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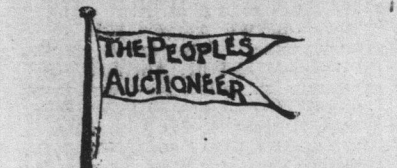
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July 25, 1917

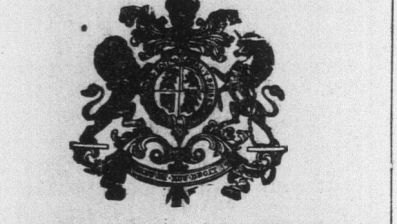
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Further particulars may be obtained on application at this Department. The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

R. A. SQUIRES, Acting Colonial Secretary, Colonial Secretary's Office, July 17, 1917. jly18,51,ead



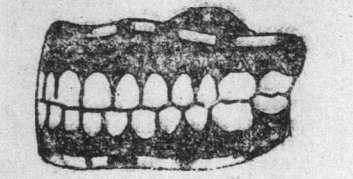
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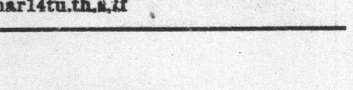
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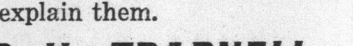
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## Order in Council

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The violation of this Order shall be an offense triable before any magistrate; on conviction the offender shall be liable to a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, and in default of payment to imprisonment not exceeding three months.

R. A. SQUIRES, Acting Colonial Secretary.

July 24th, 1917. jly25,31

## PLAQUE WANTED.

The following telegram has been received by His Excellency the Governor from the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

No. 1327. Code Telegram from Secretary of State.

Following communique will be published in Press Friday—begins—

H. M. Government offer prizes amounting in all to not less than £500 (in proportions to be subsequently decided) for a limited number of the most successful models for a small Memorial Plaque in Bronze, to be given next of kin of those members of H. M. Naval and Military Forces which have fallen in the war. Names of competitors will not be revealed to the judges and the name of the premiated artist or artists alone will be published. All competitors must be British born subjects. Will be glad if your Ministers would arrange corresponding simultaneous announcement in Newfoundland press and for affording information to intending competitors. Print of information to competitors follows by post. Designs are to be delivered here by November 1st. july23,21 LONG.

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Football Team of 1901 do hereby challenge any team of eleven city players of the same year to a game of football to be played on St. George's Field for the purpose of sending Cigarettes to our Soldier Boys on Active Service. J. I. VINICOMBE. July 25, 11

## FOR SALE—BARGAIN — Powerful Motor Cycle and Side Car; practically new and in first class running condition; apply this office. july23,31,ead

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## FOR SALE—A Handsome Upright Piano in good condition; apply MRS. S. H. LOGAN, Circular Rd. july23,31

## FOR SALE—A Motor Car, in excellent condition; run only 4,000 miles; apply to S. H. LOGAN, The Canadian Bank of Commerce. july25,fr

## Help Wanted!

WANTED—A Boy for the Drug Business; apply to PETER O'MARA. july25,21

WANTED—Six Carpenters; apply to W. J. HARRIS, 12 Mullock Street. july19,ead,fr

Hardware Assistant Wanted for retail department and window trim. Apply by letter, stating wages required, P. O. B. 335. july24,31

WANTED — General Girl, with knowledge of cooking; also Nurse-Housemaid; apply MRS. R. COWAN, 163 LeMarchant Road. july24,31

WANTED—A Plain Cook; references required; apply between the hours of 8.30 and 9.50 p.m. to MRS. R. H. O'DWYER, 33 Military Road. july24,21

WANTED — A Smart, Strong Boy for the Dry Goods Business; apply to STEER BROTHERS. july23,fr

WANTED — A Capable Hardware Clerk; good opening for right party; apply, stating experience, to "HARDWARE", care Evening Telegram. july23,fr

WANTED—A Stenographer; apply to ACADIA GAS ENGINES, LTD. july23,fr

A Plain Cook wanted, where another maid is kept; good wages; apply MRS. T. J. DULEY, Ronnie's Mill Road. july23,fr

WANTED — Two Good Housemaids; references required; apply to MRS. AUGUSTUS HARVEY, "Omar", King's Bridge Road, between 7 and 9 p.m. july23,fr

WANTED — Immediately, a General Housemaid; apply to MRS. ALEX. A. PARSONS, Forest Road. july21,31

WANTED — At Once, a Lad of 15 to 18 years to assist and eventually take charge of our Periodical Department; must have a fairly good education and be quick at figures. S. E. GARLAND, Leading Bookseller. jyl21,fr

WANTED—For Dressmaking Department, an Experienced Coat Hand; apply to GEORGE KNOWLING. july21,fr

WANTED — An Experienced Cook; apply to MRS. A. E. HICKMAN, Military Road. july20,fr

WANTED — An Assistant Housekeeper; good wages to the right person; apply at this office. jyl7,fr

WANTED — First Grade Teacher for Pool's Cove Congregational Church, Fortune Bay; good salary; apply REV. W. H. THOMAS, 40 LeMarchant Road, or MR. T. J. DULEY, Water St. july17,fr

WANTED—A Plain Cook; apply at this office. july16,fr

WANTED — An Experienced Young Man for Dry Goods Dept.; apply by letter only to G. KNOWLING. july16,fr

WANTED—By the 10th of August, a General Servant who understands cooking; apply to MRS. J. C. BAIRD, "Bryn Mawr", Portugal Cove Road. july11,fr

WANTED — An Expressman; apply ANGLO-AMERICAN BAKERY, New Gower Street. jyl9,fr

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A Child of Sorrow.

CHAPTER XXVI.

"I had a letter from Ricky this morning"—she took it from her pocket, but, with a suspicion of a blush, after eyeing it wistfully, put it back again—"I won't bore you by reading the whole of it. Did you ever notice that men are always either up in the seventh heaven or down in the lowest dumps? There is never any happy medium about them. Singular beings! I've often thought that there is a fine opening for an Improved and Patented Man. A man who would always be amiable, cheerful, and patient. He might be worked by steam, electricity, or clock-work, and you would wind him up or set him going by touching a button; he would talk just when you pleased, smile when you wanted him, bring you flowers or take you to the theatre; and, best of all, you could get rid of him without hurting his feelings by switching him off in an opposite direction. You could have him dark or fair, Roman nose or snub, tall or short, fat or thin; and—think of it!—you could change him for another man by paying or receiving the difference. I think I'll just drop a line to Mr. Edison and ask him to invent one for me when he has half an hour to spare."

it up by strenuous action. Nothing is done nowadays, Maida, without strenuously—Is it, Mrs. Broseley? She looked up laughingly at that lady, who came waddling along the verandah to them, and Mrs. Broseley put her hand on the girl's head and ruffled the curly hair lovingly. "I don't know what it means, my dear," she said. "All you young people use such long an' outlandish words now. I don't believe they were invented in my young days. But there! you are always pokin' fun at all of us; an' just you go on doin' it, for we like it. How are you feelin' this afternoon, dear?" She asked this question of Maida at least three times a day, and Maida's answer was always the same: "Quite well, dear Mrs. Broseley."

clatter of horses' hoofs which ceased suddenly as if the animal had been brought on to its haunches. There was the barking and yelping of dogs, the voices of men calling to one another, then from the din rose the deep tones of a man's voice, peremptory and rough. "Take her round and wipe her down. The devil's given me some trouble, and I've had to hustle her. Keep the water away from her for a bit. Look alive! Hurry yourselves, there! Here! take my bag. Catch it, you clumsy fool!"

The girls saw an exhausted and sweat-darkened horse led past the verandah to the stables. Mrs. Broseley came out with a motherly cry: "Oh, Robert, is that you?" "Of course it's me," said the deep, rough voice. "There, that will do; you'll get yourself all over dust. I ain't fit to be kissed over. Tell 'em to bring me out a soda and brandy. I'll have a cigar and a drink before I change."

He strode round the corner of the verandah heedless of his mother's warning "Robert!" and came full up on the two girls. At sight of them he stopped abruptly, and stared at them with that shyness which attempts to conceal itself behind defiance; the red-darkened his tanned face, and his thick lips opened as his eyes were brooding over one girl to the other. But they settled on Maida with a startled expression of wonder and admiration. He took off his broad-brimmed hat with the awkward gesture of a man unaccustomed to greeting ladies, and came forward with a heavy step.

"How do you do?" he said. "You are the two Miss Carringtons, I suppose? Glad to see you." "Yes, this is Miss Carrington an' her sister, Miss Carrie," said Mrs. Broseley, with a mixture of timidity and pride. "This is Robert, dears. I hope you'll get on together. I must run away—I'll send you out the drink, Bob, dear."

