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**The Countess of London.**

CHAPTER III.

"Oh, Royce, Royce!" she wailed, "won't you write to me and tell me where you are, and whether you are well or ill?"

"I won't promise, Renie," he said, gravely. "I'm bad at writing, and if things went wrong with me I should be too proud to tell you. Good-bye, dear Renie. Don't fret about me—I'm not worth it."

Her hand still clung to his arm.

"Tell me, Royce," she murmured, and her eyes dropped, "have you—have you—have you any money?"

"Yes," he replied, forcing a smile; "I have a little—enough."

"Oh, not enough," she said, quickly; and she put her hand up to a chain round her neck.

"My hand trembles so that I can't fasten it, Undo it, Royce."

He unfastened the snap, and she took the chain off swiftly and pressed it into his hand.

"I haven't any money with me, Royce, but I will send you some if you will let me—and you will, won't you? You won't be too proud to take it from your sister, Royce?"

His face flushed, and he smiled still.

"You're not my sister, Renie," he replied; "but if you were, I should be too proud, as you say, to take money from you."

"Oh, Royce! But the chain—you will take that? You can sell it."

He shook his head. Then, as her eager face clouded over with disappointment, he unfastened a small locket from the chain.

"Not the chain, dear Renie," he said; "but I'll take the locket, that I may always have something with me to remind me of you—not that I shall need it. And now good-bye once more, dear Renie. There, don't cry; I'm not worth a tear or a sigh, as the song says: There, there!"

Her hand dropped from his arm, and she put it in his hand, and it twined round his fingers lovingly, approvingly. In the innocent eyes there was a look that said plainly:

"Take me in your arms, Royce; kiss me, for I love you."

Perhaps he understood the look, for his color came and went. But, notwithstanding what his mother had said, Royce Landon had not lost all honor, and he resisted the temptation—the great temptation—and instead he raised her hand to his lips and kissed it tenderly, reverently.

"Good-bye, Renie," he said in a very low voice. "And—don't think worse of me than you can help."

Then he turned and strode off; but as he entered the avenue he looked back and waved his hand. She was standing, white, lily-like, in her thin white dress, her hands before her eyes, and he knew that she was crying, and for him. She waved her hand, her lips formed his name, and then he was gone.

CHAPTER IV.

It was dark under the trees in the avenue as Royce walked through it, and in the solemn quietude thought over all that had passed. He had wrecked his life. He had had a fair start in the race, bore an honored name which his father had won, was blessed with strength and health, and here in the heyday of youth he was tramping away from his home—an outcast.

He stopped just outside the gate and emptied the money from his pocket into his hand—it did not require two. There were exactly fifteen shillings and sixpence, and Irene Trevelyan's locket. As he looked at the locket, the sternness of his face softened, and something very like a tear gathered in his eyes.

She had called herself his sister, and though he had contradicted her, she had been like a sister to him—until to-day. The Earl of London and Irene's father, Lord Trevelyan, had been bosom friends, and at the death of the latter his daughter had become Lord London's ward. The countess loved her as a mother, and Irene and Royce had grown up side by side, fast friends and playmates—brother and sister—until to-day, when, coming up to him in the oak room, he had discovered that the child had grown into a woman. Her face, pale and tearful, her voice, full of its sympathetic sorrow, haunted him as he sat there, and almost drove out the sting and remembrance of his mother's passionate reproaches. But they came back upon him presently, and stung and lashed him. He knew that what she had said was true, that she had lavished the whole of her love upon him, her younger son, almost to the exclusion of his brother.

Seymour, the earl, and Royce had never "got on" well together; they were totally unlike in form, features, and mind. Seymour spent most of his time in London, taking up one fad and crotchet after another, and making each serve his purpose. He and Royce saw very little of each other, and when they did were just civil and no more. The earl had possession of the estates and the London money, excepting the countess's small jointure, there was not much, not enough of it; but he would not have given Royce a shilling, and Royce would have died rather than accept it.

Now, Lady Irene was rich—very

rich—and the countess had, ever since the fair-haired child had become her ward, cherished a secret hope that Royce and Irene would marry. There would be money, enough for her boy then, and all would be well.

But though she loved him as only a mother can love her last-born, she was too righteous and too proud to sacrifice Irene to one, even though he were her own son, who had lost his good name. It was her disappointment in him that had lent fire to the passion, and barbed her reproaches with poisoned darts. For my lady the countess was ambitious for him. The earldom had gone to Seymour; nothing but her small income would go to Royce. Why should he not, like his father, carve out a name for himself with his sword, and enriched with Irene's wealth, become a power in the land? All this Royce knew as he sat there with the fifteen shillings in his hand. And he had pulled down this beautiful castle in the air, levelled it to the dust. He was more sorry for his mother than for himself. Indeed, he held himself as of too little worth to be grieved over, and after a time he got up and strode on, whether he cared not.

The evening shadows grew darker, and as he reached the edge of the common the lights from the fair gleamed like a ring of fire in the summer night's haze, and the muffled roar and din of the crowd came across the silence and smote on his ear dully. He was harassed and tormented by his thoughts, and the fair offered him a distraction. He quickened his pace, and had come within a hundred yards or so of the edge of the outer ring of booths and shows, when he saw a gypsy's caravan slowly making its way toward him.

He stopped and looked at it absently. It was a living-van of the ordinary kind, but its appointments were better than usual; the paint was fresher, and the muslin curtains in the diminutive windows were whiter. On the shaft, driving the big, lumbering horse, sat a young girl with long, unkempt hair down her back, and another girl walked beside it, one hand holding the red shawl at her throat, the other hanging down listlessly.

She glanced up at Royce as he caught the gleam of a pair of dark eyes; but he did not recognize her as the girl who had told his fortune, and he was walking on when he heard light and hurried footsteps behind him. He stopped, and turned so suddenly that she drew back a step and stood with a faint flush on her brown cheek and a half-timid look in her eyes.

"Well," he said, "what is it?" Then, as he recognized her, he added: "You don't want to tell my fortune again?" She shook her head.

"You were going there?" she said, pointing in the direction of the fair.

"Yes, I was. Well?" he replied.

"Don't," she said in a low voice. "Turn back or keep to the road. There is danger there."

"Danger?" he said. "What kind of danger?"

She cast down her eyes and shook her head.

"I can't tell you any more; but don't go."

"Oh, but I'm not afraid," he said, lightly. "I rather like danger—if by that you mean the chance of a scolding."

"I know," she said in the same low voice; "that is why I stopped you."

"Well, I'm much obliged to you," he said, gently; "but I'm afraid I shall have to go all the same. My road lies that way, and, as I said, I rather like a scolding."

She drew the shawl so that it nearly concealed her face.

"I have warned you," she said, almost sadly; and without another word left him and went quietly after the van.

Royce looked after her for a moment or two, then went on in the direction of the fair. If she had tried she could not have hit upon a surer way of driving him there, and in another minute he was in the thick of it. The crowd was denser, the heat greater, the noise more deafening than it had been in the afternoon; but Royce walked hither and thither with a dull and vacant eye now, and without the smile with which he had before viewed the proceedings.

(To be continued.)

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The Procurator-Fiscal stated that the young woman had been in the employment of the complainant for more than two years as canvasser and collector of accounts. She gave her employer the names of 300 people who, she said, gave her orders for goods, and she went on ordering instalments which were due.

The police found that large quantities of new goods were being pledged in pawn offices.

Eventually the employer made inquiries and found that most of the 300 names were bogus.

It was found that the goods to the value of £1,347 were pawned for a considerable sum of money, which she had spent on having a good time.

The instalments she paid to her employer amounted to £337. She received £112 for one lot of goods valued at £400, which the police recovered.

An agent who appeared on her behalf stated that the girl was 18 years of age when she began work for the complainant, who was a club draper and an insurance agent.

At the start the orders she got were bona fide, but she had customers of a class who thought it nice to receive goods but not to pay for them. She got behind with her instalments of 1s per £1 per week, which she had to pay to her employer, and she had to look for means to get money to pay these weekly sums.

The girl got commissions on the amounts she paid, and that income amounted to from 5s to £2 3s. per week. She put her wages into the money paid to the employer to make up the amounts.

Sheriff Lee said that a good deal of the amount involved would be a dead loss to the employer, with whom he (the Sheriff) confessed he had little sympathy.

He did not think work of that sort involving large sums of money should be entrusted to a young girl whose wages depended on the amount of business she did. He sent her to prison for three months.

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Don't carry a multitude of small things on chains or ribbons, and avoid any sort of ultra elaborate head-dress.

Don't forget that an afternoon dance demands a hat with a smart tea-dress. The hat should be small and close-fitting and minus any sort of trimming that may stick into the eyes of dancers passing by.

**Rumania Foresees and of Oil Export Industry**

Bucharest, Feb. 2 (A.P.)—The days are gone when gasoline could be purchased in Rumania for the equivalent of ten cents a gallon, a price that prevailed all through the year 1923. The new petroleum law permits local oil companies to charge world market prices for oil sold to the domestic trade; the oil law compelled them to sell much under these quotations.

The purpose of the change is to bring to the oil companies sufficient profits to permit them to extend their operations to new and unproved fields.

The production of crude oil in Rumania is increasing. Last year it was 10,600,000 barrels (of 42 gallons each), as against 9,500,000 barrels in 1922, and 8,000,000 barrels in 1921. Back in 1912 the total was 12,000,000 barrels.

The export of refined oil products (crude oil may not be sent out of the country) was 3,000,000 barrels in 1923, as against 7,000,000 in 1912. The local market for refined products is increasing steadily, and it is this con-

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MacLaughlin is to be released—Bill Extending Women's Franchise Passes Second Reading—Third Internationale would seek pastures new.

EXTENSION OF WOMEN'S FRANCHISE PASSED SECOND READING. LONDON, Feb. 29.

MACLAUGHLIN TO BE RELEASED. OTTAWA, Feb. 29. It is probable that James B. MacLaughlin, Cape Breton strike leader...

SEEKING A WIDER FIELD. MOSCOW, Feb. 29. The removal of the Headquarters of the Third Internationale from Moscow...

CIVIL SERVICE MEN WILL HAVE PRIOR CONSIDERATION. OTTAWA, Feb. 29.

COAL MINE ON FIRE. HAYNES, N.D., Feb. 29. State officials are directing the forces fighting a fire of mysterious origin...

from the Haynes mine make the work of fire fighting difficult.

CONSIDERING THE SPEECH. OTTAWA, Feb. 29. Conservatives and Progressives alike will spend the week end in consideration of the speech from the throne at parliament.

MCKENZIE IS WELL BUT STILL A CAPTIVE. OTTAWA, Feb. 29. G. McKenzie, the Canadian captured by the Mexican Landis, is well, though still in the hands of his captors.

FACTORY ACCIDENTS IN NOVA SCOTIA. HALIFAX, Feb. 29. The report of the Factory Inspector tabled at this afternoon's session of the Nova Scotia Legislature...

U.S. TRADE WITH CANADA. WASHINGTON, Feb. 29. Canada sold more goods to Uncle Sam during January this year than the Old Country and the figures for the month published by the Department of Commerce to-day, showed imports from the Dominion amounted to \$31,948,493...

DROWNED WHILE FISHING. HALIFAX, Feb. 29. Avery Freda, aged 25, was drowned in Chester Basin, N.S., to-day, while fishing for scallops.

Good Talent in Last Night's Amateur Contest. Another Crowded House Greeted Weekly Event.

