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CHAPTER XLIII That's nothing," he said, quietly Any one a fireman, at thirty shillings a week, would have tone all I did and less clumsily. That's that's nonsense-" The pain caught hold of him and silenced him for a moment; then he went on "I_I meant for what I said to you that night for what I asked you to do, Decima."

"Yes, I-I forgive," she said. "Thank you, dearest. You see, I take advantage of my situation, But, ah! Decima, you are 'dearest' to me. I love But I didn't mean to speak of that Decima, I have heard of your engage-

She started slightly, but said nothing.

"I've heard of young Illminster. 1 knew his uncle; a good sort I-I hope he'll make you a good husband, Decima. He's-he's a lucky young fellow. I I should like to see him, but I don't suppose they'd let me. As if it mattered! And-and-Decima, I've made a little will-" He smiled. "Don't be afraid, I've not left you anything worth speaking of. I know you'd only refuse It. No; only a trifle. Some pearls and things. You'll wear the dismonds on your wedding-day. Promise Decima! She was silent for a moment, then she said, almost inaudibly

"I promise." "Thanks! They-they were my mother's This this is rather a mournful business, and-and it may be absurd and grotesque too, for I may pull through after all, though I fancy not, for the doctor smiled, and when they smile- I've just seen Bobby. I've left him my guns and some other things. How dark it is getting, Decima! I can say this now, because well, because you are going to marry young Illminster and be happy. Yes, be happy, That has always 1 wish: just that you should be happy! opiness. My love hitherto has only live! you wretched, God forgive me!

But how I loved you!" He drew a long breath and looked at her as if he were trying to impress that he might carry it with him wher-

time. I hope, dearest-you will cross the river that divides life from death, and we shall meet. We shall meet face to face, with hearts bare to each other's gaze, and then you will know how I have loved you."



He looked at her with a brave smile. ut Decima could not see it for tear

"You you are wrong," she breathscarcely knowing what she said. "Lord Illminster-he-I-I am not go ing to marry him. I am-not going to marry any one."

"Not going to marry! Why not?" he

Her head sunk until her face was hidden upon his arm.

pered. "Oh, my dearest-" She cast aside her trembling shyness, and bent over him, love pouring from her eyes, vibrating in her voice. "Oh, don't you know? Did you think that I could should not love you now-now that

"Decima!" he breathed, wondering, scarcely daring to think that he was awake and not dreaming.

"Yes; I love you," she breathed. "I have loved you all through-it was wicked, I know, but I can not help it! There is no one else! There could not be! You must not die! Ah, you must not, or I must die, too! I could not live without you, dearest! I could not, because I love you better than life it-

A light shone in Gaunt's eyes, his lips trembled. He tried to move, but he could not: he was bound and swathed too scientifically, securely.

"I-I can't move!" he exclaimed. "I

Blushing over face and neck, she put her arms round him and raised him to her bosom, and bent lower, and lower, until her lips touched his. And when they had thus touched, they clung with a kiss in which even her great love found expression.

bosom and so dares Death itself.

Gaunt "Has he fainted?" he asked in grave whisper.

Decima held the dear head still closer—yet, how gently!—to her

young lady," said the doctor, gravely. But Gaunt opened his eyes.

smile. "I'm not going to die. Men don't die when they have so much to

her every feature upon his memory, ed his health and all his old strength with remarkable rapidity.

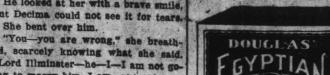
As Lady Roborough remarked, "the the most obstinate of men.

They were married within the month, and for a time, for nearly a year, in fact, disappeared from the sight, though not the memory, of their friends, and wandered about the Continent, far off the beaten tracks, staying at some little old-world town, or lingerizg beside one of the smaller It an lakes whose shores the tourist has not yet troubled with his check

suit and camera. They ought to have been bored to death; but, strange to say, they were not. Their love had been tried in a very flery furnace, and had stood a test even more severe than a prolonged honeymoon; and it was not because they were tired of wandering, or of each other, that at last, one day early in

summer; they turned homeward. That Leafmore was glad to see them goes without saying; and the people showed their delight at the return of "my lord and lady" in the usual way. There were triumphal arches, and a brass band, and the whole village turned out to meet and great them, and escorted them to the Hall with cheers which drowned the music of the band. To those who know the powthis will convey a fairly accurate idea of the heartiness of the cheerers.

Having reached home, Gaunt and ecims would have liked to settle down into a life as closely resemblished quiet honey-moon as possible but Decims was too wise to yield to



She wiped the tears from her eyes nastily, for they obscured her sight, and his face was precious to her.

asked in his thin voice. "Not marry Illminster? They told me- Why not?" "Because - because" - her voice broke, and her head bent lower-"because I do not love him. I-I love some

His eyes grew wider, and he frown-

one else!"

"Who is this some one else, Deeima?" he said, slowly, for his pain

had got hold upon him again. "Can't-can't-you tell?" she whiscease to love you? Did you think that I should change after? You know that I loved you. Do you think that I

you have risked—your life for me?"

-I can't put my arm round you! Oh. my love-my love!'

Her arms were still round him when the doctor came into the room and she looked round with a strange look in her lovely eyes. It was the look which the lioness wears when she is protecting her cub, the mother when she holds her best beloved against her The doctor looked at her and then at

"You-you had better go, my dear

"Let her stay, doctor!" he said, with graceful figure fully at ease in her foundland Registration No. 761), of God knows I have not helped you to live for, and I-well, I'm going to but with a firm, though light step, with

And he did. Much to the surprise of the doctors, Gaunt "turned the corner" that day, imagine. soon became convalescent, and regain-

"How I have leved you! Life is short Gaunts always did the unexpected;" let one be as happy as one may, life and she added, to Decima, that this is short. Soon—and yet not for a long particular member of the family was

"If he has made up his mind to live and make you happy, you may depend upon it he will do so."

He displayed his obstinacy, not only in getting well, but in the matter of an early marriage. Decima pleaded "for time," of course but Gaunt would scarcely listen to the plea; and she was so grateful to him for not dying, that she yielded.



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CHAPTER I. ladies "mince"-to use Hal's expres- able. sion-into the room. They are both tall and thin ("scraggy," as Hal would lescribe them); and for all their rich and fashionable attire, look somehov wanting and unfinished. It is difficult

to look elegant with a red nose, and the truth compels us to admit that both Maud and Georgina's noses are slightly tinted. It is difficult to assume that Only Tablets with "Bayer Cross" peculiar, easy grace which marks the patrician if you carry about with you perpetually the consciousness that your father made his fortune by making-pills. It is difficult to be even ordinarily

graceful when your clothes fit you so tightly that you can't move your legs more than two or three inches at a time. It is difficult, not to say imposhible, to assume an ease, when you know that a pair of clear, searching cruelly frank eyes are fixed on you, re realing in their crystal candor the consciousness of the owner.

One of the Misses Lambton's sealskin jackets would have bought up the whole of Jeanne's wardrobe; they had ten dresses to her one; they lived in a ment huge barrack of a house, moved in a cloud of servants, possessed chariots | and horsemen, and yet, for all their airs and graces, they were conscious stamped with the safety that Jeanne possessed something that they lacked, and they were never quite

at their ease in her presence. Straight as an arrow, her fresh, shell-tinted face serene and still, her larger "Bayer" packages. well-worn, plainly-cut dress, Jeanne comes forward, with no mincing gait, no veneery smile, but with a placid gravity-comes forward the most direct contrast to them it is possible to

"My dear Jeanne," says Maud, in the affected falsetto, which she deems the correct high tone," "we are so glad to find you at home. We were afraid

you might be out." "I wish I-I mean," says Jeanne, correcting herself quickly, but composedly, "I mean it is a beautiful afternoon: but I have been practicing. I have to practice for an hour every afternoon."

"Poor darling," murmurs Georgina, mincing to a chair. "How cruel! Don't your hands get cold?"

"No." says Jeanne, promptly. "Nor your feet? Oh, dear," says Maud. "we're obliged to have the patent keywarmer, and we have the carriage footwarmer, too, don't we, Georgina? but then we get so cold." "Yes!" says Jeanne, eyeing them

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threatens to slay it outright, and the Pashion two fashionable young ladies smooth their muffs and look at their boots and smile inanely.

Jeanne comes to their rescue. she says, doubtfully, "She is in the kitchen, I think."

"Oh please please don't distur her." says Maud, putting up her hands imploringly, something after the fashion in which the ill-used heroine on the stage beseeches mercy of the hard-hearted tyrant. "We only came in to ask you if you would come over tomorrow to the park and skate with us. It won't be a party-will it,

"Oh, no, not a party," murmura Georgina, deprecatingly; "only ourselves and the Honorable Mr. Fitz-"Only the Honorable Mr. Fitzjames!

choes Maud, with due emphasis or the "Honorable." "He is staying with us, you know. Such a charming man, oh quite too charming-so good-natur ed and-and-"

"Attentive." chimes in Georgina You must come!" "Thanks!" says Jeanne, in her dir

ect fashion: "I'll come if I may. I'll ask aunt." "Do!" sung both in chorus, "And your brother-bring him, too, Jeanne

"I will if he'll come" says Jeanne with a shrewd suspicion in her mind Jeanne smoothes her dress and the that Hal would prefer to skate or delicate wrinkles from her forehead slide—on the butcher's pond rather at the same time, and comes forward, than on the park lake, in the company as two fashionably-dressed young of the Miss Lambtons and an honor-

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Pattern 3423 is here portrayed. It is cut in 3 Sizes: 16, 18 and 20 years. A 16 year size will require 4% yards of 36 inch material

Serge, velveteen, taffeta, satin, broadcloth, duvetyn and charmeuse are attractive for this style. The width of the skirt at the lower edge is about yards with plaits extended.

A pattern of this illustration mailed o any address on receipt of 15c. in silver or stamps.

NEW HOUSE DRESS IN "TIE ON



Pattern 3133 supplies this design. It is cut in 7 Sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. A medium size will require 5% yards of 36 inch material. The width of the dress at its lower edge is about 1% yard. Striped or checked gingham, seersucker, percale, madras, linen, and lawn are suit-

able for this style. A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 15c. in

silver or stamps. Address in full:-NOTE: -Owing to the continual ad-

vance in price of paper, wages, etc., we are compelled to advance the price patterns to 15c. each.

Household Notes

Keep on hand a supply of small squares of new cotton cloth for wiping meat and fish. Make up a batch of cornmeal cakes for the dogs. They are healthful

food for them. After parsnips are boiled, if they are plunged into cold water the skins will slip off easily. Oil loth can be cleaned with milk

and polished with a mixture of beeswax and turpentine. If the lid of a fruit jar is held under warm water a minute, it will come off with prying. When stuffing tomatoes, add a small

quantity of cooked meat, finely chop-Sandwiches are duickly made on a wintry morning if the butter is put

in the oven over night.

