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TORONTO, Noon.—East Coast.—De-
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cloudy to-day. Thursday.—Strong S.E.
& S. winds, unsettled. West Coast.—
strong N. & N.W. winds, cloudy and
rather cold with light snow to-day and
on Thursday.
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1 Large British Plate Mirror, 4' x 10'.
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Store will open on Thursday after-
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All goods must be paid for and tak-
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AUCTION.

KNIT GOODS.

(For the benefit of whom it may
concern.)
We have been instructed by the Hon.
Minister of Finance and Customs to
sell by Public Auction on Friday, the
14th Inst., at 10.30 a.m., at the prem-
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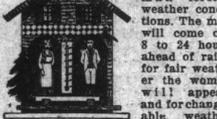
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ing. Arrange for a course of
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

ST. JOHN'S MUNICIPAL

ELECTION.

Any person qualified to vote
but disallowed by reason of his
or her name not appearing on
the Voters' List, may exercise
their franchise by applying on
Polling Day to the City Clerk
for a certificate.
F. J. DOYLE,
Returning Officer.
dec12, 21

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CHEAP FUEL FOR

EVERYBODY.

Coke may be obtained
at the Gas Works in
sacks at seventy cents
per sack throughout the
Winter.
Sacks may be return-
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OXO CORDIAL.
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FRY'S CHOCOLATE BARS.
**FRY'S FIVE BOYS' CHOCO-
LATES.**
BLOSSOM TEA—1's, 5's, 10's.
LEA & PERRIN'S SAUCE.
COLMAN'S MUSTARD & BLUE
Wholesale only.
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Within the glass cases
of this store repose the latest
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the world's finest confectioners,
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Flashlights and Safety Razors
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All these things and many more
are part of the holiday stock of
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And Economy,
Efficiency,
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In Civic Affairs.
nov22, 11

COME

to the

Big Meeting of Men

and

Women

In connection with the new Municipal
vote which will be held on

This Wednesday Evening,

14th Dec., at 8 o'clock, in

The C. C. C. Hall.

The following gentlemen
have kindly consented to
speak: **W. G. Gosling, Esq.,**
C. P. Ayre, Esq., Dr. V. P.
Burke & Dr. J. Alex. Robin-
son.

Men and women are cordially invited
to attend.

C. C. C. Band in Attendance.

Souvenirs. Admission Free.

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- (1) Is Roil capable of representing your interests at the Council Board?
- (2) Is Roil's Policy to adjust taxes and rent of any benefit to you?
- (3) Is Roil's Policy to tax all outsiders any protection to your livelihood?
- (4) Is Roil's advocating good citizenship of any potential value to the city?
- (5) Is Roil a man sufficient in business training, together with constructive, progressive and executive abilities to conduct the city's business?
- (6) Is Roil the man to see that all sources of revenue are properly collected when due?
- (7) Is Roil the man to see that all expenditures are judicially accounted for and that the full value to be received for every dollar expended.

If he measures up to the above qualifications you will do yourself an injustice if you fail to mark your X on Thursday opposite the name of

FRED. J. ROIL,

The Real Estate Man.
dec13, 21, 1p

Women's Franchise

League.

Every member is requested to at-
tend the meeting of Men and Women
to be held in the C. C. C. Hall next
Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock—as
advertised elsewhere. C. C. C. Band
in attendance. Souvenirs. Admission
free.
dec12, 21

Tenders will be received

for Houses and Saw Mill, Hamilton
Ave.; House and Shop and House on
Chifford Street; House, Larkin's
Square; House, 82 Alexander St.
(freehold); House, 118 Pleasant St.
(freehold); Houses, 33 A.B.C., Pleas-
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St. West; seven Houses top of Pleas-
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Will take part cash down and the
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MEN OF LEISURE.
The C. L. B. Old Comrades are hold-
ing a Card Tournament in the Ar-
morium to-night at 9 o'clock. dec11, 11

CHRISTMAS NOTICE

We are taking orders for
Flowers to be delivered in
all parts of the world for
Christmas.
Place your orders early
and secure the best atten-
dence of the Florists' Tele-
graph Delivery.
J. G. McNEIL.
Member for Nfld.
Box 792. Phone 247a.
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VOTE FOR

GEORGE H. COOK

for Councillor.

Mark X opposite No. 4 on
Ballot Paper.
dec10, 41

YOUR DIARY

If you have been using
either a Collins' or Lett's
Diary, just phone or send
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favourite. We have a com-
plete line of Pocket and
Commercial Diaries for
1922.
GARRETT BYRNE,
Bookseller & Stationer.
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Under the auspices of Royal Oak
Lodge, No. 22, in Victoria Hall,
on Wednesday, Dec. 14th, at 8
p.m., by Rev. E. W. Forbes, for
benevolent purposes. Subject,
"The Reformation". Tickets
20 cents.
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College Boarders.

A WEATHER COTTAGE will
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make \$3.00 to \$5.00 a day book-
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SALE OF WORK.

(Under the distinguished patronage of
His Excellency the Governor.)
A Sale of Work done by the
wounded Sailors and Soldiers
will be held in the Presbyterian
Hall on Thursday, December
15th, at 4 p.m.
Admission 20c. Afternoon
Teas 40c. dec12, 21

A DAINY XMAS GIFT.

Neatly and artistically boxed Note-
paper and Envelopes at a price in-
credibly low at the City Club Corner.
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POSTAGE STAMPS for

COLLECTIONS—Stamps sold as cheap
as 1/20 Catalog. Packet 200 different
—50c. Best tasteless Hinges—15c.
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others. J. W. PENNEY, 34 Mullock
Street. dec9, 71, eod

NOTICE—Any Person

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of Edward Kelly, west side of Torbay
Road, will be prosecuted. EDWARD
KELLY. dec9, 61

FOR SALE—One covered in

Delivery Slide, in perfect condition;
apply this office. dec14, 11

FOR SALE—Cow, 4 years

old; will calve last of present month.
This Cow is from good stock and a
good milker. For particulars apply
to M. CLENNY, Sheal Pt., T.B.
dec13, 31

FOR SALE—1 Driving

Sleigh, a dandy; apply CARNELL'S
CARRIAGE FACTORY. dec12, 31

FOR SALE—On very easy

terms a small cheap House, situated
on Harvey Road, contains 6 rooms;
apply to R. JOHNSON, Real Es-
tate Agent, 30 1/2 Prescott Street, or
Harold Matthews, on the premises.
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FOR SALE—40 Yards Cork

Linoleum, 6 feet wide, almost new;
also quantity Picture Frames; Bar-
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FOR SALE—A Dwelling

House, situate 129 New Gower Street,
good rearage, freehold, containing 13
rooms, water, sewerage and electric
light; would be a good investment
for business man or hotel; apply on
the premises. dec12, 31

FOR SALE—One J. & J.

Taylor Safe; apply DOWDEN & ED-
WARDS, Colonial and Gower Streets.
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Large House for winter months; ap-
ply to F. H. HUDSON. dec14, 31

TO LET—2 or 3 Rooms for

a respectable young married couple;
apply to 52 Leslie Street. dec14, 31

TO LET—A Garage; apply

MISS SOUTHCOOT, 28 Monkstown
Road. dec14, eod, 11

TO LET—A Flat of Three

Rooms, modern improvements, good
locality, cheap rent; apply P.L.F. this
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TO RENT—Offices and

Warehouses, 240 Water Street, at pre-
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HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY. dec10, 11

TO LET—Two Bright Offi-

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entrance from King's Road; immedi-
ate occupation; apply DOWDEN &
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TO-NIGHT at 9 o'clock,

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TO LET!

Just a few drops of Shirriff's Non-alcoholic Extract give the richest, most delicious flavor you could imagine to your puddings, pies, cakes and candies. With Shirriff's you need use only half the usual amount because it is doubly high in flavoring properties. Ask your grocer for your favorite flavor.



Shirriff's FLAVORING EXTRACTS NON-ALCOHOLIC

"Flowers of the Valley,"

MABEL HOWARD, OF THE LYRIC.

"What could I do?" she said, humbly. "He threatened not only me, but—but others."

"And I was away in Italy!" exclaimed Clarence, with intense self-reproach. "Oh, Iris, what you have suffered, alone and friendless—"

"You forget my true little friend, Paul!" she said.

"A boy!" he said. "But, no; I have not forgotten him, and will not forget him."

"But, this man, this scoundrel Ricardo! I let him go to-night, but he shall not escape me! He should be in prison now; he was sentenced to ten years' penal servitude."

Iris shuddered.

"There is no prison that could hold him, it seems to me," she said; "he is like a snake."

"Which I will scotch!" muttered Clarence. "Thank Heaven you are helpless no longer, Iris. You can hold me at arm's length, but you cannot prevent me watching over you! From this hour you shall run no more such risks as this of to-night."

"And you think I will let you waste your life for me?" she murmured.

"Waste!" he echoed, with a laugh. "It is the only chance of happiness left to me."

The cab drew up at Mrs. Barker's as he spoke, and he looked up at the third-rate row of houses with surprise.

"You told me you were rich?" he said, reproachfully.

"So I am, dear friend," she said; "and I live in this quiet way by choice, not necessity."

this is Paul Foster, the composer, my very dear friend!

Clarence held out his hand and grasped Paul's tiny fist heartily.

"Miss Knight—Miss Howard's friends are mine, I hope," he said, fervently. Then he said in an undertone, "You will let me come to-morrow?"

"Yes," said Iris. "Come and hear Paul play, Lord Clarence."

Clarence took her hand and held it a moment, then raised his hat and leaped into the cab.

"Mrs. Barker, I have been in great trouble, and Heaven knows where it would have ended but for the gentleman you have just seen! He is an old friend of mine—and—" her voice faltered—"my father."

All unconscious of the impression she had created, Iris turned to her as she closed the door, and said:

"Mrs. Barker, I have been in great trouble, and Heaven knows where it would have ended but for the gentleman you have just seen! He is an old friend of mine—and—" her voice faltered—"my father."

"Well, Ralford, I think I have kept my word," said the duke, when Lord Clarence had disappeared with Iris.

"Yes, duke," said Lord Ralford, gravely, and with a look in his honest eyes that was not very flattering to his grace. "You have won, and here is your money, but I think if I were in your place, I would rather have lost!"

The duke grinned.

"Rather late in the day to turn moralist, isn't it, Ralford?" he retorted, with a sneer. "After all, it was a harmless bit of fun."

"Harmless!" said Lord Ralford, raising his eyebrows. "Do you think this will do Miss Howard no harm? There are half-a-dozen newspaper men in the room! Do you think the story will not be in every paper in London to-morrow morning?"

The duke shrugged his shoulders. "A capital advertisement for her," he said laughing. "My dear Ralford, these sort of people delight in notoriety, and you and I have given Miss Howard a new lease of popularity."

"That's your business, my dear sir," he said, with haughty contempt; "meanwhile I should go home and bathe my face"; and as the signor stole stealthily down the stairs the duke returned to the room to gloat over his victory.