What can easily be classed the event of the week, is the Amateur Contest which took place at the Crescent Theatre last night.

Record of Week's Failures. Little change occurred in the number of failures in the United States this week, a total of 428 being reported to R. G. Dun & Co.

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Even Suazis. London, Jan. 29.—Saboza, paramount chief of Swaziland, the African potentate, who visited England last year, occupied a palatial residence in the British capital and paid his respects to King George at Buckingham Palace...

For the Kidneys. Kidney troubles are frequently caused by badly digested food which overtaxes these organs to eliminate the uric acid formed.

Fads and Fashions. Hat ornaments have discarded the double-headed effect, preferring a single jeweled head mounted on a pin.

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### The Sealing Fleet At Its Zenith

When the Ships sailed March 1st

(H. F. SHORTIS.)

In the fifties and sixties of the past century the sealing fleet was at the zenith of its glory, both with regard to the quality of the vessels employed and the reputation of the masters. What a sight has been lost to the present generation to witness the great display of those hundred sail of vessels, all with sails set, flags flying in all parts of the harbor, waiting the time when the channel would be opened up to permit them to proceed on their voyage. It was customary during those hard springs, when the harbor was full of ice, to select one of the number of vessels, and all the crews united, numbering about four thousand men, provided with great hawsers, and headed by bands of music, haul the vessel through the channel, which had been cut with great saws, making an opening through which all the others connected, and thus get out in clear water. I remember one year particularly in my old home (about 1866), when the British Band was employed, and on going out on the ice, Mr. William Ford fell in and would have been drowned only the big drum (he was drummer in the band) floated him up. He was hauled out by two men from the shore, who witnessed his plight and went to his assistance. The majority of those vessels were built in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, and it is a matter of history that more Newfoundland Bank Notes were in circulation in Prince Edward Island in the fifties and sixties than there were in Newfoundland itself. This is not to be wondered at, because every vessel purchased by our commercial men cost from six to twelve thousand dollars. These vessels were given to the skippers to clear, which they sometimes did in one spring, as was the case with Capt. John Pumphrey and Capt. James L. Keefe, and many others.

The most of us remember the days when one of our skippers required a

during a period of at least half a century, and never was it known that a five-cent piece went astray. The same may be said of his son, John Coughlan, who for years carried hundreds of thousands of dollars round Conception Bay by horse and carriage, sleigh or catamaran, often over the ice in the bay, and John to-day, after his half a century with his tremendous responsibility of former years, has proved himself a worthy son of a worthy sire.

**THREE TRIPS IN ONE YEAR.**

I know of only four men who made three trips in the one year in sailing vessels, viz: Capt. Dick Britt in the Julia, in the forties. He was an Irishman; Capt. John Murphy in the William about the same date. He was also an Irishman; Capt. Wm. Whelan of Brigus, one of the greatest seal-killers in our history, and Capt. Billy Roberts (surnamed the "Dandy"), also of Brigus. Capt. Roberts was called the "Dandy," because that was the name of his vessel. "Her name is Dandy, and she is a dandy," was a favorite expression of his.

There is one individual whose history goes back until it is lost in antiquity. No one can tell for certain how he originated, or whence he came. Nevertheless he has always existed, and is as strong and vigorous as the present day, as he was in the days of our forefathers. I refer to that ubiquitous individual—the Jinker. No Newfoundland sealer is without a thorough, and often a melancholy knowledge of the jinker. For to him is often attributed the misfortune of losing a trip of fat, when the seals seemed within easy reach of the crew, of whom he was, unfortunately, a component part. From my childhood I have been familiar with stories of the ill-omened individual. This much must be borne in mind in connection with the jinker, and it gave strength to the unshaken conviction of our sealers with regard to this unwelcome customer on board ship, that, wherever he went, no matter what prospect of a voyage was in sight, the fact of the presence of the jinker entirely disheartened them, and they were never disappointed when luck forsook them. In fact it would be a matter of the greatest notoriety if a vessel having him on board had been successful. I have never heard an instance cited when a jinker's "luck" had left him.


**AT ITS ZENITH FROM THE FIFTIES TO SEVENTIES.**

From the fifties to the seventies, as I have stated, the sealfishery, as a commercial industry, was at its zenith, and it was a matter of controversy, as to whether, during that period, the sealfishery as a labor-giving and productive enterprise, was equal, if not superior to the codfishery. When we take into account the mode of conducting the sealfishery of those days, and the vast number of appliances which were then necessary for the carrying out of the voyage, it will be seen that, as a labor-giving business, it was broader and more expansive than it is to-day. The blacksmith, tinsmith, shoemaker, sailmaker, and the ordinary laborer were all kept busy during the winter months from December to March in preparing for this important enterprise.

The farmer utilized his spare time in procuring and supplying the numerous vessels with ballast. Even the vessels, which were, during the year, employed in foreign trade, had to undergo considerable alterations before going to the ice. Yards had to be struck and altered on square-riggers, and in the case of fore-and-aft rigged schooners they were supplied with square-sails on the foremast, and these were styled in local parlance "beaver-hat men"; and all this gave a vast deal of employment. From this it will be seen that it was not alone in the actual prosecution of the voyage, but in the preparation thereof; a source of income was provided for the people.

I have often written about the darling of our people in pursuit of their calling; but it must not be forgotten in this connection that their power of endurance was in keeping with their courage. It is a well-known fact that the winters and springs of sixty years ago were far more severe than those of the present time. Everything goes to prove that the men of those days were possessed of iron constitutions. There was no such a thing at that time as the comfortable skin boot of later years.

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**BLUCHEE AND BUSKIN DAYS.**

The blucher and the buskin were the only protection against intense frost and the frequent immersions they were subject to in working before their vessels on the ice in order to open out a passage to the "poker." In those days all the sealers carried an ample supply of poker, from 15 to 18 feet long, with an iron start in the end of it and when jammed every man was supplied with one of these, and they worked before their ships night and day, no matter how the weather was, and in this manner by the force of absolute determination, and continual battle with the forces of Nature, they managed to bring the vessel in the neighbourhood of the coveted whitecoats. No man, who has made a study of the history of the seal-fishery in the early forties and the two succeeding decades, can deny the fact that the men who prosecuted that industry were men of invincible pluck, energy and endurance. The conditions of the times demanded such men, and they, in all cases, proved themselves equal to the occasion. The fishermen of the present day must feel justly proud of such an ancestry. Owing to the entire change in the mode of prosecuting the seal-fishery, the men of the present day have not such demands made upon their courage and endurance, but I have no doubt that if the conditions I speak of were prevailing to-day, most of our hardy fishermen would be equal to the occasion as has been amply proved by most of our people who have accompanied the various expeditions in search of the North Pole. That the spirit of old and dare was conspicuously developed in the Vikings who captained our sealing crews of old cannot be denied, but great as their fortitude and courage were, all would have been of no avail were they not backed up by the determined men who served under them. In these days, a schooner having secured 3,000 seals would net a very comfortable bill for the crew, but it must be remembered that this

money was earned in the hardest possible way. To accomplish this end, risks had to be run, hardships encountered, and even life itself placed in danger, and this not alone once, but over and over again. It may be said of the sealers of those days that in going out to the ice they took their lives in their own hands. The spirit of adventure and daring is by no means confined to any one section of our countrymen. All over the island instances could be multiplied of courage and self-sacrifice on the part of Newfoundlanders when in pursuit of their dangerous and hazardous vocation, which circumstances and environment compelled them to follow. That they were a countless and fearless race of men numerous instances may be cited to prove. The perils and dangers to less experienced navigators were often utilized by our sealers as means of safety and protection. Take for instance that terror to "those that so down to the sea in ships"—the iceberg. Nothing—not even fog or a lee shore is possessed of so much terror to the foreign-going mariner as these floating menaces to navigation. Yet, our hardy sealers are so familiar with these travelling mountains of the deep, that it is a common occurrence to moor their ships to them, and safely ride out a terrific gale under the lee of their protection.

**101 SAILING VESSELS IN 1848.**

In the year 1848, there were 101 sailing vessels, with a total of 9,378 tons and 4,000 men, sailed from St. John's, and as masters of these are the names of the heroes who will live forever in our history. Purcell, Graham, Freeham, Halloran, Mallowney, Pike, White, Jackman, Mealy, Duff, Barron, Ryan, Silver, and scores of others, whose descendants are amongst us to-day. They were English, Irish and Scotch of their off-spring. They were possessed of the same pluck and daring, and they were, above all things, eminently successful in their undertakings. History has been very careful to hand down to posterity the exploits of Richard the Lion-hearted, or Brian Boru when wielding his ponderous battle-axe, and of Wallace's exploits of valor with his wonderful sword, which is exhibited to this day; but no one has placed on record the feat of the Newfoundland fisherman-sealer, holding a seven-foot flint-lock gun to his shoulder and firing a charge of ten inches of powder and shot from its muzzle after carrying it for 10 or 15 miles over the ice-floe. Few men of the present generation would hold the implement in a horizontal position from the shoulder, not to speak of firing a charge therefrom. I feel strongly of opinion that if there was an analytical contract drawn between the feats of the broad-sword and axe, and that of the old flint-lock of former years, the palm would be awarded to the hardy sealer of Newfoundland.

The beltless evening gown may be draped over the hips and finished with a buckle or large taffeta bow. Straight, tailored frocks of alpaca have long shawl collars with perhaps pleated frills beneath.

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**SENTIMENT**

If you can see in the bloom of tree  
A hint of boyhood's happier days.  
Or in the gleam of silver stream  
Discover long forgotten ways;  
If in a boy you glimpse the joy  
You owned before you'd earned a cent,  
And claim from him some memory dim,  
You've still the touch of sentiment.

If you are stirred by call of bird  
To search him out on bush or tree,  
And make the quest to find his nest,  
You're still the boy you used to be.  
If in your throat a lump you note  
When others face a grief you've known.

If you must share the pain they bear,  
Age has not turned your heart to stone.

If when you walk, sometimes you talk  
Is not of gold or trade or fame

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When you know many a fever is near;  
If church or school or dimpled maid  
Or long deserted barn or mill  
Still takes you back over memory's track,  
You've something cynics cannot kill.

If you'll make for friendship's sake  
A journey, be it far or near,  
A care to shift, by word or gift;  
If only once or twice a year  
Unselfishly you rise to be  
A friend, not counting time or cost,  
Sit down content—that's sentiment,  
The joy which cynics say is lost.

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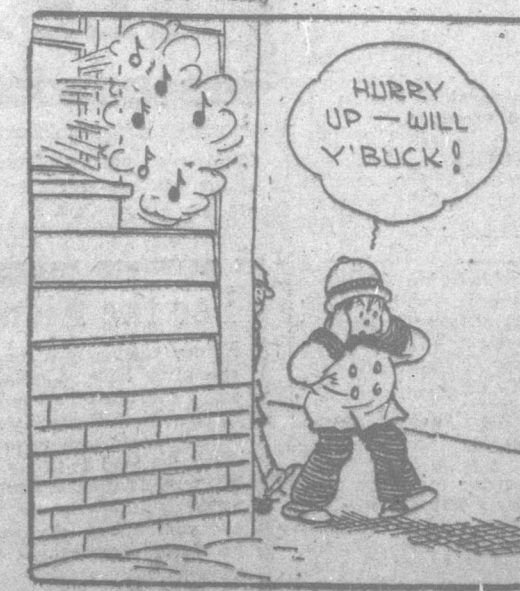
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NO!—BUT BY GOLLY, YOUR SISTER, NANNIE, IS THE PUKKETT, FIDDLER I EVER HEARD!

