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## HAY, OATS and BRAN!

### BOWRING BROTHERS, Limited.

#### Auction Sales!

**RELIABLE BARNES AUCTIONEER**  
AUCTION  
for the benefit of whom it may concern.  
Friday, November 23rd,  
at 10.30 a.m. sharp.  
McDougall Building,  
Water St. & Sons Cove, Water St.

Beautiful Solid Oak Extension Table  
with 4 leaves.  
Singer Sewing Machine (good as new)  
Singer Drop Head Machine.  
White Drophead Sewing Machine in  
perfect order.  
Singer Parlor Suite Mahogany finish,  
tapestry covered, good as new.  
Singer Dining Table.  
Round Extension Dining  
table with leaves.  
Handsome Mahogany What Not with  
Singer Chair and Drawers, a very old  
piece of furniture in perfect condition.  
Singer Refrigerator a beauty.  
Singer Drawers, 1 Occasional Chair  
Singer's Chair, 1 Curtain Stretcher,  
Singer's Co. Bristol.  
Singer's Organ, Collapsible, a beauty,  
Singer's Mangle Stand.  
Singer's Cupboards, 1 Japanese Card  
Table.  
Singer's 1 White Not.  
Singer's Desks, 1 Large Cash  
Desk.  
Singer's with E. E. Mirrors, 2  
Singer's Chairs (all solid oak).

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At "VIGORITA," King's Bridge Rd.  
All Household Furnitures of  
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**TO-MORROW, FRIDAY,**  
at 10.30.  
**Percival's Auction Rooms,**  
Adelaide Street.  
1. W.E. and brass bedstead and  
spring (single), 1 single bed and  
spring, 2 double bedsteads with  
springs, 1 bed spring 3 1/2 ft., 1 bed  
spring 4 ft., 2 washstands, 1 Ideal cook  
stove No. 7, 1 wool mattress 4 ft., 1  
bag bed clothing, 1 kitchen table, sev-  
eral small tables, 2 small book shelves,  
1 large book shelf, 100 patent khandi  
overalls in lots to suit purchasers, 1  
set books, 24 vol. modern business,  
Alexander Hamilton, Institute, 3 tables  
with drawers, 1 oval centre table  
(large), 1 stone jar 4 gallons, 1 large  
wood mantelpiece, 1 shop window  
sash, 1 washing machine, 1 globe artifi-  
cial birds, 1 electric fixture, 1 light,  
1 mat frame, 1 galv. clothes boiler, 1  
iron trough, 1 closet urn, 1 oilstn., 1  
oak portier rod, 1 bronze centre table  
with marble slab, 1 wire bakera basket,  
1 Eveready Safety Razor, 1 pair Royal  
skates 10 1/2, 1 pair Acme skates 11 in.,  
1 bread mixer, 1 meat scales, 1 fold-  
ing camp chair.

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**KNIGHT & KNIGHT, Solicitors,**  
nov21,22, 153 Water St., St. John's.

**INVENTIONS WANTED**  
in Canada and United States.  
Write for leaflets and free list  
of inventions wanted by manu-  
facturers. Free report as to  
patentability.  
**THE RAMSAY CO.,**  
Patent Attorneys,  
273 Bank St. Ottawa, Canada.  
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**FOR SALE**  
that freehold property consist-  
ing of two brick built dwellings,  
shops and basements situate on  
the corner of Duckworth Street  
and Custom House Hill and ad-  
joining property of the Robins-  
on Export Co. Immediate pos-  
session may be had. For further  
particulars apply to  
**WOOD & KELLY,**  
Temple Bldg., Duckworth St.  
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**W. E. PERCIVAL,**  
AUCTIONEER.  
Auction Rooms Adelaide St.  
Household Furniture and  
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**PROMPT RETURNS.**  
**'PHONE 1960.**  
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**PATENT NOTICE.**  
Four weeks after date hereof  
Application will be made to His Ex-  
cellency the Governor in Council for  
Letters Patent for "New and useful im-  
provements in Wood Grinders" to be  
granted to Paul Priem of Heidenheim  
an der Brenz, Germany.  
Dated at St. John's this 6th day of  
November, 1923.  
**GIBBS & BARON,**  
Solicitors for Applicant,  
Bank of Montreal Bldg., St. John's.  
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**GOWER STREET METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Thanksgiving Anniversary**  
**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25TH.**  
11 A.M.—PREACHER: REV. R. J. POWER, M.A.  
Anthem—"Great is the Lord" (Bruce Steane).  
Soloist—MISS ELSIE HERDER.  
6.30 P.M.—PREACHER: REV. HAMMOND JOHNSON.  
Anthem—"O Worship the King" (Ernest Nichol).  
Solo—"O Divine Redeemer" (Gounod). By MR. RUGGLES.  
**SONG SERVICE AT CLOSE OF EVENING WORSHIP.**  
A selection of well-known Harvest Hymns will be rendered.  
Solo, Quartette, etc., by members of the Choir.  
Anthem—"Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem." (J. H. Maander).  
**Visitors will be Cordially Welcomed.**  
nov22,24

**SALE OF WORK!**  
The Ladies of St. Michael and All Angels Parish  
are holding their  
**ANNUAL AUTUMN SALE OF WORK**  
in the  
**Lecture Hall, on Tuesday, 27th inst.**  
Plain Work, Handkerchiefs, Home Cookery, and  
Vegetables, Candy, Books, Toys and Grabs for the  
children.  
Delicious Afternoon and Meat Teas, 40c. and 80c.  
**COME AND BRING A FRIEND!**  
nov23,21

**Safety First**  
The Best Investment on the Market.  
**United Towns Electric Co., Ltd.**  
**7 P.C. PREFERENCE SHARES.**  
Interest Payable Half Yearly.  
For Particulars, Prospectus, etc., apply to  
the Company's Office  
**TELEPHONE BUILDING,**  
Duckworth Street St. John's.  
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**VIOLINS & MANDOLINS**  
Violins, \$3.60, \$5.25, \$6.25, \$6.75, \$8.25.  
Violins, Complete Outfit, \$10.00, \$16.00, \$25.00.  
Mandolins, \$5.25, \$7.25, \$8.25  
Violin Bows, 90c., \$1.10, \$1.90.  
Violin Cases, \$2.40, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.60.  
Mandolin Cases, \$4.50, \$4.75.  
Mandolin Plectrums, 7c., 10c., 12c.  
Violin and Mandolin Tutors.

**CHARLES HUTTON,**  
HOME OF MUSIC.  
**BON MARCHE SPECIALS.**  
Our Store is the live centre for thrifty housekeepers. Here  
you will find goods marked down to such a price you will hardly  
believe your eyes.  
A look at our windows will convince you. Making a Special  
for this week of:  
**MEN'S HEATHER WOOLLEN SOX**  
27c. a pair.  
**Men's Fancy Percale Shirts, smart designs**  
**\$1.35.**  
**BON MARCHE CASH STORE.**  
OPEN AT NIGHT FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE.  
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**AN ABSOLUTE FACT.**  
Any person using flav-  
ourings will use from 5 to 7  
of the 20c. bottle line to 7  
tube of Christy's. Trying is  
the proof. Ask your grocer  
for Christy's Flavours.  
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Waterside, with wharf  
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**H. & M. BISHOP.**  
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**TO LET!**  
**THREE FLATS**  
above store occupied by Spurrell  
the Tailor, 365 Water Street.  
Suitable for club rooms, offices,  
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Apply to  
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There will be a Meeting of  
the Star of the Sea Lad-  
ies' Association this  
Thursday evening at 8 o'-  
clock. Would like to see all  
members present, as busi-  
ness of importance will be  
transacted.  
**A. J. BUCKLEY,**  
Secretary.  
nov22,21

**NOTICE.**  
The Annual Meeting of the  
St. John's Curling Association  
will be held in the Rink Club  
Rooms on Monday, December  
3rd, at 8 p.m. A full attendance  
is requested.  
By order  
**W. H. DUDER,**  
Sec. & Treasurer.  
nov22,21

**Baseball Enthusiasts**  
Attention!  
There will be a Meeting held  
at the Office of Mr. T. Hartnett,  
of the Imperial Tobacco Co.,  
Friday, Nov. 23rd, at 7.30 p.m.,  
for the purpose of deciding ways  
and means of bringing Baseball  
back here again next summer,  
stronger than ever. All old-  
timers, players, and lovers of  
this great sport, be there with-  
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Book of Arctic Fame Found Guilty of Fraud--Pelican is Being Towed to the Mainland--Protestant Churches Impress Upon Coolidge the Responsibility of U.S.A.--King George of Greece May Remain.

SWITZERLAND BLACKLISTED BY SOVIETS. MOSCOW, Nov. 21. Switzerland has been placed permanently on the blacklist of the Russian Soviet Government in consequence of the acquittal at Lausanne of Conrad, who was charged with the assassination of Soviet envoy Vorovski, Foreign Minister Tschitka declared in an interview published to-day.

WORLD HAVE U. S. CALL ECONOMIC CONFERENCE. WASHINGTON, Nov. 21. Representatives of the Protestant churches of the United States urged President Coolidge to-day to use his influence for United States participation in a world court, and invited Secretary of State Hughes to take the initiative in calling an economic conference to consider European problems. The delegation represents practically every large Protestant church in the country.