1000 Chairs! Plates.

1000 Chairs! 1000 Chairs!

We are now offering these Chairs as a special inducement (they are really worth \$2.50) to patriots of Newfoundland.

The price is ridiculously low. These Chairs were all made in our building and built on a system of reinforcement and are much more reliable than imported chairs, besides being cheaper.

Why do you buy imported chairs and employ workmen of other countries, leaving your own idle?

BE PATRIOTIC! BUY CHAIRS MADE HERE!

Our Mr. T. Henry Smith (who hopes to sail by the "Sachem") expects to sell very large quantities of these Chairs for export to Great Britain. If he has such faith in our new make of Chairs, surely you will allow his long and expert experience in our trade to induce you to buy goods made in your own country. Look at our price also. Keep your money circulating in Newfoundland. Come to-day. On offer only until end of year.

Other Bargains in Furniture on View.

The C. L. March Co., Ltd.

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New Arrivals: Good Whole Rice,

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DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN TOKIO.

A COWARDLY MURDER.

MARTENS SURRENDERS.

Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, Russian

States, to-day notified the Department

of Labor that upon instruction from

the Moscow Government just received

by cable he will surrender himself for

deportation on January third. Moscow

advices directed Martens not to appea

from the order for his deportation

signed by Secretary of Labor Wilson

recently, but to return to Russia as

oon as possible with his entire Rus-

sian staff Cancellation of all contracts

negotiated for the Russian Govern-

ment with United States firms, said

by Martens to amount to some fifty

UNEMPLOYMENT IN CANADA.

Unemployment in Canada is stated

o be about four per cent. greater than

would be a normal condition at this

are approximately some seventy-five

thousand more men out of work in dif-

ferent sections of the country than

time. This figure was arrived at today's session of the Executive of the

there have been other years at this

Employment Service of Canada which

WOUNDED NOT DEAD.

Gabriel D'Annunzio is said to have

been slightly wounded, according to

the Milan correspondent of the London

Times. The report that D'Annunzio has been killed, the correspondent

WORLD'S BIGGEST FISHING PORT.

This city was said to have become

the "greatest fishing port in the world"

with the announcement to-day that

122,000,000 pounds of ground fish had

been brought here during this year.

shattering all records of the last thirty

years. It is estimated that at least

three million pounds will have been

added to this total before the year

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Soap, Cintment, Talcum, 25c. each. Sold everywhere. Can. Depot: Lymans, Limited, St. Paul St., Montreal.

Unseen Women of India.

lic reference to Hindu and Moham-

medan women of standing is dis-

couraged in India. Even on their

holidays from the time of their set-

in the heart of a big native city till

they arrive at the summer residence

in the hills, they are not allowed to

show their faces. Stepping into the

bullock cart closely veiled, the hood

of the cart veils them still further.

railway station. They step out veil-

culine gaze, a double screen is erect-

ed around them, and under escort of

their trusted menials, they solemnly

walk to the railway carriage, which

is labeled "women only." Once in-

side, and then only when the carriage

is on the move, will they deign to

remove the purdah or veil. On arriving at any station down goes the

screen again. Journeying from the

railway carriage at their destination

to their new residence, the same

Sable Island Leaves.

S.S. Sable I. left for Sydney at 10

o'clock this morning, taking as pas-

solemn ritual is gone through.

BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 27.

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was held at the Labor Department.

OTTAWA, Dec. 27.

LONDON, Dec. 27.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 27.

Irish Constabulary.

TOKIO, Dec. 27.

BELFAST, Dec. 27.

Famine Stalking Through China.

75,000 Unemployed in Canada--Russian-Polish Peace Negotiations Broken Off--Fiume Being Bombarded -- D'Annunzio Reported Wounded.

CHINA'S DESPERATE NEED.

OTTAWA, Dec. 27. The Governor General has received message from China as follows: "China helpless. Appalling famine. Entreat Canadian people help."

D'ANNUNZIO'S SUPPORTERS SUR-RENDER. PARIS, Dec. 27.

Fiumian legionaries and Dalmatian volunteers at Zara have surrendered to Italian regulars, after failing in an

DEMONSTRATORS DISPERSED.

ROME, Dec. 27. Crowds attempted to hold demon strations in favor of Captain D'Annunzio last night, but strong detachments of Royal Mounted Guards dis-

D'ANNUNZIO REPORTED KILLED.

ROME, Dec. 27. It was reported from Fiume to-day that Gabriele D'Annuozio, the insur- houses throughout the city were lowgent leader in that city, had been ered. According to some reports rekilled while trying to prevent a fight ceived here D'Annunzio was only between his legionaries and regular wounded and taken to hospital. One

ZARA SURRENDERS. Zara, a Delmatian port south of which are composed chiefly of carbin-

Fiume, has capitulated to the Italian Government forces operating against Gabriele D'Annunzio, according to a Central News despatch received here to-day. The surrender occurred after a siege lasting several days, the despatch states.

CASUALTIES ARE LIGHT.

ROME. Dec. 27. Casualties sustained by regulars in fighting with D'Annunzio's legionaries up to the present are reported to be thirty killed and about one hundred wounded. The wounded include several carbineer officers. The rebel forces have blown up four bridges.

VENICE, Italy, Dec. 27. Reports of the death of Gabriele D'Annunzio spread quickly throughout Venice to-day. The Italian colors on the flagstaff in St. Martin Square were immediately half masted and shortly afterwards flags on private report says that not withstanding the absence of D'Annunzio, fighting continues, the legionaries trying to prevent the passage of regular troops,

Christmas Greetings.

We wish to extend to our customers in the city and outports, and the public in general, our very best wishes for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New

We also wish to remind them that as Christmas Day is the only one for the family reunion, not to forget their Cameras and a full supply of film for that day. Get them at

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ship Readorro participated in the operation against Fiume by firing gren ades which killed several persons One of the grenades struck the torpedo boat destroyer Espero, setting the vessel on fire.

BOMBARDING FIUME.

TRIESTE, Dec. 27. glia are bombarding Flume in com bination with the navy. The guns are being directed against barracks, palace and similar buildings, the intention being to damage the city as little as possible. The destroyer Espero, which recently deserted to D'Annunzio's side, has been sunk by a shell from the cruiser Andrea Doris. The poet's resistance is of the most dog-

MINERS RESUME WORK PENDING NEGOTIATIONS.

LONDON, Dec. 27. Striking miners in the Rhonda coa field district to-day voted to resume work pending negotiations between their employers and the South Wales executive committee. A general strike of miners in the district was reported December 22, following a refusal of one company to reinstate eleven men dismissed on the ground that their work was not remunerative to

DEATHS FROM DRINKING.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 27. A holiday drinking bout caused asphyxiation of four persons, is the opinion of officers who investigated the finding of the bodies of three men and a woman in a south end tenement to-day. The victims were Thomas Burke and his wife, John McConnell and Joseph Richards, al mill workers. The men died in a room in which a gas stove was found with one exhaust open, and Mrs Burke's body was in an adjoining room. Evidences of heavy drinking were plentiful, the police said.

URGES DISARNAMENT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27. A disarmament agreement by five great Powers would be the one great step toward prevention of all future wars, Senator Johnson, Republican, California, declared in the Senate today, commenting on an editorial on ting out from the ancestral domain the subject appearing in a New York

U. S. STEAMER HUTCHINSON IN

DISTRESS. LONDON, Dec. 27. A wireless to Lloyds on Saturday The trotting bullocks take them to the reports the United States steamer Hutchinson without propeller and ed, but, in case their shrouded forms needing immediate tow three hundred should still attract the vulgar mas-

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS BROKEN

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 27. Russian-Polish peace negotiations at Riga are definitely broken off, says a Moscow despatch.

UNTRUE.

OTTAWA, Dec. 27. Official denial is given here that Canada is entering into negotiations with the United States. Australia and New Zealand with a view to prohibit ing Japanese immigration.

SIX KILLED AS RESULT OF AN

DUBLIN, Dec. 27. An official report says, forces of the crown while approaching a place where a dance was being held near Bruff, Limerick, to-day, were fired on and one policeman killed. Five civilians were killed when the police returned the fire and one hundred and thirty-eight civilians were made

REPUBLICAN EFFORTS FAIL. WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.
Difforts of Republican leaders to ad to-day what they describe as a

Revised Version able by a vote of thirty-three to of the Bible.

of Mississippi, promptly moved to re-fer the measure to the Interstate Commerce Committee and the fight In February, 1870, the Convocation of Canterbury of the Church of Eng-English translation of the Bible. In the following May the committee re-Fire destroyed one hundred houses in Tokio to-day. The loss has not yet to invite the co-operation of any woman indentified as Elizabeth nation or religious body they may be-Scales was shot dead in Limerick last long." This report was adopted. night while walking with a policeman. Such invitation was given and ac-Following the announcement some cepted. The Church of England intime ago of a boycott against the poitiated the work, but the work was lice, residents were warned that drasthe achievement of English-speaking tic action would be taken against any Christendom as a whole. caught speaking with members of the

The revision of the New Testament was completed in 407 meetings, distributed over more than ten years. The revision was finally presented to Convocation on May 17, 1881. The revision of the Old Testament occupied 792 days, and was finished on June 20, 1884. The revised Apocrypha did not make its appearance until 1895.

The delegates of the Clarendon Press in Oxford, and the syndics of the Pitt Press in Cambridge. England, entered into a liberal arrangement with the revisers, by which the necessary funds were provided for all their expenses.

The revised version of the Bible s permitted to be used in churches. but is not "authorized." that is, it has not replaced the authorized version of the reign of King James I.

GIFTS THAT ENDURE. Diamond Rings, Solitaire, 3 stone and 5 stone, Diamond and Emerald, Ruby, Saphire and Amethyst combination, at LANGMEAD'S Jewellery Store.

Last Night's Dance.

night in the C.C.C. Hall by the Dominion Orchestra, at which over 125 couples were present. The music by the orchestra under the direction of Mr T. Bennett, was excellent and although last night's affair was the new orchestra's first public appearance, they have made a good impression and will no doubt be appreciated by the pubilc. During the night supper was served by the lady friends of the orchestra. under the supervision of Misses Timmons, Oliphant, Armstrong and Myler and was thoroughly enjoyed. Dancing was indulged in till 2 a.m. when the National Anthem brought a most enjoyable entertainment to a close.

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GEESE in splendid order.

DUCKS, very choice CHICKEN, our own special.

We regret our New Year supply of Turkeys cannot reach us in time for Friday's business. We are therefore offering

300 FAT GEESE in splendid order and choice condition at 50c. per pound.

Also 300 pairs **FRESH RABBITS** 60c. per pair.

And 100 brace FRESH PARTRIDGE

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Assorted Glace Fruits 1 lb. boxes.

