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CHAPTER VIII.

MISS GLITTERS SPEAKS.

Edna is fascinated; she cannot hold back; she must look if that look deals death to her, and it does almost, for as she looks on Cyril's face she falls back with her hand on her heart.

"Come—there—bear up," says Glitters, not unkindly. "It seems rough, I know that—of course it does; but it's better to find him out now than when it's too late. Oh, yes, he's handsome enough, too handsome, for that matter; and it's hard to believe that a man with a face like that should be like the devil himself. I wonder what he's been telling you? Never you mind; the best thing you can do is to forget it—take my advice."

"Let me see," breaks in Edna, rising from the cold stones and advancing, white as the sculptured saints in the niches above her.

Glitters held out the locket again. "Yes, there he is, there's no mistake taking him—there's the handsomest man in England, and the wickedest. You can't count upon your fingers all the hearts that face has broke, yours among 'em, perhaps. Well, well, perhaps it ain't too late! It's funny as I should have found out his little game—funny I should meet you here; but I'm glad I have, if it's only taken one plum out of his mouth—not that he has done the shabby thing by me—"

She steps in consequence of a gesture of mingled agony and horror by the quivering, anguished victim at her feet.

Edna turns her white face up with a great loathing.

"Are—are you his wife?"

"His wife! Well, no, not exactly," replies Glitters, with an uncomfortable laugh, "not that I ought not to be, if right was right. No, I'm not his wife, and nobody ever will be if he can help it—he knows a trick worth two of that! But I know as much about him as if I was, and more, perhaps; and my advice to you is, get away from his reach as quick as you can! Don't let him say a word for himself, for he's as soft-tongued as a serpent, and as artful, for all his boy-

ish look; and if you think there's any mistake—if you think I've been playing it rough on him, ask him when you see him—if you're foolish enough to see him again—if he knows Molly Glitters, of the Theater Royal!"

Then she gathers her voluminous, mauve-colored skirts about her, and, with an emphatic nod of the head, goes her way, leaving her victim bowed down with anguish, like a flower bruised and crushed, upon the cathedral steps.

CHAPTER IX.

IN BITTER MISERY.

MOLLY GLITTERS went on her way, having, as she thought, perhaps for the first time in her life done her duty, and stretched out her hand to warn and perhaps save an innocent young girl from the snares of one of the most dangerous men of the day, with a most pleasantly approving conscience. It was quite a novel sensation for Molly, the feeling of having done the right thing, and having gone out of the way to do it, too; for Molly was not partial to young and simple girls—indeed, she had the usual antipathy of her class for them, and it had not been by any means an easy piece of good will which she had accomplished that morning. Molly went on her way, self-satisfied and complacent, and left behind her a tortured, anguished, racked woman, who was no more the Edna of an hour ago than the eagles one sees eating their hearts out in their cages at the zoo, or the monarchs of the sky, that soar above the Syrian hills.

Motionless, fearless, she sat, her head bent upon her hands, her heart burning like a red-hot coal.

What did it all mean? What was this frightful nightmare? Was it true? Could it be true that her life had finished that day—that she should never know happiness, never be able to laugh more—for it came to that with her, she felt, if this were true.

Ab, no, it could not be true! What was she sitting here for? Why did she not go home? Why did he not come? She was half stunned by the sudden, too sudden, revelation to realize it at once, immediately; but, as the slow minutes tramped round the clock overhead, the truth grew upon her and made itself felt, and, with a moan, she hid her face, and knew that the joy of life was over for her.

The idol which she had worshipped as gold of the purest and finest type was suddenly shorn of its divinity and shown to be nothing better than common clay and dross.

It is not too much to say that as she recalled the face and figure of her husband of an hour, the girl, innocent to a fault, shuddered. Had she been a whit less innocent, had she known half as much as the generality of girls of only half her age, that knowledge would have allowed her to discriminate, to see how far Cyril had stoned to weigh his sin in the balance, and make excuses for him; but Edna knew nothing save that the man she had thought so good—as pure and good, and noble and spotless as he was handsome—was something so different that she shrank from the mere thought of his presence, blushed and writhed under the remembrance of his passionate kisses, and moaned aloud a prayer that the good God might send death there and then to her, and save her.

Edna's love had been as pure and noble as herself. She had not loved Cyril's beauty, great as it was, proudly fond of it as she was; if he had come back to her with some great scar across his face that rendered it twice as hideous as it had been before, beautiful, her love would have had no abatement—it would rather have increased by so much of sweet, wifely pity and tenderness. But now! Oh, God! it was too fearful to think of, so fearful that she, in her great innocence, could not grasp the full sense of it; but this she knew, that the man she had given her young life and virgin love to, the man who had come to her and made her love him, who had stood between her and blotted out all else as small and unworthy of consideration—did not love her, could not love her, for he had loved—oh, God, not loved, but murmured words of love to—had kissed with kisses, such as he had given her, another—yes, many other women!

Her state of mind—its great and awful contrast to that sweet, expectant happiness of an hour ago—in difficult to describe, well-nigh impossible, yet easy to understand; it was as if the heavens had been suddenly darkened, all good, and faith in good, destroyed, and she herself were left to stand alone and battle against unconquerable, inevitable, overwhelming misery of evil.

She shed no tear, but her face was white and drawn, her eyes strained and wild with a vast agony, and her lips parched as with fever. And so the bride waited for the bridegroom!

The great clock above her struck the hour; three monks from the monastery on the hill came slowly up the steps, with bent heads and folded hands, and approached the smaller flight at the cathedral door.

They looked at her as they passed; one—an old man, with white hair shining beneath his brown cow—paused and bent over her as she sat, her head upon her hand, her eyes fixed with a wan, hopeless, startled look upon the street beneath.

"Are you in any trouble, my daughter?" he asked, with gentle gravity. Edna looked up at him with absent stare, and slowly shook her head; and the monk, with a muttered "Peace be with you!" passed with bent head, into the dim light beyond the open door.

Trouble! Yes, a trouble no monk that ever wore sandal could cure—a trouble she must fight and struggle with, and, alas! bear alone.

The interruption, slight as it was, roused her; she could not stay there to attract notice and invite pity. With a weak, languid step, she rose, steadying her hand against the old, time-worn stonework of the porch—for she was giddy, and quivering like a wounded deer—and made her way to the quiet and seclusion of the little cemetery at the back; he must pass through it on his way, and would see her, there—stinking down upon one of the tombstones, in a little garden of crosses, with a pictured Madonna within sight, and a sculptured crucifixion overshadowing her—she waited.

She had not to wait long, for presently there came the quick, firm tread of a happy man, and Cyril, handsome as Apollo, and as light-hearted, humming some joyous air, came up the path.

He had been longer than he expected; there had been some difficulty, caused primarily by his original French, but he had got the shawl, it was on his arm, and he was eager and impatient to exchange its light weight for the scarcely heavier one of his darling's arm.

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She saw him the moment he came past the cathedral into the graveyard, but she could not speak or move.

She watched him as he paused and looked round impatiently and eagerly; then, as he caught sight of her and came toward her, pinking his way among the tiny graves of the children, with their poor wreath of immortelles and summer flowers, she put her hand to her face, pushed back her hair and panted.

"My darling!" he exclaimed, half stumbling over a tiny grave; "I thought I had lost you, that you had run away from me—thought little of it, you know. Here's the shawl, a spoil and trophy of war! What a pity it is that there isn't one language, and that English! Such a language as we made of it at that station. Ah—" he has come close enough to see her face now, and there is enough in it to make him stop short and catch his words up.

"Edna! Good God! what is the matter? Are you ill, my darling?"

And with an anxious, loving face he is on his knees beside her.

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Illustration of a man in a room with a sign that says 'BILL—YOU'RE A BUN FIGHTER AND YOU'RE GUTTING YOUR MANAGER SPIKE. P.S. I'M TAKING YOU TO THE RECIEPS WITH ME.' Below the illustration is a bottle of 'WINDSOR TABLE SALT'.

Partial view of another advertisement on the right edge of the page, including the word 'strikes' and 'Labor'.

# Strikes Paralyse Industries

## ON THE CLYDE AND IN BELFAST.

### Labor Demands --- Steamer "Nimrod" Lost on Yarmouth Sands.

**SITUATION WORSE.**  
LONDON, Jan. 30. The situation both on the Clyde and in Belfast where strikes are in progress, became more serious to-day. In Belfast, manufacturing firms were generating their own power for their own purposes, and the private electric installation of the strikers. The strikers, the boiler-makers and the electricians decided to notify employers that the conditions of employment they asked should include an increase of thirty per cent on the gross earnings powers of the strikers. Along the Clyde strikers struck compelling employers to stop the currents of their works, retaining such currents as were able to generate power for hospitals and the lighting of the streets.

**NATIONAL LABOR BUREAU.**  
PARIS, Jan. 29. British delegates in Paris who completed a plan for an International Labor Bureau to be laid before the Peace Conference and forwarded to London for consideration of the employers, are greatly at the speed with which they wish to complete the draft. The plan, which was completed only two days ago, at the end of the week, had reached a complete form. Throughout the discussions, employers in England were present at the proceedings. Arrangements have been made to consult the employers between the delegates and the employers, after the plan is presented to the Conference.

**WILSON'S PLAN.**  
PARIS, Jan. 30. British and French Governments have accepted in principle President Wilson's plan concerning management of the League of Nations, and administration of captured territory, it was stated by Capt. Tardieu, the French Conference Delegate. The acceptance, however, is subject to learning under conditions the plan will be adopted.

**NIMROD GONE.**  
YARMOUTH, Eng., Jan. 30. "Exploration Endeavour," the Newfoundland sealing steamer, which Sir Ernest Shackleton led in his explorations in the Arctic and which had been sent to the coal trade between England and Newfoundland, was dashed to the sands of Yarmouth-to-day. The crew were rescued and 227 tons of seal blubber were salvaged.

**AMERICAN STEAMER ASHOTE.**  
DOVER, Eng., Jan. 30. American steamer Plave bound for Rotterdam went ashore near here last night. She failed to float with the tide this morning, and her position is considered critical. Lifeboats from Deal and other assistance have been sent to the scene. The Plave left New York on Jan. 14th for Falmouth. She is manned by a crew from the U. S. Navy.

**STRIKE TROUBLES IN ARGENTINA.**  
BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 29. Owners of vessels in the harbor here have refused an offer from the Government to furnish labor to unload their ships, because the number of men who will be put to work will be insufficient. At six o'clock to-morrow night the Maritime Federation will withdraw the few men still at work on tugs pending the outcome of negotiations. It is persistently rumored that the Entente Allies will not sign the cereal convention with Argentina for the purchase of grain because of unstable conditions.

**LABOR NEXT WEEK.**  
PARIS, Jan. 30. The Commission on International Labor regulations established by the Peace Conference, will begin regular meetings next week.

**NO DROP FOR 18 MONTHS.**  
MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 30. War time bread prices will prevail throughout the world for another 18 months, leading Minneapolis Flour Millers predict to-day. They informed of the statement made in New York by Julius Barnes, President of the United States Grain Corporation, regarding the American guaranteed price of wheat in relation to the world price of the commodity.

**IRISH LABOR DEMANDS.**  
DUBLIN, Jan. 30. An Irish Trades Union Congress controlled by the most extreme Sinn Feiners, will convene on February 2. The purpose of the Congress is to make an all-round demand for a working week of forty-four hours and for an all-round increase of 150 per cent in wages with a minimum of twelve dollars a week for all workers, instead of the present minimum of six dollars. Unless the Republican Parliament endorses the programme, Labor may demand it. The situation arouses the gravest apprehension for it is felt that forces are at work both in Labor quarters and among the Sinn Feiners to create a state of Bolshevism.

**NO INDEMNITIES.**  
LONDON, Jan. 30. The Peace Conference has settled one important point with regard to the indemnity question, the Paris correspondent of the Evening Standard says he has reason for reporting. The Conference, he declared, has eliminated any intention of calling upon Germany and her associates to pay the Allied countries the cost of war to impose heavy indemnities upon the enemy nations.

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**Educational Matters.**  
(S.J.H.)  
"There is a tide in the affairs of men, which taken at the flood leads on to fortune."  
I am not sure whether the foregoing is the correct quotation or not, but anyhow I feel that the same is appropriate and applicable to the educational affairs of our country to-day.

During the past week or so two things have been prominently brought forward, two things which are of paramount and special interest to the Newfoundland teachers. (The two things are the idea of the memorial as suggested at a meeting of the Patriotic Association, and a Teachers' Convention.)  
That the Superintendents of Education should endorse the erection of a training college, and all that it entails and forecasts, is proof positive, that the need of adequate training is at last becoming too imperative to be neglected, and proves further that the idea of a memorial for our boys has suggested to the educational authorities a means--if realized of by the people--of remedying our present defects and perpetuating forever the memory of those who fought, by giving to their descendants a better chance of advancing their own and their country's interests.  
The need of technical and scientific knowledge, and the necessity of "keeping up with the times" are being emphasized on all sides by all classes and creeds of ordinary intelligence.  
Whether the college be supported by public subscription, or by government, every educationalist and teacher must support the movement, and endeavor to make it a success. Moreover all throughout the country encouragement and practical endorsement should flow in. A national monument in St. John's, the capital of the colony, is a practicable idea.  
A teachers' convention is indubitably necessary during this year. The different problems facing us to-day are many and complex, and only a convention, a conference by the teachers, can help to put things on a proper reconstructive basis.  
Already notices have been given in the press for teachers to give their support to this project, and to write the Secretary of the N.T.A. signifying their willingness to support the proposed meeting. The questions of salaries, training, C.H.E. exams, ministry of education, and others demand immediate and close attention.  
Teachers must awake, and because re-vitalized with the spirit of teaching, and act, so that ideas may become actual facts.  
By action alone can such proposals as the erection of a memorial training college and a 1919 convention become accomplished things productive of better citizenship.  
As an appendix to the above may I ask Mr. Morine if at last night's meeting of the Llewellyn Club he wished to give the impression that a training college would be chiefly for the fitting of the teacher to instil higher education. If so, may I add that the greatest reason we can deduce in favor of a training college is to do away with ungraded teachers, and give first of all the kindergarten teachers, or if you like, the elementary teachers, a basic grounding in psychology which will result in giving the children later submitted to them, a broad and intelligent education.