GREEK KING REMAINS A WHILE LONGER. ATHENS, Nov. 21. The newspapers to-day published statements from Premier Gonatas, in which he declared no difficulties stand in the way of collaboration between the Government and King George. The statement adds, there is no question of the departure of King George prior to the meeting of the National Assembly, and the holding of a banquet to celebrate the anniversary of the liberation. A despatch from Athens

employees of the Button Machine Co., and robbed her of the Company's twenty-one thousand, eight hundred dollar payroll in the hallway of the factory. The bandits escaped in a car.

NOT SEEKING RE-ELECTION. LONDON, Nov. 21. Sir Newton Moore, Coalition Unionist member for North Hillington since 1918, is not offering for re-election, greatly to the surprise of his constituents. He explains that he may leave for Canada in a few weeks, and would be probably unable to give the constituency effective representation.

WOULD RECOVER LUSITANIA TREASURE. NORFOLK, Nov. 21. A crew is being recruited here by Captain Benjamin Fleavett who plans to make an attempt next spring to recover the treasure that went down with the Lusitania when the liner was sunk by Huns off the south coast of Ireland during the war. The expedition is being outfitted at Philadelphia, Captain Fleavett's home port.

ANOTHER WOMAN CANDIDATE. LONDON, Nov. 21. Miss Evangeline Pilkington, daughter of the late Colonel Richard Pilkington a noted glass maker, in contesting St. Helen's, against James Sexton, Labor Member, Miss Pilkington is a magistrate and member of the St. Helen's town council.

PELICAN BEING TOWED TO THE MAINLAND. NORTH SYDNEY, Nov. 21. The present disposal of the barge Pelican, which broke away from her tow, the steamer Curlew, Nov. 10th, and afterwards grounded on Sable I., to be floated and anchored by the Life Saving Crew, is uncertain; but it is known that the tug Ocean Eagle has left with the Pelican in tow of the mainland. Whether or not the Government will claim salvage on the craft, has not been announced.

PENALTY MUST BE CARRIED OUT. OTTAWA, Nov. 21. The messenger hearing the death sentence of the two Eskimos at Herschel Island, convicted of murder and sentenced to be hanged February 1st, is now out of reach of civilization and any attempt to delay the imposition of the penalty is hopeless. He left Fort Yukon by dogsledge and the time of his arrival at Herschel Island depends on the exigencies of the weather and trails.

Concert and Play at Synod Hall

Under the auspices of the Women's Home Missionary Association, a delightful concert and sketch was held last night in the Synod Hall. In the first part of the programme Miss Herder and Dunfield were heard in some very pleasing solos, with Miss Renate as accompanist. This was followed by a recitation by Mr. L. Colley. The second part of the programme was a play entitled "Gentlemen Boarders," in which the performers were Messrs. Hubert Rendell and Donald Fraser, and Mesdames H. Outerbridge and H. LeMessurier. The part of Sophia, the lover of Jasper Hallstones (Donald Fraser), was taken by Mrs. H. Outerbridge. Mrs. H. LeMessurier had a duel part. Hubert Rendell as "Percy, the second boarder," created much merriment by his faithful impersonation. At the close of the entertainment tea was served by the ladies. The hall was filled to capacity and the entertainment was most successful in every way. The C. L. B. Band, which was present, rendered some very enjoyable selections.

COOK OF ARCTIC FAME, A SWINDLER. FORTWORTH, Texas, Nov. 21. Dr. Frederick Cook, former Polar explorer, was found guilty of the charge of using the mails to defraud in oil promotion schemes by a jury in the Federal Court here to-day. He was found guilty on twelve counts of the indictment.

BANDITS MAKE ANOTHER BIG HAUL. HOBOKEN, N.J., Nov. 21. New York's holdup epidemic spread to Hoboken to-day when two armed men held up Miss Mary Orange, an

Wedding Bells.

ERSARY-DAVEY.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on the 21st inst., at 3.30 p.m., at St. Mary's Church, Southside. The contracting parties being Miss Florence Victoria Ebsary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ebsary, and Mr. George Davey, son of the Hon. John and Mrs. Davey. The nuptial knot was tied by the Rector, the Rev. A. B. S. Stirling. The bride, who was daintily attired in a gown of white canton crepe, and radiant lace with train of crepe satin, looked very attractive. She carried a beautiful bouquet of white carnations and maiden hair fern, and as she entered the church, leaning on the arm of her father, the wedding march was rendered by the organist. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Leseman, and Miss Laura Ebsary, cousin of the bride. Both looked very charming in their dresses of rose and blue chiffon velvet, and also carried bouquets of pink carnations and maiden hair fern. The groom was ably supported by Mr. Gordon F. Pike, and Mr. John Davey, brother of the groom. Following the ceremony the party motored to Smithville where a reception was held, at which some ninety guests were present. After supper the following toast list was gone through:--

THE KING.

"God Save the King."

THE BRIDE AND BRIDEGROOM.

Prop. . . . . Rev. A. B. S. Stirling.

Resp. . . . . The Bridegroom.

THE BRIDESMAIDS.

Prop. . . . . The Groom.

Resp. . . . . Gordon F. Pike.

THE PARENTS.

Prop. . . . . Mr. Geo. J. Adams.

Resp. . . . . A. Ebsary.

J. Davey.

During the evening dancing was indulged in by the party until 11.30 p.m., the music being supplied by the C. L. B. Orchestra. Amid showers of confetti and best wishes of the party, the happy couple left by motor for O'Rourke's where the honeymoon will be spent. The many beautiful presents received testify to the esteem in which the young couple are held.

"Over the Border"

STAR MOVIE TO-DAY.

Her brother is being hanged! And yet she had given the orders for it! She, in her great love for her Mounted Police sweetheart, and to save his honor with the Force, and delivered his precious dispatch, all unaware of the fact that its contents meant the death of her brother. And then when she learned--it was too late!

What was to happen? What did happen? See, in "Over the Border," at the Star Movie to-day, just how this succession of dramatic events culminated. On through the raging blizzard swept three destinies--hers, her lover's and her brother's.

And in that strange inscrutable way that is Fate's, she became almost the murderer of her own brother, while the love of the sweetheart nearly murdered all three.

What brought about this tangle? What did it all mean? And in what strange manner did it all end in happiness? See the thrilling answer in Paramount's "Over the Border" starring Betty Compson and Tom Moore. Only a few miles to the border--and yet the fates intervened! Only a few miles to safety and happiness, and yet the gap could not be bridged. Why? And then the miracle bridge of faith and love and happiness.

How did it all happen, and what did it mean? See "Over the Border" for an answer that will thrill and amaze you. Betty Compson and Tom Moore are the stars.

She both loved and hated him! For his duty meant that he would bring ruin and imprisonment to her father and brother; while his love as a man meant that he could make her the happiest girl in the world.

Such was her choice--and many startling incidents occurred before the right way of her heart was made known to her.

And happiness only came to her when fate decreed that she would choose both. See in what strange fashion this was brought about in "Over the Border," a Paramount picture of thrills and beauty at the Star Movie to-day.

Where Any Excuse is Good Enough. Ever since President Lewis of the Miners' Union made his adjustment with the anthracite mine operators of Pennsylvania, pertaining to wages, hours, etc., the miners have in theory been back on the job. In point of fact during the weeks which have elapsed between the "settlement" of the strike and the present there has been no time when the miners have seriously undertaken their duties. It has been a case of "any old excuse" was good enough to allow them to quit work. Grievance after grievance crops up, first at one end of the coal regions and then at the other. From all that can be gathered it would

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LADIES' GAITERS. 12 button. Sizes 2 1/2 to 5. Regular 4.50 2.95 pr. value . . . . .



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seem that these grievances are fancied rather than real, and pertain to matters that have nothing whatever to do with conditions as set down by President Lewis and agreed to by the mine operators' association. The play behind the present strikes and threatened strikes, which have greatly curtailed production when supplies are required very badly, has unquestionably to do with the hope of eventually forcing the United States Government to take over, on terms not yet defined, the Pennsylvania anthracite coal properties, and operate the mines as a government institution. In such operation the miners see a lot of easy money. Did not Mr. McAdoo on behalf of the United States government grant all the demands of the railway men? Such being the case why should not the coal miners be granted their full desires, no matter how extravagant they may be. It sounds very reasonable to these men, no matter how unreasonable it may seem to those who buy the coal and pay the piper--Saturday Night.

by Nature; mountains of incomparable magnificence, raging torrents and great spaces of sky. Without it's story, "One Week of Love" would be a succession of very beautiful pictures, but when you add a tale about a high-stepping society girl who falls into a nest of outlaws--you have the picture you've been waiting for through many a film-hungry day. We won't tell you any more--just see it at the Crescent to-night.

To-morrow night is the night of the usual big Amateur Contest. During the past week Dan Delmar has been busy receiving names of contestants and judging from the material to hand something lively will be witnessed. Just keep to-morrow night open for the big feast of entertainment.

Card Tournament To-Night. M. G. C. A. VS. C. E. I. The second of the series of auction forty-five games, between the members of the M. G. C. A. and C. E. I. Clubs, will take place at the former's room's to-night. Song sheets will be distributed to enliven the game, and at the close supper will be served by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the M.G.C.A.



