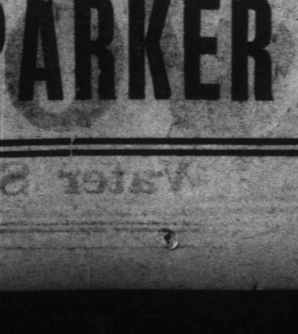
Black Jersey . . \$1.40
Black Felt . . . \$1.80
Fawn Felt . . . \$1.80
Sizes 6 to 10.

MISSES' SPATS.



Black Jersey . . \$1.60
Black Felt . . . \$2.00
Brown Felt . . . \$2.00

GIRLS' LONG RUBBERS.



Child's—Sizes 6 to 10, \$2.70 to \$2.90
Misses—Sizes 12 to 2, \$3.20 to \$3.40
Women's—Sizes 3 to 7, at \$3.90
CHILD'S TAN RUBBER BOOTS \$3.60 to \$3.80.
CHILD'S BLACK, with Red Top.

Hockey Boots

FOR MEN FOR BOYS FOR LADIES



In BLACK, TAN, or GREY.
REGULATION HOCKEY BOOTS.

FOR MEN.

Black—\$6.50, \$8.00 to \$10.00
Brown—\$8.00, \$8.50 to \$10.00

FOR LADIES.

Black \$8.50
Brown \$8.50
Pearl Grey \$8.50

FOR BOYS.

Sizes 1 to 5.
Black \$5.10 to \$5.50



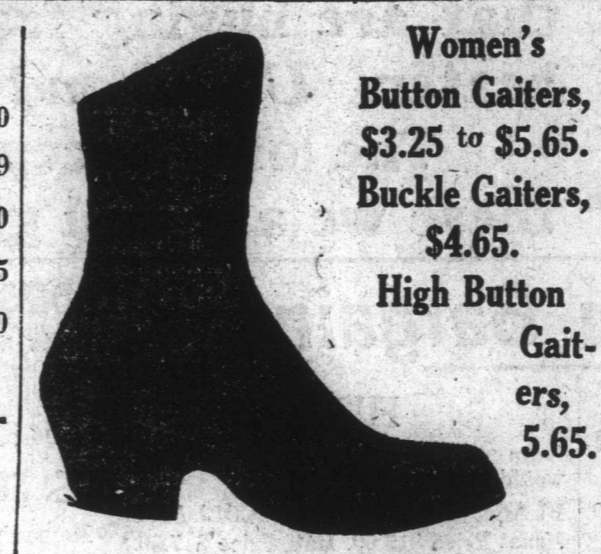
Storm Boots FOR BOYS.

In Tan \$5.60
In Black, sizes 9 to 13 \$5.40
In Tan \$6.75
In Black \$6.40
Sizes 1 to 5.



FELT TOP RUBBERS

For Men, \$3.00
For Women, \$2.00



Women's Button Gaiters, \$3.25 to \$5.65.

Buckle Gaiters, \$4.65.

High Button Gaiters, 5.65.



RUBBERS.

Black or Tan.
Gent's Black, \$1.40, \$1.60, \$1.70 to \$1.90.
Brown \$2.35
Ladies' Black, \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.20 to \$1.40.
Brown \$1.70
White \$1.50



LADIES' SPATS.

Regular \$3.50 value, in GREY, FAWN, BROWN, BLACK or PEARL GREY and TAUPE, \$2.95.



MEN'S DRESS SHOES.

PUMPS \$6.50
LACED \$7.00
Oxford style.
Regular \$10.50 value.
Reduced to \$6.50 and \$7.00.
Soft turned sole, Kid lined.

LADIES' BOOT TOPS

(Genuine Kersey Cloth.)
only \$4.50.

LADIES' SPATS.

12 button, 10 inches high. Regular \$3.00 value; all shades, **only \$2.50.**



LADIES' HIGH BOOTS.

BLACK \$7.50
BROWN \$8.50
BROWN—Low Heel . . \$6.50
BROWN—Blucher . . \$7.50
BROWN—High Cut, extra \$8.50
BROWN—Cloth Top . . \$9.00
BLACK—Laced \$7.00
BLACK—Laced \$6.80
BLACK—Laced \$5.50



MEN'S GAITERS.

4 Buckle . . \$5.00
1 Strap . . \$5.00
High Cut . \$6.50
(4 Buckle.)
RELIABLE CANADIAN BRANDS.



MEN'S FOOT WARMERS.

