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**THE STORY OF
A SPOILED BEAUTY.**

CHAPTER XLVI.

At the same time the earl was fully satisfied that the young lady was no friend of Mrs. Bowen's. To his mind she looked, with her delicate grace, her high-bred air, her patrician bearing, far more like a princess than the friend of the homely housekeeper. There was some mystery with which he was unacquainted.

Then Angela hastened away, feeling keenly conscious of her utterly false position.

"I ought never to have come," she said to herself—"I must not stay any longer; yet how kind he was! My father's face must have been just like his when he was young."

What a position! Why could not the young earl have remained in Italy a few weeks longer? And yet there was another aspect of the matter that was not altogether displeasing to her. If he had not returned at this juncture, she would never have seen him, and she was pleased to have done so.

Angela went in the greatest dismay to Mrs. Bowen, whom she found wringing her hands in what seemed utter despair.

"Oh, Miss Charles," she cried, "there is a shock! His lordship has come home, and there is nothing ready. I have neither fish nor game in the house. The rooms are all prepared, but there is nothing to eat."

Angela listened in patience, giving the best advice and consolation she could in the circumstances, and gradually Mrs. Bowen lost her fears.

"I came to speak to you about myself, Mrs. Bowen," she said. "I cannot remain here now that his lordship is at home."

"Why not?" she asked briefly.

"It is impossible," replied Angela. "I do not think so, Miss Charles. It will make no difference whatever to his lordship or you. You need never see him if you are careful, and

he need never see you. It is not," she added presently, "as though you were a visitor to the family; you are my guest."

Angela then told her what had passed in the library.

"I am almost sorry that you saw the earl before I had time to tell him," said Mrs. Bowen. "Not that it will matter in the least, for I am quite within my rights. My lady told me herself that, when the family were from home, I could have a friend to stay with me. If you keep to your rooms, my dear, there will be no annoyance; and he will not stay long, I am sure. The rooms that his lordship uses are all in the western wing. We are as far from him almost as though we lived in the village. You need not be uneasy, miss, nor trouble yourself in the least degree about it."

Still, despite these comforting assurances, Angela did not feel quite at ease. She could not forget that she held an utterly false position. She therefore resolved that, while Lord Arleigh remained in the house, she would keep to her rooms, and not go into that part of the house where she would be likely to meet him. She would go out early in the morning or late in the evening, when there was little chance of encountering him. It was possible that even on the morrow the advertisement might appear, and then she could go away at once.

"Oh, mother," she cried, impatiently, "if you knew all you would not delay!"

The coming of the earl made a great difference to Angela. She felt both awkward and under restraint, and she hoped fervently that she should never see him again; yet at the same time she had a vague longing to look upon his face once more, because it was so like her father's. She shrunk back at the sound of his voice, yet she would have liked to speak to him again.

"I have traveled through many lands," said Lord Arleigh to himself; "but I have never seen a face and figure like hers. I must know more about her."

He rang for Mrs. Bowen, ostensibly to give some orders. When these were done with, he remarked carelessly:

"I am glad to find that you have not been lonely, Mrs. Bowen. You have a young friend staying with you?"

"Yes, my lord," was the brief reply.

"What is her name?" was the next question.

"Miss Charles, my lord."

"A vague kind of name," he thought, "neither common nor uncommon, neither plebeian nor patrician."

"I hope," he continued, "that my sudden return will in no way interfere with your guest, Mrs. Bowen."

"I do not see how it need, your lordship, as Miss Charles is my guest."

He longed to ask more questions about her, but was courteous enough to refrain. He said to himself that he must accept the position as it was; yet he was sure there was some mystery. Miss Charles was a lady; why was she on visiting terms with his mother's servant? Lord Arleigh went to sleep that night with the fair face of Angela Rooden shining through his dreams.

CHAPTER XLVII.

Another day had passed, and still no advertisement appeared. By this time Angela had grown accustomed to the thought of Lord Arleigh's presence. She had not seen him since the morning of his arrival; but she knew that he thought of her, for Mrs. Bowen frequently brought messages to her—Lord Arleigh hoped that she would use the library as if he were not at home, that she would use the library as if he were not at home, that she would feel at liberty to visit the picture-gallery and the conservatories. He hoped that Miss Charles was supplied with fruits and flowers. The fact was that he longed to see her again, and he would have given anything for a chance interview; but he was courteous itself. He would not take any steps to bring about such a meeting. Even Mrs. Bowen herself, most stately and decorous of housekeepers, was perfectly content.

But there came a morning when the weather was unusually warm, and only a breath of air stirred the leaves of the trees. The magnolias were all in flower, and the odor of the great white blossoms filled the air; the syringa-blossoms were out, the roses seemed to be everywhere; the tall white lilies stood erect like sentinels, their glowing golden hearts open to the sun; the air was languid with rich and luscious perfume. The only relief to the excessive heat was the slight salt breeze that found its way from the sea. Angela had a longing to escape for a time from the heat, the perfume, and the vivid green down to the sands.

The beach at Cuddeale was charming; steep and rugged cliffs at the back, the summits of which were clothed with rich green grass and purple heather; the yellow sands in front stretched out far and wide. There was a bend in the cliffs which formed a little bay, called Brantome Bay, one of the loveliest spots on the coast; and further on there were great wave-worn caves that were filled with water when the tide was in, and were dark and resounding when it was out. The caves were known by the name of Brantome Hollows. On the other side of the bay there was a streak of firm, yellow sand on which large bowlders half covered with sea-weed lay about in picturesque confusion. Altogether it was a spot to delight the artist-mind, with its blue shining waters, golden sands, and purple heather-crowned cliffs, and just the very spot for which Angela longed on this sultry day.

There was no danger of meeting the earl, for he had gone out some time before, and Mrs. Bowen had told her that it was very uncertain whether he would return for lunch or not.

"I shall be away for some hours, Mrs. Bowen," Angela said. "I am going down to the beach, and I will take my books with me."

So she walked through the park, with its long grass and stately old trees. The heat seemed to increase until she neared the beach. Then the briny odor of the sea reached her, cool and fresh. She chose a shady spot under the shadow of an overhanging cliff; and, seating herself, her thoughts went away over the blue-dancing waves. There was almost a longing in her heart that the rest and the peace could last forever.

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Just Folks.

By EDGAR A. GUEST.

PURPOSE.

Not for high place or fame alone. Not for the richest men desire, is this brief space of years we own. If this were all, the race would tire.

Men would grow weary of the strife to possession they were chained, And could not see throughout this life More than the medals to be gained.

Were there no sweeter joys than greed, No deeper happiness than fame, No goal beyond the present need, Life were no better than a game.

The flag would fall, the race would die, The home be stripped of sentiment, And broken every family tie. If all our years for gain were spent,

'Tis not for gold the race is strong, 'Tis not for fame alone we toll, We live and strive and move along, For something Time can never spoil.

There is a purpose for our care Although but vague and dim it seems, A reason for the ills we bear, And each man sees it in his dreams.

Beyond the gold, above the fame, And every flag that is unfurled, Past hills of joy and pits of shame, Men mark the progress of the world.

And so we count it sweet to live And good to play the role of man, Glad in the knowledge that we give Our little to the greater plan.

**Wireless Telephony
Across Atlantic.**

LONDON, March 27.—With a view to investigating the possibility of developing wireless telephony across the Atlantic Ocean, the Postmaster General has appointed a committee, which includes Admiral Sir Henry Jackson, Major General F. H. Sykes, and a number of technical experts, to advise what practical steps may be taken in the premises.



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Extermination of Pests.

Sydney, N.S.—During the past few years Cape Breton crops have suffered severely from maggots, which have destroyed whole fields of cabbage and garden stuff. Local demonstrations for the extermination of the pests have been arranged through the Provincial Agricultural College. These have proved one hundred per cent efficient in the Annapolis Valley.