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A Big All-Feature Show at the Crescent. "ONE WEEK OF LOVE" THE STARRING ATTRACTION.

Don't miss the most thrilling picture of the year, "One Week of Love" now playing at the Crescent Theatre. A little birdie whispered something about this picture being a "bird" and the little birdie was right. Action, beauty of photography and some excellent acting by Elaine Hammerstein and Conway Tearle raise this unusual photoplay to the very heights of screen perfection. The backgrounds here are those constructed

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**The Coats**  
 Mostly with large Fur Collars. A large assortment of all Wool Materials.  
**4.98, 7.98, 9.98 up to 12.98**  
 Ages 4 to 17 years.

**The Dresses**  
 Many of them originally sold at double; Flannel and Velour check combinations; all wool and double warp French Serges, etc.  
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**The Hats**  
 Are the nicest in town—so all our customers say—at  
**1.78 up to 4.00**

**EXTRA! Sale of New Skirts**  
**5.98 up to 7.98**  
 Just opened, an entire new shipment comprising the season's newest models and shades; every one worth double

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**1.98 up to 5.98**  
 An extraordinary purchase, all bought at a big sacrifice in price. Fashion's newest Jacquette and Overblouse styles, in heavy Crepe de Chenes, Mignonette, Silk Tricolette; all sizes

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**19.00**  
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**Women's Sizes, 36 to 46.**  
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**Extra Sizes.**  
 All we ask women to do is to see them. The majority are fur trimmed, and all lined, and there is every successful style of the season. Malay Brown, Coffee, New Greys, Navy, Black.

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 All Samples; Exclusive Models; Highest Quality Plush  
**\$30 to \$45**

**ALL LADIES' SUITS**  
 Every woman can always use a fine Suit. These were bought at large concessions from overstocked manufacturers  
**AT SAVINGS OF 1/4 AND 1/2.**  
 Group 1, 9.98; Group 2, 16.88 up to 34.80  
 Plain and fur trimmed Suits—Tricotine, Poiret Twill, Yolama Cloth; some trimmed with Beaverette, Oracul, etc. All sizes for Misses, Women and Stout Women.

**EXTRA! Astrachan Jacquettes**  
 Values \$25 to \$40.  
**Sale, \$19 & \$26**  
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New purchases made especially for this Sale. Every new shape, new color, new trimming. Values readily recognized as unequalled. No wonder hundreds of well dressed women make this store Millinery Headquarters.

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**Church Sale**

**UNQUALIFIED SUCCESS.**  
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational Church, held their annual work yesterday afternoon in the Lecture Hall of the Church. The room presented a very prettily decorated and the beautiful decorations were greatly to the credit of the committee. A very happy speech was given by Mrs. H. Small, who lectured on "The World's Champion," a play which she had written. From 8 p.m. a brisk business was done by the ladies in charge. The sale attracted the attention of many of the ladies in the neighborhood. The articles on display were worked by the people of that district, under the direction of Mrs. Small and Mrs. H. Small, who lectured a few months ago. The sum of \$100.00 was raised for the support of the Fortuna Bay Mission. The afternoon teas and high teas, served at 6 p.m., were well patronized and thoroughly enjoyed by all. At the conclusion of the sale a delightful concert was given by the most talented artists contributed to the most successful of the evening. Mrs. H. Small, Miss H. Herder, I. Glendon, Mrs. E. M. Whiteley, M. Murray, Mrs. A. Maund, Messrs. Rugg, P. Steale, McIntosh, Dwyer, Messrs. Maund, A. Renale, Mrs. Barnes, and Mr. S. R. Steere, acted as accompanists. Mr. H. E. Small, who presided, made a brief address at the close, thanking one and all for their kind assistance, and the Ladies' Aid, under the Presidency of Mrs. J. Caldwell, are deserving every congratulation.

**Feature Pictures**

**CLEVER ARTISTS WILL DELIGHT MAJESTIC PATRONS TO-NIGHT.**  
The Majestic Theatre Management are giving the limit in providing first class entertainment. Miss Pauline Weston, in addition to appearing in new dances, gorgeously costumed, will render a dramatic exposition, composed by Mr. Bruch, who also has a splendid programme arranged for the mammoth bill. He will render three numbers: "Orientale," by Victor Herbert, "Kiss Me," by Victor Herbert, Professor will accompany the artists. He will be assisted by Mr. Crocker. In addition there are two feature pictures, "The World's Champion," and "The Friendly Husband," a comedy in five acts with our old friend Lapino Lane, the International show producer.

We have seen melodramas galore, but none of them were more thrilling than the serious intensity than Lane's play with his generous splash of pathos. Also we enjoyed the picture "The Friendly Husband," because it gives a new slant on camping. Lane takes his play to the woods with his camping paraphernalia and cover pitched on the Ford. All the comforts of home are in the woods and brought to the spot merely turning a lever to the right. The supporting cast is good, especially the poker-faced old arm faced mother-in-law, portrayed by Eva Thatcher, and the devotedness of the youthful wife, played by Alberta Vaughn.

To ensure a choice cut Telephone your order to-night to J. J. Whelan's, phone 969, -nov22, 11

**Fatal Accident at Dry Dock**

**WORKMAN RECEIVED BLOW IN ABDOMEN AND DIED ALMOST INSTANTLY.**  
About 10.30 last night, a fatal accident occurred at the Dry Dock, the victim being Michael Bulger, a resident of Flatrock. As far as can be gleaned the unfortunate man had been assisting in the discharging of locomotives from the s.s. Canadian Navigator for the Armstrong Whitworth Co. The engines were being removed from the ship by means of a derrick and placed on flat cars which had been brought up to the head of the wharf. The accident occurred after the landing of the last engine for the night, when Bulger while in the act of removing the wheels was struck by a cross beam weighing 600 lbs. The cross beam consisted of iron and was used for hoisting purposes. It had been resting on top of the locomotive attached to a derrick, and when the rope took the strain from the fall above, the heavy end slipped down over the engine's side with the fatal results stated. The victim was picked up and taken to the shed where all possible was done for him. Rev. H. Summers responded very quickly and administered spiritual aid before life was extinct, death having followed some ten minutes after the accident. Every effort was made to get the services of a doctor, as hurriedly as possible, and various attempts had been made. Drs. Greve and Templeton were located but before either arrived the final spark had fled. Death was pronounced almost instantaneous. After poor Bulger was struck he made no outcry, and lapsed into unconsciousness almost immediately. The deceased was about thirty years of age, unmarried, and leaves to mourn his father, mother, one brother and two sisters. The remains were confined by Undertaker Martin and sent home for interment this morning. The funeral takes place at Flatrock this afternoon.

**Supreme Court.**

(Before Mr. Justice Kent.)  
In the matter of the alleged insolvency of Michael Murphy, Bell Island, Miner.  
Mr. Halley for petitioner moves for adjournment until Monday 26th November.  
It is ordered accordingly.  
(Before Mr. Justice Johnston.)  
In the matter of the alleged insolvency of Frederick C. Snelgrove, Catalina, Merchant.  
Mr. Parsons for petitioner moves for adjournment of hearing until Wednesday, December 19th, at 11 a.m.  
Mr. McNelly consents. It is ordered accordingly.

**English Yacht in Port**

The steam yacht Ulna, 15 days from Queenstown in ballast, arrived in port last night to A. Harvey & Co. The ship which much resembles the local yacht Josephine encountered stormy weather on the passage across and put in here to have some slight repairs offered to her machinery. The Ulna has, it is understood, been purchased by a firm in Boston. After repairs are effected and bunkers are replenished the ship which is now at Harvey's pier will proceed to her destination.

You will find a choice stock of Fruits and Vegetables always on hand at Whelan's. Phone 969. nov22, 11

**The Prohibition Act**

"The penalty for a third breach of the Prohibition Act is a fine of \$500 and I have before me a mother of a large family who has on two occasions been fined for selling hop beer overproof," said Judge Storrie in the Magistrate's Court this morning in the course of a trial. "Had I some of these who openly and deliberately break the Prohibition Laws, I would deal with them in no uncertain manner," he continued. The woman before his honor was a resident of Cudjdy Street, and a mother of several small children. On complaint that men were getting drunk from hop beer which she sold action was taken by Head Constable Byrne. The brew proved on analysis to be 3.4 over proof or 1.4 over the standard allowed. Twice last year the accused was convicted and fined. The first time \$100 and the second \$150. Mr. J. Scanlon McGrath who appeared for the defence made a strong appeal on behalf of his client promising that she would give up the sale of beer completely. The Superintendent of Police intimating to the court that it would give the police the greatest pleasure if such a promise were kept. His honor imposed a fine of \$300 but suspended the execution of the penalty for a period in order to give the accused a chance to prove the sincerity of her promise.

**Magistrate's Court.**

A 30 year old stoker, Holloway St., drunk, was discharged.  
A 21 farmer, Kenmont Road, also charged with being drunk was granted his freedom.  
Two men for misconducting themselves on the public streets were fined \$200 and \$100 respectively.  
Job Emberley vs. John Brennan.  
The complainant in this case charged the defendant with assaulting and beating him on the night of the 17th inst. The accused was convicted and fined \$5.00 and costs, which he was also ordered to sign bonds in the sum of \$100 to keep away from Plaintiff in future.  
The complainant also charged the defendant's father with assault, but as there was no evidence to show that he figured in the melee the case against him was dismissed.

