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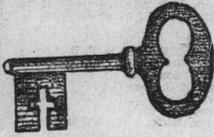
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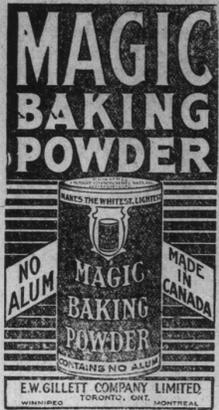
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After the Ball;

The Mystery Solved at Last.

The Lady in Black.

"Daubs!" he exclaimed, reverently taking one up and starting with something like pain, for in the beautiful sketch before him he saw the evidence of an accomplishment which added an increased lustre to the beautiful girl, who seemed already in her beauty and talent far above his reach. "They are wonderful," he said, quietly. "I'm no artist myself, but I feel assured that these are beautiful. Will you let me show them to Sir Fielding?"

"No, no," she said, hastily, in her eagerness laying one white hand up on the portfolio. Chudleigh looked surprised. There was something more than deprecating modesty in the frightened tone and gesture. She noticed his look of surprise, and her face paled. "Excuse my refusal," she said. "They would give no pleasure to Sir Fielding; they are worthless, believe me. You see, I may safely say so, although you have been kind enough to praise them, because you own that you are no artist, and, however unsuccessfully, I have been a student of art."

All this she said hurriedly, and as if with the object of covering the pained "No, no," with which she had refused, but Chudleigh's curiosity, backed though it was with the reverence a growing love inspires, was too deep to be evaded. "Why were you so alarmed at the idea of my father seeing them?" he said, with a smile. She looked at him for a moment with a strange expression in her eyes. "If you must know," she said, "I will tell you, Mr. Chichester. These sketches are painful memories of a bitter, very bitter, past, when I painted them and their fellows for my daily bread. Can you guess why I should not like the records in the luxury of Chichester Hall?" Chudleigh dropped the sketches and turned toward her, his face as pale as hers, and his lips quivering. "Can you forgive me?" he murmured, brokenly. At the sight of his face and the

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sound of his distressed voice, her own self-possession, which she had never lost for a moment, became strengthened, and, laughing, lightly, she said, holding out her hand: "Forgive me! For what, Mr. Chichester? Rather let me ask your pardon for a piece of silly sensitiveness." He took her hand, and, pressing it within his own strong one, was about to raise it to his lips, when the white fingers were calmly but resolutely withdrawn and the next moment Lady Mildred's entrance put an end to a scene which was not altogether a painful one for either Chudleigh or Carlotta.

CHAPTER VIII. A Solitary Life.

Oh, Love was once a little boy, and oftentimes a fool; Yet they who'd gain experience Must learn it in his school.

FILLED with curiosity though they were, the inhabitants of Grassmere had to restrain it in the direction of the rectory, for nothing could be more mysterious, silent or unsatisfactory than the conduct of its owner.

Since his appearance in the church he had been seen but twice—once when he had traversed the village in search of an old woman who had been hopelessly dumb for years, and to whom he consigned the care of the rectory, and again when he visited the carpenter, with instructions to replace the broken wicket with a strong oak gate and the glassless window panes with blackened wood.

With the exception of these repairs it repairs they could be called—the rectory underwent no other renovation by its master.

Two rooms were cleaned from their time-honored dust, some of the old oak furniture, with its faded velvet and armorial bearings, carried into them, and in these Maurice Durant lived, buried from the world.

Since his curt refusal of the first invitation, Sir Fielding had deemed it best for a while to leave the strange being undisturbed, although every one at the hall and the cottage was most anxious to see more of him, and, with the exception of Maud, continually talked of him.

She, singularly enough, kept closed lips, whenever the subject was brought up, and listened sometimes with a pained flush to some remark of Chudleigh concerning Maurice Durant and his strange retirement.

Indeed, Maud had undergone some change since that evening when the tall figure had startled her by its sudden appearance, and had grown quiet and somewhat pensive, sitting thoughtfully alone, where she used to be singing blithely, and often relapsing into a fit of abstraction during meals, at which she was wont to be the light and color.

Sir Fielding was, perhaps, too engrossed with his beloved books and the ever-present cloud of the for-closing mortgage to notice the change but Chudleigh had seen it, and troubled over it, but had deemed it best to let it pass uncommented on, thinking, perhaps, that her melancholy and depression were but the effects of the strange scene on the night of Maurice Durant's arrival.

On the Sunday following that on which Maurice Durant had preached the little church was crammed, all expecting that they should again see and listen to him, but at the end of the communion service the little curate mounted the old pulpit, and the



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Carlotta smiled. "I should not mind, if there were any occasion for it," she said. Clarence Hartfield laughed. "She's very quiet, but she won't stand in the cold long," he said. Accepting the invitation, the ladies left the room to do their furs.

It was certainly very delightful gliding over the ice-bound roads and flying across the lake on the very wings of the wind, and Carlotta's face grew very red and her eyes bright in the clear, crisp air, while her lips were wreathed in oft-repeated smiles at the fervor of her companion, whose blasé manner was gradually giving way each moment to a stammering delight that made every "r" a "w," and filled the air with his Dundreary laugh.

On their way home, they met Chudleigh and Maud, who were going in the direction of the rectory.

Lady Mildred asked Clarence Hartfield to pull up, which he did just in front of the grave face of Chudleigh and the slightly pale one of Maud.

"We have had such a delightful ride, Chud," said her ladyship, "thanks to Mr. Hartfield. Isn't this a singular vehicle?"

"Very," said Chudleigh, glancing at the gaudily painted affair. "Quite Continental. I congratulate Mr. Hartfield on the acquisition of such a curiosity, and implore him to tell me whence he procured it."

Carlotta looked up gravely at his slightly sarcastic tone, and their eyes met. She lowered hers immediately, while her cheek flushed with the slightest suspicion of crimson, and he looked away, with a sharp pang of jealousy. She looked so bright and happy. Was it only the fresh air and exercise, or the congenial companionship of the Hon. Clarence? he asked himself.

"Where did I get it?" replied Clarence. "Pon-my word, I don't think I shall tell the secret out; everybody will be having a sledge," and he laughed, murmuring to himself: "That fellow's quizzing me, by Jove!"

"You need not be under any great apprehension on that score, Mr. Hartfield!" said Chudleigh, laughing at the piece of simple conceit. "Our frosts are not usually severe enough to warrant the building of such a piece of magnificence as this," and he laid his hand upon the carriage. Meanwhile, Maud was answering a question of Carlotta's.

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Shute, Miss Jennie, Hagerty's Lane T Taylor, Miss Ruby, City Taylor, Mrs. Jonathan. Taylor, James, Gilbert St. Taylor, James, Gilbert St. Taylor, A. F., Bond St. Taylor, George Templeman, Miss Maggie, Military Rd. Thistle, Miss T., care T. J. Barron, Gower St. Tibbs, Miss Mary, care Gen. Delivery Thompson, H. Thompson, Miss M., George's St. Tulley, Miss P., card, George's St. Turner, Mrs. Julia, Freshwater Rd. Turner, Mrs. John, Freshwater Rd. Turner, Miss Daisy, Waterford Bridge Rd. V Voke, Mrs. P., card, New Gower St. W Walsh, Martin, Long Pond Road Walsh, Thomas, Long Pond Road Walsh, Mr. and Mrs., Nagle's Hill Waddleton, Miss Bride, care King's Bridge Road Walsh, Mrs. Patrick, George's St. Walsh, Michael, Southside Weir, Edward, Newtown Road Wetherley, G., Cochrane St. West, Mrs. Florence, Cabot St. Weir, James, Newtown Road Wells, Mrs. J., Livingstone Street Wheeler, Miss Emily, care Mrs. Taylor White, Mrs. M. 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ECONOMICAL LUNCH

Take a few Oxo Cubes and save the expense of lunching out. A cup of Oxo and a few biscuits, or a sandwich, make a light inexpensive meal which will keep you satisfied and clear-headed until your next repast. A cup of Oxo is always good. It can be made with an Oxo Cube and hot water with very little trouble. When you reach home after a hard day at the office, a cup of hot Oxo will do you ever so much good, and lessen the risk of a chill. An Oxo Cube in a glass of hot milk makes a pleasant change.