"Eh? Oh, never mind," he said. He stood for a moment as if uncertain what to do, then dragged one of the great wicker-chairs forward and sat down beside Maida. "My mother wrote and told me that you were here," he said. "That you'd been ill. It was you, of course?" he looked at Maida. "I hope you are better?" "I am quite well again, thank you," said Maida.

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most roughly, to his mother, as she appeared with the brandy and soda. "Oh, but you must be thirsty, Robert, dear," pleaded Mrs. Broseley, almost apologetically. He took the glass, but glanced askantly at the two girls. "Oh, don't mind," said Carrie, cheerfully. "We drink all day, and that you don't find us with long glasses and straws in our hands at this present moment is a mere accident; but do not be alarmed, we have just had tea."

His eyes dwelt on her for a moment, then they returned to Maida's face, and sought it again and again as he drank. Then he rose, the chair creaking with the relief from his weight. "I'll go and change," he said. "I'm not fit to be seen. If I'd known you were sitting here, I'd have changed first. 'Don't bother so, mother,' they heard him say, as she followed him like a spaniel, round the corner. "Enter Orson," said Carrie. "Well, what do you think of him, Maida?"

List of Letters Remaining in the G.P. O. to July 23rd, 1917.

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D Day, Miss M., Water Street. Dawe, Miss Mary, care Capt. J. Dawe, Spencer St. Day, Mrs. Martin, care G. P. O. Davis, Monsieur H., Gower St. Dean, Mrs. Ambrose, care General Delivery. Downey, Miss L., Springdale St. Doyle, Mrs. T., Quidi Vidi Road. Duddy, John, Mundy Pond Road. Downton, Edward, McFarlane's St. Murphy, M. M., care Gen. Delivery. Duffy, James P. Devine, Mrs. Annie, Job St. E Ebb, Mrs. T. Ehrbridge, Miss L. B., care Mrs. Griffiths. Edwards, Joseph, Pennywell Road. Eddicote, Miss K. Elliott, Miss Jennie, Bond St. F Farrell, R. Ferguson, Daniel, Springdale St. Fleet, Mrs. T., care Gen. Delivery. Field, Miss Florence, care Harry Field. Flynn, Mrs. Patrick, 42 ——— St. Fowler, John. Forristal, Mrs. Eva Med., New Gower Street. Foust, Luther, care. Fudge, Wm., New Gower St. Fitzpatrick, A. E., Rennie's Mill Rd. G Gaulton, Miss Elsie, Water St. West. Grace, Miss A., Bond St. Gillett, Miss Fannie, Barter's Hill. Gilbert, John, Larkin's Square. 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### A Measure Giving Big Concession

**TO COLD STORAGE COMPANY TO BE "RAILROADED" THROUGH THE LEGISLATURE UNDER SUSPENDED RULES—PROBATION OF THE HOUSE NEXT WEEK.**

Judging from the tenor of the utterances of Premier Morris in the House of Assembly yesterday afternoon there are, in all probability, going to be some queer and high-handed happenings enacted there within the next few days.

The Budget Speech was deferred for the seventh time.

The House was to consider in Committee "certain Resolutions in relation to the application of cold storage for the preservation of the fishes of this country for food and bait," but on motion of the Prime Minister, the introduction of the matter was deferred, the Prime Minister for the suspension of the rules.

The Bills relating to the establishment of a Department of Militia and Defence, and the amending of the Shipbuilding Act received their second readings and will be considered by a Committee of the whole House this afternoon.

The Bill providing Pensions for Sailors and Soldiers went through Committee with slight amendments and was sent to the Upper House for concurrence.

The Premier gave notice that he would to-morrow (Wednesday) ask leave to introduce a Bill amending the Education Act, 1916. He said this measure is for the purpose of allocating amounts recommended by all the School Inspectors, to teachers in addition to that already provided in Supply.

The Premier also gave notice that he would on to-morrow move the suspension of the rules of all matters before the House and all matters to come before the House. He intimated that it was hoped to be able to close the House in the early part of next week. Thus the two most important measures this session of the Legislature, namely, the Budget and the Supply of Ways and Means for the supplying and carrying on of the Civil Service, and the Premier's measure in the interests of the cold storage fish plant at the Reid Company's premises, are to be "railroaded" through, all criticism being safeguarded against by the suspension of the rules.

The House adjourned until 3 o'clock this afternoon.

### Mount Cashel Garden Party.

Sir,—This afternoon the annual Garden Party at Mount Cashel will take place and it has occurred to me to write a few lines in appreciation of the great work of that institution for the orphan boys who are tenderly cared for by the Christian Brothers, who leave no stone unturned in making that Home for the Boys a model one in every way. That the public in general appreciate to the fullest extent the debt of gratitude that is due to this noble band of self-sacrificing devoted Brothers, goes without saying, and therefore any praise that I may bestow on them would appear superfluous and entirely unnecessary, but at the same time one feels that a note struck in sympathy with the institution tends to give an outlet for the gratitude that we owe them. Mount Cashel Garden Party is easily the most popular event of the summer time and in the time preceding the war, rivalled that other popular annual event—the Regatta. The war clouds gathered and obscured as it were the sunshine of Regatta Day, but the Mount Cashel Garden Party could not be subjected to the tone of warfare, the people gathering there each year as they did in the days when peace reigned supreme proving beyond doubt that the sympathy and kind heartedness of the public is closely allied with the institution and its noble work. To-day then let us keep up the good work, let us forget our troubles and trials for a few hours at least and join the pleasant company out there where the sun shines bright and the meadows are in bloom. Let us gladden the hearts of the orphans by making them feel that we are staunch friends not pretenders of the fair weather type. And who can close any contribution of this kind without mentioning most tenderly the name of that great friend of the orphans—the late revered Brother Slattery who loved Mount Cashel as devotedly as he loved the Emerald Isle. By our presence to-day we will pay a fitting tribute to the memory of this great man, while at the same time we will convey to his worthy successor—Rev. Bro. Ennis—an assurance that we are with him heart and hand.

Yours truly,  
AN OLD-TIMER.  
St. John's, July 25, 1917.

### And the Worst is Yet to Come--

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### The Mayor Addresses City Employees.

At a special meeting of the permanent employees of the Municipal Council held last night, the Mayor addressed the gathering in relation to their action in quitting work last week. The Mayor stated that the Council for weeks had been trying to inaugurate a system by which they could increase the employees' wages and that it had not come into effect, was not the Council's fault. Because one of their number had been dismissed was no justification that they should quit work. The offence was not against the Council members but the taxpayers of the city, the former only being directors of the city for the time being. Should the offence be repeated, the Council would be obliged to dismiss them as a body.

The employees were given an increase of 10 per cent. on their wages.

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1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT HEADQUARTERS.

St. John's, July 24th, 1917.  
[No. 87] **Regimental Order.**  
By Colonel Sir W. E. Davidson, K.C.  
M.G., Commanding Officer.

**Promotions.**  
To be Major from July 15th, 1917—  
Captain J. W. March, M.C.  
**Strength:**  
Second Lieutenant S. E. Foran has been dismissed from the service by Court Martial in France, the sentence promulgated on May 14th, 1917.  
J. J. O'GRADY,  
Capt. and Adjutant.

On recommendation of the Superintendent of Education, and under the provisions of the Education Act, 1903, His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to order that the Methodist Educational District of Freshwater shall be divided into two Districts, to be known as the District of Freshwater and the District of Salmon Cove, respectively.

1. The District of Freshwater shall include that part of the Electoral District of Bay-de-Verde lying between Freshwater, inclusive, and Salmon Cove, exclusive.

2. The District of Salmon Cove shall include that part of the Electoral District of Bay-de-Verde lying between Salmon Cove, inclusive, and Perry's Cove, inclusive.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Honourable William J. Ellis, to be a member (provisionally) of the Legislative Council; Honourable William F. Lloyd, D.C.L., and J. P. Blackwood, Esq., to be King's Counsel.

### Here and There.

**Turkeys and Chicken at ELLIS'.**

**A MARKED DISPARITY.**—At Fogo and Placentia and St. Mary's there are ten times as much fish ashore to date as there was this time last season.

**Fresh Smoked Haddies, 12c. per lb., at ELLIS'.**

**BANKER HOME LOADED.**—The fishing vessel Effie May, Capt. Petties, has arrived at St. Jacques from the Grand Banks, hauling for 1,100 qts. of codfish.

**Look out for the Fancy Table at Mount Cashel to-day.** Bags of all kinds for young and old and a Fish Pond for the children.—July 25, li

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### Private Chesley Nofall Writes From Germany.