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Pure Gold Extract of Lemon and Vanilla. all sizes Maconochie's Lemon Cheese-Glass. Finest Quality Guar-

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A Box of "O.K." TABLE APPLES will make a most acceptable gift for your friends. We have 150 boxes comprising ten cf the most popular varieties.

MOIR'S FANCY BOXES from \$1.50 up.

American Parsnips— Selected. Carrots and Beets. Calif. Navel Oranges. Fresh Fruit—A large and varied assort-

Citron Peel . . 57c. lb.

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Cranberries. Pan Yan Sauce. Pan Yan Pickles Maconochie's Pickles and Chow Chow. Lazenby's Pickled Onions Beef Suet, 1 lb. tins. Local Green Cabbage Free from frost.

Pears, 60c. doz. up.

CONCHAS & GOVERNOR CIGARS, 1/4 and 1/2 boxes.

FINE JAMAICA CIGARS Boxes of 50, from .. \$9.00 per hundred up

"Beech Nut" Bacon, "Sinclair's" Bacon, Canadian Bacon, Nicely sliced as you

Durkee's Salad Dressing. Libby's Salad Dress Saur Kraut. Dill Pickles.

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

ATTACK ON POLICE. Loughran. The Sable I. will make one more trip to this port from Sydney, after which the ship will run during the winter between Halifax and St. John's.

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Evening Telegram

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

Tuesday, December 28, 1920.

Coals of Fire?

Judging by the kind remarks the Star has been making about us lately, that paper seems to have suffered Inspector Newhook a complete revulsion of feeling in reference to our humble selves. We cannot, however, believe that kind remarks from the Star are kindly meant. In fact, we think that that dona ferentes" would be a very apconnection propriate quotation in with the Star's complimentary remarks. To hear a paper which fortoo unbelievable, to be for one mo- The Inspector was taken by surprise, face in our editorial handkerchief and Inspector and Mrs. Newhook entertainfloor below would imagine that the sant hour was spent. pipes had burst. No, we cannot believe in the Star's compliments, much as we would like to, for unfortunately the reputation of that journal is not one that is very likely to inspire confidence or belief in its editorial

buyers. The volume covers che icals, dyestuffs and oils, and contains prospects in the future Admitting in this field, he points out that as a moment out of the running, while Britain, owing to the strenuous efforts after more proficiency in these industries, is far better able now to take care of a large portion of the world's trade in these industries, and should be able to hold its own, even after Germany gets upon its manufacturing feet again, as it is quite cer-tain Germany will, sooner or later. Glancing through the pages of this work, the articles and advertise-ments contained in which are printed not only in English, but in French, Italian, Spanish, Portugueze, Danish, Norwegian, Dutch and Russian, it is quite evident that British manufac-turers are strongly reminded to make the most of present conditions and to cater as far as possible to the world's chemical trades. The list of heavy and fine chemicals, dyestuffs, and oils, to be had from the firms whose announcements are included herein, seems to be pretty nearly complete, and shows that those engaged in these manufactures in the old country are certainly waking up.

Interment of Mons. Reardon

ardon which arrived by train from Placentia vesterday were A.C. Cathedral where ther lay in state e of the largest ae. Besides representatives of the crious Catholic Societies many of the Catholic citizens fol

Recent Burglaries.

NO ARRESTS YET MADE.

nan, in the West End of the city Europe. Seen on board ship by the looked at the cash register, but were disappointed in this direction as all the money had been placed in the be the selling of Union fish, but "genwas also entered from the rear, had goods to the value of \$200 taken from it, This is not the first time that this shop has been robbed during the present year. On Xmas morning the store of Mr. Fred Lukins, Hayward Avenue, was also entered and nine dollars was stolen from it. Attempts have also been made recently to enter private residences. Unless the perpetrators of these robberies are soon found many householders undoubtedly have uneasy minds.

Honoured

A deputation from the police force consisting of Constables Green, Myers, little bit from Virgil "Timeo Danaos et | Walsh and Day called on Inspector Newhook of the City Constabulary at his residence on Field Street and presented him with a suitably engraved walking stick and an address in ap- pital Board of Governors, the ap- having been but recently released merly could not heap sufficient preciation of his sterling qualities as abuse on us, now lavishing praise by a senior officer of the Force and of his the bucketful, is almost too unusual, courtesy to the men under his charge. ment considered true. And yet, why but in thanking the men, not for the should it not be true? Is it not pos- intrinsic value of the gift, but for the sible that at this season of peace and kindly and generous spirit which goodwill the Star has repented and is prompted them to make the presentanow attempting to heap coals of fire tion, he regarded duty well done the on our head? We would like to be- highest tribute to the men of the Force lieve it, but we fear that it would be of all ranks, and if he had been able such an unusual thing for the Star to merit that appreciation from the to do, that if we thought for a mo- privates, he indeed felt very happy on ment it was true we would bury our this Xmas Day. After the presentation weep tears of joy until those on the ed the visitors and a social and plea-

Xmas Service

at the Kirk.

Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Large bottles \$1 each. Xmas Eve to hear the choir give their British Trade Enterprise Amas Eve to hear the choir give their annual carol service. Anthems, carols, solos, duets and selections from Fish Consumption The second volume of British For- Handel's immortal oratorio "The Meseign Buyers, published by the Atlas siah," comprised the items rendered, Co., Preston and London, has just and it must be very gratifying to Mr. been issued, and copies sent to the Moncrieff Mawer, the organist, and British Consuls and certain other the members of the choir, that the Trade Commissioner, who has a local rink. Now that the orchestrola has officials, and to colonial and foreign various numbers were so successfully office at 29 Broadway, New York, and been repaired the skating will be ap-The tone of the choir as whole was well balanced and the ser- ed in the near future to increase the a preface by Sir John F. Brunner, vice will long be remembered as one consumption of fish. He says: "I be-Director of Brunner, Mond & Co., of the most successful in the history lieve that a nation-wide campaign in Ltd., the great chemical manufacture of the church. The congregation was favor of eating fish is necessary. I uners, Northwich, Cheshire Sir John highly pleased. Those who took solo derstand there is a movement on in Brunner writes on British Chemical parts were Miss Elsie Herder, Miss Chicago at the present time to con-Trade Opportunities, and reviews the Marguerite Mitchell, Miss Gladys Red- duct a publicity propaganda setting present state of the manufacture of stone, Mrs. E. Campbell, Mrs. C. F. forth the nutritious properties of fish, Chemicals, etc., in the British Isles, Garland, Messrs. Arthur Williams, L. and to encourage a greater consumpwith reference to its past, and to its Price, A. R. Stansfield and W. L. tion. Eminent physicians have time Woods, all of whom were in their best and again pronounced on the value of the lead that Germany and attained form and rendered the different se- fish as a brain food."—Montreal Daily lections without a flaw. The collec- Star, Dec. 21. result of the war Germany is for the tions taken during the evening will be devoted to the funds of the choir.

Elks Elect Officers.

Newfoundland Elks, Lodge No. met last night when the executive for the ensuing year were elected as fol-

Exalted Ruler—Bro. Dr. A. Perkins Lecturing Knight—Bro. R. H. Tait. Loyal Knight-Bro. P. J. Grace. Sr. Leading Knight-Bro. G. R. Par-Esquire-Bro. Val Warren.

Chaplain-Bro. P. Halley. Organist-Bro. Dr. Hal Tait. Secty.-Bro. J. J. St. John. Treas.-Bro. D. Thistle. Trustees-Bros. Dr. J. Murphy, H. M. Mosdell, E. J. Goodland.

The newly elected officers were dul installed by the Past Exalted Ruler and a social hour followed.

Personal.

Mrs. W. G. Gosling is a passenger by the Sachem sailing for England Mr. and Mrs. A. Macpherson leav by the Sachem this morning on a visit

leave by the Sachem this morning for England where they will spend the

Mrs. A. J. Ivany and child, wife of staff Sergt.-Major Ivany of the Militia Department, leave by the S.S. Sachen this morning for Hastings, via Liverool. Mrs. Ivany will spend the winter

Gifts that endure, the latest designs in Pendants, Gem Set, for your Wife, Sweetheart or Lady Friend, prices not to compare with value, at LANG-MEAD'S Jewellery Store.

G. Knowling, Ltd.

Marine Minister

ON UNION BUSINESS.

Fishermen's Union business only is the cause of the departure by the om the store of Mr. W. H. Jack- Sachem to-day of Hon. W. F. Coaker for he explained to the reporter. Mr. Coaker stated that his business would not

C. L. B. Band Concert.

The annual New Year's Band Conyear, as formerly, new music has been loss. specially selected and under the able direction of Captain A. Morris, the concert promises to be as great a success as ever. Some of the best local talent has also been obtained for this concert, and a musical feast is in store for all who attend.

A Non-Existant Position.

nie to a position as accountant at the cupy the Magistrate's attention. General Hospital, has created a rather cerned. Mr. Rennie has been given position does not exist and consequently no salary has been allotted for it in the estimates. The matter has not yet been brought before the

McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, Dec. 28. one that builds up the nerves, quickgestive powers, Gault's Cod Liver Oil to send the lad down for vagrancy. Compound stands high, and can gen, erally be depended on to produce quick improvement. It is particularly valuable in convalescence from severe illness, to clear up the remains of a cold and where the nerve power is weak A large congregation attended St. Easy to take, and quickly assimilated.

Campaign.

ign will be start

Exporters Meet.

The Exporters' Association held neeting in the Board of Trade Rooms this forenoon. Hon. R. A. Squires. the Premier, attended the meeting by request and spoke at some length on the Italian situation, giving particulars of situation as seen by him on his recent visit to Italy. It is currently reported that during the absence of Mr. Coaker the Regulations will be lifted, and that his trip was arranged so as to faciliate matters.

KNOWLING'S CHINA & GLASS DEPARTMENT.

Wine Glasses \$2.00 doz. Decanters 65c. each Tumblers, \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.35, \$1.55 doz.

Rubigold Wine Sets \$2.70 Lemonade Sets (Rubigold) \$2.70

Beer Mugs, \$2.85, \$3.00, \$5.60 dozen. Nut Sets, 2 pieces, Jap. China, \$1.00 set

shipment of very cheap

northern mercantile firm will be held Napples . . . \$1.00, \$1.20, \$1.65 dozen this evening. The liabilities of the firm is said to be about \$120,000 . Glass Jugs 37c., 50c., 65c. each TOO LATE for Xmas but just in Dissolve 11/4 lbs. sugar in 3 time for the NEW YEAR, a quarts of water and add con-tents of one bottle Stafford's

Tea Sets. Ess. Ginger Wine .- dec10,tf \$4.30, \$5.10, \$5.50.

was one case of scarlet fever reported yesterday. Two cases of diphtheria were reported to-day. In both cases the patients are domestics, one in a house on Monkstown Road and the other on

French Schooner Reported Lost.

The crew of the schr. Belle Franklin, which arrived in port yesterday evening from the northward, brings to be about three hundred dollars. To remove three iron bars before they could raise the window at the back.