He was sitting drinking champagne with half-a-dozen of the least reputable members of the club when Lord Clarence re-entered.

"He was very pale, but there was a look of stern determination on his fair face, which grew hard and set as he made his way up to the table at which the ducal party was sitting.

"May I ask your grace to give me a few minutes?" he said.

The duke, who had taken quite enough wine, paused and looked up at him abruptly.

"For what purpose?" he asked.

"I have to demand an explanation of your grace," said Clarence.

"Oh, I'm not in the humor for explanations, Lord Montacute," he said. "Some other time."

"No other time than this will satisfy me," said Clarence, an ominous light glowing in his eyes.

The duke swore.

"My dear fellow, don't make a scene; one's enough for one night. If it's this business of Miss Howard's, I'm sick of it. Pray let us drop it."

"You consider that you are at liberty to insult a lady and refuse reparation, your grace?" said Clarence. "That is not my opinion."

"Your opinion!" retorted the duke. "Who cares for your opinion? Certainly I do not! What is it you want? Go to her friend, the Italian gentleman, who managed the affair, and don't worry me about it!"

"Yes, I will go to him directly," said Clarence between his teeth; "at present my business is with your grace. Do I understand that you refuse an apology to Miss Howard?"

"Lady Ralford and several others had gathered near, and were looking on and listening in attentive silence.

"You may understand what, your please," said the duke. "Most certainly I decline to apologize to her—or to you who appear to be even a more intimate friend than the Italian fellow!"

The sneer had scarcely curved his lips before Clarence had seized the wingless at his elbow, and dashed the contents into his face.

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35 cents buys a bottle of "Danderine." Within ten minutes after the first application you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair. Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them, helping your hair to grow long, thick and luxuriant.

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see nothing of the wonders of their structure.

Place a single drop of this water on the slide of your microscope, and a new world is opened up to you.

One of the first creatures you are likely to see is the hydra, a cross in miniature between an octopus and a starfish. As it rests upon the stalk of a water plant its arms wave to and fro in search of prey.

Let the water-flea—the hydra's favorite food—touch one of them, and his doom is sealed. In a flash arm after arm enfolds him. Each is provided with hundreds of fine stinging hairs, and fight as he will the water-flea is soon overpowered and drawn down to the hungry mouth.

The water-flea himself is one of the most beautiful of the inhabitants of this tiny world. He looks like a creature made of glass, for he is so transparent that you can see every organ of his body.

You can watch the action of the hairs which surround his head; these are in constant motion, and their action creates a current which sweeps into his mouth a constant supply of the plant and minute creatures on which he feeds.

Looking through the microscope you can make out the various organs of his body. The heart is visible, and you may even watch the corpuscles of the blood as they travel through the arteries and veins.

What are those queer bell-shaped things adhering to the water-flea's legs? They look almost like bunches of transparent canterbury bells, and at their edges are fringes of constantly moving hairs. They are called gills, and you can find them growing upon all manner of water plants and insects.

Just below one of the bells is a little swelling that looks like a bud. As you watch it grow bigger, and then suddenly breaks away from the parent stalk. You have witnessed the birth of an infusorian. It will pass about for some time like a minutely jelly fish, then it will settle down and create a minute canterbury bell like its parents.

Now our attention is attracted by a tiny being which seems to have a fast-moving wheel in its head. Something is moving with an action exactly like that of the balance wheel of a watch. So close is the resemblance that scientists have named these creatures "wheel-swimmers." The compound, low-powered lens which we are using will not serve to clear up the mystery, but if we use a high-power glass and examine the "wheel" closely, the puzzle is solved.

Round the mouth is a circle of tiny hairs, which are always in motion. It is this motion which gives the impression of the to and fro swinging of the balance wheel. As in the case of the water-flea, these hairs serve to create the current which drives an unending supply of food into the mouth.

Other beings come into view as we move the slide; some are transparent; others are colored with the most amazingly beautiful tints. Some are attracted to the sticky of plants; others swim or walk freely. Some are soft-bodied, and apparently unprotected; others have many wondrous shells, perfect in every detail.

Household Notes. Rump is the most economical steak. Cheese has a higher food value than meat. Left-over chicken is good reheated with bacon. Delicious fudge can be made with condensed milk. The plain unfrosted cake is the more wholesome.

Keep the bread closely covered while it is rising. If you wish a pot roast buy a boneless chuck roast. A vegetable shaver should be used for Saratoga chips. Milk makes tender bread and allows it to be kept longer. Fruit icing is nice on apple sauce or split gingerbread. Before stuffing a chicken rub the inside with peanut butter. Try dipping slices of lamb in egg and crumbs and then frying.

Notice of Poll and Candidates.

THE CITY OF ST. JOHN'S. Public Notice is hereby given to the Electors residing within the Municipal Limits of the City of St. John's, Newfoundland, that a Poll has been demanded for the same, and that I have granted such Poll; and that the persons duly nominated as Candidates at the said Election and for whom only Votes will be received are:

- Candidates for Mayor: 1. COOK—Hon. Tasker Cook, Commission Merchant. 2. MORRIS—Isaac C. Morris, Sailmaker.

- Candidates for Councillors: 1. BROPHY—William E. Brophy, Grocer. 2. CHAPE—Herbert R. Chape, Commission Merchant. 3. COLLIER—Samuel G. Collier, Undertaker.

- 4. COOK—George Cook, Planter. 5. DOWDEN—Reginald Dowden, Auctioneer.

- 6. GALWAY—Denis J. Galway, Merchant Tailor. 7. GARLAND—Charles F. Garland, Printer.

- 8. HOPKINS—Robert Hopkins, Contractor. 9. MARTIN—James T. Martin, Undertaker.

- 10. MILLEY—William S. Milley, Hardware Manager. 11. NANGLE—John Nangle, Master Builder.

- 12. O'BRIEN—Michael O'Brien, Mechanic. 13. OUTERBRIDGE—P. E. Outerbridge, Commission Merchant.

- 14. PEEL—Thomas Peel, Merchant. 15. PEET—Samuel H. Peet, Blacksmith.

- 16. PENNEY—William T. Penney, Master Builder. 17. ROBINSON—John Robinson, Caterer.

- 18. ROIL—Fred J. Roil, Real Estate Agent. 19. RUBY—Kenneth Ruby, Tinsmith.

- 20. RYAN—Charles W. Ryan, Grocer. 21. SPURRELL—Edward D. Spurrell, Merchant Tailor.

- 22. TAIT—Archibald G. Tait, Medical Doctor. 23. VINCOMBE—Nicholas J. Vincombe, Grocer.

- 24. WHITTY—Edward J. Whitty, Workman. 25. WISEMAN—James F. Wiseman, Grocer.

Of which all persons are hereby required to take notice and govern themselves accordingly. Given under my hand, at St. John's, the 7th day of December, 1921.

F. J. DOYLE, Returning Officer. DIRECTIONS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF ELECTORS IN VOTING. Each elector, on entering the room where the poll is being held, shall declare his name, surname, and addition. After so doing he shall receive two ballot-papers in the above forms respectively.

his ballot papers, take an oath of qualification. The voter is to vote only for one candidate for Mayor and for six candidates as Councillors. After receiving the ballot papers, the voter shall go into one of the compartments and with a pencil, there provided, place a cross in the division containing the name of the candidate for Mayor, and the six candidates for Councillors, for whom he intends to vote, thus X.

The voter will then fold each ballot paper, so as to show a portion of the back only, with the initials of the Deputy Returning Officer, and shall hand them so folded up to the Deputy Returning Officer, and the Deputy Returning Officer shall without unfolding them ascertain that they are the ballot papers which he furnished to the elector, and then immediately place them in the Ballot Box. The voter shall forthwith leave the Polling Station.

If a voter votes for more candidates than he is entitled to vote for, or places any mark on the ballot papers by which he can afterwards be identified his vote will be void and will not be counted.

If a voter takes a ballot or ballot paper out of the Polling Station, or fraudulently puts any other paper into the Ballot Box than the papers given him by the Deputy Returning Officer, he will be subject to punishment by a fine of Five Hundred Dollars or by imprisonment for a time not exceeding six months, with or without hard labour.

F. J. DOYLE, Returning Officer. The following is published for the information of the public: ST. JOHN'S MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR ELECTORS: 8. The right to vote for the Mayor and Councillors of the City shall be enjoyed: A. By all British subjects of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, who—

(a) have resided in the City for one year immediately preceding the election; and (b) are owners, lessees, tenants, or occupiers of property rated on the assessment books of the City; or who are not indebted to the St. John's Municipal Council for any arrears of taxes; and

(c) are not disqualified by the Voters' List; and (d) are not disqualified by mental incapacity.

B. By all bodies corporate, being British subjects, which are owners, lessees, tenants, or occupiers of property rated on the assessment books of the City, and which are not indebted to the said Council for any arrears of taxes, and which are duly enrolled on the said Voters' List.

Every such person and body corporate shall be deemed to be, and is hereafter described as a ratepayer. 9. Each ratepayer shall only be entitled to one vote for the election of the Mayor, and one for each of the six Councillors.

10. Where property is assessed to a firm or co-partnership, not being incorporated, each member of such firm or co-partnership at the time of such assessment shall be deemed to be assessed as a qualification for voting.

11. Any person who has a shop, store or office in the City and has carried on a business or profession therein on his own account, either alone or as a recognized partner for one year previous to any election, being otherwise qualified, shall be deemed to be a ratepayer, notwithstanding that his residence may be outside the City.

12. No member of a body corporate shall be entitled to vote individually in respect of property belonging to such body, but every body corporate, being a ratepayer, shall be entitled to one vote, to be given by any of its officers appointed in writing by the body for that purpose.

13. When property is held by an executor, administrator, trustee or other person in trust for the use or benefit of others, the person beneficially entitled shall be held to be the ratepayer in respect of such property.

Boundaries of the City.

MUNICIPAL ACT, 1921. For the purpose of this Act, the City of St. John's shall be bounded as follows: Commencing at Fort Amherst Lighthouse; thence in a straight line to the chimney of the General Hospital; thence in a straight line to the monument in Mount Carmel Cemetery; thence in a straight line to the southern side of Horwood's Bridge on the Newtown Road; thence to the junction of the old railway track and Pennywell Road; thence in a straight

line to the junction of the Blackmarsh Road and the extension of straight line to Smeag's Bridge, and extending 500 ft. beyond the same; thence in a straight line to the point of commencement."

No. 1 Ward—All that part of the City east of the King's Wharf; thence following the centre of the King's Bench, King's Road, Rennie's Mill Road to the northern limit of the city.

No. 2 Ward—From the western boundary of No. 1 Ward to the centre of Baird's Cove, up Market House Hill, Cathedral Street, Garrison Hill, Bonaventure Avenue and Long Pond Road, to the northern limit of the city.