**I WAN HER TEACHER SAYS MAMIE'S TH' BEST PUPIL THEY'VE GOT!**

WELL—IF SHE'S A GOOD FIDDLER THEN—

**THERE'S SOMETHIN' WRONG WITH THE FIDDLE—THAT'S ALL!**

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# In the Realms of Sport

**COMMERCIAL BOWLING LEAGUE—LAST NIGHT'S SCORES.**

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| W. E. Winter vs. Royal Stores. |     |     |      |
| 1                              | 2   | 3   | Tot. |
| 138                            | 146 | 157 | 441  |
| 135                            | 75  | 115 | 315  |
| 137                            | 174 | 102 | 413  |
| 87                             | 146 | 127 | 360  |
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| W. E. Winter vs. Royal Stores. |     |     |      |
| 1                              | 2   | 3   | Tot. |
| 144                            | 105 | 144 | 393  |
| 178                            | 136 | 137 | 371  |
| 111                            | 129 | 132 | 372  |
| 125                            | 119 | 144 | 388  |
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The close medals, donated by the College supporters, were presented by Miss Mackay, President of the Girls' Guild.

The names of the winners are: W. E. Peters, Captain; M. Whalen, Secretary; J. Balcock, J. Gobble, J. H. Harrington, L. Hancock, A. Johnston, R. McLeod, H. Y. Mott, Jr.

Under Mr. Churchill's capable training the boys have developed into a splendid all round team, and have given a good account of themselves.

It is to be hoped that with a nucleus drawn from the inter-collegiate champions, 1924, the Old Collegians hope to put a team on the ice next year.

## The Passing Hour

Old Peter the mail man, tired and weary, had reached the end of his route and was congratulating himself upon having finished in such good time.

"Mr. Mailman, Mr. Mailman," came a voice from the last house on the street, which could only be reached by climbing a hill of about 300 steps.

"I wonder what she wants," thought Peter, as he started to climb the steps. "She may have an important letter she wants mailed. More steps. Gosh! This sure is hard on an old man, but it is my duty to see what she wants."

"Did you have to take an examination to get in the Post Office?" she said.

"Why certainly, I had to pass a civil service examination," said Peter.

"O, that's fine. I guess you are pretty bright then," said she. "Will you tell me how to spell Schenectady?"

## Child Welfare

REPORT FOR MONTH ENDING FEBRUARY 29, 1924.

Home visits including newly-borns . . . . . 655  
Special Nursing Treatments . . . . . 99  
Total attendance in Clinic during month . . . . . 120  
Total number of children on Clinic Books . . . . . 92  
New admissions to Clinic . . . . . 29  
Number of Clinics held by Doctor during month . . . . . 2  
Number of Clinics held during month . . . . . 10  
Number of cases recommended for relief . . . . . 4

We are pleased to report an increase in Clinic attendances this month despite the very stormy Clinic days. There is a great improvement generally amongst the Clinic babies no doubt due to the babies being fed regularly and having feeds regulated each Clinic Day in accordance with increased body weight.

Mead's "Reolac" is an accepted thing among the mothers; every day we see good results from this excellent baby food, especially in the case of Marasmic babies.

We are very grateful to the voluntary workers who have helped us on Clinic days. There is a vacancy every Tuesday and Thursday for ladies who will pour tea or give out paper patterns; we are always glad to see anyone interested in this part of our work.

We make a special appeal here for cast-off baby or toddlers' clothes. They would be greatly appreciated at this time of the year.

We acknowledge with thanks the following contributions:—

Standing donation of biscuits for Clinic use, Mr. G. Harvey; Cocoa for Clinic use, Mr. G. Harvey; Old Clothes, Mrs. N. Wadden; Stockings (baby's) Mrs. Baird; Old Clothes, Mrs. W. Clouston; Clinic Pamphlets, Mead, Johnson & Company; quantity of milk daily, A. V. Ross.

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| 1                | 2   | 3   | Tot. |
| 90               | 129 | 143 | 362  |
| 151              | 120 | 124 | 375  |
| 108              | 102 | 72  | 282  |
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**Next Week's Schedule.**

Tuesday, Mar. 4th.  
Imperial Tobacco vs. Bairds.  
Harvey vs. Hickman's.

Wednesday, Mar. 5th.  
Bairds vs. Post Office.  
John vs. Ayre & Sons.

Thursday, Mar. 6th.  
Telephone Co. vs. Nall Co.  
Royal Stores vs. Bowrings.

Friday, Mar. 7th.  
Winter's vs. Boot & Shoe.  
Kawling's vs. Customs.

## HOCKEY TEAM DINED.

The Methodist College Hall last night was given by the members of the Girls' Guild, to the hockey team, the winners of the Inter-Collegiate Cup this season. Mr. Churchill, the College masters, and their friends were present, and a very pleasant time was spent. A special dinner was given to the team and at

## Oh WHAT WILL THE ANSWER BE!

In connection with the Old Collegians entering a team in the Senior League next year, we would remind them that unless a team drops out, it will be impossible to admit them as the League only permits of four teams. A pertinent question to the Old Collegians is:—Why have they not a team in the Football League? Simply because they lacked enthusiasm and the Guards took their place. When the good old crescents were in their heyday in hockey (and they won the championship 5 seasons out of their 8 years in the League) it was suggested that the Old Collegians take their place when they retired, but here again the lack of enthusiasm. Last year when the St. Andrews withdrew the Guards took their place. There again was another chance for the Old Collegians! But they did nothing. Now however.....

## WAR VETERANS' SPORTS WILL BE RECOGNIZED BY A.A.A.

The G.W.V.A. Ice Sports, which take place in the Prince's Rink on Thursday night next, will be recognized by the A.A.A. as the Championship Ice Meet of the year. Mr. John M. Tobin, with Secretary Harold Hayward, have been instructed by the A.A.A. to draw up the official programme, which will be ready for publication by Monday next. Local speedsters and the sporting public in general will be pleased to hear that a well known sporting enthusiast has offered to present a special gold medal for the contestant who is successful in beating "Bill" Johnson's time of last year for the three mile event.

At the little church the negro minister announced that a certain brother had retired to rest the night before without locking the door of his chicken house and on rising in the morning had found that all his fowls had disappeared.

"I don't want to be personal," he added, "but I had my suspicions as to who stole dem chickens. If the man who took dem will not put any money in the box when it is passed round I shall know if dese suspicions are right or not."

Everyone present contributed.

"Now, breddern," announced the minister, "I don't want your dinners spoiled by wonderin' where dat brudder lives who don't lock his chickens up at night. Dat brudder don't exist, mah friends; he was a parable for the purpose of finance."

## Elimination of Diseases

Montreal, Feb. (Can. Press).—With the consent of parents desiring it, goitre prevention treatment is to be given by the Child Welfare Association to High School girls (8 to 15) by specialists. Through this goitre prevention comes as a new thing to many it has been well tested elsewhere. In the public schools of Syracuse, N.Y., it was found that 4.58 per cent. of the children were afflicted with this ailment and 13.87 per cent. of the high school pupils showed enlargement of the thyroid glands. These children are all being treated by physicians. In most instances with a preparation of organic iodide. Eventually, it is hoped, goitre will disappear entirely.

The treatment consists merely in taking a chocolate coated tablet at regular intervals. It is within the last six years that medical science has discovered this effective method of preventing the development of simple goitre. To many people this goitre prevention will not seem to be a very noteworthy discovery. But to the inhabitants of the basin of the St. Lawrence, the neighborhood of the Great Lakes and of the mountainous regions of British Columbia, this discovery is of the greatest interest. For in these regions there is a marked prevalence of simple goitre, always disfiguring and later leading sometimes to serious consequences late in life. Montreal is in one of these goitre regions.

Scientists in New York with a fund of two million dollars behind them for research work, have just made some other findings of interest to all parents. "Within five years diphtheria probably will have become a disease of the past. Contagious diseases of a like nature will disappear soon afterward. Eventually tuberculosis will be eradicated and the generations to come will look upon bodily disease as a curiosity out of a dim and forgotten past."

## "A Woman's Woman"

A MODERN EIGHT REEL PHOTO-PLAY AT THE MAJESTIC NEXT WEEK.

Briefly this is the story; a mother, realizes that husband and children are outgrowing her. She is made to face this crisis when her eldest daughter after graduation from school goes to New York to make her own way. The mother is sent to New York as a club delegate and goes to see the daughter. She finds her living in Greenwich Village where conventions are pretty much lost sight of. She is stunned by the complete change in the girl, and returns home, feeling that her youngest daughter is more dear than ever.

A second blow falls when she finds this girl, too, is bent on "living her own life," grows more and more selfish and inconsiderate, and finally becomes infatuated with an elderly admirer of the man-of-the-world type. The mother's warnings are of no avail. At this time, too, the mother learns that her husband is spending most of his evening's in company with "the other woman." The domestic breach widens, and the grieving wife and mother seeks diversion in the management of a tea-room she has opened up in her club work.

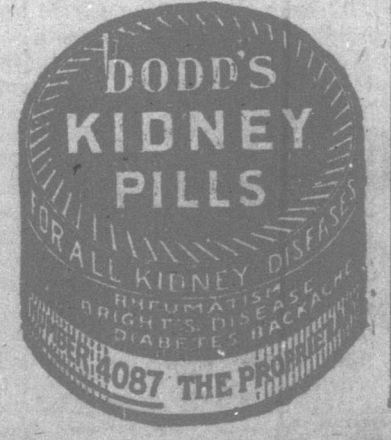
In short time she becomes the real leader in the club movements, and her tea room prospers. But the situation between her husband and herself becomes intolerable. He wants his freedom and she agrees to a divorce as soon as her youngest daughter is married. The home is now entirely broken up.

Still another blow falls when the young daughter attempts suicide as she learns that her mother's estimate of her admirer was correct, and that he was only playing with her affections. Her young brother, seeking to avenge his sister, is shot and killed by the Lothario. This comes just as the mother reaches the very height of her own career, and the tragedy of the boy's death serves to reunite the entire family, the heroine deciding that it is best for all concerned for her to sacrifice her own ambitions and ideals, and again become the home-maker—the unpaid domestic drudge.

"A Woman's Woman" in 8 reels will be exhibited on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, when the Zytos will also present an entirely new programme.

## "By Appointment"

Cincinnati Times-Star: "The Prince of Wales symbolizes something that is necessary to the functioning of the British Empire. He is a lay figure, on which tailors and haberdashers and boot-makers manage somehow to get their wares so that the subjects of the Empire and the citizens of other countries will wear similar wares. And let it be said to the credit of the Prince of Wales that he does it well. . . . He accomplishes gracefully and with just enough verve a task which would make most men ridiculous. The world holds, as it were, the camera up to this young fellow, and he meets it in a half-gamour and altogether charming manner."



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**STATUTORY NOTICE.**

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF N.F.L.D. In the matter of the Companies Act and in the matter of Bishop Sons & Co., Ltd.

Take notice that all persons claiming to be creditors of or who have any claims upon or affecting Bishop Sons & Co., Ltd., in Liquidation are required to send particulars of their claims in writing, duly attested, to the Liquidators for the said Company, Post Office Box 866, St. John's Newfoundland, on or before the 15th day of March, A.D. 1924, after which date the said Liquidators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Co., having regard only to the claims of which they then shall have had notice. St. John's this 19th day of January, A.D. 1924.

