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**LECTURE**  
 BY  
**REV. CANON DUNFIELD,**  
 ON  
**"DICKENSIANA."**  
**SYNOD HALL, THURSDAY,**  
**Feb. 24th, at 8.15 p.m.**  
**Admission - - 20 cents.**  
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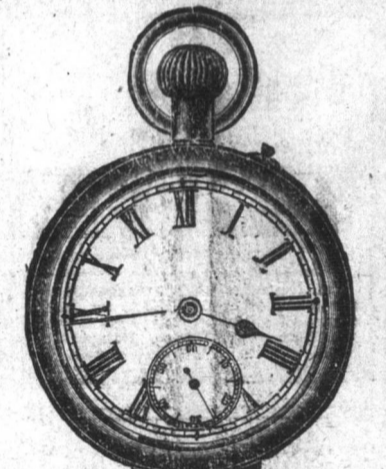
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**LOST, Yesterday, from Circular Road, a Brown and White Setter Pup.** Finder will be rewarded upon returning same to this Office. feb22, 1f

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to overtake the mailman. After travelling for some miles, and failing to overtake Boone, and night coming on, also in a strange land, you can imagine how he must have felt. If it had not been for a merciful Providence in sending a boat with some men from Birchy Island that way the daily papers would have had to chronicle a sad tragedy, and friends over on the other side would be shedding bitter tears; a young and precious life would have been thrown away, all because Boone had not the common sense and courtesy to have called and accompanied the stranger. Rev. Mr. Martin must have a very poor opinion of mailmen if he measured them by Boone's standard. Come, Robert, take another chew, you will do better next time. If you had only been half so willing to tell Mr. Martin you were ready as you were to jump into Turner's boots to get the mail, you would have saved Mr. Martin the awful experience he had that night. Hoping I have not taken too much time and space, and thanking you in anticipation, I am,  
Yours truly,  
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Indian Cove, Feb. 15th, 1901.

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## Our Montreal Letter.

The New City Council Inaugurated.—The Abolition of Committees Graft, a Thing of the Past.—The Present Month a Very Severe One for Storms and Frost.—The Lenten Services.—The Ice Palace a Failure.—A Warning About Typhoid.—Citizens Attack Tenant Law.  
(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
The New City Council.

The inauguration of the new City Council which took place on Monday afternoon, Feb. 14th, was attended by a large number of spectators, including many invited guests. Speeches were delivered by ex-Mayor Payette and His Worship Mayor Guerin.

**Abolition of Committees.**  
The different committees at the City Hall will in all probability be abolished. This is certainly a move in the right direction. The foundation of the patronage system and graft started with the committees. The Police committee led all others in the matter of graft, and the Roads committee in the matter of patronage.

**Graft Will Soon Be Forgotten.**  
Graft in the Civic Administration of Montreal will now be a thing of the past. The grafters accused by Judge Cannon are to be prosecuted and this will have a wholesome effect on the new City Council.

**The Police Department Rotten.**  
His Worship Mayor Guerin has received a petition from a large number of influential citizens asking that an enquiry be made into the workings of the Police Department. Certainly under Proulx's jurisdiction as Chairman of the Police Committee, there were many wrongs according to the evidence given at the Royal Commission. It is stated that insubordination reigns supreme in the Department, that persons were dismissed without sufficient cause, others promoted because of the "pull" system, that of late robberies are more frequent than ever, and that certain officers are lax in their duties. It is even hinted that Chief Campeau, the man who was deeply moved to tears at ex-Ad. Proulx's first rally in St. Jean Baptiste Ward, will be relieved of his position. Folling Day witnessed many police officers going around in sleighs working like Trojans for their Chairman's return. Those same officers should wear mourning on their arms for a month on account of the "bully of the Council" being defeated and losing his deposit of \$200.

**Private Sessions.**  
The Board of Control will hold private meetings and the newspaper men will not be allowed to attend them. This is claimed to be another good move to do away with wrangling and dissensions in the Council Chamber. There will be no canvassing for votes as in the past, and things will be decided on their merits.

**Reports on Civic Clerks.**  
The heads of several of the departments at the City Hall have completed the reports which they have been asked by the Board of Control. As the heads of departments, now unbridled by Aldermanic influence, have given a true and conscientious appreciation of each and every employee under their jurisdiction, there will be a large number of dismissals. In one department, at least, there will be something doing amongst the employees when the contents of the report dealing with them is made known to the Commissioners.

In certain sections of the municipal service there is a feeling of satisfaction at the action of the commissioners in asking for a thorough report as to the standing and worth of each employee. In other quarters the feeling is on the opposite tack, and in one case the head of a Department had considerable trouble in securing the information asked for by the controllers. Amongst the questions to which an answer was requested are those dealing with the age, duration of service, date of entry into the municipal service, salary on entry, date of subsequent increases and present salary of each employee. Of course this information is of such a nature that it can be secured most expeditiously from the employee himself. In the case of the chief clerk of one department a number of the employees are said to have refused point blank to give the required information.

While the reports prepared report unfavourably in a great many cases, stating that certain employees are not earning by any means the income they are drawing from the city treasury, in some cases well deserved praise is given to old employees who have not had any aldermanic friends and have therefore been passed by whenever salary increases were considered in the past.

(To be continued.)

### Minard's Liniment Cures Scurvy in Cows.

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(Continued.)  
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"Certainly, certainly," murmured the young man,  
—"I would say beware of that bottle of which Sir Edward spoke: let him drink the greater portion of it."  
"I don't drink," said Sidney Bassington, rather sullenly.  
"Of course not, of course not; very few gentlemen do," assented Mr. Oldham in a tone which, bland as it was, was full of warning.  
"Oh, well, I don't know that I would. It must be mostly bad to look like a bounder and to know it; and if ever a man knew it, he does. Well, here he is, and we must make the best of him, I suppose; he'll be our nearest neighbour, and I can't afford to quarrel with the man who owns the Starborough preserves; I've suffered too much already as it is. But he is a bounder."  
Mr. Oldham and his charge reached the home-farm. They were received as if they were princes by the farmer's wives, and regaled with a tea in which hot cakes and cream predominated. Everybody, as usual, touched a hat or curtsied to the young heir, and all regarded him with the same covert but intense interest.

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send for such appliances; indeed, they were, even with their simple tools, under the perpetual dread of discovery. It was fortunate for them that the stream did not run in the direction of Blue Pig Camp; for, of course, its muddy condition would have told their secret.  
After a few days they ceased to take any notice of Cottie, who worked under the tacit protection of Geoffrey, and put in an appearance at the digging when it pleased her.  
One day, while the men were sleeping after their mid-day meal, she sauntered up the valley and secretly marked out her claim and stuck up in an inconspicuous position the statutory notice she had written out on a leaf torn from one of Geoffrey's books. She drove in her pegs so artfully that they were almost concealed by the grass and the bushes, so that if any of the men had by chance strolled that way, they would not have noticed them. But none of the men were given to strolling; while they were on their feet they worked, and when they were off their feet they ate or slept.  
She did not tell Geoffrey what she had done.  
(To be continued.)

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**Perished in Flames.**  
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**The Evening Chit-Chat**  
By RUTH CAMERON



One of my readers has asked me to give my ideas of beauty, so I have tried to formulate my thoughts on that subject.

Beauty, it has always seemed to me, if you stop to analyze it, is a kind of triangle. That is, three elements go to make up the perfect beauty.

And these are, beauty of line, beauty of coloring, and beauty of expression.

Any woman in whom all three elements were united would be truly beautiful, but they are so seldom all found in one face, that we usually call anyone beautiful who possesses two or even one of them.

Most of the girls who have the reputation of being pretty get it, it seems to me, on account of beauty of coloring.

Think over the pretty girls of your acquaintance and see if that isn't so. See if in nine out of ten cases a clear, brightly colored skin, bright eyes, and perhaps a certain vivacity of expression does not constitute the "pretty girl's" claim to her adjective.

Beauty of line—that is, a perfect profile, a correctly modeled face—rarely wins the reputation of prettiness for its possessor. It is not a thing most people notice on the street. It is a charm that grows on one. Artists always notice it, and rave even when the skin that covers the perfect features is dull and colorless, and the expression behind them is not particularly attractive. But other people are not often apt to notice perfection of line unless one of the other elements of beauty is combined with it.

The third element of beauty—charm of expression—is at once the most desirable—from my way of judging, at least—and the most attainable.

For intelligence and character undoubtedly affects the expression of the face and gives it a charm which to many people is infinitely more attractive than the most perfect Grecian nose or the most exquisite pink and white complexion.

You hear a great deal of the woman who, although homely, is fascinating. If you examine her, I think you will always find that she possesses this third element of beauty.

Real genuine love-thyself-neighbor-as-thyself goodness also transforms a face.

Now I am not preaching. I am not uttering a hackneyed formula. I am speaking facts. I am actually thinking this very moment of two women whom I know whose faces are neither fair skinned nor correctly modeled, and yet are very good to look upon simply because their sweet souls and lives shine right out through them.

Every girl wants to be pretty. It is a woman's natural heritage. The beauty of color and of line are special gifts that are not given to everyone, of course, but the beauty of expression that comes from a fine mind and a noble character anyone may have who will cultivate these things.

And do not think it will be just old people, just good people, who will appreciate that beauty. All the world will admire it and be attracted by it just as much as they are by pink-cheeked charm or a perfect profile.

If you don't believe me try it and see. I don't believe you'll regret it.