1 Buckle, \$3.20.



BABY SHOES

INFANTS' BOOTS
Black Lace . . . \$1.00
Brown Lace . . . \$1.00
Black and White, Tan and White, Red and Black, Brown and Black, Combinations colors in Soft Kid Button, sizes 1 to 5,
Reduced to \$1.75.

Prophecies of Conditions in 1921.

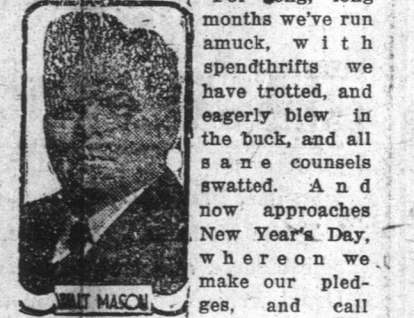
R. H. MacDonald, of Binghamton N.Y., son of Dr. Jeremiah MacDonald formerly well known for his predictions of weather, etc., makes the following predictions for the coming year:

The year 1921 will be ruled by Mercury, a doubtful planet in many ways. Whereas, storehouses are filled with manufactured articles that must be sold—it stands to reason price will gradually decrease. Capital and Labor will have many disputes—some are never satisfied. A person should not try to overdo. Live and let live. High prices are for good times—Low prices are for poor times. A majority of the people are earning and spending more than ever before. Prices are regulated according to the price of iron and pork. What iron and pork are high, wages and commodities will be high and vice versa.

The weather for 1921 will be somewhat disagreeable from a general viewpoint. January and February will be changeable. The spring will be inclined to be dry, cold and unseasonable. Plant accordingly. The summer will be wet—which will benefit those living in locations with very little rainfall. In some localities, hay and grain will rot unless given proper attention. The fall will be wet with early frosts. Be prepared for such weather and gather crops carefully. The winter will be one of plenty of snow and ice which is good for the soil.

Fruit will vary—in certain localities some kinds will be abundant, in others somewhat of a failure unless given special attention. Grapes will be doubtful—it will be an off year—which will give the vines a rest. Nature knows best. Mice will be very numerous. Better feed a cat than mice. Worms scarce, consequently, fish will be scarce and poor in quality. Disease of all kinds will cure, but slowly. Contagious diseases will occur, but not alarmingly. An epidemic will prevail in cattle, sheep and hogs, but will be soon overcome by government service and restrictions. Furthermore, 1921 will be known as the Chemical Year in history. Many chemical discoveries will be made, hence chemists and doctors will be popular. Newspapers and magazines will be read and referred to by all classes of people more than ever before—every day, something new and useful will be heard of.

ANOTHER VOW.



For long, long months we've run amuck, with it's spendthrifts we have trotted, and eagerly blew in the buck, and all a sane counsels swatted. And now approaches New Year's Day, where on we make our pledges, and call down murrains (what are they?) on anyone who hedges. Until the Christmas season drifts, amuck we'll still be running, for we must blow ourselves for gifts, for doodads cute and cunning. But when the New Year's Day arrives, this folly let's be ending, let's renovate our wasted lives, and cut out foolish spending. It's time we were in training now, for future self-denial, for training up a solemn vow that we'll give thrift a trial. The old year, shaken, bent and white goes out by day stages; the New Year's coming—start it right, and pickle half your wages! The vows we made in other years would do for idle trippers; we swore we'd cut out cards and beers and cigarettes and whiskers. But we are facing sterner times; retrenchment is the motto; the watchword now is "Salt the dimes," and you'll agree we ought to. The old year, in its going, tells a tale of money-burning; the New Year's coming, wearing bells—then new leaves let's be turning!

Origins of Signs.

There may not seem to be any relation between the "Bag o' Nails" and "Bacchanals," but there is! This is how it came about: An inn-keeper put the sign of the "Bacchanals" over his door, but his customers, not understanding it, pronounced it "Bag o' Nails." "The Goat and Compasses" was once the "God Encompasseth." Another of a similar nature is the "Pig and Whistle." It is very old, being derived from the Anglo-Saxon phrase Figa Wassail, or "Hall, Virgin!" The "Lamb and Flag" is also religious in origin, but it retains its form unaltered. The "Swan With Two Necks" ought to be the "Swan With Two Nicks," for its beak was marked with two cuts, or nicks, to show who owned it. "Bull and Mouth" is the "Boniogio Mouth," from a sea fight which occurred outside the mouth of the harbor. So is the "Cat and Fiddle." It should be the "Canton fiddle," or "faithful Canton," a governor of Calais. Others are distinctly humorous. The "Good Woman" has no head to know her by. A woman trying to wash a black boy white is the sign over the legend, "Labor in Vain."