**BLACKWOOD, EMERSON & WINTER,** Solicitors for Liquidators.  
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**STATUTORY NOTICE.**

In the matter of the Estate of William Ashbourne, late of Twillingate, Merchant, deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of William Ashbourne late of Twillingate, Merchant, deceased, are requested to send the same duly attested to the undersigned, Thomas G. W. Ashbourne and Elmo L. Ashbourne of Twillingate, Administrators of Estate of William Ashbourne deceased, on or before the 27th day of March, A.D. 1924, after which date the said Thomas G. W. Ashbourne and Elmo L. Ashbourne as Administrators aforesaid will proceed to distribute said estate having regard only to such claims as they shall then have had notice.

Dated at St. John's, this 21st day of February, A.D. 1924.

**THOMAS G. W. ASHBOURNE & ELMO L. ASHBOURNE,** Administrators to Estate late William Ashbourne.  
ADDRESS: Twillingate. feb 22, s, w

**STATUTORY NOTICE.**

In the matter of the Estate of Francis McDougall, late of St. John's, Merchant, deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of Francis McDougall late of St. John's, Merchant, deceased, are requested to furnish the same duly attested to the undersigned, Howard J. McDougall and Francis McDougall, Executors of Alexander McDougall late of St. John's, Merchant, deceased, the last surviving Executors of the Will of the said Francis McDougall deceased, on or before the 15th day of March, 1924, after which date the said Howard J. McDougall and Francis McDougall, as Executors of the said Francis McDougall, will proceed to distribute the said Estate having regard only to such claims as they shall then have had notice of.

**HOWARD J. McDUGALL AND FRANCIS McDUGALL,** Exors. of Francis McDougall, deceased.  
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**The Prior Claims of Ex-Service Men.**

In the Foreign despatch reference is made to the decision of the Canadian Government to give ex-service men prior consideration in the event of a reduction being effected in the Civil Service.

In England the axe is being wielded with effect in Whitehall. Recently one hundred and fifty of the temporary Civil Servants in the Admiralty were given a month's notice and, seven hundred others in the offices of the Ministry of Pensions were informed that their services would be dispensed with soon. The staff in other departments is also being reduced. The press has urged consideration in the case of ex-service men, and with reason. They threw up their jobs when their country needed them, and since the war they have been engaged in Government offices in the belief that they were to be retained provided they made good. Summary dismissal now would mean that after having lost, in many instances, seven or eight years in which they might have been feathering their nests, they are compelled to begin all over again with this period as a handicap.

We trust that when the time comes in Newfoundland to effect a similar economy the G.W.V.A. will see to it that the policy adopted in Canada is followed here.

**Monumental Madness.**

Recently there appeared in the despatches an item to the effect that a memorial was to be erected in London to the birds, beasts, and fishes that fell in the war, and that £2,000 had been contributed for that purpose. We considered that the cable might well be placed in the same category as several others which had appeared from time to time, and which next day were followed by a denial (at the expense of the Government, let it not be forgotten), but apparently it was an actual statement of fact as the following comments made by Truth indicate:

**THE ANIMALS' WAR MEMORIAL.**  
People who can desire and subscribe to erect a £2,000 memorial to the birds, beasts and fishes who fell in the war, are not likely to be diverted from their folly by argument or ridicule. Captain Fairholme's communication to the press on the subject sufficiently shows that. The last hope of the nation in these circumstances is with any public authority which has the power to veto the proposal. As "Hyde Park Corner" is described as the site selected for this monument of ineffectuality, the necessary power seems to rest with the Office of Works or the Westminster Borough Council, and in view of the chorus of protest from every quarter to exercise the power becomes a duty. The proposal is really an outrage. It is a retrograde absurdity of all the war memorials in the country, from the Whitehall Cenotaph downwards, and a thing to make us look fools in the eyes of rational mankind at large.

The secretary of the R. S. P. C. A. says: "We were asked to raise the money for a special purpose, and we have no right to divert it to any other." Then the best thing they can do is to send it all back. Evidently it has not occurred to the managers of the R. S. P. C. A. that the society it-

self and the cause it represents stand to suffer heavily if they persist in defying public opinion.

**Mr. H. J. Crowe**

**ADDRESSING BOARD OF TRADE.**  
Giant Operations to be Started on South Coast.

This forenoon Mr. H. J. Crowe gave a very interesting address before a large gathering of members of the Board of Trade on the development of the water powers and timber resources of the South West Coast. The lecture was illustrated by excellent colored maps, executed by a New York artist. These maps, it is understood, will be shown later on at the Empire Exhibition, and no doubt many will be impressed with the possibilities which the scheme depicts. The speaker, introduced by the President of the Board of Trade, Mr. F. Steer, in his opening remarks stated that for the past twelve years he had been engaged in investigating the possibilities of the areas around Bay d'Espoir with a view to developing its water power. The investigation conducted by the most reliable engineer and surveyors, show that the area embraces 1,064 square miles and is capable of development up to 100,000 horse power at tide-water. Mr. Crowe, outlining his plans for the development of this area, stated that the total cost would be about 10 million dollars. The structural cost per horse power, he said, would be \$60 and the annual cost about \$9, allowing the power costs to the consumer would be from \$5.00 to \$10.00 less than any place in Canada. In pointing out what he had to manufacture, Mr. Crowe said he had secured in this vicinity about two million acres of pulp wood, which had been previously held by individuals and companies. To further fortify himself he has secured limits at Hamilton Inlet, Labrador, and also a large area in White Bay. Referring to the latter, he spoke of the rights he had obtained to export pulp wood but added that his privilege would not need to be availed of for any length of time. Next year he expected to ship about 25,000 cords of wood to Ogden from his White Bay operations. The speaker dwelt also on the possibilities of a big industry from the S. W. Coast development, chiefly in connection with the manufacture of minerals and the erection of flour mills. At the close a vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. John Meehan and seconded by Capt. A. Keen.

**Magistrate's Court.**

Two ordinary drunks were discharged.  
A former summoned for an alleged breach of the Street Traffic Regulations was convicted and ordered to pay costs.  
The charge preferred against a shopkeeper, Hamilton Street, selling L.P. beer overpriced postponed from Wednesday last, was aired before court this morning. The defendant was convicted, but sentence was suspended on the promise that he would refrain from selling in the future.  
Three cases for assault in which three families from the 'Dardanelles' were involved, occupied the attention of the court at considerable length. Two of the defendants were convicted and bound over to keep the peace in the sum of \$100.00, while the case against the third was dismissed.

**Dispensing With Justice**

In reference to the statement made by the Prime Minister a few days ago that he intended having investigations into other departments besides that of the Liquor Controller, we understand one is a department where there is reported to be a \$40,000 shortage. Rumor has it that this leakage has extended over a period of years and that arrangements have been made whereby no prosecutions will follow. It is stated that the basis of this arrangement is a guarantee for the return of \$25,000 to the treasury.

**The Trains**

The incoming express left Deer Lake at 10 a.m. making good progress. A Rotary plow has been operating all night along the Topsails to clear the road ahead of her.  
Wednesday's west bound train left Mary March at 10:30 a.m.  
The special train which went out for the sealers arrived at Gambo at noon to-day. The train will leave there on the return run 10 a.m. to-morrow. A sealers' special will also leave Bonavista 6 a.m. to-morrow, with a contingent of men from the south side of the bay.  
Upwards of 200 men belonging to Trinity Bay made connections with the Heart's Content and Briggs branches this morning, and are due to reach Argentia this afternoon to make connections with the Sabie I. for Channel.  
A special freight train with sixty sealers on board, reached the city at 12:50 p.m.  
The local Carbonar train arrived at 1:30 p.m.

**Died of Injuries**

The young woman, Margaret Fitzpatrick, who was severely burned at the residence of Mrs. Lewis, Topsail Road, on Thursday morning last, through the upsetting of a kerosene oil stove, has died of the injuries received. Shortly after the unfortunate victim had been conveyed to hospital she lapsed into unconsciousness. The end came at 7 p.m. Thursday evening.

**The Cadet**

The Cadet, the first number of Volume 10 of which has been received by us, contains several excellent articles dealing with public matters in addition to numerous anecdotes by well known writers. A splendid collection of photographs including several of those closely associated with the Royal Commission. The compilers are to be congratulated on the excellence of the number.

**An Astronomical Acrostic**

Tremendous things transpire—space hath begot a star!  
Have ye not seen it, fair, and lately burst  
On the deep stillness of our northern night?  
Look! 'bove the horizon, that lustrous light—  
Leaning towards Mars 'tis augural of light  
In which the Powers of Booodle we shall worst.  
Smash them to earth in wrath, and mark them "Cursed!"  
Who shall compute now what its orbits swing  
Across our horoscope may perhaps beget?  
Lov on the far off hills Our Planets burn,  
Kindled but dimly by a light long set—  
'E'en as we watch this stellar stranger, see  
Rising o'er mists of mark Our Star to be!  
Keen, cautious, caustic mind, of British brand,  
Could men like thee be curd, thrice blest were Newfoundland.  
\*A healthy and vigorously militant Public Opinion.  
St. John's March 1, 1924.

**Model Farm Expenditure**

TABLED DURING LAST SESSION.  
As the enquiry will deal with the Third Section on Monday, the following summary, published in July last and taken from information given in the House of Assembly, may be of interest.

During the last fiscal year ending June 30th, 1923, the sum of \$69,569.01 was spent by the Department of Agriculture and Mines, on account of Agriculture and Model Farm. Following are a few of the particulars:

|                                     |           |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Theo. Chafe, Horse                  | \$ 350.00 |
| Thos. Gorman, Bull                  | 100.00    |
| John Nolan (not stated)             | 325.00    |
| John Nolan, Pigs                    | 80.00     |
| Farquhar & Co., Hay                 | 1004.74   |
| Dodd's Garage, Motor Sup.           | 276.90    |
| A. Williams, Bull                   | 90.00     |
| W. Reid, Carriage                   | 100.00    |
| Montreal Star, Sub.                 | 5.05      |
| R. Lester, Bull (2)                 | 107.00    |
| A. V. Ross, Bull                    | 125.00    |
| J. P. Luscombe, Auditor             | 200.00    |
| G. Bayly, Hay                       | 100.00    |
| Jas. Howlett, Hay                   | 135.12    |
| Royal Garage, Car Supplies          | 17.94     |
| Patrick Green, Hay                  | 273.60    |
| Patrick O'Brien, Hay                | 192.50    |
| Maritime Farmer, Sub.               | 72.00     |
| Silverlock & Cullen, Motor Supplies | 645.60    |
| Neyke-Soper Hardware Co.            | 279.51    |
| K. Ruby, Ventilators                | 85.50     |
| J. F. Davey, Sundries               | 144.00    |
| John Hussey, Engine                 | 260.00    |
| Baly Haly Golf Club, Sheep          | 253.00    |
| C. F. Lester, Sheep                 | 117.00    |
| Farmers Advocate, Sub.              | 37.70     |
| M. Hamlyn, Hay                      | 120.00    |
| Corbett Rendell, Keeping Bull       | 150.00    |
| Maritime Farmer, Sub.               | 72.00     |
| Westerland, 4 Bulls                 | 400.00    |
| T. J. Watts, Sheep                  | 309.00    |
| Frank Parsons, Rabbits              | 22.00     |
| J. J. Quigley, Bull                 | 100.00    |
| John Furlong, Clippers              | 30.00     |
| W. J. Reid, 3 pigs                  | 260.80    |
| Western Star, Adv.                  | 30.00     |
| Geo. T. Carly, Salary               | %         |
| Agrie.                              | 250.00    |
| Chan, Begeler & Co. 1 Co.           | 215.77    |
| Alvin Williams, Oats                | 410.00    |
| John Tobin, Horse                   | 140.00    |
| J. J. Hayward, Seeds                | 205.85    |
| Sutton & Sons, Seeds                | 85.76     |
| Wm. Brennan, Stallion               | 350.00    |
| Bowring Bros. Fertilizers           | 784.73    |
| McL. Mercer, Bull                   | 100.00    |
| Electric Fittings at Farm           | 1000.00   |
| John Nolan, Turnips                 | 842.90    |
| Farmers Advocate, Sub.              | 37.70     |
| Reid's Butter, Potatoes             | 558.45    |
| F. J. Downey, Salary June           | 230.00    |
| H. J. Brownrigg, Feeds              | 2202.51   |
| Reid Nfd. Co. Frights               | 372.15    |
| Rev. J. J. Rawlins, Cup             | 65.00     |
| Nfd. Horseman's Assoc. Cup          | 50.00     |
| Hay                                 | 3987.74   |
| Potatoes                            | 2826.05   |
| Wages                               | 16912.35  |
| Car Hire                            | 1381.25   |
| F. P. LeGross, Salary               | 2760.00   |
| Solomon Samson, Salary              | 2760.00   |