No. 3 Ward—From the western boundary of No. 2 Ward to the centre of Goodridge's western wharf, up Springdale Street to LeMarchant Street to LeMarchant Road; along LeMarchant Road, eastwardly, to Cooktown Road and Freshwater Road to the northern limit of the city.

No. 4 Ward—From the western boundary of No. 3 Ward to the eastern boundary of Newman's water-side premises; thence up the centre of Springdale Street to LeMarchant Road, to Mundy Pond Road; thence along the centre of Mundy Pond Road to Golf Avenue, to Pennywell Road, and thence by Pennywell Road to the northern limit of the City.

No. 5 Ward—All that part of the City situate west of the western boundary of No. 4 Ward and the Waterford Bridge Road.

No. 6 Ward—All that part of the City situate on the South Side of St. John's Harbor, extending from Fort Amherst to Smeag's Bridge.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

CITY OF ST. JOHN'S. To Wit: PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors residing within the Municipal Limits of the City of St. John's, aforesaid, that the Polling Station, for the said poll, will be open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on THURSDAY, the 15th day of December, in the following places, viz:—

NO. 1 WARD. No. 1 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Benson, No. 7 York Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters A, B, C, D.

No. 2 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Ready, No. 9 York Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L.

No. 3 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Mahaney, No. 27 York Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters M, N, O, P, Q.

No. 4 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Hayne, No. 10 Bond Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z.

NO. 2 WARD. No. 1 Booth—At the house of Miss Sullivan, No. 10 Prospect Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters A, B, C, D.

No. 2 Booth—At the house of John Burko, No. 62 Prescott Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L.

No. 3 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Hickey, No. 52 Victoria Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters M, N, O, P, Q.

No. 4 Booth—At the house of James Wilson, No. 136 Bond Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z.

Evans, 214 Water Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters E, F, G, H, I, J, K.

No. 3 Booth—At the house of Mr. Stafford, 237 Water Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters L, M, N, O, P, Q.

No. 4 Booth—At the house of Mr. Peter Wall, 291 Water Street, for Electors only whose surnames begin with the letters R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z.

NO. 3 WARD. No. 1 Booth—At the house of Mrs. O'Toole, No. 11 South Side Road, for all Electors below the Bridge.

No. 2 Booth—At the house of Mr. Michael Stafford, South Side Road, for all Electors above the Bridge.

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Household Notes.

Soft tuffe lings should be beaten thoroughly until thick and cool. Sugar should be given to young children in very small amounts. Lemon and horseradish are nice served with oysters on half shell. Ground pimento flavor and color cottage cheese delightfully. Every child should have from a pint to a quart of milk each day. The brislet and the thick end of the shoulder are best for corned beef.

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Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

ON CHRISTMAS CARDS.



Illustration of a Christmas card.

There never was a pleasant Christmas custom, I think, than the custom of sending Christmas greetings to one's friends. And there never was a custom more abused. The sending of some simple attractive card to give in effect, "I am thinking of you today because I always think of those I love on Christmas and wish them happiness," is a true manifestation of the Christmas spirit.

But the business-like sending out of large numbers of cards, the worry that you will overlook someone who is going to send you a card, the anxiety to get cards that look as expensive for the money as possible, the consideration as to whether to send this or that person a five or a ten, or a two for five, all make the custom into a travesty on the Christmas spirit, a true manifestation of the commercial exchange spirit which has driven the spirit of Christmas out of so many hearts.

The Christmas Card Custom.
In many lives, card sending is a new ball which rolls itself bigger and bigger as the sender gathers new friends every year.
I suppose the only way to prevent this is to blue pencil your list pretty severely, to keep it down to those to whom you truly want to say "I am thinking of you to-day." Then don't be yourself if fretted if you do get cards from some people to whom you didn't send them. It really isn't a serious matter, you know. It only seems so because it is the day after Christmas and you are looking over your cards in the mood of let-downness and reaction which makes any little annoyance or mistake or disappointment seem all out of proportion.

Get Them Ready Early.
Another way to help the situation is to get your Christmas cards bought and written early. It is twice as easy to buy them if you start before the crowd comes and the stock has been depleted. And if you write them in your spare evenings before the last crowded week or two, you will

Billiards.

IS WILLIE SMITH LIKELY TO GO STALE?

(By Melbourne Inman, Professional Champion, 1912 to 1920.)

I cannot say that I am getting things my own way in the various games I have had so far. The lads seem to find their form a lot quicker than I ever managed to do. The old-time professionals were satisfied if they began to connect with their best performances about the end of the year. I suppose I fell into the same habit through my early acquaintance with John Roberts, Billy Mitchell, Jack North, Joe Mack and others. A pretty tough batch of money-match players this—better than at exhibition games by far. The up-to-date idea seems to be to get little, if anything, short of your very best and keep at top-pitch from one end of the season to the other. It is a bigger strain than many suppose. And when a player does go stale he is the last word in loss of ordinary skill. It will be interesting, as well as instructive, to see how Willie Smith shapes in the second half of the season. He is certainly playing wonderfully well just now. He has beaten me quite on my merits. Matters might have been a bit more kindly disposed towards me than they have been. A return of my old complaint, vertigo or giddiness, came me to any something about it the other evening. I did so much for the purpose of gaining a short spell of rest as anything else. There was some idea of playing a fresh game, but I thought I would see it out. Also I heard that Smith was offering to give me a start. We've heard of that kind of offer before. Nobody knows or should know better than Smith that he has no more chance of giving me a start than of climbing up to the dome of St. Paul's Cathedral. I would like it to be generally understood that billiards, as played by the leading professionals, depends a good deal on how the conditions suit both players. If one of them is exceptionally favoured, a state of affairs not at all unknown, he comes sailing along, the easiest of winners. Put the same two players together a week on another table, with a fresh set of balls, and a different result is not out of the question. Now then—in my match with Smith we had to play for the first five days with a very close-grained set of ivory balls. As a matter of fact, they more resembled the heavier composition balls in their springiness and acute throw-off. Try as I would, I could never control them nor gauge the "angle" with the degree of accuracy required. Judging by the confident way Smith played at them and the success of his shots, he might well have graduated as a composition-ball player. At the end of five days, when the scoring-board

LOOKED VERY UNKINDLY ON ME a new set of balls was provided. My long experience enables me to tell at almost the second shot whether I shall be able to play my real game. And I am convinced, as I always have been, that, given suitable conditions to my own particular kind of billiards, I can still hold my end up against anyone. You can be dead out of luck at this kind of thing. I am passing through a rare run of it. If ever I do get the conditions which suit me, somebody will be knowing about it. I ought to let it be known how pleased I am to see the second-class members of our profession coming to the front so well. Please don't throw any bouquets at me for my tip as to the winner of the second-class tournament. Yet I'd like to remind you that I coupled Arthur Peall, the scratch man, with young Davis, of Chesterfield (750 start), and that they finished first and second in the given order. I am going to say again that Peall is a chip of the old block. His father, W. J. Peall is the old spot-stroke champion. Curiously enough, the

veteran was about the last of any of us to recognise the undoubted talent possessed by Arthur, who hid his light under a bushel for several years before it could be plainly seen. A lot of flattering remarks are being made concerning the abilities of the 20-year-old youngster, Joe Davis, of Chesterfield. He is a very clever player for one of his age, and remarkably like my old friend, Tom Reeca, in height and build. His style and ideas also curiously resemble those of Reeca. The youngster ought to make good. He is being given a thorough try-out by the Manchester veteran, Edward Diggle, one of the strongest scorers of his day, and a rare model for anyone to copy in his way of putting a "break" together. Diggle was one of my most severe schoolmasters, and I can truly say that what I learned from him helped me no end on the long road to the championship. The old style of shaping at the table was to have the head and shoulders well up in the air. None held them higher than Diggle. The contrast of his stance with the chin-right-down on-the-cue modern style of Davis ought to be interesting. I shouldn't be at all surprised to find Diggle well holding his own. He is one of those who couldn't do badly with a cue in his hand if he tried.—News of the World.

Battleship for Canned Goods.

"The breaking up of battleships involves, as a rule, the cutting of the plates by means of the oxy-acetylene flame into pieces small enough to be inserted through the doors of blast furnaces. The maximum size of these pieces is generally 5 ft. by 2 ft. 6 in. "South Wales is a large consumer of scrap metal, especially in connection with the manufacture of tin plate, so that it is a fact that the Dreadnought of to-day will probably form the basis of the receptacles of the canned goods of a few years hence," says the Times.

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HAINES' WARNING.

It's Dry Law Hainees who now explains that bootleg drinks are deadly; so let's eschew the poisoned brew, and cease to part things redly. This Dry Law Hainees is taking pains to warn us of our danger; he hates to see the graveyard tea-kill off the pilgrim stranger. The "bootleg" drinks are made by ginks who are not moral dandies, and he is wise to all their ryes, their bourbons, gins and brandies. Of poisons dire and liquid fire they are a sinful medley, and Brother Hainees, he still maintains that bootleg drinks are deadly. And Comrade Hainees, a man of brains and wit, of what he's speaking, he tells among the jug and bung and spigot sadly leaking. He samples rye and finds it lye, all kinds of booze he handles; he finds one brew has liquid glue, put in by Goths and Vandals. "Oh, fakes and janes," cries Helpful Hainees, "let's all apply the water to those who sell this broth of hell that makes the reason gutter. It strikes me blind and wrecks the mind that once was grand and gaudy; so let us flay the heartless jay who sells this bone-yard toddy." This speaketh Hainees; applauses he gains from those sober thinkers who've marked the fate that seems to wait for bootleg whiskey drinkers.

Helium Inflated Airships.

NORFOLK, Va.—By three flights with her bag filled with helium, the big navy dirigible C-7 has proved that the newly discovered gas can be used by lighter-than-air flying machines. Helium is non-inflammable. The helium used in inflating the C-7 is the product of the government plant at Fort Worth. Helium can be made in commercial quantities only from the oil obtained from certain wells in Oklahoma and Texas fields, and the United States, if necessary, can prevent other nations from obtaining it and thus possess great military advantages over them. The plant at Fort Worth, which cost several million dollars, was built during the war and is now under the joint operation of the army and navy. Helium is separated from the other gases in the oil by means of complicated refrigerating apparatus and the process is costly. The high cost of the gas, according to the aviators, is its only drawback.

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HOLDS PUBLIC MEETING.

The public meeting in connection with Municipal affairs called by Mayor Morris opened at 8.15 last night in the Casino Theatre. Ex-Mayor Gosling presided, and in opening stated he did not intend to take any active part in the forthcoming contest. He had been asked by Mayor Morris to act as chairman of the meeting in order to explain some matters in connection with the Charter. He said he made Mayor Morris no promise that he would work for him. He, however, whilst not taking an active part in the election, intended to constitute himself a critic, and see that whoever was elected would carry out the Charter. Mr. Gosling advised the audience to select their candidates for Councillors by their attitude towards the Civic Charter. He then directed the attributes necessary in the men selected to govern the city. The duties of the new Council was next dealt with by the speaker, and one of the principal of these, he said, was the making of By-Laws. There were two changes made in the Charter by the Legislature, which he regretted, Mr. Gosling said. These were, first, the payment of the Mayor and Councillors; second, a Council elected as a whole. Under the original draft the Council was to serve the city without payment, and he thought that there was sufficient capable men in the city to do so. In the second instance, if the Council was elected under the two year term for half the body, the city would always have men with at least 2 years experience on the board. Mr. Gosling concluded by calling upon Mayor Morris to address the meeting. It may be explained that when the meeting opened there was a small attendance, but that later the seats in the auditorium became well filled.