The seem on board snip by the story that while the story the story that while the story that while the story Once having entered they helped but purely in the interests of the Un- Co., had gone ashore at Fogo Head themselves to the best they could ion Trading Company. I will visit Eng- on Wednesday last. The Curieuse was find, included in which were three land, Spain and Portugal, Italy and bound across and was supposed to suits, two ragians, several suits of Greece." Mr. Coaker laughed aside the have left early last week, but owing underwear, and some articles of rumor that he would visit Egypt. "It to the telegraph lines being put out ewellery. The night maranders also is probably a joke on someone's part," of commission during the recent received. If the Belle Franklin's resafe. When Mr. Jackman examined eral business." He will be absent about the second foreign going vessel to be the store he found the register on the three months. Mr. Charlie Bryant aclost at Fogo within the past three weeks, the Danish schooner Harriett having driven ashore early in the month and became a total loss. So far as Mr. Long, a member of the Nfid. Labrador Export Co., is concerned, he has had no confirmation of the cert given by the C.L.B. Cadets Band report. Up to press hour the French being eagerly looked forward to Consul, Hon. Tasker Cook, had likeby music lovers in the city. This wise received no word of the vessel's

Police Court.

The audience at the Court House this morning was unusually small. This was evidently due to the inclement weather, although it is rather extraordinary that even bad weather should keep away the habitues from their usual morning's amusement. There were only two cases to oc-

A youth was charged with larceny. delicate situation as far as the Hos- He is rather a notorious character, pointee, and the Government are con- from the Penitentiary after serving a term of twelve months. He pleaded a position at a salary of \$1,600, which guilty and was sent down for six months with hard labor.

A boy of seventeen was in for safe keeping. He had been released yesterday from the Penitentiary where he had been serving a term for larceny. Being afraid to go home, he applied at the Police Station for shelter for the night. His Honor ordered him to be detained until his father could be questioned as to whether he As a general reconstructive tonic, would give the boy another chance or not. If not, the Magistrate would ens the appetite, and improves the di- have no other course open to him but

Getting the Rink Ready.

The management of the Prince's Rink now have a staff of men at work busily engaged in preparing the rink for the coming season. Provided that there is a sufficient amount of frost to put the ice in condition during the next few days, we understand that the rink will open on New Year's Day. Hundreds of hockey and skating enthusiasts about town are now eagerly John M. Devine, the Newfoundland looking forward to the opening of the

Coastal Boats.

CROSBIE'S. S. S. Susu left Weslevville at day GOVERNMENT.

S. S. Portia left St. Jacques early this morning. S. S. Prospero left Fortune Harbon at 2 p.m. Saturday.

GOV'T RAILWAY COMMISSION. Clyde left Lewisporte at 1.50 a.m. Sunday, inward. Senef left Lewisporte at 3.20 p.m.

vesterday. Glencoe left Fortune at 2.30 p.m. yesterday, going to Port aux Basques. Home arrived at Lewisporte at 5.40 o.m. yesterday.

Petrel left Clarenville at 4.30 p.m. Here and There.

Meigle at North Sydney.

Tweedie Boot Tops at 25 p.c

ON DRY DOCK .- S.S. Horna went on Dry Dack yesterday to have repairs made to her damaged propellor.

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which has been here for some time un-Seda Tumblers \$2.30 doz. dergoing repairs, resumed her voyage

PUBLIC HEALTH REPORT. There

10 p.c. off Ladies' and Gen-tlemen's, Misses' and Children's Dry Batteries and Flashlights Long Rubbers and Gaiters at lively and lasting. Smallwood's .- dec13,tf. MEETING OF CREDITORS.-A meeting of the creditors of a large

blowing. At Clarenville the thermom ter registered 30 above.

Lime Street. All three patients have MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR DIPH. NEUBALGIA.

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dec24.27.28.feb1.2,3,mar2,3 WEATHER ALONG RAILWAY. The weather along the railway yesterday was dulf. A light S.W. wind was

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EXPECT NO SALES.—Messages eceived yesterday by a prominent business firm were to the effect that it is absolute folly to expect to For your health's sake we of- sell any of our Labrador fish to Italy fer Nature's answer to Consti-pation, "LES FRUITS." EL-LIS'S.—dec9,tf at the prices set by the regulations and that Ragnoli has made further purchases of fish at very favorable

Here and There.

New Year's Night, at the Methodist College Hall, and hear the' Overtures Morning, Noon and Night in Vienna, Rosamunde, Chu-Chin-Chow, by the C. L. B. CADETS' BAND.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind S.E., blowing strong with a heavy snow storm; nothing sighted

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Shipping Notes.

S.S. Canadian Sapper is leaving Halifax to-day for here. S.S. Canadian Fisher leaves Hallfax on the 13th for Kingston, Bahamas, Nassau, British Honduras. S.S. Sachem, scheduled to sail for Liverpool this morning, was unable to leave port on account of the

Floral Tributes to the Departed.

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IN LOVING MEMORY Three Doors West of Minnie Fitzpatrick, who died at Revere, Mass., Boston, on Dec. 27th, 1918.—R.I.P. (Inserted by her mother and father).

Also her step-sister, Alice Day, who did at Halifax on Dec. 29th, 1918.—R. I.P. (Inserted by her mother and

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wonderful brook in the wild intains of South Carolina is called quena. In this region, according legend, war raged between two lian tribes. The fierce strangers already wounded the chieftain of native tribe and pursued his from Burin for Gibraltar with 2961 thter. Now the beautiful Issa- qtls. of codfish. a, with her black locks flowing. before their whizzing arrowsintil she reached the edge of the and suddenly disappeared from sight. And the warriors comip; saw with surprise in her 52 hours from this port. the wonderful brook which

ors turned away in deep dis- weather.

appointment, exclaiming: "The Great waterfall." Then they went back to their families and told them the story. Since that day beautiful Issaquena found refuge among the rocks. the brook has borne her Indian name

Shipping Notes. Schooner Winifred Lee has sailed

S.S. Canadian Sapper has been de layed in Halifax and leaves for this port this morning. S.S. Rosalind arrived at Halifax a

2 a.m. Sunday after a stormy trip of Schooner Mollie Fearn which sailed itself in the wooded glen far be- for the northward yesterday morning th their feet. They beheld the to load codfish returned to port yeserfall in bewilderment. Soon the terday afternoon owing to unfavorable gift and kind thoughts extended to

Widespread Sale of Illicit Drugs.

The war against illicit dealers abit-forming drugs is being prosecu ed vigorously by officials of the Fed eral Department of Heelth, working in o-operation with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, but it is stated that there is hardly a section of the Dominion which is not in some measur enmeshed by these drugs. Every pos sible means is being taken to une offenders, and during a period eight months in 1920 prosecution have been obtained in forty differen sections of the country, and fines in these cases amounting to approximate

In Montreal two women were found guilty of attempting to transpor narcotine from Montreal to Cornwall, Ontario. The shipment involved had value of anywhere from ten to wenty thousand dollars. After a prolonged fight in the Montreal courts the women were found guilty and fined \$500 and costs, the drugs being

In Saskatoon recently twenty-onwith terms of imprisonment, being day. mposed. In many cases drugs to the value of \$12,000 wholesale were confiscated and when the hundred per cent. profit of the traffickers were added these shipments would have had a marked value of \$50,000 cr

ames are included among those confrom the register of the College of the embargo was put on in support of Physicians and Surgeons of the pro- the strike of one hundred and fifty rince in which he practised. Many railway yardmen employed at plants, doctors have been fined \$500 and up, ave been sent to prison for terms f two years at hard labor.

Many ingenious devices for getting the drugs into Canada have been dis Spirit has transformed the girl into a covered by the health department officials in their work to stamp out the "underground craffic" in narcotine.

Kindly Act.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir .- Please insert the follow ing in your valuable paper: A pleas ing event took place on Xmas morning, when H. Coultas and J. Butler, of Knowling's Central Dry Goods Dept. proceeded to the Sanitorium where they were met by Dr. Rendell, who escorted them to the bedside of Mr. Willie Ross, to whom they presented a gift of fruit and cash on behalf of the employees of G. Knowling, Ltd. Willie, as he is familiarly known

Yours truly, A FRIEND.



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BRUISES—SPRAINS - SORE THROAT

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

BOTTOM HAS DROPPED OUT OF

SYDNEY, Dec. 28.

EMBARGO ON DOMINION AND SCO-TIA STEEL.

HALIFAX, Dec. 28. An embargo on all shipments to and from the plants of the Dominion Steel Corporation and Scotia Steel and Coal Company went into effect on Canadian National Railway lines icted. In one case the name of the east, at midnight last night. Accordoctor found guilty has been erased ing to the Herald of this morning, which is now in the fifth week. nd in other cases persons convicted Yardmen demand a revision of hours and increases in pay.

> FIUME FORCES REORGANIZED. TRIESTE, Dec. 28. The forces investing Fiume have

> been reorganized and reinforced. Another Fiumean aeroplane was captured yesterday, making the fourth that has fallen into the hands of Govern-

WILL BLOW UP TOWN RATHER THAN SURRENDER.

Fiumean despatches say legionaries in the city are using electric drills to bore under and mine buildings in leading thoroughfares through which invading troops must pass. They say it is the intention to blow up town rather than surrender.

FIUME OCCUPIED BY REGULAR of excitement from the rise of cur-TROOPS.

thanked the donors for the generous Fiume was occupied by regular vorces John Bruce to marry the man roops, Premier Giollitte, of Italy, de- she loves and knows to be a thorough clared last night, says a despatch gentleman, she is afterwards pursued

May Yet Be King.

in Greece favors Constantine, the re- trial scene in the last act was most November 26 with \$4,300 of the comsult is not a permanent settlement impressive. Mr. Albert Patterson of the question, Who will occupy the starred in the role of Ramsay and throne? To the Allies, and especially quite easily carried off the honors. to Great Britain and France, guaran- Mr. Frank Urban added the usual tees of the independence and consti- touch of comedy which somewhat he admitted, in the purchase of new tution of Greece under the treaty of stimulated the heavy parts. Miss Dot 1830, Constantine is not acceptable. Karroll portrayed some splendid Before the plebiscite was taken the melo-drama which was well received Government of Greece was notified of by the audience. John Bruce, Laura's the attitude of the Allies. To restore former husband, was ably impersonat-Constantine would have been to ap- ed by Mr. Frank Hargrayes. The prove of his hostile acts during the other characters who also played well war. The Allies had no wish to in- were Harry Martin as officer Carriterfere with the choice or arrange- gan; Dick Turner, Hugh Cairns; Harment the people of Greece may make, riet Marsh, Crete Chedwick, Lottie but the Allies naturally reserve free- Ernstine d'Mallow and Dudley Green dom of action with respect to their as prosecuting Attorney. This bill relations with any government of will be repeated this evening to be which Constantine may be the dic- followed to-morrow night by "Mary's

final outcome of all this would be a be repeated. compromise, and that in the end the throne would be occupied by Constantine's eldest son, George, the Crown Prince, although when his father was expelled, the expulsion inknown to be hostile to the Allies as was his father and his Prussian mother, ex-Queen Sopia, a sister of the ex-Kaiser. Passing over the Crown Prince, the second son of Constantine. Prince Alexander, was made king. His death, a few weeks ago, resulting from the bite of a monkey, opened up the question of succession difficult to settle on a perman at basis.

