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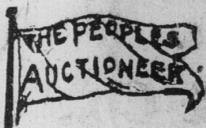
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CHAPTER XX.
"It is impossible!" Captain Fairholme cried, breaking in passionately. "Even the abominable law in force in this country cannot make that a marriage!"

"Less even is needed to make a marriage in Scotland," said Sir Hugh with a slight smile. "It behoves one to be careful in this country, Captain Fairholme. Sir Gilbert will tell you so, I think; and indeed, if Shirley and myself had done innocently what we did willingly, we should have been equally married, and we should have had to make the best of it."

"Uncle Gilbert"—Shirley's voice faint, gasping, tremulous broke in here—"is that true?"
"It is true," Sir Gilbert said, with grave sadness; and a moan like the moan of a man in physical pain broke from Guy Stuart.

Shirley looked at him pitifully; she had known what the answer would be; she knew that less had made her mother the wife of a man whom she had not meant to marry. She felt that all was lost; and yet the miser on Guy's face rendered her desperate. That she should have so wounded him, she who loved him so madly, who would have died for him, who would willingly have crept to his feet and prayed for forgiveness as if she had brought this anguish to him fully! For his sake she fought against the certainty which seemed to have frozen her blood against the certainty which seemed to have frozen her blood as she knelt there, in silent and powerless, able only to suffer.

"Uncle Gilbert," she said, in a voice so broken with passionate agitation and bitter pain that it was difficult to understand what she said, "are you sure? Is there no room for doubt? I know—I know my mother's story; but—another judgment. Oh, it is impossible," she cried, rising to her feet with a sudden despairing strength—"it is impossible that a few jesting words can have made me that man's wife? Uncle Gilbert, if you have any pity, tell me that all this is some horrible dream."

She stood swaying to and fro, as she pushed back the hair from her forehead and ruthlessly swept aside the costly lace. Sir Gilbert could not look at her; she was so like her mother, as she stood there, suffering as her mother had suffered, cursed as her mother had been cursed. Ah, if that mother had lived but one short hour more, how differently her child's life would have been ordered, how

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"Guy," she said, passionately, a tear in his eye, "he might listen to you. He was your friend."

"My friend! Yes," Guy muttered bitterly; "and therefore his treachery ten times greater, the villain!"

"Stuart—for Shirley's sake!" interposed Oswald Fairholme hastily; "Glyn, can nothing be done? Will you not give up this claim?"

"Captain Fairholme, if I wished to back out of the marriage, I could not do so," said Sir Hugh, somewhat impatiently. "Who can tell what may occur in the future to induce you to stand up for the marriage which now she repudiates? We cannot see into the future; nor can we tell what circumstances may arise to render it advisable in your cousin's eyes that she should claim the title and position which undoubtedly belong to her as my wife."

"His wife!" Shirley echoed, with an expression of unutterable scorn and hatred in her beautiful eyes. "His wife!"

As she uttered the words, she realized for the first time what her position was. Loving one man with all her heart and soul and strength—even as Marian Fairholme twenty years ago before had loved Rowland Ross—she was bound for life to another. All the anguish that the mother had borne the child must bear, all the pain of knowing that her present position was her own fault; that she had brought sorrow and despair to darken forever the life for which she would, oh, so gladly have given her own! The story Latrelle had told his master six weeks before had been nobly acted upon.

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CHAPTER XXII.
"Alice, I can't understand you; you are so unlike yourself."

"On the contrary," Miss Fairholme said haughtily, "it is you, Ruby, who seem to have lost all correct judgment and all sense of what is right and wrong."

"I would rather lose all correct judgment than be utterly devoid of compassion and pity, or even common humanity," returned Ruby doggedly.

"I have plenty of compassion and pity for objects that deserve it," said Miss Fairholme scornfully—"not for a girl who by the meanest falsehoods and most despicable behaviour has obtained her end and has made herself the wife of one of the wealthiest men in Scotland."

"A girl who by the meanest falsehoods and the most despicable and basest treachery has been trapped into breaking her own heart and the heart of the man whom she loves," retorted Ruby, with an angry sob.

"Ah—so she says!" said Alice sentimentally.

"Alice, this is too bad!" cried Ruby passionately through the hot angry ears which rose in her eyes as she looked at Alice's pretty contemptuous face as, in the prettiest of invalid rappers, she lay on a couch in the parlour.

It was in the afternoon of the day following Shirley's wedding day. Already the first terrible excitement was over, and the household had resumed its ordinary routine. The pretty bridal robes had been folded away, Sir Jasper Stuart's regal wedding-gift had been once more replaced upon its satin bed, the decorations had been taken from the walls, the wedding-favors put aside. Only Sir Gilbert's gloomy brow and Lady Fairholme's preoccupied countenance showed that something had gone wrong; and in the servants' hall the women and maids talked with bated breath of the anguish on Guy Stuart's haggard face and of Miss Alice's hysterics—but Miss Ross they did not see.

Sir Hugh Glyn had proved himself perfectly reasonable, and even considerate. He acquiesced cordially in Captain Fairholme's suggestion that the same day should be obtained; and he same day Oswald and Guy had one to Edinburgh, where they thought it could best be obtained. Sir Hugh had gone back to Maxwell, declining Sir Gilbert's invitation to remain at the Court. His presence here would be an intrusion, he said, in the present circumstances; he could await Major Stuart's return at his own house.

Alice, whose vanity had received a terrible blow—for she had considered Sir Hugh a captive to her bow and arrow, and was greatly mortified at having lost all chance of such a brilliant part—had chosen to take what he called her cousin's "infamous behaviour" so deeply to heart that she was suffering from a nervous attack which required a great deal of attention, but which did not interfere with her flirtation with her brother's friends, both of whom, at Lady Fairholme's request, remained at the court while Shirley had not left her room, whither she had been carried a long death-like swoon, which had followed the terrible strain she had endured for so long; and the only persons who had seen her were Ruby, and Delphine, Alice's maid whose romantic heart was touched by

Presently Delphine brought in a tray, and Shirley made a feint of eating to induce Ruby to have some dinner; and when the evening wore on into night, the two girls went to rest, and Ruby cried herself to sleep in Shirley's arms. But no sleep came to the other girl's wide-aching eyes. It seemed to Shirley that she would never sleep again.

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the girl's terrible position, and who, moreover, had all a Frenchwoman's love of intrigue; while Ruby, in her earnest sympathy, had cried till her pretty dark eyes became red and stiff.

On recovery from her long fainting fit, Shirley had behaved very quietly; she was almost too exhausted for anything else. She felt but little, and she feared but little, for all power of thought seemed gone. She pressed Ruby's hand with a faint little grateful pressure when she found her head lying on Miss Copel's shoulder and the pretty piquant face, with a tender pity unusual to it, bending over her; then she closed her eyes wearily again, and let herself drift away into a half stupor which lasted until evening.

Ruby did not leave her all that night. Under her quick impulsive exterior the little heiress had a very loving heart, and all her pity and tenderness were aroused for Shirley. It did not matter to her that almost everyone at Fairholme Court condemned Shirley; she felt in her inmost heart that the girl was true; and she laid the aching head on her bosom, and pressed her lips to the burning brow with a tenderness which was an inexpressible comfort to Shirley in her desolation.

Toward evening, when Shirley roused up and found Ruby still watching by her pillow, her natural unselfishness asserted itself. She insisted on making Ruby rest on the couch; and, to please her, the girl acquiesced, while Shirley sat beside her, holding her hand in her little hot fingers, and speaking now and then a few words of thankful gratitude for Ruby's tenderness and consideration.

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BRIBERY.

Our Officers and Their Relations With Army Contractors.

Officers and non-commissioned officers of the British Army have accepted presents from contractors for forty-five years to my knowledge, for I was a conduit pipe through which such presents passed for that period. I have no doubt that the system has been going on in all armies since the great Duke of Marlborough popularized it by squeezing a spooly proportion of his fortune out of reluctant Army providers.

Speaking as a contractor's agent, I would say that all such payments amount to bribery if looked at from the contractor's point of view, for they naturally expect to get something for their outlay; but, inasmuch as the majority of officers and non-commissioned officers who take these presents do so without any intention whatever of giving any return for them, it is difficult to maintain that all payments of the sort amount to bribery with the dictionary definition of "payment to induce a person to act in a certain way."

I believe that there are a great many officers in the Army who would think it a meritorious action to take money presents from a contractor and then do the opposite of what the payee of the present expected them to do. Those officers could hardly be held to have accepted bribes, though, speaking from the contractor's point of view, I should be inclined to accuse them of something worse.

In Confidence.

In such cases the contractor would certainly be guilty of bribery, for the intention would be there; but if there is no intention on the other side to do as the contractor desires the receiver is only guilty of obtaining money by a sort of confidence trick.

I well remember a case of a colonel working something like this on me. He was in command of a cavalry regiment which was giving us a lot of unnecessary trouble over the supply

of forage. It was out of the question of course, to offer him money; but I thought he might be got at through the medium of a horse, as he was a keen hunting man and a remarkably good judge of horseflesh.

I put up the idea to my governor and he sanctioned my having a try. I accordingly bought a hunter, good-looking, and an excellent jumper, and got in the colonel's way with it on every possible occasion. It was not long before he rose to the bait and asked me if the horse was for sale. I replied to the effect that it was, and on his asking the price I mentioned a sum which was about a third of what the beast had cost me.

Grey Hairs in Prospect.

He must have known that I was practically giving him the horse, but the effect the sale had upon his treatment of us was quite the reverse of what I anticipated. The very next day he came down to the forage barn while I was there and announced to me that, in his opinion, the quality of the forage was not what it ought to be. I replied to the effect that it had been passed by the garrison board of inspection and was quite up to contract.

"Do you call that meadow hay?" he asked, holding out a handful that he had dragged from the centre of a truss.

I was obliged to call it that, of course, but, if the truth must be told, it was only meadow hay by brevet.

"I certainly do," I replied.

"Well, you may be right," he said, in a way that left no doubt on my mind as to what he thought; "but I want something for my horses that seems like meadow hay to me, and I would also like to see some oats that go a few more pounds to the bushel than these. You had better write to your employers to tell them that if I don't get what I want they will very

likely be getting some grey hairs in their heads."