*Ruth Cameron*

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**Last Night's Lecture.**

**Mr. W. F. Lloyd on "House of Lords."**

A large audience assembled at the British Hall last night to hear Mr. Lloyd's lecture on "The House of Lords," given under the auspices of the Nfld. British Society. Amongst those who attended were His Grace Archbishop Howley, Rev. Fr. McCarthy, of Bell Island; Fr. O'Callaghan, Hon. J. D. Ryan and Mr. H. J. Earle, M.H.A. Mr. Lloyd made what most people regard as a dry subject intensely interesting. He traced the history of the rise of the House of Lords from its very beginning and showed that in arrogating to themselves the power to interfere with money bills the Lords were usurping the function of the House of Commons. At the present time there were about 600 peers holding seats in the House of Lords. Of this number most of the titles had been created under Liberal Governments during the past century. The Liberal peers became ardent Tories once they were secure in their seats in the House of Lords. The present struggle was dwelt upon at considerable length. The Liberal party with the backing of the Nationalists and the Laborites would no doubt bring matters to an issue and decide this question of the extent of the power of the veto of the Lords once and for all. How it was going to be done it was difficult to say. The Lords had no precedent whatever for rejecting a Budget. A bill embodying the whole finances of the year had never been held up in the history of legislation by the House of Lords before last November. It was an act which aimed a deadly blow at constitutional Government and disorganized the whole system of responsible administration. Mr. Lloyd went back to the origin of the House of Lords to prove his contention. In the Saxon times, when the laws were made by the Witenagant, the bishops played an important part in the affairs of the State. But besides the bishops, Earls and Barons, mostly land owners, came to the Assembly. In the Norman times the same system was kept up, till the land owners in the Assembly became a very important element in the Nation's Councils. The Earls, Barons and Bishops who up to this time used to voluntary tax themselves to get money for the King to carry on the public service, now gradually shirked the duty of paying any taxes and let the whole burden of taxation fall on the common people. The right to hold all those privileges on hereditary grounds as claimed by the peers was shown by Mr. Lloyd's arguments to be un-historic. The throwing out of the Budget by the Lords last November was claiming a power that they never at any time possessed. How Mr. Asquith would deal with the House of Lords now it was hard to say. It was absolutely necessary that reform should be made. The idea that peers be given seats for a lifetime and not hereditary was suggested, but the creating of a large number of Liberal

peers to-day to vote for the present Government would mean a double opposition should a Liberal Government be returned next election, for history has shown that Liberal peers became Tory peers in a short time. The suggestion also had been made that 100 peers be chosen from amongst the peers of England, Ireland and Scotland, and those to constitute the House of Lords. This course had been tried with Scotch and Irish peers, and it has been proved unfortunate and resulted in Tory peers only being elected. Under Magna Charta the King could not withhold his writ of summons from lords of Parliament unless by statutory authority. Moreover such a course would make the House of Lords clearly partisan. It would consist of Liberal peers when a Liberal Government was in power, and of Tory peers when a Tory Government was in power, and a reform in such a direction was worse than useless. What had to be done was to pass a statute making a Finance Bill which had to pass the Commons law without sending it to the Lords. Further, it was desirable as to other legislation that the opposition of the Lords should become of non-effect when the electorate had given a mandate to the House of Commons to pass legislation which had previously been rejected by the House of Lords. Our constitution was not cursed with the caste of nobility. There was no family caste. A Prince's son, a Duke's son, was as much a commoner as a cook's son, and an Earl's son was as much entitled to vote for a member of Parliament and win a seat in the House of Commons as a sweep's son. The House of Commons was thus the real National Assembly which could speak for all and finance measures for all. That was the attitude of Premier Asquith. But then Nationalist and Labour allies were even more pronounced than the Liberals themselves, and the situation was as depicted in Punch, whose cartoon showed John Redmond, the king of situation, who could say: "If he could not rule in Dublin he could rule at Westminster."

The above are only a few of the salient points of the lecture, which was listened to with close attention to the end. A vote of thanks was carried by acclamation when proposed by Mr. A. H. Martin, the ex-President, and seconded by Mr. G. McCoubrey. Mr. W. H. Goodland, the President, announced that next Monday night Mr. M. A. Devine would lecture on "Parliamentary Pen-Pictures."

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**Fads and Fashions.**

The new mohairs are shown in checks plaids and figured stripes.

One of the newest fashions is of "be-be" Irish lace, on delicate white sticks.

Yokes and undersleeves appear in practically everyone of the new models.

All the new materials are rough; few broadcloths will be seen this spring.

The tricorne hat is gradually disappearing as Chanticleer styles come in.

New is a hat pin with a single rose petal and stems in translucent enamel.

Many of the new silk gloves are decorated with fancy stitching and embroidery.

The jewelers are selling six enamel-budded buttons in a case with buckle to match.

White madras shirtwaists, striped with colors to match the suit, are to be worn.

Pearl gray and a delicate banana are shades that are highly approved in gloves.

Black and white mixtures will be the most popular materials in the spring suitings.

Often the draped tunic is outlined in a stripe of beads, sometimes mixed with embroidery.

Very handsome for trimming hats or adding dressy touches to a gown are the metallic ribbons.

Many of the linen coats of an elaborate nature have three-quarter or seven-eighth sleeves.

New coiffure ornaments are dazzlingly pretty and most becoming particularly the jeweled bands.

Flowered taffetas in old tent-stitch patterns in obliterated coloring make up most effectively.

The newest jabots are side plaited and the ruffles sewed down on one side of a strip of insertion.

Some of the new combs are carved horn with a design of birds or insects, in natural tints.

Valenciennes laces, French, German and Norman, are going to be extensively used on summer frocks.

Tiny pink satin roses, with rose leaves, too, are to be had in the shops for trimming evening gowns.

Hats of white Tuscan and Leghorn trimmed with black velvet, and white feathers, are shown for the south.

The new lingerie gowns show a medley of laces and embroideries more intricate, if possible, than heretofore.

Girdles, very deeply pointed, of pompadour ribbon, moire or velvet, are worn with plain-colored toilettes.

**Same Accident 7 Times**

**Car for Fifth Time Plunges off Rails and Into Home of Yonkers' Man.**

Yonkers, N.Y., Feb. 10.—When a heavy trolley car for the seventh time at the same place jumped the rails and plunged downhill into the house of Albert N. Garthwaite, seven persons were injured. In four of the six previous accidents at this same spot Garthwaite was awarded damages amounting in all to \$4,000 from the company. To-day his house was wrecked, his wife badly injured and her mother shocked into collapse. None of the passengers was seriously hurt.

**Notes From Harbor Grace.**

Rev. J. W. Bartlett of the Methodist Church, and Rev. F. S. Coffin, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, exchanged pulpits last night.

At the request of the congregation of St. Andrew's Church Rev. F. S. Coffin has consented to remain with them another year. Referring to that at yesterday's service the rev. gentleman mentioned the fact that his term here has been very pleasant to him, and he complimented the congregation on the whole-hearted way they have responded to all the calls on their church work. We trust the coming year will be even more pleasant to the pastor and very profitable to the congregation.

The Secretary of Albert Edward Branch of the St. John's British Society, Joseph J. Long, has at the request of the Branch written a congratulatory note to King Edward Branch lately organized here, commending best wishes for all happiness and success. This is very thoughtful and will be fully appreciated by the boys here. We are requested to acknowledge the receipt of same, and thank Albert Edward Branch for its good wishes.

A few days ago we noticed the fact that one newsboy could not supply the Telegram to all parts of the town of Harbor Grace each day. Your energetic agent has taken the hint and has taken on another boy, with no less a name than Peary, so in future your paper may find its way even to the North Pole.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Mackinson, of Cochrandale, paid a flying visit to this town on Saturday, returning home again same evening.

Your reporter paid a high tribute to Sergeant Sparrow in referring to the man with the gun on the street in St. John's, on Friday. "On receipt of the news," he says, "the Sergeant flew up town." The genial Sergeant is smart and active, but he is not of the species that fly.

Friday brought in a real blizzard and many people who left for the woods in the early morning had a hard experience getting home. One man of the west end brought his load as far as Island Pond, but as the storm was increasing he left it there and came home. A couple of thoughtful young neighbours left on Saturday morning and brought the load of wood home for him—a commendable act.

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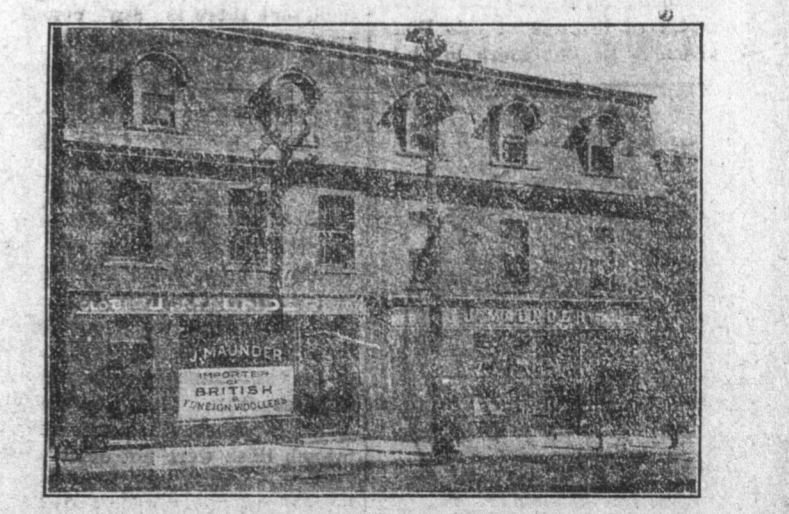
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## Evening Telegram

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

Tuesday, February 22, 1910.