Household Notes.

Serve creamed lobster in a border of steamed rice.

A pinch of grated nutmeg improves boiled cabbage.

Cream of wheat is nice served with chopped eggs and milk.

A pinch of salt and a little vanilla improve peanut brittle.

A slice or two of onion gives flavor to cream of tomato soup.

To make cream whip add five drops of glycerine to each pint.

A little mint flavor improves a soup made from mutton bones.

A dash of curry powder will be appreciated in creamed chicken.

When baking fish put two tablespoonfuls tomato catsup in the pan.

Jellied bouillon is very attractive when put through the potato ricer.

Young carrot tops may be used for a garnish if everything else fails.

If bananas are baked like apples, they become a valuable breakfast food.

A little piece of fresh liver is an excellent addition to a hash of dry meat.

A good combination vegetable is peas and asparagus tips served in cream.

Eggs are good baked in potato shells and sprinkled with grated cheese.

Chopped prunes give variety of flavor in doughnuts, cakes and cookies.

Beating a rug destroys the fiber. It is far better to use the vacuum cleaner.

When breaking in new shoes sprinkle them with talcum powder.

Boiled onions in white sauce are good covered with buttered crumbs and baked.

An unusual dessert is made by baking winter pears and serving with jelly sauce.

Gingerbread baked in muffin rings is delicious served with cheese or chocolate sauce.

Shrimp timbales are good served on buttered toast with mock Hollandaise sauce.

A little chopped green pepper greatly improves croquettes made of canned salmon.

Twenty minutes to the pound should be allowed for roasting a shoulder of lamb.

Fill cream puffs just before serving full with preserves, whipped cream or custard.

If browned crackers and cheese are served with a fruit salad, it makes a delightful dessert.

After a meringue is taken from the oven it should stand in a warm, dry place until cool.

Thin sliced bananas are good served on lettuce leaves and garnished with fish chopped nuts.

Macaroni may be served with a meat gravy. Most men prefer this gravy to a tomato sauce.

A delicious garnish for sauted chicken is large dice of boletus mushrooms, sauted in garlic butter.

If you wish to have potatoes browned with the meat, parboil them first, then arrange around meat.

Biscuits will be lighter if the dry ingredients are sifted together before adding shortening, milk and egg.

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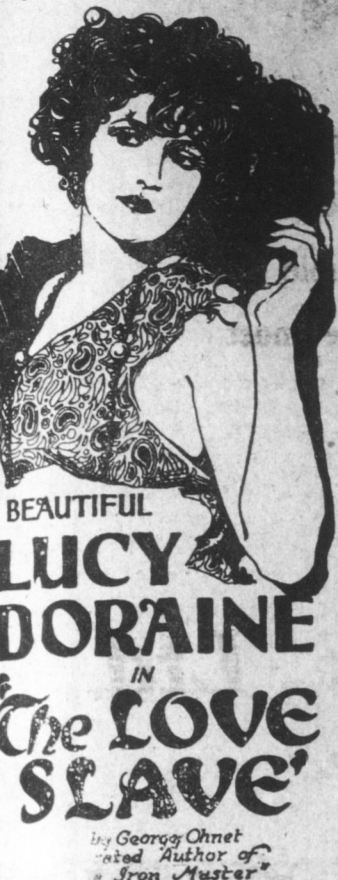
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Let's plod with a festival song!
For when we're well-fed it is easy
To crack every joke in the world, and those who are rich never dread that deep ditch
Where sometimes the pence-less are hurled!
But, spite of life's troubles and trials, the man who has plenty of wit just shuts his eyes tight to all cowardice blight,
And, smiling, wins thro' by his grit!

To The Point.

By WILL U. G. WISE.

ELECTORS OF NEWFOUNDLAND—Vote for the freedom of the fisheries from Coaker control, from the menace of his tinkering ideas which would cripple year after year the greatest industry of the Colony.

ELECTORS OF NEWFOUNDLAND—Remember that the BENNETT GOVERNMENT staps four square for a Humber Deal that is good for the country. The defeat of the Coaker-Squires Government would mean a Humber Deal, sound, safe, and satisfactory and in the best interests of every man, woman and child in the Island.

ELECTORS OF NEWFOUNDLAND—Remember too, that it is not one good Humber Deal the return of a BENNETT GOVERNMENT would ensure, but a score of industrial enterprises just as great; for the election of a sound, solid Government, will turn the minds of wealthy investors towards our land; will encourage them to promote new industries here. In addition the free and unbridled development of our fisheries coupled with a substantial bounty to the fishermen will produce general and individual happiness to all our inhabitants.

JUNIOR ELECTORS OF ST. JOHN'S, sons of the men whose honest labors have helped to build up this our city of St. John's, stand by your fathers now in the determination to keep your native town free from the domination of a political tyrant whose crazy politics would eventually beggar every home in the city. Let your fathers see that the bright sons they reared are with them hand in hand for the freedom of the city.

JUNIOR ELECTORS OF ST. JOHN'S, sons of the laboring men who year after year have industriously worked to maintain their homes in comfort and to see you grow up with a manly sense to maintain your freedom, happiness and independence, stand by your fathers now in their determination to resent Coaker's insulting references to them and his distasteful policy which spells nothing but disaster for all the great laboring industries of St. John's.

JUNIOR ELECTORS OF ST. JOHN'S, sons of our city tradesmen who have been noted for their diligence, earnestness and splendid qualities of citizenship, prove true now to the liberal principles for which they were always noted. Remember they have given the best years of their lives to help sustain our city, to erect schools and churches to give us the blessings of religion and education; to make happy homes for your mothers, your sisters and yourselves. Stand by them then in this fight to protect our homes, our schools and church buildings, our business premises, workshops and factories from the blasting rule of Coakerism and thus you will help to bring about a restoration of former prosperity speedily, and still greater happiness and prosperity in the years that are to come.

ELECTORS OF ST. JOHN'S you have already set a splendid pace in your patriotic resolve to wipe out Coakerism. Keep the pot of enthusiasm boiling every day from now till 8 o'clock on May 3rd, when the last vote goes into the ballot boxes, and then look with justifiable pride on the magnificent victory you have achieved.

ELECTORS OF HR. GRACE—Who would not welcome with joy the restoration to Harbor Grace of the days when our second city was the pride of Conception Bay? When her streets were alive with busy men, when business boomed as her stores and her wharves were burdened with their imports and its exports and the wheels of commerce and industry revolved continuously among a happy and prosperous people; when its merchants, employees, laborers, tradesmen, their wives and families were surrounded with cheer and plenty, and proudly pointed to their city visitors the beauties, the delights, the gaiety, the happiness of Harbor Grace and all its dwellers. Under a BENNETT GOVERNMENT these old days will be restored.

How McTigue-Beat Siki.

PUNCHED SIKI DIZZY.
The report of the McTigue-Siki fight in the Telegraph, the leading New York sporting daily, says:

McTigue apparently had been coached to let the Senegalese wear himself out, as he was obviously not in the best of condition. McTigue swarmed around him, content to tap, and keep him from getting set for one of his wild swings. Siki's steam went out of him at the end of the fifteenth round. He was very weary, and he had to be pushed out of his corner.

McTigue's second sent him out to fight in the seventeenth, and he swarmed all over Siki, punching him with all his strength for the first time and trying for a knockout.

Three hard right hand swings to the jaw in the eighteenth rocked Siki to his heels and made him hang on. He was in trouble, and he had the greatest difficulty lasting out the round.

McTigue was still fresh and he continued a furious attack in the nineteenth and twentieth rounds. He punched Siki dizzy and it was only an unsuspected and unfigured ability to take punishment that enabled Siki to be on his feet when the last bell rang.

