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THE EVENING TELEGRAM

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LOST—On Theatre Hill, a Leather Hand Bag

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LOST—A Collie Pup, Brown with White paws.

Finder will be rewarded on leaving information at 42 Field Street. Jan 24, 21

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WANTED—A General Servant; good wages; washing out; apply at 109 Military Road. Jan 17, 21

WANTED—A Housemaid; apply MRS. W. J. HERDER, 40 Renais's Mill Road. Jan 17, 21

WANTED—A Blacksmith; man capable of sharpening steam drills; apply IMPERIAL OIL CO., LTD., Office, South S. St. Jan 15, 21

The Romance

Marriage.

CHAPTER XIX.

With an effort Alice raises her eyes at his face and laughs.

"It is an excellent jest," she says. "I do not believe in palmistry, Major Vericourt, not a little bit, but all the same I quite agree with you that any man who agrees with Sir Herrick and Paula would be most ill-advised."

"Beautifully put," he murmurs. "And my little jest hasn't offended you?"

"Not at all," she says, avoiding his eyes. "And—and I am to take things as if the engagement met with your approval?"

"There is the sound of footsteps on the terrace, and the major's quick eyes catch them.

"Follow my lead, my dear Miss Alice," he whispers.

The next instant Herrick and Paula comes round the corner. He has drawn her hand in his own, and is toying with the fingers that meet his with a mute caress.

"My dear child!" he exclaims in a voice apparently struggling with emotion.

Paula cannot do otherwise than put her two hands into his, and the major presses them affectionately, and looks down at her.

"And so this is to be my little boy's wife, is it?" he says, with tender playfulness. "I wish you every happiness, my dear—every happiness! Indeed, you have made me very happy—very happy, indeed! As I told dear Rick, there is no young lady I have ever seen who made such an instant impression on me as did you and your dear sister here. I assure you, my dear Miss Paula, that last night I said to myself, in the foolish way that solitary old men have of expressing their thoughts and wishes alone—I said to myself, 'Ah, if my dear Rick would but fall in love with one of these charming creatures, how delighted I should be!'"

And the soft-hearted, impressionable major raises her hands one after the other to his lips and kisses them, while Alice smiles lovingly at the picture, and murmurs, with sisterly enthusiasm and sympathy:

"Dear Paula!"

And Sir Herrick? Sir Herrick stands with folded arms and knit brows, wondering whether there ever was in the world, since it first began to roll, a more daring and accomplished actor and hypocrite than his much-admired uncle, the Honourable Francis Vericourt.

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CHAPTER XX.

The major not only stopped to lunch, but after a little pressing from Alice, remained to dinner, made a little more elaborate than usual with much exertion on the part of Jane, and he made himself charming. Sir Herrick and Paula might reasonably have been expecting to be happy, and they were; Sir Herrick in his quiet, calm fashion, and Paula in a shy, tremulous little way; but no one of the party seemed half so happy as the major. He was full of anecdote—more full even than on the previous evening—and kept them in a perpetual glow of amusement. Even Bob, the taciturn and passive, relaxed into a series of broad grins, and when the major at last departed, expressed his opinion to Paula that, after all, if the said major was a humbug, he was a jolly, amusing one.

Sir Herrick dutifully went to put his revered relative in the carriage, and the major said a few words as he wrapped his fur cloak round him.

"Well, Rick," he said, "I hope I've done my duty, eh?"

"You have been extremely pleasant, sir," said Rick, with his hands in his pockets, and his dark eyes fixed on the major's small, keen ones.

"Nothing of the disappointed, grumpy old curmudgeon in my manner, I trust?" said the major, almost humbly.

Sir Herrick laughed.

"Yes have been only too kind; don't think I'm ungrateful, sir. I am not. I am much obliged to you."

"Don't mention it," responded the major, and there was a hint of irony in his tone. "Well, I'm glad you're satisfied, Rick. I never do anything by halves. Having surrendered, I pulled down my colours and hoisted up yours. I could not do more. And, after all, she is an extremely pretty child, winning and gracious."

"Paula is an angel," said Rick, gravely.

"Exactly, of course; an angel," assented the major.

Then there was a pause, and Sir Herrick, anxious to get back to his

angel, was about to tell the coachman to drive on, when the major put his hand out and laid it on Sir Herrick's arm, and, looking him full in the face, said in a low, significant voice:

"I suppose you will be going to town soon, Rick?"

Sir Herrick nodded.

"There are—ahem!—some things to clear up, I suppose?"

Sir Herrick nodded again, and his brow darkened.

"Yes," he replied, "I must go to town."

"In a day or two would do," said the major. "You won't go for a day or two?"

"No," responded Sir Herrick, shortly, as if the subject were distasteful.

"Well, good-night, my dear boy, and Heaven bless you!" and with this devout aspiration the major leant back and was rolled away.

"Great heavens, Vericourt, what does this mean?" demanded Lord Hurstley, when the major entered his lordship's dressing-room, looking very tired and worried. "Taken a contract for running the mails? This is the second day you have been posting about the country. You will knock yourself up, and then what will the public at large, and society in particular, do?"

"Don't laugh at me, my dear Hurstley," implored the major, with a plaintive little smile. "It is dreadful, isn't it? And your poor horses, too! I'm very sorry. Of course I've been over to see Rick. I didn't like to say too much last night, but the foolish boy has got into a most dreadful mess."

"So!" said his lordship—he had sent the valet out of the room. "What is it—better, overrun the constable, or what?"

"I wish it were anyone of them," groaned the major, with a sigh.

"Then it's a woman," said Lord Hurstley, laughing. "Well, that's nothing new for Rick, you know, major."

"Ah!" moaned the major, shaking his head; "but he wants to marry this one!"

The earl drew a comically long face, and emitted a low whistle.

"Jove! that's bad. What an idiot Rick must be!"

"Oh, a perfect idiot—simply insane! ought to confine him in a private lunatic asylum!" assented the major. "I shouldn't have mentioned it, but that it will oblige me to go to town to-morrow."

"No?"

The major shook his head dolefully. "Yes, I must go. Very hard, indeed, just as I was so comfortable, my dear Hurstley; but I can just see a chance of stopping poor Rick in his downward run to ruin, and I must seize at it. Good-bye. I shall start early in the morning. Good-bye, my dear Hurstley."

And feeling every inch a martyr, the ease-loving major toddled stiffly to bed.

But before he went he asked Morgan for a telegram form, and wrote the following message in his fine Italian and quite unshaky hand:

"From Major Vericourt, "The Grange, "Crawfield.

"To Miss Flossie Hamilton, "229 Raglan Street, Chelsea.

"Will you be in to-day at five o'clock? I will take a cup of tea."

"Take it to the post-office directly after eight to-morrow, Morgan," he said. "And tell the cook to make me some chicken broth for breakfast. I feel quite overdone. It is very hard!"

And just about this time two figures were standing very close together at the gate of the cottage, in the shadow thrown by the laurels that stood out dark and clear against the bright moonlight. Two figures very near to each other, the one—the girl's—eloquent with the poetry of a first passion leaning like a strip of ivy against the stalwart form of the man.

"Must you go," murmurs Paula, "so soon? Is it so late? It does not seem late. How quickly the day has passed, and yet some moments it seems so long. I wish it were only evening still! No! for the night is so beautiful. Hush! how hushed and quiet it is; that was an owl fitting from the church. Must you go? I am so—so sorry. Do you know why? No, not because I love to have you near me, not that only—"

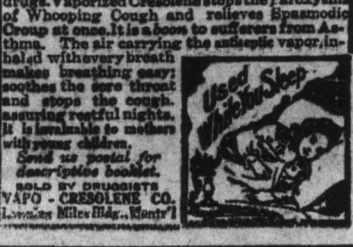
"Why, then, little one?" he whispers, his dark eyes bent on her with a passionate regard that has a certain wistful sadness in it; something that hints at remorse or regret lurking in it. "Why, then? What a strange child it is. Tell me!"

"Shall I?" she murmurs, half-

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shamefacedly. "It is because when you are gone I begin to think that it is not all real. Something whispers to my heart, 'You foolish girl! It is all a dream. There is such a person as Sir Herrick Powis, but he is not your Ric; not your love. You are dreaming. Wake up and see what a deluded thing you are.' And then I have to try hard and persuade myself that it is real, and that—that—"

"Well?"

"That you love me."

"It is real enough, by Heaven!" he says in a low voice that thrills through her. "Some day—soon, perhaps—I shall not go away."

"Not go away!" with wide-open eyes, in which surprise and joy are mingled.

"No," he says; "when we are married."

"Ah!" she draws a little breath, and her head droops, "that will be a long, long way ahead, years, and years."

"Nonsense!" he says, laughing, and drawing her closer; "months—I would it were weeks! Days seem too long for me. Meanwhile, you shall be happy, my darling!"

"Yes," she says, thoughtfully, playing absently with the plain curb chain that hangs in the present fashion, from pocket to pocket across the waistcoat. "I have been very happy to-day. How cruelly you maligned your uncle, the major. Why didn't you tell me he was an honourable?"

"Didn't I?" he says, carelessly. "I forgot it."

"Why is he an honourable?" she asks.

He laughs.

"I am dreadfully ignorant," she says, laughing, too; "not fit to be the wife of a baronet, no, not at all fit."

"You are fit to be the wife of an emperor," he says. "The major is an honourable because he is the son—the third son of a peer."

"Dear me!" says Paula. "Well, I'm not surprised; I think he ought to be a duke; he looks exactly like one, so thin and aristocratic, and so—ah, there, I won't hear one word against him. I feel I ought to say, like poor Jo, 'He was very good to me, he was!'"

And she laughs, her low, rippling laugh, that is such exquisite melody in the ears of her lover.

"No one could help being good to you," he says. "Even the major—"

He stops short, and looks down suddenly.

In her absent trifling with his watch Albert she has pulled out from his pocket a locket attached to the end of the curb, and her eyes are fixed on it now, not cursorily, not with any great interest, but with dreamy approval and admiration. It is a locket of plain, dull gold, having on one side the two hawks with extended wings of the Powis crest.

(To be continued.)

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St. Thomas's—Holy Communion, 8; Children's Service, 9.30; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11; Freshers, The Rector, Sunday Schools, 2.45; Dunsford Boys' Bible Class, 3.45; Girls' Bible Class, 3.45; Women's Bible Class, 8; Children's Church Service, 8.30; Evensong and Sermon, 8.30; Preacher, The Rector; Subject: "The Parable of the Pharisee and the Publican—or shall the eyes look up or down."

St. Mary the Virgin—Holy Communion, 8; Matins and Litany, 11; Confirmation Class (Boys), 3.45; Confirmation Class (Girls), 4; Holy Baptism, 5; Evensong, 6.30.

METHODIST.

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George St.—11, Rev. E. W. Forbes, M.A., B.D.; 6.30, Rev. D. B. Hemmecon, B.A.

Cochrane St.—11, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.; 6.30, Rev. G. J. Bond, B.A., LL.D.

Wesley—11, Rev. D. B. Hemmecon, B.A.; 6.30, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church—Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A., Minister. The Minister will preach at 11 and 6.30. Morning Subject: "Christian Victory." Sunday School and Bible Classes will meet at 2 o'clock. Evening Subject: "Saving and Spending." Strangers welcome at all services.

Congregational—11 and 6.30, Rev. Dr. Fenwick.

Adventist—Subject: "Evidences in the Christian Life." All welcome. Evangelist D. C. Barrett.

International Bible Students' Association meet in the Chapter Room, Victoria Hall, opposite Gower St. Church; 8 p.m. Sunday School Lesson; 8. Discourse: "The Result of the Covenants." All interested in Bible Study are invited to attend.

ST. THOMAS'S—The services for to-morrow are outlined elsewhere. The Rector will preach at both morning and evening services. At 8 p.m. Dr. Jones will continue the course of sermons on the Commandments, the subject being "The Parable of the Pharisee and the Publican—or shall the eyes look up or down." Everybody cordially invited.

GOWER ST.—9.45, Men's Class meetings; 2.30, Sunday School and Bible Classes for men and women; 4, Young Women's Class meeting; 11 and 6.30, Public Worship. The preacher in the morning will be Rev. Dr. Bond. There will be a church parade of the Wolf Cub. The Pastor will preach in the evening on "The Church's Responsibility."

WEEK-DAY MEETINGS—Monday, 11 a.m., United Methodist Thanksgiving Service; Friday, 7.45 p.m., Prayer meeting. A cordial welcome is extended to all comers.

GOWER ST. MEN'S BIBLE CLASS—A special meeting of the class will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2.30. Mr. Wm. White, manager of the White Clothing Co., will speak on "Christ and Commerce." Capt. Lloyd Woods will sing. All men interested are cordially invited.

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Heavyweight Champion Jack Dempsey is slated to take part in what in some respects will be the greatest battle in ring history, when he faces Georges Carpentier. He is likely to find that he has undertaken a bigger contract than he at first imagined it would be, even if he should prove to be the winner.

