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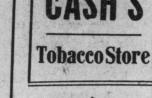
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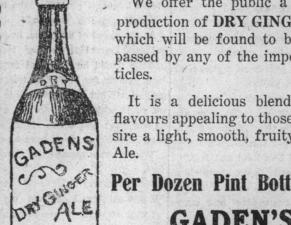
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without a word!"

beauty and kindness.

"It was nothing," he muttered con-

fusedly, almost overcome by her

At the sound of his name, he turned

standing, shrank back from him.

would not do to serve you."

Olive looked at him gently.

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CHAPTER X.

With a deep how to Olive, who was gazing at him in unconscious admiration, and raising his hat to the gentlemen, he walked away.

"What a fine young fellow!" ,exclaimed Lord Cravenden, as he watched the graceful athletic figure. "As modest as he's brave," said Mr. Normanby, watching Olive's face we're running short, Griley." keenly as he spoke.

"Glad to get off scot-free, I expect!" put in the harsh voice of John Verner, who had just joined the group.

her arm within his, as he walked to- then we'll hold him hard and fast."

still with a hard smile on his face, listening with eager ears and avarure of their plans calmly. This was the doorway and surveyed the angry In all these years, in which he had

"Hot words again, eh?" he croaked. love him passionately, and the very Verner, as he strode up and down the kith or kin to him filled him with dis-

"Well, well, Mr. Verner, sir-we're not done yet; and if we blunder to- to look upon him as his son; and, alday, well, we plunder to-morrow-eh. Mr. Morgan?" said old Griley, with a chuckle.

fault. A pretty penny we shall have lord of the Grange. He had put it off of prison. He'll get at least three

outwitted by a woman."

"A woman!" echoed Mr. Verner. The steward nodded

snarled the squire.

"You'll make a pretty hash of things between you," growled Morgan, ris-THE PARTING OF THE WAYS. With a contemptuous laugh, he left

> "Uncivil rascal!" said his father. "He's young yet," replied Griley. 'Wait till I've made him master of Bingleigh Hall."

John Verner sighed.

A long siege requires ammunition The old man pulled out a packet of

papers from his pocket. "Never fear, squire," he chuckled

'we'll putt it off vet. See, here ar Olive looked up indignantly; and the shares of the Great Eastern Bank Sir Edwin, with a slight frown, drew ing Company-get him to speculate-Then, in a lower voice, he unfolded

When it had driven away, Verner, his schemes, the master of the Grange

son alone at the Grange took the fail- find Wynter waiting to help him old Griley, who crawled into the lib- had been obliged to keep out of sight. rary, where the father and his son for he had no wish to be seen and He was torn with conflicting doubts

lived with Reuben, he had grown to "Yes, and need for them," said Mr. idea of telling the boy that he was no om; "a nice day's blunder we've may. Since the accident which had ne. I will train the horses—accept noted that, whenever Reuben came up ome must be outside the Hall: I ory of the past, old Wynter had grow ould not leave my grandfather. He has given up his life to me: I cannot though he had taught him all the knowledge he himself possessed-"Oh, don't croak at me," returned impart some fresh store to the boy's

"You are right," she said gently. ell my father you will come when-" from year to year, till at last this en-"To serve you to the death." he recounter with Morgan and his father warned him that he must come to

out her small white hand. He took t, almost reverently—then, moved by the same spirit, raised it to his lips. the fire, he hade Reuben rest, while "Good-by," he said, in a low tone, and stood with cap in hand as she simple herbs with which to treat the

Reuben sank down gratefully Hardly had they disappeared when, a word when Morgan forbade it. enough: if the truth be told, glad of

vith a rustling of the bushes, Wynter prang forward.

"Reu-my boy, my dear boy!" he

"Why, Gran," exclaimed Reuben lmost vexedly, "you heard-" an't be a servant to anybody."

"I don't know," the younger man A Good All Round aid dreamily. "I think I'd rather be With an oath, Wynter fell back, his skin and reach the pain. That is

hen, lad? You wouldn't desert your poor old Gran, I suppose?"

For sale everywhere. "I don't think I deserve that doubt do you?" said Reuben reproachfully.

he continued, after a slight pause, He lay there lost in thought, till

roused by a light step. He looked up "To London?" echoed Reuben, in hastily. The intruder was Topsy, the dismay,

"Yes," said Wynter, stolidly, "tonight. I ought never to have come to Armstrong, Miss H., card,

"Have we been here before, then?" "Yes-but not in your time, lad," as she looked at him, her eyes fell on

"Well, I'll come with you, then, of "You were hurt!" she cried; then, course," said Reuben.

'sit down. Let me bandage that properly," she added. She undid the come. Your place is here till I re-Topsy did so without a qualm and They nearly got you; next time they Bowring, G. A. ruthlessly pulled away the starched nay succeed. Be careful, lad, be embroidery. Olive, apparently for- careful," he went on earnestly. "I getful of all save a passionate pity, will come back as soon as possible. took the linen and bound up the Now once more, good-by."

"You bore all this," she breathed, caress in itself, Wynter disappeared looking up at him with a glance into the shadow of the grand old trees which seemed to pierce his heart, "and and once more Reuben was alone.

CHAPTER XI

AN AVOWAL OF LOVE. FARMER STYLES was a man of

chidingly, "to go through so much to ones; but when once his somewhat please a woman's whim. Who taught | lull comprehension had taken in rooted as any tree in Deane Hollow. pale and trembled; another moment, His life went on from day to day, and he would have poured forth his from year to year-with the regularmad passion for her. The temptation ty of clockwork-one year like anan effort which was only too evident changed but his beloved daughter in his face; and Olive, half under-

To his mind Polly was the prettiest With a quick gesture, he rose to his girl in the county, not even excepting Miss Olive herself, for whom h "Miss Seymour," he said steadily, "it was nothing; I only did my duty as your servant. There is nothing I his Polly was always a baby, or at "Well, Reuben," she said, "will you a long time to make the worthy man e my servant-really, I mean? My realize that his little girl was a woyou a home at the Hall. You love sciously and quite innocently opened ander your charge-you are to take and handsome, and clever enough in care of them, and train them-and the way of training colts, but he was Dewling, Miss J., Water St. no fit match for his Polly; so while Reuben's face glowed at the words, Reuben was teaching Miss Seymour and she saw that he trembled; but he to ride, and John Verner was plotting Dingwell, Mrs. Thos., card o gain possession of Bingleigh Hall, "Such happiness is not for me. You Farmer Styles was on the lookout for Diamond, Mrs. and Mr. John Diamond, Miss Jessie, Bond Street and Sir Edwin are both too good to an eligible sweetheart for Polly. He Doyle, Miss Alice, Carter's Hill your service, Miss Seymour-but my to the farm, Polly was sure to have It shall be as you wish-and I may master, Sir Edwin Seymour, he was when, carried away by Reuben's behavior at the trial, he paid his fine

> ty Pelly was too deeply in love to say (To be continued.)

an equal quantity of mashed potatoes, Gespella, Wm nade into a loaf and perforated so Greening, Miss Minnie that pieces of bacon can be rolled and Gardiner, Robert, R.N.R. put in the holes, then placed in a pan Gardiner, Miss A., card, Pennywell Rd Noel, Alex. B., Franklin Avenue and baked to a nice brown, is one dean. "I'm proud of you, Reu-you licious way of serving left-over-meat.

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## the silence. Ever and anon, he turned his eyes on the lights of Bingleigh to have said that," said Wynter red his eyes on the lights of Bingleigh to have said that," said Wynter removed of which were morsefully "I'm soing to London." List of Letters Remaining in G. P. D., to Dec. 10, 1917

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Furey, Clara, King's Bridge Road Guinye, Michael (P. card), Pleasant S Goobie, Herbert, care G. P. O.

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> LONDON, N NO CHRISTMAS

Christmas present to be even more ardu this season, and one will be no longer knows that worried s thing which member do not possess, and reable solution if they give them a pipe, ciga gars. I have not heard pipe shortage, but the the only recourse this bacco Control Board is Christmas tendency, a an early injunction a ing to customers of to of their usual purcha who likes to give her will find it hard to n chases, and firms wh customed to distribute of cigars among their have to try somethi something will not be there will be no big available.