The British convict ship "Success," said to be more than 100 years old, was wrecked in the flood of the Ohio River at Wheeling, W. Va., recently. The rising waters tore the vessel from her moorings and threw her against a steel pier of a bridge, snapping her three masts and sinking her in shallow water.  
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<p><b>Misses' Storm Rubbers</b></p> <p>11 to 2.</p> <p>Reg. 70c pair, for - 63c</p> <p>Reg. 85c " " - 76c</p> <p>Children's, 4 to 10,</p> <p>Reg. 60c pair, for - 54c</p> <p>Reg. 75c pair, for - 65c</p>	<p><b>Boys' Storm Rubbers.</b></p> <p>1 to 5.</p> <p>Reg. 95c pair, for - 85c</p> <p>Reg. \$1.20 pair, for - 99c</p> <p>Youths', sizes 9 to 13.</p> <p>Reg. 80c pair, for - 71c</p> <p>Reg. \$1.00 pair, for - 83c</p>

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### At the City Hall.

Deputy Mayor Morris presided at yesterday's meeting. Councillors Browne, Tait, Vinnicombe and Mullaly were present.  
A. E. Hickman Co., Ltd., wrote that they applied for water on the 21st inst., for the schooner Ritcey, which was ready to sail on the 28th inst. Up to the 28th inst. the water had not been supplied, and the Company had to employ men to put the water on ship in buckets. They hoped the Council would pay for the expense.  
The Council water man reports that the Hickman Co. were not ready when he called to supply service, and the Company will be so written.  
Job Bros. Ltd., supplied new plan of building to be erected over the N. Side water side premises.  
The plans were passed, provided that a full fire-proof construction must be erected.  
Jas. J. Spratt submitted plans for proposed alterations to Nfld. Boot & Shoe Co.'s boiler shed.  
Plans approved subject to engineer's final passing of work.  
Engineer Ryan submitted a diagram plan of the fall and rise of the water at Windsor Lake for a period of one year, through natural causes and city leakages and extravagances. From January, 1918, when the water was at level, there was steady drop, except following rainfalls--up to September, when the level showed a rise, and at present the water shows a height equal to that of last year.  
The Water Dept. submitted its report of work done during 1918, which the Council considered highly satisfactory.  
Councillor Tait called attention to the dog nuisance and the dog tax, and intimated that he would bring up the matter for discussion at next meeting. Councillors Ayre, Mullaly and Browne also referred to the matter, which will be fully considered next meeting.  
With the reading of the Health Officer's report and passing of bills, etc., the meeting adjourned.

### Curliana.

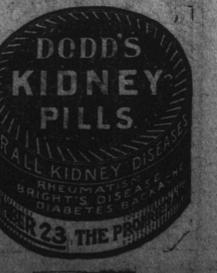
The first big match for the season was played by the Curliars last night, the Reds and Greens contesting for the Bonavista trophy. There was fairly good ice, good play and the players were almost back to their old selves. The Greens won by a score of 62 to 51. The players and scores are:  
**Reds:**  
J. L. Slattery  
W. E. Fraser  
Geo. Peters  
H. Donnelly  
(skip)—19  
**Greens:**  
D. M. Baird  
H. Carey  
J. MacFarlane  
F. Crane  
(skip)—6  
W. N. Butt  
J. Tobin  
J. Baxter  
W. F. Joyce  
(skip)—11  
F. G. House  
Hon. M. G. Winter  
A. Macpherson  
E. J. Rowe  
(skip)—13  
Angus Reid  
S. J. Foote  
W. H. Rennie  
W. H. Warren  
(skip)—12  
J. Cornick  
J. J. Mulcahy  
E. Harvey  
J. C. Gardine  
(skip)—6  
W. N. Butt  
T. J. Barron  
T. J. Duley  
W. A. Ellis  
(skip)—6  
D. M. Baird  
H. Carey  
W. Donnelly  
T. Winter  
(skip)—8  
Dried vegetables are especially good for creamed dishes and soups, for scalloped dishes and chowders.

### A Splendid Addition.

Last evening we had the pleasure of viewing the splendid new addition to our mercantile marine when we went on board the three-master schooner, Flower Dew, built at Shelburne, Nova Scotia, for the enterprising firm of Messrs. Patton & Forsey of Grand Bank. The ship is 333 tons gross and 305 tons net, and of beauty of model, strength and durability, as well as sailing qualities she will be hard to excel. On her first voyage, a few days ago, she reeled off 12 knots, and as a sea-boat she has proved herself all that could be desired. She is under the command of Capt. Abram Thornhill of Fortune, one of our youngest as well as most successful master-mariners. Cap. Thornhill, although only 28 years of age, has been master in our foreign trade for over three years, and during that period he commanded the Nordica and the Emily H. Patten, both first class ships which rendered good account of themselves as fast-sailors and good sea-boats. The Flower Dew was launched in December last.  
This splendid specimen of marine architecture is built of hard witch-hazel in the bottom, with pitch pine topsides. She is provided with a United engine of 9 h.p., which is utilized in hoisting the sails and anchors, also a cargo winch on the top of the galley. Her cabin has every accommodation and modern improvements, and has lavatory, bath-room, sitting-room, pantry, etc. The galley house is situated in the forward part of the ship one deck, and can accommodate four sailors, and the cook's galley is connected with this on the port side of the house. There is also a large force-pump, worked by the large engine, which is used for washing down decks. She is well fitted with running gear of the very best material and the rigging is of wire. She carries two jibs and a balloon three gaff-topails and two staysails. She has a spike bowsprit of pitch pine about fifty feet long, which comes through the bollards and is firmly connected with the pall-post. The mizen-boom is sixty five feet long. The blocks are of the latest patent. She is indeed a pretty vessel, and will rank amongst the best in our mercantile marine. She carries two substantially built boats, with all requirements in case of emergency.  
The Flower Dew is now ready for sea, bound to Bahia, Brazil, with 5,210 drums of prime cod-fish, shipped by the enterprising firm of G. M. Barr. After discharging her cargo at Bahia it is probable she will load with tobacco for Cadiz, Spain, and return to Newfoundland with a cargo of salt. If all goes well, Capt. Thornhill expects to make the round trip by August next. The ship is at present at the wharf of Tensler & Co. and T.H. Cartor & Co. are the agents. We wish the young captain every success and a safe return.

### City Club Annual.

The City Club held its annual meeting last evening. President Cowan occupied the chair and presented the report and accounts, which were duly adopted. The following officers for 1919 were elected:—President, Mr. F. W. Bradshaw; Vice-President, Mr. J. P. Blackwood and Mr. C. A. O'Brien; Secretary, Mr. F. L. Bradshaw; Committee, Messrs. H. E. Cowan, E. Watson, E. R. Brookes and G. G. Glennie. Ten new members were elected to membership.



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# Strong Feeling in London.

## British Delegation Weak-Kneed---Globe Says They Are "Giving Away the Empire."---Conference Characterized as a Sewing Circle.

### BRAZIL WITH THE POWERS.

PARIS, Jan. 30. Brazil will support Great Britain, the United States and other leading powers, in all matters brought before the Peace Conference, declared Dr. Epitacio Pessoa, head of the Brazilian Delegation to the Peace Conference, to the Associated Press. This applies to the League of Nations and other questions of general interest, which Brazil has in common with other nations. Dr. Pessoa said his assurance applied particularly to the disposition of requisitioned German ships, of which Brazil holds forty three, and also to the question of indemnities for which Brazil will make a claim. Most of the questions which Brazil will submit to the conference, he added, are absolutely insignificant, as compared with the tremendous problems which the powers will have to solve. The most important Brazilian question is a request that Germany return \$150,000,000 which was deposited in German banks as a guarantee for loans, especially in France, England and Belgium.

### INTERNATIONAL SEWING CIRCLE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. Urging immediate naval expansion, to-day, before the House Naval Committee, which voted to-morrow on the administration's new building programme, Admiral Mayo, Commander-in-Chief of the Atlantic Fleet, said, "The League of Nations is rapidly setting down to a sewing circle, with no means of enforcement and no International Police Force. Now is the time to go to the limit in expanding our navy."

### GREEKS OCCUPY THRACE.

ATHENS, Jan. 24. The occupation of Turkish Thrace by Greek troops, it is learned from a reliable source, continues.

### TO PREVENT REPETITION.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 29. The Militia Department will take steps to see that there is no repetition of the conditions, referred to by Mr. Justice Rodgins in his report on the Northland complaints. It is pointed out that the criticism of the Commission, in so far as it affects the department here, has to do with the conducting staff. The Overseas militia Department, which controls the arrangements made in England, must take its share of the responsibility and the authorities have communicated to Sir Edward Kemp, the findings of the Commission.

### NO CONCESSIONS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30. It will be the policy of the Government in shipyard's strikes, to let the job stand, Charles Fies, Director General of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, said to-day. He referred particularly to the situation at Seattle, where, he said, men had been out for a week and at San Francisco, where, he said, it was reported workers in two trades intended to go out shortly, and tie up all the work in the district. Mr. Fies declared most of the yards needed a breathing spell, and he did not think the Government would continue to furnish work at extremely high wages, unless increased skill and output justified it, and that in his view it was highly unwise for shipyard workers, in their own interests, to call strikes at existing scales.

### BELGIANS CONSISTENT.

PARIS, Jan. 30. The Belgian Socialists of the group of Emile Vandervelde, the Socialist member of the Belgian Legation, to the Peace Conference here again refused to take part in the International Labor and Social



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on behalf of the Premier, Lord Curzon, sent a reply to the Provost declining to intervene.

## LATEST.

### MILITANT BOLSHEVISM.

BASLE, Jan. 30. The General Anzeiger's Berlin correspondent says the situation in East Prussia is very serious. Several Bolshevik divisions are facing the eighth army, and 70,000 are facing the tenth army. The despatch adds that it is feared the German forces will be insufficient to effectively resist.

### STRIKE FOR LARGER CREWS.

BOSTON, Jan. 30. The State Board of Consular and Arbitration, after an investigation of a strike of one hundred members of the crews of vessels, owned by the Bay State Fishing Co., found that the vessels should carry larger crews. It was to enforce a demand for additional hands that the fishermen struck a mortgage. Since that time state officials have announced that 4,000,000 pounds of fish have been lost to the market, \$300,000 loss to the company, and \$75,000 to the strikers.

### LEGATIONS DEMAND SETTLEMENT.

BURNOS AIRES, Jan. 30. Two of the Allied Legations here informed the Associated Press to-day that the reports of the Allied boycott of the port of Buenos Aires were greatly exaggerated, but admitted that the Allied legations had informed the Argentine Government that they were determined no longer to submit to the present situation, and that if the port strike was not definitely settled within two or three days all the vessels now in the roadstead would be neutral as well as Allied, would proceed for Monte Video, where they would unload their Buenos Aires cargo and proceed thence for other ports to take on new cargoes. Argentine troops have reached Rio Gallegos, and will proceed inland to act against the Maximolistas. The Government is informed the situation caused by the revolutionary strike at Punta Arenas and Port Natales, Chile, is still grave. The Governor of the Chilean territory of Macallanes has asked police aid from the Argentine authorities at Santa Cruz, for strike duty at these two places. A company of police has been sent for this purpose.

### THE OBTIOUS ANSWER.

PARIS, Jan. 30. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency).—Interviewed by Reuter Press Hughes of Australia, and Massey of New Zealand, showed the greatest reluctance to discuss the attitude of the Peace Conference towards the German colonies. In reply to a question, "Are you Massey and you will settle with the position," Mr. Hughes, after a pause, replied, "I prefer not to answer."

### MORE COMPLEX PROBLEMS.

PARIS, Jan. 29. Premier Paderewski, of Poland, according to a despatch from Cracow, has protested to the Czechoslovak Government against the invasion of Silesia by Czechoslovak troops. The Supreme Council of the Allied and Associated powers, at its session, Wednesday, heard representatives of Poland and Czechoslovakia concerning the conflict between Polish and Czechoslovak forces in Silesia, which is situated between the two countries.

### GIVING AWAY THE EMPIRE.

LONDON, Jan. 30. The discussion of the Paris Conference, regarding the future of the former German Colonies, is being followed with intense interest here. Among some sections of the press there is a strong feeling against the British delegation, for what the Globe calls "giving away the Empire." A majority of Englishmen, the paper says, strongly support Australia's claim to the islands of the Pacific and South Africa's for possession of German East Africa. Indications, that the claims of the Dominions are being supported by the British Government delegation, have caused some alarm. The Morning Post, for example, says, "If the British delegates weakly surrender in this attitude, they are not only surrendering the British interests entrusted to them, but they are sowing the seeds of such bitter dissensions as might disrupt and disrupt the British Empire." The Globe, taking this same line, says, "The former German Colonies under the scheme proposed, and its mandatory and the remainder of its visionary suggestions, will fall under the control of a League of Nations, which does not exist, and which no political statesman believes in. President Wilson, however, is intent on trying his pretence hard, and proposes to do this at the expense of the British Empire and Allies, France, Italy and Japan." The Pall Mall Gazette says it is distinctly unfortunate, that the reasons, advanced for President Wilson's policy, are not fully expounded, so as "we can see how far they counter balance its some what obvious drawbacks." The Standard opposes the mandatory scheme for the Pacific Islands, and the German South West Africa, saying the islands are necessary to safeguard Australia and South Africa. It adds, "Australia is as much interested in the Pacific Islands, as the United States was in the Hawaiian Islands, when she annexed them." The Westminster Gazette asserts that the Dominions need not be alarmed, as they will be the permanent mandatories in the territories in question.

### ANOTHER RESIGNATION.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 30. As a result of the protests of the Allied Powers, against the spoliation of Greeks and Armenians, the Turkish cabinet has resigned.

### PRETTERING AWAY TIME.

PARIS, Jan. 30. A universal conference of all States desiring to participate in a League of Nations, will be the final act in the formation of a league, Leon Bourgeois, the French authority on a League of Nations, declared to-day. This conference would be held after the Peace Conference had approved the scheme now being drafted by representatives of the great Allied associations on a League of Nations. The universal conference will pass upon the admission of each state into the League, and enemy states will be accepted on the same footing as others. The enemy states, however, M. Bourgeois said, must give proof that they no longer foster lust of conquest and that they will repay fully for the devastation and ruin they have caused.

