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CHAPTER XV.

He wrote a note in reply to once and said he would call the following afternoon; he could just look in early for half an hour and go on afterwards to meet Marie; it was strange how he dreaded both these appointments.

He felt ridiculously nervous when he reached Mrs. Ashton's house. For the first time it occurred to him that possibly Esther would be here too. He was kept waiting some minutes in the drawing-room—minutes during which he wandered restlessly about staring at the pictures and the photographs.

There were many portraits of Raymond—Raymond at all stages of his chequered career, smiling and handsome. Micky turned his back on them with a feeling of disgust.

The door opened behind him, and, turning sharply, he found himself face to face with Mrs. Ashton.

She came forward with outstretched hand.

"This is kind of you, Mr. Mellows. I did not know you had been away until I got your note this morning. I was wondering why I had had no reply to mine."

Micky blurted out that he had been in Paris—that he only came back yesterday evening.

Mrs. Ashton's face changed a little. "Paris! Have you been with that set of mine?" she asked sharply.

Micky coloured. "I met him—quite by chance, though. We were not together more than a few minutes."

She smiled rather ironically. "Have you got tired of him at last, then?" she asked. She moved over to the fire. She looked back at Micky quizzically. "I have often wondered how you put up with his friendship so long."

"Well, he can no longer object, I think, seeing that he is to be married himself."

Micky made a little quick movement, almost knocking over a vase of flowers standing at his elbow; he recovered himself with an effort.

"Married!" he said. "Why, I thought . . ." he broke off. "He did not say anything about it to me when I met him in Paris," he said lamely.

"No!" Her handsome eyes searched his agitated face critically. "Well, he is to be married all the same," she said. "I heard from him only this morning. He is engaged to Tom Clare's widow—Tubby Clare. I believe he was always called."

CHAPTER XVI.

When Micky left Mrs. Ashton he raced off to meet Marie.

She was looking quite her prettiest, in dark furs with a bunch of violets in the breast of her coat, but Micky would not have noticed if she had been shabby, his thoughts were elsewhere. He did not even see that she wore the bracelet he had given her for a Christmas present, or remember that he had once told her violets were his favourite flowers.

He apologised breathlessly for being late.

"I had an appointment," he explained. "Raymond's mother; she wrote and asked me to call this afternoon." He hesitated, then added, "Did you know that Raymond is going to be married? Oh, but, of course, you cannot know, as Mrs. Ashton only knew this morning."

Marie's dark eyes opened; like most women, she loved to hear of an engagement or marriage.

"Really?" she said. "At last!—but to—surely not to that little girl at Eldred's?"

Micky flushed angrily. Did every one know about Esther? he asked himself savagely. He answered shortly that it was Mrs. Clare, Tubby Clare's little widow.

Marie looked amazed.

"But we all thought—" she said, then stopped, remembering that Micky and Raymond had been great friends. "I hope he'll be happy," she said lamely.

Micky laughed shortly.

"I don't," he said. "He doesn't deserve to be."

She made no comment.

There was an excited flush in her cheeks, and a nervous note in her voice when she spoke; it was like old times to be here with him again, until she met his eyes across the little table, and then it seemed as if she was looking into the face of a stranger, a man who was like Micky—enough like him to hurt, and yet not Micky at all.

She aroused herself to amuse him. Micky had always told her she cheered him up in the old days, but this afternoon he answered her in monosyllables, and she saw with bitter mortification how often he looked at the clock. At last she was driven to remark on it.

"Micky, are you in a hurry to get away?"

She asked the question lightly, but there was a strained note in her voice.

Micky did not look at her.

"No—no, not at all," he said hurriedly. "But I suppose we ought to be moving soon. . . ." There was a little pause. "It's been nice seeing you again," he added with an effort.

She sat staring down at her plate. Her pretty colour had faded; she was very pale, and she bit her lip hard to hide its trembling.

Suddenly she looked up at him.

ed it nervously. Micky watched her with apprehension; he knew what was coming, and his heart sank.

It only she would be contented to leave things as they were; if only she would accept the friendship he was willing to give and close the book of the past for ever.

He did not understand that it was because she cared for him so much that at the risk of losing her self-respect and pride she must ask him for the truth, must know . . .

He heard her catch her breath, then suddenly she spoke:

"Micky . . . why was it? What have I done?"

There was a quiver in her voice that set him on edge; he could not stand the sound of unhappiness in any woman's voice, and he had once thought he loved Marie.

He answered without looking at her, realising that it was kinder to tell her the truth straight out and have done with it.

"I meant to have written to you—I hope some day you will try and forgive me, but . . . but . . ." He could not go on for the life of him, but he had said enough, and he knew that she understood.

"You mean . . . you mean that there is some one else?" she asked with stiff lips.

"Yes." He looked at her white, stricken face, and felt himself a brute.

It seemed an eternity before she could steady her voice enough to speak.

"Is it—Is it some one I know?"

"No, dear," said Micky very gently. "It isn't any one you have ever seen."

She picked up her big muff suddenly and held it so that her face was hidden; the little word of endearment that had escaped Micky's lips had almost broken her down. This was the end of all she had ever hoped for, and for the moment she could not choke the anguish in her heart.

The following silence seemed unending; then she looked round for her gloves, and put them on, buttoning them with shaking fingers.

"I am ready if you are," she said. She did not look at him, but it felt like dying to walk beside him out of the shop and into the cold air and know that perhaps this was the last time they would ever be alone, he and she. Once her steps faltered a little, and Micky put out his hand to steady her, but she drew away from him.

"Please don't," she said in a whisper.

There was a taxi waiting at the roadside, and Micky called to the man. There was a slight cold drizzle of rain falling as he held open the door. He would have followed but she stopped him. "I should like to go alone, if you don't mind."

He looked up, and for a moment he saw her face in the light of the taxi lamp; such a white, quivering face it was.

"Marie! . . ." said Micky in a choked voice, but she waved him away.

He stood there on the kerb till the taxi had whirled out of sight, and once again he asked himself desperately if it were all worth while, if he were not throwing away the real thing for a chimera.

There was probably a no more unhappy man in London at that moment than Micky Mellows.

(To be continued)

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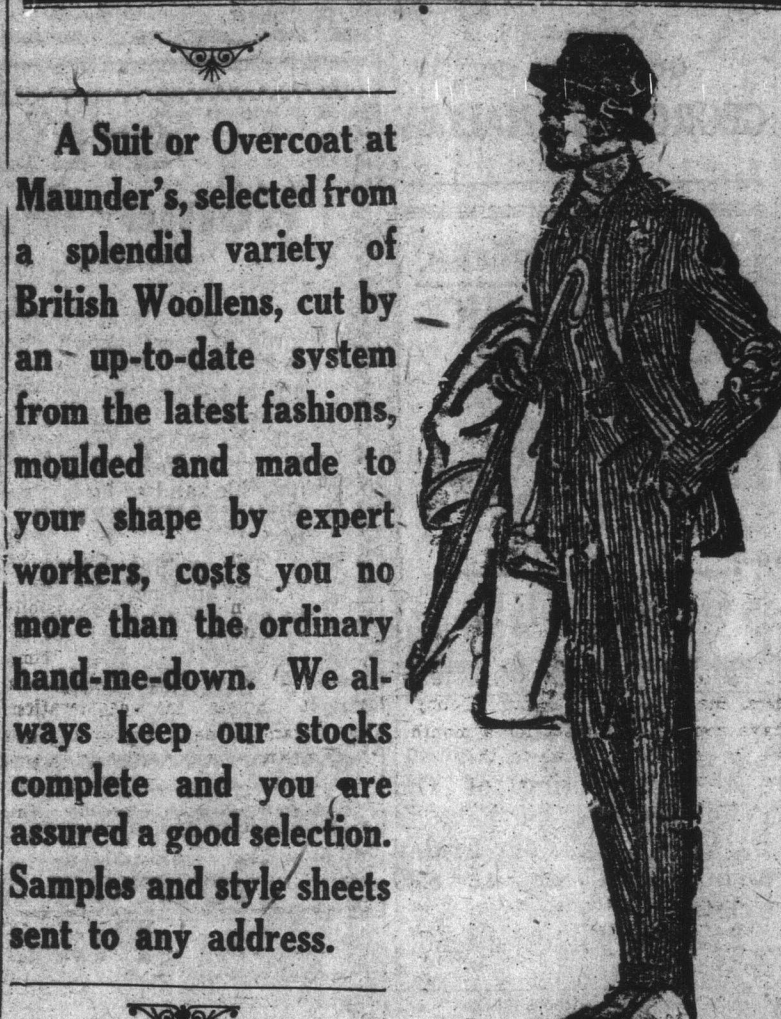
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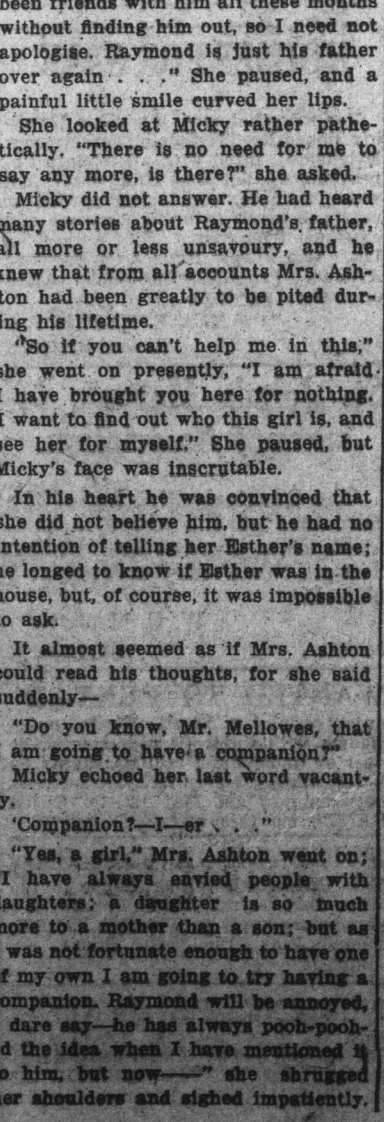
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The annual meeting of the District Grand Lodge of the Society of United Fishermen was held in Trinity on Monday and Tuesday in Easter Week. This Lodge is made up of representatives from six local Lodges, viz., Trinity, Trinity East, Bonavista, Amherst Cove, Catalina and Ireland's Eye. The representatives from Bonavista, Catalina and Amherst Cove came by Monday's express, and were met at the station by the officers of the Trinity Lodge, and taken to Garland Hotel. Those representatives were Messrs. John S. Rowell, John Rolfe, J. W. Lawrence, Robert Durdle, S. W. Miffin, Albert Haines and G. W. Miffin.

Trinity East and Port Rexton Lodges were represented by Messrs. John Fowlow, Robert Randell, Wm. R. Randell, and Thomas Fowlow, Ireland's Eye Lodge was not represented.

The four sessions held were presided over by John Rowell, Esq., D.G.M., and all the work that the members met to do was done, and the meetings were thoroughly enjoyed. On Monday evening they attended a meeting of the Local Lodge, during which old friendships and acquaintances were renewed, and new ones were added to the list. Speeches of a high order were made on both sides, and a thread of mutual admiration and loyalty to the Order ran through them all. The District represented by the meeting has a membership of one-fifth of the total membership in the Island; the total membership in the District being 887, which means an increase of 241 in four years. In the election of officers (the copy of which I have unfortunately mislaid) District Officer Samuel W. Miffin was elected to succeed Bro. John Rowell as D.G.M. Past D.G.M. Mr. John Rowell was elected delegate to the Supreme Grand Lodge. The most important subject discussed was the proposed Benevolent Insurance Scheme for the members of District No. 2. This scheme is intended to provide a definite sum of money sufficient to cover burial expenses of a member, in proportion to his age, at death. A graded scale of fees is paid by members of the scheme, to provide the mortality grant, is definitely tabulated in the draft submitted for discussion, and the rights and privileges of the members are carefully safeguarded. The scheme was unanimously adopted mutatis mutandis, and after being submitted, discussed and adopted by the other Lodges in the District it will be put in operation.

From the rough draft kindly handed me for perusal, I quote the following:
(2) "That every member joining insurance Scheme, shall pay an entrance fee of \$2.00 and be assessed a death of each member as follows, at time of joining:
Between 18 and 25 years ... 50c.
" 25 and 30 years ... 60c.
" 30 and 35 years ... 70c.
" 35 and 40 years ... 80c.
" 40 and 45 years ... 90c.
" 45 and 50 years ... \$1.10
(12) "Every applicant for Insurance shall deposit with his application a certificate from a doctor that he is in reasonably good health.
(10) "As soon as 100 members signify their willingness to join, the scheme is to be started."
A special meeting will be held at Amherst Cove in December next; and the next annual meeting will be held in Bonavista. When the delegates were ready to leave for their homes, they will set down to an informal tea at 10.30 p.m. in the Garland Hotel, at which a toast "to the Order of S.U.F." was proposed by D.G.M. Miffin and was drunk with aqua pura. In behalf of Mrs. Jenkins the proprietress, and the people of Trinity, Canon Lookyer assured them of a hearty welcome to Garland Hotel and to the town of Trinity, and bade them God-speed. This was responded to, in behalf of the Order, by Past D.G.M. Master Rowell, D.G. Master Miffin and Quarter Master Rolfe, after which a verse of the National Anthem was sung, and the delegates left for Trinity East to take the train for home.

On Saturday, Easter Even, we laid to rest in the Church of England Cemetery the body of Mrs. Lavina Morell, who never fully recovered from her first attack of paralysis, and to whom death came rapidly and suddenly with the second attack. R.I.P. Mrs. Morell was Miss Lavina Blandford. She was born in Greenspond, and was a daughter of Darius and Amelia Blandford. Her brothers, Hon. Samuel Blandford, Capt. Darius Blandford, and Capt. James Blandford died within the last few years; and her sisters Mrs. Ruxford, and Mrs. Skiffington are living in St. John's. She married Mr. Thomas Morell in 1893. Mr. Morell is a native of Jersey, and for several years he was agent in charge of a Jersey fishing establishment on Newfoundland Labrador, where Mrs. Morell accompanied him and spent the summers with him. In their early years of married life they spent the winter in Jersey; but after the war began they wintered at St. John's or Trinity. During the last few years (since the closing of the fishing station) they have lived here all the time. Mr. Morell will probably go home to Jersey, where several of his relatives still live, and where he has valuable property in his own right.