A Cube to a Cup



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German machines were destroyed and five others driven down, damaged. One of our airplanes is missing.

BOMBS THROWN BY HUN WARSHIP.

LOWESTOFT, Eng., Jan. 26. A hostile vessel arrived off the coast about 11 o'clock. The night was very dark and the warship could not be made out from the shore. Before beginning the bombardment she fired two star shells probably for the purpose of identifying a possible objective. The warship then fired a number of shells, some of which exploded on open ground. The bombardment lasted only three minutes. No panic.

THE GREEK BLOCKADE.

ATHENS, Jan. 26. Premier Lambros to-day asked Carrett Doppers, American Minister to use influence with the Entente Allied diplomats to hasten the lifting of the Entente blockade of Greece. The Premier described at length the sufferings of the people and the danger in which the blockade placed an understanding between Greece and the Entente, and the precarious position of the Government owing to its inability to ameliorate conditions. Doppers promised to present the situation to the British minister.

EARTHQUAKE.

LONDON, Jan. 26. Five hundred and fifty persons were killed by an earthquake on the island of Bali, according to an official report received at the Hague. A despatch from London under date of Jan. 25 said news had been received at Amsterdam that fifty natives had been killed and 200 others injured in an earthquake on the island of Bali, in the Malay Archipelago. More than a thousand houses were destroyed. It was said the Governor's palace was damaged seriously. Bali, which had a population of about 700,000, is one of the Dutch possessions forming the Dutch East Indies.

A DUTCH DECLARATION.

THE HAGUE, Jan. 26. The Dutch Minister for Foreign Affairs, announced in the Chamber of Deputies to-day that armed merchantmen in Dutch Colonies would be treated as war vessels, except in the case of ships carrying provisions. The Government, the Foreign Minister said, had protested against the detention of grain cargoes and expressed the hope that Britain would be prepared to pay compensation, as such detention arose from a misconception. The same, he added, could be said with regard to detention of copper cargoes.

BERLIN DENIAL.

BERLIN, Jan. 26. The commander of the British destroyer Dolphin reports he sank the German submarine U-56 west of Spain says the Overseas News Agency. Newspapers state that neither this nor any other German submarine has been sunk in this way.

HADFIELD'S, LTD.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26. Secretary of the Navy, Daniels, to-day began preparing to meet the British Government's refusal to permit Hadfields, Ltd. to manufacture projectiles for the American Navy, by making ready to equip a Government plant to do the work.

DISCUSSION DEFERRED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26. Pressure of legislative business again to-day caused the Senate to defer discussion on President Wilson's world-peace address.

AWAITING REPLY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26. Ambassador Gerard at Berlin has not yet replied to the State Depart-

ment's inquiry as to whether any Americans were among the neutrals taken by Germany as prisoners of war on the steamer Yarrowdale, on the grounds of having taken pay on armed merchantmen.

ESCAPED THE RAIDER.

BOSTON, Jan. 26. A signed testimony expressing appreciation for the manner in which the British steamer City of Lahore was brought safely through the scene in which the German commerce raider operated off the coast of Brazil, was presented by passengers to Capt. Laidlay to-day upon arrival of the vessel from Calcutta and South African ports. When advised of danger the City of Lahore proceeded at top speed with all lights screened at night. Passengers said the Notherby Hall, a sister ship was sunk about 250 miles astern of the City of Lahore, in a position which was approximately that of the latter on the previous day. The ship brought a cargo valued at two million dollars.

RUSSIAN MINISTER RESIGNS.

BERLIN, Jan. 26. According to the newspaper Russky Slovo, says the Overseas News Agency, Pokrovsky, Russian Foreign Minister, has tendered his resignation.

THE RAID ON LOWESTOFT.

BERLIN, Jan. 26. A German official issued to-night, tells of a raid by light German war craft in the waters south of Lowestoft. The communication says: During the night of Jan. 25-26 German light sea forces advanced into English waters, south of Lowestoft, in order to attack hostile patrol boats and outposts which had been formerly reported there. During the whole raid not one hostile vessel was sighted. A fortified locality, a short distance southward, was illuminated by rocket shells by our torpedo boats, and hits were observed. Our sea forces on the way back did not meet any adversary, and returned safely.

THE EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY.

BERLIN, Jan. 26. The German Emperor's birthday tomorrow will occasion an assemblage of rulers and statesmen of the Central Powers at the German General headquarters. Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary, to-day joined Emperor William. High military and naval officers will also be present.

DETAILS OF ENGAGEMENT.

BERLIN, Jan. 26. Alleged details of the engagement between the German torpedo boat flotilla and British naval forces on the morning of January 21 are given to-day by the semi-official Overseas News Agency. Immediately after the beginning of the engagement which took place in darkness, says the statement, the commander's boat the V-69 received a full hit on the bridge. The commander of the flotilla and captain of the Corvette, Max Schultz, who always had commanded his flotilla, with courage and success, was killed

as were two others, and some men.

FRENCH TRENCHES STORMED.

BERLIN, Jan. 26. French trenches on Hill 304, north-west of Verdun, were stormed yesterday by German troops along a front of sixteen hundred meters, the war office announces to-day. Approximately five hundred prisoners were taken by the Germans who also captured ten machine guns. The French failed in a counter attack at night.

THE FRENCH VERSION.

PARIS, Jan. 26. On the Verdun front last night the Germans made attacks at four points between Avoncourt Wood and Dead-man's Hill. To-day's announcement says the Germans were driven back with severe losses, although they penetrated advanced trenches near Hill 304. In Upper Alsace the Germans left their trenches at two points to attack, but were checked by French artillery.

SWEDISH STEAMER SUNK.

LONDON, Jan. 26. The Swedish steamer Gadrin, 1,532 tons gross, is reported sunk, Lloyds announces.

TO ISSUE STATEMENT.

LONDON, Jan. 26. The Morning Post representative at Amsterdam says that he learns from well informed sources at the Hague that the German Government intends to issue a statement with reference to President Wilson's speech

SUNLIGHT SOAP.

£1,000 Guarantee of Purity on every Bar. THE "Sunlight" Guarantee of Purity was never more justified than it is to-day, because it enables us to insure the wives of our gallant soldiers and sailors against the drudgery and worry of household cleaning.

Sunlight Soap saves rubbing—saves scrubbing—saves the clothes. That portion of a wife's allowance which must be devoted to the cleaning of the home is, therefore, absolutely safeguarded when spent on Sunlight Soap.

SUNLIGHT SOAP is made for the housewife's profit for only thereby can the makers hope to profit by Sunlight Soap.

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in the American Senate, but that neither the nature of the statement nor the manner in which it will be made public is yet known.

BRITISH COAST SHELLED.

LONDON, Jan. 26. An unidentified German vessel shelled the Suffolk coast of England last night. There were no casualties. The following official announcement was given out to-day: A small unidentified German vessel approached the Suffolk coast last night and fired a number of shells, only a portion of which reached the land. There were no casualties, and only insignificant damage.

SUBS. IN SOUTH ATLANTIC.

RIO JANEIRO, Jan. 26. The "Anoit" says it learns from a source which it considers reliable, that German submarines are cruising in the South Atlantic in conjunction with German commerce raiders. The newspaper adds that British authorities are said to have received warnings of the presence of submarines, which are of a large size and are keeping away from the coast.

DISMISSED.

LONDON, Jan. 26. A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. from the League, says that General Baron Von Muehle, Interim Governor-General of Belgium, has been dismissed and General Von Zwell, military governor of Maubeuge has been appointed successor. According to the correspondent General Von Muehle was dismissed for prom-

ising Holland that the Belgians would not be deported.