### WILL NOT INTERVENE.

PARIS, Jan. 30. The cabinet met to-day to discuss the labor troubles. It is understood that the Ministers decided against intervention at present in the strikes, on the ground that they have not been authorized by the Trade Unionists, and that therefore intervention would be unwise. It is the view of the Ministers that the men in the usual strike pay, are not likely long to keep up the movement, and that the Government therefore should confine its action to preserving order. At the meeting, the Ministers discussed a telegram received from the Provost of Glasgow, containing the request of the strikers for the Government to intervene, to secure for them a forty-hour week. Andrew Bonar Law, Lord Privy Seal,

## Rescued Masterpieces.

It is said that Kipling's "Recessional" was rescued from his w.p.b., and had it not been for intervention and pleading of a friend, that magnificent fragment "Hyperion" would have been put behind the fire by Keats, whilst even the still more famous "Ode to a Nightingale" was discovered by the same friend behind a pile of books. Newman thought nothing of his "Dream of Gerontius." He wrote it to please himself, and would forthwith have burnt it. But again a friend stepped in and saved a poem which Elgar has set to splendid music, and which provides one of the finest hymns in the language, "Præterite to the Holiest in the Heights."

One day Tennyson wrote to "Omar" Fitzgerald casually mentioning that he had left a few verses behind him in his cupboard at his late lodgings, and would be rather glad to recover them. Fitz found them among the butter and sugar, written in an old butcher's book. They were "In Memoriam."

Fitzgerald thought a great deal about "Alfred's" verses, but very little about his own. He wrote "Omar Khayyam" in all its haunting beauty long before his death, and had a few copies printed, but he seems to have told nobody about it. Another poet found a copy in the trowpenny box of a second-hand bookshop, and bombed it into deserved fame.

Browning actually did destroy everything he wrote before "Pauline," and tried to withdraw that from publication in order to burn the last left copy. He did not succeed, but it so scarce that a first edition was sold the other month for £480.

Sir Walter Scott threw the first draft of "The Lay of the Last Minstrel" into the fire, and was only persuaded to rewrite it from memory by two friends to whom he had formally read it. Even the first of his novels, "Waverley," was accidentally fished out of some lumber where it had lain for years little regarded.

## Trapping Ghosts by Tin-Tacks.

Some interesting and amusing encounters with spiritist tricksters are to be found in Mr. Stuart Cumberland's new book, "That Other World," just published by Grant Richards. "From medium to medium I went," he says, "to find that the chief basis of the movement was money-making, and that whatever happened, there was the outcome of human agency pure and simple, actual spiritual force or influence at such seances having no existence. Whatever illusions may have remained to me were knocked on the head."

An amusing adventure with a spirit "apparition" who used to appear at the seances is told by Mr. Cumberland. In order to establish the earthly origin of this "spirit form" he went to a "manifestation" armed with a ring syringe filled with liquid cochineal. When the "form" appeared the cochineal was duly released on his face, and after the seance the face of the medium was found to bear distinct traces of the red matter thrown at the "spirit."

On another occasion, at an American seance, the "spirit" trod on the business ends of some tin-tacks scattered on the floor of the seance room, and burst forth in a broad and lurid language quite unknown to the spirit-world.

## Leg-Pulling Scribes.

Some people take a splendid delight in hoaxing editors. Witness the recent publication in the "Times" of a poem purporting to come from Rudyard Kipling, but which really was the work of some anonymous scribbler with a penchant for practical joking.

A journalistic hoax which brought a misfortune to all concerned began by the forgery by a man named Pigott of certain letters purporting to have been written by Mr. Parnell condoning the Phoenix Park murders. These letters were published by the "Times," led to the appointment of the Parnell Commission, when the affair was exposed.

Pigott, the forger, committed suicide to avoid arrest, and the "Times" found itself saddled with costs amounting to over £100,000.

An exceedingly elaborate hoax, that took the form of a letter signed "Naval Expert," was rung off on another well-known morning daily. The writer asserted that a new and formidable type of submarine had arrived by sea at Solothurn after having been privately launched at Amsterdam. This letter was followed at intervals by others, written presumably by the same joker, or friends of his, giving fuller and more elaborate details of the alleged mystery craft. As a matter of fact, both the towns mentioned are in Switzerland!

Nice little green cucumbers of the usual pickle size are being shown by the wholesale milliner's supply people for wear on next summer's hats. The cucumbers are accompanied by little round pink and white radishes and crab-apples, with plums in dull green and cherries of all shades.

## The Bolshevnik Way.

The population of Petrograd has fallen from 2,000,000 to 500,000 in two years, and is still rapidly diminishing. To check the decline the Bolshevnik civil authorities have decreed that every unmarried female in the city between the ages of 15 and 45 shall be provided with a husband. The husbands are to be provided by the city council and no female may decline to accept the man chosen for her. The offspring of these unions will be taken from the mothers and reared together in wards of the city.—Hamilton Herald.

Monsieur Herald: In a speech before the Boston Chamber of Commerce recently, Dr. Beland, M.P. for Beauce, said: "Belgium saved France by her first few weeks of fighting. France saved England, the British navy saved the United States, and, although the United States came in late, it saved the world," which perhaps is as neat a way of saying that they all saved each other as could be devised.

MIRAPOL'S LINIMENT FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.

# STIRRING NEWS

INVEST YOUR MONEY IN  
**Smallwood's**  
Great Clearance Sale

100 pairs MEN'S FINE BOOTS. Price only \$5.00 per pair.  
99 pairs only LADIES' POPLIN and SATIN PUMPS, in Saxe, Blue, Heli, Lavender and Myrtle shades. Price only \$1.50 per pair.  
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989 pairs BOYS' and YOUTHS' BOOTS, only \$2.50 and \$3.00 per pair.  
10 PER CENT OFF ALL RUBBER FOOTWEAR IN OUR STORES.

Mail orders receive prompt attention. Special terms to wholesale buyers.

## F. Smallwood, The Home of Good Shoes.

## Here and There.

**CAPTAIN PORTER ARRIVES.**—By yesterday's express, Capt. Porter of the barque John, arrived in the city.

**HOCKEY STICKS.**—Just arrived a shipment of Hockey Sticks. G. KNOWLING, Ltd. Jan 29, 31, 1919.

**HOCKEY TEAMS.**—The Victorias, Feldians and Terra Novas, the three hockey teams of 1919, begin practice shortly for the years honors.

**Stafford's Liniment for Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains.** Jan 24, 19.

**ENQUIRY FINISHED.**—The enquiry into the case of Cantwell-Gill ended yesterday. Mr. W. J. Higgins, K. C., for the accused will make his defense next Monday.

**H. B. THOMSON, Optometrist and Oculician.** Office hours 9:30-12:30 p.m. 2 to 5 p.m., and EVENINGS 7-9 p.m. No. 4 Kimberley Row (opposite Star Theatre).—Jan 31, 19.

**EXPRESS PASSENGERS.**—The following first class passengers are on the incoming express:—R. S. Munn, Denis Hayes, Mrs. J. A. Anderson, S. Pearcey, J. H. Pike, Mrs. J. W. Ramsay.

**WANTED.**—Vest Maker and Pants Maker; weekly or piece work; apply to SPURRELL the Tailor, 365 Water St.—cod, 19.

**HAWK IN SEARCH.**—The whaler Hawk has been commissioned to look for the Schr. John reported in yesterday's despatch. The John belongs to Baile Johnston & Co., and was abandoned a few days ago. The Hawk left St. John yesterday evening.

**Stafford's Prescription "A" for Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Catarrh of the Stomach, Gastritis and Nervous Dyspepsia.** Jan 24, 19.

**NOTE OF THANKS.**—Mr. S. Maddox and Mrs. McGrath wish to sincerely thank the many kind friends and neighbors, both in Bay Bulls and St. John's, who helped them in their recent bereavement, and those who sent telegrams and letters of sympathy on the loss of his dear wife and her sister.—adv.

**Quinine That Does Not Affect Head.** Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets) can be taken by anyone without causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine," B. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

**NOTE OF THANKS.**—Mr. and Mrs. G. Palmer wish to thank the following doctors and nurses a the General Hospital for kindness shown towards her during her recent illness:—Mrs. Cowperthwaite, Keegan and Carmel, Sister Larnet, and Nurses Lewis, Murray, Miller, Ellis, Colwell, Olson and Pittman, and many others too numerous to mention.—adv.

**STAR OF THE SEA ASSOCIATION.**—At the meeting of the Society last night, the Spiritual Director, Rev. Dr. Greene, gave an address, the subject being one of deep interest to the members. To-night he will continue the subject, and all members are requested to be present.

## BLUE PUTTEE HALL

(Cor. King's Road and Gower Street)

may be hired by the night or afternoon for small private dances, meetings, etc. Arrangements have been made to enable patrons to serve light refreshments.

**RATES:**

**FOR DANCES—**  
Per Night (up to 12 o'clock) . . . . . \$12.00  
Per Night (if required later than 12 o'clock) . . . . . \$15.00  
Per Afternoon (2.30 to 6) . . . . . \$7.50  
Extras—Use of Victrola with attendant . . . . . \$1.00  
**FOR MEETINGS (other than Political)—**  
Per Morning or Afternoon . . . . . \$7.50  
Per Night . . . . . \$12.00  
**FOR POLITICAL MEETINGS—**  
Per Night . . . . . \$20.00  
Extras—If more than 30 Chairs are required customers must make their own hiring arrangements for same with one of the Furniture Stores.

**REGULATIONS:**

1. As we have no desire to try and cut in on the business of the Cadet Hall we will not accept applications for the use of Blue Puttee Hall for dances or meetings large enough to warrant the promoters hiring the C. C. C. Hall.
2. All rental charges must be paid in advance.
3. The individual hiring Blue Puttee Hall must personally assume liability for damage done to the Hall or fixtures arranged upon application to the office.

Blue Puttee Hall may be viewed at any time and bookings arranged upon application to the office.

## The Newfoundland Entertainment Co. Ltd.

BLUE PUTTEE HALL,  
COR. KING'S ROAD AND GOWER STREET.  
Jan 29, 1919.

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READY RUBBED & SLICED EDGEWORTH  
10's, 2 oz., 4 oz. and 16 oz. Glass Jars.  
Also WINCHESTER, that Delicious, Bright  
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GET OUR PRICES.  
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# Winter Sale of White Lace Curtains.

Attractive Values at Enticing Prices.

The shrewd, economical buyer will seize this splendid opportunity to buy Lace Curtains for spring and summer NOW--at these very low prices and while the selections are best.

**500 PAIRS JOB LACE CURTAINS,**

Lengths, 3, 3 1-4, 3 3-8 yd. Values from \$3.50 to \$5.00.

**Selling at \$2.10, \$2.50 and \$2.80 pair.**

While our assortments are large—the heavy buying these prices will induce will reduce our stock fast—so you better come soon, if you can.

**LADIES' MANTLES and HATS,**  
25 p.c. off for Cash.

No Approbation—Goods charged to account will be at regular prices.

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**WOOL BLANKETS and QUILTS,**  
20 p.c. off for Cash.

No Approbation—Goods charged to account will be at regular prices.

Found on our premises, a small sum of Money, Owner can have same by proving property.

## Back Patting.

By RUTH CAMERON.

Did you ever notice the naive way some people have of patting themselves on the back by contrasting themselves in certain matters with others, to their own advantage?

I know a most admirable man who has this habit to a degree that I am sure would astonish and appal his friends.

He would tell you that he has done this and that, and that he has done it better than anyone else.

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is so well fitted to sing them as he. He must know some good things about himself that no one else could know. Why shouldn't he be his own press agent?

He should, if he doesn't mind making a deal of resentment and contradiction rise up in his hearers. Otherwise not.

**Milady's Boudoir.**

ADVICE TO THE DEBUTANTE.

The modern young girl of these days is a very strenuous person. Little debutantes in society are perhaps victims of late hours, indigestible foods and insufficient warm clothing in the chill night air, more than the average girl.

But girls in any state of life should not fail to regard their health. Too often it happens that the debutante is not wise in this respect.

Late hours, refreshments at all hours, a great amount of nervous excitement all do their work and some fine day our young lady awakes with a horrid start to the knowledge that her good complexion has vanished, and she is left with a skin spotted with blackheads, punctured here and there with small pimples, a generally sallow or pale appearance, lines around and under the eyes.

What an outcry is there, my countrymen! And straightway heroic measures are resorted to, to atone for past thoughtlessness and neglect.

The fact of the matter is such a loss need not have occurred. A little intelligence, a little forethought and that incomparable freshness which cannot be bought in any box, hailing from Paris or any other place could have retained and the girl possessed of such wisdom would have stood out among her less fortunate friends as the newly opened flower does among those about ready to fall from the stalk.

Who would not achieve such a result, if it is within one's power to do so.

Simple enough are the rules whereby this can be done. Loss of sleep is the traitor which so often depresses vitality and the next thing a cold is caught with all its accompanying discomforts.

Canada has had an epidemic of influenza, but compared with some parts of the world, the experience has been trifling. In the City of Bombay, it is stated, there were 15,000 deaths, and in Delhi, on a population of 200,000, the death-rate at one time reached 800 daily.

Who was His Country that was proud of him? Who picked him out from all the splendid rest, Because he'd done his bit of service grim.

To pin a shiny medal on his breast? Who was the colonel speaking for, just then? The president? He'd never seen his face.

One hundred millions of his fellow-men? Not fifty of them knew about his case.

We boiled it down. The strangers wouldn't buy A medal for a chap they'd never seen; And then there came a light into his eye.

"I think," said he, "I know now what they mean: The colonel said 'My country wished to show Her pride in me—you heard him say it, lad; Well, he was talking for the folks I know. The kids at home, the mother and the dad."

Song cooked as usual and served with cream makes an excellent breakfast cereal. Cyclamen plants should be kept in a cool place where there is not too much light.

When using flour of an inferior quality, potatoes will much improve your bread. Badly soiled clothes, if soaked in borax water over night, will wash more easily.

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## Apples

Ex. S. S. Portia,

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## Just Folks

THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL.

His colonel planned it on his coat, and said His country honored him and wished to show Her pride in what he'd done. His cheeks turned red As Flanders poppies in the sunset's glow.

But afterwards, when all the crowd had gone And all the gold-laced officers had quit We talked it over, he and I, as one, And tried to solve the mystery of it.