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FRY'S MILK CHOCOLATE CROQUETTES.

C. P. EAGAN,
Duckworth Street & Queen's Road

spent Easter at his home in Bonavista.
Guests at Garland Hotel—John S. Rowell, John Rolfe, J. W. Lawrence, Robert Durdle, S. W. Miffin, Albert Haines, G. W. Miffin, Walter Randell, William R. Randell—delegates to the S.U.F. District Grand Lodge Convention.
Miss Semerton, of the Bishop Spencer College Staff, is spending Easter vacation at home in Trinity.
Rev. Canon Lockyer did Priest duties at the Church of the Holy Martyrs, Port Union, on Easter Day. The services were well attended, and were heartily and devotionally rendered.

A RAY OF HOPE.
LONDON, April 6.
Another day of tense alternatives of hope and fear with one of the Prime Minister's characteristic eleventh hour interventions bringing renewed prospects that a grave industrial crisis will be averted he announced in the House of Commons to-night the willingness of the Government to participate in a conference to discuss the resumption of pumping before matters were considered. Informal conferences continued throughout the evening, moderated like Mr. Aquith, Lord Robert Cecil, Arthur Henderson and John Robert Clynes applying hard in an endeavour to induce the miners to relent on the question of pumping, and it was supposed that the whole question was turning on this slender hope. Premier Lloyd George had been absent during the latter hours of the debate on the situation but returned to the House unexpectedly at eleven o'clock and informed members that the Government had agreed to the course which it is believed practically involves the calling of a conference of owners and miners to discuss with the Government the difficulties relative to pumping mines before touching the question of wages and other matters involved in the demands of the men. What steps exactly had led up to this change of front are unknown as yet. Henderson who rose to reply to the Premier was clearly non-plused. He had, he said, to express regret that the Premier had not given notice of such an important statement, as Mr. Thomas, Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, and other leaders had gone home. As he had earlier explained the Miners' Federation would have to open the conference without condition on either side, but he had not had an opportunity to consult the Federation since the afternoon. Therefore he could not assume responsibility on the matter. He thought the only safe line would be for the Prime Minister to put his statement into a letter to officials for consideration.

Miss Marie Erlksen and Miss Mollie White, by their healthy and happy looks, and with their satisfied reports of life and doings at Bishop Spencer College and Lodge, are splendid advertisements of the Institution they represent. They, too, made their usual creditable showing at Easter examinations.

Mrs. Clara Duder, niece of the late Mrs. Morell, came to Trinity by Monday's express.

Mr. George Bartlett has gone to Old Perlican to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of the L.O.A., as a representative of the Lodge at Trinity.

Miss Nellie Pearcey, who had been looking after Mrs. Morell during her illness, returned to her home in St. John's this week.

Mr. Rankin, the Manager of the Royal Bank in Trinity, has made arrangements with headquarters to take his annual three weeks' holiday in April; and he will spend it with mother and friends in St. John's. We could not wish him a more enjoyable time than he expects to have.

The Easter Day services at St. Paul's were well attended, and were brightly and devotionally rendered. The offerings, during the day, were the Lenten Self-denial offerings of the congregation. All the services were conducted by the Rector, Rev. C. M. Stickines, with Miss Ash as organist.

The resignation of Rev. Hugh Blackledge, M.A. (Cantab.) as rector of the parish of Trinity East, went into effect on Easter Day, and he and Mrs. Blackledge and Master "Bobby" have gone to Bonavista for a month, at the expiration of which they will go to England. Mr. Blackledge came to Newfoundland a few years ago from the Canadian North West, where he did splendid work for God and the Church during the years that he had volunteered for service there. Rev. Canon Bayly was then fortunate enough to secure him as his assistant at Bonavista for a year or two, and then he was elected rector of the parish of Trinity East.

Mr. Blackledge represents a class of priests of such high scholastic and spiritual attainments, plus deep devotional life, as it is not often the privilege of outpost parishes to secure; and in any instance where such attainments and devotion have not been fully recognized and made helpful by the deepening of spiritual life, the fault is that of the individual parishioner, and his responsibility for such lost opportunities will be hard for him to account for, and may never come to him again. Mr. Blackledge's resignation means a distinct loss to every body who has known him either as a citizen or a priest—a loss to the parish and a loss to the diocese. We wish him, and Mrs. Blackledge and Master "Bobby," God-speed to the Old Land, and many happy years there. We can ill afford to lose him; but our loss will be a gain to others in another part of the same Holy Church.

Amongst the letters that I receive nearly every week, are some from those who wish to thank me for my articles in the Evening Telegram; this week brought me one from Rev. Henry C. H. Johnson, The Rector, North Cotes, S.O. Lines, England. Mr. Johnson writes: "I am always most interested in reading your communications to the Evening Telegram. I have never ceased to take a keen interest in the welfare of Trinity, and its people, and your most interesting notes bring back many old memories." It was kind of Mr. Johnson to write in this strain, and I appreciate his references to my notes. It was not necessary, however, for him to write to assure me (or any one in Trinity who knew him years ago) that he is still interested in Trinity. The interest that he took in us and ours during his incumbency here, and the many ways in which he gave evidence of it, was too deep and too real ever to be effaced. Nor is it by any means a coincidental interest; for he is still remembered, and often referred to in the most kindly way, and I doubt not that he has a place in the prayers of many of our people. Eternity alone

Imperial Prime Minister Optimistic.
Industrial Crisis Will be Averted-- Viviani Says Germany Must Meet Obligations--Steel and Coal Company's Merge With Halifax Shipyards.

sets forth the arguments of both sides, concluding with a strong repudiation of the accusation that the Government is engaged in a general attack on wages.
VIVIANI DEFENDS FRENCH CLAIMS.
NEW YORK, April 7.
An impassioned defense of French claims for German reparations was made here to-day by Rene Viviani, former Premier of France and now extraordinary envoy to the United States. In an address before a gathering of business men at the New York Chamber of Commerce he declared, "Germany has contracted debts, she shall and will pay them. Contrary to general belief" he continued, "this problem interests not only France and Germany but the whole world because peace which is so desirable among men will only flourish anew when economic balance which brings forth moral balance shall be re-established." He went into details in recounting the devastation caused by the German armies, pointing out that as a result of the war approximately ten million acres of French soil must be rehabilitated. Speaking on Germany's claim that she is being taxed beyond capacity to pay he said, "some have said that the claims of France were exaggerated. It is a lie. French experts have since the treaty lowered their claim and reduced their right. France has abandoned more than one-third of what she had the right of asking and very long delay is conceded to Germany."

MEBERG APPROVED.
HALIFAX, April 7.
Reports from Sydney and New Glasgow indicate that the meetings of shareholders of the Dominion Steel Corporation and the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company this afternoon approved of the proposed British Empire Steel merger. The Halifax Shipyards, the third party to the project, approved of the merger some time ago.

CANADA'S SURPLUS.
OTTAWA, April 6.
During the fiscal year which ended on March twenty-one, the ordinary revenue of the Dominion exceeded the ordinary expenditure by over ninety-four millions of dollars.

will reveal all the good he was instrumental in doing, during the years he labored in this part of the Master's Vineyard—all the Saints Salute him.

I also wish to thank "Correspondent" from Salvage for his kind references to my notes. I am sorry for his sake and mine, that I have well nigh exhausted my store of interesting memories of dear old Trinity. I have many others that I often refer to in private conversation, and at which I can laugh heartily; but there are several reasons why I cannot publish them.
—W.J.L.
Trinity, April 2nd.

Lord Morris Lectures.

A later issue of the London Tablet says, in honor to help the Dominican Fathers to establish their intended new foundation at Oxford, the Right Hon. Lord Morris of St. John's and of Waterford, former Premier of Newfoundland, kindly undertook to give a lantern lecture in the Hamstead Town Hall on the 17th inst. on "The Birth of the British Empire," a title that promises a most interesting talk on the country which Lord Morris has served so well.

Bright colored Oriental sashes are worn with dark street dresses. Long light sleeves of heavy beaded net are seen in evening dresses.

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Notes for Women.

Join the Suffrage League! Sign the Petition demanding that the women of Newfoundland be given the right to vote at Municipal and Parliamentary elections.
The Canadian Magazine says: "The organized work of women in the war, was probably the chief factor, in persuading Governments to extend the franchise, to approximately one hundred and twenty-five million women voters since 1914." What can reactionaries say in the face of that evidence?
Newfoundland is now the only civilized country in the world where women do not vote.
From morning till night the average woman is brought in close touch with the machinery of government. In the morning she faces the question of milk inspection. She sweeps-out dust and dirt from streets not properly cared for; children come sick from school, stricken by the spread of a contagious disease, through the carelessness of the Health Department. She shops, and pays an extra price because of the tariff, and so on, through the day—at every turn she is confronted by practical politics; and yet, in the face of innumerable daily incidents, it is maintained with incomprehensible bigotry that an interest in politics does not go hand-in-hand with the welfare of the home—Com.

MEN and WOMEN of Newfoundland
READ and THINK

MEN! Many of you are working three days instead of six. Many of you are not working at all. How are you going to strike a balance between half pay, no pay at all and living expenses?

WOMEN! Your men bring you home very light pay envelopes these days. Food and Clothes must be found. How are you going to make ends meet?

THE BIG REASON for your small pay envelope is NO WORK FOR YOUR MEN. This is largely your own fault because you buy imported goods, when you can buy the same article made by your own Husbands and Son in your own Island.

HELP YOURSELVES and help your men by buying goods made in Newfoundland. It means keeping your own homes together and keeping your pay envelope full enough to meet all requirements.

THE MONEY you spend in stores on goods made in Newfoundland comes back again in wages.—The money you spend in stores on imported goods keeps the home factory doors CLOSED and your men IDLE.

THINK !!!
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april 5, 1921, t.u. l. s.

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April 4, 21

Civic Commission.

WEEKLY MEETING.
The weekly meeting of the City Council was held yesterday afternoon. Acting Mayor Mullaly presided. Councillors Morris, Peet and Jackman were present.
The minutes of last meeting being confirmed the following matters were dealt with by the Board.
A communication was read from His Excellency the Governor respecting the erection of a War Memorial in St. John's. The Acting Mayor will interview His Excellency in the matter.
A petition was read from the City Plumbers protesting against a License being issued to Messrs. Hagen & Co., North Sydney to install plumbing and heating apparatus in the new Royal Bank of Canada building in course of construction, as the majority of the local contractors were not given an opportunity to tender, for this work. The Council is in full sympathy with the Plumbers grievance and were unanimous in the opinion that, in view of the present trade depression the contract should have been placed with the local men.
The opinion of the Solicitor is to be obtained with regard to this matter. Joe. McKinley will be granted per-

Shipping Notes.

mission subject to the Engineer's approval to bridge drain fronting his premises Lime Street.
J. J. Fleming applied for permit to install 1 1/2 h.p. motor on his premises, 84 Lime Street. Consideration was deferred for a week.
Angel & Pippy will be allowed to erect machinery in their building, Waldegrave Street, subject to the Engineer's approval.
Plans submitted to the Salvation Army for a Maternity Hospital, corner Pleasant Street and Cornwall Avenue were passed.
The following tenders were awarded:—Oats to Messrs. T. & M. Winter; Hose to Messrs. Wm. Heap & Co., Ltd.
A number of applications were received for the vacant position of Sanitary Inspector. These were ordered to stand over.
The question of remuneration paid the Mayor and Councillors was discussed. For many years past our City Government were paid the insufficient stipend of \$150.00 each per annum while the Civic Commission of 1914-16 received no remuneration whatsoever. In view of the present inadequate sum paid the Mayor and Councillors and considering the time given civic matters it was decided that section of the Charter so that Members of the Council may in future be paid an amount adequate to the services rendered.
Reports of City Engineer, Health Officer, etc., were read.
Pay Rolls and Bills presented were ordered paid after which the meeting adjourned.

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Barq. Czarina is now ready to leave Barbados for this port with the first cargo of this season's molasses shipments.
S.S. Sachem which has been undergoing repairs in England during the past two months, leaves Liverpool for this port on April 16th.

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House of Assembly.

April 7th. The House met at 3 p.m.

Notices of Question were given by Messrs J. R. Bennett, MacDonnell, McGee, Simpson, Walsh, Vinnicombe, Capt. Lewis, Sir M. P. Cashin and Dr. Jones.

The Premier tabled answer to question concerning notes. He informed the House that the Public Accounts will shortly be tabled.

In reply to Mr. Bennett the Minister of Public Works said the reply to the question of the cost of addition to the Post Office was in course of preparation.

To Mr. Moore the Hon. Minister said the amount to the credit of the Road Commission is \$22,000, whilst the expenditure amounted to \$19,000. No member of the road commission had received remuneration.

Some argument arose over the failure of the Minister of Public Works to produce certain original bills asked for. Sir M. P. Cashin insisted on their production.

The Minister of Shipping informed Capt. Lewis that the salt situation is quite good.

In reply to Mr. MacDonnell the Premier said the Government had no interest in the aeroplanes. The airships at Botwood were a donation from the Imperial Government. The Government had agreed to pay half the liability of the sailing planes to a maximum of \$25,000.

The Minister of Public Works told Mr. Fox that the total insurance carried on Government buildings was \$1,113,700.

The Premier told Mr. Higgins that the Commercial Cable Co. has paid \$123,125 into the Treasury.

The Premier informed Sir Michael Cashin that no amount was paid by the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co. The matter is being arbitrated on.

Mr. MacDonnell then rose to speak on the Address in Reply. In his usual capable style Mr. MacDonnell arraigned the Government for its frightful blunders and at times actually made the Government members squirm under the lash of his arraignment.