PIANO SHUF Owing to the rec

wealth strange things in the piano world. I munition and other wa to be found pianos w were none. Long-time pianos, on the other har of them, made over the hospitals and canteens. time, the great demand accompanied by a shortness of supply. firm of piano makers sta as they used to turn or a week, they now prod even this number was that the oldest workers connection usually the Wood for cases, they gone up 600 per cent were thankful to secur es, fretworked and gree that we knew in our drawing rooms. The could be sold over an Since pianos are not among the first imports is over, the British mal safely upon a long peri ity, during which he w further develop the qua strument. In the gene money those who have not necessarily sell while those who have safely counted upon to opportunity this embler ity and-with the vario ers-of entertainment

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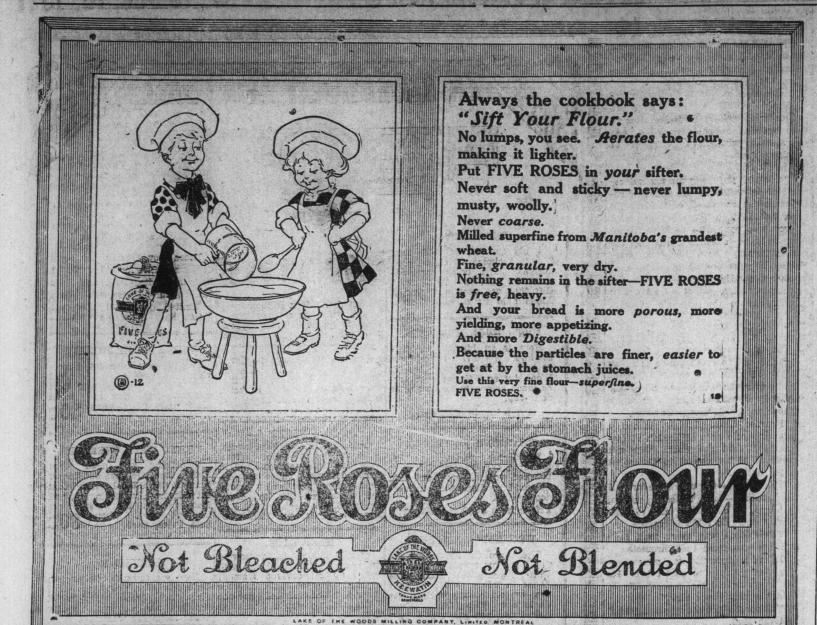
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### LONDON GOSSIP.

LONDON, Nov. 19th, 1917.

gars. I have not heard of any serious the war and to prepare for it. pipe shortage, but the pipe will be the only recourse this year. The Tobacco Control Board is aware of the Christmas tendency, and has issued customed to distribute consignments of cigars among their employees will have to try something else. That something will not be whiskey, for there will be no big supply of spirit available.

#### PIANO SHUFFLE.

Owing to the redistribution of wealth strange things are happening in the piano world. In the homes of munition and other war workers are to be found pianos where formerly were none. Long-time possessors of pianos, on the other hand, have, many of them, made over their pianos to hospitals and canteens. At the same time, the great demand for pianos is accompanied by a corresponding shortness of supply. A well-known firm of piano makers state that whereas they used to turn out sixty pianos a week, they now produce ten, and even this number was due to the fact that the oldest workers were in this connection usually the most valuable. Wood for cases, they declared, had gone up 600 per cent, and makers were thankful to secure the old cases, fretworked and green-silk fronted, that we knew in our grand-mothers' drawing rooms. The cheaper pianos could be sold over and over again. Since pianos are not likely to be among the first imports when the war is over, the British maker may count safely upon a long period of prosperity, during which he will no doubt further develop the qualities of his instrument. In the general reshuffle of money those who have less money do not necessarily sell their pianos, while those who have more may be safely counted upon to buy at the first! opportunity this emblem of prosperity and-with the various piano players-of entertainment and pleasure.

GIRL CLERKS URGED TO EMI-

GRATE. Now the Government offices are full of young girls under 16 doing the work of messenger boys, the State is one of the principal employers of "half-timers" in the country. These girls spend about one-third of their working hours in school instruction. The Government is anxious not to fill

present buying is going Instead, they are being educated with People promptly ascribed the little air raid buglers got a special cheer. to be even more arduous than usual a view to their possible emigration mishaps which overtook the "lady" to Military units were fully representagive them a pipe, cigarettes, or ci- charges to consider emigration after

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posite the Guildhall the powerful trac- prowess. tor hauling one of the big German ment and the new Lord Mayor of Lon- placing the tackle of the gun, a how-

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* brought a true sense of war pageantry to their task, so that the varied gings. Hoes, rakes, milking pails and naval and military elements convey- stools were carried by those who smiling faces are once again making ed to the sightseers a vivid idea of walked, and the pastoral touch was Water Street seem more Christmassy how the Empire is putting its weight completed with the appearance of a as they invite passers by to into the great struggle. Merriness wagonload of hay carrying a number and enthusiasm greeted the two of red-cheeked damsels equipped with their heads with any desire to join tanks-"male and female" according haymaking implements. Munitionthe shorthand-typists who will over- to the official programme—which were ettes busy at the bench were equal years, and desires to thank all give crowd the labor market after the war. undoubtedly the feature of the day. favorites with the crowd. "All clear" this season, and one great stand-by overseas, as wemen generally useful feminine perverseness. First of all tive of the home and colonial ser- thus cheer on the voluntary workers, will be no longer available. One and clever with their hands. They she was behind time, then wobbly at vices and a brave show they made who gave their time and labours for knows that worried search for some- say, indeed, that the War Office and the start, and on entering Gresham with their various auxiliaries. Na- the cause of the Poor. thing which members of the family other Government "Welfare Superin- Street she made straight for the en- tional pride was stirred when the Further contributions: women clerks, are all urging their tering the spectators. Some coaxing moved past, and again when the vari- George Knowling, Esq. . . . . . 10 00 brought her round, and thereafter she ed display of British ammunition decorously followed her partner. Op- came, along, testifying to civilian J. W. Withers, Esq.

THE EVENING TELEGRAM, ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, DECEMBER 21, 1917-3

Chas. A. Hanson, member of Parlia- guns took the corner too fine, dis- EX-PREMIER AND TAXI-LADY. R. W. F. (431) ... an early injunction against the sell-don, proceeded in State to the Law itzer, which had to be relegated to a Asquith arrived at St. Martin-in-theing to customers of tobacco in excess Courts on Friday where he was preside street near by. In more ways Field, Trafalgar Square, London, to of their usual purchases. The wife sented to His Majesty's Judges. The than one it was the ladies' day. Lady attend the service in memory of Lord Chas. Hutton, Esq. . . will find it hard to make her purwas witnessed by enormous crowds, Department looked pink and charmferin's heir, who went into the Army
H. C. Donnelly, Esq. . . . when he had passed military age), they had not come in their own car, but in a taxi driven by a woman. They Mrs. Jas. McNairn .. ... 1 00 were apparently satisfied with their chauffeuse, for the ex-Premier asked her to wait and take them away after the service. The taxi lady is still an unfamiliar figure in London streets. very few having received their licenses, but no doubt Sir Auckland Geddes will see to it that before long a larger number get to work and so release the men.

> WIRELESS MONOPOLY AT SEA. For a long time shipowners have been dissatisfied about the monopoly exercised by the Marconi Company, to attend the closing exercises of At present all British sea-going ves- Bishop Spencer College at the Casino sels of 3,000 tons and upwards have last night that scores were not able to be equipped with a wireless instal- to gain admission. Among those preslation and from this week this must ent were His Excellency the Governor also be fitted on ships between that and Miss Harris, who were accomtonnage and 1,600 tons gross, and in panied by Lt. Col. Knox-Niven, Priaddition each of the vessels has to vate Secretary and Capt. J. H. Campcarry two operators. As it happens there is no other concern in the Unit- Rev. Canon Bolt, Revs. Brinton, Mouled Kingdom but the Marconi Company that can make the necessary the period. It is generally recognized Doris Mews.

marine community has carried out its war duties more faithfully than the 'sparks," as the operators are comnonly known. Yet they have not received any advance in pay. They start at £5 a month, and at the end of six years' service the operator in charge gets £9 a month. In the circumstances it is not surprising to earn that there is an agitation for an icrease. The operators are organising to take definite action in the matter. It is understood that the Marconi Company recently issued fresh conditions of service, which have, however, been withdrawn for further consideration. FUR COLLARS FOR MEN.

The Continental habit of the fur collar is rapidly spreading among men. Nor is it the "City gent" or the foreign pianist who have encouraged the fashion. Those of our officers and anything that has any pretence of toning with khaki serves the purpose. Among certain members of the Royal possum of a mousy shade. This is partly because possum is so very warm, but there is also a large degree of fashion in it. A major-just ordinary major, if majors are ever ordinary-prefers beaver, while one colonial was actually bold enough to vear jet black astrakhan.

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"Keep the Pot Boiling." Colonel Otway states the first day proceeds are quite up to previous ers for their kind response. Several friends have written say-

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#### Spencer College.

CLOSING EXERCISES. So great was the number of people bell, A. D. C., Rev. Canon White, ton, Clayton and others of the clergy.

