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**OF SALE AND TRANSFER OF WOOD'S CANDY STORE, GRAND FALLS.**

I hereby give notice to all whom it may concern, that with the consent and approval of the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company, I have sold and transferred my business known as Wood's Candy Store, Grand Falls, to Mr. Chas. H. Hayward, under whose management it has been for his inception.

Mr. Hayward will conduct the business henceforth on his own account, under the name of the "Allied Store," and will be responsible for all debts contracted in his name.

Mr. Hayward is authorized to collect and give receipts for any amounts due to Wood's Candy Store, Grand Falls.

In this connection I wish to heartily thank the people of Grand Falls for the liberal manner in which they patronized the store in the past. Their kind interest was much appreciated. I trust that they will accord a hearty support to Mr. Hayward, who I am confident will do his utmost to merit continuous success.

I also take the opportunity of expressing my appreciation of the unwavering kindness and consideration I have received from the Anglo-Nfld. Development Co., through its representatives at Grand Falls, from the time when I, at their request, commenced business at Grand Falls. The people at Grand Falls, my late Manager, Mr. Hayward, and the A. N. D. Co., have my hearty good wishes for their welfare. May increasing prosperity be theirs.

FRED. B. WOOD.  
St. John's, Jan. 31, 1919.  
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CHAPTER XII.  
SIR CYRIL'S CHOICE.

Edna opened the envelope and read the short note, and her face went from pale to red, and back to pale again. The three pairs of eyes were watching her closely.

For a minute she sat with the letter in her hand; then, with a little start, she rose and held it to Mr. Burdon.

"Am I to read it?" he asked.

"Yes—aloud, if you please," she answered, in a low voice.

Mr. Burdon put up his glasses, and his voice actually quivered as he read:

"My Dear Miss Weston: Mr. Burdon has informed me of your uncle's strange will, and it only remains for me to state, at once and without equivocation, that it is impossible for me to conform to the condition which is stated therein. I, therefore, withdraw any claim which I may have had, or may still have, to any part of the money accounted for by that deed; and I in no way intend to stand between the fortune and the rightful inheritor—yourself.

(Signed) "CYRIL MORE."

Edward More sprang from his chair and stood grasping the back of it and gasping for breath.

"What!" he cried; "the idiot, the mad fool, actually refuses—yields up all claim! Then the money is here!"

"By virtue of this little note," said Mr. Burdon, "Miss Weston, allow me to congratulate you upon the inheritance of a splendid fortune."

CHAPTER XIII.  
EDNA COMES HOME.

COULD it be true? It seemed so strange, so unreal, that Edna—little mountain flower, as Cyril had once lovingly called her—could scarcely persuade herself that she was awake and not dreaming, although Mr. Burdon—tall, robust and grave—and Edward More, stern, thin and irritably fidgety, looked anything but visionary. Yes, it must be true if they said so, and she, Edna, who had entered that room so poor and helpless and insignificant, would leave it rich beyond her wildest dreams, powerful, and, alas! with too many so-called friends anxiously waiting to pay their devotions.

She looked from Aunt Martha, who was crying, to Mr. Burdon, who was beating his right hand with the letter he held in his left, with a questioning, almost terrified gaze; then suddenly her eyes grew dreamy, and a subtle change came over her face—a change that made her look sad, wistful and abstracted.

Of what was she thinking? It was a strange look for so young a girl, with all youth's innocent bloom on her, still more strange for a lady who had just heard of such an accession to wealth. Edward More stopped biting his nails to stare at her; then, as she raised her eyes and sighed, he fidgeted forward—the first to pay homage.

"Very sudden, this news, Miss Weston—takes you quite by surprise, of course; so it did me. Er—er, I think you said you were staying at Moffat's—don't you think that you would be

more comfortable if you were to come and stay with us until you get settled? My wife will be delighted to receive you—she half expects you, in fact—it was very questionable whether Mrs. Edward More was conscious of Edna's existence. "We are near town—Richmond, you know—and you shall be your own mistress. Mrs. Weston—and he swung round sharply to Aunt Martha, who was drying her eyes furtively—"let me enlist you on my side—pray make our house your home until you are settled."

Edna hesitated for a moment only; the longing to be alone—at least, with only Aunt Martha—was too strong upon her to allow of her accepting.

"I think I would rather go back to the hotel at present, thank you," she said, gently.

Edward More nodded and frowned. "Very good, just so, very natural, perhaps; but you will come and stay with us in a day or two, perhaps, my wife will be very much disappointed unless I take back a promise," then, too wily to force a refusal, he went on, quickly: "She will be up in town to-morrow, and will call on you; she would have come to-day, but was suffering from an attack of neuralgia; you will be at home to-morrow? I will come, too, if you will allow me; I may be of service—eh, Burdon?" and he turned his sharp eyes round on Mr. Burdon, who bowed assent.

Edna gave him her hand and thanked him, and Sir Cyril More's brother hurried out of the room.

Mr. Burdon, who had been writing for the last few minutes, looked up with a respectful smile.

"May I offer my services, Miss Weston? I trust there are some few things in which I may be of use to you. It has just occurred to me—it hadn't for he had thought of it and prepared for it early in the morning—"that you might wish to have a little change—it is so convenient in London—and I have got you some ten-pound bank notes. There they are—five hundred pounds, I think you will find," and he smoothed out a packet of crisp paper.

Edna stared and then smiled, but as Mr. Burdon appeared quite serious she took the tempting packet of stationery.

Aunt Martha gasped: "Five hundred pounds in bank notes, my dear Edna! Why, what shall we do with it?"

"Spend it, my dear madam, spend it!" said Mr. Burdon, rubbing his hands complacently, and added, impressively:

"If you knew the extent of Miss Weston's fortune—I don't myself as yet—you would consider five hundred pounds of its little consequence as five hundred pence. I would have got you more, and will do so now, if you wish it," he said to Edna.

Edna shook her head.

"I do not know what to do with this," she said.

Mr. Burdon waved his hand slightly.

"Would you like to open an account at a bank at once? Perhaps you would? If you will, permit me to ac-

company you to the bank. I will pay in two thousand pounds to your account; you can then draw by check as you please; that will be the best plan, for the present, perhaps. Afterward you would like to keep a much larger amount easy to get at."

What a dream it seemed!

Edna inclined her head with a faint, puzzled smile that made her look bewitching in her tenuous innocence.

"I will do as you advise me," she said; "I do not like to take all this money until—" and she hesitated.

Mr. Burdon smiled.

"I should feel quite pleased to advance you ten times the amount, Miss Weston; we will go to the bank, if you please," and he rang for his hat.

The bank was in Chancery Lane, and Mr. Burdon, conducting the two ladies into the manager's room, placed two thousand pounds to Edna's credit.

"You will have to sign your name in this book, so that the clerks may know your signature," he said. "Just here on this line, if you please."

Edna removed her glove and took the pen in her hand. Mr. Burdon pointed out the exact spot, and she wrote "Edna Weston."

As she raised her pen something in the name seemed to strike her, for she dropped her hand suddenly on the book, causing a blot, and turned very pale.

Mr. Burdon was ready with blotting paper and a reassuring smile.

"It is of no consequence," he said, lightly; "not the slightest; a clerk will scratch it out in a moment, Miss Weston."

Then, as Edna still seemed overwhelmed by the accident—for what else could have upset her?—he took the book from before her, and in another minute a clerk had borne it away.

Edna looked after it with a strange, wild look on her face, and seemed about to speak, but Mr. Burdon, evidently attributing her manner to overstrung nerves, interposed.

"Your cab is at the door; this has been a trying morning for you both," and, talking as they went, he escorted them through the bank offices into the street. "There is the check book," he said, handing it to Edna, "and there are the notes for a hundred pounds. I will not tire you with anything further to-day, but if I may call on you to-morrow—"

Edna nodded her head—she could not speak, and Mr. Burdon closed the door and the cab drove off. During the journey—not a great one—to the hotel, Aunt Martha found vent for her bewilderment in nervous exclamations and tears, but both were lost on the girl leaning back in her own corner, pale and abstracted, her small hands fast clasped together, her heart beating with painful violence.

Arrived at the old-fashioned hotel, Edna escaped to her own room, and there, alone at last, faced her position and held communion with herself. Where had she been hurried?—what had she done?

What name was it she had signed in that book at the bank? What name was it that she ought to have signed? Trembling, she threw herself on her knees beside her bed and hid her face in her hands. What right had she to the name of Edna Weston?—It had gone from her forever! But had it? Had he not given her name back to her when he left her that afternoon in the churchyard of the old cathedral far away? Had he not yielded her again all that she had bestowed upon him—all the love of her pure, virgin heart, all the trust and truth of her young, unswayed life! Ah, but had he yielded it? Had she ceased to love him when she ceased to trust and believe in him? Where was he now—now that she was rich and powerful? He had said, with happy carelessness, that he was poor and objectless; how well she remembered it! How glad she had felt at the time that it should be so; and now she was rich, rich, immensely, cruelly rich and he—?

As she asked herself the question the handsome face, with its light-hearted smile, rose before her like a reproachful vision. She was on the threshold of possessing a fortune that was princely in its capabilities of enjoyment and power, while he was wandering, perhaps poor, and solitary, and friendless.

"No, no," she cried, chokingly, as pride came to her aid, "not solitary, not friendless! He has other friends—fair friends—old friends, who will soon help him to forget the simple girl he deceived!"

