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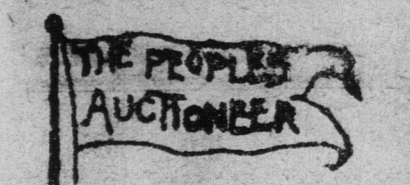
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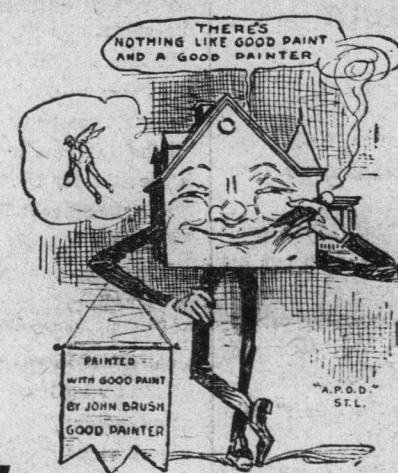
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CHAPTER VII.
AFTER THREE YEARS.

"I dare say you might," she replied, but with a little hesitation. "Aunt Gwen is—rather peculiar," she added, by way of warning. "She is sometimes cross and sharp; it's gout and nature combined; and—and—you mayn't like her; some people don't."

"Oh, I don't care, I'm not afraid," he said. "I'd face a griffin."

Cynthia laughed. "That's what they call her; isn't it a shame?"

At this moment a young man with a pretty girl beside him came toward them. The young man was heavily built, with a stolid face and roughly cut features; he wore his straw hat on the back of his head, which was thrust forward giving him a round-shouldered appearance.

He was looking straight before him with an absent air and a somewhat vacuous expression. This peculiar-looking young man—who, by the way, could never be taken for anything but a gentleman—was Lord Northam, the son and heir of his Grace, the Duke of Torbridge, and the girl beside him was his sister, Lady Alicia. He was also in the South Surrey.

"There's Darrel Frayne," said Lady Alicia, in an undertone, and with a slight blush which increased her prettiness, for she was a blonde with china-blue eyes and delicately cut features.

Lord Northam did not hear her, and plodded on with his absent-minded air, and when she gave him a nudge and repeated her information he seemed to awake slowly, and looked round him laboriously.

"There, you stupid!" she said, rather sharply; "talking to that girl on the horse."

"Oh, ah, yes," he said, slowly and heavily. "Duced pretty girl, duced pretty!"

He clutched at his hat and raised it clumsily, and would have passed on, but Lady Alicia laid her hand on his arm and stopped in front of the pair.

Darrel turned and greeted the brother and sister, but with no great heartiness. For, you see, they were interrupting his tete-a-tete with his old pal and playmate.

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are you, Northam?" he said, hoping that they would go on their way, but Lady Alicia held out her hand, and looked, with a smile, at Cynthia; and, of course, he had to introduce them to Cynthia, who said, in the sweetest of voices:

"I am so glad to know you, Miss Drayle, for I have been admiring your horse for the last five minutes—and you, if you will allow me to say so."

To this candid avowal Cynthia could only bow and smile. Her gray, and sometimes painfully candid eyes had, with a woman's comprehensive acuteness, scanned Lady Alicia's fair and pretty face; and, somehow or other, she was not at first sight pleasantly impressed by it, notwithstanding that it was indeed a very pretty face and that the eyes were as blue and apparently as innocent as those of a child; perhaps it was a certain downward curve of Lady Alicia's cupidlike lips which failed to gain our fastidious Cynthia's liking.

Lord Northam leaned upon his heavy stick, his prominent blue eyes glued on Cynthia's face; he looked like a waxwork figure waiting for the showman to wind him up and set him going.

"Jolly horse you've got," he said at last slowly, and as if with difficulty.

"Isn't she?" responded Cynthia. "I am very fond of her; but she's rather troublesome sometimes, and is apt to bolt."

"Ride her with an india-rubber bit," he said laconically.

"Lord Northam is great on horses," said Darrel, in an explanatory fashion.

"Most interestin' things they are," remarked Lord Northam, who cut his eye, not because it was the fashion to do so, but because speech was always a trouble to him, and he economized in it as much as possible.

"More than men and women?" asked Cynthia, with a smile.

"You don't know where you are with men and women," replied Lord Northam, "but you do with horses." He called them "osses."

"Where are you staying, Mr. Frayne?" asked Alicia.

"In my old rooms in Duke Street," replied Darrel. "I'm keeping them on. You see, I shall be so much in town."

Lady Alicia nodded, appeared to consider for a moment, then said with a bright smile all round:

"Will you come and dine with us at the Savoy one evening? Say Tuesday. I hope you will join us, Miss Drayle?"

"Thank you very much, but I don't know whether I may," said Cynthia wistfully. "I must ask my aunt, Lady Westlake."

"Well, come if you can," said Lady Alicia, with a laugh. "Tell her I am chaperoning you."

With a nod of farewell she roused her brother, whose eyes had never left Cynthia's face, and they went on.

"What a pretty girl, and what an odd man!" said Cynthia, as she looked after them.

"Yes; she is rather pretty," asserted Darrel. "And Northam is all right. He's a decent chap, but he's always got his head in the clouds; it takes a charge of dynamite to move him. He takes after his father, the Duke. They call him—the duke, I mean—the Sheep, because he's—well, just like Northam. But Northam is not such a fool as he looks. He's a rattling good soldier in a stodgy kind of way—he's in my regiment you know; captain. I say," he went on eagerly, "do you think Lady Westlake will let you dine at the Savoy, Cynthia?"

"I don't know," replied Cynthia doubtfully. "You'd better ask her—that is," with a blush, "if you want—I mean—"

"I'll ask her right enough," he said promptly. "Oh, Cynthia, I hope we shall see a great deal of each other. I can't tell you how glad I am to have met you! It sort of brings back old times and all that. Do you remember the day you climbed the beech



tree by the river and nearly fell off into the water?"

Cynthia laughed, and her eyes rested on him a trifle shyly; for those days were long ago, and a great change had taken place since then.

"I must be going," she said. "Aunt does not like my being in late for lunch; besides, Polly won't stand another minute; she'll bolt, and I shall have the policeman after me."

"I shall call this afternoon," he said, holding her hand and pressing it.

"Oh—well!" she responded, with the shrug of the shoulders he remembered so well.

He stood and looked after her until she had turned a bend in the road.

CHAPTER VIII.

THE GRIFFIN.

Cynthia fortunately arrived in time for lunch, though not in time to change her habit. She waited until Lady Westlake had got through a couple of plover's eggs and a sole—or she knew that the Griffin was not approached until she was fed—before he said:

"I met an old friend in the Park, Aunt Gwen—Darrel Frayne. Perhaps you may remember him, he was with me the day you drove to Summerleigh in the Dursley fly."

"I remember him very well," said the Griffin sharply; "but that's no reason why you should dock him of his 'Mr.'"

"I've known him ever since I was a child," pleaded Cynthia.

"You're no longer a child, but a young woman," retorted her ladyship; therefore be good enough to give him his prefix. I hate this modern habit of calling every man by his simple name; it's vulgar and bad form, and is only permitted to the lower orders. Remember that for the future, please, Frayne? I suppose he's the son of Mr. Anson Frayne, of Summerleigh Court?"

"Yes," said Cynthia. "He's going to all on you this afternoon, Aunt Gwen."

"Oh, is he," grimly. "Frayne. It used to be a good property. This young man is the only child, is he? Well, I'll see him."

Cynthia went upstairs after lunch, her heart beating gayly. It was nice to have met Darrel again; how handsome he looked. How well his light suit became him; and he was just like his old self; and he was a soldier. She had always admired soldiers. And he was pleased to see her; oh, yes, he was just the same.

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Parsons did not mind in the least; indeed, was delighted to do so. Cynthia hummed during the operation, and went down to the drawing-room, perhaps a little conscious that she was looking her best.

It seemed a long while till four o'clock, and though she tried to occupy the time with a book, it is to be feared that the unfortunate author received but little attention. Fortunately for himself, Darrel did not arrive until the Griffin had had her afternoon slumber.

He had been wise enough to come in full fig; frock coat, patent boots, a dazzling shining hat, the whole afternoon kit complete. Lady Gwen received him in an attitude of armed neutrality, and extended two fingers as she surveyed him from top to toe with an unmasked scrutiny.

"Oh, so you're Darrel Frayne, are you?"—it appeared that she considered herself privileged to drop the prefix. "I met your father some years ago, when I was a girl. I've an idea that he was one of the men who proposed to me; but I am not sure; there were so many. And pray, what are you doing?"

"I'm in the service," replied Darrel, with a touch of pride, which caused the Griffin to show her teeth in an ironical smile.

"What do you mean—army, navy, or just a clerk in the civil service?"

"I'm in the army," replied Darrel; "in the South Surrey."

"A walking regiment," commented her ladyship, with a sniff. "Well, it will keep you out of mischief, I hope. And your family was always fond of mischief, if I remember rightly."

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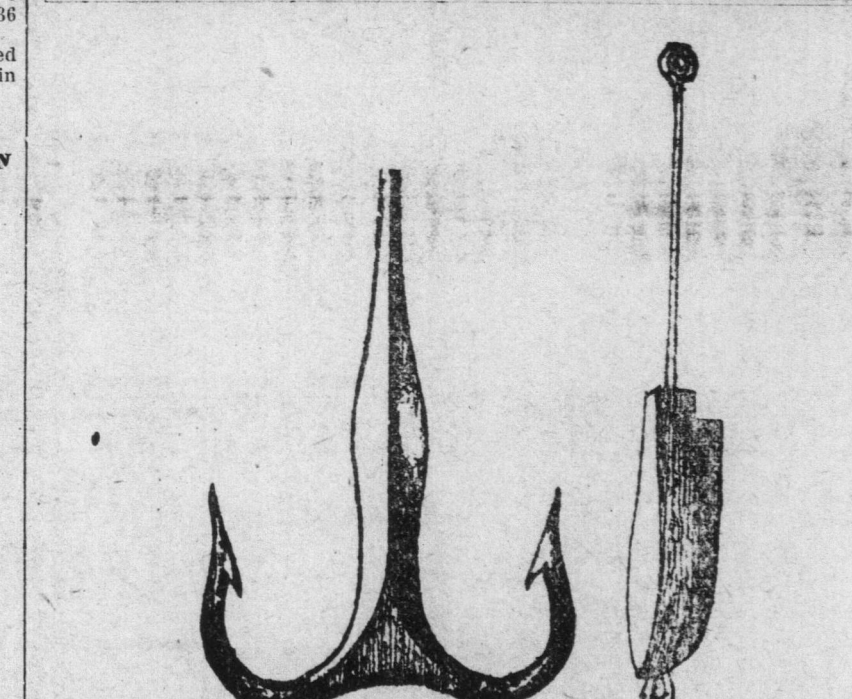
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OTTAWA, April 8. Premier Borden has given notice of a straight closure Bill for Wednesday.