**NOW OUT OF HOSPITAL.**

There are probably few in the Regiment who can show a record of service and suffering equal to that of Private Chesley Nofall, son of Mr. Reuben Nofall, Broad Cove, B.D.V. He left here with the Second Contingent and fought at Gallipoli, where he was severely frostbitten. He took part in the July 1st drive in France, and was wounded in the shoulder and leg. Recovering from his wounds, he rejoined his regiment and fought at Monchy, where he was taken prisoner. The following letters have been received from him by his father and sister, from which it is evident that his last wounds are well healed.

Duisburg, Germany.  
Dear Dad,—Just a few lines hoping you are well, as I am wounded and a prisoner of war and not so bad, they treat you good, and hope you and my sisters send me a parcel or two, as you can send me anything and I shall get them. I have not got such bad wounds and if you enquire at the P. O. they will tell you how to send them. So cheer up. Best of love to all. I remain,  
Your loving son,  
CHESLEY.

Duisburg, Germany.  
Dear Sister,—Just a few lines to you, hoping to find you quite well as it leaves me at present. My wounds are better and I am out of hospital and in a camp. I should like you to send me a parcel; don't send a cake, send sweet bread and butter. I have not heard from Bill since July. Send me some Mayo's tobacco. We are not getting treated too bad. Dear sister, I was wounded and captured on the 14th April. You can tell father to send me a parcel also. I sent him a letter when I was in hospital. You can ask him to send me a salt fish. Well, dear, I think I must close now, so good-night and God bless you. I remain,  
Your loving brother,  
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**JOINED AVIATION CORPS.**—Mr. Nix Duchemin, an ex-pupil of St. Bon's College, who left here a few years ago for the States where he has made good, is now attached to the U. S. Aviation Corps.

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**LOSES VALUABLE WATCH.**—A city sportsman who went fishing yesterday at Margurite Ponds on the Petty Harbor Pond had the misfortune to lose a valuable gold watch which slipped from his pocket while he was in the act of landing a speckled beauty. Though he searched the shore for some distance no trace of the ticker could be found.

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### U-Boat Menace Most Serious Feature.

New York, July 19.—Chas. H. Gray, the New York Times correspondent, makes a strong plea for every available American ship to be sent to European waters in order to combat the submarine menace. In support of this urging he cables the following article:

London, July 18.—The change at the Admiralty, by which Sir Eric Geddes succeeds Sir Edward Carson, calls attention to submarine conditions, and there has been a sharp revision of opinion in the last few hours as a result of the re-examination of facts and figures. The Prime Minister's recent assurance had a largely effect on the public mind, but discussion by well-informed persons, particularly in banking and commercial circles, in the past few days, has brought out conditions that are disquieting.

The confidence in the submarine situation appears to have had no foundation more substantial than hope that some scientific means was surely in the way of being found to put the submarine finally and entirely out of business. The syllogism is that America is a wonderfully inventive country and America is now a belligerent; ergo, America will invent a solution for the submarine.

**Cannot Overtake Loss.**  
That part of England which wakes up somewhat ahead of the rest has suddenly grasped a fact so simple that it ought to have been realized and acted on long ago. The average man has been thinking about food (which has been plentiful), or thinking about Germany's threat to reduce England in two months. Five have elapsed and England is none the worse off.

What has escaped attention, and what is now brought to the fore by the change at the Admiralty, is the inexorable fact, which anybody with knowledge of the rule of four can cipher out for himself, that at the present rate of construction and destruction there can't possibly be shipping enough, unless British commitments elsewhere are considerably curtailed, to feed England and France and maintain the present armies in the field.

As for conveying America's armies to Europe and maintaining them, it will simply be out of the question. The loss of ships by submarine totals sixteen hundred thousand (60,000?) tons per month, or from two to three times the total of new construction. There is no possibility whatever of the construction capacity overtaking the present rate of loss in time to avoid a peace being forced on the Allies.

**Must Increase Destruction.**  
What is wanted, therefore, is to largely increase the destruction of U-boats. The British Government is, and the American Government ought to be eye to eye with staggering fact that the Allies have got to find a way to curb the submarine or lose the war—a way not yet found nor even approached, except experimentally. The damage by submarine has been reduced by American co-operation, but every single ton of effective shipping against submarines ought to be sent to European waters without a single hour's delay.

No military verdict short of marching into Berlin can take the place of a death blow to the German U-boat. Every craft capable of operating against the submarine ought to be sent over here at the earliest possible moment.

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WEDNESDAY, July 25, 1917.

**Government or Autocracy?**

Reading daily the reports of the proceedings in the House of Assembly, we are induced to wonder if the general public is really sensible of what is going on. German autocracy and high-handedness is a common theme of satire and denunciation, and artists are never tired of pointing out the absurdity of a system which gives the noisy Reichstag the shadow of power and leaves all the substance with the silent Bundesrat and its controller, the Kaiser. There is no need for us to look as far as Germany for a subject, not of satire but of the fiercest indignation. Our "National Government," by the simplest form of political corruption imaginable, have succeeded in turning the House of Assembly into a Reichstag and Bundesrat in one which might well provoke the envy of the Kaiser. It is not really legislation that is being enacted there. A few bills, initiated by one or two members, are being rushed through with the supine approval of the rest, who have already been rewarded for their acquiescence. They are not through their several stages before the public, or even most of the members themselves, have had time to grasp more than their bare outlines. Of course the public and public opinion don't matter. They are deeply affected by the Acts, but that is the proper function of the Acts and themselves.

We have already protested against their truculent aggressiveness. We have shown in a few instances, which we had time to discern before the occasion was past, how this evident haste—for which no single excuse has been preferred except the desire of the House to have a holiday—has led to inexact and slipshod legislation. The limit was fairly reached yesterday, when the Pension Bill was forced through all its stages, with a couple of quite trifling amendments and a discussion which was confined to fulsome compliments of the framer. We are second to none in our appreciation of the value of this work, but it would have been a better and more sincere tribute to it to have taken the trouble to examine it a little fully. Here is an Act of more than fifty sections, conferring benefits upon those whom we should delight to honour, and imposing a tax for an indefinite time upon the whole country of a quarter of a million dollars. It is not worth discussing. It is not worth examining. Put it through in an afternoon! When it is

law will be time enough to inquire into its effect.

To prove that we are not talking at random but from a sense of the true seriousness of the matter, we may say that our attention has been drawn to one point (we have hardly found time to read the Act, for our own part). From the definition of "dependents" and the effect of Schedule B, a dependent already in receipt of \$384 per annum is entitled to no pension on the death of the soldier in the ranks who has hitherto supported him. If his income is only \$383, he is entitled to a pension which may (apparently at the discretion of the Commission) amount to \$384, or double that of the former case. Are we to understand from this that every dependent, in such case, will receive only \$384 per annum in all, which would be the only fair general rule? If so, it seems a very small maximum. If not, there is injustice somewhere. The matter is important, and we should like to be enlightened. Again, we do not like the look of section 6, which gives the Commission the fullest power without reference to the rest of the Act, with no right of appeal from its findings, or section 22, which is somewhat similar. That seems to us to signal certain trouble ahead.

We merely specify these points for the reason we have given. Had we been given time, we might have found many others, not to object to, for the Act is an admirable one, but to be made quite clear. It is not this Act or any other that we protest against, but the disgraceful practice of allowing no one, inside the House or out of it, a moment's time to examine them. This is responsible government!

But if the limit was reached in the case of this Act, it bids fair, to be guilty of a bull, to be exceeded this afternoon. The extraordinary procedure is to be adopted of suspending all the rules of the House from this onward, so that the remaining legislation can be handled exactly as the Government desires. If there remains a single member with backbone enough to protest, which is doubtful, his protests will be ineffectual and ruthlessly curtailed. We know why this is being done. There is coming before the House a bill giving concessions to a private business concern which, in any independent legislature, would raise a storm of indignation, and will do so in any case outside it. We have ascertained enough about the measure to be certain of what we say. It is perhaps the most important measure that has yet been preferred. If it is passed, it needs no gift of vision to prophesy the political extinction of all concerned in it. For the rest, the budget has not yet appeared and nothing has been done touching conscription. Yet these matters are simple enough to be handled under suspended rules. Perhaps it is just as well, and that no other obstacle be placed in the way of ending the burlesque of Parliament with all speed.

**Wilson Criticised.**

President Wilson has been severely criticised in the past, but what he has undergone in the past will be as a summer zephyr compared with the blasts that will rage about him as America gets deeper into the conflict, and the mistakes or incapacities of those about him are charged to his account.—"Was Davenport Whelpy, on "War and Politics in America."

**From Cape Race.**

CAPE RACE To-Day. Wind west, light, dull. The latest report from the Kristianiafjord is that a trial is to be made to refloat her to-day. Bar. 29.75, ther. 58.

**Here and There.**

**KIRK CONGREGATION TO VISIT HIGHLANDERS.**—All the members of St. Andrew's Church were given an invitation to spend to-day with the Nfld. Highlanders at Mount Pearl. Quite a number have signified their intention to spend the day with the lads and are leaving by the 12.30 p.m. train.