ANOTHER EXPLOSION.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Jan. 26. Damage to the extent of several hundred thousand dollars was done to-night by an explosion to the American Cyanide Plant, the largest plant in this district, located at Stamford, a suburb of Niagara Falls. The plant had a staff of eight hundred to a thousand employees. The cause of the explosion is unknown. The officials of the company expressed the view that the loss may run over two hundred thousand dollars.

ADVENTIST CHURCH—At the Adventist Church, Cookstown Road, Sunday evening, at 6.30. Subject: "Where are the Dead? Are they Conscious?" Come and hear; all welcome.

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Vapo-Cresolene
Est. 1879
A simple, safe and effective treatment avoiding drugs. Used with success for 38 years. The air carrying the antiseptic vapor, inhaled with every breath, makes breathing easy, soothes throat, and stops the cough, assuring refreshing sleep. Cresolene is invaluable to mothers with young children and a boon to sufferers from Asthma. Send no postal for descriptive booklet. Send no money. VAPOR-CRESOLENE CO. Leaning Hill Bldg., Montreal.



"DON'T WORRY."

Hundreds of people are suffering from Coughs and Colds at the present time. You may be as careful as you like in trying to avoid catching this miserable Cough and Cold but you'll get it don't matter what you do—so "Don't Worry" while Stafford's Phosphate Cough and Cold Cure is obtainable.

"Whooping Cough" is also very prevalent amongst children, you can use nothing better than "Stafford's Phosphate".

The above preparation is manufactured only by DR. F. STAFFORD & SON, Theatre Hill, St. John's, Nfld. Open every night till 9.30.

C. L. B. DANCE.—The non-commissioned officers of the C. L. B. are now busy making arrangements for a dance, which will be held in the new C. C. C. hall next month.

Have your Suit or Overcoat Cleaned or Pressed for New Year. Phone or send to SPUR-RELL, 365 Water Street. Telephone 574.—dec28, eod, ff

Hitt and Runn—Fifty Cents? Lets See, What Will That Buy Nowadays?—Help!!



BY HITT

Evening Telegram

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

SATURDAY, January 27th, 1917.

Pensions et Alia.

When Mr. McGrath last night tabled the report of the Pensions and Disabilities Committee before the Patriotic Association, it was apparent that a long step had been taken in a very necessary direction.

Another was made when the report was unanimously approved and assurance given by the Legislature that the fullest support would be given to its proposals when it became necessary to publish them.

Several schemes have been under consideration by the Committee, and we think it has decided wisely in recommending the adoption of that which obtains in Canada.

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DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS advertisement with logo and text.

menting this holding by other quickly realizable assets, the proportion is shown to be 12.38%; that is to say, for every hundred dollars of liability to the public the bank holds in cash, or what can be quickly turned into cash, \$73.38—a position of unquestionable strength.

The statements of this old-established bank have always been characterized by evidences of conservative management, which at the same time has not interfered with a rapid expansion of its business.

The Lushness of the bank in Newfoundland continues to show a gratifying increase. There are now seven branches in the country. Three new ones were opened in 1916, at Catalina, Burgeo and St. John's East.

Te Hon. John Anderson

ON HIS BIRTHDAY. John Anderson, my Jo, John, From Scotia's land of heather, Your birthday and the Kaiser's, We see they've come together.

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TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.00 A.M. WAR BUDGET.

LONDON, To-day. Spirited fighting has taken place northwest of Verdun on the front near Riga on Russian front, and southwest of Kut-el-Amara in the Mesopotamian theatre.

GERMAN-SWISS FRONTIER CLOSED. BERNE, To-day. It is announced by the German frontier continues closed to Swiss except until January 30.

Offered for the Navy.

The following young men have offered their services to the Royal Naval Reserve since January 1st:—T. Murphy, Placentia; L. B. Oake, Victoria Cove; G. R. Hart, Champerne, T.B.; Cyril Barka, Seal Cove, W.B.; S. R. Shears, St. George's; J. T. Langdon, A. Peddie, Lodge's Cove; R. Squires, St. Phillip's; Luke Ivany, Allan T. Cooke, T. Toope, Ireland's Eye, T. B.; H. G. Osmond, willington; W. S. Stevenson, Ward's Harbor; F. W. Simms, J. Tizard, Pille's Island; S. J. Sooley, Heart's Delight, T.B.; T. A. Ryan, the Goulds, St. John's West; S. J. Jones, Little Bay Islands; Harold Weir, Petty Hr.; J. Earle, J. S. Andrews, Ft. Leanington; Alexander S. Goff, C. E. Sinclair, A. Locke, Edward N. O'Brien, Peter Duke, W. M. Cornick, St. John's; W. J. Woodland, South Side, St. John's; X. French, Bay de Verde; W. J. Hoelder, New Bonaventure; M. Hamond, Portugal Cove; S. Moulton, Pouch Cove; Hector Rees, Thomas J. Norman, Bell Island; G. Pike, R. Hatcher, W. Stanley, Hr. Grace; A. Gilbert, Sound Island, P.B.; W. J. Dodge, S. W. Arm, Random Island; J. Price, S. W. Arm, Random Island; J. Hayter, Trinity; W. J. Rogers, Fair Island; R. J. Gosvey, Country Road, Bay Roberts.

Train Notes.

Thursday's outgoing express reached Port aux Basques at 1:35 a.m. today. The incoming express with Kyle's passengers due at 8 p.m. The Transpacific train, reached the city on time today.

Here and There.

Ayrshire Bacon and Scotch Beef Ham at ELLIS'. A FROSTY NIGHT.—Last night the thermometer registered zero in the city.

Turkeys, Geese and Chicken at ELLIS'. WEATHER REPORT.—The weather is going to be larger than usual. It would be greatly appreciated if one of our Brigade bands took part in the parade.

REIDS' BOATS. The Argyle left Harbor Buffet at 4 a.m. yesterday, inward. The Kyle left Port aux at 2:05 a.m. today.

GOWER ST. SUNDAY SCHOOL. The school will be held on Sunday afternoon at the regular service. It is hoped that the debt now due on the church will be paid on Sunday, and every scholar, teacher and officer is wanted as a helper.

HUGE FIRE IN PITTSBURG. A fire which swept through a section of the retail business district here today destroyed the Frank & Seder department store, the Grand Opera House, the Hilton Clothing Company and a dozen or more smaller buildings with a loss estimated at from \$2,000,000 to \$4,000,000.

OF COURSE. SAN FRANCISCO, To-day. Franz Bepp, former German Consul General here, recently convicted of neutrality violations and sentenced to three years imprisonment, will be given "promotion" on his return to Germany, according to a declaration made here by Erich Zeppel, acting German Consul General, to a large crowd of Germans gathered last night to celebrate Emperor William's birthday.

BATHQUAKE AT OTTAWA. OTTAWA, To-day. At 2:36 o'clock yesterday afternoon an earth shock was felt at and registered on the seismograph at the Dominion Observatory. Plaster was shaken from the walls in the Victoria Museum, where Parliament is now sitting, and objects were displaced.

COLLISION IN FRANCE. PARIS, To-day. Eighteen persons here have been killed and fifty injured through a collision between the Bourges-Paris express and a freight train at Chateaufort.

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Capital Paid-Up, \$6,500,000 Reserve Fund, \$12,000,000

Table with columns: PROFIT AND LOSS, RESERVE FUND, GENERAL STATEMENT AS AT DECEMBER 30th, 1916. Rows include Balance Dec. 31st, 1915, Net profits for year, Dividends for year, etc.

Table with columns: LIABILITIES, ASSETS. Rows include Current Coin, Dominion Notes, Notes of other Banks, etc.

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LADIES' WHITE VOILE & MUSLIN DRESSES.

Regular \$4.40 each.	Sale Price	\$3.68
Regular \$4.75 each.	Sale Price	\$3.98
Regular \$5.25 each.	Sale Price	\$4.50
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Regular \$13.25 each.	Sale Price	\$12.69
Regular \$18.50 each.	Sale Price	\$15.43

LADIES' COTTON & GINGHAM DRESSES.