MR. MORRIS' PLATFORM.

In opening his speech Mayor Morris said that when he called the meeting he was not aware of the shops being open in the night time or else he would have held it at a later hour. He said he proposed to address the audience first as Mayor of the city, and towards the end as a candidate for the Mayoralty. The speaker then reviewed his part in the two year period during which the Charter was being prepared, and the five year period before it was passed by the Legislature. He paid a glowing tribute to ex-Mayor Gosling's work in the matter, and congratulated the city on having him at the head of affairs during the period of the war. Mayor Morris stated that he was a Commissioner. He believed that St. John's should be governed by a Commission rather than by an elected board. He had learned this from his two years knowledge as a Commissioner and his six years experience as an elected

Councillor. In scathing words Mayor Morris denounced the manner in which the public life of the country was conducted. Turning to the subject of the city proper, the Mayor said he acknowledged that it was not as orderly and as neat as it should be. He had thought that when he went on the Council Board he would be able to make improvements. The Council, however, had their hands tied with obsolete laws and lack of funds. Nearly one-third of your revenue has to be paid in interest, said the Mayor. Roughly about \$2000 per week has to be paid out on this account. As an instance of the lack of funds he said that it was only on the 30th of November that he was able to sign a cheque for interest due in June last. The Mayor next described St. John's as he would have it. He said first he would turn to Quidi Vidi Lake, around which he would build a broad drive way, along which trees and shrubs would extend as far as the Octagon, formerly kept by Prof. Daniels. These driveways, he said, would enclose the city, within which he would demolish about two-fifths of the present buildings, particularly those west of Carter's Hill. The lands made vacant he would have terraced, and where three houses are at present he would only permit two to be built. On Carter's Hill he would build a tramway for the convenience of the people living on the higher levels. All these improvements, said the speaker, I would have for St. John's, but they are impossible of accomplishment with the present finances.

THE INTERNAL WORKINGS OF THE COUNCIL.

Mayor Morris next took up the inner workings of the Council. He said it was a great mistake to leave the city without a Council during the month of July last. Men were being blamed to-day for what was done then, in referring to the Council's office he said the buildings were not adapted for economic working, as at present the work was divided between the office on Duckworth Street and the old drill shed on King's Road. Passing on to the Charter, he said he believed that if it was faithfully carried out the city will in a few years show a marked improvement. In referring to the payment of the Mayor and Councillors he said that he was willing to serve as Mayor for the next ten years free of charge, if St. John's would give him \$30,000 per year for the improvement of the city streets. As the Mayor of the city, he said, he believed he could do more direct good than if he were Premier of the country. He would not advise the people to make a change now. It is too critical a time to do so. The finances of the Council are straitened; he knew the fight that was before him and he was prepared to do his best. He said he did not conduct a campaign, as he was desirous for the people to decide without it. He said he wanted to feel that he was elected by the good will of the people. Mayor Morris continuing said he was aware that during the past three weeks a great campaign was being waged against him. This, he said, he regretted as both himself and the other contestant for the office were great personal friends. In proof of this the Mayor read a letter he sent to Hon. Tasker Cook and the latter's reply. Seeing that we are friends and both of us well known to the citizens, said Mayor Morris, I ask do people think there is need for a campaign? No, never! Somebody is plotting. What is it? There is more at stake than the Mayoralty. It may be, continued the speaker, the powers of Mobile River. In these waters, according to the report of Mr. Longley, an expert who has examined them, you have power enough to do all the lighting, heating and driving in the city of St. John's were it twice the present size. Behind this campaign, said he, there is somebody wishing to get more control over the Mobile River. Before concluding Mayor Morris explained his position with regard to the Road-Lux, and the efforts of himself and other Councillors to save the stores from being looted during the time of a crisis. In thanking the audience for their attendance the Mayor promised that if he were elected St. John's could count on him to give of his best, and whether it was the Governor or a beggar that came to his office, they would get a chair to sit on, a fan, his hand, or his blessing, and that he would rule by love and Christian charity. At the close of the meeting the Chairman thanked Mayor Morris for his kindly reference and hoped that what had been said would be weighed by the voters before casting their ballots. The meeting ended at 10 o'clock with the National Anthem.

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"Then You'll remember me?"

13 OUTERBRIDGE X

I Thank You!

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To the Electors of St. John's.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.— Having been pressed by numerous friends to enter the Municipal contest, I have decided to offer myself as a Candidate in the forthcoming Election. The outstanding features of my policy will be the conservation of the Taxpayer, and amongst the necessary improvements which I intend advocating will be the inauguration of a Public Market Place and the extension of the Street Car Service to the Higher Levels.

TAXATION HAS REACHED THE LIMIT. It is this to be a place fit to call home, we must call a halt and get back to the simple life. Instead of looking for more sources of taxation to worry and harass the already overburdened Taxpayer, my frank and honest conviction is, if Council work was put out to tender and contracted for, there would be ample funds for all our needs if public monies were conserved and not played fast and loose with. We have a huge city debt, and our duty is to see that it is not increased but reduced. Our slogan must be ECONOMIZE.

PUBLIC MARKET PLACE FOR ST. JOHN'S A NECESSITY.

It is obvious to all who have visited any country outside Newfoundland the great blessing it confers on producer and consumer alike. Besides, the Town or City which possesses such a valuable asset, in Towns in England, Ireland and Scotland, where the population is from 10,000 to about 15 or 20,000, you find a weekly market, and in larger ones a daily one. It would encourage the producer to increased production, lower the cost of living to the consumer. The money that would change hands would go into the shops and stores. Market Day would be our Red Letter Day.

The development of Agriculture would be encouraged. Tens of thousands of acres of valuable land now lying waste would be tilled. Idle lands like idle hands are a curse to any country. In 1898 the late Hon. E. M. Jackman got a Government grant of Ten thousand dollars for the above purpose. With accrued interest there is available about \$20,000 (now in Bank).

THE STREET CAR SERVICE TO THE HIGHER LEVELS.

Next summer this shall have my hearty support. In conclusion, you can judge best of my merits or demerits.

Thank you in anticipation for your vote and influence. Believe me, respectfully,
No. 14 THOMAS PEEL,
Late Water Street.

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House Flies in Winter.

The latest investigations regarding the manner in which house-flies pass the winter are briefly summed up as follows: First, in the latitude of Washington, D.C. and farther south, at least, it has been shown that the house-fly may pass the winter out of doors in or under large manure heaps as a maggot and a pupa; and, second, that in warm bakeries, restaurants and stables it may lay eggs and produce new individuals all winter if food for the maggots

is present. Farther than this we cannot say with absolute surety. Some investigators think that the fall-grown flies can and do live through the winter in a dormant condition, hidden away in cracks and crevices, much as a woodchuck lives in its hole; but there seems to be no positive evidence of this. The available evidence indicates that all, or nearly all, house-flies die in the late autumn and early winter, and that the insect passes through the winter most commonly as a pupa. In manure piles about stables. There we shall



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DAY'S MESSAGES.

COMMUNION ARRIVED. KINGSTON, Jamaica, Dec. 14. Mission, headed by Major Wood, by the British Government to inaugurate economic and political conferences in the West Indies, arrived yesterday.

SESSION OF PARLIAMENT. LONDON, Dec. 14. The special session of Parliament to consider the Irish Peace settlement was opened to-day by the King. In his speech from the throne, he said "It is my earnest hope that the articles of agreement now submitted to you will be accepted, and that Ireland may be a partner in the Commonwealth."

IT BE PEACE OR WAR? DUBLIN, Dec. 14. Dublin was astir early to-day, and a keen interest in the gathering of the Irish Peace settlement was evident. The question of war with Britain. All papers and so-called moderate opinion strongly support the stand of Arthur Griffith, Michael Collins and other signers of the peace settlement.

Municipal Election, 1921. QUALIFICATION OF VOTERS. The following qualifications of those eligible to vote in to-morrow's election are taken from the Revised Charter under Section—caption—

THE ELECTORATE. The right to vote for the Mayor and members of the city shall be enjoyed by all British subjects of the age of twenty-one years and upwards who have resided in the city for one year immediately preceding the election; and

McGuire's Bread, 18 oz. loaf, retailing at 10 cents. Shipping Notes. S. S. Watuka has hailed to Franklin's to finish discharging her cargo, a part of which was landed at Moore's wharf, North Sydney, arrived yesterday afternoon with a coal cargo to the Reid Nfld. Co.

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Supreme Court.

(Before Chief Justice.) A. H. Murray & Co., Ltd., as Managing Owner of the Vessel "Joan Walker", vs. The Royal Bank of Canada. On motion of E. S. Pinnat for defendant and on consent of L. E. Emerson for plaintiff, it is ordered that the matter be postponed until Dec. 21st at 11 a.m.

IN CHAMBERS. (Before Chief Justice.) In the matter of the petition of George Neal, Ltd. praying that Joseph Barrett of Bay Roberts, General Dealer, is insolvent and that he may be so declared. Gibbs, K.C., for the petitioner. C. J. Fox for the insolvent. Wood, K.C., for A. E. Hickman, E. S. Pinnat for Harvey & Co. Joseph Barrett was sworn and examined by Gibbs, K.C. It is ordered that Joseph Barrett be declared insolvent and that the trustee be confirmed.

A GOOD CANDIDATE.—A very commendable and reliable candidate is E. D. SPURRELL, and one who should prove an intelligent Councillor to represent you. Why not give SPURRELL a chance? dec12,cof,tf

Coastal Boats.

CROSBIE'S. S. S. Sun due to-night. GOVERNMENT. S. S. Portia—no report. S. S. Prospero left Burlington yesterday morning. REIDS. Clyde at Lewisporte yesterday. Home leaving Lewisporte to-day. Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques this morning. Meigle at St. John's. Malakoff left Greenspond at 1 p.m. Monday, outward.

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Dry Shampoos; Olive Oil Shampoos. MRS. J. L. COURTNEY, Keating Bldg.—dec12,31. Stafford's Ginger Wine for Christmas, 20c. per bottle, at Stafford's Drug Store, Theatre Hill.—dec7,tf. Stafford's Ginger Wine for sale at Knowling's Stores, East West and Central Price 20c. per bottle.—dec7,tf.

Electric and Massage Treatments for dandruff, falling hair, dry and oily hair. MRS. J. L. COURTNEY, Keating Building.—dec12,31. Gifts coming from DULEY'S play an important part in the sentiment attached to them, for the recipient knows that the best, and the best only has been selected as the token of your esteem.—dec14,21.

