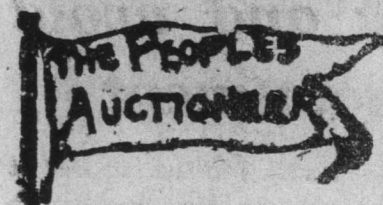


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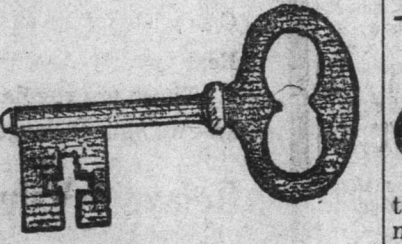
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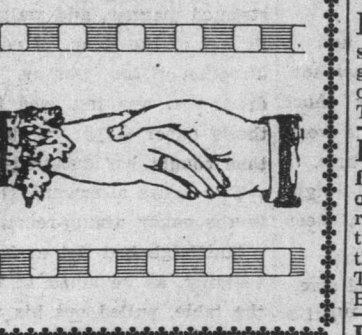
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CHAPTER XL
Retribution.

Carlotta Lawley laughed a low, musical laugh.

"Sleep!" she said. "I could not. I am not tired. You do not know how much I have traveled in my short life, or you would not think me worn out by a short trip from Paris. I once journeyed from Siberia, night and day, and had but six hours' sleep the whole time."

Maud gazed at her with rigid awe. "Siberia! Oh, dear me! What a great deal you will have to tell me!" she said, with a quiet delight, but added, suddenly: "But perhaps you won't tell me?"

"Yes, I will tell you everything," replied Carlotta; "nearly everything." Meanwhile, Lady Mildred—a good-natured lady, loved and respected by all, who bore about her the Chichester characteristics in features and manner—was narrating to her brother the history—or, rather, what little she knew of it—of Carlotta and her father, Capt. Lawley.

Woman-like, she, of course, commenced the conversation by asking Sir Fielding what he thought of her new companion.

"She is majestic," he said; "Oriental in her beauty. What a woman her mother must have been! Who was she?"

"No one knows," said Lady Mildred. "Capt. Lawley had been a widower for years, so it is said. He was a strange man, Fielding, such a very strange man—very handsome. Carlotta has her father's eyes, and his hair, too."

"What was he?" said Sir Fielding.

"Ah, that, too, no one knows. He had traveled a great deal. He had been to—oh, I don't know where—every country you can mention. He could speak every language on the face of the earth, I think. I have heard him scold an Arab, who used to bring us flowers in Paris, in pure Arabic."

"Oh, how do you know it was pure?" asked Sir Fielding, with a quiet smile, not half attending to her.

"Oh—ahem!—how absurd, Fielding! How do I know it was pure? Why, how could the man have under-

stood him if it hadn't been? Ah, he was a strange character! So gentlemanly, he looked a lord; but—well, very wild, I think. There were stories about a Russian princess, an escapade at court, and a dismissal; but people will talk, you know, and tell such stories, too. Anyway, everybody said that something had happened in some court or other, and that Capt. Lawley was a ruined man. I never will believe he was an adventurer. No one who could bow as he did could be an adventurer."

"Ahem!" said Sir Fielding. "And what about the duel?"

"Al, was not that said?" said Lady Mildred, throwing up her hands. "Ah, it was dreadful! I don't know what it was about—never could find out. Some said it was a gambling affair; but there, again, you see, reports are so untrue. Poor Capt. Lawley! I am sure I was as grieved as if he'd been my own brother when they told me he was shot through the breast—through the heart, Fielding—think of that!"

"And this poor girl is utterly penniless," said Sir Fielding, "eh, utterly penniless, didn't you say? I heard it from Chud, I think."

"Hasn't a penny in the world. Shocking, is it not, with such doubtful antecedents and no fortune? Poor Carlotta!"

Then the conversation ended by Sir Fielding getting up, in an abstract manner, and walking dreamily out of the room, of course in the direction of the library. Lady Mildred, who was too used to her brother's queer ways to be offended, then sought her dressing-room.

Two hours afterward, the four met in the oak dining-room.

Chudleigh had not arrived, and Sir Fielding, as he stood at the head of the table, pulled out his watch, with an anxious look.

"Chudleigh is late," he said. "Had he any commission from you, Maud?"

"No," said Maud, from where she was sitting beside Carlotta, who was dressed in deep mourning, that set off her clear skin to perfection. "No; he said he should not have time to do more than buy some books for you at Chester's, papa."

"Ah, ah," said Sir Fielding. "I'm afraid he hasn't been able to get the books. They were very scarce. An old copy of 'Marcus Aurelius' and a marginal 'Ovid,' my dear Miss Lawley—a marginal 'Ovid!'"

"That must be very scarce," said Carlotta, quietly. "I have only seen one, and that was at Lorenzo Bardolphus's."

"Eh," exclaimed Sir Fielding, eagerly. "Have you been over Lorenzo's library?"

"Yes," she said, simply. "I have spent days there."

"Dear me, dear me," said Sir Fielding, forgetting the soup which had just been brought in, and Lady Mildred's plate, which was being held beside him.

"I envy you, I envy you. Lorenzo Bardolphus' library! and you saw the 'Ovid.' Perhaps you saw the old tractate of Gregory's? I heard he had a copy."

"My dear Carlotta, don't say a word more," interrupted Lady Mildred, "or I shall never get any soup."

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Chudleigh entered. He started at seeing the beautiful girl at his sister's side; for, like every one else, her almost supernatural loveliness took him by surprise. And she (Carlotta) was, on her side, somewhat startled, for, from Maud's description, she had drawn for herself the picture of a little, undersized man, rather poor-looking, very business-like, and wholly unprepossessing.

Whereas, Chudleigh, as he stood, in evening dress, with the glow of exercise upon his handsome face, looked none of these.

Sir Fielding looked up anxiously, trying to read, if he could, his tidings from his face. Then, discovering nothing, and smothering a sigh, he introduced him to Carlotta, Maud making room for her brother between them.

"I didn't hear you come in, Chud," said Sir Fielding.

"I walked up the avenue," said Chud. Then, turning to Carlotta, he added: "You have had a cold and wearisome journey."

"A little," she said, answering the kindly regard of his great, honest eyes, in which still lingered a touch of his first admiring surprise—"a little; we were well wrapped up, were we not, Lady Mildred?"

"Yes, my dear," said Lady Mildred, "and well taken care of, too, for a gentleman, very good-looking, was exceedingly attentive, and insisted on converting Carlotta and myself into respectable mummies with waterproofs and shawls, besides bringing us hot soup and coffee every five minutes. Of course, Martha was too ill to move."

Martha was Lady Mildred's maid.

"A right courteous gentleman. Do you know his name?"

"We did hear it, but I have forgotten it," said her ladyship. "Do you remember, Carlotta?"

"No, I do not. I heard some one address him as the Hon. Mr. Something, and that was all. He was very kind."

Chudleigh looked around from his soup at the pale, grand face, and wondered how, under the circumstances, any one could do otherwise.

"Let me pass you some snipe, Miss Lawley," said Sir Fielding, glancing at her empty plate.

But she declined.

"You are eating nothing," said Maud, with loving reproach.

"You are tired," said Chudleigh; "let me give you some wine," and he poured out a glass of port.

"I do not wonder at her being worn out. She would not lie down even for half an hour, aunt. It was very wrong, was it not?" said Maud.

"Carlotta is very young," said Lady Mildred, "and can afford to be extravagant with her energy. When she gets to my age—"

"My dear Mildred," expostulated Sir Fielding, in so comically courteous a tone that all laughed, even Carlotta, and Chudleigh, in whose ears her voice had been ringing since she had first spoken, drank in the low, rippling laughter as one listening to some marvelous music.

A spell seemed to fall over him when she spoke, and toward the close of the dinner he was startled to find himself setting traps to catch her

speech, and listening with rapt attention to her low replies.

"Now, Chud and I will have one little bottle," said Sir Fielding, "and then join you in the drawing-room. I must send you to bed early to-night, Miss Lawley, but after to-day you shall do as you like. Chichester Hall is Liberty Hall—eh, Aunt Mildred? Liberty Hall, eh?" and the old baronet rubbed his white hands agreeably.

"Now, Chud, what of the night?" he said, anxiously, as soon as the door had closed on the ladies and the old butler had disappeared.

"Black, sir," he said. "Norton says that for the present nothing can be done, but he is keeping a careful look-out for a fresh mortgage, although he fears the estate must be sold."

Sir Fielding groaned.

"My poor Chud!" he said. "This is hard for you—very hard."

Chudleigh smiled bravely.

"I can bear it, sir," he said; then, with a touch of pride: "We Chichesters, sir, are not used to give in easily. I am not an idiot, I hope, and can make my way. As for Maud—there is her mother's fortune."

"A mere pittance, Chud, a mere pittance," said Sir Fielding, in a dry voice.

"Five hundred a year, sir," said Chud, suppressing a sigh and speaking cheerily. "Five hundred a year is not to be lamented over."

Sir Fielding sighed deeply, and his eyes filled with tears.

"Maud Chichester with five hundred a year, and the heir to Chichester Hall working for his daily bread!" he breathed.

"A million others, more deserving men, do, sir," said Chudleigh, eagerly, his face flushing and his hand unconsciously clasping the thin claret glass until the stem snapped. Then he continued, more quietly and with great feeling: "Think of yourself, sir; you will suffer most, if you are not young, not strong, sir, as we are. Your books—"

Sir Fielding winced.

"Think of myself," he said, in a tone of self-reproach and with a twitching of the lips. "I have been thinking of myself too long, Chud. I might have repaired the hole in the wall if I had buckled to it in earnest. The estate is a large one, and, like a mine, would pay well if it were properly worked. I might at least have made the old hall safe for you, Chud; but I have been living a dream life all these years, shut up like an anchorite between four walls of books—and oh, Chud, Chud! though I know it is selfish, I feel the coming loss of my books almost as much as anything."

And the man, so great a student of the great past, so ignorant a novice of the present, bent his face in his hands and groaned again.

Chudleigh's eyes burned, and he felt choking, but he looked positively stern, as, struggling with might and main to suppress his emotion, he said:

"Bear up, sir, for Heaven's sake, bear up. We will save the books, at all cost. Come, sir, to the drawing-room. Of course, the women must not know a word of this."

"Not a word," said Sir Fielding, and, taking the strong arm held out to him, father and son walked into the drawing-room.

(To be Continued.)

If the baby is inclined to be nervous do not bathe it in the tub, but give it a sponge bath on your lap.

Flattering to the Original

But Imitations Only Disappoint

There are many imitations of this great treatment for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and whooping cough. They usually have some sale on the merits of the original, but it should be remembered that they are like it in name only.

"My dear Mildred," expostulated Sir Fielding, in so comically courteous a tone that all laughed, even Carlotta, and Chudleigh, in whose ears her voice had been ringing since she had first spoken, drank in the low, rippling laughter as one listening to some marvelous music.

A spell seemed to fall over him when she spoke, and toward the close of the dinner he was startled to find himself setting traps to catch her

speech, and listening with rapt attention to her low replies.

"Now, Chud and I will have one little bottle," said Sir Fielding, "and then join you in the drawing-room. I must send you to bed early to-night, Miss Lawley, but after to-day you shall do as you like. Chichester Hall is Liberty Hall—eh, Aunt Mildred? Liberty Hall, eh?" and the old baronet rubbed his white hands agreeably.

"Now, Chud, what of the night?" he said, anxiously, as soon as the door had closed on the ladies and the old butler had disappeared.

"Black, sir," he said. "Norton says that for the present nothing can be done, but he is keeping a careful look-out for a fresh mortgage, although he fears the estate must be sold."

Sir Fielding groaned.