Buy a bottle of Stafford's Boratone Cough Cure for 25c. and receive a numbered ticket. See advertisement.—may1,tf

**Summer School Notes.**

**TUESDAY, July 24th.**  
**Morning Session (St. Bon's College)**  
9 to 11.45.—During the first period, 9 to 9.45, Mr. Morehouse gave a lecture to group B on Civics, and Dr. Brunt to group A in English. From 9.45 to 10.30 Dr. Brunt took group B in the best methods of teaching Composition and Mr. Morehouse gave a lecture on the teaching of History to group A.

When the class reassembled after recess, lectures were given by Dr. Brunt on English and by Mr. Morehouse on Arithmetic. Then at 11.45 both groups went to the Methodist College Hall where Dr. Campbell lectured on Hygiene.

**Afternoon Session (St. Bon's College), 2.15 to 4.15.**—From 2.15 to 3 Dr. Brunt explained to group B how best to take an advanced class in English Literature. He illustrated his method by taking a lesson on "Bacon's Essay on Studies." During the same period group A was taken by Mr. Morehouse in best method of teaching Arithmetic.

The teachers then lined up on the College Campus and were taken in Physical Culture under the respective division instructors—Miss Worrell, Miss Curtis and Sergt. Major Hussey. For the last period of the afternoon session group B was divided into two divisions and were taken in Art, the ladies under Miss Kelly and the men under Mr. Murdock, while group A attended a lecture on Nature Study.

**Evening Session (Synod Building), 7.30 to 9.**—Instruction was given in the following subjects: Navigation by Mr. Doyle; Latin by Miss Mansfield; History and Geography by Mr. Whiteway, and Arithmetic, in two phases, by Mr. Goodman and Mr. House.

CORRESPONDENT.

**Here and There.**

**LEFT BY TRAIN.**—Quite a large number of passengers left by this morning's train to spend the day in the country.

**GUESTS AT BALSAM PLACE.**—Rev. Father McGuire, St. Bride's; Mrs. F. P. Murphy, Placentia; James Murphy, Placentia; G. A. Monro, New Glasgow; W. Vey, Cupids; J. W. Parsons, Freshwater.

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**DROWNING INQUIRY.**—At the Magistrate's Court yesterday afternoon an inquiry began into the drowning of the young man George Holland, in Quidi Vidi Lake. The evidence was taken of two witnesses, namely, Geo. Vavasour and John Earles.

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**DID REMARKABLY WELL.**—Upwards of fifteen northern schooners who have been fishing out of St. John's this season have done remarkably well with the fish and will be leaving shortly to land their voyages at their home ports.

**The ladies of Bay Bulls are making special preparation for their Garden Party which will take place the second week in August. It will be a big affair. The men are busy getting their New Hall ready for the occasion.**—jly25,21,w,s

**N. I. W. A.**—At last night's meeting of the Executive Committee of the Nfld. Industrial Workers' Association the constitution was again discussed. Considerable progress was made and it is expected the charter will be completed about the first meeting in August.

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**MOTORS WANTED.**—We understand the disabled soldiers now quartered at Waterford Hall have expressed a wish to attend the annual Garden Party at Mount Cashel. It would be an act of kindness if some of our motor owners would give the heroes a run to the grounds.

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**Forester M. Collins Heard From.**

By the last English mail, Mrs. Collins, of the Battery, received a letter from her husband, No. 55 Forester Martin Collins, from Scotland. The letter, which was highly interesting, described the manner of work in which he was then engaged. Forester Collins left here with the second draft of Foresters some time ago and has been hard at work ever since his arrival in the Old Country. On Aug. 15th next he will celebrate his 60th birthday, and despite his many years is as active as a man of forty. Mr. Collins, who for a long time has been accustomed to smoking Mont Bernard tobacco, misses his favorite weed and requests that a supply be sent him. He wishes to be remembered to his many friends.

**The Wrecked Liner.**

The wrecking tugs and divers are making strenuous efforts to refloat the stranded liner Kristianiafjord. Conditions are moderate and it is expected that she will come off the rocks soon. More cargo is being salvaged from the ship to lighten her, and the schr. Mary Cashin took a load from the Kristianiafjord yesterday.

**Little Sister Wounded.**

"Coloney Peyron is never mentioned in the despatches of General Petain, and although he wears a uniform, no soldier of France salutes him," says Harold Begbie in Lloyd's. "He is, you must understand, a Salvationist. To the French democracy and the French tax-collector he is plain M. Peyron; but to the gallant little host of French Salvationists he is an adored child, a most veritable colonel, and a man whom they would gladly follow even to the death."

"One is almost the most beautiful of all the war stories I have heard. It concerns a little Sister of Mercy."

"This little Sister of Mercy had such tenderness in her ministrations to the wounded that everybody in the hospital adored her."  
"Well, one day a shell brought death and new wounds to the hospital and among the wounded was this little Sister of Mercy who was like an angel. She was smashed about the legs so that she could not move, and lay among the wreckage of the hospital with her blood streaming away from her."

"When she had been rescued, you may imagine with what care she was carried to a bed, and with what haste the best surgeon was sent for, and with what love and devotion everybody stood round her, helping her to bear her pain with words of sympathy."

"The surgeon made a long and patient examination. At last he spoke to the little Sister of Mercy, who lay back as white as her pillows, watching his face."  
"You are going to get well," said he.  
"Her eyes smiled and brightened."  
"Quite well and strong," he said, with assurance; "but I am afraid—here he looked aside for a moment—"that we shall have to find a crutch for you."

"She seemed puzzled."  
"When the surgeon stooped nearer to her, and explained very gently that to save her life he must needs amputate one of her poor, shattered legs."  
"She made a little movement of the head, as though she was bowing to fate, and whispered, 'Well, the will of God be done.'"

"Some days afterwards the surgeon and the nurses came once more to her bedside, and were very loving and tender to this little one-legged Sister of Mercy. It seemed as if everybody in the hospital wanted to pay their respects to her. At last the truth came out."  
"To make you quite well again," said the surgeon, "it is also necessary that I should take off your other leg."

"The little Sister of Mercy smiled into his face for a moment, showing neither fear nor sorrow. Then she closed her eyes. 'Prevent me, O Lord,' she whispered, 'from being proud of my wounds.'"  
"Colonel Peyron told me this story as an example of a religious heroism which, in his opinion, is breathing a new spirit into the life of France. Something, he says, is happening to France. And there he is inclined to leave it. What it is that is happening, he does not know. It is spiritual, that is clear."

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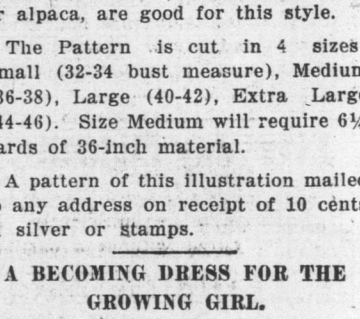


2124—This style is excellent for outdoor work in the garden, is popular also as an indoor work dress, since it affords comfort and ease in movement. The blouse may be made with or without the collar, and the sleeve in wrist or elbow length. The gingham, drill, jean, linen, poplin, repp, or aprica, are good for this style.

The Pattern is cut in 4 sizes: Small (32-34 bust measure), Medium (36-38), Large (40-42), Extra Large (44-46). Size Medium will require 6 1/2 yards of 36-inch material.

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**A BECOMING DRESS FOR THE GROWING GIRL.**



2056—This design is fine for crepe, foulard, chiffon cloth, wash silk, challie, lawn, batiste and other soft fabrics. The skirt joins the waist at raised waistline, and may be finished with or without a ruffle heading. The waist may have a round yoke, as shown in the back view, or be finished with a narrow heading.

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**BLOOD AND IRON**

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**KERENSKY**

**PETROU**

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ministers but . . . . .  
of departments . . . . .  
of the cabinet . . . . .

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A conference . . . . .



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Working Dress for the Sewing Girl.



This design is fine for crepe, cotton cloth, wash silk, challis, etc. and other soft fabrics. The skirt joins the waist at the waistline, and may be finished with a ruffle heading. It may have a round yoke, as shown, or a back yoke, or be finished with a narrow heading.

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War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

GERMANS REPULSED. PARIS, July 24. Two German attacks on the Aisne front north west of Brayenne-Laonnois last night were repulsed, the War Office announced to-day. Between Cerny and Allies the Germans also attacked without result.

SUCCESSFUL RAIDS. LONDON, July 24. Following is to-day's official report on the Belgian front. We captured 20 prisoners in successful raids last night west of Savioncourt, East of Vermeles and West of Hollebeke.