Prince George was born on July 19, 1890, and has received some military training, but he is said to be very art, Master Stewart, Mrs. N. Harvey rested him. After first telling the headstrong and imperious with the Prussian's side of the relations that should exist between king and sub-

Storm Reported.

The Government Railway Commission received a message last evening meeting in the Board of Trade Rooms. from Herring Neck from the captain The purpose of the meeting was to disof the S.S. Clyde saying a heavy N.E. storm had been raging for the last 48 chief matter taken up was cost of op-hours. The message also stated that eration, and a resolution was adopted there was no slob ice between LaScie in effect—"that it might be found adand Fogo, and that all the 'runs' were

East, "LES FRUITS." ELLIS'S. left to deal in the matter as it though

Masonic Installation.

The installation of the Worshipful Master Elect, Bro. W. F. Parsons, and the investment of the other officers of Asserting that the bottom has St. John's Lodge, No. 579, R.E., took dropped out of the coal trade, officials place in the Masonic Temple last night. of the Dominion Coal Co. and miners' in the presence of a large gathering eaders here, admitted yesterday that of the craft. The ceremony was conidleness would probably increase in ducted by the District Grand Master. Cape Breton during the next few R. W. Bro. J. A. Cliff, K C., assisted by weeks. On Monday not a wheel the D. G. Secretary, R. W. Bro. W turned in the colleries of the Domin- J. Edgar, and the D. G. Secretary, R ersons were arrested and convicted, ion Coal Co. in Cape Breton, and only S., Bro. H. E. Cowan. The new officers lnes in many cases of \$1,000 together a few of the colleries are working to- who were placed in their respective positions last night are:-

W.M.-Bro. W. F Parsons I.P.M.-Bro. C. Macpherson. S.W .- Bro. F. Ellis. J.W.-Bro. E. Pinsent Chaplain-Bro. Rev. Canon Smith. Treasurer-Bro. A. Diamond. Secretary-Bro. T. Seymour. M. of C .- Bro. T. Soper. Organist-Bro. E. Fox. S.D.-Bro. P. Rendell. J.D.-Bro. R. Clarke.

Stewards-Bros. C. Noonan and Tyler-Bro. G. Morris.

Following the ceremony, the D. G. I., on behalf of the Lodge, presented the retiring master, Bro. C. Macpherson, M. D., with a Past Master's Jewel and the usual collection in behalf of the Tasker Educational Fund was taken, and when the Lodge closed the brethren adjourned to the banquet hall where a very pleasant social hour was spent, and the usual toasts duly

The Woman

in Room 13"

A STRONG DRAMA. The bill at the Casino theatre last

night was considered to be one of the

strongest dramas seen in a long while

The piece is untitled "The Woman In Room 13." The play contained plenty tain in first act to the final drop. Miss Mary Newton added fresh laurels There is reason to believe that in the role of Laura Bruce who diby her former husband who makes his re-appearance under an assumed name in order to get even with her new husband, Paul Ramsay, and afterwards manages to implicate Ramsay Although the vote recently taken in the murder of Dick Turner. The Ankle," a delightful farce-comedy. Notwithstanding the vote the ex- There will be a matinee to-morrow pectation all along has been that the afternoon when to-night's play will

Sachem Leaves.

S.S. Sachem, Capt. Hayse, sailed for I blew. Who wouldn't?" Liverpool at 10 o'clock this morning, cluded the Crown Prince, who was taking a small outward freight and the Hon. W. F. Coaker and C. Bryant.

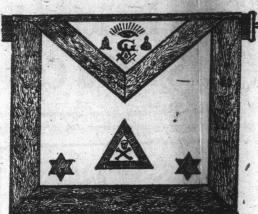
Importers Discuss Retrenchment.

Yesterday afternoon the Importers Association held a largely attended eration, and a resolution was adopted visable to retrench in cost of operation." The meeting decided however, that no united action would be taken The Gift for Health from the and that each individual firm would be

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Office Boy Had a Joyful Week.

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Arrested in New York City after he had bought a ticket for San Francisco, Elliott Michner, 15-year-old Philadelphia office boy, told the police the story of a week's travel and advenfrom the Baldwin Locomotive Works pany's money. Officers found \$3,600 of the money in his suitcase and the rest, he told them, he had spent.

The \$700 that was missing had gone, clothes suifs with long trousersfor \$3 meals in the best hotels in Philadelphia, New York and Chicago. for \$1 tips to waiters and for berths in Pullman cars. There were movies, also, and other entertainments.

He was helping pay off employees in the company's office when he took the money-"just drew a couple of years' salary in advance," he told the

"Who wouldn't?" he said "I was getting \$8 a week as an office boy at the Baldwin Works. They hand me \$4,300. I had to count it, too, you know, and they tell me to take it to the paymaster. It was more money than I ever laid eyes on before. It looked awful big, and it felt awful big. I had the feel of it right in my hand when I saw an open door. Well.

First he went to Camden, bought clothes there and then went to New following passengers:-Mr. Crowther, York. He intended to "go west and Miss K. Crowther, Mrs. Caul, C. and loaf a bit," but he read in the papers Mrs. Belbin, Miss M. Belbin, Miss Moy- he was believed to have gone to Spolan, Mrs. Kavill, A. E. and Mrs. Can- kane, where his father was reported ning, Miss Moylan, A. and Mrs. Mac- dying, so he went only as far as Chipherson, Mrs. W. G. Gosling, H. T. cago. Life there palled and he went Bell, T. H. Smith, D. Forsyth, Sir back to New York and then went to Joseph and Lady Outerbridge, J. Mc- Philadelphia. No one recognized him Gough, Mrs. A. J. Ivany, Master D. there, so he returned to New York Ivany, A. Snow, Mrs. A. Snow and in- and decided to chance the west. As fant, Mrs. D. MacKenzie, Mrs. C. Stew- he bought his ticket a detective arand infant, Mrs. Haines and child, detective that he had been visiting to the Pacific Coast to see relatives,

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he admitted the theft and told his about \$100,000. There are other adstory. He was placed in charge of vertisements asking for husbands friends in New York and was going the Society for the Prevention of from women with fortunes up to

Try our Special Cambridge Sausages. Made fresh daily at ELLIS'.—nov1011

LETTER PICKED UP. — A letter addressed to Miss Celia Hubbard, public and business men in Vienna Parkersbury, W. Va., U.S.A., was ing and posted.

> PARADE -Books Tickets no Clouston's. phy's, Water Rice's, Hard s. Farrell's. lickets, \$2.50.



My Nerves Were So Bad at Times that I Could Not Keep Back the Tears

HEN the nerves collapse there is such a feeling of utter helplessness that strong men, as well as women, cannot do otherwise than weep.

The average physician is sadly at a loss when consulted by a nervous patient, and we have from such an eminent authority as Dr. Richard Cabot the statement that half the ordinary practitioners' work is with derangements of the nerves.

Think of the headaches, backaches, neuralgic and sciatic pains, the sleepless-ness, indigestion and tired, depressed feel-ings that give the doctors their business, and you will realize the truth of this statement of Dr. Cabot.

The conditions under which people have lived during the last few years has meant enormous strain on the nervous system. The fear, the worry, the anxiety have wasted nerve force at such an enormous rate that persons of nervous temperament have been unable to stand the strain—the result is nervous collapse.

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Because Dr. Chase's Nerve Food supplies in condensed and easily assimilated form the vital substances with which Nature rebuilds the starved and wasted nerve cells it stands out to-day as the greatest of nerve restoratives.

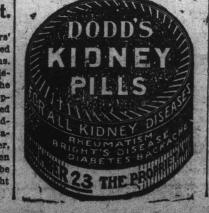
A careful reading of this letter will give you an idea of just what you may ex-pect from the use of this treatment, because it describes an average case:

Mrs. S. Sharp, Midland, Ont., writes:-"About eleven years ago I had a serious nervous breakdown, and was so bad at times that I could not keep back the tears. I also had a queer feeling in the back , of my head; sometimes it seemed to be going backwards. I could not do any sewing, and finally could do no work at all. I tried other remedies and doctors' medat all. I tried other remedies and dectors' medicine, but they only gave me temperary relief.

Last fail I commenced using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and had not taken very many until I found I was getting better. I kept on taking them, and am at present greatly improved. I am now able to do my work, and they have strengthened me splendidly. I can highly recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food for nervous trouble of any kind."

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always pleas- if she had had a few already started.

To be sure, comparatively few

women could take a college course

home itself to free her from house-

correspondence or in the college

join a college extension course some-

Again, any woman could identify

herself with some interesting form of

social work. There was a time when

church fairs and church suppers re-

presented the sum of feminine activ

ity in this line. To-day the woman

probation officer, the woman mayor

the woman police officer, the woman

social worker, are some of the more

picturesque figures in a great throng

of women who are trying to do their

President of the

League of Nations.

Forty nations have assembled

preserving peace. It is the first meet-

ing of the Assembly of the League of

was to choose a President, and Paul

SAM, HAVE

JEFF TODAY

IN REGARD TO A COLLEGE FRESHMAN.



In the first place there is the expense. In the second place that presupposes enough service in the who has long since pass- hold cares. But almost any woman ed the conven- can take some single course either tional college extension work: And if you want to Especially when know what such courses mean to the that student is a middle aged woman who take them.

more time and see their eager intent faces. when From Church Work to the Mayor's

She Has Two Children.

In the newspaper lying open before picture of a freshman at University. She is a sweet faced woman of 48. She has two I do not know why she is going to college now but I suppose that, like so many other women, she is devoting the leisure of middle age to getting something that she missed in

make such good use of the leisure that relief from economic pressure, and from the care of small children has given them.

When her children marry and go effort of taking the first step is the into homes of their own, as they hardest part. The rest will flow along doubtless will in a few years, her life of itself, and will carry you toward will not be so empty as it would be happiness. if she had not reached out for this vital new interest.

The Mother Bird With an Empty

I think there is nothing sadder than the mother who has been so wrapped up in her children that when they Geneva to discuss ways and means of marry she has no interests to turn to. I know one such mother whose son has been obliged to live in a distant city on account of his business, and whose caughter has married a doctor with a practice in a city several hundreds of miles away. affairs, was elected. Born in 1865,

The mother must have seen something like this coming in the last few Years and yet she never tried to have any interests to fall back upon. result is that she is a most unhappy ally develop other interests but the was Belgian Envoy Extraordinary and report that Canada is one of the chief transition is far more painful than Minister Plenipotentiary to the Court powers in the debates and is taking

TEFF.

