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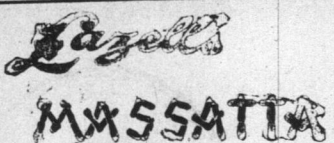
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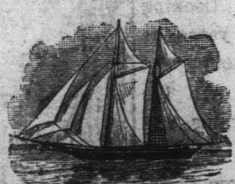
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Police Court, 3rd Oct. 1917.

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CHAPTER XXVIII.
"Quite a dandy, I mean, mother," he explains. "His tailor must be making a fortune out of him. That's the third new coat, if I'm not mistaken, I've seen him in since last week, and I don't believe that he used to wear a new coat once a year down in Holmsshire."

Her ladyship sniffs.
"A duke can wear as many new coats as he pleases, I suppose," she says.

"Two a day, if he likes," says Hugh, carelessly. "Then he is so gorgeous in the matter of neck-ties. That was a splendid effect he wore this afternoon. But I don't think crimson becomes him; though, as you would no doubt remark, mother, any color becomes a duke."

"I am sure he is very attentive," sniffs her ladyship; "exceedingly attentive. I wish you would cultivate his friendship a little more, Hugh. I have heard him ask you down to Palace Gardens, twice this week, and you have refused."

"Yes," says Hugh; "so I have. I'm very sorry. It's very kind of him; but I can't stand that old port at Palace Gardens, and Gretnam isn't satisfied unless one drinks at least four or five glasses."

Lucy Fairfax laughs softly.
"One ought not to refuse a duke's old port, I suppose," she says. "Will you have any more tea? if not I will go and dress for dinner," and she gets up and goes out.

The door is scarcely closed, when

Lady Falconer coughs warningly, and shuffles in her chair.

"Really, Hugh," she says, "I think you are the most short-sighted person in existence."

"Am I?" said Hugh, staring. "I didn't know it. I must go to Carpenter & Westley's and get a pince-nez."

Lady Falconer sniffs.
"I beg you won't pretend to misunderstand me, Hugh," she says, in an injured tone.

"I assure you I don't misunderstand, or rather, I don't understand you, my lady," he says, sincerely. "You said I was short-sighted—"

"And so you are," repeats her ladyship, gathering her shawl round her. "You don't appear to notice the actual occurrences that go on under—under your nose. I suppose it is because you don't take any interest. I am sure I don't trouble you much with the affairs of the family, but I think I do think, as the head of the house, that the present state of affairs should at least have your attention."

Hugh rouses himself and gazes at her.

"I am very sorry," he says. "I did not mean to be indifferent or short-sighted. But don't be impatient, my lady; what is the present state of things?"

"I am alluding to the duke," says her ladyship.

"Yes, the duke?" he says, interrogatively.

"Surely," she goes on, with a deeper tone of injury, "you must have noticed how frequent his visits to us have been."

"Yes," says Hugh, with a short laugh, "I have noticed, now I come to think of it, that he is always here when I come, or drops in before I go; in fact, he almost seems to live here."

"Exactly, just so," says Lady Falconer, with a smile of satisfaction. "He is always here. Now, if you thought about the matter at all, you would come to the conclusion that he would not be here so much if he did not find an attraction."

Hugh thinks for a moment.
"I don't know what attraction there can be," he says, slowly. "Perhaps it's the tea. There's more green in our tea than one usually gets."

Lady Falconer fidgets on her chair, with an impatient irritability.

"Really, Hugh, you are most provoking. As if the duke would care for a wretched cup of tea."

"Then what on earth is it?" demands Hugh, almost impatient himself.

"Of what nature is the attraction likely to be when an unmarried man is a constant visitor in the house where there are unmarried daughters?" her ladyship.

Hugh stares.

"You don't mean to say—"

"But I do!" retorts her ladyship. "I am not short-sighted, Hugh. A mother's eyes are always keen where her daughter's happiness is at stake, and I have noticed the constant attention that the duke has paid to Maud!"

Hugh springs out of his chair and stands erect, his grim face grimmer

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than ever, with the heavy frown of surprise and displeasure.

"Maud!" he exclaims at last. "Why, he is old enough to be her grandfather. You must be mistaken!"

Lady Falconer sniffs.
"A mother is never mistaken," she says, solemnly. "And pray, my dear Hugh, do not indulge in exaggerated statements. The duke is not old enough to be Maud's grandfather."

"Her father, then."

"Nor is he old enough to be her father!" retorts her ladyship, impatiently. "The duke—is an admirably preserved man. He is much younger than he looks!"

"Then he can't be so well preserved," says Hugh, with some reason.

Lady Falconer puts her hand to her brow.

"Pray don't argue with me, Hugh," she moans, plaintively, "my poor head is not equal to it."

"I beg your pardon, mother," he says, but sternly; "then you think Gretnam is paying attentions to Maud. They must be stopped."

"Stopped," almost shrieks her ladyship.

"Yes," says Hugh, grimly. "Maud is too good a girl to be married to a man as old as Gretnam, well or ill preserved, as he may be."

Lady Falconer confronts him, alarmed and angry.

"Pray, pray don't indulge in any romantic nonsense, Hugh," she says. "I thought you had suffered enough already from your romantic love."

Hugh colors hotly at this reference to his ruined love affair with Dulcie, but he keeps his temper.

"If you will do nothing to assist your sister, pray do nothing to thwart her happiness."

"Her happiness! Do you mean to say, mother, that Maud has any inkling—"

"Maud is a good girl, and very tender-hearted, and has known the duke for a long time," says the anxious mother; "and if, as I think may be likely, her young affections have been won by him, I for one should not stand between them."

Hugh emits a groan, and sinks into his chair.

Maud's young affections have been won so often, and to so little purpose, that he rather doubts their having been lost at the present, but he feels powerless.

"Let me see," he says, thinking, "the duke is—if he is a day—he must be say—"

"Now, Hugh," interrupts her ladyship, "you don't know anything about the duke's age. And it does not matter, your father was considerably older than I was, and I am sure I was happy enough!"

Hugh does not reply. Looking back down the long vista of years, he might have retorted that though she was happy, his father was not the merriest of men; but he refrains, and instead he says:

"And if this should be as you think, what am I to do?"

"Do!" retorts her ladyship. "Well, there are many things you could do. At any rate, you might go and dine with the duke, even if you have to drink port!"—Hugh groans—"and show him that he would be welcome in the family."

"Oh," says Hugh, not meaning to be sarcastic. "You'll do that, mother."

Then Lady Falconer gathered her shawl about her, and retires with a plaintive sigh; and Hugh leans back and tries to remember the duke's age.

While he is still thinking, the door opens, and Lucy Fairfax enters.

"Has Lady Falconer gone?" she asks, pausing.

"Yes, come in, I want to speak to you, Lucy," he says, calling her by her Christian name for the first time since Dulcie appeared on the scene.

"Yes," she says, coming and standing beside him. "What is it?"

He looks up at her. [She is looking particularly gentle and sweet this afternoon, and as he looks at her he notices a crimson camellia which glows in her soft gray dress.

"That is a beautiful camellia," he says. "Where did you get it?"

He must be short-sighted or he would have remembered that it glowed in direct accord with the crimson neck-tie in the duke's coat.

"Do you like it?" she asks, with a smile, and evading his question. "Well, what do you want to say to me?"

"Oh!" he says. "Only this—but won't you sit down? You always seem in a hurry. My mother can spare you out of her sight for a minute or two."

She takes the chair beside his and rests her arm on the arm of his.

"There," she said, softly, "I am all attention. What is it?"

"My mother has been startling me," he says, his eyes still dwelling on the soft gray dress and the crimson flower which lights it up so pleasantly.

"It is about the duke—Gretnam."

She does not start, but she moves her arm and lets it fall into her lap.

"Yes," she says.

"You've noticed that he comes here pretty often?" he goes on. "Almost seems to live here; indeed, I don't think a day passes but I find him here."

She meets his gaze with a gentle, attentive smile.

"Poor fellow! he feels lonely in that big place in Palace Gardens. It is a big place, isn't it?"

"Big? Yes. But that's nonsense! He has got his clubs, and I daresay his card-basket is loaded with invitations. There is no necessity for this hanging around here, unless there was a reason for it."

"A reason?" she murmurs.

"Yes. My mother insists that there is a reason, and there is an attraction."

Her pale face grows a little paler, but she still smiles.

"What do you mean?" she asks.

"What attraction can there be here beyond a cup of tea or a chat?"

"That's just what I say," assents simple-minded Hugh. "But my mother says it isn't the tea; and it can't be the chat, because the duke generally monopolizes that. No, she insinuates that there is a fairer metal."

The green eyes drop for a moment, then they lift themselves with a smile.

"I don't understand even yet," she says. "Why do you speak in riddles?"

"To come to the point, then," he says, "my mother thinks Gretnam is smitten by—Maud."

For a moment she is silent, then she draws a long breath, and laughs softly.

"By Maud! Dear Maud! I am so glad!"

(To be Continued.)

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LOW TEMPERATURE.—The lowest temperature for this season was registered at Quarry last night when the glass dropped to 18. above.

And the Worst is Yet to Come—



War News

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

WAR REVIEW.

The German submarine campaign is waning as a result of the measures that have been taken to combat it by British and Allied naval forces. Only six British merchantmen were sunk, and only two of those ships exceeded 1,600 tons.

This is the smallest tonnage week. This is the smallest tonnage bottom any week during the war.

While the Italians continue to tenaciously to most of the new along the Piave River from the north to the region of Feltrina, the northern hills west from Lake Garda, they again have been compelled to give ground in battles on the shoulders of the Italian for several days must rest the city of the Piave line and of the Venetia, for information has been vouchsafed by Major-General

Chief Director of Military Operations at the War Office, that it will be days yet, before British and Allied fighting forces can be placed in a field to reinforce the Italian. While the enemy is striving especially to force a passage of the Piave at various places and again has been successful on the southern reach, crossing the stream at Grisolan, miles distant from its mouth, some twenty miles northeast of ice. Here, however, in swampy regions the Teutons are being held by the defending forces from the gains. To the north around where the stream was negotiated the Austro-Germans on the fighting is still in progress, with the Italians holding the upper hand, not yet having been able to push back the invaders to the eastern bank of the stream. Still further west attempts to gain a foothold on the western bank of the Piave at Quaro and Fenero, were repulsed with heavy losses.

REPULSE AUSTRIAN ATTACK

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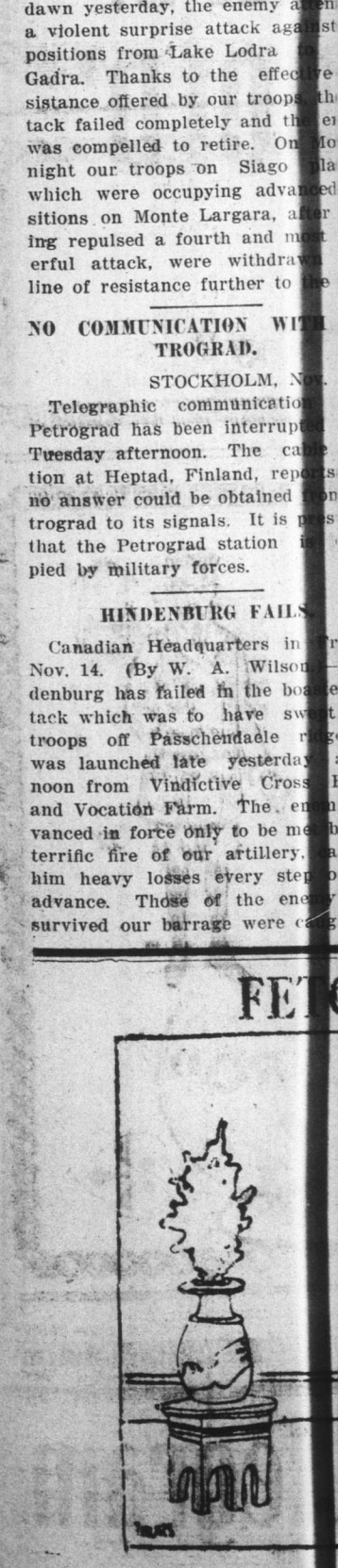
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War News.