"My poor Chud!" he said. "This is hard for you—very hard."

Chudleigh smiled bravely.

"I can bear it, sir," he said; then, with a touch of pride: "We Chichesters, sir, are not used to give in easily. I am not an idiot, I hope, and can make my way. As for Maud—there is her mother's fortune."

"A mere pittance, Chud, a mere pittance," said Sir Fielding, in a dry voice.

"Five hundred a year, sir," said Chud, suppressing a sigh and speaking cheerily. "Five hundred a year is not to be lamented over."

Sir Fielding sighed deeply, and his eyes filled with tears.

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The Home Dressmaker should keep a Catalogue Scrap Book of our Pattern Cuts. These will be found very useful to refer to from time to time.

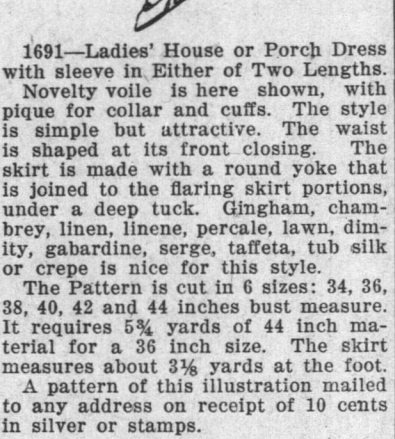
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Sale Price \$8.24
Regular \$14.00.
Sale Price \$11.20
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Sale Price \$13.60

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LAWRENCE.

Contentment Comes to This Prussian Prison

After Eating a British Meal.

German-American Captured on the Somme front by Will Irwin, war correspondent, tells what eating is—Will Irwin Tells National Press Club About It.

Washington, January 9.—The latest war stories brought back from the Somme front by Will Irwin, war correspondent, were told at the National Press Club today, one with apologies to Bertrand Russell and Sir Charles Ramsey, pacifists, who are charged in England with being tools of the German government.

"Things were quiet on a little stretch of the western front one day when some Canadians got hold of two top hats, which put an idea into their minds. A big sign was hoisted over the Canadian trenches, reading:—

"Asquith and Lloyd George will be in this part of the line to-morrow morning."

"The next morning the two high silk hats were plainly visible above the Canadian trenches to German observers. As the hats went bobbing along a furious bombardment was begun by the Germans. The hats disappeared, and as soon as the German guns were silenced another sign appeared over the Canadian trenches:—

"You d—d fools. You've killed Bert Russell and Charley Ramsey."

"The British army," said Mr. Irwin, was undoubtedly the best fed in the world. He told of a German-American captured by the Canadians on the western front who had for breakfast all the boiled beef he could eat, with bacon on the side.

"Do you eat like this every day?" asked the prisoner.

"Sure," said the Canadian cook. "Dinner, too?"

"Oh, dinner is better than this."

"How about supper?"

"That's the best meal of all."

"The prisoner lit a cigarette and gave a contented sign of satisfaction.

"Oh, well, to hell with the kaiser anyway," he said.

Mr. Irwin described a visit to the Italian front, where, he said, about all that was left of romance in war was to be seen in the Alpine fighting. He told of the artillery duel which he had witnessed from a dugout at the bottom of a mountain.

An Italian battery hidden in a cliff high above the dugout where he was, said Mr. Irwin, located an Austrian battery on an opposite mountainside. An artillery duel followed which he described as the "most horribly exciting" thing he had ever witnessed.

Mr. Irwin said that the number of American citizens now fighting in Europe is so large that it might be said we are training more of an army over there than on this side of the water. Many of these Americans, he said, had risen to high commands and their services should prove invaluable to the United States army after this war.

He explained that under existing legislation there was no way to get these men into the United States army except in the grade of second lieutenant, and that it was useless, of course, to expect men who held higher rank in the European war to enter the American army in such circumstances. He urged an amendment to the law which would take these men into the army at higher rank.

"These men are with all the armies in Europe," said Mr. Irwin. "Many of them are native born Americans and some naturalized. There are probably 30,000 of them. I remember on the Italian front meeting a lieutenant in a dugout where the fighting was

pretty lively who, recognizing me as an American, said:—

"Say, can you give me a cigarette? I can't get one here. This is a hell of a place."

Newspaper Publicity

AS A WEAPON OF WAR.

The campaign to speed up munition-making, which for some time now has been in full swing, has been carried on almost exclusively through the advertising columns of the daily newspapers.

To arouse interest in a movement of this sort public meetings were depended upon entirely until a few years ago. Halls were hired in the larger cities, speakers were secured, hands hired, posters and leaflets printed and circulated broadcast. All this cost money, much more money indeed than those who attended the meetings imagined. The total publicity thereby gained was that secured at the meeting plus the free notices of it printed on the following day by such newspapers as were represented at the meeting. The modern method of advertising, the objects for which the campaign is being conducted in the daily press, assures immediately just as many direct appeals as there are readers of the paper. There is an immediate saving of all the preliminary expense involved in the old method of seeking publicity and the aims of the movement can be kept continually before the public mind.

It was these considerations which influenced Mark H. Irish, Director of Munitions Labor of the National Service Board of Canada, to decide in favor of a policy of newspaper advertising as opposed to the public meeting method of attracting attention to the vitally important work of which he is in charge. That he made a wise decision, time will undoubtedly show. More and more it is becoming evident to men at the head of big business organizations that properly conducted newspaper publicity is as essential as anything can be to the success of their work. The Munition Labor branch of the National Service movement is an out-and-out business organization, anxious to get results and rapidly getting them. The object for which the work was begun, to augment Canada's contribution of munitions to the enormous total required to carry on the war, is one in which the whole country is deeply interested, and it will be conceded that Mr. Irish and his associates have gone about it in the right way to increase focus and render that interest permanent.—Montreal Daily Star.

Fads and Fashions.

Hyacinth blue-and-silver is a good combination for an afternoon gown. Coarse laces and much of them form the draperies on new evening gowns. Medieval lines continue to be popular for half-season and spring dresses. The scarf sweater and cap should match, when fashionably dressed for skating.

The tailored street suit seems not to be complete without a large bunch of violets.

Cep, cape, muff and bag, all of Paisley and edged with fur, make a chic outfit.

It is well to have one's evening scarf match, in color, the gown it is worn with.

Delicate colors, like gray, blue, beige and maize, are most in favor for spring.

The semi-formal gown is becoming and fashionable.

Long cossack corsages showing hip sashes are now being worn as one-piece frocks.

Sapphire-blue cloth trimmed with black braid makes a distinguished long coat suit.

"DON'T WORRY."

Hundreds of people are suffering from Coughs and Colds at the present time. You may be as careful as you like in trying to avoid catching this miserable Cough and Cold but you'll get it don't matter what you do—

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Congregational Sociable.

The sociable in the Congregational Church Lecture Room last night was largely attended. The programme, which consisted of songs, recitations and musical selections, was as follows:—

Piano Solo—Miss Whitley.
Song—Miss Langmaid.
Recitation—Miss D. Thomas.
French Horn—Mr. Duley.

Interval.
Song—Mr. Williams.
Song—Miss Strang.
Song—Mr. King.
Song—Mrs. Cahill.
Song—Mr. Ross.

The names of the above ladies and gentlemen are sufficient proof of the excellence of the entertainment which was gratefully enjoyed by all. During the interval ice cream and candies were sold and preceding the programme teas were served.

Lunenburg Bankers.

The Lunenburg banking fleet will be exceptionally large this year and it is expected that by the end of this month all will have sailed for the fishing grounds. The crews are being offered very high wages, namely, a stipulated amount for the voyage and a bonus per thousand fish. Lunenburg masters have found extreme difficulty in getting dorymen to sign on the shares.

A large hat of shirred silk, edged with fur and trimmed with a single large bow, is a very good style for a restaurant hat.

The blouse that is worn with the all under the skirt is no longer smart. The peplum blouse is the fashion.

Our Volunteers.

The Volunteers were engaged at section and platoon drill on the barracks yesterday and a squad had rifle practice at the Southside. The latest additions to the enrollment list are:—

Raymond Turner, St. John's.
Thomas Hall, St. John's.
Pierce Parsons, Lewisporte.
John Curtis, St. Joseph's, St. Mary's Bay.

Patrick Whelan, Champneys.
Thomas Dalton, Bell Island.
Walter Rowe, Cupids.

M. C. L. I.

The subject for debate at the Methodist College Literary Institute to-night will be:—

Resolved—That the adoption of a Curfew Ordinance is for the best interests of children under 16 years.

It will be remembered that during the past Christmas season this subject occupied the minds of the city clergymen, editors of the daily newspapers and other citizens who wrote and spoke on the matter.

Oporto Fish Market.

A late advice to the Board of Trade states that the stocks of Newfoundland fish at Oporto for the past week were 35,132 quintals; consumption, 5,228; as against 37,952 qts.; consumption, 4,523 for the previous week.

Is Your Tongue Furred? Have You Headache?

How few feel, well this time of the year? The whole system needs housecleaning; the blood is impure; it needs enriching. Nothing will do the work more effectively than Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Take them at night and you feel better next morning. They work wonders in the body while you sleep. Being composed of pure vegetable extracts and juices, Dr. Hamilton's Pills are safe for the young and old alike. Try this wonderful family medicine to-day. It will do you a world of good. Whether for biliousness, headache, lack of appetite or constipation, Dr. Hamilton's Pills will quickly cure, 25c. per box at all dealers.

Portia Off.

The S. S. Portia sailed yesterday afternoon for western ports. She will go only as far as Channel this trip and on her return will lay up for her annual overhauling, being replaced on the western route by the S. S. Prospero. The Portia took a full freight and these saloon passengers:—

Const. O'Flaherty, Mr. Payton, W. Stewart, Miss Strickland, J. Vignus, G. Hollett, Miss Bessie Lee, C. Bennett, J. Cashin, J. Norman, A. Ducey, Miss Custe, P. Benoit, S. Bennett, A. R. Miles and 20 in steerage.

What a Gas Range Means for You, Mrs. Housekeeper.

The gas range is a muscle saver and a step saver. Think of the many tons of coal you used in that coal range, and how you have had to handle it all twice; first, carrying it up out of the cellar; then, from the kitchen to the ash barrel.

No more soot to wipe away; no more ashes to cart away; no more wood to fetch; no more coal dust; no more smoke and no more reason why the kitchen cannot be kept as clean and as orderly as the parlor. The gas range means just this.

No more soot to wipe away; no more ashes to cart away; no more wood to fetch; no more coal dust; no more smoke and no more reason why the kitchen cannot be kept as clean and as orderly as the parlor. The gas range means just this.

Half of the labor in the house is caused by dust from the coal range. Every time it smokes, no matter how good the draught may be, clouds of ash rise and settle on the furniture.

Use a gas range and you will live better, you will play better, and you will work better because the use of the gas range eliminates the drudgery of carrying coal, ashes and the chopping of kindling, as well as the drudgery of cleaning up a lot of dirt, and, best of all, for the cook it makes it unnecessary for her to stand over a hot stove from two to three hours a day.

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W. P. A.

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"The Homeless Wanderer."

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Mr. Editor—Much obliged for your solution of the problem "Is a friendless and homeless man a guilty man in the eyes of the law?" and which the Consolidated Statutes, cap. 65, sec. 5, answers in the affirmative, or in other words: "Vagrancy, or being without visible means of support, is usually an offence."

Such a law as that—such a stigma on Justice and HUMANITY is a crying shame, and it brings the man of immediate "hard luck days" down to the level of the ne'er do well, to figure in that place where no man or woman should be incarcerated if not guilty of offence against the common peace.

And this state of things has been allowed to go on for years, nobody has seen the injustice of it, or if perceived has passed it by as too small for public censure.