Regular \$1.35 each.	Sale Price	\$1.06
Regular \$1.50 each.	Sale Price	\$1.20
Regular \$2.50 each.	Sale Price	\$2.05
Regular \$2.75 each.	Sale Price	\$2.30
Regular \$2.95 each.	Sale Price	\$2.45
Regular \$3.25 each.	Sale Price	\$2.69

FANCY MUSLIN & VOILE DRESSES.

Regular \$2.85 each.	Sale Price	\$2.40
Regular \$3.25 each.	Sale Price	\$2.69
Regular \$4.25 each.	Sale Price	\$3.59
Regular \$8.50 each.	Sale Price	\$4.25
Regular \$12.00 each.	Sale Price	\$9.98

GREAT BARGAINS



in LADIES BLOUSES.

Our January White Sale offers the opportunity of the year to save money on Ladies' White Blouses in Linen, Muslin, Silk, etc. The blouses listed here are extra special values at the regular prices; at these Sale Prices they are extraordinary. COME EARLY AND SEE FOR YOURSELF. Early buying will give you the best choice.

CHEAM SILK WAISTS.

Regular \$3.50 each.	Sale Price	\$2.90
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WHITE MUSLIN BLOUSES.

Regular \$1.75 each.	Sale Price	\$1.40
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WHITE LAWN BLOUSES.

Regular \$2.00 each.	Sale Price	\$1.60
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Remarkable Values from the Gent's Dept.

MEN'S HANKERCHIEFS. Soft "Excela", fully mercerized and finished at edges with wide hemstitched hem. For good wearing qualities and general satisfaction these Handkerchiefs cannot be equalled today. Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price 21c

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS. Made from soft Flannelette, in assorted colored stripes; good roomy sizes; collars attached; all sizes. Reg. 95c. each. Sale Price 85c

MEN'S ASBESTOS GLOVES. Can be washed and will dry soft and pliable; wide gauntlet wristbands; double finger tops. Regular \$1.35 pair. Sale Price \$1.05

MEN'S COLLARS. All widths from 1 1/4 up to 2 3/4 inches, in all the very newest shapes; all sizes from 14 to 17 inches. This is an opportunity to lay in your stock of Collars. The style you like is here. Reg. 20c. each. Sale Price 17c

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A Magnificent Assortment. THE PRICES TELL THEIR OWN STORY.

10 1/4 Size.

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12 1/4 Size.

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(In White and Cream, to fit from 1 to 5 years.)

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22 to 26 inches wide.	Sale Prices	42c. 46c. 55c. 59c. and 67c. yard.
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SILK LACES.

2 1/2 to 4 1/2 inches wide.	Sale Prices	12c. 16c. 25c. 34c. 42c. and 65c. yard.
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In Cambric and Lawn; 1 to 6 inches wide.	Sale Prices	4c. up to 45c. yard.
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Our power to undersell was never more forcibly demonstrated than in our White-wear Sale. The lowness of prices cannot but make the thoughtful people take full advantage of the savings made possible; whilst the good taste shown in the selection of trimmings, and the skill and care given to shaping and sewing, makes these garments most desirable as well as most economical.

LADIES' CAMBRIC CAMISOLES.

Daintily trimmed with lace, embroidery and insertion, in various pretty styles.		
Reg. 30c. each.	Sale Price	25c.
Reg. 35c. each.	Sale Price	30c.
Reg. 40c. each.	Sale Price	34c.
Reg. 45c. each.	Sale Price	38c.
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LADIES' CAMBRIC NIGHTGOWNS.

Beautifully trimmed with hemstitching, embroidery and frilling in V, square and round neck styles; some pretty yoke effects.		
Reg. 85c. each.	Sale Price	68c.
Reg. 95c. each.	Sale Price	76c.
Reg. \$1.00 each.	Sale Price	80c.
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LADIES' CAMBRIC UNDERSKIRTS.

Reg. \$1.00 each.	Sale Price	80c.
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Reg. 95c. each.	Sale Price	68c.
Reg. \$1.25 each.	Sale Price	\$1.00
Reg. \$2.50 each.	Sale Price	\$2.05
Reg. \$4.50 each.	Sale Price	\$3.78

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A magnificent array of offerings in which every prudent mother should interest herself without delay. CHILDREN'S WHITE MUSLIN DRESSES. (To fit up to 14 years.)

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Regular \$2.25 each.	Sale Price	\$1.80
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Regular \$3.50 each.	Sale Price	\$2.90
Regular \$3.75 each.	Sale Price	\$3.15
Regular \$4.75 each.	Sale Price	\$3.98
Regular \$5.25 each.	Sale Price	\$4.20
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Our Infants' Wear Department, in addition to being fully supplied with all the staple goods for Infants' & Children's Wear, has a beautiful assortment of English Hand Embroidered Dresses for Children from six months to two years; also a beautiful line of American Handmade Smocks for Children, two to ten years old, and other very attractive and most desirable handmade garments for Children.

The Patriotic Association.

LARGE AND INTERESTING MEETING LAST NIGHT.

The Patriotic Association, which adjourned last week, met again last night to complete its business. The Governor occupied the chair and there was a large attendance. Following the reading of the minutes by the Hon. Secretary, Dr. V. P. Burke, the report of the Cot Fund Committee was presented by Sir William Horwood, C. J. An amendment moved by Mr. John Browning evoked considerable discussion, in which many members took part. It was defeated on a vote taken, and the report was adopted. Sir William further proposed a vote of thanks to Lord Ranfurly for his invaluable services and advice in the administration of the fund on the other side. It was seconded by Sir E. P. Morris and passed by acclamation.

One of the most important reports ever made to the Association was then presented by Hon. P. T. McGrath, being that of the Pensions and Disabilities Board. It stated that after full examination of various schemes it recommended that the Canadian scale and provisions be adopted here. This had already been done in practice, ten per cent. of the payments being retained, however, until the sanction of the Legislature should be obtained. It suggested also, with respect to Naval Reservists, that the Admiralty payments be supplemented by sums sufficient to put sailors on an equal footing with soldiers, and that provision be made to meet exceptional cases. The report dealt with the matter of a convalescent home for sailors and soldiers and suggested the use of a temporary establishment. It stated that the Hon. M. G. Winter had offered to give the building on Military Road, now occupied by sick soldiers, for this purpose. The Jensen Camp for tubercular patients was now in operation and the Government had assumed the cost of maintenance. The questions of re-education and employment of returned men were also under consideration.

Dr. Lloyd seconded the adoption of the report and the Premier stated that the Government would give its unqualified support to the scheme proposed. He did not think that even the reservation of 10 per cent. of the payments in the meantime was necessary. Speaking on behalf of the Opposition, Dr. Lloyd also promised support of the measure.

Mr. W. G. Gosling was glad that the report had dealt with the matter of employment for returned men. He thought a special committee desirable to investigate the needs of the situation. It was not altogether covered by the Pensions Board, for many who are not disabled will yet need assistance. Mr. W. W. Blackall endorsed Mr. Gosling's remarks and considered the duty of re-educating and fitting men for new employments most necessary and important. In reply, Mr. McGrath cordially welcomed Mr. Gosling's suggestion and thought that the whole special question would be best handled entirely by a separate committee. The demobilization of the forces presented a serious problem for the United Kingdom, and Canada, and we would also have to face it. Transportation alone would be a tremendous problem. Owing to our lack of the necessary machinery, he considered it a good plan if arrangements could be made with the Technical Institute in Halifax for the training of many of our men to fit them for employment, for which our Government would pay. He was glad to note that the anticipated cases of tuberculosis were much fewer than had been ex-

pected, and the convalescence question did not promise to be a serious one. Sir Edward stated that there were good grounds for believing the position would be further eased by the retention of many of our sailors in the Navy for defence of our coasts after the war. A great movement in this direction was on foot throughout the Empire, and the whole problem would be treated as an Imperial one. Something similar might quite possibly be done with respect to our soldiers as well, either by transferring to the Navy or by retention in the Army itself. The report of the Pensions Board was then adopted.