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TRINITY.

With the passing of some article of domestic or personal use, there also passes other things that, were associated with it—either in its manufacture, or in its preservation. A score of such things come to my mind; things that at one time were actual necessities in individual life, and since, a perpetual source of pleasure to others in the making. What, I think, was more necessary in every well equipped house a hundred years ago, or less, than a specially constructed box for mother or grandmother to keep her caps in—those dainty caps with frills and strings immaculate white; those black caps, trimmed with lace and purple ribbon, etc. The making of those caps was a labor of love and skill, in the part of husband or son, and they were valued accordingly, by those for whom they were made.

Then, gradually there came a change. The caps ceased to be worn; as a consequence, the making of them in which the caps were kept was no longer necessary. Whilst probably the caps, though to memory dear, are lost to sight, it is not together so with the cap-boxes, they may still be found in several of the homes in Trinity. For exclusive use, guaranteed to keep out dust and moths, those boxes were made of thin wood, bent to an oval shape, and the top carefully glued and sewn with a waxed thread, and with a light, close-fitting cover made the same way. Now that the caps are gone, those boxes are found useful for the keeping of other dainty things in. I have one in my possession that was made a hundred years ago, and in my home days it was used for storing of little articles of feminine attire. There is another in the story at Trinity that is found useful for a like purpose. On the inside of the cover it is elaborately painted and illuminated, the words:

SARAH SAVERY, TRINITY HARBOUR, JULY 26th, 1795.

Sarah Savery was old Mrs. Hill's mother, and Bishop White's great grandmother. No doubt there are others in Trinity elsewhere; and shall be glad if any one who has such a thing or any other interesting relic of ye olden times, will write me about it, with particulars, and permission to write it up. People are

always interested in such things, and glad to read about them.

I always feel sorry for strangers who come to Trinity by the night train, and find the Garland Hotel filled, which is its normal condition. Since Mrs. White has closed her Hotel, on one has guaranteed to take her place, and she is missed. There are some private families who occasionally take in people for the night; but it is not generally known just who those families are. Visitors can always get a meal at the Erickson Tea Rooms (if not too late at night), and if those who are prepared to provide lodgings, would let it be known, either in the public press, or in some other way, I am sure that any of the Tea-Room staff would call attention to it, or give the necessary information.

Other places are better off than Trinity in the number of hotels. In past years I have heard strangers complain of the limited hotel accommodation at Catalina. This has been changed, by the opening up of another hotel there by Mrs. Randall. This hotel is highly spoken of by those who have been her guests; and an advertisement in the local press, plus the passing along the word to others, by those who have been there, will serve the double purpose, of kindness to the travelling stranger, and of practical help to a widow who is thus trying to make a living by hotel keeping. Mrs. Randall was Miss DeGrieh, of Trinity, and has our best wishes for her success.

The interior of the Bank has been greatly improved by hardwood wall-covering, floor linoleum, painting, etc.

One has only to go through Capt. Barbour's stores and premises to realize how many things of more than ordinary value, are necessary to the prosecution of the Labrador fishery by schooner. His schooner was engaged in the coasting trade this year, and is now laid up for the winter. The captain is making good use of his gasoline engine just now, by running a circular saw, and preparing small timber for fencing, and a dozen other domestic requirements.

The short days and the long dark evenings, have started some of our leading men to discuss the harnessing of our water power, in order to light the district by electricity. It is a subject worthy of our best attention, and if a company could be formed, capable of taking it, practically through its initial stages—the rest would be easy.

I went to an auction last week, not

as a bidder or a purchaser, but as an onlooker, and a student of human nature. As the looker-on sees the most of the game, so he sees the most of the funny things at an auction. There was no scarcity of money, and those who were observers and kept calm, got the best bargains. Women are poor bidders when there are so many men bidding. A woman will give her opinion, with a smile, and in a few expressive words, of a man who bids against her; but she will simply look very cross, and without a word, (andibly) at another woman who keeps on outbidding her. I saw women sitting there apparently unconcerned, till some pretty silk dresses and skirts were put up. Then suddenly every face lit up with a smile, and all were evidently, and deeply interested. Some expressions were retrospective, and one could see that the persons were thinking of how they would have enjoyed those things years ago. Some others, with no less appreciation of the goods, held themselves in restraint, and kept their money to buy things for the children; whilst others seized the opportunity, plunged into the game, bid fearlessly, and carried off the spoils.