It is no wonder, Mr. Editor, that in kindly answering my note you add that our poor laws "are shamefully insufficient," but who cares for the poor? and they may jail the homeless wanderer every time, for again, who cares?

Such a state of affairs is disgusting, and ought to be immediately remedied. Yours again, thankfully,
P. J. K.

Wedding Bells.

JOYCE—SMALLWOOD.

The marriage of Mary H. daughter of Capt. O. G. and Mrs. Joyce, and Walter R. son of F. Smallwood, Esq., was celebrated last evening at the residence of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Cowperthwaite. The bride, who was handsomely costumed, was assisted by her sister, Miss Carrie. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bride and groom were congratulated by the extended Mr. and Mrs. Smallwood.

The election of officers was conducted in an able and satisfactory manner by Mr. P. J. Veitch and the officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows:

President, W. P. Walsh, re-elected.
Vice-Pres., J. J. Hicks, re-elected.
1st Asst. V.P., William Veitch, re-elected.
2nd Asst. V.P., William Coady, re-elected.
Treasurer, J. J. Maloney, elected.

Secretary, R. Dwyer, J.P., elected.
Marshal, Wm. Penny.
Deputy Marshal, Laurence Barron, elected.

Amusement Committee, J. J. Carroll, Cyril Byrne, Bernard Walsh, J. J. Maloney, Constable Grouchy, J. A. Hannon and Wm. Coady.
Custodian, James Wall.

Messrs. J. A. Hannon and James Carroll resigned as Secretary and Treasurer. Two new members were admitted and a vote of thanks was tendered Mr. P. J. Walsh for his services as chairman of the election. The sentiment of the meeting looked favorable to the probable increase of the death benefit or a limited insurance policy.

Black tulle and sequines are used on a rose foundation for a charming evening gown.

Full sleeves have flaring cuffs which turn back; also there are flaring bell sleeves.

The charming, old-time fluted ruffles are seen on some of the prettiest lingerie dresses.

After Every Meal

WRIGLEY'S

The Flavor Lasts

"STEERO"
 This is what you will
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 A Delightful
 Beverage.

"A Cuba
 Makes a Cup"

Evening Telegram

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

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1917.

Germany Held.

A change has come over the spirit of the war. Distinctly refreshing is the report of the British successes on the west front, coinciding with a break in the monotonous catalogue of enemy victories in Roumania. A valuable advance has been made in their favourite terrain on the Ancre, east of Beaumont Hamel. The victory is doubly useful and doubly significant at this time, when large operations are not looked for. It is accompanied by another successful enterprise at Lens, the scene, it will be remembered, of the heavy fighting in September, 1915. It is a short distance north of Arras, which has lately witnessed not a little activity. Not only are these gains gratifying, (for it would be a mistake to account them unimportant), but their locale has a definite meaning. Undoubtedly the first aim of the great offensive that is already preparing will be the squeezing out of the great Arras salient occupied by the Germans, which is now the weakest part of their line. Its defences at either end are being sapped; further British progress on the Ancre will menace it seriously. Nothing could be more eloquent than the successful conduct of these attacks, and the retention of the ground gained, at a time when all the conditions fight for the defence. We can understand Germany's casting anxious eyes in the direction of her western lines. Evidences are likewise beginning to multiply that the German advance in Roumania is stayed. Galatz has not yet fallen; to the west the Roumanians, who now seem to be in the thick of it again, are resisting and even bearing back the Central forces. No doubt many causes contribute to this effect, but it was bound to come sooner or later. Germany seems to be in much the same position as at the finish of her Russian drive in 1915. She has again done all that she can do and reached her high-water mark, with this difference, that after she has this time receded from it, she

will never exceed or again approach it. Henceforth, after perhaps a short period of equilibrium, her military position will assimilate itself to her economic and grow steadily worse. Russia and Roumania will gain the respite they need and be already nearly re-equipped for the offensive when the weather unleashes the Allied attack in the west. Last year brought the unity of front that alone is necessary to the Allies' victory, but the unification was imperfect. Germany found the weak points but has in a measure herself strengthened them. This year, when the pressure of the steel ring is reapplied, it will be applied at every point. A break has but to be made somewhere to lead to others and to combine with the intolerable conditions in the enemy countries rapidly to bring the end.

The Parliamentary Session.

We learn that it is not intended to convene the Legislature until May. There has been much doubt and some anxiety on this point and it is well that we should know where we are in the matter. There should be few objections from any direction to the decision, which appears to us to contain several advantages. We have not heard of any proposed legislation which would suffer much by the delay, nor is any immediate need likely to arise. The first object of the postponement is, of course, to enable the Prime Minister to be present at the House after his return from the Imperial Conference which is announced for next month. This should at once dispose of all necessity of a coalition, amalgamation or other fusion of the Government and Opposition which has been so freely mooted. Such a course of action would have been neither necessary nor advisable in any case and would be particularly unsuitable to this year, which must witness a general election. It is moreover highly desirable that the House should not assemble before the Premier's return, for it cannot be foreseen how far or how immediately the proceedings of the Conference may affect this country. Whether legislation be necessary or not, it is proper that the first minister of the country should both be present at the meeting of its representatives and in a position to inform them of matters which so deeply concern it.

"V.C." Smoking Mixture in Fifteen Cent Tins.

The most popular Cut Tobacco to-day is V. C. Smoking Mixture, and for the convenience of its many users we have placed upon the market a 15 cent tin, a handy size that can be carried in the pocket for every day use.

V. C. is a high grade smoking mixture, mild, with a pleasing flavor entirely different to other mixtures. The particular smoker, smokes V. C.

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Citizens' Committee

Recommends a Dispensary For Poor People.
 Vice-Chairman Mr. W. A. O'D. Kelly presided at last night's meeting of the Citizens' Committee, when the further revising of the work done at previous meetings was gone over and made ready to go before the Select Committee. Sections 176 to 210 were reviewed and with the exception of a few slight amendments were confirmed. Section 193 relating to the medical examination of school children it was decided to add the rider that the Civic Government bring into being a dispensary at which those in poor circumstances could obtain medicines at cost or at least reduced rates. It was also suggested that the Council be given power to receive donations towards the object mentioned.

McMurdo's Store News

THURSDAY, Jan. 18, '17.
 Scented Tooth Paste is one of the few dentifrices whose price has not advanced lately. The quality, however, is in no wise altered, and Scented still stands in the very front rank of tooth pastes. It is very refreshing in use, and does its work well and pleasantly. Price 25 cents a tube. Have you a hard obstinate winter cough? If you have, we think we can help you. Gault's Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil is just the thing for a severe or chronic cough. It sustains the system as well as soothes the irritated chest, throat and bronchial tubes. Pleasant to take, it yet if taken according to directions will not upset the stomach. Price 50c.

Wedding Bells.

A very pretty mid-winter wedding, the first of the New Year, took place in the Church of "All Saints," Port Royal, at a special mass said at 11 o'clock on Monday morning, Jan. 15. The contracting parties were Albert Gregory, of Port Royal, and Bridget Murphy, of Iona. Both have been so prominent in the fashionable world that this was one of the specially interesting weddings of the season. The church was filled to its utmost capacity. The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. Francis Cacciola, Rector of St. Francis Church, Bar Haven, who preached a beautiful discourse on the sanctity of the marriage state, at the end of the mass. The bride wore a gown of white tulle, trimmed with princess lace. Her veil was most artistically arranged in princess style with a shower of orange blossoms and she carried roses, orchids and lilies of the valley. Miss Beatrice Gregory was bridesmaid and wore a gown of orchid tulle and silver lace. Mr. John Murphy supported the groom. The ushers were William Whiffen, Aloysius Miller, Laurence Hayes and Sylvester Barry. After the exercises a wedding breakfast was served. In the evening a supper and reception took place after which the couple left on a brief tour. Upon their return they will reside in the Park Slope Section, Port Royal, Bar Haven, Jan. 6th.

A GREAT PROGRAMME AT ROSSLEY'S.

Last night there was a big audience at Rossley's. The Swanky Soldier went better than ever and to-night there will be several changes made, and also the pictures are all new, and a first class programme will be presented. Don't miss the Rossley's in the big act assisted by the clever pantomime company. There is coming to the Rossley British Theatre one of the best teams ever seen by Mr. Edmund Fox and Miss Carolyn Carr, who will produce first class playlets. This clever pair have been playing through the States and Canada and were booked solid at Halifax for twelve weeks; fourteen weeks sold at The Academy of Music, New Glasgow; and eight weeks in Sydney. They will produce such beautiful acts as a scene from "Midsummer Night's Dream," "The Merchant of Venice," "Romeo and Juliet," "A Taking Way," "The Lunatics," an up-to-date satirical comedy introducing a positive novelty, and many others.

Some of the latest nightgowns have a pretty foot finish of hemstitching, and the tiniest imaginable tucks. One velvet ruffle after another, this describes one of the new evening capes. The neck is, of course, finished with a band of fur.

4 Points.
 1. So strengthening and invigorating as a hot drink in cold weather.
 2. Better than beef-tea in sickness.
 3. Very delicious for currying soups, stews, pies, etc.
 4. Economical and ready in a moment.
 Tins of 4, 10, 50 and 100 Cubes.

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Casualty List.

Received January 18th, 1917.
 The Following Admitted Wardsworth.
 2nd Lieut. John G. Bethune, Edmonton, Alberta. Debility.
 2nd Lieut. Sebastian Foran, Grand Falls. Debility.
 2237—L. Corp. Leander Cook, Port Rexton, T. B. Influenza.
 2728—L. Corp. James J. R. McNeilly, 2 Queen's Street. French Fever.
 J. R. BENNETT,
 Colonial Secretary.

Train Notes.

Tuesday's outgoing express reached Port aux Basques this morning. The mail and freight left Port aux Basques this morning. The incoming express is due here at 5.30 p.m. to-day. An express with Sagona's mail is due at 4 p.m. to-day. The Trepassey train reached the city on time to-day.

Reids' Boats.

The Argyle left Placentia yesterday. The Home is due at St. John's from the North. The Kyle left Port aux Basques to-day. The Meigle left Port aux Basques to-day. The Sagona reached Port aux Basques this morning.

Here and There.

WHELAN'S WATERED FISH—No other better.—jan18,1i

CURLING.—The Curling season opens to-night when the Reds and Greens will contest for the Bonavista Trophy.

M. C. L. I.—Subject for debate to-night. Resolved: "That the adoption of a Curfew Ordinance is for the best interests of children under 16 years." Leaders: Messrs. W. H. Peters and T. Soper.—jan18,1i

JOINED THE BOTWOOD CLUB.—After the close of the naval lecture at Botwood Hall last night, over thirty of those present gave in their names to the Rector and became members of the club.

Grand "At Home", under auspices of the Star of the Sea Association, January 30th. Music by Myron O'Grady Orchestra. Double tickets \$1.00; Ladies' 50c. jan18,1i

ADDRESS ON "BILLY SUNDAY."—St. Thomas's Men's Bible Class meets this evening in Canon Wood Hall at 8 o'clock. The Rector will give the address. Subject: "My impressions of Billy Sunday, the World-famed Evangelist." A hearty welcome is extended to all who wish to attend.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—The St. John's Truckmen's Protective Union will have a new price of cartage to come in force January 23, 1917. If any person needs a Tariff, apply to 82 Cabot St. By order, THOMAS RICE, Secretary.—jan18,1i

From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day.
 Wind N. W., blowing strong, with snow showers. Bar. 29.10; ther. 18.

MARRIED.
 Last night, at the residence of the bride's parents, 44 LeMarchant Road, by the Rev. Dr. Cowperthwaite, Mary H., younger daughter of Capt. O. G. and Mrs. Joyce, to Walter R. Smallwood.

DIED.
 Last evening, after a lingering illness, Mary Torpey, widow of the late John Kelly, aged 70 years; funeral on Saturday next, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, Cross Roads, Water Street West; no flowers.