A vote of thanks to Hon. M. G. Winter for his donation of the building on Military Road as a Hospital was moved by Mr. Blackall and carried amid applause.

Mr. F. J. Morris, K. C., then submitted a special report of the Recruiting Committee, which was seconded by Mr. R. G. Rendell. The report considered registration inadvisable but advised greater interest and effort in recruiting on the part of prominent individuals. Mr. J. W. Withers, in a vigorous speech, deprecated the recommendation against registration. We did not fully realize our position here. No adequate reason whatever had been advanced why Newfoundland should not follow the lead of Britain, New Zealand and Canada in this matter. He believed the time would come when registration would be necessary; why not take action now? Who gives quickly gives twice. Mr. Gosling warmly supported Mr. Withers. He considered that registration, so far from being resented by the country, would be welcomed, as it had been welcomed elsewhere. It was necessary to help men to make up their minds. He did not think the question was properly left to the Committee but should be considered by the whole Association. Mr. Morris pointed out that this could be done and that the report represented merely the opinion of the committee. The report was then adopted.

Mr. F. H. Steer presented the report of the Aeroplane Committee, which contained communications from the Aerial Boards in England to the effect that the Newfoundland machines, though several times replaced, still bore their name and were doing their share of work. The report was adopted.

Mr. Withers gave notice of a motion to be made at the next meeting dealing with our agriculture and home food supply. Messrs. R. R. Wood, H. Winter, A. Mews, S. O. Steele and W. P. Shortall were elected members of the Association, and the meeting adjourned at 11.15 p.m.

Flattering to the Original

But Imitations Only Disappoint

There are many imitations of this great treatment for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and whooping cough. They usually have some sale on the merits of the original, but it should be remembered that they are like it in name only.



This is a facsimile of the package bearing portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D.

1st Nfld. REGIMENT.

Casualty List.

Received January 27th.

The Following Admitted to Wards.

Lieut. G. M. Johnson, St. John's, Influenza.

2792—Private Henry Garland, Lower Island Cove, Influenza.

2539—Private Charles Dobbin, St. Mary's, Valvular disease heart.

J. R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary.

McMurdo's Store News

SATURDAY, Jan. 27, 1917.

On a cold or chilly day nothing is so pleasant and refreshing, so warming and stimulating as a steaming hot cup of Beef Tea or Bouillon. If you feel cold, shivery, hungry or "all in" step in here and have a cup. You'll find it just right, and will certainly feel much the better for it. Price 10c.

As a tonic after "Grippe," nothing is better than our Nutritive Hypophosphites, which is a quite reliable non-alcoholic tonic and builder. Taken regularly in small doses three times a day, it soon tones up the system, improves the appetite and strengthens the nerves. Price 50c. and \$1 a bottle.

Truckmen's Union.

Ask for Approval of New Tariff.

Dear Sir,—Will you please allow me through the columns of your wide-circulated journal, to thank all employers of labor for the kindness and courtesy shown to the Truckmen's Union in the past, and to hope for a continuation of the same. When the war broke out, the Truckmen made up their minds not to raise the rates of cartage, and have continued so up to the present, though the increase on the cartage of coal was given by the employers themselves and not asked for by the Union. Some other rates have been increased by the firms themselves. Owing to the high rates of living at the present time for both man and beast, we find that we cannot continue to work for the old rates. We have therefore issued the new tariff which we hope will meet the approval of all. I have no doubt there will be some objections, but I believe it will work out all right. Later on, should the time come when the rates of living will go back to normal conditions, the Truckmen will willingly reduce their tariff; but, Mr. Editor, when you take into consideration that we've got to carry shipping bills, pay freight and bring back bills to the owner, doing an office hand's work as well as our own, standing sometimes from one hour to three hours in all weathers waiting to deliver a load, I don't think there is much cause for complaint about the increase in the tariff.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your kindness in the past, and hoping the good feeling existing the present time with the employers of labor may continue to grow stronger, I remain, on behalf of the Truckmen's Union,

Yours truly,

J. BARTER, President T.P.U.

St. John's.

Many suits for spring are skeletons or unlined.

5c. The Crescent Picture Palace. 5c.

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"THE AVENGER."

A Mystery drama produced in 2 reels by the Lubin Company.

Darling Tom Mix in "THE COWPUNCHER'S PERIL"—A western drama replete with riding, roping and love.

"A MOTHER'S SON"—A Biograph domestic drama.

Rose Melville as "Sis Hopkins" in "SETTING THE FASHION"—A Kalem comedy.

PROFESSOR McCARTHY playing the newest and best musical—Drums and Effects.

The Usual Big Matinee on Saturday—Send the Children to the Popular Crescent.

MR. BARTER'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

Newfoundlander in United States

Appreciates the Telegram—Sees Hard Work Ahead for the Allies.

Seattle, Wn. U.S.A., January 13th, 1917.

Editor Evening Telegram.

St. John's, Newfoundland.

Dear Sir,—A communication from a Newfoundlander in these days of terrible strife may or may not interest you. However I am taking the liberty of addressing a few lines to you, regarding what I consider the "Common Sense" conduct of your paper, in these trying days, especially in the editorial department.

I have read several copies during the past two years, and have been favorably impressed with your handling of what, at times, were delicate situations. Amongst the number which won my approval was an article written shortly after the big drive on July 1st last, days which I am sure must have been of terrible anxiety to all Newfoundland. You were referring to the boys posted as missing, and expressed the hope that some of them were very likely prisoners in Germany, and if they were, they would be well treated; and you emphasized the fact, that you couldn't express it too strongly, or words to that effect. Without flattering you, I wish to say that when I read that portion of the article, I said there is "A Man"; that kindly reference to the treatment of war prisoners (when so many are always digging up and causing to be published these unpleasant things which tend to harden people towards their enemies) should have won an expression of approval from fair-minded people, and at the same time relieve the terrible strain under which the relatives of all concerned were laboring. This is not intended to be a defense of Germany and her methods in any way, for I am fully conscious of the terrible things they have done, but people should avoid as much as possible the growing tendency of sowing the cursed seeds of hate, which will take years to outlive, even if that hate is partly justified. Another editorial which appealed to me, was one written on Dec. 28th, under the heading of "The War Meantime." Speaking of conditions in Roumania, you said, whatever we may pretend, Germany's conquest of Roumania was the most brilliant in the war. We don't like to admit these things, but facts as stated by you are quite true, and it is a good thing for us to publicly tell ourselves the truth once in a while.

Coastal Ships Meet Terrible Weather

Heavy gales, accompanied by intense frost, were encountered on the North and South Coasts within the past week or so. Yesterday afternoon Capt. J. Keen, of the Portia, sent a message to Bowring Bros., from Channel to the effect that he experienced the stormiest trip since he joined the coastal service.

Capt. A. Keen, of the S. S. Prospero, wired: "Arrived at Nipper's Harbour; south side of White Bay filled with ice, and could not call at ports yesterday. Intensely cold, glass registered 30 below zero." The Prospero is coming south, due to arrive here tomorrow night.

The Portia is also on the return run and should reach here about Tuesday next.

Corns Instant Relief.

Paint on Putnam's Corn Extirpator at night, and corns feel better in the morning. Magical relief the way "Putnam's" eases the pain, destroys the roots, kills a corn for all time. No pain. Cure guaranteed. Get a 25c. bottle of "Putnam's" Extirpator today.

City Club Officers.

On Thursday night the annual meeting of the City Club was held and the officers for the ensuing year elected as follows:—

President, Mr. F. Steer; Vice-Presidents, Mr. E. A. Bowring and Mr. F. W. Bradshaw; Committee: Hon. R. Watson, and Messrs. W. S. Monroe, W. R. Warren, H. E. Cowan, J. S. Ayre and S. H. Logan. Messrs. E. R. Watson and F. W. Hayward were appointed auditors.