VETERANS SCORN DEMPSEY'S RECORD.

Cleveland, Jan. 13.—Condemnation of the war work of Jack Dempsey, was voiced in a resolution unanimously adopted by the Meuse-Rhine Post of the American Legion here. The resolution contains an appreciation of the war record of Georges Carpentier.

Indiana, Too.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 13.—Condemning Jack Dempsey as an unfit representative of American athletics,

the Fort Wayne Post of the American Legion unanimously passed a resolution last night declaring opposition to his defending the championship title for the United States.

The resolution is the result of recent agitation against Dempsey for his war record, due to the fact, that his service during the war was confined to work in the ship-yards.

TWO BOUTS STOPPED.

AT TORONTO.

Toronto, Jan. 15.—Two boxing bouts were stopped by Police Inspector Bond to-night, at the boxing entertainment put on at Massey Hall by the Grand Army of Canada. Frankie Fleming, of Montreal, was punishing "Irish" Kennedy, of Hamilton, so badly that a probable knockout was saved by the inspector halting the go in the sixth round of what was to have been a ten round contest. Kennedy was "subbing" for Dick Atkins, who is at present quarantined at his parents' home in Auburn, N.Y.

Joe Shears, the Montrealese, who was wounded three times in the Great War and who was a member of the Canadian boxing team at the Inter-Allied Tournament in England, was another boxer saved by the inspector. Ted Joyce, of this city, was beating him badly, and though called to go to rounds, the fourth round found Shears groggy, and in no condition to continue. Then the bout was stopped.

"Scotty" Lisner, a well known local him badly, and though called to go to rounds with Trooper Jack McCracken of this city, though knocked down three times in the fourth round and considerably punished. The Trooper had the better of the argument all through.

Bobby Ebitz, of Hamilton, beat Benny Gold, of Toronto, though the

latter stayed ten rounds. He took a good deal of punishment.

KEARNS WANTS 75 PER CENT. FOR DEMPSEY.

Sandiego, Cal., Jan. 13.—If Jack Dempsey and Georges Carpentier are matched to box for the heavyweight championship of the world, it will be with the understanding that the winner take seventy-five per cent. of the purse, according to Jack Kearns, Dempsey's manager who was here today for a conference with James W. Coffroth, whose bid of \$400,000 for the bout to be held at Tijuana, Lower California, has been declared acceptable by Kearns.

Retracting his former statement that he would prefer that Dempsey fight in America and in a bout promoted by Coffroth the manager of Dempsey said: "The Coffroth bid of \$400,000 is acceptable to us, and we see no reason why the fight could not be held at Tijuana. If it is true that Cochrane, the English promoter, has Carpenter signed for a fight with Dempsey and that this agreement is effective until early in February why naturally we must wait until the agreement expires if Carpenter is to appear in a bout promoted in this country by Coffroth."

As regards the bids made by J. C. Miller, of Oklahoma, and Wm. Fox, of New York, Kearns declared that the question of a few thousand dollars would not deter him from accepting the Coffroth offer.

"I want to make it plain that I consider Coffroth the most capable promoter for the fight," said Kearns. "If the fight is held, we will insist that the purse be split 75-25 per cent. We don't want to go abroad and fight, but if we must we will insist on a guarantee. Coffroth said he was hourly awaiting a cable from Charles Harvey, his foreign representative, on the question of direct word from Carpenter."

MORAN OUTPOINTED BY FRED FULTON.

New York, Jan. 15.—Fred Fulton Minnesota giant, to-night outpointed Frank Maron, the blonde Pittsburgh heavyweight, in their eight round bout at the Newark Sportmen's Club before a crowd of about 8,000 which taxed the capacity of the First Regiment Armory where the match was held. The big Minnesota plasterer failed in the result he had set his heart on, the duplication of a knockout victory Fulton registered about two years ago at New Orleans. Moran, battered groggy, and arm weary, a gory spectacle with his face and nose dripping blood, was still on his feet, striving vainly to return the attack as the bell changed the finish of the fight

at the end of the eighth round. His undying courage, bulldog tenacity, and remarkable ability to assimilate punishment, was what kept Moran on his feet, despite the fact that he was literally battered from pillar to post for the major portion of the eight rounds.

Even in defeat Moran was successful, to the extent of a moral victory over his ponderous opponent. All indications led to the belief that Fulton would again send the blonde Pittsburgher to dreamland, and this with dispatch. Instead, Moran, with a surprising strength and ability, did not experience the sensation of a knock-down, but kept his feet despite the terrific battering to which he was subjected, and smiled grimly, through his blood smeared face as Fulton, ineffectually tried desperately to topple him. Moran was out-classed physically and scientifically, for Fulton appeared in better condition and showed a greater knowledge of boxing. These handicaps, however, did not phase Moran, who plunged after his rival with determination in the early part of the bout, and his efforts and the blows he received tiring him as the match progressed, withstood a remarkable amount of punishment in the closing rounds, while Fulton plied him with vicious rights and lefts.

Moran's best work was accomplished in the first and third rounds. The Pittsburgher carried the opening session and gained an even break in the third. In the second and fourth rounds, with surries which worried Fulton considerably, Moran thrilled the large crowd, and apparently had Fulton in a quandary with the force of his attack, but the cleaner blows landed by the Minnesota heavyweight, and the rapidity with which he smashed the counters home earned Fulton these rounds, as well as the remaining sessions, in which Moran was groggy and unable either to protect himself effectively or to attempt a return.

Britain in Egypt.

(Canadian Churchman.)

The small item that ran in the dailies regarding the manifesto of the students of the university at Cairo may have escaped some readers. The students demanded that the British should get out of Egypt and leave it to the independent government of its own people. It is foolish to discount the matter as coming from students who are an inflammable class easily set on fire, because at Cairo are gathered the future native leaders of Egypt, if they can lead. It shows the rise of the nationalist spirit which is quite one of the phenomena of our time. The most stupendous example of corporate action, so far from smothering, has actually quickened the consciousness of national contribution. But remembering the distressed state of Egypt forty years ago and the way in which British rule has rejuvenated the country and remembering what the famous British rule has given to the Mohammedans (for Cairo is their university centre), the manifesto looks a bit like the pet fastening its teeth in the hand that feeds it.

The viewpoint of a Canadian who has lived for some years in Egypt is given in the following letter written to a friend in Toronto: "You will have read of the continued disturbances here, and I sometimes wonder what it all seems to one who has never been here. To most of us, however, who went through the March revolt and have been in Egypt a little while the apathy and the negligence of the government is appalling and incredible. The whole thing could be stopped, almost, I believe, in one day, and yet the powers that be, sleeping in blissful peace, allow these Bolshevikic outrages to continue, so that public security in the Valley of the Nile is rapidly degenerating to the state in which we found it forty years ago

when the British flag was first unfurled in the ancient land of the Pharaohs. The question naturally arises as to why these things should be. I am convinced it lies in the change of policy or rather the lack of policy which has characterized the administration in Egypt for several years. Instead of governing they attempted to cajole and in their efforts to be loved they are despised.

"The Nationalist question should long ago have been faced and a policy decided upon. If it be for good, then it should have been encouraged and

guided; if it be for ill, then, I say, it should have been put down with an iron rod. There is absolutely no question about it, had the last revolt been properly put down there would be no more trouble in Egypt for fifty years. Now it is difficult to see what the end will be. All this is humanely speaking only, however, and for my own part all that is happening is full of prophetic significance; the spread of lawlessness, the rise of nationalism, and the growing spirit of unbelief tell us in unmistakable language that the coming of our Lord draweth nigh."

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(Concluded.) THE BUYERS' PART.

Now I will turn to another class of Scotchmen who have helped to build up the country, and these are the Buyers, who go once or twice every year to the Old Country to buy Dry Goods principally, but everything in general from a needle to an anchor. That is where the money is made, for as the Scotchman says, "When a thing is bought right it is half sold." These buyers originated about sixty years or more ago—previous to that a few of the large fish merchants imported everything. It was only natural that after serving apprenticeship that many of them had the ambition to start for themselves. They saw the chance to make a progressive movement in the Dry Goods shops. The fishermen wanted a mackintosh instead of his old oil skin, and a cloth cap instead of the old Blinners, but it is the ladies who set the pace for hats and feathers, blouse and hobble skirt, not to speak of lingerie and fur-belows. It is not to be wondered at that the Scotchmen were almost universally selected for this work. Their well-known business instinct for a bargain—their knowledge from childhood of the value of money and the relative value of blankets and cloth, and in fact everything you can mention, especially fitted them for the occasion. It is wonderful what care they took of every penny, or halfpenny, as they liked to call it. They would sooner sign a cheque for two hundred pounds than see a man get an advantage of threepence on them. Here are a few facts of these Scotch buyers—the most of them have passed away to their reward, but there are still a few of them with us.

SOME OF THEM.

Just imagine you were on one of the Allan Liners about forty years ago with Robert Wright, Charlie Henderson, Willie Irwin, John Patrick, Wm. Frew, Harry Blair, Robert Templeton, James Baird, David Baird, John Baird, John McI. Fraser, John Sharpe, W. H. Davidson, Robert Laurie, Alexander Marshall, Alex. Rodger, John Paterson, Victor Travers, James Foster, Robert Palmer, William Duff, Alexander Robertson, C. R. Thomson, Jabez Finlay and John Anderson. I would like to give a complete list,

but some one else must help me. What a galaxy of names we have here, and what memories will it not bring up to many who have travelled with them! There never was a jollier, heartier, good-natured crowd to be found anywhere. They took charge of steamers and hotels wherever they went, and well did they know the value of the thousands of pounds that were behind them. A buyer has a privilege of speaking his mind. How they helped each other was a big word (I mean when he did not come into direct competition with his own little shop at home). What tender care they took of the sick passengers, and what concern it was to them if they saw any young chap going astray! How is it possible to make any special mention of these worthy names; but I think every one of them would say Sandy Marshall—as they loved to call him—was the keenest buyer among the whole lot, and I am safe in saying his son, the courteous and broad-minded Charlie has followed in the footsteps of his honored sire. Trace Alex. Marshall's career from its humble beginning, step by step, setting one firm after another on its legs, and then amassing wealth for himself. He had a long and level head. The King Maker, they called him in politics, but he never remained with any political party very long. When any greed, graft or boodler started up, he denounced the perpetrators whether they were friend or foe. Then there was John Paterson, of Harbor Grace, father of Dr. Paterson, who worked his way as boy and man to a most honorable place in that community. He took charge of the Kirk—and every Scotchman who went to Conception Bay—and has left a name never to be forgotten.

MEMORIES OF BAY SCOTCHMEN.

Wm. Duff, in Carbonear, was born near the historic battlefield of Bannockburn, and was of the real right sort. He had the warm hand for everyone, whether they saw alike in politics or religion, as long as he knew that a man was honest and upright. When the House of Assembly passed a Resolution of Sympathy to his family, they did honor to themselves in remembering a colleague of many years. Between fifty and seventy years ago there were many Scotchmen went to Harbor Grace. The firm of George, Henry and Andrew Rutherford brought many of them, and afterwards Paterson & Foster brought more. Here are a few of them still well remembered: John Brunless, Tom and Will Henderson, James Jarvis, Hugh Yondall, Dick Rutherford, Wark, John Syme, (who afterwards moved to St. John's as General Manager of J. & W. Stewart), John Cairns, Thomas Cairns, James Cron, Neil Stewart, Longwill, Taylor, Morrison, Monroe and many others. There was quite a few gathered around John Munn & Co.'s employ. Who can forget Dan Fletcher, James Coates, Capt. Cunningham, Capt. Fisher, and afterwards his son Peter, also Walter Beatty and others. There were old Dr. Allan and Dr. Dav, cousins from near Edinburgh, and friends of every person, rich and poor. I reserve John Irving Roddick for the last, the schoolmaster par excellence, one of the greatest Scotchmen that ever came to Newfoundland. How proud I feel in saying I was a pupil of his. It makes me feel that I can hold up my head

with the best in the land. What a lover of Scotland was my old Dominie, and what a ring he gave in that dear old voice of his when he would tell us he was born in the Royal town of Jedburgh!

SIC TRANSIT GLORIA MUNDI.