Yesterday (Wednesday) afternoon, Mrs. Ellen Hobson, aged 87 years; funeral on Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. M. J. Kelly, No. 3 Bell Street.—R.L.P.

This morning at her residence, 28 Brine Street, Monica Jackman, aged 16½ years, eldest daughter of the late James and Mary Jackman. Funeral notice later.

On the 11th inst. there passed away an old resident of Trinity, Mr. Mark, aged 71 years, leaving a son and daughter, brother and sister, and a grand-daughter Mrs. Edward Hiscock, Southside, this city, and a grandson with the Regiment somewhere in France. After a short illness, Anastasia, widow of the late Capt. J. Hogan; funeral Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Thomas Sutton, 41 William Street. Montreal papers please copy.



A Hot Hooton Makes a Fine "PICK ME UP."

Here and There.

Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Chicken at ELLIS'.

CITY FATHERS MEET.—The weekly session of the Municipal Board will be held this evening.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is strong N.W. wind and fine; temperature slightly above zero at Bishop's Falls.

WHELAN can supply you until the 30th April with the BEST WATERED FISH.—jan18,1i

TO BUY GOODS.—Mr. Kalleen Noah, accompanied by his son Chib, left by to-day's express for New York to purchase his spring goods.

WE built up a good FISH trade for 1916, and we thank all those who helped to make it such a great success. All orders for 1917 will receive prompt attention. J. J. WHELAN.—1i

WAS STORM BOUND.—The Prospero did not get away from Wesleyville on her way north until this morning, having been detained there 24 hours by bad weather.

Parade Rink will open for the season to-morrow (Friday) night. Tickets at W. J. Clouston's and Rink, Terra Nova Band.—jan18,1i

POLICE INVESTIGATING.—The police are busy investigating the shooting affray at Conception, meanwhile the man Gill, who did the shooting is at the Penitentiary.

WHELAN'S Watered Fish has the largest sale. WHY? It is EVERLASTINGLY GOOD.

OPERATION SUCCESSFUL.—Stella, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O'N. Conroy, was conveyed to the General Hospital last evening to be treated for acute appendicitis. She was operated on last night and this morning, we are glad to be able to say, was doing well at the institution.

WHELAN'S WATERED FISH is sold to most particular people. RESULT: Repeated orders.—1i

PASSENGER SERVICE FALLEN OFF.—We learn from several of the Portuguese Cove cabinmen that since the new year the passenger service has fallen off fifty per cent. The steamer crossing from Bell Island has a like complaint to make. Is it possible that the passing of King Alcohol is responsible for this?

A WARNING.—All mothers are requested to send little Johnnie to WHELAN'S to-morrow for BEST WATERED FISH.—jan18,1i

TO STUDY DENTISTRY.—Mr. Jack Kent, son of Mr. W. J. Kent, Manager of the Reid Nfld. Co.'s general stores, left by to-day's express for the States, where he will enter the St. Louis University and for the next three years will study Dentistry. Jack is an ex-pupil of St. Bonaventure's College, and before leaving school passed the Associate and London Matriculation examination. For the past seven years he occupied a position in the Board of Works. We wish him every success.

A Refreshing DRINK is Quickly Prepared by using HOOTON'S COCOA, 15 cents per tin.

A FOOD AS WELL AS A DRINK



Here and There.

War Messages.

Up to press hour no messages have been received. The number of these messages to reach us during the morning has of late been steadily diminishing. It is impossible to suppose that none have been received at Halifax. We strongly draw the attention of the Colonial Secretary to this matter and demand that some better arrangement be made. The present extent and nature of the service are intolerable.

WAR SOUVENIR EXHIBITS.—There is an exhibition in the window of the Dry Goods store of Messrs. Ayre & Sons, Ltd., a collection of war souvenirs, including the badges of every regiment in the British Army; a bomb key, a bomb pin, a Turkish bullet and a piece of shrapnel. The display is as interesting as it is striking and was the centre of attraction along Water Street to-day.

Germans Found Guilty at San Francisco
Of Having Planned to blow up Munition Plants and to Plot Against Canada.

San Francisco, Jan. 11.—Franz Bopp, German Consul General here, and four of his attaches or employees were found guilty last night by a jury in the United States District Court of having violated this country's neutrality. The jury was out 4½ hours. All five defendants were accused of having planned to blow up munition plants in the United States and Canada, steamships carrying supplies to the Entente Allies, railroad bridges and military trains, conspiring to set on foot and to provide means for a military enterprise to be carried on from within the United States against Canada.

Besides Bopp the defendants were E. M. Von Schack, Vice-Consul; Wilhelm Brinken; J. F. Vankoolbergen, Margaret E. Cornell, Charles C. Crowley and Louis J. Smith. Vankoolbergen was out of the country and could not be brought here to stand trial, as his alleged offense was non-extraditable. Smith was the government's star witness. Smith, technically a defendant, was given immunity for testifying for the government.

Lt. Wilhelm Von Brincken was a Saxon Army officer on temporary duty at the Consulate; Crowley, detective, employed by Bopp, and Mrs. M. L. Cornell, Crowley's private secretary.

The fashion of the straight dress has touched the little girl's dress, and the well-dressed child will wear a perfectly straight frock.

ASK FOR MINARD'S LINIMENT AND TAKE NO OTHER.

ROOFINGS!
 All Kinds Carried in Stock.
CERTAIN-TEED ROOFING
 Is Guaranteed 15 Years.
 Our Prices are the Lowest in the Country.
GEO. M. BARR.

White Balm
 Reg. \$1.45 each.
 Reg. \$1.35 each.

Barbers' Talcum
 Reg. 7c. each.
 Reg. 8c. each.

Turkish Face Powder
 Reg. 5c. each.
 Reg. 6c. each.

Glass and Perfumery
 Reg. 15c. each.
 Reg. 17c. each.

Huckaback
 Reg. 15c. each.
 Reg. 20c. each.
 Reg. 25c. each.
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Never so good as present. American quality. We want this Sale.

36 inches wide
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Quickly Prepar-
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worst came to the worst?
ment would be tempered
by their rank.
will be appealed.

ng Escape
from Submarine.

Jan. 10.—How the Wilson
Idaho, carrying a heavy
explosives, escaped from a
submarine after the under-
dred fired two torpedoes and
in shells, was told upon
of the steamer here to
Idaho was passing the
ds on her last trip from
to Hull, England, when a
rich narrowly missed the
vessel, gave the first warn-
presence of a submarine,
to members of the crew,
another torpedo passed
it then the U-boat began

ll ordered the crew into
s, and was expecting mo-
to see one of the shells
and his ship blown to
en the submarine suddenly
Shortly afterwards two
destroyers arrived and the
back to their abandoned

men With
The Allies.

n's Journal: Peace over-
generally proceed from a Power
of its military and politi-
and it would be the very
absurdity to suppose that
France and Russia have be-
pair of victory in the field
to impress their wills upon
Germany. Therefore, the whole
narrows itself down to the
which Germany will now offer
operation of Belgium, Serbia,
and Roumania are neces-
sary essentials, but that only
a short distance along the
line which the Entente Pow-
er must fulfill.

ashion of the straight dress
ed the little girl's dress, and
dressed child will wear a per-
straight frock.

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The ROYAL STORES JANUARY



The Great Buying Event of the Year. THIS SALE HAS SET THE TOWN ASTIR.

Sheeting Remnants.

A splendid line of American Sheeting Remnants, measur-
ing 14 to 2 yards long and 80 to 90 inches wide; assorted
qualities, some slightly soiled, some a little torn, and
more perfectly flawless. Values to 60c. yard.

Sale Price per yard 34c.

IF ever there was a time when money was spent judiciously, now and here is
your opportunity. White goods of all grades selling at big savings. Shoppers
are aroused to the highest pitch of enthusiasm—they realize that they can
save from 30 to 60 per cent. on any white goods purchased during this Sale.

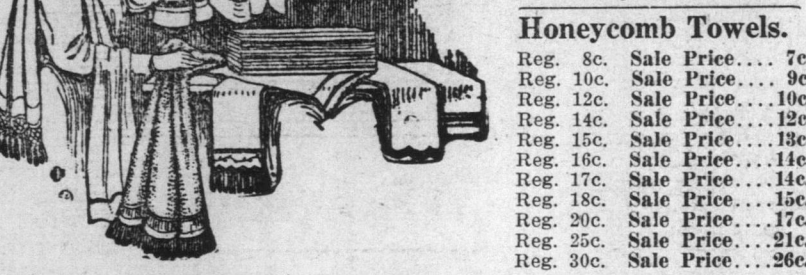
These bargains are in every nook and corner of the store—come and see what
great savings they are.

Curtain Nets.

In a large variety of very pretty patterns; coarse and
fine makes.

Regular 10c. yard	Sale Price	8 1/2c.
Regular 12c. yard	Sale Price	10 1/2c.
Regular 15c. yard	Sale Price	11c.
Regular 27c. yard	Sale Price	23c.
Regular 35c. yard	Sale Price	30c.
Regular 43c. yard	Sale Price	35c.
Regular 60c. yard	Sale Price	55c.
Regular 70c. yard	Sale Price	60c.

REAL VALUE IN TOWELS for the careful and thrifty housewife.



Honeycomb Towels.
Reg. 8c. each. Sale Price... 7c.
Reg. 10c. each. Sale Price... 9c.
Reg. 12c. each. Sale Price... 10c.
Reg. 14c. each. Sale Price... 12c.
Reg. 15c. each. Sale Price... 13c.
Reg. 16c. each. Sale Price... 14c.
Reg. 17c. each. Sale Price... 15c.
Reg. 18c. each. Sale Price... 16c.
Reg. 20c. each. Sale Price... 17c.
Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price... 21c.
Reg. 30c. each. Sale Price... 26c.

White Bath Towels.
Reg. \$1.45 each. Sale Price... \$1.27
Reg. \$1.35 each. Sale Price... \$1.10

Barbers' Towels.
Reg. 7c. each. Sale Price... 6c.
Reg. 8c. each. Sale Price... 7c.

Turkish Face Cloths.
Reg. 5c. each. Sale Price... 4c.
Reg. 6c. each. Sale Price... 5c.

Glass and Tea Towels.
Reg. 15c. each. Sale Price... 13c.
Reg. 17c. each. Sale Price... 14c.

Huckaback Towels.
(Hemmed Ends.)
Reg. 15c. each. Sale Price... 13c.
Reg. 20c. each. Sale Price... 17c.
Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price... 21c.
Reg. 35c. each. Sale Price... 30c.

White Turkish Towels.
(Fringed Ends.)
Reg. 8c. each. Sale Price... 7c.
Reg. 10c. each. Sale Price... 9c.
Reg. 12c. each. Sale Price... 10c.
Reg. 14c. each. Sale Price... 12c.
Reg. 15c. each. Sale Price... 13c.
Reg. 17c. each. Sale Price... 14c.
Reg. 18c. each. Sale Price... 15c.
Reg. 20c. each. Sale Price... 17c.
Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price... 21c.
Reg. 27c. each. Sale Price... 23c.
Reg. 45c. each. Sale Price... 39c.
Reg. 50c. each. Sale Price... 44c.
Reg. 55c. each. Sale Price... 48c.
Reg. 60c. each. Sale Price... 53c.
Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price... 57c.
Reg. 70c. each. Sale Price... 60c.
Reg. 80c. each. Sale Price... 70c.
Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price... 79c.
Reg. 95c. each. Sale Price... 83c.

Pure Linen Towels.
Reg. 35c. each. Sale Price... 30c.
Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price... 56c.

SOME RARE VALUES from the Gents Furnishing Dept.

