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NOTICE!
A Special Meeting of the St. John's Journeymen Coopers' Union will be held at the British Hall on tomorrow (Friday) evening. As the business of this meeting is most important a full attendance is especially requested. Chair to be taken at 8.15 sharp. By order, M. PRIM, Sec. may16,1i

NOTICE!
NEWFOUNDLAND AGRICULTURAL BOARD.
Parties who ordered Green Mountain, Irish Cobbler, White Beauty of Hebron, Empire State and Rochester Rose Potatoes will please take immediate delivery of them.
By order,
A. J. BAYLY,
Acting Secretary.
may16,2fp

N. I. W. A.
The Firemen's Branch of the N. I. W. A. will meet this Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the L. S. P. U. Hall, Victoria Street. Business important.
W. J. NAUFFTS,
Rec. Sec.
may16,1i



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TO RENT — For a term,
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may16, 3i

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may15, 2i

WANTED — Within the
next three months, a House in city limits; state locality and rent required; address letter to "HOME-STEAD," this office.
may10, 19i

WANTED—A House with
six or seven rooms, with modern improvements; centrally situated; East End preferred; apply "H," Telegram Office.
may16, 5i, eod

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Lady, Position as Book-keeper, with experience; apply to "M. D.," care this office.
may15, 3i

WANTED — Furnished
House or Rooms for summer months; answer by letter to "K," care Telegram Office.
may16, 6i

Gentleman requires Room
and Board, private family or regular boarding house; centrally situated; address "G," care Telegram Office.
may14, 3i, eod

LOST—On Wednesday afternoon,
by way of Logy Bay Road, King's Bridge Road, the Mail and Cochrane Street, a Brown Fur. Please return to this office or Way Office, King's Bridge Road, and get reward.
may16, 1i

LOST—Yesterday, a Bunch
of Keys. Finder will be rewarded on returning them to ROOM 27, Board of Trade Building.
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LOST — Last evening, between
Bowring Bros. and Railway Station, by way of Water Street, a Five Dollar BILL. Finder please leave same at this office and be rewarded.
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LOST — Near St. Clare's
Home, LeMarchant Road, one Crock. Finder please leave same at ST. CLARE'S HOME.
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Help Wanted!
WANTED—A Girl; apply
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WANTED — Immediately,
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WANTED—A Plain Cook
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WANTED — For Crosbie
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WANTED — At Once, a
Man or Strong Boy as Packer, and to make himself generally useful around store; apply to W. H. DAVIDSON, 204 Water St.
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WANTED—A Girl for Grocery
Store; apply to W. E. THORNE, 7 Waldegrave Street.
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WANTED — An Assistant
Meat Cutter for our Delicatessen Market; apply by letter, stating experience and wages expected, ELLIS & CO., LTD., 203 Water St. apr29, 1f

WANTED — Coat, Pants
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WANTED — Immediately,
a General Servant; apply to MRS. T. RING, 87 Gower Street.
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WANTED—A Good General
Assistant; must be able to do plain cooking; highest wages paid to competent person; apply to A. W. BISHOP, 21 Hamilton St.
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WANTED—A Young Lady
for General Office Work; must thoroughly understand Book-keeping; this is absolutely essential; apply G. T., Box 87, City.
may14, 3i

WANTED—A Good Cook;
apply to MRS. M. G. WINTER, "Winterholms", Rennie's Mill Road.
may11, 1f

WANTED — Immediately,
a General Servant, with knowledge of plain cooking; apply MRS. D. H. MURRAY, "Sunnyside", Circular Rd.
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WANTED — A Male and
Female Assistant, with a thorough knowledge of the grocery trade; apply by writing, G. KNOWLING, Ltd.
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Experienced Pants and Vest
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with reference to MRS. W. J. HERDER, Rennie's Mill Road.
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WANTED—A Nursemaid;
references required; apply at 44 Circular Road.
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GARBET IN COWS.



A Terrible Disclosure;

What Fools Men Are!

OR,

CHAPTER XIII.

"Mr. Browne" repeated Clifford Revel, and it struck Lela as a strange coincidence that he, like Lord Edgar, had forgotten the name. "Oh, the clergyman? Yes, ah, yes!" and he smiled, that convenient smile which served his face as a mask.

"Yes, Lela saw him yesterday in Pall Mall. Rum sort of fellow! She called to him, but he hurried on, and wouldn't stop to speak."

Clifford Revel drew the faintest breath of relief.

"Ah! Yes, he is eccentric. Very clever man, and all that, but shy; I dare say Lady Fane's notice quite upset him."

"That he hanged!" laughed Lord Edgar. "He'll have to get over that, for I mean to know him."

"Know—him?" quietly.

"Yes, give me his address, will you? I'll ask him to dinner, and you shall come and meet him."

Clifford Revel looked down at the carpet, and the impassive, impenetrable expression came into his face.

"His address? 'Pon my word, I don't quite know what it is! I only met him two days before—before your marriage, my dear Lady Fane!" with a bow to Lela. "I don't know what it is."

"Nuisance!" exclaimed Lord Edgar.

"Yes; but I am surprised you saw him," continued Clifford Revel, "for he told me that he was going out to the Fiji Islands as a missionary."

Lela shook her head with a smile.

"No?" Well, he was going. I thought he had gone—if he has not, I'll hunt him up."

"Do," said Lord Edgar. "I took a fancy to him, and should like to know him. Have a cigar?"

"Will not two be one too many for Lady Fane?"

"I am going," said Lela, and she left the room. Clifford Revel hastened to open the door for her, then he shut it carefully, and came back to Lord Edgar's side.

"Yes, I'll have a cigar. I'm glad Lady Fane has gone; I wanted to speak to you. About the race, you know. You have not told her?"

"No," said Lord Edgar, shortly. The subject had been distasteful to him. He had been persuaded by Clifford Revel to ride the race, and could not now in honor back out of it; but he had regretted his promise directly it had been made, and regretted it still more deeply now that it had entailed a secret between Lela and him.

"Quite right," said Clifford Revel, in a low voice, and impressively. "It would make her unhappy and fearful. She'd want to know all about it, and some fool would tell her about the horse, and give her the idea that you were going to meet your death," and he laughed, his keen eyes fixed on Edgar's thoughtful ones. "Much better keep it from her. After all, it is for her good! She'll know nothing about it until you come home with the race in your pocket, and no end of money likewise. By the way, you have seen the papers? It is lucky you backed it when you did; it has become the favorite now. How much do you stand to win if you bring it in first?"

"Almost fourteen thousand pounds," said Lord Edgar, moodily.

"Ah!" said Clifford Revel. "Well, you may look upon that as already at your banker's, my dear Edgar, if the horse gets a fair start."

"If! Yes, I hope so! I want that money badly. Once I have that money, I meant to tell the marquis that I am married, and that he can carry out his threat."

A curious smile passed over Clifford Revel's face.

"Yes! Quite right. I quite understand your feeling in the matter. Yes, tell him, by all means—after the race! Well, I must go now."

"Oh, by the way," said Lord Edgar, "we were speaking about Miss Drayton."

"What about her?" demanded Clifford Revel, with a momentary sharpness. The mere mention of her name smote upon his nerves.

Lord Edgar smiled at his curt response.

"Nothing very dreadful; only that she has not called upon Lela yet. She knows she is in town, I suppose?"

"Yes, I told her; but she has been very unwell," said Clifford Revel. "She will call, be sure, directly she is able. Not that I can answer for her," he added, hastily.

"Just so. We shall be glad to see her. Sure you can't stay? A glass of Maraschino? No? Well, good-bye, old fellow."

"Good-bye," said Clifford Revel, holding the firm, strong hand that would have seized him by the throat if its owner had known what a traitor's hand he grasped. "Still quite and too utterly happy, eh?"

"Still quite and too utterly happy," laughed Lord Edgar.

CHAPTER XIV.

Clifford Revel had, for once in a way, spoken the truth. Edith Drayton was ill. For months past she had been subjected to a strain which would have brought most women to the ground in a very short time. It was only her indomitable will and strength that had sustained her. But at last she had yielded before the intense mental pressure, the misery of her position. To love one man, to know that he loved another woman; to spend days and nights fluctuating between the hope of supplanting her and the despair attending the idea of falling in the attempt; to learn suddenly that he was married, lost to her forever; and then to discover that he was not married, and that there was still a chance of winning him!

All this had been her lot, and added to this the fact that a man whom she loathed and feared had got her in his power, and was gradually but surely winding his net closer and closer around her, so that soon she would find it impossible to escape. The doctor said it was low fever, and talked learnedly of the amount of waste that takes place in the human system during the long course of heated ballrooms, late hours, indigestible refreshments and unhealthy excitement; and Edith lay back with her dark eyes shining luminously from her white face and smiled with weary scorn.

It was not the late hours or the loss of sleep that had brought her to this state. It was the knowledge that she was still a chance of winning him!

Edith closed her eyes and turned her head aside apathetically; and wear and tear of heart and brain. She could have told him in a few words what the matter was; she would have said:

"Doctor, you cannot minister to a mind diseased. I love a man who loves and thinks he is wedded to another woman. I am loved by a man I hate and loathe, and from whom I fear I cannot escape. The man I love is to ride a race in which he will probably lose his life. All day I see him, the man I love, in my mind's eye, and always happy by the side of the woman who thinks herself his wife. That tortures me. At night when I lie down to sleep I see him still, and this time lying dead at my feet. So that I am tortured day and night. Give me the desire of my life; snatch me from the clutches of Clifford Revel, and I will be as well as Hygieia herself!"

Alas! one cannot tell the doctor one's heart and mental ailments; and so, poor man, he feels our pulses and sends us bottles of medicine, and doubtless wonders why he cannot cure us.

So she lay supine and motionless, with no desire for anything save death and forgetfulness; and poor Mrs. Drayton, who understood her daughter about as well as she understood Arabic, grew frightened and pitiable and utterly distraught.

Clifford Revel called twice a day, and sent up great bunches of fresh flowers to the sick room, in each of which bunch lay a concealed note full of passionate love and sorrow for her; notes which she read when her mother was out of the room, and crushed with spasmodic detestation and fury.

The days rolled on; it wanted but three weeks of the Badmore race, and still she lay, baffling the doctor and worrying Mrs. Drayton; and then something wrought a cure.

"My dear," said Mrs. Drayton, coming up to her as she lay on the sofa of her room, her eyes fixed on vacancy, her white arm hanging down inertly, "here is a visitor for you."

"I want no visitor, mother," she replied, coldly.

"But—but this is—My dear, I told her I thought you wouldn't see her, but she begged me to come up and take her love."

"Her? Do you think I want a woman to chatter with me, mother?" with an icy smile.

"But I don't think she will chatter, dear—she seems such a sweet young thing—"



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Public Notice

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor in Council to issue the following notice under Authority of Minute in Council passed 28th February, 1918.

Augmentation of the Pay of Royal Naval Reservists Newfoundland.

The Government of Newfoundland have decided to augment the pay of Newfoundland Royal Naval Reservists so as to place them on the same footing as men of the Newfoundland Regiment.

Under the provision of the War Measure Act, authority is given to the Minister of Militia to deal with the matter of augmentation of pay of the Royal Naval Reservists, Nfld., in consultation with the Senior Naval Officer, St. John's.

It is ordered that a sum of 33c. per day be placed to the credit of each Naval Reservist from the time of commencement of the war, in cases where men were then serving, or otherwise, from the time when their services began up to the time of discharge, or of death, or to the 30th of September, 1917, inclusive.

As the rate of pay of Naval Reservists was increased from October 1st, 1917, and as the difference between the amount they receive and that allowed the members of The Royal Newfoundland Regiment is 17c. per day, this difference will also be credited them from that date.

The foregoing amounts will not in any case be made a payment from Admiralty sources. The Minister of Militia, St. John's, Nfld., is solely responsible for the issue of any sums due.

Newfoundland Royal Naval Reserve men serving in any of H. M. Ships, including all members of the Trawler Reserve and those in Defensively Armed Merchant Ships etc., are eligible for the pay as set forth, and should be informed of the following alternatives as regards the method of payment:—

(a) Payment will be made on personal application to the Minister of Militia, St. John's.

(b) Payment will be made to the nominee of any Reserve man, on written application duly witnessed, to the Minister of Militia, St. John's.

(c) Sums due will be placed to the credit of Reserve men who do not desire to avail themselves of the foregoing and can be drawn by them at the expiration of their service.