The programme opened with Swedprovision, and the chief complaint is ish and club drill which was performthat a contract for ten years and not ed in a faultless manner. Trixie for the duration of the war is insisted Noseworthy followed with the recitaupon. Shipowners have to supply tion: "Newfoundland." The operetta, part of the apparatus and pay £130 a "A Rose Dream," was ably presented year for its use, whilst the cost of by a large number of the pupils. The each operator is £120 per annum in leading characters' were taken by addition to food. If the ship is de- Audrey Chafe, Sybil Chalker, Helen stroyed before the agreement expires Rogerson, Jean Cowan, Reynottie it is stipulated that the owners must Mews, Beth. White, Gladys Brookes, pay £30 a year for the remainder of Phyllis Snow, Geraldine Nicholle and

The performers one and all acquitted themselves admirably and to the delight of the audience, who were not slow in showing appreciation of their efforts by hearty applause. Mr. W. H. Stirling, who acted as instructor, is to be congratulated on the success of the affair.

Following the operetta the report of Miss Stirling, the Principal of the College, was read by Mr. B. E. S. Dun-

Miss Harris graciously presented the prizes to the winners and warmly congratulated them on their success. Rev. Canon White, Bishop-Elect, proposed a vote of thanks to Miss Harris, which was seconded by Mr. J. W. Withers and accorded by acclamation.

By the late English steamer we have received a lot of Furs which our customers have been awaiting for some time, and which we advised we would announce when opened. These comprise:

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in the very latest and most taking styles. Our window display will show you some of the styles, but we have others. We now have also

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### Nfld. Scotch

ring fisheries in Newfoundland waters has been little trading on the spot failed to give more than an outline of the prospects of the pack of Scotch ing entirely cleaned up on their cured herring for this season, but it is stocks.—N. Y. Fishing Gazette, Dec. 1. left, where, however, about 100 prispaid at packing centers by merchants both in New York and elsewhere. Dur- GAME.—A gentleman in the city well ing the present week offerings at \$16 known in Regatta circles, who since were made from the West coast and the war has taken a deep interest in it is understood that several New York the oarsmen who have gone forth to operators have accepted them, sub- fight the Empire's battles, informs the jectt to pack at this figure. The first Telegram that over forty of those who shipments of Fall caught Newfound- contested in the races on Quidi Vidi land Scotch-cured herring will pro- on August 4th, 1914 have made the bably arrive in the New York market a supreme sacrifice. week from next Friday on the steamer Florizel. Several New York houses TRAIN MOVEMENTS.—Yesterday's are expecting goods on this steamer, outgoing express left Quarry at 8.15 and it is estimated that the shipment a.m. to-day; the incoming express will be something in the neighbour- left Port aux Basques on time this

dication to the opening prices of this new packed herring in New York, but Cured Herring. in view of the prices now ruling in Newfoundland it would seem that the market must be above \$22 per barrel, perhaps as high as \$25 and \$26. There since last reports, most operators be-

OARSMEN HAVE PLAYED THE

hod of 2,000 barrels. There is no in- morning

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### To-Day's Messages.

200 A.M.

TRANSFER OF INTERESTS IN BIG

NEW YORK, To-day. The International Mercantile Marine interests in the Dutch Company.

RUSSIANS IN FRANCE ASK TO JOIN AMERICANS.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMIES N FRANCE, Dec. 20. (By the Associated press) .- The officers of the the Russo-German peace negotiations. The ranking Russian officer who true authentic note of British statesservice has given a guarantee to vouch of the nation." are included in the request from most grateful—is an appeal to reason, suggestions that it might be possible denial," declared the Telegraph. to form for the Russians an organization similar to the French Legion liant," summarized the Chronicle, of Lafayette Flying Squadron. There al effect in the country.

AIR RAID DOES LITTLE DAMAGE.

Last night's air raid made less of an mpression upon London't morale than any of its predecessors, and the casualties were small in view of the fact rom shops and offices. The material Premier keeps the things that really lamage was slighter, too, than some matter before the people." ess pretentious attempts of the Germans. As a rule the raiders' bombs fell in places where little damage prove of the speech. could be done, while only one fire was bserved and that died down as quicky as it flared up Outside of London nost of the bombs fell in open spaces. The visit of the Germans was unexpected, as the new moon gave very when the sky was cloudy.

ENEMY ATTACKS FAIL.

ROME. To-day. The text of an official statement is sued to-day by the War Office reads: In a sanguinary action which lasted the entire day the enemy, alternating violent hombardments with nowerful enemy succeed in maintaining his advantages, in the Monte Asolone. (Not

BRITISH CASUALTIES.

LONDON, Dec. 18. the week ending to-day totalled 17,-976 officers and men as follows: Officers killed or died of wounds, 331; men, 3.181: officers wounded or missing, 1,039; men, 13,425.

### Crisis Approaching

British Awakening - Lloyd George's Speech Stimulus to Full Realization of Gravity of Situation, London Press Declares-Call to Arms Clear-

e situation on the West front—the nalysis, really counts.

To-day Premier Lloyd George's to treat them. eech at Gray's Inn was regarded as call to arms in a present-day crisis. The set-back to British arms at Cambrai has not only practically nulified Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig's splendidly conceived and Gen. Byng's splendidly executed advance, ut it is generally admitted that the qui verse marked the end of the British 1918, for the following:fensive for some time to come.

The initiative has now passed to ndenburg. The most competent exerts predict that only the greatest fforts will prevent the Germans from ilfilling their boast to break through e Allied line before American par cipation can equalize the reinforce ent of the German line from the Russian front.

Huns Have 500,000 Reinforcements.

is long lost initiative, Gen. Byng's reverse graphically demonstrates the MINARD'S LINIMENT CUBES untruth of various widely prevalent

stories regarding the enemy. It demonstrates the atter absurdity of the story that the morale of the Germans is waning. It gives the lie to the confidently circulated stories of Ger-

nany's impending collapse.

Regardless of who is personally responsible for the Cambrai reverse, the fundamental reason doubtless lies in the fact that the whole army has been permeated with such a spirit of ocksuredness-if not over-confidence -that it had grown careless:

Perhaps it was only the natural reo, anonunces to-day that it has sold sult of an uninterrupted series of rene-half of its interests in the Holland cent British successes, combined with American Line to a syndicate of Dutch the fact that the present army has bankers for \$3,500,000. It had been never been compelled by hard necesunderstood that the International Mer- sity to learn defensive tactics like the cantile Marine controlled 35 per cent Mons heroes, who are now a mere handful in the great war machine. . Coincidentally there has been the general devolopment of a tendency to underestimate the enemy's capacity for an offensive.

The fact remains that the crisis is Russian Army in France have volun- at hand and that the public is being sered as a body to give their services awakened to realization of it. Praco the United States. The officers are tically every London newspaper to-day esirous of continuing the battle classed Premier Lloyd George's against the Germans notwithstanding speech as a well-timed stimulant. · "Premier Lloyd George reached a

made the request that he and his sub- manship," said the Post. "We are ordinates be taken in the American confident of his appeal to the spirit for every one accepted. All grades "The speech-for which we are all

second Lieut. up. There have also been to honor, to our honor and to self-"The speech was more than bril-

"It had a dispassionate firmness apis a general feeling that the action of propriate with the present crisis. He the Russian officers will have a mor- has demonstrated the impossibility of a satisfactory peace now."

> "The speech had courage and faith." said the Mail. "It flung a challenge in the face of all doubters and waverers. He showed direct insight into the supreme is-

direct insight into the supreme is-

sues of the war." "The chief merit of the address," that the Gothas came just at the time the Times asserted, "lies in the clearthe people were on their way home ness and directness with which the

> The News was the only London on the News was the only London on the control of th newspaper which did not entirely ap-

"Unfortunately he did not hint when victory would be considered as won," the editorial declared. "Among all his emphatic utterances there was not a word enlightening us on the one point that really matters. The ittle light and there were intervals world to-day will regret his failure to state the policy of the Allies with the gravity and the definiteness which

#### The Lost German Colonies.

New York Globe: The surrender infantry attacks, attempted from Col and dispersal of the last German force Capelle to Monte Vertica to push his operating in German East Africa line towards the south. Only on his marks the suppression of the German colonial empire. The suppression is likely to prove a permanent extinc-Self-governing South Africa is not likely to consent to a rehoisting of the German flag in its neighborhood. Self-governing Australia would fight against having German submarine bases re-established over against the Australian coast. Canada is con-The British casualties reported in cerned about the freedom of the Pacific, and will not consent to the re establishment of menaces to her trade routes. The question of the German colonies is not an English question, but a British colony question. Germany in her colonial enterprises has proved herself an ill neighbor. Her activities have alarmed those who on Western Front. wish for peace and quiet. She has also proved an ill administrator. Her neavy hand has fallen with crushing force on the uncivilized natives who came under her control. Of all' the cruel exploitations that have disgraced the relations of the white race to the black, the brown, and the vellow, London, Dec. 15.—There is no use that of Germany has been the most ying to camouflage the gravity of ruthless. For the sake of the natives as well as of colonial neighbors, it is nly war theatre which, in the last to be hoped Germany will have no dependents until she learns better how

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#### Pope Pleased Jerusalem

Rome, Dec. 13 .- Pope B intensely gratified at the liberation of Jerusalem hands of the Moslems, th Press was told by the Vatican ties to-day. The Holy Fath said, is greatly concerned city's future. Some suggest been received at the Vatican Pope leave Rome and re-est seat of the Catholic Churc Holy City. It was stated tively that the Pope did not a such a plan.