Messages Received
Previous to 9 A. M.

WAR REVIEW.

The German submarine campaign is gaining as a result of the stringent measures that have been taken to combat it by British and American naval forces. Only six British merchantmen were sunk, and only one of those ships exceeded 1,600 tons, last week. This is the smallest sent to bottom any week during the submarine warfare, the lowest previous figures having been thirteen merchant ships, eight of them in the category of 1,600 tons and over.

While the Italians continue to hold tenaciously to most of the new line along the Piave River from the Adriatic to the region of Feltré and thence to the northern hills west from Feltré to Lake Garda, they again have been compelled to give ground in both sectors to the Teutonic allied forces. Up on the shoulders of the Italians alone for several days must rest the security of the Piave line and of historic Venice, for information has been vouchsafed by Major-General Maurice, Chief Director of Military Operations at the War Office, that it will be some days yet before British and French fighting forces can be placed in the field to reinforce the Italians. Meanwhile the enemy is striving energetically to force a passage of the Piave at various places and again has been successful on the southern reaches in crossing the stream at Grisoiara, four miles distant from its mouth and some twenty miles northeast of Venice. Here, however, in swampy regions the Teutons are being held by the defending forces from further gains. To the north around Zenson, where the stream was negotiated by the Austro-Germans on Tuesday, fighting is still in progress, but the Italians holding the upper hand, but not yet having been able to drive back the invaders to the eastern bank of the stream. Still further north attempts to gain a foothold on the western bank of the Piave between Queros and Fenere, were repulsed with heavy losses.

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rifle and machine gun fire and repulsed all along the line by our infantry. As he has failed to blast our men out of the position, so the enemy has failed to drive them out. Canadians are secure on the ridge. Our troops have been daily strengthening their forward line, while our guns have been advanced to new positions. Prepared for yesterday's attack, our artillery and infantry co-operated in a decisive defeat of picked fighting troops of the Central Empires.

SUPPORTS LLOYD GEORGE.

LONDON, Nov. 14. The Daily Telegraph disagrees with the critics of the Premier, declaring on the contrary that "what he said at Paris has given him new claims on the confidence and loyalty of the country." The newspaper denounces those who it says are "attempting to bring down the Government," and declares the success of the attempt "would be a blow to the spirit of alliances far worse than any defeat, for it would mean the collapse of all confidence in the intentions of Britain. There is no conceivable alternative to the Premiership of Lloyd George which would not in the present situation be wholly disastrous." The Telegraph expressed confidence that the nation will support the Premier, who, it says, will know how to deal with the situation.

DAILY MAIL'S CRITICISM.

LONDON, Nov. 14. The Daily Mail, which is one of Premier Lloyd George's strongest supporters, is extremely antagonistic to former Premier Asquith, and comments editorially upon the Premier's "Some of the Premier's emotional assertions were distinctly unfortunate and ought to have been suppressed because they were untrue or because they represent opinion and not fact. It was a great error to refer to the German line in the west as an impenetrable barrier, or to belittle the splendid victories on the Somme as though they were bloody assaults which resulted in nothing. Nor was his reference to appalling casualties correct in view of the gigantic scale of the war. It is such loose talk as this which may fairly be criticized, and we hope the Premier will not miss the opportunity of putting in just language his second thoughts of these and some other matters dealt with in his Paris speech." The Daily News says, editorially, "We face a crisis which threatens the existence of the alliance and the fate of the war and the world." It describes the Premier's speech as an "Unprecedented Disaster" and the most lamentable blow struck in the war. A blow for the many victories to the enemy and the equivalent of many defeats for the Allies. Encouraging the enemy and depressing ourselves is a crime, continues the Daily News. This is a crime without parallel, and twice a slander on the country, a slander so gross as it was cruel, as false as it was mischievous. It held us up to the obloquy of Europe and the world as the chief author of the misfortunes that have befallen our cause. It invited our Allies to distrust us. After condemning again the scheme for the proposed Council, the newspaper continues: "Lloyd George, having made himself the political dictator at home, proposes to make himself a military dictator too."

In order to bring this about, the Allied cause has been subjected to this deadly and reckless thrust. The reputation of the country has been cruelly wronged and its sacrifices belittled and traduced." The Times finds itself confirmed by the perusal of the full text of the speech in the opinions expressed yesterday. Its criticisms are less vehement than those of other papers. Nevertheless it says, the least fortunate of all is the impression conveyed by the speech that all past efforts of the Allies have been unwise or wasteful. We approve of plain speaking. No people thrive on it so well as the British, but disheartening statements must be justified by facts, and the facts in this case are by no means so damning as the Premier would make them.

WANTS NORTHCLIFFE IN GOVERNMENT.

LONDON, Nov. 14. The Globe says: Pressure is being brought on Lord Northcliffe to enter the Government, which, it adds, he alone is deemed capable of bolstering up.

BRITISH NAVAL LOSSES.

LONDON, Nov. 14. A British destroyer and a monitor, which were operating in conjunction with the British Army in Palestine, have been sunk. It is officially announced this evening. A total of 17 men from the two ships are missing.

AIR RAIDS.

LONDON, Nov. 14 (Official.) Yesterday our naval aircraft made numerous patrols. There were several engagements with enemy machines. One enemy machine was destroyed and three were brought down out of control. Many bombs were dropped effectively. A direct hit is reported on the sheds at Houtave, Belgium airdrome. All our machines returned safely.

SHIPPING LOSSES.

LONDON, Nov. 14. Only one British merchant ship of more than 1,600 tons, was sunk by mine or sub, last week, according to the weekly statement of ship losses issued this evening. This is the lowest record since the German submarine warfare began. Five of less than 1,600 tons and one fishing boat were also sunk during the week.

DUTCH TRAWLER TORPEDOED.

LONDON, Nov. 14. An Amsterdam despatch says a German submarine on Monday torpedoed without warning the Dutch trawler *Ethbertus*, 25 miles off the Dutch coast. A Dutch boy was killed. Ten survivors were rescued after being seven hours in a small boat.

NO PEACE PROPOSAL RECEIVED.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 14. Austrian newspapers print a statement from the Official News Agency, pointing out that neither Vienna nor Berlin has received any actual peace or armistice proposal from the Russian Government.

KERENSKY IN PETROGRAD.

LONDON, Nov. 14. Premier Kerensky is now in Petrograd and has taken virtually the entire city, an announcement of the Finnish Telegram Bureau says.

FRENCH CONFIDENCE IN ITALY.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14. French confidence that the Teutonic drive into Italy has been stopped, is expressed in a cable despatch to the French Embassy. The Germans have greatly exaggerated the importance of the Italian defeat, says the statement. In reality Italian armies are far from being defeated.

Our Volunteers.

The following young men signed the roll yesterday at Headquarters. The majority of them come from points in Notre Dame Bay and St. Barbe District.

- C. H. Banfield, St. George's.
- A. W. Eddy, Spauld Island, P.R.
- H. D. Beck, Swift Current, P.B.
- L. Harding, St. John's.
- W. Locke, Little Bay Islands, N.D.B.
- F. Roberts, Little Bay Ids., N.D.B.
- A. Bennett, Little Bay, N.D.B.
- G. White, Little Bay Ids., N.D.B.
- W. Osmond, Little Bay Ids., N.D.B.
- F. Ropcon, Duggan's Cove, White Bay.
- Wm. Kinsella, Ferryland.
- W. Howie, Jackson's Arm, N.D.B.
- F. Hynes, Brent's Cove, St. Barbe.
- P. Sullivan, Brent's Cove, St. Barbe.
- J. A. Downey, Coachman's Cove, St. Barbe.
- A. Butler, Brent's Cove, St. Barbe.
- C. Winsor, Tilt Cove, N.D.B.
- J. Teames, St. John's.
- E. Andrews, Ireland Bight, Hare Bay.
- N. J. Hogan, Northern Bay, C.B.
- T. B. White, Northern Bay, C.B.
- C. Simmonds, St. John's.
- J. Stanford, St. John's.
- E. L. Berneux, Deep Brook, Annapolis County, N.S.

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THE CHEERFUL MOTORIST.

I crawl beneath my balky car, with fifteen kinds of wrenches, a nut tinker where its vitals are "mid gas and grease and stonches. When do I am a sight to see, a sight for sore eyed dragons; and passing horses shy at me, run off and bust their wagons. I skid into a muddy ditch, and haul some passing stranger, to bring his mules along and hitch, and haul me out of danger. I wallow round in squashy mire, cold rain upon me, drizzling, removing from the wheel a tire, and use some language stizzing. Sometimes the lamps won't shed a ghost of their accustomed splendor, and then I run into a post and break a costly fender. A farmer stops me now and then, and asks me, in his dander, to pay for running down his



then, his sheepdog or his gander. O'er arid hills I hunt along, through meadows cool and ferny, and something's always going wrong, wherever I may journey. But when I motor home again, from my adventures shocking, and mingle with familiar men, you ought to hear me talking! "I had the finest time," I yip, while truth grows vague and hazy: "no accident on all the trip—my car is sure a daisy!"

NOVEMBER 20TH.—On the above date the St. Michael's Girls' Guild will hold their Annual Sale of Work in the Basement of the Church, Casey St. Articles suitable for Xmas. Presents, etc., will be on sale. Meat Teas will be served. A pleasant time assured to all who attend. Admission 10c.—nov13,4f,60d

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Here and There.

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BIG VOYAGE.—Capt. Skinner, of the fishing schooner *Effie M. Pettis*, is among the high liners of the banking fleet this season. Up to the end of last month he had landed over 4,500 quintals of cod. The crew will make about \$1,000 each.

STAFFORD'S PHORATONE for all kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles.—nov6,tf

MAGISTERIAL INQUIRY.—An inquiry was commenced before Judge Morris yesterday afternoon into the death of Mrs. Emily Noseworthy, the victim of a burning accident last week. Three witnesses were examined.

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Here and There.

RECRUITING EXAMS.—At Recruiting Headquarters the medical examiners are kept busy daily now. The number of passes is creditable, few being rejected.

STAFFORD'S LINIMENT cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains.—nov6,tf

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.—A successful concert promoted by Mrs. Cotter, King's Bridge, was held at Logy Bay last night, in aid of the new St. Joseph's Church Fund.