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**TO ROYAL NAVAL RESERVISTS:**

It is notified for information that the Government has ordered that there be paid an additional amount of 20c. per day from the time of the commencement of the War, in cases where men were then serving up to the time of discharge, or of decease, or of death from the 1st October, 1917, up to the time of discharge or decease.

**TO SOLDIERS OF THE ROYAL NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT—SERVING OR DISCHARGED AND DEPENDENTS WHOM IT CONCERN:**

It is notified for information that the Government has ordered that the following Allowances, in addition to already existing Allowances, shall be paid:

1. A Clothing Allowance on the following scale:
  - For men discharged up to 1st April, 1917—\$35.00.
  - For men discharged between 1st April, 1917, and 1st April, 1918—\$45.00.
  - For men discharged on or after 1st April, 1918—\$60.00.
2. A War Service Gratuity, in place of Post Charge Pay, to be graduated up to six months' Pay and Allowances, exclusive of subsistence or allowances in lieu of rations and quarters. For men who have served in an actual theatre of war, or were on the strength of some recognized overseas establishment on Nov. 11, 1918, the Gratuity is graded as follows:
  - For three years' service or over—183 days' pay and allowances.
  - For two years' service and under three years—153 days' pay and allowances.
  - For one year's service and under two years—122 days' pay and allowances.
  - For less than one year's service—92 days' pay and allowances.

For men who have served overseas, and were discharged prior to November 11th, 1918, without having been in actual theatre of war, and for men who have served in Newfoundland only, the Gratuity is graded as follows:
 

- For three years' service or over—92 days' pay and allowances.
- For two years' service and under three years—61 days' pay and allowances.
- For one year's service and under two years—31 days' pay and allowances.

In the case of an Officer or man without dependents whose pay and allowances, as above described, are less than \$70.00 for a 31 day period, a consolidated rate of \$70.00 will be paid in lieu of every 31 or 30 days' pay and allowances to which he is entitled.

In the case of an Officer or man, with dependents who are entitled or who, before his retirement or discharge, were entitled to Separation Allowances, whose pay and allowances including Separation Allowance is less than \$100.00 for a 31-day period, a consolidated rate of \$100.00 will be laid in lieu of every 31 or 30 days' pay and allowances to which he is entitled.

If part of, or all the gratuity under Post Charge Pay Regulations has been paid to an officer or man, the amount so paid will be deducted from the Gratuity provided for by "War Service Gratuity" Regulations.

3. Separation Allowance to wives of members of the Regiment and to other dependents entitled thereto, shall be retroactive, making it effective from date of enlistment, or from the date when entitled to receive same under authorized Regulations.

The foregoing will necessitate a large amount of accounting and additional work, and it will not be possible for the Department of Militia to make payments before the 1st of March.

**J. R. BENNETT,**  
Minister of Militia

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**ARDELL'S ANNOUNCEMENT**

PARIS, Feb. 6.

(A.P.)—Captain Andre Tarde, of the French representation on the commission of the Societe, announced to-night programme for the Society, saying some time next week, said France is opposed to the blockade on raw materials against Germany until the French industries has recovered from the destruction of one of the factories of France and resumed production with facilities it will be a serious handicap for us.

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OPENS.**

WEIMAR, Feb. 6.

By order in Germany has determined to rule them, declared Friedrich Ebert, the order this afternoon. He said, "We will be an order to the German spirit of justice and truth." The assembly at 3.15 o'clock. He was with applause. In open address to the assemblage of gentlemen, a form of never before heard in a German legislative body. The Chancellor was an earnest appeal and untiring labor.

**LEADERS WILL BE ARRESTED.**

BELFAST, Feb. 7.

Warrants were issued to-day for the arrest of the leaders of the Belfast. The warrants charge them with a view to reaching a satisfactory settlement.

**STRIKE JUSTIFIED.**

LONDON, Feb. 7.

National Union of Railwaymen sent a letter to its electrical workers saying that the Union had agreed all the circumstances in connection with the strike of London electricians, and had decided that its members on strike were justified in that they had taken action and therefore recognized the Board. The letter adds that the Board has not yet offered terms that the Union can accept. The Union is still pursuing this with a view to reaching a satisfactory settlement.

**IRISH UNION MEN TO WORK.**

LONDON, Feb. 7.

Electrical Trades' Union this morning ordered an immediate resumption of work by its members in action by the national body in the question of the change in the rate of the Government with reference to the strike.

**POLES HOLD ENEMY IN CHECK.**

WARSAW, Feb. 5.

(A.P.)—The Poles and the Lithuanians continue fighting in the region of Lemberg and the Poles are the enemy in check. In the last few days the Poles have retaken of their prisoners. Among the prisoners recaptured were sixty male who, according to reports from Lemberg, were impaled on wooden stakes by the Ukrainians. The bodies of the nurses are reported to be lying in a Cracow hospital.

**ITALY FIGHTING IN GALICIA.**

WARSAW, Feb. 3.

(A.P.)—In heavy fighting the last few days in Northwestern Galicia, Czech-Slovak forces have been forced to within 10 miles of Cracow.

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PARMIEU'S ANNOUNCEMENT

PARIS, Feb. 6. (By the A.P.)—Captain Andre Parmieu of the French representation on the commission on the Social...

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OPENS

WEIMAR, Feb. 6. (By the A.P.)—The National Assembly in Germany has opened its session...

LEADERS WILL BE ARRESTED

BELFAST, Feb. 7. (By the A.P.)—The British Government has announced that it will arrest the leaders of the strike...

STRIKE JUSTIFIED

LONDON, Feb. 7. (By the A.P.)—The National Union of Railwaymen has issued a statement justifying the strike...

UNION MEN TO WORK

LONDON, Feb. 7. (By the A.P.)—The Electrical Trades Union has announced that its members will return to work...

ENEMY IN CHECK

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FIGHTING IN GALICIA

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WHOLE CITY QUITS WORK

BERLIN, Feb. 5. (By the A.P.)—The whole city of Düsseldorf has walked out, officials, clerks and other employees in the service of railways, posts, telegraph...

CANUCKS DUE IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Feb. 7. (By the A.P.)—The third Canadian division was due to arrive in England today. Demobilization may be affected by the strike on the London and South Western railway system...

U.S. WELCOMES UNION

PARIS, Feb. 7. (By the A.P.)—The United States Secretary of State Lansing, says that the Government of the United States welcomes the union of the Serbian-Croatian and Slovenian peoples...

AT ST. THOMAS'S

ST. JOHN'S, Feb. 7. (By the A.P.)—The Rev. Dr. Jones will preach at St. Thomas's to-morrow evening on "The Silent Partner of Labor and Capital." This is the fourth of a series of sermons on topical subjects and in these days of reconstruction, and labor problems should draw a large concourse to hear what the preacher has to say...

Famous Old Recipe for Cough Syrup

Readily and cheaply made at home, but it beats them all for quick results.

Thousands of housewives have found that they can save four-fifths of the money usually spent for cough preparations, by using this well-known old recipe for making cough syrup at home. It is simple and cheap to make, but it really has no equal for prompt results. It takes right hold of a cough and gives immediate relief, usually stopping an ordinary cough in 24 hours or less. Get 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth) from any druggist, pour it into a 16-oz. bottle, and add plain granulated sugar syrup to make 16 ounces. If you prefer, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, keeps perfectly, and lasts a family a long time. It's truly astonishing how quickly it acts, penetrating through every air passage of the throat and lungs—loosens and raises the phlegm, soothes and heals the membranes, and gradually but surely the annoying throat tickle and dreaded cough disappear entirely. Nothing better for bronchitis, spasmodic croup, whooping cough or bronchial asthma. Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, known the world over for its healing effect on the membranes. Avoid disappointment by asking your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything less. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

Appropriate Inscription. She Took Her Father's Advice.

The plans of the Ricketts Educational Memorial to be erected in Middle Arm, White Bay, are being exhibited in the display window of Messrs. Ayre and Sons, and since being placed there, thousands have stopped to inspect them. Besides these is also a copy of the proposed inscription to be placed on the building, to read as follows: "Erected by an admiring people in honor of No. 3102, Pte. Thomas Ricketts, V.C., D.C.M., C. de G., who was born and bred in Middle Arm, White Bay, and who enlisted in the Royal Nfld Regiment on September 2nd, 1916, and proceeded overseas to fight against the Central Powers of Europe in the cause of Honor and Truth. Was awarded the Victoria Cross by His Majesty the King for conspicuous bravery and duty near Essegheem, Belgium, on October 14th, 1918."

Here and There.

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DIPHTHERIA.—One case of diphtheria was reported yesterday, the sufferer being removed to hospital.

FOR SALE.—Venetian Blind Tape, Cord, etc. N. W. CHOWN, feb2,3.

OTHER PASSENGERS.—Aboard the Corsican are about 50 civilians and 50 air men, bound for St. John, N.B.

WASHWHITE, the best yet. Cleans clothes snowwhite without rubbing.—feb6,3i

SMALLPOX.—Smallpox is prevalent at Bay of Islands and about 64 cases are being treated by Dr. Fisher. Fortunately the disease is mild.

N. L. W. A. MEETING POSTPONED.—Owing to the arrival of the S. S. Corsican last evening the regular meeting of the N. L. W. A. was postponed till next Friday night.

Stafford's Phorone for all kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles.—jan24,tf

ST. JOSEPH'S.—A concert takes place at St. Joseph's Hall on Monday night in aid of the parish. A splendid programme has been arranged and an excellent time is assured.