**Coastal Boats.**

**GOVERNMENT.**  
Argyle left Burin 8 p.m. yesterday, inward.  
Clyde arrived at Lewisporte 10.30 p.m. yesterday.  
Glencoe left St. Jacques 6.30 p.m. yesterday, inward.  
Home left Lewisporte 9.50 a.m. yesterday.  
Kyle left Port aux Basques 11 p.m. yesterday.  
Meigs arrived Port aux Basques 1.20 p.m. yesterday.  
Malakoff left Salvage midnight Tuesday, inward.  
Sagana left Parson's Pond 7 p.m. yesterday, outward.  
Prospero left Fogo at 10.40 a.m.  
Senef sails for Cook's Hr. this midnight.  
Susar arrived from the Northward at 10 a.m.

**Shipping**

Schr. Russel Zine sailed today with a cargo fish for Barbados.  
Schr. General Gough sailed this forenoon for Carbonez where fish will be loaded for Brazil.  
S.S. Fifeton sailed from Montreal on 15th inst. with a general cargo consigned to A. E. Hickman.  
S.S. Manoa leaves Montreal on or about the 27th inst.  
S.S. Rosalind left New York at 3 p.m. Wednesday, for Halifax.  
S.S. Otta, 16 days from Blythe, England, arrived in port last night with a cargo coal to A. Harvey & Co.  
S.S. Tordola, 3 days from New York has arrived to the Furness Withy Co.  
Schr. Helen Vatr with a cargo oil arrived in port last night from Louisiana to the Imperial Oil Co.  
Schr. Fran has arrived from England in ballast and will load fish for across.  
Schr. Harvey and Verna has cleared from Port Union for Pernambuco taking 4,457 qds. codfish.  
Schr. Spencer Lake is loading fish at Fortuna for Oporto.  
S.S. Hochelaga has sailed from Botwood for Sydney in ballast.  
Schr. Elie May Pettie sailed yesterday from Sandy Point for Sydney to load coal.  
Schr. James and Stanley has entered at Lunenburg to finish loading fish for Oporto.

**Here and There.**

**THE TRAINS.**—Tuesday's express arrived Port aux Basques 10 p.m. yesterday. The incoming express left Alexander Bay 6 hours late, and is not due before 6 p.m.  
**MOUNT CASHEL BAND.**—No Frome Band Concert tonight, but will take place on tomorrow, Friday night instead. nov22, 11  
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**Premiers Asked Britain to Call New Debt Parley**

Imperial Conference Summary Discloses Substitute Reparations Scheme.

London, Nov. 22.—A new conference, summoned by Britain to examine the European "financial and economic problem in its widest aspect" was recommended by the Premiers of the British Dominions, gathered here in the Imperial Conference.

Declaring that the American co-operation was essential for the salvation of Europe, and that the breaking down of the now defunct reparations plan would threaten the peace of Europe, the Premiers proposed that in the event of such breakdown Britain carefully consider summoning a new conference.

The grave verdict on the need for action was revealed in the publication of the final report made by the Imperial Conference on adjournment. The report read in part:

After careful consideration of past policy, the Premiers believe that the European situation will only be lifted onto a plane of possible settlement by the co-operation of the United States.

"If the scheme of common enquiry followed by common action enquiry down the result would be inimical both to peace and to the economic recovery of the world."

"It is felt that in such an event it would be desirable that the British Government consider most carefully the alternative of summoning a conference itself in order to examine the financial and economic problem in its widest aspect."

The report stated that the Premiers regarded any policy tending to break the unity of Germany as inconsistent with the obligations of the Treaty of Versailles and that strong representations had been made to the other Allies on this point. This is interpreted here as referring to the separatist movement in the Rhineland.

Regarding prohibition the Premiers decided upon an "experimental agreement" with the United States on the twelve mile limit in order to "avoid serious conflict with other public opinion or official action."

This is the first intimation of the seriousness of the view taken by Britain in regard to the American attitude on rum running.

The report also stated that the Premiers had examined questions which the United States had raised regarding the mandated territories of West Africa and the Southern Pacific.

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**Canada, the Empire's Woodyard**

(By HOBSON BLACK, Manager, The Canadian Forestry Association.)

Of the total area of forests in the British Empire, Canada holds over 50 per cent. India has 24 per cent. and Australia and New Zealand about 8 per cent.

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More than 100,000 men are engaged in Canada converting forest products into wealth in some form or other. Nearly 400,000 other people depend on this "forest army" for their food and shelter.

In the pulp and paper mills are 33,000 men, drawing \$40,000,000 a year in wages. The lumber industry pays \$5,000 men \$60,000,000 wages annually. These are but two industries out of a score that are directly dependent on a forest supply.

The Canadian people cause 4,000 forest fires a year through recklessness. The burned material represents many times what is utilized by all the industries from coast to coast.

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How Germany Has Evaded

THE PAYMENT OF REPARATIONS.

The article which appears below was published in the Financial Post and is based on information collected by J. Ellis Barker, a noted author and journalist, for the Fortnightly Review. It is particularly interesting at this juncture when the question of reparations and Germany's ability to pay them is threatening to sever the last threads which unite Britain and France.

Mr. Barker's knowledge is by no means based on theory. Born in Cologne, he was educated in that city, and from 1900 until the outbreak of war he devoted the whole of his time and his talents to the task of assembling information to convince the people of England that Germany's intentions were hostile.

"The Germans assert that they have paid fabulous amounts to the allies in cash and kind, and give imposing figures in support of their contention. The Allies maintain that Germany has paid very little and quote figures which differ widely from the German statistics to the bewilderment of outsiders, who naturally ask 'What are the facts? Is Germany being exploited and impoverished by her late opponents or has she not made a real effort to make good the damage she has done?' To these questions J. Ellis Barker essays to give a reply in an article in the Fortnightly Review.

The Germans have published various official statements which differ considerably from the lowest claims they have paid thirty-six billion gold marks and the highest fifty-six and a half billion. According to the Reparations Commission, Germany has paid a mere fraction of the smaller of these two amounts. The figures show that the cash payments made have been far less than sufficient to pay for the army of occupation. Germany has been making both ends meet by importing large quantities of foreign goods and paying for them with marks that have become utterly worthless. Foreign nations have in this way lost about two billion dollars and Germany has obtained from abroad far more than she has paid in cash reparations.

In a statement issued by Germany headed, 'Our Performances Under the Peace Treaty,' appear such items as the following:

Gold Marks State property in ceded territories... 5,400,000,000 Abandoned materials... 1,800,000,000 Loss of claims on Germany's Allies... 7,000,000,000 The last item is an extraordinary one. Germany advanced to her allies during the war about seven billion marks. By Art. 247 of the Peace Treaty she transferred to them the right to have on Austria, Bulgaria or Turkey to the Allies. There would have been no chance in any case of Germany receiving anything from these countries. Nevertheless, Germany claims that she has paid seven billion gold marks by agreeing to forego these absolutely worthless claims.

The German valuation of ships delivered is over seven billion gold marks. The value per ton claimed is absolutely fantastic. One billion marks is claimed for the Saar mines, and in two other official statements mks. 1,100,000,000. On the basis of British valuation of coal mines the value would be mks. 120,000,000 gold, and British coal is far superior to Saar coal.

Saar coal mines produced one-third (one-third) of Germany's coal. On the basis of valuation the figure of mks. 400,000,000 placed upon these mines by the Allies would be high in proportion; yet the German valuation is now mks. 1,100,000,000, an obvious exaggeration.

Again Dr. Helfferich valued the whole of Germany's merchant marine and inland shipping at mks. 1,000,000,000. Nevertheless, the German official statement puts the value of shipping ceded to the victors at more than four times as much, while that at the end of the war in American hands combined is given as mks. 7,311,503,233, that the middle class have been utterly ruined by the collapse of the mark, and that Germany has received about a million refugees, who have died in Russia, Poland and elsewhere, and who brought with them typhoid and many other diseases, it would not be surprising at all if the death rate were very high. But the reverse is the case. The fact that Germany is prosperous may be seen by the excess of births over deaths and by lack of emigration. The following is the excess of births over deaths during the last three years, for which figures are available:

Table with columns: Year, Births, Deaths, Excess. Rows for 1919, 1920, 1921.

The well-being of the German masses is attested not only by the very great excess of births over deaths, but also by the extraordinarily low death-rate among the people in general and among infants. Post-war and pre-war death rates compare as follows:

Table with columns: Year, Death Rate Under 1 Year. Rows for 1911 Pre-war, 1912, 1913, 1919 Post-war, 1920, 1921.

The figures given are so striking that comment seems superfluous. With reference to coal deliveries Mr. Barker shows that Germany's coal shortage was caused by her reparations deliveries, but by gross underproduction. In 1913 the Ruhr output was 114,000,000 tons, whereas in 1922 the output had fallen to 97,000,000 tons, although the workers had increased to 861,000. Production per worker per year seemed to be about 60 per cent. of the pre-war production.