The New York Herald's report says: "At the opening of the ninth round McTigue electrified the on-lookers by a right uppercut to the chin that lifted Siki from his feet and in the twelfth when Siki opened a cut above McTigue's eye, the white man came back with a right that sent the black to the floor and thus paved the way for his eventual victory. McTigue was warned for holding in the fight."

MIKE'S LATEST.
DUBLIN, March 23.—Mike McTigue declared to-day that he had accepted an offer to fight Carpenter, but that it had not been decided whether the match would be staged in the United States or in Ireland. Referring to his recent bout with Siki, McTigue said:

"My critics do not realize that I was giving away nearly 28 pounds in weight to Siki. Neither do they sufficiently consider the tremendous disadvantage under which I labored as a result of the cut over my eye in the 11th round and the broken right thumb in the thirteenth round. If it had not been for the broken thumb there would have been no need for the referee to award the decision. You must remember that I am not a fighter. I am a professional boxer, and prize fighting is not allowed in the United States."

OFFER McTIGUE \$75,000 PURSE TO BATTLE WALKER.
NEW YORK, March 23.—Mike McTigue, the world light heavyweight champion, through his manager, Joe Jacobs, has been offered a fight with Mickey Walker, the welterweight champion, for a purse of \$75,000. The offer was made by Frank Black and Harry Blaufuss, the Newark promoters, and they state that the fight, if arranged, will be held at the Harrison, N.J. ball park.

The only condition under which Walker will fight McTigue is that the latter make 160 pounds ring-side. As Mike has always fought around that poundage, his manager is satisfied he won't have any trouble in getting down to that notch.

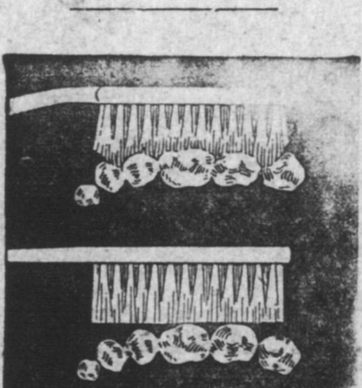
Jacobs cabled McTigue for the exact date of his departure and whether he can make the weight. The manager expects to get an answer shortly, and if the reply is satisfactory the articles will be signed.

Gold Rush to Quebec.

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Quebec, March 23.—(Canadian Press)—The most promising gold rush that the Province of Quebec has ever seen is now on in full swing and it has all the earmarks of a genuine thing which will possibly bring about the development of flourishing mining camps in the Counties of Temiskaming and Abitibi, just east of the Ontario boundary.

Gold was discovered in these two counties early in 1922 and the rush of prospectors began in March of that year. Things went on quietly for a start, but the real stampede came in October when 250 claims were staked, comprising about fifty thousand acres of land, and this with other claims staked earlier in the year 1922, and since October would bring the total number of acres up to about ninety thousand.



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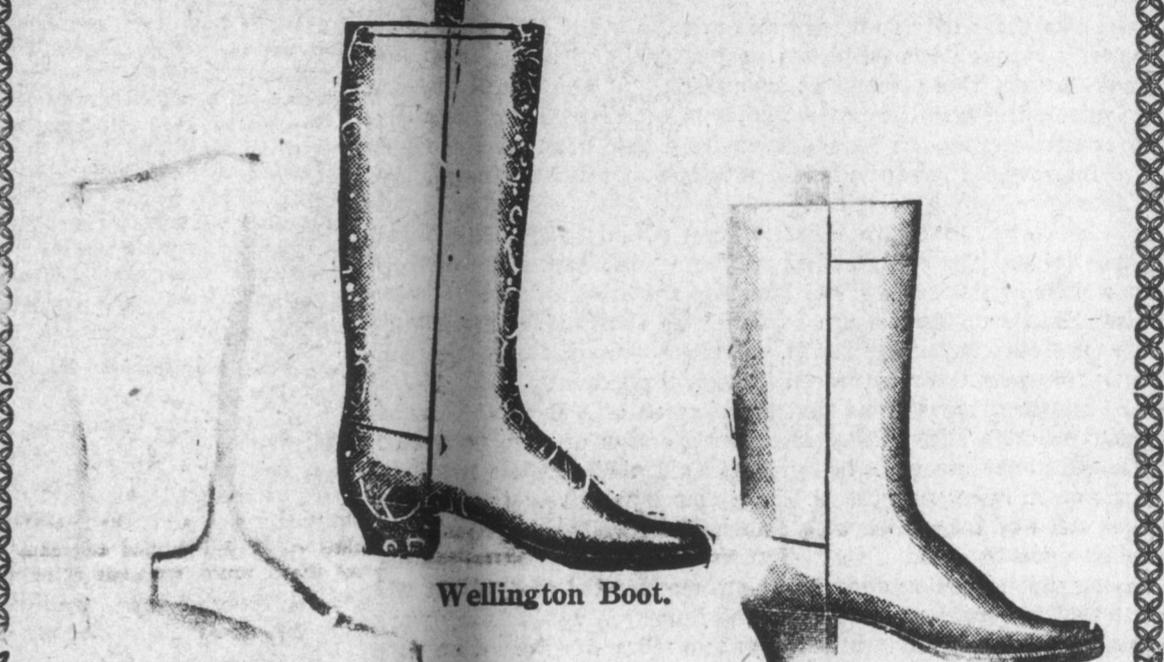
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"THE STORM" AT STAR THEATRE GIVES INTERESTING STUDY OF WOMEN.

Writers, philosophers and know-it-alls have from time immemorial declared that the girl of unspoiled innocence, the girl without experience in meeting men, is the first to fall before the wiles of a polished artist in love making. The woman of the world is protected by her knowledge, they have contended.

But there is another kind of innocent girl, who isn't so susceptible in spite of her ignorance. This is the belief of Langdon McCormick, the man who wrote the stage success, "The Storm," and Reginald Baker, the famous producer, who directed the production.

"She is the girl of the woods. Living in daily close communion with Nature, inspired by the clean atmosphere of the primitive world and knowing no men but the straight, honest woodsmen and trappers, she somehow gains a protecting instinct against the 'man from outside.'"

When he comes, instead of succumbing to his polished mastery as the girl of the farms or the small towns would do, she instinctively rejects him, though pleased with his attentions. The girl of the country town is not raised in so free and independent an atmosphere; she is brought up with her more desirous of the supposed freedom and wealth that the "city feller" always offers.

But the girl of the forests has had nothing but freedom and Nature's own wealth of beauty all her life. "The Storm," a Universal-Jewel special starring House Peters, and with Virginia Valli, Matt Moore, Janet Swickard and others in support, comes to the Star Theatre next week.

The action of "The Storm" was photographed against a background of scenic beauty that is remarkable. House Peters brings to the leading role all the consummate art that has made him one of the outstanding figures on the screen to-day. It is safe to say that he has never had a better opportunity to show what he could do than was offered to him in "The Storm."