TRYING TO CUT THE RUSSIANS OFF. COPENHAGEN, July 24. The Austro-German flood in Western Galicia has been turned southward in endeavours to get to the rear of the Russian armies between Brozany and the Dniester. Austrian correspondents at the front report in despatches to three newspapers. The Teutonic forces engaged in this operation, they declare, have reached Kosva Station, ten miles east of Brozany, which is in Austro-German hands. The Kosva-Tarnopol Railway has been crossed by them in several places. These despatches forecast the Russian army's stand behind the Sereth and reiterated the reports that Tarnopol was in flames.

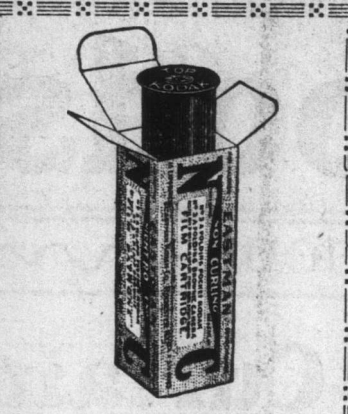
BLOOD AND IRON, IF NECESSARY. PETROGRAD, July 24. A blood and iron policy will be put into effect, if needed to save Russia, by the Government of Premier Kerensky to which unlimited power has been granted. In an interview to-day, the Premier said, "Relying upon the confidence of the masses and the army, the Government will save Russia and Russian unity by blood and iron if argument and reason, honor and conscience are not sufficient. The situation at the front is very serious and demands heroic measures, but I am convinced the organism of the state is sufficiently vigorous to be cared without a partial amputation."

ARTILLERY BATTLE RAGING IN FLANDERS. BERLIN, July 24. An artillery battle, the intensity of which was never paralleled previously, is raging day and night in Flanders, the war office announces.

GERMANS EXPECT BRITISH OFFENSIVE. LONDON, July 24. The German announcement indicates that in all likelihood the expected British offensive is at hand. Several times recently Berlin reported heavy artillery fighting in Flanders and the intensity of to-day's bombardment probably denotes the last stage of the preparations before the blow is struck. It has been predicted that the next attack of the British would surpass any effort previously made. The opening of the offensive may be hastened to assist the hard pressed Russians.

KERENSKY'S PLATFORM. PETROGRAD, July 24. Premier Kerensky has completed the constitution of the new Provisional Government. Like the ministry of his predecessor, Prince Lvoff, the cabinet is coalition, but limited to ten members. Five ministers belong to the Socialist group and five members to the non-Socialist parties. Other offices of state will be directed not by ministers but by unpolitical directors of departments who are not members of the cabinet.

CONFERENCE TO BE HELD. PARIS, July 24. A conference of members of the



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Entente concerned with the military and political situation in the Balkans will be begun here to-morrow. Lloyd George, Foreign Secretary, Balfour and General Robertson are here from England, and Baron Scimmo, Foreign Minister, General Cadorna, commander in chief and others from Italy. France is represented strongly. Premier Ribot presides. Russia's views will be presented by her charge d'affaires, M. Sevastopolsky. The Roumanian Minister, Lopovary, and the Greek Minister, M. Romonos, will represent their government. Invitations were sent out by the British Government.

CONSCRIPTION. OTTAWA, July 24. The Conscription Bill passed the third reading in the House of Commons by a vote of 102 to 44.

AEROPLANE BILL. WASHINGTON, July 24. The \$640,000,000 aeroplane bill will become law to-day with President Wilson's signature. This immense appropriation is only the beginning of preparations for a campaign to overwhelm Germany in the air. More than 2,000 aeroplanes are to be built as a first increment and there will be many thousands of aviators. The first task is the instruction of a vast army of American engineers.

RESIGNATIONS. WASHINGTON, July 24. The President to-day asked Chairman Denman of the Shipping Board to resign and accepted the resignation of Major General Geo. Goethals as General Manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation. Chairman Denman received the President's request for his resignation at noon and tendered it immediately. Ed. N. Hurley, a Chicago business man, and former Chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, will become Chairman. L. Capps, Chief Constructor of the Naval Department, will succeed Goethals as General Manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation.

AMERICA WANTS A MILLION MEN. WASHINGTON, July 24. An American army of one million men for service abroad at once instead of 500,000 as contemplated for the first draft was foreshadowed by the Government's request for an additional 55,000,000,000 made to the Senate Finance Committee to-day.

Operto Market. Past. Prev. Week. Week. Stocks (Nrd.) 10,750 8,400 Consumption 4,935 4,347

WHEN SHALL WE HIT BACK? The Way to Stop Air Raids.

(By LOVAT FRASER.)

On Saturday morning England was once more invaded from the air, and London was again bombarded. When are we going to invade Germany? Considering their chances the German raiders did very badly on Saturday, but we did worse. It is greatly to the discredit of every authority concerned that the enemy crossed our coasts at all. Lord Sydenham, a scientific soldier who has been a member of the Air Board, told the House of Lords on June 26 that "two effective squadrons of fighter machines, of their equivalent, should be sufficient, if they were ready and in the proper places, to provide very substantial protection at least for London." I believe his statement to be perfectly correct. If a country that is spending eight million pounds a day cannot provide a couple of squadrons of fighting aeroplanes for the defence of the London front, then it is time, changes were made.

London is the hub of the war. It is, as Lord Montagu de Beaulieu has said, "the chief seat of energy for the war," though no one would have thought so on Saturday when a great squadron of German aeroplanes was flying impudently over the city. So long as the enemy are able to bomb London, or even to pass our coasts, it is idle to pretend that we enjoy "the mastery of the air." The hackneyed argument about "the claims of the front" is no answer at all. The front is where the enemy attack or where we attack. It is impossible to get over the facts (1) that the Germans were repelled on the coast, and (2) that at the time they crossed our shores on the return journey they had not lost a single machine. Their attack beat our defence. We shall only defeat their objects by attacking on their turn.

There was no great element of surprise on this occasion, for private warnings were received in London nearly an hour before the enemy were sighted here. Saturday's experience has undoubtedly revived the demand for some form of general warning. It ought to be possible to discriminate between threats of attack and the real thing. We shall only appreciate aright the significance of Saturday's visitation if we realize that these raids are still experimental. Men wondered because London was left unassailed for nearly a month after the severe raid of June 13. Assuredly the air authorities cannot have been wondering, for weeks the weather was unfavorable, but the Germans came again at the first propitious moment. They will keep coming in November and May they came singly, in June five aeroplanes reached London, on Saturday at least a score arrived. Unless the Government and the War Office wake up, they will soon be here in hundreds.

Lord Derby's speech in reply to suggestions made in the Lords' debate on June 26 recalled the bad old days early in the war. It might have belonged to the 1914 vintage. He said that the War Office and the Air Board were trying to give Field-Marshal Lord French "all the aircraft he may require," but "do not let it be supposed for one minute that he is getting all he would like." He also said, "While we are endeavoring to do all we can to meet Lord French's demands, we cannot—I will keep perfectly frank about it—we cannot meet them all." Why not? There was a time early in 1915 when the country was told similar things about shells. Mr. Lloyd George (and others) took their coats off and in time the armies in the field got all the shells they asked for. We want someone to take off his coat about aeroplanes. Negative statements will no longer suffice. The public want to know what steps, if any, the Government

are taking to extend aeroplane construction in order that air attacks on Germany may replace the present inadequate defensive policy within these islands. It is true that many of our aeroplanes rose to attack the raiding Germans, but were they of the right sort? The absence of results over the land suggests that they were not. It is necessary to ask, with Lord Montagu, "why we have not more machines of a better kind."

It is still more necessary to ask the Government to state definitely what their intentions are with regard to air warfare within these islands. They refuse to give a general warning, and Lord Montagu says that they "cannot protect London from attack at the present time." Does the Government share the attitude of the newspaper which said that these air attacks "have got to be endured because they can't be cured," which is the latest equivalent for the original Zepplin policy of "darkness and composure"? Some of us are convinced that there is a cure, that it is to be found in a great extension of aeroplane construction and a better system of control, and that it is a profound humiliation for this country to be asked to submit to repeated bombing without effective retaliation.

The ultimate cure, of course, is attack. The ridiculous talk about "reprisals" has drifted in the wrong direction. This is not a question of reprisals, but of carrying the war into the enemy's country, as they are carrying it into ours. It is not a question of bombing German babies, but of invading Germany from the air. The French bombed Treves and Essen and Coblenz on Friday night. Why are we so reluctant? Apparently a few of our bishops are afraid that if we attack Germany from the air some one may get hurt. That is quite possible, but a great many more of our own people will soon be hurt if we insist on sitting exclusively to the way of the tortoise and "the mole and neglect the way of the eagle and the hawk."