## The New Railway Deal

WHAT SIR ROBERT BOND FORE-  
SHADOWED.

Late exchanges bear evidence of the fact that Sir Robert Bond knew what he was talking about when he said: "With the tempting investments now offering in Canada, with the probability of having to come into competition with Canada, New Zealand and Australia in the flotation of a loan in London," there is little chance of the Newfoundland Government obtaining money for their 3 1/2 per cent. bonds except at a rate being much below par.

We notice that the Royal Securities Corporation has recently sold \$600,000 City of Montreal 4 per cent. debentures in the London market, and that under the 14th inst. application was made to list Canadian Government twenty million dollar 3 1/2 per cent. bonds; five million dollar Grand Trunk Pacific 4 per cent. bonds and Manitoba debentures.

At the present time the Government are paying the Bank of Montreal 4 1/2 per cent. interest on the \$120,000 borrowed last November to commence work on the Bonavista branch railway, and the chances are that the million dollars they have estimated as the expenditure on that line during the current year will have to be carried at the same rate of interest. The present noodles in charge of the Government do not know what they are about, and the country must suffer for their stupidity and inexperience.

**MONTREAL BONDS SOLD.**  
The Royal Securities Corporation has recently sold \$600,000 City of Montreal 4 per cent. debentures in the London market.

**TO LIST CANADIANS.**  
London, Feb. 14.—Application has been made to list Canadian Government £4,000,000 3 1/2 per cent. bonds. Grand Trunk Pacific; £1,000,000 fours and Manitoba debentures.

## Newfoundlanders Entertained at Mt. Allison University

On Tuesday evening the Newfoundlanders of Mount Allison University were entertained to a turkey dinner by a fellow countryman, Dr. F. B. White, of Moncton, a former Mount Allison student.

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## Premier Asquith's Policy

Budget First--Curbing the House of Lords  
Next--Has Asquith Got any Guarantee From  
His Majesty?--a Piquant Situation.

Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Feb. 21. The King this afternoon opened in State the third Parliament of his reign. In a momentous speech from the Throne, His Majesty outlined the plan of the ministerial campaign against the House of Lords as follows: Recent experience has disclosed serious difficulties due to recurring differences of strong opinion between the two branches of the Legislature. Proposals will be laid before you with all convenient speed to define the relations between the Houses of Parliament, so as to secure the undivided authority of the House of Commons over finance and its predominance in legislation. These measures, in the opinion of my advisers should provide that this House should be so constituted and empowered, as to exercise impartially in regard to proposed legislation, the functions of limitation the revision and subject to proper safeguards of delay. The speech was unusually brief, the financial estimates for the coming year were next set forth. These, His Majesty said, have been framed with the utmost desire for economy, but the requirements for the naval defence of the Empire made it necessary to propose a substantial increase in the cost of my navy. Recording the fact that the expenditures authorized by the last Parliament were being incurred and met by a recourse to temporary borrowing; the speech declared arrangements must be made at the earliest possible moment to deal with the financial situation thus created. This was taken as confirmation of Premier Asquith's avowed intention to regularize the present condition of financial affairs before attacking the House of Lords. The reading of the speech occupied only four minutes. At its close the Ma-

jestics retired, and the session was suspended for two hours. The House of Commons met for business at 4 o'clock. Up to the last moment no one could predict with any confidence the course of events, and even as Premier Asquith led the composite force into action, it appeared uncertain whether the guns of his army were directed against the common enemy, or in the direction of the General himself. The expression—in the opinion of my advisers—is accepted as having been inserted in the speech by the King with the palpable object of disassociating His Majesty from the views expressed on behalf of the Government. This has added piquancy to the situation. The Chamber was crowded to its capacity.

Before the Easter recess and at this session the Government had only two objects in view one to pass the Budget and the other to put an end at the earliest possible moment by the wisest and most adequate method to the constitutional conditions giving to non-representative and irresponsible authority the power to thwart the purposes and nullify the handy work of the chosen ones of the people's will. John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish Party, announced that the fact should be emphasized that the Nationalists stood as they always had, apart and independent, allied to no British party. They had supported the Government at the last election because the Prime Minister's pledges on Home Rule was supplemented by one still more important to Ireland, the abolition of the veto of the House of Lords, which was tantamount to the adoption of Home Rule. If the Prime Minister give us reasonable assurance that he will be able to carry to veto Bill into law this year, said Mr. Redmond, we will vote for the Budget, but we are not willing to pay that price for nothing.

## Redmond Revolts Against Delay in Attacking the Lords--Radicals Also Dissatisfied -- Asquith Urged to Resign.

Special to Evening Telegram.

LONDON, Feb. 21. The players in the game of politics threw their cards upon the table in the House of Commons to-day. The Government is without the allies necessary to carry legislation and the present prospect is that the country will be stirred by another general election within a few months. Premier Asquith announced that the financial legislation would be put ahead of the proposals to curb the power of the House of Lords. John E. Redmond the Irish leader declared flatly that the Nationalists would not support that programme. The Laborites are holding a meeting to decide their course. They probably will follow in the footsteps of the Irish members. The Government may be able to adopt the Budget by the grace of the Conservatives who possibly will vote for it in order to avert financial chaos and keep the wheels of the Empire turning, but the enactment of the Budget, as Mr. Redmond pointed out, leaves the winning cards in the hands of the Lords who then will be free to reject the Bill for the reformation of their House and force another election. The meeting of Parliament to-day was a momentous one, for the Cabinet's policy was not revealed to the country until the moment Premier Asquith took the floor. Mr. Redmond and his Irish colleagues controlled the course of events. His announcement that the Irish members would not support the Prime Minister

was the sensation of the day, and it appears to have settled the Administration's fate. It is reported that Radicals have declared their intention of supporting Mr. Redmond against the Government's course and that great pressure is being brought to bear from the Radicals to induce Mr. Asquith to resign forthwith. Austin Chamberlain will propose an amendment to the King's Speech in favour of Tariff Reform and Imperial Preference, at the same time deploring the failure of the ministers to recognize in the Speech the nature and gravity of the State of trade and employment. The King's Speeches are usually prosaic, but one clause in his speech to-day is regarded as most significant. Prince Henry of Prussia rode in the royal procession and attended Parliament. He appeared in the uniform of a British Admiral, and the crowds gave him a reception that members of visiting royalty families usually receive.

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## Legislative Council.

Yesterday on motion of the Hon. R. K. Bishop the Branch Railway Bill came up for a second reading. He made a lengthy speech in its favour and reviewed the history of railway legislation in the country. Hon. G. Knowling opposed the measure. He was of opinion that the Government were undertaking too great a burden and that they were basing their hopes on a too rosy expectation of the future. Hons. Gibbs, Greene, Job and Robinson supported the motion, which was carried without a division. The Pilotage Rates Bill was read a third time on motion of Hon. J. Harris. The Council then adjourned till 4.15 p.m. to-day.

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## Sea Elephant.

This great southern seal differs in the typical sea-elephant of Juan Fernandez, which, like the California sea-elephant, has a well-developed trunk, in the form from the Falkland Island this organ is quite rudimentary, as is evidenced by recent photographs taken immediately after death, and by others exhibited by Mr. Rupert Valentin at a meeting of the Linnean Society in June, 1899. A fine specimen of this vanishing species has been mounted by Rowland Ward for a private museum, and is now on view at 167, Piccadilly, London, on presentation of visiting cards. It is the first seen in England, and so far as is known, there is none in any museum. The total length in a straight line from the muzzle to the end of the hind limbs is 21ft.; the nostrils scarcely extend beyond the line of the upper lip, while in the California sea-elephant, also mounted by Rowland Ward, and now in the British Museum (Natural History), they reached several inches below it.

## Six Months in Prison.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 9.—Mrs. Jennie Jamison, an agent of the State Pure Food Commission, by disguising herself as a scullery maid in a restaurant, discovered that Jessie M. Bowers was selling colored oleomargarine to the restaurant. Upon her testimony Miss Bowers, for a second time, was convicted of the oleo crime to-day, and in addition to a fine of \$500 she was sentenced to prison for six months.

Only One "BROMO QUININE," the  
Laxative Bromo Quinine  
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days  
on ever  
& W. M. box. 2c  
Stabbed 65 Times.

Deland, Fla., Feb. 13.—Irvin Hantchett, a sixteen year old white boy, was arrested to-day charged with the murder of Mary Tedder at Glenwood yesterday. The girl was stabbed in sixty-five places, being literally cut to pieces. The boy was from a school of correction in Connecticut. He has been spirited away by the sheriff.

SOFT BREASTS RELIEVED.  
Nothing could be more soothing and healing than the gentle influence of Dr. Hamilton's Ointment. A perfect balm that brings ease and comfort at once. Thousands of women who use Dr. Hamilton's Ointment all tell of its power and merit. At druggists, 50c. per box.

## Here and There.

CHORAL SOCIETY.—There will be a rehearsal of the Choral and Orchestral Society this evening at 8 o'clock.

HOMES' PASSENGERS.—The s.s. Home left Placentia at 2 a.m. to-day taking Mrs. Godfrey M. Parsons and Geo. Rose and 3 second class.

M. C. L. I. meets on Wednesday, 23rd February, at 7.45 p.m., in the Institute Room, Methodist College Hall. Debate: "Would energy devoted to the further development of the fishery be more beneficial to the country at large if applied to agricultural pursuits?" Leaders—Messrs. J. S. Currie and J. Moore.—adv.