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Outerbridge's Platform.

"THE MAN WITH A DEFINITE CIVIC POLICY." FELLOW CITIZEN: I appeal to you—as an intelligent citizen—as one who has the best interests of our city at heart—as one who is not swayed by any sentimental or personal reasons—I appeal to you to carefully consider the thirteen planks of the policy I have enunciated during the past three weeks.

I am one who stands alone, absolutely free and independent, whose desire it you honour me with election, is not only to carry out all the planks enumerated in my platform but to guard faithfully and carefully your best interests at all times. On this policy I am prepared to accept your decision whether it be election or rejection. You have my assurance that nothing can or will deter me from giving my best and most consistent services to the City on your behalf. We are all compelled to work out our daily existence in this little town of ours and my one aim in life is to make St. John's a better and brighter place for us to live in peace and harmony with no increased cost or extra taxation to the citizens. It can be done and done so well that eventually we shall take that pride in it that is so desirable. If you consider me at all worthy of your confidence give me the chance to endeavor to bring such a condition about. To those whom I have not had the pleasure of personally greeting and soliciting their support I can only request them to take the will for the deed and to thank them for their interest in my candidature. For your patience and in anticipation of your vote, I thank you. Yours sincerely, P. E. OUTERBRIDGE, No. 13.

FOR SALE—One Railway Carload of BIRCH JUNKS. Apply to the West End Wood Co., or phone 458.—dec12,31. New Map of the Moon. After five years of perseverance a French astronomer named Le Morvan of the Paris Observatory has succeeded in producing an accurate map of the moon, with all its valleys, mountain ranges and various tropics properly classified according to their characteristic features. The French Academy of Science has just received forty-eight plates prepared by M. Le Morvan which embody the results of six years of photographing of the moon in all her aspects. More than 8,000 views are represented, which bring the knowledge of the moon's geography far closer than any scientist has yet been able to bring it. M. Le Morvan has adopted an interesting system of nomenclature which shows that the moon also is provided with five great oceans, which he called the Nectar Sea, the Vaporous Ocean, the Cold Sea, the Warm Ocean and the Ocean Tempest, the latter strangely the obverse of our Pacific Ocean. One great lake has been identified as the Lake of Dreams, and whole mountain ranges have received well known names, such as the Alps, the Carpathians, the Taurus, the Cordilleras and the Andes, according to the relative position in which they were found. M. Le Morvan does not insist that the world accept his names, however, merely wishing to give science in the future an opportunity to know what progress has been achieved by the savants of the twentieth century and also to provide a basis for future observations of any changes that may occur on the moon's surface.

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Origin of Riot a Mystery.

JERUSALEM IN THROES OF RACIAL HOSTILITY. Jerusalem, Palestine, Nov. 3.—(A. P. Mail).—An official inquiry "has been started into the riot of November 2, the fourth anniversary of the Balfour Declaration in which Palestine was promised as a National Homeland for the Jews, when six persons were killed and 39 wounded. The trouble had been seething for some weeks since, when the Palestine Committee for Independence, with headquarters in Egypt, sent telegrams to all parts of Palestine advising all natives to close shops and cease work yesterday as a protest against England's policy in the Holy Land. The government, therefore, having learned of the "holiday" telegrams, had taken elaborate precautions for the safety of the people. Troops with drawn bayonets had been stationed in the strategic sections of the city. Armed motor cars paraded the principal streets. Mohammedans and Christians kept their shops closed. Even the Jews who favor English occupation, fearing disorders, had decided to take a holiday.

MOSLEM'S AGAINST JEWS. In accordance with prearranged plans, a large crowd of Mohammedans at 8 o'clock had gathered in the Mosque of Omar, their only place of worship in Jerusalem. Patriotic speeches were delivered by influential Moslems, thus creating a tense feeling against the Jews, who were pictured as "trying to strip the country." What is believed to have added fuel to the anti-Jewish fires was the fact that the Mosque directly overlooks the Jewish synagogue. No one could determine with any degree of accuracy to-day just how the fighting started. Many rumors were circulated, diametrically differing according to their origin. One report was that a young Jew, a Communist type had gone to the Mosque and jeered the Mohammedan speakers. Another report placed the blame on a group of Moslem boys who are alleged to have invaded the Jewish quarter, beating men and women with sticks. But the real origin of the fighting, at the moment of writing, is still a mystery. However, it is established that disorders began at 10 o'clock in the morning in a little dingy street. By noon the fighting had spread to all sections of the walled city. Meanwhile, martial law had been declared. The first act of the military was to disarm the members of the police force who were charged with collusion with the rioters. Soldiers were rushed to the affected areas with machine guns. By 2 p.m. the situation was well in hand and order had been restored. The night was uneventful.

Serbia Has Come Back. BELGRADE, Jugoslavia.—(By the Associated Press).—Serbia has "come back." This is perhaps the most inclusive way of saying that the little Slav Kingdom has recovered in the most spectacular way from the effects of the war. For the first time in 10 years the country is standing on its own feet and is in no need of outside assistance. The peasantry of Jugoslavia, which form the backbone and sinew of the country, are enjoying a degree of prosperity and material contentment unknown before. Other countries may have their unemployment problems, but Jugoslavia has none. Indeed, she has abundant work for thousands of aliens who are honest, have the will to work and are free from Bolshevism. Two hundred thousand good Russians who were without employment since the Petrograd revolution of 1917 have come to hospitable Jugoslavia and found useful and profitable pursuits among people of their own tongue. Every Serbian soldier, too, has found remunerative work upon leaving the army. Soldiers' unions, legions, or employment bureaus do not exist in this country. BUILDING BOOM ALL OVER COUNTRY. The most impressive evidence of Serbia's rejuvenation is the extraordinary building boom which is sweeping the country. In Belgrade alone 4,000 buildings are in course of construction. In every corner of the kingdom business buildings, schoolhouses and private dwellings are springing up with a rapidity that reminds one of the building boom in the Western towns of the United States when gold was discovered, or of the home-building craze that set the suburban centers of that country a decade ago. Every square foot of the 4,000 buildings now in erection in the Serbian capital is taken, and it will require thousands of additional structures to accommodate the business firms and individuals who are flocking to the Jugoslavian metropolis in ever-increasing numbers. One called "an overgrown village," Belgrade is now for the first time assuming the proportions, importance and dignity of a real capital. Soon the city will have a splendid Parliament building, a royal residence, and an Opera House of which more prosperous and ostentatious countries might feel proud. NOTICE! Skates sharpened at 84 Lime St. J. J. FLEMING, Shoemaker.—dec12,31.

Sir William Robertson.

TELLS HOW HE COMMANDED AS A SOLDIER IN THE RANKS. The first private soldier to succeed in forcing his way up, step by step, to field marshal's rank—the highest possible—has written a book about his marvellous achievement. It is an inspiring story, one that every young man should read. William Robertson took the "Queen's Shilling" from a recruiting sergeant in the city of Worcester in 1877, at the age of 17. He was sent to the 16th Lancers at Aldershot and posted to "G" troop, of which the subaltern officer was Lieut. Blair. "I am sure that none of us then thought," writes Field Marshal Sir William Robertson, Bart., in his book, "From Private to Field Marshal," "that forty-one years later I would be Commander-in-Chief of the Eastern Command, and he would be my private secretary. But so it turned out!"

Life in the ranks was a stern ordeal in Pte. Robertson's days. The men were a rough, heavy-drinking, foul-mouthed lot. The youngster's first night in the army could not have been more discouraging. His new comrades had just received their pay; most of them were boisterously drunk; there were fights which raged around and over the new recruit's bed. His chance—remote enough to seem impossible—of winning a field marshal's baton was in peril that night. "I began to wonder whether I had made a wise decision after all. I continued to wonder for several nights afterwards, and would be awake for hours meditating whether to see the matter through, or get out of bed, put on my plain clothes (which I still had), and desert. Fortunately for me, another occupant of the room removed the temptation these clothes afforded, for having none of his own, he one night appropriated mine, went off in them, and never came back."

Then, once again, the career which has since proved so brilliant was imperilled by a comparatively triviality. Pte. Robertson had been on escort duty, and the escort had lost their prisoner. "The corporal was at once placed 'in arrest,' whilst I and my companion were assigned to the guard-room, there to await trial by court-martial, and in all probability to be sentenced to not less than six months' imprisonment. At the end of three weeks the general commanding the cavalry brigade exercised as I thought, and still think, a sensible discretion by releasing us."

The field marshal writes of his days in the ranks as "in some ways the most interesting and fascinating of all." "I derived greater satisfaction from being promoted lance-corporal in 1879—the first rung of the ladder than I did from being created a baronet forty years later; and, a lieutenant, I felt prouder to be a commandant at the rail-head of a frontier expeditionary force in India of less than 10,000 men, than, as general, to be chief of the Imperial General Staff in the greatest conflict the world has ever known, when the number of our troops ran into several millions."

Having surmounted and dispelled the obstacles and doubts of the early days, Robertson's career became one of hard work, self-denial, and study. Entirely without private income, relying solely upon his army pay, the young officer's early days of commissioned rank were far from easy. "Water was the only drink I could afford, while for smoking I had to be content with a fixed amount of tobacco, and cheroots at 2s. a hundred. It was not altogether agreeable to be seen drinking water at a mess while others were drinking champagne, or to defer smoking till leaving the mess because pipes were not allowed, but it had to be done."

But by hard struggles and indomitable perseverance he forged ahead. In 1892 he had taught himself five languages; in 1895 he was one of the oldest lieutenants on the list, but in 1903 he "became in less than nine years one of the youngest colonels."

Soviet Decree and Personal Property. Moscow. (Associated Press).—A recent Soviet decree, which has been published, declares that the furniture of all persons who have left Moscow is the property of the Soviet, and is only temporarily entrusted to the persons occupying the rooms where the furniture is placed.

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Men's Blue Nap Overcoats. We have a line of Blue Nap Overcoats, With Belt and Buckle. Sizes: 3, 4, 5, 6, 7. Sale Price: \$15.00. W. H. JACKMAN, 39 Water Street, West.

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Cash Sale! THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL IS Childs' Wool Dresses, \$2.75 each. And numerous other Bargains. BON MARCHE, Opposite Bowling Bros. OPEN AT NIGHTS. 268 Water Street.

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Freemasonry in Norway. The Grand Lodge of Norway has addressed a letter to all the Masonic powers with whom it has entered into friendly relations calling attention to the fact that the Provincial Grand Lodge Polar Star, which has been working in Norway under the direction of the German Grand Lodge Zur Sonne of Bayreuth, has now been constituted as an independent Grand Lodge. The Grand Lodge of Norway disowns the right for this to be done, as a National Grand Lodge embracing the whole country is already in existence, and it refuses to recognize this newly constituted body. In this action Norway is being supported by the other jurisdictions with which it is in communication.—The Times (London). The most captivating and useful Men's Winter Vests have now been greatly reduced at BISHOP'S. Any one of these would make a most acceptable man's gift and the drastic reductions place high class Wool Vests within reach of every purse. A new Vest is sometimes the means of making an old suit take on a new appearance and give many months' longer wear. If the frosting is cooked apply when cake is cold; if uncooked, apply while cake is still warm.