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VOTE FOR COAKERISM and no more employment, not even at rock-breaking; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and plenty of the wholesome labour which prosperous times will bring.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and a mere ruined St. John's; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and the city's expansion in industries, trade and commerce, which comes with the days of prosperity.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and the flag of Bolshevism principles; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and there will be no tampering with the British standard of liberty and freedom.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM fishermen of the South and West and then bid good-bye to your fisheries for ever more; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and the safeguarding of your livelihood for yourself and your dear ones.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and a promise of two sealing steamers for your seal fishery; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and prosperous times will encourage the building of a whole modern fleet with berths for all the men who seek them.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and a SECRET HUNTER REAL; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and an honest and genuine HUNTER DEAL will be given to the country, followed up by the encouragement of the great enterprises which prosperous times cause.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and the emigrant ship carrying off your sons and daughters; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and your children will remain with you in the happier homes that prosperity will create.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and more continuation to the districts of Conception Bay; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and happy times for every family who resides there.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and more crushing taxation; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and the light taxes that prosperous times will carry for us.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and the abolition of supplies; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and supplies will not be afraid to furnish supplies to all the fishermen who need such.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and further disastrous tinkering with the fisheries; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and the free development aided by a substantial bounty to every fisherman employed.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and more ruin for Harbour Grace; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and the building up of our second city.

that we all so much admired in the days of prosperity, and which we wish to see again restored in happiness and marching onward to even greater prosperity than of old.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM, fishermen of the North and continued distress under Coaker's Bolshevism principles of compulsory control; **VOTE FOR A BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and freedom of the fisheries with unlimited supplies, high prices for fish and a substantial bounty on every quintal you catch.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM, fishermen of Placentia Bay and you vote for a bigger and softer job for Bonia with the ruination of your fisheries and the impoverishment of your families; **VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT** and continued prosecution of the fisheries, unlimited supplies, good prices for your catch and a sure and certain bounty for the product of your toil, with the consequent blessings of happiness in plenty for yourself and families.

Scott's Vessel is Bought for Survey.

LONDON, (Canadian Press)—Capt. Robert F. Scott's vessel, the Discovery, has been bought by the government of the Falkland Islands for research work in whaling in the waters of South Georgia and South Shetlands.

Personal.

Mrs. E. Driscoll and family, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Benson, sailed by the Rosalind on Tuesday en route to Pittsburg, U.S.A. where they will reside in the near future. They will be met by Mr. Driscoll, who, like many Newfoundlanders, has made a successful beginning in the land of Uncle Sam.

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B.L.S. LADIES!—There will be a meeting of the B.L.S. Ladies' Auxiliary on Wednesday evening at 8.30. ESTHER M. DOYLE, Secretary.—apr10,23

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St. John's, Newfoundland, Wednesday, April 11, 1923.

THE MANIFESTO

Of Mr. J. R. Bennett the Leader of the Liberal-Labour Progressive Party.

The Manifesto of Mr. J. R. Bennett, which we publish in today's issue, is one of the ablest and most comprehensive pronouncements that has been given to the public for many years. It bears the imprint of truthfulness, honesty and sincerity in every line and paragraph.

Will You Trust Them?

SQUIRES-COAKER-COLLISHAW WANT A BLANK CHEQUE.

Was there ever so dreary an organ as the Mail? Wading wearily through its editorials yesterday, an acute searcher could dig out this attempt at argument: "If the people endorse Squires, the Humber project as it is becomes law instantly."

Now, to appreciate the enormity of this argument, recall these facts. The contract has not been published. The electors do not know its terms. The Mail has not read a line of it. Its contents, its omissions, are as Greek to the Squires candidates who are out canvassing for it.

Suppose it were true that the election of a Bennett Government meant a slight delay in the ratification of the contract, while its contents were being considered, and possible modifications were being negotiated.

It is suggested that the contract involves the purchase of the Reid steamers and railway rights, by the payment of millions of public money. It is said that there are no provisions safeguarding the laborers of this country from the importation of foreigners.

It is a sinister thing that Squires will not publish the Humber contract, and all that concerns it. The very fact that he keeps it in the dark is proof that it is unsafe for the Colony.

If, then, men of Newfoundland, you would not sign in the dark where your own interests were concerned, will you vote in the dark where the interests of the Colony are at stake?

Rosalind Takes Over 150 More.

EVERY WEEK HUNDREDS ARE LEAVING THE HOMELAND.

S.S. Rosalind sailed for New York via Halifax yesterday afternoon, taking about two hundred passengers, about forty first-class, the balance 150, in steerage.

McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, April 11.

The welcome arrival of S.S. "Digby" brought us our full supply of Sutton's Seeds, vegetable and flower, and these will be open and ready for sale in a few days.

"QUARANTINED" - St. Mary's Hall to-night.

St. Mary's Hall to-night, Wednesday, curtain 8.15. Reserved seats 50c.; General admission 30c. Tickets to be had at the door at the Hall this afternoon.

VOTE FOR COAKERISM and the selling of our Labrador birthright to the Canadians; VOTE FOR THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT and the continued free control for Newfoundland of the Labrador fisheries, its mines and timber wealth.

A GIGANTIC DEMONSTRATION.

Last Night's Big Meeting in Star Theatre

Coaker-Squires Control Doomed--Thousands of Citizens Acclaim Bennett Candidates Who Will be Elected With Sweeping Majorities--Chairman F. W. Ayre and Mr. Walter S. Monroe Receive a big Welcome--2,500 Voters Present, Enthusiasm Intense.

With the largest auditorium in the city packed to capacity and hundreds unable to gain admission, St. John's witnessed last night the most enthusiastic political meeting that was ever held in the city. It was a most unusual demonstration. Fully 2,500 people were present.

state before that meeting that only one firm on the street was honest. When he (Mr. Ayre) read that he began to consider what Sir R. A. Squires was—whether he was a fool, a knave, a fanatic, or a colossal liar.

lands of the country, driven to other parts to seek a livelihood. Thirty years ago, said Sir Michael, the public debt was \$6,000,000; to-day it is \$60,000,000 and our population is practically the same.

MR. MONROE RECEIVES WONDERFUL RECEPTION.

Mr. Monroe on rising to speak was greeted with an outburst of cheering that shook the building, and which was a clear indication of how the people of St. John's appreciate his action in going to the heart of Coakerism to contest the election.

INSULTS THE SURVIVING PORTION OF WATER STREET.

Continuing, Sir Michael said, Sir Richard Squires' policy now, and his chief stock in trade, is to insult the merchants and business people whom he claimed are robbing the Colony.

"WE HATE BEEN RULED BY A TRIUMVIRATE."

"WE HATE BEEN RULED BY A TRIUMVIRATE," said Mr. Monroe, and he announced them as W. F. Coaker, who won the confidence of the North and held it at the last general election; Sir R. A. Squires whom Coaker selected as his Prime Minister, and the third was Dr. Campbell, who came here from Nova Scotia, and whom the people of St. John's West told plainly they had no use for.

Capt. Winsor is well known to everybody. Mr. Little is a regular "life saver" and if ever a life saver was needed it was now.

MR. HIGGINS REFERS TO THE "SPECIAL ELECTION."

Mr. W. J. Higgins, the leader of the Opposition ticket in St. John's East, followed Mr. Monroe, and the ever popular "Bully" was given a whole ovation when his name was announced by the Chairman.

SIR JOHN CROSBIE PREDICTS WIN FOR MONROE.

Sir John Crosbie followed Mr. Higgins. He was glad to see such a loud and pleased also to see that prominent men of the country who fought for Sures last election had realized their mistake.

HEARTY VOTE OF APPRECIATION TENDERED CHAIRMAN.

At the conclusion of Mr. Hunt's able address, Mr. C. J. Fox proposed and Mr. Puddister seconded that a vote of appreciation be extended Mr. Ayre in recognition of his courtesy in presiding so capably over the meeting.

Spencer Club's Card Party and Dance, in Spencer College, to-night.

Table holders are asked to be present at 8 p. m. Dancing at 11 p. m.—April 11.

SHIPPING DEPT. COST A MILLION.

Sir John said that when he left the Shipping Department there was \$1,200,000 there and now there was not a penny left.

Sealing News.

NEPTUNE DOING WELL. The sealing fleet on the North front are doing fairly good work.

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THE STAR MOVIE, NEWFOUNDLAND'S LEADING PICTURE HOUSE.

TO-NIGHT'S BIG ATTRACTION
"Eva Olivotti,"

Everybody's Favourite—Sings and Dances:

- A—"A KISS IN THE DARK."
- B—"CAROLINA."