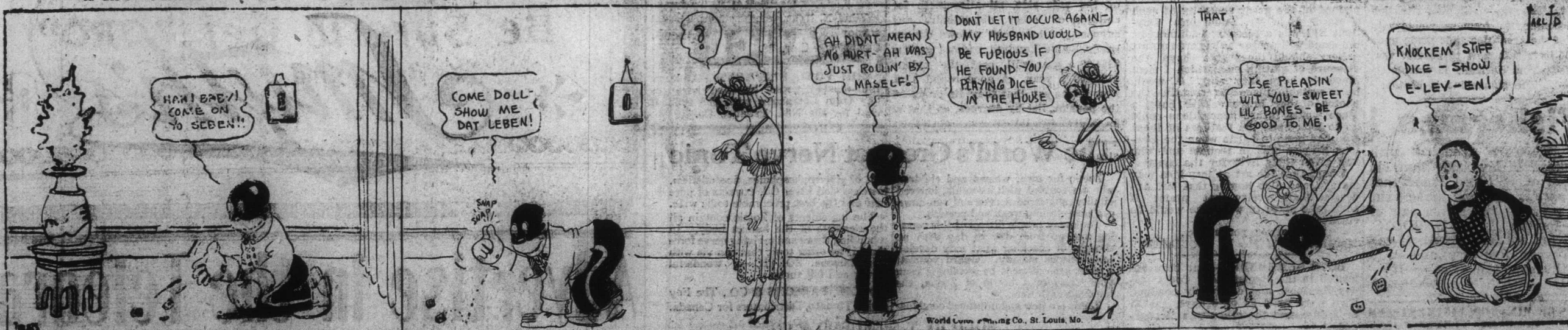
STAFFORD'S PRESCRIPTION "A"—Cure for diseases of the Stomach: Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Gastritis and Nervous Dyspepsia.—nov6,tf

CIVIC BOARD MEETS.—At their weekly session to-night the City Fathers will discuss, amongst other matters, the proposed building of workingmen's houses.

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URGENCE CALL.—A man named John, of Salmoner, was referred to the General Hospital last night and operated on for appendicitis.

LOW TEMPERATURE.—The low temperature for this season was reported at Quarry last night when it dropped to 18 above.

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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor
H. A. WINTER, B.A., - - Editor

THURSDAY, November 15, 1917.

The U-Boats Beaten.

There is perhaps nothing more essential to a just appreciation of the war, with its multifarious phases and problems, than a true sense of proportion. It is especially valuable at the present moment, and today's news provides a good object lesson. Military and political events have been lately of such magnitude and have marched with such rapidity that they have almost monopolised attention and interest. In the midst of such imposing company the weekly summary of shipping losses announces itself in a sort of unobtrusive and half apologetic manner, as if it felt that the world had forgotten all about it. For a great part of the world this is probably true, but in the minds of those who are not distracted, by every new event these losses still occupy a first place. They are more important than anything that is going on in Russia, more important even than the campaign in Italy or the great victory at Passchendaele, so finely described in all its full meaning by the Canadian correspondent to-day. For either Germany or her enemies must win this war outright. Germany cannot win it on land, whatever she may do in Italy or Russia. Her last hope has long been, and still is, in the submarine. And that hope would seem by now to have been fairly shattered.

Last week these losses, that is to say, British losses, reached the lowest point since the beginning of the campaign of twelve ships, eight large and four small. This week the figures are astonishing—one large ship and five small! Of course, we cannot expect this success to be maintained, but it is a fine thing that it has been achieved, and we are justified in expecting it to be consistently approximated from now on. It is well to grasp the true meaning of this. Many critics, who realise the importance of the campaign, have predicted that once it is plain to Germany that the tonnage of Allied ships sunk has fallen to the level of the tonnage built to replace it, she will know that she is beaten. If the average of the past couple of weeks is maintained, that point would seem to be reached already. The winter will be increasingly unfavourable to the U-boats, while it will make no difference to the Allies' shipping. In fact, this latter is bearing results that increase cumulatively. The great American effort should now be about at the beginning of its first fruition, after which its effect should soon be plainly felt. The whole shipping situation is, of course, far from satisfactory in view of the great demands made upon it, but it is safe now to assume that the peril from Germany is completely averted. The submarine is beaten.

Fishermen!

If you are troubled with Rheumatism lay aside that old pair of Wool Lined Boots that are always wet and make your feet perspire and buy a pair of the famous BUDDY BOOTS. They are not wool lined and will keep your feet dry and in a healthy condition.

ASK FOR WINNARD'S LINIMENT AND TAKE NO OTHER.

Enthusiastic Meeting

AT COCHRANE STREET CENTENNIAL CHURCH.

A most enthusiastic meeting of the male members of Cochrane Street Methodist Centennial Church Congregation was held last evening in the lecture room of the Church. The meeting opened with the singing of a well known hymn followed by prayer by Rev. Dr. Curtis.

The Pastor, Rev. Dr. Bond, presided, and in a brief address enumerated several things we had to be thankful for when considering our Thanksgiving services next Sunday. We have been saved from the ravages of war, think of Belgium, northern France, Roumania—devastated—churches in ruin—homes gone. Contrast this with affairs in our own quiet Island Home of to-day. We have cause for gratitude. Our country to-day is abounding in material prosperity, a large fishery, splendid prices for the great harvest of the sea, all should be supremely thankful.

The report of the Building Fund account was read by Treasurer Peters, which gave the total cost of the Church from commencement of building operations right up to the present day.

Mr. Arthur Mews, Treasurer of the Board of Trustees, presented figures of the running expenses of the Church and its income. A number of questions were asked and answered, and then the meeting settled down to the real business of the evening—finances.

The Trustees of the Church are bearing a very heavy burden, but are being nobly supported by the members of the congregation who are determined to do their part. It was resolved that the goal for next Sunday's offering be placed at Six Thousand Dollars, and all pledged themselves to reach this ideal—this would mean that in ten years the debt would be comparatively removed. It was further resolved that all be asked to contribute monthly by envelope, to the reduction of debt, the same not to interfere with the regular Church collections. It was also decided that at the Thanksgiving Services on Sunday next, the Communion Rail be decorated with the bounties of harvest, both of land and sea, as a reminder to the congregation of the goodness of our Heavenly Father.

At 10:30 the meeting adjourned by the singing of the National Anthem and Benediction by Rev. James Wilson.

Victory Bonds.

SPECIAL TO EVENING TELEGRAM.
TORONTO, Last Night.
Practically all the Canada Life revenue for the ensuing year, less only necessary provision for claims and current payments, is being placed in Victory Bonds. The result is that subscriptions for Victory Bonds amount to five million dollars. This action speaks for itself and is the best proof the Company could give of their hearty co-operation in assisting the country to reach the desired maximum subscription.

McMurdo's Store News

THURSDAY, Nov. 15, 1917.
Sunset Soap Dyes have several advantages over ordinary package dyes. In the first place these dyes will color all fabrics—wool, silk, linen or cotton, or a mixture of any of these—with one dye; they cleanse thoroughly as well as dye well; they give bright and fast colors, and they are more cleanly and convenient in use than ordinary dyes. Price 15c. a cake.
The Children's Talcum par excellence is Lazell's Babykin specially prepared and put up for the little ones use, and possessing in highest degree the soothing, smoothening and softening qualities that have made Lazell's Talcums so popular. Price 25c. a tin.

Supports Hon. John Anderson.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Sir,—The Hon. John Anderson I notice is now using his philanthropic mind to get it possible an art gallery for St. John's. I assure you, sir, that all true lovers of Terra Nova are with the hon. gentleman, and that his attempt may be successful is the devout wish of my countrymen who I know care on more than one occasion complained of the great necessity of such a place. Hon. Mr. Anderson's Daylight Bill was a blessing to hundreds, the same will accrue as regards an art gallery should the people have the pleasure of getting one, which I most sincerely hope they may. It would be a suitable place to contain the photos of our brave soldier boys, a place where future generations could go to look upon the features of those who had gone to battle when the glorious Empire was in trouble and who had given their lives for the cause.
I hope that the art gallery idea may mature, and also hoping that Mr. Anderson shall receive that praise it should take place to which he would be entitled.
I remain yours, etc.
CITIZEN.
Nov. 15th, 1917.

BOYS SUMMONED.—Four boys appeared in the Magistrate's Court to-day for loose and disorderly conduct. Two were fined \$2 or 5 days, one \$1 or 3 days and the other was discharged.

Three Millions Thrown Away!

The Cost of Sacrifice --- Newfoundland Will Spend the Price of a Battleship to Enable the Slackers to Escape Their Duty.

We hear and read a great deal from day to day, on the street, from the platform, in the press, about the unmarried independent slacker, and about the unenviable position he will occupy "when the boys come home." But there is another and a more practical point which should appeal to a business people, and it is this: The slacker is costing us the price of a battleship. The slacker is costing every man and woman and child in this colony \$13.50. The slacker is costing us a total sum of \$3,360,000. Big figures, are they not? But let us think it out.

According to the census of 1911 there were in the colony about 13,000 males between 15 and 20, about 11,000 between 20 and 25, and about 9,000 between 25 and 30; a total between 15 and 30 of about 33,000 men. Out of 6,500 as being under 18 years, and you have left 26,500. We have sent to the front altogether, in army and navy, about 6,000. Will there be any one in Newfoundland found to say that out of 26,500 men we could not get by a selective draft, 6,000 young men physically fit, unmarried, and without other dependents? We think not. In the class from 15 to 20, practically none will be married; in the class from 20 to 25, not a great many; even in the class from 25 to 30 not all, by any means; for, on the authority of the census, there are only about 42,000 married men in the colony, taking all ages together.

In other words, if we had the selective draft, the only logical system, the only fair system, the only effective system, we could double our forces without taking a man who was married or had dependents; \$6,000 to draw from, and only 6,000 drawn! Can there be a moment's doubt of it? What follows from these figures, you ask? Only this—that every dollar we spend for separation allowances, and every dollar we shall spend for pensions to widows and orphans, to aged mothers and fathers, to helpless sisters or other dependents, is a dollar that would never be needed if the slacker was made to do his duty.

What are we spending, then, to protect the slackers, and what are we likely to spend? We cannot do more than estimate it; the long sad list, with its burden of glory and sacrifice, of blood and tears, is yet but half complete. But we know what we have lost; we know that in the future our losses will not be less. Let us try to guess at the figures.

Suppose 500 men out of our gallant 6,000 will need to draw the allowance for their wives or their dependents. That is perhaps an overestimate at present, but the list is lengthening out day by day. Each soldier's separation allowance is \$240 a year. For five hundred families, that makes \$120,000 a year. Let us suppose we shall have to pay it for about three years in all; for our boys will not be able to get back the moment peace is declared; they will have to wait their turn. Three years' allowance at that rate will be \$360,000. That is the first item charged up in our books to the account "Protection of Slackers." But it is the smallest item.

Now what comes next? Suppose that by the end of the war, out of the many, alas, how many, valiant volunteers who will by that time have laid down their lives for us, only 500 leave behind as a sacred trust to us widows or orphans, parents or dependents that we must in honor maintain. According to law we shall give each of the widows a pittance of \$384.00 a year. Not much, is it? But we are not counting tears and agony at present, we are not counting loneliness and poverty, we are only counting our dollars. Let us leave out account for the moment, so as to be on the safe side, all allowances for children or other dependents, and suppose we have 500 widows on our hands. Five hundred widows getting \$384.00 a year will cost the colony \$192,000 a year. A good round sum. Now let us say that they die or go on the pension list by degrees, so that at

the end of thirty years, the bill is reduced to nothing. Knock off \$7,000 a year until it comes down to nothing, and figure it out: You will find that in thirty years it will cost the colony about Three Million Dollars. Another nice round sum to charge up to the account head, "Protection of Slackers." \$3,000,000 and \$360,000 added together comes to \$3,360,000. Don't take our word for it, add it up yourself. You need not take our guess-work figures; you can make up your own estimate if you want to. The total will surprise you whatever way you look at it.