Stafford's Liniment for Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains. jan24,tf

WOY TWO MEDALS.—Constable P. Foran, of King's Cove, received word from his brother, C. M. Sebastian Foran who was formerly a member of "Ours" but now in the Royal Garrison Artillery that he had won the M.M. and the D.C.M. since joining the artillery section.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY. THERAPION No. 1 THERAPION No. 2 THERAPION No. 3

On Wednesday, Jan. 28th, a number of young men of St. Mary's hold what is locally known as a "spree" and with Mr. Mike Brien as leader, prepared for the occasion, each contributing a dollar toward the payment of expenses. At the house taken for the evening, a sheep supper was enjoyed, music and dancing ending the festivities.

Able to Start Work Again Trouble Was Easily Removed

Don't be discouraged if you find that you have Kidney or Bladder troubles, and don't imagine your case is hopeless or that you will be crippled and suffer all the rest of your life. Here is good news: Gin Pills have restored thousands of sufferers to health and strength. What they have done for others they will do for you. Read what Mr. J. Harrop says: "I have been crippled up so completely that I could not stand. Work was out of the question. A few doses of Gin Pills put me right. I cannot praise Gin Pills too much, and every home should have a box." Mr. Harrop's experience with Gin Pills has been the same as thousands of others, in all parts of this continent. Take the case of Mr. B. Milford, Galetta, Ont. Mr. Milford had been troubled with backache and kidney trouble for so long that his wife determined to find a remedy for his affliction. Having become convinced that Gin Pills were what he needed, she persuaded him to commence treatment with this well-known remedy. He did so, and surprising results were obtained almost immediately. This is an extract from Mrs. Milford's letter: "After one dose of Gin Pills my husband found them to be exactly what he needed, and after taking two boxes he was completely cured." Cases like these prove the value of Gin Pills. Try them. 50c a box at all dealers.

She Took Her Father's Advice.

AND DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS SOON HELPED HER BACKACHE.

How Mrs. Beaudoin Found Complete and Permanent Relief From Her Kidney Trouble.

Fisher, Man.—(Special)—"I have tried your Dodd's Kidney Pills for kidney trouble, and they have completely cured me."

These are the words of Mrs. Arthur Beaudoin, a well-known resident of this place, and it is so unaggravated to say she voices the sentiments of a large number of the people of Montreal. They have had kidney trouble; they have used Dodd's Kidney Pills; they have found them good.

"Yes," she says, in speaking of her case, "I suffered from kidney disease for six months before I was married in October, 19, and two weeks after I was married I was laid up. The doctor gave me no relief. My father advised me to take Dodd's Kidney Pills, and he recommended to take them at once, and a few days after I felt better. I continued to take them until I was perfectly cured. I will always keep them in the house, as they are my best friends."

Dodd's Kidney Pills have been used to treat rheumatism, sciatica, diabetes, dropsy, sore back, gravel, and other similar ills. That they continue to give satisfaction is evidenced by their ever-growing popularity.

If you haven't used Dodd's Kidney Pills, ask your neighbors about them.

L. O. D. E. Annual

At the recent annual meeting of the National Chapter, Imperial Order of the Daughters of Empire, Lady Rowwood, in the chair at the King George V. Institute, Girls' Dept., the election of officers for the ensuing year took place. These were:—

Mrs. Annie Hayward, M. B. E., President; Mrs. T. J. Duley, re-elected first vice-president; Mrs. R. A. Squires, elected second vice-president; Mrs. W. B. Fraser, elected Treasurer; Miss Margaret Furlong, re-elected Secretary, and Mrs. Holloway, re-elected Standard Bearer.

Sunday Services.

Church of England Cathedral—Holy Communion (1st Sunday), 7.00, 8.00 and 11; other Sundays, 8.00; Matins (except 1st Sunday), 11; Children's Service, 3.30; Evensong, 6.30. Week days—Matins, 8.00; Evensong, 5.30; Saints' Days, Matins, 7.30; Holy Communion, 8.00; Thursdays, Holy Communion, 7.15; Fridays, Evensong, 7.30; Sunday Schools, 2.45 p.m.; Boys' Bible Class, 2.45 p.m. (Vestry); C.M.B.C. (Synod Building), 3 p.m.

St. Thomas's—Men's Corporate Communion; 11, Morning Prayer and Sermon, preacher, Rev. Mr. Moulton; 6.30, Evensong and Sermon, preacher, the Rector; 7.15, Prayers, Silent Father of Capital and Labor.

St. Mary the Virgin (Southside)—Holy Communion, 8; Matins, 11; Holy Baptism, 8.30; Evensong, 6.30.

St. Michael's—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and Litany, 11; Evensong, 6.30.

Gower Street—11, Rev. E. W. Forbes, M.A., B.D.; 8.15, Evangelists. George Street—11 and 6.30, Rev. D. B. Hemmeon. Cochrane Street—11 and 6.30, Rev. G. T. Bond, LL.D. Wesley—11 and 6.30, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A., Minister. Services at 11 and 6.30. The Minister will preach at both services; morning subject, "Progress and its price," and evening, "Perpetuating 'Royalty.'" Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p.m. Strangers welcome at all services.

S. A. Citadel, Adelaide St.—7 a.m. Prayer Meeting; 11 a.m., Holiness Meeting; 3 p.m., Praise Meeting; 7 p.m., Salvation Meeting. Conducted by Adm. and Mrs. Woolfroy. All are welcome.

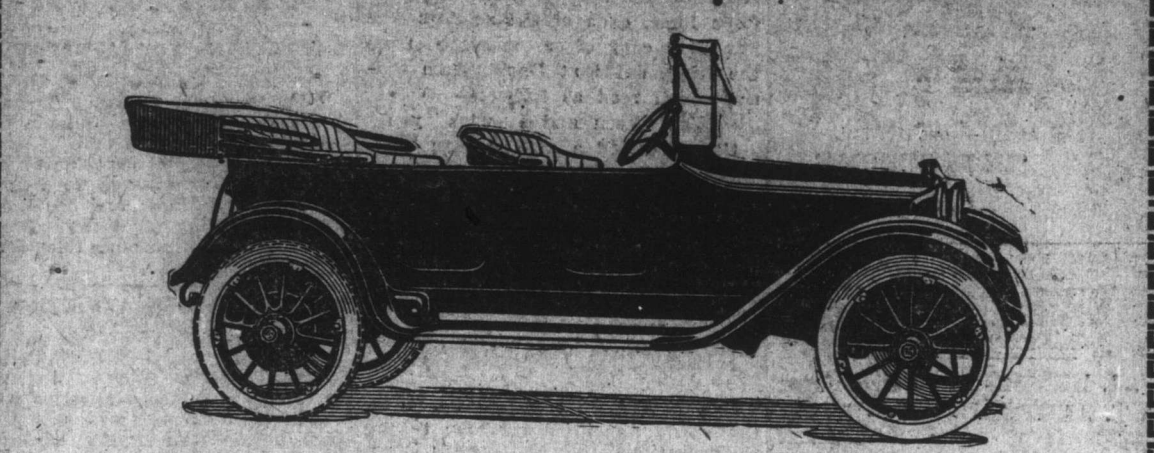
Adventist.—Subject: "Surrender." All welcome; Evangelist D. J. C. Barrett.

GOWER ST.—Classes for men in No. 2, class room, Gower St. Church, Sunday morning at 9.45. All are welcome. A special invitation to those who have lately decided.

GOWER ST. A.B.C.—The Young Men's Adult Bible Class of Gower St. Church will not hold their regular session to-morrow, Sunday, Feb. 8, owing to the meeting to be held in Gower St. Church commencing at 3 p.m.

WESLEY B.C.—There will be no session of the Class to-morrow afternoon, owing to the service in Gower St. Church at 3 o'clock. All the Society Classes of Wesley Church will unite in the Primary Room at 9.30 to-morrow morning, when a big Evangelist service will be held. All the young converts are cordially invited to attend. Visitors and the young people of the congregation will receive a hearty welcome.

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129 Pairs Queen Quality Butt'd Boots, Cloth Top, at only \$4.00 pr. Sizes 2 1/2 to 4 1/2.

98 Pairs Child's & Misses' Pat. Leather Boots, Lace and Buttoned, Cloth Top. CHILD'S only... \$1.50 MISSES' only... \$2.00

57 Pairs Wo's Black High Laced Boots, \$3.00. Broken sizes.

25 Pairs Boys' Gun Metal Blucher Boots, Sizes 2 1/2 to 4, at \$2.50.

300 Pairs Women's Strap Shoes, Kid and Patent; all sizes in this lot. Only \$3.00 pair. Regular \$4.00 to \$5.50 value.

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Advertisement for Instant Postum coffee. Text: "If Coffee Disagree there's an easy way out. There's no headache, no sleeplessness, no nervousness in INSTANT POSTUM. A pleasant coffee-like flavor and an economy and ease in making it soon make it your favorite table drink. 'There's a Reason'"

Advertisement for J. R. Bennett, Minister of Militia. Text: "J. R. BENNETT, Minister of Militia."

Advertisement for Dry Goods. Text: "DRY GOODS: SHIRTS, DRESS GOODS, PLAID DRESS GOODS, BLOUSES, FLANNELETTE, OVERALLS, etc. ARRIVING. Worth & George Sts."