He referred to the Finance Minister's attempt to lecture the House on Political Economy and his assertion that a surplus was harmful to a country. The result was we were \$5,000,000 to the bad. He also spoke of the overcrowding of public offices. In referring to the large number of people sent abroad to study to become school inspectors he advised them to learn navigation so that they can get out of one another's way. He castigated the Premier for the insulting answer received to his question concerning the Lobelia. Despite the Government's sneers and the caustic comments of the Government press, Mr. MacDonnell said that the Opposition were going to tell what they thought the true story. He disagreed with the statement of the Minister of Public Works that the Fish Regulations were passed with the unanimous decision of the House. He had protested and had been responsible in passing an amendment and he was safe in going to his district to-day, a thing that certain members of the Government could not do. He was surprised at the fact that several members had stood behind Mr. Coaker and let him put their constituents out of business. He next referred to an article in the Star of April 2nd, an attack on himself. He compared this article with an old time melodrama in which he was the principal villain. He had been accused of having been elected through Mr. Squires. The only help he had had from the Premier was \$700 towards campaign expenses which, he said, had been returned by him to the Premier when he severed his connection with the Liberal Reform party.

The Premier: "That is correct. Mr. MacDonnell's eyes, and without a lawyer's letter." Continuing, he again referred to the Fish Regulations and appealed to the members for West Coast districts to tell the truth conditions before the Debate was over. According to the feelings of the people of Bay of Islands there would be no torchlight procession for the Minister of Marine and Fisheries if he went down there now. The hon. member went on to speak of the Railway and stated that the Government estimated a loss of \$1,000 a day in running it. The Reid had now got the Government where they wanted it. The first time the directors of the Reid Company went to sleep with easy minds was when they unloaded that pile of junk on the Government

and got well paid for doing it. Even now the Reid influence was predominating in the Railway Commission for three of the five members are directors of the Company. He mentioned the dangers arising out of unemployment and said that the breaking point might yet come. He saw no way out of the present mess but for Newfoundland to become either a Crown Colony or to enter into Confederation with Canada. Both ways were rotten ones and the Government which will bring us to that will never be forgotten by the people. He believed the Fish Regulations were responsible for the present situation and said that it would never pay to catch four or five dollar fish while there is \$15 four. Mr. MacDonnell dwelt at length on that. Minute of Council which gave to Mr. Coaker the right to spend \$500,000 to further certain private interests. The man Coaker ruined had to help buy Coaker's fish. He continued for some time with his criticism of the Government and shortly before 6 p.m. brought his splendid address to a close amidst volumes of applause.

Mr. Vinnicombe was the next member to speak to the Address in Reply. He also made the usual congratulatory remarks and in a humorous way criticized the speech from the Throne and held it up to ridicule. He mentioned the snow, shovelling at Harbor Main. The Government could not give \$5,000 to help the poor of the city set work, but they gave out \$7,000 in the district of Mr. Main while the bye-election was on. Speaking of the Fish Regulations Mr. Vinnicombe said that the Coaker members had to vote for their leader.

Mr. Targett: "No."

Mr. Vinnicombe: "What's your fate if you don't?"

Mr. Targett: "That's to myself."

Mr. Vinnicombe: "No, that's to Coaker."

When Mr. Vinnicombe alluded to the increase of sessional pay, Mr. Targett said he was not in town at the time.

Mr. Vinnicombe: "But you got the increase."

Mr. Targett: "You got it too."

Mr. Vinnicombe: "Yes and needed it."

Mr. Vinnicombe then spoke at length on the way the Government had neglected the soldiers. Talking of the snow shovelling at Mr. Main he said when Mr. Jennings stated that he (Mr. Vinnicombe) didn't belong to the district, that he did and he helped to win it. "That was why," he said, "he was one of the most important men in the House."

Mr. Vinnicombe continued in the same strain until the tea hour. After the evening session had begun he continued his speech for nearly an hour.

He was followed by Mr. Fox. In one of the most eloquent addresses ever made within the walls of the Assembly. After the usual congratulatory remarks and an expression of sympathy on the death of the late Hon. W. B. Greive, he attacked the Fish Regulations and simply tore them to shreds. For a considerable time he dealt with this all important matter and as his eloquence was matched equally by his irony, the Government members simply scurried. He also spoke of our Trade Agents and spoke of the discrimination shown by them in selling fish. There were three questions he would like the Government to answer. Was the Trade Commission at Oporto selling for the F.P.U.? Did Mr. Coaker sell two or three cargoes of his own fish whilst at Oporto at 50 shillings and 60 shillings, when the regulated price was 72s and 77s? In spite of the standardization regulations did a vessel load at Port Union with Talqual? He then went on to deal with every section of the speech from the Throne. Speaking of the Labrador Boundary Question he remarked that never before was the Confederation issue so alive before Newfoundland as it was to-night. Dealing with last year's Budget Speech he said that no more attempt to co-ordinate expenditure with income was made by this Government than it has made to justify its promises. Taxation had been increased by augmenting the expenditures by \$2,300,000. As regards the German

Indemnity he thought it was affronting on the part of the Government to mention it in the speech from the Throne, when there were people starving on the streets. One thing was certain, however, there was no desire in certain the President and his cabinet. His duty was to be in this country in June and not attending any Imperial Conference. After touching on some minor matters Mr. Fox turned to the Audit Act and the use that had been made of it by Mr. Coaker. Coaker had come in on the price of fish, and just as surely as the sun sets he will go out on the price of fish. He would propose a fourth question for the Government to answer. Was the cargo of the schr. "President Coaker" bought on Government account and with Government money? Mr. Fox then made a quotation which ran somewhat as follows: "The greatest happiness on earth is to be born an imbecile for an imbecile will never understand truth." He did not wish to imply that any gentleman opposite were deficient in that respect, but he would change the quotation thus: "The greatest happiness on earth is to be born an F.P.U. man, because an F.P.U. man will never politically understand the truth." When he thus spoke the Prime Minister rushed to the reporters' box to have the words taken down accurately. Mr. Fox seeing Mr. Squires moving to the reporters' box then intimated that to-morrow there would be glaring headlines in the Government press about the way in which he had insulted the F.P.U. Fearing he would be misquoted he deliberately and slowly repeated twice over the quotation given above, again intimating that of course he meant no such imputation as the Prime Minister would in this organ to-day place upon it. He then recalled to the House an instance when he was deliberately misquoted last year when he introduced the Sealing Bill. The Star announced at that time he had called the sealers dirty. Mr. Fox appealed to Mr. Warren and F.P.U. members as to the correctness of his statement when he said the words were never used by him, but came from a remark made by Mr. Winsor, the member for Bonavista. Mr. Warren upheld Mr. Fox and stated that he had done all he could to try and keep the press supporting the Government within the bounds. He could do no more. Mr. Fox explained how he had set right an opposition paper last year when Mr. Warren had been blamed in the wrong and Mr. Warren again upheld Mr. Fox's statements. Of course it will be amusing to-day to read the Government press on the quotation of Mr. Fox, but if that gentleman will look up the issues of the Daily Star for 1915-16-17-18 and a part of 1919 he will find in the columns of that paper unmistakable and brazen evidence of the attempt by that paper to destroy the President of the F.P.U. The Salt question also received a great deal of attention. A little salt would not do the Minister of Posts any harm, said Mr. Fox, because he was a bit too fresh. He then asked yet another question of the Government—What firm owes \$60,000 for salt? The Government members were digging their own graves and he hoped he would be there to attend the obsequies. Sugar was the next matter to occupy Mr. Fox's attention and a detailed report of his observations on this all important question will be found in another column. Next came the Railway, and here, said Mr. Fox, began the Gospel according to Saint William. The railway, he said, sometimes justifies its existence and most times does not. Especially is the latter true since the Railway Commission took over the control. In a manner which would brook no denial, Mr. Fox condemned Government Control of Railways, and particularly control of our railway by our Government. If they had sold the people on the railway way deal, what is there to prevent the Government selling them an ever-shining disc? The only thing the people should have for the Government were whips made out of scorpions with which to drive them out of Newfoundland. Neither the Premier nor the Minister of Justice was responsible for the Railway Commission, so now let it be found out who was by the process of elimination. He went

on to speak of the illegal use of public funds. Here, noticing the junior member for Bay de Verde, Mr. LeGrow, smiling, he challenged him to go to his district and face him on a platform. A short passage of words occurred and Mr. LeGrow then rose to a point of order. There being no point, however, he sat down again and told Mr. Fox to carry on. Mr. Fox then remarked that the hon. member's incapacity showed up the incapacity of the Government for there could not be a sound branch on a rotten tree. Some cross-talking also occurred between Mr. Fox and Mr. Targett, which led to the latter remarking: "You mean I'd walk over to the other side?"

Mr. Fox: "We haven't flattered ourselves to that extent yet."

In passing some remarks on postponing Mr. Fox said that the Sugar Board was the most notorious pro-ducer in the country. He then arraigned Mr. Coaker for his conduct in various matters and brought his most telling and eloquent address to a close at 1.35 a.m. Mr. Moore then moved the adjournment of the Debates, which resumes this afternoon at the usual hour, with the junior member for Ferryland as the next speaker.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

FRIDAY, April 8th, 1921.

- (1) Presenting Petitions. (2) Presenting Reports of Standing Select Committees. (3) Giving Notice of Motion and Questions.

NOTICE OF QUESTION.

Mr. Bennett—To ask the Hon. the Prime Minister if it is the intention of the Government to have a Census taken this year; if so, who will be in charge of the work, what will be the cost of the same, and what is the date fixed for the enumeration of the people.

Mr. Bennett—To ask the Hon. the Prime Minister, in the absence of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, as Chairman of the Railway Commission; on what he bases the claim that Argentina will be a satisfactory point of export for the pulp and paper supplies of the Colony in view of the fact that the Placentia Branch Railway was blocked with snow for many weeks past during the winter, and that Placentia Bay was blocked with ice the same way, and to lay on the Table of the House (a) a statement showing the various dates between which Placentia and Argentinia were inaccessible to the coastal boats plying in Placentia Bay, and (b) a statement showing the amount of cargo lost during the winter.

Sir M. P. Cashin—To ask the Minister of Shipping to lay on the Table of the House a statement of the items making up the sum of \$63,332.35 shown as having been paid during 1919-20 for the purchase of the S.S. Watchful; and the sum of \$22,866.35 for the purchase of steamers; with copies of all correspondence and documents in relation to both items.

Sir M. P. Cashin—To ask the Hon. the Prime Minister in the absence of the Hon. Minister of Marine and Fisheries, if some time ago Mr. F. H. Higgins was appointed a Trade Commissioner from this Colony to Canada; if Mr. Hue went to Canada to try and make sales of our fish, if Mr. Hue after reaching there communicated with the Fisheries Department to the effect that he could sell some thousands of quintals of our fish at a certain figure, if he was advised in reply that the F.P.U. could and would furnish the fish at a somewhat higher figure, if the proposal came to nothing, because the price asked by the F.P.U. was too high, if any steps were taken to appoint other fish exporting firms of this order of Mr. Hue's to give them an opportunity to supply this fish and if not why not; and to lay on the Table of the House a copy of all correspondence and documents in relation to the said matter.

Sir M. P. Cashin—To ask the Minister of Shipping to lay on the Table of the House a statement showing the details of three sums aggregating nearly \$72,000.00, transferred from the Surplus Trust Fund during 1920-21, to the account of his Department, and also copies of all correspondence and other documents in relation thereto.

Sir M. P. Cashin—To ask the Hon. Minister of Shipping to lay on the Table of the House a statement showing (a) the purpose for which Mr. J. B. Patton was paid three sums aggregating \$184,000.00 from the Surplus Trust Fund, during 1920-21; (b) giving

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connection with the purchase of this salt; and if so, to say what commission, if any, he received in connection therewith. Sir M. P. Cashin—To ask the Hon. Minister of Shipping to lay on the Table of the House a statement showing the details of three sums aggregating nearly \$72,000.00, transferred from the Surplus Trust Fund during 1920-21, to the account of his Department, and also copies of all correspondence and other documents in relation thereto. Sir M. P. Cashin—To ask the Hon. the Prime Minister if the Government has been in negotiation with Mr. H. J. Crowe for transfer to him, or any company to be formed by him, of the railroad system of the Colony at the end of the present fiscal year and if so to lay on the Table of the House a copy of all correspondence, Minutes of the Council and other documents in relation thereto. Sir M. P. Cashin—To ask the Hon. the Prime Minister, in the absence of the Hon. the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, if the latter, as Chairman of the Railway Commission, some months ago authorized a payment of one hundred and forty thousand dollars or thereabouts to the Reid Newfoundland Company for stocks of various kinds held in their establishments at St. John's and along the Railway lines, taken over by the Railway Commission for the purposes of operating the Railroad system; if the said money was paid without any inventory or cheque as to the goods being there; if no inventory was taken, why not; and if in the latter event, what alternative measures have been adopted to assure the Colony that the property was in existence for which these payments were made. Mr. MacDonnell—To ask the Hon. Minister of Education to lay on the Table of the House a statement showing the distribution of the sum of \$32,588.00, transferred from Surplus Trust Fund Account during 1920 to the account of his Department, and to lay on the Table of the House copy of all correspondence and other documents in relation thereto. Mr. Moore—To ask the Hon. the Prime Minister to lay on the Table of the House a statement showing all amounts, if any, paid to the Hon. S. J. Foote, K.C., for services, and (b) for expenses in connection with the acquisition of Mr. C. R. Thompson's house on Water Street West for a Military Hospital, and copy of the House a statement showing (a) the estimate, (b) the actual expenses from here to point, (c) receipts of the House, (d) the actual expenses from here to point, (e) the actual expenses from here to point, (f) the actual expenses from here to point, (g) the actual expenses from here to point, (h) the actual expenses from here to point, (i) the actual expenses from here to point, (j) the actual expenses from here to point, (k) the actual expenses from here to point, (l) the actual expenses from here to point, (m) the actual expenses from here to point, (n) the actual expenses from here to point, (o) the actual expenses from here to point, (p) the actual expenses from here to point, (q) the actual expenses from here to point, (r) the actual expenses from here to point, (s) the actual expenses from here to point, (t) the actual expenses from here to point, (u) the actual expenses from here to point, (v) the actual expenses from here to point, (w) the actual expenses from here to point, (x) the actual expenses from here to point, (y) the actual expenses from here to point, (z) the actual expenses from here to point.