A resolution was passed that members of the Club now on active service can continue members, without fee, after the war.

Dull metal laces will appear in evening gowns.

Sunday Services

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

Church of England Cathedral—Holy Communion at 8 a.m., also on the first Sunday of the month at 7 and 11 (Choral). Other services at 11 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

St. Thomas's—Holy Communion 8 a.m.; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11; Preacher, Rev. C. A. Moulton. Distribution of Sunday School Prizes, 2.30 p.m.; Children's Service, 3.30 p.m.; Dunfield Boys' Bible Class, 2.45 p.m.; Women's Bible Class, 3.30 p.m.; Evensong and Sermon, 6.30 p.m.; Preacher, The Rector; Subject: "The Gospel according to Prussia."

St. Michael's Mission Church (Casey Street)—Holy Communion at 8 and 11 on the 3rd Sunday of the month; and at 8 on other Sundays. Other services 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

Christ Church, Quill Vid—Holy Communion second Sunday at 8 a.m. Evening Prayer third Sunday in each month at 7 p.m. Every other Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

Virginia School Chapel—Evening Prayer every Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

PARISH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN, ST. JOHN'S WEST.

Sundays—Holy Communion every Sunday at 8 a.m.; also on the first Sunday in each month at noon.

Fridays—Evensong and Sermon at 7.45 p.m.

Holy Baptism—Every Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

Public Catechising—The third Sunday in each month at 3 p.m.

Sunday School—At 2.30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Young Women's Bible Class—Every Sunday at 3 p.m. in the Parish Room. The Holy Communion with special intercessions on behalf of the War is celebrated on the first Wednesday in each month at 10.30 a.m.

BROOKFIELD SCHOOL CHAPEL.

Evensong—Every Sunday at 3 p.m. Sunday School—Every Sunday at 4 p.m.

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, THE GOULDS.

Evensong—Every Sunday at 3 p.m. ASYLUM FOR THE POOR. Holy Communion—The first Sunday in each month at 9 a.m. Matins—Every Sunday at 9 a.m.

Gower St.—11, Rev. Dr. Bond; 6.30, Rev. D. B. Hemmion.

George St.—11, Rev. D. B. Hemmion; 6.30, Rev. N. M. Guy.

Cochrane St.—11, Rev. H. Royle; 6.30, Rev. Dr. Bond.

Wesley—11, Rev. N. M. Guy; 6.30, Rev. H. Royle.

Presbyterian—11 and 6.30, Rev. Gordon Dickie.

Congregational—11 and 6.30, Rev. W. H. Thomas.

Salvation Army (No. 1 Citadel, New Gower St.)—7 a.m. Kneaddir; 11, "Holiness Meeting"; 3 p.m. Praise Meeting; 7 p.m., Great Salvation Meeting.

DIED.

Killed by accident, on the 26th inst., Denis J. Sullivan, aged 66 years, leaving a widow, two daughters, one son now serving with the Australians. Somewhere in France, also one sister and one brother to mourn their sad loss; funeral to-morrow, Sunday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, No. 3 Gorman's Lane; friends and acquaintances please attend.—R. I. P.

Passed peacefully away on January 23rd, at Witless Bay, at the residence of her son-in-law, Christopher Walsh, an esteemed old lady in the person of Mrs. Ellen Carew at the age of 88 years, leaving to mourn one son and one daughter at Witless Bay and two sons in U. S. A., and one sister, Mrs. Fraser, at St. John's, and a number of grandchildren and friends to mourn their sad loss. May she rest in peace. Boston and New York papers please copy.

Last night, after a short illness, Charles McCarthy, aged 62 years, leaving a wife, one son, one daughter and two sisters to mourn their sad loss; funeral on Monday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 23 1/2, Barter's Hill; friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice.—R. I. P.

WARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

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Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 per cent In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home. Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye troubles? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At first they would pain dreadfully; now they feel all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who were glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitude there will be able

to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. There is the prescription. Go to any drug store, buy one bottle of Bon-Opto Tablets, drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should blot your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, before you can see them now before it is too late. Many, especially children, might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.

WEEK-END NOTES.

The weekly quotations of trade in general, as published in the Trade Review, are among the best statistics that we get, and those who follow them have a fair knowledge of the volume of our trade. In its last issue, that paper published some interesting figures and notes in reference to our herring fishery, and it is upon this fishery that we wish to dwell to-day.

Of late the herring fishery seems to have taken a new lease of life, and at different centres extensive operations are being carried on. This is cause for congratulation, as it implies an increased circulation of capital, as well as being an indication of faith in the natural resources of our country—or had we better say of our waters.

That the herring fishery has been seriously neglected as a branch of our staple industry, we must all admit; and beyond being a bait supply there was but limited attention paid to it. This came about through different channels, which gradually estranged us from the direct prosecution of this valuable fishery. Fifty, and forty, and thirty years ago, the average fishing crew made preparation for the prosecution of the herring fishery at its special season, which, on the Labrador at least, was the month of September. The voyage of those dates would not have been considered complete, if the herring nets were not at hand, and set, and hauled, and several hundred barrels taken as a wind up. The return of the Labrador mail boat to St. John's early in September, was eagerly looked for by the proprietors of the large cooperages, as the prospect of the catch was usually known at that date; and it reports were at all good, there was sure to be a great stir in the city both for shipping and for packages.

But as we have stated this died out, and for a long time there was not any direct attention given to our Northern herring fishery. The cause of this falling off is not difficult to find: first it lay in the careless manner in which much of the catch was cured, and secondly it lay in the one-sided mode of putting up the fish. By this we chiefly mean the large package, or barrel. This larger package suited very well in earlier years, but it should have been improved on as the times advanced, and the conditions of the markets changed. Half and quarter barrels should have been adopted when this fishery was at its height; and more taste should have been displayed in packing. But we neglected these things, and failed to advance with the times, and as a result we have almost lost one of our most remunerative industries.

But judging by the reports of the Trade Review it is certain that we are awaking to what this fishery means; and at present indications, there is room to hope that in due course it will regain its former glory. The prices quoted are beyond expectation, and if proper care be taken on our part, the chances are all in our favor. At the present time there is

much attention being paid to the "Scotch pack," and at different centres improved methods are being adopted. Perhaps among all the improvements that are suggested, none are of more value than those suggested by Mr. Condon of Cape Broyle. Mr. Condon goes to the very base of the matter, and claims that in setting the herring the very first step in perfect cure should be taken, and that the fish should be saved from the least sign of discoloring. If this can be done, then Mr. Condon will prove a benefactor to his country, because we are all aware that much of the loss which has at times been sustained by our exporters of herring, has been the outcome of bad salting.

Mr. Condon has devoted thirty years to the study of our fisheries, but he has paid special attention to the herring; and his theories of their habits and movements, and market value, are worthy the attention of the trade. Never was there such an opening for our herring as will soon offer; for with the closing of the war the channels of trade will be changed, and Newfoundland will find a bigger outlet for her products than has hitherto come to her. But we must prepare to meet these new conditions, and to adapt ourselves to the advantages which lie before us. The fisheries of Newfoundland should be worth fully twenty per cent. more to the people, and to our business men than they are, and by a little precaution, and probably a little co-operation, this should be realized. Some people tell us that we lack in these things, and that we have too long held to the old system, and there is something in what they say. But now that a wider market is in store for us, and an increased demand will be made upon us, let us see to it that we make the best of our chances, and that we get from our fisheries the fullest value and the best returns.

It does not require the vision of a seer to perceive that the meat supply of the world is falling short every year, and that it will not be possible to keep it up as before. As an offset to this the products of the sea are being sought after, and nearly every species of fish is being utilized. But what, of all the fishes in the sea, is more palatable or delicious than these various species, which abound around our coast, and which haunt our great bays? The lovely cod and lucious salmon, and delicious herring, will ever hold first place in piscatorial foods, and as these fish are ours for the catching, it is due to ourselves that we turn them to the best advantage, and reap from each voyage such returns as shall enrich our merchants and bring comforts to our people.