How times have changed in Newfoundland since I went to school—that famous Grammar School. If I only possessed the ability to retain all he endeavored to teach me! In those days it was one of the celebrated topics of conversation to discuss about that famous Scotchman, W. E. Cormack, who was the first white man to cross Newfoundland. What took him nearly three months' walking from Random Sound to St. George's Bay, can now be traversed easily in a day. It was in 1822 he determined upon exploring the interior of the Island, which was totally unknown, and supposed to be occupied by the Red Indians, in whom he was greatly interested. The Government was opposed to this project, and prevailed an official from going as a companion with him. Cormack writes: "I could not add to my party either by hiring or obtaining a volunteer." This hardy Scotchman was not to be balked in his enterprise, and embarked with a Micmac Indian only. He endured many hardships, but his diary is optimistic in the extreme for the future of Newfoundland, as a contrast to the conjectures entertained by others. Near Bay St. George he christened the Jamieson Mountains and Jamieson Lake after a Professor in Edinburgh. As is usual with Scotchmen he was always looking out for some of the clan, and mentions that there were none on the coast west of Harbor Breton, but in Placentia there lived an interesting old Scotchman, Josiah Blackburn, who was the magistrate and patriarch of the place.

SCOTCH EXPLORERS.

I must mention another explorer, J. A. McLean, who was the first to visit the Grand Falls on the Hamilton River, Labrador, that rivals Niagara in grandeur. There were many Scotchmen connected with the Hudson Bay Company on Labrador, but Sir Donald Smith, afterwards Lord Strathcona, who lived for thirteen years at Rigolet, was looked on as a Newfoundland, and should come in for an eulogy, but has received so many that I need only say that he is not forgotten in our list of worthy men from the Land of Brown Heather. Then there was Captain Buchanan in 1810, who made those very interesting expeditions for the Government up the Exploits River to try and open negotiations with the Beothic Indians. He did his work well, and leaves a diary of remarkable interest. The Government was too late in taking up this work, but I am pleased to note the fact that a Scotchman was selected for this in-

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About eighty years ago James Sharpe lived in Harbor Grace. He came from Dunfermline, and held a position connected with the Court House. A book of his poems was printed, but unfortunately not a copy can be found to-day. I can repeat snatches of many, but probably the most important poem was the description of a celebrated dinner held at Brigus. He brings in a verse or more from each of the persons present, and as they were all important men, the poem of fifty verses made quite a hit, and was often repeated. I have a copy. The poem describes a controversy between two other Scotchmen present, Robert Brown and Dr. Doble, who were rivals for the beautiful Miss Danson. It was a sumptuous dinner, and the guests were probably warmed up with refreshments for which Brigus was famous at that time. The controversy led to a duel being arranged for the following morning. While they are getting ready, Dr. Doble pens a good-bye letter to Miss Danson, and this verse is still often used when St. Valentine's Day comes round:
"Oh! Julia, lovely-Julia dear,
This ink is mingled with a tear,
To think that we so soon must part
Is worse than life's blood from my heart."

Needless to say the duel never came off, but every person heard of it, and Dr. Doble made the amende honorable by at once proposing to Miss Danson, and she happily accepted him. It will be a surprise to many to know that the wild young harum-scarum Robert Brown, who, Sharpe says, was breaking the hearts of other young ladies at the time, was the same Robert Brown, who was afterwards selected by the staid merchants of St. John's as Manager of the Commercial Bank, which he founded, and conducted most successfully till the day of his death, many years afterwards. Sharpe's poetry was mostly satire, mixed with facts, and he was probably having a good hit at his two brother Scots.

SCOTCH BISCUITS MINUS WHISKY.

There are so many Scotchmen who made names for themselves that it is impossible for me to name them all, but who will forget Gilbert Brown, the founder of the most successful Biscuit Bakery in Newfoundland. Who did more for temperance than the late Hon. J. J. Rogerson, and it was his Scotch blood that brought him through the fight. Who will forget Dr. Carson, the Father of Agriculture and Responsible Government? There was Dr. Anderson, the noted surgeon of Heart's Content and Brigus, and father of the genial Dr. Tom of this city. There were Dr. Forbes, of Bonaville. Dr. Scott, Dr. McKen and many others. Talk about Druggists; who was the founder of this profession but Thomas McMurdo and his worthy successor, John McNeill. The trade of engineers belonged almost entirely to Scotchmen—Sandy Brown, Ledingham, Carson, McLaughlin, McFarlane, Koppie, Watson, Ross, Henderson, and others. When we mention the Reid Nid. Co., let us not forget Crawford, the buyer for that immense concern. When we talk of journalism, who will forget Munn, of Harbor Grace, who made the "Standard" what it is to-day, one of the best conducted papers in the country.

SCOTCHMEN IN PROFESSIONS.

Scotchmen have taken such a prominent place in politics whenever any important crisis was at stake, that it deserves an article of its own to mention them in that sphere. Then there were the Ministers and Schoolmasters that the clergy only can do justice to, so I will skip them with the mention of those honored names of Fraser, McRae, Graham, McNab, Robertson, Paterson, Sutherland, Muir, McNeill and others. It was Robert Stott who made the Scotch School, as it was called, the chief seat of education in St. John's for many years. His brothers James and David are with us to-day. Mr. Stott was an M.A. of Aberdeen University.

AND IN THE CUSTOM HOUSE.

Now for a few words about the all-powerful institution which furnishes the sinews of war to run the whole Government. It was started by a Scotchman named Hamilton, but he did not remain long. It is said of him that he found the people so disagreeable and adverse to paying duties that he left the country in disgust. In the year 1768, another Scotchman, Alexander Dunn, from Aberdeen, took up the post of tax-gatherer, and from his exertions they now collect millions of dollars yearly from the hard-working population of the Island.

MINING.

This same Alexander Dunn, about 1770, started the first mine that I have any record of in Newfoundland. He got the Earl of Galloway and another Scotchman, Vance Agnew, interested in a copper mine at Shoal Bay, about fifteen miles from St. John's. It was worked for two years, one shaft at sea level, and the other fifty feet up the cliff. The richest vein took a lead under the sea, but owing to the difficulty of keeping the mine dry it had to be abandoned after the expenditure of £10,000. Smith McKay gave mining another great

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impetus in 1864 when he discovered the great Tilt Cove Mine. The Geological Survey was commenced by another Scotchman, Alexander Murray, who organized the Department, which was ably carried out for many years by his successor, James P. Howley, F.R.G.S.

SCOTCH VICE-REGENTS.

I could tell you about Governors who were Scotchmen, and made a record for themselves in Newfoundland, but the following will be sufficient for the present. There was Sir Thomas Cochrane, in 1823, whose name will never be forgotten. Governor Duff, in 1775, kept the French within their limits. Governor Montague, the next year, turned the whole French population out of St. Pierre. I could tell about a number of others, but we had a good example in recent years of Governor McGregor. He thrashed out every question on its merits, and it would have been a grand thing for the country if every Governor had taken the same practical interest in our welfare as he did.

SCOTCH WARRIORS.

The last fight on Signal Hill, over 150 years ago, when the French were driven from St. John's, was the result of good hard fighting by three regiments of Scotchmen—the Fraser Highlanders, the Royal Scots and the Montgomery Highlanders which are well worth an extended notice. I would like to tell about the sports-

Church 1200 Years Old

DISCOVERED IN ENGLAND.

A most interesting discovery has been made in St. Alban's Church, Worcester, the chief popular distinction of which is that it contains an old wooden pulpit from which High Latimer, when Bishop of Worcester, preached. In the course of restoration the removal of plaster in the interior has revealed stonework which archaeologists believe to be remains of the original church which was built more than 1,200 years ago by St. Egwin, who was Bishop of Worcester from 693 to 717. The discoveries include single stone lintels over a doorway and a window of a type that is said to have preceded the use of arches. The discoveries entitle the church to rank as one of the earliest monuments of English Christianity. Historical records have proved that as long ago as 1092 St. Wulstan, the Bishop, had to call in the antiquarians of his time to consider the claim of the church to be the oldest in the city.

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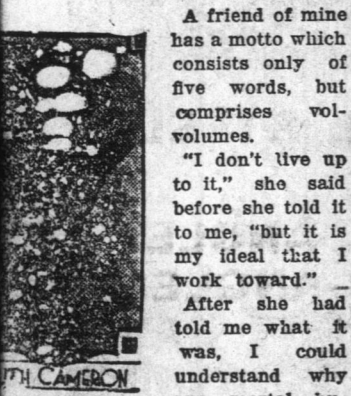
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DO YOU WANT A MOTTO?



A friend of mine has a motto which consists only of five words, but comprises volumes. "I don't live up to it," she said before she told it to me, "but it is my ideal that I work toward."

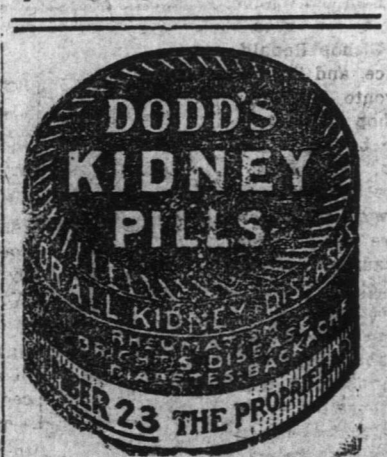
The Machine That Consumes Its Own Smoke. For just as the machine that consumes its own smoke, makes the atmosphere in its vicinity much more endurable and produces that much more energy, so the human machine that consumes its own smoke of grumbling and criticism, makes the atmosphere infinitely pleasanter and creates more energy for better use.

Clubs often write and ask me for a motto. I hereby recommend this one to them. True it is, but its nature more an individual than a collective motto; but just think what a joy in the community a collection of individuals who were determined never to complain nor criticize, would be.

I do not know the members of such a club would need to wear any badge to set them apart from other folks, do you?

How It Started.

(From the Springfield Republican.) With the death of Sir William Osler the old story that he advocated chloroforming men at sixty is being repeated in its original unqualified form. It is worth repeating that in the speech which gave rise to the sensational story he referred jocosely to "the admirable scheme" in Anthony Trollope's novel "The Mixed Period" "of a college into which at sixty men retired for a year of contemplation before a peaceful departure by chloroform," and speculated on what the effect would have been upon human progress.



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Milestones.

One of the many curious effects of the war was the way it put news into cold storage. Almost every day that passes, in England as elsewhere, some story or other is gaining publicity and is being eagerly read and discussed, which if peace had reigned instead of war during the past five years, would have long since been forgotten in the back files of the newspapers. Thus Major Hesketh-Pritchard, one time famous as a cricketer, and now famous as a soldier, has been pouring out news as to the many ingenious devices resorted to at the front in establishing an observation post. There is for instance the case of the milestone. It stood on the summit of a little ridge at the cross roads, between the two front line trenches. The French photographed the milestone, had a facsimile made of it in thin steel with a gauze-covered observation hole, and successfully changed the real thing for a dummy by night; in this way gaining a perfect observation post in the centre of no-man's-land. Thus some milestones even have greatness thrust upon them.

BETTER DAYS.



W. H. MARCH

A better time is coming — I am quite sure of this — when you will see me thrumming my lyre in perfect bliss; the Reds, who claim attention, will be too scarce to mention, the serpent of dissen- sion will be too weak to hiss. We all are growing saner with every passing day; the evidence grows plainer that pipe dreams fade away; and soon we'll stand and wonder why in the name of thunder we tried to tear asunder the things that ought to stay. You'll see us backward gazing and viewing, with a tear, our antics most amazing, in one unholy year, when we were all demented, distraught and discontented, and every day invented new kinds of doubt and fear. And, on the heights of reason, we'll mutter, "Can it be, that through one godless season no dome from bats was free? O, can it be we wanted, and clamored to have planted in this fair land enchanted, fake kinds of liberty?" Slow, slow has been the waking from wild and bughouse dreams, but now the morn is breaking, and sunlight on us streams; and as the morn advances we'll come forth from our trances, while yet our eagle prances and fills the air with screams.

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The Home Voice.

Have you ever noticed the close relationship between the home voice and the home atmosphere. And as the atmosphere is the sensitive tangible thing, it is affected by the voice, not the voice by the atmosphere. If the head of the house, whether it be the husband or the wife, has a whining voice, the atmosphere of that home is apt to be depressed. Everything is limp, so to speak, and spineless. Even the draperies hang in dejected folds. Nothing ever is right or bright or cherry. The home is a centre of complaints.

In the home where the dominant voice is gruff or surly, an atmosphere of antagonism seems to prevail. Nobody seems to want to do what he ought to do. His manner implies a protest, a sulky compliance. Take again the patronizing voice in the home of the cherry-voiced mistress! Her voice rings with hope, with good nature. Energy, life, movement are expressed in it. You feel that the day's work in that house swings along merrily. You feel that it is done thoroughly, done systematically, done happily.

And all this is no mere fancy. The voice is expressive of the mental state; and the mental state of the dominant member of the family does affect the home atmosphere. A woman may wonder why her home does not seem bright and happy. She may be conscientiously trying to manage it right, and yet all the time she may be affecting it by this voice of her inner self.

Listen, some time, to your voice as if it were the voice of a stranger, and criticize it just as impartially.

Service.