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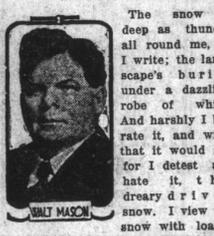
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WALT MASCH

SNOW. The snow is deep as thunder all round me, as I write; the landscape's buried under a dazzling robe of white. And hardly I breathe it, and wish that it would go, for I detest and hate it, the dreary drive in snow. I view the snow with loathing, it gives me the dumps and blues; it gets into my clothing, and slides into my shoes. It hides the slippery places upon the concrete walk; I fall and bust my traces, and slide around a block. It brings back old diseases, the worst that ever grew; it stirs me up to sneezes, and resurrects the flu. It is because I'm ageing, my hourglass running low, that I am vainly raging against the wholesome snow. I'm getting old and cranky, and this I often throw, that's why I blink—the blanky and blitzengasted snow. I'd give a million dollars if I could be the boy who whoops with glee and hollers in wild ecstatic joy. He thinks the snow a blessing, he burbles with delight, as down the street he's pressing, neck deep in spotless white. And once like him I liked it, and wished 'twould never melt, and through the drifts I liked it, and didn't freeze my polt. But now my brains are kinky, from years and work and woe, and so I blank the blinky and everlasting snow.

Every Saturday evening after 7 o'clock, Choice Ends of Beef, Mutton, Lamb, Pork will be sold at cost. ELLIS & CO., LTD., 203 Water Street—Nov 29.

## T. J. EDENS.

SHREDDED WHOLE WHEAT BISCUITS, 20 cases By rail to-day.

20 Tubs SELECTED BUTTER, By S. S. Meigs.

Egg Powder, Holbrook's, 1/4 lb. Tin. Pineapple Sliced, large Tin. Salada Tea. Johnson's 1 lb. Cakes. Egg Powder, Holbrook's. Custard Powder, Holbrook's. Laundry Starch, 15c. lb. White Icing Sugar.

500 14 lb. Limer Sacks Best Family Flour.

Fresh Codfish. Fresh Salmon. Fresh Caplin. Fresh Rabbits. Fresh Eggs.

100 Sacks White Hominy Feed. 100 Sacks White Corn. 500 Sacks White Oats. 25 Brls. Baldwin Apples.

Sweet Pickled Figs' Tongues.

## T. J. EDENS.

Duckworth St. and Rawlinson Cross.

## Items of Interest.

**GATHERED FROM EVERYWHERE.**

Tacoma has a flourishing Business Women's Club.

New York City has named a park in honor of Joan of Arc.

A Toronto grocer has been fined \$44 and costs for selling, although unwittingly, adulterated maple sugar.

Documents must still be carried to prove a person's status under the M.S.A., says Ottawa. A birth, marriage and doctor's certificate worn under the vest will protect the chest from cold any way.

Captain J. W. Hempel, of the Oscar II, of the Scandinavian-American Line, completed his 100th crossing of the Atlantic on board the same steamship when he arrived Tuesday in New York. The Oscar II, visited Halifax several times during the war.

Falling from a height of 5,000 feet, a young airman, Sergeant Caslaw, R. A.F., had a marvellous escape from death at Hanwell, G.B. He was flying in a single-seater scout, when at 5,000 feet his machine was seen to reel, dive sharply to earth, and finally fall into a pool of water in the grounds of Hanwell Asylum. The machine was smashed to pieces, but the pilot was found to be alive, although unconscious.

The late Sir Richard Sutton, Bart., who owned about a half of Piccadilly, London, has left an extraordinary will. His income was estimated at about £250,000 per annum. When he was killed in the war, a few months ago, he was only 27, and died unmarried. By his will his successor gets £5,000 per annum, and the balance of the income is to be accumulated for nearly 21 years, at the end of which time the capital value of the estate will be some £10,000,000.

Fatal injuries were sustained by William Halsey (Devonshire Regiment) whilst on leave at his home at Leighton Buzzard, G. B. His younger brother Arthur took up what looked like a fish tin, but which in reality was a bomb which had been lost in some fields. In attempting to open the tin with a chisel and hammer the soldier was killed and his brother and three sisters injured.

The Bishop of London, in his recent visit to the British front in Macedonia, travelled all over the area occupied by the army, and covered 800 miles by train. It was the Commander-in-Chief's wish, says his chaplain in the "London Diocesan Magazine," that he should speak to all the fighting units. The Bishop went right through Bulgaria and as far as Sofia. Perhaps the most impressive of his services was that held one Sunday at Stavros Bay for the whole brigade, not a month after the great battle had been fought in September.

How a Hun paymaster was duped is told by a returned prisoner of war from Germany. In a certain camp in Bavaria it was the custom to pay prisoners who were employed their very meagre wages in the form of stamps, which could be exchanged for such commodities as were obtainable. A number of escaped Frenchmen on their return to their own country at once set to work and produced an excellent imitation of the German stamps. These they rolled up in small strips and inserted in sticks of macaroni which were included in the parcels sent to the prisoners. When the local German paymaster balanced his books he was astonished to find that stamps to the value of several thousands of marks had been exchanged in excess of the number actually issued.

## Your Feet Will Never Behave

And you really can't expect them to, when you listen to Columbia's Dance Records—one-steps, two-steps, waltzes and fox-trots.

Come in and listen to these Columbia Records—as many as you would like to hear. And you will hear them at their very best, played on the Columbia Grafonola.

## Columbia Grafonolas and Records



We have many other Columbia Records that will please and thrill you—the newest popular and patriotic songs, instrumental and vocal selections by world-famous artists, a splendid variety of band and orchestral music.

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## Moirs Confectionery.

We have to-day received a large and varied supply, comprising 1/2 and 1 lb. boxes REGULAR ASSORTED. 1/2 and 1 lb. boxes NUT and HARD CENTRES. "YOU KID" CARAMELS, MIXED KISSES. PEPPERMINT CUSHIONS, FANCY CHIPS. BUTTER LUMPS, 5 lb. boxes XXX, Ass'd, etc.

E. D. SMITH'S RASPBERRY JAM, 1 lb. glasses. FRESH EGGS. Icing Sugar by the lb. 1 lb. tins CRISCO. "BLUE NOSE" CANADIAN CREAMERY BUTTER. "BLUE NOSE" BUTTER. 50 P. E. I. CHEESE.

## C. P. Eagan

Duckworth Street and Queen's Road.



**Evening Telegram**

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor  
C. T. JAMES, Editor

FRIDAY, January 31, 1919.

**Complex Questions.**

The Peace Conference, to use a very expressive word coined by our American cousins, will not by any means have a "cinch" in the amicable settlement of the numerous complex questions that will be introduced for discussion. At the very beginning trouble arose over the matter of representation for the British Overseas dominions, and Newfoundland only secured a seat at the table, through the good will of the big sister across the Gulf. Now rumblings of discontent are being heard from the smaller States, whose representatives complain that the "big fellows" have things all their own way, and consider that the five great powers, Britain, America, France, Italy and Japan will have too great a predominance in the arrangement of matters, which are to be submitted to the full Council for final decision, because it is assumed that the final decision will be the portmanteau of approval of the nations, other than those named, they having determined, according to their agreement, that whatever they agree upon must go through, and any opposition by the smaller States will not be regarded with favor.

The taking in of Japan with the "Big Four" is also looked upon with suspicion, and there is some curiosity evinced as to the reason for the admission of the Oriental Empire, thus making a "Big Five." Some of the little nations, which bore a far greater brunt of the war than Japan, resent their exclusion and object to the principle of having to fall in line with, and agree to all the rulings of the inner council, composed of the "Five's" representatives. Their real complaint is therefore based on this point, as they will actually be outside the range of the discussions of vital moment, at which the real decisions will be reached. Against this complaint, the argument is put forward that to let the five powers dominate will make for expediency. This is the way a French advocate of the system and a member of the Supreme Council, expressed his views to the special correspondent of the "New York Times":—

"If all the nations delegated were given an opportunity to discuss, we should never get through. There would be no peace signed at all. Furthermore there would be too much opportunity of intrigue, trading and corruption. To put it brutally if every small State had a voice, there would be too much temptation in some quarters to sell out or dicker. As it is the world is much safer with all the responsibility fixed in the five chief powers. The views of the representatives of these five powers are sufficiently divergent to assure us that there can be no collusion, no sacrificing or exploiting of small countries. There is no sense in all this talk about a repetition of the cringes of the Vienna congress. No such repetition is contemplated, nor would it be possible. There is no small nation in the world that will not have one or more sponsors at the meetings of the 'big five,' to guard her interests. For example, President Wilson is there. Although Mr. Wilson, himself, has said so much in favor of publicity, thereby causing the present discontent, he has since admitted privately, that there must be limitations if any practical results are to be reached in the life of the present generation. We are not making this peace in Heaven, but on earth, where everybody is human."

Notwithstanding that the small nations will have sponsors at the Supreme Council meetings, to safeguard their interests, there will continue to be much dissatisfaction, for it is in the nature of the peoples who complain to desire time light prominence, and with the added complexities of the Secret Treaties and Italy's demand for Eastern Adriatic Territory, subjects which we shall present to our readers later, it will behoove the Conference to walk warily, if the real peace terms are to be signed before next winter's snow flies.

**SHIPPING**—The Annie M. Noden, which had been at Grant's wharf, Halifax, N.S., for some time, has discharged her ballast and has gone to the ocean terminals to take general cargo for here.

**MINARD'S LIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.**

**G. W. V. A.**

The meeting of the G. W. V. A. held last night in the C. C. Hall, was largely attended, President Mitchell being in the chair.

The following letter from the Minister of Militia was read:—

Department of Militia,  
St. John's, Nfld.,  
Jan. 30th, 1919.

The Secretary, the Great War Veterans' Association, City.  
Sir,—With reference to the different matters brought before the Hon. the Executive Government by a deputation of your Association on Jan. 14th, I have the honor to inform you that these matters have received consideration, and the Government has ordered as follows:—

(1) That a War Service Gratuity in place of Post Discharge Pay be paid, and the regulations governing the payment be based upon that of the Canadian Government, the scale of payment being in accordance with that of the Canadian Government.

(2) That payments to cover separation allowance of Royal Naval Reservists should be made as follows: Twenty cents per day from the commencement of the war, to men who were then serving, or from the date of enlistment to the date of discharge or of death, or to the 30th of Sept. 1917, inclusive, and thirty-three cents per day from the 1st of Oct. 1917, to date of discharge or death.

(3) That a clothing allowance to soldiers on discharge be paid at the rate of \$60.00, to be retroactive with a backward sliding scale.

(4) That separation allowances to married men and others entitled thereto be retroactive.

It will be readily understood that this will cause a great amount of work to be thrown on the Pay Department, and in order to keep the accounts adjusted, and the necessary book-keeping arrangements properly dealt with, no payments will be made in this connection before the 1st of March.

I have the honor to be, Sir, your obedient servant,  
J. R. BENNETT,  
Minister of Militia.

Mr. L. E. Emerson congratulated the Association upon the work accomplished so far. He hoped that the spirit of co-operation and unity would be fostered.

It was decided to meet the Ladies' Reception Committee and the Militia Department as to the arrangements for meeting the boys. It was suggested that Mr. B. B. Harris be appointed permanent Secretary, and the matter will be considered later.

R. N. Samson related a few of his experiences while in Germany, and meeting closed with the National Anthem.

**From Cape Race.**  
CAPE RACE, To-day.  
Wind north west blowing strong, weather dull the three masted schooner J. M. Rafuse passed in at 12.30 and an unknown steamer at 7 p.m. yesterday. A steamer passed west at 1.15 a.m. to-day. Bar. 28.98; ther. 24.

**G. KNOWLING, Ltd.**  
have just received the following:

- 50 Cases SUNLIGHT SOAP.
- 5 Cases LUX.
- 10 Cases FORCE.
- 10 Kegs EPSOM SALTS.
- 10 Cases BROCK'S BIRD FOOD.
- 5 Cases BROCK'S BIRD SAND.
- 20 Brls. 1 lb. bags TABLE SALT.
- 6 Cases COLMAN'S AZURE BLUE.
- 10 Cases SHREDDED WHEAT.
- 1 Case PNY BALSAM
- 60 Boxes NA-DRU-CO COD LIVER OIL COMPOUND.
- 20 Cases PUDDINE.
- 250 Doz. BROOMS—Wonderful value.
- 1 Case CHRISTIE'S BISCUITS.
- 5 Gross PERRY DAVIS' PAINKILLER.
- 30 Cases SUGAR CORN.
- 1 Case HOLBROOK'S EGG POWDER.
- 20 Cases LIBBY'S ASSORTED JELLY.
- 70 Boxes EVAPORATED APRICOTS.
- 30 Boxes EVAPORATED PEARS.
- 1 Tierce SINCLAIR'S BEST HAMS.
- 6 Brls. BOLOGNA SAUSAGES.
- 100 Sks. CRUSHED CORN
- 50 Brls. HAM BUTT PORK.
- 25 Brls. NEW YORK BONELESS BEEF.
- 50 Cases TOMATOES in Tins.
- 20 Cases EARLY JUNE PEAS.
- 25 Gross NERVILINE.
- 100 Boxes 3 Crown MUSCATEL RAISINS, 25 lbs. ea.
- 50 Boxes CHEESE.
- 6 Cases Blue N's o e Creamery BUTTER.
- 50 Pkgs. Moir's Assorted CONFECTIONARY & CHOCOLATES.

For sale at our East, West and Central Stores at our usual low margin of profit.  
**G. KNOWLING, Ltd.**  
Jan 31, 1919

**Old Timer Gone.**

The B. S. Nimrod, loss of which is chronicled in to-day's despatch, came out to this country in the year 1867, being bought by Job Bros. for the prosecution of the seal fishery. The Nimrod was the eighth steamer to be thus used at the seal fishery, the Blood-hound being the first, and was engaged in the work in 1863.

Captain Edward White was the first commander of the ship, and held the charge 4 years, after him came Capt. P. Cummings, 1871-1876. Then Capt. John Cummings, 1876-1880; Capt. M. Clarke, 1880-81; Capt. Jas. Joy, 1882-1886 (Capt. Joy is ships' husband for Job Bros. at the present time); Capt. B. Crocker, 1887; Capt. Henry Dawe, 1888-89; Capt. H. Bartlett, 1890-92; Capt. M. Bartlett, 1893-94; Capt. E. Dawe, 1895; Capt. T. Spracklin, 1896-9.