Etique

"When writing a friendly letter should one put the person's name to whom one is writing, at the top of the letter?" was Mary's query. "It is not the best form to put the name at the top of a personal letter. After the date line you should begin the salutation," replied her aunt.

ROOFINGS!

All Kinds Carried in Stock. CERTAIN-TEED ROOFING Is Guaranteed 15 Years. Our Prices are the Lowest in the Country. GEO. M. BARR.

Held as Hostages.

(From the Moncton Transcript.) The suggestion made in more than one quarter, that if the Germans murder Capt. James Blaikie, of the s.s. Caledonia, as they murdered Captain Fryatt, Great Britain shall make a reprisal in kind has found favor in the Mother Country as the only possible means by which the German boys can be made to recognize the enormity of their conduct. The Germans undoubtedly intended to execute Captain Blaikie when they captured him as they executed Capt. Fryatt and if Capt. Blaikie lives to return from his imprisonment it will be because of the threats now used. It may be interesting to readers of the Transcript to know the names of some of those hostages held by Great Britain as guarantees for the safety of Capt. Blaikie.

Lieut. Von Tirpitz, son of the Admiral who originated submarine "raiding." Captain Von Mueller, captain of the commerce raider Emden. Prince Joseph of Hohenzollern-Sigmaringen, another officer of the Emden, reported in United States papers to be a prisoner in Australia. Commander Breidaupt of L-15, the Zeppelin brought down in the Thames. Commander of L-33, the Zeppelin brought down on the east coast.

Col. Franke, commander-in-chief in German S.W. Africa, who poisoned the wells during General Botha's campaign. The general disposition in England is that Von Tirpitz's son should pay the penalty first for not only the crimes of his father, but his own gross negligence, because they all have been notified what will happen, she knows that when she executes Captain Blaikie, she will, at the same time, sign the warrant in all probability of Von Tirpitz's son.

They Made Him A Different Man.

WHAT B. DRAPER SAYS OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. His Troubles Were Numerous and of Long Standing, But Four Boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills Drove Them All Away.

Sedley, Sask., Jan. 26th. (Special.) "Dodd's Kidney Pills made me a different man." The speaker was Mr. Benjamin Draper, well known and highly respected here. He is a fine healthy representative of the prairie provinces and he says he owes his health to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I was in bad shape all round when I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills," Mr. Draper continued. "My trouble came from hard work when I was young. My joints got stiff, my muscles cramped and I suffered terribly from a sore back. I was depressed and low spirited, I was always thirsty and I had flashes of light before my eyes.

"I had rheumatism and heart flutterings, my appetite was fitful, my memory was falling and I was troubled with shortness of breath. Four boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills made me a new man." Dodd's Kidney Pills cured all Mr. Draper's troubles because they all came from sick kidneys. If you have any of his symptoms Dodd's Kidney Pills will help you.

A New School for the City.

At a recent meeting of the C. of E. Board of Education for St. John's, it was decided that a large Elementary School be built near St. George's Field to accommodate over 200 pupils who live in that locality and thus relieve the congestion of the Central and Springdale Street Schools, besides filling a long felt want of the people of the higher levels. The building when completed will have all the latest improvements required for the comfort of teachers and pupils alike, and will be surrounded by a large play ground.

It was also proposed, but not yet finalized, to discontinue some of the suburb schools and have the children brought into the city by means of large school vans holding from twenty to thirty children.

The Kaiser's Birthday.

To-day William II, Emperor of Germany, celebrates his 58th birthday. It is earnestly hoped that he and his hirelings will be hurled into oblivion ere the approach of another such anniversary, but it is also the sincere wish of the peace-loving and civilized world that the Kaiser may be spared for many years to enjoy in full measure the remorse incidental to the aftermath of the war.

T. J. Edens

- Florizel Jan. 26: N. Y. Chicken. Tomatoes. Grape Fruit. Celery. Cauliflower. Sausages. Lemons. Oranges. Bananas. Cabbage. Oysters. Haddie. Kippers. Eggs.

- APPLES—Kings, Wagners, Blenheims, Baldwins, Ben Davis.

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SIR DOUGLAS'S NEW DIGNITY

The bestowal of a baton to Douglas Haig brings our living Marshals up to seven, excluding the Duke of Devonshire, Viscount Lord Grenfell, Lord Nicholson, Methuen and Sir Evelyn Wood. The average number is from eight to ten. Sir Douglas Haig's promotion is usual in two ways, because of his youth (he is only 55) and that no other living soldier has made a Field Marshal during a campaign. A Field Marshal remains the active list for life, a rule that the only exceptions have been German Emperor and the late Emperor of Austria, who were "removed."

HEAD OF SMITH ELDERS

Bookmen's tongues are set a-tingling by the announcement of the Reginald Smith, K.C., head of the famous publishing firm of Smith, Elder & Co., the founder of the "Cornhill" Mail Gazette, and the author of "Dictionary of National Biography." Reginald Smith is the third son of that name Smith Elders and since the business was founded by George Smith and Alexander Smith in 1813, George Smith, the late Thackeray's friend, reigned there until 1899. Reginald Smith, in-law, joined him twenty-two years ago, and had been sole active partner for the last seventeen years. He succeeded his father-in-law, Reginald Smith "devilled" for Sir Russell, but he ceased to practice the Bar on becoming Q.C. in 1915. He lived until 1915. He would have celebrated his twentieth year as a partner of the "Cornhill."

"SIR BANJIL"

It is difficult for the ordinary man unaccustomed to Eastern terminology to grasp the fact that the once overwhelmingly famous cricket-player amateur known by the affectionate abbreviation "Banjil" who appeared in the New Year's honours list as the recipient of the Knight Commander of the Order of India under the style and name of His Highness Jam Shri Ranjivji Vibhaji Jam Saheb of Nawanagar, Bombay President of the fact, however, has only to be mentioned to be well received, for "the Banjil," as in recent years he has been known, has done much for service since his return to India. This Royal recognition is a tribute felt to be deserved.

WOMEN AND THE LEGAL PROFESSION.

After the war women will probably make another attempt to gain entrance to the legal profession. It is a motion that will be discussed at the forthcoming meeting of the Bar Council, and report upon the desirability of making provision for the admission of duly qualified women to the ranks of barristers. It would be a step towards the conservation of the Bar, and consent to this tentative step during war time. Even if the motion

You Know This Box

This box is familiar to you and upon thousands of boxes throughout Canada and the United States as well as in England, Mr. Charles Collins, of the National Drug Store, has prepared the best medicine ever taken for kidney troubles. His daughter, Miss Ella Collins, while travelling in the West, was attacked with kidney trouble and sent him a box of Collins' Kidney Pills while travelling in the West. She has since been asking where they can be had and has since been in the habit of taking them. Collins' Kidney Pills will keep him in good health. All druggists sell Collins' Kidney Pills. Write to National Drug Store, U. S. Address.

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LONDON GOSSIP.

LONDON, Jan. 26, 1917.
SIR DOUGLAS'S NEW DIGNITY.

The bestowal of a baton on Sir Douglas Haig brings our living Field Marshals up to seven, excluding the Czar of Russia, the others being the Duke of Connaught, Viscount French, Lord Grenfell, Lord Nicholson, Lord Methuen and Sir Evelyn Wood. The average number is from eight to ten. Sir Douglas Haig's promotion is unusual in two ways, because of his youth (he is only 55) and the fact that no other living soldier has been made a Field Marshal during a campaign. A Field Marshal remains on the active list for life, a rule to which the only exceptions have been the German Emperor and the late Emperor of Austria, who were "removed."