Did you ever read the "Book of Kings"—Ecclesiastes — written by Solomon, the wisest, richest and most powerful man of Biblical times, keeping in mind that it is the story of a man searching for happiness? Try it, if you haven't. There was a man who had but to raise his hand in token of a wish and that wish would be fulfilled if it were physically possible. And yet he was the unhappiest of men. He tried pleasure, labor, the attainment of knowledge, etc., only to find them of no avail in bringing happiness to his heart. Then he turned to the helping of others and found there to the true happiness which had eluded him in all other trails. It is true to-day as it was in Solomon's time—the only real happiness is in service to your fellowmen.—Omaha News.

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By Bud Fisher.





Evening Telegram
 W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
 C. T. JAMES, Editor
 Saturday, January 24, 1920.

THE VERDICT!

Perhaps no election verdict has ever created such a sensation and surprise as that rendered by the District of St. John's West on Thursday. The issues upon which the campaign was fought were so antagonistic and hostile to the best interests of the city, that but very few persons were sanguine that the Government representatives would receive a majority of the votes polled. That such, however, proved to be the case is incontrovertible, the electorate increasing the majorities given Hons. R. A. Squires and H. J. Brownrigg in the November elections, and in such a substantial way that there is no doubt whatever of the willingness of St. John's West to accept Coakerism and all that it stands for. The plain, outspoken sentiment of the Capital, in so far as its Western section is concerned, has been wholly in favor of the policy of destruction, to which the present Government is pledged, and to which it has committed itself. The fruits of the endorsement of such a policy will be ready for plucking ere long.

But the people have spoken, and their verdict is final. Whatever may happen in future, be it for weal or woe, has received the sanction of the electorate by a vote which there is no mistaking. A blank cheque has been given the Government,—one which they may fill in at leisure, and when that cheque is completed and presented for payment, the people of Newfoundland will stand aghast at the sum of its amount. They have, however, committed themselves to meet it, through the District of St. John's West, and whether or not it will bankrupt them remains to be seen. The draft on the future has been signed, but no man knows the figure to be received by the payee, but if St. John's West is perfectly satisfied—and it appears that it is—why should the other districts complain? There is no doubting the sentiment in favor of the Coaker-Squires Government. St. John's West has placed itself on record as being consistently favorable to the administration of the day, and who can gainsay or protest the verdict rendered last fall and now confirmed by the power of a greater majority.

It were idle to analyze the

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vote in an effort to determine just where, when or how it fell short of that which was expected. The pronouncement has been made, the voice of the people has been heard and there is no uncertainty about the sound thereof. That the popular mind had been made up long before polling day, there is ample evidence to prove, all of which goes to show that sentiment is a very deceptive basis upon which to build calculations. The trial has been held, and the jury has turned in its verdict. From it there is no appeal until four years have expired, and things may happen in that period which may cause St. John's West to put on sackcloth and ashes, in an act of penitence for its decision of January twenty-second.

The Count.

Bigger interest and anticipation were manifested yesterday by both political parties and their supporters in the bye-election count for St. John's West, which began really about 6 o'clock, though the preliminary checking and general counting of the ballots opened at 9 in the morning. The total vote polled in the district was 4924, an increase of about one hundred over that registered in November. Early in the general count a dispute occurred over the Kilbride ballot box, the Deputy Returning Officer, apparently not thoroughly acquainted with his duties, numbered as well as initialed the ballots, and it was claimed by the Government candidates that this placing on them of a number in addition to the official figures brought them within the category of spoiled ballots and demanded that they should not be counted. The point was argued for a long while before the Returning Officer by Mr. Warren for Messrs. Squires and Brownrigg, and Mr. Fox for Messrs. Martin and Linegar, and ultimately it was decided they should be counted, though a protest was entered by the Government candidates. Subsequent to the settling of this point, the actual enumeration began, and up to the counting of the 22nd hundred ballot paper, the votes were so even, and running so nearly together that it was anybody's victory. After that a lead set in for Messrs. Squires and Brownrigg which was steadily maintained until the close, the final figures being:

Squires (G.)	2616
Brownrigg (G.)	2594
Martin (O.)	2267
Linegar (O.)	2223

and the poll was so declared.

Posting the Count.

Johnson the Baker, is to be congratulated upon the manner in which he kept the people of the East End posted as the different counts were given out by the Returning Officer last night. So efficient was his service that often the figures were known in the East End before they were put up at the Post Office.

General Holiday.

Monday next, 26th inst., having been set apart by proclamation as a Day of General Thanksgiving for this Dominion, a whole holiday will be observed. The Telegram will not be published.

Boy Scouts.

The Gower Street Troop had quite a demonstration this week, and a fine meeting opened with Roll Call, to which a big number responded. Subsequently the Cubs were practised in physical drill, signalling and road signs. Forty-five Cubs were present and the best of order was kept up until the custumer challenged any of the Cubs to mortal combat, and then a very lively time ensued for some 15 minutes. On Sunday the Wolf Cubs meet in the Methodist College Hall for attendance at Divine Service in Gower Street Church. A good turnout is expected. The Boy Scout Band will also attend. Next week, the delayed inspection will, if everything is arranged, come off.

Shipping Notes.

The S. S. Meigle is coaling from the S. E. Croyley.
 Schooner Dorothy Delita arrived at Grand Bank yesterday, all well.
 S. E. Clide bunkered from the Croyley this morning and then hailed to the dock premises to discharge her cargo.
 The Furness Tug Mouton which left here yesterday morning returned this morning from Bay Bulls, bringing a load of codfish for transhipment.
 There has been no word received from the Prospero since yesterday afternoon, when the captain wirelessed that his ship was jammed about 2 miles off Long Point, near Twillingate.
AT THE CROSBIE.—The following guests have registered at the Crosbie:—F. J. Dunn, Hr. Grace; Miss McRae, Hr. Grace; F. McRae, Hr. Grace.

To-day's Messages.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS.
 PARIS, Jan. 24.
 Earth shocks along the coast of the Sea of Marmora are reported from Constantinople.

ASQUITH'S CONDEMNATION.
 LONDON, Jan. 24.
 At Cambridge, last night, H. H. Asquith severely criticised the Coalition Government's zig-zag Russian policy of compromises, improvisations, insincerity and inconsistencies. He said, a large community, such as Russia, must for good or ill decide its own form of government. The heaviest indictment against the peace conference, Mr. Asquith declared, that while it was repairing maps and distributing everywhere among its late enemies intolerable and impossible burdens, it made no serious or sustained effort to secure the foundation or possibility of peace with Russia.

FIELD NOT BEEG.
 NEW YORK, Jan. 23.
 An iceberg near Cape Race, forced the Swedish American liner, Stockholm, which arrived here from Sweden, more than 20 miles out of her course during her voyage. That this is an indication of an early spring, as flocks of the size of those sighted do not under normal conditions, drift so far south until late in February, is the opinion of the vessel's skipper, Captain Nannsen.

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Supreme Court.

(In Admiralty: Before Chief Justice.)
Snelgrove and Others vs. Ship Margaret Mahaffey.
 The evidence of defendant witness was taken by consent of the parties. A number of witnesses were examined and the case was postponed sine die.
 This was a case of collision in the harbor. Messrs. Blackwood & Emerson for plaintiff; Hunt for defendant.

CIVIL COURT.

A citizen charged with having a dangerous chimney in his house was ordered to have it cased with metal and a concrete foundation placed at the bottom.

McMurdo's Store News.

SATURDAY, Jan. 24.
 Too late for Christmas indeed, but not too late for those who want these things, a shipment of genuine ivory backed hair cloth and hair brushes have come to hand, some of the neatest things of the kind we have got hold of lately, good solid real ebony backs, and new live hair, really first class articles—at your service.
 Also a limited consignment of Pip-In Ivory Mirrors and Baby Toilet Sets which are well worth looking at.

Here and There.

Mrs. T. P. Halley will be "At Home" on January 29th and 30th insts. at No. 117 Hamilton Street.—Jan 24, 11

SHORTAGE OF FIREWOOD.—Owing to heavy snowfalls, people living in the nearby settlements cannot get in the woods to procure firing. A fleet of teams from Torbay and Pouch Cove are in town to-day getting coal supplies.

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NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moyst, of Beaumont Street, desire to express their sincere thanks to all those who aided and sympathized with them during their little boy's Louie's illness and death, especially Mr. and Mrs. Frank Penney, Mrs. John Moyst, and Mrs. J. Mitchell.

Under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Harris, the Great War Veteran's Association will hold a Dance on Thursday, January 29th, to celebrate the grand opening of their new Club Rooms. Dancing at 9 p.m. Tickets for sale at Peddler's Ice Cream Parlour, J. J. Strong, Veteran's Cantina, Water Street; also from the ladies of the Executive Committee. Tickets: Lady's, \$1.00; Gent's, \$1.50; Double, \$2.00.—Jan 22, 21

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Heavy wool lining, waterproof cloth, wind-proof cuffs to sleeves, fur collar. Just the thing for men exposed to severe weather,
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Here and There.

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CORRECTION.—The subject of Dr. Jones' Sermon to-morrow evening at St. Thomas's Church will be "The use and abuse of the Lord's Day," not "The Parable of the Pharisee and the Publican," as stated elsewhere in our columns.

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Sir Edgar Bowring Ships War Relics and Trophies to Nfld.

The appended letter from Sir Edgar Bowring, High Commissioner of Newfoundland in England, to H. F. Shortis Esq., historiographer at the Museum, proves the interest taken by the writer in all things which the Dominion is concerned. The bulk and variety of the war relics and trophies as enumerated in the letter, will be appreciated by every person who desires to see Newfoundland receive its share of participation in the captured and surrendered war material of Germany. The communication follows:

Eight Commissioner's Offices,
55 Victoria Street,
Westminister, S.W.1,
1st January, 1920.

Dear Mr. Shortis.—With further reference to your letter of November 21st, I have today received from the War Office that the following trophies are available for distribution to the Dominion of Newfoundland, and accordingly I have cabled to the Government stating that they will be sent forward by first opportunity:—

- 2 heavy guns.
- 2 howitzers.
- 20 trench mortars.
- 20 granatenwerfers.
- 20 machine gun belt fillers.
- 50 illuminated pistols.
- 100 rifles.
- 100 bayonets.
- 20 wire cutters.
- 100 helmets.
- 50 shell cases.

These trophies should form a useful addition to the war relics of the Dominion and will serve to keep fresh in our memories the gallant deeds of Newfoundland's historic Regiment.

With reference to the old banners, referred to in your letter, of the Newfoundland Companies of long ago, I have received from the Dean of Jersey whose address is at St. Helier's Rectory, a communication to the effect that he has made enquiries at my request and has received the following letter showing the circumstances in which the colours of the Newfoundland Fencible Regiment happen to be in the possession of the Church Authorities in the Channel Islands:—

"I can quite imagine your anxiety on receiving the demand for the surrender of your flags. But let me quickly reassure you. The present guardians of the flags referred to are the Rector and authorities of St. Brelade. The colours of the Newfoundland Fencible Regiment are on the East wall of St. Brelade's Church and were placed there on the 14th September, 1882. They were handed over to the keeping of the Rector and Wardens by Major-General P. G. Phipps, a nephew of Major Elias Phipps, who commanded the Regiment. It would appear that this Regiment was disbanded or converted into the 'Newfoundland Companies' early in the 18th Century and as was very often the case, the old colours became the property of the Commanding Officer. Elias Phipps was born at Noirmout in 1772 and had a commission in the 63rd Regiment; and afterwards commanded this Newfoundland Regiment. After the peace he came to Jersey and lived at 'Blanc Pignon.' He died in 1842."

I have also made enquiries concerning the other banner that you spoke of at St. Mary's Redcliff Cathedral in Bristol, but so far have not had any reply.

I shall write to you again when there is anything fresh to tell. Meanwhile I would be glad to have your comments on the letter above quoted, at your convenience.

With the Compliments of the Season,

I remain,
Yours faithfully,
EDGAR R. BOWRING,
High Commissioner for Nfld.
H. F. Shortis, Esq.,
Secretary, Nfld. Historical Society,
St. John's Newfoundland.

The Inter-Church and Methodist National Campaign.

The uniting Churches engaged in the great Inter-Church Campaign throughout the Dominion of Canada, are becoming conscious of a deep, and intense spiritual awakening.

From all the Churches, the universal testimony is that the agencies within each communion, have received inspiration and impetus, that could come in no other way than by spiritual enrichment in answer to prayer.

From Halifax to Vancouver, very encouraging reports are being received at Headquarters, concerning the awakening of the Churches to aggressive work, and to the realization on the part of the Ministers and members of rich fellowship, that not long ago seemed to be impossible in the extension of Christ's Kingdom among men. The following quotations from Pamphlet No. 3, of the Campaign Literature, are apropos:—"The Inter-Church Movement had its birth in a deep sense of need. The churches have been made aware of enormous tasks. We write with a deep sense of responsibility when we state, that in our judgment, never has the challenge to the church been more imperative. Never has the opportunity been greater than to-day. Are our resources adequate? Can we confront the world situation eagerly and confidently with an assured and joyful faith that we have in Christ the answer to its problems, the sure remedy for its woes?"