The following form is to be compiled and forwarded direct to the Minister of Militia, St. John's, Newfoundland, at the earliest possible date:—

NAME AND OFFICIAL NO.	WHAT IS DESIRED DISPOSAL OF AMOUNT DUE UNDER ORDER 1, 2, or 3 (IN CASE OF 2, FULL NAME AND ADDRESS MUST BE GIVEN.)	SIGNATURE AUTHORIZING DISPOSAL.

All communications of any description with regard to these payments are to be made to the Minister of Militia, St. John's, direct.

Payment will commence on 1st May, 1918.

In cases where members of the Royal Naval Reserve (Newfoundland) have been killed in action or died of wounds or sickness, or through any other cause, the amount due as Augmentation Pay will go to the Estate of the deceased. The authority to obtain the Estate of the deceased is, in case of a Will, Letters of Probate; and in case there is not a Will, Letters of Administration. Such letters are issued by the Supreme Court of Newfoundland on the Petition and Proofs of Executor of the Will, or the next of kin. If the Estate does not exceed \$500.00, after the proof of the facts has been obtained the petition can be applied for by the Minister of Justice.

With reference to the foregoing, it is suggested that the next of kin of Reservists who are now serving should communicate with them and request them to send their instructions to the Militia Department. No action can be taken until such instructions are received.

Next of kin of deceased Reservists will be communicated with in due course when their claims have been proved.

J. R. BENNETT,
Minister of Militia.

(To be Continued.)

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there. He leaves in his place a general of interesting personality whose name has been made in this war. General Plumer has the reputation of being not only a sound but a lucky commander. "I hope I'm going to get into Plumer's army," is a phrase often heard among young officers. He was responsible for the Messines battle, the most finished of all our achievements on the western front. One secret of General Plumer's success is his gift for selecting men, and it is not by accident that his is considered in general military opinion the best staff in the army.

ABUNDANT FOOD SUPPLIES.
There is every reason to expect a further relaxation of the rationing restrictions which were so rigidly applied at the outset in London and the Home Counties. Experience has shown that the cutting down of the consumption of ham, bacon and butter in particular has been greater than the actual necessities demanded. I understand that the cold storage accommodation for these food commodities has been exhausted, and that there have been considerable losses of bacon through the impossibility of keeping the surplus supplies in good condition. My information is that there is an abundance of butter in the country, though it is exceedingly badly distributed. In London itself you have whole districts where it is impossible to obtain butter for days together, and there are also favoured localities in which the supply is adequate and regular.

RAIDS ON GERMAN TOWNS.
Some criticism has been expressed about the Allied raids on German towns, the argument being that these machines would be much better employed in raiding the ammunition dumps behind the German lines. An authority on the subject explained the situation to me. He thought that nothing more valuable was being done than our raids on such towns as Mannheim. It is said that there are nearly 100,000 people employed in the munition and poison factories there. Even if the damage caused did not mean destruction on a large scale, it probably held up the work for at least eight hours, which would mean about 800,000 hours lost to the enemy in the product of munitions, and that would be greater than the blowing up of many dumps. Of course this does not mean that we are neglecting our dumps, but our long-distance squadrons in bombing the

Rhine junctions and munition works are doing their proper work.

EMIGRATION WITHIN THE EMPIRE

Emigration is one of those subjects which must soon engage the attention of the Legislature, and such thoughtful consideration as was given to it on the afternoon of March 28th by T. E. Sedgwick at the Royal Colonial Institute in his lecture, "The Imperial Population After the War," assists in the formation of sound, definite ideas. The burden of his theme is that the Imperial losses by emigration must cease. Migration within the Empire is essential to the future of the Empire. He sees economic pressure at work after the war when the men come back from the trenches, and at the same time the lands of the great Dominions overseas awaiting development as a home for men of British race and ideas. Perhaps he rather overstates the case when he says that fresh blood from the Homeland is needed to maintain the British and Imperial sentiment. The rally of the Overseas Dominions to the Mother Country in these years of terrible stress not only shows the strength of the uniting bonds but it endows us all with a common tradition of dangers shared and burdens borne. At the same time fresh infusions of British-born stock into the populations of the Dominions do tend to make the Empire more homogeneous in ideas.

A LITTLE STORY OF BERGSON.

One of our greatest living philosophers is Professor Louis Bergson. His books on the philosophy of things like matter, memory, laughter and evolution are well known. Like most philosophers, M. Bergson lives a rather secluded life. His house in Paris is a quiet-looking and retiring affair. Most of his neighbours know him only by sight, and have no idea of the distinction enjoyed throughout the world by this unobtrusive, spruce gentleman. A short time ago, when M. Bergson issued forth to go to the French Academy, where he was to be formally admitted, the neighbourhood was dazzled by his magnificent academician's uniform—green embroidered with gold leaves, a cocked hat, and a dainty sword. Then the old conch of the house opposite exclaimed, "Ah! the little old gentleman has been called up at last. And about time, too!"

SIX FEET AND GROWING.

"Manhood is not measured by inches," and nobody would dream of judging a man's character by his height. Subject to that, it is of interest to note that one of the Royal children bids fair to outstrip all his brothers and to favor in stature the male side of the late Duke of Teck's family, for example, the Marquis of Cambridge, the late Prince Francis, and the Earl of Athlone (Queen Mary's brother) early developed fine physical proportions, and one of her Majesty's sons seems to be tending in the same direction. I refer to Prince Henry, the third boy, who has been about with his mother a good deal of late during the Eton recess. Although only just 19, and presumably still growing, he is well on towards six feet in height. He is steadily broadening out, and looks like developing into an imposing figure.

NOTICE. — Correspondents are requested to accompany contributions with their REAL NAMES, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. The editor refuses to accept any matter unless this rule is adhered to.

Furlough for the "Blue Puttees."

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—Having read several letters in your valuable paper with reference to home leave for "Blue Puttee" boys and being interested, I should like to add a word or two in support of this matter. As it is assumed that the Regiment is not now in the actual firing line, the time seems opportune for them to get leave. The writer thinks that if this matter was taken up by the Military Authorities, that it could be arranged promptly and not wait until the Minister of Militia goes to England, as was suggested by the Hon. John Anderson, in the Legislative Council, on Tuesday last.
Thanking you for space,
Sincerely yours,
FRED J. CORNICK.
May 15th, 1918.

Father O'Callahan's Garden Party.

The many admirers of the good priest of Outer Cove, Father O'Callahan, will have an opportunity in July of appreciating his energetic services in the cause of religion by attending the Garden Party which will then be held under his auspices at Outer Cove. The proceeds of this party will go towards the erection of a Church and Presbytery for the parishioners of the genial and hard-working Sogarth Aroon, and assisting also to erect school houses in which the youth of his extensive parish may receive an education befitting them for the battle of life. We know the same spirit as in the past will be shown on behalf of the priest and his work, and that many from the city will go to enjoy the party and to receive his Cade Mille Failthe, and to share in the "luxury of doing good."
—Com.

"Heavy Losses."

(From the Boston News Bureau.)
Through the smoke of battle and the haze of censorship are dimly visible the swaying outlines of another Titan grapple on the fateful Western front. Estimates and forecasts in its initial stages are worth little, any more than are guesses as to the deep plans of the enemy. That the Germans attacking, should be able to announce the taking, at a price, of certain parts of the first line is the admissible and the expected. Much more significant is the report that the British retain all their "battle positions," and that captured documents show the enemy fell short badly on his plans for the early hours. Two things stand out. One is a condition, the other a phrase. The first is the complete confidence in all Allied Capitals, coupled with as complete a willingness or satisfaction to see the enemy attack. The other is the British statement that "his massed infantry offered remarkable targets, and our rifles, machine guns and artillery took full advantage of them. All reports testify that the enemy suffered exceedingly heavy losses." This is emphatic expression for Halt.
Enough "heavy losses," in flesh and blood terms, constitute now the one sure way to the end.
Why do the Germans attack? And are they in earnest? It is idle to guess at long range, how much may be feint, in terms of numbers, time or direction. But if they are in desperate earnest, it is possible to surmise some reasons why.
Our War Department only five days ago declared a Teuton drive unlikely unless "compelled by the general strategic situation." May not the deeper forces leading to that strategic compulsion be later found behind the screen in Germany and in the cases of the calendar?
The Teuton peoples have long been regaled with phantom victories and insubstantial conquests; the need has become acute for real ones. The very success of the Russian plotting, with its release of troops for western use, made a real or a camouflaged western drive a moral liability. Movements and plans, the season and domestic stress all create or accent the commitment. Then there are the failures of peace feelers to date, a possible scheme to play again for peace by threat, and the desire to awe near neutrals. But ultimately most compelling and ominous of all—in the light of U-boat figures—is the need to anticipate America. Here is the great do-or-die incentive.
The Kaiser and his press are prating of "decisive moments." But the Allies stand ready for whatever onsets or feints may come. After Verdun and Ypres they have no occasion to shiver now. Instead, this is apt to be a decisive season, in a preliminary sense. And will be the more so, according as the Teutons are more earnest in attack.
For the Achilles' heel of the enemy is man-power. The one sure and simple formula for the anti-Teuton side—ignoring all peace traps—is this: To kill, cripple or capture as many Germans in battle as they can.
Hence the significance of "heavy losses."

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All Returned Soldiers and all Rejected Men in Newfoundland, both in Saint John's and in the Outports, are requested to fill in the form below and mail it to the undersigned, or to Mr. B. B. Harris, Secretary, The Soldiers' and Rejected Volunteers' Association, St. John's.

It will be to every man's own advantage as well as to the interest of the Association and its work, WHICH IS JUST BEGINNING, that every man entitled to register should send us his name. So fill in your form and mail it to us—AND DO SO AT ONCE.

The Soldiers' and Rejected Volunteers' Association.
HAROLD MITCHELL, President.

RETURNED SOLDIERS' FORM.

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If at present employed

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Occupation previous to enlistment

Date of enlistment

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No. of Rejection Badge

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War Cloud Has a Silver Lining.

(From the Spokane Spokesman-Review.)

Former Premier Asquith stated a reassuring fact to a Scotch audience recently. In spite of all vicissitudes, he said, two controlling keys to the world war position still remain in the hands of the Entente Allies—command of the seas and control of the western front. Still another cheering fact was pointed out the same day by Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the British Exchequer. Once the equilibrium was established, said Mr. Law, every week meant improvement in favor of the Entente Allies and increased their ability to bring American resources to play an important part in the war. These two leaders also touched in common upon another important fact—the blowing away of the fogs behind which Germany has been constructing a lot of peace camouflage.

"We must judge German intentions not by what is being said," remarked the Chancellor of the Exchequer, "but

Fads and Fashions.

The new collar for blouses is narrow. Evening costumes are very discreet. Wooden beads appear on colored waists. Brassiers are more than ever in demand. White pique is combined with tussah silk. Plaid gingham even trims wool stockinet. Ocher brown satin makes a charming frock. One tunic may be worn over various skirts. Some coats have even their skirts embroidered. White organdy is used for trimming gingham. Jersey dresses have lost none of their popularity. Velvet may be combined with striped tub silk. Cape gloves show a new color called mahogany. Entire gowns are still made of flesh-colored crepe. Very little trimming appears on separate skirts nowadays.

Coughs and Colds seem to be increasing the past few days. Try a bottle of Stafford's Phosphate. Theatre Hill Drug Store open until 9.30 every night. may 14



"IN FREEDOM'S CAUSE."

Evening Telegram

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

THURSDAY, May 16th, 1918.

Sedition.

During the past few days many rumours have been circulated on the street, to the effect that anti-conscription riots have taken place in various sections North, and that bodily injury accompanied by wilful destruction of property were incidents of these disturbances. Immediately on hearing of this, the Telegram made enquiries which, however, failed to elicit any information which would warrant a press item. No person seemed to know, definitely, anything about it, excepting that they had heard of the occurrence.