It was some time before I could persuade my governors that it was time to send stuff that couldn't be bought wholesale for less than about twopence a ration more than we were getting for it. But they had to do it at last, after that colonel had worked things up for us to the extent of getting the daily inspecting board to refuse to pass our stuff three days in succession.

Before I brought off that horse deal the colonel had confessed himself with complaining, but from the moment I bribed him he became hither's hostile, and a little later rubbed the injury by asking me, with a twinkle in his eye, if I had got another horse to sell.

For Two Hundred Shillings.

That was the case of a man who wouldn't do anything, although he took the bribe. It was altogether different from another instance, where when I was connected with paid out a lot of money without getting the slightest thing in return for it.

We were let in for this in connection with a contract for general supplies to a military institution, and the time it was a very smart sergeant who victimized us. He was chief clerk in the office where the contract was let every six months, and our first acquaintance with him was brought about by his whispering to me, when I called at the office one day for some information, that he "could work the oracle for us for a tenner."

We wanted the contract, and, since I had sufficient authority to spend what he wanted without consulting my principals, I promised to bring him ten sovereigns on the day we received the official notification that our tender had been accepted.

Accepted it was, and the ten pounds duly changed hands. When the time came round for the next six-monthly contract to be made I went to the sergeant again and proposed a similar deal. He agreed, but said that if he would be necessary to tender at prices he would give us, so that we would be lowest. The prices he gave were less than we would have fixed if we had been tendering off our own bat but we adopted them and got the contract again.

No Other Offers.

This sort of thing went on for year for, although there had been several changes of clerks in that office, the outgoing man passed the annuity of twenty pounds on to his successor.

Then, one day, when I had paid over ten pounds to the sergeant in possession of the job, he offered, for another twenty-five to sell me something that it would be worth my while to know.

I had confidence in that young man, and I eventually paid him the twenty-five pounds he stipulated for. In return, he told me that, as he was going somewhere else and didn't much care for the sergeant who was to succeed him, he had made up his mind to tell me that there was no necessity to go on paying that ten pounds every half-year as no other firm than ours had ever sent in a tender?

Was that ten pounds we had been paying every six months to get ourselves robbed bribery? I called it double-edged brigandage. But what fools those sergeants were for not seeing that we wouldn't have minded paying fifty, or even a hundred pounds, for the knowledge that we could tender at nice fat prices, instead of cutting to the narrowest margin of profit as we had been doing!

Quartermasters Out of Court.

I think those sergeants were foolish as well as being dishonest. Since the passing of the Illitch Commissions Act, the giving of presents by Army contractors has considerably diminished, but I am not in a position to say that the practice has entirely ceased.

But in justice to contractors, I ought to be said that they got very little for the outlay on presents beyond fair treatment, which they ought to get for nothing; and in case it should be thought that quartermasters in particular are given to accepting presents, I will say emphatically that my experience is that this class of officer is very seldom approached by a contractor with anything in his hand. As a matter of fact few quartermasters are in a position to help a contractor in any way.—Answers.

Philanthropy and Temperature.

At the opening of a soup-kitchen for Jewish poor children recently, Sir Joseph Lyons told this story: "Getting into her carriage one day, a lady remarked to her footman: 'Jackson, it's a very cold day. Remind me when I get home to send some blankets to the poor people.'"

At the end of the drive she entered her pleasantly warmed home again and made herself comfortable with a cup of tea before the fire.

Jackson as requested, reminded her about the blankets.

"As, yes, I remember," she remarked. "But I don't think I need send them. It's so nice and warm now."

Game to the Last.

Arthur Pelkey, the Canadian, Tried to Run Race With the Timekeeper But Lost—Was Knocked Down Twice by "Gunboat" Smith in the 15th Round and Stayed Down.

San Francisco, Cal., January 2.—There were no knockdowns in the Gunboat Smith-Arthur Pelkey fight yesterday afternoon until the fifteenth round, and then two in succession brought victory to Smith. The round was still young, when Smith, after breaking from a clinch, let fly a full-sweep right for Pelkey's jaw. It was a blow that Pelkey had avoided probably half a hundred times by ducking or allowing his head to roll in the preceding rounds. By this time the Gunner reached the mark squarely and the Canadian sprawled under the ropes at the ring edge. He tried to gather himself together and directly he arose, he lurched toward Smith, intent on clinching Smith dealt him a downward chop with his right on the back of the head and Pelkey measured his length on the floor a second time.

Game to the last, Arthur tried to run a race with the timekeeper but was not properly on his legs before the fatal word "out" sounded. For Pelkey's own sake it was just as well, for he was thoroughly defenceless and he would have received another stiffening smash from the hard-hitting "gunner." It was as interesting a contest as the average fight fan could wish to witness.

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"Hallo, Giles!" said Grump. "Looking out for a good horse?"

"Always ready to find one," replied Giles.

"Ever see that little bay mare of mine?" Giles nodded.

"Well, she's yours at a rock-bottom price," continued the other.

Giles looked thoughtful for a minute. Then:

"Nay, nay," he said, "I've only got gold on me, and I don't want to break into another quid if I can help it."

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Evening Telegram.

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

THURSDAY, Jan. 8, 1914.

Municipal Matters.

We are pleased to find that the Citizens' Civic Improvement Committee has been selected and has already met for the purpose of organization of sub-committees, who will set to work on inquiries into various live city questions. It is pleasing to find on the Executive Committee men like Ex-Mayor Shea and ex-councillors, such as the Hon. John Harris and the Hon. John Anderson, who have had a term of practical experience in municipal administration, and under whom definite advancement was made in city improvements. We are also glad to see there Dr. Brehm and Inspector O'Brien whose daily official duties bring them in close contact with the health conditions of the city. For a similar reason Dr. Rendell's presence on the committee will be helpful.

One of the greatest blots on the reputation of the city is the high death-rate to which we have been directing attention for many years. Everybody recognizes that St. John's has many natural advantages, which tend to keep the city healthy and that what is necessary to make the city as healthy as the general body of municipalities in England is the taking of steps that are followed there. We have before us as we are writing the part of Whitaker's Almanac for 1914 which is entitled a Municipal Directory for England and Wales. It consists of a list of London boroughs, and provincial cities, boroughs and Urban District. The list occupies six pages and taken in about 350 municipalities. In the whole list there is not on municipality which shows a death-rate over 20 per 1000. A remarkable case is that of Wimbledon in Surrey, with a population of 56,000 and a death-rate of only 7.6 per 1000.

Police Court.

A 15 year old wheelwright, charged with the larceny of a can of varnish, valued at \$3.50, was remanded for 3 days.
One drunk was discharged and another fined \$1 or 3 days.
A drunk and disorderly was fined \$1 or 3 days.
An application was heard in private, the defendant furnishing bonds.

Special Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind S.W., light, weather dull. The S. S. Flona passed in and a Furness Liners west yesterday. Nothing sighted to-day. Bar. 29.08; ther. 30.

Citizens' Meeting

SUB-COMMITTEES FORMED.
The Executive of the Citizens' Improvement Committee met in the Board of Trade Rooms last night. The chair was occupied by the President, Mr. W. G. Gosling, those present being Rt. Hon. Sir E. P. Morris, Hons. J. Harris, J. Anderson, Drs. Rendell and Brehm, Messrs. E. M. Jackman, J. Fenelon, W. R. Howley, F. McNamara, G. Shea, J. W. Withers, F. Bradshaw, I. G. Sullivan and Inspector O'Brien. Mr. F. W. Bradshaw was appointed Secretary to the Committee. After a long discussion as to the lines upon which the Committee should work, it was decided to appoint sub-committees to obtain information under the following heads: Water, Sewerage, Street repairing and Cleaning, Health, Taxation, Fire Protection, Lighting, Housing, Systems of Government.
These sub-committees are to report Wednesday, Jan. 21st. The full working Committee has not yet been organized. The following gentlemen were unable to attend owing to previous engagements: Messrs. C. P. Ayre, C. O'N. Conroy, John Browning, J. M. Kent.

Codfish Exports for December.

The appended statement of the exports of codfish during December is posted at the Board of Trade Rooms:

	Qtls.
To Europe	28,874
To Canada	9,163
Total	38,037
From St. John's	
To Europe	39,295
To Barbados	2,290
To Canada	2,500
To Brazil	69,123 1/2
Total	113,208 1/2
Green Fish	
To United States	2,295 1/2
To Canada	723
Total	3,018 1/2

During December 1912 the exports of dry amounted to 172,934 quintals and of green codfish, 3,200 quintals.

McMurdo's Store News.

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Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.
HALIFAX, To-day.
The dead body of Charles Assaff, Syrian pedlar, was found under brush in Sheet Harbor, with his skull smashed. A young man, Edward Cook, is arrested on suspicion. Assaff lived at Halifax.

Special to The Evening Telegram.
CORK, Ireland, Jan. 7.

An attempt was made by court proceedings to-day to disqualify the Lord Mayor of Cork, Henry O'Shea, from sitting as a Council man on the ground that he is an alien and a naturalized American citizen. The case was dismissed. Leave was given to appeal to a higher court.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, To-day.

An explanation of conflicting views about the Home Rule conference between the Prime Minister and the Opposition leader, appears to be that while the statement from the Unionist side is quite accurate that no compromise is possible on the basis of the exclusion of Ulster from the operation of the Bill, the Liberals are still hopeful that when Parliament meets some fruitful negotiations may occur leading to a settlement on other grounds.

England Has Big Housing Problem.

London, Jan. 3.—A conference convened by the Workmen's National Housing Council was held to discuss resolutions relating to the housing of the workers. C. W. Bowerman, M. P., president, and there were present also many trade unionists and labor and Socialist leaders.

Mr. Bowerman said he supposed there never was a time when public opinion was so emphatic as to the necessity for the reforms which the housing council had been advocating for so many years. This work was a voluntary kind, and it was hampered by lack of funds, yet they had been able to focus public opinion on the need for better housing accommodation everywhere in the country.

With a number of his colleagues he paid a visit to Denmark six or seven weeks ago and he was astonished at the progress which had been made in the country in providing proper and commodious houses for people engaged on the land. Not only were the people provided with drawing rooms, dining room, kitchen and bedrooms, but in two cases a bathroom was attached to the cottage.