I WONDER WHERE JEFF'S

KEEPING HIMSELF TODAY

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hit in a thousand ways to make the of St. James (Great Britain) during the debates at Washington and in the world a better place to live in. If your children have grown be- '17. So that his election was not so pointed out that under it no nation, yond the need of your constant care surprising as it seemed on this side need of your help and guidance, I so well known.

know they will never reach that In the United States one of the chief point) why not join this throng? objections to the League was the Make a start toward it to-day. The argument that it would be dominated by Great Britain and that her desires would control the councils of the League. How unfounded was this belief may be gathered from the fact that at the first meeting of the Assembly a principle was carried in direct opposition to Britain.

It was laid down that a committee should be formed to supervise the carrying out of the mandates over backward countries, and that powers who held mandates should have only very limited representation on this committee. Despite the fact that Great Britain strenuously opposed the One of the first acts of the Assembly resolution it was duly carried by the

Assembly. Hymans, Belgian Minister of Foreign With such men in the Assembly as Lord Robert Cecil representing South the son of a former Member of the Africa and Lloyd George and Arthur Belgian House of Representatives, M. Balfour representing Great Britain Hymans has taken an active part in it would seem that the Canadian dele the politics of his country. He has gates would have been overshadowed filled several posts, written books and yet correspondents at the Assembly

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MEMBER OF HIS LODGE

of course, would include Canadian one of Canada's three delegates. The stand taken by Canada was

endorsed by the South American States, and in fact it is becoming ap- ies. parent that Canada is the spokesman for the continent of America. In the Canada the Assembly turns to learn would adopt to any resolution.

During the Peace Conference, while the constitution of the League was being debated, Sir Robert Borden strongly opposed the now famous 'Article Ten." It was against this clause that the chief opposition was raised during the debate at Ottawa

In accordance with Canadian olicies the Canadian delegates have boldly attacked this clause in the Assembly and have brought forward esolution that it be struck out of the

Briefly Article Ten lays down that all members of the League agree to preserve the territorial integrity of their fellow members. The clause proved the most contentious during the troubled years of 1915, '16 and course of the elections, for it was

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ever hope for freedom.

One of the delegates to the Assembly brought in a resolution that the evolved out of the Peace Conferences. wheat, nickel, iron, copper, lumber, tained recognition of his point, that etc., and the resolution was stren- Canada could no longer be content to uously opposed by Hon. N. W. Rowell, go on in the old way, but that we must be consulted upon matters that concerned us and have a greater voice in the disposition of our destin-

This was recognized by Britain, but the Assembly heard of the idea as absence of the United States it is to something very novel and so it has come about that Canada naturally the probable attitude the States points out to the League the new conception of the Empire and the status of the "Colonies" to the Mother Coun-

In the words of one of the correspondents at Geneva Canada is playing a directing part in the present session of the League of Nations

Household Notes.

Vinegar and salt will clean badly arnished brass. No fowl is fit for horoughly washed

A little essence of coffee makes a delightful candy flavor. Woolens should be washed suds without rubbing.

meringue to make it fluffy. Use sausage fat instead of butter in stuffing fowls. It gives it delicious

Add a little baking powder

A good fireman will keep his heater fire well banked with coal. Salsify is delicious dipped in fritter batter and fried in hot fat.

When cooking keep a damp towel on the table for wiping the hands.

A cheesecloth bag is excellent for designing letting or soled greens on the table for wiping the hands. fraining lettuce or salad greens. To broil successfully have a redot fire and turn the meat frequently. hot fire and turn the meat frequently.

and water over night before cooking. A moth-infested closet should be washed out with turpentine and water. Make two or three desserts at one ime and save time, labor and fuel. Knit medallions can be sewed acoss the worn toes of satin slippers. Spinach is more nutritious if cooked n its own juices instead of in water. Whole wheat bread is easily baked and especially good for the children.

When picking ducks, do not attempt pick off the soft down, but singe

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English ivy will grow in water, and

bowl of it will often fill a vacant

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Cooking Dried Fruit.

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Cook in same water until tender. Heat slowly to boiling point, cover closely and simmer, not boil, for at least forty minutes. Take fruit from juice add sugar if necessary and thicken juice very slightly with cornstarch, using one teaspoon cornstarch to one cup of juice. Pour juice over fruit and let stand until cold. .

Stafford's Eas. Ginger Wine

the trip had lasted only a short and the cow became exhausted only eleven miles out. Mrs. Daniels was given a li short distance and tied her and calf to a wagon belonging man and his wife by the nam Brown. The wagon was heavily with household goods and Daniels was forced to continue walk after a short distance when Brown family located in their nome at Widener. Daniels and her cow resumed long hike. Frequent stops were for rest and repast. When only el miles from Memphis the cow be

Woman Walked 175

that the calf died on the way

Miles Leading C

Memphis, where she can keep her and sell milk and butter for a li She is destitute of funds and forced through circumstances not through choice to make the

Mrs. Daniels is a widow with children. She is about 43 years and weighs about 150 pounds. Sh about five feet eight inches in heigh Her sturdy constitution has stood in good stead in making the trip from the Arkansas capital

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ast night when my pa came there was whisperin' in the my mother said to me: "You stay right where you are! Keep away a little while-don't pesterin' your pa.

they hustled up the stairs, ar thought I saw a drum just I've been askin' for.

when pa comes home glad to see me 'round wants me at the door-now never makes a scund comes sneakin' in the house

ma follows him upstairs. An' I'm sure they're hidin' things neath the beds an' chairs, Coz one day I peeked—I did—an Looked to me as though it was

Wish I understood it all-pa say there's a Santa Claus, I'm sure there must be one. b it puzzles me because Pa seems different just now an' no like he used to be. Every night when he comes home just seems afraid of me! Mother tells me not to look, but peeked at him last night An' he had a bundle which was

coaster sled all right. ain't certain sure, of course, but ou chimney seems so small
"Il just bet that Santa Claus couldn" get down it all.
An' it's queer that pa should be s afraid o' me at night

That he waits outside until he is sur I'm out of sight.

soon after the on. The ex nent printing Now I'll tell you something else, but you mustn't say I said There's a lot o' packages hidden un-derneath pa's bed. ical impro

Mary Popular. Mary is the most popular of name:

either male or female, and occurs sixty-eight times in every thousand ames; William, sixty-six; John, sixty wo; Eliza, sixty-one. Then there is big drop to the next in popularity George and Sarah, each of which scorse thirty-six.

is brought out by the soaking and Wash fruit carefully in lukewarm

water, changing the water several times. Cover with lukewarm water and let stand over night or for six or eight hours.

Cooking the fruits in a double boiler, or in a casserole in the oven assures the cooking at a low temperature, which is not so sure if the fruit is cooked directly over the flames.

HUMPHREY WAS GOING

"My back and hips hurt constantly, -advt.

Wall Known City Employee Of Halifax Says He Tells All His Friends Tanlac Is Making had rheumatic pains in my legs all the time.

chestnut St., Halifax, N.S., well mown employee of the Public Works pepartment, as he purchased a bottle of the medicine at Kenley's Drug Store a few days ago.

"My stomach failed me completely, and for about a year before I got Taniac I was steadily going down hill. Inever felt hungry, and even what I may and they tell me I may improvement, and they tell me I may improvement. I always tell them tile I forced down gave me a world am growing stout. I always tell them Taniac is making a new man out of couldn't eat any vegetables at me."

LONDON GOSSIP

THE KING AND THE TURF. The flat racing season that has just ended has proved a very disappointag one for the King, whose winnings extreme. He started the season ry hopefully. He had one or two ung horsedat Egerton House, Newmarket, under the care of Richard farsh, which was expected to carry Royal colors more successfully han they have been carried in the ast years. Unfortunately, like many ther owner, the King has had a-

The return to England of the editor far apart as East Africa, Salonika, lic the then attenuated telegrams rom the European fronts. The exigencies of the period necessitated ntinuous change of editors, but in spite of that a steady sale was found among the troops and the educated ocal merchants competed with one mother for advertising space, thus lacing the paper on a sound financial ooting. The success of the "Basrah imes" led to its being subsidized by the British political authorities, and on after the occupation of Bagdad other paper was started there uner the guidance of the civil adminis ration. The exigencies of Governnent printing worked against the echnical improvement or enlarge-

Arabic editions under separate ediof to local enthusiasts soon after the cessation of hostililites. With the development of Basrah, which seems instake money have been modest in evitable, the "Basrah Times" should flourish and expand, especially if it is released from Government control. the Imperial War Museum.

The reduction of the tenure of command from five to four years is having which has exhibited in its windows, a marked effect on the Royal Artillery. leit. This has led to the revival This was an expedient to cope with a variety of revolvers of every patreports that he will continue no the surplus of senior Regular officers tern, has now withdrawn them all. onger his active connection with the whose numbers increased in exact Their place has been taken by some Furf, and that next year he will hand ratio to the number of other ranks ugly daggers and a few life-preservers er the control of the Royal stud to demobolized. Not long since, it was of thoroughly efficient appearance. the Prince of Wales. There is, how- a common occurrence to find five or ever, no authority for such a state- six majors attached to a single batment, and according to present artery. There were, roughly over two rangements next year will see the hundred for whom no employment ing trying his luck on the flat once could be found, and the present high rate of pay compared with the low rate of pension was an inducement to remain on in preference to sending in their papers. A large number one of those curious semi-official of this rank, however, have now been wspapers published in Mesopotamia absorbed as Territorial adjutants, aring the war reminds one of the ordinarily, a subaltern's appointment. many remarkable little publications of the kind that sprang up, usually after of Major. Compulsory retirement of regal guests, did the honors in stategood deal of staff work, in places lieutenants at the age of 35 materially ly fashion, and greatly impressed the assisted the thinning- out process at and Palestine. On the occupation of the other end. By July or August Basrah in 1914 a captain in an Indian next, it is said, there will not be servregiment had the enterprise to start ing in the mobile artillery a single a daily paper, giving his isolated pub-officer who held the rank of major prior to the war.

UNEMPLOYED SEIZE PUBLIC

The seizure of public buildings by London's unemployed is being repeated with disturbing frequency. Out-ofworks from Islington led the way by | pressive stateliness appropriate to taking possession of the local library in which they immediately entrenched themselves. That occurred a fortnight ago, and to-day they still occupy the hall, practically unchallenged. lington exploit, and the immunity en-

kind was carried out. A band of several hundred unemployed took forcible ion of Tottenham Town Hall, a building constructed as a swimming bath, and used in the winter as concert hall. Following their usual, practice, the local borough council had let the hall for a number of functions during the winter. Now they find themselves having to plead The may know Tanlac helped me it," said Frederick Humphrey, 36 the struct St., Halifax, N.S., well move engloyee of the Public Works hepartment, as he purchased a bottle, and eating just about the charity was deserving nature of the medicine at Kanlan and he spoke up quick and told me about Tanlac. So I got a bottle, and ever since then I have been gaining ground.