Germany's capacity to pay depends on her physical wealth and upon the energy with which the national resources are exploited by the people. Germany is undoubtedly the richest nation on the continent of Europe, and she is in all probability even richer than Great Britain. In 1914 and 1915 she was far richer in coal than Great Britain. She also possesses enormous lignite deposits, great wealth of iron and timber, and her water courses can provide millions of hydro-electrical horse-power. Her store of minerals has been steadily enriched by her mining, and her manufacturing industries, etc. That is the estimate officially given by the German 'statistical' office. On the other hand, the consumption of resources Germany is undoubtedly the highest in the world. However, the amounts collected are trivial. Business men who have been steadily enriched by the wiping out of their indebtedness, pay next to nothing. It is a well-known fact that the bulk of the national income goes to manufacturers, merchants, agriculturists, etc. Income tax for these ranges up to 60 per cent., while a nominal 10 per cent. in reality considerably less is deducted from wages. Yet during February the income tax yielded the Government the sum of mks. 2,000,000,000. Received from trade, industry, agriculture, etc., mks. 5 millions; received from wage deductions mks. 97 millions. Practically the whole of the income tax is paid by the working classes.

On the basis of the receipts of the last year the German tax revenue comes only to about \$200,000,000 per year, and half of that insignificant sum is returned to the people in the form of subsidies of every kind. As increased on March 1, the third-class fare on fast trains is one cent for every five miles, foreign letter postage is 1/2 cent, domestic letters postage 1/4 cent, postage on parcels of eleven pounds 2 1/2 cents, etc. In consequence of these ludicrous charges the Government has an estimated deficit on railways and post-office last year of two million marks. The trifling amount of revenue received is wasted in every direction.

There is not the slightest doubt that Germany is very lightly taxed. In Great Britain nearly one-third of the wealth is claimed by the tax-collector. In Germany the proportion is about one-thirtieth. Inflation makes it easy to avoid paying taxes. People pay old assessments in greatly depreciated money. It is quite understandable that the industrialists, agriculturists and merchants are absolutely opposed to the stabilization of the mark. Germany can undoubtedly pay very large amounts in reparations in view of the vast wealth which she possesses. However, at present taxation does not even begin to meet the requirements, although she has practically no army or navy, and although her national debt has been reduced to almost nothing by the collapse of the mark.

Dr. Cook Found Guilty

In to-day's message it is stated that Dr. Cook has been found guilty of using the mails to defraud in connection with the promotion of oil schemes in Texas. Dr. Frederick A. Cook first became internationally known in 1909 when, upon arriving in Copenhagen from a trip into the far north, he announced that he had discovered the North Pole in the previous April. His story was accepted as true and he was received there with high honors. Upon returning to this country Dr. Cook published reports of his journey and wide credence was given his narrative for some months. Since then his claims have been disputed, and he ultimately was branded as a faker, but in the meantime he was the recipient of many honors. He was made president of the Explorers Club, New York, and a member of the Kings County Medical Society, the American and National Geographical Societies, the American Ethnological Society, the American Alpine Club and lesser organizations.

Dr. Cook was graduated with a degree of doctor from the New York University College of Medicine in 1890 and the following year was appointed surgeon to the Peary Antarctic expedition. Two years later he led a party up the west coast of Greenland to the next year he explored the south portion of the same island. In 1897, Dr. Cook was appointed surgeon to the Belgica Antarctic expedition and as a result he received numerous decorations including the Order of Leopold, the gold medals of the Belgian Royal Society and the Municipality of Brussels, and the gold medals of the Belgian Royal Geographical Society.

Again yielding to the lure of the North Pole, Dr. Cook, in 1902, undertook an expedition to reach the summit of Mount McKinley, the highest point on the American continent, more than 20,000 feet above the sea level. The expedition failed but in 1906 he claimed to have been successful. It was three years later that he announced his claim to have reached the North Pole. Dr. Cook's written voluminous for magazines along the lines of ethnology, anthropology, geography and other sciences from his observations in the Arctic and Antarctic. He was the author of several books, including 'Through the Arctic Circle,' 'The Arctic Night,' 'In 1914 and 1914 he lectured in America and in England, but led a life of comparative retirement until he came to Fort Worth in 1919, and went into the oil business. His disregard for veracity has at last landed him in a difficulty as the result of which he is liable to serve a term of imprisonment.

Grand Sacred Concert, Casino, Sunday evening next, Nov. 25th, at 8.30. All leading vocalists and instrumentalists. Conductor Mr. Hutton. Admission 50c., 30c. and 20c. -nov21:1

Sale of Work at K. of C. School

The Columbus Lodge Association's annual sale of 'Red Opened' yesterday afternoon in the K. of C. Memorial School. There was a large number of visitors present and through the evening a brisk trade was done. The stalls were well arranged, containing a large variety of articles, and the prices being reasonable, ready sales were made. The sale will continue this afternoon, and will conclude tonight.

McMurdo's Store News.

We have now received a full line of Moira, Page and Shaw and Whitman's Chocolates and Candies in special Christmas Packages. We have a very wide selection of these firms' choicest packages and before you buy your Xmas gifts you should see our line. We have also made arrangements with these firms that if any of our patrons wish to send a Xmas gift of chocolates to their friends in the United States or Canada they may do so direct by leaving their order and card with us and we will arrange to have parcel delivered. These orders should be given to us as early as possible, owing to the big rush of Christmas business, these firms have to deal with. We are now displaying a very choice selection of Pascal's Candies and Novelties, which are sure to please the most fastidious taste.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

HUNGER STRIKERS RESUME THEIR NATURAL HABIT. DUBLIN, Nov. 22. Irish Free State announces that six more hunger strikers resumed the habit of eating regularly after fasting thirty-six days. Two hundred and thirty-seven prisoners are still going without food.

CONSERVATIVES BALDWIN'S CHANCES ARE STRONG. LONDON, Nov. 22. The Conservatives contend they are making headway in their contest toward a victory at the polls and their claim is endorsed by the Times which, although giving general support to the Government, is nominally non-partisan. Editorially, the newspaper says there is no doubt that Baldwin's party is stronger to-day than at the dissolution of Parliament, and maintains that the Premier's temperate statements made without boasting, threats, or cajolery are steadily gaining ground.

PROMISING AGREEMENT OF THE COUNCIL OF AMBASSADORS. PARIS, Nov. 22. The Allies through their representatives in the Ambassadors' Council last night agreed to notify Germany that the Inter-Allied Military Control Mission will resume its functions in the Ruhr and that the Berlin Government is bound to afford it facilities and protection. They also decided upon a second communication in which they note the former Crown Prince's letter repudiating the terms of Versailles, and voice the expectation that the German government will see that Frederick-William faithfully observes his promises. Under conditions the Allies will not insist upon laying hold of the prince, but they declared that the German government must rigidly adhere to its assurance that the return of the former Kaiser to Germany will not be tolerated.

This is the first time the Allies agreed upon a question relating to the execution by Germany of the Treaty of Versailles since the partition of Upper Silesia was referred to League of Nations two years ago. The unusual sensation of leaving a meeting in full accord appeared particularly agreeable to the members of the council who came out of the Foreign Office radiant. Marshal Foch who usually passes reporters with military dignity stopped to-day with the cheer words, 'everything is all right.' There seems apprehensions in French circles as to how Parliament will receive the Ambassadors' conclusions in to-day's debate. In Foreign Affairs' Committee of the Chamber of Deputies, Premier Poincare's policy toward Germany was censured as too mild, with General Decasleux, the former Chief of Staff among the chief critics.

14 YEARS FOR DR. COOK. FORT WORTH, TEX., Nov. 22. Dr. Frederick A. Cook, a former Arctic explorer, who was found guilty by a jury in the Federal court yesterday on a charge of using the mails to defraud in oil promotion schemes, was sentenced to fourteen years and nine months, and a fine of twelve thousand dollars.

MORE BANDITRY. FORT WORTH, Nov. 22. Three armed bandits last night held up and robbed two young men of ten thousand dollars in cash which they had obtained in the afternoon from a bank as part of a legacy.

RESUME OF MOVING PICTURES ACCUSED OF VIOLATION OF PROHIBITION ACT. LOS ANGELES, Nov. 22. J. W. Engel, Sr., Vice President of the Metro Pictures Corporation, was arrested here yesterday in connection with the seizure of a consignment of liquor valued at thirty thousand dollars alleged to have been shipped to him from New York.

GERMANY CHARGES FRANCE WITH SUPPORTING SEPARATISTS. BERLIN, Nov. 22. Leopold Von Hoesch, German Charge d'Affaires in Paris, has handed the French government and newspapers a note protesting against the separatist in Bavaria pamphlets and hindering the German officials in combating seditious or revolutionary elements. The note cites a number of individual instances for protest.

HEAVY LOSS OF LIFE THROUGH BOILER EXPLOSION. NEW IBERIA, Louisiana, Nov. 22. Nine persons were killed, fifteen injured, five probably fatally, as the result of a boiler explosion yesterday at Vids sugar refinery at Lorevieux, ten miles from here. The loss is estimated at one hundred thousand dollars.

LIBERAL-LABOUR ANTAGONISM IMPROVES CONSERVATIVES CHANCES. LONDON, Nov. 22. As the election campaign proceeds the prospects for the Conservative Party look to be brightening, mainly because there is no sign of co-operation between Liberal and Labour parties to avoid mutually destructive tactics in constituencies. This antagonism between the two parties so far as speeches are concerned centers on the question of capital levy, which

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From Cape Race Special to Evening Telegram. Wind southwest, light, weather fair. The steamer Tordis and schooner Stephano passed in yesterday afternoon. A three masted schooner several miles past Cape Race at 11 a.m. Bar. 30.5; Ther. 46.