All the rooms were lit by electricity as was also the places where the horses were stalled. If a small country like Denmark could do that, what should Great Britain, with its immense resources, not be able to do? If full effect was to be given to their labours, the estate must in some way or other step in and provide the necessary money and machinery.

Famous Toreador Was Murdered.

New York, January 3.—A cable from Seville to the Tribune says:—Valentin, one of the best known bull fighters in Southern Spain, was killed yesterday by a bullet in a brawl at one of the cafes in the lower section of the city.

Valentin, who had retired from the arena, was one of the very few bull-fighters who succeeded in winning fame and in keeping in the profession until their maturity without any serious accident.

The assassin escaped.

Here and There.

MR. F. J. KING will resume his Music Classes on Monday, January 12th. For terms apply 199 Gower Street.—Jan 8, 31

CALENDARS.—We thank the following firms for very pretty calendars:—Canada National Fire Insurance Co., F. B. Wood Co., Dr. A. B. Lehr, Mr. C. J. Cantwell.

WATER TURNED OFF.—Owing to a leak in the pipes on Duckworth St. the water is turned off this afternoon from 2 o'clock to 6 from Prescott St. to Pilot's Hill, while repairs are being effected.

CORRECTION.—The Hon. Sec. of the Church of England Orphanage wishes to make the following correction in the list of Xmas donations:—for "1 qr. beef, Miss Connors." read "1 qr. beef, Frank J. Connors."

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.—Inspector Bastow is now investigating a cruelty to animals case in which a dog, which is a quiet animal, has been scalded on four different occasions within the past six months by some unknown but malicious party in the neighborhood of Mullock Street.

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Overcome by Gas Fumes.

At four o'clock yesterday afternoon a man named Escott, an employee of the Gas Company, was nearly asphyxiated. He was working in a cut on Duckworth Street connecting two pipes when he was overcome by escaping gas and for awhile it was thought he would suffocate. The workman was brought to Dr. Roberts' surgery where he was given stimulants to revive him, after which he was driven home, but was able to resume work this morning.

Here and There.

Parade Rink will be open to-night. Terra Nova Band in attendance. Admission 20c.—li

POLICEMAN RETURNS.—Constable Tulk, who was doing special duty on Bell Island since Christmas Eve, returned to the city this morning and resumed duty in the East End immediately.

Essence of Ginger Wine is sold at Stafford's Drug Store, Theatre Hill, for only 10 cents a bottle. Open every night till 11 o'clock.—dec 22, 11

TO-NIGHT'S CONCERT.—The annual concert promoted by the Pastor, Rev. Dr. Kitchin, of St. Joseph's Parish, takes place to-night. The affair will eclipse any previous performance as an elaborate programme is outlined.

CARD TOURNAMENT.

Shoe Workers' Strikers will hold a Card Game in L. S. P. U. Hall Friday night. Prizes: Barrel Flour, 1/2 ton coal, tub butter. Jan 8, 11

Mr. E. LAING, A.A. Principal of the High School at Winterton, who spent his Xmas holidays with his friends at Green's Hr., after a very pleasant trip he returned by way of Heert's Content Tuesday morning and will open school on Jan. 9th. Friends wishes him every success for the coming year. We were very pleased to see him.

The Biggest Optical House on earth cannot possibly keep in stock all the combinations called for in Eyeglass lenses. Only those who are equipped to grind them can supply exactly what is needed. We have the latest machinery and all necessary material to make any lens in use. R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Specialist.—dec 26, 11

SHORTHAND PASSES.—The following pupils of Miss Nellie Vinnicombe received Diplomas from J. M. Sloan, Esq., Ramsgate, England: Speed—Miss Gertrude Burton, 130 words a minute; Miss Flossie Morris, 124 words; and Miss Elsie Penston, 100 words. Accuracy—Jack Woods, Misses Melinda Duchaine, Gladys Hanfin, Lilla Cornick, Ethel Pippy, Elsie Pippy and Eileen Mahoney.

An Illustrated Lecture on "A Trip to Hudson Bay" will be given by Capt. Saunders for the benefit of the Alexandra Workers on Monday, the 12th inst., at 8.15 p.m., in the Presbyterian Hall. Local talent will assist in the entertainment. Admission 20c. Jan 8, 11

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We call your attention to the splendid money-saving opportunities mentioned on this page. Read carefully and study the full meaning of every price reduction.

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CRETONNES.

Bordered Cretonnes for window curtains, &c., plain centres, assorted colors, including Reseda, Fawn, V. Rose and Crimson; width 36 and 40 inches. Reg. 25c. per yard. Friday and Saturday **20c**

GINGHAMS.

New American Dress Gingham in pretty Check, Cross-bar and Striped patterns; dainty colorings of Pink, Fawn, Blue and Grey, 27 inches wide; guaranteed fast colors. Special for Friday and Saturday **10c**

WHITE SHIRTING.

20 pieces of the popular "Times" White Shirting, 31 ins. wide; improved soft finish, absolutely free from all imperfections. Special for Friday and Saturday **10c**

BEDROOM HEARTH RUGS.

5 doz. French Hearthrugs of beautiful quality and designs, size 28 x 56; wool knotted fringe ends, light and dark colorings; a suitable Rug for the bedroom. Reg. price \$3.75 ea. Friday & Saturday **3.20**

DOOR MATS.

Inside Hall or Parlor Door Mats in good Axminster carpet; various pretty designs and color schemes, nicely finished; size 13 x 30. Reg. \$1.20 each. Friday and Saturday **84c**

COCOANUT DOOR MATS.

Splendid Door Mats, made of Plain Coconut Fibre, thick brush surface, reliable quality; size 20 x 33. Reg. \$1.35 each. Friday & Saturday **1.10**

Values that will pack our Showroom to capacity.



CHILD'S PLUSH COLLARETTES.

12 only of these dainty little Collarettes in Dark Fawn, with silk cord trimmings, offered at a special price for this Friday and Saturday **28c**

FLETTE NIGHTDRESSES.

15 doz. Pink and White Flette Nightdresses of exceptional quality, in different styles; some with Sailor Collars, others with square and round necks; all have lace trimmed yokes, &c. Reg. \$1.25 each. Friday and Saturday **1.05**

FLETTE UNDERSKIRTS.

For ladies, American styles; colors of Pale Blue, Pink and Striped, plain hemstitched and scalloped flounces. Special for Friday and Saturday **34c**

LADIES' LAWN OVERALLS.

Attractive new White Lawn Overall for ladies, all sizes; well shaped ample Skirts, Swiss Embroidery and tucked flounces. Reg. \$1.00 each. Friday & Saturday **84c**

SWEATER COATS.

In Cream only, striped; fine Wool Coat Sweaters; assorted sizes. Reg. \$4.00. Friday & Saturday **3.60**

INFANTS' BANDS.

3 doz. only of the Slipthrough Corset Bands for infants, strongly made of strong white cotton. Reg. 35c. each. Friday & Saturday **30c**

CORSETS.

A large collection of D. & A. Corsets in White and Drab, long hips, medium busts, 4 garters, lace trimmed tops with ribbon draw string; all sizes. Special for Friday and Saturday **89c**

HAIR NETS.

The latest idea in Hair Ornaments, the "Adorn" Net for theatre or evening wear; assorted fancy patterns, with 2 dainty tassels. Special for Friday & Saturday **28c**

SILK ROSES.

Beautiful novelties for the hair and corsage, imitation Roses, Buds and Flowers, made of silk in a variety of pretty colors. Values 20c. ea. Friday & Saturday **9c**

BLOUSES.

An exceptional collection of smart models in Cream, Chalk, plain and striped effects; some have tucked fronts, collars, &c., others reversible shirtwaist collars. Reg. \$2.25. Friday & Saturday **1.90**

Clear Up of Embroideries.

Over 400 yards of White Embroidery Edging in a variety of exquisite patterns, each pattern having a charm of its own. Stock-taking finds us with too much of this stock on hand. To bring it down to decent limits, prices have been ignored altogether; several qualities have been grouped together to sell at one price. On Friday and Saturday we offer a group of 25c. to 45c. values for the special price of, per yard,

16 cts.

Savings for You on Gloves.

WOOL GAUNTLETS.

Big stock of Heavy Wool Gauntlets and Short Wrist Gloves, in White, Black, Navy and Fancy; all sizes. Reg. 40c. pair. Friday & Saturday **36c**

CHILD'S INFANTEES.

White Astrachan with soft kid palms; sizes from 00 to 6. Values to 48c. pair. Friday & Saturday **36c**

LADIES' LINED GLOVES.

A splendid assortment of Kid and Doeskin Gloves in Tan and Black, lined with heavy wool, Black Fur tops; all sizes. Reg. \$1.25 pair. Friday & Sat. **1.10**

\$1.50 SPANGLED DRESS NETS for \$1.05
Beautiful Nets for evening wear, &c., Black grounds with Gold, Green and Blue Drops, Spangles, &c.; 40 inches wide. Regular selling price \$1.50 yard. Friday and Saturday **1.05**

FRENCH CASTOR GLOVES.

7 doz. pairs White and Cream Castor Gloves, 2 pearl buttons, gusseted fingers; all sizes. Reg. 65c. pair. Friday and Saturday **55c**

Sundries—Every Item a Bargain.

WHITE BONE KNITTING PINS—12 inches long. Special, per set **11c**

AMBER CROCHETING HOOKS—All sizes. Special, 2 for **4c**

COTTON PIPING CORD—Black & White, 1 oz. slips. Special, per slip **4c**

TALCUM POWDER—In large 14 oz. tins, delightfully perfumed and antiseptic. Special, per tin **8c**

SHAVING STICKS—Royal Vinolia Shaving Sticks in neat nickel boxes. Special, each **26c**

STAND MIRRORS—Strong and substantial. Special, 2 for **6c**

CHAIN NECKLETS—With Photo Pendant; assorted styles. Special, each **16c**

TOILET SOAP—The "Capitol" brand, made by Lever Bros; large cakes, assorted perfumes. Special, each **7c**

BOOT BUTTONS—In Black and Tan, on cards containing 16 Buttons, 16 Fasteners and Button Hook. Special, 2 cards for **5c**

HAIRPINS—Black and Bronze Wire in pretty decorated boxes; assorted sizes & styles. Special, each **8c**

Quality Footwear at Small Prices.