"I am eating just about the charity was deserving nature of the charity was deserving nature of the charity." with the unemployed occupiers to ments. For instance, according to concert in aid of Dr. Barnado's Home together with the deserving nature of

WHERE."

In they hurt me so bad, and as time went on I had to give up nearly ererything I liked best.

My food soured in my stomach, and I felt so bloated and all stuffed up after meals I could scarcely breathe. At times the gas pressed against my heart and bothered me a gainst my heart and bothered me a gainst my heart and bothered me a feat deal, and I was seldom free of a dull pain in the pit of my stomach.

"My back and hips hurt constantly,"

"My back and hips hurt constantly,"

"Me series of remains of famous British racehorses preserved in the Natural History Museum at South Kensington, London, has, I hear, received a very valuable addition in the skeleton of the famous thoroughbreak by William Samson, in Flat Island by William Samson, in the Museum on permanent loan by the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons. Eclipse is perhaps the Surgeons. Eclipse is perhaps the most celebrated horse in the annals of the British Turf. Bred by the Duke of Cumberland in 1764 (the year of the great eclipse of the sun, and hence the name), the great horse died in 1789, in his 26th year. A chestnut with a white blaze on the face, and one white foot, he was never beaten. and during his two years' turf career was the winner of eighteen races torial control, which were disposed Eclipse was sired by Marske, a greatgrandson of the Darley Arabian, and his triumphs gave rise to the longfamous phrase, "It was a case of Eclipse first; rest nowhere."

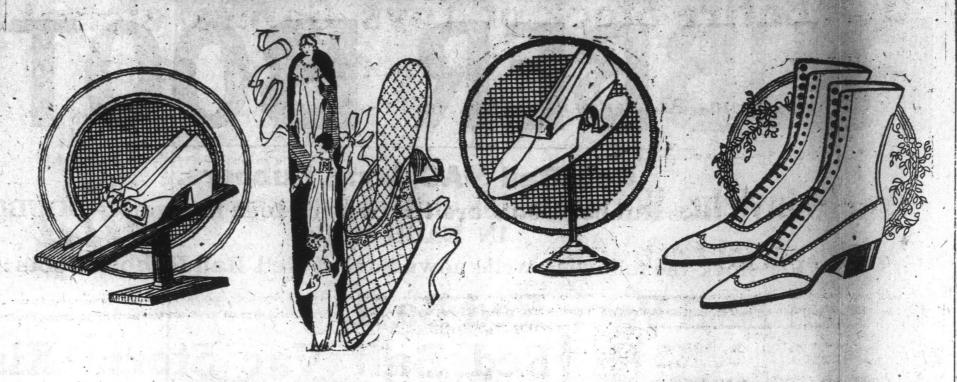
Gunsmiths in London have received of these publications can be seen at a police warning that they should keep all revolvers and ammunition in A gunsmith's in the Strand A KING'S APPEAL TO THE LABOR PARTY.

> Clad in gorgeous raiment, Chief Oluana of Lagos and his suite visited the Labor Party at the House of Commons to invoke their aid on the sub ject of the franchise in British West Africa. It was a picturesque deputation, and its stately progress through the corridors attracted the attention of visitors and members. The officials exhibit for inspection their multicolored State umbrella, which, large enough to shelter the whole deputation was carried by a finely built West African, who, but for his color, might have passed for Sir Eric Geddes. The visitors were invited to remain to hear the Irish debate. Perhaps they had never heard of Ireland. At any rate, they excused themselves, and took their departure with the im

royal procession. A KRUGER MYSTERY.

In South African official circles here much interest is being taken in the search for the four emblematical Encouraged by the success of the Is- groups of sculpture which were designed to embellish the state of Presijoyed by the raiders, the unemployed dent Kruger at Pretoria, and were of another Metropolitan borough fol- lost in the later stages of the Boer lowed it up with a similar coup. The war. The sculptured emblems were

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at the seaport of Lourenzo Marques for delivery at Pretoria. There is a strong disposition in official quarters to believe that the work never got beyond the seaport. What became of tery. The story which is believed by the Boers in the Transval, apparently, to the effect that the late Lord Kitchener allowed the statuary to be despatched to London, and that the groups were presented to various parties, one of the recipients being lord Roseberry, is, I am told, entirely a fabrication. No steps will be left unemployed, however, by the authorities in this country which may lead to the discovery of the present locality of the emblematic groups, still wanted in the Transval for a memorial of President Kruger.

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Crying Good for Eyes.

There is a very widespread, belief that the process of crying tends to weaken the eyes and rob them of brightness. Actually, the truth lies in the opposite direction. The shedding of tears (provided that the weeping is not overdone) is one of the greatest aids to softness and brightness of the eyes. The explanation is this: The eyes need a bath just as our bodies do. There is a certain quality in the "tear liquid" which does not exist in water, and that is why a tear-bath is of much greater value than a mere bathing with cold or warm water. There is a sibility that one of the reasons for the superiority of feminine eyes in point of limpidity and brightness over Nothing New he male optics, is the tendency of the centler sex to indulge in more or less equent outbreaks of tears. The moral s that if you want to have what novelists call "eyes like the fish-pools of Hesbon," give the eyes a tear bath at least once a week.

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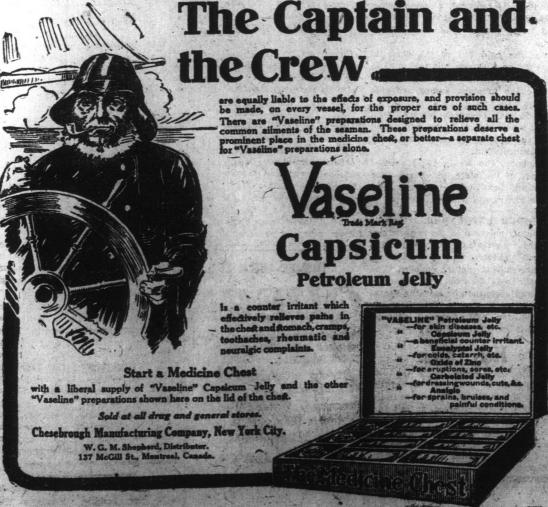
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interest. Of course, those directly and immediately concerned are the prewho are concerned about the memberare about twenty-five peeresses, whose position is similar to that of Viscountess Rhondda, it will be open to them.

daughter of the late Baron Rhondda (D. A. Thomas), the immensely wealthy Welsh mine operator, who was the British Food Controller during the war. Viscountess Rhondda inherited his entire estate and thus became one of the richest women of the British Empire. She is 37 years old and the wife of Sir Humphrey Mackworth, him-

self a wealthy man. Viscountess Rhondda is a champion of the cause of British working wo-men and president of the Women's Industrial League of Great Britain. th general were summoned to attend Parliament right, long in abeyance.

A Familiar Name.

We take the following from an WELL KNOWN DUBLIN MAN AR-

Clogheen Workhouse.

of the Poor Law Officers' Association ment, and there ought to be lectures were to discuss matters in dispute regarding salaries and emoluments. Befor the business commenced an officer tical experience, for they are especientered the room and informed those present that he had instructions to be

minutes after Mr. P. J. Little entered the room. After a short consultation bringing to maturity numbers of child the members of the Conciliation Board | ren who otherwise were doomed to decided not to proceed.

Mr. W. J. Skinner, solicitor, Clonmel, town, were present on behalf of the Coffey and said he had a duty to perform. He said he would allow Father Coffey to retire. The latter left, and the officer then searched those present, including the solicitors, closely scanning the contents of their pockets. Mr. Little's portmanteau was examined.

Pockets Searched.

A number of letters were retained ncluding a letter to Mr. Skinner from the Clerk of Clogheen Union requesting him to attend the Conciliation sent members of the House of Lords, Board on behalf of the staff, and another private letter. The officer took ship of their own chamber. Then there the names and addresses and then stated that all except Mr. Ltitle could leave. Mr. Little was taken into custody and was conveyed to the mili-The Viscountess Rhondda is the tary barracks, where he was detained. mier of Newfoundland after Home Rule was conceded, and his uncle was Chief

Justice of that country. Extension Wristlet Watches lever movements in gold, gold filled cases. Prices from \$20.00 to \$85.00. A splendid selection. See them at LANGMEAD'S.—dec13,eod,tr

Records show that in the Middle then constituted. Viscountess Rhondda Ages a few peeresses of high rank is, therefore, seeking to revive an old

Child Welfare. ed to is the son of the late Philip is rather a completely practical ques-Francis Little, one of the Fathers of tion, dealing with the most pressing Responsible Government in this coun-need of the British Empire; and intry, who was appointed to the Su- deed Newfoundland's scanty popula- has been much more before us than He died in Ireland on October 23rd, longer this vital need of caring for born infant. One thing is clear, which Supreme Court of Newfoundland, to a consciousness of the dreadful and her burden lightened, for if it is Mr. P. J. Little, a nephew of Sir neglect of our infant population, and so hard a task to meet the high cost of Joseph, and who was arrested as de- what is far worse, the neglect of the living in small families of ordinary scribed below, visited St. John's, and mothers who in large numbers have means, how impossible it must be for remained here a considerable time, survived despite rather than because poor mothers to rear a dozen or more making himself very popular in the of any special care. This indictment children with even the most elementdoes not of course apply at the present | al attempts toward the time to St. John's where nurses and life.—BETHEL. doctors abound; but it is applicable both now and in the past to Greater Mr. P. J. Little. Dublin. was ar- | Newfoundland. Hence the public ought rested by the military when an Arbi- to be brought to realize that they own tration Court was about to sit at a duty to the child, and this can only be arrived at by discussions and can The Guardians and representatives vassing by the leaders of this movegiven by the women who are equipped with theory and furnished with pracally fitted to bring home to the public mind the vital importance of saving the babies and of informing those of vited the officer to take a seat. Some in this matter that an efficient Child Welfare service means saving life by early death. This being the Feast of the Holy Innocents, seems a particularand Mr. Casey, solicitor, Mitchels- ly appropriate season to make a plea a lofty room, about the size of one of with gold foil and set with delicate for the little ones. Whilst visiting a the smaller European cathedrals, and lovely pearls, graduated in all parties concerned. All were about to new born baby on Christmas Day I which contains more heaped-up richeave when the officer spoke to Father was told by the nurse that she had es than any other equal area in the lately assisted at the twentieth birth world, writes a traveller, who has in a certain family, and a little pre- recently visited that country. It is vious she had been present in another the throne room of Persia, a sealed family at the birth of the thirteenth. place, open only rarely to a favored If these two mothers had been living few. in England or America these large

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delight and prizes awarded, not be- late Shah. On a stnd were two huge TO-DAY'S MESSAGES. cause these mothers had simply ful- gold samovars, gifts from Great Britfilled a law of nature but because their ain, and between them an ugly gold standard of productiveness is the bowl given by the Kaiser. There were exchange. The Mr. P. J. Little refer- neither sentimental nor emotional but highest known to the world, especial- great elephant thrones, or howdahs, ly at this time of crisis when the value long tusks of ivory, vases from China, of individual life is so much emphasized. The care of the expectant mother Japan, embroideries and laces-all the preme Court on November 1st, 1858. tion cannot afford to disregard any the care of the mother of the new conceive.

up his four year's course.