ROME, April 8. Vesuvius, Etna and Stromboli have all become active at the same time, the first occasion on record.

ROME, April 8. Pope Pius suffered a severe relapse last night, his temperature rising to 100. His physician has forbidden him even to receive the usual daily report of Vatican affairs.

DETROIT, April 8. Woman suffrage is apparently beaten here, Detroit voted overwhelmingly in favor of municipal ownership of street railways. It is believed the returns will show a 4 to 1 vote in favor.

LONDON, April 8. Sir Thomas Lipton has sent an unconditional challenge for America's Cup. Lipton says the New York Yacht Club must now race or give up the Cup. He intends to enter a 75 footer, and the building will commence immediately.

WINNIPEG, April 8. Sir Charles Tupper is scheduled to leave Vancouver to-night for London, but his health is precarious, and he is suffering from a recent chill. He has declined to attend a banquet at Montreal, saying that he will never again make a public speech.

MONTREAL, April 8. If the Wilson tariff amendments come into active being, it will mean a big thing for the Maritime Provinces, is the general opinion. The free entry of fish foods into the States will mean increased prices, and increased fleets and equipments. It means more fish and an increased price of \$1.25 per one hundred pounds. There is plenty fish in Canadian waters, and should the tariff come into force, the industry is sure to grow.

CHRISTIANIA, April 8. Failure has overtaken the German Arctic expedition under Lieut. Schroeder Stranz, several members dying from exposure and scurvy. Four men have returned to Advent, Bar, Spitzbergen, and two others are reported safe at Treurenburg Bay. The aviator and cook are dead from exposure and starvation, while nothing has been heard from the commander since he started on a sledge expedition alone, in August last.

TOKIO, April 8. "The hollowness of American equality," is the subject of an ironical editorial in the Asahi, the leading independent newspaper of Japan which says that Californians propose to treat their neighbors across the Pacific worse than negroes. The article continues by saying the anti-Japanese agitation must impress Japanese people with a keen sense of humiliation which will require many years to efface, and Americans must be prepared for a cool reception when they settle in Japan.

LISBON, April 8. Jose Cosentino, bull fighter, is for the moment the hero of the Royalists. His appearance in the bull ring Sunday night, after he had been acquitted by court martial on a charge of conspiracy against the Republic, was the cause for desperate rioting. Ten thousand spectators cheered and hissed him, according to politician sympathies until he left the ring. The exhibition of the monarchists and republicans fought outside. There was much shooting, many being badly wounded. The troops eventually restored order.

DUDLEY, April 8. Last night the suffragettes made an attempt to blow up historic Dudley Castle, which dates back to the 8th century. The town was awakened at midnight by a loud explosion. The police found chemicals and blasting powder, some of which failed to explode. Some old siege guns, weighing a ton each, were brought from the embrasures by the explosion. "Votes for women and damn the consequences" was one of the lady-like messages attached to an old cannon. One story says that a criminal gun captured at Sebastopol, was fired.

WASHINGTON, April 8. President Wilson to-day commended his first message to Congress. It was unusually brief, dealing exclusively with the need for thorough moderate, well-considered and early reforms in the Banking and Currency laws. He said that for the present he refrained from urging any other legislation, as it might divert the energies of Congress. The message urged that special privileges and exemptions from competition be cut off the Nation's tariff system, and that revision be made to "square with facts as they are," drawing attention to the party's pledge of tariff revision.

LISBON, April 8. Former King Manuel declares, "I foresee I shall soon return to the throne of Portugal," in an interview published to-day in a monarchist newspaper, which does not disclose his whereabouts. Manuel outlines a programme of social and economic reforms to be introduced on his return. He describes the condition of Portugal as deplorable, affirming that actual despotism has replaced parliamentary self-government, and is controlling the Courts of Justice, whilst neglecting agriculture, commerce and industry, and augmenting the taxes to such an extent as to force 120,000 Portuguese to emigrate last year. The interview is regarded as indicative of a renewal of monarchist activities.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. J. Quirk wishes to thank the many kind friends who sympathized with her in her sad bereavement and sent wreaths and flowers to adorn the coffin, and especially The Marine & Fisheries Department, Mrs. T. Green, Mrs. J. W. Spry, Mr. R. Spry and Mrs. George Hayward.—adv't.

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Two recent events have revived interest in and promise the final solution of a mystery that has puzzled the world for 200 years, or at least since the Dutch navigator, Jacob Roggeveen discovered the triangle of land known as Easter Island on Easter morning, 1722, 27 degrees and 30 minutes south of the equator, 2,000 miles from South America and 1,400 miles from the nearest land, Pitcairn Island.

The two facts that may prove the keys that will unlock the secrets of Easter Island are the sailing of an expedition of research and investigation in charge of W. Scoresby Routledge and some late conclusions by Prof. W. E. Safford of the United States Department of Agriculture, botanist and ethnologist, who has travelled among the isles of the Pacific and also in South America to trace points of similarity, as they exist between the as yet unsolved sculpture and untranslated language of this forty-two square miles of land and the monuments and peoples of Peru and Bolivia.

On this bit of territory have been counted 550 sculptured statues created upon cyclopean masonry, according to the latest bulletin of the Pan-American union; also there are stone houses, some more than 100 feet in length, with walls six feet thick, built like forts. There are tables in a strange language, terraces on headlands, with wall toward the sea, sometimes thirty feet high and more than 200 or 300 feet long. On the land side of the terraces are large stone pedestals for the images.

Most of the figures and inscriptions are cut from rough solid lava. Forty are inside the crater of one volcano, and outside are as many more at the foot of the slope, where they were placed for removal to different platforms. Some platforms measure only three or four feet in length, while others are eighty feet in extent. The largest is in an unfinished state. If erected upon its pedestal it would stand seventy feet in height. The smallest figure is but three feet high. All are of the same grim, frozen-faced type, with the head long, eyes closed under heavy brows, nose large, low-bridged and very broad at the nostrils, the upper lip short and the lips pointing. In most instances the head tilts backward. The lower part of the face is broad and heavy, but however they are formed. Ears are long and pendant. The shape generally ends at the shoulders or waist. The expression is profoundly solemn, disdainful, rudely picturing supercilious scorn.

One of the most remarkable features of the mystery is the fact that only one of these images stands in its original position upon a platform. All the others were thrown down.

The work of these ancients stopped suddenly. But why? For two centuries this question has remained unanswered. Was it the eruption of a volcano that did it? Some of the largest of the images are buried to the neck in ashes and fragments of lava.

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Prof. Safford, a man of great learning, has made the interesting discovery that the language of the less than 200 inhabitants to-day is essentially Polynesian and like that of Hawaii. Nearly all the words in the language spoken by the natives could, by observing certain fixed laws or changes be converted into Hawaiian. Some of the gods have the same names as the ancient Hawaiian gods, although the islands are separated by 2,000 miles of water. Contrary to the theory of others, Prof. Safford believes that the handful of present-day inhabitants are the descendants of the ancient lava carvers.

Easter Island, with its buried yet visible mysteries, now belongs to Chile, which has discovered ceremonial scepters, clubs, idols of stone and hardwood with eyes of glassy volcanic rock and shell, ceremonial paddles, feature headresses and small clubs for beating the bark of paper mulberry trees for tapa cloth.

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WEDNESDAY, April 9th, 1913.

A Morris Masterpiece.

We have perused the three columns in the "Daily News" this morning which is set forth as "The Premier's Great Speech in Reply to Mr. Kent's criticisms of the Budget and the Policy of the Government."

The speech itself appears to have been a miserable effort, full of irrelevances and carefully steering away from the serious criticisms advanced by Mr. Kent against the policy of the Government, set forth in the Budget Speech.

The Government scribe, evidently an official in the pay of the House, who is called upon to do party service, while receiving the pay of the Legislature, was called upon to do the best he could of a bad situation. His present laugh at the statement that the gallery warmly applauded the Premier and that the applause took on the nature of an ovation. All this is the product of the imagination of the writer and false in fact, and is meant for the consumption of those who know no better.

The feature of the Premier's masterpiece is its irrelevances, such as his dragging in Home Rule, the Boer War, which had nothing whatever to do with Newfoundland politics. How hard up the Premier was for material may be gathered from the charge that Mr. Kent had tried to make out that the policy of the present Government was all part of a plan for Confederation.

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The Herald's Argument.

The "Herald" a few days ago, asserted that no person took interest enough in the proceedings of the assembly, to attend, owing to the Opposition being weak. He also said that but for the two reporters of the Telegram (as a matter of fact, one reporter of the Telegram has been present throughout the session), the galleries would have been deserted. He never imagined, deep thinker that he is, that his reasoning could work both ways and that it could truthfully be said that lack of interest in Government legislation has kept the people from attending. The presence of the Telegram reporter has been an eye-sore all the session to the Premier and his docile minions, and not infrequently has he received a quiet hint that it would be more comfortable for the Government if he withdrew. As regards the devoted Opposition, they have covered themselves with glory this session and the confusion in the Government ranks is quite evident, owing to their effective onslaughts. If the Hon. P. T. were present in the galleries last night when Mr. Kent was speaking, he would have seen what interest the people take and the knowledge would not have done him good. Their interest was created in the excellent speech delivered by Mr. Kent, whose telling periods were persistent, and so loudly applauded that the cry "Order" from the Chairman of Committees often resounded through the House. Fact is the Government was in the near future their complete undoing, and they are therefore worried and filled with the terrors which their certain speedy dissolution must bring to them. The man who wrote the "News" report of the proceedings, published in that paper, is certainly making it strong when he says the galleries applauded the Premier. We certainly agree with him as to the "enthusiasm" of the Premier's supporters inside the bar, but as to the galleries they were significantly silent while the Premier spoke, though they repeatedly thundered forth their applause for Mr. Kent. Any impartial witness to last night's proceedings will testify this, the prevarications of the "News" to the contrary notwithstanding.