Equally fitting are the following extracts taken from Pamphlet No. 6:—"The watchword for the whole church is 'forward,' and the command from divine and human leadership is 'Advance all along the line.' This campaign will succeed in the truest sense, as it gives us all a larger faith in the God who hears prayer, and a more honest practice of the life of prayer. 'If our church is to accomplish the great undertaking to which Christ and the world are calling her, first she must face the facts in a spirit of supreme consecration; second, thousands of trained leaders and workers must be recruited; millions of money must be secured.' Again quoting from Pamphlet No. 3, 'The Call of the Cross,' 'The thing which hath been is the thing that shall be.' The one false word in life is Ichabod. The glory is not departed. Christ is calling us to a new life; if we are faithful to Him we shall help to save the world from a social order that breeds despair, and to make the church more centred in the New Era, than legislative council, market place, or school."

Surely the conditions of our own land, political, social, educational and religious, challenge the loyal followers of Jesus Christ, to show their allegiance to him, by seeking, even at the expense of ease, and time, and wealth, to make this land free from all those things that degrade, and demoralize, and weaken her citizens. 'We are called, in this critical hour, to a new commitment to the cause of Christ; to confront, in His name, non-Christian assumptions and principles with a calm but determined assertion of His supremacy; to awaken a new and passionate loyalty in the hearts of our young people to their Lord, so that His standard may be carried by their strong hands into every department of life. Our rallying-cry should be that of the warrior-monks of old, 'Christus Imperator.' M. F.

Shareholders' Annual Meeting.

The shareholders of the White Clothing Co., held their annual meeting in the Board of Trade Rooms yesterday evening. The reports of the year showed the company to be in a flourishing condition. A dividend of 10 per cent. was declared. Last year's directors were re-elected.

Thanksgiving Service.

A united Methodist Thanksgiving service will be held in Gower St. Church on Monday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Bond president of the conference will deliver an address.

Curliana.

The Grainer Cup was played for at the Curling Rink last night by the Blue and Green Divisions, and won by the former by a score of 62 to 48 points. The scores were as follows:

BLUE.	GREEN.
G. B. Tuff	J. J. Mulcahy
W. Harvey	Rev. G. Dickie
J. R. Chalke	F. Crane
H. J. Duder (sk.)	E. J. Rowe
10.	4.
J. B. Mitchell	F. G. House
S. Milley	W. H. Reisle
H. Foster	Dr. Knight
C. F. Taylor (sk.)	W. R. Warren
8.	7.
W. Campbell	J. Cranford
D. Baird	J. Corrick
A. Wilson	S. C. Thomson
A. Robertson (sk.)	W. F. Joyce
15.	10.
Geo. Chalke	J. Corrick
J. J. Mitchell	D. Easton
R. C. Brehm	W. L. Donnelly
A. Hayward (sk.)	J. C. Jardine
10.	7.
T. C. Churchill	J. Cranford
H. Peddigrew	M. G. Winter
G. B. Tuff	J. Baxter
F. V. Chesman (sk.)	T. Winter
6.	10.
S. Kearney	W. M. Butt
C. J. Cox	E. Harvey
J. J. McKay	J. MacFarlane
D. P. Duff (sk.)	W. A. Ellis
13.	10.

Last Night's Hockey.

FELDIANS DEFEAT SAINTS.

Prince's rink last night was crowded with spectators to witness the hockey match between the Feldians and Saints. The game was a splendid exhibition, and every minute of it was enjoyed by those present. The line-up was as follows:—

Feldians.	Saints.
Hunt goal	Forsyth
right defence	E. Munn
Rendell	left defence
left defence	E. Churchill
Winter	right wing
Alderdice	Munn
centre	Robertson
Payne	left wing
Ewing	A. Hennebury

Reid for the Feldians and Clarke and Chafe for the Saints were the substitutes. The goals were scored in the following order:

1st Period.
2 mins. Hennebury (S.), 3 1-2 mins. Alderdice (F.), 10 1-2 mins. Payne, 12 1-2 mins. Hennebury (S.), 15 1-2 mins. Alderdice (F.), Penalties, Reid and L. Munn, 2 mins. each.
2nd Period.
7 mins. L. Munn (S.), 8 mins. Robertson (S.), Penalties, Robertson, Alderdice, Rendell and Munn.
3rd Period.
15 secs. Ewing (F.), 20 secs. Payne (F.), 4 1-2 mins. Chafe (S.), 9 1-2 mins. Reid (F.), 16 mins. Alderdice (F.), Penalties, Munn and Payne. Alderdice and Payne for the Feldians made a great showing, while Hennebury for the Saints, put up a splendid game considering that he is a beginner. Mr. J. Tobin acted as referee. The absence of smoking during the game was a great benefit to the players and it shows that even spectators can be good sports. It is hoped that on the next occasion the same good rule will be observed.

Shipping Notes.

Schooner Samuel Courtney has entered to load codfish from T. H. Carter & Co. for Gibraltar.

The Norwegian steamer Lille which put in here short of coal, continued the run to Philadelphia yesterday.

It is expected the Rosalind will leave New York for here via Halifax on Feb. 1st.

S. S. Neptune is on dock receiving a general overhauling.

S. S. Diana was to leave Change Islands this forenoon with a cargo of fish for this port.

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Regular \$1.30 yard.	Sale Price	\$1.10

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Clyde Arrives.

S. S. Clyde arrived from Heart's Content yesterday morning bringing mails and a large number of passengers. The steamer had a difficult time getting out of the harbor, heavy ice having formed during the recent frosty spurt, and only by repeated butting could she force her way out.

Two Good Rules.

"There are two good rules which ought to be written on every heart: Never believe anything bad about anybody unless you positively know it is true. Never tell even that, unless you feel that it is absolutely necessary, and that God is listening while you tell it."

Henry Van Dyke.

Small Sealing Fleet.

The Trade Review is authority for the statement that only nine ships will prosecute the sealfishery out of St. John's the coming Spring, viz.: Bowring Bros., Ltd.—Eagle, Terra Nova, Ranger and Viking. Job Bros. & Co.—Neptune and Thetis. Baine, Johnston & Co.—Seal. James Baird, Ltd.—Diana. Farquhar.—Sable I.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Gentlemen.—Last winter I received great benefit from the use of MINARD'S LINIMENT in a severe attack of LaGrippe, and I have frequently proved it to be very effective in cases of inflammation.

Yours,
W. A. HUTCHINSON.

W. C. T. U. Meets.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union met in the Ladies' Parlor of Gower St. Church on Thursday evening. Various matters were discussed. On the previous Thursday the members had repaired to the Poor Asylum and given each inmate a bag of fruit, candy and cake. Owing to the death of two of the Union members, a concert was postponed. The W.C.T.U. meets again on Thursday, the 12th of February.

Returns Thanks.

Editor Evening Telegram. Thanks to the unknown person who returned my chain purse after one ad. in your paper last evening.

KATHLEEN THOMSON SULLIVAN,
30 Queen's Rd., City.

Along the Railway.

The incoming train from Carbonar arrived in the city at 6.30 last evening. The out going train reached Carbonar at 9.30 last night. The out going express which left here over a week ago was at Bishop Falls last night. The incoming express stalled at the Gaff Topsails, started east this morning. Work on opening the Plencan line began to-day, and with a few days it is expected the line will be in operation. All the branch lines, with the exception of the line to Carbonar, are blocked.

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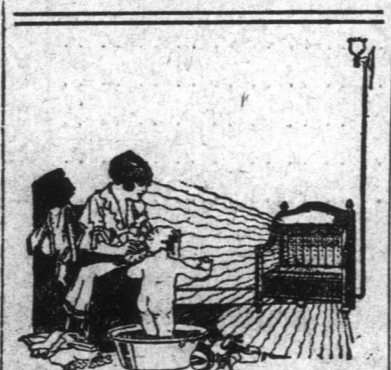
is not heavily scented. Its delicate perfume comes from pure natural ingredients; the difference is important,—it means again that Pears' soap is pure.



Holiday Doings Etc, At Trinity.

On the whole the good people of Trinity, whilst having shared in common with their neighbours, some disagreeable features of early winter, have not been without some of the activities and pleasures which ever make winter days and winter evenings enjoyable. The unusually heavy falls of snow so early in the season have not only interfered with the train service, but they have also provided a stereotyped subject for casual remarks and society conventional conversations. The oldest inhabitant (with his usual defective memory) declares he has not seen so much snow before—at this time of year, and those who have come into town from the adjoining settlements to do their Christmas shopping, have repeated the same abnormal conditions. Hence, it must be true. A few days ago I met one of the old fishermen of Trinity Bight and said to him—"Skipper George, what do you think of the winter, so far?" He replied "Well, parson, I've seen a goodish many, but this one, he's gettin' in his work pretty good—idden'er?" Those of us, however, who lived through the years when Peter Coleman brought the mails from New Perlican once a week in summer, and frequently once in two months in winter, and then often brought it all tied up in his old hand-danna pocket-handkerchief—we, I say, must not put on too many airs now when the mail is twenty-four hours late.

The Christmas and New Year seasons were marked by holy services in church, and by happy gatherings in the homes, and in the Parish Hall. The services (7.30, 11 and 6.30) in St. Paul's (Church of England) were well attended, and in every respect they were faithful witnesses to and reminders of the truth, that spiritual duties have first claims upon Christians on the holy, happy Christmas Day—because of the incarnation of the Son of God. Appropriate services



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were also held on Christmas morning in the Roman Catholic and Methodist churches.

During the evenings of Christmas week the mummings were in evidence, and some very enjoyable dancing parties were held. Mummering, however, like several other customs and amusements of the past, refuses to take its old place in the lives of our people; and that which fifty years ago constituted the staple one hundred per cent. of our people, young and old at Christmas, is now confined to a small percentage of our young people and with doubtful results in respect of enjoyment.

St. Stephen's Day (referred to by some of our people as St. Stephanson's Day) has, for many years been claimed by the Orange Society as its annual day for church parade, social dinner and evening enjoyment. This year the Society, one hundred strong, attended service in the Methodist Church, at which Rev. Mr. Cole was the preacher. The day was stormy, and after the service and dinner in the Parish Hall, it was decided to postpone the dance till the first fine night. This came during the following week and was thoroughly enjoyed. Among the guests of the evening were the Captains and crews of the tern schooners "Frank R. Forsey" and "General Maude," who were in port at the time. They so thoroughly enjoyed themselves, and were so much pleased with the well appointed hall, that in kind recognition they hired the hall for an evening, and invited the public to a dance and light refreshments. A goodly number responded to the kind invitation, and the evening will be remembered as one of the most enjoyable of the season.

The "Frank R. Forsey" has taken over 5000 quintals of fish, and has sailed for a European port. The "General Maude" is discharging salt, and after loading 4000 quintals of fish will follow the "Frank R. Forsey." This salt was consigned to, and the fish was shipped by Messrs. Archibald Christian & Co., who, to-day, are our largest fish buyers in the Bight. It is many years ago since fish was shipped from Trinity to a foreign market at this time of year. The catching, buying, making, and shipping of these cargoes have given profitable employment to several of our men, and we sincerely hope the venture may be in every respect successful to Mr. Christian, and lead on to still greater things in the future.

On Monday, January 5th, the ladies of St. Paul's Guild (Church of England) held their annual tea and sale of work in the Parish Hall. It was an ideal evening. Their stock in trade was all sold at an early hour, and the tea was voted a success. The proceeds have been placed in the Bank as a nest-egg towards a fund for definite church object in the future. This is an annual evidence of what a few faithful women can do, and do year by year, by united, continuous, and unselfish efforts for the good of the whole congregation and parish.

On January 8th the members of the Society of United Fishermen at Trinity, accepted the invitation of their brethren at Trouty to join with them in their annual Church Parade. This took place from the Lodge Rooms to St. Matthew's Church, Trouty, where a special service was held, and lessons from the fishermen's life and calling were taught by the Rector, Rev. Chas. M. Stickings. The church was appropriately decorated for the occasion with fishermen's nets and British flags, and thus, lessons were learnt through the eye as well as through the ear. An excellent dinner and an enjoyable evening followed the service, and every man declared that the other man was a jolly good fellow.

Four cargoes of coal were landed here last fall, and now the coal stores are clean, and only those people who were prudent enough to fill their coal houses early in the season, have enough for early future needs.

Mr. Erickson is installing a private electric-light plant. It will provide him with sixty lights for house and shop, and will prove to be one of his best investments. Mr. Sam. Grant has been successfully operating a private plant for some years and sharing the good results with his neighbours. Other citizens are already making plans to install plants next summer. It is only a matter of a few years when kerosene oil will follow the rain oil and the tallow candle as an illuminant, and will be superseded

by electricity in Trinity. It will be done by small private installments for a while, and then, unless those installments are made powerful enough to supply all our local needs, a company will be formed some day, which, by using the fine water power that has been running to waste at our very doors for so many years, will provide electric power for light, heat, and a dozen other domestic requirements.