#### **Tanks Versus** Pill-B

The Times: The distinguish of a House at Oxford has following couplet:

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#### Pope Pleased Jerusalem Taken.

Rome, Dec. 13.-Pope Benedict is intensely gratified at the Christian dressing. liberation of Jerusalem from the hands of the Moslems, the United Press was told by the Vatican authorities to-day. The Holy Father, it was said, is greatly concerned as to the city's future. Some suggestions have dish with a little water and brown Pope leave Rome and re-establish the baked apples. seat of the Catholic Church in the Holy City. It was stated authorita-

#### **Tanks Versus** Pill-Boxes.

The Times: The distinguished Head

"Tanks Versus Pill-Boxes." Victrix per campos Cisterna vagatur,

iventes pilulas capsula capta vomi;" And this he has done into English

London Daily News: The Encyclopaedia Britannica on Haifa—now thrust before the public eye by Al-

#### Household Notes.

A good salad is made of slices of ineapple, with a spoonful of cheese on each slice, and served with cream

When making boiled starch for linens make the starch with soapy

A good dessert can be made by the added to an equal quantity of thin ordinary corn bread recipe by adding | cream and frozen. tively that the Pope did not approve of raisins or dates and serve as a hot

To make a cream dressing beat cup cream and 1/4 teaspoonful salt until firm. Then beat in 2 tablespoonfuls for breakfast and the bone can be

Dried fruits or vegetables should be water they were soaked in. Common salt solution is made with drop by drop until it is dark enough.

one teaspoonful of salt to a glass of water. This solution will be helpful in cases of bites or stings.

GIFT .

Good coffee should be made with cold water and fifteen minutes is the proper time to allow for it to come to a boile. It should boil five minutes.

lated, in cooking. Brown betty is parts well. Apples pared, cored and baked in a much better made with brown sugar. A delicious ice cream is made of been received at the Vatican that the sugar make a richer dish than plain baked apples put through a sieve and flavored with lemon and sugar, then Dr. Brunt had

No part of the ham should be wasted. The rough ends can be ground, creamed and served on toast

boiled with cabbage. placed in water, and soaked until butter beaten to a cream, and 11/2 and he himself and 800 pupils escaped of a House at Oxford has sent the plumped before cooking. Cook in the cups of confectioner's sugar beaten alive, though many were cut about the into it. Last, beat in black coffee face. Dr. Brunt wishes to be remem-

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**Annual Meeting** 

REID. PRESIDENT. office at 3 o'clock yesterday after

citor, Mr. Herbert Knight, Messrs, H. D. Reid, (who represented by proxy Lord Shaughnessy, R. G. Reid, Mrs. Massey and Capt. Drake), J. P. Powell, F. J. Hunter, H. J. Elliott, R. C., H. Crawford, W. F. Joyce, D. Duff, L. Paterson, E. Hoskins, C. O'N. Conroy and H. McNeil.

Following the reading of the Preident's report the election of Directors took place, and the following we

Reid, H. D. Reid, R. G. Reid, J. P. Powell, F. J. Hunter, C. O'Neill Con-

At a subsequent meeting of the Directors Mr. H. D. Reid was elected President; Mr. R. G. Reid, Vice-President: Mr. F. J. Hunter, Treasurer Mr. J. P. Powell, General Superintendnt: Mr. W. A. Reid. Secretary an Mr. Hector McNeil, Comptroller.

An invitation had been extended. he representatives of the daily papens to attend but it had been later decided that none but shareholders would be admitted to the meeting, and in order to have the latter order carried out it was thought wise to have a squad of police under Supt. Grimes guard the entrance to the President's office

#### Hr. Grace Notes.

The pupils of Victoria Street School t the sale and tea yesterday realized ver \$50.00. The teachers and childn are well pleased with the result. At last night's meeting of the Local ouncil, F. P. W., after general busiess the election of officers took place sulting in the following being elect

for the coming year:-Chairman-G. T. Gordon, re-elected Dep. Chairman-John E. Walker,

Secretary-John Downing, re-elect-

Treasurer-W. A. McKay, re-elect-Hall Keeper-G. Lethbridge, elected. The Council had a very successful

Mr. James Parmiter, son of Capt. it to his parents. All his old friends are pleased to see him.

Mr. William Martin, son of Mr.

James Martin, arrived from Montreal. on Saturday on a visit to his parents. It is seven years since Mr. Martin made the last visit home. He will likely remain the winter. The employees of the Shipbuilding

Co. all helped by a money donation to relieve the suffering by the Halifax disaster. The very nice sum of \$265

pany's employees. The entertainment in the Academy Hall, on Tuesday night was fairly There are so many places where well patronized and very enjoyable water. This gives a pretty gloss to brown sugar is better than granu- The different performers took their

### Narrow Escape.

Dr. Brunt, who was here last sun burb of Halifax, was demolished though his family escaped uninjured Mocha sauce is made with 1/2 cup At the time he was teaching school bered to his friends here.

XMAS. GIFT SERVICE.-The Cochrane Street Centennial Sunday School olds its Christmas Gift Service on Sunday afternoon. Every scholar is expected to bring a gift either in noney or a parcel containing some seful article to be given to the poor. Good programme. Bright service.

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#### These Heroes of Battle.

amples of such divine self-forgetfui- pleted the catastrophe which the Mont heroes of Halifax - Montreal Sear. ness in the service of others that the Blanc began. There is the story of whole dark picture is illumined the 72nd Battalion of Ottawa, which, ANY SINGLE NAME There is the story of Captain Harri- when the magazine was almost ring-

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The New Fall

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ed around with flame, volunteered to a man to save it, and faced annihilation without flinching till the task was done. Great glory awaits the 72nd overseas—a battalion with that ranted five years. Free Providence of the first providence of the f son, who, alone and unaided, boarded ed around with flame, volunteered to a stuff in it will go far—but it will nev-er do a more supremely courageous Granville Centre, N.S. nov30,d7,14,21 action under the enemy's fire than it hid last Thursday at Halifax. There are doubtless innumerable other simand never will come to light. There is a bravery which inspires

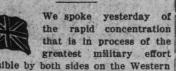
was with explosives, cut her moor- which, in a moment of wreck and ings, allowing her to drift away from ruin, springs to the rescue of those in Out of the gloom which enshrouds the menaced city, and on this floating danger without thought of conse-Halifax there shine forth some deeds volcano, single-handed, fought and quence or of self. Canada from coast of such splendid bravery, some ex- subdued a fire which might have com- to coast may thank God for the

Many different desserts can be made with ladyfingers, whipped cream and ilarly inspiring stories which have not different fruits. For instance line a sherbet glass with lady fingers, fill the center with whipped cream and place great deeds upon the fields of battle, on top canned strawberries or any

Happy is the people whose sons display it, as Canada's sons have done. Cinard's Liniment Cures Distemper,

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor H. A. WINTER, B.A., - - Editor

#### FRIDAY, December 21st, 1917. Russia's Trial.



ible by both sides on the Western front. Let us be under no delusion as to what is happening and what is in store. They are, fortunately, under none in Britain and France. Germany has given the clearest possible warn-German terms. Observers in a position to know say that the whole of Councillor Mullaly seconded the mo-Germany is in a state of hysteria, car- tion and Councillors Vinnicombe and ried away by the frenzied hope of Tait as well as the Mayor paid a tritroops from the eastern to the western the dead hero, thanked the meeting front. The danger is fully realised sincerely on behalf of himself and Schr. Flying Halfand appraised in all its potentialities family. Mr. Morris has two other son by the Allies. They know that the at- at the Front. It was ordered that tempt may, just may, succeed. They the Resolution be recorded in the also know that if it fails Germany's minutes of the Council. last bolt will be shot and nothing on F. M. Sterling, on behalf of St earth will stand between her and Thomas's Vestry, asked the Council to final defeat. But they are under no repair fence near St. Thomas's Whether or not she can help them had no responsibility. further, they base no calculations on Mr. E. S. Pinsent, on behalf of the her help. If any comes it will be so C. E. Cemetery Committee, stated that

We shall have our attention occualtogether a forlorn endeavour to look proved of. for some ray of light out of the darkness that has descended upon Russia. This much at least can be said, that if the miracle is to happen for which we hope. Russia is to-day undergoing the only travail that can bring it | forth. While the whole country is in a state of unimaginable confusion, the contest for supreme power, which in followed geographically more or less. ago for Marystown with supplies. Kaledine's stronghold is southern Russia, and he appears to be gradually tightening his hold upon that section the Caspian, a large territory com- glad to know this. prising roughly Ukrania and the Don provinces, he is conducting a successful contest with the Maximalists. Northward, up the Volga, the Cossacks | beautiful Imitation Ivory known a the Ukranians seem to have the upper ing at TRAPNELL'S .- dec12,tf. hand in the important Kiev district. Everything is chaotic and confused.