Evening Telegram

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

SATURDAY, Feb. 8, 1919.

Reception Notes.

If the reception to the returned soldiers last night did not appear so enthusiastically spontaneous as it might have, (and would have—had the Corsican arrived in day time), there was a warmth and genuineness about it that left no doubt as to the sincerity of purpose of those who had done their utmost to organize a welcome, fitting and in keeping with the occasion. One unforeseen contingency (the arrival of the ship after dark) knocked on the head the demonstration which had been arranged to greet the "boys" on landing, and consequently there was lacking the ceremonials which are usually a feature of "Welcome Homes." The debarkation arrangements were not so good as they might have been, and almost too much delay occurred. Doubtless the hour of the transport's arrival was responsible for this and in no case can the transfer of men from ship to shore be accomplished so expeditiously or quickly during darkness as in clear daylight. The women and children who were the first to land received a very hearty greeting from the host of people assembled in the shed, all anxiously waiting the coming of sons, or relatives or friends and many were the happy reunions. It might have appeared to the more newly come amongst us that there was a coldness in the manner of their reception generally, but this was not so. Glad indeed were the people to welcome the girls from over the sea, who had left their native homes to enter upon a new life in Britain's young dominion, and become part of our population. We are glad to have them with us, and glad also to have the young citizens, who were carried in the arms of their mothers, and who will, in future years, assist in controlling the destinies of the land of their adoption. Altogether, the reception, broken as it was because of the lateness of the hour when orders were issued to cease landing, cannot and should not be too harshly criticized. Those in charge did what they could, under the circumstances.

On our fifth page to-day is published the story of Ricketts, V.C., as told by himself. Having been interviewed by our reporter, on the Corsican yesterday, the modest hero was at first very reluctant to say anything about himself, particularly in relation to the deed of valor for which he received, from the hands of His Majesty, the coveted premier distinction of the Empire, but eventually he described the feat of arms so successfully accomplished, for which his name stands in the unique category of being the youngest V.C. in the army, and the only one in Newfoundland. We appreciate greatly the honour and privilege of being in a position to give to our readers the full details of the action which made Ricketts famous and which will more than anything else, help in making Newfoundland better known throughout the world.

The Telegram takes the present opportunity of thanking the Ministers of Militia and Shipping for the courtesy extended our representative in accompanying him permission to make the trip on S.S. "Fogots" to meet the incoming troopship Corsican. Also we

desire to express our appreciation of the kindness shown by the officers in charge of the landing, as well as those on board the transport, and the soldiers themselves, who facilitated the purpose, for which our representative was sent, in every way.

The King's Message.

At 2.30 p.m. on Thursday when the Corsican was about 120 miles off Cape Race, each of the soldiers was handed a copy of a message from the King, dated at Buckingham Palace which read as follows:—

"The Queen and I wish you Godspeed and a safe return to your homes and dear ones. A grateful mother country is proud of your splendid services, characterized by unsurpassed devotion and courage."

GEORGE, R. I."

Induction To-Morrow.

The Rev. Dudley Bright Ashford, the newly appointed minister to the Congregational Church, Queen's Road, arrived by the S.S. Corsican last evening. At the morning service to-morrow the new pastor will be inducted by Rev. H. P. Coopersworth, D.D., and at night Rev. Mr. Ashford will conduct the regular service.

Our New Feature.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found a new feature, the title being, "From My Scrap Book." This column which will appear weekly, on Saturdays, contains an interesting collection of items from the scrap book, the same being compiled from the most interesting and informative literary contributions of the present and past centuries and will, we trust, prove attractive to both young and old.

Personal Mention.

Mr. J. Taylor, of Frew's, leaves to-day for Canada, to purchase goods for his firm.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Baird are among the passengers booked to leave by the Corsican.

Miss M. Stick leaves by the Corsican on a business trip to New York and Boston, and will be accompanied by Miss Beatrice Stick.

Lieut. Robt. Reid, C.D.G., of the Canadian Flying Corps, was a passenger by last evening's inward express.

Lieut. Reid was flying in Italy when the armistice was signed.

Miss B. Pepper, and Mr. Geo. Kay of the Western Union Cable Staff, Bay Roberts, were amongst those who arrived in the city by yesterday's noon train to take in the welcome to the returning heroes.

The many friends of Rev. Brother A. P. Kennedy, formerly Superior of Mount St. Francis, but now of New Rochelle, N.Y., will regret to learn that he is seriously ill, and that fears are entertained for his recovery.

Children's eyes require more careful watching than those of an adult. If your child complains of his eyes, bring him to H. B. THOMSON, Optometrist and Optician, No. 4 Kimberley Row (opp. Star Theatre). Hours: 9.30-12.30, 2-5; Evenings, 7-9. jan8,2m

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind N.N.E., light. Weather dull. No vessels in sight. Bar. 29.40; Ther. 32.

The Regular Quarterly Meeting of the St. John's Mechanics' Society will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, when the nomination of officers for the ensuing year will take place. By order, J. J. LEAHEY, Sec'y. feb8,11

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A Shipment Just In.

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75 Boxes Cheese.
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15 Cases Moir's Chocolates.
Just in Ex "Portia".

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TO-DAY'S Messages.

9.00 A. M.

TONNAGE FOR AUSTRALIA.

MELBOURNE, Feb. 7. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—A telegram from the Colonial Secretary has informed the Commonwealth Government that the Shipping Controller has allowed to Australia for February, March and April, 55,000 tons of shipping for general loading, and forty-one thousand tons for refrigerator loading.

BRITAIN FAVORS ABOLITION OF SUBMARINES.

LONDON, Feb. 8. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—In reference to the suggestion on the abolition of submarines which has been before the Paris conference, Reuters learns on high authority, that the British Admiralty strongly favors the total prohibition of submarine building, and on the use of the submarine in warfare. This naturally would be subject to a general international agreement and to rigid guarantees and safeguards. This attitude of the British Navy has all the more point, in view of the fact that Britain is far ahead of all other nations in regard to the actual possession of submarines and of their potential production.

CLYNES GIVES ADVICE.

LONDON, Feb. 8. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—Addressing a large meeting of the postal workers of London this afternoon, at which resolutions favoring shorter hours and higher wages and full civic rights were adopted, former Food Controller Clynès, emphasized the desirability of originating and discussing demands before striking, in order to keep the sympathy of the public. He declared that a higher standard of living must be obtained before there would be peace in Great Britain, but these things could not be settled by mob law. The workers' wishes must be translated by trusted delegates. Proposals were submitted by both sides, but nothing was settled when the Conference adjourned. The Scottish miners have all resumed work, pending discussion of the whole situation at the Miners Conference at Southport on February 12th. At Belfast it is unofficially stated that employers of union labor have asked striking workmen to resume work on a basis of 47 hours per week, with a promise of a forty-four hour week when the Treaty of Peace is signed.

JAPAN'S POSITION.

PARIS, Feb. 7. (A.P.)—Barino Otikino, senior Japanese Delegate to the Peace Conference, made public to-day a statement as to Japan's position in the Conference. Japan, says the statement, does not seek more than a fair division in this work of development in the Far East. We realize that a great change has taken place in the dealings between the nations to be represented in the League of Nations. If the League is to be of any value, its rules must prohibit selfish aggression, exploitation and discrimination. We seek no territory in China, and ask only for friendly co-operation and the maintenance of peaceful relations.

NOON.

STRIKES IN HUNGARY.

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 7. A general strike which embraces the whole of Northwestern Hungary, started Monday, at Kamern, according to advices from Budapest. All business was suspended and hotels and cafes closed on Thursday. The strike spread throughout upper Hungary, embracing the merchants, public officials, and the railway, postal, municipal and law employees, who declare their determination to continue the strike until the Czechos alter their behaviour. The Czechos commanders threatened the postal strikers with death, but without being able to secure the men's return to work.

INDUSTRIAL LEADERS RECOMMENDATION.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. Stabilization of prices through government intervention in the basic commodity markets, as a means of removing the threat of industrial and business stagnation, with its attendant unemployment, has been recommended to President Wilson, by a conference of cabinet officers and industrial leaders, who have made an exhaustive study of the situation.

STRIKE NEGOTIATIONS.

LONDON, Feb. 8. Sir Albert Stanley, President of the Board of Trade, announced at 2.30 o'clock this morning, that an arrangement with Union executives had been reached, and that railway service would be resumed as soon as possible. This announcement followed a conference in which Sir Albert, Sir Edward Shortt, Secretary for Home Affairs, and other government officials discussed the situation with executives of the National Union of Railwaymen and representatives of the managements of the industrial and railway. The conference lasted throughout the whole evening. Acting Secretary Hudson of the Unions, subsequently declared that he was satisfied with the agreement, which had been reached. The situation on the Clyde is virtually unchanged. A six hour conference was held to-day at Belfast, Baron Pirrie, Controller-General of merchant shipping, presiding.

But, Tom dear, where is the big trout you said you caught? "Oh, er, that one! Why-yes, of course—well, I took that trout, and it looked so good I cooked and ate it on the spot. And, speaking of eating, Maude, I wish you'd hurry up that dinner. I haven't had a mouthful all day."

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, ETC.

Aged Coloured Woman Dies.