Untrue Statement.

The "News" says this morning that a Telegram reporter, last night, became so angry in the House, that he started to interrupt and had to be cautioned that he was to be ejected. Mr. Carew is the only reporter for the Telegram and he did not interrupt, nor was anyone in the reporters' gallery cautioned. Possibly an episode which occurred last evening, not last night, is the matter to which the "News" refers. The Premier stated in his speech "what means of propulsion we will have in fifty years hence 'God knows.'" A person in the gallery reiterated the last prayer loudly, and this is the great interruption of the "truthful" scribe of the "News." But the men inside the bar applauded and made noise, then why not those outside make noise? It depends on whose ox is gored and he reason for the "News" disregard of truth and display of chagrin this morning, is that the applause from the Opposition, and those inside, Sir Edward's followers, applauded like clackers at a play.

Hr. Grace Notes.

Mr. John L. Oke, of the Water Co., has been confined to his home since Saturday with an attack of illness. The srs. Sagona arrived from the seal fishery via St. John's at six o'clock last evening. While at St. John's some of the crew succeeded in purchasing something with which to celebrate their success, and some of them were quite merry last night. The ship commenced discharging this morning. We congratulate the captain and crew on their success. Capt. John S. Tucker, 2nd officer of the S. S. Stephano is in town on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Arthur Parsons and other friends. The Captain before coming here took a trip to Smith Sound, Trinity Bay, where we hear he has succeeded in locating something better than gold.

The snow shower of last night accumulated on the roofs of houses, and when the sun began to play on it the snow began to shower down, and one young gentleman in an up-town store got a surprise when without warning he was nearly felled on the street. Miss Nellie Davis, of Rutherford & Co.'s store is infested with an attack of mumps, but only of a mild type fortunately.

Four car loads of hay arrived by train yesterday to the Harbor Grace Agricultural Society. It is said to be of especially good quality. The 3-act drama "Captain Jack" will be staged at the Academy Hall, to-night. The St. Joseph's troupe of Riverhead are playing it. It was very successful in Carbonear where it was played last week.

We regret to report that Mr. W. H. Thompson is still very ill and his friends are becoming anxious about him. He is now well up in years, but still we trust his strong constitution will aid the doctors' efforts in bringing him around.

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Man Fell Into Hold of S. S. Bellaventure

A NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

Henry Gardner, clerk, aged 33, fell into the hold of the S. S. Bellaventure last night, a distance of fifteen feet and narrowly escaped being killed. The victim is badly injured internally and his recovery is doubtful. Gardner went on board the ship at A. Harvey's wharf at 9:30 to see a friend of named Score, who was going in the Adventure, which was lying alongside the Bell, at the pier. He walked along the starboard side of the ship slowly as it was very dark. Suddenly he slipped on an iron girder, which was lying on the deck and was precipitated into No. 3 hold head-on. Fortunately the man did not strike anything in his descent, as there were a lot of beams and coal tubs around. He landed on a pile of coal where he lay prone for several minutes with blood oozing freely from his head. In the meantime an alarm was given by the watchman on board the ship and a number of workmen hastened to the scene and Gardner was tenderly borne to the saloon. Dr. Anderson who was summoned examined the injured man, who was still unconscious, but found no bones broken, though his head was badly battered and he was hurt internally. The physician then ordered the patient to Hospital where he was taken in the ambulance. At 7 o'clock this morning Gardner regained consciousness. He is so far unable to speak and concussion of the brain is feared. Gardner worked with the Martin Hardware Co., resides on Bannerman Street, and has a wife and four children.

Policemen Quit.

The six policemen of the Western Station, who tendered their notice to quit nearly a month ago, will be leaving in a few days' time, and if their pieces are not quickly filled, this important portion of the city will be without proper police protection. The wonder is that so many are staying by the force, in view of the Government's refusal to give them a living wage. As Mr. Kent said in the House, they cannot live on Sir Edward's sympathy.

The New Steamer.

Mr. H. D. Reid had a telegram yesterday afternoon from his brother, Mr. E. G. Reid, saying that the new S. S. Kyle had been launched Monday. The new ship was christened by Mrs. Reid and it is thought will make her trial trip in about three weeks. The ship was built by Swan, Hunter & Co., of Newcastle-on-Tyne, who built the S. S. Lintrose.

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MR. KENT'S SCATHING CRITICISM.

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MR. KENT (continued).—As regards the payment and the other items that went to make up that amount, there were two other items—lands and telegraphs. As to the land question, it will be remembered that under the '88 contract Mr. Reid was given, in addition to lands which he received under the '93 contract, 5,000 acres per mile of railway comprised in the contract, but out of that 5,000 acres provided by the Colony with the '1,000,000, Mr. Reid handed back one-third of the actual quantity to the country for the purchase of his own railway—the Colony provided the land for Mr. Reid to pay back. When the railway was taken back Mr. Reid at that time practically said to the Colony, "You cannot take back the railway which you sold to me without giving me back the lands which I gave you." Consequently the Colony had to take back the lands given to the Reids under the '93 contract, as well as the \$1,000,000, and they did that under the 1901 agreement. In addition to the land taken back it will be remembered that the Reid Nfd. Co. had also an unrestricted right to take up the lands which he was entitled under the '88 contract all over the Colony. In fact they had taken up an area of 700 to the extent of 1,000 OR 700 MILES ROUND THE COASTLINE.

and these lands had to be taken back also. At that time Mr. Reid controlled the railway traffic of the Colony, and if he controlled the coastline he would control the maritime traffic as well. The whole business of the Colony if these lands remained in the possession of Mr. Reid at that time would be under the control of Mr. Reid. This would be a most disastrous condition of affairs to exist for the Colony. These lands, it will be remembered, covered quite a number of lands occupied by squatters who held no titles from the Crown to hold and cultivate them; and also covered timber lands which were held under leases by other parties, and at the expiration of the leases of these parties these properties became the properties of Mr. Reid. The owners of lands would have no right whatever to a renewal of their leases except upon such terms as the Company was prepared to give them at the time these leases expired. They also held mining properties. It is well known if you hold a mining lease you are entitled to a superficial grant of 50 acres for operating purposes. Under the Crown Lands Act you can get more if you apply for it. If there is valuable mining property and these surface lands are surrounded throughout the country by grants held by Mr. Reid or any other large proprietor, the owners of these mines can only

get a renewal on the terms that the Reid Nfd. Co. or Mr. Reid would permit. In other words, as things stood in 1901, and which people are liable to forget.

THE REID NFD CO. OR MR. REID HELD ALL THE INDUSTRIES OF THIS COLONY IN THE HOLLOW OF THEIR HANDS.

They held forest lands all over the country, and it would have been impossible for large pulp and paper industries to develop here without their permission. If the conditions of the '93 contract now existed, without the proprietors or the investors going with their hats in their hands to the Reid Nfd. Co. to get terms upon which they could enter upon their business. These things we are apt to forget when we say that the late Government was paying this money to the Reid Nfd. Co. had no justification.

Now, again, Sir, the next item is the Telegraph Award. It is generally considered that it was wrong in principle that the Telegraph system of the Colony should have been handed over at that time to any private owner, and I think that the position was greatly aggravated by the fact of the enormous powers and great monopoly of the Colony's resources which the Reid Co. held under the '88 contract. They controlled at that time the transportation system of the country. They controlled a great deal of the resources of the Colony; they controlled also the Telegraph system of the Colony. I do not think if you were to ask any business man that he would agree with permitting the Telegraph system to remain under the control of a contractor in the position the Reid Nfd. Co. stood in. Then we know that even with the limited amount of telegraph lines that the Reid Nfd. Co. has had during last election, these lines were

USED FOR POLITICAL PURPOSES.

Mr. McNeilly enquired into the matter, and reported that he had seen so used. Well, if he used this limited line which he now controls, for political purposes, how much more would they use the enormous power which he could wield through the control of the entire Telegraph system. Then it would have been impossible for this Colony to develop its Telegraph system under the '93 contract as it has been doing since. It will be remembered that under that contract, Mr. Reid paid \$125,000 for the Telegraph system, as it then stood, in 1898. In addition he was given power to extend the lines. But the condition upon which he was given that power was that he could do it or not, as he wished. If the Government wanted Telegraph extension, it had to pay for the cost of extension, and pay the Reids their loss or deficit, upon the

cost of maintenance and operation of all extensions. We know that a difference in cost of operation would have had to be made up yearly by the Colony to the Reid Nfd. Co., though the system was in the possession of the contractor and the Colony had no control or power over them.

WE DID NOT TAKE THE PROFITS BUT WE PAID THE LOSSES.

The Reid Co., if at any time the Colony wanted to extend its Telegraph system, would decline to exercise its power to build and would not construct it itself, but would cry to the Government, "If you want the Telegraph lines extended we will construct them for you at your expense and when constructed, you must hand them over to us and pay us the difference in cost of operation and maintenance." These are the principal items which made up the increase in 1901 and 1909. It is no wonder that upon the people becoming informed upon the contract of 1898, they insisted upon the need of a modification of that contract as being absolutely necessary. It will be remembered that Mr. Chamberlain, the Secretary of State, and one of the ablest statesmen of that time, and one of the ablest of the present century, said when he read that contract, "Such an abdication by a Government of some of its most important functions is a parallel. The Colony is divested for ever of any control over or power of influencing its own development, or of any direct interest in or direct benefit from that development." There is nothing in these transactions that was not justified under the conditions left by the Minister Government as a legacy to Sir Robert Bond, and the measure of injustice done the Colony in 1898 is the amount that had to be paid for these works by the Government of the day; and further by the fact that the development of the Colony during the years following did not progress as rapidly as it would have done had the 1898 contract never been made. These large payments had to be made

TO MEET THE LEGACY OF DIFFICULTIES THAT WAS LEFT

by the Government that went out of power in 1900. That covers the Public Debt as it existed at the time the present administration came into office. During the present administration, as I said before, the Public Debt has increased by about \$7,200,000. Some of these additions to the Public Debt were made for lighthouses and other public utilities, but the large bulk, as I said before, was made for purposes of Branch Railway construction. Altogether the additions for railway construction amount to \$6,000,000, two loans of 300,000 pounds sterling and 400,000 pounds, or in round figures about \$1,000,000, in order to construct these branch railways. I thoroughly believe in the construction of railways. It believe it is one of the greatest factors in the development of the country. I believe it has helped to make Canada and the United States what they are to-day. But I think if any person were to examine the contract under which these branch lines have been constructed, he will admit that the contract is one which is very unfair to this country. The contract is to build five branch lines of railway (1) Bonavista, (2) Broad Cove, (3) Trepassey, (4) Fortune Bay, (5) Bonne Bay lines. There is one feature in this contract which strikes a person, and it has been pointed out over and over again in this House, and that is the

PAYMENT OF CASH INSTEAD OF BONDS.