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threatens it from outside and the pow Evening Telegram er to turn what is left of Russia's fighting force to meet it. But it is the ways enough alike to make a parallel like this correct up to a certain point. There it fails. Time and the very speed of modern war make Russia's olight utterly different from that of France after the French Revolution. Her deliverance itself, if such it be, is Germany's opportunity, of which she will avail herself to strike the blow which will have definitely succeeded or failed long before Russia can do anything to affect the issue. This is the almost universal view, and it is certainly Germany's. It may be mistaken. We only pray it is.

#### Municipal Council.

ing of her intention to launch a City Council was held last night. A stupendous offensive that is to smash vote of sympathy in the death of Corthe French and British lines in suc- poral Edward A. Morris, who made cession, clear a way to Calais and the the supreme sacrifice in France, to French coast and compel peace on Councillor Morris and family, was such a prospect and inspired to be- bute to the deceased as a soldier and lieve in it by the movements it has soldier and a citizen, as well as the been able to witness of vast bodies of citizen. Councillor Morris, father of

mistake now on the score of Russia. Church. The Council decided they the dump in the grounds heretofore

used by the city, had been closed. pled fully enough with the struggle in Mr. W. F. Butler submitted plans the West when the present lull is of new theatre to be erected on broken, but meantime it may not be Duckworth Street and they were ap-After the disposal of some minor

matters the meeting closed.

#### Here and There.

When you want Minced Collops, try ELLIS'.

VESSEL NOT REPORTED. -There the end must be military power, is is much concern about the schr. John taking more definite shape. It can be McRae, which left here eleven days

SAFE AT HALIFAX .- Mr. and Mrs. James Himmelman and family are of the country. From Odessa, on the safe at Halifax after the disaster Black Sea, eastward to Astrakhan, on Their friends in St. John's will be

Ivoroyd: Mirrors, Brushes, Combs and Manicure Sets, made up in that are said to be extending their arms to- Ivoroyd. These things make very wards the province of Samara, while pleasing Christmas Gifts. Just open-

IN AID OF WATERFORD HALLthe various issues conflicting and un- A concert is being arranged, to take ed, but one great hope underlies place in the Methodist College Hall on at 4.10 p.m. yesterday. This is that the fast-spreading January 4th, by the soldiers at Waterwar will bring to light some ford Hall. It will be presented by the 5.20 p.m. yesterday, t military figure, some Russian soldiers themselves, assisted by some oleon, who will by force of arms well known and popular artistes. The 6 a.m. yesterday. due the factions under him and proceeds will be in aid of Waterford ve Napoleon's genius to see that the Hall. It should be unnecessary to bele danger that threatens Russia speak an overflowing attendance.

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On this, my first Christmas as His Majesty's Representative in His oldest Colony, I take the opportunity of sending to the People of Newfoundland a

We are living in a time of great stress and tribulation, and it behoves us more than ever to live in accord, and to give each other such help and sympathy as opportunity affords.

It is in this spirit that I wish you all a Happy Christmas and a Very Prosperous New Year.

C. ALEXANDER HARRIS.

# Mast Signal.

The American schooner Atlanta, Amt. previously acknowledged\$861 22 bound from St. Pierre, arrived at N. H. Gillingham . . . . . . . . . 5 00 Channel, yesterday evening, and re- Jean C. Strang ...... 10 00 surier, who also had word to-day that P. H. and Mrs. Hudson .. .. . 10 00 a vessel, salt-laden from Oporto to St. John's, and a schooner with a general cargo from Halifax for here had har

#### McMurdo's Store News | Amount acknowledged .. .. \$187 00

FRIDAY, Dec. 21, 1917. Page & Shaw's Chocolates grow nore popular as they become better known. There is a distinction about them that makes users like to repeat If you make a friend a present of a package of Page & Shaw's Chocolates you may be quite certain your ety in stock

As announced yesterday, we have now a full stock of the famous Orchard White Lotion on our shelves.' This is an excellent winter complexion preserver.

#### REID'S BOATS.

p.m. yesterday. The Dundee left Musgrave at 7 a.m.

The Glencoe reached Trepassey at right besides depriving the boys

The Wren leaving Clarenville to-

#### Here and There.

THE FOGOTA.-The Fogota left Cat Harbor at 6 a.m. to-day going

BOWRINGS' SHIPS.—The Prospero sails at daylight for northern ports ing soda and put into a jar. and the Portia is due to-morrow from the westward.

CITY'S HEALTH.—Three cases of mallpox and one of diphtheria were reported within the city during the past week. There are now in hospital 20 cases of diphtheria, 9 of smallpox preserve the cushion and 3 of typhoid fever.

> NEW THEATRE-Plans for the new theatre, reference to which has already appeared in the Telegram. were submitted at last night's meeting of the City Council by Architect Butler and approved of. The proposed building is to be erected on the site of the Callahan Glass & Co.'s factory and the plans were passed. The new

theatre will open about June next.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS,-The folowing first class passengers are on mer, Mrs. J. Rose, J. Sullivan, A. Bidding a soldier his translation. Hickman, Miss J. Cranford, Mrs. C. B. And the song of angels resounded:

Welcomes a warrior to eternal mer, Mrs. J. Rose, J. Sullivan, A. Miss D. Forsey, L. Rennie, E. Frazer, E. Roberts, F. McIsaac, A. J. Byrne, A. Patten, Mrs. B. Patten, W. H. Turnbull, F. Marshall, Geo. Parmiter, P. J. MEN'S SAFETY CUSHION SOLES—Black and Patton, Mrs. L. Steinman, Dr. F. Fisher, Miss C. Keating, S. G. Bendon, P. Howlett, Miss H. Frazer, Jno. A. Barry, Miss R. Ancoin, Miss L. Ladley, Miss M. Duff, G. V. Pippy, F. A. Brazil, M. Stick, W. Woodfine, Thos. Peters, was sunk, on September 19th, 1917, Miss W. Peters, R. Peters, Hon. R. K. Patrick J. Hennessey, R. N. R., No. Bishop, L. Moore, E. Ward, Mrs. Tay- 2245 X, of Water St. West, aged 19 lor and two children, Lieut. Carter, J. years, leaving a brother, who is a

#### Halifax Relief Fund.

### **Armenian Relief Fund**

Wilcox Spracklin ..... 2 00 \$199 00

#### Prisoners of War.

Sir,-It does not appear to be known gift will be appreciated. A good variwar belonging to the Nfld. Regiment can receive small parcels, as long as they answer the conditions laid down by the authorities

A Government stamp and coupon may be obtained in England-by the next of kin which entitles them to send one Xmas parcel-this we our-The Argyle left Merasheen at 1.15 selves, were able to obtain and have despatched a parcel to my son which The Clyde left Harrington at 2.45 has probably reached Germany by

Why has not this information bee given to the parents of prisoners of The Ethie arrived at Humbermouth | war here? It is depriving them of a pleasure that is theirs as a matter of Daylight the one thing above all others, a par-The Home left North West Arm at | cel from the old folks at home. Yours etc..

JAS. E. DEMPSTER

Delicious cheese croutons are made by spreading slices of bread with Wesleyville, Seldom Come By, Fogo, butter, then laying cheese on top of the butter, and toasting brown in the oven. Serve with stewed fruit.

Very good table syrup can be made almost spin a thread, add a little bak-

This morning, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jackman, a daughter.

#### DIED.

On Thursday morning, Thomas Brown; funeral on Saturday, at 2.30, from his late residence, No. 1 Moore

France, on November 21st, 1917, Lieut. James Tobin, 1st Nfld. Regiment, second son of David and Alice Tobin. aged 23 years.-R.I.P.