What could we do with \$3,360,000? We could buy a first-class cruiser with it, if anybody would sell us one. We could build more than 200 miles of railway with it, if railways could be built in lines like these. We could share out that much money among the people of the colony at the rate of about \$13.50 a head for every man, woman and child, old or young, big or little, in the colony.

But we are not going to buy anything with it. We are not going to share it out to anybody. We are going to borrow it, and to raise it by taxation and to spend it; \$13.50 from every man, woman and infant; \$67.50 from every average household of five persons in the colony. They will have to find the money, now or in the future, to pay the expense which comes of sending married men, bread-winners, to the front. They will have to carry the extra burden of more than three million dollars that we are incurring because the young men

without wives, without children, without dependents, are not selected and taken first and sent to do their duty. They will have to pay the bill for protection of slackers, because they would not face conscription or the selective draft. There are enough and more than enough young men, fit, unmarried, and without dependents, in this colony, to fill and more than fill the Naval Reserve and the Regiment and keep them filled. Instead of making them go, instead of adopting conscription or the selective draft, we allow the man with dependents to volunteer, and we accept him and send him away, and then we pay the bill.

Three million dollars and more to be paid away by the colony. Sixty-seven dollars and more to be paid up in the years to come by every household in the colony. Three million dollars, not to mention the heart-break of the widows and orphans, and the loneliness of the desolate homes. And all for what? To enable the able-bodied and independent slacker to go on slacking, while the colony foots the bill, and all too inadequately, for helping the widows and orphans of the men who need never have gone.

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CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind N. light, weather fine; several schooners passed in since last report. Bar. 29.65; ther. 33.

BIG COAL SHIPMENT.—A large four-masted vessel reached here to-day from Louisburg with 850 tons of coal for the Nfld. Produce Co.

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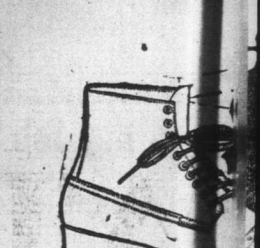
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FELT MAN... reds and greens... brodered in... ty-color combi... and finished with... by scooped edge... kind of goods... hard to secure... and at the low... quoted should... many buyers... inches wide by 2... long. Reg. 25c... Friday - a n d... Saturday...

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MEN'S ARMY BOOTS—St... Boots with heavy... oak leather; perfor... lows tongue. The... with three rows of... splendid work shoe... pair. Friday and Sat... MEN'S BOYS' GAITERS... most suitable for... wear. They are made... able soles of solid... able, medium last;... \$1.75 pair. Friday...

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WOMEN'S CABERET... good thick sole... able to the wear... styles with patent... heel. Reg. \$3.10 pair... day and Saturday...

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DARK FLANNEL... 6 dozen dark flann... Grey and Blue, p... breast pocket, double... and collars attached... each. Friday and...

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COCONUT DOOR MATS... Excellent wearing qu... Coconut Door Mats... or Red and Black... centres; size 19 x 29... \$1.75 each. Friday and...

HEARTH RUGS... We have every color... with our splendid... special inducement... our best selling line... day. They come in... color combination... to please; size 27... Regular \$3.35 each... Saturday...

HEARTH RUGS... Made from Corn... and... patterns. Reg. \$5.50... Friday and Saturday...

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FELT MANTLE DRAPES—In assorted rods and green, embroidered in very pretty color combinations and finished with neatly scalloped edge. This kind of goods is very hard to secure to-day and at the low price quoted should attract many buyers. Size 6 inches wide by 2 yards long. Reg. 25c. each. Friday and Saturday **20c**

TAPESTRIES—A splendid buying opportunity that will arouse customers in need of heavy curtains, furniture coverings and draperies. These are old values, and cannot be procured to-day at a much higher price. They come in fancy floral designs 47 inches wide. Colors: Fawn, Reseda and Crimson. Reg. \$1.50 yd. Friday and Saturday **\$1.30**

MAID'S APRONS—White Lawn with embroidered trim and tucked bodies. A splendid collection, is well made and finished and at a remarkably low price. Reg. 45c. each. Friday and Saturday **35c**

COTTON TABLE DAMASK—In a twilled check without border. Would make very serviceable glass and dish towels, as well as good wearing table clothes 70 inches wide. Reg. 30c. yd. Friday and Saturday **26c**

DAMASK TABLE CLOTH—Made from good Union Damask in a variety of very pretty patterns including spotted, floral and scroll designs with narrow borders. Hemmed ready for use. Size 60 x 56 inches. Reg. \$1.50 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.25**

BLACK ASTRACHAN—This is part of a purchase made more than two years ago, which is accountable for this remarkably low price. It is 52 inches wide, a small durable curl and close jersey back. Reg. \$1.00 yd. Friday and Saturday **80c**

Friday and Saturday Specials in the BOOT DEPARTMENT.



MEN'S ARMY BOOTS—Strong wet-resisting boots with heavy vulcanized soles of real oak leather, perforated self tie and bellows tongue. The joints are all stitched with three rows of strong stitching. A splendid work shoe. Reg. \$5.00 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$4.60**

MEN'S BOX CALE BOOTS—In a weight most suitable for present and winter wear. They are made with strong durable soles of solid leather on a comfortable, medium last, excellent value. Reg. \$1.75 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$1.45**

WOMEN'S VICI KID BOOTS—In buttoned and laced with plain toe, high heel and flexible sole of medium thickness. A stylish shape that you will like. Regular \$3.75 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$3.45**

WOMEN'S CABERETTA BOOTS—With a good thick sole that will prove comfortable to the wearer. Buttoned and laced styles with patent leather tips and low heel. Reg. \$3.10 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$2.90**

KOZY FELT SLIPPERS—See these smart slippers. They are a practical demonstration of how dainty and comfortable a low price slipper can be. Colors: Grey and Brown. Reg. \$1.20 pair. Friday and Saturday **\$1.10**

OUR superb and ever varying displays of New Fall and Winter Merchandise continues a source of delight to all beholders. There is an air of distinction and elegance about the goods that makes them simply irresistible; but fashions are best told by the goods themselves and you are welcome at all times to come and admire them.

Good Values are a very striking feature here
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

A List of SHOWROOM SPECIALS That Will Prove Most Powerful Purchasing Inducement

WOMEN'S FELT HATS.
Smart two-tone effect in V Rose and White, Yellow and White and Green and White, plain colors and stripes; becoming new shapes. Regular \$2.95 each. Friday and Saturday **\$2.45**

WOMEN'S CORSETS.
Entirely new models, made in the laced front style with wide elastic webbing at the back, assuring a snug, comfortable fit. They are made from fine White Coutel, trimmed at the top with fancy brocaded edging, and fitted with 4 strong hose supporters; would be good value at \$3.00 pair. Special for Friday and Saturday **\$2.40**

WOMEN'S VELVET TAMS
Tight fitting elastic band that adjusts itself to the size of the head, assuring a perfect fit. The crown is finished with self-covered button or Silk cord and tassels. Colors: Mole, Navy, Brown and Black. Regular \$1.50 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.25**

BLUSES.
Of fancy Cotton in a splendid wearing quality. There's a variety of very pretty styles; some are made with pleated side frill, others with large, dark, contrasting bow and edging and others are of plain self-materials without trimmings. Regular \$2.25 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.90**

MISSES' FELT HATS.
An extra good line of fine felt hats for misses, made in a shape that would suit almost any girl. The back is turned up and a bow of corded ribbon is prominently displayed at the front. Colors: Black, Navy, Brown, Sage, Green and Fawn. Regular \$2.25 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.90**

Velvets and Tweeds.
Convincing reasons why you should buy your Suit Lengthere

CORDUROY VELVET.
Here's a splendid Corduroy Velvet for Costumes, Children's Coats, bonnets or little Boys' Suits. A material that cannot be beaten for hard usage. It always looks well and comes in a weight most suitable for present and winter wear. A good wide width, being 34 ins. Regular \$1.60 yard. Friday and Saturday **\$1.38**

DRESS TWEEDS.
10 pieces of the newest Dress Tweeds in all the latest mixtures and plain colors. This stock is only newly arrived and offers to purchasers a splendid selection of the very latest weaves; 54 inches wide. Regular \$2.20 yard. Friday and Saturday **\$1.85**

MEN'S SUIT TWEED.
Brown stripes in two different designs and shades. This tweed is also suitable for Women's and Misses' Costumes and Coats as well as Boys' wear. Would be good value at \$3.75 yd. Special for Friday and Saturday **\$3.00**

Young Man, Have You Red Blood in Your Veins.

OR IS IT JUST "SLACKER BLOOD"? Are you going to have people all the time turning up their noses at you and your family in later years and saying: "Oh, these people don't count, they come of Slacker Blood," just as you may hear said to-day about some families: "Oh, those people were never any good at any time; a poor strain runs in some families."

DO NOT DISGRACE THE FAMILY NAME BUT ADD LUSTRE TO IT AND MAKE ALL YOUR RELATIVES PROUD OF YOU for generations to come. It may sound peculiar, but you become blue-blooded by being red-blooded. Guess you're red-blooded aren't you? Suppose you know that all the red-blooded men in the country are joining up with the Newfoundland Regiment. Could you imagine being with a finer bunch of boys? Ain't it hell some of us got to stop home and mix with all the darned slackers? We know you'll excuse our language. We don't ask them to. The boys in the Newfoundland Regiment are the best bunch of sports going and they know a man when they see one. Hear them shouting to you now: "Come on, old thing, you're just the boy we want."

The Newfoundland Regiment have won a big lot of Medals and Distinctions. Would be surprised if they got more than any other Regiment! Great Regiment to be in! There is some talk now about a couple of Victoria Crosses having been won by them.

I guess you would sooner have one of them than ten thousand quintals of fish even at to-day's price? Well, you have the chance!

Anybody can catch fish, even the darnedest slacker going, but what's the good of it all in a hundred years time. You can't take your bank notes to hell with you (they'll burn), and you don't want your gold in heaven as the streets are covered with it. Lots more honour in going out with your comrades and having a smack at a few Germans.

Get you're good for a good few of them, old top.

Join up to-day! Don't delay, some blighter might say you didn't join till you had to! They can never say it if you join to-day.

Yours truly,
"THE SENTINEL"

Reservist Killed.

H. M. S. "Briton," at St. John's, N.F., 14th November, 1917.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Sir,—I regret to inform you that the Admiralty has reported that Alan Blunden, Seaman Newfoundland Royal Naval Reserve, 1496, X, lost his life on the 24th August, 1917, when the Armed Merchant Ship "Heatherdale" in which he was serving was sunk by the enemy.

His next of kin is his brother, Mr. Herbert Blunden, of Bay de Verde, C. B.

Yours truly,
A. MacDERMOTT,
Commander.

Your Boys and Girls.

No outsider has the same opportunity, and no other can have the real interest of a boy at heart, as the parents. The importance of a thorough knowledge of the child, his natural inclinations, both moral and intellectual, are a necessity. In order to comprehend my boy I must be sure of his motives and must know his thoughts without forcing his confidence. And if I can keep his confidence one should feel that they have a strong hold on the surest means of helping him.

A parent should give him the necessary help with his lessons, join in his games with as much show of real zest for the fun as one can command, show pleasure in his friends cultivating the desirable and weeding out tactfully the undesirable. Through having the boy's confidence one can bring him to an honest estimate of himself and to possession of himself. It is this kind of discipline, the discipline of possession of self, that will assist the boy so very materially in after years.