Miss Somerton, teacher, and Miss Marie Erickson, and Miss Molly White, pupils at Bishop Spencer College, St. John's, spent Christmas at home in Trinity, and have gone back to study.

On Wednesday, January 14th, the annual business meeting of St. Paul's congregation was held in the Parish Hall. The meeting was well attended. The Warden's financial report showed Synod fees for the year \$1255, the largest amount in the parish history. Thanksgiving offerings for Missionary work, etc., \$575. For church expenses (St. Paul's congregation) \$535. Messrs Samuel Grant and Samuel Hussey were elected Church Wardens and all other necessary arrangements were made for things spiritual and temporal during the coming year.

In the porch of a Parish church in Nova Scotia there is a card with the following words on it:—

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If everybody in this parish was just like me, What kind of a parish would this parish be?

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Prices to suit everyone, also special prices
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A Euphrates Valley.

The Euphrates Valley, we are told, is to be the granary of the world, and this makes the construction of a railway linking it with the Mediterranean an imperative necessity. The difficulties from an engineering point of view are not great. It is hardly realized that from the coast of the Mediterranean at the mouth of the Orontes to the River Euphrates is a distance of but 130 miles, only forty miles of which are more than 1,000 feet above sea level. Thus there need be no tunnels and no heavy

gradients, and once the Euphrates Valley is reached all is comparatively easy, for the ground is as flat as the proverbial pancake.

The distance saved would be immense. Take, for example, the carriage of goods between London and Mosul (Nineveh) or Bagdad. By the present route it works out as: London to Bureh by sea, 6,700 miles; Bureh to Bagdad by rail, 300 miles; Bureh to Mosul by rail, 500 miles. Now, assuming that there will be a railway from Antioch or Alexandretta to Mosul or Bagdad, the distances work out as: London to Alexandretta by sea, 3,400 miles; Alexandretta to

Mosul by proposed rail, 400 miles; Alexandretta to Bagdad by proposed rail, 50 miles. It will be seen at a glance that on the rail journey there is not much to choose either way, but on the sea transport 3,300 miles would be saved, to say nothing of eliminating the cost of the Suez Canal dues.—The Near East.

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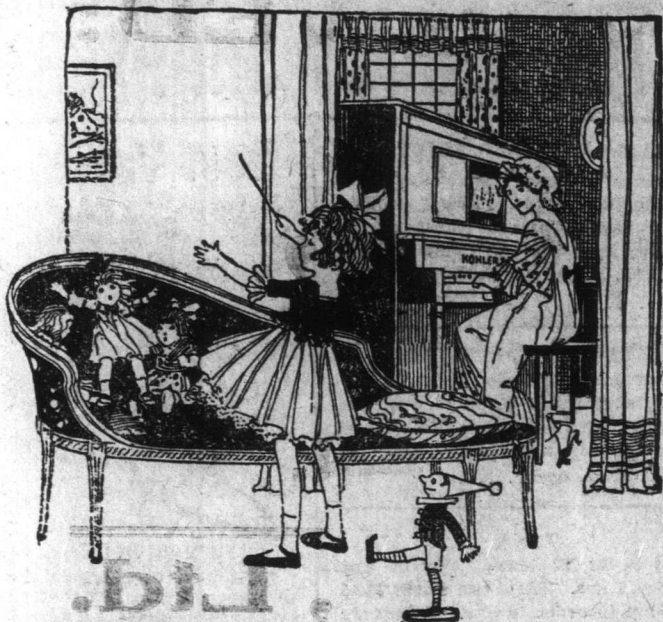
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Refused Allied Demand for Former German Emperor --- Russian Soviet Troops Insolate the Crimea.

CRIMEA CUT OFF.

LONDON, Jan. 23. Russian Soviet forces have virtually cut off the Crimea Peninsula from the mainland, according to an official statement issued at the war office in Moscow and received here by wireless.

TURNED DOWN BOTH PROPOSITIONS.

MELBOURNE, Jan. 23. The referendum of the proposal to increase the legislative powers of the Government in dealing with trade and commerce resulted in 924,000 votes against the proposal and 911,000 in favor of it. An additional referendum of the question of the nationalisation of monopolies resulted in a vote of 589,000 against and 514,000 in favor of the proposal.

WHAT NOW?

THE HAGUE, Jan. 23. The Dutch Government has refused the demand of the Allies for the extradition of former Emperor William of Germany.

HOLLAND'S REPLY.

LONDON, Jan. 23. Holland's reply to the Entente demand for the extradition of Emperor William declares that she cannot be bound by a peace treaty to which she is not a party, it is learned here. Neither the Dutch constitution nor tradition will permit of her acceding to the demand of the Allied powers' note; it sets forth. National honor the reply declares, does not permit the betrayal of confidence of those who entrusted themselves to Holland and her free institution.

BOLSHEVIKI FORCED BACK.

LONDON, Jan. 23. The War Office announces that on the center and left fronts of the Caucasus army the Bolsheviki have been forced back from the line of the Sal River astride the Tsart-Tsuno-Kafarino-Dar railroad. Further west the Bolsheviki have made repeated attempts to cross the Don east of Rostov and have succeeded in establishing small bridgeheads on the left bank at two places.

CANADIAN G. W. Y. A. FAVOURS PROPORTIONATE REPRESENTATION.

OTTAWA, Jan. 23. Unanimously favoring the principle of proportionate representation, the members of the Dominion executive of the Great War Veterans' Association

at the last session of their conference here passed the following resolution:— "That this Association endorse the principle of proportionate representation for the proper reflection of public opinion and that the Prime Minister of Canada be requested to summon a speakers conference, similar to one which met in Great Britain in 1917, to discuss this matter and report its findings to the House of Commons at the earliest possible date.

BERLIN NOT ASKED.

LONDON, Jan. 23. A wireless despatch from Berlin discredits the report that the Entente is asking the German Government to support its demand for the extradition of the former Emperor William. It adds the general opinion is that the Government would be unable to comply with such a request by the Entente without the authority of the Assembly, a majority of which would oppose it as an act of revenge.

AERIAL MAIL SERVICE ESTABLISHED.

ROME, Jan. 23. An aerial postal service will be put into operation to-day between Rome, Pisa and Milan with airplanes, and between Milan and Turin and Milan and Venice with dirigibles.

TURKISH RESIGNATIONS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 23. D. Jemal Pasha, Minister of War, and Chief of Staff, have resigned. The resignation of the entire cabinet is expected.

STEAMER IN TROUBLE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23. The U. S. Shipping Board steamer May Port struck a reef in the Caribbean Sea about 200 miles north of the Panama Canal and is in need of assistance, according to a wireless message received here to-night from Balboa, Panama.

Wanted—A Poker-Playing Pastor.

Many unusual advertisements have found their place in the paper from time to time, says the New York "Post," but perhaps none of them can claim precedence over a recent one which reads: "Wanted a minister of the gospel for Athapuskow camp. Must be good poker player. No nambypamby dude preachers need apply."

The best part of it is that the profession has not been seen to hold up its hands in horror at the implication, but on the contrary a young Presbyterian minister has come forward who believes that he can fill the bill. He is undaunted by further details sent out by the copper miners of northern Manitoba to the effect that they want a "he-man, who wears a mackinaw jacket and stuffs his pants in his boots, can paddle a canoe, play a good game of poker and give a good account of himself in a knock-down and drag-out row."

Rev. R. Arthur Basham of Columbus, O., possessed of most of these rare accomplishments and ready to perfect himself wherever he is not yet adept, said that he would rather "be a Santa Claus to the bunch of miners in that Canadian copper camp than a minister to all the elders of Christendom," and that he did not think the church would fall to supply the kind of preacher wanted. As a circuit rider in northern Manitoba before he went to France as a Y.M.C.A. worker, he had opportunity to know the country well. He can tell stories of times when he had to leave his sled and run on the snow behind the dogs to keep from freezing to death, and he says that one of the happiest recollections of his life is of meeting in the North Country with a Cornell graduate turned derelict. "Mouy a night I have



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Old Turkish towels make fine wash-rags.
Save your butter papers to grease baking tins.
An egg is fresh when it will whip or poach well.
Codfish cakes are best made with fresh boiled potatoes.
A novel salad is a Danish one, made of herring and beets.
Roller shades of printed chintz are best for the sun-parlor.
Never fail to wash poultry before it is prepared for the table.
Beans will take the place of meat for two meals in each week.
For large steamed puddings it is best to use a tube shaped mold.
Borax or ammonia can be used to soften hard water for bathing.
Discarded hot water bottles should be cut up for sink mats.
Odd bits or fermented fruit juices can be put into the vinegar jug.
Apricots and prunes dried together are an agreeable change.
Outside stalks and roots of celery should always be saved for soup.
The longer mince meat is made before using, the better its flavor.
Spirits of Nitre applied to a fever blister will check its development.
Remember that roasted coffee berries are already thoroughly cooked.
Lima beans are delicious when baked in the same way as soup beans.
Crackling corn-bread is more wholesome in cold weather than warm.
Hard-boiled eggs, sliced thin, may be served on slices of bologna sausage.
Very white flour is not so good as that which has a slightly golden color.

Where Antiquity Still Lives.

(From East and West News.)
"The South Sea Islands, over which Japan will assume a mandate under the Treaty of Versailles, are the Rome of races who are still living lives that our ancestors lived twenty-five centuries ago," says the Herald of Asia. "No civilization has yet desecrated their pristine innocence, or savagery, if you like. Not that there are political or social barriers to keep you out of those islands, but nature has closed them against the invasion of civilization. The islands are so densely wooded, trees growing far out into the sea, where shoals form approaches to open them up except at enormous labor and expense, which are simply forbidding. It would be an egregious mistake to attempt to import Japanese laborers who cannot work in a tropical climate."

Stafford's GINGER WINE for sale in each end; at J. J. St. John's, Duckworth St., and U. Gosse, Plymouth Road.—Dec 20, 1919

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HAVE ONE OF THESE FELT HATS?
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FRIDAY and SATURDAY,

Charles Rae in

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Also, a Western Drama in 2 parts--2, entitled

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And a Laughable Comedy, "THE OVERWORKED OVERSEER."

MAJESTIC THEATRE

LONDON GOSSIP.

LONDON, Dec. 24.
A DISAPPOINTED MINISTER.

At five minutes past four on the afternoon of that day recently which had been set aside by a learned professor apparently for the end of the world to happen, I met a Cabinet Minister looking the picture of dejection. "Well, it has not happened after all," he muttered in a doleful voice. "What has not happened?" I asked. "The end of the world," he replied, "and it would have got the Government out of all its troubles."

GERMAN WINES IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Members of Parliament have during the last week had the opportunity of renewing acquaintance with their favorite German wine, a consignment having arrived in response to a request made by members to the chairman of the Kitchen Committee. The best of the wine was not older than 1915, and most of it was only two years old, whereas the usual period is eight to ten years. Owing to the rate of exchange the German wine is slightly cheaper than the French liquor, but not cheap enough to enable the Kitchen Committee to establish the prices of per-war days, when a bottle of excellent wine could be purchased for tenpence (20 cents). Like the famous and sumptuous shilling (25 cents) dinner, the tenpenny bottle of wine is only a memory.

A SILK SHORTAGE.

A famine in silk goods is predicted in drapery trade circles for next year. For some time there has been a great shortage of supplies, but conditions will, it is said, become much worse by next summer. Silk is a much more popular fabric for feminine wear, and from nearly every country in the world the demand is on a larger scale than ever before. The short skirt vogue has meant an enormous call for silk stockings, white silk underclothing is more freely worn; and many of the smart jumper blouses and handsome wraps now fashionable are made from silk. Even for men's wear this material is occupying a more prominent position for pyjamas, underwear, socks, and ties, and especially is this the case in America, where the demand for men's silk shirts and other articles is very great. Concurrently with the marked increase in demand there has been a like decline in production, principally, it is understood, because of the adoption of an eight-hour day in the Continental mills. Report has it that no more business is being accepted by silk manufacturers at Lyons or those in Italy, and the situation is described by trade authorities as without precedent in the industry's history. Incidentally prices are from 200 to 400 per cent more than before the war, some Japan-

ness varieties being even six times dearer.

TAX AND SUPER-TAX.