MUTT AND JEFF. JEFF'S IDEA OF A PUNK TIME-PIECE IS A SUN-DIAL. —By Bud Fisher. JEFF, RUN DOWN IN THE YARD AND SEE WHAT TIME IT IS BY THE SUN-DIAL! WHY DON'T YOU LOOK AT YOUR WATCH! I SOLD IT AND BOUGHT A SUN-DIAL. THERE'S CLASS TO A SUN-DIAL! ANYBODY CAN GUN A DOLLAR WATCH! THAT'S THE DARNDEST LOOKING TIME-PIECE I EVER SAW! THE BEAUTY ABOUT A SUN-DIAL IS THAT THERE'S NO MECHANISM TO GET OUT OF ORDER. ALL YOU NEED TO TELL THE TIME IS THE SUN—AND THAT'S DIRT-CHEAP! HERE, MUTT, YOU'LL HAVE TO TELL THE TIME YOURSELF! IT'S LIKE A CHINESE PUZZLE TO ME! YOU POOR SAP!

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Mr. Lewis—To ask the Hon. the Prime Minister if Mr. Collishaw was recently appointed a member of the Codfish Exportation Board, if such appointment was made at the instance of the Hon. Minister of Marine and Fisheries and to lay on the Table of the House a copy of the telegram or letter from the Minister recommending Mr. Collishaw for the appointment and to state what are Mr. Collishaw's qualifications for such a position.

Dr. Jones—To ask the Prime Minister if the Government has granted any concessions to Ben Stafford, H. M. Moedell and S. D. Blandford, or any of them in connection with the building of a proposed hotel in St. John's, and to lay a copy of the Order-in-Council or other communication embodying the same on the Table of this House; also to state if the capitalization of the proposed hotel is to be a million dollars and if these parties are to receive \$200,000.00 in stock for their services in the promotion of the said Company, and if this amount of stock or any amount of stock these parties are to receive for their said services, is to be included within the guarantee to be paid by this country.

Dr. Jones—To ask the Hon. Minister of Public Works to lay on the Table of the House

(a) A copy of any message received from the Chairman of the Road Board of Conception Harbor, relative to the snow blockade on or about February 10th last, and a copy of the reply given, if any;

(b) The original returns for the amounts expended for snow shovelling in the District of Mr. Main from February 1st to date.

(c) What amounts were so expended in Topsail and to Maryvale.

(d) From what funds were those expenditures made.

Mr. Shmott—To ask the Hon. the Minister of Public Works who are the Board of Governors at the General Hospital; when they were appointed; if their appointment conforms with the terms of the Act creating the Board, which provides that the Board shall hold office for three years, and if not on what authority are they performing the functions of a Board and how long does the Government propose to permit this irregularity, if any, to continue.

Mr. Walsh—To ask the Hon. Minister of Shipping to lay on the Table of the House statement showing in detail the purposes for which the sum of \$57,247.33 was transferred from the Surplus Trust Fund during 1920-21, to the account of the Department of Shipping, and also to table copies of all correspondence and other documents in relation thereto.

Mr. Walsh—To ask the Hon. the Prime Minister, in the absence of the Hon. Minister of Marine and Fisheries, as Chairman of the Railway Commission, to lay on the Table of the House a statement showing:

(a) The estimated cost of the regular express train that proceeds from here three times a week to points on the Bonavista Branch and return, and the receipts and expenditures to cover the period from the first of July, 1920, to March, 31st, 1921. Also to state for what period a dining car was carried, on that train, what is the daily cost of the said dining car, and what the receipts therefrom and why the dining car was dropped from the train, and whether it would not have been better to have sent a daily express across country and made connection with points on the Bonavista Branch from that express as in previous years; also, if a daily express is to be run this year, if any additional rolling stock has been provided for the same, and if a daily express is to be run, what service is to be provided for points on the Bonavista Branch.

Mr. Vinloombe—To ask the Hon. Minister of Shipping to lay on the Table of the House statement showing the details of \$25,434.50 transferred from the Surplus Trust Fund on account of his Department, and also to table copies of all correspondence in relation thereto.

ORDER OF THE DAY.
Address in Reply.
Committee of the Whole on Bill entitled, "An Act to amend the Women's Patriotic Trust Fund, 1920."

Second Reading of Bill entitled, "An Act respecting the encouragement of Sheep Farming."
Second Reading of Bill entitled, "An Act to amend the Crown Lands Act, 1918"

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Second Reading of Bill entitled, "An Act respecting the Board of Pension Commissioners."
Second Reading of Bill entitled, "An Act respecting the Cutting and Exportation of Timber for special purposes."
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"The Story of the Alabama."
Fifty years ago this month the Joint High Commission which arranged the Treaty of Washington was in session. This commission upon which Sir John A. Macdonald was one of the British representatives, met primarily for the purpose of finding a solution of the famous "Alabama Claims." These claims arose out of the destruction wrought by the filibustering Confederate cruiser Alabama on the shipping of the Federal States.
The story of the Alabama, which was like an old romance of the sea, may well be recalled. On April 19, 1861, Abraham Lincoln, as a war measure, blockaded the Southern ports. Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy, at once issued "letters of marque and reprisal" to any vessels wishing to prey upon the merchant marine of the North, and the Alabama became, some time later, chief of a privateering fleet that wrought almost incalculable damage on the highways of the sea.
The Alabama was built by Messrs. Laird of Birkenhead, on the Mersey River, in 1862, and was known in the yards as "No. 290." Representations were made by the Federal States to Earl Russell as to the character of the vessel and the obvious purpose of her construction. After the usual official delay further pressure was brought to bear on the British Gov-

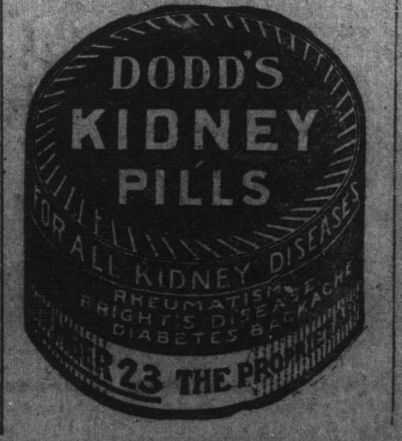
ernment and the opinion was emphasized that the builders of ships of war in British yards for the Southern Confederacy was a breach of the neutrality declared by Queen Victoria as the attitude of her Government toward the American Civil War.
Finally the Government took action, and it was decided to seize the vessel on July 29, 1862. On July 28 "No. 290" sailed down the Mersey on a trial trip—and never returned. Messrs. Laird Bros. put up a vigorous argument in support of their conduct. The contract, they said, had been received in the ordinary routine of business; there was no secrecy about building operations, and, when completed, the vessel was handed over to the purchaser, who took it away. It was simply an unarmed cruiser—"had not as much as a signal gun or a musket." The vessel lay for several days off the Anglesey coast, but there was no attempt at pursuit.
She then proceeded to the Azores, where she was met by two ships from Liverpool carrying her armament, was fitted out as a privateer, christened "The Alabama," and given in charge of Captain Semmes of the Southern Confederacy. She then fared forth on a career of destruction not since equalled, even in the late war, by one vessel. The Alabama captured and destroyed more than seventy vessels, and caused the transfer of 348 Federal ships, of 250,000 tonnage, to the British flag. The little privateer was a wooden

barkentine-rigged screw steamer of eleven knots. There was no limit to the field of her operations, and one of her wild cruises took her as far as the Cape of Good Hope. But it could not last forever. On June 28, 1864, the Alabama was drawn into battle off Cherbourg with the Kearsage, and, after two hours' fighting, was sunk. This little terror of the ocean had a great day, and there has grown around the record of her exploits a wealth of literature quite equal to the best fiction about the sea.
Immense claims for damages were made by the United States upon Britain after the Civil War, and there was danger of serious international trouble. There was undoubtedly in high circles in the United Kingdom much sympathy for the Confederacy. Gladstone, speak-

ing of Jefferson Davis, said in his praise and honor: "He has called a nation into existence," and Earl Russell stated sympathetically that "the North was fighting for empire; the South for independence."
The enormous claims put in by the States called for "indirect damages" caused not only by the building of ships for the South, but resulting also from official sympathy, which, it was asserted, had helped to prolong the war.
The outcome of the gathering of the Joint High Commission at Washington was that of the "Alabama Claims" question was referred to what became known as the Geneva Convention, which met in Geneva in December, 1871. This Arbitration Board was composed of Britain, one representative; Italy, one; Brazil, one; Swiss Confederation, one; and United States, one. After being almost a year in deliberation an award was made September 14, 1872, finding Britain responsible for deprivations, caused chiefly by the Alabama, to the extent of \$15,500,000. This sum was promptly paid, the threatened trouble passed away, and a great victory was recorded for international arbitration.
It is interesting to recall that shortly after the Civil War, Mr. Reverdy Johnson, American Minister in England, was tendered a banquet at Liverpool, at which Mr. Laird, builder of the Alabama, and Mr. Gladstone were guests. The Jingoes of that day raised the cry that the

American Minister would humiliate himself if he sat at table with these two men. But Mr. Johnson was a man of common sense and he dined on this occasion with Mr. Gladstone on one hand and Mr. Laird on the other—and the interesting trio enjoyed an interesting meal.—Hugh V. Ferguson, in The Toronto Globe.

while the simple grace is spoken. And I like to do the carving and the serving, and I tell you that one meal at home beats forty—that some hotel has to sell you.
So while others praise the cooking of some white-capped chef who favors his gravies rich with spices, I've a humbler taste which favors Just the simpler meals of home-land—and full many a time I mutter Prayers of gratitude and gladness just for good old bread and butter.



Note of Thanks.
FROM N.L.W.A. "LADIES' BRANCH."
The President, Executive and members of the N.L.W.A. wish to express their thanks to Acting Mayor J. J. Mullaly, Esq., for paying all expenses of the tea given the girls at the close of their regular meeting, which was held in the L.S.P.U. Hall on Wednesday evening; also they wish to thank Mr. Stemp of the L.S.P.U. for the donation of \$5.00 towards their Charity Fund.—adv.

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Evening Telegram

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

Friday, April 8, 1921.

Government Blundering.

On Wednesday and yesterday we called public attention to two phases of Government extravagances...

tions. Surely things have come to a pretty pass if fair criticism cannot be offered on public matters without having paid public officials determining what shall or what shall not be said or commented upon with regard to their public doings...

The Telegram could not retain possession of the title of the "People's Paper" if it deliberately condoned the usurpation of popular business by any class or clique...

Cathedral Parishioners Meet.

The annual meeting of the members of the Cathedral Parish was held last night in the Synod Hall. Rev. Canon Jeeves, Rector, acted as president.

CHURCH WARDENS.

Cathedral—Rector's Warden, T. A. Hall, C.B.E.; People's Warden, John Davey.

SELECT VESTRY.

Sir J. Outerbridge, Sir Wm. Howard, G. House, G. R. Williams, J. Gould, C. McK. Harvey, S. G. Collier, F. C. Grant, E. W. LeMessurier, W. N. Gray, N. Snow, W. J. Martin.

CEMETERY COMMITTEE.

S. G. Collier, W. N. Gray, F. C. Grant, C. Godden, Hon. S. D. Blanford.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

J. Davey, Chairman; C. B. Dicks, Secy.-Treas.; Wm. Godden, W. Gardner, W. Lampen, B. H. Shears, W. Ritchcock, E. Antle, R. Learning, G. Davey, S. Gill, R. Gabriel, A. Feaver, T. Crossman, E. T. Snow.

DELEGATES TO DIOCESAN SYNOD.

John Davey, J. M. Carberry. AUDITORS. E. W. LeMessurier, T. Collingwood, W. J. Martin.

GENERAL PROTESTANT INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY.

Thomas Peel, J. Davey.

M. C. L. I.

The annual meeting of the Methodist College Literary Institute was held last evening, when the following officers to direct its affairs for the ensuing year were elected:

Funeral Arrangements Made.

The body of the young man Anthony McGrath, who was killed in France while fighting with the American forces, and which will arrive here tomorrow morning by s.s. Kyle, will be conveyed to the G.W.V.A. Rooms, a Guard of Honor being supplied by H.M.S. Briton, whilst the members of the Great War Veterans' Executive will act as pall-bearers.

Died at Pasadena.

News was received in town recently of the death at Pasadena, California, on March 12th of Mr. Jack Rendell, son of Mr. A. S. Rendell, principal of the firm of A. S. Rendell & Co. The late Mr. Rendell was about 30 years of age and had been residing in California for some years.

McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, April 8. To-day we are pleased to be able to announce the advent of two specialties much asked for of late—Johnson's Baby Powder, and Colgate's Colgate Soap, both of which have just come in. Price (Johnson's Powder) 30c a tin; (Colgate Soap) 25c a cake.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind Northwest, light weather, dull; the S.S. Rosalind passed West at 4 p.m. yesterday; nothing sighted to-day; Bar, 30.35; Ther, 59.

Where the Money Goes.

THE POST OFFICE ADDITIONS. In reply to a question asked the previous day by Mr. Bennett, the Minister of Public Works yesterday tabled the following statement:

A contract has been made with Benjamin Bowering for an extension on the west side of the General Post Office building. The extension will provide for the telegraph delivery, also facilities for the parcel post and additional room for operators.

The Superintendent of Public Works estimates the total cost of the extension, including plumbing, heating and lighting equipment, will be \$115,000.

THE ROAD COMMISSION.

In answer to Mr. Moore, the Minister of Public Works stated that \$19,611.82 had been spent on Road Commission account during the past year.

TRADE AGENTS.

In reply to a question asked by Mr. MacDonnell, the following very interesting and illuminating statement, showing the names of the Commissioners, their scene of activity and their salaries and expenses was tabled yesterday:

H. H. Batoon, Barbados, B.W. Indies—\$7,986.23. A. E. Bernard, Genoa, Italy—\$5,108.76. J. B. Butler, Italy and Greece, temporary—\$3,455.64. J. M. Devine, New York, U.S.A.—\$2,884.36. A. C. Goodridge, Liverpool, England—\$5,392.61. H. H. Watson, Malaga, Spain—\$5,353.23. G. Murcell, Patras, Greece—\$4,697.88. S. Smith, Lisbon and Oporto, Portugal—\$12,030.03. Altogether they have drawn \$49,798.29.

THE RAILWAY.

In reply to a question regarding the operation of the railway, the Premier, a day or two ago, tabled a statement which said amongst other things:

The only Commissioner who receives a salary as such is Mr. T. A. Hall, the Government Engineer, who is the Secretary of the Commission. His remuneration is at the rate of \$5,000 per annum.