Household Notes.

The waste in the average home is largely due to a lack of thriftiness in using left-overs.

Cooked macaroni left from dinner can be cut into small pieces and used with celery salad.

For baking cakes the fire should be rather low, just hot enough to last through the baking.

Danish coffee cakes are rounds of pastry, with raspberry jam and custard cream inside.

Button loops will be much stronger if the loops are crocheted over with a fine crochet hook.

Economy in MEN'S FURNISHINGS

DARK FLANNELETTE SHIRTS.
6 dozen dark Flannelette Shirts in Grey and Blue, large roomy bodies, breast pocket, double stitched seams and collars attached. Regular \$1.45 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.30**

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS.
Another fine collection of these Negligee Shirts for men. All in light cottons with neat striped patterns in Blue, Fawn, Red and Black, double breasted, long sleeves, cuffs and soft fronts. Regular \$1.10 each. Friday and Saturday **90c**

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS.
Pure Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, size 12 x 19 inches, with one inch hemstitched hem, all fully bleached durable quality, no starch or filling, guaranteed to give satisfactory wear. Regular 25c. each. Friday and Saturday **18c**



COCOANUT DOOR MATS.
Excellent wearing qualities in close Cocoanut Door Mats, with Green and Black or Red and Black Wool borders and shaped centres; size 12 x 29 inches. Regular \$1.75 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.50**

DOOR MATS.
The greatest Door Mat value in St. John's to-day. Door Mats in pretty floral and scroll designs in Green, Red, Brown and Fawn effects. We advise you to take advantage of this offer early as the demand for these will be great. Special for Friday and Saturday, each **65c**

HEARTH RUGS.
We want every woman to get acquainted with our splendid stock of Hearth Rugs. A special inducement. We are offering here our best selling line for Friday and Saturday. They come in a magnificent range of color combination and designs that are sure to please. Size 14 x 27 inches, hemmed. Regular \$3.35 each. Friday and Saturday **\$3.10**

HEARTH RUGS.
Made from Cotton and Jute; size 48 x 21 inches. A good variety of serviceable dark patterns. Reg. \$1.50 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.38**

BOSTON GARTERS.
"Nevermind" Boston Garters with strong elastic leg bands. A good extra light weight garter that will give great satisfaction; all colors. Reg. 40c. pair. Friday and Saturday **35c**

MEN'S SWEATER COATS.
Knit in a coarse stitch with closely knit pocket tops and front, high close-fitting collar, double cuffs, wide hem at bottom. A full range of sizes. Reg. \$1.75 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.50**

MEN'S WIDE END TIES.
Every one new and fresh from our splendid new stock. There are stripes, floral designs, Paisley patterns, large white checks with black satin grounds and self-colors in Greens, Reds, etc., a magnificent assortment. Reg. 75c. each. Friday and Saturday **67c**

INFANTS' BIBS.—Well padded, absorbent qualities, stitched in scroll designs with cotton embroidered centres and edge of fine Valenciennes lace; also a few white terry bibs. Reg. 10c. ea. Friday and Saturday **8c**

NECK SCARVES.
Fine knit tubular neck scarves with knotted silk fringe at both ends. Stylish shades of Tan, light Navy, light Sage, light Grey, Emerald, Black and White; size 6 inches wide by 42 inches long. Regular 45 cents each. Friday and Saturday **35c**

WOMEN'S SKIRTS.
Black and Navy Cloth Skirts in a style that will fit perfectly. They are well made, double stitched seams, full gored and finished with belted back and black bone buttons. Reg. \$2.25 each. Friday and Saturday **\$1.90**

WOMEN'S COSTUMES.
Another line of popular Cloth Costumes in Black and Navy, made in a plain tailored style from serviceable heavy materials, belted coat and skirt; bone button trimmings; soft Satene lining. Regular \$10.50 each. Friday and Saturday **\$8.90**

CHILDREN'S BONNETS.
Lustre in Navy, Sage, Royal and Fawn. Trimmed with plain and fancy silk and bow of satin ribbon. The balance of a job line. Excellent values. Special for Friday and Saturday **50c**

TAFETTAINE.—A splendid material with a soft silk finish. Principally used for underskirts and linings; looks like real silk, but will wear better. Colors: Olive, Terra Cotta, Brown and Turquoise. Reg. 30c. yd. Friday and Saturday **28c**



CHILDREN'S HOSE SUPPORTERS.
A big stock of these comfortable hose supporters in Black, White, Pink and Sky with safety pin top and oblong rubber button. Regular 35c. each. Friday and Saturday **30c**

WOMEN'S COLLARS.
Principally new Sailor shapes trimmed with accordion pleated frill and hemstitching, stylishly made from fine white muslin that will launder well and give good wear. Regular 20c. each. Friday and Saturday **15c**

CHILDREN'S BELTS.
Black, Red, Sky and White Patent Leather, eyeletted and fitted with nickel plated buckles in assorted shapes, 1 inch wide. Reg. 8c. each. Friday and Saturday **6c**

RIBBONS.
Fine finish Taffeta Ribbons in all the newest shades and colors for Hair Ribbons, Sashes, Trimmings and Millinery purposes, 5 1/2 inches wide. Regular 35 cents yard. Friday and Saturday **28c**

WOMEN'S UNDERWEARS.
An extra good line of soft Jersey Ribbed Vests in a very elastic rib; finished at the neck with mercerized cotton edging, close cuffs and waist, high neck, long sleeves. Sizes 34, 36 and 38 bust measure. Reg. 70 cents each. Friday and Saturday **58c**

RARE VALUES IN SMALLWARES
The Largest variety and the most tempting prices offered for some time.

Tooth Paste. Reg. 22c. tube for **20c**
Crochet Cotton. Reg. 11c. ball for **10c**
Snap Fasteners. Reg. 12c. dozen for **10c**
Hooks and Eyes. Reg. 4c. card for **3c**
Rubber Balls. Reg. 20c. each for **18c**
Dress Combs. Reg. 25c. each for **20c**
Safety Pins. Reg. 3c. card; 2 for **1c**
Pearl Buttons. Reg. 13c. dozen for **11c**
Fusse Partout binding. Reg. 13c. roll for **11c**
Hook and Eye Tape. Reg. 30c. yd. for **25c**
Soldiers' Hussies. Reg. 60c. each for **45c**
Polishing Gloves. Reg. 20c. each for **16c**
Aluminum Photo Frames. Reg. 45c. for **35c**
Colored Binding Braid. Reg. 4c. yd. for **3c**
Absorbent Cotton. Reg. 3c. for **2c**
Port Sea Purse. Special each **\$1.00**
Colored Machine Cotton. Reg. 5c. reel for **4c**
Fancy Boxes of Hair Pins. Reg. 25c. each for **20c**
Books of Pins. Reg. 6c. each for **5c**
Hooks and Eyes. Reg. 5c. card for **4c**
Electro-Plated Pins. Reg. 4c. sheet for **3c**
Brilliant Cotton. Reg. 7c. reel for **6c**
Hair Pins. Reg. 4c. box for **3c**
Books of Safety Pins. Reg. 6c. for **5c**
Done Fasteners. Reg. 8c. dozen for **6c**

The Royal Stores Ltd.

CUSHION COVERS.
Crash Cushion Covers with wide frill of self material and colored embroidered centres also white lawn neck, hemstitched hem and pretty wreath centres, embroidered in plain white. Assorted sizes. Reg. 70c. each. Friday and Saturday **58c**

DOYLIES.—Hand worked Doilies in heavy crochet, and fine Tennerite makes. Very pretty designs; some with plain linen centres. Size 9 x 9 and 12 x 12 inches. Reg. 22c. each. Friday and Saturday **18c**

LAUNDRY BAGS.
With the words "Launder" or "Linen" beautifully worked in plain white or colored on the front. They are made from coarse linen and cotton. Finished with drawstring tops. Sizes 23 x 15 and 32 x 15 in. Reg. 55c. each. Friday and Saturday **50c**

REMNANTS OF PILLOW COTTON.
Close make, tubular Pillow Cotton in ends from 1 1/2 to 8 yards long. Materials that are well worth up to 40c. Yard Special for Friday and Saturday **22c**

WOMEN'S HOSE.
Plain and assorted ribbed Cashmere with seamless heel and toes and wide garter tops. They are made from good quality yarns and will give lasting wear. Reg. 55c. pair. Friday and Saturday **45c**

DUCHESS SETS.
Of fine cotton with hemmed borders and openwork centres, in sets of four pieces. In the runner measures 11 x 40 inches. Reg. 45c. each. Friday and Saturday **38c**

SILK TABLE CENTERS.
Small size with wide borders of pure Battenburg. The centres are of good quality Jap silk in Orange, Pale Green, Olive, and Pink. Pre-war values. Size 6 x 6 inches. Reg. 10c. each. Friday and Saturday **8c**

"Economy," The Keystone of Success.

Economy is the watchword of the whole world to-day. We are all called upon to economize for the benefit of our Empire, and for our own personal benefit. Economy is essential to success. **SUCCESS FOLLOWS ECONOMY.** The offerings itemized below are real aids to economy.

Embroideries!

A Big Job in White Embroideries, 10,000 yards. Although they have advanced over 50 per cent. we are still selling at old prices, according to width, **6c. to \$1.00 per Yard.**

DRESS GOODS--32 pieces Dress Plaids. Value for 40 cents. Selling at **35c. per yard.**

CHECK GINGHAMS--10 bundles Remnants Check Gingham, just the thing for Children's Overalls, selling at **16c. per yard.**

Ladies' American Coats!

Only a few remaining from our Fall shipment. **Now is the time to secure a serviceable WINTER COAT.** Up-To-Date Styles, Newest Materials, from **\$10.00 up to \$34.00 each.**

Marshall Bros

Ladies' Felt Hats!

About two dozen, the balance of a Big Job, ranging in price from \$1.20 to \$3.60, clearing at **90c. each.**

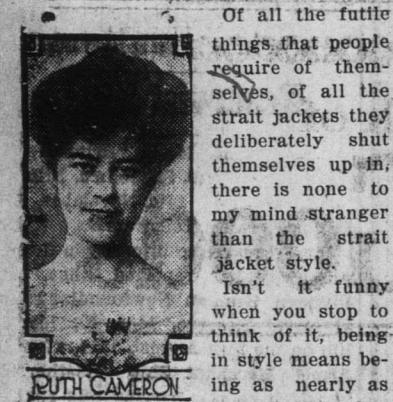
Fancy Flannelette Blouses, a Big Job! 40 dozen Ladies' Fancy Flannelette Blouses, value for \$1.50, now **\$1.10 each.**

LADIES' PETTICOATS--10 dozen Colored Petticoats, well assorted, **\$1.20 to \$3.60 each.**

Our Favorite Strait Jacket.

By RUTH CAMERON.

"Women have never been content merely to clothe themselves, nor, for the matter of that until very recently, have men; but men have grown a new sanity, while women, if we read aright, the signs of the times have grown naught save a new insanity. We have come to a point where, for a great number of women, the fashions have become the motive power of life."--W. L. George.



Of all the futile things that people require of themselves, of all the strait jackets they deliberately shut themselves up in, there is none to my mind stranger than the strait jacket style.