DRESS SHOES.

50 pairs Black Kid Dress Shoes, 1 and 2 strap styles. French heels; sizes 3 to 7. Special for Friday and Saturday, per pair **58c**

CHILD'S BOOTS.

A splendid Calf Leather Boot for children, sizes 5 to 8. These have Spring Heels, Blucher and Buttoned styles, self tipped. Reg. 90c. pair. Friday and Saturday **80c**

LADIES' HOUSE SHOES.

English made Black Kid House Shoes, low heels with wide easy fitting toes; sizes from 3 to 7. Reg. 75c. pair. Friday & Saturday **65c**

ANNOUNCEMENT.

OUR GREAT January White Sale

commences Friday, January 16th.

The preparations for this great annual event are well in hand. The remarkably low prices and the high character of the goods give promise of greater interest and enthusiasm than ever before.

Hosiery at Attractive Prices.

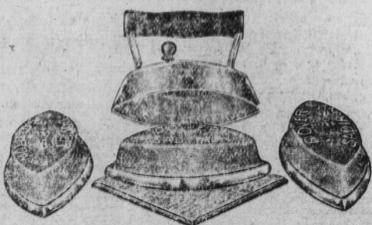
LADIES' HOSE.

7 doz. pairs Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose of excellent quality, in assorted ribs, seamless feet; guaranteed fast Black, in all sizes. Special, 33c per pair **33c**

CHILDREN'S HOSE.

The Hosiery question is a most important one with the mothers. How often you hear, "My children are so hard on their stockings." Well, now! Here's a chance to save on Reliable Worsted Hose for all sizes. Sizes 0 to 3. Special, per pair **15c**
Sizes 4 to 6. Special, per pair **25c**

HARDWARE HELPS.



- Girls' Sleighs, with leather seats. Regular \$1.95 each for **1.74**
- Coal Vases, with brass hinges; assorted patterns. Reg. \$2.10 for **1.85**
- Enamel Kettles, 1 quart size. Regular 50c. each for **43c**
- Jackson's Wax Floor Polish in large tins. Special, per box **9c**
- Goddard's Plate Powder in packets. Regular 18c. each for **16c**
- Crocery Mender, in bottles; mends solid as a rock. Reg. 20c. bottle for **17c**

Asbestos Sad Irons, 3 in set. Reg. \$2.10 set for **\$1.90.**

- Carvers in case, 3 pieces, stag handles. Reg. \$3.25 set for **2.50**
- Dover Lace Irons, small sized, well finished. Special, each **13c**
- Veribrite Polishing Oil, in bottles. Reg. 50c. bottle for **41c**
- Enamel Saucepans. Reg. 25c. for **21c**
- Enamel Pudding Moulds. Reg. \$1.00 for **88c**
- Good Clothes Brushes, with varnished backs. Reg. 20c. ea. for **16c**
- Scrub Brushes, Reg. 12c. each for **10c**
- Stove Brushes, Reg. 15c. ea. for **11c**
- Short Handled Whisks, Reg. 20c. for **17c**
- Braided Clothes Lines, 50 ft. long. Reg. 25c. for **20c**
- Beatrice Single Oil Stoves. Reg. \$1.40 each for **1.19**



Clothes Baskets in White Wicker. Reg. 95c. for **83 cents.**

IMPORTANT OFFERINGS IN MEN'S FURNISHINGS.



MEN'S TIES.

A splendid line of Fancy Knitted Ties in four-hand styles; assorted fancy patterns, also a lot of self-colors. Special for Friday and Saturday, each **9c**

GENT'S HANDKERCHIEFS.

15 doz. White Cotton Handkerchiefs, Linen finished, Shamrock bleached and nicely hemmed, ready for use. Special for Friday & Saturday **11c**

BOYS' BRACES.

Strong and reliable Police Braces for boys, stout elastic webbing, strong leather and metal fittings. Reg. 20c. pair. Friday and Saturday **15c**

MEN'S BUCKSKIN GLOVES.

High grade Gloves in Tan shades only. English made, lined with Gazzel Fur. We have these Gloves in all sizes. Special, Friday & Saturday **1.35**

NANSEN CAPS.

5 doz. only Pure Wool Fleece Knitted Caps, lined; colors of Brown, Grey and Heather; all sizes. Special for Friday and Saturday, each **1.10**

MEN'S BOOTS.

Dandy Boots for men in Box Calf and Vici Kid, neat comfortable styles, medium heavy soles, swell toe caps; in a full range of sizes. Reg. \$4.00 pr. Friday & Sat'y **3.60**

ROMEO SLIPPERS.

60 pairs Tan Slippers, with welted soles, especially constructed for ease and comfort; all sizes. Reg. \$2.10 pair. Friday and Saturday **1.90**

MEN'S HALF HOSE.

A large selection of finely ribbed Heather Mixture Half Hose in all sizes; Mending Cards with each pair. Reg. 40c. pair. Friday and Saturday **34c**

SHIRT BARGAINS.

TUNIC SHIRTS.

9 doz. Tunic Shirts, made of extra quality Madras and other materials, open at back, soft fronts, White Linen Collar Bands that fit perfectly; all sizes. Reg. \$1.50 ea. Friday & Saturday **1.25**

WORKING SHIRTS.

Stout Union Flannel Shirts, suitable for men who work out of doors. They come with and without collars; well finished and in all sizes. Special for Friday and Saturday, each **1.12**

MANTEL DRAPES.

Another opportunity to secure one of these fine Drapes for the mantelpiece; nicely Embroidered Felt in beautiful shades of Green and Crimson, 2 1/2 yards in length; long enough for any mantelpiece. The regular selling price is 90c. each. On Friday and Saturday, it will be **70 cts.**

BLIND PULLS.

No house should be without a Blind Pull on every blind. They prolong the life of the ordinary blind and add a finishing touch to its appearance. These Pulls come all in one pattern in polished wood, and will sell on Friday and Saturday, 2 for **3c**

PILLOW SHAMS.

Pillow Shams made of fine White Linen are indispensable to the modern housekeeper. We offer a very attractive line for this week. Plain centres, size 30 x 30; nicely tucked and hemstitched frills. Reg. 55c. each. Friday and Saturday **45c**

MEXICAN TABLE COVERS.

Beautiful Lace Table Covers, made after the well-known Mexican styles. These cloths are all circular in shape and measure 54 inches across. The designs are very handsome and look their best when thrown on a dark background. Special **92c**

FANCY LINENS.

A huge assortment of Tray Cloths, Tea Cloths and Table Cloths in White Linen, beautifully trimmed in various styles, including drawn thread work and embroidery designs, hemstitched patterns and others in lace edge and insertion. Values **70c**

Special for This Week! THIS IS THE LAST WEEK TO SECURE A PAIR OF

We feature the following articles for the coming week, which are goods that were in transit during our

SALVAGE SALE.

They are goods needed in every home and needed now. Owing to making general repairs to our premises they are all marked at cost prices landed.

All priced so Low that everybody will appreciate the values instantly.

FLANNELETTES, WHITE SHIRTING, TABLE LINEN, CURTAIN NETS, BLAY and BLEACHED SHEETING.

Dorothy Dodd

LOW CUT SHOES AT HALF PRICE.

Marshall Bros.

FALLEN IDOLS.

A Few Days After Dining With a King, Dr. Cook, the Explorer, Was a Discredited Man.

To fall from being the popular idol of some forty million people, to having all kinds of abusive epithets and charges hurled at one, in just over a minute, must be a record.

Up till the very hour of his fight with Carpentier, Wells was not only the popular idol of the masses, but column after column was devoted to his doings, his training, his daily life, in the newspapers. Seventy-three seconds were sufficient time to make the fickle populace who had praised him, jeer at him, and even the very newspapers who had spoken of him as the coming champion of the world, could not refrain from sneering at the Bombardier.

An even bigger fall than that of Wells, though it took a little longer than seventy-three seconds, was that of the famous Dr. Cook.

On Thursday, September 2nd, 1909, a brief telegram was received that the Danish steamer Hans Egede, was

steaming to Copenhagen with a Dr. Cook on board, and added: "Cook reached the North Pole on April 21st, 1909."

The news created a frantic stir of enthusiasm throughout the world, and when Dr. Cook arrived at Copenhagen on the Saturday he was met by a cheering crowd of over 50,000 persons.

Royalty to Meet Him.

The Crown Prince of Denmark, the staff of the American Legation, and many famous people were the first to step on board and hail him as the greatest explorer of modern times, while thousands of congratulatory telegrams were received from all over the world, from royalty downwards. On the Sunday the explorer dined with the King of Denmark.

On September 7th, exactly three days after Dr. Cook landed in Denmark, the blow fell which brought him from the height of fame to the laughing-stock of two continents. The blow was a brief message from Commander Peary, and it ran: "I found the Pole. I reached it on April 6th, 1909.—Peary."

Dr. Cook had less than a week's fame. In a few days after dining with royalty he was a discredited man, and Commander Peary was the hero.

It is curious that it was in the September of the previous year that one of Denmark's most popular idols fell from his high estate in a night. This idol, too, like Dr. Cook, was the guest of the King of Denmark, only a few days before his fall, a dinner at which King Edward was present.

From Most Honored to Most Hated.

The man in question was Peter Alberti, the Danish Minister of Justice,

who for sixteen years used his political positions to swindle and defraud the public out of nearly three-quarters of a million pounds. Yet in a few minutes he fell. One day, overcome by remorse, he walked to a police station and said: "I have come to give myself up," and before that day was over he was the most hated instead of being one of the most honored, men in Denmark.

Charles Stewart Parnell was probably one of the most loved, and one of the most popular Irish leaders who ever lived.

Everything Parnell said was enthusiastically received, and so great was his popularity, indeed, that when a national subscription was opened to present him with a sum of money, no less than £37,000 was raised in

Monarchist Plot Engineered by Republicans.

Vigo, Spain, January 3.—A former official of the Portuguese political police, Homero Lancastre, has made a sworn declaration before a notary here, which is countersigned by several witnesses, charging that the Monarchist plot put down in Lisbon last October was organized by General Commissary of Police Caldeira Sequeira with funds provided by the Portuguese Government.