It should provide material for a new play, including another scene in hell. There is at any rate material in it for a new preface. This is what it is all about. George Bernard Shaw, the famous playwright, told a meeting of the To-morrow Club a few days ago that he had been offered a million dollars for the American cinematograph rights of all his plays, but with income tax and super-tax in America, the special tax in New York, and income tax and super-tax in England it would cost him one million seven hundred thousand dollars to accept it, thus leaving him seventeen thousand dollars out of pocket. But one can imagine Shaw saying, "My dear fellow, knock down your offer by half and then we'll talk about it"—for I suppose there is a limit at which it is profitable to sell. The only other way would be for Shaw to live in America, but then the cinematograph rights would cost this country George Bernard Shaw, who is more precious than much fine gold. It is a curious anomaly that, whereas an author's receipts from the sale of his work are counted as income, an inventor's receipts from the sale of a patent are regarded as capital. Authors are evidently people to be discouraged, like super-tax payers.

WATCHED PLANTS GROW.

An instrument which magnifies plants to such a size that when flashed on a screen are actually seen to grow was used by the inventor at his demonstration last week to illustrate a scientific lecture on plant physiology which he gave to a gathering at the India Office, which included Arthur Balfour. The lecturer was Sir Jagadis Chandra Bose, a servant from Calcutta. The value of the crescograph, as it is called, lies of course in its application to agriculture and horticulture. It enables the investigator, for example, to judge which artificial manure has the swiftest effect upon growth. Another curious discovery made by this savant is that plants can receive Marconi messages as well as the ordinary wireless instrument.

LURED BRESLAU TO DESTRUCTION.

Among the recent naval appointments I notice that of Lieutenant N. A. G. Ohtenschlager to the destroyer Sirdar. His name recalls a curious incident in war censorship. When the Goeben and Breslau broke out of the Dardanelles in the first month of 1918 some brilliant work was done by British destroyers, the Lizard and Tigress. They lured the German ships over a minefield, causing the destruction of

the Breslau and damage to the Goeben. It was remarked at the time that contrary to custom the names of the officers commanding these destroyers were suppressed. I discovered, however, that the captain of the Tigress was Lieut. Norman Ohtenschlager, and this explained the censor's action. Apparently those in authority feared that comment would be aroused in certain quarters if it were known that an officer bearing this exotic name was commanding one of His Majesty's ships in face of the enemy. Whether the decision was wise or not is a moot question. The fact remains that the Navy list contains many names of Teutonic origin.

THE NAVY'S EYES TAKEN AWAY.

In the closing days of the war practically all our warships above the destroyers class were equipped with one or more aeroplanes and gear for launching them. Every vessel thus had its own "eyes," and the system proved of immense value. The planes were in constant use for scouting and gunnery. A battleship at target practice, with an aeroplane up to "spot" the fall of shot and wirelessing the result to the ship, was able to fire with accuracy at ranges beyond the vision of the gunners themselves. This system of long-range shooting is being steadily developed, yet Winston Churchill, as Air Minister, has now decided that no warships, except aircraft carriers, are to have aeroplanes. Naval men are unanimous in condemning the proposal, and say the whole Trenchard programme has been framed with an eye to paramount importance to the Navy. I understand that the Admiralty has protested already both about the need for aeroplanes on warships and the need of developing the torpedo-plane, and that its protest will have some effect.

ABOLISHING THE STRAP-HANGER.

The many thousands of people who go "strap-hanging" to business every morning were cheered up by an official report from the London underground Metropolitan Railway that the first of the long-promised new trains which are to eliminate the strap-hanger had arrived. The elimination is done very ingeniously, not by giving the strap-hanger the seat he has paid for, but by converting him into another sort of limpet. He will clutch a rail in future instead of a strap. That is the only difference. In several other ways, however, the new car is a distinct improvement. It is of course fitted out in the usual saloon "Underground" style, but there are five doors instead of two, which will make entry and exit very much easier in the rush hours. By tucking "cozy corners" seats in open places, too, the carrying capacity of the train has been raised from 288 to 292 persons. The lighting, heating, and ventilation mark a very great advance in anything we have had previously. Another unique feature is that the windows have raising and lowering rails in the place of the straps which too many passengers had discovered to make admirable razor straps. Two hundred of the new carriages are on order.

THE SMALL STATES AND THEIR NAVIES.

Last week's decision of the Supreme Council to distribute the smaller war craft to be surrendered by Germany among our smaller Allies has caused an extraordinary flutter among the latter. It is curious how all of them, however diminutive, have since 1914 awakened to the importance of sea power. Serbia possesses three torpedo boats presented to her by the Western Powers during the war, which craft participated in the Allied operations off the Bulgarian and Turkish coasts. A Serbian diplomat said the other day, "And what about the Austro-Hungarian Fleet? I hope that you will see the wisdom of allowing us to retain a fair proportion of the latter." I fear that he is over-sanguine in this respect, since any considerable development of his country's naval strength in the Adriatic would but increase Italy's demand for strategic guarantees in Dalmatia. Poland, however, would appear to have a decidedly plausible case of a fairly strong navy, and she has a naval attaché here, a former rear-admiral in the Russian Navy. She is to be allowed five small armored cruisers, some river gunboats on the Vistula, and a fair number of destroyers and torpedo boats. But her representatives think she is entitled to claim more—a fleet equal to that Germany will be permitted to retain.

"Get Thee Behind Me."

"Without exception the best player of the day, capable of taking any position on the field." This tribute was paid years ago to the football abilities of Lord Kinnaird, the veteran President of the Football Association. He has also occupied the pulpit as a preacher, and once convulsed his hearers by telling them of a lad, caught picking his mother's gooseberries, who declared that the Devil had tempted him. "Then," said the mother, "the next time he tempts you say, 'Get thee behind me, Satan!'" Shortly afterwards, the lad was again being scolded, murmured: "I said, 'Get thee behind me, Satan,' and he got behind me and pushed me into the middle of the bush."



ANSWERING A CYNIC.

"So little of joy for the average man," said one with a sciem face, "though he labor and struggle as best he can, The world is run on a crooked plan. For his few a dismal place; By the sweat of his brow he must earn his bread. He must walk life's mill with a ceaseless tread. And coarse are the feathers that line his bed. And many his hours of pain; He gives his best to the role he plays. But poor are the wages his master pays. And his heart is torn in a thousand ways. And ever his hopes are slain." "Life never is kind to the average man," said one with the cynic's sneer, "It has kept him down since the world was made. Working with pulley and belt and fan— A cog in its mighty gear; While the few, by a bitterly wrought design, May spend their years where the air is fine And quench their thirst on the richest wine. And dance to the end of time, The many must stand to their tasks by day And gaze at the hill tops far away. But never those hills they climb." "Oh, I am an average man," said I. When the cynic had stopped his wall; "And I give no thought to the mountains high. Or the pleasures which only the rich can buy. For mine is a sweeter tale. For I can go home when my work is done To the sounds of laughter and children's fun. 'Neath a roof that is proof against rain and sun. To love and its welcome kiss; Mine is a freedom denied to kings. For I can go where my fancy wings. And reap my joy from a thousand things. That ever the rich must miss. "Mine is a life that is free from sham. And there's joy in the work I do: My friends are friendly for what I am. And not for the gold which my purse may cram; So never they prove untrue; I am slave to naught save my loved one's need. And that is a labor of love, indeed; And I teach my children a simple creed To lighten their times of woe. And though I am an average man, I swear I wouldn't exchange my round of care For the golden crown that a king may wear. Nor the joys that the rich may know."

Fashions and Fads.

Some new wraps are quite short. Silk moire hags end in long tassels. Soft crush hats are made of ribbons. Short elbow sleeves are gaining in favor. Pleats are used in a great variety of ways on the new spring garments. Lace is seen extensively on elaborate hats. The strict tallieuc has returned to popularity. The velvet cape is new and sounds promising. Brassieres grow more sheer and more short. Skirt and coat suits favor the bolero style. Narrow velvet ribbon trims brown taffeta frocks. Glycerined monkey fur is the latest innovation. Foulards come in checks and square designs. Rust tones are liked in combination with black. Skating jackets of angora resemble middy blouses. Coral colored gardenias are in favor for millinery. Bright green velvet is especially liked for evening wear. An interesting veil of black tulle is edged with mongolie. Accordion pleats are almost inevitable on separate skirts. The small, soft hat of fur is being popularly received. Many a frock depends upon a veil of filmy lace for its back. The new Adriatic green is a favorite color in metal brocades. Sports hats are made of undressed leather trimmed with flowers. A favored combination of furs is caracul and Australian opossum. It is said that American women will take to the new shorter skirts. A heavy silk voile is said to replace silk jersey to a certain extent. Japanese sweaters are the latest additions to little children's outfits. All Christmas tissue papers, ribbons and seals unused or in good condition should be saved for another year. If there is a small portion of the hamburger steak left over, stew it with potatoes and a lot of onion; make a gravy and serve on buttered toast.

Now, boys, secure your ticket in time for the G.W.V.A. Dance on the 29th. Positively NONE sold on the door.—Jan 22, 21

SUGGESTIONS FOR THRIFTY SHOPPERS



LADIES' DIVIDED SKIRTS. These are heavily fleeced, made of first quality goods. Every woman should have a pair of these during this very cold winter. Come and see this line. Special Price, \$1.58 each

FLEECE UNDERSKIRTS. A few dozen of Ladies' Fleeced Underskirts at a cut price. These are of regular size, are warm, heavy, and serviceable for winter wear. Special Price, each \$2.20

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INFANTS' HEADWEAR. A job lot of Infants' Fur Bonnets and Caps at 50c each. These are slightly soiled but are well worth the price asked for. Don't forget to see this line. Special Price, each 50c.

MEN'S SWEATER COATS. The right thing to keep you warm during working hours on these cold days. These come in sizes 42 to 46; are heavy, Grey in colour and cheap. Special Price, each \$1.90

COTTON BLANKETS. We again offer exceptional good values in Cotton Blankets. We can give you either the medium or the large size Blanket. Before buying elsewhere we ask you to see our offer. Special Price (medium size) \$3.39 Special Price (large size) \$4.19

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LADIES' BOOTS. This is a very special lot at a special price. At to-day's prices these Boots would sell at \$8.00 pair. Made of good 'vict' leather, medium length, and heel, in laced and buttoned; assorted sizes. Special Price, per \$4.98 pair

BOYS' BOOTS. A hard wearing Boot for boys' wear; these come in sizes 10 to 12. Made of extra heavy leather; Blucher style. Special Price \$2.55 per pair

BOYS' BOOTS. Also a line for the bigger boys; sizes 1 to 5. These sizes will fit boys from age 11 to 15 years; made of strong heavy leather with striped soles. Special Price, per pair \$3.28

ALEX SCOTT

18 New Gower Street.

Birds on the Battlefield.

Our fathers used to tell us touching stories of the distress of the birds caused by the continual marching of great armies, till the poor creatures would fall upon the ground at their feet from pure exhaustion of wing in trying to fly away from the danger. There was that most impressive of all facts—the singing of the birds during the raging of all-day-long battles. During the prolonged fighting at Gettysburg there came a moment when not a gun was heard to sound. There was a terrible stillness for one brief spell; then it was noticed that the birds perched upon the tree-tops were busily pouring forth their melody of music, and so far as any one had known they had been singing all during the deafening roar of the cannon-fire. This seemed incredible at first, but here comes another witness from the awful battlefield of Europe. The account is given by Major Allen Brooks, who writes directly from the battlefield in Flanders. He was so startled by the anomaly that he lapsed into a "striking Hibernicism to express his wonders." "The effect of cannon fire on birds is amazing; almost without exception they absolutely disregard it." Oddly enough, the first birds to attract his attention were the symbols of peace. Wood pigeons and turtle doves are abundant everywhere along the firing-lines, while thrushes, blackbirds and larks are fairly common. In early spring these birds begin to sing in the trees that line the Yser. "On a sudden, hundreds of guns burst into a terrific and continuous cannonading, when after three hours, there was a sudden and complete cessation of gun-fire, and the first thing that the relieving senses realized was that the blackbirds were still serenely fluting away. Apparently they had never ceased."

On another occasion Major Brooks was listening to the rich gurling and chucking of a nightingale which he had located with his glasses when the morning calm was shattered by a burst of rifle-fire close by. The retiring and elusive bird paid no attention, nor did he seek a lower or less conspicuous perch. An unfruffed cuckoo called continuously on a near-by willow, and

crested larks rose, one after another, sometimes from the close vicinity of bursting shells, singing serenely in the azure as if there were nothing to mar the perfect day. The only bird perturbed was a green sandpiper, which was picking up a precarious living in the stagnant waters of a shell crater. "When shells burst too close to him, he sprang into the air and circled about; but he always returned a minute later, defying the dangers and the noise."

From Salonica comes the charming description of a stork that has made fast friends with the airplanes, and invariably flies forth to greet and accompany them when they return from their perilous journeys over the battle-fields of the enemy.

Poor things! Well, is it that they can have no appreciation of the black horrors and deep anguish of the men who are waging the war. If they could, doubtless they would gladly add their little hearts' song to gladden the gloom of those who imperil all for their country. Of them we may say as Holland said of the flowers:—

"To tell the love of God they try; They do their little best and die." —C. H. Buchanan, in Christian Advocate.