Isn't it funny when you stop to think of it, being in style means being as nearly as possible like other people, doing things the way they do them, wearing what they wear, liking what they like, talking as they talk. Now there isn't one of us who wouldn't be furious if the right of individual action were taken away from him, and yet, we deliberately take it away from ourselves by falling into life and slavishly imitating all the gestures of those ahead of us in the procession.

It is perfectly astonishing the number of things into which the question of styles enter. There are styles in Everything From Bassinets To Coffins.

As we all know there are styles in words. There are the stylish slang phrases, the "rubberneck" and the "What do you know about that?" and the "I should worry." And then there are runs on legitimate words. Have you noticed how often authors

use the words "savor," "intrigue," "synchronize" in the last year or two? If you play bridge there is a style about that. Once there were Spades, then there were Royals and Spades, now there are only Spades. Also, as I was gently told when I opened the other night, "it isn't the thing to complete the cut now, my dear."

One Must Be Married In Style. One might think that anything so intensely personal as getting married might be done to suit oneself, but, no, if you have the right kind of a wedding every minutest detail from the precise moment the wedding invitations shall be sent out, is dictated by fashion. Even people who like to be original must perforce keep their originality within the container of these forms.

As for styles in clothes--the subject I really started to write upon--I am simply overwhelmed when I think of their multiplicity, of the fearful rapidity with which they change, of the intensity with which every woman above the deadline of absolute poverty, fights to dress as nearly as possible like all the rest.

Think Of The Crimes Committed For Clothes. I don't suppose there is a crime in the calendar which has not been committed directly or indirectly for the sake of some woman being able to have this year's instead of last year's styles.

And yet last year's may become her much more, may make her more graceful and attractive. Really, when you stop to think of it, isn't it as strange a mania as many of those to which we give technical names, and which are considered sufficient cause for giving people free lodging at the state's expense?

When you want Mince Collops, try ELLIS'.

Apples!

Right now for delivery to-day: **200 brls. Fancy Wagner Apples.**

To arrive Wednesday: **120 sacks (100 lbs. each) Yellow Onions.**

200 cases Sweet Oranges--250, 216 and 176 count

30 kegs Heavy Cluster Grapes.

And about Thursday: **400 brls. Fancy Winter Apples--Baldwins and Starks.**

Soper & Moore, Importers & Jobbers. Phone 126.

Milady's Boudoir.



It is possible to have pretty hands, even when one must do housework. All that is required is a little precaution and extra care. I know of a woman whom I frequently find scrubbing the kitchen floor and the front steps, and yet has soft, well-shaped hands that are more beautiful than many of her work-free friends. Personally, I would value very little the friendship of any woman whose hands did not perform their share of service to humanity, and personally, too, I have added respect for that woman who, while contributing her part, kept her hands well groomed. And a positive admiration have I for the woman whose hands under the circumstances of service are beautiful.

The first thing to do with an unsightly pair of hands is to whiten them. For this purpose there is nothing better than almond meal reduced to a fine powder. There are various ways of applying the meal. A very convenient method is to make a small white muslin bag that may be kept close at hand and rubbed in the hands before they are dry, immediately after the soap has been rinsed off.

Buttermilk, too, is a whiteners that is not to be despised. It is a most expensive beautifier and a reliable one, if you have a quantity of it, wash both hands and face in it daily, and you will soon notice a great improvement.

When it becomes necessary to use strong soaps in housework you should counteract the action of it upon the hands by rinsing them in vinegar and then clear water. Wipe dry on a soft towel.

Household Notes. It is as wasteful to spoil good food by bad cooking as it is to throw it away. Baked custard will be much smoother if only the yolks of the eggs are used.

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At Southside This Morning—Prompt Rescue of Two Children by Two Citizens.

The lives of two children, a brother and sister named King, of the Lower Southside, came near closing prematurely this morning. About nine o'clock they left home to go to school. While on route they had to cross over Prowse's wharf, situated between the Imperial Oil Co.'s and Gorton Pow Co.'s premises. The wharf was coated with ice on which the little girl slipped, falling into the water. Her little brother was powerless to rescue her alone, but he did the next best thing and he held on like grim death to her by the back of the dress, keeping her head above the surface, as he cried loudly for help. Messrs. Thomas Kearsey and Charles Guzewell, employees of the Imperial Oil Co., heard the alarm, and rushed to the water-front. Meanwhile to make matters more serious the boy got in the water by either losing his equilibrium while holding on to his sister or being pulled in by her. However, on reaching the scene the two men lost no time in rescuing the children, who were all but exhausted. In all probability they would have drowned each other ere another few moments elapsed, as they were clinging tightly to each other when first seen by their rescuers. The children apparently felt the effects of the icy-cold and sudden immersion, and were immediately wrapped in blankets and given hot drinks at their home. Unquestionably, we are informed, but for the promptitude of the two citizens mentioned, a double drowning tragedy would have occurred.

Capt. Bob Bartlett Gets Important Position.

By the last American mail word was received that Capt. Bob Bartlett of Arctic fame had been appointed by the American Government to the important position of Marine Superintendent at the port of New York. He will also perform special duties in connection with the transports taking troops to France. Captain Bob was among the first to volunteer when the U. S. declared war on Germany and has ever since been at the command of the Government. Capt. Bartlett's vast experience as a master mariner and explorer will be of great assistance to him in performing his arduous duties.

No More Smallpox.

The Health Authorities have not learned of any further outbreak of smallpox at King's Cove. The two patients who developed the disease there a fortnight ago, are being attended by Dr. Levison, who is endeavouring to stamp out the malady. The man who contracted the disease at Channel a short time ago is practically recovered.

FLOUR SHIPMENT.—During the past week a large consignment of flour has reached port.

To-Day's Messages.

10.30 A.M.

THE GLORY OF PASCHENDEALE.

CANADIAN HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, To-Day.
(By W. A. Wilson.)
The story of Paschendaele is one of the enemy's severe casualties, steady loss of ground and declining morale. The Canadian Corps has moved steadily to its objectives, capturing during the several battles 1,174 prisoners, including two battalion commanders. Over two dozen attacks and counter attacks have been broken up in the last three weeks by our men. Our line overlooks Heiberg Spur, Roulers Plain, Moorsede and a green rolling country of farms and villages seemingly untouched by war. Behind us are Hovels, Markt, Meetcheele, Bellevue, Crest Farm, lone mounds of concrete that were enemy pill boxes, blasted trees, mud and devastation. Enemy shells are blasting Paschendaele, our guns are blasting his, while our men are toiling to strengthen their positions in the mud. From Paschendaele, to Ypres a mist hangs over the land, veiling the desolation. Our men have won their way through the valley of the shadow that is the salient to the heights that represent the domination and crown of their great achievement. The dead of the Empire lie in the valley. The dead of three years, our dead of Langemarck and St. Julien, of yesterday and of to-day. Because of them and the living who fought with them and followed after them the ridge is ours. The tragedy of the low graves is relieved by the victory of the low hills. The triumph that is Paschendaele is shared by all. The shadow over the salient is lifting. Up to the ridge and on to the ridge—the Canadian Corps stormed its way in a remarkable series of battles. When I arrived in France on Oct. 20th the Corps had just moved into the salient. In the room at headquarters I was told: Our objective is Paschendaele; we will take it in three sumps. The first will carry us on to Bellevue Spur, the second will take us to Crest Farm and Meetcheele, the third will give us the village. Our first attack will be on Oct. 25th, our second about the 1st of November, and the third five or six days later. It was a striking prophecy, strikingly fulfilled. Canada knows now how the salient was observed. It couldn't be known before, for it is only possible to tell the story of how the Corps moved up its men, its munitions, its guns, equipment and supplies and smashed its way on time through the enemy defences held by troops without peers in the Central Empires. There has been praise for the infantry and praise for the artillery; there should be praise for the staff. For this taking of Paschendaele has been the triumph of staff work in the great departments of the G. H. Q. and other vital branches besides the lines, as well as of combatant arms. The whole Corps was moved as a man might move pieces on a checkerboard. The battalions went forward, all supplies essential to the offensive were relieved and went forward again, victory following victory. Light and heavy guns were brought up over roads that were broken for their coming. They were lodged on temporary foundations on mud bottoms between yawning shell holes, then moved forward again with the advance. Paschendaele has been the triumph of the mind as well as of the men and guns; the triumph of mind and co-operation between the different services working together with precision towards the common end. Bellevue Spur and the first footing on the ridge of Crest Farm and Meetcheele and Paschendaele were three battles and three victories, as planned. The achievement has been great. The cost has been heavy. Many noble men of yours had died for Canada. "If you break faith with us who die, we shall not sleep, though poppies blow in Flanders fields."

GERMAN SPY JAILED.

SEATTLE, Wash., To-day.
Hans Von Deckendorff, said to be a cousin of Count Von Bernstorff, the former German Ambassador to us, is in jail in Tacoma to-day, having been arrested on a presidential warrant while working in a logging camp at Lape Tapps, Washington. Von Deckendorff is suspected of spy activities at Camp Lewis and along the Mexican Border.

CADORNA WILL ACT.

PARIS, To-day.
According to the correspondent of the Temps on the Italian front, it is now stated that General Cadorna, who was said to have declined the offer to represent Italy on the Inter-Allied Committee, has yielded to pressure and consented to act as Italy's representative.

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HOW THE GREAT WAR COUNCIL WILL WORK.

LONDON, To-day.
The proposed new Inter-Allied Council was the subject of discussion in the House of Commons to-day, when former Premier Asquith brought the matter before the House by interrogating Premier Lloyd George on the functions of the Council. Mr. Asquith asked the Premier whether he would now state the precise functions of the Inter-Allied Council and in particular of his military staff; whether it was proposed that the Council, if so advised by its staff, should have power to interfere with and over-ride the opinions on the matter of strategy of the general staff; if the Inter-Allied Council was to have intelligence and operations departments, or either of them of its own; whether the ultimate decision as to the distribution and movements of the various armies in the field was to rest on the Council or the Governments represented by it; and whether an opportunity would be given to discuss the proposed arrangements and the statements made in connection therewith in the Premier's Parish speech. Premier Lloyd George, in replying to Asquith, said the best way of answering the question was to read the actual terms of the agreement between the British, French and Italian Governments for the creation of a Supreme Council of the Allies. The text of the agreement follows: "First, with a view to the better co-ordination of military action on the western front, a Supreme War Council is created composed of the Prime Minister and a member of the Government of each of the great powers whose armies are fighting on that front, the extension of scope of Council to other fronts to be reserved for discussion with the other great powers. Second, the Supreme War Council has for its mission to watch over the great conduct of the war. It prepares recommendations for the consideration of the Governments and keep itself informed of their execution and reports thereon to the respective Governments. Third,

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the general staff and military commands of the armies of each power charged with the conduct of the military operations remain responsible to their respective Governments. Fourth, general war plans, drawn by competent military authorities, are submitted to the Supreme War Council which under the high authority of the Government, assures its concordance and submits, if need be, any necessary changes. Fifth, each power delegates to the Supreme War Council one permanent military representative, whose exclusive function is to act as technical adviser to the Council. Sixth, the military representatives to receive from the Government and competent military authorities of their country all proposals, information and documents relating to the conduct of the war. Seventh, the military representatives watch day by day the situation of the forces and means of all kinds of which the Allies' and enemy armies dispose. Eighth, the Supreme War Council meets normally at Versailles, where permanent military representatives and staffs are established. They may meet at other places according to circumstances. The meetings of the Supreme War Council take place at least once a month." The Premier went into further explanation and said: "From the foregoing it is clear that the Council will have no executive power, and that the final decisions in the matter of strategy and distribution and movements of the various armies in the field will rest with the several Governments of the Allies. There will therefore be no operations department attached to the Council. The permanent military representatives will de-

rive from the existing intelligence departments of the Allies all the information necessary in order to enable them to submit advice to the Supreme Allied Council. The object of the Allies has been to set up a central body charged with the duty of continuously surveying the field of operations as a whole by the light of information derived from all the fronts and from all the Governments and staffs, and of co-ordinating the plans prepared by the different general staffs and if necessary of making proposals of their own for the better conduct of the war." Lloyd George announced that the Government had set aside Monday for the discussion of the Paris speech and the proposed Council.