The Nimrod was of 226 tons burthen, and was sold some years ago by Job Bros. to the Shackleton Antarctic Exploration Club when her name was changed to "Exploration Endurance." She was later put into the coal trade between France and England, and was lost yesterday on the Yarmouth coast.

**What a Contrast?**

What feelings must have animated the minds of the Reservists who came in on yesterday's train, as they contrasted the reception(?) here with that given them in St. John, N.B., and North Sydney.

The contrast was felt the more because among the naval men were two repatriated prisoners of war—R.N.R.'s Samson and Pittman at St. John, the Y.M.C.A. and S. Army and others gave the boys a regular feast of good things, and held a concert in their honour. At N. Sydney, the same thing occurred although brevity of time did not permit things to be carried out on a large scale.

Then on leaving a big box of smokes, cats, musical instruments, and various other items were given them for the journey homewards. Here they came in, and not a soul to welcome them.

The shame of the thing! Consider the feelings that must have been aroused in their breasts as they viewed their home reception (?) with that given them outside.

Such treatment cannot conduce to pure patriotism (not that the men fought for praise), but it rojects upon our country's existence, and tends to retard our advance, for it breeds the feeling of antagonism, and indifference; and depreciates our country in the eyes of its patriots.

**Enjoyable Dance.**

In celebration of the coming marriage of Miss Hayward, daughter of Mr. P. Hayward Bowring Bros., of Mr. Cheshire, the local representative of Lever Bros., a most enjoyable dance was held at Smithville last evening, some 70 couples present.

The hall had been tastefully decorated by Mr. Herbert H. Parsons, of Bowring's Dry Goods department. Dancing was enjoyed up to one o'clock this morning, refreshments being served meanwhile. The event closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

**Shipping Notes.**

The Prospero sailed last night and took 4,500 barrels of herring for New York, the value of which is considerably over \$100,000.

The Ecacoal begins loading codfish to-morrow for the Mediterranean.

The S.S. Diana is being fitted up for the seal fishery.

The S.S. Terra Nova arrived in port this morning with coal for Bowring Bros.

The S.S. Meigle, from Sydney, arrived this morning with general cargo for the Reid Nfld. Co. She also brought a very large mail.

The June reached port this morning after a trip of 6 days from Philadelphia. She brought a cargo of hard coal for Baine Johnston & Co.

The S.S. Sable I, with general cargo, arrived from Sydney to-day.

The S.S. Harmony has cleared from Bennett & Co. with fishery products for London, Eng.

**KNOWLING'S**

**GREAT WINTER SALE**

Commencing Tuesday.  
We Cannot Charge or Send on Approval.  
**FOR SPOT CASH ONLY**  
**OUR SALE.**

It has always been the great aim in our Winter Sales to offer a collection of really useful and good quality fabrics, etc., prices that cannot but help appeal to those that study sensible and prudent domestic management.

**Ladies' Dress Goods Remnants**  
COLORED & BLACK.  
**Kid Glove Bargain.**

These gloves are Swede and Gloce, high grade, elbow length. Kid gloves which can be easily cut to desired length, making a glove worth three times the price,  
**\$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.80**  
Colors: white, cream, black, tan, fawn.

**Ladies' and Misses' Kid Glove Bargain.**

We are pleased to be able to offer, in spite of difficulties of markets, a large selection of manufacturers' remnants and oddments, consisting mostly of navy, black, and cream wool serges, together with a collection of silk, poplin, venetians, whipcords, crepons, Nun's cloth, satin cloth, fancy fabrics, etc. All offered at from  
**ONE HALF to ONE QUARTER**  
LESS THAN  
**TO-DAY'S PRICES.**  
These remnants are suitable for women's and children's skirts, Costumes, Dresses, Blouses, Winter Coats, etc.

**Ladies' and Misses' Kid Glove Bargain.**

We are offering a large selection of Black Kid Gloves in sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2 only, at  
**50c, 75c**  
Per pair.  
They cannot be replaced at double the money.

**GREY TURKISH TOWELS**, wonderful value, 10c., 14c. and 60c. each.  
**CHILDREN'S BED SOCKS**, heavily fleeced, worth 25 cts. We offer at 9c. pair.  
**MARKET BAGS**, in strong Manilla, four sizes. Worth 10c. to 25c. . . . . We offer at 3c., 5c., 7c., 10c.

**CREAM LUSTRE**, inches wide, worth \$2.20. We offer at 60c. per yard.  
**COLORED SILK BARGAINS**, in Pongee, Louise, Taffeta, 25c. to 60c. per yard.  
**MOIREEN SILK BARGAIN**, Pink, Nil, Brown, Sky. Worth \$1.00 yard. . . . . 40c. per yard.

**Ladies' Stocking Bargain.**  
A good plain, knit, winter-weight black stockings, full size, shaped leg,  
**47c**  
Per pair.  
These could not be imported and sold for 60 cts. to-day.

**Tweed Bargain.**  
Blue and white mixture wool Tweed suitable for women's and children's coats, skirts, boy's coats, etc., 56 inches wide,  
**\$1.50**  
Per yard.  
Would be good value at \$3.50.

**Fawn Velour Cord Bargain.**  
Makes a nice dressing gown jacket, children's coats, etc.,  
**\$1.10**  
Per yard.  
56 inches wide, worth from \$2.00 to \$2.50.

**Jersey Cloth Bargain.**  
Navy only; suitable for dressing jackets, children's coats, leggings, etc.]  
**80c**  
Per yard.  
56 inches wide; worth \$1.25 to \$2.00 per yard.

**Flannellette Bargains.** We offer the following fine, pure soft weave flannellette, in pink, white, etc., suitable for infants' and children's wear and wherever heavy, strong materials are not required. Worth 40 cts. per yard; we offer at 27c. per yard.

**G. KNOWLING, Ltd.**

**A State Fishing Fleet.**

The Empire Resources Development Committee points out that the mobilization of the Naval Reserve will bring to the front one of the most urgent questions connected with our supremacy as a sea power—namely, the maintenance and organization by the State of a large fishing fleet, not merely as a source of cheap food, but also as a recruiting ground for the Royal Navy.

In a memorandum just issued by the committee, of which he is a prominent member, Lord Dunsavon says:—

There is no reason why the Admiralty should not combine its own particular business with the fishing industry. Now that the war is over a certain number of trawlers and drifters, a flotilla perhaps of over a thousand boats, will doubtless be retained by the Admiralty as minesweepers, patrol boats and carriers; and also for training men and boys for the service. The crews would probably be drawn from the fishing population. In any case, even if they were drawn from the general body of naval recruits, they would be trained to handle nets, and they might be most advantageously employed in fishing for a considerable part of the year instead of, as has been customary, spending long spells in harbour. Such a fleet of boats, if put into commission, equipped with fishing gear, and manned by, at any rate, a proportion of Naval Reserve men and experienced fishermen, would earn a very large income for the State,

**Don't Work by the Clock**

The Sort of Man Employers Want. Said a well-known successful business man to the writer the other day, "The man who works by the clock will never be anything more than he deserves to be—just one of the rank and file. I've no use for him."

Neither has any employer in these days. He does not want the man who will do just the work he is paid for, or leave off at the tick of the clock at the end of the hours he is expected to work.

He wants the man who does not mind doing too much. He is the man whom the enterprising employer marks down for quick advancement. He is the greatest asset to business to-day and a sure winner in the race for success.

Read the careers of Britain's business kings who started at the bottom of the ladder. Did they grumble and grumble because they worked more hours than they were being paid for? Not they! They were only too glad of the opportunity of acquiring additional knowledge and forcing themselves on the attention of their employers. And when finally they launched out for themselves, they had so acquired the habit of concentrating on their work, irrespective of time and limit, that they could not help succeeding.

Don't be afraid of doing too much. A little too much is just enough. That is the keynote of business life to-day, if you are to lift yourself out

**Wilson's Wash**

The best story I have heard of President Wilson so far occurred on an occasion when he was speaking at a meeting in a small town. On account of a burst, however, there was a wash on the railroad. So he telegraphed the committee: "Cannot reach time. Washout on the line."

"Back came the reply:— "Never mind your wash. Other shirt at our expense anyway."

**MANAGERS TRANSFERRED**—E. L. Mitchell, manager of the Bank of Canada, this city, has transferred to Halifax, and shortly for that city. He has succeeded here by Mr. C. E. who was previously manager of the bank in Moncton, N.B. branch.

The price of the rut and travel among other things, is a factor in the way of prosperity.

**When in need of a potent cathartic, but take gentle, natural laxative.**

**Beecham's Pills**

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Size 60x72 in. Reg. \$ 9.00

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Reg. \$2.70 ea. Sale Price \$2.50  
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Reg. \$3.75 ea. Sale Price \$3.50  
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We have as handsome a stock of effects and new patterns in designs to suit every taste. The whole of our stock is a matchless opportunity. This is a matchless opportunity. \$22.50 each. Sale Price \$20.00. \$25.00 each. Sale Price \$22.50. \$30.00 each. Sale Price \$27.50. \$35.00 each. Sale Price \$32.50. \$40.00 each. Sale Price \$37.50. \$45.00 each. Sale Price \$42.50. \$50.00 each. Sale Price \$47.50. \$55.00 each. Sale Price \$52.50. \$60.00 each. Sale Price \$57.50. \$65.00 each. Sale Price \$62.50. \$70.00 each. Sale Price \$67.50. \$75.00 each. Sale Price \$72.50. \$80.00 each. Sale Price \$77.50. \$85.00 each. Sale Price \$82.50. \$90.00 each. Sale Price \$87.50. \$95.00 each. Sale Price \$92.50. \$100.00 each. Sale Price \$97.50.

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SATURDAY MORNING, bright and early, Our 23rd. ANNUAL FEBRUARY SALE will commence. It is our chief annual event. It is widely known and eagerly awaited for by thousands of shrewd buyers from all parts of the country, and is looked upon as the best money-saving event of the year. It offers an unlimited supply of the best and most practical Household Goods, as well as articles for personal use and adornment, at prices so low, that

**YOU SIMPLY CANNOT AFFORD TO STAY AWAY FROM THIS SALE.**

## You'll Save Money By Coming Here For CARPETS and RUGS.

We have as handsome a stock of Carpet Squares as you would wish to see. All sorts of new effects and new patterns in artistic shades and colorings—Carpet Squares for every room in designs to suit every fancy—priced to suit every purse. We sold thousands of dollars worth of fine Squares in our January Sale. This Sale gives even a better chance, as it offers the whole of our stock. If you are contemplating the purchase of Carpets, you will find this a matchless opportunity to save.

Reg. \$2.50 each. Sale Price . . . . . \$19.60
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Size 4 1/2 x 6 1/2 feet.  
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 GREY.  
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 Reg. \$1.95 yard. Sale Price . . . . . \$1.65  
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Extra heavy makes, dull and bright finishes with ribbon stripes, heavy vases and knobs.  
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The latest Canadian designs, with heavy, fancy scrolls and brass trimmings.  
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Stout pedestal and five legged styles in assorted finishes and quartered oak. We consider ourselves lucky in being able to offer such a splendid variety to choose from, and the values are even greater than the reduced prices indicate, owing to their early purchase.  
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Surface and Golden Oak in a splendid variety of the most approved designs.  
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### BUFFETS.

Surface and quartered oak, golden and fumed finishes.  
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 Reg. \$85.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$70.12

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Mahogany, fumed and Ivory finishes.  
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 Reg. \$48.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$40.63  
 Reg. \$52.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$43.00

### SINGLE BUREAUS.

Solid mahogany, mahogany veneered, walnut, fumed oak and ivory.  
 Reg. \$ 42.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$ 34.00  
 Reg. \$ 60.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$ 50.00  
 Reg. \$ 64.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$ 53.12  
 Reg. \$ 65.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$ 55.00  
 Reg. \$ 66.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$ 54.18  
 Reg. \$ 67.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$ 56.31  
 Reg. \$ 94.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$ 78.31  
 Reg. \$160.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$131.30

### GENT'S DRESSERS.

Mahogany veneered, walnut, fumed oak and ivory.  
 Reg. \$45.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$37.32  
 Reg. \$58.50 each. Sale Price . . . . \$40.37  
 Reg. \$60.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$50.00  
 Reg. \$61.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$50.53  
 Reg. \$63.50 each. Sale Price . . . . \$52.58  
 Reg. \$65.00 each. Sale Price . . . . \$53.76

## Men's Furnishings

We've just caused the whole of our stock of Men's High-class wear and furnishings to "fall in line" for this Sale. No matter what you buy you get the advantage of our February Sale Prices.

### MEN'S SILK AND WOOL MUFFLERS.

Reg. 90c. ea. Sale Price . . . . 80c.  
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### MEN'S BLACK CASHMERE HALF HOSE.

Reg. 60c. pr. Sale Price . . . . 53c.  
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 Reg. \$1.50 pr. Sale Price . . . . \$1.35  
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(Greys, Browns, Navys, Greens and Black.)  
 Reg. \$2.75 ea. Sale Price . . . . \$2.45  
 Reg. \$3.00 ea. Sale Price . . . . \$2.70  
 Reg. \$3.50 ea. Sale Price . . . . \$3.20  
 Reg. \$7.50 ea. Sale Price . . . . \$6.60  
 Reg. \$8.00 ea. Sale Price . . . . \$7.20  
 (Brown, Grey and Black.)  
 Reg. \$5.00 ea. Sale Price . . . . \$4.40  
 Reg. \$6.00 ea. Sale Price . . . . \$5.40

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Reg. \$1.70 ea. Sale Price . . . . \$1.55  
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### COT COMFORTERS.

Reg. 36x48 in. Reg. \$3.00. S. Price, \$2.70  
 Reg. 36x48 in. Reg. \$3.25. S. Price, \$2.98

### WHITE CROCHET QUILTS.

Reg. \$2.70 ea. Sale Price . . . . \$2.30  
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### WASH FABRICS

The prices on our Wash Fabrics are every instance below what the same qualities can be bought for to-day under present conditions, consequently there is no better time to prepare for your summer dress needs than NOW. You'll be surprised at the surprising variety in readiness for you to-morrow.