To-Days Serious Accident.

MAN FALLS INTO HOLD OF VESSEL — EDWARD POWER THE VICTIM.

At 10 o'clock to-day Edward Power, aged 50, belonging to Rossiter's Lane, and employed at Bowings' Southside premises had a narrow escape from being killed. He was engaged on board the Nova Scotian vessel Cleodora, which began this morning to load fish, and was standing at the combings of the hatch in the forward part of the vessel superintending the cargo as it was being taken aboard when suddenly he fell down in the hold, striking the keelson with great force. As a result of the fall his face was badly battered, both arms are

said to be broken, whilst he also received internal injuries. The workmen on the premises raised the injured man to the deck, where he was attended by Dr. Fraser, who was summoned in the interim. Upon examination the physician found that the man was seriously injured and ordered him to the General Hospital, where he was immediately taken in the ambulance.

HOW HE FELL.

Mr. Power was subject to attacks of dizziness, we are told, and it is thought that it was through an attack of this ailment that he met the accident. At 2 p.m. he was resting quietly at the Hospital and it is expected he will recover.

Room for Civic Improvement.

Yesterday the condition of the road in the vicinity of Golf Avenue was wretched owing to the overflow of the gullies. Pedestrians had to wade through slush on their way to work. While it may be said that this section of the town is outside the city limits, something should be done to remedy the matter and prevent another such occurrence. If the Council is not responsible, then the Government should see to the matter. This is a matter that the Citizens' Committee could investigate with a view to making improvements in this section of the town.

Coastal Boats.

REID'S BOATS.
The Argyle left Baine Harbor at 1:10 p.m. yesterday, inward.
The Bruce reached Port aux Basques at 7:50 a.m. to-day.
The Glencoe left Port aux Basques at 7:15 a.m. to-day.
The Lintrose left Port aux Basques at 10:45 p.m. yesterday.

BOWINGS' BOATS.
The Prospero left Catalina at 9 a.m. to-day.
The Portia sails at 10 a.m. to-morrow for the westward.

The Queen's Kind Heart.

Touching Narrative by Miners' M.P. Her Majesty and Invalids.

(London Mail, Dec. 20.)
Mr. John Wilson, M.P., Secretary of the Durham Miners' Association, has issued a circular to the miners regarding the recent visit of the Queen to homes for aged miners at Ushaw Moor, Middlestone Moor, and Shincliffe during the visit of the King and Her Majesty to the Earl of Durham and Lambton Castle.

"From the introduction of our committee at Ushaw Moor until the parting at Shincliffe," says Mr. Wilson, who escorted Her Majesty, "there was not a single incident or tone of her voice that did not indicate the kindly, gracious, womanly heart. Her admiration of the kitchens and bedrooms, expressed in choice and pleasing terms, her close and pleasing attention to their desire to show her even the smallest special article of furniture or souvenir, won their affection and gave her a place in their hearts which will never be obliterated so long as memory lasts."

"Just about the finish of the visit there were two incidents which indicated Her Majesty's kindness of heart in a most striking manner. We were passing a house, the door of which stood open. In a bed fight in view lay a woman ill. The door had been left open in order that she might see the Queen as she passed."

"I was not sure what to do, but said, 'There is a woman ill in 'bed there,' and was passing on, 'but was stopped by hearing the tender words, 'I must go in here,' and entering, the Queen went to the bedside and spoke to the woman as to her health and length of illness, and left behind an influence which would cheer the heart of the patient."

"At the end of the street, and just before we got to her motor car, a most pleasing incident took place. A lady sat in a bath chair placed on the green some three or four yards from the path. As we approached I saw the hand of the invalid come out from under the cover and reach out towards the Queen. I said, 'Your Majesty, here is an invalid lady. She appears desirous of speaking to you.'

"There is she?" was the inquiry. I pointed to the corner, and with quick step the Queen went over the grass and shook her hand, speaking to her in a most tender manner.

"A minute after she entered the motor car, but before doing so the Queen said to me, 'I want to tell you and all the people how pleased I have been with this visit. It has been a real pleasure.'"

Ontario Election Strategy.

Voters Receive Letters Enclosing Money Purporting to be From Alliance Officials.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—A piece of election strategy which is believed to be without precedent, became known to-day when local officials of the Dominion Alliance received information that letters enclosing dollar bills had been sent to numerous voters at Arnprior and Bracebridge, where polling on the local option bye-law is to take place to-morrow.

The effect of this money going into the possession of the voters is that the person who has a list of those to whom the money was sent can challenge their right to take the oath at the polls.

Alderman Frank Spence, of the Dominion Alliance, learned by telephone that a number of electors at Arnprior have received a letter enclosing a dollar bill in the following words:

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 1st, 1914.
"Dear Friend,—I am informed that you are helping along the good cause in your city, and I trust that you will get all your friends to help. We must help the poor mis-guided victims of this evil, and our reward will be great. It is often necessary to fight the devil with fire and you will know best where to help. Wishing you all the graces of the New Year in the good cause,—signed—

REV. A. J. MUNTON."
Inquiries immediately commenced by Mr. Spence failed to produce any evidence of any such person in Toronto as Mr. Muntion.

The Dominion Alliance officials are advising all their supporters in to-day's local option contests to turn in any letters and monies that they have received in this manner to the authorities, and to go to the polls armed with written evidence that they have done so.

STEERING by WIRELESS Marvels of Modern Torpedoes.

In the next naval battle one of the most effective weapons will undoubtedly be the Orling-Armstrong torpedo, as it is known, which can be steered by waves of energy transmitted through ether, much as wireless messages are sent. Once these torpedoes are dropped into the water, they can be sent in any desired direction, to left, right, or straight ahead, just according to the will of the man who is handling the controlling instrument ashore.

Some astonishing facts about these torpedoes are given by Mr. Archibald Williams, in "The Wonders of Modern Invention" (Seeley). He relates how, in the first place, in order that the operator might be able to follow the movements of the torpedo, and also as a receiver for the wireless waves, a mast of some sort had to project upon the torpedo's back.

"Since, however, this was so liable to be destroyed by the enemy's fire, some better arrangement had to be thought of, and the inventor, Mr. Armstrong, has said that it came to him in a dream. It certainly was an inspiration, however it came, for his idea was to make the machine suck in water, and then blow it upwards in a jet, just as the whale does when it comes to the surface to breathe."

paratively safe period, but the latter age is admittedly a trying and dangerous one. Reach forty-five safely, and you may reasonably hope to reach seventy, one, the period second in danger of the first few hours after birth.

Church Membership & Oaths.

Berlin, Jan. 2.—The newspapers here said that the judge of a municipal court has refused to administer the oath to witnesses in a court proceeding because they were not members of the church.

The judge said he doubted the validity of an oath administered to such persons. The incident is considered important because of the general movement through out the country of members to withdraw from the sects of the church in order to escape payment of compulsory church taxes.

The withdrawals reached such proportions last month that scores of extra officials were on duty registering them.

An Eternal Question.

There is much talk at present by eminent scientists as to what form the spirit takes after death. Through all the ages men have sought the clue to this great mystery, and, in all probability, the theories which are being expounded to-day were expounded thousands of years ago by the wise Eastern men.

Motor Engines For Petty Harbor.

Fifteen new motor engines were taken to Petty Harbor this morning to be used by fishermen of that locality in next season's operations. The fishermen of that section did remarkably well the past season, but many of them were greatly inconvenienced owing to having no power boats, and to cope with this practically every fisherman in the settlement will operate with a motor fishing boat the coming year.

S. S. SAGONA.—The S.S. Sagona left Grate's Cove at 4:35 p.m. yesterday, inward.

Church Membership & Oaths.

The Lord Chief Justice rose earlier than usual and took his seat in his carriage without noticing that the coachman was missing.

In Borrowed Plumes.

An amusing story is told in connection with Lord O'Brien, who is reported to have resigned his position as Lord Chief Justice of Ireland.

At Ennis Assizes on one occasion his lordship's coachman, who was waiting with the coach at the door of the court was called to give evidence before another judge in the second court. Leaving his magnificent hat on the coach box, he handed over the reins in the characteristic Irish happy-go-lucky way to a ragged youngster on the pavement, and departed to give his evidence.

Motor Engines For Petty Harbor.

It is certain, however, that there are moments in the course of the average person's life when the spirit of death hovers perilously near.

It is just after birth that the angels of life and death fight their fiercest battle, and the next most dangerous age is that of seventy-one.

The age of three comes next in importance in this respect. Almost one-fourth of all babies born die during the third year.

Weather.

From three to forty-five is a comparatively safe period, but the latter age is admittedly a trying and dangerous one. Reach forty-five safely, and you may reasonably hope to reach seventy, one, the period second in danger of the first few hours after birth.

Weather.

It is calm and fine up the country to-day, with the temperature from 25 to 30 above.

Fresh Frozen Haddock & Cod.

<p>Ex s.s. Kanawha: Loaf Cheddar Cheese. Diploma Cheddars, 2lbs. ea. 1 lb. tins English Spiced Beef. 1 lb. blocks Irish Butter. 28 lb. boxes Irish Butter.</p>	<p>Valencia Oranges, 15c. and 20c. doz. Florida Oranges, 40c. and 50c. doz. Grape Fruit. California Navel Oranges. Oregon Table Apples. Syrups, 1/2 pint & pint btls.</p>
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Duckworth St. and Queen's Road.

A Gigantic Price-Smashing SALE OF FURS

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IF YOU DON'T BUY FURS AT THIS SALE YOU LOSE MONEY.

Note the savings effected by buying from us.

LADIES' SQUIRREL FURS
in Necklets & Throwovers.

Regular prices . . . \$5.00 \$6.50 \$7.50 \$8.50
Sale prices \$3.75 \$5.00 \$6.00 \$7.00

LADIES' BLACK HARE NECKLETS
Regular prices . . . \$1.80 \$2.30 \$3.80 \$5.50
Sale prices \$1.30 \$1.90 \$2.90 \$4.00

Similar Savings in Child's Fur Sets.

HATS!

We offer the balance of our stock of Hats, both trimmed and untrimmed, at

SALE PRICES.

Felts, Regular 80c., 90c., \$1.00, \$1.20. Selling at one price, only 60c.