In all other railway contracts payment has been made in bonds. In this contract the work is paid for in cash. We have to-day an illustration of what that means to the Colony. We have had two loans negotiated by the present Government for the construction of these lines as cash is required for payments due under the construction work. The difference between cash and bonds has cost the Colony between five and six hundred thousand dollars to date. If the Colony had paid for the construction of these lines in bonds it would be five or six hundred thousand dollars better off today than it is; and the borrowings for the construction of these lines are not yet ended. In fact you have at the present time in sight payments to the extent of nearly \$500,000 over and above the six million dollars authorized to be borrowed. The Government two loans have realized for the Colony

provided under the Construction Contract made with the late Sir R. G. Reid dated May 16th, 1893, and in quantity and in location of the total mileage of Branch Railways to be constructed under this Agreement.

Inasmuch, however, as the quantities and descriptions of rolling stock, tools, machinery, coal sheds, buildings and water stations, to be supplied by the Contractor, are hereinafter agreed between the parties to this Contract that, in lieu of providing the same, a fair valuation of the above-mentioned rolling stock, tools, machinery, coal sheds, buildings, engine sheds, work shops, turntables and water stations shall be made, applicable to each Branch Railway, and that the amount of such valuation shall be deducted from the gross valuation of all rolling stock, tools, machinery, coal sheds, engine sheds, work shops, turntables and water stations for each Branch Railway, and the balance only shall be paid to the Contractor as an addition to the extra.

Now if you turn up the '93 Contract you will see what this means. I have asked for the correspondence which was kindly supplied by the Hon. Colonial Secretary in connection with the Railway Construction and the correspondence supplied up to the date of the last session of the Legislature shows that for the Bonavista line there have been provided and equipped five first class cars, eight second class cars, two many of the baggage cars, ten box cars, four engines and two snow ploughs. The '93 Contract calls for four locomotives that is the same as the Bonavista line now. In other words any other locomotives that may be put on the Bonavista line and all the locomotives that may be put on the other Branch lines are extras. Under the 1893 Contract it is provided that three first class baggage cars shall be supplied. Well there are already on the Bonavista line, in other words two first class passenger cars for the Bonavista line now are extras and all that may be supplied for the other branches will be extras. The '93 Contract calls for two mail and baggage cars. That number were on the Bonavista line this time twelve months. Of second class cars there were two called for in the 1893 Contract and one first and second class combined. There are eight second class cars on the Bonavista line now, double as many as the Bonavista line to-day as there were for all the lines under the '93 Contract. All these additional cars and all that may be provided for the other lines are extras and have to be paid for in cash over and above the mileage. Again, Sir, there are 10 box cars now on the Bonavista line, 10 box cars were called for under the Contract of 1893; which means that all others that may be supplied will be regarded as extras. The position that that places before the contractor is that in addition to the \$15,000 per mile you have to

PROVIDE BY BORROWING

on the public account for money to pay for rolling stock and equipment for all the other branches. The contractor must pay for the railways it also has to pay for all stations, and all as extras. Every station on the Bonavista line, Trepassey, Broad Cove, Bay-Verde, Fortune Bay and Bonne Bay lines must be paid for in cash, over and above the amounts being paid for under the four sections of the construction contract to which I have made reference. But the four sections which I refer to I refer to like King's "Commissioner's Commission."

"A DEVIL AND AN OSTRICH AND AN ORPHAN CHILD IN ONE."

Section 34 provides that in addition to the \$15,000 per mile that the Colony must pay for these railways it also has to pay for all stations, and all as extras. Every station on the Bonavista line, Trepassey, Broad Cove, Bay-Verde, Fortune Bay and Bonne Bay lines must be paid for in cash, over and above the amounts being paid for under the four sections of the construction contract to which I have made reference. But the four sections which I refer to I refer to like King's "Commissioner's Commission."

COMPLETED AND EFFECTIVELY EQUIPPED.

When is the decision to be come to as to when it occurs that they are "completed and effectively equipped." Take the Bonavista line, was it to be completely and effectively equipped at the moment the line was put into Bonavista when it was formally opened last year, or is it every year that the Reid Nfd. Co. delay getting their mileage certificate? Are we to take conditions existing then? If so the longer they delay in getting their final certificates for these lines the greater the cost will be. If these lines develop traffic from year to year then the lines are getting further and further from being "completed and effectively equipped" as time goes along. In other words the need is increased as the traffic increases. This applies to all the lines. Section 35 and 36 says:—

35. The Contractor shall, as part of this Contract, provide rolling stock, tools, machinery, coal sheds, buildings and water stations of the same general character and description as those

DOES NOT THIS, MR. CHAIRMAN, POINT TO A ONE-ROD LEGACY TO THOSE WHO ARE TO COME AFTER THE PRESENT GOVERNMENT?

The borrowings for the purposes of the Branch Lines at the present time are very small as compared to what the ultimate cost will be when the five branches are built and "completely and effectively equipped." I gather from the correspondence that the Reid Co. and any application for road construction by the Company must be granted by the Government unless the circumstances it is shown to be unreasonable.

STAND OVER AND BE SETTLED AFTERWARDS.

Up to the time the last correspondence was tabled, that question was still outstanding. Another outstanding question upon the reports of the Government Engineer is the question as to the length of the Bonavista line. There are some parts of the Bonavista line to which the Govern-

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MARSHALL BROTHERS.

An Election Budget.

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ment Engineer objects on the ground that he thought shorter cuts could be made and for other reasons, for it must be remembered that every mile of railway means at least \$15,000 to the Colony. That question is still outstanding. Then the final certificate does not seem to have yet been granted to the contractor for the Bonaville line, and it certainly has not been granted for any of the others. I think the Committee will be satisfied from these figures and these references and to the correspondence and papers filed here, that the conditions arising out of the contract for construction of the branch lines is a very serious one for the Colony. We are a community of men of small means and we are paying at the present time an interest on our public debt one and a quarter million of dollars, or accurately \$1,223,300—roughly speaking one and a quarter million dollars. That is a very large figure on this one thing. I understand that the Prime Minister expended alone for a population of 242,000 people. When the Minister was making up his estimates for 1913 and 1914 he left no room for any increase in the interest on the Public Debt, but I think that he will find by the end of the year 1913 and '14 that the

PUBLIC DEBT WILL HAVE TO BE INCREASED

by further borrowings for the purpose of carrying on the works of these contracts; and the offerer we go to the money markets the harder will it be found to raise a loan on anything like equitable terms. The Prime Minister found this to be the case last summer when negotiations for the money authorized by the Railway Loan Act last session was made. He could not raise the loan the last time on anything like the same terms that he negotiated the loan for the same purpose two years previously. If you turn to a contemplation of these figures and look at the trade conditions of the Colony, we must be more than careful. Our staple industry is the codfishery. The quantity of codfish exported from this country is almost an invariable figure as it was the last 10 or 12 years, and it ranges between one and a half and one and a quarter million quintals and the price has been up during the past few years and

and give the Colony and the people the benefit to be derived from them. I fall to see, and I think the people of the Colony will fall to see, when the time comes, what the present Government during its term of office, has done, in any way to enhance the prosperity of the country.

THE PROSPERITY WAS LAID BEFORE THEY CAME INTO EXISTENCE.

They have gone on from year to year as I said collecting large revenues and spending them and now when about to appeal to the electorate, after they have collected for four years those large revenues, they remit duties which they should have remitted earlier and gradually and if they had made this reduction in a gradual manner during their term of office, they could now be in a position without curtailing any useful provision they may have made for public or humanitarian purposes to reap the full benefit of the reduction upon all the articles which they have now placed upon the Free List, without having to apply such unsound methods of calculation as those pointed out in the earlier part of my remarks, as those used by the Minister in his Budget Speech in making up his surplus for 1913-14. I hope that under the auspices of a new Government that these conditions will change and that when the Liberal Administration will take office next year the prosperity of Newfoundland will enter on a new phase and that when "Advance Terra Nova" will then become an accomplished fact and year by year Newfoundland will advance on the high road of prosperity she will take the high place among the States of the Empire which we all wish to see her take.

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Pit-Boy To Political Leader.

To the wonderful romances of Colonial life—the stories of men who have left the Mother Country with little more than the suit they wore, and who by pluck, aptitude, and perseverance ultimately carved a niche for themselves in the temple of fame—must be added that of Mr. Joseph Cook, the member for Paramatta in the Commonwealth Parliament, who has been elected leader of the Opposition in succession to Mr. Deakin.

Staffordshire folk are proud of M. Cook, for he was born of parents in that country of collieries and potteries. When he was nine years of age his father died, and he, with seven brothers and sisters, was left to fight his way in the world. His first job was as a pit-boy at 6s. a week, and until he grew to manhood he worked in Staffordshire mines. But Cook was a young man of ambitions and aspirations, and he determined that pit life should not be the end of things for him. About 1885, therefore, he emigrated to New South Wales, where his brothers and sisters had been successfully launched in life. For a time however, he was obliged to work in the pit again at Lithgow, near Newcastle.

SHORTHAND IN A COAL-MINE.

He possessed, however, that great asset to success—confidence in himself, and was even on the lookout for chances of improving his position. Ultimately he decided that he would endeavour to become a clerk, and, learning that there was a great demand for shorthand-writers, he promptly set to work to study 'Pit-man's manual. This he did at all times, in his lodgings and in the pit, and it is characteristic of his perseverance that with a piece of chalk he taught himself to make the signs on the black walls of the pit. Such good progress did he make that within a short time he obtained a certificate for a speed of 160 words a minute.