The amount paid by the Colony in connection with the construction, equipment and operation is \$1,500,000, and the amount estimated as necessary to complete the work estimated to be completed for construction, equipment and operation to the 30th day of June next is approximately \$1,000,000.

Supreme Court.

BEFORE FULL BENCH. David Kelly vs. Wm. Mitchell. Mr. Higgins for plaintiff moves for May 12th for hearing. Mr. H. A. Winter consents. It is ordered accordingly.

Fred J. Roll, Plaintiff vs. Allen F. Long. Mr. McNeilly for plaintiff opens case and calls the plaintiff, Fred J. Roll, who is sworn and examined. Conveyances put in evidence. Mr. Hunt cross examined witness. Witness examined by Justice Johnson.

Fredrick Long sworn and examined by Mr. Hunt. The further hearing is postponed until Thursday, April 14th, at 11 a.m.

Second Arrival From the Icefields.

S.S. Eagle, Capt. E. Bishop, arrived in port from the icefields at 7 a.m. The Eagle reports for 7,000 young seals. The crew are in good health, despite the stormy spring. During the early part of the season, Eagle had a lot of damage done to her upper works by a collision with the Thetis. Stands under the bridge, several boats and galleys were smashed to splinters, but fortunately no one was injured.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind Northwest, light weather, dull; the S.S. Rosalind passed West at 4 p.m. yesterday; nothing sighted to-day; Bar, 30.35; Ther, 59.

Thursday, the fourth day of the sale of "Ruddigore" tickets. Get yours before it is too late.

Winner in Baking Competition.

Carboner, April 7.—Amid much excitement Carboner ably sustained its reputation, winning first and second prizes in the big Windsor Patent Competition held here this afternoon and night, with Heart's Content winning the third. Mrs. John P. Powell had the Blue Ribbon loaf with Mrs. Will Cameron second. Third prize went to Mrs. B. Cooper, Heart's Content.

Seen From the Gallery.

Yesterday's sitting of the House was most interesting and the Gallery was not behind in appreciation and applause of the various speakers on the Opposition side. In the afternoon the honorable members on the Government side stuck closely to their seats while the member for St. George's held the floor. They did not know the minute a bombshell (verbal) would be thrown into their ranks by Mr. MacDonnell, and so sat tight, alternately hoping and fearing.

The Honorable Minister of Public Works looked sort of "wiggly" when criticism of the out of reason expenditure for snow shovelling in Harbour Main district during the bye-election were being made, and attempted to palliate the enormous outlay for this purpose by suggesting that it was to facilitate the conveyance of the ballot boxes. The Gallery did not think that Mr. Jennings would resort to such contemptible subterfuge, even to excuse a political exigency. But feet of clay sometimes adorn the most popular idol.

With the arrival of "His Excellency" the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, the Gallery suggests to the attendants of the House that they remove all the inkblots in the desks of Government members, fearing a repetition of something which occurred during the session of 1919, when the leader of the P.P.U. attempted to make use of these articles of glass-ware as lethal weapons to his own discomfort and the enjoyment of spectators.

It was noticeable that on more than one occasion during the afternoon and evening sessions that the Speaker looked bored, the Premier vacuous, the Minister of Justice uncomfortable, the Minister of Posts nervous, whilst nothing appeared to disturb the imperturbability of the Minister of Education, though the jubilation of the Minister of Shipping was in close proximity to the waistcoat of Hon. Dr. Barnes.

The constitution of the House this session is rather complex. Chesk by jowl with Northern (F.P.U.) members, sit Western representatives whose districts the Fishery Regulations assisted so much toward financial downfall, but the Western legislators do not so much as bat an eyelid. They sit tall along behind the chariots of Coaker and his forces and their constituents can go to the how-woos for all they care. This is how it appears to the Gallery. Messrs. Pease, Cheeseman, Warren and Small, have knowingly betrayed their districts and have been false to the men whose votes gave them the seats which they hold, because they have fallen down before the "false gods" of control set up by the real leader of the Government—Hon. W. F. Coaker.

Lectures to Llewellyn Club.

There was a capacity audience at the Canon Wood Hall last evening to hear the address of Mr. A. B. Morine, K.C., on "The Outlook for Newfoundland" and the large gathering heard one of the ablest addresses delivered in his city for many years.

Mr. C. E. Hunt, who presided, introduced Mr. Morine to the meeting. The speaker in opening his address stated his desire to deal with the matters, to which he would refer, in a broad manner and free from any feeling of party politics. For an hour and three quarters Mr. Morine, dealt with the trade outlook, the financial outlook, the political outlook. During his whole speech he held the close attention of his audience and his remarks were frequently greeted with very loud applause. At the conclusion of his speech he dealt with the present unsatisfactory condition of trade and argued that the country must be prepared to face adverse conditions for some time. He felt, however, that by industry and economy the country would eventually recover prosperity.

A vote of thanks proposed by Mr. L. Colley and seconded by Mr. R. R. Wood, was carried with much enthusiasm. It is hoped that an extended report of Mr. Morine's address may be published as it would undoubtedly prove of much interest and instruction to the people of the country.

Solos, Duets, Trios, Quartettes, Quintettes, and Choruses of 100 select voices at "Ruddigore".

KNOWLING'S SHOE STORES RUBBERS BEST QUALITY Men's, Women's, Boys' and Girls'. CASH PRICES For The Next Two Weeks. Women's Rubbers, Men's Rubbers, Girl's Rubbers, Boys' Rubbers, Rubber Boots.

From the Fleet. TO-DAY'S MESSAGES. S.S. Terra Nova—Scattered seals, fierce weather otherwise believe would do well; on board 10,000. S.S. Viking—Picking up pans, stowed 15,000; too thick to see far; position 15 miles W.S.W. Cape Ray; blowing a gale; all well.—BARTLETT. S.S. Thetis—On board 16,000 (the rest of the message was not decipherable).

Manufacturers Seek High Tariff. The manufacturers of the city held a largely attended meeting at the Board of Trade Rooms yesterday afternoon. The subject of encouraging local industries was debated at length. It was recommended that the manufacturers petition the Government for the imposition of a higher protective tariff. A further meeting to discuss the matter will be held next week, and also a public meeting will be arranged for.

Three Fishermen Drowned. The following message was received by the Deputy Minister of Customs from the Sub-Collector at Channel: "George W. Walters, his son and a shareman belonging to Fox Roost (near Channel), were drowned yesterday while fishing." Further particulars of this tragedy are not yet available. Personal. Masters Claude and Sidney Fraser, nephews of Hon. Sir F. T. McGrath, arrived by the S.S. Sabie L. and will make their home with him in future.

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Strong, serviceable Suits to fit boys of 5 to 8 years; finished with collar, belt and three pockets. We have only a limited number in stock; these have been marked for speedy clearance. Regular \$25.00 each for **\$10.00**

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In soft finished cloth; wide belts, Raglan sleeves, military collar, strapped cuffs and deep pockets.
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" 36 and 32 in. Reg. \$11.50 for **\$9.20**
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Smart English styles, shades of Grey; all sizes; Patch pockets, limited number only. Reg. \$30.00 each. **\$24.00**

English Raglan Coats for Men.
Best English make in shades of Fawn; sizes 34 to 42 inches. Regular \$32.00 each for **\$25.00**
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Fine grade Finer Wool Socks in assorted Heather mixtures; sizes 10 to 11 inches. Regular \$1.50 pair **\$1.35**

All Wool Cashmere Socks, the noted "Two Steeple" brand; in shades of Grey, Navy and in Black; sizes 10 to 11 inch. Reg. \$2.50 pair for **\$1.70**

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Superior make White Cambric Handkerchiefs, large sizes, linen finish. Reg. 55c. each for **44c.**
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Fine Ribbed Cashmere Hose, Black; seamless.
Size 5—Regular 50c. pair for **44c.**
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Children's Colored Hose.
In Pale Blue and Pink only; fine ribs, seamless feet.
Size 4 1/2—Regular 55c. pair for **54c.**
Size 5—Regular 65c. pair for **66c.**

We have always been in the position to announce Special Offers at prices without parallel elsewhere. Lately we have published more of these Offers than ever, and we shall continue to do so. Each announcement made by this store contains unique buying opportunities. But these Offers cannot continue indefinitely. Why not make a habit of reading right through every Royal Stores Advt? In this way you will be in touch with St. John's Lowest Prices, Quality considered, and always be in time to reap the full benefit.

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New Spring Goods at Sale Prices A Few of the Many Bargains Available



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Particularly attractive are the new Dresses we offer at a special price this week. They come in all-Wool Serges of superior quality; in Black and Navy only; silk braided button trimmings; sizes 36 to 42. Regular \$47.50 ea. **\$33.25**

Smart New Spring Coats.
A limited number only. For women of all sizes; modelled on new lines, emphasizing the newer ideas for the Spring season, in Black, Jadedine; belted styles, trimmed with self-covered buttons. Reg. \$62.50 each for **\$43.75**

Handkerchiefs.
12 dozen high-grade Handkerchiefs in Linen, Lawn, Muslin and Exeola; all White; nicely embroidered and hemstitched; assorted sizes. Reg. 25c. each for **20c.**

Silk Fringes.
For trimming Dresses, Girdles, Scarves, etc.; 4 inches wide; colors of Pink, Grey, Navy, Saxe, Navy, Sky, Rose, Ivory and Black. Reg. \$1.25 a yard for **\$1.00**

Women's Mackintoshes.
In shades of Grey, Navy, Fawn and Black; sizes 48 and 50 inch length, belt at waist; raglan sleeve, military collar, strapped sleeves. Reg. \$13.90 each for **\$10.12**

Women's Oil Hats.
Black Rubber and Oil Hats with colored crowns and brims; Oriental patterns; some with plain colored brims. Reg. \$3.25 each for **\$2.43**

White Voile Blouses.
A special offering of the latest models for Spring and early Summer; sizes 36 to 40 inch; square and V shaped necks, with and without collar; hand-embroidered fronts; finished with Satin ribbon; long and short sleeves. Reg. \$2.00 each for **\$2.00**

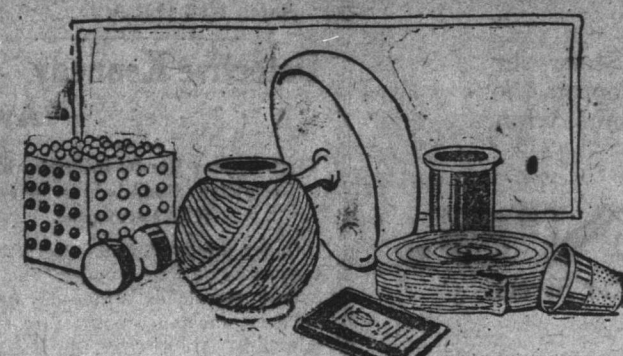
Another lot of White Voile Blouses in a variety of pretty styles; trimmed with lace, hemstitching and pin tucks; long or short sleeves; all sizes. Reg. \$6.00 each. **\$1.89**

Black Silk Blouses.
Those who are in mourning and those who wear Black from choice, will find these very useful; they are made of good quality Japanese Silk; smart English shirtwaist styles, and others with Sailor collars; sizes 36 to 48 inch; long sleeves. Reg. \$6.00 each for **\$4.80**

Moire Underskirts.
Well-cut styles, medium sizes, in shades of Mauve, Champagne, Light Grey, Rose and Black; fitted waists, narrow widths in keeping with the new styles; finished with narrow frill. Regular \$5.75 each for **\$4.74**

Women's Raglans.
A fine assortment of serviceable Raglans made of sturdy, rainproof material; sizes 46 to 52 inch length; fitted with large collars and fancy pockets; self-covered buttons. Regular \$22.50 each for **\$18.00**

For the Work-basket



BLOUSE PIN SETS—Pretty designs in Enamel; 3 Pins in set. Regular 40c. set for **32c.**

PIN BOOKS—Containing 4 different sizes. Regular 8c. book for **6c.**

9c. ball for **6c.**

STOCKING DARNERS—Polished wood with steel grips. Reg. 25c. each for **20c.**

SEWING NEEDLES—Assorted sizes. Regular 8c. pkt. for **6c.**

LINEN TAPE—Pure White, in all widths. Reg. 15c. piece for **11c.**

CORTICELLI TAPE—Black Twill; assorted widths. Reg. 15c. piece for **11c.**

CLARKE'S SEWING COTTON—Anchor Brand, 200 yard reels; White and Black. Special, per reel **10c.**

THIMBLES—Electro-plated, Aluminium and Steel. Special each **4c.**

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TOILET SOAP—Old Brown Windsor and others. Reg. 8c. cake for **7c.**

METAL CASH BOXES—Fitted with lock and key; size 6 inches. Reg. 60c. each for **48c.**

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PILLOW CASES—White Cotton of superior quality; size 17 x 26 inches; plain, taped ends. Regular 60c. each for **40c.**

BOLSTER CASES—White Cotton; size 17 x 54 in.; plain buttoned ends. Reg. \$1.35 each for **\$1.09**

SEIDEBAR COVERS—Linen finished White Cotton; size 13 x 54 inch; trimmed with lace and insertion. Reg. \$1.10 each for **89c.**

TABLE NAPKINS—White Damasked Linen fancy scroll and floral designs. Reg. 40c. each for **32c.**

TURKISH TOWELS—6 dozen Blay Turkish Towels of fine quality; size 20 x 35 in.; red striped borders and fringed ends. Reg. 85c. each for **74c.**

LACE CURTAINS—Dainty designs in good Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, in White only; stitched scalloped edges; fancy scroll designs. Regular \$7.95 pair **\$6.12**

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New Styles for Women, Misses, Children **New Styles for Men and Boys**

At a real saving of several dollars on each pair

Almost every variety of Leather is represented in our New Spring Footwear. Every man, woman and child will find Styles and sizes suited to his or her requirements. Spring Footwear that will please with its smartness and quality.—All offered at prices that are surprisingly low.