**Modern Office Building Nearing Completion**

The new office building of the Reid Nfd. Co., Ltd., on Duckworth Street is now nearing completion and by next week will be ready for occupancy. The suit of offices are the most modern in the city. The architectural work executed by Mr. John Hocking who is quite a young man, reflects creditably on his skill, and is but a forerunner of what may be expected of him in future. The building was erected by all local men under the supervision of Mr. Charles Henderson. The wood work, including all fixtures was made at Carbonar by the firm of Saunders & Howell. The plastering of which the finishing touches are now being put on is the work of Mr. Payne and assistants. All the woodwork is being finished in antique oak, under the direction of Mr. Clem Murphy. The lighting fixtures are the very latest and exhibit many improvements over any such work was executed by Mr. John Sheehan. The plumbing and heating was done by Messrs. Moore & Co. The plants installed are the most modern and up-to-date in the city and for neatness far exceeds anything previously done here. The workmanship on the whole building reflects the greatest credit on our artisans and all concerned.

**Unique Event in Grenfell Hall Last Night**

**VILLAGE FAIR WAS PHENOMENAL SUCCESS.**  
The Village Fair, held in the Grenfell Hall last night, was the most unique affair of its kind ever held in the city, and all those who had the privilege of attending, will long remember it. The "Strollers" who made such a successful hit with the barn dance, held in the same hall on the previous evening, again showed their ingenuity in their organizing and business capacity, as the proceeds of the fair, which netted over \$705.00, indicate. Mr. Charles E. Hunt, in his usual inimitable style, declared the Village Fair opened at 8 p.m. His humorous remarks and his recital of a poem, brought forth hearty applause from the gathering. The spacious hall presented a picturesque scene. The decorations left up from the previous evening, together with the additional attraction of the booths, were highly commented upon, while the arrangements carried out by the energetic committee in charge were all that could be desired. At the entrance the visitors paid a visit to the Village Bank, where Mr. P. E. Outerbridge, "Receiving Teller," looked after all deposits. These very body's mind was set at ease when Miss St. Duley and Mrs. Cleary, very cheerfully dealt with each individual's tale of woe for the next forty years. Passing on, the visitors were attracted by the beauty of the stall "General Store," presided over by Mrs. McKeen. Here one could obtain anything imaginable—for a consideration. But a strict ruling was enforced that no cheques or I.O.U.'s were to be accepted. A rushing business was conducted, and all became dry and thirsty, the usual beverages, such as "ginger-pop," "cider," etc., was served by Mrs. Warren and Miss Parker. The candy stall was presided over by Mrs. H. Mitchell, the specialty being "tolly pops." Mrs. Ayre, Mrs. Bradshaw, Mrs. Gordon Winter; Misses Southcott and Furlong; had charge of supper, which appeared the appetites of all. The wheel of fortune was largely patronized. Mr. P. O'Connell looked after this end. During the evening the gathering were treated to musical selections by the orchestra and various forms of amusement. Messrs. Fox, Chow, Penman and Milley, who formed the orchestra, rendered a delightful selection of musical airs, while the melodies, contributed by the Village Glee Club called for repeated encores from the audience. To the quartette, Messrs. Herdier, Fox, Stearns, and Horsley, much of the success is due, and the acrobatic stunts by Mr. A. E. Holmes and Class were a feature of the programme. The various stunts were executed in a most amazing manner, which won for them the applause of all. Altogether the affair was a phenomenal success and the "Strollers" are to be heartily congratulated on the excellent manner in which all the arrangements were carried out. Amongst those present were the Prime Minister and Mrs. Warren, who presented the prizes which were won at the Barn Dance. The entire proceeds go to the aid of the Child Welfare Association.

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**DIES ON WAY TO HOSPITAL.**  
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(March 1st, 1924)  
Catalina—Wind west; no ice to be seen.  
Bonavista—Calm, fine; no ice to be seen.  
Wesleyville—Calm and fine.  
Greenspond—Light S.W. winds, fine; no ice in sight.  
Foggy—Light S.W. winds, fair; no ice in sight.  
Nipper's Hr.—Calm, fair, mild.  
La Sca—Light S.W. winds, fair and mild.  
St. Anthony—Wind still N.E., very moderate; ice on land; perfectly lovely weather.  
Twillingate—Light S.W. wind, fine; no ice in bay.  
Bell Isle—Yesterday evening sighted several hundred old seals on ice, approximately four miles west of here; also old seals near shore in loose ice to-day. Wind light, south, fine, hazy; scattered seals as far as eye can see west.  
**FROM QUEBEC.**  
(February 29th, 1924)  
Cape Ray—Cloudy, strong N.W. wind; no ice in sight.  
Flat Point—Clear, gale of S.W.; light open ice in shore.  
St. Paul's Island—Clear, S.W. wind; light close packed ice everywhere.  
Magdalen Islands—Clear South West wind; ice in shore.

**BORN.**

On Feb. 29th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sellars, 18 Field Street.

**DIED.**

Died suddenly last evening, at 8.30, Emily, wife of Mac Thistle, leaving to mourn husband, daughter, brother and sister. Funeral at 2.30 p.m., Sunday, from her late residence 55 Alexander Street.  
Suddenly this morning, at the Old Ladies' Home, Forest Road, Mrs. Harriet Manuel, aged 79 years. Funeral on Monday at 2.30 p.m. from the residence of Mrs. John Pollock, Mayor Avenue.  
Passed away, at 2 o'clock this morning, Thomas H. Lawrence, aged 71 years. Funeral at 2.30 p.m. Monday, from his late residence, 33 Hayward Avenue. Friends and acquaintances will please attend without further notice.

**IN LOVING MEMORY**

of Elsie May Du-Tot, beloved daughter of the late James and Rachel Jacobs, who died March 1st 1923.  
Sleep thy last sleep,  
Free from care and sorrow;  
Rest when none weep,  
Till the eternal morn;  
Though dark waves roll  
O'er the silent river,  
Thy fainting soul  
Jesus shall deliver.  
—Inserted by her mother.

**FOR SALE**—1 Superior Milch Cow, two weeks since calving; apply JOHN WHITE, Torbay.—mar.11

**Men's good quality Storm Rubbers**

**98 cents A PAIR**  
CLEARING AT  
These Rubbers are not a Job Line or shop-worn, but good, clean, new Goods. Every pair wrapped and packed in individual cartons. Bright and soft as velvet. Will wear and give satisfaction. Try a pair.

**C. KNOWLING, Ltd.**

mar.1,4,7,11  
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**"CARCO"**

BRAND—2 and 3-PLY ROOFING.  
The Roofing with the Asphalt centre. Flexible, longer life and the trouble experienced by the Pitch running from between the sheets is done away with by the use of Asphalt.

Also, Tarred Felts, Roof Coatings and Coal Tar.  
**THE CARRITTE COMPANY**  
Head Office: St. John, N.B. Branch: Halifax, N.S.  
(We sell to the Jobbing Trade only.)  
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**National Biscuit Company**

Mr. Wrigley says:  
I believe in newspaper advertising. I spend about a million dollars a year for newspaper space to tell the world about the goods I have to sell.  
Nearly everybody reads the papers and they are the most effective medium to reach the buying public quickly and often.

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### Inspector Noseworthy CELEBRATES 44th YEAR IN CONSTABULARY.

Inspector S. Noseworthy celebrates his 44th year in the Royal Newfoundland Constabulary to-day, March 1st, having joined the force under Inspector Carty March 1st, 1880. Inspector Noseworthy has spent his entire service in St. John's, with the exception of one year when he was attached to Carbonear district. Inspector Noseworthy has a record really to be proud of, joining up in the ranks he saw service in the days when "men were men," and when physical force exceeded perseverance in getting a prisoner to the cells. Duty well performed meant promotion to Constable Noseworthy, and his present rank of Inspector is only second below Inspector General. Mr. Noseworthy during his long service—and he is well fitted for many more years—has been attached to the Mounted Force for more than eighteen years and was also with the Fire Department and in both positions proved himself well worthy of the trust placed in him. At present he is Probation Officer of the Juvenile Court, and the assistance he has given the Court and the good work that he is carrying out has brought forward many well deserved encomiums. In this particular work he has also had occasion to meet many deserving cases that needed relief in some way or other, and he has never failed to report to the proper Authorities to have attention given them. Congratulations to the Inspector.

### MAJESTIC



The ZYLOS in a combination of Latest Musical Hits, including some Old Time Favourites

### A Woman's Woman MARY ALDEN, in 8 parts

MONDAY "WHERE DID YOU GET THAT FUR COAT?" Thus the clash between mother and flapper daughter who gave her young heart to an old lover. The father had failed as a business man and husband. The eldest daughter wooed a career. The mother was incidental—just a home-maker. With her house tumbling about her she brought order out of chaos. But not without a sacrifice. She scaled every rung in the ladder of emotion and at the pinnacle of success she scored—Failure.