After a time, however, he felt a great inclination to become a Methodist minister, and actually passed several examinations, but gave up his desire to preach when his fellow-members of the local miners association, recognizing his capabilities as an organizer and speechmaker, elected him secretary of the association. And Mr. Cook is not a little proud of the fact that during his secretaryship no strikes occurred, while the men received good wages. Conciliation and not compulsory arbitration was his attitude towards the mineowners.

Starting as a Politician.

His political career began in 1891, when he was returned as a Labour member for the Legislative Assembly of New South Wales, and since then he has been actively engaged in the political work of the Commonwealth. One of the first men to recognize the great political abilities of Mr. Cook was Sir George Reid, the present High Commissioner for Australia, who, when he became Premier in 1894, persuaded Mr. Cook to accept the portfolio of Post-master-General, a position which he held for five years with singular success.

For some years Mr. Cook was Sir George Reid's right-hand man, and

The Razor.

The razor is a toothless weapon which has attained great popularity among barbers, who do not feel it at all while it is being pushed around over the human face. It is used to debilitate the beard and incite peace among our colored brethren, and in both instances leaves large, yawning footprints as a token of esteem.

There are two kinds of razors—ordinary and safety. The ordinary razor is a skillful substitute for a pair of tweezers, especially when in an unsharpened state. Nearly all ordinary razors take hold of the beard with both hands and remove everything that gets in the way. A razor which is being wielded by a penurious citizen who is in a hurry to get to church will leave traces of its handwork on his countenance which look like Sitting Bull's make-up for the war dance.

When the barber begins to shave a patron, he first plucks three or four furrows and then waits to see if the customer is conscious. Some men are able to go to sleep in a barber chair, but this is a dangerous practice, as the razor is liable to slip two or three hills and land in the middle of a pet mole.

The safety razor is an imitation of the three-section drag which can be run over the face at a high rate of speed without removing anything but the hair. The safety razor should never be used for shaving purposes until the patient has been chloroformed and bound hand and foot, as it becomes dull quicker than a joint debate on the tariff problem.

A razor is a handy implement to have about the house, as it can be used for numerous domestic purposes, such as pruning a rose bush or decapitating a defiant corn. A great many people would prefer to toy with a deadly razor than have a loquacious chiropodist patting around their feet and commencing upon their contour.

Plowmen Poets.

The greatest plowman poet who ever lived, was Robert Burns. His birthday was celebrated recently by Scotsmen in every part of the world.

Another poet who, like Robert Burns, found poetical inspiration in farming and field work, and who was recently awarded by the Academic Committee of the Royal Society of Literature of the Polignac Prize, which consists of one hundred pounds and is a coveted literary distinction, is Mr. John Macfieff. This clever poet began his career by going to sea, but ultimately drifted to a farm, where he worked for some time. Then he tried his luck in a city office; but the literary germ began to develop and he soon became known as a writer of real brilliance.

One of the contributors to "New Songs," an anthology of contemporary verse published in London four years ago, was Alfred Owen Williams, a hammerman employed on the Great Western railway; and his career furnishes a striking example of the old-time saying that genius will out. The son of a carpenter, living in the little village of South Marston, Williams at eight years of age started work on a farm and finally left school at eleven. Then he deserted farm life for the engineering shop, and from fourteen he has been successively rivet lad, steam-hammer driver, furnaceman, and hammerman at the Great Western Railway Works, Swindon. Incited by the Ruskin Hall Correspondence Class, Williams devoted his leisure hours to study, doing much before five in the morning and often continuing until midnight. In this way he taught himself shorthand, Latin, Greek, and French, acquired an extensive acquaintance with English literature, and became a poet of no little merit.

Then there was Joseph Shipsey, the pitman poet, who, at seven years of age, went to work in a mine absolutely without education of any kind, but lived to be the first editor of the "Canterbury Poets" and to have his own poetic faculty recognized by all the leading poets of the day.

Don't forget to come to the Congregational Lecture Hall to-night. By request that pretty Cantata "Band of Hope Queen" will be repeated. Come and see the Queen, Chamberlain, Chamberlain and rest of her court. In addition to this a good programme has been arranged. Home-made candy for sale. Concert commences at 7.45. Admission, adults, 20c.; children, 10c. etc. ap.11

When the Battle Flags are Laid Away.

Oh, will there never come a day
When erring nations cease to war,
When battle-flags are laid away
To be our pride and boast no more?

Al peace with all the world, we say;
I was cured of Acute Bronchitis by MINARD'S LINIMENT.
Why this do we with conscience play?
Each interim is but a truce.

War preparations still increase—
At any stroke the hour may come;
And still we sing our hymn of peace
To music of the fife and drum.

What'er the cause, whichever may win,
It sorrow brings, to burn for years
In blameless lives for others' sins,
War's glory stained with blood and tears.

Gladdest of days 'twill be to dawn
When man of conflict knows no need;
When nations cease to struggle on
For conquest, glory or for greed.

Then comes the time when war shall cease,
With all its haunting banners furled,
When floats the white-stemmed flag of peace
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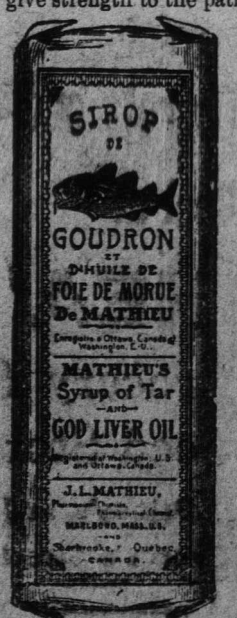
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C. M. RITCHIE.

SYDNEY, C.B., July 20, 1908.
Dear Sirs,—Yours of the 22nd to hand asking for testimonial for Mathieu's Syrup. I have handled Mathieu's Syrup for one year, and find it one of the best sellers in a cough medicine that I have ever handled. I am ordering one Gross from your traveler to-day, as I sold the last bottle in stock yesterday.
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ENTERED HOSPITAL—A boy named Shave, of Spencer Street, was removed to the General Hospital, yesterday, suffering from a tubercular knee.

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Viking Coming.

Supt. R. C. Smith, of the Anglo Telegraph Company had the following message to-day from Cape Ray—

"Outward at 11.30 a.m. sealing steamer, can't identify her; squally at sea; either Viking or Southern Cross."

We are indebted to Mr. R. C. Smith, of the Anglo, for the accompanying message received at 1 p.m. from Channel—

"Viking passed East at 12.45; flags flying; looks deep."

Supreme Court.

(IN CHAMBERS.)

(Before the Chief Justice.)

In the matter of the petition of Wm. H. Goudie, of St. John's, Baker, praying to be declared insolvent.

Wm. H. Goudie was sworn and examined by Mr. Mews, his counsel, who then moved that he be declared insolvent, and it was ordered that the petitioner be declared insolvent, and that Donald M. Browning be appointed as trustee.

(Before Mr. Justice Johnson.)

Geo. Penney vs. W. F. Horwood.—This is an action for damages for breach of agreement to engage the plaintiff as master of a vessel. H. A. Winter, for Plaintiff, Jas. P. Blackwood for Defendant. This case will probably occupy the Court for the remainder of to-day.

The Police Court.

A drunk and disorderly, who was also charged with interfering with a woman, was fined \$5 or 14 days.

A drunk for the second time was fined \$1 or 3 days.

A drunk and disorderly was fined \$5 or 14 days.

The defendant in a case of abusive and insulting language, was ordered to give a bond to keep the peace.

Two judgments were handed down in the Magistrate's Court, viz., Garland vs. Peckford, a fishery dispute, judgment being in favor of Peckford, and in the case of the Municipal Council vs. the Hockey League, the Council was non-suited.

Adventure Again Held Up.

The s.s. Adventure was ready this morning to sail for Sydney to load coal for Botwood, but was detained by her firemen. The ship hailed off from the pier to prevent the stokers from deserting. Two of them failed to turn up, and the captain went ashore to look for them. During his absence three of the firemen on board left the ship, getting over the side of her on a ladder and reaching the shore in a boat. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of the five deserters. This is only one of a series of times in which the owners of the Adventure have been caused trouble and expense by stokers.

Curlers Annual.

The annual meeting of the Curlers' Club was held last night when the report of Secretary A. H. Salter was read. Statements submitted showed the Club to be in good financial standing. President J. R. Bennett who was in the chair, made a brief speech, reviewing the work of the past season which was very successful. Before the close a pleasing presentation took place in which Mr. Salter for his valuable services and untiring efforts in the interests of the organization was presented with a purse of gold. The gift was presented by Mr. Bennett and the recipient made a fitting reply.

McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, April 9, 1913. This is the best time to put in seeds for Spring Cabbage Plants, and the American varieties are the kinds most popular, as they appear to suit this country best. We have—starting from the earliest varieties—Early Spring, Early Jersey Wakefield, Morningstar, Charleston Wakefield, Succession, Large Fat Dutch, and Drumhead. All the above are of the most carefully selected and finest varieties, obtained from a famous firm of American Seed men, and are likely to prove as successful this year as for many years past. Price, 30c. an ounce. Myrtle's Sage and Sulphur Air Remedy, which has often been asked for during the last few days, has now come to hand and is on sale. Customers can obtain it at either of our stores. Price, 60 cents a bottle.

The Latest for Ladies.

P. F. COLLINS has just received the latest Linen Dresses for Ladies that was ever imported in the city direct from New York, and they are on sale to-day. Prices from \$2.79 to \$5.00.—ap9,11

SEWING MACHINES.—We are selling our famous Machine at \$12.00, few left. Get one before the end of April; no chance after this month. CHESLEY WOODS.—ap8,11

OBITUARY.

ERNEST G. MARTIN.

For some weeks past the health of Mr. Ernest G. Martin has been precarious and last night the end came to the great sorrow of his relatives and friends. Mr. Martin was a man of upright and sterling qualities and was highly esteemed by all who were brought into contact with him. As a builder and contractor he was most conscientious and highly regarded by all for whom he had done work. He served his time with the late Mr. Henry Earle, for whom years he was foreman and at his death acquired the business which he has conducted on his own behalf for the past sixteen years. He is survived by his wife, five sons, four brothers and three sisters. To these the Evening Telegram extends sympathy for their sorrow. The funeral will take place to-morrow.

MOSES CLARK.