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 26.—At the age of 108 years, Mrs. Edith Dillihay, colored, the oldest resident of the state, is dead at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Martha Francis of No. 314 East Eleventh street, this city. Mrs. Dillihay, who died of old age, had lived in this city more than 100 years, having been brought here by her parents from Maryland, where she was born in 1812. Despite her age, she had been very active, and until two weeks ago was a faithful communicant of Bethel A. M. E. Church. She had an excellent memory and her reminiscences of prominent events of more than a half a century, were extremely interesting.

Chinese General

Wins \$100,000 at Cards—Dancer Gets \$5,000 GHK.

Pekin, China, Jan. 16.—China has had great difficulty over a little matter of \$100,000 to defray the expenses of its delegates to the peace conference at Versailles.

But General Chang Hsui-Chih, one of China's military governors, \$100,000 is but a matter of a few hours' luck at cards.

The General accumulated just that sum in a game with other military governors which was incidental to a conference in Pekin to bolster up the Sun-Shih-Chang parliament.

Not only did the general profit by the entertaining features of the meeting, but a singing girl who had pleased the military governors was given a little purse of \$3,000 for the entertainment she furnished.

Whale Meat in Japan.

TOKIO, Jan. 20.—Whale meat has appeared on bills of fare in European countries and in America during the war, and in Japan it has been a food for hundreds of years.

The capture of whales in nets and the ceremonies and feasting which followed have been a matter of interest in Japanese history.

When the harpoon gun and steam whaling vessels made their appearance in European waters, the Japs were quick to adopt the new methods of whaling.

Men, women and girls join in laughing contests in the operation of cutting up a whale brought ashore. If one slips on the greasy boards and falls in a pool of blood, she laughs with the rest, wipes off the spots and goes merrily on as if out for a holiday.

Note of Thanks.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir,—Please allow me space in your valuable columns, to thank the people of Fermeuse for their kindness and generosity to myself and crew, at the time of our arrival there, after being driven to sea in the schooner Golden Hope on the night of January 6. We got back to Fermeuse on Jan. 8th, minus our mainmast and part of our foremast. At Fermeuse we met with the greatest of kindness and everybody was anxious to lend us a helping hand to discharge our cargo, which they carried free of charge to the railway station, a distance of over a mile from where our schooner was wrecked. Words cannot convey my heartfelt gratitude to those kind friends. Thanking you in anticipation and wishing your paper a prosperous 1919.

I am, yours respectfully, M. F. TOBIN. Trepassay, Feb. 6, 1919.

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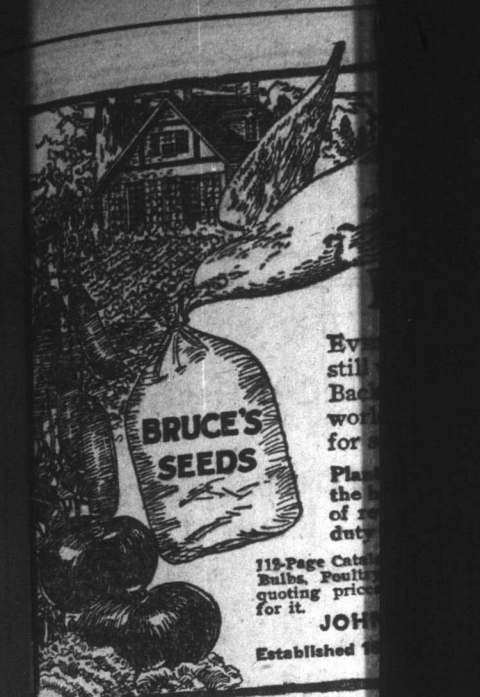
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It is easy to say that luck, as popularly understood, is the result of favorable conditions judiciously utilized, or other words, that the lucky people simply those who deliberately determine to take as it comes. But this leads on to fortune. By this time all the unlucky are the inevitable. But a hundred thousand instances in human lives could be collected to prove the contrary. Foolish men often lucky; wise men very often come into their own. man casually meets another whom he knows, in the company of a whom he doesn't. They stop, man falls in love with the lady eventually marries her. But the usual meeting he would probably married somebody else, or not married at all. railway train leaves London for North at ten o'clock at night. A man is seen, rushing to the station, and tries to enter. The train stops and he is left. The train gets to its destination, he is a rightful collision on the and most of the passengers are or injured. Was he lucky, a deliberate will and motion, utilizing favorable circumstances for his own advantage? The answer is not to take the business side of the matter. One man invests his money but it seems to be a profitable, well managed enterprise, and it goes all the way in a year or two. Another man invests in a wild mining venture, the shares at waste-paper price years he gets nothing. But the wild cats strike it rich his twopenny-henny shares bring him a fortune. You would have anybody would have said, the man who invested in the industry was wise, and the other who speculated in the "wild cats" was a fool; yet, as frequent happens, the gods were with the fool, not with the wise man. the tables at Monte Carlo it is not sheer nonsense to people who watched the extraordinary turn of the play to argue that there is a thing as luck. Time and again "systems" break down, while cant players in given instances cannot wrong. As shrewd a man of the world as ever lived a five pound note he-lender's interest ought to be paid, yet he confessed that it cost him \$1000 a year, while a French man once took it into his head to make on the numbers 8's and 9's, and at the first coup was won. She went on playing 8 and 9, and the fancy took her, and when she from the table she had won \$1000, about \$2,000 Here, sure

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# Needs That Won the Empire!

# HOW RICKETTS WON THE V. C.

## The Hero Interviewed by The Telegram.

The Fogata which left the pier at eight minutes past five yesterday afternoon, a reporter went for the purpose of securing a personal interview with the hero of the Newfoundland campaign, Sergeant Thomas Ricketts, C. M. C. G.

Sergeant Ricketts was sighted five minutes past five when off Cape St. John's the C. L. B. Band on the ship struck up a lively and inspiring march, while the passengers themselves hoarse with lusty cheering, and the returning soldiers of the Fogata were sent to the heavens, showing the sincerity of their welcome accorded them.

The Fogata steered around the point, allowing the bigger ship to lead into the harbour, all the while the band playing, and the cheering and shouting of the returning soldiers with heart and voice. As the Fogata came abreast of the shore, the band played, and the cheering and shouting of the returning soldiers with heart and voice.

ment and penetration would be disappointed in his telling of the act that won him the highest military honour of the British Army, for it is plainly evident that he can see nothing specially unusual in the bravery he exhibited on the battlefield on this memorable occasion. The achievement was, as all official reports are, lacking in the necessary informative details, merely giving the bare outlines, and those in such a manner as renders them both uninteresting and dull. The story of the deed, as told by Sergeant Ricketts himself, was after this manner:—

At Ledreghem, Belgium, on the 14th of last October, the Newfoundland Battalion moved forward toward a certain objective, which was closely guarded by a German field battery. Between the Battalion and this objective was a fairly high range covered with barbed wire entanglements, over which the advancing soldiers went. Descending the other side, to level ground, they continued on over a field of mangos, a beet grown in Belgium for cattle feed, about 350 yards, when a shallow ditch was encountered. This ditch had been made by the farmer who owned the land on which the battle was raging, and had been done to drain off the water that collected. In this trench the soldiers took temporary refuge. Suddenly the German battery, which was concealed between two farm houses about 350 yards ahead, opened fire point blank at the ditch, and the men fell in big numbers. Some being killed and many wounded. The condition became worse and worse, for with shells and deadly machine gun bullets sweeping from such a short distance, the position was the most desperate one imaginable. To have advanced would have exposed the battalion to a destructive fire, while to retreat would have been even worse and more disastrous. At this critical moment, Sergeant, then Private, Ricketts who was on the extreme right of the ditch, volunteered to go with his platoon Lance Corporal, Brazil, and advancing in a circle toward the battery, attempted to put it out of action. To attempt such an attack was a feat that can only be imagined and realized by soldiers who have been through the inferno of battle, and behind the volunteer's action lay a consuming and propelling force.

length regained the spot, only to find the Lewis gun there, but the other man gone. This new predicament would have meant the end of any further effort on the part of almost anyone else, but not so of Ricketts. Placing the gun in position, he opened fire on the battery, which was now slightly to the left and front of him, and keeping up a deadly hail of lead, stuck to his post until he had the satisfaction of seeing the gun crews retire from the guns, into one of the nearby houses, to wait until his fire ceased. This was the Newfoundlanders' chance. Catching up the gun under his arm, he dashed forward to the house in which the Germans had taken refuge, and appearing suddenly at the men inside, at the same time demanding an instant and unqualified surrender. Struck with astonishment and terror, the Germans threw up their hands, crying "Kamerad! Kamerad! Mercy! Mercy!" and were taken without further delay. In the meantime, the battalion in the trench 350 yards back, seeing the gun fire cease, had advanced again, and appeared at the house just after the capture had been made. As a result of Ricketts' desperate coup, 4 field guns and 4 machine guns were secured by the battalion, 5 men, one officer and 7 privates captured, and the objective of the battalion, an important section of railway line, reached without further casualty or delay.

that makes the winning an even greater honor, if that were possible. Altogether, the interview with the King lasted ten minutes, during which time he chatted pleasantly and without reserve, never showing in his manner or speech that he considered his action in any way condescending. Passing out into the lower garden adjoining the Castle, Sergeant Ricketts encountered young Prince George, about 16 years of age, who also spoke for a few minutes with him, enquiring into the action that won the Cross. Further on Queen Alexandra was met. The Queen Mother chatted with him for a minute or two, and asking if he would like a bouquet, picked a rose and placed it on his bosom. The Princess Mary and the Norwegian Prince also spoke to Ricketts, both being pleasant and courteous enough. Later in the same afternoon, Sergeant Ricketts met Sir Dighton Probyn, the oldest Victoria Cross soldier of the army. This veteran is 83 years old, and won the premier decoration in India when he was 23 years old, being beaten in this respect by Ricketts, who won the Cross when he was 17 years and 4 months old. Sir Dighton asked how Ricketts had won the Cross, in turn recounting how he had received his own.

enlisted when only 15) he intends to attend college, and has decided to enter Bishop Field College, where he will board in the hostel. Until then he will stay at his old boarding house in which he lived before leaving for the other side. Sergeant Ricketts does not think he will find the town so dull as might be supposed, as a few months spent in a small village in Germany was so drab and uninteresting that in contrast, St. John's will be a city of delight and interest. There being nothing further on which the interview could touch, we bade the young hero good bye, and soon after left the ship by the Fogata, which was then returning to the wharf with its first freight of soldiers, having had an absorbingly interesting conversation of more than an hour's duration. We trust that this short account of the interview, which was made solely for such purpose, will interest our readers, and, if possible, create an even greater respect for Sergeant Thomas Ricketts, the first and only Victoria Cross soldier of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment.