Amazing Riches.

In Teheran, the capital of Persia, is

of birds and the splash of fountains,

Just a block or two away is a street

of misery, of poverty and sometimes

famine. Yet in the Shah's courtyard,

than fifty rugs-I counted them-

some of them hundreds of years old.

There was one little thing that one

could have carried off in one's hands.

a rug with a tree rising from its base:

looking at that I could really almost

sympathize with the Persian's excuse

Grand Duke Michael had given the

profusion of wealth.

redolent of soft languorous odors.

Room Full of

1897. Shortly after the death of Sir its most valuable asset. Every one is that the mother of a number of is some cheap grotesque thing that Joseph I. Little, Chief Justice of the knows that we are only just awaking young children ought to be assisted looks as if it came out of a five-andcrockery figure, a knot of dusty ar-

But from the doorway what halts the eye, what is the climax of the stands at the head of the room, a striking object even seen at a distance and in perspective. It is about the size and shape of a French bed, a Personal. structure with a floor, six broad legs,

Mr. Elmo Ashbourne, son of W. Ash- a headboard, sides, and at the foot

bourne, of Twillingate, arrived in the three mounting steps. It is covered with thick gold foil en- CALL TO CURTAIL NAVAL EXPEN city by express this morning, and conameled in deep blues and greens. The nected with the Sachem which sailed for Liverpool to-day, Mr. Ashbourne headboard is a glory of color. At the is the Newfoundland Rhodes scholar top is a huge sunburst of diamonds, for 1920 and is an ex-pupil of the Me- and underneath three emeralds, each Oxford University where he will take square. At the two ends of the headpiece are two jewelled peacocks.

Wherever one looks on the surface the Shah is crowned, a chair heavy do likewise.

But the gold foil of the chair is by side with semi-precious stones. An to two years hard labor in prison. emerald may be cheek by jowl with the cheapest sort of flawed ruby. And DIGBY AT HALIFAX; HAD ROUGH Opening from the grand staircase families would have been hailed with of the Shah's palace, the room looks even the best of the stones are badly on a beautiful court, musical with the cut, absurdly cut. sweet confusion of voices of myriads

Symbolic, the whole thing seemed waste, riches and poverty.

the palace or the throne room, there absolutely no truth in the rumour circould be no remembrance of want; culated recently and stating that the the senses are benumbed with the Majestic Theatre was to be sold to another moving picture concern. The The ceiling is faced with prisms of Majestic was formed into a limited cut glass and from it hang half a company some months ago, the sharedozen magnificent chandeliers, blaz- holders being Messrs. O'Neil, Coady ing with lusters and touched with and Whitten. All of these gentleme various colors. On the floor are more deny all knowledge of the rumor.

Holy Cities.

holy city of the Hindoos, as is Cuzco for brigandage. And between wall and that of the ancient Incas. Jerusale wall are tables, priceless tables and is the holy city of the Jews and Chrischairs, china and clocks, and articles tians. Mecca, Medina and Damascus have first place in the affections of the of every description. have first place. Mohammedans.

een set in amethysts, which the MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR DAND.

D'ANNUNZIO WOUNDED. PARIS, Dec. 28. Newspaper reports declared wound uffered by Captain D'Annunzio was eceived when fragment of shell ropped on his headquarters.

ANCONA, Dec. 28. Italian troops, atterapting to dis lodge Legionaries at Zara, were hin- occupied by the late T tetn-cent store—a cheap vase, an ugly dered by women, who formed a line in front of them and screamed, "Kill J. Edens in the Grocer

us first and then you can exterminate SEVERE STORM ON FRENCH

BREST, Dec. 28. Storm of utmost violence is raging etc.; public and private Storm of utmost violence is raging very heavy even in roads of Brest harbor where vessel was sunk last offices, two large frost

LONDON, Dec. 28 Calls for Great Britain, Japan and make an ideal site for United States to curtail naval expenthodist College. He is now en route to about the size of a checker board ditures by mutual agreement, were featured by London newspapers this morning. In following this course the business, as it adjoins the journals give expression to the anof this throne are to be seen jewels xiety which prevailed here since rediamonds and emeralds, pearls and ceipt of reports of United States naval sapphires, turquoises and rubies—set programme, an anxiety which may be the heart of the shipping in with laysih profusion. At one side traced to assumption that if United of the throne stands a chair on which States builds big navy. Britain must

COUNTESS SENTENCED.

Countess Gerogina Markeivicz, who fastened on with common tacks! And was tried by court martial on charge Phone 325; or 151 Duckthe pearls are graduated. And on the of organizing Sinn Fein Boy Scouts, a throne the precious stones are side seditious society, was to-day sentenced Worth St., Phone 411.

HALIFAX, Dec. 28. After encountering heavy weather ot me, of the state of Persia—the which delayed her for some hours. glory and tawdriness, lavishness and the Furness line. Digby arrived here at eight o'clock this morning from Liverpool, via St. John's, Nfld. RUMOUR UNFOUNDED. There is She had three passengers from the former port and one from St. John's

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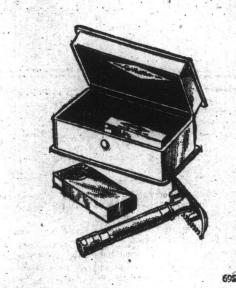
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island, says George McBride ravel," is now owned by two whose farms and pastures and the 700 or 800 Indians phough thought to the ancient very place where once upon appeared a strange man and Manco Capac and Mama Olljo egent names them, who deemselves as "children of the taught the islanders agriculture, island the birt'iplace of the

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situated 12,500 feet above the sea, is alty. sufficiently interesting. Tiny beaches of white sand, all the whiter because ape as a desirable thing to have of the deep blue of the lake, indent of the deep blue of the lake, indent the island, and whoever stands on its highest elevation looks down on every side at this silver border, and across the blue lake to the miles of pampas beyond which he can see the snowcapped summits of the Andes. A hundred miles or more of peaks are visi-"The most imposing of Swiss scenery," says Mr. McBride, "is dwarfed in comparison with the sublime spectacle, and even the Himalayas can present few sights to equal

> In earlier days, when the Inca Empire had grown, and paved roads, of few remaining examples, connected its cities, the Island of the Sun was an important place. A temple stood there, with cloisters for men and women, and pilgrims visited the spot suyu or "Four Parts of the World," as the empire was then called.

One may easily believe . that grims in the modern guise of tourists, will go there again; and a modand architecture, and thus ern temple, dedicated to improving the status of the Indians, will again become an important educational in-

Ostracism a Ceremony.

Ostracism in its original workings was a ceremony and a political move. The word comes from the Greek "oc tres," meaning the shell of an oyster The shells were used as bailots. Ostracism was rather a compliment, at it took six thousand votes to remove a mportant enough to arou Ten casks were provided on the ter these casks were placed in the agora The voters wrote the name of the mar it. If any man had six t

tions the Island of the Sun, a rocky | ed to the city limits and told to depart | ridge some nine miles long and not for ten years. He retained his property more than one mile wide in a lake in the city and suffered no other pen-

Child Literature

In Japan books and periodicals differ for boys and girls. From the days of earliest infancy, songs of brave warriors are crooned to little "master" and proverbs of patient wives are recited in baby talk to little girls. Six years in the elementary school represent the only time in Japanese life when the sexes associate freely together. Before and after that short period their lives are separate in work, in pleasures, in ambitions. Even the most progressive juvenile magazines which the island contains one of the are published in couples—the brother's couraging manly virtues. The girl's number has stories of gentleness and

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Street Signs in Merida.

On some of the street corners Merida, the capital of the State of quaint images of birds and beasts, the would be puzzled to guess unless he happened to think of the name of the

These images are in fact the old street signs which have for the most part been replaced by conventional printed names, but which in older days served a purpose for the reason that a large part of the population

could not read La Cale del Flamingo is easily identified by a huge red flaminge painted upon a corner house, and the Street of two ounces. the Old Woman is distinguished by a for 52 cents. Practically one cent per caricature of an old woman with hugh glass. The proof:-

The Street of the Two Faces is marked by a human head having two faces. The Street of the Bull and the Street of the Elephant are also identi

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work, and winter's here. And they have seen their fortunes

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smile, with wages the roubles left and right? I wonder if they read these rhymes, and took the moral to their souls, and salted down the helpful dimes, until the dimes made ample rolls? If they did this they need not weep when factory pulleys cease to turn; in peace and comfort they may sleep, and in their stoves the slate will burn. And they can say, "We need a rest, we need a season of repose; let honest toil go galley west, while we sit here and bake our toes; we have the guilders down in brine, our credit's good and all is well; why should we murmur and repine because we're laid off for a spell?" But if they burned the useful bucks in booming times, they're sad to-day; their children cry for pie and ducks, and must be satisfied with hay. And most, I fear, are steeped in woe, and now bewail their present lot; I hate to say, "I told you so," but nothing else would hit the spot. Oh, watch the weary legions

Numbers and Superstition.

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way; then buckle down and practice thrift-you may be there yourself

All peoples of all times have possessed "lucky" and "unlucky" numbers. The belief in the luckiness of seven, for instance, is almost as popular as the unluckiness of thirteen, and the origin of both dates back to Biblical days. Seven the Hebrews accepted as the symbol of the unity between God and man and later was considered representative of the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Thirteen, as almost every one knows, took on its unholy significance at a much later date from the number seated at the table at the Last Supper. It is only comparatively recently that it has taken on an atmosphere of general misfortune.

Where Lost Pins Go.

Where do they all go? A member of the French Academy of Science has found the solution. Pins literally vanish into thin air. In other words, they turn into rust owing to the action of the moisture in the atmosphere, and then blow away. Under average conditions of exposure to air an ordinary pin ceases to exist after twenty months. A pen-nib takes four nonths less. A needle is given extra protection by its high polish, so it takes the atmosphere nearly five years to eat it away. In fact, pins perish owing to their not being protected by paint. So would an iron bridge though, of course, the process would take longer. If it were not for the Yucatan, Mexico, are still to be seen paint that protects them against the inroads of the atmosphere, bridges significance of which the stranger and battleships would in time blow away into thin air.

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