MEN'S STRIPED COTTON SHIRTS.
Soft and stiff collars and collar bands; all sizes.
Regular 80c. each. Sale Price... 70c.
Regular 95c. each. Sale Price... 85c.
Regular \$1.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.14
Regular \$1.50 each. Sale Price... \$1.35
Regular \$1.60 each. Sale Price... \$1.45



Stanfield's UNSHRINKABLE Underwear for Men.
All weights and sizes.
34 to 42 in. Reg. \$2.25 gar. S. Price \$1.98
34 to 42 in. Reg. \$2.50 gar. S. Price \$2.18
34 to 42 in. Reg. \$2.60 gar. S. Price \$2.31
44 to 46 in. Reg. \$2.65 gar. S. Price \$2.37
44 to 46 in. Reg. \$3.25 gar. S. Price \$2.77

WHITE DRESS SHIRTS.
Regular 75c. each. Sale Price... 65c.
Regular 90c. each. Sale Price... 80c.
Regular \$1.10 each. Sale Price... \$1.00
Regular \$1.15 each. Sale Price... \$1.04
Regular \$1.20 each. Sale Price... \$1.09
Regular \$1.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.14
Regular \$1.45 each. Sale Price... \$1.30
Regular \$1.75 each. Sale Price... \$1.60
Regular \$2.10 each. Sale Price... \$1.85
Regular \$2.50 each. Sale Price... \$2.20

MEN'S WHITE JERSEYS.
(Slightly Soiled.)
Regular 60c. each. Sale Price... 44c.
Regular 90c. each. Sale Price... 80c.
Regular \$1.10 each. Sale Price... \$1.00
Regular \$1.30 each. Sale Price... \$1.18

Remarkable UNDERWEAR Values.

Our power to undersell was never more forcibly demonstrated than in our White-
ware Sale. The lowness of prices cannot but make the thoughtful people take full
advantage of the savings made possible; whilst the good taste shown in the selection
of trimmings, and the skill and care given to shaping and sewing, makes these garments
most desirable as well as most economical.

Ladies' Cambric Camisoles.
Delicately trimmed with lace, embroidery
and insertion; in various pretty
styles.
Reg. 30c. each. Sale Price... 25c.
Reg. 35c. each. Sale Price... 30c.
Reg. 40c. each. Sale Price... 34c.
Reg. 45c. each. Sale Price... 38c.
Reg. 50c. each. Sale Price... 40c.
Reg. 60c. each. Sale Price... 48c.
Reg. 70c. each. Sale Price... 56c.
Reg. 80c. each. Sale Price... 64c.
Reg. \$1.00 each. Sale Price... 80c.
Reg. \$1.10 each. Sale Price... 88c.
Reg. \$1.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.00
Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price... \$1.20
Reg. \$1.65 each. Sale Price... \$1.32
Reg. \$1.70 each. Sale Price... \$1.36
Reg. \$1.80 each. Sale Price... \$1.44

Ladies' Cambric Nightgowns.
Beautifully trimmed with hemstitch-
ing, embroidery and frilling in V, square
and round neck styles; some pretty yoke
effects.
Reg. 85c. each. Sale Price... 68c.
Reg. 95c. each. Sale Price... 76c.
Reg. \$1.00 each. Sale Price... 80c.
Reg. \$1.10 each. Sale Price... 88c.
Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price... \$1.20
Reg. \$1.75 each. Sale Price... \$1.40
Reg. \$1.85 each. Sale Price... \$1.47
Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price... \$1.60
Reg. \$2.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.80
Reg. \$2.50 each. Sale Price... \$2.00
Reg. \$3.25 each. Sale Price... \$2.75
Reg. \$3.75 each. Sale Price... \$3.15
Reg. \$4.25 each. Sale Price... \$3.59

Ladies' Flannelette & Winceyette Nightgowns.
Reg. \$1.35 each. Sale Price... \$1.08
Reg. \$1.45 each. Sale Price... \$1.16
Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price... \$1.20
Reg. \$1.75 each. Sale Price... \$1.40
Reg. \$1.85 each. Sale Price... \$1.50
Reg. \$1.90 each. Sale Price... \$1.52
Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price... \$1.60
Reg. \$2.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.80
Reg. \$2.35 each. Sale Price... \$1.90
Reg. \$2.50 each. Sale Price... \$2.05
Reg. \$2.65 each. Sale Price... \$2.22
Reg. \$2.75 each. Sale Price... \$2.30
Reg. \$3.75 each. Sale Price... \$3.15

Ladies' Cambric Knickers.
Trimmed with embroidery, frilling,
hemstitching and tucks; closed and open
styles.
Reg. 60c. pair. Sale Price... 48c.
Reg. 70c. pair. Sale Price... 56c.
Reg. 75c. pair. Sale Price... 60c.
Reg. 80c. pair. Sale Price... 64c.
Reg. 90c. pair. Sale Price... 72c.
Reg. \$1.00 pair. Sale Price... 80c.
Reg. \$1.25 pair. Sale Price... \$1.00
Reg. \$1.50 pair. Sale Price... \$1.20
Reg. \$1.85 pair. Sale Price... \$1.47
Reg. \$2.00 pair. Sale Price... \$1.60
Reg. \$2.50 pair. Sale Price... \$2.05

Ladies' Cambric Underskirts.
Reg. \$1.00 each. Sale Price... 80c.
Reg. \$1.20 each. Sale Price... 96c.
Reg. \$1.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.00
Reg. \$1.35 each. Sale Price... \$1.08
Reg. \$1.45 each. Sale Price... \$1.16
Reg. \$1.55 each. Sale Price... \$1.50
Reg. \$1.90 each. Sale Price... \$1.52
Reg. \$2.25 each. Sale Price... \$1.80
Reg. \$3.00 each. Sale Price... \$2.50
Reg. \$3.75 each. Sale Price... \$3.15
Reg. \$4.75 each. Sale Price... \$3.98

Tempting WHITE SALE Values.

Table Linens and Napkins.

We have made preparation for brisk selling in this department. Unusual values like the following are always a signal for heavy buying. They are some of the most attractive offerings of our January White Sale, and at these low prices present an exceptional opportunity to replenish your supplies.



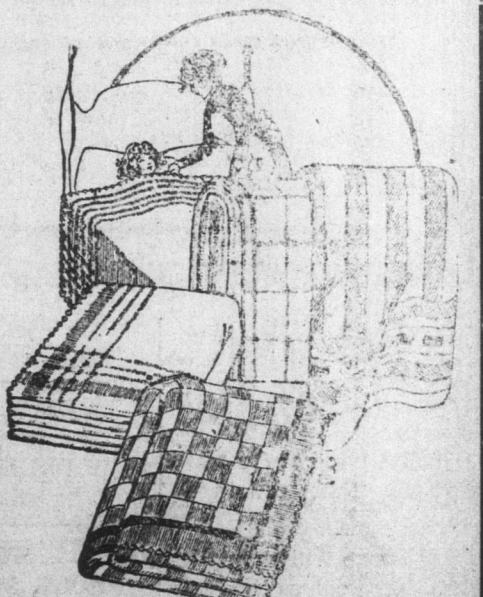
WHITE DAMASK TABLE (LAINES.)
(Hemmed.)
Reg. Price
53x68 ins.—\$1.25 ea... \$1.05
63x83 ins.—\$1.40 ea... \$1.20
63x83 ins.—\$1.50 ea... \$1.25
66x86 ins.—\$2.10 ea... \$1.78
2 x 2 yds.—\$1.00 ea... \$1.25
2 x 2 yds.—\$2.50 ea... \$2.10
2 x 2 yds.—\$2.75 ea... \$2.35
2 x 2 yds.—\$3.25 ea... \$2.75

Table Napkins.
(Hemmed.)
Reg. Price
Size 2 x 2 yds. \$4.20 ea. \$3.52
Size 2 x 2 1/2 yds. 3.40 ea. 2.85
Size 2 x 3 yds. 5.00 ea. 4.25
Size 2 x 3 1/2 yds. 5.50 ea. 4.65
Size 2 x 3 1/2 yds. 6.00 ea. 5.10
Size 2 x 3 yds. 4.20 ea. 3.52
Size 2 x 3 yds. 5.00 ea. 4.25
Size 2 x 3 yds. 7.50 ea. 6.40
Size 2 x 3 1/2 yds. 10.50 ea. 8.93
Size 2 1/2 x 3 1/2 yds. 6.00 ea. 5.10
Size 2 1/2 x 3 1/2 yds. 12.75 ea. 10.63

Linen Damask Table Cloth Sets.
Cloth and 6 Table Napkins to Match.
Reg. \$11.00 each. Sale Price... \$ 8.25
Reg. \$12.75 each. Sale Price... 10.33
Reg. \$15.50 each. Sale Price... 14.00

WOOL BLANKETS.

The position we hold in the Blanket business has always been a strong one. Just now a rich boon awaits housekeepers. We have reduced our entire stock of Wool Blankets for this Sale. When in the Store ask to see them. The touch will tell you that they are all of a highly desirable quality.



Reg. Price
Size 50 x 70—\$4.50... \$4.05
Size 50 x 70—\$4.75... \$4.55
Size 54 x 70—\$5.70... \$5.07
Size 54 x 70—\$6.30... \$5.57
Size 60 x 78—\$6.75... \$6.00
Size 60 x 78—\$7.30... \$6.59
Size 68 x 84—\$8.00... \$7.10
Size 68 x 84—\$8.75... \$7.65
Size 70 x 88—\$9.50... \$8.10
Size 60 x 84—\$10.80... \$9.74
Size 70 x 88—\$11.50... \$11.20
Size 74 x 94—\$14.00... \$12.60
Size 68 x 84—\$12.00... \$10.70
Size 70 x 88—\$13.50... \$12.20
Size 74 x 96—\$17.00... \$15.50
Size 82 x 100—\$18.75... \$16.95

SHIRTING.
36 inches wide. Regular 15c. Sale Price... 13 1/2c.
31 inches wide. Regular 17c. Sale Price... 15c.
31 inches wide. Regular 19c. Sale Price... 16c.
36 inches wide. Regular 20c. Sale Price... 17c.

LONGCLOTH.
36 inches wide. Regular 15c. Sale Price... 13c.
36 inches wide. Regular 17c. Sale Price... 15c.
36 inches wide. Regular 18c. Sale Price... 16c.
36 inches wide. Regular 19c. Sale Price... 16c.

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Who Was a Spy.**

Paris, Dec. 23.—A day or two ago the Paris papers contained a brief paragraph telling of a young girl, a milliner, in the neighborhood of Grenoble, who had been caught playing the spy for the Germans and sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. "We don't shoot women spies any more," said a soldier friend of mine on permission from the Somme front to whom I spoke of the story. "There have been no women shot for a long time. They generally get about twelve years at hard labor."

"Are you as much troubled as ever by spies?" I asked. He laughed. "As long as there is war there will be spies," he replied. "You can't stamp them out. The only thing that you can do is to try to catch them. It was only a few weeks ago that we caught a woman spy on the Somme."

"You remember when we took Bouchevaines? Long enough ago, it was. Well, there was not much left of the village when we got it. Our artillery had knocked it pretty well to pieces, but we found an old woman there. She had remained all through the German occupation, and had even managed to hide and stay behind when all the rest of the civil population had evacuated. She was in a cellar during our bombardment, and when we went into the town she came out to welcome us, the only one of the original French inhabitants of the village remaining. As it was French again, she insisted on remaining. It was her home and she had succeeded in clinging on all the time the Germans were there. She saw no reason why she should go when the French came back into occupation."

The Old Washwoman.
"She stayed and did our washing for us. She was busy all the time, and every morning she would take the wet clothes out and spread them on the ground to dry. You could see soldiers' shirts and underwear all around the cellar where she lived and hanging on all the posts and pieces of wall. "The old woman pattered around and worked most industriously at her tub. She always came out when there were troops going through the village, and she would talk to the men, find out where they were going, where they came from and how long they expected to be there. And whenever she came out from her tubs she would go to her wash, lying out to dry, examine it, turn it over, rearrange it. She was a wonderful washerwoman. It was a mania with her, having everything just right for the French soldiers, who had won back her home for her in France."