MR. LONG'S BIRTHDAY.—Mr. Thomas Long, I.S.O., ex-Deputy Minister of Agriculture and Mines, will celebrate his 33rd birthday to-morrow at his residence, Prescott Street. Mr. Long, who by the way is still hale and hearty, has been 60 years in the country. The Telegram wishes him many more years of health.

## DAINTY FOOTWEAR!



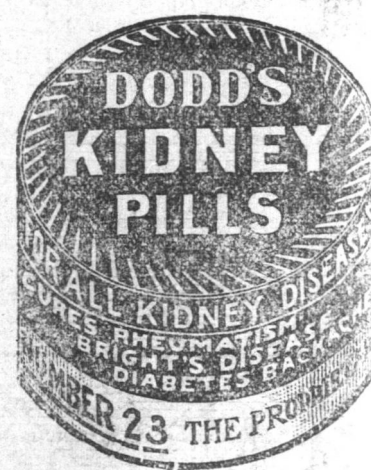
Never before have we had such a dazzling display of evening Slippers. Come and See Them. Ties, Straps, in Vici Kid, White Kid and Pink Poplin—all 1910 styles.

PARKER & MONROE, THE SHOE MEN.

## House of Assembly.

A bunch of petitions was presented yesterday by Messrs. Howley, Piccott, Squires, Clift, Earle, Downey and Watson. The Trade Union Bill was put through committee. The Pension Bill was read a Second time and the Daylight Bill relegated to a select committee. The Premier gave notice of resolutions to provide a bonus for the manufacture of wool and also to arrange for the establishment of smelters in the Colony. Among the notice of questions was one by Mr. Clapp. To ask the Hon. the Premier whether it is the intention of the Government to accede to the request of the people of Bonne Bay contained in a petition presented to this House in June last for the establishment and maintenance of a Power Ferry Service on Bonne Bay, and to that end to allocate a part of the general grant of \$2,000, recently voted by the House for Ferry Services.

BIBLE CLASS.—St. Thomas's Men's Bible Class meets this evening at 8 o'clock.



CHOIR PRACTICE.—The members of George Street choir are reminded of their practice to-night at 7.45.

## "STAR" TEA, mixed with Gunpowder Green, at 40c. lb. is sterling value.

Soups—1 lb. tins 83c, 90c. doz.  
Pears—3 lb. tins, 20c; 3 tins for 50.

Tomato Catsup—the best, 3c. for 30c.  
In the above there are three grades, the better kinds are smaller bottles, but all are one price.

1 lb. Screw Top Glass Jars Raspberry and Strawberry Jam, 20 cents each.  
3 Glasses for 55 cents.

Fresh Smoked Kipperd Herring—25 cts. dozen.  
Fresh Smoked Bloaters—20 cts. dozen.  
FRESH COD (Solling) TO-DAY.

Commodore Sardines, 15 cents tin, 3 tins for 35 cents.  
Fresh Shrimps, 15 cts. tin, 3 for 35 cents.

## C. P. EAGAN,

Duckworth Street and Queen's Road.



# Last Week of Our 14th Annual February Sale.

## Ladies' Flannelette Nightdresses.

In this offering of Ladies' Cream Flannelette Nightdresses, we are demonstrating to you the remarkable savings to be had at this Annual Sale. Arriving a month later than ordered we have cut the prices to the finest margin.

2 doz. Reg. \$2.40... For **\$1.92**  
 3 doz. Reg. \$2.00... For **\$1.40**  
 5 doz. Reg. \$1.50... For **\$1.16**  
 5 doz. Reg. \$1.20... For **90c.**  
 10 doz. Reg. 95c... For **76c.**  
 10 doz. Reg. 85c... For **68c.**

## The Final Days of Our Fourteenth Annual Sale Brings Forth Many Remarkable Bargains.

Within a few days this Great February Sale will be at an end, but in the meantime the saving opportunities are more numerous than ever. Hundreds of Bargain items not advertised, will be found in every section of this store. Make a list of your immediate or prospective requirements and come prepared to save almost as much as you spend.

## White Twill Sheeting.

72 inches wide. Reg. 30c... Sale Price, **25c.** yd.  
 73 inches wide. Reg. 35c... Sale Price, **30c.** yd.  
 72 inches wide. Reg. 40c... Sale Price, **33c.** yd.  
 80 inches wide. Reg. 45c... Sale Price, **38c.** yd.  
 72 inches wide. Reg. 50c... Sale Price, **42c.** yd.  
 80 inches wide. Reg. 60c... Sale Price, **52c.** yd.  
 90 inches wide. Reg. 75c... Sale Price, **65c.** yd.

## Corset Covers.

Corset Cover of White Cotton, necks and arms edged with torchon lace, 3/4 sleeves. Reg. 35c... Sale Price, 28c.  
 Corset Cover of American White Cotton, 3/4 sleeves, neck and sleeves edged with Valenciennes lace. Reg. 40c... Sale Price, 32c.  
 Corset Cover American White Cotton, low necks, yokes of torchon lace and insertion, and two rows ribbon beading. Reg. 45c... Sale Price, 35c.  
 Corset Cover, English White Cotton, front vandyked with Valenciennes lace, neck and sleeves finished with Valenciennes lace to match. Reg. 50c... Sale Price, 40c.  
 Corset Cover, White Nainsook, neck threaded with ribbon, yokes trimmed with Valenciennes insertion, a very pretty cover. Reg. 55c... Sale Price, 52c.  
 Corset Cover, White American Lawn, yoke effect of Valenciennes insertion, dainty designs, motifs of embroidery, neck and arms edged with lace, beading and ribbon draw. Reg. 75c... Sale Price, 62c.

## Underskirts.

Ladies' White Cotton Underskirts, with 5 inch flounce, finished with 3 tucks and torchon lace. Reg. 65c... Sale Price, 52c.  
 Ladies' Good English Cotton Underskirts, with 9 inch wide embroidery, frill or flounce, others with flounces of one row of embroidery and insertion. Reg. 95c... Sale Price, 76c.  
 Ladies' Cotton Underskirts, 11 inch lawn flounces, one cluster of 5 tucks and finished with 5 inch frill of embroidery with dust frill underneath, some with Pink and Pale Blue Ribbon Beading. Reg. \$1.25 Sale Price, 96c.  
 Ladies' Fine English White Cotton Underskirts, 17 inch flounces, with tucks and openwork embroidery and insertion, some trimmed with clusters of tucks and embroidery. Reg. \$1.45... Sale Price, \$1.16.



# Greatest Shirt-Waist Sale

In Modern Merchandising.

New "Spring 1910" styles bought at a big reduction in price--all new Waists made up for Spring wear.

The balance of those two immense shipments offered at these sensational prices.

By a lucky scoop in merchandising we are able to offer this entire range of beautiful new Shirt Waists at a fraction of their real worth. As we said before they are not a maker's surplus, nor a soiled stock; not a lot of seconds; the whole eighteen hundred were made up in the month of December, in the newest 1910 styles, by a leading American Manufacturer.

Every Waist is crisp, fresh and clean. Every one is of smart, stylish design. The materials alone in any one of them would cost more than the prices we are asking. Not a Waist in the lot that was skimped in the making, cut irregularly or finished carelessly, or that is otherwise undesirable.

As they represent a special purchase we refrain from placing a regular value on them; suffice it to say, that any one of them is worth from 25 to 50 per cent. more than we are asking.

LOT No. 1	59c.	LOT No. 2	66c.	LOT No. 3	75c.	LOT No. 4	94c.	LOT No. 5	\$1.02	LOT No. 6	\$1.14
LOT No. 7	\$1.18	LOT No. 8	\$1.33	LOT No. 9	\$1.88	LOT No. 10	\$2.35	LOT No. 11	\$2.85	LOT No. 12	\$3.20

## Night Dresses

Ladies' White Cotton Nightdresses, fronts trimmed with double row of tucks, turn down collars, necks, fronts and cuffs neatly trimmed with embroidery. Reg. \$1.25... Sale Price, \$1.00.  
 Ladies' White American Cotton and Nainsook Nightdresses, square and round necks, with embroidery and lace yokes, ribbon draw and bow, sleeves to match. Reg. \$1.45... Sale Price, \$1.16.  
 Ladies' White Longcloth (Horrickses) and Lawn Nightdresses, Dutch and square necks, insertion and edged cambric embroidery, finished with silk ribbon beading and sleeves to match. Reg. \$1.80... Sale Price, \$1.44.  
 Ladies' Fine White Crossbarred Muslin and English Cotton Nightdresses, square and Dutch necks, trimmed with clusters of tucks, insertion and lace sleeves edged with embroidery. Reg. \$2.20... Sale Price, \$1.70.

## Drawers

Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, frill at knees, embroidery trimmed. Reg. 40c... Sale Price, 32c.  
 Ladies' Good Cotton Drawers, deep frill at knees, embroidery finished, also galon trimming. Reg. 50c... Sale Price, 40c.  
 Ladies' White Nainsook Drawers, full frill of torchon lace and embroidery, finished with beading and ribbon draw. Reg. 85c... Sale Price, 68c.  
 Ladies' White Lawn Drawers, some with embroidery frill, others with deep lawn frill, trimmed with Valenciennes lace and insertion, umbrella frills. Reg. 95c... Sale Price, 76c.  
 Ladies' Heavy Quality White Cotton Drawers, frill of beautiful design, embroidery and insertion to match. Reg. \$1.10... Sale Price, 96c.  
 Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, strong quality, frill at knees trimmed with embroidery and open work insertion, wide beading with ribbon draw. Reg. \$1.20... Sale Price, 92c.