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## We Direct Your Attention

To our splendid lines of new Scrims, Chintz and Curtain Draperies. Our housefurnishing department is holding forth some very unusual offerings. Give us a call on these goods and see the savings that will result.

Llewellyn Club.

Last night's meeting of Llewellyn Club was well attended, but as these lectures are valuable means of instruction, more men might avail of the opportunity to learn something beneficial and educational.

As a preface to his lecture Rev. Dr. Jones announced that on next Thursday night a smoker, with refreshments, would be held. Then after naming his subject as "Samson, the man of muscle, and when great men go wrong," he first stated how that Samson was an exceedingly well known character, by boys especially, chiefly because of his athletic prowess.

Samson was also a ruler, a Judge of Israel and an idealist. He showed how the rise of Samson to such greatness reflected greatly upon the democratic community to which he lived, for although Samson was born of low estate, in other words sprang from the ranks, yet he rose to the highest power in the kingdom; and here the speaker emphasized the need of real democracy to-day, for a country, said he, can progress or advance along class lines.

Here he made passing reference to Theodore Roosevelt and spoke very emphatically on American Democracy as contrasted with conditions in Europe, and also showed that the British Empire was democratic, as several of her most prominent statesmen had risen from the so-called common class. He added that Democracy gives promise of futurity, and to contract the fact that many clergy to-day are untalented or not properly developed, the competition between the rich and poor on a common basis is the only preventive for this inferiority.

Samson's high calling wrought in him a moral force. Samson has been catalogued, with Gideon and Deborah thus testifying to his greatness. It is true and quite evident that a moral force is often created by a high calling or great responsibility, as witnessed in the lives of Titus, Vespasian, Thomas a'Becket, and others. Of course this moral force does not always follow, and there are examples in which great promises do not meet the expectations, and thus it was with Samson. The promise was there but not the fulfillment. Thus came the tragedy. The lecturer then enumerated five kinds of tragedy: the tragedy of mistake, the tragedy of misdeeds, the tragedy of Saul's behaviour at Sophocles' death, the tragedy of premature death, Burns, Shelley, Raphael were examples of this type, as well as the thousands who die yearly of the white plague and other diseases while in the prime of life.

Then thirdly there was the tragedy of outward calamity as shown in the life of Job. Fourthly there is the tragedy of a sub-human life as portrayed in men of stupidity and greed who do not rise to the heights of ordinary humanity, and millions are in this class to-day. Lastly the tragedy of the fall of an idealist, and such was the fall of Samson.

Samson failed because he failed to take things seriously, and performed his exploits after the schoolboy fashion, and was too lacking in seriousness. Moreover Samson was not persistent enough, he did great things but did not keep hammering until success was achieved. And thirdly Samson lost the favor of God because he became selfish, he debased his better nature by his lower or animal self and thus forgot the fact that "a clean spirit is the best of all." Here the speaker spoke of the infamous "dope" drunk by our soldiers which was detrimental to body and soul.

Samson fell and thereby lost his eyes, his muscles, his reputation, his soul, and was one illustration of the truth that the fall of a great man is the ultimate tragedy of life.

Mr. C. E. Hunt also condemned the sale of essence of lemon and like drinks, but taking as his examples C. S. Farnell, Sir C. Digby, E. A. Poe and others he pointed out how that the great in every walk of life had gone wrong. He dwelt on the danger of mistakes, and of falling as open to the great as to the ordinary man.

Mr. Morine also spoke briefly and dwelt chiefly with education and prohibition. He stated that accident of birth or environment is no longer a positive barrier to greatness, but of course that did not mean that all education is less in Newfoundland than elsewhere, and made reference to the recent resolution of the Patriotic Association. He also stated that the Prohibition Act was not comprehensive enough but that it should in particular prohibit the importation of such infamous drinks as are on the market to-day.

Mr. R. Dowden spoke briefly on the Prohibition question, and also on the Educational one. The singing of the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close.

RECOVERED FROM "FLU"—Mr. A. Hamlyn, 2nd engineer of the S. S. Dundee, and who with 19 others of the crew were removed to the Fever hospital last Monday week suffering from "Flu" is now able to be out around, although not fully recovered. He speaks very highly of the treatment and attention accorded him by the nurses and staff of the hospital during his time there.

The Evangelists.

Last night's meeting was a full one in every way, and there was a lot of business done in addition to the more evangelical object of the campaign. The audience was a slight to behold, and it must have been an inspiration both to Evangelists, Pastors and people. Neither our time nor our space have permitted us to treat upon the details of the meetings so far, as we deemed it best to give to the public a sort of digest of the addresses.

Among the announcements last night there was a tinge of regret, inasmuch as they implied that the campaign is drawing to a close, and that soon the word "farewell" will have been said to the Evangelists. But such is the way of life; and such it will be until the last act in its great drama shall be played, and the curtain falls, and time shall be no more.

The singing last night was adapted to all the people, and the grand old monastic tune of "Adeste Fideles" was something not soon to be forgotten. It would have been well worth while to have dispensed with some of the functions that took up so much of the time, and to have devoted it to the spirit of the song, and to the glory of the singing. It was a grand moment of the service, and all that was needed to deepen the effect was the rich tones of the great organ, which throughout the campaign has been strangely silent, and majestically dumb.

The announcements also reminded the people that on Sunday night the collection would be in the form of a thank offering for the benefit of the Evangelists themselves. Of course, this has been understood all along, and we feel assured that the response to this offering will be liberal, free, and generous in the fullest sense of the terms. Mr. and Mrs. Demarest have labored incessantly since their arrival, and they have done a lot of good, and have zealously given of their talent in song and word; and now comes our chance to be practical in our appreciation. We have uttered our Amens, let us now establish our faith by our works, and let our souls be bigger than our dollars.

The devotional part of the service last night was short and to the point; and was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Bond, and by the Rev. Mr. Bugden; and we think all the city ministers were present. Prominence was given to the topics upon which Mrs. Demarest will speak for the three remaining meetings of the campaign. To-night it will be "The Empty House," Sunday afternoon "The Work of the Holy Spirit," and on Sunday night "The Power of a Name."

And now for the sermon. What shall we say of it? We are at a loss. For this we give two reasons. First, we do not see eye to eye with the Evangelist's definition of doctrinal points, and secondly "such knowledge is too wonderful for us, we cannot attain unto it." Here is the text: "Except ye be converted and become as little children, ye cannot enter the Kingdom of Heaven." The subject therefore was "Conversion." On this doctrine we have had but a simple faith, and in this faith, we have depended our all for eternal salvation. The preacher spoke for one hour and five minutes. She began at five minutes to nine, and finished at ten o'clock. She was in splendid form for her good work, and was well prepared upon this great question. She spoke upon the two-fold aspect of it, namely, man's part in it, and God's part. Upon man devolves the necessity of repentance and confession, and with God rests the prerogative of Pardon and Adoption. These are all very simple doctrines; they are embodied in the teachings of the Christian Church the world over, and to them we reverently uncover our heads, and lowly abase ourselves.

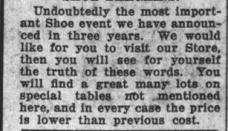
We are conscious that the Evangelist is in a grand place in her religious experience, and that she has a very exalted idea, and a very beautiful vision of heaven, and heavenly things, and that her life and work are away beyond, and above, the struggling work-a-day Christian. We give place to her in this respect, but we happen to be among the latter class; and every day of the week we have to fight the hard game of dollars and cents, and to meet the stern demands of daily duty. We therefore could not follow our good sister last night. She was too good for us. But we greatly admired her zeal, and said Amen to her work, and wished that we could do more than we have done to help her, but we find ourselves too far below her, to attempt to peer on to our readers the ideals of the sentiments of the sermon, which she preached last night; and she did preach it, not at people, but to them. Right squarely to them.

Readers will therefore have to excuse us in our failure to do better for them this time; but as many of them will see the sermon published almost word for word in the other papers, they will be able to redeem themselves from being disappointed. The time in which our notes are written is very limited—it is stolen from the mid-night hours—and there is scarcely any opportunity for revision or correction by reference. But we give our best, and hope that it is worth while.

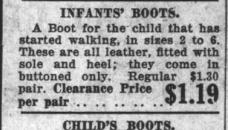
January Clearance



BOYS' SWEATER COATS.—A line of Boys' Navy Sweater Coats, considerably underpriced. They are warm, fitted with snug-fitting collar. Reg. price, each \$1.80. Clearance Price, each \$1.59.



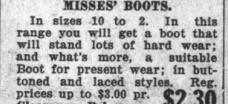
MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS.—About 6 dozen of Men's Khaki Flannel Shirts; made of good strong material; a warm shirt, a well made shirt, and a shirt that will stand lots of wear; assorted sizes. Reg. price \$2.50 each. Clearance Price, ea. \$2.28.



SHOE BARGAINS.—Undoubtedly the most important Shoe event we have announced in three years. We would like for you to visit our Store, then you will see for yourself the truth of these words. You will find a great many lots on special tables not mentioned here, and in every case the price is lower than previous cost.



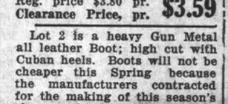
INFANTS' BOOTS.—A Boot for the child that has started walking, in sizes 2 to 6. These are all leather, fitted with sole and heel; they come in buttoned only. Regular \$1.30 pair. Clearance Price \$1.19 per pair.



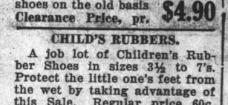
CHILD'S BOOTS.—Here we have an assortment of styles ready for your inspection, all grouped under one price ticket; lace and buttoned; leather and cloth top uppers, in sizes 6 to 10. Clearance Price, pair \$1.50.



LADIES' BOOTS.—We make special mention of two lines of Ladies' Boots which we consider to be bargains. Lot 1 consists of a Black Vel. Leather Boot, with patent toe cap. Reg. price \$3.50 pair. Clearance Price, pr. \$3.59.



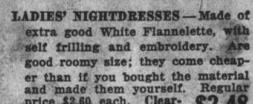
LADIES' MITTS.—Here's something to keep the little one warm and cozy even in zero weather. Here we offer you a Gauntlet Woolen Mitt, all wool make, in either Grey or Red. We advise you to see this line. Clearance Price, per pair \$49c.



BOYS' MITTS.—Regardless of whether mother or father is to wear gloves, the school children must have them. These home made Mitts will keep out the biting winds and biting cold from their little fingers. They must carry their books to school. Clearance Price, per pair \$45c.



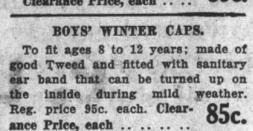
CHILDREN'S RUBBERS.—A Job lot of Children's Rubber Shoes in sizes 3 1/2 to 7 1/2. Protect the little one's feet from the wet by taking advantage of this Sale. Regular price 60c. per pair. Clearance Price, 47c. per pair.



LADIES' NIGHTDRESSES.—Made of extra good White Flannelette, with self frilling and embroidery. Are good roomy sizes; they come cheap. If you bought the material and made them yourself. Regular price \$2.50 each. Clearance Price, each \$2.48.



LADIES' KNICKERS.—Also a line of Ladies' White Flannelette Knickers, beautifully embroidered and well finished. In order to appreciate this value you should see them. Regular price \$1.00 each. Clearance Price, each \$89c.



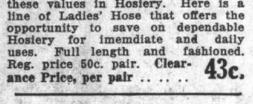
BOYS' WINTER CAPS.—To fit ages 8 to 12 years; made of good Tweed and fitted with sanitary ear band that can be turned up on the inside during mild weather. Reg. price 95c. each. Clearance Price, each \$85c.



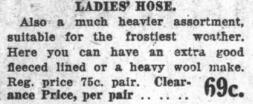
MEN'S WOOL UNDERWEAR.—In Shirts and Pants, Stanfield's make; the kind that gives warmth and comfort. We strongly recommend this line because of its popularity; sizes 38 to 42. Reg. price \$2.50 garment. Clearance Price \$2.25 per garment.



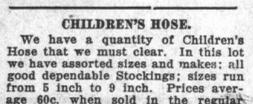
MEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR.—Also a line that will take the place of fleeced, only it is much heavier and will wear out two fleeced garments. For the working man we strongly recommend this line—Shirts and Pants; all sizes. Regular price \$2.00. Clearance Price, \$1.85 per garment.



LADIES' HOSE.—Only once in a while do we offer these in Hosiery. Here is a line of Ladies' Hose that offers the opportunity to save on dependable Hosiery for immediate and daily uses. Full length and fashioned. Reg. price 50c. pair. Clearance Price, per pair \$43c.



CHILDREN'S MITTENS.—We have a quantity of Children's Mitts that we must clear. In this lot we have assorted sizes and makes; all good dependable Stockings; sizes run from 5 inch to 9 inch. Prices average 60c. when sold in the regular way. Clearance Price, per 47c.



LA-LA-BY PL-A-BED.—The above illustration is the exact picture of those La-La-Beds. They are made of heavy duck, fastened to strong steel frames. Are safe, sanitary and keeps baby from harm and danger. Will hold the heaviest baby. Price, each \$3.00.

Alex. Scott, 18 New Gower Street. Store Opens 8:30 a.m. Closes 6 p.m. Saturdays 10 p.m.

Thrilling Stories of Perils by Sea.

Newfoundland Crews Relate Experience—"Dictators" Men Tell of Their Adventures.

Thrilling stories were told yesterday by shipwrecked crews, and seamen, who had been prisoners of war in Germany, and who arrived here on board the Empress of Britain. There were a total of twenty-four seamen in the party which included the crews of three schooners, the Jane Cox, of Shelburne, and the Vanessa and Wilfred Marcus of Newfoundland. There were also three members of the crew of the Newfoundland schr. Dictator, who were prisoners of war in Germany.

The schr. Jane Cox sailed from Liverpool last November with a load of lumber for Barbados. Five days after she left port she sprang a leak, being then in latitude 35.4 N. and longitude 50 W. All that day and the following night the water poured into the vessel, and she became water-logged, with the wind blowing a gale and a high sea running. The next day the British barque Burkdale, which was 140 days out from Australia to St. John, N.B., was sighted, and the crew were rescued. When they left the Jane Cox, she was still afloat.