Universal Films present cute little Gladys Walton in a most delightful comedy drama in six parts:

"THE GUTTERSNIPE."

Funny Jimmy Aubrey in a Two-Act Comedy Riot:

THE NUISANCE.

WEDNESDAY—DOROTHY DALTON in that Big Super-Special—"THE IDOL OF THE NORTH"—8 Parts.

LOOK OUT FOR "THE STORM."

The Love Birds.

And Now They Are in The Same Nest.

MR. SQUIRES' STAR ON MR. COAKER, 1918:

"Away with him (Coaker) from public life. He is untrustworthy; he lacks public spirit; he has shown regard only for his own well-being and that of his pet objects; he sets self-interest before the welfare of Country and Empire; he displays intolerance and treachery; he is an offence to honest men and true—a drag on the progress of the country—a stumbling block in the way of success of patriotic effort, and an exemplar of petty meanness, and self-seeking politics. NEWFOUNDLAND CAN TOLERATE NO SUCH MAN IN ITS GOVERNMENT; NEWFOUNDLAND AND ITS REPRESENTATION COURT RUIN EVERY MOMENT HE IS ALLOWED TO REMAIN IN THE COUNCILS OF ITS ADMINISTRATION."

MR. COAKER ON MR. SQUIRES:

(From the official debates of the House of Assembly, May 16, 1918.)
 "This man (Squires) who is attacking me in the Star, and exhausting the English language to find sufficient words to vilify me, as quoted in the article (Throw Him Out) (see opposite column) opened up negotiations with the Reid Newfoundland Company in reference to the supposed failure of one of the Reids to live up to a promise made respecting financial aid to the Star, which negotiations ended by the payment in BANK OF MONTREAL NOTES OF \$5,000 by Mr. R. G. Reid to the then Colonial Secretary, Mr. R. A. Squires. The public will be solely concerned with that aspect of the matter which led the Chairman of such a responsible Committee trusting and dealing on behalf of the Dominion, with claims of such vast proportions, accepting the sum of \$5,000 paid him by a Company whose claims were under consideration and adjustment. I leave the public to decide as to HOW CLEAN THE HANDS OF SUCH A MAN ARE."

EARLY CABLES.

IRREGULARS DESPERATE FLIGHT.
 DUBLIN, April 10. Irish Irregulars have been reduced to such desperate straits that a summer campaign on their part is impossible according to captured documents made public to-day by the publicity department of the Free State army. In one of the documents the officer commanding the First Southern Division Irregulars reports, "the present state of the Division is that we have been fought to a standstill, and are flattened out. In the Cork first, third and fourth brigades we have twenty-nine killed, twelve posts captured and six seriously attacked. If five men are arrested in each area we are finished. The men are suffering great privations, and the morale is going. The enemy is in a very strong position with several spare battalions at Curragh."

VOTERS OF NEWFOUNDLAND
 There is one chance that the truth of the Humber Deal will come to light. It is a real chance and a bright one. To make sure of that chance we must all stand shoulder to shoulder and ensure that the promoter of faded hopes and of bluff promises shall never again have the opportunity to ride rough-shod over the interests of the people and of Newfoundland. It is to our interests to have the Humber Deal—but it must be a real, right and proper Humber Deal. Our one chance is that Bennett's Party comprising the best brains of the country be allowed to direct it, that Sir R. A. Squires and W. F. Coaker, who have proved themselves bunglers and incompetents, be kept far away from injuring a proposition that can be finalized to the advantage of Newfoundland. The Government by its acts have brought the country to the realization that they are incapable of doing anything but bluff. It is up to the country now to call that bluff and to put the bluffers out. Then we can have a clean-cut, open Humber Deal, a prosperous country, and a happy people. But to get that we must have—BENNETT FIRST then BETTER TIMES.

FRENCH ARREST STINNES.
 BERLIN, April 10. Hugo Stinnes and his wife were taken from their berths in the Berlin-Essen train, by French railway guards last night, and locked in the baggage car, according to reports reaching here to-day from Soharhorst. Stinnes was on his way to Muelheim where his principal industrial interests are centered.

HARDING FOR SECOND TERM.
 CHICAGO, April 10. President Harding will be renominated by the Republican party without opposition for President in 1924 said Senator S. D. Fess of Ohio, speaking before the Hamilton Club and making the statement with the consent of the Administration, he said.

FRENCH EVICTING GERMANS.
 LONDON, April 10. According to a despatch to the Times from Dusseldorf the most active campaign in Ruhr at this moment is

against the railwaymen, who are being evicted wholesale, with their families because they will not agree to work under administration of the Franco-Belgian authorities.

AN AMBITIOUS PROPOSAL.
 TORONTO, April 10. Dimitri Joanvici, a young Rumanian engineer, passed through Toronto for Montreal to interview Premier Taschereau in connection with a scheme he has for banishing the winter from the St. Lawrence, by setting up certain currents in the River Channel to prevent freezing, and thereby maintaining navigation the year round.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT SUFFERS ANOTHER DEFEAT.
 LONDON, April 10. The Government was defeated in the Commons to-night on the question of the treatment of former service men. The vote was 145 to 138.

THE CAUSE OF THE DEFEAT.
 LONDON, April 10. The Government sustained a surprise defeat in the House of Commons to-night by a small majority of seven in a thin house on a technical point which in ordinary circumstances they might ignore; but in view of the fact that once before during a brief lifetime the Ministry had a narrow escape in the House in addition to several bad reverses in bye-elections, it is impossible to say what attitude Ministers will take. The question arose concerning the salaries paid former service men entering the civil service. Labor leaders were displeased at the Government's stand and as a protest opposed the motion that the Speaker leave the Chair to enable a discussion of the estimates. The motion, usually carried as a matter of course, was to everybody's surprise defeated 145 to 138. The figures were greeted with intense excitement and Labor shouts of resin and send for the Premier. Most of the Ministers were absent. J. Ramsay MacDonald

asked what the Government proposed to do and suggested that the proceedings be adjourned. Neville Chamberlain, President of the Ministry of Health, thereupon moved the adjournment which was carried amid derisive opposition cheers. The members streamed into the lobby excitedly discussing the prospects of the resignation of the Government. According to some Liberal members an adverse vote on this particular question is unprecedented and must be fatal. The Cabinet is sitting late to-night. Even some supporters of the Government admitted an awkward situation was created but declared it was largely due to the blunder of the Government whips who told the members there would be no division. The general opinion on the Opposition side is that the Speaker may make a decision which will provide a way out of the difficulty, but it is felt because of Bonar Law's health and the general difficult position of the Government, anything may happen. The defeat leaves a curious situation. By refusing to move the Speaker from the Chair to discuss the estimates, the House has practically refused supplies, and according to parliamentary rules a motion to move the Speaker cannot be put again in the same session. Ministers are therefore confronted with the duty of terminating the present session and proceeding to a new session with a formal speech from the throne and other formalities unless the Speaker can extricate them from the dilemma. According to latest reports the Speaker, after consultation with the Ministers, is prepared to accept another motion on Thursday.

SMALLPOX AT INGNONISH.
 NORTH SYDNEY, April 10. Vaccine has reached the smallpox-stricken village of Ingonish, and it is hoped that spread of the disease may be checked. No deaths are reported.

AN IMPORTANT CAPTURE.
 DUBLIN, April 10. Liam Lynch, Chief of Staff of the Irish Irregulars, has been captured. Lynch was captured at Knocknaslin, near Newcastle, after an engagement in which he was seriously injured. Eamonn De Valera, Countess Marievich, and others prominent in the Republican movement are reported to have been with Lynch. The pursuit of these leaders is continuing and the belief is expressed that their capture is imminent. Lynch was one of the most uncompromising of the Irish Republican leaders, according to indications from various reported utterances and documents. In one proclamation he said "The war will go on until the independence of our country

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LYNCH IS DEAD.
 DUBLIN, April 10. Liam Lynch, Chief of Staff of the Irregular forces, wounded and captured by Free State troops this morning, died at 8.45 to-night.