## White Marcella Quilts.

Reg. \$1.55, 2 1/2 yards long, for... **\$1.25**  
 Reg. \$2.00, 2 7/8 yards long, for... **\$1.65**  
 Reg. \$2.40, 3 yards long, for... **\$1.95**  
 Reg. \$2.75, 3 yards long, for... **\$2.30**  
 Reg. \$3.00, 3 yards long, for... **\$2.50**  
 Reg. \$3.50, 3 yards long, for... **\$2.90**  
 Reg. \$4.00, 3 yards long, for... **\$3.35**  
 Reg. \$4.50, 3 yards long, for... **\$3.75**  
 Reg. \$5.25, 3 yards long, for... **\$4.25**  
 Reg. \$5.75, 3 yards long, for... **\$4.65**

## It's a Great Sale of House Furnishings We're Having.

SURPASSING our best previous achievements in value-giving—a sale with a broader scope than any that have preceded it. Big reductions in Sheets, Pillow Cases, Quilts, etc. The following lines will help to create further enthusiasm in this sale. Be on hand as early as possible.

### CIRCULAR AND PLAIN PILLOW COTTON

40 inches wide. Reg. 20c. Sale Price, 17c. yard.  
 40 inches wide. Reg. 24c. Sale Price, 20c. yard.  
 42 inches wide. Reg. 30c. Sale Price, 25c. yard.  
 46 inches wide. Reg. 35c. Sale Price, 30c. yard.

### WHITE SHIRTINGS

Regular 24c. yard for... 20c.  
 Regular 18c. yard for... 15c.  
 Regular 16c. yard for... 12 1/2c.  
 Regular 14c. yard for... 12c.  
 Regular 10c. yard for... 8 1/2c.  
 Regular 11c. yard for... 9 1/2c.

### WHITE GRECIAN QUILTS.

Reg. \$1.20, 2 1/2 yards long for... 98c.  
 Reg. \$1.55, 2 3/4 yards long, for... \$1.30

### WHITE H. C. QUILTS.

Reg. \$1.10, 2 1/2 yards long for... 90c.  
 Reg. \$1.50, 2 1/2 yards long, for... \$1.08  
 Reg. \$1.90, 2 3/4 yards long, for... \$1.50  
 Reg. \$2.00, 2 3/4 yards long, for... \$1.65  
 Reg. \$2.25, 3 yards long, for... \$1.85  
 Reg. \$2.50, 3 yards long, for... \$2.10

### WHITE HONEYCOMB TOILET COVERS.

50c. values for... 42c.  
 40c. values for... 34c.  
 30c. values for... 25c.  
 20c. values for... 16c.  
 18c. values for... 14c.

## Pillow Cases, Shams and Bolsters

At Lowest Possible Prices.

If you expect to need any Pillow Cases, Shams, Bolsters, etc, you'll be doing your pocket book a good turn by taking advantage of these bargains in our Annual February Sale.

### PILLOW SHAMS.

Reg. 80c., 25 x 36 ins. ... 65c.  
 Reg. 70c., 25 x 36 ins. ... 55c.  
 Reg. 55c., 25 x 36 ins. ... 45c.

### H. S. PILLOW CASES.

Reg. 55c., 20 x 30 ins. ... 45c.  
 Reg. 45c., 20 x 30 ins. ... 37c.  
 Reg. 40c., 20 x 30 ins. ... 32c.

### FILLED PILLOW CASES.

Reg. 70c., 20 x 30 ins. ... 55c.  
 Reg. 55c., 20 x 30 ins. ... 45c.  
 Reg. 45c., 20 x 30 ins. ... 37c.  
 Reg. 40c., 20 x 30 ins. ... 32c.  
 Reg. 22c., 18 x 28 ins. ... 18c.

### BOLSTER CASES.

Reg. \$1.00, 20 x 62 ins. ... 85c.  
 Reg. 70c., 20 x 62 ins. ... 55c.

### TEA CLOTHS.

Linen Embroidered and Hemstitched.  
 Reg. 75c., 36 x 36 ins. ... for 60c.  
 Reg. 60c., 32 x 32 ins. ... for 48c.

### SIDEBOARD CLOTHS.

Linen Embroidered and Hemstitched.  
 Reg. 90c., 15 x 68 ins. ... for 72c.  
 Reg. 75c., 15 x 68 ins. ... for 60c.  
 Reg. 60c., 15 x 68 ins. ... for 48c.

### TEA CLOTHS.

Lace Trimmed.  
 Reg. \$1.00, 36 x 36 ins. for 80c.  
 Reg. 85c., 36 x 36 ins. ... for 68c.

### TAMBORED LAWN TABLE CENTRES.

Reg. 60c., 32 x 32 ins. ... for 48c.  
 Reg. 50c., 28 x 28 ins. ... for 40c.  
 Reg. 45c., 27 x 27 ins. ... for 34c.

### TRAY CLOTHS.

Linen Embroidered and Hemstitched.  
 Reg. 60c., 17 x 27 ins. ... for 48c.  
 Reg. 55c., 20 x 27 ins. ... for 44c.  
 Reg. 50c., 17 x 27 ins. ... for 41c.  
 Reg. 45c., 20 x 30 ins. ... for 36c.





# WINCARNIS

This popular tonic needs no introduction, it is now so well-known North, South, East and West of the Island, as well as in the city. It is looked upon as one of the best health preservers or restorers ever placed before the public.

*For those recovering from protracted illness and want building up there is nothing to equal it.*

It is recommended by men occupying foremost positions in the Medical profession of Great Britain, from whom over 15,000 testimonials have been received.

For Sale by all the Leading Drug Stores and by

## Marshall Bros.,

AGENTS.

### Official Result, Point Games.

**Bonavista and Victoria Trophies.**  
The Bonavista trophy was played for by the Terra Nova curlers in company with the Mic-Mac curlers, who were playing for the Victoria trophy. Harvey Jardine and Thomas Winter tied on twenty-five points each, and decided to immediately play off with the famous and usual deciding shot of "out wick," in which they again tied; but in the final Harvey Jardine won. The Victoria trophy of the Mic-Mac Curling Club was won by S. Ryall with the score of twenty-three. The ice was in wretched condition for point games, but as the afternoon players had commenced the game, it was necessary to finish on the same ice, which became very much worse as the play advanced after tea. Much interest was manifested by the new beginners made some elegant shots, which were loudly applauded by curlers and spectators.  
By order,  
A. H. SALTER,  
Hon. Secretary.

The following are some of the score—

Terra Nova—Bonavista Trophy.	
H. Jardine	25
Thos. Winter	25
W. H. Duder	22
W. R. Warren	22
A. H. Salter	22
E. Rowe	21
H. J. Duder	19
E. C. Berteau	19
E. A. Bowring	19
P. C. O'Driscoll	16
D. P. Duff	16
T. C. Fitzherbert	14
F. H. Steer	14
J. C. Hepburn	14
Tasker Cook	14
Mic-Mac—Victoria Trophy.	
S. Ryall	23
E. W. MacNab	21
J. Soper	20
W. T. Shirran	18
Arthur Donnelly	17
R. Stein	18
C. R. Duder	14
R. Strang	14
W. H. Donnelly	14
T. B. Goodridge	13
S. O. Steele	11

**CURE FOR WHOOPING COUGH.**  
Mrs. Wm. Bail, Bracebridge, Ont., writes: "My three boys had whooping cough and we could get nothing to help them until we used Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. It arrested the cough at once and they kept on improving until they were cured at the cost of one dollar. This was not a large bill for so dangerous and distressing an ailment."

**Special to Evening Telegram.**  
TOKIO, Feb. 21.  
A Bill was introduced in the Diet today providing that no foreigner may own land in Japan, unless he is a native of a country which permits Japanese to own land within its boundaries.

### Cable News.

**Special to Evening Telegram.**  
SEVILLE, Spain, Feb. 21.  
King Alfonso has signed a decree granting complete or partial amnesty to all political prisoners. They consist principally of the Castalian revolutionists.  
**Special to Evening Telegram.**  
CAIRO, Egypt, Feb. 21.  
Boules Pasha Ghalil, the Egyptian Premier, and Minister of Foreign Affairs, who was shot by a student yesterday died at 8 o'clock this morning. The assassin who is in custody, is a Nationalist, and declares that he sought to avenge certain acts of the Government which were displeasing to the Nationalists.

**Special to Evening Telegram.**  
PARIS, Feb. 21.  
A howling gale in the English Channel sweeping the French coast as far as Finister, has driven all shipping to shelter. Wire communication between England or France has been cut off, all steamers have been considerably delayed.  
**Special to Evening Telegram.**  
CANNES, France, Feb. 21.  
Joseph Chamberlain, the British statesman, who is in feeble health arrived here to-day.

### St. Andrew's L.A.

Rev. N. C. Hannay lectured on "The Manner and Matter of Reading" at St. Andrew's Hall last night. There was a large attendance and the subject was treated in a very clever manner. Mr. Hannay said that he would make four pre-suppositions: (1) That Reading is an opportunity for self-education at the disposal of everybody; (2) that such a serious constituent of life as reading requires that we shall regard our attitude towards it as a duty; (3) that we as a literary people (presumptively) appreciate a moral attitude towards reading, that we cannot read what we will or as we will; (4) the aim of the lecture to be suggestiveness and not exhaustiveness. The lecturer divided the purpose of reading into four headings, viz: (1) Information; (2) Recreation; (3) Stimulation; (4) Inspiration. Rev. Mr. Hannay dealt with the above in detail and gave a long list of books which he considered worth reading, according to the taste of the different pursuits of the readers. He also referred to the effects of too much reading, saying that it is best to read little well and digest it than to read much and forget all next minute. He referred to the number of great minds and deep thinkers in olden times when books were few. A small number of books well read in these days will give one a liberal education. The reading of magazines and works of fiction is so much a waste of time when indulged in exclusively. The young get false impressions of life from novels and suffer for it afterwards. At the close Mr. G. C. Fearn proposed a vote of thanks to the lecturer, which was supported by Mr. A. Munn and seconded by Messrs. J. J. McKay and E. Murray.