Germans Knew Concentrations.
"But the Germans seemed to know every concentration of troops we made in that region. Their shells received us every time. We could not make a move that they did not know all about. We set three men to the special duty of finding out how the Germans got their information. The first thing they found out was that there were more air fights over Bouchevaines than at any other part of the line. There seemed to be always a Boche aeroplane hovering over the ruins. They decided that there must be something about Bouchevaines which made it a particularly good observation point. As the old woman was the only one that distinguished the place from any other ruined village, they arrested her."

"At first she denied everything, but the German accuracy in bombarding our concentrations ceased with her arrest. It does not take a long argument to convince a drumhead court-martial, and the old woman saw that the game was up. She then claimed to be French, and said that she had consented to spy for the Germans partly under threats, partly because her life had been spared by them, and partly because they had paid her well, and she had no other way of getting any money to live. Finally, she acknowledged that she was a German and had been purposely left behind to spy when the Germans got out. "She got twelve years at hard labor."

The Three Plough Horses.
"Spies work all kinds of tricks," my friend continued. "There was the old fellow, who came back to his farm just behind the lines and started to do his fall ploughing with three horses, a red, a white and a black. He did his stalling by changing the position of the white horse in the team. He was easy to catch, as a team, especially a plough team, always works in the same order. Some of our men who were farmers noticed how he was constantly changing his horses about. They talked about it among themselves a bit and at last one of them spoke of it to an officer. The alleged farmer was investigated and shot. "It takes a little time to catch a spy, you know. The unusual gets to be a habit, so you don't notice it. And men will talk about something among themselves for a long time before it will occur to one of them to report it to an officer. I remember at the time we took Bellow-en-Santerre some of our men got clear through to the Somme, which was sufficiently far. Our patrols wandered for four days all over the territory between Bellow and the River. There was not a German there. We had completely broken their lines. But the patrols did not report it because we had been ordered to take Bellow and stop there. At last it occurred to one of the men to tell his captain that he had been down to the river that day, and after two days the captain succeeded in getting it to the Brigadier-General in command. The general thought it was fresh news, but, unfortunately, the Germans had used the intervening two days to bring up men and re-establishing themselves. Result, when the general, without a fresh investigation, ordered us to occupy the ground the Boches were ready and waiting for us. Our ambulance got plenty of work, we never got out of Bellow and the general lost his job. Served him right, of course."

Blacksmith a Jolly Dog.
"It is the same way with spies. They are almost sure to get a certain length of time to do their work before they are caught. We ran across a blacksmith a couple of months ago who was one of the most congenial fellows you ever met. He had his shop right beside one of the main roads used by the troops in going back and forth to the trenches and he always had a stock of wine and something to eat. His shop did not keep him very busy and he was nearly always at his door. He would talk to the soldiers, give them a drink, ask where they were going and want to know how long they would be gone, so that he would be waiting to give them another glass of wine when they came back. He was very popular with the soldiers, because he was such a good fellow, always ready with a joke and a glass of wine. "But our concentrations were known to the Boches. Our men were being shot down. We never could prepare anything in advance and bring it off successfully, because the Boches knew just where we were getting ready to do something. Some of our spy catchers got to work to find the leak. They hunted through the sector for the best place to pick up news about troop movements and they found, of course, that all the soldiers were friendly with the blacksmith. His shop was raided one day. He had been left behind by the Germans. He had a three months' store of wine and food in his cellar. Of course he could give our men wine. But he had, also, direct telephonic communication from his cellar with the German lines. He was shot. "The worst case that I ever knew of—but it was not the only one of the kind—was an officer in the French army who was a German spy. You can see from that how thorough the Boches are. That man had been sent from Germany to France when he was a boy. He had been educated in France and had gone to the French military school. He was an artillery officer and one of the best. He was a lieutenant at the beginning of the war, but when the Somme offensive began he was a captain in command of a battery. For all that time he had done his work without being suspected. "On the Somme he was in charge of his battery, which was firing ahead of our men during an advance. The battery got a signal that their range was too short and they were firing into our own men. The sergeant told the captain, but he said they were firing according to orders and not to change the range. The battery fired another round and got another signal from the infantry that they were firing short. The sergeant spoke to the captain again and the captain lost his temper and swore at the sergeant. He ordered another round at the same range and the sergeant refused. The captain tried to fire one of the guns himself. "It was very important for the Germans to stop our advance at that point. It might have saved Comblès. But the sergeant knew as much about the situation as the captain. He knew what it meant to have our troops stopped there. We might have lost a brigade. We might have lost a division. He threatened the captain with a rifle and arrested him. It is something to arrest your own captain but the sergeant did it, and there was a drumhead court martial and the captain was shot. He confessed, when he saw it was all up with him, and bragged of the two years he had escaped being caught and of what he had done. He was brave enough but—Well, think of it! Educated in France, an officer in the French army, living at the expense of France, living a lie for ten years, waiting for 'the day' to betray those who trusted him. It takes a German to do that."

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Great Jutland Battle

Described by Petty Officer Sercombe of the ill-fated H.M.S. Warrior, at Botwood Club Last Night.—Mr. F. A. Jago Presented with an Address.

Shortly after eight o'clock last night there was barely standing room in the Botwood Hall, Hutchings Street, so great was the crowd that assembled to listen to an address on the greatest of all naval battles, the great Jutland fight. Rev. H. Uphill presided and extended a hearty welcome to all. He made mention of the fact that this was not a church gathering and those desiring to light up could do so at their pleasure. The affair opened with a musical selection by H.M.S. Briton's string band, followed by songs from Messrs. Macklin and Blackmore, a recitation by Mr. Brett and a violin solo by Mr. Jago, all officers of H.M.S. Briton. The Chairman in introducing the Speaker of the evening, spoke briefly on the splendid work of the Royal Navy, which to us needed no recommendation, and as Petty Officer Sercombe stepped to the platform he was greeted with vociferous cheering by the large audience, who also sang at the top of their voices "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." The Petty Officer thanked the audience for the splendid reception given him, and getting down to business he drew a lightning sketch of H.M.S. Warrior, to which he was attached for a period of five years. By the aid of this sketch he pointed out the various positions in which the Warrior's guns were placed and in brief gave an excellent account of the warship from bow to stern. She was 13,850 tons, had a complement of 750 officers and men, carried several 9-inch guns and from 24 to 30 smaller guns. The Warrior, in company with the Defence, Black Prince and Duke of Edinburgh put out from the port of — in England. Steaming at the rate of 18 nautical miles an hour, with nothing but their orders to go by, the ships felt their way along in the darkness. After steaming for several hours orders were given to change their course in a southerly direction and about 2.30 p.m. the next day a flight Lieutenant of H.M.S. Engadine, who was out scouting in a seaplane, reported the enemy in a certain position. All the crew were drummed to the quarter deck and the pleasing announcement was made that they were about to prepare for action. This brought forth a great cheer from the whole ship's crew, who were all anxious to have a bang at the enemy. The Warrior at her best is rated at 21 knots an hour, but by applying every possible attention to her engines an extra knot was gained. The order was given to fire the electric tubes to see if they were in working order. This being done the Warrior went into action at 5.55 p.m. on the same day and let go a broadside at the enemy, while the big ship was tearing through the water at the rate of 600 feet every 15 seconds. A few minutes afterwards a German light cruiser, one of a squadron of five battleships, three battle cruisers and two light cruisers, was seen to topple over and sink, while the British squadron of four ships was confronted by more powerful ships and heavier guns. The Black Prince, the Defence and the Duke of Edinburgh were soon after put out of commission, which left the Warrior to continue the fight with the nine remaining Germans. So great was the hammering received from the Huns that there were thirty shell holes in the Warrior's bow alone, not to speak of the other shells which entered the engine room and other parts of the ship, killing several engineers, stokers, ship-carpenters and others. The commander of H.M.S. Warspite, seeing the danger of losing the Warrior, rushed his ship in between the enemy and the Warrior. She opened fire, but was badly hit in the stern which put her rudder hard-a-board, and for a period of twenty-five minutes she circled around the Warrior at the rate of 22 knots an hour. The most peculiar thing about the fight is that not one of the Warrior's guns was put out of commission. Late that night the badly battered ship crippled out of the firing line and was again signalled at day-break by the Engadine, which bore down and offered assistance. The total number of killed was 66, badly wounded 30 and slightly wounded 6. All these were transferred to the rescuing ship. While in the act of transference, a badly wounded sailor on board the Engadine, whose leg was amputated the night previous, the ship giving a heavy roll, fell between the two ships. It was considered madness to attempt to rescue the man as it only meant another life lost, and the captain refused to let any of his crew attempt the rescue. But suddenly a young lieutenant of the Engadine dived over the side of his ship and succeeded in rescuing the poor sailor, who, however, died one hour afterwards. His last words were, "Thank you."

A very pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of an address to Mr. F. A. Jago, band master of H.M.S. Briton, who leaves shortly for the Old Country. The address was signed by Lady Davidson and a number of other patriotic workers who highly appreciate the excellency of the Briton's string band, under the management of Mr. Jago, who at all times and often at a great personal sacrifice, has given so freely of his services by assisting at various patriotic entertainments. Messrs. Thomas Peel and Stephen March spoke highly of the St. Mary's Choir, the former has a son-in-law at present serving the colors in the person of Gunner McCarty, who was reported as being saved from the ill-fated ship Cornwallis, while the latter is an uncle of Capt. Wes. March, M.C.

A highly interesting and enjoyable evening was brought to a close by the singing of "The Fighting Navy" and "God Save the King." Shortly before the close, Mr. Geo. Cranford, who for 11 years has been a member of the St. Mary's Choir, and has recently been married, was presented with a beautiful framed wall picture.

Cathedral Finance Committee.

The annual meeting of the Cathedral Finance Committee was held last evening at the Palace, His Grace, the Archbishop, presiding. The following gentlemen were present: Rt. Rev. Mgr. McDermott, V. G.; Rev. H. T. Renouf, Rt. Hon. Sir E. P. Morris, Mr. Justice Kent, the Hon. M. P. Cahlin, J. D. Ryan, Messrs. J. F. Parker, George Shea, J. J. Tobin, J. V. O'Dea, W. J. Ellis, M. J. Kennedy, John Barron and C. O'N. Conroy. The accounts were submitted by the Archbishop who gave a lengthy and detailed financial review of the past year, dealing with the Church collections and the disbursements under the Corporation loan of 1916. It was announced that the second issue of Corporation Debentures to the extent of \$50,000.00 had been considerably oversubscribed and all matters in connection with the issue were finalised. The Archbishop also informed the Committee that the matter of the new central Parish was receiving immediate attention, and he intimated that the Committee would be called together again at an early date to discuss the matter more fully. After some discussion on the report of the sub-committee recently appointed to consider the question of insurance the meeting adjourned.

Obituary.

MARY MONICA JACKMAN.
The wife of Mrs. James Jackman, whose husband died a few years ago, will sympathize with her in the death of her daughter, Mary Monica, at the age of 16 years. Mary Monica was one of the brightest pupils of the Mercy Convent, and was beloved by the Sisters and pupils alike. All who knew this talented child loved her and admired her, her disposition being such as to draw friends from every side. We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Jackman and the Jackman family in their bereavement.

Manslaughter Charge Inquiry.

A resumption of the preliminary inquiry into the charge of manslaughter preferred against James and Elizabeth Goss, took place before Mr. Hutchings, K.C.J.P., to-day. An adjournment was taken until Saturday next when proceedings in the Magistrate's Court will probably conclude. We understand that it is not unlikely that the accused parties will be committed for trial to the Supreme Court.