There is much more in this question of the development of air warfare than the mere prevention of air raids upon this country. I believe, with Lord Montagu, that the campaign by air "is going to be the paramount issue before the end." Our rulers are showing a lamentable lack of imagination about this matter of air warfare, just as the last Government did about submarines. We are advancing slowly and painfully on land. There is a quicker way through the air. The Americans have shown much more rapid perception than ourselves. From the moment the United States took up arms, public opinion across the Atlantic realised fully and vividly that the shortest way to end the war was by a tremendous increase of offensive fighting through the air. Why are we so conservative in this new age?

The Germans are straining every nerve to increase enormously their output of aeroplanes, with the object of invading this country continuously. Let there be no mistake about it. They have tried to hit us on land and under water, and now they are going to hit us through the air. Authentic reports continually arrive regarding their activity in aeroplane construction, but we need not trust to mere reports. In the bulletin published to-day Sir Douglas Haig testifies to the appearance of large numbers of enemy machines on the front between Lens and Ypres, and he says that one formation was composed of the unprecedented number of thirty machines. The Admiralty went comfortably to sleep when we were warned that the Germans were building swarms of

submarines. Are we going to slumber while the enemy prepare for an immense development of air warfare? When are we going to give battle in real earnest on the London front? Daily Mail.

Who is Dis Bismarck? (From the Chicago Evening Post.) John H. Rathorn of the Providence Journal told this newspaper yarn to the Canadian Press Association: One of the most curious of my newspaper experiences was when I was connected with a San Francisco newspaper. The day report was received, and as there was nothing unusual in the happenings of the day I went out for a stroll. When I returned I found a pile of copy that scared the whole staff. Bismarck had passed away and the copy was the story of his life. I called the Associated Press office to find out why I had not received a bulletin. The manager said I had—or that someone had. Finally, we found that an office boy had received the message that Bismarck was dead and that he had told the manager of the Associated Press that "all death notices go to the business office." This was verified. When I got the boy before me he proved to be a tough little citizen and this was his answer: "De boss told me to send all death notices to de business office, an' I done it. If Jim Corbett had died, I'd knowed it was a news item—but, say, who is dis Bismarck?" We wish that all Americans had this peculiarly American angle of vision. We wish that they could see as contemptuously as this office boy that their own people must have their allegiance before any Bismarck or Hindenburg that ever lived.

The Wrong Bull. London Daily Express: Major West Gretton, M.P., recently invited Sir William Bull, M.P., down to his place at Melton Mowbray for a week-end. Sir William promised to come at an early date. The other night the Hon. Mrs. Gretton, in the absence of her husband, opened the following telegram: "Send to meet Bull, who is coming down by the late train—Carson." Mrs. Gretton sent a motor down to the station to meet the expected guest, but instead of Sir William a great bull appeared out of a cattle van. Colonel Gretton's agent had bought a bull in London, and arranged with the owner, named Carson, to telegraph his advent.

MAJOR WEST, MARCH—Major West March, M.C., Coix de Guerre, one of the most popular officers of "Ours," who won distinction for his conspicuous gallantry in the battle of Guendecourt on Oct. 12th last, says he is gaining strength daily at Ayr, where he has been for some time recuperating, a letter to that effect having just been received from him. His many friends here will, no doubt, be glad to hear this pleasing news.

MARRIED. On July 19th, at the Church of England Cathedral, by Rev. Canon White, Elsie E. T. Hann to Joseph Moyst, both of this city.

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Our Baseball Column. PLAGIARISED AND OTHERWISE.



THIS AFTERNOON'S GAME. We do not care to prophesy but we should imagine that the 5 innings game between the Red Lions and B. I. S. at the Mount Cashel Garden Party this afternoon will resolve itself into practically a pitching duel between Ellis and Carew—the slab artists for both teams. The victors will be presented with the much coveted H. D. Reid trophy, and an exciting clash is expected. The line-ups will probably be:—

Red Lions. B. I. S. Ellis Pitcher. Carew Catcher. Hiitz Pitcher. Brazo Catcher. Power 1st Base. French 1st Base. Buckingham 2nd Base. Brien 2nd Base. Quick 3rd Base. Doyle 3rd Base. Mullings Short Stop. McGrath Short Stop. Jenkins Right Field. Williams Right Field. Rolls Centre Field. P. Grace Centre Field. Heath Left Field. C. Grace Left Field.

"Chief" Chesman and Major Montgomerie will control the game, while Mr. P. E. Outerbridge will be in charge of the scoring. CAREW. (By Hubie Carter of the Cubs.) A batter heard that Carew's speed was something fierce, and said "I don't believe it's so. Indeed I'll try it on my head." He found out.

TO-MORROW NIGHT'S GAME. The much looked forward to game between the B. I. S. and Wanderers will be played to-morrow night at 7 o'clock at St. George's Field, thus resuming the regular League fixtures.

Mayor Gosling Presents Salary to Worthy Cause. The high rate of infantile mortality which has existed in this city for some time, has caused much anxiety to His Worship Mayor Gosling, and being deeply concerned with this grave state of affairs he has decided to devote the salary paid him by the city to the cause of combating it. The manner in which the work is to be carried out has not yet been definitely decided, except that several ladies have been asked to act as a committee. This is a move in the right direction, and might we suggest that a society known as the Sunshine Society be formed, as in several Canadian cities, whose business it is to attend to such matters.

Express Passengers. NAVAL HEROES RETURNING. The incoming express, with first class passengers, left Port aux Basques on time this morning. Included in the number are thirty-seven Royal Naval Reservists who are coming home on furlough. Following are the regular passengers: T. D. Weldon, Dr. and Mrs. Weeks, T. D. Taylor, T. Kirkhon, J. H. Jock, R. D. Woodbine, R. W. and Mrs. Ritcey, T. D. Wilmoor, M. Davis, F. Land, Mrs. Parmiter, Mrs. W. Pike, Rev. W. and Mrs. Clarkson, Rev. W. and Mrs. Kettle, Miss Kettle, Miss E. Miller, Mrs. E. Dunn and two daughters.

This should furnish the best thriller of the season, as the Hartnett crew are fully determined to stop McGrath in his onward triumphal march for the pennant.

THE MIRACLE MAN. The 1917 Miracle Man of Baseball is the fan who can sit out a whole game these nights without inheriting pneumonia.

ATTENTION FOOTBALL AND BASEBALL LEAGUES. Editor Baseball Column. Dear Sir,—May I ask you to publish the following, and I hope I am not doing wrong in addressing it to you.

Whilst we were convalescent in England we were admitted free to any football game, and many of the picture shows were free to wounded men. While the Boxing Tournaments were held there we only had to show our overseas badge and we would be given a good front seat free. I think it about time that others followed this example, or at least allowed returned men to see the football and baseball games free, not that we want charity bestowed upon us, but every cent is valuable to us now, to enable us to buy smokes at least, out of our pitiful dole of \$8 per month which we receive from our grateful country. Yours truly, T.

One of the Returned Boys. TO-DAY'S LAUGH.

A Cockney was seeing his first game of baseball, and the "fan" was explaining the different plays as they were being made. "Don't you think it's great?" enthusiastically asked the fan. "Well," replied the Cockney, "I think it's very exciting, but also a very dangerous game."

"Dangerous nothin'," replied the fan. "Just then a runner was put out at second base. "What has happened now," asked the Cockney. "Click Smith has died at second," laconically replied the fan. "Died at second?" replied the astonished Londoner. "I knew it was a dangerous game." — Ladies' Home Journal.

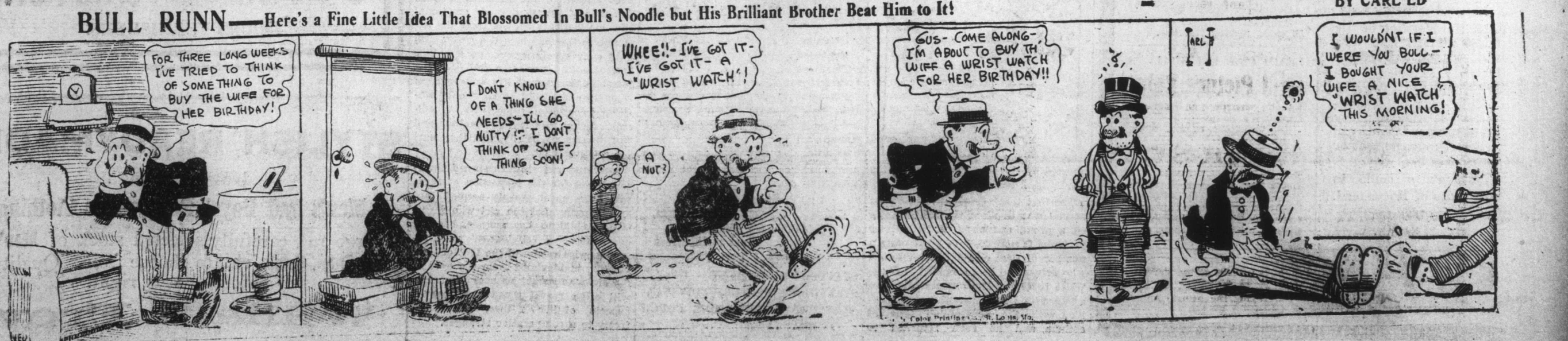
ST. GEORGE'S FIELD. The boy sat on the upper stand where breezes howl and whiff. He did not heed the winds at all. For he was frozen stiff.