Confirmation that rumour is not all a lying jade, is given by a correspondent of Wesleyville in the Daily News of yesterday, who states that disgraceful and unpatriotic happenings have already occurred there, the cause of which has been the Military Service Act, or at least the demonstrations were against the passage of the Bill, the announcement of its becoming an act of the Legislature having been received at this settlement about the time of the disturbances reported. Not only did the demonstrators interrupt and impede the progress of a Patriotic Concert which was being given, but the same people have made it impossible for the holding of the regular Church Services. These incidents, which are as disreputable as they are seditious, culminated on Sunday night, April 28th when several members left the church because of a patriotic remark made by the preacher. We have often heard of loyal men leaving an assembly in which unpatriotic remarks were made by speakers, as a protest, but in a British Colony for a British subject to deliberately leave a sacred edifice because the preacher was preaching a patriotic sermon, smacks highly of treason, and the ultra-loyal citizen and his followers should be interrogated closely. The correspondent adds that the Magistrate from Greenspond was telegraphed for and promptly arrived. The investigation which he held has ere this been forwarded to the authorities, but so far it remains in their hands. Nothing has been given out for public information. This censorship, may or may not be the quintessence of wisdom. When acts of sedition and disloyalty are committed in any section of the country, common sense demands that an official announcement be made. In this case it is not unlikely that we shall get fuller information, than we already have, from some subsequent issue of a Canadian paper. It has happened before.

It is not improbable that the Special Circular prompted the obstructionists of Wesleyville, and incited them to violence, and in order to clear up any misunderstanding that may have arisen in the public mind we demand that the authorities publish Magistrate Miffen's report of this affair, and that the ringleaders in the disloyal outbreak be punished severely. We also ask way information was withheld. The times do not sanction concealment of treason, no matter where or by whom. Let that be borne in mind.

What Purpose.

The Prime Minister and the Minister of Militia left for "Somewhere" by the cross country express at 12.30 to-day. Rumour has it that they are both going to England, the former to attend the Imperial Conference, the latter on business connected with the Regiment. Why this exodus at the present moment? There is ample work for the Premier at home, and there are duties touching the Militia Department which should be discharged by the Minister personally. We have not the slightest hesitation in making the statement that this journey to England is a "frame up." Having bulldozed the country and passed legislation unheard of in the history of Newfoundland; important and particular legislation the operation of which should not be left to inexperienced politicians, the Prime Minister leaves the burden upon the shoulders of parliamentary tyros and accomplices by the Minister of Militia, as guide, philosopher and friend, hies him across the Atlantic. With sedition

breaking out in certain sections of the Dominion, and with such antagonism to the Conscription Act developing, the proper place for the Prime Minister and his Minister of Militia is at home. To what purpose is the present jaunt?

Ferment Enquiries.

SUGGESTED AND OTHERWISE.
Is our beloved leader Premier Lloyd going to London?
Are we likely to lose him, as we did the dearly beloved "E.P."?
Will he also lord it over us?
Would we not expect our beloved leader to remain at home to insure the success of important matters like the enactment of Conscription and the Victory Loan?
Does Lloyd George await his advice, or does our Premier go to get advice from "the Barren"?
Has Coaker any troubles?
What is going to happen because the Finance Minister told the truth in his Budget Speech about the increase in revenue being due to the increased values of goods imported, and not the quantities?
Why was not it blamed, as usual, upon the increased prosperity, due to our present able Government?
Why did the member for Bonavista fold his tent and steal silently away on Sunday morning?
Under what Banking Act or Charter is the President of the F. P. U. authorized to accept money on deposit from the fishermen of Newfoundland, without value received? And if the President has such charter what gold reserve has the F. P. U. established with the Government as a protection to the fishermen making the deposits asked for?
Whether it is lawful to do a Banking business without having previously obtained a Charter and having established a reserve?

House of Assembly

Very little business was done at the House yesterday. Mr. Parsons occupied the Speaker's chair owing to Mr. Higgins being engaged in the Supreme Court. The Finance Minister moved the House into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Bill. During the Committee stage Mr. Walsh took advantage to ask the Minister of Militia whether he understood what was leaving to-morrow for England, to use his influence over there and get furlough for the "Blue Puttees" whom he said were entitled to a long furlough now. Mr. Walsh referred to several young men from Placentia who had been in the trenches since the start and he thought that it was at least their due that they be given a chance to come home on furlough. Mr. Currie was surprised to hear that the Minister of Militia was leaving for the other side, and protested that his immediate duty was to remain here and attend to the work that would accrue under the Conscription Act. He could not understand how the Minister could leave his department at this particular time. Questions intimately related to his department were bound to arise, and with the Premier and Minister of Militia both away, who was going to attend to them. He, said the speaker, it was essential for the Minister to go to England he could do so later, when his presence here would not be so necessary. Mr. Currie supported Mr. Walsh's plea in behalf of the "Blue Puttees".

Mr. Bennett in reply stated that he found it necessary in the interests of the Regiment to visit the other side so as he could see how they are doing things over there. Edward Morris, said Mr. Bennett, wanted him to do this when he first took the position but he waited until now as he thought it was the best time. The Prime Minister had arranged for his passage with the other Imperial delegates and he would hustle back as soon as possible and let us know the result of all the great things he learnt over there.

While the Salaries Bill was being put through Mr. Currie called the attention of the House that the salary for the Minister of Shipping was set down as \$3,000, and he pointed out that this was a mistake the amount noted in the estimate being \$2,000. The Finance Minister with a smile altered the amount. Of course there was no intention to put the vote through at \$3,000; it was, as the Minister of Finance said, a clerical error.

The House took recess until 8 o'clock.

Just before midnight the last Bill was sent back from the Legislative Council.

Legislative Council

The House met at 3 o'clock yesterday, and excepting a recess from 6.40 to 8 p.m., was in session till midnight. All the Bills sent up from the Lower House were passed, and the Assembly will officially close at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Hon. Mr. Anderson criticized the small amount of \$9,000 which is set aside for increases in the Civil Service.

Hon. Mr. Milley asked if any notice of the increased postage rate had been sent out.

Hon. Mr. Ellis presumed that such notice had been given the public since.

Hon. Mr. Milley complained that copies of the Revenue Bill (under discussion) had not been given the members. Common courtesy suggested that the Council should have been furnished with copies.

Hon. Mr. Anderson took a similar position. He thought it but a waste of time to have the Clerk read the Bill when the members had nothing before them to follow the text. He did not consider it fair or honest.

Hon. Mr. Ellis said there was no intention of acting discourteously.

Hon. Mr. Anderson's passage at arms here occurred between Hons. Milley and Ellis.

At the suggestion of Hon. Mr. Milley the Clerk read over the items on the Bill, twice, to permit members to make notes.

Hon. Mr. McNamara objected to the tax of 50 cents on lobster and salmon

Newfoundland Shells AS SOUVENIRS.

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Closing of the House.

At 8 o'clock this afternoon the members of both branches of the Legislature met in the Council Chamber where His Excellency the Governor Sir Alexander Harris was pleased to deliver the following speech from the Throne, at the conclusion of the Seventh Session of the 23rd General Assembly, which opened on April 23rd, St. George's Day.

Mr. President and Honourable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council; Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Honourable House of Assembly:

It is a pleasure to me to be able to relieve you thus early from the duties which your attendance at this session has involved. Having regard to the number and importance of the measures which have formed the subject of your deliberations, it is gratifying that you have been able to dispose of them with such despatch, and so clear the way for what will be to most of you a very busy season.

The measures which you have taken for dealing with the revenue are, I trust such as will amply provide for the increasing needs of the Public Service, and the growing pressure of those war burdens which you have shouldered in common with the rest of the Empire. Guided, as you have been, in their enactment by the underlying principles of justice and equity, I believe they will be regarded as eminently fair and reasonable.

Your prompt and patriotic action in providing for the enrolment of men in order to keep at full strength the Royal Newfoundland Regiment and ensure the maintenance of the splendid traditions which have been adopted by our forces, will meet with universal commendation, and forms another evidence of that loyalty which has ever been the proud boast of this oldest Colony.

The provision which you have made for the raising of a loan locally for war purposes, displays a confidence in the practical patriotism of our people which I am certain will be fully justified.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Honourable House of Assembly:

I thank you for the liberal nature of the supplies which you have provided for the Public Service. The appropriateness of the expenditure due regard to obtaining the fullest returns to the public.

Mr. President and Honourable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council; Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Honourable House of Assembly:

I sincerely trust that the fishery operation of our people, in which they are now about to engage, will be attended with the fullest measure of success, and that it will be found possible to arrange for the profitable marketing of the catch.

In taking leave of you I would express the hope that Divine Providence may bless and prosper you and our common country, and that the terrible struggle in which we, in common with the Mother Country and her Allies, are participating may be brought to an early and victorious conclusion.

The War Tax Stamp Rates Bill passed, after the House had been informed that the sum of 20 cents would be taxed on every complete set of Customs Entries.

The Mills Bill was principally spoken to by Hons. Murphy and Bishop, and an amendment was made to the Penalty Clause, making the mill owner an log cutter equally responsible if logs were proven to have been cut, before sawn, on the three mile limit.

The House adjourned at 6.40. On resuming at 8 o'clock the Cable Tax was up for consideration, and subsequently passed without amendment.

The Municipal Bill also passed.

The Income Tax Bill passed with some amendments being originally made by the Lower House.

The Extension of the City Council Bill was next considered and a lively discussion on the same was maintained by Hons. Squires, Anderson, Ellis and Harvey, and the Bill passed without amendment.

The last item on the order paper was an Act to amend the Shipbuilding Act of 1916.

Hon. J. Harvey here took the opportunity of pointing out the great necessity for lights and buoys along the Southern Shore, and in view of the more recent disasters to shipping suggested that immediate action should be taken and something done.

Hon. Mr. Cook delivered a very practical speech on the subject. The Bill was reported passed without amendment.

The House adjourned at 12.45 this morning to meet again for closing at 3 this afternoon.

TRAIN MOVEMENTS.

Tuesday's outgoing express arrived at Port aux Basques last night. To-day's incoming express left Port aux-Basques at 11 a.m. to-day.

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- 50 Cases (or 1200 3 lb. tins)
- LIBBY'S SOLID PACKED TOMATOES 80c. per tin.
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 - 2 bunches BANANAS.
 - 2 crates TOMATOES.
 - 2 crates NEW CABBAGE.
 - 20 crates TEXAS ONIONS.
 - 100 bags WHITE OATS.
 - 10 bags HAY SEED.
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The measures which you have taken for dealing with the revenue are, I trust such as will amply provide for the increasing needs of the Public Service, and the growing pressure of those war burdens which you have shouldered in common with the rest of the Empire. Guided, as you have been, in their enactment by the underlying principles of justice and equity, I believe they will be regarded as eminently fair and reasonable.

Your prompt and patriotic action in providing for the enrolment of men in order to keep at full strength the Royal Newfoundland Regiment and ensure the maintenance of the splendid traditions which have been adopted by our forces, will meet with universal commendation, and forms another evidence of that loyalty which has ever been the proud boast of this oldest Colony.

The provision which you have made for the raising of a loan locally for war purposes, displays a confidence in the practical patriotism of our people which I am certain will be fully justified.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Honourable House of Assembly:

I thank you for the liberal nature of the supplies which you have provided for the Public Service. The appropriateness of the expenditure due regard to obtaining the fullest returns to the public.

Mr. President and Honourable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council; Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Honourable House of Assembly:

I sincerely trust that the fishery operation of our people, in which they are now about to engage, will be attended with the fullest measure of success, and that it will be found possible to arrange for the profitable marketing of the catch.

In taking leave of you I would express the hope that Divine Providence may bless and prosper you and our common country, and that the terrible struggle in which we, in common with the Mother Country and her Allies, are participating may be brought to an early and victorious conclusion.

The War Tax Stamp Rates Bill passed, after the House had been informed that the sum of 20 cents would be taxed on every complete set of Customs Entries.

The Mills Bill was principally spoken to by Hons. Murphy and Bishop, and an amendment was made to the Penalty Clause, making the mill owner an log cutter equally responsible if logs were proven to have been cut, before sawn, on the three mile limit.

The House adjourned at 6.40. On resuming at 8 o'clock the Cable Tax was up for consideration, and subsequently passed without amendment.

The Municipal Bill also passed.

The Income Tax Bill passed with some amendments being originally made by the Lower House.

The Extension of the City Council Bill was next considered and a lively discussion on the same was maintained by Hons. Squires, Anderson, Ellis and Harvey, and the Bill passed without amendment.

The last item on the order paper was an Act to amend the Shipbuilding Act of 1916.

Hon. J. Harvey here took the opportunity of pointing out the great necessity for lights and buoys along the Southern Shore, and in view of the more recent disasters to shipping suggested that immediate action should be taken and something done.