HIS FUTURE MOVEMENTS.  
Sergeant Ricketts told us that, as his education was backward (having

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WITH THE KING.  
On Jan. 14, Ricketts left the Regiment which was stationed in Germany, and proceeded on to London, to receive at the hands of the King the medal he had won. This historic event took place at Sandringham Castle in the afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the scene of the actual presentation was a small sitting room. The King, who was dressed in ordinary civilian garb, was standing, and near him were an Australian Bishop, Princess Mary, and a Norwegian Prince. A Mr. Jones, one of the King's equerries, conducted the Ricketts into the presence of His Majesty who stepped forward, shook hands with him, and first reading an official description of the action for which he was then to be honored, he pinned the Victoria Cross on Ricketts' breast. He then chatted a while with the young hero, and asked him his name. Upon Ricketts replying, the King turned to the Bishop who was standing near, and remarked that he was the youngest V.C. man in the British Army. He also asked him if he could remember when he (the King) was out to Newfoundland, but was of course answered no, as Ricketts is but a young lad, not yet quite 18—having been born in 1901. He also remarked that, out of 7,000,000 British soldiers, only 500 Victoria Crosses had been won during the late war, a fact

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### Business and Wives Again.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

Why is it that men and women get into the habit of saying sharp, disagreeable little things about their wives and husbands, even when they love them?

A woman spoke to me the other day about a couple whom I know very well and whom she has met quite frequently but not so intimately. "Isn't it too bad they don't get along better?" she said. "Poor Mrs. R., I'm afraid he's pretty bad to live with."

"Why, I thought they were at least an ordinarily happy couple," I said, "and I'm sure she's tremendously fond of him. What gave you that impression?"

"He never thinks anything is quite right."

"The things she says," she answered. "She says he's one of those men who never think anything you do is quite right. When she tries her hardest to cook him a good meal, there's always something wrong with it. And then she spoke of his never wanting to go to the places she wants to go to, and how impatient he was when the children made the least noise, and how she won't play partner with him at cards because he is so unreasonable—oh, a whole lot of things like that."

I recognized the sort of thing she meant. I, myself, have heard Mrs. R. say them, but knowing her real devotion and knowing Mr. R.'s good points, it hadn't made the same impression on me that it had on the more casual acquaintance.

To her it had plainly given a picture of a distinctly disagreeable man and a dissatisfied wife.

She would be ashamed of the picture she drew.

If Mrs. R. could know the idea she gave of her husband's character, I am sure she would be ashamed and sorry—as would most of the other men and women who give those false impressions by saying the sharp, unkind things and keeping the praise and the kind things locked up in their hearts.

Why do they do it? Well, I have several tentative answers to that in my mind.

One is, that we seem to find it easier to say the words of criticism

about our nearest and dearest than the words of praise.

It Eases The Tension (Temporarily) To Talk.

Another is that in the adjustments of every married life there are some dissatisfactions and disappointments, and it seems to ease the tension to express them to other people (sometimes it increases the tension later, but that is another and a longer story).

The third is, that these testimonies to the fact that one is not absolutely satisfied with one's mate, are a sort of subconscious signal to the rest of the members of the other sex.

A perfectly devoted wife is severely let alone by other men. They do not find her interesting. By testifying to the fact that she isn't absolutely devoted, this woman opens the door to friendships (I do not mean harmful ones) of the other sex.

Is that bad psychology? If so forgive and forget it.

The Opposition Victory.

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It is an amazing fact that Britain produces a fourth of all the coal used in all the world. Coal is money to Britain. She pays in coal for thousands of commodities which are imported into this country, and which no amount of "reconstruction" could enable us to produce within our own borders. Yet Britain's coal is by no means inexhaustible, and it is estimated that at the present rate of consumption it can only last about five hundred years.

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"Your room is small, too," continued Marie. "In a small room the valance affords opportunity to tuck away a suitcase or handbox under the bed not as a commendable custom in the interest of neatness, but one most apartments of small size have to concede to."

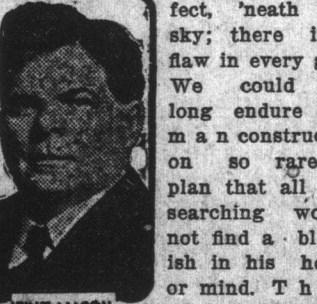
"What shall I make it of?" asked Marjorie.

"The valance could be of washable material," continued Marie. "White dotted Swiss or figured madras will be fresh and dainty if an ordinary white spread is used on the bed. It is something of a problem before one has learned the trick, to attach the valance to an iron bedstead. If tied to the bed with tapes the valance will be sure to sag after a day or so, and in any case it must be so put on that it may be removed once a month for laundering."

"The best way is to but an old sheet exactly the size of the spring and attach the valance to this. Throw the sheet over the spring and attach it with snap-button fasteners to four tapes sewed around the four bed posts."

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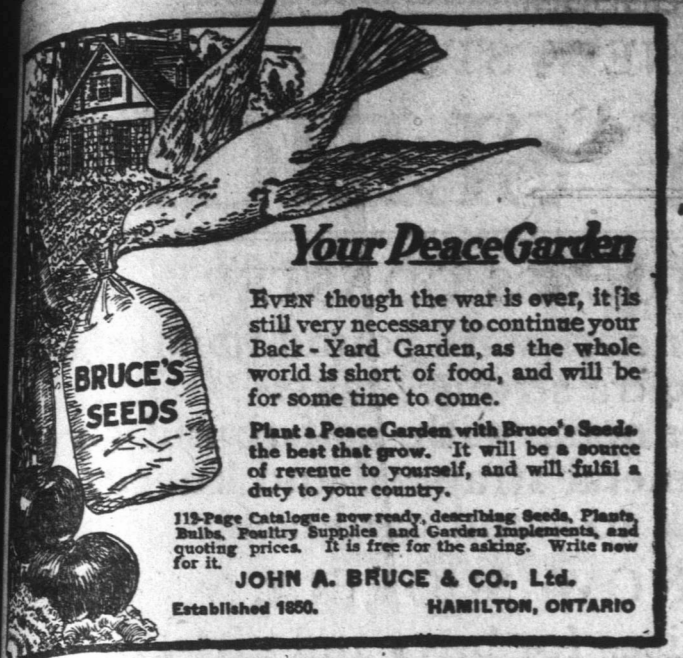
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### Personal Mention.

Rev. Fr. Conway of the R. C. Cathedral staff leaves for England by the S.S. Corcoran for health treatment.

Rev. A. P. Mahes, P.P., Ferryland, arrived in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Mitchell leave by the Corcoran for Halifax.

Hon. F. McNamara and Mrs. McNamara leave by the Corcoran for St. John, N.B., en route to the Southern States.

### and the Worst is Yet to Come



### The Evangelists.

(L.C.M.)

Though absent last night, and not having any substitute, we have sufficient data to save a blank, as we know how deep and wide-spread the interest in these notes have become.

The position which the Evangelists, and especially the preacher of the party, Mrs. Demarest, have occupied in our midst for the past few weeks, is one well worthy of a little comment, and for the benefit of our readers we will make the same.

During their stay the Evangelists have labored very faithfully, and have conducted some forty regular meetings. Many of these meetings were thronged; and putting the attendance at an average of fifteen hundred people, we have a grand total of some sixty thousand.

We made it a point to watch the personnel of the meetings, and from our observation we should think that the change which we noticed, would admit of us stating that about fifteen thousand of our citizens and probably two thousand people from other places attended. Some of the latter came to the city on business, and some for the express purpose of hearing the Evangelists. This is a very worthy showing, and it is one that must certainly have accomplished a lot of good. The good done may not be seen in the immediate present—nor should it be—but in the future days it will tell. Every sentiment uttered by the Evangelists was for good, and was meant to do good; and the impressions made on the thousands who heard them, are proof of this statement.

Let us review then, for a moment or two, the position of the Evangelists from the vantage ground of their work. They spoke to us. They looked into our faces. They engaged our attention as we listened, and the attention of thousands who have read the papers. The children of our homes have been influenced also, and every phase of our domestic and religious life has been appealed to. These are important features of reform, and they represent all that is best in the economy of life. The home is the corner-stone of national life, and it is the dearest spot of all to the heart. It matters not just what the style of the architecture may be; it may be ornate, or it may be plain; but it is home all the same.