Killed in action. October 9th, 1917 Private Charles Wesley Watts, aged 20 years, youngest son of the late pleasure than a Fountain Pen. Charles W. Watts, of Burin, leaving a mother, step-father, sister, one satisfied with anything less brother in Ayr to mourn their sad loss, than the best obtainable, the the incoming express: Mrs. J. Far- Summoned home, the call has sound- answer is

peace. Praise the Lord! From earthly strug-

gles
A comrade has found release. Death has lost its sting, the grave its victory, Conflicts and dangers are over, See him honoured at the throne of

Crowned by the hand of Jehovah. Lost. When S. S. "Saint Ronald." Gear, Miss A. Gear, T. Tenk, Miss D. member of the gun's crew at Fort MINAR PS LINIMENT CURES GAR-Waldegrave, to mourn him,

### Casualty List.

RECEIVED DEC. 21, 1917. Missing November 20th. 3139-Private William C. Anthony

3226-Private John J. Walsh, 10 Codner's Lane. WOUNDED - NO PARTICULARS

3533-Private George Rose, Great Harbor, F.B.

3677-Private George Hinks, Por 3152-Private W. Garfield Way Newtown, B.B. FORESTRY COMPANIES.

Seriously Ill, Perth War Hospital, December 20th 8123-Private Joseph Gough, Ellis-

At 3rd Australian General Hospital,
Abbeville, December 17th—Gunshot
Wound Head, Amputation Right Leg
—Dangerous y III. (Previously Reported Gunshot Wounds Head and Leg Severe, November 25th). 3118—Private Reuben D. Perry River of Ponds, St. Barbe.

Wandsworth (Nature of Wounds Previously Reported 3114—Pte: Stanley Vallis Ramea. 3330—Private Henry James, 15 Cook

C. C. C. BAND DANCE.—(In ported having seen a white painted Mrs. E. A. Strang ...... 10 00 aid of Band's expenses) St. Steported having seen a white painted three-masted schooner a few miles west of St. Pierre, flying an ensign at half mast with her mainsail gone. A Jordan Simmons, Whitbourne. 5 00 In the C. C. C. New Hall at 9.15. message containing the foregoing in- Rev. H. L. Pike ...... 20 00 Tickets: Gent's (Double), \$1.00;

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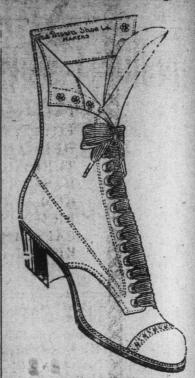
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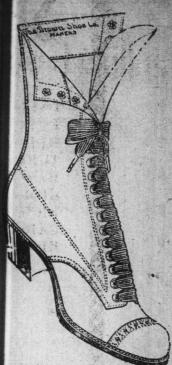
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by raising the arms horizontally at ercising by flexing the legs as folthe sides, bent upward at the elbow lows:and continue the movement until the



but invigorating exercise. It can be head. The arms are lowered to the conditions prevailed at Middle Arm. made more intense by clerching the sides by reversing the movements. fists and tensing the muscles as the Two or three minutes are sufficient to arms are bent. Begin the exercise practice these exercises. Finish ex-

Stand with one foot in advance of hands rest on the shoulders. The the other, arms at back, feet firm and arms are now returned to horizontal flat on the floor at all times. Standing soitions and then lowered to the so, the trunk is held erect, but low-= ered by bending at the hips, knees and ankles. This should be repeated a number of times. The other foot is now advanced and the exercise resumed. This calls into play a wide range of muscles, but its efficiency depends upon the vigor with which they are executed.

### Everyday Etiquette.

should I pay party calls afterward or simply thank them for their hospitality," enquired Gwen.

"You should call upon your hostess ithin two weeks after the entertainment, or before leaving the city if

#### Subdued.

Report From Sinal Armies Given by General Murray.

as freed of all formed bodies of Turkish troops is told in General Sir Archibald Murray's despatch on the rations of the Egyptian force from ober, 1916, to the end of February,

The main factor, he says, was inse and unremitting work. To regain the true eastern frontier of Egypt hundreds of miles of road and allway had been built, hundreds of iles of water piping had been laid, liters capable of supplying 1,500,000 gallons of water a day and reservoirs had been installed, and tons of stone ransported from distant quarries. Kantara had been transformed from small canal village into an important railway and water terminus, with

vharves and cranes and a railway erry; and the desert, till then almost stitute of human habitation, showed successive marks of our advance n the shape of strong positions firmly trenched and protected by hundreds f miles of barbed wire, of standing mps where troops could shelter in mfortable huts, of tanks and reservoirs, of railway stations and sidings of aerodromes and of signal stations and wireless installations, by all o which the desert was subdued and made habitable, and adequate lines o amunication established between

In the Rafa battle, which Sir Archi bald Murray describes as a "fine action," and for which he expresses his ndehtedness to Lieut.-General Sir Charles Dobell, in command of the eastern force, more than 16,000 un casualties amounted to 487 in all, of which 71 were killed, 415 wounded

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#### Herring Fishery at Bay of Islands.

The stormy weather of the past two weeks has interfered considerably in the prosecution of the herring fishery in Bay of Islands. For six days those operating at Middle Arm were unable to attend to their gear and similar conditions existed in Middle Arm: and when at last they were enabled to get to their nets many tangled with others. As a consequence many nets have been lost. And those who succeeded in getting their gear, found them filled with herring unfit for use.

At Penguin Arm on Saturday there was very good fishing, boats getting as high as thirty tubs per fleet. There was good herring fishing Humber Arm on Friday and Saturday. On Monday there was good herring Lansdowne and fishing all over the Humber Arm. At Cook's Cove and Benoit's Cove there

#### AT HALL'S BAY.

There was fair herring fishing at An Electric Goad Hall's Bay all last week, but they slackened off somewhat towards the week-end, and one or two of the vessels there left for the West Coast to finish loading, owing to considerable The fishermen operating at Hall's

Large numbers of people are engag-

"When I am visiting and I am in-ed in the herring fishery in Hall's Bay small batteries and an electric coil in the handle. At the other end are two set so close that motor boats find it contact-points, spaced a little distance difficult to move between them - from each other. When the cowman Western Star, Dec. 19.

> en from the soup bone and used in and get on with it. the soup. Marrow is a valuable form

### Just in Time for Xmas!

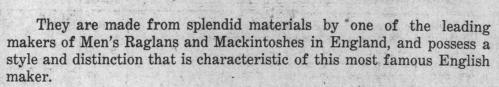
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# The Empire.

were from three to five tubs per fleet.

Similar catches were made at the Farm, and at McCarthy's the catches range from five to six tubs per fleet.

The price of herring on Saturday was \$3 per barrel.

Two schooners at Middle Arm went to Bonne Bay last week.

The "Scotch" packers at Curling had all the herring they could handle horizontal position, bend at elbow and, with energy, thrust them high overbeat lightly flexing the arms is a mild but invigorating exercise. It can be were from three to five tubs per fleet. Similar catches were made at the Farm, and at McCarthy's the catches there in the Lansdowne proposal than craven surrender to Kaiserism, a particularly paltry surrender, since its only purpose is to save to a British junkerthum its pots and its pans, its landed estates and its caste? Are the myriad sons of the Empire who have flocked to the standard from Australia and New Zealand, from Africa and from Vernard and New Zealand, from Africa and from Canada and from the four corrections. from Canada and from the four corners of the earth to save the hard won emocracy of the English speaking The price of herring at Bonne Bay peoples to be told that, after all, this is no fight for democracy and that and the price on Saturday was reported at \$2.50. Some big catches were home in order that the world may be made, when the weather conditions made safe for toryism? How long Empire last?

# for Oxen.

In some parts of the U.S.A. they no longer use the old-fashioned whip to urge on lazy cattle.

An electric substitute for the goad Bay suffered very heavily through has been patented some time ago, and storms, many of them losing two sets is supposed to be the last word in upto-date farm appliances. It is a hollow rod, with several

wants to hurry his cattle up he touches them with the rod, and they get a The marrow should always be tak- mild shock, which make them move

Some up-to-date hustle—this,—An-

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about such things than we used to be

and adorned only with the plants on any room can have. Take the barest. the window sill. And yet after breakest room and fill it with morning fast more than half the guests would sunshine and you have redeemed it. I once had a cousin who had lived wander into the office. Why? Chiefly for many years in the city. She had I think because the living room was a north room and the office was a south lived in two good apartments and in one fairly expensive house (it rented | eastern room that fairly drank in the

for sixty dollars a month.) Then the morning sunshine. war turned her husband's business topsy turvy, and she had to go into a house, don't forget the sunshine. little suburban apartment for eighteen dollars a week. There her youngest baby was born. When I went to see kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bron- ing in a loud and independent tone of cracker box with a lid fastened with her I was ushered into a room filled chitis, Asthma and various Lung

Proubles,-nov6,tf "Isn't it queer," said my cousin. and one at the house,—and this is the with.