Hon. Mr. Cook delivered a very practical speech on the subject. The Bill was reported passed without amendment.

The House adjourned at 12.45 this morning to meet again for closing at 3 this afternoon.

McMurdo's Store News

THURSDAY, May 16, 1918.

Our Almond Cream of Roses is quite a standard preparation for use in the toilet; and as a complexion lotion it has few rivals. Almond Cream of Roses is becoming more popular each season as it becomes better known, and as one lady tells another of its good results. If you want a face lotion that with the minimum of trouble will give good results in keeping the skin of face, neck, and hands in proper condition during the summer months, use Almond Cream of Roses. Price 25c. a bottle.

Just received: Full stock of Radway's Ready Relief.

IN AID OF RED CROSS FUND.—A Sale of fancy and useful articles will be held on Wednesday, May 22nd, at the Girls' Department of King George 5th Institute. Admission 10c. Teas served from 4 to 7 p.m. Concert at 8 p.m. Tickets, including Tea and Concert, 30c. Miss Harris has kindly consented to open the Sale.

CAPE RACE. To-day. Wind north, fresh, weather fine; latest news from steamer Ethis at Mistaken Point is that the cargo is being salvaged and expectations of reaching her is anticipated. Bar. 29.65; ther. 45.

REID'S BOATS.—The Artye left Lamaline at 4 p.m. yesterday, inward. The Dundee not reported since leaving Salvage on the 13th. The Foghorn is not reported since leaving Port aux-Basques on the 14th.

MINARD'S LINIMENT LUMBERMAN'S FRIEND.

AT KNOWLING'S

Central, West and Duckworth St. Showrooms.

Special Blouse Purchase

Marvellous Values in Lawn, Delain, Crepon, Poplin, Cashmere, Plain, Fancy Colors and Black,

50c. 60c. 95c.

Values from \$1.00 to \$2.25.

LADIES' TWEED SKIRTS Bargain.

Fancy Mixed Wool Tweeds, \$1.70 and \$2.50 each. would be good value at \$3.00 to \$4.00

West End. Duckworth St. Central. G. Knowling, Ltd. West End.

Men's Clothing!

Our Men's Suits are all Well Made & Good Fitting

- Dark Tweed Suits, all Good Patterns, \$10.00 to 22.00.
- Navy Serge Suits, \$16.00 to 21.00.
- Black Cloth Suits, \$11.00 to 15.00.
- Black Serge Suits, \$14.00 to 21.00.

PANTS!

Men's Single Pants, in Union Tweed and Fine Cashmeres, Neat Dark Grey Stripes, \$1.70 to \$6.00. Fine Navy Serge Pants, \$2.00 to \$8.00.

STEER Brothers.

Here and There.

SMART MILLINERY HATS.—Just received a special shipment of New Millinery Hats, \$9.00 to \$15.00. G. KNOWLING, Ltd.—may16,31,h,s,tu

CLB. DANCE.—The CLB. are holding a dance shortly for the purpose of raising funds to help defray the cost of the annual camp arrangements for which are already being made. Formerly a few supporters of the brigade were responsible for the expenses in connection with the outing but all will now have an opportunity to assist by attending the dance.

CHEAP OYSTER STEWS.—To clear our stock of Oysters, we are serving Oyster Stews at 25c. WOOD'S West End Restaurant.—apr27,tf

WATER PROOF ENGINES.—The N.E.L. Specialty Company, 10 Gear Building, have two shipments of the Engines on the road now, which should arrive by May 25th.

When you want something in a hurry for tea, go to ELLIS—Head Cheese, Ox Tongue, Balled Ham, Cooked Corned Beef, Bologna Sausage.

A velvet blouse with cream white buttons is very striking. A touch of black makes the all-white costume becoming.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GALDING GET IN COWS.



Here's Your Own MEN'S FUR

Higher Prices are Saving Way is to

MEN'S SOFT FELT HATS.—From wear we make special mention of Saturday. They come with a splendid range of the latest colors. Fawn and Black. Regular \$2.50 Saturday ...

STANFIELD'S UNDERWEAR.—wear for present season's wear extra good quality of fine wool, very satisfactory to the man, non-itchable underwear of sizes sizes 34 to 42. Reg. \$3.30 Friday and Saturday ...

MEN'S TAN CALF BOOTS.—In a mum toe, blucher shape, with weight soles and heels. We have very special value at the low price, sizes 7 1/2 to 9, including leather \$4.00 pair. Friday and Saturday ...

MEN'S GUN METAL BOOTS.—With oak soles, stylish medium tip, and comfortable heel. This selling general purpose boot and a lot of shrewd buyers. Reg. \$4.00 pair. Friday and Saturday ...

MEN'S NEW TWEED CAPS.—One of the best lines we have ever had pleasure of offering as a bargain special. The colors are most Fawn and Grey in a magnificent variety of checked & striped designs. If you want an extra good, stylish and shapely cap for summer wear, you should see these at once. Reg. \$2.50 each. Friday and Saturday ... \$2.25

SUMMER F

WOMEN'S TWO-STRAP SHOES.—A of fine Cabretta, for house or plain toe. Regular \$1.90 pair day ...

WOMEN'S CLOTH TOP BOOTS.—High plain toe; high heel and medium Reg. \$3.75 pair. Friday and Saturday ...

WOMEN'S HOSE.—Fibre silk, up to feet. Worth, if perfect, up to and Saturday ...



DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS.—Cotton soft Union Damask in several terms; size 54 x 54 inches, \$1.75 each. Friday & Saturday ...

CRASH CUSHION COVERS.—Wash self-color and colored enamels. A rare money-saving chance. 25c. each. Friday and Saturday ...

BATTENBURG TIE CLOTHS.—centre and wide Battenburg Splendid values. Reg. \$1.25 each. Friday and Saturday ...

SIDEBORD CLOTHS.—Made nate rows of insertion and finished with lace edge. 65c. each. Friday & Saturday ...



We Have Made Friday and Saturday WORTH YOUR WHILE AT THE ROYAL STORES. READ BELOW!

IMPORTANT!

We advise customers having parcels delivered, to place their orders early, as we cannot guarantee delivery on Saturday night of parcels purchased after 6 p.m.

Here's Your Opportunity in **MEN'S FURNISHINGS.** Higher Prices are Sure to Come. The Saving Way is to STOCK UP NOW.

MEN'S SOFT FELT HATS—From our immense range of men's headwear we make special mention of this extra value for Friday and Saturday. They come with double stitched or plain rims in a splendid range of the latest colors, including Green, Brown, Slate, Fawn and Black. Regular \$2.20 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.80**

STANFIELD'S UNDERWEAR—The desirable weight for present season's wear. This is an extra good quality of fine wool, and will prove very satisfactory to the man desiring a soft, non-itchable underwear of superior quality: sizes 34 to 42. Reg. \$3.30 pair. **Friday and Saturday \$3.00**

MEN'S TAN CALF BOOTS—In a popular, medium toe, blucher shape, with self tip, mid-weight soles and heels. We consider this very special value at the low price quoted here: sizes 7 1/2 to 9, including halves. Regular \$4.00 pair. **Friday and Saturday \$3.60**

MEN'S GUN METAL BOOTS—With double stitched oak soles, stylish medium shape toe, self tip, and comfortable heel. This is our best selling general purpose boot and will interest a lot of shrewd buyers. Reg. \$4.20 pair. **Friday and Saturday \$3.90**



A Few Inklings of Spring and Summer Fashions in **SHOWROOM GOODS**



Join the Thrifty Shoppers who make this Store their Headquarters.



WOMEN'S LINEN AND COTTON DRESSES—Plain and checked designs with pique collars and fancy embroidery trimmings. Beautiful styles, suitable for house or street wear. Absolutely the latest fashions from our new Spring arrivals are added attractions that should appeal strongly to women desiring neat and becoming dresses. Reg. \$2.25 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.85**

CHILDREN'S EMBROIDERY DRESSES—Made with pleated skirt wide hem, three rows of dainty embroidery down the front and clusters of pin tucks. The waist is made with a wide belt of insertion to match. Insertion also trims the cuffs and collar and completes a very dainty little dress for a girl from 5 to 7 years. Regular \$2.25 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.80**

GIRLS' SCHOOL DRESSES—Khaki, Sage and Brown pique made with white pique collars and piping at shoulders, waist and sleeves. The right dresses for school girls from 12 to 14 years; they will wear and wear well and stand lots of knocking about. Reg. \$2.50 each. **Friday and Saturday \$2.25**

SIZES 14 to 16 years. Regular \$3.00 and \$3.20 each. **Friday and Saturday \$2.80**

WOMEN'S WHITE MERVE SILK COLLARS—With silk bound edges and trimmings of black hemstitching. Cut in a wide, round style with pointed corners at front. One of the very newest style ideas. Reg. \$1.45 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.30**

CHILDREN'S WASH HATS—With detachable covering of knitted cotton material, that will wash and cling close to the shape when replaced. Trimmed with colored ribbon bands. Reg. \$1.25 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.00**

MEN'S NEW TWEED CAPS—One of the best lines we have ever had the pleasure of offering as a bargain special. The colors are mostly Fawn and Grey in a magnificent variety of checked & striped designs. If you want an extra good, stylish and shapely cap for summer wear you should see these at once. Reg. \$2.50 each. **Friday and Saturday \$2.20**

MEN'S BRACES—A very serviceable make for fine wear. The elastic webbing extends to the back button loops and crosses over the back without metal parts, thus giving a connection that will not rub, tear or chafe the shirt. They are individually boxed for gift purposes. Regular 85c each. **Friday and Saturday 75c**

SUMMER FOOTWEAR.



WOMEN'S TWO-STRAP SHOES—A very comfortably, easy-fitting shoe of fine Cabretta, for house or street wear; medium sole and heel; plain toe. Regular \$1.90 pair. **Friday and Saturday \$1.75**

WOMEN'S CLOTH TOP BOOTS—Button and laced; gun metal vamp; plain toe; high heel and medium sole. Reg. \$3.75 pair. **Friday and Saturday \$3.45**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Fibre Silk and Lisle Thread; some with slight defects. Worth, if perfect, up to 80c. pair. **Special for Friday and Saturday 40c**



Sale Prices on NEW BLOUSES.

They are skillfully made, carefully finished and possess that much desired tailored appearance. The latest shades are shown in this best of Silk Crepe-de-Chene. The color range includes Cream, Maise, Sage, Flesh and Rose. If you want a Blouse for special occasions, here is your opportunity. Reg. \$7.00 each. **Friday and Saturday \$6.00**

STRIPED AND PLAIN MUSLIN BLOUSES—The styles and patterns are too numerous for description. We advise you to see them as early as possible. You won't be disappointed. Regular \$1.90 each. **Special for Friday and Saturday \$1.50**



Blouse Cottons and Dress Serge.

NEW DRESS AND BLOUSE COTTONS—Fancy stripes, cross-bars and coin spots in a splendid color range; splendid qualities 32 to 40c

ALL-WOOL DRESS SERGE—Extra wide width and extra good quality for Costumes or Dresses; colors Grey, Sage, Navy and Black. Reg. \$3.60 and \$3.75 yard. **Friday & Saturday \$3.25**

SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR THE HOUSE KEEPER.

Timely Offerings that cannot be repeated when present stocks are exhausted.

SCRUB CLOTHS AND FLANELLETTE DUSTERS—Very soft quality cotton, finished ready for use; medium sizes. Reg. 10c each. **Friday and Saturday 8c**

LACE CURTAINS—New American Curtains in the latest styles with plain net and fancy centres and heavy borders to contrast; 3 yards long and 48 inches wide. Reg. \$2.25 pair. **Friday and Saturday \$2.05**

Regular \$4.40 pair. Friday and Saturday \$3.85

CROCHET DOLLIES—Well made and finished Dollies in handsome designs; good large sizes. Reg. 25c each. **20c**

TAPED BOLSTER CASES—Here is a bargain special that will arouse housekeepers everywhere. The low price quoted below should interest you. They are made from fine, soft Pillow Cotton. Reg. 50c each. **Friday and Saturday 42c**

ROLLER AND CUP TOWELING—Linen, Crash and plain White Turkish; six different qualities. Reg. 18c yard. **Friday and Saturday 16c**

A Most Wonderful Sale of STYLISH SUMMER HEADWEAR.