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There are many good stories told of the more or less distinguished people who went out to visit the Western Front during the war.

Of these, Mr. Lloyd George was the most important. He emerged from an old German dust-out wearing a "tin hat" above his somewhat exuberant white locks. Some Tommies standing near remarked his somewhat unusual appearance.

"Who's that bloke?" asked one of them. "Billmy!" said the other. "It looks like the Archbishop of Canterbury." Mr. Bernard Shaw put in an appearance in a rough suit of Irish homespun, and his beard damp in the wet mist of Flanders, looking like a ghost from the pre-war past. The first words were in the nature of a knock-out blow: "Are all you war correspondents such infernal fools as you make yourselves out to be?" writes Sir Philip Gibbs in "Adventures in Journalism."

No one, on the spur of the moment, could think of a proper reply, the question, you will observe, being one of those that cannot well be answered by a plain "yes" or "no" without making a demagogic admission, like that other famous one: "Have you given up beating your wife?"

Sir Philip has met all sorts of people in his time, one of the queerest being O'Dell, the "Last of the Bohemians," and a prominent member of the Savage Club. He always dressed alike in a sombrero hat and a big black cloak in the old style of tragic actors. It was this costume and his ascetic face which led to a bet between the conductor and driver of an old horse bus passing down Fleet Street, before the time of motor cars. "I say, Bill," said the conductor, "who's that man we've aboard?" "Dunno," said the driver. "Cardinal Manning! G'welp me Bob."

"No blooming fear! That ain't the Cardinal!" "Well, I'll bet a tanner on it." At the Adelphi the conductor leaped over O'Dell as he descended with grave dignity, and said: "Beg your pardon, sir, but do you 'sppin to be Cardinal Manning?" "Go to hell and burn there!" said O'Dell in his sepulchral voice. Joyously the conductor mounted the steps and called to the driver: "I've won that bet, Bill. It is 'is 'oliness!"

It was Edgar Wallace, the famous journalist and novelist, who taught Gibbs to play poker at an inn where they were staying together at Doncaster. The landlord was watching the game for a few minutes, and saw Wallace scoop the pool with a royal flush.

The old man's eyes fairly bulged in his head. "It's a great game, that!" he remarked, and insisted on taking a hand. Wallace had phenomenal luck with his hands, and so raked the landlord's money out of his pockets that he had to stand down.

"It's a devil's game," was his final verdict. Shortly before the Irish Free State was established, the author went to America on a lecturing tour. At some places he met with fierce opposition from the Sinn Feiners, and at Chicago he had to have a police bodyguard wherever he went. Once, when driving in his taxicab with two detectives, both Irishmen, he thanked them for the care they were taking of him. "Oh!" explained one of them. "It's not your life we're troubling about, boss. It's our reputation."

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During a recent strike of printers in New York, ten different newspapers were combined into one publication, which bore the ten different names at the head of the sheet.

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The world's record for a grain train a mile long, comprising of 193 cars, with a total weight of 7,544 tons, was hauled by a single engine.

Big business houses in the United States of America can now have a machine which prints a postmark on letters, etc., instead of using postage stamps. The machine requires a number of envelopes that contain the postage.

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### Wilson Attacks U.S. Isolation as Cowardly Act

EX-PRESIDENT TERMS WITHDRAWAL FROM EUROPE'S AFFAIRS IGNORABLE.

New York, Nov. 22.—Ex-President Woodrow Wilson charged France and Italy with having made "waste paper of the Treaty of Versailles" in the course of an address delivered over the radio from his home in Washington, Saturday evening. Thousands in New York formed part of the invisible audience, estimated at over five million people, who listened to the former President's "Armistice Day" message. In the course of this, his first public address since his illness, Mr. Wilson also attacked the American attitude after the close of the war as being "cowardly and dishonorable." He deplored "the great wrong the United States has done to civilization at its most critical turning-point" by withdrawing into "sudden and ignoble isolation."

The full text of the address follows: "The anniversary of Armistice Day should stir us to a brief exaltation of spirit because of the proud recollection that it was our day, a day above those early days of that never-to-be-forgotten November which lifted the world to the highest levels of vision and achievement upon which the great war for democracy and right was fought and won, although the stimulating memories of that happy time of triumph are forever marred and embittered for us by the shameful fact that when the victory was won—won, be it remembered, chiefly by the indomitable spirit and valiant sacrifices of our own unconquerable soldiers—we turned our backs upon our associates and refused to bear any responsible part in the administration of peace on the first and permanent establishment of the results of the war, at so terrible a cost of life and treasure, and withdrew into a sudden and selfish isolation which is deeply ignoble because, manifestly cowardly and dishonorable."

"This must always be a source of deep mortification to us, and we shall inevitably be forced by the moral obligations of freedom and honor to relieve that fatal error and assume once more the role of courage, self-respect and helpfulness which every true American must wish to believe to be our true part in the affairs of the world."

"That we should have done a great wrong to civilization, and at one of the most critical turning points in the history of mankind, is the more to be deplored because every anxious year that has followed has made the existing need for such services as we might have rendered more and more manifest and more pressing, as demoralizing circumstances which we might have controlled have gone from bad to worse, until now—as if to furnish a sort of sinister climax—France and Italy between them have made waste paper of the Treaty of Versailles and the whole field of international relationship is in perilous confusion."

"The affairs of the world can be set straight only by the firmest and most determined exhibition of the will to lead and make the right prevail."

"Happily, the present situation of affairs in the world affords us an opportunity to retrieve the past and to render to mankind the incomparable service of proving that there is at least one great and powerful nation which can put aside programmes of self-interest and devote itself to practicing and establishing the highest ideals of disinterested service and the constant maintenance of exalted standards of conscience and of right."

"The only way in which we can know our true appreciation of the significance of Armistice Day is by resolving to put self-interest away and one more formulate and set upon the highest ideals and purposes of international policy. Thus, and only thus, can we retain the true traditions of America."

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It possesses much of the romantic and adventurous charm that made Stevenson's "Treasure Island" a classic and which has made Mr. Morris' novel, from which the photoplay was adapted, so popular with the reading public. The action starts in Los Angeles and rapidly shifts to two ships which are headed for an island in the South Seas, where a Spanish galleon, laden with treasure, was sunk three hundred years ago.

There are some sharp encounters between the officers and crew of the two rival bands of treasure seekers, and two of the greatest single-handed conflicts ever shown upon the screen.

To-night's dancing act by Dolly Moore and Jimmie Clayton will surpass any of their previous acts, and incidentally we may say that it also surpasses anything in this form of amusement yet seen in St. John's. Now, this is a fact, these clever little artists are all round performers. See to-night's bill or you'll regret it.

**Mistakes We Make**

**LITTLE THINGS WE ALL GO  
WRONG IN.**

"A cheque of agreement signed on a Sunday is void," is a statement sometimes heard. Actually, the law provides that a cheque signed on such a day is just as valid as on any other.

Who discovered North America? In our school days the history books gave the credit to Christopher Columbus, but nowadays the historians assert that this was the work of Cabot on June 24, 1497, whilst in the following year Columbus discovered South America.

What was the name of the rich man at whose gate the beggar Lazarus, in the Bible story, lay? Most of us would answer "Dives, of course"—until we turned to the Bible to check the statement!

The Bible only says "a certain rich man," but in old times the subject of Lazarus and the rich man was one that the monks and others were fond of painting, and the inscription in the Latin language which they used was "Dives et Lazarus"—dives being merely the Latin for "the rich man," and not a guess at his name.

In what country is Mont Blanc? Ninety-nine out of a hundred would answer "Switzerland," whilst the hundredth, suspecting a catch, might suggest Italy. The map shows that it is in France!

Covering milk does not make it turn sour. On the contrary, it keeps out the germs which would do this, and for that reason it is better to cover the jug with a plate than with a piece of muslin, since the muslin lets in dust and bacteria. The jug should be stood in cold water.

It is often thought that people who fall from great heights are dead before they reach the ground, because they are unable to breathe.

But the average man can hold his breath for sixty seconds quite comfortably, and in that time he could fall twelve times the height of Nelson's column without suffocation. Actually people have fallen as much as 200 feet and escaped death by falling into water—or, in one case, a lorry loaded with cardboard boxes.

The bracing effect of seaside air is usually attributed to the ozone it contains. But the research of scientists has proved this to be a mistake, since ozone is never present except in air more than 8,000 feet above sea-level.

For Low Rates, see Sam Eddy, The Taxi Man. Phone 1551J. nov. 21

**Wesley Ladies' Aid Sale**

The annual Sale of Work of Wesley Ladies' Aid, was opened yesterday afternoon by Mr. Jesse Whiteway. From 6 to 8 o'clock teas were served, the tables being well patronized. The articles for sale included fancy work, pantry and kitchen utensils, candy and toys. The affair continued until 11 o'clock and resumes again this evening. Teas will be served at 6 p.m., and a concert, in which some leading artists take part, will follow.