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Monopoly is caused by a concert of action on the part of a few rich men. to keep clean. 'My other three babies were born in Economy begins in eliminating This is one of the most expensive contown. One at that first apartment I waste at the table, so that there are certs ever put on any stage, and a ance around it or you may paste on a HERE WITH SALT CARGO. The opera box. Every once in a while, four or five well-to-do citizens, who Stream, get together and jack up pockets of different sizes at the other prices so high off the ground that nosection ladder, after which they cock cushion, hung on the same end, will Mutton, Lamb, Pork will be sold an attentive ear and wait for the hard, hold all the necessary pins. dividend. This is called the law of baby's bath tub near and give baby 203 Water Street.—nov29,tf metallic plunk of the 400 per cent.

> at a six o'clock dinner. Almost every neat and clean. day, some ingratiating guests will start for a dinner party with a wellchosen line of repartee, and on arrivup to the table with a double-acting memorizing several side-splitting anstand how to obtain every particle of for their homes in Conception Bay to ecdotes from the comic supplement. help you can from it. strangle hold on a double seat in the Cooking it has no equal. If you have their parents. strangic food on a double seat in the strangic forth any little difficulties with it. bring The Quinine That Does Not Affect Head. both feet cannot be touched by the and help will be most readily given. law, but can be killed with perfect safety, as no jury would convict the St. John's Gas Light Co.
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which is that men should put away

Begin this system ere you ith taxes here and taxes there, and ising costs of this and that, and nany passing round the hat, the man who has no wad in brine has cause to murmur and repine. I'm oft addressed by grateful guys, who say, "Your ounsel was most wise; we're glad we harkened to your rede, and pickled ils of opeck seed, for in these crula plunk when Uncle Sam demands i spepsia.—nov6.tf such punk." It surely soothes my

#### Your Boys and Girls.

One of the most convenient things; in a home is a baby box, if there is a baby. This may be made from a large hinges. The box should be lined with white oilcloth or something easy

The outside may have a pretty valthe Aurora Borealis to the Gulf placed in one end. You may make forte. end. These will, hold everything for body can reach them with a three-baby's bath and a dainty white 7 o'clock, Choice Ends of Beef, You can, in this way, bring the

it's bath without running elsewhere HERRING SCHOONER LOADED.

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ing run into a monopolist who draws READY TO WORK NIGHT OR DAY. Gas 's your ever ready helper right jaw and a clear, penetrating voice, in your home-no begging for deliv- most suitable for Xmas Gifts, just which has been wound up for twenty- ery, no delays in getting it. One gets now in at TRAPNELL'S-dec12,tf four hours. This has a tendency to so used to 't that one is apt to foraffect the appetities of other guests get how helpful it is. Take a little who have gone to the trouble of trouble. Study its uses: get to under-

but the petit jury is one of man's MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES CAR.

#### Here and There.

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#### Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

THE RUSSIAN SITUATION. war is spreading northward along the commerce to be left to the peace con-Volga River from Astrakhan to Sam- ference. Roumania, Serbia and Monaras. The Maximalists hold Astrak- tenegro to retaain their original bounhan, from which place the Cossacks daries, with the right of access to the versts distant. Fighting probably has to remain intact. Whether such a pronow begun. The Maximalists are said posal of terms is merely another step to have many machine guns, but are in the German propaganda to impress almost without cannon. The Cos- the public mind that the Allies are resacks are reported to be equipped sponsible for the continuance of the with light field guns. An extraordin- war, or whether it is really a feelerary state of affairs is depicted at for peace, is a subject for the estimate Tsaritsyn, in the province of Samara, of the Governments concerned. At where neither the Maximalists nor first glance some are inclined to re-Cossacks have gained the mastery, gard them as the Kaiser's muchboth being beaten by the forces of advertised Christmas peace terms, Halifodorus, Abbot of Tsaritsyn, and probably designed in a large part to known as Lliadore, the mad monk, keep the German people under the ilwho advanced against them, singing lusion that they are fighting a really Save, Lord, thy people." Orenburg defensive war against a foe which in-Cossacks, commanded by General Du- sists on the dismemberment of their the nations of South America against are some forty, Luxburg reports that the pride of the German military the Maximalist garrisons en route pression in competent quarters, how- grams sent to Berlin by the notorious gentina to enter into a secret agree- humbled. On the whole, Premier the Maximalist garrisons en route pression in competent quarters, how- grams sent to Berlin by the notorious gentina to enter into a secret agree- humbled. On the whole, Premier the Maximalist garrisons en route pression in competent quarters, how- grams sent to Berlin by the notorious gentina to enter into a secret agreebeing dispersed by the Cossacks, who ever, that Germany, having gained Count Luxburg, former German ment with Chile and Bolivia, for mu- Lloyd George said, the British camhave occupied all the eastern part of the province of Voronezh, a province

in South Central Russia. Fighting continues at Odessa, where Ukranian troops hold the arsenal and telegraph and telephone stations. The Municipal theatre repeatedly changed hands before finally remaining in possession of the Ukranians. The Maximalists hold the port, which the Ukranians shelled with heavy field artillery, in response to the bombardment of the town by naval guns. Ukranians are disarming and removing the Maximalist troops in the province of Kiev and at Konotop, about 100 miles east of Tohornigov. Ukrane, in Central Ra-da, has issued a message to the Ukranians, proclaiming Ukrane a democratic republic, pending the meeting of the Ukranian Constituent Assembly in January. Rada, in its message, recognizes the principle of ex-propriation without compensation, of private lands, monastery land and some church land for the benefit of the labor classes. In expectation of an early peace, Eussian soldiers in increasing numbers are leaving the northern front, urgent telegrams being received from Petrograd for reining received from Petrograd for reinforcements of soldiers, who are being promised the best of conditions and food. Dr. Petrofosky, a lecturer at Moscok University, has been deputed by the Bolsheviki Government to discuss peace questions with the Germans at Brest-Litovsk. According to the Bussian official news agening to the Russian official news agen-Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates, recently met at Elarkov, and resolved to regard Bada, as Bour-

THE KAISER'S PEACE TERMS.

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CHICAGO, Dec. 20. What purports to be an outline of the Kaiser's much-advertised Christmas peace terms, has reached here through some neutral diplomatic channels, which earlier in the week received information to support the intimations from abroad that the new peace offer is coming. In the main the terms are described as following

the lines of those said to have been great advances in Russia, might think written by Foreign Minister Von it to her advantage to yield to delast summer. At the mands in many other directions, they were denounced as having which is the estimate her own statesen written purely for political pur- men would strike in the balance. This poses. The so-called peace terms is one of the reasons which some which must be appraised only at their close observers believe, as the offer face value, are said to include the of peace coming at this time, has following: To leave the disposition probably more real intentions of peace of Alsace-Lorraine to a plebiscite of behind it than the previous ones. No the inhabitants; England to pay Ger- one here believes Germany's best many for her East African colonies, terms would be put on the table at the money to be used for the rehabili- the first offering, and those inclined tation of Belgium, Serbia, Roumania to this view think the proposal of Despatches from Petrograd indicate and Northern France. Russian prov- peace now is at least an attempt to that the struggle between the Cos- inces bordering on the Baltic and start a discussion of terms, From sacks and Maximalists in Southern Black Sea and Prussia, to become what may be gained of the war aims Russia is increasing in severity. The independent under German plan. Po- of the Allies' Governments as excorrespondent at Petrograd of Reu- land to be called an independent state plained by their statesmen and by ter's Ltd., telegraphing under date of under Austrian suzerainty. Disarma- President Wilson, such offering of Tuesday, says that the flame of civil ment and freedom of the seas, and terms as outlined in the foregoing were reported on Monday to be 20 sea being granted to Serbia. Turkey CONSCRIPTION VOTE IN AUSTRA-LIA.

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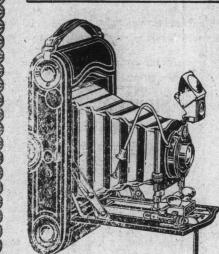
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VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 20. A special Vancouver 'World' cable plebiscite, gives a majority of 120,000 against Conscription, with more than

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.