UNTRIMMED HATS—Of stiff chip straw, in a becoming sailor shape with round crown and wide rim, slightly turned up at side, and wider at back. Colors: Brown, Navy and Pale Blue. A Hat that any woman could easily trim. Regular \$1.65 each. **Friday \$1.30**

WOMEN'S READY-TO-WEAR HATS—Fine straw, in a half dozen different shapes. Styles to suit the most particular tastes will be found in this splendid array. Reg. \$2.20, \$2.25 and \$2.50 each. **Friday and Saturday \$2.00**

BOUDOIR CAPS—Plain White and Fancy Muslin, trimmed with shadow lace and fancy edge; elastic tightening band. Reg. 45c each. **Friday & Saturday 37c**

WOMEN'S JAVA CANVAS HATS—Made with corded velvet under-brim and white mull muslin trimmings with a little band of corduroy at side. The shapes are charming and the price is very inviting. Cream Hats with under-brims of Pink, V. Rose, Champagne, Sage, Pale Blue and Beige. Reg. \$2.75 each. **Friday and Saturday \$2.30**

IMITATION PANAMA HATS—The smartest untrimmed shapes procurable in St. John's to-day. New York's very latest fashions. Reg. \$1.90 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.50**



CHILDREN'S WHITE AND BLUE CORDUROY AND VELVET HATS—With narrow turned down rim and neat band of blue ribbon with bow at side. The styles are suitable for girls or boys up to 5 years. Reg. \$1.25 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.10**

CHILDREN'S JOB REEFER COATS—Suede and Serge; 10 only manufacturers' samples. Worth up to \$5.00 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.48**

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BATTENBURG TEA CLOTHS—Openwork centres and wide Battenburg borders. Splendid values. Reg. \$1.25 each. **Friday and Saturday \$1.00**

SIDEBORD CLOTHS—Made with alternate rows of insertion and fine cotton. Finished with lace edge. Reg. 65c each. **Friday & Saturday 55c**

The Royal Stores Ltd.

Cable News.

WHAT ABOUT AN AIR COAL SERVICE?

NEW YORK, May 15. Weather conditions were favourable here to-day for the inauguration of the first airplane mail service between New York and Washington. The plane due to start from Belmont Park on Long Island at 11.20 o'clock this morning was to carry about 4,000 letters.

THE MEETING OF WILLIAM AND CHARLES.

LONDON, May 15. The recent meeting of Emperor William and Emperor Charles is of absorbing interest to the British public. There are two view points which appear in the comment of the meeting. One as to the immediate result of the conference and the other as to its future result, but both are of paramount importance. The first is the effect which the meeting is likely to have on the military events, whether another great blow at Italy may be expected to coincide with the daily anticipated renewal of the onslaught on the Anglo-French front, also, whether Austria can be persuaded to send troops to the western front to strengthen the exhausted German divisions. The more distant outcome of the meeting and its cementing of a political and economic defensive alliance of the Central Powers is a realization that eventually must be faced in the materialization of the Middle Europe policy and it is argued that if this is accomplished the natural reply of the Entente nations would be the placing in operation of the resolutions calling for economic pressure against Germany, known as the Paris resolution, because, it is contended, that only by strongest economic pressure could the Entente deal with the greatest unit of power ever known in the world's history.

STATE OF WAR.

AMSTERDAM, May 15. The Voessische Zeitung of Berlin announces to-day that a state of war has had to be proclaimed at Ekaterinoslav, Odessa and Poltava as a strong counter curative to the order of things. There are several groups of great Russian forces in the Don region, the newspaper says.

DEEPENING THE ALLIANCE.

AMSTERDAM, May 14. Vienna newspapers welcome the announcement that at the meeting at German great headquarters, the German and Austrian Emperors decided upon a deepening of the alliance between the two countries.

MONEY RAISING NO OBJECT.

LONDON, May 15. During a discussion of the Budget, Bonar Law said that the question of raising money in the near future had not caused him serious anxiety. The big loan floated in January of last year realized £1,000,000,000 while the war bonds started last October and the savings certificates had produced £719,000,000 to April 1st. (Cheers.) He was not in the least despondent about getting the required money in this way despite the recent falling off in subscriptions. He was considering steps for the stimulation of this form of campaign. The Chancellor indicated no change in the new duties.

CIVIC UNREST SPREADING.

WINNIPEG, Man., May 15. Developments in the civic strike situation in Winnipeg to-day indicate that the dispute will be extended over a considerable period. Following a mass meeting the telephone operators gave notice of their intention to quit work on the third morning, if the demands of the civic employees are not conceded by that time to-day, the city yard men will give the city 24 hours' notice. The street railway men's union executive decided to call a mass meeting of all members of the union on Thursday to take a strike vote. Throughout the day all classes of citizens have been volunteering their services to the fire fighting, water works and electrical departments, and last night were helping at fires throughout the city.

RUSSIAN SOVIET TROOPS CAPTURE LARGE CITY.

MOSCOW, May 10. Rostov, the largest city in the Don Cossack territory, was re-captured to-day by the Russian Soviet troops, who drove out the Germans. The Germans who have held Rostov for only a day are retreating. The armistice on the Kurt front has been extended to Voronezh and Don districts. Martial law has been declared and the Soviet troops have been ordered to disarm the bands invading Russia's territory despite the armistice.

WAR CANDIDATE ELECTED.

MELBOURNE, Aus., May 14. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—Capt. S. Bruce has been returned by a majority of over 5,000 over his Labor opponent in the bye-election in Flinders, Victoria, to fill Sir W. H. Irvine's seat in the Commonwealth House of Representatives. There is no doubt but that many Laborites supported Capt. Bruce owing to the recent peace manifesto of the Victorian Labor Party which Setstog Gardner the real leader of the Labor Party repudiated, thereby greatly assisting re-entrance.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

LONDON, May 15. (Official.)—A raid attempted by the enemy last night north of Lens was repulsed. We carried out another successful raid northeast of Rubeq. The hostile artillery was active during the night in the valleys of the Somme and Ancre, north of Bethune and in the forest of Nieppe sector. This morning the enemy's artillery activity increased northwest of Morlancourt and north of Kimmel.

BIG FIRE IN VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 15. Fire in the J. Coughlan & Sons shipyard in False Creek did damage to the extent of from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000 this morning. Fireman Cameron was killed by the falling of the walls of the boiler house and there were several minor injuries among fire fighters. The steel steamer War Chariot, about two-thirds completed, was engulfed in flames.

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Quantity! Quality! Price!

Careful Shoppers look for the store that can supply them with the Goods as above. Quantity--so they make a suitable selection. Quality--so they may secure goods that will give satisfaction. Price--so they may save. We claim to be able to suit you. GIVE US A TRIAL.

Ladies' Millinery Hats.

A few left over from this season's sale, right up-to-date in style, which we are clearing out at one-third off. Come and have a look at them.

White Lawn Blouses.

Prepare for summer. We have the biggest line of White Lawn Blouses we have ever handled. Prices to suit every purse.

Cotton Crepe Remnants.

A few bundles remaining. Suitable lengths for making Blouses; shades Pink, Blue, Helio, White, Cream. Value for 50c. yard. Selling 35c. yard.

INVICTUS SHOES.

Our Invictus Boots and Shoes for Men have come at last. Call early and secure a pair as prices are likely to be much higher very soon.

HOSIERY.

We have one of the largest stocks of Hosiery in the city. Child's Fancy Socks, Child's Cashmere, Cotton and Lisle Hose; Ladies' Cotton, Lisle, Cashmere and Silk Hose; also the famous brand of Ladies' Luxite Hose in Lisle and Silk, in shades of Black, White, Tan and Champagne; Men's Half Hose in Cotton, Cashmere and Silk. Prices to suit everybody.

Marshall Bros

Men's Fancy Shirts.

A big Job of Men's Fancy Shirts purchased at a Salvage Sale in New York. Values up to \$2.00. Selling all one round price, \$1.00 each. No appropriation.

Table Damask.

300 lbs. Bleached Table Damask. Comes much cheaper than yard goods, and in good lengths, from 2 yards to 6 yard ends, \$1.20 per pound.

Colgate's Toilet Requisites.

Just arrived a big quantity of Colgate's Talcum Powders, Shaving Powders, Dental Cream, etc., at our usual low prices.

Less to Give Way.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

An acquaintance of mine said a very illuminating thing, yesterday. We were saying how hard it is upon people who have fixed incomes to get along upon them when food and clothing and just about everything else is soaring in price. She is a widow with a small but comfortable income. Everything she has is of the best. "Well," she said, "it simply means that one has less to give away. That's all. Of course one could not do with any less oneself. How straightforward, how single hearted and how typical. It's just as simple as A, B, C, isn't it? If the luxuries and comforts to which you are accustomed cost more, that inevitably means that, when you have bought them all, you have less to give away. Less to Alleviate The Wounded Soldiers' Suffering. Less to give to help the Red Cross alleviate the terrible suffering of our boys. Less to give to uphold the Y.M.C.A. and the K. of C. in their splendid light to make our army the cleanest, manliest army that ever went forward to victory. Less to answer the pleas of the men and women who are begging for money to feed the starving children of the martyred nations. (An American Consul in Armenia writes that in his walk from his lodging to his office, he saw twelve people lying in the street who had died of starvation during the night.) Cruelly Hard To Have To Turn Away. It is fearfully hard to have to turn away from all these heart-tearing appeals. One could almost have it in one's heart to pity the people who have this burden to bear. Indeed, I think one should pity them. Heaven knows they need it.

Milady's Boudoir.

HAIR CROOKING.

How very much our hair has to do with our good appearance, and comparative few women have the natural wavy hair which always looks so well at all seasons of the year and to the envy of her many less fortunate sisters. A girl's most serious problem is that of keeping the hair wavy with March winds blowing it in all directions. The wise March girls, whose locks are naturally straight, has, however, discovered that an application of a curling fluid made of a tablespoon of bruised quince seed to a pint of hot water being poured over the seeds and the whole allowed to stand several hours, will help wonderfully in keeping the hair smooth and wavy. This preparation is thinned with a few drops of essence of violet before the hair is moistened with the liquid. Apply the fluid just before winding the hair on the curler. There is also a curling fluid that can be applied to the hair and left to dry, curling the hair as it dries without the aid of crimpers. It is made as follows: Potassium of carbonate one hundred and twenty grains, ammonia water one fluid dram, alcohol twelve drams, and rose water enough to make sixteen fluid ounces. When using moisten the hair, adjust it loosely and allow it to dry. I cured a horse of the Mango with MINARD'S LINIMENT. CHRISTOPHER SAUNDERS, Dalhousie. I cured a horse, badly torn by a pitch fork, with MINARD'S LINIMENT. EDW. LINLIEF, St. Peter's, C.B. I cured a horse of a bad swelling by MINARD'S LINIMENT. THOS. W. PAYNE, Bathurst, N.E. Pique collars, cuffs and belts appear on silk dresses. Crystal bead trimming is important for silk dresses.

Fresh Vegetables.

10 lbs. BEETS30c.
10 lbs. CARROTS50c.
10 lbs. PARSNIPS70c.
10 lbs. TURNIPS15c.
FRESH COUNTRY EGGS.

P.E.I. Potatoes.

15 Cents a Gallon.
COOKED CORNED BEEF by the lb.
EXTRA FANCY TABLE APPLES, 50c. doz.
NOVA SCOTIA APPLES, 15c. doz.
CALIFORNIA ORANGES.

C. P. Eagan

Duckworth Street and Queen's Road.

APPLES.

60 Brls. Small Size Apples
For retail trade at special prices.

ALSO
40 brls. No. 1's, Assorted.

60 brls. No. 1's, Ben Davis.

Soper & Moore

WE TWO.



WALT MASON

My cow is eating a wholesome hay, and so am I; I've shooed all costly grub away, till peace is nigh; no highly seasoned food is mine, no roast confronts me when I dine; I do not hanker, year or pine for tralain pie. My cow, she eats the luscious grass, and comes about by a man sitting by the fire side. My cow devours no precious wheat, no more do I; like her I Hoover and eat plain oats and rye; by following the food board's rules my cow and I, and my two mules, will we made Tauts die. My cow, she runs and kicks her heels, and so do I; it's wonderful how good she feels, how blithe and spry; she has no use for roasts and steaks, for puddings, doughnuts, pie and cakes, and all the things the baker bakes, and that is why. My cow stands up against the rack, and so do I; we eat our fodder from the stack, without a sigh; my cow has shown me what to eat, and I nibble on my feet, I'm growing young so help me Pete; how's that for high?