TURK REPLY REASONABLE.
 LONDON, April 10. The Turkish Government's reply to the Allies peace proposals, examined to-day at the Foreign Office, was declared in official circles as "reasonable and discussable."

QUEBEC COASTAL SERVICE OPENED.
 QUEBEC, April 10. The North Shore Coastal Service was officially opened to-day when the steamer Labrador of the Clarke Trading Company Ltd., sailed with mails, passengers and freight, followed one hour later by the Guide of the Bras d'Or Bay Company, with passengers and cargo.

UNITED STATES GETS OIL CONCESSIONS.
 ANKARA, April 10. The Turkish Nationalist Assembly has ratified the so-called Chester Railway and mining concession. Negotiations for the Chester concession, which includes the development of the Mosul oil region and the construction of one thousand two hundred miles of railroad in Mesopotamia fields, were first instituted by Pres. Roosevelt.

The concession takes its name from Rear Admiral Golby M. Chester, of the United States Navy, who was sent to Turkey in 1908 to obtain for the United States interests in certain valuable priority rights in the Turkish oil production district. United States capital would be used under the agreement to extend the Bagdad Railway to the borders of Persia while rail connections would be afforded the chief cities of Turkey.

A LIBERAL VICTORY.
 ANGLESEA, England, April 10. The Liberal combination won the Parliamentary bye-election in this constituency over Labor and Conservative candidates. Sir R. J. Thomas was the successful candidate in the general election. He came second to General Sir Thomas Owen, Independent.

NARCOTIC BOOTLEGGING.
 NEW YORK, April 10. Customs officials expressed the hope to-day that they had made a start towards breaking up the vast international plot to smuggle narcotic drugs into the country in the guise of merchandise, shipped ostensibly to Canada, but actually intended to be diverted into bootleg channels in this and nearby cities. This "start" was the seizure in New York Central Yards on Friday of 1221 lbs. of morphine, shipped from Europe on the Holland-American liner, and involved lamps. It had a bootleg market value of considerably more than a million dollars, customs agents said.

STATUTORY NOTICE.
 In the matter of the Estate of William Lloyd Woods of St. John's, late Assistant City Engineer, deceased.

All persons having any claims against the Estate of William Lloyd Woods of St. John's, late Assistant City Engineer, deceased, are required to furnish particulars thereof in writing to G. VATER FIDY, 320 Duckworth Street, Administrator of the said Estate of said deceased, on or before the 15th day of April, A.D. 1923, after which date the Administrator will proceed to distribute the Estate, having regard only to the claims of which he has then had notice.

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Design 4359—Miss 16 to 20 will be a simple maid this Spring with her basque frock and her puffed sleeves. Visit our piece-goods counter with her and let her select one of the recommended materials in the color she likes best. We have all the new taffetas, crepe, satin, and silks. At our Butterick Pattern counter you will find the pattern in all the sizes. The Deltor enclosed with the pattern tells you how to make the dress from start to finish—even the flower ornaments and the puffing with which the dress is trimmed.

Design 4367—Ruffles have returned but, thanks to the Deltor, they use no more material than a plain-skirted dress. A 10-year size requires only 3 1/2 yards of 39 inch material—the Deltor showing you with pictures how to lay the pattern on the material. At our piece-goods counter you will find the popular Spring materials—taffeta, silk or satin crepes, printed silks in the new designs. And at our Butterick Pattern counter you will find all the new Spring styles.

Design 4360—Two yards of 44 inch material is enough to make this dress for a 10-year-old child. The pattern (a Butterick one) is very simple and the Deltor, enclosed with it, shows you exactly how to make the dress—even the ruching and the rosettes. All you have to do is select the material, and at our piece-goods counter you will find an excellent assortment—organies, dotted Swiss, taffeta, net, in all the lovely new colors.

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Design 4360

The ROYAL STORES, Limited

A Clean Cut Humber Deal.

J. R. BENNETT THE MAN TO HANDLE IT.

Scared by continual demands of the public and of the Opposition Press for information and facts of the Humber Deal, the Daily Mail graciously talks about nothing, in the desperate hope of again pulling the wool over the eyes of the voters. In big type, conspicuously spread out, the Government organs have raked up all the enticing promises they could conceive and declared to the people of Newfoundland that never was there presented to the country such a programme of development that predicted so well to enrich the empty coffers of the treasury and of the people in general. If the Prime Minister, through his henchmen, Messrs. Mosell and St. John, thinks he can hoodwink the voters by such articles, and lead them to believe that there is still and sundry of the Humber negotiations he is greatly mistaken. We have too great a record of his wonderful promises that are still waiting for fulfillment to believe for one moment that the Daily Mail's assertions are correct. Of course every one admits that his figures are within reason, and that the proposition offers a great source of employment to the many needy men in our midst; but certainly there is no one so weak as to believe that there is nothing more nothing less in the scheme as outlined by the Daily Mail. Knowing Sir A. Squires as we do, can we for an instant believe him to be sincere in the promises made to the country out of the Humber Deal. It is too evident that he is using the propo-

sition as an election cry in the hope of being returned to power for another four years in which to again misrule our happy country. Every man about town, if asked, will declare that the Daily Mail's attempts to bluff are too thin. They are disgusted with the Prime Minister because he has no greater courage to answer the country's demand for information about the Humber Deal than with a figged exposition of the high possibilities that may come in the course of time if the voters return HIM to power. Does he think that the men of Newfoundland do not care, or that they are too unintelligent to consider the actual "give and take" of the proposition? Or is he afraid to tell the inside facts? The Deal is a big one, so naturally there must be a whole lot of underhand. Are not the people of Newfoundland to know WHAT the passing of the Humber Legislation will cost them. The Daily Mail tries to make us believe many big figures that are for our own benefit. But what is for the benefit of the ones that are so greatly benefitting us Newfoundlanders? What is for the benefit of Sir R. A. Squires if he benefits the ones who are benefitting us with the Humber Deal? In what little way shall we help to benefit the Reids again? How are we going to benefit Mr. W. F. Coaker again? These are the questions for the Daily Mail. Can we get them to answer by telling the remainder of the story—the part they always leave out of their long-winded, Squires-written, editorial bluffs. If the Daily Mail

Manifesto of Mr. John R. Bennett

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any cost... through these insti- tutions will result.

POOR ASYLUM.

Three and a half years ago Sir Richard Squires in his Manifesto declared that "The Poor Asylum is an institution which is a disgrace to the Colony."

The method required is not the scattering around of large additional sums of money, but rather the intelligent administration and expenditure of present votes.

OLD AGE PENSIONS.

As a member of the Morris Government I participated in establishing the Old Age Pension Fund.

My Party will give sympathetic consideration to the plea of the aged and afflicted, and hope to be able to extend the scope of the Old Age Pension as the circumstances of the country will permit.

SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND.

The need for the industrial education of our blind is recognized by everybody except the present Government, who have turned a deaf ear to all representations on that behalf.

THE HOUSING PROBLEM.

Dealing with the Housing Problem in

St. John's, the present Premier in 1919 promised to "assist any economically sound proposition to make easier the erection of homes for the working class."

On the other hand, the St. John's Municipal Council undertook, on their own account, the building of a number of houses; and did so on business lines and without any waste of money.

THE WAR VETERANS.

The present Premier made as lavish promises to the veterans of the Great War as he did to any other class in the country;

PROHIBITION.