Men's Boots.
All new stock, Balmoral, and Blucher styles; Gun Metal finish. Sizes 6 to 9.
Reg. \$ 4.40 pair for **\$ 2.51**
Reg. \$11.00 pair for **\$ 9.25**
Reg. \$12.25 pair for **\$10.75**
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Reg. \$13.90 pair for **\$12.40**
Reg. \$15.20 pair for **\$14.18**
Reg. \$15.50 pair for **\$14.41**

Black Vici Kid Boots; Blucher and Balmoral styles; Rubber heels.
Reg. \$10.80 pair for **\$ 9.53**
Reg. \$12.35 pair for **\$10.88**
Reg. \$13.80 pair for **\$12.00**
Reg. \$15.40 pair for **\$13.53**
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Men's Balmoral Boots Women's Laced Boots

Smart new Canadian-made Boots, high grade soft leathers, Gun Metal finish, receding toes, rubber heels; sizes 6 to 9. Regular \$16.20 pair. **\$14.18**

In soft Black Vici Kid; one of the newer styles now being opened at this store; 9 inch leg, Cuban heel, pointed toe; sizes 6 to 9. Regular \$9.50 pair. **\$8.40**



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Black Vici Kid; Laced and Buttoned styles; sizes 3 to 6.
Reg. \$1.95 pair for **\$ 1.80**
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Reg. \$2.80 pair for **\$ 2.47**

Patent Leather Boots; sizes 5 to 8.
White Tops. Reg. \$2.90 pair for **\$ 2.57**
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Tan or Bronze Buttoned styles; sizes 6 to 8. Reg. \$2.00 pair for **\$ 1.76**

Black Gun Metal.
Reg. \$ 9.00 pair for **\$ 8.00**
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Women's Smart Oxfords

Black Vici Kid Shoes
3 dozen pairs Comfortable Shoes with patent tips, military heels, medium toes; sizes 3 to 6. Reg. \$4.20 pair for **3.59**

Neat Gun Metal Oxfords
3 dozen pairs well cut Shoes with Cuban heels, medium toes, perforated fronts; sizes 3 to 6. Reg. \$9.00 pair for **8.00**

Vici Kid Oxfords
4 dozen pairs Black Kid-lined Shoes, Louis and Cuban heels, pointed toes; sizes 3 to 6. Reg. \$6.80 pair for **6.12**

Tan Oxfords
3 dozen pairs Tan Vici Kid Oxfords, Kid lined, pointed toes, Louis and Cuban heels; sizes 3 to 6. Reg. \$7.00 pair for **6.30**



Children's Dresses.
Serviceable Flannellette Dresses in Black and White Checks, neat pleated skirts, long sleeves, round necks trimmed with lace; to fit a child of 1 to 3 years. Regular \$1.50 each for **\$1.20**

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Things Political.

Yesterday was anything but a pleasant and enjoyable day for the members of the Government. Whilst nearly all were present during the addresses of Messrs. MacDonnell and Vincombe, it could be plainly seen that they were most uneasy, whilst none of the West Coast members were able to listen to Mr. Fox's splendid effort. He has a habit of hitting home which did not appeal to them.

I sometimes amuse myself at the House by observing how various members—particularly those on the Government side—conduct themselves during the sessions. I noticed that quite a number had formed the habit of decorating their drawing pads with grotesque drawings, others evidently are fond of chewing gum, and one Minister usually has a bag of candy in his pocket though I have never noticed him offering sweetmeats to his neighbors.

Mr. MacDonnell raised a good many laughs during his clever address, and one of his best efforts in this direction was when he inquired: "Who is the man whom the Government must keep the 'Lobelia' in port to watch. Why, MacDonnell!" I did not notice any smile on the faces of the Premier and his colleagues, however.

Hon. W. F. Coaker is due to arrive this evening, and will probably take his seat in the House at once. It is to be hoped that though he will probably receive a hot reception from the Opposition, that he will not lose his temper to the extent of eliciting ink-pots at his tormentors, as he attempted to do on a former occasion with fantastic results to himself. He is a much better ink slinger.

That family party, pictured by the member for St. George's, was most amusing. Mr. MacDonnell drew a most realistic picture and at the same time suggested a likely and probably the only use for our aeroplanes and airships.

Mr. Fox's speech was one of such a degree of eloquence such as has rarely been surpassed in the House, and demonstrated that he is indeed well named, for it is doubtful if his great name-sake of the 18th century excelled him in ability or expression. The members on the Speaker's left, simply squirmed during the address of Mr. Fox, and I never saw a more sickly looking lot.

I noticed that the Ministers of Shipping, Posts and Education were engaged in solemn converse during the early part of Mr. Fox's speech. The Minister of Shipping looked quite serious. Mr. Barnes was as stern as usual, but Mr. Halfyard still wore that almost perpetual grin of his. He lost it, though, when he tried to cross swords with the member for St. John's East. It was a foolhardy thing to do, and Mr. Halfyard undoubtedly regretted it as Mr. LeGrow and Mr. Targett had reason to do later on.

The ironic remarks passed by Mr. Fox on the Minister of Marine and Fisheries called forth volumes of laughter from the gods in the Gallery, the Opposition members and "even the ranks of Tuscany could scarce forbear to cheer." "Though we may refer to Shakespeare as Shakespeare, Macaulay as Macaulay and other great men in a similar fashion," said Mr. Fox, "when talking of his mightiness on Coaker, one must always say Mister. Why not Excellency?"

Joking at his own expense, Mr. Vincombe characterized the Speech from the Throne as being as bald as his bald head. Nothing, he said, could be compared with the baldness of the address, not even the "wooden heads" of the Opposition members so gentlemanly referred to by the Premier.

Mr. Vincombe's humorous remarks concerning the Government were a source of great amusement. Some of his replies to interruptions were witty, and he had no difficulty in finding answers to the Government members.

At one time during Mr. Fox's speech I noticed that only seven members of the Government were present, and not one of these was a West Coast member. Just before adjournment they began to come in, but it was evident that conscience was troubling them too much to enable them to listen to Mr. Fox's condemnations.

Sir J. C. Crosbie, Mr. M. S. Sullivan and Hon. W. F. Coaker will take their places in the House shortly after arrival, when some extra interpellation may possibly be added to the proceedings as a result.

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Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

DO YOU KNOW THIS TYPE?



RUTH CAMERON

Did you ever run up against the person who is hard to do things for? We all know the people who are altogether too easy to do things for, who accept every kind of service that you offer them with a ready alacrity, sometimes thinly veiled by feeble protestation, sometimes quite un veiled.

The opposite type is more rare, but I think we all know one or two examples of the people who seem to fight having anything done for them.

They cannot accept the simplest favor simply and graciously, and by this attitude they make anything you do for them a double effort on your part.

Everything Was Doubly Hard.

I have in mind a woman who was staying at an Inn where I was one winter and who was taken sick. I wanted to help her and asked her to tell me what I could do for her. Could I find her hot water bottle? No, she couldn't think of putting me to so much trouble, and gave me to understand that she did not have one. I could see that she was shivering, so I went out and borrowed a bottle and filled it for her. She was very grateful and told me afterwards that she was sure she would have had a chill if I hadn't filled that bottle and gotten her the extra blankets and the hot ginger tea, against which small services she fought with equal vigor. The doctor, moreover, said she would not only have had a chill, but probably something much worse.

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Now the small things I did for her



RUTH CAMERON

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G. Penney, bass. At the conclusion of the programme at 10.30, the National Anthem was sung and an auction of pies took place, greatly augmenting the proceeds, which in all totalled \$46.20. This amount will be in aid of the Sunday School and Memorial Fund.

We are greatly indebted to Mr. and Mrs. G. Penney, who kindly lent their organ for the occasion; to Mr. Fred Penney who placed his gramophone at our disposal, and to the young ladies and others who so kindly sent along pies, thus contributing to the success of the entertainment.

PERFORMER.
English Hr., T.B.
March 31st, 1921.

Detective Kennedy Away.

North Sydney Herald intimates his trip to Newfoundland is in connection with Perry case.

Under the caption of "Perry murder case takes on a new phase," the North Sydney Herald of Wednesday says: "There was much conjecture in certain local circles over the mission of Detective Horace Kennedy, of Halifax, who passed through here Monday night, and was a passenger sailing on the steamer Kyle to some part of the ancient colony. Naturally the Halifax sleuth was not telling anybody just what his business was, and for that reason the Herald reporter could glean nothing of his trip.

However, rumor had it in certain circles that Mr. Kennedy's mission to the colony has something to do in connection with the latest and most shocking and mystifying tragedy in Nova Scotia, the untimely death of Captain Perry, who was slain in the yard of his home in Yarmouth upwards of a month ago, a crime that attracted more universal attention than any before in the province, the perpetrator of which is still at large. In speaking of the body of Captain Perry being disinterred, the Sydney Herald continues: This lends color to the belief that Detective Kennedy's trip to North Sydney and Newfoundland has more than ordinary significance, as the Halifax sleuth or the Crown have never ceased working on the case. At any rate there is reason to believe startling developments may renew further interest in the mysterious tragedy.

What One of the Best Known Travellers in Canada Says.

"Now I am going to give you an unsolicited testimonial, as they say in the business, for the medicine advertised. Heretofore I have had a profound contempt for patent medicines, particularly so-called liniments. Perhaps this is due to the reason that I have been blessed with a sturdy constitution, and I have never been ill a day in my life. One day last fall after a hard day's work in the streets of Montreal, I developed a severe pain in my legs and of course like a man who has never had anything wrong with him physically, I complained rather boastfully. The good little wife says: 'I will rub them with some liniment I have.' 'Go ahead,' I said, just to humor her. 'Well, in she comes with a bottle of MINARD'S LINIMENT and gets busy. Believe me the pain disappeared a few minutes after, and you can tell the world I said so.'

(Signed) FRANK E. JOHN'S,
Montreal.

Bruce's Heart.

MELROSE ABBEY DISCOVERY.

The excavations which are being conducted at Melrose Abbey have resulted in a most interesting find. A leaden casket in which there is a heart has been unearthed. This fact has given rise to the belief that the heart is possibly that of King Robert the Bruce, which was buried, according to tradition, in the Abbey after it had been brought home from Spain, whither it had been carried by The Douglas, who intended to have it buried in Jerusalem, but lost his life fighting against the Saracens.

There is no inscription on the casket to indicate whether or not the heart is that of Scotland's most famous King. The casket was not found at the spot where Bruce's heart was supposed to lie, but outside the Abbey where excavation work is being carried out.—Glasgow Weekly Herald.

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THE PEST.
When winter's done its dirty work, and vernal breezes blow, the dandelion is the first of blooming things to grow; it calmly rears its yellow head as soon as there's a thaw, and it has a s oftentimes been said there ought to be a law. The grass that cost such toll and care grows not at spring's behest, and many ghastly spots are bare save for the yellow pest. And man surveys his freckled lawn, and heaves a string of sighs, and mutters low, "Go help me, John, whatever's lovely, dies; the costly plants I bought last year, were killed by frost and snow, but all around me, far and near, the dandelions grow. The daisies were too good to last, that were my hope and pride; my rose trees perished in the blast, my pink violas died; they withered in the storm king's breath, they could not keep alive, but where my tulips died the death the dandelions thrive. Ah, woe is me," says Mr. Man, "this life is full of stings; it seems to be Dame Nature's plan to swat the lovely things. The good and useful man will die, and leave the town in tears and some old cheap and noxious guy will live a hundred years." In human life, as on my lawn, the lovely things must go, and where the grass is dead and gone the dandelions grow."

Beat Doctor With Hammer.

New York, April 2.—Badly beaten about the head with a hammer wielded by a former patient, Dr. Nishan H. Bayenderian of No. 44 Lexington avenue is at Bellevue hospital receiving treatment for lacerations of the face and forehead.

The physician, who came here six months ago from Philadelphia, has a considerable practice among Armenians. A few weeks ago, he told the police, he treated a man for what he characterized as "head trouble." Yesterday the man visited Dr. Bayenderian's office and asked for further treatment. He said he could not pay for it.

"Why don't you go to the hospital at the foot of East 26th street?" the physician inquired. "They would not charge you anything for services." The man went away.

In the afternoon he came back. "I've got some money now," he is quoted as having said, "and would like to have you treat me."

Dr. Bayenderian turned to get his instruments. As he did so the visitor pulled a hammer from under his coat and dealt the doctor a blow under the right eye, stunning him. He followed this up.

The physician shouted for help. At his cries his assailant dropped his hammer and rushed out. Neighbors saw him running and gave chase, but the man outdistanced them.

At Bellevue Dr. Bayenderian gave a description of his former patient. He said he believed him to be crazy. News of the affair was sent to Dr. Bayenderian's son, Leo Bayenderian, of No. 40 North Fulton street, Philadelphia.

Legislative Council.

April 7th.

After the minutes had been read, Hon. John Browning took occasion to refer to the remarks made concerning him by Hon. Frank Steer (re that he would be the first man to kick if the Government appointed a Board to control his business in the manner that the fishery is controlled.) The speaker said that this remark placed him in an unfair light as he thought it the duty of the Government to interfere in all industries. Our Government has not interfered enough. It has not given protection enough to such industries as mine. He hoped that in revising the present tariff the Government would make a high protective tariff for all manufacturing industries. The United States were putting on an emergency tariff to protect farmers. We here are struggling along on a very low protection tariff, and as a manufacturer he knew what a disability our local industries are struggling under. He was sorry that personal business had been brought in by some members and dragged as a red herring to cause embarrassment. In this connection he cited the Trade Bakery matter, and said there had been insinuations made that a monopoly was created by the closing of the Rennie Baking Co. He admitted that this company was receiving \$6,000 per year to cease baking biscuits. As there was no room for three bakeries in St. John's and the investment in these represented about \$600,000. Both his factory and Harvey agreed to pay the Rennie Co. 1 p.c. of this capital amount for 10 years. Hon. Mr. Browning explained that the public were benefited by this agreement and after a short period the products of the two remaining factories declined.

Hon. D. A. Ryan.—At the time you speak of, the public understood that the amalgamation of the two biscuit factories and the closing of Rennie's was for the purpose of keeping up prices.

Hon. Mr. Browning.—That was not borne out by facts.

Hon. D. A. Ryan.—My opinion is, the combine was formed for the benefit of the two companies concerned.

The second reading of a Bill entitled An Act to amend and consolidate the laws in relation to the Municipal affairs of the town of St. John's, was taken up.