GERMANS FROM ROUMANIA.

LONDON, To-Day. Reports from Liege say that one cavalry division from Roumania has passed through Liege, westward, and more troops from Roumania are expected on the Belgian front, says a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Amsterdam. Orders have been given for other traffic on the railways to stop in order to allow these troops to pass. The Correspondent adds, it is probable that the cavalry referred to belongs to German forces which were operating in Roumania, and have been released through the signing of the Peace Treaty between Roumania and the Central Powers.

When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS.

Jury Disagrees in Manslaughter Case.

ACCUSED RELEASED ON BONDS--CROWN'S ACTION NOT YET KNOWN.

The further taking of evidence in the case of Rex vs. Dooley charged with manslaughter was continued before His Lordship Justice Kent in the Supreme Court yesterday afternoon. The first witness to be called was Mr. John J. McCarthy, J.P., of the Central District Court, who gave evidence as to taking a deposition from the late Robert Penny before his death. Mr. William Knight who had noticed Penny's condition while the latter was returning to his home on the night of the tragedy, was the next to give evidence and was followed by his son, George Knight, who helped in assisting Penny to get to the home of Annie Knight who accompanied Mrs. Penny (mother of the deceased), while in search of a doctor, and who with her brother George remained at the home of Penny during the night testified as to the condition of the deceased on that night and day following the occurrence. Mrs. Penny gave evidence as to the condition of her son's health prior to the fatal night of March 19th and also of his condition up to the time of his death. She was not cross-examined by Counsel for the accused.

EVIDENCE.

J. Sinclair Tait, M.D., I remember being called to the home of a man named Robert Penny, on Pleasant Street, in the afternoon of the 20th of March. I found him very seriously ill. He was suffering from what we call the oedema of the lungs. It is not a disease that is frequently met with and affects the heart, greatly, especially if a person should become excited or over-worked. It is an acute congestion of the lungs caused by the want of circulation. In this case the man's lungs were so congested that the man was struggling from the want of breath. It is a really a serious condition and could neither sit in a chair nor lie in a bed. I was called to see him and was pleading for assistance. I gave him a hypodermic. He was suffering from great volumes of fluid or bad blood. That state might come about by a man sitting by the fire side. It all depends on the previous condition of the person. I saw the man again after death. I was called to see a slight wound on the throat, which was only an abrasion caused by brushing after he went home. On holding a post-mortem I observed: The body was that of a fairly well nourished man about 35 years of age. There was no apparent marks of any kind on the body. We then opened the body and examined the internal organs, the heart was somewhat enlarged, the two principal valves were diseased, and the heart completely filled with large clots of blood. The lungs highly congested and heavy looking and acutely enlarged and when taken out they had a spongy feeling. The blood vessels were filled with dark blood. The liver was also highly congested; the blood vessels were also completely filled with large clots of blood. The stomach was natural size and healthy. The brain was of a normal size and a healthy appearance except that the blood vessels were filled up. All the other organs were natural. The man was in the agony of suffocation and died from that effect. Meeting a similar death as a person that would be hanged or drowned.

Cross-examined by Mr. Higgins, Doctor Tait said that it was possible for a man suffering from such a disease as was Penny, to die while sitting at his bedside. The post-mortem only verified what I thought what was wrong with the man, that there was certain organs leading to the heart that were not working. In this case the man Penny was living in jeopardy every hour. A man with heart failure should not hasten or labour himself at any time. A man travelling in deep snow would be labouring heavy and throwing a deep burden on the heart. The feeding a person would have in that condition is that he was starving.

To Mr. Hunt:—When I saw him a large quantity of bloody froth was coming up. If he had been able to get the whole of it up he would probably have lived. If a man is caught by the throat it would no doubt have a serious effect. J. Clarence McDonald, M.D., sworn

and examined by Mr. Hunt:—I am a practitioner for 14 years. I remember having been called to the home of Robert Penny, it was about 12.15 a.m. He was in a dying condition. He was covered with blood. I gave him the ordinary treatment. There was a lot of fluid. The patient was gasping for breath. I am quite sure that he was dying. About 5.30 a.m. someone called at my house and asked for something to relieve him (Penny). I gave them something and told them I would be up at 10 o'clock. I went up at 10 o'clock and stayed with him for about one hour and a half. I saw him again at 7 o'clock in the evening. He was dead then. On holding the post-mortem I found the exterior of the body in a perfect state of health. The lungs were congested as were also several other organs. (Dr. McDonald's evidence was somewhat similar in effect to that already given by Dr. Tait.)

Capt. James Howley, of the Pay and Record Office, on being sworn, read the Court the official record of the late Pte. Robert Penny, which showed that the deceased had been suffering from valvular disease of the heart and was therefore discharged from active service. While serving in the ranks his character was good. At 4.30 p.m. Mr. W. J. Higgins, Counsel for the defendant, informed the jury that he intended putting the accused in the witness box and let him tell his own story.

ACCUSED TESTIFIES.

William Dooley sworn:—I am married. I am 34½ years of age. I have one boy 7 years of age. I was on the Florizel as butcher. My health failed me as butcher so I decided to go on deck as a sculler. I have suffered greatly from the effects of the Florizel disaster. I left my sister's house, on Hamilton Street, at 10.30, and while going up Pleasant Street I saw a man and a woman coming towards me. I was near my home. As I was passing along I heard Miss Codner say there "goes the castaway of the Florizel." Some words followed. Deceased was ready to attack me. I made a blow at him that did not take effect. We closed in and we fell down. Penny got on top of me. I caught him by the collar of his coat or shirt and held on to him till he said I was choking him. I then let him go and we both got up. I then said to the girl I have a mind to have you arrested.

Cross-examined by Mr. Hunt Dooley said:—I did not know the girl Codner before. She knew some friends of mine. The girl could see me some distance before I got up to them. As I was passing she said, "there goes the castaway of the Florizel." I asked her if she knew the meaning of those words. "She said go on you dirty nuisance and mind your own business." Penny was not dressed in a Regimental coat. When I said to Penny, "You are no good to allow a girl to insult pedestrians on the public thoroughfare," he said: "I'll let you know if I am no good or not." He started to take off his coat. I walked across the street and took off my coat. He looked like a man that was prepared to fight. He was standing in a defensive position. I made the first blow, but it did not hit him. I intended to hit him. I lost faith in my defence and caught Penny by the side. He caught hold of me at the same time. To my knowledge I did not hit Penny while he was on his knees. I did not have hold to Penny's throat but held on to his shirt. That was the first time I ever remember seeing Penny.

At 5.10 p.m. Mr. Higgins, Counsel for the defence, addressed the jury and was followed by Mr. Hunt, Crown Prosecutor. At 5 o'clock adjournment was taken till 7.30 when His Lordship Justice Kent addressed the jury. At 7.55 the jury retired and after an absence of two hours and five minutes filed into court and through their foreman, Mr. M. Power, announced a disagreement. When asked by His Lordship if it was possible that the jury might with longer time at their disposal decide on a verdict, the foreman replied that it was impossible. Mr. Hunt, Crown Prosecutor, informed the Court that he was not prepared to state as to what further action the Crown would take in the matter. The accused was thereupon released under bonds.

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Thoughts Upon the Times.

(By PATRIOT.)

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Beloved pastor, thou hast won the hearts
Of this thy faithful flock, and we regret
That other calls remove thee, for a while,
To other scenes, but we shall not forget
Thy patient labours, thy consoling tones,
Thy sympathy so dear in hours of woe,
Thy broad companionship that made these loved,
And pains the parting, now that you must go.

Hard is the priestly lot in those sad days
When desolation rears the earth,
And every hearth are falling o'er the loss
Of the beloved; but thro' the coming years
Peace be with thee, where'er the road may lead,
To homes that need thy kindly father's care,
Peace be with thee, and may thy spirit glow
Till earth shall know its presence everywhere.

Peace be with thee, the peace of God; and may
Thy labours prosper in thy new found sphere.
To us 'twill be to keep thy memory dear,
And wait thy glad return on some not distant day.

—D. C.

pointed out by the Minister, was a record year. There will probably be about one thousand men less fishing this year than last. This will result from the enforcement of Selective Conscription, and because there are quite a number of men and schooners going into the freighting business that other years were engaged in the Labrador fishery. Is it wisdom then to base our estimates of the coming year on the results of last year?

The next eventuality which may happen is the failure of the Government to raise the loan of six million dollars. For a small population like ours it amounts to a large sum. It means \$25 for every man, woman and child in the country. In order to succeed there will have to be perfect unanimity of feeling towards it. Does this feeling exist in the country to-day? For the sake of the future of the country I sincerely hope it does.

If for arguments sake the coming fishery is a poor, or even an average one, and we fail to raise the loan what will be our position next May? I leave it for those who seriously ponder over these matters to say. One thing I wish to emphasize is this. We cannot expect England or Canada to come to our assistance. The people of the old country to-day are bearing a burden which would overwhelm us. The same applies only in a less degree to Canada. If we fail to "make good" we may rest assured we shall suffer for it. There is an idea abroad, and it has been fostered by members of the present Government, that England will see us through; in other words, will pay our debts for us. This sort of talk is not only vicious but it is not fair to the people of England who have borne the brunt of the war from the first. The easiest way to get the people of this country to invest their money in a loan is to tell them the truth and appeal to their patriotism. The British Empire is not our security for the loan which we are about to launch, but the resources of our country. What have Australia, New Zealand or South Africa to do with our local affairs? Nothing whatever.

Until we have put the coming fishery season over us and raised the six million dollar loan we are walking on the edge of a precipice. The Editor of the Herald in Monday's issue congratulates the Finance Minister in these words: "We think the country has reason to congratulate the Minister very warmly on the splendid showing which the Budget reveals, and on the manner in which Newfoundland has weathered the storms financial, economical and industrial which war has occasioned." Time alone will tell whether this is deserving. Two things as I have said are essentially necessary this year, one is a good fishery, for which we have to trust Providence. The other, the Victory Loan, must be a success and to make it so we must work in harmony as we have never worked before. It is our only salvation.

W. P. A.

NOTE OF THANKS.
From the St. John's Curlers the Women's Patriotic Association has recently received the handsome sum of \$3,045.43, and from the Sealers the splendid donation of \$3,866.32. Both these amounts were handed over to the W.P.A. by Mr. A. H. Salter, and that his collections should have been so successful speaks volumes for the admirable manner in which he managed them. I am desired by the members of our Association publicly to acknowledge these munificent contributions. Our entire thanks are due to the St. John's Curling Association, to the Sealers, and especially to Mr. Salter for his untiring efforts on our behalf.

A. N. GOSLING, Hon. Secy.
G.F.S. JUNIORS HOLD CONCERT.
The junior members of the Girls' Friendly Society held an enjoyable concert in the Synod Hall last night the attendance being fairly large. An interesting programme was arranged by Mrs. Cooper and during the interval the prizes were graciously distributed by Lady Horwood.

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CABLE NEWS.

AGAINST GERMAN DOMINATION.

MURICH, May 15.
Both King Ludwig of Bavaria and King Frederick August of Saxony seem to have been participants in the great headquarters conference of the German and Austrian Emperors, although apparently neither was invited to be present. This is indicated by a statement in the Munich Neueste Nachrichten, which says: "The hour is grave and Bavaria cannot leave Prussia to be the whole arbiter of German destinies. King Ludwig therefore decided to proceed to headquarters. The departure of the King of Saxony to take part in the negotiations, a participation which was not desired in Berlin circles, was due to the same cause."

NEW MILITARY AND NAVAL HON.

LONDON, May 15.
(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency).—The War Office announces the award of a special certificate of honor called "King's Certificate of Discharge," for all ranks, except the officers, of the Navy, Army and Air Force, discharged through wounds or disabilities incurred on active service or through other enemy action. A second discharge certificate is awarded where the recipients of the first, voluntarily re-enlist and are discharged. Respective Dominion authorities will issue the certificates to ex-members of the Canadian, Australian and New Zealand Naval Forces and accountants general of the navy to members of the Malta and Newfoundland Royal Naval Reserves.