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"SIR RANJJI"

It is difficult for the ordinary reader unaccustomed to Eastern official terminology to grasp the fact that it is the once overwhelmingly popular cricket-player amateur known to all by the affectionate abbreviation "Ranjji" who appeared in the New Year honors list as the recipient of a Knight Commandership of the Star of India under the style and title of his Highness Jam Shri Ranjitsinhji Vibhaji Jam Saheb of Navanagar, Kathiawar, Bombay Presidency. The fact, however, has only to be known to be well received, for "the Jam Saheb," as in recent years he has come to be known, has done much loyal service since his return to India, and this Royal recognition is all round felt to be deserved.

WOMEN AND THE LEGAL PROFESSION.

After the war women will no doubt make another attempt to gain admission to the legal profession. I notice that a motion will be moved at the forthcoming meeting of the Bar calling upon the Bar Council to consider and report upon the desirability of making provision for the admission of duly qualified women to the ranks of barristers. It would be surprising if the conservation of the Bar were to consent to this tentative step even in war time. Even if the motion were

carried its effect would only be moral. The admission of barristers lies in the hands of the benches of the Inns of Court. Some years ago the benches of one of the Inns refused to admit ladies as students and the Courts upheld their attitude. Three years ago the Court of Appeal laid down that women were by the common law disqualified from becoming solicitors, and that modern legislation had not removed this disqualification. Evidently, if the feminine attack on the legal profession is to be pressed further, the assistance of Parliament will have to be invoked. That cannot be done until the end of the war. The practical argument which applies with force in the case of the medical profession that an increased supply of practitioners is required in the public interest collapses in regard to the law.

THE NEW COIFFURE.

Some of the younger ladies in theatrical audiences are adopting a new style of hair-dressing. Neat, closely-wound swathes of hair, showing no curl or strand of hair loose about the face, are giving place to the careless curly style favoured by the Early Victorian belle, and reproduced by Miss Doris Keane in "Romance." The curls are bunched high on the head at the back, but are allowed to fall in studied carelessness about the wearer's face. This mode of hairdressing is peculiarly becoming to the girl with fair hair, blue eyes, and the rounded cheeks so much admired in the sixties, when the grandmothers and grand-aunts of to-day were debutantes.

ALCOHOL FOR MOTORS.

The official statement that more alcohol is needed by the nation, not only for munitions, but for the transport and air services, shows that the War Office is undertaking a vast experiment in the industrial use of spirits to replace petrol for motor engines. The Excise has always vetoed the free use of alcohol for such ends, but if the war shows it to be more efficient or cheaper than petrol, I think we may look forward to its widespread licensing in a few years for transport and agricultural motors. Meanwhile we may note that the increased need for alcohol will further reduce the brewers' chance of obtaining normal supplies of grain.

A LOST GERMAN MONOPOLY.

The end of the year is an appropriate time to take stock of the progress that has been made since the beginning of the war in the direction of capturing the important branch of the German chemical industry that comprises the manufacture of chemical products used in medicine. In many respects the progress has been disappointing. The shortage of raw material, the scarcity of labor and the fact that British drug manufacturers have been almost overwhelmed with orders for their ordinary staple products have combined to prevent the development of the drug branch of the chemical industry on anything like

such an extensive scale as was expected in the earlier days of the war. Nevertheless sufficient has been done to enable it to be said that the foundations of a new industry has been established in this country, and that during the past year the output of certain much-used drugs that were formerly obtained almost exclusively from Germany has been steadily increasing. Aspirin, salicylic acid, and salicylate of soda are three important drugs the monopoly in which the Germans have lost. One could name others, and it is safe to say that plans have been laid for the manufacture in Great Britain of the whole range of synthetic drugs. In addition to private enterprise, there is the National Dyestuffs Company that can be counted on to develop this industry, for, as everyone knows, there is an intimate relationship between synthetic drugs and aniline dye. A great deal remains to be done, however, before we can be satisfied that developments are going on as rapidly as possible.

AMERICANS WITH THE ALLIES.

An American has written to Sir Rider Haggard asking him to write something in commemoration of "the thousands of Americans who have gone to a strange land and given their lives for liberty and humanity." This subject of the exploits of the Americans who have volunteered for service with the Allies is one about which we know very little. As regards the British Army, there are, of course, no Americans--officially, although the facts are perfectly well known to everyone here and in the States. The American correspondents who go over to France from England are not allowed any special facilities for supplying their home public with news of American soldiers. Things are very different with the French army. The French authorities give the correspondents every opportunity of seeing what Americans in the French Army are doing, and their articles are eagerly read at home. The American papers have published full details of well-known men of American birth who have died fighting with the Canadians in France. The Americans in the Canadian Legion, composed largely of mining engineers, which was raised in Canada and afterwards distributed among the Canadian forces. The Canadian Flying Corps is very popular with Americans. One of the cases well known in America is that of a man who had been through West Point, and was an artillery expert. He joined in Canada as a private, and was speedily made a Captain in the Canadian army. He was wounded three times in France and finally killed. The son of the Governor of one of the States has just gone home after two years' service. The number of Americans who are serving behind the lines as ambulance drivers and so on is very large. A precise figure cannot be given but an American in London with means of knowing puts the total number of Americans serving with the British and the French at ten thousand.

THE FIRST PAIR.

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The Pensions Problem

London Chronicle: We doubt whether even yet the public have realized what an enormous business that of war pensions and cognate undertakings will be for at least half a century after the war, now how large it will loom in national life. Millions of families will be interested in it directly or indirectly. The pensions system set up by the United States after the American Civil War has been and is still, as we know, a most conspicuous feature in America; but our own pensions problem will be altogether vaster, just as the numbers of our armies have altogether dwarfed what fifty years ago were considered the gigantic armies of President Lincoln. We have something indeed to learn from the American experience, though mainly perhaps by way of avoiding its unfortunate political features.

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TONSILLITIS.

Tonsillitis is an intrepid human ailment which settles in the neck of its victim and destroys his appetite for everything except sudden death.

For thousands of years nobody knew what caused tonsillitis to locate in the interior of the neck and hang on with a grip like a new lodge brother. Then one day, as a prominent physician was standing in front of a cheval mirror his face broke out into a yawn and he discovered the presence of two pink bumps standing in an erect attitude on either side of his neck. Prior to that time it did not cost anything to have tonsillitis, as the medical profession treated it as a cold in the head and refused to prescribe anything but a hot towel, but nowadays it is more expensive to contract this disease than it is to come down with appendicitis among total strangers.

Tonsillitis is caused by the tonsils becoming inflamed and swollen with rage. If a fat man who bought a reserved seat which failed to reserve. The average tonsil is more deceptive and treacherous than a Mexican general with a jag on. A man may go to bed at night with the same pair of tonsils he started out in married life with and before morning they will get angry about something and block up his entire alimentary tract to such an extent that nothing can get by but his breath, and sometimes that is a tight squeeze. Several attempts have been made to abolish the tonsils by law, but every time congress has been too busy locating twelve-cylinder postoffice buildings in one-cylinder towns.

When tonsillitis visits the home and secures a firm hold upon some inmate thereof, there is nothing to do but see who can go without food the longer, the victim or the tonsils. Temporary relief can be secured by inserting the spout of a tea kettle in the patient's mouth and allowing the steam to run down his throat, but most physicians discourage this practice and recommend starvation, which is an easier form of death.

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Your Boys and Girls.

When it is time to feed baby take the cold bottle from the ice and place it, still corked, in a vessel of warm water, having the water cover the bottle above the milk line, and then allow the water to heat. Do not allow it to boil as that will make the milk too hot.

To test the temperature of milk, open the bottle and drop a little on the inner surface of the arm. If it feels comfortably warm on the mother's skin it will be right for baby. If it has become too hot, cool the bottle under the running water. The mother should never put the nipple in her mouth to test the temperature of the milk, as in infection such as cold, might easily be conveyed in this way to the baby.

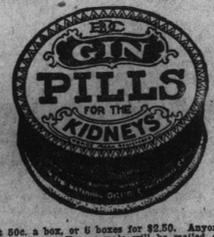
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