Our Local Pepys.

HIS DIARY. December 13.—Mighty sleepy; slept past eight of the clock. All the morning rays did fall heavily, such as I have never seen it to do at this season of the year. To the office...

Guild Sale of Work.

Mr. W. Angus Reid opened the sale of work which the Young Ladies Guild of St. Andrew's Church held yesterday afternoon in the Presbyterian Hall. Mr. Reid outlined the object of the sale which was to help towards the additional equipment of the educational facilities of the Presbyterian College. All the stalls were tastefully decorated. Afternoon teas were served in the course of the day and the proceeds amounted to quite a substantial sum. The stall holders were: Christmas Novelties (1.00 and under)—Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. Frost, Fancy Work, Bags, Bridge Table Covers, etc.—Mrs. G. Marshall, Mrs. J. J. McKay, Miss Wilson. Plain Work—Miss Ledingham, Miss Thompson. Dolls—Miss M. Gibb. Baby Table—Mrs. F. G. Lumsden. Mince Meats, Mince Preserves, etc.—Mrs. M. G. Glass. Candy—Miss Davidson.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

RUHR IN SOUTH AMERICA. BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 13. Peruvian troops have crossed the Chilian frontier, according to a correspondent of La Nacion, at La Paz, Bolivia. VOLCANO IN EREPTOS. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 14. Erupting in its violent eruption, and all towns in the vicinity have been warned that the eruptions are most serious of any since the volcano suddenly started spouting lava and ashes two days ago, according to wireless warnings from the city of Mexico to Point Isabel, picked up here. BROKEN OFF. CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 14. Negotiations between Turkey and Italy have broken down, and the Italian Commissioner has returned to Italy. AUSTRIA WILL BE NEWSPAPER-LESS. VIENNA, Dec. 14. The Newspaper Publishers Union asserts that Austria will be without daily newspapers soon, unless aid is received from Government. HIGH FINANCE. PARIS, Dec. 14. The Temps, commenting on payments of instalments due by Germany for January and February reparations account, says "The day when Great Britain renounces in favor of devastated regions of France, 500,000,000 gold marks, awarded by the Convention of August 15, to the British troops of occupation, then France could propose that Germany be exempted from money payments in 1922." AS A TREATY ONLY. LONDON, Dec. 14. Viscount Grey, in a speech delivered last night at Manchester in favor of the Irish agreement, said the agreement has been described as a generous offer, but that he did not regard it as an offer at all, but as a treaty, and only in this light could peace and goodwill be brought about between Great Britain and Ireland. BIG AMBER DISCOVERY. VANCOUVER, Dec. 14. Hundreds of tons of supposed drass, mined from Coalton collieries in the Nicola valley of British Columbia, turns out on expert examination to be amber. This is believed to be the first amber discovered in North America. TOWNS INUNDED. SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 14. The death list reached thirteen yesterday as a result of flood conditions in more than a dozen towns in Western Washington, partially inundated since Saturday by incessant rains. COURT REFUSED REQUEST. MELBOURNE, Dec. 14. The Commonwealth Arbitration Court yesterday refused the request of the Industrial Union for a general PLANT 10 IN Outerbridge's Platform.

PLANK 9 IN Outerbridge's Platform.

TWO PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS (EAST AND WEST) FOR JUVENILES. St. John's has ever been noted for the quantity and good quality of its sportsmen. Let us look back only a few years ago when Cricket was "the game." Did you see crack teams from the men-of-war and outside cities phase us any? Not at all. Later when Football became the rage—when we progressed from kicking the "cod" to the good old game of Association, did our boys take second place once the game was learned? Certainly not! Are our hockeyists a back number when their Canadian cousins face them on the ice? By no means! Did not our basketballers make a much better showing against the "Sydney Millionaires" than ever we could have imagined? Haven't we produced unsurpassed "angles" and "doubles" in tennis? Isn't our champion golfer to-day defending the laurels of his University in an international contest? What of our plucky athletes who went to Halifax last summer to represent us—neither knockers nor boosters? And what more words can express "the greatest game of all" played by our gallant Newfoundlanders on the battlefields of France and Gallipoli and in the turbulent North Sea? All this leads us to the ninth plank in my platform—the providing of two public playgrounds for our kids. 'Twill make better citizens of them for to quote Kipling "the boys of to-day are the men of to-morrow!" Give the youngsters a better chance than they've got now. The 3 city colleges have their splendidly equipped playgrounds but what of the thousands of youngsters who are obliged to play on the streets at imminent risk to life and limb? Let us have a free public playground in the East and one in the West looked after by responsible persons and under the control of the Council. Again, I say, give the youngsters their chance! Are you with me? 13-OUTERBRIDGE-X I THANK YOU—

McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 14. Preston's Throat Pastilles (antiseptic) are of exceptional value in this damp muggy weather, to clear the voice and throat, to protect the chest and bronchial tubes from the invasion of colds and coughs, or to relieve sore throat or hoarseness. Price 30 cents a box. Emulsified Coconut Oil Shampoo Liquid certainly bears the hall of all Shampoo preparations, so far as popularity is concerned. And in this case, popularity may be called a fair test of worth—people have no difficulty in deciding whether a shampoo mixture is of value to them or not. As a matter of fact, this Liquid Shampoo has many local advantages over most things of the kind. Price 40 cents a bottle.

Labor Candidate Holds Meeting.

Mr. E. J. Whitty, the labor candidate for Councillor in the Municipal elections, held a meeting in the I.S.P.U. Hall last night. Mr. John Murphy, who acted as chairman opened the meeting. For over an hour Mr. Whitty addressed the meeting on civic matters pointing out the need of labor being represented on the Council Board. Addresses were also delivered by Messrs. E. D. Spurrell, C. F. Garland, G. W. B. Ayre, J. R. Smallwood and Mrs. Julia Salter Earle. Mr. George Buteman, of the S.S. Harmony, a very fluent speaker, and an executive member of the International Workers' Association of America, also addressed the meeting. He dealt mostly with civic affairs in the Old Country and the manner in which the big labor organizations support and bring forward their members for civic and political honors. The meeting closed at 11 p.m. with the National Anthem.

CITIZENS OF ST. JOHN'S Voters, male and female, will you not remember who it was that put in two the price of sugar, who it was that got the work for the starting people, and who did so without any rioting, or destruction of property or hurt to any person, who represents at least one half of the people, who is an eloquent and forceful speaker, a man of ideas, a man of the people, who stands for the people; and will you not, on Thursday, show your appreciation of what he has done by electing E. J. WHITTY, the Labour Leader.—dec14.21

Personal.

Mr. T. R. Phippard, ticket agent of the Reid Nfd. Co., is back again on his old stand after about a month's absence, during which he underwent treatment at New York for eye trouble. We are glad to learn that as a result of his visit his sight is considerably improved. The wedding of Miss Fan B. Rogerson, eldest daughter of W. P. and Mrs. Rogerson, and Mr. A. G. Holmes, son of the Rev. A. A. Holmes, late of Pouch Cove, but now residing at Wroxeter, Ontario, takes place at the residence of Mrs. George Knowling, Rennie's Mill Road at 8.30 o'clock this evening.

Look for a Big Majority.

To-morrow's election will be the most interesting for some time in view of the long list of candidates. The counting of the ballots for Mayor will commence Friday, and if it is possible the result will be made known by midnight. The Southside numbers some of our most respected fellow citizens and I am hereby promising them that (in the event of my return) the Mayor and the other five Councillors are going to become very, very tick of the sound of the voice of Candidate 13, E. J. Outerbridge, unless some of the grievances of Southside citizens are given very prompt attention. Are you with me? 13-OUTERBRIDGE-X I THANK YOU—

Outerbridge's Platform.

THE SOUTHSIDE. The attitude of many residents of the Southside is that they will vote for nobody and I do not blame them in this attitude at all. They have voted in the past at both civic and general elections and their support has been solicited on promises that some attention to their most crying needs would be given. As soon as Polling Day was safely over the promises vanished like last winter's snow. The Eastern section of the Southside Road at most seasons of the year is not only nearly impassable but one might say absolutely impassable without the aid of a dory, the liquid mud forming not a road but a canal. In many places it would take even more than the thirteen planks of my platform to enable one to get from one side of the road to the other. Women residents of the Southside wanting to come to town to do their shopping, etc. are obliged to literally scramble along the sides of a very steep hill to prevent absolutely ruining their clothing. A plank walk for pedestrians along the Southside Road from the English Bridge East is not a luxury but an absolute necessity and why it was not erected by the very first St. John's City Council is a mystery and an example of the neglect with which the Southside has been treated. In the matter of ordinary reasonable civic benefits the Southside (like several other portions of the city in this respect) is again neglected. Water is supplied in some sections but no sewerage and what is the use of one without the other—about as much use as a cart without a horse. Full taxes, however, are charged and in some cases assessments are out of all reason. The Southside numbers some of our most respected fellow citizens and I am hereby promising them that (in the event of my return) the Mayor and the other five Councillors are going to become very, very tick of the sound of the voice of Candidate 13, E. J. Outerbridge, unless some of the grievances of Southside citizens are given very prompt attention. Are you with me? 13-OUTERBRIDGE-X I THANK YOU—



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Give Him a Pair of Long Rubbers For Christmas Give Her a Nice Pair of CLOTH TOP GAITERS "COLUMBUS" RUBBER FOOTWEAR Should occupy a prominent place on your Gift List. Can't you imagine the pleasure and comfort that members of your family would experience, facing the stormy and frosty days, shod with a good pair of Cloth Top Gaiters or Long Rubbers? Columbus Rubbers are supplied in a large variety of styles and qualities. They are the only kind that meet your needs at once—in comfort and economy. Besides the famous "Columbus" Boot for Men, there is a range of Rubber Footwear to suit every member of the family,—young or old. See Them at Your Dealers or at Our Retail Store, Water St. The Cleveland Rubber Company 166 Water Street, John's, N. F.

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Phone 950. Office & Workshop, P. O. Box 909. 160 Water St. West. C. A. HUBLEY Has moved from 406 Water St. to the above address, where business will be transacted in future. Service counts. In order to look after patrons it has been found necessary to lay in a stock of Pipe and Fittings, both for cold storage and heating work, also Machine Parts, etc. In fact: Everything in Machinery and Hardware th.s.14

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| Valencia Oranges, 35c. doz. | Grape Fruit, 12c. 15c. 18c. |
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California Navel Oranges, 216, 200, 176's.

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| Extra Fancy Citron | Orange Peel . . . 33c. lb. |
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| Shelled Walnuts, \$1.10 lb | Shelled Valencia A1-monds. |
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SOFT WHITE SUGAR 10 1/2c. lb.