### Enquiry Into Expenditure on Pit-Prop Account Concludes.

### Model Farm Expenditure to Be Probed on Monday.

When the enquiry resumed yesterday afternoon, Mr. Hunt called Mr. Frank Archibald, ex-member for the Grace District. Witness related that he had come to give evidence of his own accord. MR. HUNT asked if the amount of \$27,890.04 was paid to him. Witness said it was sent to him by Dr. Campbell to be placed to the credit of the F. C. Archibald relief account. Mr. Grace. Witness said the cheques were sent to him direct, but were sent to be placed to the credit of the particular account at Harbor Grace. All cheques on this account were drawn by Messrs. Ford and Sheppard, they having been given power of attorney. All the accounts were kept by these men. Asked why he told the Department what amount was required for relief, witness said that weekly he notified the Department and the allocations were for work that had been done. The expenditure was on the building of roads and wharves and this work was authorized by the Department. Questioned about the expenditure for which no returns had been sent in, witness said he kept them in his possession fearing that they would be lost in the rush which had been in evidence at the Department of Mines during the period in question. Witness then produced a postmark of full of cheques and stubs which he said accounted for every cent received by him on relief account. Witness asked that the cheques and vouchers be examined by the Commissioner and afterwards returned to him. The Commissioner declined the job and told the witness he could have the vouchers at once. The next witness was Mr. Lorenzo Sheppard, Assistant Collector at Harbor Grace. Examined by Mr. Hunt, witness said all the sums to those working on relief were paid by cheque. The Commissioner asked how the affair was managed in the first instance as Mr. Archibald had said the work was done before the allocation was made. To this, witness replied that the money was available at the end of the first week to pay the wages. ACTING CONTROLLER EXAMINED. MR. THOMAS BONIA, Acting Controller was called and examined by Mr. Winter. In 1922, witness was inspector of roads and bridges outside St. John's. Questioned about a sum of \$2,000 paid him on August, 1922, witness said it was expended on bridges in the district of Ferryland. The allocation was made to him by Dr. Campbell. RETURN SHEETS LOST. Asked why there was no returns for the expenditure, witness said the return sheet was made out in Board of Works office by the stenographer but it was lost and has not since been found. Witness said he had cheques in his possession to show where the money went. Witness was not sure if he was sent a return form by the Department of Agriculture and Mines. Witness said the work was done in the fall and he did not inspect it when the time came around, as he was not then the position of an inspector. There was no cross-examination. THE COMMISSIONER referred to Mr. Watson's report and asked that Council for the Crown submit a copy to him so that he might form his own opinion as to whether any other matters contained therein needed probing into. This practically concluded the first section of the III paragraph. MODEL FARM SECTION ON MONDAY. MR. HUNT announced he would be in a position to proceed with the Model Farm Section on Monday. At present the report on this section, he said, was not completed owing to the illness of Mr. Leith. Adjournment was taken at 4 p.m. until Monday morning.

### Fleet for Wembley WONDERFUL MODELS OF WHITE STAR LINERS.

A remarkable fleet of model ocean liners will be seen at the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley, opening in April. They have been built by Messrs. Harland and Wolff for the White Star Line. The services of naval architects and picked shipyard workers were used. The ships range in length to 20 ft.—the size of many motor-yachts that sail the coast. A model of the Majestic—the largest passenger liner in the world, with accommodation for 4,000—look three months to construct. It contains a reproduction of the suite of public rooms in the Majestic. Against this model is one of the Queen of the Atlantic, built in 1842. Comparison of the models gives an idea of the progress made in eighty years. Two models of liners on the Canadian and Australian services will be shown respectively in a big illuminated model of Quebec Harbour, and in an artificial waterway contained in a reproduction of Sydney Harbour.

### Men Working on the Streets

Not before it was time a gang of men are engaged on Water Street West levelling the gulches and making traffic possible. This morning a few men were also employed on Duckworth St., which has been in dreadful condition all through the week.

### To Marry Earl of Dudley

Paris.—Following the death of Lionel Monckton, it is understood that his wife, Gertrude Millar, English musical comedy star, will immediately marry the Earl of Dudley. Both are now at Cannes, from where it is reported that their wedding is imminent. Baron Rau von Holzhausen, a young German nobleman, shot himself in Gertrude Millar's apartment in London, twenty years ago, after which her husband separated from her immediately. He always refused to consent to a divorce.



### Goods Which You Can Depend On.

ELLIS & CO., Limited. 203 WATER STREET. French Boneless Sardines, French Sardines in Pure Oil, Skipper Sardines in Oil, Tuna Fish (like Chicken), Dry Shrimps, Clam Chowder, Little Neck Clams, Barataria Prawns, Cove Oysters, Chicken Haddies, Kipper Herring, Hors D'Oeuvre, (6 tins in Block), Royans ala Bordelaise, Anchovies in Oil.

### Fresh Oysters, Fresh Smelts, Fresh Smoked Haddies, Fresh Smoked Kippers, Fresh Smoked Salmon.

Sardine Paste, Anchovy Paste, Shrimp & Salmon Paste, Bloaters Paste, No. 1 Salmon (1 and 2 lb. tins), No. 1 Lobster (1 lb. tin), No. 1 Mussels (1 lb. tin), Shredded Cod Fish, Boneless Cod Fish.

### CADBURY'S BOURNVILLE COCOA.

The best that money can buy. BAIRD & CO. Agents.

### JUNKS AND Kindling Wood

Birch junk, finest quality for sale cheap; also dry kindling wood delivered daily to any part of city. West End Wood Factory. Box 1366 Phone 1186

### Why Do We Snore?

—because the relaxation of sleep permits the soft palate to fall and partly close the air passage. Then, as we breathe, this palate vibrates with a hoarse rattle. When Wampoles Aspirin Tablets soothe the pain of headache, or upset nerves, restful sleep comes easy. Absolutely true aspirin tablets so skillfully made that their beneficial action begins in 15 seconds. Price 30c. Box. PETER O'MARA, THE DRUGGIST, THE REGAL STORE.

### IN STOCK!

"CROWN" EXERCISE BOOKS, 48 Pages of Smooth Ivory Paper. The best value obtainable in Exercise Books. Wholesale Price: \$8.40 Gross or 70c. Doz. GARRETT BYRNE, Bookseller & Stationer.

### Berkshire Typewriting Paper

There is a "Berkshire Quality" for every need. DICKS & CO., Ltd. Booksellers and Stationers.

### VALLEY NURENBERG REPORT

The thermometer at the Valley Nurseries last night registered 22 degrees of frost. MINARD'S LINTMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

### The Closed Tomb

The sudden decision of Mr. Howard Carter, in charge of the archaeological investigations at the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen, to close the tomb and cease investigations, has come as a surprise to the general public, but will be no surprise to those acquainted with the circumstances leading up to this decision. The tomb of the Egyptian Government. By the publication of the correspondence between himself and the Egyptian authorities Mr. Carter had laid bare a calculated and persistent policy of intrigues and petty irritations pursued by the Government in its conduct towards himself and his collaborators. The refusal to permit the wives of the scientists connected with the expedition to enter the tomb is not the actual cause of Mr. Carter's action. It is only the culminating insult of a series of deliberate discourtesies as revealed in official correspondence by which the labors of Mr. Carter and his colleagues have been systematically hampered.

### German Bonds are Peddled in West

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### Stock Market News

Table with columns for 'TO-DAY'S OPENING' and 'PREMIER TURNS POWER ON AT AVON RIVER'. Lists various stocks like Beth Steel, Mack Truck, Pinta Sugar, etc., with their respective prices.

### From Cape Race

Special to Evening Telegram. WIND LIGHT and variable with snow showers. The steamer Walker passed in at 2 p.m. yesterday. Nothing sighted to-day. Bar. 28.74; Ther. 37. Mrs. Robins Stick will be "At Home" on Monday and Tuesday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock at 5 Devon Row.—mar.11

### Hunter's Fight for Life

When it was almost freed, I fell to the ground, the leopard underneath me, my right hand in her mouth, my left hand clutching her throat, my knees on her lungs. I still held her and continue to hold her down her throat so hard she could not close her mouth, and with the other I gripped her throat in a stranghold. Then I surged down on her with my knees. To my surprise I felt a rib go. I did it again. I felt her relax. My strength had outlasted hers. Mr. Akoley does not believe, from his experience, that gorillas are the ferocious animals they are supposed to be. But once he had a disagreeable experience with a band of these huge apes: I got a fair sight of an old black female, and it looked as though the bushes she was in would hold her if I killed her instantly. She was 50 feet away. I fired and she came straight at me. I tried to dodge but could not, as the recoil of the gun had caused me to lose my balance a bit and I could not recover in time. I threw myself flat, face down, just in time, and she passed over me. When I got up I had a great welt on the top of my head which she had caused. As I partially rose there seemed to be an avalanche of gorillas. There was a big fall of black fur, squealing madly, rolling past—actually touching me—in the wake of the old one.

### Using the Axe

The Government has decided for reasons of economy to reduce the temporary staffs in Whitehall offices. Yesterday notices were given to 140 temporary civil servants at the Admiralty that their services would not be required after February 29. Warnings that their services are about to be dispensed with were issued to 700 temporary members of the staffs of various branches of the Ministry of Pensions. The Stationery Office has also received notification of an immediate reduction, while 50 temporary members of the staff of the Paymaster-General's office will leave their posts in a week.—London Daily Mail, Feb. 1.

SPOT CASH

# KNOWLING'S

NO APPROBATION

## WHITE SALE

### Sale Commencing Monday Afternoon

We have always endeavoured to give genuine bargains at our White Sales, but we can say that we have made some really great reductions for this our banner display of White Goods, and the prices will surely appeal to every customer.

#### White Shirting

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| 28 inch. Regular 20c. SALE PRICE | 13c. |
| 28 inch. Regular 25c. SALE PRICE | 18c. |
| 36 inch. Regular SALE PRICE      | 22c. |
| 36 inch. Regular 30c. SALE PRICE | 18c. |

#### Bakers White Linen

A good strong Linen, 26 inches wide, a very suitable fabric for Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Overalls, Pillow Shams.  
Regular 35c. SALE PRICE . . . . . 29c.

#### White Flannelette

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| Regular 30c. SALE PRICE | 21c. |
| Regular 35c. SALE PRICE | 25c. |

#### White Turkish Towelling

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| Regular 35c. SALE PRICE | 21c. |
| Regular 45c. SALE PRICE | 32c. |

#### Huckaback Towelling

A strong weave Towelling in a plain and bordered effect. Regular 35c. and 60c.  
SALE PRICE . . . . . 28c. and 48c.

#### Guest Towelling

GUEST TOWELLING—A beautiful finished article, 25 inches wide; will make up very nicely in individual Towels.  
Regular 1.65. SALE PRICE . . . . . 1.25

#### White Turkish Towels

WHITE TURKISH TOWELS—Included here are some extra heavy Towels, in plain and bordered, and very well finished, as supplied to the British Government.  
Regular 27c. SALE PRICE . . . . . 22c.  
Regular 60c. SALE PRICE . . . . . 42c.  
Regular 90c. SALE PRICE . . . . . 68c.  
Regular 1.10 SALE PRICE . . . . . 83c.

LADIES' WHITE and PINK MUSLIN ENVELOPE CHEMISES—Daintily trimmed Val. Lace and Insertion. Regular 1.50 to 2.40. SALE PRICE . . . . . 79c. to 98c.

LADIES' WHITE CAMBRIC COMBINATIONS—Trimmed with Embroidery and Insertion. Regular 1.60 to 4.50. SALE PRICE . . . . . 98c.

LADIES' WHITE CAMBRIC CAMISOLES—Trimmed Lace and Embroidery, Beading and Ribbon. Reg. 1.50 to 3.75. SALE PRICE . . . . . 98c.

LADIES' PINK SILK CAMISOLES—2.00 to 4.50. SALE PRICE . . . . . 98c.

LADIES' WHITE SILK CAMISOLES—70c. to 1.25. SALE PRICE . . . . . 98c.

LADIES' WHITE LONGCLOTH KNICKERS—Trimmed Embroidery and Insertion. 1.60 to 3.80. SALE PRICE . . . . . 98c. to 1.38

LADIES' PINK CREPE KNICKERS. Reg. Price 85c. SALE PRICE . . . . . 58c.