PEACE TERMS WILL BE DEBATED

LONDON, May 15.
The Manchester Guardian says that the peace offer made to France last year by Austria as revealed recently in the letters written by Emperor Charles to Prince Sixtus will form the subject of a debate of the highest importance in the House of Commons to-morrow.

Mr. Grace Notes.

Mr. A. Murphy, of Bell Island, who had been here and at Carbonar for a day or two, left for the island this morning in Mr. Stewart's motor boat.

A young bull, owned by Mr. Richard Conroy, of Carbonar Road, was killed by the train yesterday afternoon. The loss is a big one at this season after keeping the animal over winter.

Mr. Forsey's concert in aid of the W.P.A. takes place in St. Paul's Hall to-night. Among the local talent taking part we notice the names of Misses Joy, Oke, Whitman and Jones, and Messrs. W. H. Kennedy and A. L. Collins. We predict a pleasant evening for all who attend.

One of our firms is expecting a cargo of coal in a day or two. We hope to see many cargoes coming this way soon, as it is badly needed.

One of the ship's carpenters at the Shipbuilding Co.'s premises, gave his foot a severe cut on Tuesday. He was taken to his boarding house where he will have to remain for several weeks.

The schrs. Minnie Maud and Peerless arrived from Trinity Bay last week with firewood, fence stuff, etc. for her owner Mr. E. Simmons. Mr. Frank Martin, of Frank, who has volunteered for the army and the navy several times and rejected, left for St. John's this morning to offer for the Foresters.

Mr. Geo. Burke, son of Capt. E. Burke, who has offered several times before and rejected, has accepted a position in the store of Mr. E. Simmons. Mr. Val Webber, son of the late Capt. George Webber, and brother of Sergt. A. Webber, has also accepted a position in the same store.

At the Juvenile British Society meeting, the President Albert Sellers intimated that as he had volunteered and had been accepted, that the meeting would probably be the last he would attend for some time. The Guardians said some very nice things about Mr. Sellers, of which he is most deserving. The boys gave a very hearty cheer, with hand clapping as an appreciation of the young soldier.

—COR.
Mr. Grace, May 15, 1918.

Special Notice.

At the end of this year we will give 5 cts. for every 12 Outside Green Wrappers obtained from "STAFFORD'S LINIMENT."

We will also give \$10.00 to the person forwarding us the largest number and \$5.00 to the 2nd largest.

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—COR.
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BUILDING NEW DECK.—A new deck is being built over the well deck on the Minto, which when completed will add greatly to the ship's carrying capacity and sea-going qualities.

WANTED.—A Girl for repairing clothes; one with a knowledge of tailoring preferred. Also a Vest Maker; apply to SPURRELL the Tailor, 365 Water Street.—ood,t



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Thoughts Upon the Times.

(By PATRIOT.)

From a political standpoint the Ministry of Finance and Customs is to be congratulated in presenting a Budget which will have the effect of pleasing Party supporters and tending to those who do not bother much with the financial condition of this country. For a small population like ours the figures are staggering. Practically speaking nine-tenths of the revenue which the Government get, in the coming fiscal year, is now swimming about in the shape of codfish, herring, salmon and lobsters. The Minister's estimates tumble about his ears like a pack of cards. The poet says: "Hope springs eternal in the human breast." We certainly must exercise this virtue during the coming year more than ever before, as it is the only way to get to that financial state of affairs which the Budget contemplates.

What loan which was for 10 years is due about April 30th next, and amounts to \$5,000,000. The year will cost us the same year not less than 2,500,000. Expenditure including interest on the New Loan will be about 5,500,000.

Total, \$13,000,000. There is a possibility according to the Minister's statement, of our raising a revenue of \$4,000,000 possible surplus of about 300,000. Local Loan of 6,000,000. Total, \$12,500,000.



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EMBROIDERY HOOPS—For fancy workers, don't be without one; these are in the popular size. Friday, Saturday and Monday, per pair 15c
RUBBER HEELS—Ladies' and Gent's size in live grey rubber, great a pair for your new spring boots or shoes. Friday, Saturday & Monday, the pair 33c
BLACKENING OUTFITS—Boxed set containing Tin Nugget Boot Polish, a strong brush, laces and velvet polishers. Reg. 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 19c
CAMP STOOLS—All hardwood, frame and seat, folds up, may be carried from place to place easily. Friday, Saturday and Monday 49c
FIDDLE SPEARS—Will get the elusive pickle every time, the spiral Spear does the trick, nickel finish. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each 15c

Special Sale Offering Ladies' SKIRTS.

A sale you should not miss, as it offers just the kind of Skirts that you will need very soon. Striped, fancy and plain. Jean, Linens and Gabardines, shirred at waist with belt, pocket pearl button trimmings; others in plain Tan and Grey Linens. These Skirts will be more fashionable than ever this summer. We have all sizes, yours is among them. Reg. \$2.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday \$1.69

SASH RODS.

Knowing the demand for these at this season we bought heavily, got good values and stocked a variety of prices. This week we offer: SMALL SASH RODS—That will extend to full width of ordinary window; but ends complete. Friday, Saturday and Monday 8c
MEDIUM SIZE SASH RODS—In tubular Brass, with large sized end pieces. Complete. Friday, Saturday and Monday 18c
THE PREMIER SASH ROD—Is a beautiful comes in heavy tubular brass with plain brass knob at each end. Complete. Friday, Saturday and Monday 33c
TOILET COVERS—White Honeycomb Toilet Covers; size 20 x 45, fringed border. These are a line for 45c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 33c
PILLOW SHAMS—A dozen lot in strong White Cotton. Just what you need for summer use, finished with a strong lace edge, and lace insertion band in center. Reg. 40c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 36c

Reply to "Who's Who"

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—A gentleman under the cognomen of "Who's Who" has seen fit to cast aspersions upon Sergt. Harold Mitchell, and other gentlemen in the Soldiers' Association who have fought upon the field of battle and shed their blood for their country. However, he says he trusts he is wrong in his deductions, which may go to show various things. I am going to take it upon myself to say that he is, in fact, that he is "all up a gum tree."

It would appear that a strong attempt is being made to force the R.S. and R.V. Association into the political arena by certain politicians and their supporters, some of whom have only lately become converted (?) to the principle of Selective Conscription, and perhaps even to their patriotic duty.

However it is a certainty that the R.S. and R.V. Association are not going to give way to any pressure brought to bear upon them by any group of politicians or their backers, and will follow the independent and non-political policy. We have heard some very peculiar things lately. It has been said that the Returned Soldiers are helping the Government too much, that they are getting too many recruits for the Regiment. That it is not their duty to look after the Regiment, but the Government's. And because the R.S. and R.V. Association have made a strong attempt to get men and save the honor of the Regiment and the country, and help their pals, they have been criticised, and it has been whispered they are helping Coaker. Heavens! Following that in real German style it has been said they are with the present Government. Next week hear the poor boys are in the Union, we suppose.

The R.S. and R.V. Association have been damned with faint praise by some from whom they expected more. On the other hand they have been told by the Government, that the thirteen complaining it were still running the country, and to go easy on the grass. However, the grass appears trodden. That the R.S. and R.V. Association brought to a head the big outbreak of public sentiment against the present Government's policies, in which the Telegram and you, Mr. Editor, did yeoman work, is known by anybody who has eyes to see or ears to hear. That with all this public spirit behind them and their big campaign for Selective Conscription, that the Government was forced to pass a Selective Conscription Bill, though against the policy of some of their backers, is also known.

It is not known publicly that the R.S. and R.V. Association had some of the matter of Mr. Coaker's peculiar epistle, previous to its publication, by your paper, and that steps were taken in this matter immediately, which brought certain results which were satisfactory to the Association. This matter is also, I understand,



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Street Car Accident.

CHILD RUN DOWN—NOW IN HOSPITAL.

What proved to be a marvelous escape from a terrible death occurred on Military Road at 3 o'clock last evening, when Albert James, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hickey, of 13 Knight Street, was hit and run down by a street car, and as a result of injuries received now lies in a critical condition at the General Hospital. As the result of an investigation the Telegram is able to describe briefly what happened. About five minutes to three yesterday afternoon Mrs. Hickey, mother of the child, noticed her little son playing with the door bell of a neighbor's house across the street and thinking the child safe resumed her household duties. About five minutes after she stepped outside the front door to see if the child was near the house when she was informed by a Mrs. Streeter that her little boy had been run down by the street car and killed. Mrs. Hickey, who realized once the awful consequences of her child's fate, fainted and falling to the ground was picked up and brought into her home where after a short while she regained consciousness. The injured child in company with two other children was hit by the fender of a street car, and was in the act of crossing Military Road at the junction of Knight Street when the little chap Hickey was hit by the fender. A few minutes the child was seen to hold on to the fender and then rolled off and fell underneath it. The child was pushed along in the front wheels of the car for a considerable distance, and how he escaped death is simply marvelous. The child was witnessed by a man named Dyer, a sanitary employee, who was working on Military Road at the time. Dyer signalled with his hand and again with his cap and getting no reply from the motorman shouted at the top of his voice. In the car being pulled up much difficulty was experienced in extricating the child from his perilous position. Dr. Macpherson, who fortunately was passing at the time rendered immediate surgical aid and on examining the little chap at his home nearby found his right leg broken above the knee while several severe cuts and bruises were inflicted on his hands, face and body. After splinting the broken limb, the child was taken to the General Hospital.

Yours truly, "HONI SOIT" May 16th, 1918.

Dr. Tait's Lecture

ON CHILD HEALTH AND WELFARE

The lecture given by Dr. J. S. Tait, "On Child Health and Welfare," at the College Hall last night was not so well attended as the subject warranted.

Mayor Gosling presided and on the platform were His Excellency the Governor accompanied by Capt. Campbell, A.D.C., His Lordship Bishop White, Rev. Dr. Bond, Rev. T. B. Darby, Messrs. Morris, Ayre, Mullaly and others. Following a piano solo by Miss Elsie Tait, a brief introductory by Mayor Gosling, and on to the main subject, condition in the city as regards sanitation, etc., and a solo by Mr. A. Williams, Dr. Tait took up his subject which he dealt with in an impressive manner. Child health, he pointed out, was the most important problem of sociology, and on it hangs the welfare of the race. He spoke strongly on the duties of motherhood and fatherhood, and also pointed out the pressing need of a reformatory, as the sending of children to a penitentiary is a terrible reflection on any social condition. The high mortality rate in the largely ignorant, and the time has come for a properly constituted health administration on the same lines as those of England, which attended solely to matters of health. Ours is the moral guilt of allowing the slaughter of the innocents to continue. The statistics show a regular holocaust which calls for a searching enquiry. Laws of health are not observed in many institutions through lack of knowledge on the part of the teachers. Following a solo by Mrs. King, His Excellency took occasion to point out the importance of the lecture. His Lordship Bishop White, who also spoke strongly on the subject, proposed a vote of thanks to the lecturer, which was accorded by acclamation.

Volunteers Reception.

On the 9th inst., at Topsail, C.B. was held a very successful reception for about 12 newly enlisted recruits to the Royal Newfoundland Regiment. Misses Annie Barnes, Ethel Barnes, and Violet Butler wish to thank all those ladies and gentlemen who so heartily assisted by subscriptions, etc., to bring the same about. The sum of \$36.00 was cleared after all expenses had been paid, and which amount is now being spent to buy wool for socks for the soldiers.—Com.

Here and There.

Save all your Outside Green Wrappers from Stafford's Liment. (See advt.)—may 1, 11

PERSONAL—Mr and Mrs. Blackwood of Bell Island are at present in the city.

The Annual Garden Party, in aid of Mount Cashel Orphanage, will be held on July 31st.—11

PERSONAL—Mr. P. Fowlow, of Trinity, who has been appointed to a position in the Royal Bank of Canada, here, took up his duties yesterday.

The Annual Garden Party at Kilbride will be held on July 15, in aid of the Church.—may 16, 11

PERSONAL—Mr. Dan Kitley of the Ticket Office of the R.N. Co. is now derwent an operation for gland trouble at Montreal a few days ago, is now rapidly improving.

EMPIRE NIGHT—Mr. Tom O'Neill will act with Mrs. Colville in the play on Empire Night.—may 16, 11

To-Day's Messages.

REVIEW OF EVENTS.