Hon. Mr. Gibbs pointed out that the Bill was not a Government measure, and that there was a large amount of new matter introduced since the Bill was last before the House. He briefly referred to the additions and alterations comprising some 54 sections made in the charter which contains some 391 sections. After the review the hon. speaker made an eloquent appeal for a liberal treatment of a matter to which so much time and talent had been devoted.

The second reading of the Bill was deferred until to-morrow, after which the House adjourned until Friday, at 4 p.m.

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His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. George Morgan, to be a member of the Church of England Board of Education for the District of Whitbourne, in place of Mr. George Sparkes, resigned; Messrs. William Babstock and Thomas Oldford, to be members of the Church of England Board of Education for the District of Salvage, in place of Messrs. John Babstock, deceased, and Kenneth Brown, resigned; Rev. Cyril M. Curtis, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education, for the District of King's Point, in place of Rev. W. S. Mercer, left the District; Mr. Chesley Ledrew, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education, for the District of Cupids, in place of Mr. J. Badstock, retired.

Department of the Colonial Secretary, April 5th, 1921.

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It is rumored that skirts will be decidedly longer. Hats made entirely of crepe are to be much worn. Wide-brimmed lace hats will be worn a great deal. Black and white is emphasized in printed linen dresses. Full bishop sleeves have elbow length gauntlet cuffs. The three-piece coat dress is enjoying a great vogue. A low and dome-shaped crown of straw is being shown. For street frocks, the straight-silhouette is sponsored.

Heavy Canton crepe in black coral are used for suits. Smart new sports stockings are accordion ribbed silk. The new hats have fluted or brims of irregular width. Black satin chapeaux are smart for afternoon wear. Many suit coats have the lower slashed in panel style. Gray is an extremely fashionable color in furs and street wear. Many frocks with snug little bodices and full skirts are seen. Waxed voiles are trimmed with narrow, changeable plaid braids.

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Atlantic Yacht Racing.

Although a yacht race across the Atlantic is not altogether a novelty such events are of sufficiently rare occurrence to create something of a stir among yachtsmen. The intimation that King Albert has presented a valuable trophy for an international race from New York to Oporto, to be sailed during the coming summer, has been received with much satisfaction on both sides of the Atlantic; for, given adequate support such an event can hardly fail to be the outstanding feature of the season. The race will be open to the yachts of all nations, with the exception of those flying the flag of late enemy countries, and the competitors will be despatched from Sandy Hook on the 4th July. With reasonable luck the yachts should arrive in Oporto roads whilst the regatta is in progress and thus enhance the interest of what promises to be a particularly brilliant festival.

The Belgian Minister at Washington, who has the arrangements in hand, is appointing a committee of American yacht club representatives to draw up the conditions, and as the New York Yacht Club is taking a keen interest in the race it may be taken for granted that America will be strongly represented. The entry is expected to include British, French, and Scandinavian vessels, but Belgium, having no notable large yachts available, is not likely to compete. At this early date it is, of course, impossible to say what British craft will be engaged, but Sir Thomas Lipton's 33-metre cutter Shamrock, which acted as trial boat to Shamrock IV, before the America's Cup contest, is already in America. As in the event of Sir Thomas challenging for the Cup again in 1922, Shamrock IV, would be available to act as trial boat for the new challenger, there seems to be no particular object in keeping the 33-metre cutter on the other side, as this trans-Atlantic race would be an excellent opportunity for bringing her home.

Since the schooner America came from New York in 1851 and captured the historic trophy that now bears her name, the Atlantic has frequently been crossed by yachts and even small boats, but the races that have been sailed over this three-thousand-mile course can be counted on the fingers of one hand. Provided that she be of good design and well built, quite a small yacht can make across the Atlantic in comparative safety, although the crew may have a strenuous and uncomfortable passage. If overtaken by heavy weather she can ride to a sea-bow until the gale has blown itself out. But when yachts are racing the competitors crowd on every inch of canvas they can carry, and do not shorten sail until the vessel's safety is menaced. If he would win, the skipper must turn a Nelsonian eye to weather portents and keep the vessel storming along day and night under a great spread of canvas, and time her crew—up on the mast tops and clinging to the sloping deck lest they can. Hard driven through steep Atlantic seas, a yacht may be kept from end to end, and it is no uncommon experience for the hands to be knee-deep in the seething water at the lee deck.

The first race across the Atlantic was sailed in the winter of 1866 between Henrietta, 205 tons, Mr. James Gordon Bennett; Fleetwing, 206 tons, Messrs. George and Franklin Gage; and Vesta, 220 tons, Mr. Pierce, carried for a stake of £20,000. The

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yachts, which were all of schooner rig, started from Sandy Hook Light vessel on December 11, and for the greater part of the passage encountered strong westerly winds, accompanied by a mountainous sea. Dire disaster overtook Fleetwing when seven days out. As she was storming through the night like a frightened stag, a huge sea pooped her, with the result that six of her hands were washed overboard and drowned. The race ended in favor of Henrietta, whose time over the course was 13 days, 21 hours, 55 minutes. Fleetwing, 14 days, 6 hours, 10 minutes, was second, finishing 40 minutes ahead of Vesta.

The greatest race ever sailed across the Atlantic was in 1905 for the ex-Kaiser's Cup, which attracted the splendid entry of eleven yachts. The competitors were as follows:—Sunbeam, schooner, Lord Brassey; Alisa, yawl, Mr. H. S. Redmond; Thistle, schooner, Mr. R. E. Tod; Fleur de Lys, schooner, Mr. L. A. Stimson; Valhalla, ship, Earl of Crawford; Utowana, schooner, Mr. A. V. Armour; Atlantic, schooner, Mr. Wilson Marshall; Eildred, schooner, Mr. E. R. Coleman; and Hamburg schooner, Kaiserlicher Yacht Club. These vessels were of widely divergent type and tonnage, ranging from the great ship Valhalla, 1,500 tons, down to the little Fleur de Lys, a little schooner of only 86 tons. As there was no time allowance to adjust the difference in size, the smaller yachts' prospects of success were a negligible quantity, and it says a good deal for the sportsmanship of their owners that they not only entered, but sailed throughout the race with the utmost keenness. Never before had vessels of such varied type competed together in an important yacht race.

Square-rigged ocean cruisers such as Valhalla and Apache were pitted against pure racing yachts like Alisa and Hamburg (ex Rainbow), whilst the others, if not actually racing craft, were very fast cruising yachts. Eildred, moreover, held the record for the Atlantic passage, having some time previously sailed across the Atlantic in 18 days, 20 1/4 hours. The yachts were sent away from the Sandy Hook Lightship on May 17, and for the most part experienced fine weather. It was, indeed, too fine for vessels like Valhalla, Apache, and Sunbeam, which require a gale of wind to produce their best form, but for the racing craft and fast cruisers the conditions could hardly have been improved upon. Atlantic, a three-master fore-and-aft schooner of some 500 tons, found the conditions much to her liking, and in the hands of the redoubtable Captain Charles Barr, the greatest racing skipper of his generation, sailed like a witch. She soon left her rivals far astern, eventually winning by rather more than 22 hours from Hamburg, which finished second. The performance of Atlantic stands out as one of the greatest in yachting history, as she covered the course from New York to the Lizard in 12 days, 4 hours, thus beating Eildred's record by no less than 40 1/2 hours. Her average speed over the whole course was 10 1/2 knots, and her best day's run 34 1/2 miles, being an average of over 14 knots per hour. Valhalla came in a day after Hamburg, leading Eildred by 1 1/2 hours. Then came Eildred's Sunbeam, Fleur de Lys, Alisa, Utowana, Thistle, and Apache in the order named.

Despite the brilliant achievement of Atlantic, the heroine of the race was the little Fleur de Lys, which encountered very heavy weather for several days and yet finished sixth. During this bad weather the yacht was frequently washed from end to end, the helmsman being lashed to the wheel for a period of sixty hours. One great sea that broke on board washed the whole watch aft, but

fortunately no lives were lost, although one of the hands was dashed against the binnacle and had two of his ribs broken. Some of the vessel's sails were blown to shreds and one of her boats was badly damaged, but her plucky crew continued to drive her for all she was worth, and she completed the course of 3,027 miles in 14 days, 9 hours, 15 minutes, a truly wonderful performance for a craft of not much more than 90 tons. Her best day's run was 30 1/2 miles, giving an average speed of nearly 13 knots per hour.—Francis B. Cooke in the Manchester Guardian.

Wesley Church Women's Missionary Service.

The W.M.S. service at Wesley Church last night was well attended, and a choice programme supplied. Mrs. Ronald Cross presided. Mrs. (Rev.) Bugden read the Scripture lesson, and Mrs. Hilliard offered the opening prayer. The young ladies of the Pansy Mission Band under the superintendence of Miss Edna Parsons, carried through the exercise "Beautiful Japan," with much taste. The chorus singing was very good. Miss May Davy's recitation was a fine piece of elocution, and a most suitable selection for the occasion. Rev. Mr. Power's address was a grand effort, and as he told of the success of Missionary labor in Korea, China and Japan, all were inspired, and many no doubt, felt it their duty to do more for others. Miss E. Marie Way who is well known as a poetess and reciter, made her debut as a singer last night. Apologies were made for the absence of Mrs. R. Joyce, Mrs. Small and Miss Barnes through illness. The reading of "How a boy gave himself" on a collection plate was an effective appeal for the offering, which was larger than last year's. Mrs. (Rev.) Bugden proposed vote of thanks to Rev. Mr. Power and others who had assisted, which was seconded by Mrs. Ellis. Mrs. (Rev.) Story offered the closing prayer, which closed a very fine meeting.

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it promises to be a most enjoyable affair. The regular monthly meeting of the Officers' Mess takes place on Thursday next at 8 p.m. It is the intention of the Band to repeat its Easter concert on Whit Monday, May 16th, in aid of the Shannon Munn Memorial Co. All the performers at the previous concert have promised their support and the affair will undoubtedly be as great a success as any the Band has held.

C. L. B. Cadets.

HOLD SUCCESSFUL PARADE.
The regular Thursday parade of the C.L.B. Cadets was held last night in the Armoury, Harvey Road, and was largely attended by both officers and lads, in spite of the intense cold. The following officers were present in kit: Lt.-Col. Goodridge, the Adjutant, Capt. N. Henry, Capt. F. Miles, J. Snow, and Lieut. W. Moty, P. B. Rendell, A. King, G. Hunt, H. Hayward and A. B. Perlin. Major Raley and Capt. Fletcher were present in mufti. After prayers had been read by Rev. (Capt.) Fletcher, Company drill was taken by Capt. Miles of F Co., and Capt. Snow, of A Co. The school department was conducted by Lieut. King and Hunt whilst Lieut. Perlin carried on with the recruits.

The following are extracts from Orders for the week ending April 18th: Orders Officer for week, Lieut. H. Hayward; next for duty, Lieut. L. Hayward, Duty Company, A Co.; Duty Section, No. 1 A Co.; Duty Chaplain, Rev. J. Brinton.

The Outerbridge Shield Competition will take place on the 14th inst. The Brigade's indoor sports will be held early in May under the auspices of the C.L.B.C. Athletic Association. The Gym will in future be open every Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights at 8 o'clock until further orders, for the benefit of all who wish to practice gymnastic work.

A most interesting Ping Pong tournament took place last night between teams representing the C.L.B. and the Officers' Mess, the latter winning by the narrow margin of 6 points. The scoring was as follows:
C.L.B.C.—Lt.-Col. Goodridge, 39; Major Raley, 45; Capt. Fletcher, 45; Capt. Henry, 32; Lieut. Hayward, 22; Lieut. Perlin, 41.—224.
C.L.B.—J. Edwards, 38; H. Foster, 28; G. Harson, 21; J. Farndale, 42; E. Godden, 45; R. Knight, 44.—218.
A silver cup, kindly donated by P. W. Hayward, Esq., is now on exhibition in the Mess. It will be awarded to the Mess Ping Pong champion, and the contest will begin shortly.
The Old Comrades "At Home" held on Wednesday night last, was a great success and gives them every reason to believe that similar affairs, which they may decide to hold will meet with equal support and give just as satisfactory results. A great deal of the credit for the success must go to the newly formed Ladies' Auxiliary. A dance will also be held in the Gym. at the Armoury next week and

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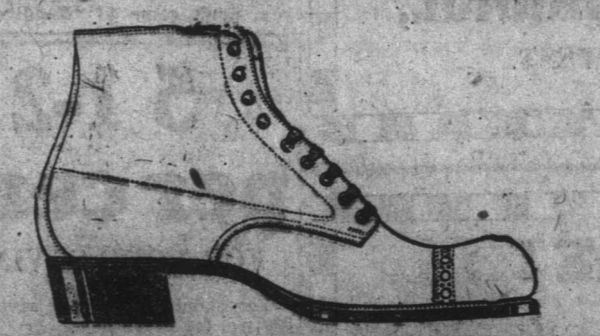
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To-Day's Messages.

REFUSED INVITATION. LONDON, April 8. Representatives of striking British miners this afternoon refused to accept Lloyd George's invitation to meet owners of mines on condition proposed, which was that the return of pumpmen and engineers to pits would be the first matter settled at the Conference.

ACCEPTED CONDITIONALLY. LONDON, April 8. British mine owners this morning conditionally accepted Lloyd George's invitation to confer with leaders of the Miners' Union, relative to a return of pumpmen and engineers to mines, pending negotiations for a settlement of the coal strike. Owners stipulated that the matter of pumpmen returning to work must be the first question settled.

ALL HANDS OUT. LONDON, April 8. Leaders of the National Federation of Transport Workers and National Union of Railwaymen, which organization voted to support the miners in their great coal strike, have decided upon a strike by the two Unions. This brings the entire power of the Triple Alliance of Labor into the greatest industrial controversy in England for many years. A general strike of Railroaders and Transport Workers will be called, unless striking miners and owners of pits come to an agreement.

DID NOT MATERIALIZE. LONDON, April 8. Mine owners who had waited half an hour, left the Board of Trade rooms at one o'clock this afternoon, after the miners had failed to put in an appearance for a conference.

FOREIGN INFLUENCE. PHILADELPHIA, April 8. A warning that foreign influences are again at work to weaken the close friendship that binds United States to those peoples beside whom "we fought in the war," was sounded here last night by General John Pershing, who addressed two mass meetings at the conclusion of the All American Day.