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## Broad Gauge.

By RUTH CAMERON.



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The Authorman and the Want-to-be-Cynic had an argument the other day. The Authorman was laughing at something in the paper and the Want-to-be-Cynic said, "I don't see how, when you have such a keen sense of the really humorous, you can laugh at that horse-play." "Because, my son," said the Authorman, "my sense of humor isn't narrow gauge. I like the delicate, whimsical humor best, but that doesn't prevent my knowing that horseplay is funny too. Some people take such a pride in being narrow gauge about things. What's the sense? Why limit your enjoyment that way? I'm proud of being broad gauge."

I like the authorman's characterization. And there are a lot of things beside humor to which it applies. Why Are People Proud of Being Broad To Please? We all know people who are proud of being narrow gauge in one direction or another. Perhaps it's art. Because they are able to appreciate the higher forms of art they take pride in deprecating and ridiculing all the humbler, more conventional forms. Now just because they can appreciate the great master, is no reason why they shouldn't recognize what is good in the lesser man. Perhaps it's music in which they take this attitude. But because they can understand the difficult and highly classical music is no reason for being indifferent to the music in simple melodies. Because one can enjoy

Each should not prevent one from enjoying simple old folk songs. He can't see but one kind of People. Or perhaps we know someone who is narrow gauge in relation to human being. He likes only one kind of people, the kind that people who don't like them call "high brow." He has no use for anyone who has not the reserves, the culture, the point of view of these people. Now perhaps these people are the best. Who knows? But they aren't the only people in the world. There is very much that is good and different and human in other people, and anyone who confines his ability to enjoy folks, to one kind of folks, misses much both of happiness and wisdom. Discriminate Too Hard. One should, of course, go on all one's life educating oneself to discriminate and select, but don't discriminate too hard. Don't get narrow gauge. Life is a big thing. You must keep your sympathies big and wide to get all out of it you can. Good taste isn't necessarily narrow taste, its taste that selects the best from the bad, recognizes the best from the second best, and enjoys all that's good. This is to certify that fourteen years ago I got the cords of my left wrist nearly severed, and was for about nine months that I had no use of my hand, and tried other Liniments, also doctors, and was receiving no benefit. By a persuasion from a friend I got MINARD'S LINIMENT and used one bottle which completely cured me, and have been using MINARD'S LINIMENT in my family ever since and find it the same as when I first used it, and would never be without it. ISAAC E. MANN. Metapedia, P.Q. Aug. 31st, 1908.

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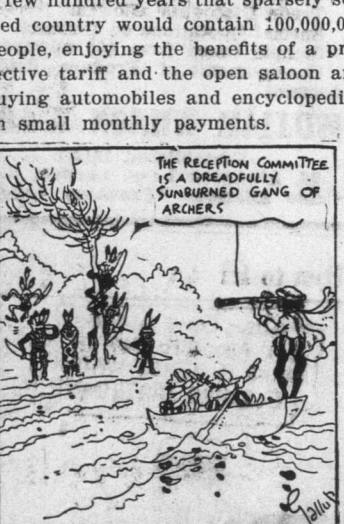
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## Fads and Fashions.

The long Russian blouse continues to be popular. Hats are almost masculine in their severity. Angora sweaters are made on loose box lines. Pussy-willow taffeta is used for entire silk suits. The blouse that extends below the belt is fashionable. There are tub frocks with waist and skirt separate. Organdy frocks are made up with knife-pleated skirts. A tan straw hat is more becoming when faced with black. Some of the mid-summer dresses have very short sleeves. Wheat is one of the smartest trimmings for millinery. Ticking is one of the latest materials for a country skirt. Sheer white, delicately traced muslin makes a charming hot weather dress.

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WALT MASCO

I went to buy a dachshund pup down at the village store. "The war has sent the prices up," the dealer roundly swore. No matter what we buy, forsooth, the price thereof's a shame; and if the dealers speak the truth, the war is all to blame. They've raised the price of baths and shaves, of firetraps and of vines, of cradles, bridal wreaths and graves, of shampoos, shirts and shins. They've raised the price until in vain we try to play the game, and hear the merchant prince explain that war is all to blame. So I'm heroic when I spend my coin for bread and grease, and say I'll do to the end, before I'll sue for peace. War's horrors cannot daunt my soul, though prices still soar high; so long as I possess a roll, I'll buy, and buy, and buy. And when the fearful strife is done, I'll say to those around, "I weighed too much to wield a gun, by nearly half a pound. But I blew in a goodly sum and thus gave timely aid, to make the wheels of commerce hum, amid the marts of trade." And all the push will hand me praise, though I am shy of scars; they'll deck my bulging brow with bays, and touch me for cigars.

## Your Boys and Girls.

The Government has sanctioned an increase in beer to the extent of 10 per cent. the summer term, in order to meet the needs of munitions workers engaged in munitions work during the summer months. A serious drought in parts of England, where hot weather had increased the demand. There have been altogether 100 days of rain in the condition of affairs in the

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Miss Shenley, whose marriage to Lieutenant Leon du Hemeleers, is one of the few Anglo-Belgian alliances that have been arranged since the war, is one of the greatest London heiresses, although the fact has never been advertised. She is the daughter of "No" Shenley, and granddaughter of one of the greatest millionaires in the world, T. Shenley, owner of a large part of Pittsburg, U.S.A., and a friend in business and out of it of Pierpont Morgan. The engagement is highly romantic, for M. du Hemeleers was a convalescent Belgian officer at the Shenley's.

### THE DURATION OF THE WAR.

A forecast ascribed to an officer in France—"a keen student of war and foreign politics"—asserting that the war will probably end before Christmas could not fail to be pleasant reading to war-weary people, even though they might not build unduly upon it. Most of us have long since lost the habit of assigning any date to expectancy in the matter, and have settled down into a groove of patient resolve which is proof against undue optimism on the one side and undue depression on the other. But it is at least to be said that the forecast in question reflects accurately enough the confidence prevailing amongst the officers and men whom one welcomes back from the front. No such wave of assurance has swept through all ranks in the fighting line as that which at the moment is carrying them forward on its crest. Something of it has no doubt been due to the remarkable completeness and ease with which the last great victory was won. The whole scheme worked out to its last detail with almost mechanical perfection, and though it was in some sense only the indispensable first step to greater things it was regarded almost universally at the front as placing the sequel out of all doubt. How far this confidence is justified the next two or three weeks should show, but at least it is the right temper in which decisive victories are won, and may well be emulated at home.

### BEER OUTPUT TO BE INCREASED.

The Government has decided to sanction an increased manufacture of beer to the extent of 23 per cent. for the summer term, in order to meet the needs of munition workers and others engaged in arduous manual work during the summer. The restriction on the output of beer has caused a serious deficiency in many parts of England, where the recent hot weather had the effect of increasing the demand. Several districts have been altogether without the beverage for days on end, and to this condition of affairs is traced some of

the industrial unrest lately manifested. The Government, recognising the facts as they are, has courageously met them by the action now taken. The new beer will be light, and will not, owing to the large stocks of malt in hand, make any serious inroads upon the country's stock of foodstuffs. The position will be reviewed again by the Government in September.

### SIR THOMAS BEECHAM'S OFFER.

Sir Thomas Beecham's offer of a prize of £250 (\$1,250) for a new opera of British growth shows, if further proof were needed, how sincere is his interest in native music. It shows, too, that he has the eternal hopefulness which is characteristic of the true artist. He is not dismayed, apparently, by the long list of operatic failures which started life with all the glamour of a prize won from numberless competitors. Why prize works should usually fail is hard to say. Perhaps it is that judges feel that they must play for safety and are not there to encourage experiments. The fact remains that except "Cavalleria Rusticana," no prize opera of recent times has won more than a success d'estime. Sir Thomas Beecham at the same time says that he has four British operas ready to be produced, and it would be surprising if one at least of them is not better than his prize-work. Sir Thomas in his manifesto on the subject refers to the exploded belief that British music is neglected. The belief is hard to kill, though the facts that support it grow fewer.