When the men entered the broom department, for probably the first time in their lives, they became reckless; and unthinkingly paid ten cents more for the article, than it could have been bought for at any shop in town. No woman would have done that. It was interesting to hear men bidding rapidly from five to seventy-five cents for two storm rubbers each for the right foot, and with a knowledge of the fact; for the auctioneer had mentioned it, and he was honest personified in every detail of the sale. It was amusing, but nice to hear men bidding for articles of dress, that they even did not know the names of, for it indicated a loving interest in wife, or mother, or sister, or sweetheart, for whom a surprise was in store. There is always some one present who by his unselfish nature, and really funny remarks keeps every body in good humor. We owe a lot to such persons at all public gatherings of this kind.

Saturday next, December 26th, is appointed by the Church to be observed as The Nativity of our Lord, commonly called Christmas Day. The services in St. Paul's Church will be Holy Communion at 7.30 Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, 11; Evening Prayer (with Catechism), 6.30.

Mr. Granger has just made to order, a round table, formed a part of nearly every suite of household furniture. It was then usually made of mahogany, and had a prominent place in connection with the private games and entertainments of the family. It has largely disappeared; but it looks as though it is coming back again, though of necessity, in less valuable woods.

Renewal of subscriptions are being solicited for "The Diocesan Magazine and Dawn of Day" for 1921. Five cents a month is not a very great expenditure, for all that it contains of the deepest interest, to members of the Church of England. A family of any religious denomination, in which its denominational magazine is not taken, and read, are not very deeply interested in what the Church to which they belong is doing. Five Cents a Month!

I wish to call the attention of our Trinitarians at St. John's, and others who are interested in the Trinity items; that the contributions of next week (Christmas Eve) will be our Christmas Number. The Editor has kindly given me extra space, and I have tried to fill it with interesting matter, of things pertaining to Trinity.

I have always been deeply interested in things of the past, that had to do with the lives of the old people, especially when they were things that had to do with the better parts of their lives. As a result, I have in my possession to-day, two things in particular that, in a sense, are curiosities. Because of their sacred associations, however, they are more than curiosities; and I have carried them in my pocket for years. One is a metal communion "token" that was given to me by an old Gaelic Presbyterian friend in Canada. On one side of it are the words: "Knox's Church, Pictou, N.S.," and on the reverse, "The this in remembrance of Me." The other is a Jewish Messia, that was found on the deep post of a house in which a Hebrew family had lived. It contains, in a metal holder, a parchment on which are the words, in Hebrew: "The Lord thy God are one God, etc." the words that God instructed His ancient people to write upon the posts of their homes; (see Deuteronomy vi, 4-9) hence the name Messia, a post. Any Presbyterian communicant of fifty years ago will know just what I have in the metal token. And any Hebrew of the present day will recognize what I have referred to as a Messia. Should I be picked up dead some day, as an unknown stranger, I wonder who or what I shall be catalogued as, from the contents of my pockets.

Tray Town, Ireland's Eye, who died in the Hospital, at St. John's, came by express to Trinity last Saturday. It was placed in the Mortuary Chapel for the night, and then taken to Ireland's Eye for burial. He was a son of Mr. Beron Cooper, of Tray Town, and belonged to the Naval Reserve.

The Hon. D. A. Ryan is registered at the Garland Hotel.

Magistrate Somerton paid his monthly official visit to Catalina this week.

John Tait and Lizzie Ann Spurrell were married in St. Matthew's Church, Trinity, by Rev. C. M. Suckings, on Saturday, Dec. 11th.

Mr. S. Elliott, of Catalina, was in town last week. Mr. Elliott bought the schooner Portia that was wrecked at Raleigh last Saturday. He had her look over to Harbor Grace, and had her thoroughly repaired. She is now in Catalina ready to be placed in commission again. Mr. Elliott was here in friendly conference with the insurance Co., to make final and satisfactory arrangements.

I have in my possession a heavy copper cross that was one of the four crosses on the corner posts of old St. Paul's Church. They were put there when the church was built 100 years ago; and were one foot long, one inch thick, and weighed three pounds and a half. More than fifty years ago the posts became rotten at the top; one cross fell down, and the others were taken down, for safety. Although everybody of sixty years ago remembers them on the tower, no one seemed to know what became of them after they were removed. I was in Trinity when the old parsonage was being taken down; and when the ceiling of the upstairs rooms was being removed, by the men who had bought the building, three of those crosses were found inside the ceiling. It would be interesting to know what became of the fourth cross, and I shall be glad if anybody can give me any information respecting it. I feel sure that it is not lost; but that it is in safe keeping somewhere, and will turn up.