The following resolution was unanimously carried at a meeting of Boyne L.O.L., No. 80, at the last night of meeting:—"We, as a Lodge, do mourn the loss of our late brother, Moses Clark." He came from Sydney Mines on March 24th, and died on April 1st following. His disease was blood-poisoning. We miss him in our midst as brethren. Bro. Clark passed peacefully and triumphantly home. His funeral took place on Wednesday, April 2nd, the corpse being preceded by the members of the Orange Order, and the pastor, followed by the immediate relatives and a large concourse of sympathizing friends. The funeral ceremony at the grave side was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Sargeant. Bro. Clark leaves a wife, two sons and one daughter to mourn the loss of a dear father, and three dear little children, with no provider. A father, mother, three brothers and three sisters are also bereaved.

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Spring Longings.

I'd fain be a-fishing while I sit here dishing upon motheaten verses for butter and bread; I'd like to be straying in green lanes and playing in sweet scented meadows, with blossoms be-spread. I yearn for the forest where songbirds have chorused their anthems in April for thousands of years; I sigh for the wildwood where now, as in childhood, I'd gambol around like the friskiest steers. I'd like to be swimming, like geosling a-skimming around in the brooklet, my clothes on the brink; it's sad to be trammelled by bathtub enameled, when one is so anxious to plunge in the drink. This life brings me closer to butcher and grocer, I order my fish from the market or store; no more do I angle, my baited hooks dangle in front of the suckers and trout-lets no more. I sigh for the open, I find myself hoping that I can go fishing in June or July; but just for the present I am contented to sit here and sigh. In springtime we're yearning, our bosoms are burning with fond recollections of woodland and stream; it all ends in wishing; when some one says "Fishing," we think staying home is a jolly good scheme.

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Special to Evening Telegram. WIND RACE, To-day. Wind W.S.W., fresh, weather dull; nothing sighted to-day. Bar. 29.60; ther. 34.

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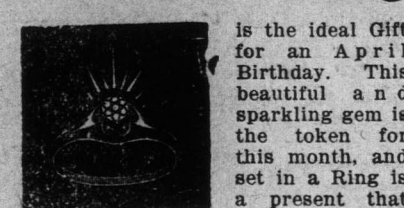
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Tug and Tow Here.

The tug Ingraham arrived here with the Earl of Devon in tow from Greenspond last evening. The ship has been leaking since she was taken in tow, 2 feet of water every three hours. The Ingraham put her salvage pumps on board the Earl but when the donkey boiler gave out fires had to be kept on the vessel's furnace and the pump thus kept going. In King's Cove the two vessels rode out the S. E. storm, it was difficult to keep the steam for the pumps going from the Ingraham and had they parted the Earl would have sunk. They, however, managed to keep her afloat and Capt. Rose and his crew of the Ingraham deserve to be congratulated on getting the steamer here without mishap.

Missionary Meeting.

At Wesley Church last night, a Women's Missionary Meeting was conducted. Rev. F. R. Matthews, B.A., presided in the absence of President Mrs. A. W. Martin, owing to the death of her brother-in-law. The lesson was read by Mrs. R. Cross and the annual report by Mrs. A. H. Goble. The report showed a successful year. The solo rendered by Miss Ethel Miller, the recitation by Miss Wornell, the solo by Miss Vincent and the reading by Mrs. Matthews, was well received. Two choruses were contributed by the Mission Band girls. Rev. C. A. Whittemarsh, B.A., delivered the closing address.

C.L.B. Shield Presentation.

The Outerbridge Shield was presented Monday night to No. 1 Section "B" Company, Corporal Samuelson receiving it at the hands of Mrs. Davidson, wife of His Excellency the Governor, who was present with his suite. His Excellency inspected the Battalion and praised the lads on their appearance. Lance Corporals Stephenson and Edgecombe were promoted to Corporals and several members of the Brigade got good conduct stripes. The Band of the Battalion rendered a splendid programme of music.

Coastal Boats.

The Argyle left Flat Island at 5 a.m. yesterday, going west.

The Bruce left Port aux Basques at 8.2 p.m. yesterday.

The Ethie arrived at Grand Bank at 6.50 p.m. yesterday.

The Glencoe left St. Jacques at 6 p.m. yesterday bound west.

Train Notes.

The incoming express is due here at 11 to-night with the Bruce passengers. The Lintrose's passengers will arrive here to-morrow evening by the express.

Here and There.

Coughs, Cold, Bronchitis and Asthma can be cured. Take from 10 to 30 drops of Stafford's Liniment every 3 hours. For sale by N. August, New Gower Street. Open every night. ap9,11

LINTROSE PASSENGERS.—The S. S. Lintrose arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.30 a.m. to-day bringing Mrs. R. Mosdell, W. J. Phillips, Miss B. Ellis, A. Nichols, W. C. McDonald, J. W. Ingraham, C. A. Steward, J. Reid, Walter Carby.

For Whooping Cough, Pneumonia, Asthma, Chronic Pulmonary affections, Tightness of the Chest, have equal parts of Stafford's Liniment and sweet oil and apply to chest every 3 hours. Cover with flannel. For sale by H. Codner, Henry Street.—ap9,11

STELLA MARIS PASSENGERS.—The Stella Maris sailed at 3 p.m. to-day for the Northward taking W. Payne, Anthony Ledrew, wife and 3 children, Wm. Saunders, Frank Lovidge, Rev. W. J. Wilson, Fred. Score, Miss E. Curtis, 30 in steerage and a number of seafarers.

St. Andrew's Society Concert, Presbyterian Hall, Tuesday, April 15th. See the Highland Fling. Tickets 30c. and 50c. at James Baird, Ltd., Ayre & Sons, Ltd., and John Anderson.—ap9,11

BOB'S TURNOUT.—The s.s. Bonaventure finished landing her seals at Job's premises last night, and turned out 12,606 young harps, 434 young hoods, 120 old harps, 16 old hoods; total 13,176 seals; gross weight 241 tons, 8 cwt., 2 qrs., 1 lb.; net weight 231 tons, 14 cwt., 1 qr., 3 lbs.; gross value \$20,679.46; net value \$20,529.46. Her crew of 270 men shared \$25.25.

UNDERWENT OPERATION.—Capt. Wilcox, late of the Lake Simcoe, who stayed ashore this trip, underwent a serious operation at the hands of Drs. Fraser and Mitchell, last evening. The captain suffers from an internal complaint as the result of the accident he sustained on a recent voyage. He is improved to-day and his physicians look for his complete recovery soon.

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram. WASHINGTON, To-day.

The possible violation of over a score of treaties between the States and foreign countries through one provision of the new tariff bill, that proposes a concession in tariff on goods brought in by American built ships, is giving concern to officials of the State of Commerce Department. The section under consideration would reduce by five per cent. tariff on all foreign goods brought to this country by vessels built in the States, which shall be wholly the property of citizens thereof. The treaties now in force with Britain and with a score or more of other nations, provide that the same tariff shall be levied on imports from these countries, whether brought in American ships or ships of the country from which imports come.

BUFFALO, To-day.

Riots and bloodshed followed the attempt on part of International Railway Company to resume traffic in city on inter-urban lines with strike breakers in place of their motormen and conductors who have been on strike since Sunday. Francis Murphy, a 13 year old boy, was shot, and probably fatally wounded. In exchange shots were fired during melee in which strike breakers and police and a mob of several hundred took part. Two men were badly burned when mob tore down an overhead trolley wire in a down town section. Several shots were fired which struck the tonneau and car in which the Chief was riding, but neither he nor any of his men were struck. Police with drawn revolvers dispersed the mob. All efforts to bring strike leaders and officials of Company together to discuss arbitration failed.

SYDNEY, To-day.

Horace Haybew Broughton, England, managing director of the C. B. Coal and Iron and Railway Co., will arrive here the first of May. The Co. is preparing actively to develop its properties at Mira. Two hotels, manager's houses, three cottages, boiler and engine house, machine shop, laborers' cabins have been erected. Three slopes are opened up, 2½ miles track built, contract for three miles additional let; a thousand feet of shipping pier will also be built. The total estimate for construction work is a million dollars. It is expected employees in construction work will number 500 before the end of the year.

LONDON, To-day.

Miss Zelle Emerson, suffragette of Jackson, Mich., was released from Holloway Jail, last night, and taken by her mother to a nursing home where she will be given medical treatment.

Rossley Theatre

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Here and There

Campbell's Milk Shakes are delicious.—jan9,11

WHALING.—The whaler Cabot, has arrived at Balena, and will begin operations immediately.

TRITONIA LEAVES.—The A. N. D. Co.'s steamer Tritonia leaves Glasgow to-morrow for Botwood to load pulp and paper.

Time has many gifts to bestow, but the surprise of the season is the astounding value in Spring Hats at RODGERS.—ap9,11

RED CROSS LINE.—The S. S. Thyra Menier, left Halifax at 7 a.m. to-day for this port.

SEAL JAMMED.—According to a wireless message received last evening the Seal was jammed off Port au Port on her way to Channel.

FURNACE LINE.—The S. S. Kona, which sailed from London this morning with 1400 tons of cargo for here.

S. S. Tabasco sailed from Halifax at 6 this morning with 1400 tons of cargo for here.

STAFFORD'S LINIMENT can be used Internally as well as Externally. For sale by N. Coody, Flower Hill. ap9,11

WAGER AMONG SEALERS.—A sealer bet a small amount with another yesterday that the Neptune, Capt. Bob. Bartlett, would bring in a heavier trip of seals than the Stephano did.

OFFICER ILL.—Const. Jas. Tobin, of the Western Station, who had been ill for several days is steadily improving but cannot resume duty for some time to come.

S. U. F. SOIREE.—The S. U. F. will hold their annual celebration, including supper and dance, in the British Hall to-night and a pleasant time is anticipated.

SEALERS GO HOME.—To-day the S. S. Baleine left here with the sealing crews of the Bellaventure and Bonaventure who are returning home. About 250 men went along.

WITH THE CUT.—In the tournament at the B. I. S. Club Rooms last night Mr. V. P. Burke (spot) was defeated by Mr. P. Walsh (plain) by 36 points.

The superior up-to-date invisible bifocal Kryptok Lens is the last word in double vision glasses. Supplied by R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Specialist.—mar25,11

MORE DIPHTHERIA.—Another case of diphtheria was reported in the Heanuebury family, on King's Road, yesterday. The patient was removed to Hospital.