### ADVANCEMENT OF THE BRAVE.

One of the first ranker V.C.'s of the war who received a commission was Harry Daniels, the smiling Norwich man who gained the honor for himself and the Rifle Brigade at Neuve Chapelle over two years ago. He became a second lieutenant in his old regiment shortly after he recovered from his wounds, and last summer received his second star, and in the two years he has added the Military Cross to his crimson ribbon. Now his appointment has been gazetted to be an assistant superintendent of physical and bayonet training and to be a temporary captain while so employed. At the same time one of the six bravest of the Lancashire Fusiliers selected by their comrades to receive the Victoria Cross for the struggle at Lancashire Landing, Gallipoli, Sergeant John Grimshaw, becomes a subaltern in his old regiment.

### A GERMAN TORPEDO IN THE CITY.

During the recent London air raid a portion of an aerial torpedo fell outside a jeweller's shop in the City. He sent it to the War Office, complying with the Defence of the Realm Act, and they returned it to the jeweller, after inspection, on the express understanding that it was to be sold

for charity. The jeweller exhibited the torpedo in his window and raffled it in half-crown shares. The draw took place this week. There were 848 tickets sold, and the Lord Mayor's distress fund for those who suffered from the air raid has benefited by £106 (\$530.)

### WAR AND PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION.

Professional education has fallen sadly into arrears in war time. It will be one of the minor problems, when peace is concluded, to bring young men back to resume their courses of study at the point at which they have been interrupted. Moreover, the habit of application to books may have been weakened during the distractions and absorptions of war. The annual report of the Law Society, I observe, gives some encouragement to the idea that young men who intend to proceed to its examinations, but who unfortunately find themselves prisoners in internment camps in Germany, should pursue a course of professional reading. The Council has expressed its willingness to supply to the Board of Education a list of the appropriate books. But such action is necessarily very limited indeed, and can only affect exceptional cases. It may be that after the war some of the professions may have to make certain concessions to young men whose courses of study have been interrupted by military service; but the difficulty will be to reconcile a natural solicitude for the convenience of the entrant with the necessary standard of professional attainment.

### "WAR BREAD" AND DIGESTION.

"War bread"—or some war bread, for it differs enormously in quality—has had for the digestion. From the beginning the baking experts have maintained that "using more offal" in the flour would act as an irritant to weak digestions, and they quoted in support of their view the experience of the standard bread craze. They were undoubtedly right, and matters became worse after the order came in adulterating the wheat with maize and other cereals. Without extreme good baking the cereals used do not make palatable and easily digested bread, and fermentation and sourness soon result. The doctors are reporting that they are having to deal with a great deal of digestive disorder in delicate persons, for which they blame war bread.

### Be Watchful.

Now that the fog has at last lifted over the Northern Atlantic, and summer conditions have definitely arrived, German submarine activities on our coasts are by no means improbable. In fact, they may be and, by those best informed, are expected. It is important that all seaside Canadians should be aware of the fact, and keep closely on the watch.

There is no necessity for alarm in any quarter. The probability of any land attack from the sea is remote. It is true that a town in the Azores Islands was recently "sighted," but without much effect. No similar attempt is likely to be made in Eastern Canada or the United States. But it is well to keep in mind that the Azores lie midway in the Atlantic where it is much wider than between the British Islands and Nova Scotia. And American transports carrying troops to France were assailed considerably west of the Azores.

The Germans are known to have submarines quite capable of crossing the Atlantic and delivering an attack on this side. It is doubtful, however, if they could make the return voyage without having their stores replenished. Of course, it might be quite possible to supply them from tenders at sea, sent to definite points. But it seems more likely that attempts may be made to establish coast bases. The coasts of the Maritime Provinces, long and deeply indented by the sea, as they are, and with such numerous island outposts, offer many opportunities and special inducements to German naval managers to attempt the establishment of such supply depots. They established them along the shores of Ireland, under the very eyes of the people, and within sight of the British coasts. There are considerable stretches of almost uninhabited sea-line in Nova Scotia.

For these and other reasons the people of this province, and more particularly those whose callings connect them closely with the sea, should be alertly on the watch for any suspicious-looking craft, or any unusual movements of any kind along or in the direction of the coast. There should be no delay in reporting to the authorities any unusual movement or action calculated to suggest hostile designs. The most exigent needs of submarines can be compressed into comparatively small bulk. They might be transported in dangerous quantities in fishing boats or even in motor cars, and stored at deserted spots on the coast or on unfrequented islands, to be taken thence as required by German submarines.

It is believed that German agents

were spying out our coasts last autumn, for hostile purposes of some kind. It is asserted that foreigners of unexplained antecedents are in possession of some of our islands, and settled at or near some of our sea ports. There is a constant coming and going of motor cars across the American boundary, south of which there are known to be so many German and German sympathizers.

Without intending to be at all sensational, much less in any degree alarmist, we must again impress on our people, as we did last summer—and still more earnestly—the need of vigilance and of prompt reporting to the authorities of any suspicious sights or occurrences which may be observed. No reports founded on mere hearsay should be sent. But we have no doubt that the Department of Naval Service at Ottawa would be glad to receive and to pay for the despatch by telegraph of bona fide intelligence from any responsible person. It would be better for one observing any suspicious or unusual-looking craft off our coasts to communicate the fact to some Magistrate, Customs official or telegraph operator for transmission.

Recent experience shows that German submarines sometimes operate in the disguise of small coasting vessels or fishing craft; that they rig themselves out as steamers, with dummy funnels, besides resorting to other tricks to deceive possible observers.—Halifax Chronicle.

### McMurdo's Store News

WEDNESDAY, July 25, 1917.

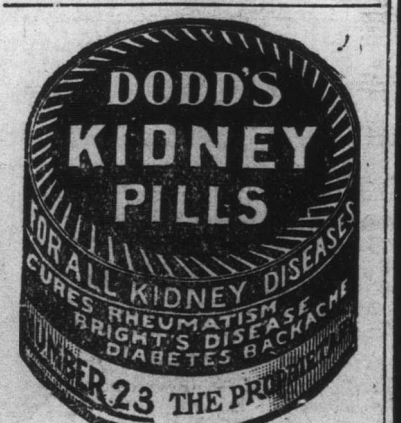
Those distressing excrescences known as Cold Sores, are often very difficult to cure quickly. They often come as suddenly as the growth of a mushroom, and disappear in a very lingering manner. Everyone has his (or her) own cure for them—but no one thing seems to be effective in more than a few cases. Perhaps the remedy that appears to do the best work for these embarrassing and often painful sores, is the Camphor and Menthol treatment. So we have had a Camphor and Menthol Cream prepared, and offer it to our customers, with all due diffidence for this purpose. However the curing of cold sores by no means exhausts the value and purpose of this cream which may also be used for chaps, abrasions, slight cuts and scratches, and the like, with pleasing results. Price 40c. a pot.

### At the Crescent.

"Gold Dust" is the title of the feature picture at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day, the famous Essanay stars, Neil Craig and Edmund F. Cobb, are presented in this great two reel society drama. "The Sealskin Coat" is a thrilling episode of the "Centares of Marguerite," featuring Marguerite Courtal. The Biograph Company presents a touching melo-drama: "The Murder of Nets"; and Clara Finch and Kate Price supported with an all star comedy cast are featured in the clever Vitagraph comedy "Between Two Fires." Madame Timmons sings one of Moore's charming melodies: "Believe me if all these endearing young charms." Don't miss seeing this big holiday show.

### Fashions and Fads.

There is no distinction between summer and winter furs. Dark blue linen is an excellent choice for a service dress. The straight silhouette continues to be safest in choice. Blue jersey with gold embroidery fashions a becoming dress. Flamingo red embroidered in gray is a fashionable combination. There are smart sports hats with felt crowns and straw brims. White crochet buttons appear on blouses of handkerchief linen. Soft voile blouses are worn with separate skirts of checked linen. Heavy silk stockings are worn to give the effect of wide stripes. Women are wearing jersey in all colors. It is mostly embroidered. Without doubt the correct street dress is the tailored suit or dress. Some light-colored cloaks are lined and trimmed with black satin. Plaid cotton voile is cooler than gingham and does not muss so easily. Many of the newest frocks are made of black serge, quite untrimmed. There is no more attractive dress than one of dark blue with a touch of red.



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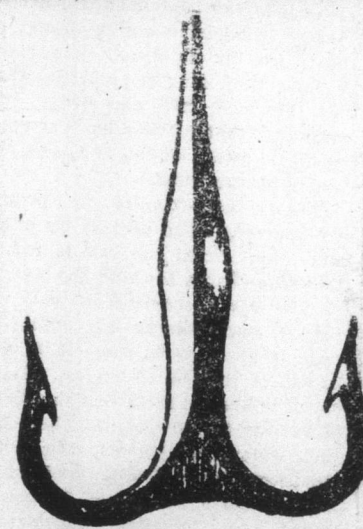
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