When, in my article of last week on the Grant-Palmer Motor Co., I credited them with the agency "for all kinds of engines sold at St. John's." I was under the impression that Mr. Gent's agency for the Aeadia engine was from Headquarters in Nova Scotia. I find that it is a local agency from St. John's, and that Mr. Gent is the sole agent for the Aeadia Engine in Trinity. I make this explanation entirely at my own suggestion, and in justice to all concerned.

Mr. and Mrs. John Green had been deeply anxious for the safety of their son Harvey Green. He was one of the crew of the tern schooner Emma Belliveau, overdue from Lisbon, which was reported as abandoned at sea, and the crew taken off in mid-Atlantic, and safely landed at Flores, Azores. We rejoice with those who do rejoice.

—W.J.L.
Trinity, Dec. 18th, 1920.

Beautifying the Prairie.

About fifteen years ago, a campaign of tree planting was commenced in Western Canada, and the face of the prairie has since been gradually transformed, by the introduction of millions of trees which have changed the bareness of the prairies. The end of another quarter of a century will doubtless find this work completed—every farm with its avenue of hardy trees giving welcome shade and protection. Naturally this planting has increased the value of the farms.

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But little more than six years ago, resplendent in polished mahogany, fine upholstery and rich silverware, equipped with wonderful machinery and smooth-running engines; supplied with all the devices that human ingenuity could provide, the Vaterland was the re-creation of shipbuilders' fondest dreams. To-day she lies at her dock, in Hoboken in charge of a few caretakers. Her engines are rusted, her stern-ware is tarnished and her sides are covered with barnacles; for this once matchless pride of the sea is fast becoming a huge mass of junk. As the world war brought changes into many human lives, so it brought strange vicissitudes to this great transatlantic liner. It was in May, 1914, amid the shouts and cheers of a great throng of people, that the Vaterland was launched in a German shipyard. A few weeks later, her cabins filled with more than four thousand enthusiastic passengers, she started westward on her maiden voyage across the water. But her life as a passenger steamer was short. In less than three months war broke out, and the Vaterland, with other German ships, was interned in New York harbor, where, in charge of her own sailors,

Household Notes.

Look over beans after they have soaked all night. You are less tired in the morning, and the beans will have swelled so that it will be easy to pick out the bad ones. Currant jelly sauce is delicious served with breaded lamb cutlets. 1 cupful of granulated sugar is filled with one-third cupful of water for five minutes. Add a glass of jelly and beat until smooth.

A Mere Trifle.

"Would you like a lift, sir?" a countryman asked civilly as he overtook a traveler on a country road. As they jogged along they chatted about all sorts of things. Presently the old countryman pulled out a big watch. "Can you tell me the time, please?" he asked. "Certainly. It is exactly three o'clock," replied the other, as he watched "the countryman adjusting his watch. Then he stopped him. "I said three o'clock, not twelve," he added. "Oh, that's all right, sir," said the countryman as he slipped his timepiece into his pocket. "It'll soon make that up. She is a wonderful goer."

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TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

TAIL TWISTING.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 17. A resolution, under which Congress would pledge itself to make an appropriation for the establishment and maintenance of diplomatic and consular service in Ireland, was introduced to-day by Representative Mason of Illinois. The measure commends as "savage warfare" British rule in Ireland, and states that the wholesale destruction of lives and property is conclusive evidence that Great Britain has lost control of the Government there.

LAKE CARRIER MISSING.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont. Dec. 17. Considerable anxiety is expressed by marine men here for the safety of the steamer Joseph Wood, which is long overdue. Wireless messages from the steamer Shoughnessy, Mayham, Glenlyon and Kenosa report them as hugging the north shore of Lake Superior, in Jackfish Bay, for shelter but no word has come of the Wood.

R. I. C. SYMPATHY.

CORK, Dec. 17. Notice of sympathy with citizens in the loss of Canon Manger, shot by an auxiliary cadet Wednesday, was posted here to-day by the Irish Constabulary.

WAR IN SOCIETY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17. Lady Auckland Geddes, wife of the British Ambassador, has retired as a patroness of the Washington Opera Company, because Mrs. Peter A. Drury, treasurer of the company, has been entertaining Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney at her home. A social war is threatened.

BOTH HOUSES AGREED.