PRESENTATION.—Mr. H. Moulton, of the Premier's Office, who was married recently, was presented with a handsome clock yesterday by his fellow officials.

WANTED.—Waitress for Restaurant; also a Girl for kitchen work. Apply to Manager WOODS' WEST END STORE. apr8,11

MONGOLIAN LEFT.—The R. M. S. Mongolian left Liverpool yesterday for this port. Mr. H. E. Cowan had a message from Hon. John Anderson stating that these passengers were on board.—Shick, Hodges, Seymour, Rossley and Anderson.

COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE AND GRIPE.

LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine removes cause. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." Look for signature of E. W. GROVE, 25c.

DANCE AND PARTY.—A dance in aid of the B.I.S. L. & A. Committee, will be held in the O'Donnell Hall on the 29th inst., and promises to be a great success. A children's party will be given the following afternoon.

One Hundred Gallons of Partridge Berries, two hundred gallons Winter Keeping Apples, 20c. gallon, for sale at J. D. HALFYARD'S, Hayward Avenue. apr9,11

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. Rd. Dinn, of Renewa, wishes to thank Dr. Knight and the nurses of the Carson ward of the General Hospital, for their great kindness and attention to his son Cyril, during his stay at that institution; also to thank those kind friends who visited him during his illness.—adv7,11

Toric Lenses are best for the eyes because their deep curve corresponds with arc of rotation of the eyeballs. Ground and fitted in short notice by R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Specialist.—mar25,11

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.—The members of Terra Nova Council, No. 1452, are requested to meet in the Cathedral, to-morrow (Thursday) morning, at 8.30, for the purpose of attending Requiem Mass for the repose of the Soul of their late Brother, Jas. J. Channing. W. H. TOBIN, Recorder. apr8,11

DIED.

Yesterday morning, after a short illness, Johanna, widow of the late Patrick Dalton, aged 70 years; funeral on to-morrow, Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 50 King's Road; friends will please accept this, the only, intimation. Boston papers please copy.

Passed peacefully away last evening, Ernest George Martin, second son of the late James Martin, aged 57 years; funeral to-morrow, Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 92 Le-Merchant Road; friends are respectfully requested to attend without further notice.

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A Wife and Yet a Daughter.

BY RUTH CAMERON.

Other plan of action that will satisfy her obligations to her husband and her parents. She seems to feel as if the old obligation were completely cancelled when she assumed the new.

Do you think she is right?

As I said at first, I believe the obligation between husband and wife is the first thing in the world, but not for the whole thing. And the man or woman who has any sense of gratitude will never be happy without doing his or her best to fulfill both obligations.

Sometimes the two needs pull so hard in opposite directions that it is not possible to satisfy them both. And then, of course it is the primal tie that exists between the two whom God has made one flesh, which must stand. On a sea voyage I once met a woman who was going to South America to meet her husband whom she had not seen for five years. We supposed he had been in South America all that time, but she nonchalantly explained that he made one brief trip North. He did not, however, have time to come to the Middle West where she was living with her mother, and as her mother was ill she said she did not quite like to leave her to go to him. I remember what a queer, unnatural creature she seemed to the rest of us.

But this is the exceptional case. Ordinarily the two obligations are not mutually exclusive. If she really tries, a woman can usually manage to be a good wife and still a daughter; and a man doesn't need to cease being a son the day he becomes a husband.

Ruth Cameron

Why Women Are Not RICH.

Man is a millionaire many times over in the possession of blood cells. Woman is not quite so rich, for scientists have proven that the average man has five million—the woman only four and a half million to a cubic millimetre of blood.

A decrease in number of red blood corpuscles and a person "looks pale"—in fact, is anemic, the blood does not get the right food and probably the stomach is disordered.

Dr. R. V. Pierce found years ago that a glyceric extract of golden seal and Oregon grape roots, queen's root and bloodroot with black cherry bark, would help the assimilation of the food in the stomach, correct liver ills and in Nature's own way increase the red blood corpuscles. This medicine he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. By assisting the food eaten the system is nourished and the blood takes on a rich red color. Nervousness is only "the cry of the starved nerves for food," and when the nerves are fed on rich red blood the person loses those irritable feelings, sleeps well at night and is refreshed in the morning.

"I was attacked with a severe disease which was caused by a disordered stomach and liver," writes Mr. J. A. D. LEBLEY, of Washburn, Tenn., Route 2, Box 35. "All my friends thought I would die and had become so weak that nothing would do me any permanent cure, but Dr. Pierce's medicine has done much for me and I highly recommend it. It heartily advises its use as a spring tonic, and further advise selling people to take Dr. Pierce's medicine before their diseases have run so long that they can't be cured."

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Household Notes.

Apples and pears should always be wiped with a clean cloth and then rinsed under the tap before using for dessert.

To keep the light of oil lamps clear, the burners should be boiled every month in water with a lump of soda in it.

Always cover newly baked bread with a clean cloth—preferably an old table cloth—to keep it free from germs and dust.

The white of an egg, whipped stiff, with a ripe banana makes a delicious cream to be eaten on a simple gelatine pudding.

Apples can be stewed with a little left-over canned fruit, such as blackberries, and the result will be a pleasant change.

Wear a sewing apron while ironing, and you will often find it possible to do a bit of mending while waiting for the iron to heat.

Sash curtains of Swiss muslin hemmed by hand are less likely to pucker when washed than when run up on the machine.

All the stripes of fat left from a steak should be left in a dish and folded out in the oven. They will make excellent fat for frying.

It pays the housekeeper to get the best bedspreads and mattresses in the market, even if she has to economize somewhere else.

Large patterns in table cloths are less economical than small ones, for the simple reason that the long threads break sooner than the short ones.

In pressing silk or satin, do not use a very hot iron nor dampen them. Lay some clean dry muslin over the seams and press with a warm iron.

A left-over dab of mashed potatoes can be made into a cupful of good soup with the addition of milk, a bit of butter and some celery salt.

A little ironing board with a cretonne case is an excellent thing for women who travel, as it can be put into the trunk with the electric iron.

Old rubberized raincoats can be put up to make cases for rubbers or slippers. Also to cover the clothes basket when laundry is sent away from home.

A cheap cut of stake can be simmered slowly in a covered frying pan, together with chopped onions and a can of tomatoes. Allow two or three hours for the cooking.

To put a gloss like new on white silk wash and rinse well, then put in water containing a teaspoonful of methylated spirit to a pint of water, and iron while damp.

When a little tomato sauce is left over, try poaching an egg in it. Season with cayenne and Worcestershire sauce. The tomatoes should be boiling when the egg is dropped.

To clean a cotton rug, lay it on the cement floor of cellar or porch, wet it, sprinkle naphtha soap powder on it and scrub with a clean broom. Then hang on the line and turn on the hose.

If you wish boiled potatoes to look pretty, peel large potatoes and cut balls out of them with the help of a potato scoop. Cook in boiling salted water for ten minutes, drain and pour over them a little melted butter, then roll in minced parsley and sprinkle with salt and pepper.

Died on 11th Birthday.

Irish Woman Who Met Napoleon When in His Supremacy.

Sarnia, Ont., March, 19.—Mrs. Mary Daly, aged one hundred and eleven, St. Clair County's oldest resident, died on the anniversary of her birth, last evening.

Mrs. Daly was born in Ireland. When but a child she met Napoleon Bonaparte when he was in his supremacy. Until the end she recalled the Battle of Waterloo and often narrated with interest the thrilling incidents of the engagements. After the Battle of Waterloo and while still a young girl she moved to Canada.

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Tribute To Glasgow.

Glasgow, Scotland, according to a writer in The National Magazine, is the "most progressively governed city in the United Kingdom." The city, the writer further states, owns all its public services, makes them render efficient service to the people at low rates and makes them yield each a yearly profit, part of which goes to take up bonded debt and part into a common good fund, out of which the city is gradually substituting comfortable, healthful, municipally owned tenements for the villainous and disease-breeding slum tenements which grew up in Glasgow, as they have done in most other large cities, under the pressure of the demand for private profit.

Glasgow supplies its citizens with cheaper gas and electric light, cheaper street car service and better than are enjoyed by the residents of any American city. Glasgow's municipal slaughterhouse, in which all animals intended for food for Glasgow's 1,000,000 people are killed and dressed for market, is a huge institution, set right in the heart of the city, yet so clean that one could pass within a hundred yards of it and never suspect its existence by reason of any odor in the air.

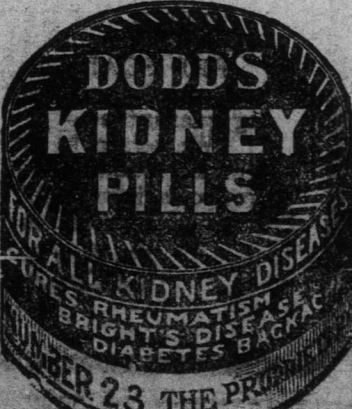
The municipal abattoir and market insure the healthfulness of all meats eaten in Glasgow, and help mightily to hold down prices by eliminating a lot of middlemen who take tolls on this business in other cities.

Youngest Lord Mayor.

Mr. Arthur Samuel, Lord Mayor of Norwich (Eng.), enjoys the distinction of being the youngest Lord Mayor ever elected in Britain. He is only 39 years of age, and until his marriage the other day Norwich was without a Lady Mayoress.

Mr. Samuel is a Jew, and the first of his race to occupy such a position in Norwich. His family, however, have been connected with Norfolk and Suffolk for several centuries, and he himself is very popular in his native shire. Mr. Samuel has political as well as civic ambitions, and is the Unionist candidate for the Stratford Division of Lancashire. Despite the similarity of name, he is not related to the Samuels who already sit in the British Commons.

His wedding at the West London Synagogue was marked by several characteristic features. It was semi-private and ancient Hebrew melodies were sung. There were no bridesmaids, and in accordance with the express wish of the bridegroom no gifts were offered. The only two he has received came from the magistrates and citizens of Norwich, and his political supporters in Manchester.



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The Fortune-Teller and the Sealer.

A TALE OF OLD ST. JOHN'S.
(By H. F. Shortts.)