### McMurdo's Store News

TUESDAY, Feb. 22, '10.  
You will find an excellent assortment of Baby's and Children's Hair Brushes in our centre cage. Nothing could be more useful or acceptable as a present for the little people.  
Infant's Delight Toilet Soap is one of the most elegantly made and nicely perfumed soaps we have seen, and has a ready sale. It is likely to become popular with mothers.  
To remedy the effects of cold winds try Lanoline Camphor Ice. It is soothing and healing, and being in a cake is cleanly in use.  
Royal Dinner Mints are a sweet treat, but they stimulate the digestive organs as well. Try a box—35c.—adv.

### Weather Bureau.

TORONTO, Last Night.  
Strong westerly and moderate gales W. to N. W. local snow flurries, but generally clearing and turning decidedly colder again.  
Strong breeze to moderate gales, north west to northerly, clear and much colder.  
Wednesday: Northerly to north east winds and cold.  
Birchy Cove.—Wind N. light, fine.  
Lark Harbor.—Wind N. E. fine and clear.  
Sound Island.—Nothing doing fishery; wind N. E. foggy.

### No Backache or Kidney Trouble.

A few doses clean and regulate the kidneys ending Backache and Bladder misery.  
No man or woman here whose kidneys are out-of-order, or who suffers from backache or bladder misery, can afford to leave Pape's Diuretic untried. After taking several doses, all pains in the back, sides or loins, rheumatic twinges, nervousness, headache, sleeplessness, inflamed or swollen eyelids, dizziness, tired or worn-out feeling and other symptoms of clogged, sluggish kidneys simply vanish.  
Uncontrollable urination (especially at night), smarting, discolored water and all bladder misery ends.  
The moment you suspect the slightest kidney or bladder disorder, or feel rheumatism pains, don't continue to be miserable or worried, but get a fifty-cent treatment of Pape's Diuretic from your druggist and start taking as directed, with the knowledge that there is no other medicine, at any price, made anywhere else in the world, which is so harmless or will effect so thorough and prompt a cure.  
This unusual preparation goes direct to the cause of the trouble, distributing its cleansing, healing and vitalizing influence directly upon the organs and glands affected and completes the cure before you realize it.  
A few days' treatment of Pape's Diuretic means clean, healthy, active kidneys, bladder and urinary organs—and you feel fine.  
Your physician, pharmacist, banker or any mercantile agency will tell you that Pape, Thompson & Pape, of Cincinnati, is a large and responsible medicine concern, thoroughly worthy of your confidence.  
Accept only Pape's Diuretic—fifty-cent treatment—from any drug store—anywhere in the world.

### The Fleetwing Seaworthy.

The owner of this vessel asks us to contradict the statement made to our reporter by a couple of sailors that the vessel is leaky. In the letter he sent us he writes: "The vessel has a private leak, but I am satisfied from Capt. Linklater's examination of her (a report of which is enclosed) that the vessel is absolutely seaworthy. He says further, 'If I had any doubt as to the sufficiency of the vessel to carry her cargo well, I would not as owner of the cargo send the ship to sea.'"  
St. John's, Feb. 19th, 1910.  
W. B. Grieve, Esq.

**Dr. de Van's Female Pills.**  
A reliable regulator; never fails. While these pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system, they are strictly safe to use. Refuse all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at \$5.00 a box, or three for \$10.00. Mailed to any address. The Scobell Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont. (In St. John's, T. McMurdo & Co., Selling Agents for Newfoundland).

### Supreme Court.

YESTERDAY.  
Judgment was handed down by Mr. Justice Emerson to-day in the factory case of John Mahoney vs. W. Hiscok. It was ordered that judgment be entered for plaintiff on the claim and for the defendant on the counter claim. Damages on the latter are assessed by the judge as \$83.80. Let judgment be entered for the plaintiff for \$49.00.  
TO-DAY.  
(Before a Full Bench.)  
**Royal Stores vs. John Browning.**  
This is an application on the part of the defendant to amend the defence also for leave to amend the defence and the writ by adding "Woolen Mills Co." as defendant. Sir J. S. Winter, K. C., is heard in support of the application. J. P. Blackwood is heard on behalf of the Woolen Mills Co., and says that the Company does not object to being added. C. A. V.  
**PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.**  
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.—oct25,10.

### Central District Court.

(Before Judge Knight).  
To-day the case of a travelling salesman vs. a West End business man was held. The former claimed that he had loaned to the latter last fall the sum of ten sovereigns and claimed for that amount. Deft. held that the money was deposited with him to be drawn against in the shape of orders for goods as required, or cash when wanted. Deft. paid into court the sum of \$25.35 which he held was the balance he had on hand in favour of plaintiff. Several witnesses were examined, pro and con, and later both parties to the suit agreed on a further payment to plaintiff of \$5.60, or an aggregate of \$31.95. Mr. Higgins for plff. Mr. Wood for deft.

### Norwegian Fishery Opens Favorably.

A business man of the East End had a letter from London by the mail yesterday, dated the 9th inst., stating that the Norwegian fishery had opened well and that up to Monday, the 7th inst., the catch had been 3,000,000. This is early in the season for the fishery to begin and the catch to date is in excess of last year's report.

### A Test Case.

An action has been instituted by the police to test the validity of the retail license held by Ellis & Co. under which they sell alcoholic beverages. The case will be tried in the Police Court to-morrow. Sir Jas. S. Winter, K.C., appears for the Crown and Mr. M. W. Furlong, K.C., for Ellis & Co.

### Coastal Boats.

**BOWRING SHIPS.**  
The Portia left Burgeo at 10 a.m. to-day.  
**REID NEEL, CO.**  
The Argy left Placentia at 3 a.m. to-day on the Red Island route. The Bruce left Port au Basques at 11.15 p.m. yesterday.  
The Home left Placentia at 2 a.m. to-day on the western route.

### Train Notes.

The express from Port au Basques arrived here at 2.30 p.m. yesterday. The local arrived from Carboneau at 12 p.m. today, bringing Capt. M. T. Kehoe, Sir Robert Bond, J. R. Goodison and J. H. Hoskins.  
The west bound express arrived at Port au Basques at 11 p.m. yesterday.  
**ERIK S. S. CO. MEETS.**—The annual meeting of the Erik S. S. Co. was held at Job Bros. Office this forenoon. The same directors as last year were elected, viz. Messrs. M. G. Winter, H. E. Knight, A. Macpherson, R. B. Job, W. C. Job and Hon. J. S. Pitts.

### OBITUARY.

**MR. JAMES EAGAN.**  
Mr. James Eagan, son of Mr. John T. and Mrs. Eagan (baker), Bell Island, died at that place on Thursday, Feb. 17th, after a long and tedious illness. Mr. Eagan had been ailing for a number of years but his illness did not become a serious nature until lately. On Tuesday he was taken seriously ill, and in spite of all that could be done for him he passed away on Thursday after an illness of two days; death coming as a happy release from his sufferings. Deceased who was in his nineteenth year was one of Bell Island's most popular young men. His quiet and unassuming manner won for him many friends since coming here three years ago. He was always to be found in sporting matters here, and his early and unexpected demise is sincerely regretted by all who had the pleasure of knowing him. He leaves a mother, father, three sisters and five brothers to mourn the loss of a loving son and kind brother to whom the sympathy of the whole community will go out in their time of trouble. The funeral took place on Saturday morning, interment being at Belvidere Cemetery, St. John's.—R. I. P.

### C. E. T. S. Meeting.

Rev. J. Bell occupied the chair at the meeting of the C. E. T. S. last night in the Synod Hall. There was a large attendance. The rev. gentleman delivered a very interesting lecture on the "Battle Against Intemperance." He spoke of fighting the evil by legislation, enforcement of the Act, intercessions and moral suasion. Fifteen signed the pledge, and nine men and three women were admitted into the Society initiation. Recreation rooms are now being prepared for the members. These apartments are being fitted up in good style and will be a convenient meeting place for the men. These rooms have been all along badly needed, and the members are highly pleased at the prospect of having such convenient quarters for assembling in the nights.

**CHILD RUN DOWN.**—Capt. Coward's seven-year-old little girl was run down by Steer Bros. team on New Gower Street last evening. Mrs. Kenneth Froese won the trophy with a score of 23 points; Mrs. Rogerson came second and Mrs. Clapp third.

**BAIRD MEDAL.**—The Baird medal was played for at the rink by the ladies curling club yesterday. Mrs. Kenneth Froese won the trophy with a score of 23 points; Mrs. Rogerson came second and Mrs. Clapp third.

### Ramea Notes.

Dear Sir,—Our harbor to-day is almost clear of schooners. Messrs. Penny have five of their vessels up west fishing out of Rose Blanche and Channel. Their foreign vessel, Margaret Schwartz, sailed from Harbor Breton yesterday with a cargo of frozen herring. Messrs. Penny purchased those at St. Jacques and Jersey Harbor.