Alcock's Atlantic Machine

HOUSED IN MUSEUM. A historic flying machine—the one in which Sir John Alcock and Sir A. W. Brown flew the Atlantic last June—has been housed in the new Science Museum building in South Kensington. The presentation by Messrs. Vickers, and Messrs. Rolle-Royce, took place at the opening of a temporary aeronautic exhibition. Sir John Alcock, a portrait of whom, in the clothing he wore on the flight, hangs in the exhibition, was present.

This Takes It.

The following story comes from Peterboro, Ontario: "Seven years ago a farmer living near Peterboro hung his vest on a fence in the barnyard. A calf chewed up the pocket of the

The Sinking of the "Laurentic."

On January, 25, 1917, H. M.'s auxiliary cruiser "Laurentic" was sunk by mine or torpedo off the Irish coast. The total number on board was about four hundred, and of these two hundred and sixty were lost, seventy bodies being washed ashore on Saturday, the 26th. There was a very big sea at the time of the catastrophe, and a keen frost, so that those who escaped suffered considerably. Perfect order prevailed throughout, the crew responding to the officers' orders with precision and loyalty. At first an attempt was made to beach the ship, but a gaping hole was torn in her side, and only five or ten minutes elapsed before she took her final plunge. Some of the sailors were cast down in the vortex and the key-crew sea was dotted with men making brave but ever feeble efforts for life. A rescuing fleet of mine-sweepers put out at once, but had about twenty miles to cover before reaching the boats which had been launched. Their crews of half-clothed men. Their sufferings were intense, the men in one boat being rescued. One boat picked up the following afternoon contained five survivors out of twenty; the remainder being frozen. Another boat contained seventeen frozen bodies, and it was believed there would have been many more survivors had it not been for the terribly cold night, this boat having been afloat for about twenty-three hours. The vessel was wrecked within an hour and a-half of leaving port and if the truth is ever known, it will probably be found that the disaster was due to an act of treachery.

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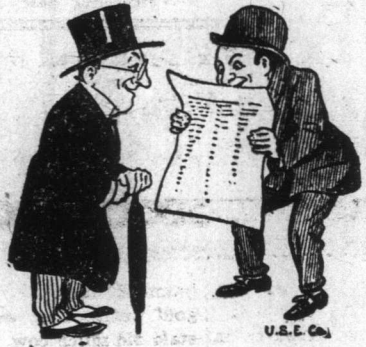
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Here's Great News!

That is sure to be interesting to wise and shrewd buyers of HAMS and BACON and to the distressed housekeeper endeavoring to KEEP DOWN THE HIGH COST OF LIVING.

The Smoked Meat market has declined a good deal lately and with the arrival of a new shipment to-day we are prepared to give our customers the benefit of the recent "drop" and to sell our DELICIOUS "BERKSHIRE" HAMS and BACON at much lower prices than were charged for last purchases.

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Fortunes in Old Books.

Invest a penny and to see it come within the space of only a few into £75 is a stroke of good luck which seldom falls to the lot of anyone.

It was, however, the happy chance of a collector who not long ago found an exceedingly rare copy of "Is She His Wife?" by Charles Kingsley, among some pamphlets in a London bookshop, and within a few days he had secured for a penny a copy of which £75 was gladly given within a week.

It was another fortunate collector who one day chanced to see a copy of a book called "The Snob Papers," by M. A. Thackeray, Thackeray's maiden effort in literature, which he sold the same day for a ten-pound note. And five shillings was the price paid for a first edition of "The Vicar of Wakefield," which a collector discovered propping up the castorless leg of a table in a prominent bookshop.

It was a lucky amateur pick-up on an Aldgate barrow a first copy of "Bradshaw's Railway Guide" copy of Elliott's "Castle of the Clouds," which he is said to have sold for £50.

Another book-lover picked up for £4. a copy of the "Recueil of

Troy's," a Caxton, for which he received £200 later; and for 3s. 6d. Mr. Augustine Birrell purchased in a Chancery Lane auction room a copy of Gray's "Elegy," which to-day is probably worth £200.

Equally fortunate was the tourist who discovered in the bookcase of a Highland cottage an old volume of Burns' poems, with which the good lady gladly parted for two half-crowns. The volume was none other than a copy of the Kilmarnock edition of the poems, published in 1786, in the original paper covers, and worth every penny of £500.

For twopenny a bookman purchased from a second-hand stall eleven numbers of the "Snob Papers," by M. A. Thackeray, Thackeray's maiden effort in literature, which he sold the same day for a ten-pound note. And five shillings was the price paid for a first edition of "The Vicar of Wakefield," which a collector discovered propping up the castorless leg of a table in a prominent bookshop.

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Current Market Prices.

(Trade Review).
FISH.
 There are very few transactions in fish these days. Some sales have been made lately in Brazil above the price set as a minimum by the export regulations. Terms for that market are also relaxed and ninety per cent. against documents is accepted instead of full cash and the ten per cent. is paid as soon as the vessel is discharged.
 The markets of Portugal and Spain have been congested since New Year. There is an absence of reliable news from Italy.
 The local price of good dry shore is \$16.50 to \$17.00 and Labrador \$8.50 to \$9.75.
COD OIL.
 Cod Oil, both common and medicinal, was rarely so scarce in St. John's at this season. The quotation for common to-day is \$280 to \$290 per cwt and it is difficult to get any considerable lots, such as would be required to fill foreign orders. The local market in Cod Liver Oil is practically bare. Sales were made this week at \$2.75 and for especially good lots \$2.80 per gallon.
FLOUR.
 The Canadian Government has agreed to place flour for Newfoundland on the same basis as it is sold in their own country so that the proposed export tax of \$2.00 per barrel will not be levied on flour coming in from Canada.
 The Wheat Export Board, however, has advanced the price 25c. a barrel so that high grade flour will now be about \$17.00 per barrel and second grades \$16.50.
 Meantime stocks in the local market of fall imports are selling at \$15.00 to \$15.50. No doubt future imports will be considerably dearer, following the Canadian advance.
PORK AND BEEF.
 Prices are getting stronger since New Year. Mess Pork for January and February deliveries was advanced nearly \$7.00 from the lowest point. All other grades too, are quoted higher. Ham Butts are very scarce and exorbitant prices are asked for any small lot that come on the market.
 Local quotations for Fat Back, wholesale, is \$53.50; Family \$57.00 and Short Mess \$59.50 per barrel.
 In Beef, Bos Flank is \$39. Bos Packet \$37.00. Boneless \$36.00 and Plate \$30.00 per barrel, wholesale.
SUGAR.
 Prices continue to rule high in Canada and the States for January and February shipments owing to scarcity and freight congestion. By last Rosalind 500 barrels arrived here from New York but as the trade was not willing to pay the price asked, 28 1/2c., the sugar was stored for later developments.
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Home Arrives.

S. S. Home, which had been held up at Port Union on account of stormy weather arrived in port yesterday. Owing to the Bonavista branch line being tied up a large number of passengers availed of the opportunity to travel south by the ship.

Clever Girls Not Favorites.

The greatest objection men have to clever girls is that they do not consider they would make good wives from a domestic point of view. In their opinion a girl cannot combine domesticity with ambitious desires. People make a mistake in thinking that men are jealous of any talent which a girl displays. A man is usually proud to acknowledge a clever girl as his friend, and would, in all probability be only too willing and anxious to make her something dearer to him. If he did not possess the dread that when she became his wife she would allow her ambitions to interfere with domestic duties. Sometimes it happens that a girl's ambitions in no way appeal to a man. He finds it impossible to interest himself to any great extent in her work, and recognises that without mutual sympathy with one another's tastes marriage is apt to become a failure. Of course, clever girls sometimes do meet and marry men who are in sympathy with their talents, and find true happiness. But it is not every man who can talk enthusiastically of music and art to the girl who aspires to professional honors. What we do admire is the real, lovely, lovable, womanly woman.

WEATHER ACROSS COUNTRY.

Along the railway line it was fine and calm yesterday. The temperature was from 20 to 25 above.

At The "Majestic" Theatre.

MONDAY—TUESDAY.

This gripping photo-drama stars the heroine of many photo-plays, the dainty Dorothy Gish in "BATTLING JANE."

Excitement and laughter blended in sensational situations.

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Dorothy Gish is a veritable hit in this comedy-melodrama, giving a characterization which ranks her among the best comedienettes of to-day. The story is good for all kinds of audiences.

See "BATTLING JANE."

Paper Money.

(Rudolf Clemen, in The Green Book Magazine.)
 One wonders if we fully realize the quantity of paper money which the responsible Governments of the world have put afloat since the beginning of the war. Thirty-six billion dollars! The paper money in existence in the fifteen principal countries of the world at the beginning of the war was less than eight billion dollars; and at the end of the war it was over forty-four billions—an increase of thirty-six billions in fifty-one months. And this does not include any of the eighty billion dollars worth of paper currency issued by the Bolsheviks in the eighteen months of their control in Russia, for they simply set up printing presses and turned out paper money as fast as they could. Thirty-six billion dollars of new paper money added to the circulation of the world. We had been inclined to charge up the advances in prices occurring prior to the war to the fact that eight billion dollars' worth of gold was turned out of the mines of the world in the twenty years following the famous gold and silver campaign of 1896. But there is thirty-six billion dollars' worth of paper promises to pay turned out as legal money in four years! Do we realize how vast a sum is this thirty-six billion dollars' worth of paper currency, which has thus been put into circulation in such a brief time? It is more in its face value than all the gold and all the silver turned out by all the miners of all the world in the 427 years since the discovery of America! If the world's historians and economists and statisticians are right in their general belief that an advance in price usually accompanies or closely follows increases in the amount of money, and especially paper money, are we surprised at the worldwide advance in prices, which we have witnessed in the past four years?

Why Umbrellas Have Holes.

One of the fruitful causes of holes in the folds of an umbrella is improper care when it is wet. To roll up a wet umbrella is to invite the dyes to rot it, and one of the bases of the umbrella manufacturer is loaded dye on silk. Out of a hundred samples of silk examined recently, not over ten were pure dye and fifty per cent. of the silk thread submitted was overloaded with dye, and would not stand a chemical test. This is a fruitful cause of trouble in umbrellas. When overdyed silks are wet and the umbrellas rolled and put away, the owners find that their umbrellas are cracking in the folds. Fine holes appear, and they are apt to return the umbrella to the man they bought it from, and demand another in exchange. When an umbrella is wet, place it in the scullery or some other place, opened out, and then it dries perfectly, and your gump will last three times as long.

A Social and Moral Evil.

Alarming revelations have been made in some London papers regarding the serious social evil attaching to many West-end massage and manicure establishments. One woman in charge of an establishment said frankly: "I have known weeks pass without a genuine medical case coming to us," and her establishment treated twenty to thirty patients every day. The difficulty of prevention is great because these people are adepts at keeping within the law. Particularly disconcerting is the statement that the patients are a sprinkling from all types, but mainly, wealthy middle-aged men.

Are We Facing Codfish Decline?

According to some authorities codfish are practically numberless while others again believe that unless reckless fishing is checked that we will soon see a decline in the fishery. An approximate idea can be formed from facts that came to the knowledge of the Norwegian Government in 1887 and stands as a record when questions of this kind come to the front. In the year 1887 it so happened that the weather in the Lofoden Islands was exceedingly stormy during practically the whole of the fishing season and whether on that account or not a rather abnormal thing happened. It is known to all fishermen that codfish do not come to the coast in one body but in numerous separate shoals, and on the Banks these bodies of fish seem to keep to themselves, and when the spawning season is over, each shoal again leaves together. One of these shoals left the outside Bank and entered an inlet on the coast early in January and as soon as the news got abroad 2500 boats congregated on the spot, and harring the fish in, they were very successful in catching thirteen million fish. This immense number was a mere nothing as compared to the total number in the shoal. This inlet was nine miles in length and on an average one mile wide, with a depth of sixteen to forty fathoms. The fish were simply packed together and supposing that each fish was allowed ten times its bulk of water, then the cubic space would contain ten thousand million codfish. Now this was only a single shoal out of scores or probably hundreds of shoals of an equal quantity on the banks, and whenever there was a lull in the storm and boats could venture out to the open sea, other shoals were found abundantly over the 1200 sq. miles of the inner banks as well as the extensive banks which lie outside of the Lofoden Islands. Bearing this in mind, there can be only one possible conclusion, that codfish come to the coast in numbers which for all practical purposes are limitless and on which all the efforts of man cannot produce any effect worth speaking about.—Exchange.

This Soldier Knows What Helped Him.

CAPE RACE, To-day.
 Wind north, light. weather dull; slob ice making fast. The s.s. Conrad Mopr passed at 9.30 a.m. Bar. 30.03; Ther. 20.
DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CLEANSED OUT HIS RHEUMATISM.
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