LONDON, Dec. 17. The possibility of a conflict between the House of Lords and the House of Commons over the Irish Home Rule Bill has been averted. The amendments to the measure made by the Lower House were amicably discussed in the Upper Chamber to-day, and all were disposed of in a manner that will permit the measure becoming law to-morrow.

TOOK OFF CREW.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Dec. 17. The steamer Swazi, from Liverpool, which has on board the crew of the derelict schooner Genevieve, taken on board below Briar Island, arrived off Partridge to-night, and will dock in the morning. The schooner was abandoned and set on fire in the Bay of Fundy.

ANOTHER LITTLE WAR.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 17. General Budyonny's cavalry is concentrated in the Caucasus, and Allied circles here interpret this movement as portending an invasion of Northern Persia.

REFUSE TO NEGOTIATE.

SYDNEY, Dec. 18. Yesterday's communication from the Dominion Steel Corporation to railwaymen, in which they politely but firmly refused to enter into negotiations with "former" employees, has shattered all hope of an immediate settlement of the strike of railwaymen.

POSSIBLY OF GRAND FALLS.

MONTREAL, Dec. 18. At the nurses graduating exercises at the Western Hospital here, last night, Miss Dorothy Brain of Newfoundland, won the special prize for surgery work.

THE ARMENIAN QUESTION.

GENEVA, Dec. 17. The perpetual question of Armenia came up again before the Assembly of the League of Nations this afternoon in the form of a proposition by the Rumanian Government to participate in international military intervention. Taki Jonescu, head of the Rumanian delegation, said he had authority from his Government to propose that a force of from forty to eighty thousand men be organized by the powers to intervene in Armenia, and that the Rumanian Government would furnish its quota. The Assembly decided to refer the affair to the Assembly Committee, which is considering the Armenian question. The Japanese delegation made a statement this afternoon that it would not press the racial equality question, with reference to mandated territories, in order to permit acceptance of a mandate as presented by the Powers to the League Council.

WORLD WIDE.

VICTORIA, Dec. 18. Lumbering, the main industry of Vancouver Island, has been hard hit by business depression, especially the lack of orders from the East. With many logging camps and plants closed, and fishing and whaling concluded, with factory and shipbuilding limited to construction of three schooners, and two steel vessels, the unemployment problem is serious.

TO STOP TRAPPING.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 18. An admonition to stop trapping, in an effort to check rapidly declining prices of raw pelts, was sent to trappers throughout the world yesterday.

by the International Fur Exchange. The new catch will break the back of the fur trade, asserts the circular. Raw furs have declined an average of fifty percent in the last year, according to the Vice President of the Exchange, Albert Mahern.

NEW YORK POLICE BUSY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17. Spurred to that action by a carnival of crime in this city within the last twenty-four hours, police to-day arrested two men and women in connection with the killing of police Lieutenant Floyd Horton, in a running fight with automobile bandits last night. The arrests followed a discovery in the Bronx of a bullet riddled automobile, in which bandits are believed to have fled, after holding up an elevator man, and on the running board of which Horton met his death in a gun revolver duel while trying to arrest the gang.

A GLOOMY CHRISTMAS.

LONDON, Dec. 17. Many thousands of homes in Great Britain, owing to unemployment, are faced with the gloomiest outlook for many Christmases past. The Bishop of London has issued a special appeal on behalf of the poorer clergy, citing many instances where they are already destitute of bare necessities.

NEWS SUMMARY.

(British Wireless Service.)

Dec. 18th, 1920.

The British policy in Mesopotamia and Persia was expounded by the Prime Minister in the House of Commons last night, during a debate on the supplementary estimates of forty million pounds for the army. There was, he said, no doubt that recent occurrences in Greece would have considerable effect on the situation in that part of the world. He would not predict what the policy of the Allies would be. He added, "the powers are right in waiting developments before they finally decide on what policy they will adopt in that quarter. Britain, with other countries, has to make up its mind whether it is satisfied to restore the guardianship of the Straits to Turkey. If it is, it is inviting the same treachery that proved so perilous to the Allies and so very nearly proved disastrous to them." After a great deal of hesitation and reluctance, he proceeded, the Government came definitely to the conclusion that it was inadvisable to leave Constantinople under the sovereignty of the Turks while internationalising the Straits, which would come under the guardianship of Britain, France and Italy. Referring to the Persian position, he said that it was a part of the Government's definite policy to clear out of that country, but to have done it soon would have meant leaving Persia completely to anarchy. The Turkish advance there was completely arrested, and it prevented what might have developed into a most menacing move against the British Empire. Referring to the Anglo-Persian agreement he remarked that if it was not ratified it naturally fell to the ground, but the responsibility would be with Persia. Britain has accepted a mandate for Mesopotamia and having accepted it they must discharge their obligations in a way worthy of the interests and prestige of Britain in the East. In Palestine, said the Premier, reductions were being made. He hoped that when a settlement was made in that quarter, it would be made in such way whether in Palestine, Mesopotamia or Syria that it would be felt that European mandatories want to see right and justice done. Even at considerable expense they were right to break the back of the Arab rebellion. The Government claimed that they have done that, and now invited the House of Commons to give their assent to the expense incurred. Their policy was to proceed with the redemption of the pledges they had given to the Arabs, and to set up an Arab state and to retire from Persia, so that we could discharge the mandates cast on us by Treaty.