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should apply; and to increase these accordingly. A call has recently been made upon the Opposition to declare its policy with regard to the Returned Men, and in reply thereto I have great pleasure in stating that the Opposition Party will loyally adhere to the understanding that Canadian rates of pension shall be paid, and will not consider any reduction of them until Canada does; and then only after a full enquiry into local conditions by a Board on which the returned men will be fully represented;

PROHIBITION.

Sir Richard Squires attacked the late Government for its stand on the Prohibition question and denounced its enforcement of the Prohibition Act.

"To enact such an amendment to the present law as to do away with class distinction at present existing in the practical enforcement of the Act and to take such steps as may best conserve the business and social interests and moral life of the community."

This was the declaration of Sir Richard Squires in 1919, and it is needless for me to ask the country to say how he has lived up to that pledge.

for so doing. In former days, when the liquor law was in existence, the Department of Justice and the police were able to enforce the laws as they existed.

"The system which makes it possible for certain medical men to sell for large fees 'scripts' for intoxicating liquor to be used as a beverage must be abolished. It is common knowledge that the prescriptions of medical practitioners are frequently sold on the streets of St. John's and are trafficked in as an article of commerce, with the result that those who have wealth may get such supplies of wines and liquors as they desire, while the poor man when he applied to his medical man in a bona fide case, may be told that his monthly allowance is used up and the case cannot be helped."

If this was a true description of conditions then, the truth to-day is that under the Squires-Coaker regime conditions are a thousand per cent. worse. At that time there was a limit of a hundred prescriptions monthly for each medical man; to-day there is no limit.

The man who is, more than anybody else, responsible for the scandals associated with the Prohibition Act is Sir Richard Squires, the Prime Minister.

ditions could exist for twenty-four hours, and every right-thinking man in the country should vote against him for this, if for no other reason.

I recognize that there are differences of opinion as to the merits not alone of Prohibition as a policy, but of the terms of the Act on the Statute Book.

IN CONCLUSION.

Read in the light of the conditions prevailing here the paragraph with which Sir Richard Squires closed his Manifesto of 1919, must be regarded as unique. He thus said:

"My party consists of a body of young enthusiastic Newfoundlanders. I ask you for my party and my candidated your enthusiastic support and your votes on Polling Day, my message to my fellow-countrymen is: 'Be of good cheer. The dawn of a new political and industrial era for our Homeland is at hand. Rally to my banner, as sturdy independent men, who indifferent to bribes on the one hand and threats on the other, have resolved that the day of graft, greed, arrogance, political intrigue, and dishonor in Newfoundland is done, and a body of young Newfoundlanders shall be given a chance to clean up the mess in which disgraced politicians have dragged our affairs, to correct the compass of our Ship of State and face the stormy sea of a cleansing public life, re-organization and reconstruction, with the sturdy hearts of oak possessed by our fore-fathers, who in the centuries past came from England, Ireland, and Scotland to make this Colony a place in which their descendants might live and prosper.'"

How have "the body of young enthusiastic Newfoundlanders" attempted "to clean

up the mess," which he alleged existed at that time? How have they performed the task of "cleansing our public life, reorganizing and reconstructing the fabric of society, making the Colony a place in which their descendants may live and prosper?"

In closing now, my last word to the people of Newfoundland like my first, is to warn them that the condition of this country is to-day desperate in the extreme, and that what it needs is a policy of sane, sober, judicious administration of its affairs.

Yours faithfully, J. R. BENNETT. St. John's, 31st March, 1923.

A Regular Blizzard in St. John's.

AGAINST THE SQUIRES-COAKER CANDIDATES.

Dear Sir—I have long been an interested observer of political campaigns in St. John's and have studied upon the approach of elections, the various conflicting expressions and opinions offered beforehand as to the probabilities, but never yet, I say in all my life, have I experienced such an overwhelming sentiment as that which has now swelled up in favor of the Bennett candidates.

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West Coast Awake.

Commercial Travellers who have returned from the South West Coast this week report business dull, and say the ice blockade seriously interferes with business in all directions.

They have brought on starvation. They've emptied the chest. They've went to the old country to get a month's rest; No more like canaries in the cage you will sing After the elections are over early this spring.

"Hello" Girls Brave Threat of Flames.

CHICAGO FIRE ENDANGERS BELL TELEPHONE BUILDING.

—CHICAGO, March 12—(United Press)—Hundreds of girl telephone operators stuck to their posts when the Illinois Bell Telephone building was threatened by fire early to-day.

A high wind carrying smoke and burning embers, swirled around offices where the 'phone girls were working. Firemen, handicapped by a severe storm, were able, through heroic efforts to confine the blaze to the Times Building, occupied principally by stores and small manufacturing plants. The loss was approximately \$100,000.

Ent Mrs. Stewart's Home-made Bread... MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR CORNS AND WARTS.

A Few Verses From Trinity.

Ye men from the North, East, west and South, The time is at hand, let us kick Coaker out; So Squires will go to, we are all quite sure, For they planted starvation at every ones door.

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Bennett is New Perlican's Choice.

Dear Sir—I saw by the Advocate that some poor unfortunate person from here has been writing that paper to the effect that the Government members will get a big vote around this place.

Now, men from the North, don't heed Squires or Coaker. You can play a good game without either Joker. But vote for John Bennett and don't heed those liars. For now is our time to down Coaker and Squires.

Now, Mr. Coaker don't think you will find, The men of Old Trinity all the one mind; There's scores of good men in all of our towns Who will help defeat Coaker and put Squires down.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. BUNGER HILL. Trinity, March 30th 1923.

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THE FALLEN SAINT.

The morning papers brought the news, how J. Cornelius Hiram Dinn, who'd fought for years the Demon Booze was found half shot with bootleg gin.

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SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

FAT VERSUS PROHIBITION.

A life insurance company has some interesting things to say about prohibition. Prohibition has improved the health of the country in a general way, but in one way it hasn't helped.

"Our observation has been that since prohibition became effective the average man has gained weight. Where he used to entertain guests and friends and customers at bars, he now entertains them at meals, buying rich food, pastries, sweets in greater quantities than ever before. He lingers over the table and forgets to curtail his appetite until he is gorged."

Isn't Fat Healthy?

But what if he does gain in weight, someone may ask, is that necessarily a disadvantage? Can't a fat person be just as healthy as a thin one?

Not according to the studies of the life insurance companies. "The deaths from infectious diseases (like T.B., typhoid, diphtheria, etc.) are decreasing. But the deaths from degenerative diseases are increasing, and much of this is on account of overeating and overweight. Fat affects the heart. It causes the heart to labor in proportion to the increase in weight of the body. How surely overweight affects longevity can best be appreciated by looking about to see how many fat old people you can discover. Fat old people are

rare. Most patrons over 60 years old are slim, practically all octogenarians are thin. Fat, usually mistaken for evidence of good health, is in reality a sign of danger."

Foolish Eating.

This is, needless to say, not an argument against prohibition, but an argument against over-eating and foolish eating.

I have always held that the women who upset their stomachs with rich college fees and candies, eaten at a time when the stomach should be having a well-earned rest, were as foolish, from a health standpoint, as the men who ruined their digestions with drinking.

And now the insurance companies tell us that even if the digestion manages to handle these superfluous foods and converts them into fat, we are still sinning against our health. Stored up fat is excess baggage and Nature doesn't carry around excess baggage without charging for it.

What You Should Weigh.

Of course there is no need to go to the opposite extreme, as so many women do nowadays, and make an idol of thinness. Somewhere between is the happy medium both of beauty and health. You can easily find out what you should weigh for your height, and if you weigh within ten pounds of that you will not offend seriously against your health or your appearance. Most people prefer to have it ten pounds under, because ten pounds over is such a dangerous start toward the swifly rolling snowball of overweight, and because the present-day cannons of beauty favor slimmness.