MALAGA TABLE RAISINS, 1 lb. papers.
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| Extra Large Naples Wal-nuts. | Salted Peanuts. |
| Tarazona Almonds. | Large Brazil Nuts. |
| Peanuts in the Shell. | Large Sicily Filberts. |

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| French Green Peas, 1 lb. tins. | French Mushrooms, 1/2 lb. tins. |
| French String Beans, 1 lb. tins. | Mint Sauce. |
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The Saviour promised long;
Let every heart prepare a throne,
And every voice a song!

On him the Spirit, largely shed,
Exerts his sacred fire;
Wisdom and might, and seal and love,
His holy breast inspire.

He comes, the prisoners to release
In Satan's bondage held;
The gates of brass before Him burst,
The iron fetters yield.

He comes, from thickest films of vice
To clear the mental ray,
And on the eye-balls of the blind
To pour celestial day.

He comes, the broken heart to bind,
The bleeding soul to cure,
And with the treasures of His grace
To enrich the humble poor.

Our glad Hosannas, Prince of Peace,
Thy welcome shall proclaim,
And heaven's eternal arches ring
With Thy beloved name.



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No cough remedy has ever been discovered that will cure every cough, but we think we have one that comes little nearer to doing it than most of them. We have prepared it for years, it has been tried in all manner of cases and gives satisfac-tion. We ask you to remember and try this:

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Just Folks

MOTHER.
He hadn't any mother—he was just a little lad,
And the kindly neighbors round him shook their heads and said, "too bad."
And they tried their best to cheer him, but the gentlest of them knew
She couldn't take his mother's place with all that she could do.

They talked about him often just as though he were their own,
He was so young and small a boy to face the world alone.
And I began to wonder as I heard them whispering low
At just what age a man's prepared to see his mother go.

Oh, now and then I hear it said that grown-ups do not mind
The hurt when mother goes away and leaves them all behind,
But never have I met a man so old and bent and gray
Who didn't seem to want and need his mother every day.

The oldest of the motherless still wishes she were here,
Whatever of joy they may bring, he wants her standing near;
And though the lonely children em-pa-size our grief anew,
Somehow I'm always sorry for the grown-up orphans, too.

War Veterans Will Get Bonus.

BRITAIN'S DEBT TO U.S. TO BE UTILIZED.

WASHINGTON. — (By Canadian Press)—United States veterans of the war are within sight of victory for the soldiers' bonus. This will be interesting news for their brethren of the world war in Canada. Moreover, many men now living in Canada who served in the American navy will be beneficiaries.

The Harding administration blocked the passage of a bonus measure last summer, but the pressure for action has now become so strong that Rep-ublican leaders in both Houses of Congress now concede that a bill will be passed in the regular session which opens Monday, December 5. The truth of the matter is the Republican party leaders are afraid to go into the Congressional campaign of 1922 un-less a bonus measure is put through.

How to raise the money to meet the bonus is a hard question to answer. The latest suggestion, and one which the administration and Congress lead-ers are seriously considering, is to utilize the British debt of about \$4,000,000,000 for the purpose of meeting the bonus. This plan was taken up recently when it was found that the plan of raising the bonus by a sales tax would be bitterly opposed by the agricultural "bloc" in House and Senate and probably could not be car-ried.

The plan to utilize the debt arising from the war loans to Great Britain originated with the Treasury Depart-ment. The view here is that as a mat-ter of fact Great Britain is about the only country abroad that can be relied on to meet the interest and principal on the debt in the reasonably near fu-ture. If for any reason there was de-lay at one time on another in the pay-ments on the debt from Great Britain, according to this bonus plan, the U.S. Treasury could issue certificates to meet the demands for funds until pay-ments on the debt, either on inter-est or principal or both, were re-sumed. Various plans have been pro-posed to meet the bonus by proceeds of the foreign debt, but they have not been regarded as practicable by the Treasury Department, simply because it is recognized that repayment of much of the debt and much of the inter-est is highly uncertain and problem-atical.

Large assortment Dolls, Me-chanical Toys, Banks, Animals, etc. All prices. **ROYAL STA-TIONERY CO., 180 Water St.**
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Does Not Pay to Thresh Oats.

While Saskatchewan grew a great crop this year, only a small pro-portion of it will reach the market. Ac-cording to E. A. Wilson, Dominion Seed Commissioner, millions of bushels will be left unthreshed in the fields. Farm-ers are finding that freight rates and the threshing costs of from eight to fourteen cents a bushel remove any chance of profit with oats selling at about 18 cents a bushel. Oats were damaged heavily by the late moisture which fell during the threshing ses-sion and the deterioration of grade tak-en in conjunction with the low prices has made the oat situation decidedly unpromising.

Barnacles Long a Sea Mystery.

The barnacle, which is so well known to coast-dwellers and seafar-ing men, seems to have been the least known, for many years, to scientists of any of the myriad forms of life in the sea.

So indefinite and lazy were the re-sults of investigations in its case that until a very few years ago the barn-acle was classed with the mollusca, although it is really a crustacean. It is developed from tree-swimming larvae and attaches itself to rocks or timbers, which it never leaves again unless torn off by force.

There prevailed during the Middle Ages a curious superstition that the barnacle was the egg of a migratory goose, the eggs being attached to the branches of trees that overhung the water. Not until it was found that the bird had its nesting place in the Arctic regions, and came south during the polar winter was this notion dis-proved. But the bird is still known as the barnacle goose.

There are several species of this strange little crustacean, but the sort that gives the shipowner the greatest trouble is the species that fastens it-self by a flexible stem to the bottom of vessels in large clusters and neces-sitates the ship being taken to dry dock for their removal.

The barnacle also attaches itself to living organisms, one of its favorite lodgine-places being the huge bulk of the whale. Sometimes, it is contend-ed, it ventures even into the jaws of the big mammal. It is one of the para-doxes of nature that the leviathan of the deep is utterly powerless to cope with the small crustacean, which, at its largest size, when within the shell, is about as big as a chestnut. It is believed that whales sometimes rub themselves against ships in their at-tempts to rid themselves of their un-welcome tenants.

Certain Kinds in Fresh Water.

Despite their feeble power of vision barnacles cannot live long when de-prived of light. Always found in salt water, there are still certain kinds that live in fresh water. Darwin speaks of a species he discovered fastened to the tail feathers of a bird. The commonest sort are the sessile or "acorn shells," which encrust the rocks between tide marks on the sea coast.

About the most striking description of a barnacle to be found anywhere is that of Huxley: "A barnacle may be said to be a crustacean fixed by its head and kicking its foot into its mouth by its legs."

Barnacles belong to that class of crustaceans that includes lobsters and crabs, constituting the order Cirripedia, which means "curled feet."

Barnacles are hatched from eggs; the young in no way resemble the adults. Emerging from its egg the new born barnacle exhibits itself as a free swimming little creature, with one eye, six legs and one shell. Sev-eral times does it undergo the opera-tion of moulting. Finally it appears with two eyes, twelve legs and two shells. At this stage of development it ceases its roving and attaches it-self to some convenient object by means of its antennae, secreting a kind of cement whereby it glues itself quite fast.

Then comes a metamorphosis. It loses its bivalve shell and its eyes and acquires its characteristic feathery legs, and it takes on an entirely new shell.

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Stainless iron has been largely used for the production of golf clubs; it has attracted the attention of makers of stove grates and is being used for kitchen ranges, grates, and fenders. An important and useful direction in which the material has been applied is in the fitting of motor cars; it is supplied in sheets for making hoods, and there is in contemplation its greater use for bodies and, since it does not tarnish, for replacing nichel-plated parts. It is made up into a wide variety of kitchen utensils and is used for shops, signs and door plates. One British firm is produc-ing the material in wire form, to be made up into door mats, and it is also being used for spring mattresses.

Another important development in contemplation is the use of stainless iron for the furnishing of railway carriages, engines, and rolling stock generally. The proposal is that it should replace brass for door handles, brackets, and many other fittings.

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LISTEN! LOAN ME TWO BUCKS.

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LOAN ME A FIVE SPOT UNTIL NEXT WEEK!

I THINK YOU BETTER GO BACK TO THE TWO DOLLAR EAR, MUTT!

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St. John's Municipal Council. PUBLIC NOTICE. The attention of Citizens is called to the St. John's Municipal Act, 1921, which provides that no person indebted to the Council for arrears of taxes shall be qualified to vote in the forthcoming Municipal Election.

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PUBLIC NOTICE. Under the provisions of Chapter 35 of the Consolidated Statutes of Newfoundland, Third Series, entitled "Of the Postal and Telegraph Service," and upon the recommendation of the Board appointed under Section 101 thereof, Public Notice is hereby given that, three months after date, Proclamation will issue for the re-naming of places as under, that is to say:— 1. Broom's Bottom, District of St. George to be regarded as part of York Harbour, and in future both these settlements to be known by the latter name. 2. Horse Cove, near Portugal Cove, Conception Bay, to be re-named St. Thomas's. 3. Caplin Bay, District of Ferryland, to be re-named Calvert. 4. Harcourt and Somerset, Smith's Sound, Trinity Bay, to be regarded as one settlement, and to be re-named Hollingside. R. A. SQUIRES, Colonial Secretary, Dept. of the Colonial Secretary, Oct. 25th, 1921. oct26,19,17

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In Memoriam. On Friday night last, the 9th inst., the Grim Reaper again visited the old city of Harbor Grace, and removed from the community one of its most beloved and respected citizens in the person of James Warren. Harbor Grace has been bereft by his death—the Methodist Church by the removal of one of its most staunch pillars and liberal contributors—the Masonic Society by the deprival of its sound and logical advice. The Masons, of whom he was a Past Master and their oldest chartered member, have shown their sympathy and respect by turning out in large numbers, in spite of the inclemency of the weather, in order to perform the religious exercises of their Society at his graveside. The deceased, although having passed the allotted span of life by nearly ten years, was up to the last few hours enjoying the full vigour of health, for only on the day of his death, he went to St. John's to transact some important business, leaving Harbor Grace by the morning train, and on arrival at St. John's, with remarkable dispatch, he attended to business in many places and returned home by that evening's train, apparently in the best of health and spirits. At about one o'clock he retired and at two o'clock his daughter and her husband, Dr. W. S. Goodwin, were aroused and immediately called the Doctor, but before his arrival, the spirit had departed. The writer can truly say that never had he the good fortune or pleasure of meeting a truer and more reliable friend, and we shall never forget the many times being privileged by the opportunity of kneeling with the household at the family altar. At the funeral service conducted by his Pastor and friend, Rev. W. H. Browning, we were struck by the beautiful way the Pastor referred to the "gentle touch" in the removal of his friend instead of the long and faithful suffering. It is very pleasing to his family and friends that, while his enemies were exceedingly few, his friends were legion. We think we cannot more fittingly conclude this memorial than by quoting the very familiar lines:—"Father in Thy gracious keeping Leave we now Thy servant sleeping." A. H. St. John's, Dec. 13, 1921.