LADIES' WINCEY PYJAMAS—1-Piece and 2-Piece Garments. Regular Price 2.80 to 7.55. SALE PRICE . . . . . 1.98 to 3.98

LADIES' WHITE LONGCLOTH and MUSLIN NIGHTDRESSES—Irish Embroidered and Lace trimmed. Regular Price 1.45 to 4.55. SALE PRICE . . . . . 98c. to 1.98

LADIES' WHITE FLETTE NIGHTDRESSES. Regular 2.70 to 3.20. SALE PRICE . . . . . 1.68 to 2.68

LADIES' WINCEY NIGHTDRESSES—Low neck, short sleeves; Lace trimmed. Regular Price 3.25. SALE PRICE . . . . . 2.79

## SHOWROOM

LADIES' WHITE UNDERSKIRTS—Embroidery flounce. SPECIAL 86c.

LADIES' WHITE VOILE BLOUSES—In a variety of styles. Regular 1.00 to 3.25. SALE PRICE . . . . . 79c. to 2.20

SPECIAL LINE OF LADIES' CORSETS—Made of very fine quality goods, well boned; garters attached . . . . . 93c.

Some odd Lines in D. & A. CORSETS 1.18, 1.49, 1.99, 2.38 TO CLEAR . . . . .

DRESSES—Well made and trimmed, low neck, short sleeves; high neck, long sleeves. Reg. Price 85c. to 2.10. SALE PRICE . . . . . 66c. to 1.68

CHILDREN'S and MISSES' LONGCLOTH KNICKERS—Trimmed Embroidery. Regular Price 32c. to 1.50. SALE PRICE . . . . . 26c. to 1.50

CHILD'S and MISSES' KNICKERS—With body attached, trimmed Embroidery. SALE PRICE . . . . . 99c. and 1.05

CHILD'S and MISSES' FLETTE NIGHTDRESSES—(Cream) 1.60 to 2.30. SALE PRICE . . . . . 1.28 to 1.84

CHILDREN'S and MISSES' FLEECE LINED VESTS and PANTS—Sizes 16 to 34 inch. Regular 50c. to 1.00. SALE PRICE 32c. to 76c.

INFANTS' PIQUE COATS—Nicely trimmed. Regular Price 3.80 to 4.80. SALE PRICE . . . . . 2.95 to 3.95

INFANTS' PIQUE PELISSES. Regular Prices 3.75 to 7.90. SALE PRICE . . . . . 2.95 to 5.95

INFANTS' CREAM POPLIN PELISSES. Regular 3.78 to 7.28. SALE PRICE . . . . . 2.95 to 5.95

INFANTS' CREAM EIDER and CORD VELVET COATS. Regular Price 4.25 to 9.10. SALE PRICE . . . . . 1.50 to 4.75

INFANTS' BEARSKIN PELISSES. Regular Price 7.50 to 10.50. SALE PRICE . . . . . 5.95 to 7.50

INFANTS' STORK PANTS. Regular Price 85c. to 1.20. SALE PRICE . . . . . 68c. to 98c.

INFANTS' FROCK BODIES—Very daintily trimmed. 45c. to 75c. SPECIAL . . . . .

INFANTS' LONGCLOTH and MUSLIN NIGHTGOWNS 80c. & 1.00 SPECIAL . . . . .

#### White Huckaback Towels

A line of different importations and marked at a low price to clear them out quickly; plain and hemstitched.  
Reg. 70c. SALE PRICE . . . . . 58c. Reg. 1.10 SALE PRICE . . . . . 78c.  
Reg. 95c. SALE PRICE . . . . . 68c. Reg. 1.40 SALE PRICE . . . . . 88c.  
Regular 1.75. SALE PRICE . . . . . 1.30

#### Table Damask

Some values here far below anything imported to-day, and will pay you to purchase some extra Table Cloth for the Home.  
Regular 1.40. SALE PRICE . . . . . 58c.  
Regular 1.50. SALE PRICE . . . . . 68c.  
Regular 1.50. SALE PRICE . . . . . 78c.

#### White Sheetings

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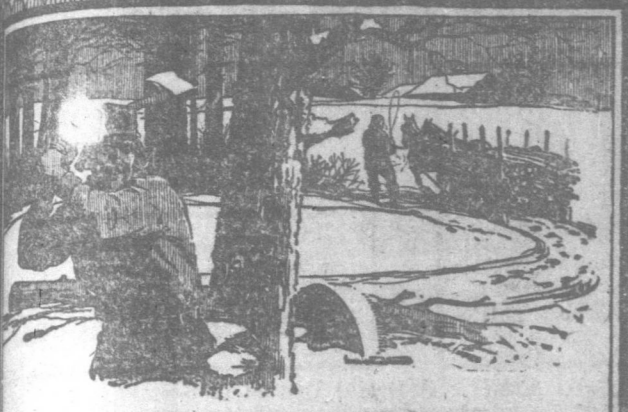
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front, without laws, to the country. Doubtless Premier Warren's sure advance in popular estimation, without serious mistakes so far, is due in part to good advice, as well as to his own quiet genius. In a world of political policies, it is well to have the advantage of keen political sense to aid the right desire, which, Lord Balfour says, "makes it easy for a man to find the way to do right."

**QUALITIES NEEDED IN THE PRESENT EMERGENCY.**

Ability, steadiness and courage are among the qualities which the Premier of Newfoundland most needs; and, so far, Mr. Warren has been exhibiting these qualities with a daily better effect on public opinion, notwithstanding the way in which he "limped" over the Pitt Prop Inquiry. The writer has, of course, no partisan preferences. In general, he will support the administration in power, be it Liberal or Conservative, just as far as he can conscientiously do so. He will point out what is good in the policies of any individual or group, and oppose what is bad. The present Prime Minister is a comparatively young man. This is barely the second year of his leadership. He deserves, for another session of the Legislature, at least—the support of his party, so that he can make the most of his large opportunity to unify public opinion in accordance with keenly understood "overseas ideals."

**GRAVE REASONS FOR ANXIETY.**

But all things carefully considered, there are still very grave reasons for anxiety, and the prospect for the near future is not encouraging. "It is difficult to look forward with hope to a Government composed of men who possess no training in administration, no experience of the conduct of parliamentary business, and who are committed, it may be, to a programme which includes wide and far-reaching changes in existing fiscal and economic methods. The advent of such a government constitutes undeniably a leap in the dark. But if there are wild men on the one side, there is wild speaking on the other. A good cause is ill served by exaggerated statements. Nothing is to be gained by continual groans and moans of 'Woe! woe! woe!' In these days the walls of Jericho are not going to fall down flat by the blowing of trumpets. We can more profitably gauge a difficult and perplexing situation by preserving a spirit of philosophic calm than by indulging hysterical and pent-up denunciations. The responsibilities of office have a very sobering effect on visionaries and enthusiasts."

**A LAW WHICH CANNOT BE ENFORCED.**

Nothing fosters the lawless spirit so powerfully as a law which cannot be enforced. And that is exactly what has happened in the Prohibition Act. It should be known that, in reality, the prohibition is only against buying and drinking openly and in broad daylight, on the part of the masses. Members of the Govt. and other privileged persons can get all they want at all times and at the expense of the unfortunate tax-paying public. Now, what must be the effect of such an Act as this? Just at the moment when the better disposed portions of the community are considering within themselves whether they will yield to the great volume of temptation or not, someone comes along and tells them what is nearly quite true, that the law is unjust and would be intolerably vexatious if it weren't that there is some fun to be got by evading it. The only drawback being that it is too easily evaded to be productive of the highest enjoyment; but still, though not perfect, it is the best sort of lark to be had, and so there goes! Can anyone conceive or picture a state of things more certain to undermine character and weaken the very foundations of society than that which well-meaning citizens painfully constructed when they got the Act passed? As every one knows, the law is evaded right and left. "Bottle" liquor dealers are "doing business" everywhere; the police are helplessly baffled and discredited; and the very central principles of all good government, peace and pros-

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perity, are turned into a laughing stock for the meekest-minded beholders; adding, doubtless to their amusement, but ensuring their corruption. To say of anything that is a necessary evil (it is often said of examinations as of parties) is to give away all morality. It is almost a contradiction in terms. That which is necessary can hardly be evil. If that which is bad is unavoidable, then the game of morality is up and we are reminded of the poets reference to a similar situation when he says:—

"Chere, Cosmos! Cosmos, Chere! Who can tell how all will end? Read the wide world's annals you, and take their wisdom for your friend."

Hope the best, but hold the Present fatal daughter of the Past. Shine your heart to front the hour, but dream not that the hour will last."

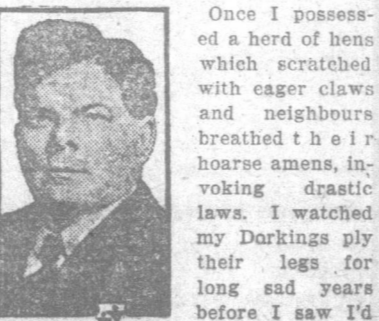
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**SIDE TALKS.**

By Ruth Cameron.

**SOMETHING MEN LIKE IN WOMEN.**

Men love spunk in a woman. The more I see of men and women, the more I am convinced of that fact. I came into my garage the other afternoon with my left fender looking as if it wanted to say: "You ought to see the other fellow." The garage man was most sympathetic and helpful and when I asked him hopefully if all motorists didn't have something happen to them once in a while, he gave me a hearty "Sure," and the following delightful anecdote:

**He Admired Her for It.**

"My wife has a little silver coup of her own," he said, "and the other day she came in with the radiator smashed in and one lens gone and a fender much worse than yours. I said: 'For heaven's sake, how did you do all that?' And she said: 'None of your business how I did it. You're a repair man, aren't you? Well, you just fix this up and send the bill to me.' And she hasn't told me from that day to this how she did it."

Was he sore at being treated thus cavalierly? I should say not. He was tickled to death over her spunk. He chuckled to himself as he quoted her and his eyes shone with that particular shine a man's eyes have when he is proud of his woman.

**They Liked the Heroine.**

Afterwards I told that story to two or three men and one could plainly see that they liked the heroine of it. I think it is the man instinct to try to crush all opposition to his will and his ideas and his purposes out of the women he is associated with. But I don't think men like it when they succeed too well.

Many women submit to being steam-rollered because they haven't the gumption (to use another New England word as expressive as spunk) to stand up against it. And then they expect to be loved for their sweetness of disposition, when it's really a lack of courage that makes them submit. Their dispositions may not have been good to begin with and may have been soured by the habit of self-pity and sullen treatment which often goes with such submission.

**Courage But Not Contentiousness.**

I think men like a woman who isn't afraid to say her soul is her own. I don't mean that they like nagging or arguing or contentiousness over every little thing. Far from it. They want peace and patience and unselfishness but they want a woman to keep her integrity of spirit. (A modest order to be sure, but when were men ever modest.) They want her to be able to stand up to them sometimes, and when

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**London Letter**

(By PANTON HOUSE, for the Canadian Press.)

London, Feb. 1.—Although everybody knows that London can provide a variety of amusements "that seek through the world, are not met with elsewhere," it is, perhaps, a little startling to learn that the programme may even include a man-hunt. At the Crystal Palace the other day were held the first trials in England of Alsatian police dogs. These animals, which are reputed to be descendants of the wolves of Western Europe, were required to stop a "criminal," to hunt for him after he had been allowed to escape and hide, to hold him when caught (paying no attention to blows with a stick or revolver-fire), and—most remarkable of all—to let him go when called off by their masters. Theoretically, the dog is trained to hold the man safe, doing him no hurt; but the men who took the part of the "criminal" were very carefully protected by overalls of chrome leather, padded with felt, covered with carboys, and treated with some preparation which makes it too unpleasant for the dogs to hold on for long. Other tests were the finding of hidden packages, scaling a 6-ft. wooden barrier, and guarding the master's property in spite of all temptations.