Hockey Notes.

Someone has said that laziness and indifference characterize the League hockey teams this season. The schedule of games has been already drawn up, but the various clubs have not yet started to practise and apparently are not thinking of doing so. It is time they got their line-ups ready and get in trim in order to be able to meet the regimental team, who will play a picked seven from the city. This game, it is hoped, will be run off one night next week for the benefit of the W.P.A. funds. The regimental aggregation is a particularly strong one so that the city will need all the practice they can get.

Must Support Wife.

At the instances of his wife, a seaman was summoned to Court to-day for neglecting to support her. He claimed that he was sick and had no means, but this excuse did not hold water with Mr. Hutchings, who presided and who ordered that hubby was to provide for his better-half in future and give a bond as a guarantee that he would do so or go to jail for a month. He selected the former course and the police have arranged a job for him on a foreign going vessel.

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War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

VIOLENT ATTACKS AGAINST GERMAN LINES.

BERLIN, Jan. 17.

Russian and Roumanian forces yesterday continued violent attacks with strong forces against German lines recently captured by the Germans, between Kassino and the Suchitz valley, says to-day's German army headquarters statement. Near Vadani between Brasila and Galatz, the statement adds, advanced Turkish posts were retired according to command in face of numerically superior hostile forces to the main intercepting line.

CLEARING MATTERS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.

The Entente, in a note addressed by Arthur Balfour, British Foreign Minister, to Ambassador Spring-Rice, and delivered to the State Department, amplify their reply to President Wilson's peace note by explaining in detail why they believe it impossible at present to attain a peace which will assure them such guarantees as they consider essential. The note also explains why the Allies demand the restoration of Alsace-Lorraine to France, the Italia Irredenta to Italy and other territorial changes set forth. Those who think the future peace of the world may be insured by international treaties and laws, the note says, have all learned lessons taught by recent history. After charging that German influence in Turkey had resulted in conditions, barbarous and more aggressive than were known under the Sultan Abdul Hamid, and that it had been shown that Germany cannot be expected to respect treaty obligations, Balfour says, so long as Germany remains the Germany which, without a shadow of justification, overrun by barbarity and ill-treated a country it was pledged to defend, no State can regard its rights as secure if they have no better protection than a solemn treaty. Asserting that Belgium was not Germany's only victim, and that neutrals were intended to note the

outrages which accompanied its conquests, the note recites the reign of terror attendant upon Germany's method of warfare. In that connection it says the war staffs of the Central Powers are well content to horrify the world if at the same time they can terrorize it. The people of Britain, Balfour says, share President Wilson's desire for peace, but do not believe it can be durable unless based upon the success of the Allies cause. Such a peace, it is argued, cannot be expected unless these three conditions are fulfilled: that the existing causes of international unrest shall be as far as possible removed or weakened; that the aggressive aims and unscrupulous methods of the Central Powers shall fall into disrepute among their own people; and, finally, that behind international law, behind all treaty arrangements for the preventing or limiting of hostilities, some form of international sanction should be devised which would give pause to the hardest aggressor. It is recognized that these conditions may be difficult of fulfillment, but the belief is expressed they are in general harmony with President Wilson's ideas. The note declares with confidence that so far as Europe is concerned none of the conditions can be satisfied even imperfectly unless peace is secured on the general lines indicated by the Allies' joint note. The note was entirely unexpected by officials here, but was gratifying because they interpreted it as a step toward the world federation to preserve peace, which President Wilson in both his speeches and his peace note has pledged the United States. Britain justifies the continuance of hostilities, it was pointed out, not only for the immediate objects of the war, but also on the necessity that behind international law, behind all treaty arrangements for preventing or limiting hostilities, some form of international sanction should be devised which would give pause to the hardest aggressor. It is just some such arrangement, it was pointed out, which President Wilson has been urging, which is expected to cause a wider disagreement of American foreign policy than any other question raised in the country's history. Britain's answer was interpreted as her official acceptance and endorsement of the President's proposal.

GERMAN RAIDER BUSY.

RIO JANEIRO, Jan. 17.

According to information received here to-day from a British official

source, seven vessels on the Atlantic have been sunk and nine captured by a German raider. The vessels reported sunk are: British—Radnorshire, St. Theodore, Dramatist, Minihaha, Tredgar Hall; French—Nantes, Anteres. The vessels captured include the following: British—King George, Mount Temple, Georgic, Voltaire, Yarrowdale; Japanese—Hudson Maru. All these vessels were sunk or captured between Dec. 12th and Jan. 13th on the route between the Azores and Pernambuco, in longitudes varying between 40 and 32 west and latitudes between 30 north and 7 south. The crews of the steamers sunk were placed on the Hudson Maru. This vessel was compelled to accompany the raider to a point seven degrees south latitude, where she arrived Jan. 12. She then received permission to go to Pernambuco, where she arrived Monday evening with 237 men from the crews of the vessels which were sunk. No information is received with regard to the crews of the other vessels. The raider is said to be a ship of the Moewe type. The vessel referred to in the foregoing as the Tredgar Hall probably is the Netherby Hall, whose sinking by the German raider was announced by the British Admiralty. There is, however, a Tredgar Hall, which was last reported at Cardiff on Dec. 2. She is a ship of 1,734 tons gross, built in 1906, and owned at Cardiff.

INSURANCE RATES GO UP.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.

The news of the destruction of Allied shipping in the South American trade by a German raider, was followed by an advance in marine insurance rates here to-day from 2 1/2 to 10 per cent. for West Indian and South American ports. Although the underwriters awaited official confirmation of the persistent rumors still current to-day that a German raider had been either sunk or captured, it was pointed out that the steamers Yarrowdale and St. Theodore were still at large, and that the British Admiralty, for naval reasons, might withhold the announcement of the sinking of the German war vessel until these two ships also had been captured. The opinion held by some underwriters that it was improbable the raiders had been accounted for, was strengthened by advices from London underwriters that rates would probably improve shortly.

NEW APPOINTMENT.

LONDON, Jan. 17.

Reuter's Petrograd correspondent says it is reported in the Russian capital that Sergius Sezonoff, former Foreign Minister has been appointed Russian Ambassador to Britain.

A MARINE TRAGEDY.

HALIFAX, Jan. 17.

The Dominion Government dredge No. 6 was lost this afternoon while being towed from Lunenburg to Sydney. Captain Hatfield and crew of 3 were drowned. The dredge was being towed by the tugs Lisgar and F. W. Robling, and breaking away, struck Shad Rock, near White Head, Strucoboro County, and sank immediately. Six of the crew were from Lunenburg and two from West Arichat. The captain hails from St. John, N.B.

OFFENSIVE SLACKENED.

LONDON, Jan. 17.

A Reuter despatch from Jassy, the temporary Roumanian capital, dated Jan. 16, says according to the latest official the German-Bulgar offensive has slackened.

AMERICANS ON BOARD.

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., Jan. 17.

The British Consul-General here said to-day that at least 63 Americans were aboard the British steamers Georgic and King George which sailed from here and which are reported sunk by a German raider, the sixty Americans aboard the Georgic having shipped as horsemen, foremen and assistant foremen. Most of them came from New York.

GERMAN LINER SOLD AT AUCTION.

LONDON, Jan. 17.

The German liner Prinz Adelbert, captured at the beginning of the war, was sold at auction to-day by order of the Prize Court, for £152,000. The Prinz Adelbert was on her way to a German port when the war began. Her captain testified at the hearing before the Prize Court in London, which had condemned the vessel as a prize, that he put into Falmouth at the request of an American passenger, Britain not having entered war at that time. She is 403 feet long, 6,063 tons gross, and was owned by the Hamburg-American line.

ENTENTE AIRPLANES SHOT DOWN.

BERLIN, Jan. 17.

Sixty-six airplanes of the Entente Powers were shot down on various battlefronts during the month of December, according to a German official issued to-day. Twenty-two of these machines are in possession of the Central Powers. The losses of the Central Allies for the same period were seventeen machines.

BRITISH SUCCESS.

LONDON, Jan. 17.

A report from British headquarters in France, issued last night, reads: After a heavy preliminary bombardment on Wednesday morning, we occupied a line of enemy posts north of Beaucourt-Sur-Ancre. The whole of our objectives were gained on a frontage of some 600 yards, with few casualties. The position gained has considerably improved our observation in this area. This afternoon the enemy counter-attacked, which was broken with loss by our artillery barrage. Consolidation of our new positions is proceeding. We had complete success yesterday and to-day in the neighborhood of Lens. Late in the afternoon yesterday, German positions south of Isle Calonne, west of Lens, were entered under cover of heavy bombardment. Our troops reached the enemy's support line, bombed and destroyed their dugouts and inflicted many casualties. Our losses were small. We successfully blew up a mine in connection with an operation. This morning another successful daylight raid was carried out by the Canadian troops north-east of Oite Calonne. The attacking parties entered the enemy's trenches on a front of 700 yards and penetrated to a depth of 300 yards as far as his second line. Here also heavy losses were inflicted on the enemy and all his dugouts completely wrecked. We captured one officer and ninety-nine of other ranks, two machine guns and a trench mortar. Our artillery machine guns co-operated very effectively with the infantry, and our casualties were again light.

HERE AND THERE.

SEVERE COLD—Mr. James P. Cash is confined to his bed suffering from a severe cold.

Over 30,000 bottles of Stafford's Liniment sold last year.

IMPROVING—Mr. J. P. Grace, the City Collector, who was seriously ill, is recovering.

WILL HOLD "AT HOME."—An "At Home" will be held by the Star of the Sea Association on the 30th instant.

Ayrshire Bacon and Scotch Beef Ham at ELLIS.

GONE ON SPECIAL DUTY.—Const. O'Flaherty went to Rose Blanche by the Portia last evening to do special duty while the winter fishery is on.

Stafford's Drug Store (Theatre Hill) is open every night till 9.30.—jan2f

SHIPWRIGHTS BUSY.—Practically all the shipwrights of the city are busy getting the sealing steamers under way.

CHIMNEY ALARM.—The Central and Eastern Fire Companies were called to the residence of Mr. George Snow, Colonial Street, at 7 o'clock last evening. Soot had ignited in the chimney, but no damage was done.

BRITISH TOURNEY.—Upwards of a hundred players took part in the card tournament held at the British Society's club rooms last night. Messrs. Piercey and Stanley were the respective winners of a ham and sack of turnips.

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A SLIGHT FIRE.—At 5.10 p.m. yesterday a slight fire was discovered in the basement of a house on the corner of Pleasant Street and LeMarchant Road. An alarm was sent in from Box 334 and the Central and West End Brigades responded, but on reaching the scene found that the fire had been extinguished by the application of a few buckets of water.

DISTURBANCES QUELLED.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.

A News Agency despatch from London to-day says: Grave disturbances were quelled only by the use of troops, who forced the closing of the railroad station at Cologne, according to Central News Agency despatches to-day from Geneva. The closing has been in effect three days, it was said.

ON THE SOMME FRONT.

PARIS, Jan. 17.

After bombardment last evening German troops attacked the French lines east of Clerly and south of Blanches in the Somme region. They were repulsed, the war office announced to-day. A minor attack by the Germans at Les Eparats, southeast of Verdun, also was repulsed after hand-to-hand fighting. French patrols penetrated the German lines at several points on the heights of the Meuse in the Verdun region and in Aprement forest.

SUNK BY RAIDER.

LONDON, Jan. 17.

Eight British and two French merchant vessels are believed to have been sunk by the German raider.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

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Obituary.

CHESLEY WOODS.