Christmas Cheer. Colonel T. Martin desires to acknowledge receipt of the following contributions towards the "Christmas Appeal" for the poor:— \$25.00—Messrs. Bowring Bros. \$20.00—R. E. Stafford. \$5.00 each—H. R. Brooks, John Clouston, J. R. Robertson, R. A. Brehm, Anon., T. A. McNab, J. A. Paddon. \$2.50—Captain Hamilton. \$2.00 each—J. Penelton, J. S. Benedict, W. A. Ellis, P. J. Summers, T. B. Clift, W. Soper. \$1.00 each—M. J. O'Brien, T. Kavanaugh, J. W. Kent, J. Burnstein, M. J. Summers. Ayre & Sons—1 brl. of apples.

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T. A. and B. Society Officers Elected. At the 64th anniversary meeting of the St. John's T.A. & B. Society held on Sunday last, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Hon. W. J. Ellis, re-elected. Vice-President—John J. Murphy, re-elected. 1st. Asst. V.P.—Patrick Grace, elected. 2nd Asst. V.P.—Geo. Willis, elected. 1st. Treasurer—Philip Hanley, re-elected. 2nd Treas.—Chas. Kelly, re-elected. Secretary—Geo. J. Coughlan, re-elected. Cashier—Thos. J. Redmond, re-elected. Financial Secretary—James Ryan, elected. Grand Marshal—Michael Tobin, elected. Assistant Marshals—John Savage, William Evans and Stephen Angel. Auditors—Messrs. M. P. Hynes, R. J. Power and Patrick Whittle. Management of Club—Messrs. Jas. J. Spratt, John J. Murphy, M. P. Hynes, Frank White, Stephen Angel, John Corcoran, John Fleming, M. J. Tobin, Thos. J. Rolls, Chas. Power, Patrick Grace, John O'Neill. Votes of thanks were tendered to Messrs. John Doyle, retiring 1st Asst. Vice-President, and R. J. Kent, retiring 2nd Asst. Vice-President, also to W. J. Myler, Chairman, John P. Kelly, R. J. Power, M. P. Hynes, John Doyle and E. Wadden, for conducting the election of officers and management of the club.

Shipping Notes. S.S. Rosalind leaves New York at noon to-day for Halifax and this port and is due here on Monday. Schr. Over the Top has entered to load at Monroe's for Brazil. S.S. Canadian Miner leaves Halifax to-day for this port with general cargo to the Furness Withy Co. S.S. Turret Coast arrived here yesterday afternoon, bringing a cargo of coal to the Reid Nfld. Co.



Patrick J. Haley, Syracuse, N.Y. "I'm feeling like a new man since Tanlac soothed and toned up my stomach and for the first time in forty years can eat a hearty meal and suffer no distress afterwards," was the remarkable statement of Patrick J. Haley, 107 Prospect Ave., Syracuse, N.Y., a well-known iron and steel worker. "Only those who have had stomach trouble in a bad form can know what I suffered during all those years. I was almost a nervous wreck, too, and for years I didn't know what it was to get a good sound sleep at night. "I got new life and energy from each dose of Tanlac and now I'm a well and happy man instead of a sick and miserable one as I was for so many years. I'll vouch for the merit of Tanlac at any time." Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

What We Are Made Of. "What is the human body composed of?" is the question which once engaged the attention of a scientific philosopher. It found that a man weighing 150 lb. will contain approximately 5,500 cubic feet of gas—oxygen, hydrogen, and nitrogen—in his constitution, which would be worth about 11s. 2d. for illuminating gas. Such a man also contains 50 lb. of lead, which is worth 15 lb. of lead pencils, together with his 3,500 cubic feet of gas, he possesses considerable illuminating possibilities. His system contains 23 lb. 10 oz. of carbon, or enough to make 730 doz. or 9,360 lead pencils. There are about 50 grains of iron in the blood, and the rest of the body would supply enough of this metal to make one spike large enough to hold his weight. A healthy man contains 54 oz. of phosphorus. This deadly poison would make 800,000 matches, or enough poison to kill 500 persons. This, with 5 oz. of lime, makes the stiff bones and brains. No matter how sour a man looks, he contains about sixty lumps of sugar of the ordinary cubical dimensions, and to make the seasoning complete there are twenty spoonfuls of salt. Break 990 eggs into a huge pan or basin, and you have the ingredients to make a man from his toe-nails to the most delicate tissues of his brain.

Lest We Forget. It is now three years since the Great War ended—that is so far as fighting goes. Many of us have suffered little but there are soldiers and sailors still in hospitals suffering from the frightful wounds they received or from the terrible hardships which they suffered. Let us not forget them! Let us not forget that they still suffer for us. In 1919 a number of Ward-Aides were trained to administer to the men in hospital, to provide occupation for them so that the long hours of enforced idleness might not bear so heavily upon them. It is wonderful what the ward-aides have done for the men in hospital and it is wonderful what skill the enteebled men have acquired in art and craft. On Thursday afternoon, at the Presbyterian Hall, there will be an exhibition of work done by these men. The public are invited to attend and to buy some of the work that will be on exhibition. Oh, let us not forget them! Let us repair to the Hall! Let us buy some of their work! This ward-occupation work has been introduced into the Convalescent Home. It is to be hoped that the Government of the people will be merciful enough to provide for its continuance. In what better way can we show our sympathy with those who suffer than by providing helpful and restorative occupation of mind for them!—COM.

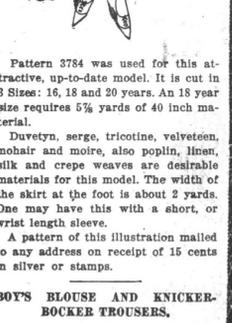
M. J. O'Brien To his readers to-night would make his last appeal through the press for their kind support on to-morrow when they are casting their votes. O'Brien comes to you extending the open hand of friendship from the new extension of St. John's or what is better known as the "annex" he believes that every right thinking citizen will agree that his portion of the city should have a direct representative to look after its requirements, it is only fair that at least they be given one man from their locality who will see they get some recognition at the Council Board, what have you voters from the older portion to say to this argument? No doubt your minds are in accord that such a request is only fair, reasonable and just, in fact it is the opinion of many that our Councillors should be elected from the one street or vicinity as can now happen but as such is not the case, all right thinking and generous minded citizens will of course bear in mind that it is only fair that the "annex" that they mark one vote for their man. All who have read O'Brien's policy as outlined in this paper have already seen it has been one that was in the main acceptable to all for progress and advance in civic reform, his planks have been accepted and even adopted by others who are also seeking municipal honors. There are many more planks O'Brien could place before you but he realizes that some would no doubt be too far advanced for this community with so many pressing demands already upon her civic revenue, but he asks you to forget selfish or personal aims and to remember that it is for those who honestly and fearlessly advanced their views for the city's advancement before you. The name of O'Brien like many others that name have the sons of those who came from Hibernia's Shores has been one that has played no small part in the economic and government affairs in those larger centres of population on the continent and it is still doing so. Kind voters are you going to help place that name here again here in our city to that prominence it deserves after such an outspoken stand on good-will and respectably asks each and all his friends or opponents to be sure that when voting on to-morrow to please mark ONE X FOR O'BRIEN—adv.

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The lecture on wireless telegraphy to the lads of Avalon Battalion recently by Mr. F. Leslie Southgate Principal of the new wireless school at the C.L.B. Armoury, was of a very interesting and educational nature. Lt. Col. Goodridge introducing the lecturer to several officers and a large attendance of lads. Mr. Southgate in a very clear manner explained the uses of wireless and the wireless telephone. During the war seaplanes carried complete outfits of both wireless telegraphy and telephone and could speak by word of mouth by the use of the wireless phone to destroyers fifty miles distant. The Germans could always locate their position in the air on the darkest night by the use of the wireless direction finder. The aerial passenger service (aeroplanes) established between London and Paris has wireless telephone communication both with London and Paris en route and householders in either city by calling up the central, can speak to their friends in the aeroplane and vice versa. Wireless concerts in England can be heard by Berlin audiences by the means of the wireless telephone and a magnifying instrument known as the megaphone. United States has some fifty thousand amateurs using wireless. The instruments are cheap—the cheapest set being under forty dollars—which can be operated for some fifty miles. A lad 15 years old in the States about five months ago on a favourable night using the small amount of electricity (100 watts) received from a light wire, sent his signals across to England. There are only some eight or nine boys in St. John's that have these instruments. A new aerial passenger service will be established in Canada next spring of the flying boat type—and Mr. Southgate read a letter from the Manager advising him that many positions are open for competent wireless operators on this route. A regular service will be established from Montreal to Toronto following the river courses and Montreal to Boston and New York. Operators are needed in the merchant marine, Canadian Naval Service, and various air services. Lads should be able easily to complete their course in six months to secure a ticket or license. Mr. Southgate claims that in Newfoundland there is a great field for amateurs in receiving the news of the world and in communicating to isolated places and various island around the coast line, in connection with the trade commerce of the Colony. As soon as the aerials are erected, Mr. Southgate expects to receive signals from the Eiffel Tower, Paris, and Germany. He also hopes to arrange a station at the C.L.B. Armoury, Bell Island, for instruction and practice. If the C.L.B. lads at the St. John's headquarters can chat by wireless and wireless telephone with their C.L.B. friends at Wabana, joining up with the Brigade will have a new attraction.—Q.

LAST NIGHT'S PARADE.

The roll was small last night due to the stores being open. The companies were drilling as usual under their respective officers. The Colonel and his Adjutant Major R. H. Tait, M.C., were on duty as well as Capt. H. A. Outerbridge, O.B.E., Lieut. A. S. Lewis (Paymaster), Lance and Harold Hayward and Maurice Taylor. The officers who have not passed their examinations will have their "test of brains and skill" on Thursday evening and we hope that they will all get their degree. Lieut. Maurice Taylor is in charge of musketry and was drilling his squad in a regular army style last evening. He is now arranging for the use of the shooting range. Application to organize a Company at Random, Trinity Bay, has been made to the C.O. The Pelitian Athletic Association have rented the gymnasium in order to train their various athletic teams. The officers are now playing rounds of "Ping Pong" for the "Hayward Cup," kindly presented to the Mess by Lieut. Harold Hayward. Major Williams reports he has received recently letters from Sergt. Harold Blackler, No. 1, the organizer of the C.L.B. in Newfoundland and the first company overseas. Sergt. Blackler is engaged at Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., and sends greetings to all his old comrades. The President of the C.L.B. Old Comrades announce that they have honored his memory by making him Hon. Vice President of their organization. The Lt.-Colonel announces his intention of visiting Bay Roberts and Heart's Content next month for inspection purposes.—Q.

Police Force Recruits.

Eight young men who joined the constabulary on Monday last are now being put through the last stages of recruit work and will soon be finished members of the force. Head Constable Savage is in charge of the training of the new recruits, some of whom are already at work. This is the largest number to join up for some time.

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