Our community is looking forward to being connected by telegraph the coming season, a want that has long been felt, more especially by the business men, who are certainly doing business at a great disadvantage, having to do it on a weekly or two-weekly mail service. The day is past doing business on those lines, in fact it cannot be done with success or satisfaction without telegraph.

We have a Government wharf under construction. This was started some time in June last; a few blocks and a few beams were put down. The work ended there for want of funds or material. The public are at a loss to know, probably it may not be either the one or the other. All you can hear on the streets is, "What about the wharf?" "What is the matter?" "Who is causing the trouble?" etc. etc. Going off in the winter is far from pleasant. Even after doing it for many years it is hard to get accustomed to it, and having no telegraph communication, not knowing where steamers are makes matters all the worse, even expecting the steamer at a time when she has not left Flaccetia. Both telegraph and wharf, Mr. Editor, have been agitated for the past twelve years. There is no end to the promises made. We shall have it next year, election year, etc. Our community for some reason or other is feeling fully persuaded we shall be connected by telegraph with the outside world the coming summer. We shall then feel we are a happy people, forgetting once and for all the grievances of the past and also our many years of isolation.

Yours truly,  
CORRESPONDENT.  
Ramea, Feb. 16, 1910.

**CHORAL SOCIETY.**—St. John's Choral Society will meet for rehearsal this evening.

**TO-NIGHT'S LECTURE.**—Rev. Canon Smith will lecture on "Trinity," at the T. A. Hall this evening under the auspices of the T. A. & B. Society.

### Star Society Concert.

Fully 500 members of the Star of the Sea Association assembled in their rooms last night despite the inclement weather, and were regaled with a concert given by several citizens of prominence. The President, E. M. Jackman, Esq., presided in his usual graceful way and made a fluent and happy speech before the opening of the concert. The programme was varied and interesting. Mr. P. J. McCarthy presided at the piano, and excellent selections were given by Messrs. McCarthy, Cornick, O'Neil, Burke, Healey, H. V. Tuft and R. J. Power. Little George Fairbairn gave an inimitable rendition of a cowboy's song. Each number on the program was heartily applauded, encores being frequently asked for. At the conclusion of the concert Mr. Jackman gave a lecture, taking as his subject "Character Studies," in which he especially reviewed the lives of Lincoln and Gladstone. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded all who took part.

### Sealing News.

The schr. Bessie Jennex is now being fitted out at Channel for the seal fishery in the Gulf. Capt. Gillam who is such an experienced and successful skipper is going in command of her, and owing to the mild open season there will be good prospects for vessels in the Gulf.  
The Viking and Kite are being got ready at Bowring Bros. for the Gulf and will leave for Channel early next month.  
The Rosalind is bringing a new spar for the Eagle to be used in connection with the wireless apparatus which is to be installed on the vessel.

### CAPE REPORT.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
CAPE RACE, To-Day.  
Wind north west, light, weather dull preceded by a S. W. gale with rain and fog last night. A three masted schooner passed in at 6 p.m. yesterday, and another was sighted about 10 miles east at 7 a.m. to-day, also bound in. Bar. 29.42; ther. 35.

**HANDICAP BILLIARDS.**—The handicap billiard matches for the P. F. Collins and E. M. Jackman trophies are now nearing completion and will likely be over this week.

**SIXTY DAYS OF INSOMNIA END**  
Girl Student's Black Coffee Diet for Examination Nearly Fatal.  
Special to "The Record."  
Des Moines, Ia., May 17.—Sleep came for the first time in two months to Miss Esther Chinberg, of Odobolt, Ia., a student at Simpson College, Thursday night. Starting 60 days ago to cram for her final examinations, Miss Chinberg began drinking black coffee and taking other steps to keep herself awake until she found she had contracted a case of insomnia that outstrips anything in the history of medical science in the Middle West.  
It was not until physicians had worked over the girl for weeks that she yielded to treatment, and Thursday night slept for a short time. The following night she slept somewhat better, and Saturday had a good night's rest.  
Another week of the terrible strain would have cost the co-ed her mind, the doctors say.—Philadelphia Record.

## Outside Evidence

This news item, clipped from the Philadelphia Record, points out the powerful effect that coffee exercises upon the nerves and brain—a fact we have often cited.

Small doses of coffee "get on" the nerves in a small way, and in most cases it takes some time before the nervous system and stomach are seriously affected.

Miss Chinberg's experience is exceptional only in the amount consumed and the correspondingly quick results. The caffeine in coffee gets in its work with every cup one drinks, and nature, in so far as possible, may or may not correct the harm done. You can tell by the condition of head and heart, nerves and stomach. If they are not right, try a comfortable change to

**DURING SLEEP**  
Nature Repairs the Human Engine.  
The activities of the day cause more or less waste of tissues in the human engine, which is repaired at night during sleep.  
The man or woman who can sleep well at night is sure of the necessary repairs, other things being right, to make each day a time of usefulness and living a real joy.  
But let insomnia get hold of you and the struggle begins of trying to work with a machine out of repair. A Neb. woman's experience with coffee as a producer of insomnia is interesting. She says:  
"I used to be a coffee drinker and was so nervous I could not sleep at night before about 12 o'clock, unless I would take some medicine. I was under the doctor's care for about five years and my weight got down to 82 lbs.  
"The doctor said I would have to quit drinking coffee. Then my father got me to try Postum which he said had done wonders for him. I am past 42 and before I quit drinking coffee my heart would jump and flutter at times, miss a beat, then beat so fast I could hardly breathe. In-cough air and I would get smothered.  
"My tongue would get so stiff I could not talk and I could not hold a glass to drink from. Since I have been drinking Postum, in place of coffee, I can sleep sound any time I lie down, and feel I owe everything to Postum. I now weigh 120 lbs. and am well."  
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# League Hockey

The Championship Series---First Match in Second Round--Crescents vs. Victorias--Brilliant Work of Cunningham in Vics'. Goal--Crescents Have Easy Win--Score: Crescents, 7 Goals; Victorias, 2.

The mild spurt which succeeded Saturday's low thermometer and started in yesterday morning had very little effect on the ice floor at the Prince's Rink last evening and there were indications of a hard and fast game when the rival maroon and blue champions entered the arena at 7.30. Spectators were few at the start, but before the half-time interval there were present quite a crowd of enthusiasts, supporters of each team being about equally divided, and of course want to see their own favorites win. At 7.35 the referee got the teams together in the following order, Crescents defending the western end, viz.:  
 Crescents: Thomas, goal; Cunningham, point; Gas Herder, cover; Marshall, rover; Penrice, right; H. Herder, centre; Trapnell, left.  
 Victorias: Hunt, point; Paddon, cover; Bulley, rover; Brien, right; Tobin, centre; Shortall, left.

### THE GAME.

**First Half.**  
 A start was made at 7.37 with Crescents rushing matters, but off-side work helped to relieve the pressure, and Vics. transferred play to other end, where it raged momentarily. Gas Herder then essayed one or two beauty lift shots, one of which started Cunningham in Vics. goal. The keeper just managed to clear with his boot, and then a series of lifting exchanges took place, the puck being carried from end to end. This style of play continued for some eight minutes of time, then the Crescents got in some combined work and forcing the pace, at length, 10 minutes from the start, Hubert Herder, taking a pass from Stick, bagged first tally for Crescents. Vics. then had a turn of pressing, and after a short exhibition of the passing game Brien got a chance and sent a right winger home. Score--one goal each. 12 minutes playing. Immediately after this result Paddon was sent to the boards for three minutes, a case of foul cross check work, Gus Herder being doubled up for fully a minute when on a run. Resuming, the Crescents raked Vics. net, and but for the brilliant defence of Cunningham, the keeper, and the usual little bit of goalkeepers' luck, a tally of goals should have resulted. Soon Paddon got another turn--4 minutes this time--for a repetition of his former offence. Crescents again pressed hard and game waxed hot and fast, then "Red moon" champions had best of exchanges, but off-side play nullified scoring chances. Getting possession from an off-side resumption Vics. got on the run for Crescent goal, and Brien getting possession after some tricky passing registered second score for Vics., the score being called--Victorias, 2; Crescents, 1. Game now grew exciting and play was kept up at a fast pace, both sides being bent on scoring. Crescents had the best of the exchanges and kept the balance of play in the neighborhood of Cunningham, and just when the equalizer seemed imminent the bell rang for the interval. Half time score--Vics., 2; Crescents, 1.

**Second Half.**  
 Play was resumed at 8.13, and it was at once made evident that a hot and fast half would result. The opening exchanges were fairly even, long lift shots being much in evidence for

a short period. Then some passing efforts were put forth and Shortall was penalized for off-side touches. Crescents now assumed aggressive tactics and coming well Stick, catching up a cross pass from Trapnell, tallied up the equalizer. Score--2 goals each when the game was 5 minutes old in this half. Crescent supporters were now jubilant, and spurred on by shouts and cheers the blue and white champions rallied. Keeping up the pressure they began to assert their superiority, and after a nice exhibition of passing Stick (?) again got an opening and tallied up third score for Crescents. From the referee the rubber was secured and inside of a minute after Hubert Herder (?) had given his club a two goal lead--Crescents, 4; Vics., 2. Crescents had now the match well in hand, keeping the play mostly in Vics. territory and proving the superior lot. The pressure was relieved at intervals by individual work on the Vic. side, but off-side play nullified scoring attempts. Thus play continued for a few minutes. Then Tobin was sent to the box, getting 3 minutes for fouling Pearce, and now Crescents added the 5th tally, Marshall having this goal to his credit after some tricky passing team work--5-2 in favor of Crescents. Other two goals were added to the Crescents register by Trapnell (?) in quick succession, and this finished the scoring. With only three minutes to play Crescents pressed hard, but Cunningham proved equal to the onslaught on his charge, making some brilliant saves. With fast play raging in Victorias' quarters the bell rang for the finish. Full time result--Crescents, 7; Vics., 2.