Therefore our friends, the Evangelists have done good, inasmuch as they have placed before us a high ideal of home-life; and have earnestly back-ed up the highest standard of Christian living, as taught by all Christian denominations.

It may be that some people have looked askance at the work of the Evangelists, and have thought lightly of it; and again it may be that others have limited their work to the direct results as seen at their meetings. But there is a wider aspect than this to be taken. To some at least, the message of the Evangelists was much wider than the building in which they preached; and the common Gospel which they declared, was adapted to all who believe. In these respects the best in life has been effected, and our thoughts have been drawn towards higher things. To us, we hold the people so intensely, was not possible, had not the highest and best in them been appealed to; and it is in this channel that the secret of success lay. The highest and best is often lost sight of in the struggle for existence, and is oftener lost in the mad race for position and wealth; but the possibility of finding one's best, and of being one's better self, lies within reach of the average person all the time.

This note the Evangelists kept to the front every time, and by word and deed, they preached higher than men's surroundings. Men are greater than their surroundings; and are meant to be greater; but we seem to forget this, and thus it is that we are so far below our destiny. It is because of the high ideals which the Evangelists have upheld, and because of their elevation of life's high purpose, that we have so constantly supported them. We do not follow them in all things, nor is it necessary that we should do so; but in their appeal for the safety of the home, and for the sanctity of its circle, we are with them. In their plea for a pure physical manhood, and for the highest honor of womanhood, we are with them. In their plea for the importance of family worship, and the religious discipline of children we are with them. In their plea for the advancement of Christianity, and in their faith for its final triumph, we are with them. In their desire for faithful service and full consecration, we stand by them; and to their desire for the glory of God we say Amen.

As to what these Christian graces are called, we are not anxious. Some may call them conversion; and others may call them named, we whatever they may be named, we know that in them lies the essentials of Christian living, and the standard of Christian doctrine. For all these high ideals of life, here and hereafter, the Evangelists have stood, and in their good work they have shown themselves devoted and sincere. Thus they have helped us in our best interests, and in all that makes life worthwhile. May a home will be the

### Casualty List.

(Received Feb. 7, 1919.)

At 6th General Hospital, Rouen, Feb. 4th, Seriously Ill, Influenza, 2649—Pte. Noah Lane, Gamba.

At Military Hospital, Hazely Down Camp, Seriously Ill, Pneumonia, Feb. 6, 4255—Cpl. Reuben H. Paley, St. Anthony.

Seriously Ill 6th General Hospital, Rouen, Influenza, January 31st, '19, 4775—Pte. Patrick Butler, Leasing Tipples.

J. R. BENNETT,  
Minister of Militia.

### Enquiry Continued.

The enquiry into the Gill-Cantwell case was continued yesterday before Judge Morris. Dr. Gill's evidence has been taken, and Mr. Cantwell's examination is now on. On Thursday at the conclusion of the crown evidence the charge against the men was changed from "Conspiratory to defeat the M.S.A." to "conspiratory to obtain money under false pretences."

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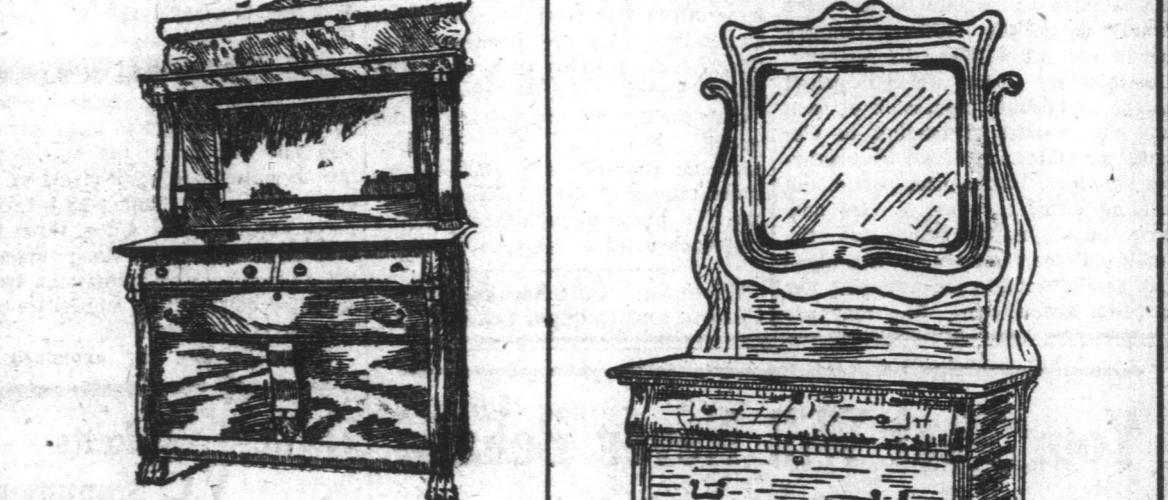
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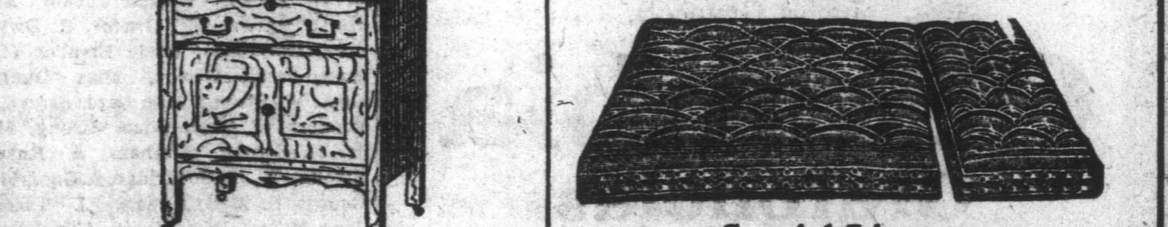
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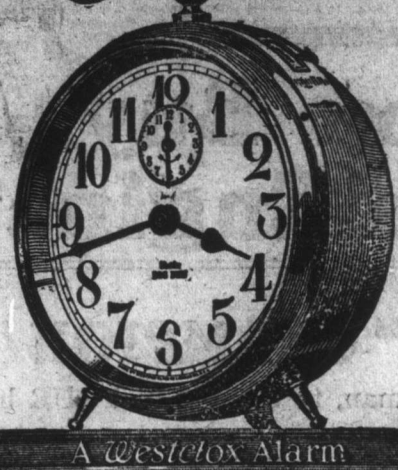
It is a great mistake to suppose that because we regard the first of January as New Year's Day that everybody follows suit. They do no such thing. It is only the beginning of a year according to the Gregorian calendar, but there is no extraordinary reason why the year should not commence on the first of any month, or in the middle of one for that matter.

In fact, the adherents of the Cop-tic Church commenced the year 1835 at last September, for even what we call 1819 is by no means universal. It is only 1919 of the Christian Era. A Jew would say that he is living in the year 5679, and he kept New Year on September 28th last. The Mohammedans started their year 1327 last October 28th. So no wonder the Turk is a little backward! He is still living in the Middle Ages!

But even all Christians do not agree in their calendar. There was a report in the papers that Russia had at last adopted the New Style, but it is certain that not one per cent. of her population will think of Christmas till January 7th. As they remain faithful, with Greece, Serbia, and Bulgaria, to the Julian calendar, their New Year does not make a beginning till we are calling the day January 14th. Moreover, owing to the rotation of the earth, our Australian brethren begin New Year at mid-day of December 31st.



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## The British Commonwealth.

(From the Boston Herald.)  
The commonwealth that Great Britain enjoyed or endured in the middle of the seventeenth century was but a small thing, and during the most of its time it had nothing of the character of a commonwealth as the term is understood nowadays. But that which General Smuts was the first to designate the British Commonwealth of Nations deserves the name, not so much because of its greatness and power as by reason of its members' undivided regard for the common weal, as shown most signally throughout the war. All the widely scattered sections of the so-called British Empire are animated by the spirit of freedom, and each that we know as a Dominion, Union or Commonwealth, is practically free to work out its destiny alone, so slight are the legal ties that may seem to hold them together. If one of them were discontented and wished to leave the family party, the Mother Country would not lift a finger in restraint. But that very liberty which is prized as the inalienable possession of each and all, instead of tending to disunity, as statesmen of earlier centuries imagined, is the most potent and abiding element of unity. See now how the old nation stands at the world's Peace Conference. Not alone but, as she stood in the war, with her children around her. And they are

there not as colonies, but as nations. Born as settlements, they have grown up to nationhood. In the carrying on of the war they proved their filial affection and their prowess; in the making of peace they have their national places at the conference. Besides the five representatives of the United Kingdom, there are nine that acknowledge the same flag—two for Canada, two for Australia, one for New Zealand, two for South Africa and two for India. The representation of fourteen may appear large for what is called the British Empire, but it is really a League of Nations. There is no British Emperor. The constitutional designation of the sovereign is, "Of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the seas, King," followed by the words, "Emperor of India." These three words are mainly a monument to the courtliness of Disraeli, who invented the title of "Empress of India" for Queen Victoria. Britain and the Dominions that are her offspring have not in their government anything like the imperialism that is synonymous with autocracy. They are strongholds of liberty, united states with whom the United States of America may act in happy concert for the welfare of the world. Acting so, the English-speaking peoples, with nineteen representatives at the Conference, will exert a powerful influence for the arrangement of a righteous peace.