The Alsatian, who resembles a slim and gentlemanly wolf, has been used for some years by the French, Belgian and German police for guard and detective work. The Germans actually give a degree (P.H.—Poly Hund) to the animal who has passed certain standard tests. Mr. F. N. Pickett, who bought the ammunition dumps in France and cleared them off after the war, was unable to protect the dumps against thieves until he had set up a guard of 80 Alsatians. When their work in France was over he brought about 40 to his home in Hertfordshire, where the champion of the Crystal Palace trials, "Hexevon Romerpark of Welham" was trained. Hexevon already holds the 1922 championship of French police dogs.

Canadian visitors to the Tower of London often look longingly at the numerous portions of William the Conqueror's fortress which are not open to the public; for the ancient building is still an arsenal, with a garrison, and not merely a show-place. Those who come over this summer will be able to see more of it than in any previous year, for four towers, hitherto used as ward-rs' residences, are now being stripped of their modern fittings and restored to their original condition, and will be open to inspection some time in April. They are the Byward Tower, built in the reign of Richard II.; the Martin Tower, part of which goes back to the time of Henry III., owing at least two ghosts—one a huge bear, which frightened a sentry to death early in the 19th century; and the Salt and Broad Arrow Towers. In the last three are many signatures, scratched on the walls by State prisoners in ancient times; it is part of the work of the restorers to discover these under coats of paint and whitewash. The Salt Tower possesses a vaulted dungeon, with deep recesses in the walls, and is one of the oldest portions of the fortress, containing masonry that was built in the time of William Rufus.

**Our Dumb Animals.**

Report of Chief Agent For Week Ending Feb. 29th, 1924.

Was called by a policeman to attend to a cat which was in a perishing condition on the corner of Adelaide Street. I went there and humanely put it to death. I humanely put to death a valuable horse owned by Mr. Chalker. It was suffering with a bad hoof from the effect of a nail which it had picked up some time previously. Also humanely destroyed a horse for Mr. Roberts, Oxen Pond Road, suffering from internal trouble. Some gentlemen witnesses were loud in their praise of the humane killer which I used; I have received an order from Mr. B. Peckham, Butcher, for a humane killer, which he will use for slaughtering cattle. I also attended to the shipping of 16 horses for the Armstrong-Whitworth Co., purchased in St. John's by Mr. Curran. This is the best shipment of horses that have left St. John's for a long time. Ten (10) of those were purchased from C. F. Lester in prime condition. They are in the care of Vet.-Surgeon Smith who accompanies them to their destination. I have received many complaints of horses with sore shoulders owing to the many patches of the city thoroughfares and on country roads. The road inspector says he is not in a position to better it because of having no money to spend. But I reported the case to the members, who will do their best to have the roads levelled up as soon as possible. Veterinary Smith reports that all the horses at the Hummer owned by Armstrong-Whitworth Co. are especially well cared for and are in splendid condition. No horse is allowed to work unless in proper health. Drivers are cautioned and strict supervision is given. On behalf of the dumb animals in the employ of Messrs Armstrong-Whitworth Co. I thank the management for their kindness to the beasts whom I am sure respond a hundred fold to good care and attention.

**Vivid Photoplay Coming to the Nickel**

MONDAY'S ATTRACTION CLARA K. YOUNG IN "REAL MADAME"

The heroine whom Clara Kimball Young is to portray in her newest photoplay, "Enter Madame," is possessed of many names as Miss Young is of charms. She is Prima Donna Lisa Della Robbia, a grand opera star, whose career has perforce brought her to neglect her husband despite her loyal devotion to him.

There is every indication that "Enter Madame," a Metro picture, which is to be shown at the Nickel Theatre, beginning Monday, will repeat on the screen the success of the stage play upon which it is founded. This piece, written by Gilda Varesi and "Tilly" Byrne, ran for forty-five weeks in New York and was pronounced by dramatic critics to be one of the really worth while offerings of its season.

Some criterion of its merit can be gained furthermore from the excellence of the cast. Elliott Dexter has been given the part of the husband, Gerald Fitzgerald; Louise Dresser will be seen as the settled Boston widow toward whom his affection has strayed while his wife is in Europe; and others prominent in the group of players are likewise notable: Lionel Belmore, Arthur Rankin, Wedgewood Nowell, Rosita Marzini, Otta Deveraux, Mary Jane Sanderason and George Kuwa.

Harry Garson, who produced Miss Young's immediately previous, though distinctly different photoplay, "The Hands of Mars," has brought the Star to the screen in "Enter Madame."

**"Shoreless Seas"**

London, Feb. (C.P.)—The rising generation in England has produced a champion in Mollie Panter-Downs, a 16-year-old school girl. She has published her first novel—"Shoreless Seas." The book has much merit, the critics say, and for knowledge of life and analysis of character and style, excels the work of many experienced writers. The story deals with the modern domestic problems and contains a variety of human types. This quiet, provincial girl, who wears her hair down her back, is still attending school and still thinks that hockey is the greatest game ever. She told reporters that she had no opinions on sex triangles and hadn't an idea of her own on matrimonial problems.

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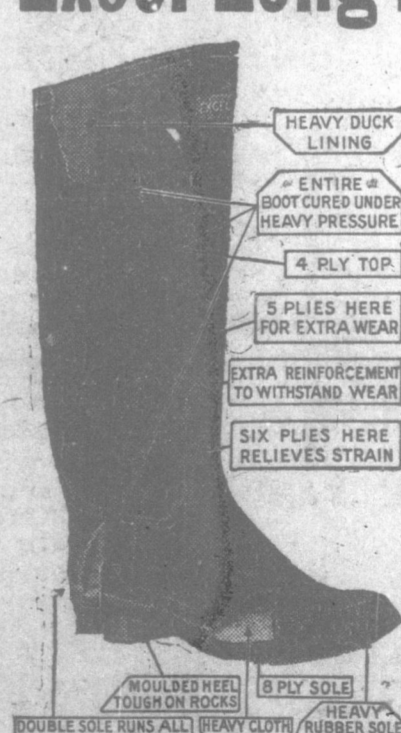
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## TRINITY

JUST A COLUMN OF LOCALS TO HOLD DOWN OUR CLAIM TILL THE ENQUIRY IS OVER.

The concert-entertainments at Lockston and Trinity East, that I called attention to a fortnight ago, are now things of the past, but not to be forgotten. The one at Lockston was well patronized by people from the immediate settlement, and from Trinity East and Trinity. The School House was filled to capacity with about eighty people. The programme was a full one and included the usual sequence of recitations, dialogues, and songs, each of which was creditably rendered. The children gave evidence of their being endowed with marvellous powers of memory, whilst the grown-ups did their parts well. Viewing it all with a knowledge of their limitations in opportunities for training, etc. it was highly creditable to them, and when they announce their next presentation in their own settlement, we shall be there again. Mr. William Peddie was the Manager, and he has reasons to be proud of his efforts, which had much to do with the all round success of the entertainment.

The entertainment given by the young people of Trinity East and Trinity, was held in the Parish Hall, Trinity East, on Wednesday evening, February 29th, in aid of the outfitting of the Church Lads Brigade in those places. The night was ideal for travelling, and about forty people from Trinity crossed the harbour-ice to swell the patronage and to be entertained. The three hours' programme was splendidly rendered and thoroughly enjoyed by the three hundred people in the auditorium, from Port Rexton, Trinity East and Trinity. The programme was a varied, but a well balanced one; and there was not a faulty rendering of a part in it. Rev. F. Law, who had given much time and talent in training the young people, has every cause to be thankful for the abundant results of his work, by the fine rendering of the parts assigned by him to them. The girls (in song and play and dialogue) were just splendid; and amongst them are those who are possessed of the talent of being able to translate difficult parts by natural actions, such as would enable them to do themselves and their parts credit in more pretentious surroundings. Dr. Fitzgerald, the officer in command; Mr. Whitfield, Manager, and other officers of the Church Lads Brigade were in official evidence, and the two songs rendered by each (the Dr. and Mr. Bannister) added materially to the good things that were thoroughly enjoyed. The programme was repeated the next night, and altogether about \$50 was secured towards the cost of uniforms for the local Church Lads Brigade, of whom the people of Port Rexton and Trinity East have always had much cause to be proud. Do it again.

Another entertainment under the auspices of the "Garland Club," Trinity East, will be given at Trinity East this week. And still another will be given in the Parish Hall, Trinity, by volunteer artists of the town, in the interests of Maps, etc., for the day school. Neither of these entertainments had been given when I posted this manuscript; details of them will be given next week.

Mr. Fred Morris will make his long wished for trip to the West Indies in his schooner "Lucille B. Creaser," Captain Piander. Our best wishes go with you Fred.

The election for men to constitute a local Road Board was held on Monday last, and the following were elected: Robert Hewitt, John Jestican, Fred T. Brady, Aubrey Crocker, Henry Hunt.

Mr. Walter White, of Ryan Bros., is spending a six weeks' holiday at Bonavista, Catalina and other places.

I thank my friend Mr. H. F. Shortis for his kind and appreciative remarks re the value of my week-end notes of the past, in his interesting article in Evening Telegram of February 15th. Mr. Shortis will, from his own experience, fully understand my grateful feelings at being assured that my humble efforts are helpful to others. "A vetre saute," Mr. Shortis.

The Eriksens are adding another story to their shop building. It is intended as an exclusive hat-room. A friend remarked to Mrs. Eriksen: "It is reported that your hats are going up." To which Mrs. Eriksen replied: "Kindly say, it is only a story."

THOMAS GAWLER—1825-1874.  
Thomas Gawler was born in the parish of All Saints, Dorchester, England, in the year 1825, and came to Trinity about the year 1856. In the year 1851 he was married to Patience Butler, widow of Charles Butler of Ireland's Eye. There is no record in my possession from which I can find just what position he filled during the next twenty-five years. The facts,

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however, that his first wife was from Bonaventure, and that in 1856 I find his name as School Teacher and Lay Reader at British Harbour, suggest that he lived at British Harbour during those years. In 1869 he was married again to Elizabeth Carberry of British Harbour, and he died there in 1874, aged 49 years. There was another Thomas Gawler who came to Trinity about the same time as shoemaker at Garland's. He was a Wesleyan Local Preacher, and his wife taught school in the old Fancy House, that stood on the left hand corner of the road now leading from the main road up to the Orange Hall. To ensure uprightness of the body, as a child sat during school hours, Mrs. Gawler used to put a plate on the child's head; and the knowledge that it would fall if an upright position were not preserved, produced the desired effect. Our Mrs. Pittman, the children of the late Magistrate, B. Sweetland, and others attended the school. Mr. and Mrs. Gawler left Trinity for Canada about 1860, and some of their household appointments, that were sold before they left are still preserved in Trinity, one of which was an old-fashioned sugar-barrel, now in possession of Mr. William White, H.M.C. W.J.L.  
March 1st, 1924.

## Monorail Line Replaces Burro in Mohave Desert.

San Bernardino, Cal., Feb. 21 (A.P.)—The passing of the burro, which has been the best means of transportation on the Mohave desert, is predicted by miners since the advent of a mono-rail line, recently laid across the sands in San Bernardino county.

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