**THE PRESS DEAL.**

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**Notice of Retirement**

ON account of his retirement from business, to take place shortly, the owner of the United States Picture & Portrait Co., Mr. E. G. Gittleson, has decided to offer for sale his entire stock of Handsome and Exclusive Furniture, which will be grouped and advertised fully from week to week for the convenience of prospective purchasers. This week the special feature will be a sale of

**Magnificent Dining-Room Furniture**

**Royal Easy Chairs**

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Chair-Comfort—as you've never known Chair-Comfort before, is yours the minute you drop into your 'Royal' Easy Chair. It seems to fit every inch of your tired body, giving a wonderful feeling of support and rest to your relaxed muscles.



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Fumed Oak Frame, Upholstered in Tan Fabricated Spanish Leather. **Reg. 75.00 Sale Price 45.00**

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1 Red Striped Plush Lounge, very large size, heavily stuffed and perfectly sprung. A most comfortable and pleasing Lounge.

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**Reg. 75.00 Sale Price 55.00**

Handsome Dining Room Suite, 5 Chairs, and Carver's Chair in English Oak, wax finish, with detachable Pad Slip Seats. A dignified and serviceable Suite.

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Dining Room Suite, authentic Sheraton design, in heavy Solid Walnut; upholstered in dull Saxe Blue Hair Cloth.

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**China Cabinets**

China Cabinet, dull finish, 57 in. high, 27 in. wide, 13 in. deep, fitted with four compartments, full length glass doors and sides.

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**Reg. 98.50 Sale Price 58.50**

Colonial design China Cabinet, solid Fumed Oak, dull finish, 60 in. high, 44 in. wide, 16 in. deep. Fitted with 5 compartments, full length glass doors and glass sides. This is a severely handsome Cabinet, plain and very massive.

**Reg. 135.00 Sale Price 75.00**

Jacobean design China Cabinet, solid Fumed Oak, dull finish. Front has central glass door, with fancy glass and wood ornamental panels on either side of it, plain glass sides, 58 in. high, 42 in. wide, 15 in. deep, fitted with 4 compartments. A very beautiful design of unusual distinction.

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China Buffet, Quarter-cut Oak, very highly polished, Golden finish, 42 inches wide, 19 inches deep, 50 inches high. Plate Glass Mirror 36 x 8 inches; 3 Drawers, 1 large, 2 small, 1 partitioned and Baize lined for silver. Decorated Glass Doors and Sides; wide centre shelf. A very handsome Buffet.

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"Colonial" Buffet, Quarter-cut Oak, Golden finish, 60 inches wide, 24 inches deep, 55 inches high; Plate Glass Mirror 52 x 10, 3 Drawers, 1 long, 2 short, one of the latter partitioned and Baize lined for silver. Drawers and all interiors rubbed finish. Dustproof construction throughout. Exactly Half Price.

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Round Table, Fumed Elm, dull finish, 44 in. diameter, 8 feet extension. A plainly designed, strong and well built table.

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Handsome Table of Quarter-cut Oak, highly polished, Golden finish. Has 44 in. diameter, 8 feet extension. Massive pedestal and 4 hand-carved feet. A value that cannot be rivalled, at only Half Price.

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Very heavy Table of massive Quarter-cut Oak, Golden finish, highly polished. Has 44 inch diameter, and 8 feet extension, with divided pedestal and 4 very heavy feet. One of the most austere handsome Tables ever built, and a marvellous example of price-cutting at its Sales figure—which is exactly half its ordinary price.

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English in Practice and Precept

(By FRANK H. VIZETELLY, L.H.D., LL.D., Managing Editor of the New Standard Dictionary.) Good English does not always conform to the rules codified by the grammarians, and it is not imperatively necessary that it should do so. One who is a master of language pays little attention to these rules. Such a one was William Shakespeare. To him we owe much that is good in English and little that is bad. Notwithstanding the latter fact, he had the happy knack of writing in such a way that he was commonly understood. One example of his freedom from grammatical restraint is preserved to us in the following words which he placed in the mouth of a Duke. They are taken from "As You Like It," Act II, sc. 1.—The Forest of Arden:—Here feel we but the penalty of Adam. The season's difference; as, the icy fang And churlish chiding of the winter's wind. Which, when it bites and blows upon my body, Even till I shrink with cold, I smile, and say, 'This is no flattery: these are counsellors That feelingly persuade me what I am.' If the reader of these lines be a grammarian, let him make them conform to the rules of his grammar without resorting to explanations that will mean, if he can, nothing.

Not Indispensable. A casual or an intimate knowledge of the science of grammar is not indispensable to anyone who would speak English correctly. It is desirable, of course, because through this knowledge one is able to dissect speech and to explain the relations of words to one another. Children who never give a thought to grammar before they speak often speak excellent English. That there are some who will use their mother-tongue some without caring, and some with a conscientious regard for grammar in the home or on the street, and they will continue to do so notwithstanding all the steps that may be taken to prevent them from so doing, till the business men whose speech does not rise above the quality of "I beat him to it." "He slipped one over on me"; "They couldn't deliver the goods"; i.e., perform their promises; who believes that he "said a mouthful" when he acquiesced with an "I'll say so," is calculated to "jar you" and is one who is not likely to rise himself.

The "Awfully Nice" Class. The woman of the "awfully nice" class, who "adores" lobster, wants it the "worst" way, but is not "stuck" on the "place" and would rather go "some place else" where the "eats" are better, might pass for a woman of refinement, if she could keep her mouth shut until she had learned to say correctly what she has to say. There is also the woman whose least mistake is an "agony"; to whom every slight mishap is a "terrible accident"; whose latest gown is "simply adorable"; and whose favourite of the opposite sex is "awfully jolly." These are women who have such "an elegant time" that one might be forgiven for wishing, in all charity, that they might "die laughing" before attaining their ambition—to rise in society.

No matter how sternly one may repress the misuse of English, it is impossible to correct all the errors that are sanctioned by the exceptions that prove the rule and that are established by usage because these are now so firmly fixed that they have become accepted idioms. Much modern English that is strictly grammatical is stilted English; so stilted that it has lost its inherent quality—its plasticity which makes our language one of the easiest into which to mould thought. But stiffness is not the only fault of modern English. There is, in addition to this, a tendency to misuse words—to give them values that they do not command. To what influence are we to trace the violations done to word-values nowadays? Is it due to the contempt for classic learning that has manifested itself during the past twenty years? Or is it because the world of letters has been overrun by hordes born to use the shovel rather than the pen?

"All Right." Why are "drank" and "drunk" repeatedly misused? Why is "all right" frequently misspelled "alright"? Why employ "like" for "as" when the latter is the correct form to use? Why "feel badly" when "feel bad" answers the purpose and is better English? Why use Scots law term "proven" when one invariably means to convey the sense of the English word "proved"? Why employ "goes on to say" when "says" is infinitely better? Why prefer to talk of "fightin'" and "shootin'" or of "ashin'" when one can overcome one of the worse phases of slovenliness in speech by carefully enunciating the final syllable of these words? The man who trims his words by imperfect utterance and clips their final syllables thereby tacitly admits his preference for the vulgar tongue. One can almost hear him say of his neighbours, "They're a 'bum' lot, the whole

push of 'em," to get the retort courteous. "That's a 'peach' of a way to talk about 'bum' lots," followed by the rejoinder, "Yes, I know, but I want to 'put you wise.'" Idiomatic and forcible if you will, but scarcely elegant. We have evidence on every side that there is room for improvement in the present-day usage of English speech, not merely by citizens of alien birth, but by men and women of British and American birth and breeding.

Famous Violators of Grammar. Many of us learn to speak correctly by imitation, such as a child learns how to walk properly. The proof of this is to be found in the fact that some of the masterpieces of the world's literature were produced by men, who had little, if any, knowledge of grammar, some of whom, in fact, never heard of it. Giotto believes that Shakespeare, who was a notorious violator of grammatical precision, was so intentionally, desiring to produce the language of the period of which he wrote. Be this as it may, it must not be forgotten that it was in his time that the grammarians stoned to put the English-tongue into the Latin harness.

"If grammar does not make rules for the government of languages, then what is its use?" asks Ramsey. The answer is that grammar serves to direct written or spoken thought, and what after the manner that the surgeon anatomizes the human body. Grammar is an anatomical science rather than a creative one.—John O'London's Weekly.

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Is Europe Doomed?

GERMANY'S BEST SELLER SAYS YES. A book with a topical interest just now is "The Decline of Western Civilization" (Coker Beck, Munich). Herr Oswald Spengler's philosophic and historical work, which has been hailed in Central Europe as the most important contribution to letters since Gibbon's "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire." It took Herr Spengler, a scholar of high distinction, ten years of unremitting labor to write, and involved the study of more than 20,000 books and documents. The result is a book rich in scholarly and historical allusion, but darkened by an almost unrelieved pessimism.

"History Repeats Itself." In Europe in Central Europe has been phenomenal, for, in spite of the baneful moment of publication, Herr Spengler's two weighty volumes have had the largest sale of any book of any description since the war in Germany. England will soon have an opportunity to judge for herself whether the value of the book has been exaggerated abroad, for an English translation is expected about Christmas time.

Herr Spengler's historical studies have convinced him that history repeats itself according to definite rules, and that by applying those rules to the present time, the history of the future of our civilization can be authoritatively written. "If there is to be history," he asks, "and proceeds by a wealth of historical analogy and deduction to prove that there is:—The great moments of world history show always, to understanding eyes, the same form, and yield the key to the future. For all civilization alike there are the basic ideas of birth and death, of youth and age."