Black Velours, Regular \$3.50 for \$2.00
Black Beavers, Regular \$3.00 for \$2.00
Trimmed Hats, Regular \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 for only \$2.00.

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Ladies' Tweed Coats,
Regular \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$7.50 Coats for \$4.00

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One Railway Company was Paralyzed by Its Men When They Carried Out These Instructions to the Letter.

If your letters are delivered by the second post instead of the first, or not delivered at all; if your telegrams fail to reach their destination, or arrive hours late; if the telephone drives you more mad than you will understand what is going on at the G. P. O.

Because they have grievances, Post Office servants are carrying out their duties to the letter rather than the spirit of the official regulations.

Since the Postmaster-General has refused the terms of the postal officials the telegraph instruments at the G. P. O. are always unaccountably going. The operators who in the ordinary course of things would remedy any little faults themselves, are unable to put them right, and engineers have been called in more frequently than ever in the past.

Telegraph operators are constantly complaining that their "sounders" are not "in adjustment," and an engineer has again to be called in. Of course a "sounder" does go wrong sometimes, but in ordinary circumstances the telegraphist adjusts it himself and says nothing about it. Now he has forgotten how to do it!

Punctual Yet an Hour Late.

This is not the first time the men at the G. P. O. have tried adhering strictly to the rules. Only a few months ago the "clock on" system was introduced.

One minute before "clocking on" time not a man was to be seen. At the exact moment they were all there in a line and then the first man clocked on conscientiously and carefully. Slowly and with infinite precaution he registered himself on the mechanism. The bell rang, and he moved on to his desk.

The next man showed equal care, and so on throughout the line, and it was the greater part of an hour before the last man got through. At lunch time and at night the ceremony was repeated.

It would have been useless for the authorities to penalise many hundreds of men who were "late by the clock," for they could produce overwhelming evidence of their punctuality.

The clocks were removed within a week!

Last January by a system of "strict compliance" with the rule-book, North Eastern railwaymen at Newcastle-on-Tyne and Gateshead expressed their resentment of the suspension of Driver Knox.

Though the delay in traffic by what is sometimes called "the lazy strike" was considerable at Newcastle, it was nothing like so serious as that caused at the Italian railways in 1905 by a similar strike. In fact the railwaymen in Italy were completely paralysed, though none of the railwaymen either struck or broke any of the rules. They merely obeyed them.

Stopped the Train to Dust It.

The station men carried out to the letter the regulations of the companies. They weighed every ounce of coal, measured all the water taken in by the engines, they brushed the seats of the carriages with scrupulous regularity and they polished the windows as they had never been polished before! Passengers were required to prove their identity when claiming their luggage, and when they were able to do so they were refused ink with which

to sign the receipts!

Trains were even stopped in order to rub small specks of dust from the iron work, for engines must be kept clean—according to regulations! One train took seven hours to do the journey from Frascati to Rome, a distance of thirteen miles.

There was, of course, no danger to the public, because all the rules were strictly kept, so nothing could possibly happen. But the railwaymen got what they wanted.—P. W.

Our Business-Like Queen.

Queen Mary believes in prompt payment. She never lets her house-keeping bills run on, and she is very particular as to details. Each tradesman must send in a bill with the goods on delivery; even if it is only soap and candles. All bills are filed by the clerk of the kitchen, who enters up the amount to the account of the various tradesmen. All accounts made out in detail are submitted to the King and Queen at the end of each month. Her Majesty is the chief scrutineer, and never fails to draw attention to any increased item of expenditure. The Queen abhors the idea that carelessness, waste and extravagance should be considered royal prerogatives, sets an admirable example of good management.

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Week of Prayer.

At George Street Church.
The third meeting of this Devotional Series was held in George Street Church last night, the topic being: "Nations and Their Rulers."

The service was conducted by the Rev. J. W. Bartlett, the pastor of the church, assisted by Revs. Dr. Curtis, Whitemarsh and Sutherland. The singing was most inspiring, and the hymns and devotions were in harmony with the topic dealt with during the evening.

The speaker of the evening was the Rev. Mr. Thomas, pastor of the Congregational Church, who in the beginning of his discourse briefly reviewed the preceding topics and laid particular stress on their importance. He then reviewed the various nations of the world, beginning with Japan, which he designated as the Great Britain of the East. He pointed out the peculiar problems with which

each nation was faced, and showed the responsibility resting on their rulers in connection with the adjustment of the nation's grievances. In speaking of the European Powers he referred particularly to the devastation caused by war in recent years, and the demand of Ireland for Home Rule, which she is bound to get since it is her due. The United States of America shall soon have to cut down some of her pleasure-seeking. Canada and the North West presented problems in which Newfoundlanders are particularly interested, since thousands from the Mother Country and her Colonies have gone there in recent years. The address was a scholarly one, and was listened to with rapt attention by the large number present.

The usual service of song was held after which the Rev. Mr. Sutherland pronounced the Benediction.

To-night's services will be held in Gower Street Church.

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Guarding Queen's Jewels.

Great precautions are taken in guarding the jewels belonging to the lady member of the Royal family. When Queen Mary is staying at Buckingham place her ornaments are kept in specially-built strong rooms, and only two of the officials of the household can gain access to these. When travelling, the Queen's jewelry is always in charge of a lady-in-waiting The Hon. Charlotte Knollys is responsible for the care of the jewels of Queen Alexandra, and the safes in which they are kept, both at Marlborough House and at Sandringham, are so constructed that any attempt at burglary would set electric bells ringing all over the house.

Stage Realism.

"Faust" With a Modern Sewing Machine For Marguerite.

Paris musical circles are much amused at the following story, which is published by the "Intransigent": "Some weeks ago a performance of 'Faust' was given at the Grand Theatre, Montreal. Between the first and second acts the stage manager made a little speech to the audience:

"Ladies and gentlemen,—By a happy innovation our distinguished manager has decided to replace the spinning-wheel of Marguerite, a noisy and obsolete instrument, by a sewing machine of Messrs. X., the running of which is so smooth that you will not lose a single note of the delightful song of the King of Thule."

Marguerite took her seat before the sewing-machine, on which the name of the maker was shown in luminous characters, and when she had finished the lines murmured: "The sewing-machine is incomparable; moreover, it only costs sixty dollars."

The audience, concludes the "Intransigent," does not appear to have been in any way shocked.—Central News.

Chain Letters.

Their Awful Possibilities From a Mathematical Standpoint.

About a score of years ago, a man named Griffin, mayor of a small town in New South Wales, Australia started a chain letter in the name of his daughter, with the idea of endowing a hospital with the proceeds. The plan was to construct a 180 link chain by Miss Griffin writing to three of her friends and asking them to send her ten used postage stamps, and also asking them each to write to three of their friends to do the same.

The idea was eventually to sell the canceled stamps received to a stamp dealer for resale to collectors and to use the money thus gained for the hospital. The first three recipients numbered their letters No. 1, the second nine numbered theirs No. 2, the third twenty-seven numbered theirs No. 3 and so on. With the one hundred and eightieth multiple the chain was automatically to cease.

But the originator evidently went into the matter without wholly considering the results of this arithmetical progression. As the scheme went into effect it gradually came to the notice of people all over the world. In 1905 an article in The London Spectator, by some one who had figured up the possibilities, claimed to show that there would not be enough writing paper in the world, to supply the letters by the time the one hundred and eightieth series was reached. It figured that up to the twentieth link the number of letters would amount to over 5,000,000,000 and that there would not be enough stamps in the world to complete the thirtieth link.

However, the Griffins received over 2,000,000 letters. Until 1901, the letters were opened by Miss Griffin, her father and his employees, and the contents sold to dealers and the proceeds turned over to the St. George's Cottage hospital, near Sydney, New South Wales. At last the letters became too numerous for them to handle. The postoffice was overburdened, in spite of many additional clerks just to handle this mail. Sixty-five mail bags full of letters unopened, although the post-office department was crippled for want of mail bags. This lot was sold just as it came, unopened, to a stamp dealer for about \$275, and later sold by him in quantities of 100 and 1,000 letters to collectors in Australia and the United States.

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Cable News.

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LONDON, Jan. 7.
Francis, the musical composer, is dead, aged 64.

Special to Evening Telegram.
NEW YORK, Jan. 7.

William Hawtrey, the English character actor, brother of Charles Hawtrey, the comedian, died here to-day, aged 87.

Special to Evening Telegram.
NEW YORK, Jan. 7.
After a consultation the doctors have issued a bulletin, that Sir James Whitney's condition continues serious, without any definite improvement.

Special to The Evening Telegram.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.
Yesterday 34 new cases of small-pox were reported to have developed at the Guantanamo naval station, among the sailors on the battleship Ohio. The station has been quarantined.

Special to Evening Telegram.
PLYMOUTH, Jan. 7.
The British cruiser Essex has been commissioned here for service with the Fourth cruiser squadron under command of Rear Admiral Sir Christopher Cradock. She will sail on Jan. 14th from Jamaica.

Special to Evening Telegram.
BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 7.
The Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, the venerable statesman, has decided to retire from Parliament at the next general election, after serving as a member of the Commons since 1876, during which time he has continuously represented a Birmingham constituency.

Special to Evening Telegram.
DUBLIN, Jan. 7.
A bullet was fired through the window of Dublin Castle early this morning, immediately under the room of Chief Secretary Birrell. It is believed that it was fired from an air-gun, as the sentries and detectives heard no report. The authorities think it was done as a protest against the constitution of the police commission to enquire into the recent disorders.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, Jan. 7.
The King and Queen are already considering a visit to Dublin in July of next year. It is understood that the King will confine his movements so far as Ireland is concerned, to the advice of his ministers, and will adopt no course that will hamper any political parties. It is the opinion in well informed circles that there will be no extended sojourn in Ireland until the present period of tension has been definitely ended.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, Jan. 7.
While newspapers continue furiously to debate Lloyd George's disarmament proposals, sober opinion, in view of all the circumstances, leads to the belief that there will be no change in the Government's naval programme for this year. Several bodies of the North of England recently passed resolutions condemning the constant growth of expenditure on armaments, but, on the other hand, preparations are proceeding for a London meeting in favor of a strong navy, and to show that the huge tax-paying community comprised in the City of London, realizes the vital necessity of a big navy for the protection of Britain.