An interesting feature of the debate was the maiden speech by General Townshend, defender of Kut, who was recently elected a member of the Commons. He warmly supported the Government. The House, by a large majority, passed the estimates.

IRISH LABOR PARTY HAVE ISSUED.

A manifesto advising workers to offer to carry everything that Irish military authorities are willing to risk on a strike of railwaymen. A definite decision will be taken at a general meeting of four thousand men affected by the disorganisation of railways, and negotiations for reinstatement of these districts, for requesting to convey armed troops and munitions are proceeding, between the national union of railway men and the ministry of transport.

SIR JAMES CRAIG, FINANCIAL SECRETARY TO THE ADMIRALTY, GAVE TO-DAY IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS THE FOLLOWING

figures of destroyers and submarines in course of construction by naval powers. Destroyers, Great Britain, six; United States, sixty three; Japan, eight; France, six; Italy two.

HARMSWORTH, UNDER SECRETARY FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, REPLYING TO QUESTIONS IN PARLIAMENT ON GERMAN REPARATIONS IN ANIMALS AND POULTRY, STATES THAT AN AGREEMENT SATISFACTORY TO ALL PARTIES HAS BEEN REACHED ON THE SUBJECT. THE AGREEMENT PROVIDES FOR THE DELIVERY TO ALLIES OF ONE MILLION, SEVEN HUNDRED AND FORTY THOUSAND POULTRY IN THREE TO FOUR YEARS; THIRTY FIVE THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY FIVE GOATS IN THREE YEARS; FIFTEEN THOUSAND, TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY SWINE IN ONE TO THREE YEARS. THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT

have in addition undertaken to deliver to the Allies during the next six months, thirty thousand horses, one hundred and twenty five thousand sheep and ninety thousand cattle, thirty thousand being milk cows and heifers in calf. Decision regarding delivery of horses, sheep and cattle after the expiration of this six months, will, it is hoped, be reached shortly. It is not the case that only the best of the German cattle have been taken. Treaty of Versailles provides that animals to be delivered shall be of average health. The value of all animals delivered by Germany, except as

purely identified as having been removed by Germans from invaded territory, is credited to Germany in the reparations court.

The latest ladies in Bangle 1, 2, 3 ring effect; also Extensive Bracelets, plain, engraved at gem set, at LANGMEAD Jewellery Store.—dec11,15,17,18

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McKinley and family desire to express their sincere thanks to the managers, choir and Young Ladies' Guild of St. Andrew's Church, Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Society, the Telephone staff and cooperatives and all kind friends who sent wreaths, telegrams and letters of condolence in the time of their bereavement.—adv.

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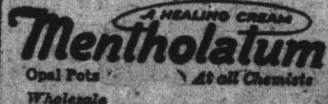
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Local Industries.

It is encouraging to find that our articles the past two weeks meet with general public approval, and all thinking people seem to realize the possible benefits of our Campaign in favor of buying home-made goods; thereby helping our own people and keeping the money in the country to be circulated amongst the shopkeepers and tradesmen generally.

It is also gratifying to find that the daily papers are backing up our work and endorsing the opinions that we have been publishing on this subject. The important point now, is to keep up the fight and not relax. In the past, efforts in this direction have been well begun, but have been for the most part desultory and spasmodic. The enthusiasm so well inculcated had good results while the publicity was on, but when the papers gradually dropped the propaganda, the public soon forgot and relapsed back again into indifference to the great necessity of buying home-made goods whenever procurable.

When the exhibition of 'local-made' articles was held here a few years ago, excellent results followed for a year or so, and the home-made products had such a run that the manufacturers began to believe the change was lasting and had come to stay. This, however, was not the case, and the fault is to be laid at the door of the manufacturers themselves.