CANADIAN UNION NOMINATIONS.
HALIFAX, To-day.
Hon. A. K. McLean and Mayor P. F. Martin were nominated at the Union Convention here last night for Halifax City and County. Premier Borden was offered the nomination but decided he will stand for his native County of King's.

Sensational Report.
Rumour has it in town that a prominent Newfoundland was arrested in New York, and since the United States entered the war, for aiding and abetting the Germans. The nature of the offence he was accused of, according to the story circulated, we learn, is that of supplying German shipping with Newfoundland products. We do not vouch for the veracity of the rumour, but give it for what it is worth. The person alluded to has been absent from the country for some time. His arrest, it is said, occurred about three weeks ago.

The ladies of the Congregational Aid Society will hold their Annual Sale of Work on Wednesday, Nov. 28th. A splendid assortment of Fancy and Plain Work, suitable for Xmas Gifts, has been prepared. The Toy Stall will be worth seeing. Please keep the date open.—Nov 15, 17.

WEDDING AT BAY BULLS.—A pretty wedding took place recently at Bay Bulls when Miss Katherine Maloney was united in matrimony with Mr. B. O'Brien of that place. The bride, who was artistically dressed, was attended by Miss Monica Norris while the groom was supported by Mr. J. T. Maloney. The happy couple, who are very popular, received many useful presents.

Robert Strickland Found Not Guilty.

The case of the King vs. Robert Strickland, who was charged with manslaughter, was heard before the following special jury in the Supreme Court this morning—Michael J. Donnelly, W. F. Donnelly, Michael Healey, Henry J. Wiseman, Wm. J. Jocelyn, James C. Baird, Wm. H. Jackson, Michael Walden, Joseph Halfyard, Joseph Stick, William H. Ewing, Andrew Wright. The accused stood charged with unlawfully killing a deceased fisherman named Ingram, on the morning of September 13th, 1916, by the skiff of which he was master, colliding with a small boat in which the deceased was fishing, resulting in the immediate death of the deceased. Mr. C. E. Hunt, who acted as Crown prosecutor, called William Knot, of Isle aux Morts, who was on board the skiff at the time. He stated that he left Isle aux Morts at 8 a.m. on the morning of the 13th, the weather being fair and the water calm. We were sailing for one hour and twenty minutes when we ran into a boat. I was sitting on the skiff, the skipper was steering. I did not notice the boat till we struck her. I helped to take the man on board. We had no boat or dory on the skiff.

Cross examined by Mr. McNeilly, said: The skiff was under forty feet long. The skipper generally steers and I do not know if the place where we struck the boat is a fishing ground or not. After we struck the boat, we got into another boat that was coming out of Port aux Basques and pulled the man on board. John Ryan examined by Mr. Hunt, said: I was on board George Marshall's skiff. Robert Strickland was master. We were between Snooks Head and the East Baldwin's when we struck the boat. The first time I saw the boat was when it was under the bow of our skiff. I did not see a boat before we struck Ingram's boat. I could make out the Eastern Baldwin's as we were about 700 yards from it.

Cross examined by Mr. McNeilly, said: I don't know what berth you should take when approaching the Baldwin's. On fine days the steersman does the looking out. I was sitting on the boats quarter behind the master. He (the master) was in the standing room. There is no fishing done at the place where we struck Ingram's boat.

Dr. Wm. Grant, for past 22 years medical practitioner at Channel, on being examined by Mr. Hunt, said: I saw the body of the deceased at his home in September, 1916. His nose was broken as was also one of his legs. There was no water in his lungs. I have no hesitation in saying

that death was caused by a blow in the head. He was about 70 years of age and infirm and should not be fishing alone.

Cross examined by Mr. McNeilly: I have known the accused for upwards of 22 years and he has been a hard-working and prosperous fisherman. It is not customary for any particular person except the man at the helm to keep a look-out.

Llewellyn Walters examined by Mr. Hunt, said: I belong to Fox Roost. I was coming out of Port aux Basques on the morning of Sept. 13th, 1916, when I was signalled by a skiff. I helped to pick up the body of the man. I did not see any marks on his body.

Cross examined by Mr. McNeilly: I was about 100 yards from the skiff and was sailing along in my own boat. The man at the tiller is the man that would be on the look-out.

Constable John Squibb of Channel, who presided to the scene of the tragedy shortly after and made an examination of the boat and its belongings, was called and gave evidence as did also Police Sergeant Gray of the same place, who examined the body after it was being brought ashore.

THE ACCUSED TESTIFIES.
The accused, who was the only witness for the defence, on being examined as follows: I am 41 years of age and have been master of a skiff for over 20 years. I have fished mostly out of my home in Isle aux Morts. The fishing grounds are situated about 7 1/2 miles off the land. On the morning of the accident there was no fog, the wind was fair and the water smooth, when I got home for Port aux Basques. I was steering but saw no sign of the boat. If I had continued on my course, I would not have collided with the boat, but as I was approaching the land I changed her course. I cannot understand how it is I did not see the man or his boat, immediately after we struck Ingram's boat. I signalled to Walters, who was sailing out of Port aux Basques, and he came alongside. I jumped into his boat and picked up the poor man who was underneath his boat.

On being cross-examined by Mr. Hunt, he said he knew the old man Ingram, who struck Ingram's boat. At 12.15 o'clock, Mr. McNeilly addressed the Jury, his address only lasting 15 minutes. Mr. Hunt for a period of 15 minutes addressed the Jury, after which Hon. Justice Kent delivered his charge. At 12.45 p.m. the Jury retired and after 15 minutes' deliberation filed back into Court with a verdict of "Not Guilty."

A Contradiction.

In our issue of November 7th, 1917, there appeared an item in which it was intimated that a prospector from the city while operating up north had stolen a box of mineral samples. We have since had the real facts of the matter brought to our notice and we now wish to say that there was absolutely no foundation for the item in question. As a matter of fact, the samples in question were the property of the prospector who sent them to the city. They came of a claim which this gentleman has been holding for quite a number of years, and after he had completed a survey of his property, it appears that some irresponsible party, hearing of the survey, telegraphed to the city and caused the seizure of the samples. We are glad to be able to exonerate the prospector in question, more particularly as this article, if uncontradicted, would be likely to do him some damage.

Here and There.

NO ROOM IN HOSPITAL.—At present there is not a single unoccupied cot at the General Hospital, and there are about fifty applications for admission there.

The members of George St. Mission Circle will hold their Annual Sale of Work and Teas in the Schoolroom of George St. Church on Thursday, Nov. 15th. A special feature will be a Vegetable and Pound Table. Ice Cream for sale. Admission 10c. Tea 40c. Programme only 30c. Performers are: Mrs. Foster, Misses Jolliffe & Taylor; Messrs. Trapnell, Rabbits, Wheeler, Devereaux, Penman, Vavasour and Christian.—Nov 15, 17.

VERY LATEST.

2.15 P.M.

FRENCH SHIPPING LOSSES.

PARIS, To-day.
The loss of French shipping through mine or submarine for the week ending Nov. 11th was two vessels over 1600 tons and no vessels under that tonnage. Four unsuccessful attacks were made by submarines.

LABRADOR NEXT.

COPENHAGEN, To-day.
The Berlingske Tidende Hapanda's correspondent, in a despatch received here, says: Officers at Tornea, Finland, say that Siberia has declared its independence and proclaimed former Emperor Nicholas as Emperor. The Cossacks have occupied Kiev.

SUCCESS AGAINST THE TURKS.

LONDON, To-day.
An official statement on operations in Palestine says: General Allenby reports at 11 p.m. yesterday that after stiff fighting on the twelfth with the Turkish forces, which had attempted to take new positions on the Wadi Sukereit, twelve miles north of Ascalan, the enemy were driven on the thirteenth by a combined attack of our mounted troops and infantry from this position and forced to retire a distance of five miles to the Wadi Surar, eight miles south of Jaffa. Our troops captured the enemy's strongly entrenched posts at Mesmehyeh Katrah and Mughar with magnificent dash, and now hold the line from Eltineh on the east, through Katrah and Yehnah to the sea. Full details of the captures are not available, but one mounted division reports having taken 1100 prisoners, fourteen machine guns and two guns. A statement regarding operations in Mesopotamia follows: Our forces after most successful actions at Tekrit on the fifth and sixth remained at that place until the eighth, the whole of the Turkish forces opposed to them having been withdrawn thirty to forty miles northward with the exception of a small detachment at Sharrainje. The clearance of the battle field and removal or destruction of everything of value having been accomplished, our troops returned to their original positions according to plans drawn up prior to their advance.

MERELY A SKIRMISH.

LONDON, To-day.
The British Admiralty, commenting as follows on a German report of an engagement of Flanders on Monday, says: German torpedo boat destroyers came out from under the protection of their shore batteries and fired a few rounds at our patrol vessels, none of which were hit. The fire was promptly returned and the Germans immediately retired under protection of their shore batteries and our patrol was resumed. Incidents of this nature occur daily and in no way interfere with the maintenance and efficiency of our patrol and they are therefore not reported.

BRITISH LINES INTACT.

LONDON, To-day.
An official statement from British headquarters in France and Belgium issued last night reads: Since the capture of Passchendaele on November 6th great hostile artillery activity has been directed against the village and the portion of the main ridge held by us in its vicinity. After our suc-

Casualty List.

(Received Nov. 15th.)
Missing October 9th.
959—Private Leo M. Volsey, Hagarly Street.
Previously Reported Missing Now Reported Killed in Action October 9, and Buried.
2777—Private Pierce Upward, Harry's Harbor, N.D.B.
Died in Enemy Hands—No Parole.
Lars Given. (Previously Reported Prisoner of War, Limburg, Germany, July 20.)
815—Private Arthur Cummings, 22 King's Road.
Admitted Wandsworth.
3005—Private Jacob Dewling, 25 Fleming Street, French River.
1726—Private William Sutton, D.C. M. Hargrove, inflammation of skin and Compulsive Tissue, Neck.
R. A. SQUIRES,
Colonial Secretary.

Successful attack on Saturday the hostile shelling steadily increased in intensity on the whole of this important area, culminating in the early morning of Tuesday in a concentrated bombardment of great violence on our forward positions. Our own artillery replied effectively but the very heavy hostile shelling continued. At 4.30 p.m. yesterday the enemy's bombardment once more became intense and the attack reported in this morning's official statement was launched. His infantry attempted to advance along the line of Westroobek Road. Our artillery again opened fire and, combined with the fire of our infantry, completely broke up his attack. Our line is intact. The hostile artillery has been active during the day on the battlefield. We improved our line slightly during the night northwest of Passchendaele.

HAVE THEIR OWN COMMANDERS.