Healthy and Unhealthy Lighting

Gas, it may be said, vitiates the atmosphere. True. But it also helps to purify it. Its purifying power is greater than its vitiating power. Electricity does not vitalize, nor does it purify. Hear what three eminent men have said:—

Much evidence has lately been adduced to show that gas is more useful than the electric light in promoting efficient ventilation of air. It is for this amongst other reasons, that gas is being frequently substituted for the electric light. The latest example is, perhaps, the Society of Medical Officers of Health, which has recently installed gas on its premises, after experience with the electric light.—Dr. Jamieson B. Harry.

He would merely add that no member who had experience of their meeting room under the old conditions could deny the improvement that had taken place since gas had been substituted for the electric light and the new system of heating and ventilation had been installed.—Dr. Reginald Dudgeon, before the Society of Medical Officers of Health.

I have in my mind's eye, at the moment a hall which, in the old days was lighted by gas, and in which a large audience could, with comfort sit through an hour's lecture, or with pleasure through a three hours' dinner, but which with the march of civilization, had its illuminator changed from gas to electricity, the latter being employed with all the latest refinements to effect the lighting under the best conditions, with the result that any large gathering within its walls leads to a state little short of asphyxiation.—Vivian B. Lewes, Professor of Chemistry at the Royal Naval College, Greenwich.—Nov. 8, 1913.

Another Human Document.

By RUTH CAMERON.



I am sure no one who has difficulty in keeping expenses down can fail to be interested in the following letter. Anyone who has never had such trouble will please read some other part of the paper. But somehow I don't feel I shall lose many readers by that injunction:

"Ten years ago," writes my letter friend, "I was a young girl of 18 helping my father farm it. He was a poor man with eleven children and my two grandparents to take care of. I was next to the oldest. I met a young farmer who was also real poor and 32 years old, and we were engaged and not a dollar between us. I had just 15 cents and he borrowed one dollar from a neighbour and we came to S—, where I had a married sister living. We took up board there and he got a job at 13 cents an hour. We boarded there for four weeks and then we were married. We had a little wedding even, costing about \$6—ice cream, cake, etc. Then we went to housekeeping next morning. We borrowed \$10 and paid down on \$100 for furniture and got a stove at \$1 down and \$1 a week. We paid \$6 rent a month and I received 6 plates and 6 cups and saucers and a pair of pillows for wedding presents.

"I had five dollars out of my husband's wages with which I went to a 5 and 10 cent store and bought me the necessary tins and dishes and knives and forks. We were very happy. After a year or so, of course, a baby came, and we had a chance to buy a house at \$10 down and \$10 a month, so we bought the house and lived there two years, when another baby came. Then we had a chance to sell the house, getting \$200 more than we paid, so we thought ourselves rich as we had over \$300 in the bank and everything we needed in a laborer's house.

"We wanted to try farming on our own hook, so we spent this money on horses and tools, etc., and ran in debt for nearly \$500. Well, at the end of three years farming we had nothing but our household goods and four babies. So we came back to S— to live. Now I am a young woman of 28 and have four children, the oldest 8 and the youngest 3 and am sending two to school. We have bought a house again and are keeping up payments, taxes and repairs. We are getting \$12 a week now. I do all my own papering, painting, sewing, washing, mending, etc. We have always enough to eat and are happy, never having one cross word between us. Now why can't people who want to marry get along as we did at first. If you will kindly publish part of this letter I shall be glad to see it as every word is true."

Ruth Cameron

Household Notes

Cook fudge only five or six minutes and then beat until it is thick and creamy, if you would have it satisfactory.

If you burn the food in a new white enamel dish, put into the dish a tablespoonful of sal soda, fill with water and boil.

In cold weather take special pains to dry the hands thoroughly and you will save much discomfort from chapping.

Mix oil paints with melted paraffin and dip white candles in it if you wish, your candles to be of some particular color.

When a seamstress comes to the house, the work should be carefully planned for her, so that there will be no gaps in her day.

If aluminum cooking vessels get scorched, do not scrape them. Half fill with water, add a teaspoonful of soda and boil for ten minutes.

Extracts for flavoring cakes should be used sparingly. If the cake is well made of best materials, it requires very little flavoring.

If a child swallows a bone or object like a button, make him bend his head as low as possible and slap him hard between the shoulderblades.

The carbide—a pearly gray powder left from acetylene lamps. It stimulates growth of both flowers and foliage.

Every child member of the family should be trained to hang up his coat by its hanger. This saves the tearing out of armholes and similar catastrophes.

The hygienic bedroom is not only large and airy, but all useless gimcracks are kept out of it. There should be as few dust-collecting articles as possible.

To control nose-bleeding, let the patient lie propped up in bed and apply cold compresses or an ice bag to the nose, and stuff the bleeding nostril with absorbent cotton.

Keep all bits of ribbons, laces, brocades, and so on, in a box where they can be got at easily, and they will be a great resource when the gift-making season comes around.

Sew a hook on one end and an eye on the other of the strip of elastic that goes into the small boy's knickerbockers. Nothing is easier than to slip it out when washday comes.

A standard pudding sauce is made of half a cupful butter and one cupful brown sugar creamed together. Add four tablespoonfuls rich milk and flavour with vanilla and lemon.

People who are naturally forgetful of fruit in the wintertime should make a point of drinking the juice of a lemon in a glass of water before breakfast and a glass of orange juice on going to bed at night.

Many bits of mending are best done without stitches. Lay the garment on the ironing board, wrong side up; put the edges together, lay over the rent a bit of rubber tissue, and over that a bit of the material, then a dam cloth over that and press with a hot iron till dry.

The Employee.

AS THE BOSS SEES HIM.

By GEORGE FITCH.
Author of "At Good Old Shwash."
An employee is a man who comes to work on time in the morning and leaves his troubles in his desk when he goes home in the evening. He is paid to work and he does it. If he insisted on thinking, also, it would be harder for us bosses to hold our jobs.

The employee is the luckiest man on earth. All he has to do is what he is told. He doesn't have to guess at it. He doesn't have to wonder what the rival house is going to put out next year in new designs or how to keep the cost of production down while wages are going up; or how run a business and pay wages in cash when collections don't advertise two pites of chicken feed a week; or how to explain to the board of directors why it is that the surplus will have to be tapped this year to pay dividends.

The employee takes his hat home with him at night, but he doesn't have to stuff the whole business into it. He can spend an evening at the moving picture show leaving a memorandum on his bureau at home to remind him that there is such a thing as business. When seven short time notes are due and there is a strike in the offing, the employee can get sick at 2 p.m. and go to the baseball game. Why, even when he loafs on his job he doesn't have to fire himself. The boss has to do it for him. When the boss has the welfare of a big business grinding him on one side and the family of a punk employee looming up on the other, he feels like a fly between two millstones.

The employee leads a happy life, saving \$16.35 a year and raising a family, unless he gets ambitious. Then he works overtime, worries about the other man's business, sneaks over books until at last he has acquired indigestion and jumpy nerves. After that he becomes a boss and it serves him right.

Many a boss would pay an employee a bonus to trade places with him but for one thing: "You can forget everything in the world except how to live on a large salary."

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Wrong and right,
With a beatific bending to the right.

"When the cylinders are humming like the wind,
And the paper spindle's whizzing through its staves,
When the darting tapes are guiding sheets in sight and sheets in hiding,
Then your comprehension's tangled in the maze,
In the maze,
In the mighty, heaving, whirring, burning maze.

"All completed, all accomplished is the toil
In the service of the great minds and the less;
Now, arising grand before us in a sweeping, swelling chorus,
Hear the diapason boomings of the press.
And the full-toned vox humana of the press:

"Of the mighty ones of Cosmos I was born,
Of the labour and the will that ride the earth;
In their energy kinetic hear you not the cry prophetic,
"Here is scientific wonder at its birth?"
I am but a trumpet flourish for the works of greater worth.

"I am looking, I am looking to the light
That is spreading in its high auroral curve;
Whether God-made, whether man-made, I am but the humble handmaid
Of the people, and the people I would serve.
I would serve,
For the highest of all missions is to serve."

—By Bailey Millard, in "Songs of the Press and other Adventures," in verse (San Francisco).

MEIGLE REACHES PORT.—The s.s. Meigle, Capt. Gooby, arrived here from Humbermouth yesterday afternoon, after a very stormy passage. On her last trip in the Straits service, she only went as far as Crrrant island, as winter was then well advanced and heavy ice filled the Straits.

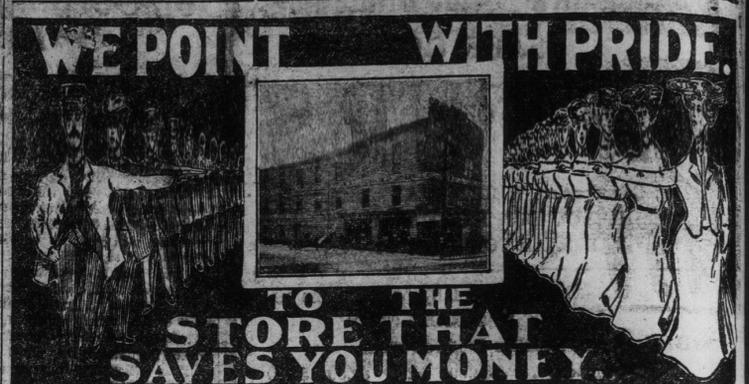
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Xmas Treat

To the Orphans of Mount Cashel.

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After the concert the visiting performers were entertained sumptuously by Rev. Bro. Ennis, the Principal of the Institution. Speeches and songs were given by Messrs. V. P. Burke, J. Dee, Fox, Summers, Kelly, W. J. Higgins, T. Kent, J. Campbell, S. Cullen, M. J. Donnelly and Rev. Bro. Ennis. The latter after congratulating the performers on the excellence of their programme, expressed his deep appreciation of their kindness in providing such a pleasing entertainment for the orphans.

Mr. J. P. Grace acted as chairman, and the affair was one of the most successful held at the institution for many years.

In the absence of Mr. J. L. Slattery, who was the originator of the idea of holding a concert for the boys of Mount Cashel was regretted by all present. Several citizens who are in sympathy with the movement and who desire the good work done by the orphans were present during the performance.