The publishing of a newspaper is a business proposition, just the same as the making of boots, shoes, clothing, or any other commodity. The difference being the commodity that the newspaper has to sell, is space in its columns, and it is the revenue derived from selling this space that furnishes the necessary income to keep the paper running. Considerable space has been devoted here the past few weeks to advertise the home-made product. This was done in the interests of the vast majority of industrial workers who derive their living from the local factories; but it is as reasonable to expect papers to continue their free advertising, as it would be to expect the Boot and Shoe Factory, or the Clothing Factory, or any of the factories to give away their articles free of charge.

After all is said and done, the shareholders in the local industries are the ultimate gainers in the long run. Increased sales mean to them increased dividends, and, whilst the papers are perfectly willing to run a campaign for the benefit of the employees and the public at large, we think that the manufacturers should be prepared to bear their share of the expenses and should back up the efforts already made by a continuance of the campaign in the Newfoundland papers.—Trade Review.

Harbor Grace Notes.

Mr. J. J. Winter of Briggs is in town to-day on his usual monthly visit for the United Towns' Electrical Co.

Mr. Joseph Pumphrey has been confined to his home for some time past, being very ill. His many friends will be sorry to hear this, and will join in wishing him a speedy get back to health again.

Mr. R. F. W. Strong of the Newfoundland Cooperage Corporation Ltd., Benton, arrived in town by Wednesday night's train.

Father Casey of North River, son of John Casey, Esq., of this town, was a visitor during the week.

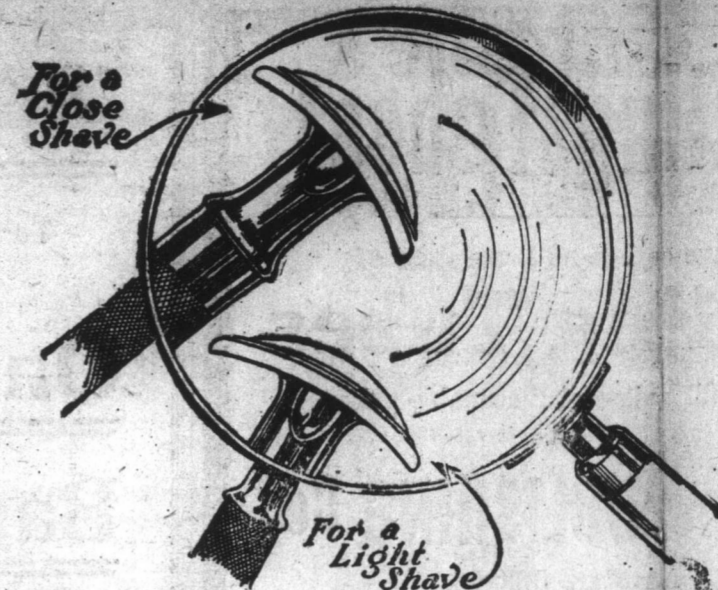
Christmas time being so very near, the various shops in town are very nicely decorated to suit the occasion. Santa Claus in the window of Strapp's Pharmacy, bidding the season's greetings to the passers-by, is quite an attraction, especially to the young folk, who are expecting a visit from him shortly. Business here has been a little brighter for the past few days, and we are hoping it will continue so. At one store prices on goods have dropped considerably.—COR.
Dec. 17th, 1920.

STAR OF THE SEA ASSOCIATION.—A Special Meeting of the Star of the Sea Association will be held Sunday, at 2.30 p.m. Business, in connection with the Golden Jubilee of the Association will be discussed. All members are requested to be present. By order, WM. F. GRAHAM, Sec'y.
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Another Factory Closes Down.

The Newfoundland Knitting Mills closed down yesterday for an indefinite period, formal notice and an extra week's pay having been given to all the hands. A goodly number of the 80 employees of the Mill are married men and they are very hard hit by being put out of work at this season of the year. The reason for closing is that there is already a larger amount of manufactured goods on hand than can readily be disposed of.

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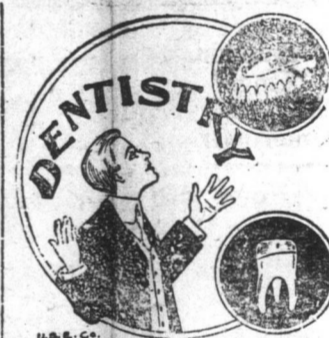
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