Battered by Storms.—To be within 500 miles of Cape Race when their vessel became disabled, to be rescued and taken all the way across the Atlantic to France, was the experience of the crew of the Newfoundland schooner Vanessa, who arrived here on board the Empress. Leaving Lisbon on Nov. 3rd, with a cargo of salt for Burin, Nfld., which was taken on board after discharging a cargo of dried fish, the Vanessa commenced her last voyage. Head winds and high seas were encountered all the way, and the vessel lost some of her sails. Finally, when 37 days out, the schooner became totally disabled, having lost all sails, a boat and much rigging in a heavy westerly gale. The crew were rescued by the Norwegian steamer Severne and landed at Nantes, France, on Dec. 10. From there they went to Paris, thence

to Havre, across the channel to Southampton, to London, and finally to Liverpool. The following comprise the crew, who belong to Burin, Newfoundland: Captain, Harry Eirkett; Mate, Alton Brenton; Cook, Robert Durr; Seamen, John Isaac, Thomas Burdit and Ernest Kerby.

The Vanessa was owned by W. & T. Hollett, of Burin. She was built in Essex, Mass., about eleven years ago, and had a net tonnage of 85 tons and 134 gross. Her dimensions were—Length, 110 feet over all; beam, 24 feet; depth, 12.4 feet.

Rescued by Transport.—The third party of shipwrecked men were the crew of the Wilfred Marcus, who were rescued in mid-ocean by the American transport Lynchburg, and landed in France, leaving Oporto, Spain, on November 1st, with a cargo of about 200 tons of salt, the Wilfred Marcus headed for Newfoundland, her destination being Marytown. Heavy weather was encountered, and on the 25th day out, all sails and rigging was carried away, totally disabling the vessel. This was on December 14th. Up to that time the crew were kept busy mending sails which had been torn by gales.

At one o'clock the following morning, the crew were rescued by the Lynchburg, which sent a boat to the schooner in a heavy sea to take the men off. They were landed at Nantes, France, on Christmas Day, and was then forwarded to England and finally to Halifax. The names of the crew are as follows: Captain, Robt. Adger; Mate, Ambrose King; Cook, Stephen Lovell; Seamen, Leo Walsh, John Hooper, Amos Hilby, and John Baker.

The Wilfred Marcus was a small ton schooner of 123 tons net, and 153 gross. She was built at Shelburne in 1914, and was owned by G. A. Buffett, of Grand Bank. Her dimensions were—Length, 107 feet over all; beam, 23 feet; depth, 12 feet.

Attacked by U-Boat.—The Nfld. schooner Dictator, was bound to Nfld. from Cadiz, when she fell a victim to a German submarine on June 18th, 1918. She left Cadiz on June 12th with salt, and was about 680 miles from Nfld. after a trip of 16 days, when the submarine was sighted. Three shells were fired at the small vessel, the crew immediately taking to the boats. They were ordered to row to the submarine where the captain was taken on board the U-boat and kept about half an hour. The crew were then told to go on board the underside craft, while the Germans made a trip to the vessel, gathered all the food they could and set off bombs that blew her up.

For twenty-two days the six members of the crew of the Dictator were kept prisoners on board the U-boat. One of them said yesterday that the food they received was not too bad, and that they were allowed a short period on deck during the trip. On July 28th they arrived in Germany, and were immediately taken to Kiel, where they spent 17 days in prison. The treatment was bad. Next they were shifted to Dulmen, which was a soldiers' prison camp, where they were kept a month, when they were taken to Brandenburg. At this camp they were kept until the armistice was signed.

Died in Prison.—During these months of imprisonment Leo Bunzey, the mate, was taken sick with pneumonia, and was forced to work by the Germans, until death came. Another member of the crew, James Parsons, one of the seamen, was killed by a shunting train. The remainder were forced to work hard and received hardly enough food to keep them alive. When the armistice was signed all hands at the camp knocked off work. The remaining members of the crew were then sent to Copenhagen, from there to England, and reached here yesterday.

Capt. Thos. Fireman left Copenhagen about four days ahead of the three men who reached here yesterday and is thought to have reached home by now. The names of the men landed here yesterday are, Edgar Banfield, Charles Elydon and Thos. Dowridge. The Dictator was a schooner of 90

M. C. L.

A good attendance was present at last night's meeting of the M. C. L. when the resolution of the Central Powers by the National Congress is under consideration. J. A. W. McNeely led the discussion, and Mr. Sidney Woods took the side. The debate was interesting throughout, and was greatly enhanced by the participation of a number of members, one of whom was good, putting his finger on a point of all points that made it inadvisable that the demerits on the Central Powers be affirmed by the M. C. L. The affirmative speakers were solved into the following: Germany and her allies committed crimes, she should make reparation, she means a money payment, as contemplated by the Allies, would mean the subjugation of Central Powers into a permanent slavery. It is to keep a hundred million people. For a while it might be large armies of occupation, but time that spirit of hatred which would grow and break all that the inevitable result of another war of such dimensions that the late war was ed into insignificance. It is supposed that such a war happen, and that the Central kept on plodding away, indemnity. It would keep state of slavery, their country would be crippled, and the tries retarded, and such a over a hundred million would so react on the world and the world that it would be harmful than to the Central themselves. There is also the side; it would be forcing the and German children of the day Germany to pay for their fathers' war, and forbidding their fathers' war, and forbidding Germany, having committed French nation in the Franco war levied huge indemnities, vanquished and kept his occupation in France to be paid, it was paid—war was the result. When licked the Boers she leveled on them; when she broke out, the Boers stepped her side and gave their cause. It is only reasonable pose that such a number of 100,000,000 would not be for long; and now that the is ended, the proper thing to take all she has, and hand that. Germany was handed the Allies. At that point longer to recuperate; but she now has, taken from her keep her further back, but the same time lessen a part of the hatred she now owes the victors, thus rendering ability of another war less. The negative side was supported several speakers, all of whom questioned Germany had no war. She was the aggressor crime she could commit to her she did, stopping all. Such atrocities as the plant gum, France, Serbia; the English towns; the sinking all called for punishment. Indemnities should be exacted nation that was the cause of the war. France, Serbia; the English towns; the sinking all called for punishment. Indemnities should be exacted nation that was the cause of the war.

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When you want Steaks, Chops, Cutlets and Collops, try ELLIS' WEATHER CONDITIONS.—Ships passing Cape Race yesterday reported heavy seas, high N.E. winds, and occasional snow squalls.

When you want Sausages, why—get ELLIS'; they're the best.

RECEPTION FOR SOLDIERS.—The Ladies' Committee are making extensive preparations to meet the boys returning by the s.s. Corsican; fuller details will be published when completed.

DON'T TAKE THAT TRIP.—not before you have seen us. We will take \$5,000 insurance on your life for one month for less than a \$5 bill. THE TERRA NOVA COMPANY, Gear Building, Geo. P. Barnes, Mgr. Jan. 7th.

ANNUAL MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Permanent Marine Disasters' Fund was held yesterday at the Nfld. Savings Bank. The officers elected were: Hon. W. J. Ellis, President; Dr. J. A. Robinson, Hon. Secretary; and Hon. R. Watson, Hon. Treasurer.

Our three Specials: Stafford's Phorotone, Pres. A., and Liniments also Ginger Wine, are sold at Robert Parsons', 7 Hayward Ave. jan. 11th.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. M. King desire to thank Dr. Campbell, Matron, Reid, Nurse, Taylor, Nurse Cron, Nurse Shelgrove and Miss Corbett, of the Fever Hospital, for their kindness to their three children during their stay at that institution. advt.

THE NEW FERRIS REMEDY. THERAPION No. 1 THERAPION No. 2 THERAPION No. 3

Don't Trust to the owners of sealing vessels here issued orders that no barrels of seal blubber be taken from the vessels except from those other than those already mentioned will be useless expense for the owners to come to the city at the February trawling to luck, 1919.

Advertisement for Vespa and The Annual Meeting. Includes text about annual meeting of the Trade and Vespa advertisement.

M. C. L. I.

A good attendance had...  
 when the resolution, "Resol-  
 tion of large indemnities"  
 Central Powers by the A-  
 Nations is unjustifiable."  
 A. W. McNelly led the de-  
 and Mr. Sidney Woods the  
 side. The debate was bright-  
 eresting throughout, and it  
 was greatly enhanced by the  
 participation of some of the young  
 men, one of whom was  
 good, putting his finger on  
 point of all points that would  
 make it inadvisable to work  
 committees on the Central Pow-  
 affirmative speakers' argu-  
 ments into the following:  
 Germany and her assoc-  
 iated crimes, she should  
 and make reparation. But  
 means a money payment, and  
 is contemplated by the Allies  
 would mean the subjecting  
 Central Powers into a long  
 actual slavery. It is impos-  
 sible to keep a hundred million peo-  
 ple in slavery. For a while it could  
 be done by large armies of occupa-  
 tion, but the spirit of hatred and  
 which Germany now  
 would grow and break all  
 that the inevitable result  
 another war of such gigantic  
 dimensions that the late war would  
 be of insignificance beside  
 it. Supposing that such a war  
 should happen, and that the Central  
 Powers kept on plotting away, prob-  
 ably Germany, it would keep the  
 state of slavery, their commu-  
 nity would be crippled, their  
 industries retarded, and such a  
 situation over a hundred million  
 people would so react on the rest of  
 the world that it would be  
 more harmful than to the Central  
 Powers themselves. There is also the  
 fact that it would be forcing the  
 Central Powers to pay for the  
 grand-children of the  
 Central Powers to pay for the  
 sins of their fathers, and forefathers  
 would be most unjustifiable.  
 Germany, having conquered  
 France, a French nation in the Franco-  
 Prussian war levied huge indemnities  
 on the vanquished and kept big ar-  
 mies of occupation in France to see  
 that the money was paid, it was paid—but  
 the result was that when the  
 Central Powers she levied in-  
 demnities on them. When the Boers  
 were defeated, the Boers stopped  
 paying, and she gave their sons  
 as a punishment. It is only reasonable  
 to suppose that such a number of  
 people as 100,000,000 would not be kept  
 in slavery for long; and now that the  
 Central Powers have ended, the proper thing  
 to do is to take all she has, and let  
 her go. Germany was harder on  
 the Allies. At that it would be  
 impossible to recuperate; but we  
 are now has, taken from her, we  
 keep her further back, but we  
 are the same time lessen a great  
 deal of the hatred she now enters  
 into, thus rendering the  
 possibility of another war less.  
 The negative side was set  
 forth by several speakers, all of whom  
 argued more to the moral side  
 of the question. Germany had  
 committed crimes. She was the aggressor,  
 and she could not expect to  
 get away with what she did, stopping at  
 such atrocities as the plundering  
 of Belgium, France, Serbia; the bom-  
 barding of English towns; the sinking of  
 the Lusitania; the call for punishment for  
 the Central Powers that was the cause of it all.  
 Indemnities should be exacted  
 from the Central Powers; it was  
 a matter of justice. Upon  
 the resolution passed by  
 a majority and the evening  
 session of the National  
 Assembly.

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### Trade Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the  
 Trade Association was held  
 yesterday afternoon at the  
 Hotel... The chairman, Mr.  
 H. R. Bowring, referred to the  
 victory of the Allies and paid a  
 tribute to the sons of Newfound-  
 land in bringing it about. He  
 said that the fish situation he  
 saw 100 quintals yet remained  
 unsold, and he hoped it would  
 be disposed of, as was the case  
 in former years. In the last  
 few months our yearly products,  
 and every business man must lay  
 down for himself a lower rate of  
 prices than before. Frenzied  
 finance has ruled for a time and  
 stability must now be restored.  
 The mercantile marine has in-  
 creased in excess of our needs,  
 and when normal times return  
 the surplus profits will disappear.  
 Unless we improve our  
 methods of curing fish we will  
 lose our hold in the markets,  
 but under proper legislative  
 enactment he believed we  
 would retain our old position.  
 In conclusion he paid a tribute  
 to those members who lost their  
 lives in the Floridel disaster,  
 and thought a quarterly review  
 of general business by the  
 Board's Council would be of  
 great benefit.

found for all our output. During  
 the year the Board had lost several  
 valuable members, principally  
 through the Floridel disaster,  
 and to the relative sympathy  
 extended. At present the  
 Board has a membership of 200,  
 and for the first time in history  
 a credit balance amounting to \$220,223.  
 Mr. W. B. Grieve, in second-  
 ing the adoption of the report,  
 said that it contained many  
 subjects worthy of further  
 discussion. We have been  
 living in abnormal times, but  
 must prepare for a shrinkage  
 in the value of our exports.  
 Others are, or shortly will be,  
 able to double in a few months  
 our yearly products, and every  
 business man must lay down  
 for himself a lower rate of  
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appointment of Hon. Sir E. R.  
 Bowring as a matter of congratula-  
 tion, and also mentioned the  
 reference in the report to the  
 appointment by the Govern-  
 ment of a Board of Trade and  
 Commerce. He thought the  
 Association could get along  
 with less interference from the  
 Government. The chairman  
 pointed out that since his ap-  
 pointment, which had been recom-  
 mended by the Board of Trade,  
 Sir E. R. Bowring had been ob-  
 liged to wire to private firms  
 for information which the Board  
 had been unable to supply. He  
 thought it advisable to form a  
 department through which the  
 commission could get in direct  
 contact with the situation here.  
 Mr. Morine thought the crea-  
 tion of a new department un-  
 necessary and felt the officials  
 of the Marine Dept. could at-  
 tend to the work involved, that  
 department at any rate reading  
 enlargement. At present men  
 are in charge of departments  
 who should be made cabinet  
 ministers and put in charge of  
 a board directly in touch with  
 our representative in London.  
 Mr. H. R. Brookes thought the  
 creation of a new department to  
 deal with questions concerning  
 trade from abroad would be a  
 distinct benefit to all concerned.  
 Hon. John Harvey suggested  
 that the motion to adopt the  
 report be changed to one of  
 receipt only.  
 Mr. H. E. Cowan felt that  
 receipt only of the report would  
 be a slur on the Council.  
 Hon. Mr. Harvey pointed out  
 that his objection to adopting  
 the report was mainly on ac-  
 count of his suggestion that  
 a new department be created.  
 Mr. Dunfield suggested that  
 the Marine and Fisheries Dept.  
 be given powers to handle busi-  
 ness in connection with Sir E.  
 R. Bowring. The head of that  
 department should be placed  
 in the highest rank and the  
 education of the fishermen  
 should be taken up by the  
 Government under the de-  
 partment, a move which would  
 prove of inestimable value.  
 He hoped information as to the  
 cure of fish, competition, etc.,  
 would be distributed broadcast.  
 Sir Joseph Outerbridge thought  
 the creation of a new depart-  
 ment of commerce unnecessary,  
 as such a department in effect  
 really existed under control  
 of the Colonial Secretary,  
 who had the services of the  
 Customs, etc., at his command.  
 Mr. Morine believed the Council  
 itself would hardly agree to  
 the creation of the new depart-  
 ment which the adoption of  
 the report would sanction,  
 as that department would mean  
 new expenses. He hoped the  
 matter would be further consid-  
 ered at a later meeting.  
 The chairman, Messrs. H. E. Cowan,