### HER CHRISTMAS MORNING



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Charge in Argentina, were made pub Evidences of a German plot to align In one of the messages, of which there tation of the Generals by this time. States, is revealed in tele- he induced President Irigoyon of Ar- power would have been completely with his government. The telegram ment. shows a number of inaccuracies. It is surprising that no epithet will fill BALFOUR REPLIES TO PACIFIST. them said the Foreign Minister's statement, as they are at complete variance both in substance and form with the terms in which negotiations were entered into and carried on and brought to a conclusion. The mesalliance freely said that the President negotiations were carried on with July 20th last announced the compleed for the wave length of the great cluding message said that as long as by the President of the United States. Chile is neutral Germany will be able after the war to carry out her South

LLOYD GEORGE.

LONDON, Dec. 20. The Premier said the sinking of ubmarines had increased, and the nerchant tonnage was down twenty

dreds of guns. He said that if th lic to-day by the State Department. Russian army had fulfilled the expectual approachment and protection, paign had not achieved the expectaversus North Americaa, and that he tions formed, but he declared there did his utmost to have Peru included had been military successes in Palesinto such an agreement. Transla- tine, which would have a permanent tions of the despatches were given out | effect on the history of the world. by the State Department in agreement Jerusalem, he said, never would be with the Argentine Minister of For- restored to the Turks. The Premier eign Affairs who in an accompanying said that the losses to shipping had statement gave a general denial of been lighter by 100,000 tons than he Luxburg's account of the negotiations had estimated in his August state-

LONDON, Dec. 20. Foreign Secretary Balfour made a spirited reply in the Commons this afternoon to attacks by Arthur Ponsonby, Liberal member from Sterlingsage referring to the South American burghs, pacifist, regarding the aims had made up his mind to conclude such an agreement with Chile and didn't tally with a proposal of secret Bolivia. There was nothing in the treaties. Balfour in his response decorrespondence to clear up just what clared that President Wilson's statements on the war policy were absothese countries. A telegram dated lutely identical in spirit with the theme of thought in Britain. He tion of the "receiving plant" and ask- didn't think there had been in the whole history of the war more powerwireless station at Nausua. The con-

NO INFANTRY ACTIONS.

, PARIS, Dec. 20. American policy just as well, if not more easily, in opposition to an infat-The official statement issued to-day uated and misguided Argentina as by the war office says there was modwell as with Argentina on her side. | erate artillery activity along the front last night. There were no fantry actions.

GERMANY TO OFFER PEACE.

A report that Russia has been inper cent. He added: The loss had formed by the Central Powers that been only six per cent. of imports ov- they intend to make peace proposals er that of last year. Regarding the to the Allies, is published in the Evenmilitary situation, Lloyd George said ing Post, which says the representait was idle to pretend that the hopes tives of the Central Powers at the formed had been realized. This dis- first preliminary peace conference appointment he attributed to the Rus- with the Russians, held yesterday, sian collapse. The Germans, the Pro- announced that their Government inmier said, had had only one success, tended on principle to put the queswhich was due to surprise, and this tion of peace before all the Powers was now engaging inquiry. The Ger- and that they had asked their Allies mans, he stated, had lost 100,000 pris- to do likewise. Russia was request

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LONDON, Dec. 20.

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### Kaiser William."

"When I started this war," he replied scattle down to really write about it as

et now that you've gotten the world The patients are most wonderfully

plied to the lad.
"Our good old steam roller sure rolled!

But we'd better let go, now that things are so bad,
And endeavour to get a new hold." St. Mary's Closing

"You are old," said the youth, "and have wallowed in death,
And you haven't had nearly enough.
Still you talk about peace with a palpitant breath—
Do you think that they'll fall for

"At the start," said his father, looked like a cinch, And victory certain for us, But now that we're finding oursely in a pinch,
The people are making a fuss."

You are old," said the youth, "and you speak about God, And you treat Him almost as Don't you think He should heed your And bring this affair to an end?"

I've answered three questions; off on your way,' Said his father, restraining a sob; You only lost fourteen divisions to They'll think you're quitting the

#### Pluck.

PLUCK, p-l-u-c-k, is the very good

bject of my article. Pluck is a thing of which every person has a share. Some have big shares, others what I want to impress upon you. As ne writer said: "Pluck is the backone of success." That is very true. Without using his share of pluck no nan will reach the top rung of the ladder in life but will remain in a osition, barely enough to give him his read-and-butter. There are many inds of pluck. The pluck shown in attle and in brave deeds, and the oral pluck which is the prime factor raising a man to a good position n life. Laziness is a great snake in the path of a person striving for success. Discouragement is another. atience and perseverance is sure to each the golden castle of SUCCESS luck, steadiness, honesty, industry, nd patience are the five things which go to make up a successful man cr oman. A person with those named things is BOUND to make a success in life. The great multi-millionaires of o-day, Carnegie, Rockefeller, and others, have those characteristics and ised them when they started to climb the ladder to success. If a person has o "pepper" in his system he is strict-N. G.! You often hear the comlaint: "I never had a chance." Nonense! Everybody has had a chance or will have one. "Fortune knocks at everyman's door but once," says the old proverb. Everyday chances come o men and women and the major part are too slow to grasp them. They fade way into the mist and NEVER reirn. I have heard many people say at "pull" had a lot to do with sucess. That's a very great lie. "Pull" has nothing whatever to do with sucess. The man who does not use his pluck and gets promoted and gets pluck and gets promoted because of "pull" will never be a success, in the strict sense of the word. Pluck enables us to stick to what is right and best. We all have t, to repeat. Pluck is what enabled Edison to make inventions, 'tis what nabled Grant to win battles, sheer stick-to-it"-ness. All the great men the world, whether good or bad, had pluck. George Washington was not discouraged when his men were starving at Valley Forge, in the Reolutionary War. He persevered and o-day the great American nation is he fruit of his perseverance. The hances of those great men camey were ready, grasped them-and ide a success of their lives. Be ady," "be plucky," "be patient," "pervere," "he honest" are five good motes for evey man and woman to have.

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As one writer says: "Character al-

ways is developing. It is being built and molded from day to day." BE

PLUCKY is the prime motto. It leads

#### Fund.

(By Porter Emerson Browne. With Appropriate Apologies to the Late vate letter received from a Halifax Lewis Carroll.) Lewis Carroll.)

"You are old, Kaiser William," the crown prince said,

"And for years have done nothing but fight."

Yet now you incessantly prate about peace—
Will the world understand the thing its fight?"

Wate letter received from a Halifax V. A. D. lady worker mentions the pathetic scenes now taking place at the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, and it is published in the hope that it may prompt someone who has not yet contributed to the Halifax Relief Fun to do so:

"The explosion was awful. I can't were certain to win, I am dead tired. I go to work at the bloomer you made at Victoria General Hospital every day an dthe harrowing sights take it out of one and when I get home I simply

plucky and bear their sufferings splendidly---a broken arm or leg seem to count as trifles. The saddest wards start," Kaiser William re- are the ones of little children with one

### Exercises.

The closing exercises of St. Mary's School and presentation of prizes took place on Wednesday night at Botwood Hall and were largely attended. Rev H. Uphill, Rector, presided and the prizes were graciously presented to the winners by Mrs Uphill. An enjoyable entertainment was held which terminated with the singing of the National Anthem. Following is the programme: (1) Opening Chorus; (2) Recitation, Japanese Girls; (3) Club Drill; (4) Operetta, "The Wings of Mignonette"; (5) Recitation, Ralph Reid; (6) Dance; (7) Recitation by all the school children, "The Flag above the Schoolhouse Door."

#### Storm at North Arm.

The schooner Genesta, owned by Penny Brothers, parted her chains at North Arm on the night of the 5th inst. It was blowing a gale at the ous damage. A high sea was running small shares. But EVERY PERSON at the time, breaking clean over the wharf from 8 p.m. until 3 the follow rubbers to escape getting his Tegs broken. On the whole the fishermen at North Arm had a hard night of it A motor boat belonging to Kenneth Doman was destroyed, and several other motor boats narrowly escaped destruction .--- Western Star, Dec. 19.

> Wind E.N.E., light, weather foggy; a three masted schr. was sighted this

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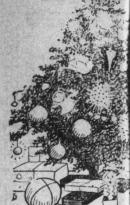
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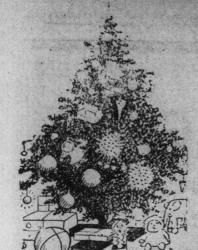


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#### **Exceptional Values.**

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EMBROIDERED PILLOW CASES .work across the open end; these wash perfectly. Perhaps mother would become one or more for Xmas. Reg. 55c.. Fri., Sat. and Xmas Eve, each ... 48c

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HANDSOME SILK BLOUSES—Perhaps you need a new one for Xmas Day. These come in plain and striped silks, finished with fine pin tucks and hemstitched collars; shades of Sky, Maize, Pink and all White, long sleeves. Attractive styles await you at an easy price. Reg. \$2.80. Friday, \$2.49 Saturday and Xmas Eve.

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