Did you enjoy "The Mikado"? "Rudigore" will be played by "The Full Mikado Troupe."

Legalized Robbery.

MR. FOX ON THE SUGAR QUESTION. The remarks of Mr. Fox on the Sugar Question in the House of Assembly debate were sufficient in themselves to prevent the Government from ever again gaining the support of the people of this country. Whilst other members had dealt previously with this frightful scandal, Mr. Fox made disclosures that showed the Government up as not only the most incapable and inefficient assembly which ever controlled the country, but also as actually having had the effrontery to profiteer at the expense of the people to the extent of forcing the consumer to pay over 100 per cent. more than should be paid for that valuable commodity which is used so much in this country, viz: Sugar. Mr. Fox said in part, that he knew families in his own district who were denying themselves sugar because it was simply impossible for them to afford to buy sugar at the rates charged by the F.C.B. "No greater instance of legalized robbery had ever occurred in this country." He could now import sugar into the country and sell it at a profit for 10 cents per pound. "There is not a man on the Food Control Board who had a right to be there. Whilst they may be alright in their own walks of life, as sugar experts they are a dud."

To give a full report of Mr. Fox's animadversion on the sugar question would be impossible with the limited space that is available but suffice it to say that never was a more striking condemnation ever made with a similar amount of truth as that of the Junior member for St. John's East on the Food Control Board and the Sugar Question.

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LOOKING FOR "RISE"?—This eagle did not start unloading this morning as the men were anxious to see if they could get a higher price for their fat. Four dollars was paid for the Diana's and it was said, "the rise." This assurance the crew of the Eagle were anxious to secure also.

Here and There.

S.S. Manola did not leave St. John, N.B., till Tuesday last and is due here Sunday morning.

Men's Fine Footwear, 25 PER CENT. OFF for cash at SMALLWOOD'S.—mar 28, 11

"Rudigore," Gilbert and Sullivan's most amusing Opera. Tickets at Royal Stationery.

Evangeline High Cut Boots, Low Shoes and Dainty Pumps at 25 PER CENT. REDUCTION at SMALLWOOD'S Ladies' Dept. mar 25, 11

KYLE JAMMED.—A message was received by the Reid Co. to-day saying that the s.s. Kyle was jammed in the ice off Louisburg, C.B.

NEW "BLACK ROD."—Yesterday afternoon Mr. J. E. Jafferis took up the position in the Legislature of Usher of the Black Rod, vacated by Mr. E. S. Pineson.

Save money by buying your Hood Dressing, Seat Dressing and Paint for your car from J. McKINLAY, Lime Street. mar 25, 11

MONEY IN FLIPPERS.—The sale of flippers by the Diana's crew netted the men \$10.00 over and above their share of the voyage. The flippers sold at \$2.00 per dozen.

Misses' Costumes, all Wool Tweeds, well made, age 12 to 16 years; all one price, \$9.75. Worth double what we ask.

THE WEST END BAZAAR, 51 Water St. West. apr 8, 11

HOLDING CARD TOURNEY.—The members of St. Andrew's Society and their lady friends are holding a card party in their club rooms to-night when an enjoyable evening is anticipated.

Weigh yourself the day you commence to take Brick's Tasteless, then weigh yourself two (2) weeks later and note the increase.—Jan 27, 11

Mothers will keep in mind that Tuesday, April 12th, is the date set for the Sale of Work by the St. Andrew's Young Ladies' Guild. Place: The Presbyterian Hall. Time: 3.30. Admission 10c. Nothing will be disposed of until Sale opens.—apr 8, 11

Commencing to-day BISHOP'S are selling all their Rubber Footwear at a discount of 30%. See that your 40% is deducted from your bill at the time purchase is made. This includes all Rubbers for Men and Boys, Women and Girls and comes at a most opportune time, for this is the season when good Rubbers are absolutely necessary.

ENTERS HOSPITAL.—Mrs. Levi Gardner, of Sudbury Street, who underwent two serious operations at the General Hospital last fall, entered the Institution again on Saturday for similar treatment. Her many friends hope for her speedy restoration to health.

HAY FEVER, ASTHMA, CATARRH & CHRONIC BRONCHITIS.

All surrendered their terrible afflictions to the relief afforded by the human bodies of no less than 10,000 Canadians, by use of Buckley's 3 Bottle Treatment. Don't suffer one minute longer. Send today for trial size, 10c.

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SITTING IN THE QUEUE.

The popularity of the cheaper seats in the theatre pit and gallery is growing again after a period in which these seats seemed in disfavor. After the Armistice, when everyone was spending, there would often be vacant places among "the gods" when the "House full" boards were out downstairs. Now the galleries are once more forming up in the queues. Here they stand from one to two hours according to the time they get there before the doors open. This time is, of course, determined by whether the play is a popular one or not. At several theatres, however, there is now no need for them to stand, as it is possible to hire for a small sum a

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LONDON GOSSIP.

GIFTS TO THE PRINCE. LONDON, March 28, 1921. Much has been said and written of the Prince's tours, but not even the vivid narratives, I think, show quite so firmly the esteem and loyalty with which he was received as the exhibition of souvenirs, presents, and illuminated addresses now on view at the Imperial Institute, London. It is, possible, too, to gather a little of the enormous work he accomplished and the strain to which he was subjected, he said. Before mid-day the charge is ninepence (15 cents). Later than that it is sixpence (10 cents). He added that the two most profitable ventures were those of the Galety and Drury Lane.

THE GERMANS AT THE SAVOY. The presence of the Germans at the Savoy Hotel here is attracting curiously little attention either inside or outside, as some rather ill-mannered comments have appeared about the official hospitality that is being given to the German Delegation. It may be worth while to say that it is the settled international usage for visiting official parties to be the guests of the home Government, so to speak. If a British delegation visited Berlin it would, of course, be maintained at the expense of the Germans. The Germans are pleased with the excellence of the arrangements that have been made for them, and the secretary, Dr. Dressler, told a journalist that they had asked to be supplied with less elaborate meals, "as we have not been used to this luxury." Dr. Dressler, by the way, speaks the best English in the party. The personalities of the delegation are quite unknown to our people here. General von Seocht, Commander-in-chief of Germany's new army, wears civilian clothes. He is a tall, rather stiff old man, and wears a monocle. Herr Bergmann, the leading financial expert on the delegation, was in charge of the food-rationing in Prussia during the war.

THE AIRSHIPS. The position about the British airships in the light of Winston Churchill's speech seems to be that unless a commercial syndicate comes forward in the next few weeks to take over the fleet the valuable experiments which have been arranged will be gradually cut down, if not abandoned. R-36, which has just been completed in

Scotland, was to have made a trip to Egypt in order to test the use of airships in commercial work. R-37 is being completed at Bedford, and other ships in the fleet are R-33, two ex-German Zeppelins, and a number of smaller ships. No definite information is available as to what will happen to these magnificent airships in the event of no private companies undertaking to take them as a gift, with the exception of the one which is being completed at Bedford, and other ships in the fleet are R-33, two ex-German Zeppelins, and a number of smaller ships. No definite information is available as to what will happen to these magnificent airships in the event of no private companies undertaking to take them as a gift, with the exception of the one which is being completed at Bedford, and other ships in the fleet are R-33, two ex-German Zeppelins, and a number of smaller ships. 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Law Society's Dinner.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir—I am sure the members of the Bar will forgive me if I give the papers a somewhat fuller account of the dinner which was held at Wood's West End Restaurant Tuesday night, the first for so many years. As the originator of the idea and as chairman of the Committee of three, which included Mr. McNelly and Mr. Edward Emerson, I naturally feel very proud of its success. I have been informed by one of the older members, who was present at the last much talked of dinner of thirty or more years ago, that Tuesday night's dinner was even more successful. When we remember the giants of the Bar of those days, it is quite a compliment and an evidence that present day members of the Law Society are able to hold their own with those of bygone days. As the public paid for the dinner, reluctantly or otherwise, and as they had to submit to taxation without any representation a little elucidation is due them.

The dinner was called for seven thirty, an early hour, but the toast that was a fairly long one and it was thought desirable to have it over at a reasonable hour. Nearly fifty members and guests assembled at the appointed time, two or three being unavoidably a little late. They were received by Mr. Cliff, K.C., O.B.E., President of the Law Society, and immediately felt they were in for a pleasant evening. Guests, members and students, all felt at ease. The middle flat of the restaurant was used as a reception room. A little room off this flat was also at the disposal of the party and was taken advantage of. At the appointed hour Mr. Cliff led the way and soon all were comfortably seated at the tables in the top room of the building. They were arranged in the shape of a square or rather a circle. Mr. Cliff occupied the centre chair of the chair end and about him sat the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Johnson, Mr. Justice Kent, the Premier, the Attorney General, the Hon. Judge Morris, Sir Wm. Boyd, Mr. Outerbridge of the Toronto Sheriff Blandford, Inspector General Hutchings, Mr. McCarthy, J. and Mr. Adams, Registrar of Companies. The K.C.'s, members and students sat in the other end and myself sat at the end of the table. I being at the stairs to facilitate my looking after many things necessary to be done. After a seven course dinner, which was excellently served by men waiters, specially hired for the occasion, the Chairman, Mr. Cliff, proposed the health of the King, which was heartily drunk, after which he announced that the gentlemen could smoke, and then began a series of speeches, the like of which were probably never heard before at any one gathering. That can easily be understood when one considers the personnel of the proposers and respondents. Never before have there been so many speakers of such outstanding ability. The Attorney General, Hon. W. B. Ward, K.C., proposed "The Bench," and his speech considerable length reviewed the annals of the Bench of Newfoundland from its inception to the present. It was a masterpiece and showed great knowledge and research and he would have repaid the members their attendance at the dinner. He viewed the time, after which he thought necessary to have a lawyer Chief Justice when one of the difficulties was to have been acted of a murder charge, and so right up to the present time when the Bench is adorned by gentlemen of the outstanding legal ability of its present occupants. The Chief Justice, Sir W. H. Horwood, replied and in his able speech, which was delivered by humorous anecdotes, gave information concerning the Bench and Bar.

The Chairman then called on Mr. Carter for a song and he sang a sentimental ballad in a fine voice, accompanied by Mr. Halley, who was accompanist for the evening. Mr. Justice Johnson proposed the health of the Bar, and never before has a member such an opportunity to give the lovable character of this profession of the legal profession. For years Judge Johnson has been connected with the Bar, a half century during which men of the first rank of outstanding legal ability, men who have made their names in the history of this country, members of the legal profession, lightning sketches of their careers, works of art and the members of the Bar felt proud to belong to a body which produced such men. Mr. Justice, K.C., replied to this toast, and one of his usual brilliant after-dinner speeches, and in it he congratulated Mr. Emerson for having introduced into the Law Society a new member of the Emerson family who he had no doubt, would hold the traditions of the family, which have had been members of the Bar. Mr. Fred Emerson then sang a song to his own accompaniment and it was well sung and well received. Mr. Justice Kent proposed "Legislation," to which the President, the Hon. R. A. Squires replied. A gentleman showed how the Bar and the Legislature are dependent on the other and their speeches masterpieces of eloquence and wit. "Sir William" then proposed "Other Bars," showing how

our Bar was indebted to other Bars, especially the English Bar, the Canadian Bar and even the Bar of the United States. There was an announcement and Mr. Outerbridge of the Bar as ever he was on the battlefields of France, where he fought in defense of the Empire. Then Mr. John Higgins gave a recitation of his own composition and while it referred to an older member of the Bar in a humorous vein, did no damage and was well received. Mr. McNelly in a very excellent speech proposed "The Gaudet" and Judge Morris replied. Judge Morris is well known as one of our best raconteurs and was in great form that night, but when he referred to the late John Burke, one-time Crier of the Court, who when asked by one of the Judges on Circuit what he thought of a judgment delivered said, "What do I think of it?—What do I think of all their judgments?" I can only say in the words of St. Paul, "I would forgive them for they know not what they do." That brought down the house. Mr. Halley then recited "In Bohemia" and it showed his versatility as an entertainer. He accompanied everybody, he sings and plays and his recitation was magnificently rendered, but to the great regret of all he could not give an encore. The toast to "The Students" was proposed by Mr. Hunt and replied to by Mr. J. O'Connell, son of the late Judge Connor. He showed clearly that the high standard set by them will not, in his hands, in any way be lowered. With reference to Mr. Hunt's speech that was in a class by itself. Never before was a cleverer, wittier speech delivered and Mark Twain, Chauncey Depew, Anthony Hope and Stephen Leacock all put together would have difficulty in equalling Mr. Hunt. He kept the crowd in roars of laughter while his face never moved a muscle. He is certainly a past master as an after-dinner speaker. Then the Chairman called on me for a song, which when I got on to the right note made up in sound for what I lacked in sweetness. It described a certain class of lawyer, not to be found in this country, and as there was a swinging chorus all joined in, even the Bench participating. The Chief Justice then proposed the health of the Chairman, which was graciously replied to by Mr. Cliff. God Save the King brought the dinner to a close and all shortly after departed, full of happiness and determination that even an injunction would not prevent them from making it an annual event. The speeches were reported by Mr. Power, Court Stenographer, the autographs of all present were collected and Mr. J. C. Parsons took a flashlight photo of the gathering and unless someone smashed the camera, the members will be able to have a souvenir of a most enjoyable evening, one which I believe will never be forgotten.

I must apologize for taking up so much of your space, but the occasion warrants it.

Yours sincerely,

W. B. AYRE.

April 6, 1921.

The Briton's Commander

The London Times of a recent date says Commander F. M. Kerr, O.B.E., will take over the duties of Senior Naval Officer at St. John's, Newfoundland, and will command the ex-light cruiser Briton, formerly the Calypso, which serves as drillship for the Newfoundland Royal Naval Reserve.

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Perry's Body Exhumed.

Farmouth, N.S., April 1—Medical examiner Finn of Halifax is holding this afternoon an autopsy on the body of Captain J. H. Perry, who was murdered at his home here the night of February 26.

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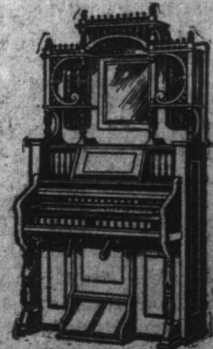
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