Citizens learned yesterday with genuine regret of the death, early in the morning, of Mr. Chesley Woods. He was the youngest son of the late John Woods and the fifth of his family to die within as many years. Last summer his brother, Hon. H. J. B. Woods, Postmaster-General, passed away, and but a short time before two other brothers, Rev. Frederick Woods, D. D. and Edwin Woods, Attorney. He leaves a widow, the daughter of the late Robert Kolland, of Montreal; a daughter Phyllis, at present at Sackville; two brothers, Rev. Alfred Woods, of Boston, and Sydney Woods, of this city; and two sisters, Mrs. J. Pippy, of St. John's, and Mrs. Emily Bulley, resident at Wisconsin. He had been ailing for some time from neuritis, which later developed into a fatal heart affliction. His demise removes a figure familiar in civic and business life, and a most popular personality. Himself a musician of talent, he carried on for years a successful business in the supply of pianos, organs and other musical instruments and requisites. He was a Mason and a leading member of the Oddfellows Society. His favorite recreation was angling, of which he was an enthusiastic devotee. The funeral takes place from his late residence on Duckworth street to-morrow afternoon.

High Mortality.

Some of the Undertakers of the city cannot remember ever having spent a busier time than that experienced by them since the opening of 1917. Within that period the burial of over fifty persons took place at one cemetery. The abnormally high death rate amongst adults is attributed to the chronic outbreak of acute pneumonia and the epidemic of whooping cough and convulsions among children.

T. J. Edens

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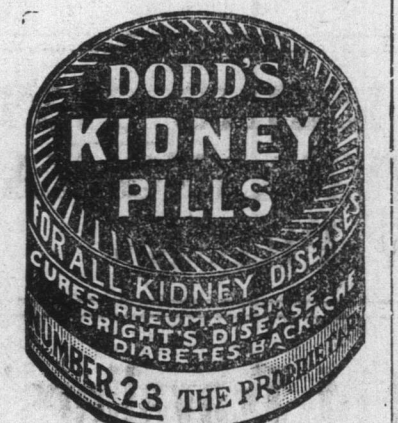
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Distinctly comes with back and handles fastened stoutness end; reg. cents. Special Price.

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On FRIDAY Morning we launch our "ODDS and ENDS" and REMNANT SALE!

Remnants, Remainders, Short Lots, **SHORT PRICES!** Bargains on Display Everywhere from all over the Store! Truly a Sale that will Attract the Multitudes.

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\$1.00 COT QUILTS

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In plain and art satens, others in plain silks, well quilted, makes a nice top covering for cot or sleight. Regular up to \$1.00. Special Sale Price 29c

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Heavy Twisted Silk-edging Cords in a variety of pretty colour blendings. Just a few rolls of each. Special, Sale 4c Price, per yard 4c

LACE CURTAIN ENDS.

Not a pair in the lot. Just a big pile of Remnants from 1 1/2 yards up to 3. White and Cream; clearing regardless of price; you can pick up pieces here from 8c. to 80c

EMBROIDERED PILLOW CASES.

Something very dainty looking in stout White Linen Pillow Cases, with broad band of handsome embroidering at open end. The kind of Pillow Cases you would like to own, the price is extremely moderate. They're value for 40c. Special Sale Price 32c

BABY'S SLEIGH WRAPS.

In heavy Cream Swanette with pink or pale blue ribbon trimmings, button hole edge, something you really need for baby's sleight to-day. Regular 85 cents. Special Sale Price 72c

TABLE OIL CLOTHS.

60 pieces of fancy Oil Cloths, nice patterns to pick from, extra good quality with a rubber-like finish, possessing great wearing properties. Special Sale Price, per 26c yard 26c

SHELVINGS.

30 pieces of assorted Shelvings, fancy borders and scalloped edge. Special Sale Price, per 6c yard 6c

MEN'S PYJAMA SUITS.

Well made English Sleeping Suits in stout union flannels; nice striped patterns, full sizes, pocket and turn-over collar. Pyjamas like these are value to-day for \$3.50 per suit. Special S. Price \$3.35

SCRIM BANDING.

A lot of pretty Curtain Bandings, they come in assorted widths, plain and fancy. 'Tis surprising how these improve the appearance of your Curtains. Special, per yard. 3c Sale Price 3c

MEN'S WOOL GLOVES.

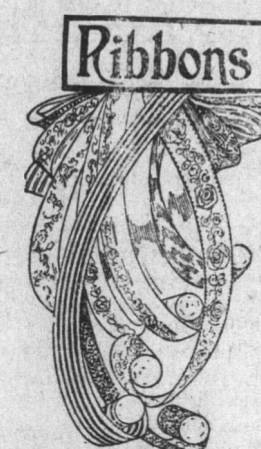
A few dozen pairs of warm woolen Gloves for men, a tidy make in grey or khaki, closed wrists, warmer than any kind of lined kid you may buy. Reg. 55c. pair. Special, Sale 55c Price 55c

LADIES' WOOL GLOVES.

A sensible glove for everyday wear. Navy, Brown and Tan shades, Ringwood make, closed wrist. Reg. 45c. value. Special, Sale Price 38c

MEN'S BATH ROBES.

Nice loose-fitting Bath Robes in mixed shades of Grey and figured, with waist girle and large collar; something a man needs during the winter months. Reg. \$6.00. Special Sale Price \$5.48



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SILK TAFFETA RIBBONS.

All the leading shades of the moment represented; 4 inches wide, lustrous silk Taffeta ribbons in Sky, Navy, Pink, Crimson, Saxe, Brown, Emerald and Cream. Ribbons that you usually pay 17 or 18 cents for. Special Sale Price, per yard 13c

SATIN UNDERSKIRTS. HALF PRICE.

Regular \$1.70 for 85c.
Seems strange, but it's true, nevertheless; rich looking Satin Underskirts clearing at half price; finished with wide fluted flounce; shades of Cream, Sky, Brown, Wine, Black etc., some of these slightly soiled from handling merely, but nothing to in any way impair the look nor value. Reg. \$1.70. Special Sale 85c Price 85c

COMBINATIONS.

Snug-fitting fleece-lined Ladies' Combinations, with high neck and long sleeves, made ankle length; just the weight you'll appreciate for winter wear. Reg. \$1.10. Special Sale Price 87c

NIGHTGOWNS.

32 only of Ladies' Cream Flannelette Nightgowns, rolled galon, full sizes; these are value for \$1.00. Special 79c Price 79c

Values above the ordinary in CHILDREN'S DRESSES.

This lot comes in Checks, Stripes and Plain Shades, trimmings of pretty Checks, Middy style, laced front; sizes to fit from 6 to 12 years. Better run down and look these over, you're sure to find something to interest you. Reg. \$1.30. Special 84c Sale Price 84c

Another Line of Children's Dresses Values to \$2.20 for \$1.29.

These are excellent Dresses for everyday wear, all Navy shade in nice heavy corded materials, Poplin Skirt, trimmed with velvet covered buttons; a very stylish lot of Dresses; to fit 12 years or thereabouts. Regular \$2.20. Special Sale 1.29 Price 1.29

COTTON BLANKETS.

A case lot of these just to hand, thoroughly fleeced, White with Pale Blue or Pink striped borders; size 50 x 72, makes a nice under blanket for winter wear. Special, per pair, Sale Price \$1.25

Big Values Offering in AMERICAN BLOUSES: 39c.

Lots of pretty Blouses that will be as popular this season as last. Your choice of all White Muslin, Striped Muslin or Check Muslin, others in Black; low neck style with long or 3/4 sleeves. A stylish lot that you would ordinarily pay 60 to 70c. each for, offered at an almost unbelievable price during this Sale 39c

ONE OF THE BIG FEATURES OF THIS SALE

will be some surprising values in Ladies' and Gent's UNDERWEAR.

We secured some big Sample Lines in fleeced lined and all wool and we've marked these at prices that will make them move quickly.

MEN'S SINGLET'S--Sample Line. \$2.00 Value for 79c.

Not many in the lot and mostly large sizes, but they're pretty good value and always ahead of any we have yet shown. Come along early and get first choice. Special Sale Price, per garment 79c

Men's Heavy Socks. 38c.

A range of Men's heavy ribbed Winter Socks, in Grey and Brown mixtures; away ahead of anything you have yet bought for the price. Reg. 50c. value. Special Sale Price 38c.

INVEST YOUR SAVINGS IN REMNANTS!

Ever since "Stock-taking" has been finished we have been busy getting together Remnants of all kinds. Contributions from every department poured in, and they're all ready now, marked in plain figures, length and price. Well worth your while to have a look at the immense pile. You'll find

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and a variety of other wanted materials, odd lengths, cut to the very lowest prices.

CLEARING LINES--Underpriced.

BOYS' WOOL GLOVES.

A few dozen pairs of Boys' Heavy Ringwood Gloves, fancy knit, assorted sizes, heavy knitted wrists for the bigger boys mostly. Regular 35 cents pair. Special Sale 30c Price 30c

HAIR BRUSHES.

Distinctly a Ladies' Brush, comes with all white Enamel back and handle, with securely fastened stout bristles at business end; rate value at 40c. cents. Special Sale 35c Price 35c

2 Clearing Lines of MANTEL DRAPERY.

A few pieces of these left over in Marone and Green grounds, and fancy coloured embroidered designs, assorted widths, scalloped edge; makes an improvement to the mantel. Reg. 22c. yard. 17c Special Sale Price 17c

A Clearing Line of BOYS' BELTED SUITS.

Smart little Tweed Suits for boys from 3 to 7 years. Belted Coat, Pleated Cuffs and small round turn over Collar. Reg. \$2.20. Special, Sale \$1.98 Price \$1.98

LADIES' HOSE.

We are offering a mixed lot of fast black Cashmere Hose this week, including plain and assorted ribs, seamless finish, best quality English make; Hosiery that you pay as high as 75c. a pair for. 59c Special Sale Price 59c

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A few boxes of these in plain and fancy mixtures, mostly dark patterns, full length; values to 25c. each. Special Sale 17c Price 17c

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A Martyr to Duty.

Captain Mathias, of Laurentic, Gave His Life Whilst Saving Crew in a Ship Fire.

Details of the death of Captain John Mathias, R.N.R. (of the White Star Liner Laurentic), so well known in this city, have been received at New York. Captain Mathias was killed just two days from port on his way home to spend the holidays with his family shortly after two years' continuous service patrolling.

Mrs. Mathias, with her two little girls, aged ten and twelve years, made the trip from her home in Yorkshire to Liverpool to be on the dock to greet the returning captain.

On December 15, while two days' run from port, a serious fire was discovered on the Laurentic in hold No. 2. With the chief officer at their head a squad of men plunged into the hold to fight the fire. The fire had gained such headway that it was sweeping toward the powder magazine, cutting off their escape.

Signalling frantically to their comrades on the deck, the trapped men succeeded in getting word of their desperate plight to Captain Mathias on the bridge. Without a moment's hesitation Captain Mathias ordered some of his crew to follow him and plunged to the rescue in the smoke-filled compartment. The rescue squad succeeded in dragging out some of the imprisoned men and then went back for the rest.

When Captain Mathias was entering the furnace-like hold to rescue the last of his crew an iron beam warped out of place by the intense heat of the blaze fell on him and his squad of rescuers. Captain Mathias was instantly killed and several of his men were injured. Another squad of seamen removed the injured sailors and succeeded in recovering the body of the captain. The fire was got under control and the cruiser put into Liverpool.

Household Notes.

The coffee left from breakfast may be utilized for coffee gelatine. Jumbles make a pleasant old-fashioned accompaniment to afternoon tea. It is wasteful to buy cakes of soap to be used in a washing machine. After clothes are soaped and rubbed, they should first be rinsed in hot water. Even in winter canned string beans may be used—cold—for simple salad. Once a week all cooking utensils should be boiled in strong washing soda water. All the juices left from jars of opened fruit will make good flavoring for gelatine.

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