The officials for duty were:  
 Referee--W. J. Higgins.  
 Timekeepers--W. J. Martin and F. Crane.  
 Penalty Timekeeper--J. Curtin.  
 Umpires--Messrs. Hearn & Power.

### THE SCORE SHEET.

**First Half.**  
 1st goal, Crescents; scorer, H. Herder.  
 2nd goal, Victorias; scorer, Brien.  
 3rd goal, Victorias; scorer, Brien.

### Second Half.

4th goal, Crescents; scorer, Stick.  
 5th goal, Crescents; scorer, Stick.  
 6th goal, Crescents; scorer, H. Herder.  
 7th goal, Crescents; scorer, Marshall.  
 8th goal, Crescents; scorer, Trapnell.  
 9th goal, Crescents; scorer, Trapnell.

### TABLE OF POINTS.

Club	W	L	T	pts
Victorias	3	3	0	20
Crescents	4	3	1	25
Victorias	4	3	1	21
St. Bon's	3	0	3	22

Next match--Victorias vs. St. Bon's. Mild spurt indicates another spell of delayed games and the championship still a doubtful quantity.

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	\$3,327.50

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### Church Institute Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Church Institute took place last night in the rooms of the organization, the President, Mr. G. W. B. Ayre, presiding. In opening the meeting Mr. Ayre gave a resume of the excellent progress made by the Institute in recent years and was sorry to have to state that he could not again allow himself to be nominated for the Presidency. The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer showed that the past year was one of the most successful in the history of the club. Though many improvements were made in the rooms the Institute has a substantial balance to its credit. The election then took place, Mr. George Adams occupying the chair. The officers are: President, Mr. C. E. Hunt; 1st V.P., Mr. F. C. Willis; 2nd V.P., Mr. T. F. Thompson; Treasurer, Mr. H. L. LeMessurier; Secretary, Mr. C. Godden; Messuriers: Representatives: Cathedral, Mr. Geo. W. LeMessurier; St. Thomas's, Mr. A. Findlater; St. Mary's, Mr. P. F. LeMessurier; Council: Messrs. T. Hallett, C. K. Miller, G. W. White, M. G. Martin, Jno. Davey, F. White, S. Winter, S. Bursell, J. Str. James, S. Winter, S. Bursell, J. Taylor, J. Chafey and F. Miller. This year promises also to be a very prosperous one for the Institute.

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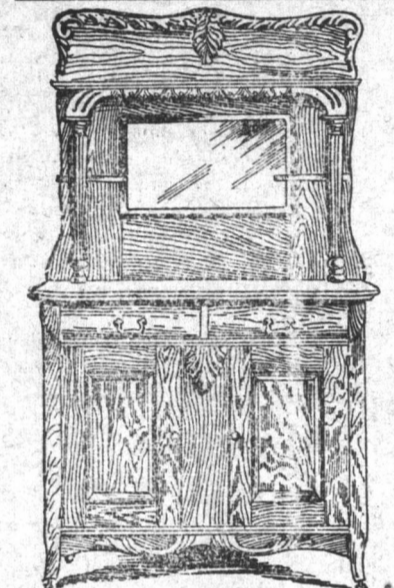
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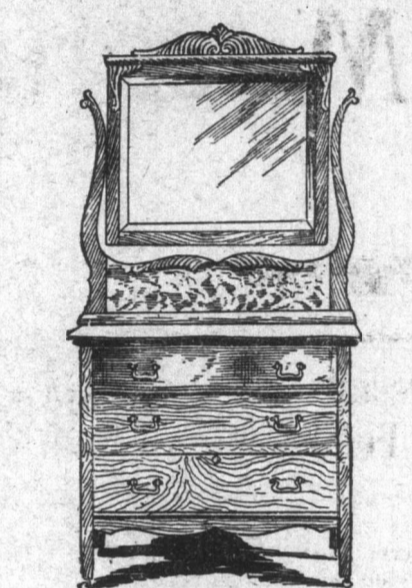
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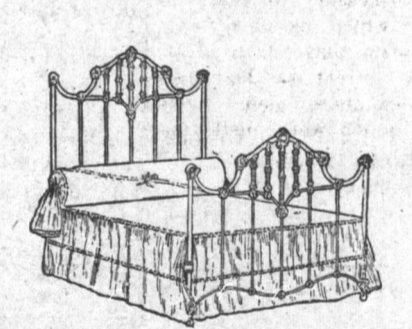
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LECTURE TO-NIGHT--Rev. Mr. Thackeray will lecture at the Odd-fellows Hall to-night for the benefit of the members of Atlantic Lodge, No. 1. A collection for widows and orphans fund will be taken up. M. C. L. I. DEBATE--The M. C. L. I. will meet to have their weekly debate to-morrow night.



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Regular \$1.25, sale price.....	\$1.05
Regular \$1.80, sale price.....	1.50
<b>8-4 TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS:</b>	
Regular \$1.80, sale price.....	1.10
Regular \$1.50, sale price.....	1.30
Regular \$2.00, sale price.....	1.70
Regular \$2.50, sale price.....	2.10
Regular \$3.00, sale price.....	2.50
Regular \$4.00, sale price.....	3.50
<b>8-10 TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS:</b>	
Regular \$2.75, sale price.....	2.30
Regular \$4.00, sale price.....	3.50
Regular \$4.30, sale price.....	3.65

Chenille and Velvet Pile Covers Reduced at same rate.  
 feb19,tf **STEER BROTHERS.**



**Good Results**  
 are obtained when Readymade Departments are stocked with Clothing made at our Factory.

**Our Clothing**  
 enables dealers to make quick sales and gives you an ever increasing number of satisfied customers.

**WHOLESALE ONLY.**  
**Newfoundland Clothing Factory, Ltd.,**  
 225 and 227 Duckworth Street.



**This is the Man**  
 Who studied the likes and dislikes of Newfoundland Tea drinkers, one of the reasons his **STANDARD** bulks, and **UNION BLEND** in packets are such good sellers.

Do You Handle Them?  
 Wholesale by  
**H. W. deForest Tea Co.,**  
 Exclusive Tea Merchants.

Harry W. deForest.

**Job Printing Executed!**

## At RODGER'S



## A Unique Line of... Corsets,

at the following special prices:  
**40c., 45c., 65c., 75c., \$1 and \$1.50**  
 per pair.

**A. & S. RODGER.**

## A Clean Sweep.

To effect a thorough clearance of the following lines we have decided to clear them at 1/2 price.

**Genuine 1/2 Price Sale.**

**Ladies' Fur Necklets**  
 in Marten, Squirrel and Black Caracule,  
 \$2.20, \$2.90, \$4.70, \$5.50  
**\$1.10, \$1.45, \$2.35, \$2.75**

**LADIES' and MISSES**  
**Ermine**  
**And Astrachan Muffs,**  
 70c, \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.70  
**35c, 50c, 60c, 85c.**

**CHILD'S**  
**Grebe & Ermine Sets.**  
 90c, \$1.40, \$1.60  
**45c, 70c, 80c.**

**LADIES' GAITERS.**  
 We offer Special Value in 2-Buckle Gaiters at \$1.20.

**ALEX. SCOTT,**  
 feb17,tf **18 New Gower St.**

## WE ARE Clearing Out

The balance of our **Ladies' Felt HATS.**

Prices from \$1.00 to \$4.00 all at

**75 cts**  
 each to clear.

**Bowring Bros. Limited.**  
 DRAPERY DEPT.

## REID NEWFOUNDLAND COMPANY.

## Change of Schedule.

**SOUTH COAST ROUTE,**  
 Commencing WEDNESDAY, March 2nd, 1910, S.S. Glencoe will leave Placentia every Wednesday Afternoon instead of Saturdays, and Port aux Basques every Sunday instead of Wednesday as heretofore.

**PLACENTIA BAY ROUTE,**  
 Commencing MONDAY, February 28th, 1910, S. S. Argyle will leave Placentia for Western Trip, and every Monday thereafter instead of Wednesday, and on Merasheen and Red Island Routes every Thursday instead of Monday as heretofore.

## Reid Newfoundland Company

## A PROBLEM SOLVED Flannelettes.

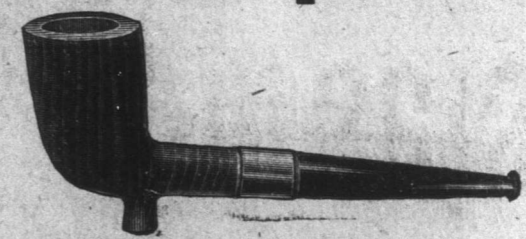
Where to get **BEST POSSIBLE VALUE** is a question to which at present is attached considerable interest.

**MILLEY'S FLANNELETTES**  
 possess the qualification in the highest degree. From

**10 to 25c.**  
 per yard. Pink, Sky, Cream, White, Scarlet and Striped.

## S. MILLEY

## BRIAR PIPES!



WE OFFER A SPECIAL LOT OF **BRIAR PIPES** WHICH WE WERE FORTUNATE IN SECURING AT A **LOW PRICE** ALL SIZES AND SHAPES. **EXCEPTIONAL VALUE.**

WE CALL THE ATTENTION OF WHOLESALE BUYERS TO THIS LOT.  
**MARTIN HARDWARE COMPANY.**