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## FROM MY SCRAP-BOOK.

(By the Club-Editor.)  
This corner has been given to me on condition that I make it as interesting as possible, and everything that I publish herein is to be taken from my scrap-book. This scrap-book is a marvellous depository of knowledge, containing scraps and odds and ends collected for years from everywhere, and its chief interest lies in its variety of subject. Those who desire to acquire a collection of good tit-bits for their scrap-books would do no better than take those given in this corner from time to time.

Thomas Gray, the famous but gentle poet, generally wrote with a big tom cat on his knees. He was very fond of the feline species.

Lions and tigers are too weak in the lungs to run more than a mile.

Sesostris erected in the temple in Memphis immense statues of himself and his wife, 50 feet high, and of his children, 25 feet.

The river Rhine, in Germany, carries to the sea every day 145,980 cubic feet of mud.

**IMPORTANT.**  
Captain—Do you see that captain on the bridge five miles away?  
Tar—Ay ay, sir.  
Captain—Let him have one of those 12-inch shells in the eye.  
Tar—Which eye, sir?

A man is worth what he is, not what he has.

Almost every human ailment can be traced to the stomach.—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Commercial Candour: "Don't wait for that bald spot. Use Capilla."

To escape criticism: Do nothing, say nothing, be nothing.

The secrecy once maintained in respect to the parliamentary debates is still thought needful in diplomacy; and, in virtue of this secret diplomacy, England may any day be unawares betrayed by its ministers into a war costing millions of lives and hundreds of millions of treasure. Yet the English pride themselves on being a self-governed people.

What is fame, and what is glory?  
A dream, a jester's lying story,  
To tickle fools withal, or be  
A word of praise, purchase of blame,  
The wreck of a time-landed name.  
And this is glory!—this is fame!

**FOR TEMPORARY PURPOSES.**

The game warden came upon a youthful angler, and to make sure he was not disobeying the bass-fishing law he pulled the boy's string of fish out of the water, finding only catfish, perch and suckers. A few yards further down stream he came upon a large black bass wriggling on a string weighted down with a stone. He confronted the boy with it. "Well, you see, sir," explained the

youngster, "he's been taking my bait all morning, so I just tied him up there until I got through fishing."  
Private lives are more important than public reputations.—G. K. Chesterton.

**THE LIMIT.**  
"And her mean husband thinks she's extravagant!" "Why?" "Just because she insists on having Fido's monogram stamped on his dog biscuits!"

In the dreary regions of Northeastern Siberia the people, and even the snow, both give forth steam, and this vapor is instantly changed into millions of needles of ice, which make a noise in the air like torn satin. The raven, in its flight, leaves a long line of vapor behind, and the trunks of the thickest trees read with a loud report.

Government patronage should not be so dispensed as to train up a population to the one pursuit of boring gimlet-holes into the treasury, and then of seeking to enlarge them, as rapidly as possible, into auger-holes.—New York Tribune.

The lakes of America contain more than half of the fresh water on the earth.

Now rolls the ocean,  
Tumbles the sea:  
The long, steady rhythm  
thereof tumbles me.

The opprobrious gas conducer who deficiently, sempiternally stimulates to possess a magnum opus of nomenclature or polyonymy is guilty of an egregious ebullition of effrontery and dissimulation; is not worthy of commiseration; would be more successful as erpetologist; he should be immolated by an agglomerate of paranaphthaline and other harmless ingredients.

**MUST BE A GAMBLER.**  
Having ordered pudding, the waitress was surprised to find her guest, when she placed the dessert before him, pulling off his coat.  
"Why, sir," she exclaimed, "is there anything the matter?"  
"Oh, no," he replied, "but I'll just bet you five dollars I can jump from one currant to the other."

Union—An ailing individual frequently troubled by scabs and liable to strike without warning.

A Frenchman named John Serpent has earned fame as a hunter of snakes. Altogether he is said to have destroyed no fewer than 22,000.

**THE ONLY FAILING.**  
Jew—"Dere, now dey was properly braced up, dese pants fits you like a glove!"  
Outport Youth—"Yes, but don't you think they're rather tight under the arms?"

I don't think much of a man who is not wiser to-day than he was yesterday.—Lincoln.

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Cape St. George fishermen have been codfishing all the winter and are doing well. At Lourdes crews secure from 3 to 3½ quintals daily with jigger.  
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**Night's Landing.**  
 Last evening the transport "Corsican" escorted by the "Fogota" and "Glencoe" entered the harbor and proceeded to anchor in the water front. A large number of people gathered to witness the arrival of the heroes. The "Corsican" was met by a band of music and a large number of people. The "Fogota" and "Glencoe" also participated in the celebration. The night was filled with the sound of music and the sight of many people. The heroes were greeted with a warm and friendly welcome. The celebration was a grand and memorable event for the city.

### Reception to Ricketts, V.C.

At 11 o'clock another section came ashore from the "Corsican" and were met by a band of music. The heroes were greeted with a warm and friendly welcome. The celebration was a grand and memorable event for the city. The heroes were greeted with a warm and friendly welcome. The celebration was a grand and memorable event for the city. The heroes were greeted with a warm and friendly welcome. The celebration was a grand and memorable event for the city.

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The Gunner rides on horseback, he lives in luxury, The Sapper has his dug-out as "cushy" as can be, The Flying man's a sportsman, but he lives a long way back, In painted tent, or strawspread barn, or cozy little shack, Sapper and Gunner and Flying man, each to his job, say I, Have tickled the Hun with mine or gun, or bombed him from on high, But the quiet work—and the dirty work—since over the War began, Is the work that never shows at all—the work of the Infantryman.

The guns can pound the village and smash the trenches in, And the Hun is fast for home again when the T. M. B's begin, And the Vickers gun is a useful one in every war, But the real work is the work that's done with bomb and bayonet, Load him down from heel to crown, with tools and grub and kit, He's always there where the fighting is—he's there unless he's hit, Over the mud and the blasted earth, He's in at the death while he yet has breath, the British Infantryman.

Trudge and slip on the shell hole's lip, and fall in the clinging mire, "Steady in front"—"Go steady"—"Close up there"—"Mind the wire"—"Double behind where the pathway winds"—"Jump clear of the ditch"—"Jump clear," "Then halt in front and duck when the shells come near," Carrying parties all night long, all day in a muddy trench, With your feet in the wet and your head in the rain, and the sudden khaki stench, "Then over the top" in the morning, and onward all you can, This is the work that wins the War—the work of the Infantryman.

### Fritz's New Year.

Very curious terms of divination are practised in Hunland about this time. The methods of forecasting the future vary, of course, in different localities. In many parts of Germany, for instance, a girl who is desirous of knowing the vocation of her future lover is told to listen to the singing of a large kettle. With more or less accuracy the trade or occupation is determined according to the various tones.

A popular German New Year's amusement is the telling of fortunes by means of walnut shells. Good or ill-luck is foretold according to their movements in a bowl of water. Casting lead is another amusement to which Fritz devotes himself during his New Year's festivities. The molting in matter is poured into a basin of cold water after being placed over a spirit lamp. In tracing the various shapes assumed by the lead great amusement is afforded. For they are all presumed, by the way, to be symbolic as regards the future.

The weather of the coming year may be forecasted by taking an onion, cutting it through, and making twelve cups of it. Salt must be placed into each cup before it is placed in a row corresponding to the twelve months of the year. These cups in which the salt on the ensuing morning is found to be wet will prove the rainy months of the following year, whilst the contrary will prove the case in regard to those cups which prove otherwise.

### Priceless Tootsies.

One of the most priceless pair of feet in the world belong to Pavlova, the Russian dancer. She has literally danced round the world, and won golden opinions and golden coins wherever she has pirouetted. The income her twinkling feet produce will often run into six figures. But Russia, which has produced so many fine dancers, has not a monopoly of them. England has her own and only Phyllis Bedells, who has probably the lightest and airiest feet in the world, and whose action partakes more of seeming flying and floating than any other. Her feet are her fortune.

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Only once in a while do we offer these values in Hosiery. Here is a line of Ladies' Heavy fleece-lined Stockings of extra special value; full length and fashioned Hosiery that will give satisfaction in wear. **59c.** Special Price, per pair.

**WOMEN'S HOSE.**  
 Also a line of Ladies' Black Cotton Stockings of excellent value, and suitable for present wear. We were very fortunate in securing this line and have them now for your inspection. Sale Price, per pair **35c.**

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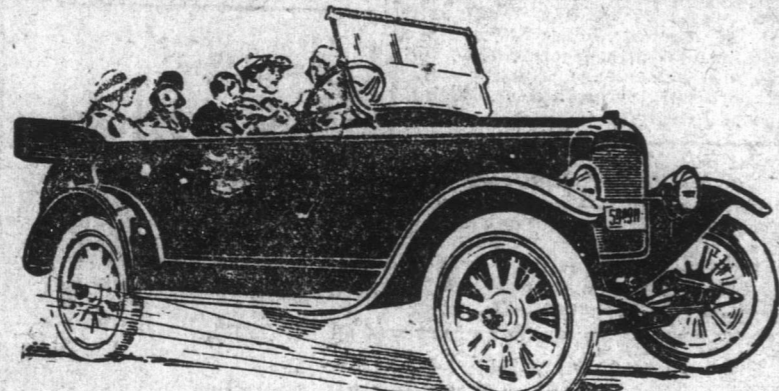


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