Political Paragraphs.

The Third of May will be known in future History of Newfoundland as "The Glorious Third."

On this day Terra Nova threw off the shackles of stagnation and depression and entered on the road of prosperity.

Coaker ordered Squires to rush the election so that Monroe and Winsor would not have time to get over the District. All is in vain; his day of control is done.

Coaker is sending out the S.O.S. in the Northern Districts. His followers admit now that Stone, Monroe, Long and Ayre will be elected.

That the Battery will batter the three B's on Polling Day was as plain as a pike staff at Monday night's meeting.

Bennett and Hickman's progress around Conception Bay to Harbor Grace Monday was one continued ovation wherever the train pulled up.

The more Government money that Squires and Campbell throw away the more are they losing ground with the electors.

The big meeting at the Star Theatre has put the finishing touches on the destruction of Coakerism in St. John's.

The Mail blames somebody for stealing Squires' brains. His utterances about the Board of Trade and the Merchants do certainly prove that there is some truth in this report.

The man is desperate and seems ready to go to any lengths to hold on to the Government. If he had kept only one of the thirty-nine promises in his Manifesto possibly there would be some chance for him to get back.

The record is too bad. He wanted too much money. He piled up too much taxation. He made the times too hard. He allowed Coaker to dominate him and ruin the fish export trade.

He must, therefore, "bundle and go" on May the third.

The men who sold themselves for "an order" to supply goods to public institutions thank goodness can't sell anybody else. They can't influence one vote outside their own.

This policy will be found to bring such poor returns in votes that no party will ever try it again. This will be a good thing for the taxpayers. It is time to put a stop to such corruption and waste.

The Squiresites are now saying that it would have been better if the Election had been put off till the Fall. It would give them six months more of the "flesh pots," which they will now lose for ever.

The straight story that Monroe will tell the fishermen of Bonavista Bay about the damage caused by the Fish Regulations will be the hardest shot that Coaker ever got in his whole political career.

It is wonderful how the outpost people have caught on about the Humber Deal, and how they see through the trickery of Squires and Coaker. They know that the Deal will be carried out much better and more honestly under Bennett and the defeat of the Government will not affect the contract.

If chocolate flakes in chocolate pudding, beat with an egg beater while it is still in the double boiler.

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It is curious how certain proverbs are common to several languages, although expressed differently.

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Our saying, "Give him an inch and he'll take a yard" has an equivalent

in several languages. The Italians say, "If you let them put a cat on you, they will soon put a cow on you as well." And the Germans declare that "If you let someone sit on your shoulders, you will soon have them on your head."

We have a proverb, "Daub yourself with honey and you'll be covered with flies." The Danes put this in a more picturesque way, for they say "Make yourself an ass and you'll have everybody's sack on your shoulders." Frequently we use the expression that "the receiver is as bad as the thief." The French equivalent is, "He who holds the sack sins as much as he who fills it," and the Germans say, "He who holds the ladder is as guilty as he who mounts the wall."

War on Rats.

There are indications that rats are going to have a bad time. The only way they can avert it is to reform, but rats are hardened criminals, and there is little likelihood that they will cease to gnaw and steel baby chicks before the new war is waged against them.

The Incorporated Vermin Repression Society is the G. H. Q. of the rats destroyers. It must be confessed that, up till now, the rats have got rather the better of the fight, but the rats are now to be fought on 'co-operative and co-ordinated scientific lines,' and the very sound of that should make the

rodent tremble. Rats are, comparatively speaking, a modern menace in this country. Ichthyosaurus died long before rat began. William the Conqueror never saw a rat in England. He has seen moles, but rats and moles were not known in his day, and said to have been brought back by Crusaders.

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Catalina Notes.

Hurrah! It's in the air.
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Three good men for Trinity Stone, Hodder and Bradley.

See 'em run. Poor Halfyard, Hibbs and Randall.

What good is Halfyard to the fishermen of Trinity Bay. He is stuck in the Post Office drawing thousands of dollars from them—some fishermen's representative.

Contrast this with honest John Stone, a man of the people, by the people and for the people.

Is it to be wondered at that three-fourths of the people in this District will vote for Stone, Bradley and Hodder.

Certainly Catalina will vote eighty per cent. for Stone and Opposition.

Everybody's asking what Bill Coaker's doing in the Thorburn Road.

Fish markets—Wow, wow.

Everybody says it's high time for a change with the exception of those that are pulling it out of the chest, sucking the blood of the fishermen—fifty dollars a month and fur coats. Who-a! Bill back up.

Men of Trinity District, how often have you seen invisible Halfyard during his three and a half years as your representative?

Conkerism measured by the Halfyard for Trinity would mean another term of poverty, hunger and privation for you and your children.

A string of molasses by the Halfyard is nothing. A Stone means a full gallon.

Who said pit props? Remember last winter how the Coaker-Halfyard bunch treated you. Hunger, cold, poverty.

Is it any wonder, then Catalina is shouting Stone and his men must come back, for BENNETT AND BETTER TIMES.—COR.

Catalina, April 3, 1923.

Naval Treaty is Thought Unfair.

FRENCH FOREIGN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE ASKS FOR MODIFICATIONS.

PARIS, March 24—The Committee on Foreign Affairs last night asked Premier Poincare to begin approaches to other Governments regarding modifications and reservations on the Washington naval treaty.

After considering the report on the treaty throughout the day, the committee decided it could not recommend reservations, since the French Constitution does not give the right to Parliament to change treaties. Nevertheless, it could not recommend ratification, because it considered the treaty unfair to France in several ways. The naval treaty committee's request does not mean an actual refusal to ratify the treaty, although it obviously does not intend to ratify it in its present form.

An official statement minimizes the action as much as possible, pointing out that Premier Poincare has been requested to start negotiations to modify only "if this is an opportune time." It is, nevertheless, apparent that if the time is not opportune, the treaty will simply have to wait until Quai D'Orsay decides on an opportune time.

Napoleon, 63 Years Old.

HAS SPENT 47 YEARS OF HIS LIFE IN JAIL; STARTED AT 15.

Napoleon Gagnon, aged 63, according to his life's record placed before years of his life in penal institutions. "What kind of a man are you?" said Judge Monet to the prisoner as he stood in the dock recently. "Of the 63 years you have spent on earth so far, you have been at liberty for only 16."

"Yes," he replied. "When I was 13 years old I was sentenced to two years in jail."

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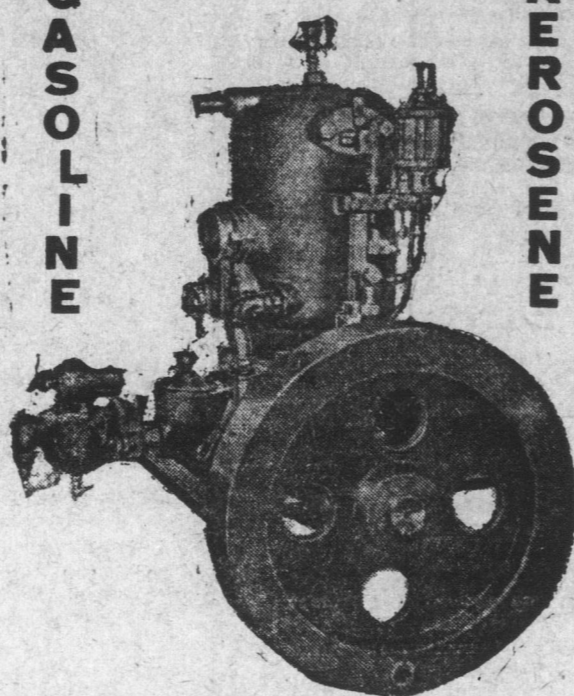
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