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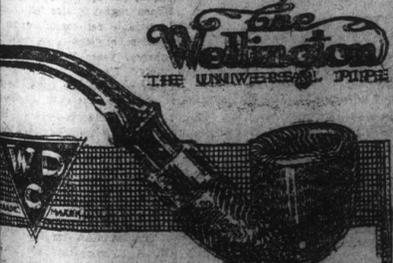
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**L. C. A. S.**  
 The annual meeting of the  
 College Aid Society was held  
 yesterday afternoon. The reports  
 of the year were presented and  
 the Society to be in a flourish-  
 ing condition.  
 The Society has met with  
 great loss in the passing of  
 Miss Cole, who for many years  
 had held the position of Secretary.  
 Her indefatigable efforts in  
 the interests of the College are well  
 known and deep regret is also felt at  
 her unavoidable retirement, owing  
 to the ill health of Miss Cole, who  
 for several years Treasurer of the  
 Society. The officers for the  
 year were elected, and are as follows:  
 President—Mrs. W. J. Herd;  
 Vice-Presidents—Mrs. S. E. Dyer,  
 Mrs. J. Leamon, Mrs. A. Soper,  
 Mrs. Mews and Mrs. C. P. Ayer;  
 Secretary—Mrs. W. G. Curran;  
 Asst. Secretary—Mrs. A. E. Dyer.  
 Treasurer—Mrs. C. H. Herd;  
 Asst. Treasurer—Mrs. J. P. Herd.  
 The officers with Mrs. S. E. Dyer,  
 Mrs. A. Thompson and Mrs. J. P.  
 Herd form the Executive Com-  
 mittee.  
 The work committee consists of  
 Mrs. F. Moore, Mrs. S. E. Dyer,  
 Mrs. Soper, G. Rabbits, J. S. G.  
 G. Currie, T. A. Bennett, W. H. H.  
 Parkins, W. H. Baird, W. A. G.  
 Dr. Roberts, Inkpen, F. W. G.  
 Mann, W. English and W. S. G.

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### LONDON GOSSIP.

LONDON, Jan. 6, 1919.  
THE COMMONS "BABY."

The youngest Member of the new House of Commons is Lieutenant Oswald Mosley, who has become the Coalition Member for the Harrow Division of Middlesex, defeating an Independent. Lieutenant Mosley completed his 22nd year last month, but, like so many other youngsters of today, is old in experience, for he served on the Western front, and was wounded while with the 16th Lancers. This young man will make his entry into the House of Commons under very novel circumstances, these including an entire breaking up of old party ties and the appearance for the first time of the Labor Party as the official Opposition, a place hitherto occupied by either the Liberal or Conservative party, according to which one was "in" and which was "out." Along with the Liberal party there has been wiped out the Irish Nationalist party and the 73, Sinn Féiners who have replaced that party will, it is understood, not put in an appearance in the House of Commons. As that House would have on its full roster 707 members, with accommodation for only about 600; the absence of the Sinn Féiners will mean an addition to the House's comfort, apart from anything else.

#### FROM WHITEHALL TO THE CITY.

I hear that there is quite keen competition in the City (London's banking and financial district) for the services of men who have "made good" in war work. This applies principally to men who have become temporarily attached to the work of civil direction of the war, but it also applies to certain permanent civil servants who have made reputations during the last four years. In addition, some less known civil servants who have been brought into contact with industry have decided to resign and go into business. One man who represented a Government department at a certain large workshop displayed such initiative there that the firm have induced him to stay with them at a handsome salary. Another civil servant has learned enough of engineering matters to justify him in giving up his post and going into engineering on his own account. The right-hand man of a Minister who has had a big say in the civil side of the war has received a tempting offer from a City firm.

#### EX-KAISER'S WAR RESPONSIBILITY.

It appears from information which has reached an authoritative quarter here that the Dutch frontiers authorities have within the past week or so

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seized several boxes of documents which were being surreptitiously despatched from Germany to the ex-Kaiser. That these documents are of a particularly incriminating character, as far as the fallen Monarch's part in the war is concerned, seems to be known; and it is asserted on good authority that they are those whose publication was promised from Munich just over a month ago, which subsequently were asserted to have been abstracted from the Imperial archives in Berlin.

#### AIR RAIDS AND AUTHORSHIP.

It has more than once been observed that the war, despite all its vast possibilities, did not in all its full four years inspire a solitary great poem, picture, or play. That it did not evoke a single brilliant description of any of its leading incidents is mainly due to the censorship, for many a thrilling scene was enacted on the Home Front which would have been splendidly worth telling if only "Dora" had not insisted on reducing to dust and dullness every true effort that was attempted. The natural consequence was that, in the absence of truth, the country was filled with falsehood as to what actually had happened; and while escaping congratulation on safe deliverance from very narrow escapes, London received a plenitude of condolences on casualties that never occurred. When the east and southeast of the capital were again and again bombed, the fact was allowed to be indicated, though only with an approach to full correctness. When on one occasion the West End of London had a taste of the visitation, mention that the fashionable quarter had not even as much as been touched was peremptorily stopped. A bald official record has at last been allowed to be published, but the real thrilling story has still to be told. The misfortune for the cause of exactitude in description is that an author now would have to tell the tale from remembrance and not from first impression, and everyone acquainted with their process knows how widely apart are the two things. Even so, we ought to have a satisfactory chronicle of London's air raid experiences before their memory too far fades.

#### WAR DEPARTMENTS AND SALARIES.

Ample material for the edification of the curious has just been issued by the official publishers in the form of a return showing the new Departments that have been created since the outbreak of war and the names and salaries of the principal officers. The most prominent features of the document are the revelation of the amount of the extraordinary ramifications of official control and the great amount of unpaid service which is being rendered to the State. About 350 departments, sub-departments, and branches and special organizations are dealt with, a total to which conspicuous contributors are the Ministry of Munitions, the War Office, the Ministry of Food, and the Admiralty. The names of Lord Pirrie, Controller-General of Merchant Shipping; Sir Joseph Macleay, Minister of Shipping; and Sir Thomas Ball, Deputy Controller of Dockyards and Shipping, appear among those who are unpaid. It may be something of a consolation to some people to know that a large number of the food administrators who are officially designated Controllers, and all the members of the Liquor Control Board are unpaid. Live Stock Commissioners in Scotland receive salaries of \$2,500, Sir Edgar Sanders, general manager of the Liquor Control Board's undertaking at Carlisle, receives \$11,900, and J. G. Paterson, general manager in Scotland, receives

#### Prohibition or Control.

"In endeavouring to eliminate the ancient liquor problem, which is as old as original sin," says the Quebec Telegraph, "we believe that many protagonists of prohibition have not measured the vastness of the social institution they have been endeavouring to exterminate. As natural as the vineyard has been the ruby of the vine, and so it was regarded in the days of Judaea, when the miracle occurred by which the water was changed to wine at the marriage feast. The factor which so many fail to recognize is that the trouble lies not in the use but in the abuse of spirits. It is, therefore, the abuse which should be remedied, rather than the use which should be banned. That is why the voting for prohibition, followed by a policy of "let the government do it," results in such a ghastly failure, as we see here in Quebec, with drinking going on under the worst conceivable conditions. The old system has been bad, extremely bad. The public bars, with their treating methods and the whole atmosphere surrounding them, were an influence to be avoided. But it is not time that our intelligent men set down and thought out a scheme avoiding both the ills of the present prohibition and the banes of the old-time bars. The Telegraph is convinced that wine and beer licenses should be granted under strict Government control, the antiquated bars being converted into something of the nature of workmen's clubs, where diversion, comfort and respectability would be combined under a rigid government supervision. This would be very much along the lines of the celebrated English coffee houses of the eighteenth century. This would be the wise direction of an institution which prohibition, as so far practised, is unable to destroy and seems rather to pervert to baser levels.

#### GUILEFUL SIMPLICITY.

The Germans on occasion have been deceived by the sheer simplicity of the ruses employed to deceive them. Edgar Allan Poe's story went to show that the race generally is easily tricked in this way, though it may be conceded that the German intellect is often researchful to the neglect of the obvious. Two of the illustrations cited are those of a compass which escaped detection because the owner held it in his hand while being stripped and searched, and of a map of the Dutch frontier which also escaped discovery because it was hung openly on the wall and marked with a thick black line, conspicuously labeled the "Hindenburg line." Only recently an officer was telling me that no small part of his time was spent in breaking every rule in the military text-books and in doing precisely the things which no well-regulated German mind would dream that a sane man would do. For example, in putting down an ammunition dump prior to occupying the position with his battery he was spotted by a German plane. The position was at once so heavily bombarded by the German batteries that it was with the utmost difficulty he succeeded in saving his horses. The bombardment was maintained for a considerable time, but when it ceased the officer at once followed out his original intention of planting his battery there. He argued that to the German mind it would be inconceivable that we should deliberately place our guns on a heavily-bombarded position of which the range was accurately known. His confidence was justified by the fact that the battery was never shelled during the whole period of its subsequent occupation of the ground. It was a case of the compass in the hand and the map on the wall, for the guns were all the time under the very nose of the enemy.

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Citizens of Bruges were greatly puzzled, after the signing of the armistice, by the presence of a German officer in full regalia in and about the city. This officer was at times accompanied by two Belgian officers of the second section of the Belgian general staff, but more often he was in command of ten or twelve German prisoners of war. It is now known that this man saved Bruges from destruction. He was the officer who, during hostilities, was in charge of the work of mining the town and the Zebrugge docks, bridges, etc. After the signing of the armistice he volunteered to remove the caps from the mines. It was dangerous work, and several prisoners were called in to help. Some of the mines were timed to explode ten or twelve days after the departure of the troops.



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### The Envoy of the Dead.

(Edith Cavell at the Peace Conference.)  
 Did a white moth flutter against the window pane?  
 Did a light wind whisper through the council hall?  
 The great men looked up, to see if it would come again,  
 And a listening silence fell upon them all.  
 Then they seemed to see her, coming with her bandaged eyes;  
 There was blood upon her dress where her wounds were bare;  
 So they placed a chair for her, without question or surprise,  
 For they knew the mighty dead had chosen to send here there.  
 The mighty Nation of the Dead, who died on land and sea,  
 And by the road, you know their wounds, O Christ on Calvary!

They shone her, for she knew them all, soldier and little child—  
 The girls who in an hour grew old had sent a word to her;  
 Within her quiet hands she held their wrongs unconquered—  
 She led a long procession, like a white-robed crucifer.  
 And while they spoke of food and trade, she sat and listened, quietly;  
 And when they spoke of armaments, had no word to say to them.  
 But when they spoke of justice, she spoke in simple dignity,  
 Straight as the wooden cross men set outside Jerusalem.

The Prince of Peace Himself has said: "Repentance is the only gate."  
 There is no devious way to it. The way is narrow and is straight.  
 The show fell softly, like white moths against the window pane; it may be that a little wind went through the council room;  
 They seemed to see her coming back, to speak with living men again—  
 The Envoy of the Dead that wait beyond the silence of the tomb!  
 —Louise Driscoll, in the New York Times.

### Cardinal Gibbons Favors

Strict Regulation of Manufacture and Sale of Liqueur.  
 Baltimore, Jan. 21.—Cardinal Gibbons, in a statement issued last night, says: "I have always been in favor of strict regulation of the manufacture and sale of liquor instead of absolute prohibition, because by a strict regulation the liberation of individuals is preserved, whereas by Prohibition we face legislation which in the long run cannot be carried out, and an early result of Prohibition will be the secret and illicit manufacture and sale of bad liquor, whereby the Government will be deprived of a large revenue, besides being put to enormous expense in the employment of agents to enforce the law. Moreover, in the carrying out of the law, I see also an invasion of the home, which up to now all men have agreed is a sacred and holy place. These agents may enter our homes with the violence of burglars and the impunity of officers of the law."

### Modern Perils in Ancient Seas.

(From the Boston Herald.)  
 In the old mythologies mariners dreaded the passage of the straits guarded upon the one side by the rock of Scylla and upon the other by the whirlpool of Charybdis. But if the old perils have lost their terrors for modern navigators, dangers far greater and more difficult to avoid now threaten them. The other day a French ship was sunk within the strait of evil fame with a loss of 500 passengers. A floating mine caused her end. Recklessly, and in the face of such scraps of paper as the rules formulated at The Hague, mines were sown in the war and the ocean currents have distributed them all over the world. Eternal vigilance must be the price of safety, for mines have been found thousands of miles away from the place where they were released. Such accidents as befall the French ship have followed all modern wars, but so many mines were loosed in the world war that the danger is correspondingly increased. Man's inventions are more to be dreaded than the storied perils of antiquity.

### Quakers to Pres. Wilson.

The Society of Friends has sent the following message to President Wilson:—  
 We thank God for the stand which we believe you are making for the fuller expression of the spirit of Christ in international affairs. We believe your task in the forthcoming conference is essentially a spiritual one, and we desire to support you in it by our prayer and faith. We are confident that the Spirit of God our Father, working in the hearts of men and women in all nations, is leading us to break with an evil past, marked by rivalry, suspicion and opposing alliances, and to greet, in brotherly love, a new order based on generous trust and true reconciliation. Such an order, expressed in a federation of free, disarmed peoples, working through open diplomacy and undisturbed circulation of truth is the hope of countless common men and women like ourselves. May God help you as you seek in co-operation with your colleagues, to realize this splendid hope for humanity.—London Times.

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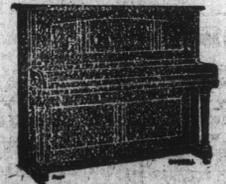
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