A Terrible Prophecy. The result of Dr. Spengler's study is a terrible prophecy. Western civilization, he says, is plunging straight to its own annihilation, and the path thereto is a succession of wars, each more awful than the one preceding. They will rise from the necessity for the individual nation to fight or go under. As to the fact that there is a recurrent movement for peace and goodwill among the nations, he points to the unavailing dream two thousand years ago of great men among the ancients, such as Marcus Aurelius:—

"That between these catastrophes of blood and horror there should recur always the impulse toward universal brotherhood and peace is a necessary background and echo of the great recurrence. It must be expected when the war has left nothing but exhaustion, as in Egypt in the time of the Hyksos, in Bagdad and Byzantium.

"The individual may cherish such desires as he will, but one must have courage to see things as they are. There is a choice only between victorious war and annihilation, not between peace or war, and the spoils of victory are to the victor. . . . The Peace Conference at the Hague in 1907 was the beginning of the World War; that in 1921 will be the prelude to a new cataclysm."

With this profoundly pessimistic note Herr Spengler closes:— "We have no choice of attaining this or that aim, but must do the inevitable or nothing. And the problem which necessity has put before history will be solved according to individual desires or against them.—John O'London's Weekly.

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The "Wicked" Bible

A PRINTER'S SCANDAL OF 1611. (T. H. Darlow, in John O'London's Weekly.)

In the year 1611 the King's Printers created a violent public scandal, they published in London an octavo edition of the Authorized English Bible which omitted the word NOT from the Seventh Commandment in the twentieth chapter of Exodus. Dr. Laud, who was then Bishop of London, brought the matter before King Charles I. The King promptly summoned his printers to appear before the High Commission. The whole edition of 1,000 copies was called in and destroyed, and the printers of this "Wicked" Bible were fined £100—two those days a very heavy penalty.

In all probability, however, they had been guilty of nothing worse than carelessness. A Practical Joke. Nobody who understands human nature can doubt that the word NOT was left out in that particular verse by some malicious compositor, who considered that he was perpetrating a practical joke. It is significant to find that, just a century afterwards, a German Bible, printed in 1751, contained precisely the same error. Copies of the "Wicked" Bible are extremely rare, and command a considerable price as curiosities. Examples may be seen in the British Museum, in the Bodleian, and in the Lenox Library at New York.

Printers have played unpremeditated pranks with this word NOT in other verses of Scripture. For instance, an English Bible published in 1613 makes St. Paul say in rebuke, "I praise you" (I Corinthians xi, 17), instead of "I praise you not." A pocket Bible issued in 1658 by John Field, who was printer to the Long Parliament, contains the following remarkable blunder in I Corinthians vi, 9: "Know ye not that the unrighteous shall inherit the kingdom of God?"

"The Parable of the Vineyard." Two centuries ago John Baskett was printer to King George I, and to the University of Oxford. He has been described as "one of the greatest monopolists of Bibles who ever lived." In 1717 he issued a magnificent folio Bible in large type, with steel engravings. But it exhibited so many mistakes that it was nicknamed "A Baskett-full of Errors." In the heading above St. Luke xx, instead of "The Parable of the Vineyard," it gives "The Parable of the Vinegar."

Not everyone is aware that the printing of the Authorized Version of the English Bible in this country still remains a monopoly. It is in the hands of the King's Printers, and the University Presses of Oxford and Cambridge. They take vigilant pains to secure absolute accuracy in the Bibles which they issue. Whenever a fresh

Showing the Flag

The Times: The King's ships, and the proud flag which they fly, will serve in the same way to recall to the minds of all of British descent who see them the strength and oneness for which the Royal Navy stands to-day, as it has through all the glorious ages of the Empire's past. Without its ships and its officers and men, not one of the Dependencies or the Crown which the cruiser squadrons are to visit would have been added to the brotherhood of Dominions and Colonies that makes the Empire. Two airmen, one in vivid green and one in dull blue, are used on a turban of changeable silk.

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Conquering Everest

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### German Critic

NUMEROUS FAULTS IN AMERICA DURING TRIP.

Nov. 18.—German morals are as good as American morals, the Americans are more successful in concealing their lapses, according to Dr. Paul Rohrbach, who recently completed a tour of America contributing a series of articles to the Cologne Gazette on the conditions of the new world. Dr. Rohrbach says the impression which prevails in Germany that moral standards are higher in the United States than in Germany is quite erroneous, as the American morality is on the surface, and that which lies down he finds things as black as Europe.

Dr. Rohrbach says American cities permit any large sections to open out entirely to the social and to dubious amusements of the age, such as are common in all European capitals, and that in Berlin, in consequence of the distress and general demoralization of the public, the situation does not seem to have been successful in America as had hoped for, according to Dr. Rohrbach, who says "American education has the automobile as a medium to destroy morals." Dr. Rohrbach was startled by the typical American novels in the state of morals among the middle class, is surprised at the "Main Street," "Babbitt" and "Sinister" "Book of Eve" but does not believe these books give

a fair picture of the life of the average American.

The high coloring of American women and the frankness with which they produce their vanity box in public and renew their complexion amused Dr. Rohrbach, but he found that women were not so much painted in circles where music and the higher things of life are given more consideration. He found that women lead in public affairs, as well as in family affairs, but heard a number of American men complain about the amount of attention paid to women.

Dr. Rohrbach thinks American women have too strong an influence in politics and says they are "apt to succumb to propaganda more readily than men." This is the reason, in his opinion, why French propaganda has so much success with the American public. However, Dr. Rohrbach found many sympathetic elements in American character, especially in that of the women, and he thinks the average American is good-hearted and sympathetic with the poor and unfortunate.

### Schooner on Iceberg

A steamer was rounding Cape Horn recently when the captain saw a gigantic iceberg floating in the water, and on it was a large three-masted schooner with its boats still in position. It was impossible to get near enough to it to see its name, and what had happened to its crew remains a mystery.

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### Flour From Cat Tails

It is predicted that at no distant date, pictures of waving cat tails will be seen in bread advertisements in the newspapers. Stranger things than that have happened since scientists began studying nature's wonders. The cat-tail is a plant of many uses. The pollen is said to make an excellent grade of bread, and it was so used in Germany during the World War, according to A. A. Hanson in Nature Magazine of Washington. In fact, the

stress of war-time conditions in Germany developed a number of practical uses for cat-tails.

The urge of necessity led to the discovery that a cotton substitute could be secured from the brown spikes. The fibres are neither as fine nor as soft and white as are the fibres of cotton, but they were so easily and cheaply procured that the manufacturing process has been improved to the extent that the cat-tail promises to become of considerable commercial importance as a fibre plant. The fine stuffy down that comprises a large part of the heads is also of value in stuffing pillows and cushions. In addition, a process has been developed recently for making artificial silk from cat-tail stems.

The heavy, matted roots attain considerable size and they are fairly rich in starch and sugar, the magazine writer continues. The Iroquois Indians formerly dried and pulverized the starchy roots, which yielded a sweet-tasting flour from which excellent bread and puddings were made. Hard pressed for food during the war, the German people followed the example of the Iroquois Indians and the lowly cat-tail was a boon to many a hungry Teuton family.

Similar to Rice and Corn Flour.

Cat-tail flour is similar in composition to rice and corn flour and it is highly nutritious. In well irrigated, swampy land from two to four tons of flour per acre may be secured, and the commercial utilization of cat-tails for the purpose has frequently been discussed.

The Indians discovered still another use for the fleshy roots. When macerated and boiled, a syrup of an excellent flavor was produced which was commonly used by the Iroquois Indians on corn meal puddings and as a sweetening for other favorite Indian dishes. Cat-tail roots are said to contain as high as 30 per cent of sugar and starch.

With its great variety of uses, it seems strange the cat-tail has not been utilized commercially in America where large, heavily-infested areas occur in many sections. Little investigational work has been done on the subject, but the necessities of war gave considerable impetus to investigations.

When harvesting facilities are afforded and milling methods developed we may witness the utilization of large areas of swampy lands for the production of cat-tails.

### Just Folks.

By EDGAR A. GUEST

#### POETRY

You never can tell, for there's no way to know it.  
What sort of a garb hides the soul of a poet?  
For all the poems are written at night  
By the curious fellow whose job is to write.  
And not all the poet's told us in rhyme—  
It's something that's felt a good deal of the time.

It flows out of men in all manner of ways.  
In the houses they build and the gardens they raise.  
In the books they are fond of, the pictures they keep.  
And not all the poet's told us in rhyme—  
And I'm sure you would find, could you get deep within him,  
The poorest of men has some poetry in him.

He was planting some shrubs, and he worked by the day—  
The best he could earn was a laborer's pay—  
And I saw he had stepped from the plan we'd made known  
And planted one bush to some whit of his own.

He had disoeyed orders. I questioned him why.  
And stood back and waited to hear his reply.  
He couldn't find words which he wanted to use.  
He leaned on his spade and he looked at his shoes.  
Then he said: "This one shrub was so lovely and fair  
I felt God would like to see it just there!"

So I left that bush there, standing out all alone,  
For the soul of a poet had made itself known.

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