Influenza in Every Land.

Influenza are the names that the medical "flu" has been called by those that have fallen under its magic spell. The country will acknowledge that the shores are the birthplace of the epidemic, and the following are a list of the names given this unowned disease.

Russia it is called Siberian fever, and in Siberia Chinese fever. The people of Brazil know it by the name of poika fever, or zamporina; "grippe" is the term generally in France; also "la coquette" and "mish catarrh". Germans define it as "schaffkrankheit" (sheep's disease). "Malattia" (German sickness) is the name used in Italy; whilst Spaniards name it "influenza rusa" and "mazo" (a blow with a bar). The apt is the Swedish definition "nuusjuka" and "snuff-fever".

By its own description—influenza is taken from the eighteenth century Italian writers, who spoke of "influenza di freddo" (influence cold). Our own physicians misdescribe the description for the name of disease itself—hence influenza.

Judge Parry's Testimonial.

Offers are apt to lack versatility. His honour Judge Parry, the well-known country-court judge, is a decided exception to the general rule. A man of letters, author of delightful children's books and serious novel, successful playwright, and noted dinner speaker and wit, he is a gifted and highly gifted.

Mr. Parry acted as judge's counsel to the late Baron Brampton (Sir Henry Hawkins), and yielded from him the following testimonial, which he still treasures:

"It is to certify that you acted as counsel for the North-Western Railway, and carved cold chicken and soda water with less disturbance to the furniture than any other counsel I have ever had."

Mr. Parry county-court judge at Manchester, Mr. Parry had a narrow escape from death. While seated in his chair he was shot at and severely wounded in the face by a disappointed suitor suffering under an imaginary case against the judge.

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\$10.00	\$7.50
\$13.00	\$8.10
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POLICE CIRCLES.—Four arrests for drunkenness, were made by the police last evening.

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FISH CARGO.—The schooner General Laurie, codfish laden by Bowring Bros., sailed yesterday for Brazil.

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY.—Last night the police arrested a frequent visitor of theirs for stealing a quantity of goods.

Hot Bovril, Oxo, and Chocolate Ice Cream and Cakes at J. W. CAMPBELL, Ltd.—nov20,tf

TELEGRAPH LINES.—Complete repairs to the telegraph lines are not yet made; though the wires are working fairly satisfactory.

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LEFT FOR BRAZIL.—The schooner Annie L. Warren sailed yesterday for Pernambuco with a cargo of fish from Goodridge & Sons.

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CARD TOURNEY.—A card tournament is being held by the C.C.C. Reserves in their Armory to-night. A valuable prize is up for competition.

Stafford's Phoratox Cough Cure is a fine remedy for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles. Price 25c; postage 5c. extra.—jan3,tf

DOES QUARANTINE DUTY.—Constable Nugent has been ordered to Belleoram, where the outbreak of smallpox is, to do quarantine duty and leaves by the Fortia to-morrow.

M.C.L.I.—The Methodist College Literary Institute opens its 1914 session to-night with the Debate: Is the position taken by Ulster on the Home Rule Question commendable? The Leaders are: Mr. J. S. Currie and Mr. R. Horwood.—jan3,11

HOSPITAL FILLED UP.—Despite the fact that scores of people, belonging to outports, are awaiting admission in various boarding houses in the city, not a single person was admitted to the General Hospital yesterday. The institution at present is filled to overflowing.

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BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.—Congratulations are in order to Mr. John Jeans, the worthy Secretary of St. John's Lodge, A.F. & A.M., who on Tuesday last celebrated his 80th birthday. Although he has exceeded the allotted span by ten years, Mr. Jeans is as healthy and vigorous as a man 30 years his junior.

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CLEMENTINE LEFT.—The brigantine Clementine, which put into Barbados in a damaged condition a few weeks ago, left for this port on Saturday last, a message to that effect having been received by the owners.

REPAIRS NEARLY FINISHED.—Repairs to the Manchester Commerce will be finished on Saturday, when an examination of the work will be made. If everything is found in proper condition, the ship will come off dry dock early next week, when the Donaldson Line Parthenia will go on the stocks to get a new rudder put in position.

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A post card to Parsons the Automobile Man requesting catalogues will receive prompt attention.—jan3,tf

W. C. T. U. Meeting Last Evening.

INTERESTING SESSION.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union held a special meeting in the Social Room of the Seamen's Institute last evening. There was a large attendance and much enthusiasm was manifested, particularly in relation to matters of prohibition. Mrs. Joseph Pippy, who returned recently from Brooklyn, where she was attending the Ninth Triennial Convention of the World's Woman's Christian Temperance Union, gave a spirited and interesting discourse which was attentively listened to. The gatherings were held in the Opera House of the Academy of Music, Brooklyn, at a cost of \$5,000 for five days. The Union representatives from all over the world had the use and advantages of every part of the building. The Opera House can seat four thousand persons and the sessions which continued from Oct. 23 to Oct. 28th, were largely attended. At the close all the representatives, dressed in accordance with the custom of their respective nations, rendered "God be with you till we meet again," "God Save the King" and "America." All the representatives joined hands in the singing, which conveyed the sentiment that world-wide and national prohibition should predominate. The following days the conventionists were kindly motored through the city by prominent citizens, the motor cars being decorated with white ribbons, emblematic of the W.C.T.U. A banquet was held at the Astor House at which the Mayor granted the freedom of the city to those present and congratulated New York on the honor received for the holding of such an important convention there. At the National Convention at Asbury Park, after The World's, January 15th was to be set aside as a day of prayer for National Constitutional Prohibition. This was proposed by the Americans, and the different representatives responded. Mrs. Pippy, who spoke for Newfoundland, answered in the affirmative and that date was decided on yesterday as a day of prayer and intercession. Committees were then appointed to interview clergymen to try and evoke interest in the movement and to secure a church for the holding of the service. On next Wednesday the regular monthly meeting of the Union will be held.

Jimmy Valentine

AT THE THEATRE.

The presentation of "Alias, Jimmy Valentine," the world-famed drama by Paul Armstrong, at the Casino, last evening by the W. S. Harkins players, was all that could be desired. The play is an absorbing one, taken from the life of a celebrated crook, who is released from prison through the influence of a lady, whom he at one time had saved from the assaults of a fellow crook. On his release he promised to live an upright life for her sake. Threats from the "coopers" because he will not inform on his former pals, and temptations from old companions fail to change his decision. He not only keeps his promise made to the young lady, but eventually succeeds in bringing about the reform of two of his former associates. All three succeed in securing good positions, Valentine becoming cashier in a large National Bank, under the name of Lee Randall, and is leading an upright life when suddenly a detective appears on the scene and wants Valentine for a serious offence committed many years before. Valentine assumes an air of indifference and plays the game of bluff (to his own mind) very successfully. Just then "Red" Joeeyin, an old pal, who is now watchman at the same bank, enters with the news that Kitty Lane, a daughter of the Bank President, has been accidentally locked up in one of the vaults, and he implores Jimmy to resort to his old method of opening safes by sense of touch. Valentine rescues the little one only to find that the detective has been watching the whole affair, but refuses to arrest him and hands him over to Rose Lane, the lady who first rescued him, and whose love he had won.

THE QUESTION OF SNOW CLEARING.

To-morrow's meeting of the City Council promises to be an interesting one, as one of the Council members proposes to deal at length with the snow clearing question, with which he is disgusted.

C.C.C. DANCE.—On Tuesday, the 20th inst., the C.C.C. Boat Club will hold a big dance in the British Hall.

Special to Evening Telegram.

HALIFAX, Jan. 7.

The Bangorhead arrived this morning from Belfast. She had 10,200 bags of maize to land at Halifax.

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Wedding Bells.

POWER—FENNELY.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the R. C. Cathedral last evening, when Mr. Edward Power, ex-Constable of Trinity, and Miss Mary Fenney, of Carbonear, were united in the bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by the Rt. Rev. Mons. Roche, V.G. The bride was attired in a pretty costume of cream serge with hat to match and carried a bouquet of choice flowers. She was attended by Miss Ryan, Constable Paul Kelly acted as best man. After partaking of refreshments, the bridal party took the train for Trinity, their future home. The groom's present to the bride was a gold bracelet, to the bridesmaid a gold locket, and to the groomsmen a gold stick pin. Mr. and Mrs. Power, who are a popular young couple, were the recipients of many useful presents. The Telegram unites in the congratulations extended.

At the Crescent.

The Shadow and The Spider, two startling dramas, also two big comedies and many features were the pictures at the Crescent Picture Palace last night, and will be repeated to-day. Dave Park sings a beautifully illustrated song, "Always take a Girl named Daisy," in admirable style. On to-morrow and Saturday, the feature picture is The Railroad Engineer, which will also be shown at the matinees. See the thrilling escape of a child from being run over by a fast train. A public railroad engineer is the hero. Look out for this big bill that is going to set the town talking.

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Died at Roxbury.

After a protracted illness, the death occurred at Roxbury, Mass., on Dec. 5th last, of Miss Maud Earle, eldest daughter of Ellen and the late Richard Earle. Deceased was a native of St. John's where she had many friends who will regret to hear of her demise. Her parents were well known figures in this city, particularly in St. John's East, where they were held in high esteem. To the bereaved ones sincere sympathy will be expressed in which the Telegram joins.

M. C. L. I. Debate.

To-night at the Methodist College Literary Institute the forty-seventh session will be opened with a debate on Ulster's position on the Home Rule question. The leaders for the respective sides will be Messrs. R. F. Horwood and J. S. Currie.

Such an interesting subject, which is arousing the whole world, is sufficient assurance that the opening will be a successful one. The programme of the sessions is an attractive one as questions dealing with Foreign, Imperial and Local topics will be introduced for discussion.

Next week's debate promises to be of exceptional interest, because of the movement on foot now, the topic being the St. John's Municipal question. The question before the debaters will be: Which is the better system of Government, the present or a commission. Within recent years the Institute has made progressive strides towards mental development and this year's meetings promise to be no exception to the rule.

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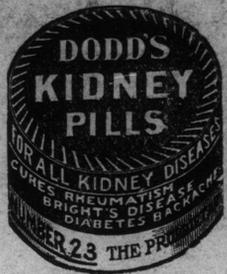
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