In every age and every clime the people of this sub-lunar sphere are more or less tinctured with superstition, and even away back amongst the ancients, those heroes, whose deeds of arms have outlived all time—those historians, poets, etc., have transmitted their works to posterity, and whose literary skill is as much appreciated to-day as it was over two thousand years ago—those sculptors, engineers, etc., etc., whose wondrous works of art and science amaze the poor folk of the present-day, all had a weakness which, though somewhat of a different nature, possessed the same effect upon the defunct of centuries ago, as does their methods at present in vogue upon the minds of our own people. Two or three thousand years ago, with regard to superstition, there was no distinction between the rich and the poor—the consul and the soldier—the master and the slave. When we of the present day peruse the pages of Plutarch and find the greatest warriors ever the world produced having their fortunes told, by dressing the entrails of a calf, an ox or some other animal, and thereby risking the destiny of a nation upon the appearance of the interior portion of the beast. I say, when we see such immortals as the great Julius, Pompey, Pyrrhus, Gracchus, Scipio Africanus, etc., etc., doing such a thing, how can we in all conscience condemn our own poor fisherfolk and artisans who, at certain periods of the year, try their luck at a toss of the tea-cup or have the past, present and future told by fifty-two pieces of cardboard manipulated in the hands of a magician. For my own part I would certainly prefer the tea-cup or the pack to the terrible mixture stirred in the famous cauldron of the

Three Weird Sisters.

so graphically described by Shakespeare, and by the effluvia or otherwise the three "beauties" were enabled to foretell the future of the Thane of Cawdor and his ambitious better half—his wife. In olden times fortune-telling was carried out and believed in to a far greater extent than it is at present, although in some of the outports to-day may be found the tosser of the cup and the what-you-wish and what-you-don't-wish, holding their positions as proudly and lucratively as they did eighty years ago. In the large towns such as St. John's, Harlow, Charlottetown, and Brigus, in years gone by, the fortune-teller (generally a widow), was in all her glory, dressed in flounced silk dress and well-trimmed bonnet, not to speak of velvet hair-net or well-twisted curls. It was the duty of our magician to find out all she possibly could about the family, love, business and all other affairs of her victims. She attended church regularly and was foremost at a collection. She knew the captains of all our sealing fleet, and through her emissaries, managed to ascertain in what ships certain folks had procured a berth. In those days our sealers were rollicking, jovial fellows of the come-day go-day style, whose whole ambition was the frozen pans, almost sure of a bill of thirty or forty pounds should they manage to procure berths with the jowlers. Besides, they had nothing to do from the last of October until the last week in February, unless they took a trip to Sydney, Spain, Portugal or elsewhere. During their holidays they were always clean and comfortable, with the best woolen underclothing and gloves, manufactured from the raw by their mothers, wives, sisters or sweethearts. But this was before the era of novels and hand-organs. However, previous to departure, they would invariably patronize the fortune-teller, and strange to say, in most instances, she would tell them if they would make good bills or not. In my young days

Her Apparently Supernatural Powers would hold me in awe, and we used to give the great one a wide berth as she proceeded to prayers arrayed in her variegated silk dress, numerously flounced, and occupying the space in church of half dozen ordinary citizens. Hoop skirts were in vogue in those days I speak about. Since the increase of the rum fish trade with Brazil this mode of attire has been entirely done away with. But to come to my story. Here in St. John's about 30 years ago, one of these worthies pitched her tent, somewhere in the neighborhood of Apple Tree Well. By a system peculiarly her own, she managed to rush a great trade and consign all competitors to financial oblivion. Besides, this lassie (widow) possessed a fair share of good luck, jewellery and—tongue. Her establishment was high-class, and the select could visit certain portions of the house, play cards, drink rum, smoke, and in fact have a gala time, so long as they paid for what they had. It is said that her (widow's) husband occupied the position of scout to pick up all news and entice the innocent into her net. As may be readily understood, in those days St. John's did not possess a Court House, police force, dog tax, high licenses and all those other necessities of modern civilization that we possess to-day. Ah, no! Then "Them," both spiritual and temporal, fell to the lot of the clergyman in charge, and seldom did he fail to make his influence felt, and with no other inducements than a well-polished black thorn or a contraction of the eyebrows. This particular "spiritualist," or whatever she was, had the

Tables Turned On Her One Day, and this is how it happened. For some years she had been reaping a rich harvest, and at last it came to the ears of the priest, Father Fitzgerald, of the old Palace (where the Star of the Sea Hall now stands). But he had no proof, and what was he to do? He disguised himself as an ordinary fisherman, with reefer, Hamburg boots, checkered mitts, etc., and proceeded to the castle to have his fortune told. Upon entering he was invited to a seat, and the "operation of the pack" commenced in the usual way. According to the "fate" of the

cards, his reverence was to have a full measure of success at the fishery; that some person, red, black or brown, was thinking of him, but that the party he was thinking about did not admire him at all, and that they would never agree. (There was an unusual flash in his reverence's eyes, possibly the forerunner of the electric light of to-day.) There were also many other troubles (?) such as the manipulators would say to all of us, according to our sex, the appearance of our watch-guards or the number of the rings upon our fingers. His reverence seemed satisfied, and then asked that

he might be permitted to tell her the future, as he was a professional in the art. She shook her head dubiously and remarked that "it was impossible for him to do so."
"Oh, yes it is, madam," said his reverence; "and in proof I have to inform you that you are near trouble."
"Oh, no, indeed; I have nothing to trouble me, and it goes to show that you know nothing about my profession."
"I say," thundered his reverence, "you are near trouble!" accompanying the statement with a piece of advice. There was a commotion in that domicile—the magician found trouble,

the professional retired, and the next day the rooms were closed, and the widow (?) left for parts unknown. Since that day to this there has never been such extreme interest manifested for fortune telling, because the forces were disorganized, fear entered the hearts of the operators, and it generally died out, until now the book is closed upon one of the old methods of swindling our hardy sealers out of their hard earned income.
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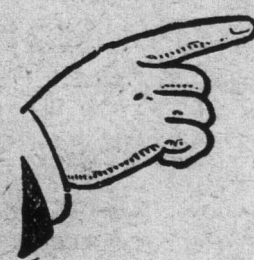
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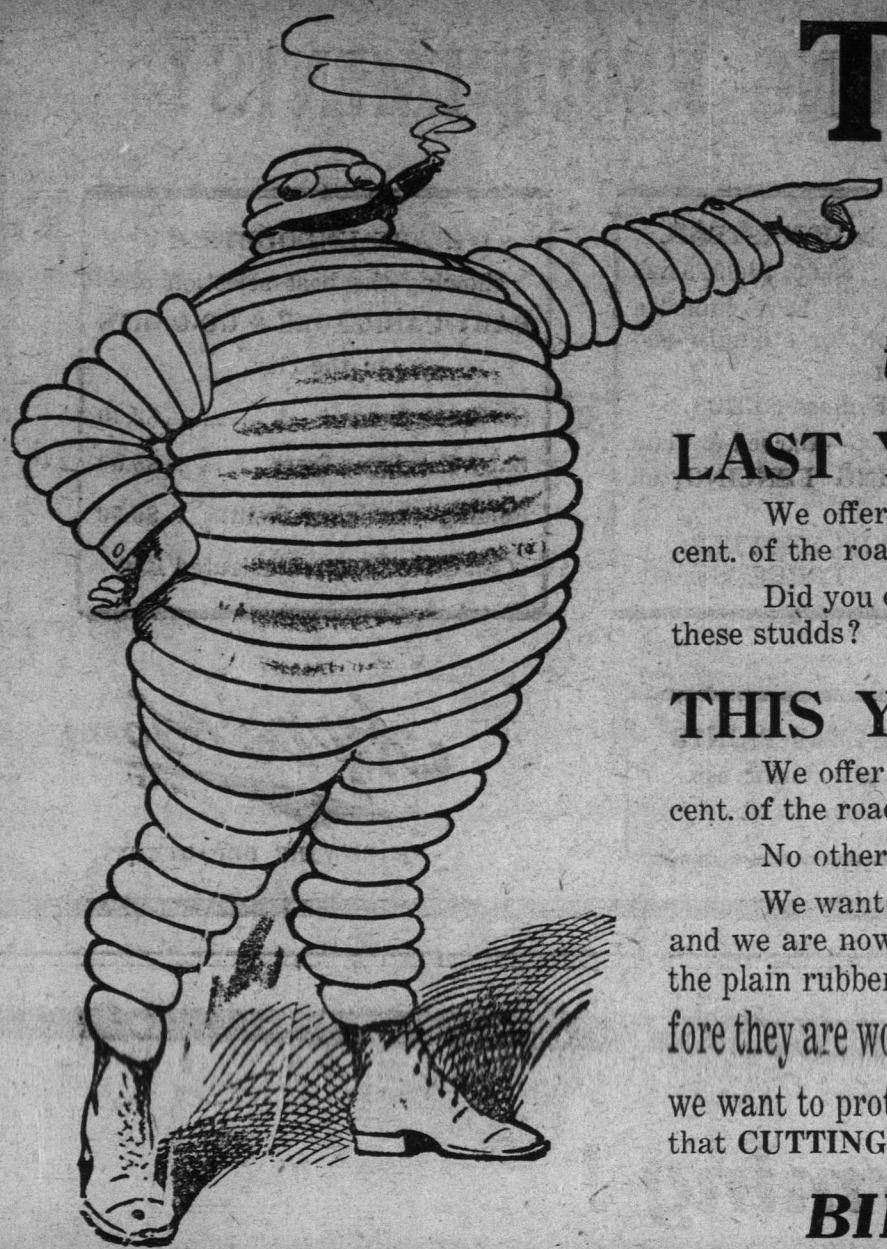
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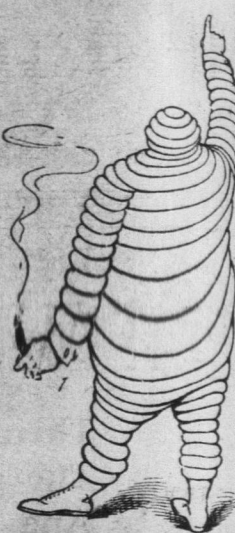
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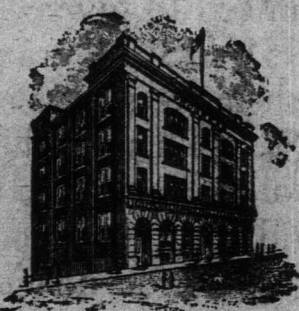
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