LONDON, To-day.
The War Office announces that some misapprehension appears to have arisen with regard to a statement which recently appeared in the press that the Franco-British forces now in Italy are under supreme command of General Parola. The British forces will operate under their own commanders.

SHIPPING FIGURES.

LONDON, To-day.
The Admiralty statement regarding sinkings last week follows:—Arrivals 2125, sailings 2307, British merchantmen over 1600 tons, sunk by mine or submarine, one; under 1600 tons, five; fishing vessels sunk one. British merchantmen unsuccessfully attacked, including three previously mentioned, eight.

VENICE TREASURES REMOVED.

VENICE, To-day.
The evacuation of Venice is almost complete, this city having undergone same treatment as Treviso and Vicenza with the difference that its art treasures were so numerous and of such colossal proportions that an army of workmen was required to transport them.

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DIED.

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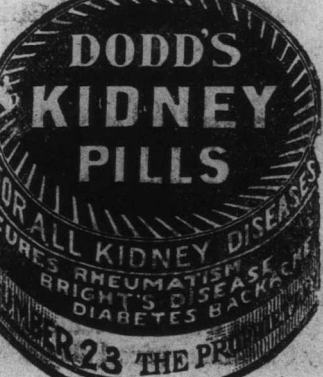
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To-Day's Messages.

WAR CRAFT SUNK OFF PALESTINE
LONDON, To-day.
The hostile submarine sunk two warships. The text of the statement announcing the losses reads: One of H. M. destroyers and a small monitor have been sunk by an enemy submarine while co-operating with the army in Palestine. Seven men are missing from the destroyer and 26 from the monitor, a total of 33 men from both ships.

A GOOD STEP.
NEW YORK, To-day.
Immediate arrest and internment for the duration of the war will be the penalty for violation of orders issued yesterday by the Federal authorities banning unaturalized Germans from residing along the Manhattan waterfront it was announced to-day.

ONLY ONE ITALIAN VESSEL.
ROME, To-day.
Only one small sailing vessel of Italian nationality was sunk in the week ending Nov. 11th. It was officially announced to-day as a result of the operations of hostile submarines. The statement reads: During the week ending Nov. 11th vessels to the number of 384 entered ports and 333 left; the loss due to submarines was one sailing vessel of more than 100 tons.

WAR SUMMARY.
In the hilly region from Tezze on the Trentino front eastward to Peltre, a distance of 12 miles, the Italians have fallen back before the enemy, who also has gained additional vantage points on the Asiago Plateau and Sette Comuni. On the western bank of Lake Garda the Austro-Germans attempted to push southward but were held by the Italians. On the west front in France and Belgium the situation remains normal, with only heavy bombardments and minor infantry operations in progress on various sectors. The Germans have not resumed their attack against the Canadians in the region of Passchendaele, when on Tuesday night they were completely repulsed in an attack in which they sought to regain the lost ground. The British drive against the Turks along the Tigris River and in Palestine continues successful. Under the pressure of the British the Ottoman forces have now withdrawn their line from thirty to fifty miles north of Tarrif, placing them virtually 150 miles northwest of Bagdad on the Tigris. In Palestine the Turks have been forced back an additional seven miles. It is reported that they have lost half their effectives in men killed and wounded or prisoners since the operations began. A British torpedo boat destroyer and a small monitor have been sunk by an enemy submarine while operating in conjunction with the Palestine column. Thirty three men from all two ships are missing. The international situation in Russia still remains obscure, although despatches sent out by the Finnish Telegram Bureau assert that Premier Kerensky again is in control in Petrograd. Other reports are to the effect that he has set up his Government in Moscow and that fighting still continues in the capital. No advices have been forthcoming from Provisional Government sources.

Concert and Sale.
At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon the vegetable, plain work and home cooking sale held at Canon Wood Hall by the St. Thomas's Women's Association was formally opened by Lady Horwood. The stalls, which were beautifully decorated, were laden with all kinds of vegetables, plain work and varied kinds of home made cakes, etc. that were tempting to the most delicate appetite. At 5.30 p.m. the sale closed when practically all the stocks were disposed of. Teas were then served and the tables well patronized. Included in those present were Rev. Canon White, Bishop-elect, and Mrs. White. The proceeds, which will be devoted to the Red Cross Fund, with the exception of the plain work table, exceeded all expectations. At 8.15 a concert was held and the following interesting programme gone through: A piano duet by Mrs. Melville and Mr. F. Emerson, songs by Misses M. Mitchell and E. Mare, Messrs. C. H. Hutcheon and A. Williams; piano selection by Mr. F. Emerson; recitation by L. Corp. E. Bennett; a dance by Misses J. Rendell and L. Orr; the farce "Time is Money" and a dialogue entitled "A Marriage Has Been Arranged". The characters in the farce were taken by Mrs. L. R. Cooper, Miss F. Gosling and Mr. Frank Knight, and by the latter and Miss Doyle in the dialogue. Mr. F. Emerson acted as accompanist.

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UNDERWEAR.
Can't let this opportunity pass without letting you know of this special value line of Ladies' all white fine ribbed Jersey Underwear that we have just received, high and low neck vests, long or ¾ leaves, pants and knickers to match, complete size range, and mind you regular \$1.00 garments. Fri., Sat. and Monday... 75c

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Our regular \$4.50 line of warm blanket Dressing gowns, silk-cord girdle at waist, silk trimmed, something you need now, more so than ever, shades include Grey, Blue, Cardinal and Pink, Small medium and large sizes. Regular \$4.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday... \$3.89
FEEDERS.
Large full sizes in children's feeders, made of soft white Terry cloth, colored border and fringed ends. Don't be without a supply. Reg. 12c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday... 9c

UNDERSKIRTS.
Assorted sizes in Children's Underskirts with wide tucked flounce, these are made from extra good quality satteen with a good sheen surface, made in full sizes, a sensible fall underskirt at an easy price. Regular \$1.60. Friday, Saturday and Monday... \$1.39
INFANTS' BONNETS.
Cute little Coloured Corduroy Velvet Bonnets for the little tots, becoming shades of Saxe, Navy, Crimson, Brown and Cream, trimmed with white cord; at their regular price, 40c, each, these are good value. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday... 34c
CORSET BANDS.
Cute little Coloured Corduroy Velvet Bonnets for the little tots, becoming shades of Saxe, Navy, Crimson, Brown and Cream, trimmed with white cord; at their regular price, 40c, each, these are good value. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday... 21c
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Natural looking, Artificial Silk Roses with foliage; very handy for wearing with fur muffis or collar piece. Just a few boxes, the very newest. Special for Friday, Saturday and Monday... 42c

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Pretty Art Cushion Covers, both sides alike, finished at edge with a fancy coloured and twisted cord, loops at corner, an ornamental and serviceable cushion cover that will wash well. Reg. 95c. Friday, Saturday and Monday... 85c
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Best quality English Damask Table Cloth, pure white, sizes 57 x 60, finished with one and a half inch hem-stitched border, large, floral pattern. Friday Sat. and Monday... \$1.25

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Honey-comb Toilet Covers. Just the make you want if you are looking for something serviceable, heavy quality, fringed edge, full size. Reg. 40 cents. Friday, Saturday 37c and Monday...
LARGE CENTRES.
Very neat looking White Canvas Cloth, circular Table Centres, 19 inches in diameter, finished with a strong lace edge; these have a lot of pretty stamped designs, simple to follow. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday, each... 18c
BATTENBURG TABLE COVERS.
Can you imagine anything prettier than a Battenburg Table Centre. These are for small tables, size 36 x 36, plain linen centre; at \$1.00 they are value. Friday, Saturday and Monday... 85c
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Inexpensive four-piece Sets including a long bureau or dressing table scarf and 3 smaller pieces to match; a mass of fine lace and insertion with centre of strong white cotton. Have a set; wonderful value. Special per Set Friday, Saturday and Monday... 25c
GLASS TOWELS, 13c. Pair.
Get a pair of these without delay; good, serviceable little Glass Towels; these are not large, we do not wish to misrepresent them, but they are sufficiently large to be always useful. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday, per pair... 13c
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Just a piece or two of real heavy quality half-bleach Table Damasks, 58 inches wide. These offer strong value to-day in the best of wearing Damasks. Reg. 56c. yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday... 58c

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The little ones need warm Wool Booties now that the colder weather has set in. We offer you Pink and White, Blue and White in mixed shades and others in all White. Reg. 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday... 27c
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Or Leggings, all in one piece, full length with strap under instep. A nice fancy knit in plain shades of Cardinal and White; assorted sizes. Regular 45c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday... 42c
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Or Mitts. They come in plain shades of Cardinal, Saxe, Khaki and White; warm wool make, with fine Jersey back. Reg. to 22c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday... 19c

BOYS' JERSEYS.
Comfort giving warm Wool Jerseys for boys say from 6 to 14 years; close fitting Jerseys in shades of Grey, Heather and Crimson; collar clings closely to neck. Reg. to \$1.00 each. Friday, Saturday and Monday... 89c
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Strong serviceable Top Shirts for everyday wear, made of good quality Striped Flannelette, collar attached; made in full sizes, strongly stitched; assorted sizes. Reg. to 80c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday... 72c
CORDUROY VELVETS.
Around which will centre much interest this week by reason of their value, their adaptability for fall wear, and the becoming shades. They have everything to recommend them, suitable for Children's, Misses' and Ladies' Fall Dresses, Costumes, Coat and Skirts, etc. The shades include Navy and Light Blue, Cardinal, Green, Brown, Mole and Grey. Come and look these over. Regular \$1.00 per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday... \$1.48

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277—Private Pierce Upward, Hagar's Harbor, N.D.S.
Killed in Enemy Hands—No Particulars Given. (Previously Reported Prisoner of War, Limburg, Germany, July 20.)
815—Private Arthur Cummings, 22 King's Road.
Admitted Wandsworth.
3005—Private Jacob Deyfing, 25 Fleming Street, French Fever.
1726—Private William Sutton, D.C. 1, Burgeo. Inflammation of skin and Connective Tissue, Neck.
R. A. SQUIRES, Colonial Secretary.

Successful attack on Saturday the hostile shelling steadily increased in intensity on the whole of this important area, culminating in the early morning of Tuesday in a concentrated bombardment of great violence on our forward positions. Our own artillery replied effectively but the very heavy hostile shelling continued. At 3.30 p.m. yesterday the enemy's bombardment once more became intense and the attack reported in this morning's official statement was launched. This infantry attempted to advance along the line of Westrosbeck Road, our artillery again opened fire and combined with the fire of our infantry, completely broke up his attack. Our line is intact. The hostile artillery has been active during the day on the battlefield. We improved our line slightly during the night west of Passchendaele.
HAVE THEIR OWN COMMANDERS.
LONDON, To-day.
The War Office announces that some misapprehension appears to have arisen with regard to a statement which was recently published in the press that the Franco-British forces now in Italy are under supreme command of General Farole. The British forces will operate under their own commanders.
SHIPPING FIGURES.
The Admiralty statement regarding sinkings last week follows:—Arrivals 2125, sailings 2307. British merchantmen over 1600 tons sunk by mine or submarine, one; under 1600 tons, five; fishing vessels sunk one. British merchantmen unsuccessfully attacked, including those previously mentioned, eight.

VENICE TREASURES REMOVED.
VENICE, To-day.
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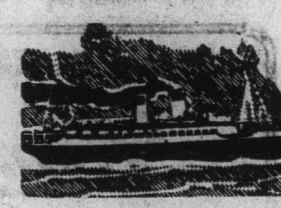
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