Still another day has passed without the Germans renewing their efforts in Flanders or Picardy, and nowhere have the infantry operations by either side on these battle fronts, or for that matter on any of the numerous theatres of the war, risen in importance above patrol engagements. North of Kemmel, where the Germans on Tuesday gained a footing on Hill 44, one of the bloodiest regions of the west front, the lost advantage points have been relieved through the persistent counter attack of the French, who succeeded in expelling the enemy from the shell holes, along the top of which he had been tenaciously holding. Not alone were the Germans forced to recede, but the French advanced their line and also took prisoners. Likewise south of Halle, in the Amiens region, the French have taken another bite into the German line, and successfully warded off a German counter attack launched in an endeavor to recapture the lost ground. The Germans in these manoeuvres suffered heavy casualties and also lost many prisoners. Throughout Wednesday the British were left severely alone by the German infantry in their trenches. The enemy continues to use his artillery vigorously against salient positions held by the British and French all along the front, especially against Field Marshal Haig's forces south of Albert, and against the French north of Kemmel. The French north of Mont Didier, and along the curve in the battle front between Mont Didier and Noyon, also have been under an intense fire from the German guns. The meeting between Emperor William and Emperor Charles at German grand headquarters, seemingly, has been productive of a strengthening of the relations between Germany and Austria-Dual Monarchy, which it had been reported unofficially were strained. After parting, Emperor William and Emperor Charles exchanged messages of felicitation over the accord arrived at in their discussions, and expressed deep mutual friendship. It is asserted that the Emperor not only reached an agreement on the solution of the question of Eastern border states, but that they also selected rulers for Lithuania, Courland, Estonia and Poland. Another famous situation case has ended in France with the conviction of the seven defendants, all of them connected with the notorious Germanophile evening paper, Bonnet Rouge M. Day, Director of the paper, was condemned to death, and the others sentenced to terms of imprisonment ranging from two to ten years.

Milk Case in Court.

The opening proceedings in the case of the Health authorities vs. a milk vendor from Mount Pearl, was heard before Judge Morris in the Magistrate's Court this morning. Leo Carter appeared for the Health authorities, Mr. Dunfield for the defendant, while Mr. C. E. Hunt presented as a watching brief for the baker who intends entering a civil action against the defendant. Counsel for complainant presents his case to the court and pointed out the seriousness of the cause. Counsel for the defense claims that the prosecution failed to present the program by the proper evidence. In the second place the act only applies to articles that are kept any exposed to sale, which refers to shops and not to persons who deliver milk and that the regulations cannot go beyond the act. In the third place the defendant was buying milk from another party to oblige his customers and was losing on the transaction. His Honor after hearing both sides of the case, reserved judgment until to-morrow.

May Reloat Ethie.

The latest message from the wrecked steamer Ethie, at Mistaken Point, states that the ship is resting on the bottom, but owing to a heavy sea the divers cannot go down. The whaler Hawke reached the scene of the wreck early this morning, and the Petrel which left here at 9 a.m. to-day was due there about noon. So with the Clyde, Petrel and Hawke the ship will be refloated if it is at all possible. A large quantity of the freight has been removed, much of which is only slightly damaged.

Naval Heroes.

The following Royal Naval Reservists, some of whom have been active service since the outbreak of hostilities, are passengers on the incoming express: S. Warren, L. Roberts, R. Butt, W. Holloway, F. Mitchell, W. Ryan, A. Hustins, N. G. Butt, N. Butt, F. Saunders, E. Alcock, Jos. Lamb, W. F. Duggitt, R. Dornall, J. Compagnon, D. Paine, H. L. Drew, A. Coffin, A. Harding, E. Parrett, E. Nash, F. Walsh, A. Young and A. Kelly.

Exemption Granted Conditionally.

Application No. 10. Re James P. Cook, Forest Road, St. John's, Marine

Claim herein made under Sec. A and B. Judgment. We grant an exemption under "b" conditional only until a younger brother reaches the age of nineteen. The words "he has" in classes b and c of Sec. eight of the Act mean "he has or had," "brothers" in that section means brothers over eighteen years of age. The applicant has or had two brothers, namely, the brother over eighteen at St. John's and the brother who fell in the firing line. (Sgd. ROBERT ALBON, Clerk to the Tribunal.)

Here and There.

FELL THROUGH HATCHWAY.—Mrs. Duncanson Cooke, of York Street, while visiting a Mrs. French, a few doors east of her home, about 7 o'clock last evening, fell through an open hatchway in the street and sustained serious injuries. She was picked up by some neighbors and conveyed to her home where she was attended by Dr. Cowperthwaite.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS.—The following first class passengers are on the incoming express: A. P. Gillis, C. A. Wagner, A. King, Miss A. Bulley, Mrs. E. M. Strickland, Miss A. Jones, Miss A. Clarke, L. J. Scott, D. E. Brian, H. E. Cowan, H. Dawe, Mrs. J. W. Keating, Miss H. Fearon, Miss L. Orr, Miss Ross, J. Goldstone, F. James Martin, Miss L. Kendall.

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On May 11th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Evans, Montreal.

Here's an Announcement of the Greatest Importance for Men!

COLLARS: We have in stock a full range of ARROW COLLARS in straight and pointed fronts. Here are some of the styles: BELMONT, TREMONT, LINDSAY, CONTOUR, FALCON, ALDORF. Sizes, 14 to 15 1-2. 25c. each.

NECKWEAR: We have just opened a NEW LOT of MEN'S TIES, specially made up for our own trade. The Silks and Satins from which they are made, the perfect blending of the colours, and the manner in which each cravat have been finished would be commendable in Neckwear at much higher cost.

GLOVES: We offer unusual values in an important presentation of Men's Gloves, Brown Silk, with Black Striped Backs. Sizes, 7 to 9, at \$1.20 per pair.

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Don't forget the best TEA to be got in Newfoundland is at our Store, retailing at 60c. per lb.

Sun Ammonia, 10c. package.

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R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Specialist, St. John's.

The new currant reds are used to brighten dull gowns. Boleros in various forms appear on little girls' dresses. Smart tailored suits have edges bound with silk braid.

Sashes are frequently lined with a contrasting material.

Grove Hill Bulletin THIS WEEK. FLOWER ROOTS: Canterbury Bells, acid colors (double), Hollyhocks, Foxgloves; each \$1 a dozen. Sweet Williams, 60c. doz. Pansies, Daisies (Pink and White), each 50c. dozen. TERMS: STRICTLY CASH.

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There is no finer polish for your ware than wood ashes. Beets are second only to potatoes in general food value. A wooden box is better for keeping bread than a tin one. A foulard dress is real economy. The favored heels are low French and Cuban military.

TABLE OIL CLOTHS.—A brand new stock of good quality Table Oil Cloths, stripes, checks and floral designs, light, medium and dark, renderings; this is all goods, has a nice soft rubbery finish; some excellent patterns among these for permanent kitchen wall coverings. Friday, Saturday and Monday 38c

DOYLEYS.—Circular Doyleys, with plain linen centre and deep crochet edge; these will give you years of wear. Reg. 35c. Friday, 27c. Saturday and Monday 38c

CUT SALE PRICE WINDOW BLINDS

Another item that merits the attention of this week we are offering our window blinds for Friday, Saturday and Monday at special prices for 38c

GREEN END BLINDS.—In Buff and Light Green, mounted on dependable rollers; plan special. Friday, Saturday, & Monday, complete. \$1.00

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Facts & Figures that Mean Doings & Underpricings

Little Things You Must Have, Savingly Priced for Friday, Sat. & Mon.

- READ!**
- ANGORINA**—Wool-like worsted in large balls, shades of Tan, Grey, Brown, Purple and White. Each Reg. 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each **18c**
 - EMBROIDERY HOOPS**—For fancy work, don't be without one; these are in the popular size. Friday, Saturday and Monday, per pair **15c**
 - RUBBER HEELS**—Ladies' and Gent's size in live grey rubber, get a pair for your new spring boots or shoes. Friday, Saturday & Monday, the pair **33c**
 - BLACKENING OUTFIT**—Boxed set containing Tin Nigger, Boot Polish, a strong brush and felt polishing pad. Reg. 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **19c**
 - CAMP STOOLS**—All hardwood, frame and seat, folds up, may be carried and placed to place easily. Friday, Sat. and Monday **49c**
 - PICKLE SPEARS**—Will get the elusive pickle every time, the Spiral Reg. 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each **15c**

at this **BUSY STORE** for **FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY**

Savings Innumerable to Make the Dollar Loom Large as a **VALUE BRINGER** this Week!

HERE'S THE WEEKLY BUDGET,

That interests careful shoppers from far and near. A Bargain Budget consisting of scores of wanted things, suitable things which you need and can find ready use for right now, either about your person or about your home, and which can be had for much less than the prices they usually sell for, a few instances are here quoted. It will pay you well to do all your Spring Shopping at this popular Store. Join the throngs that shop at your home town Store.

Show-Room Offerings THAT RING TRUE WITH ECONOMIES FOR FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY.

- LADIES' UNDERWEAR**—In looking around we happened on this excellent line of Ladies' fine ribbed Underwear, and decided on putting it forward in this week's sale. The Vests and V-neck, wing sleeves, or sleeveless if desired; pants to match knicker length, lace trimmed, open or closed. A very desirable weight. Reg. 45c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **58c**
- FEATHER BOAS**—A pretty Ostrich Feather Boa would be a fitting set off to your Spring Costume. These are excellent quality, with silk tassels at ends; shades of Saxe, Navy, Brown, Grey, Purple and White. Reg. \$2.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.67**
- CHILDREN'S WAISTS**—Comfortable fitting waists for girls or boys; garters attached, straps to go over shoulders, and buttons for bands of neckers or undershirts; assorted sizes. Reg. 40c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **35c**
- HAT BANDS**—Lot of pretty coloured Silk Hat Bands; that stretchable make that will fit any size hat; the colorings are good and well blended, very neat stripe effects that will brighten up your hat. Reg. 25c. Friday, Sat. & Mon. **27c**
- LADIES' VESTS**—Another Special Line of fine ribbed Jersey Vests with buttoned front, long sleeves, and draw string at waist. Just a few dozen which we are clearing this week. Reg. 45c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **39c**
- CHILDREN'S NIGHT GOWNS**—Well made White Lawn Night Gowns, trimmed with lace edging, ribbon, beading, low cut neck, short sleeves; sizes to fit from 2 to 10 years. Good value at 50c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **46c**
- Children's Embroidered Dresses.** Charming little White Embroidery Dresses that they simply must have for Sunday wear; low neck style, 3/4 sleeves, lace edging at neck; others lace insertion trimmed; sizes to fit from 2 to 14 years. Now! Mothers! if you want good value in good looking White Dresses for the girls, come and have a look at these. Regular \$1.60. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.38**

Job Line of Hat Ornaments.

The very newest in Hat Trimmings, marked at a fraction of what they cost us. Health, Tinsel and Straw Ornaments. Lots of them. Come and take your choice. Reg. 40c. each. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday **10c**

Three Special Lines of Summer Wash Goods at Prices that We May Not Repeat Again This Season.

- DRESS LINENS**—Best quality English Dress Linens, 29 inch goods, in plain shades of Pink, Pale Blue, Navy, Hello and Striped Grey. We offer just a piece of each at a reduced figure. Friday, Saturday and Monday, per yard **25c**
- WASH GINGHAMS**—A great sale of pretty Wash Gingham that you should not miss. Excellent Gingham for Summer Dresses, Summer Overalls and so forth, in large checks that would look well for Blouses, for Children's Dresses and for trimming purposes as well. Worth 28c. per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday, per yard **25c.**
- JAP PLAIDS**—Fine texture Plaids, and a great variety of them too; pretty colour blendings, nice fine checks that would look well for Blouses, for Children's Dresses and for trimming purposes as well. Worth 28c. per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday, per yard **25c.**

Special Sale Offering Ladies' SKIRTS.

A sale you should not miss, as it offers just the kind of Skirts that you will need very soon. Striped, fancy and plain Jean, Linens and Gabardines, shirred at waist with belt, pocket pearl button trimmings; others in plain Tan and Grey Linens. These Skirts will be more fashionable than ever this summer. We have all sizes, yours is among them. Reg. \$2.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.69**

SASH RODS.

Knowing the demand for these at this season we bought heavily, got good values and stocked a variety of prices. This week we offer:

- SMALL SASH RODS**—That will extend to full width of ordinary window; ball ends complete. Friday, Saturday and Monday **8c**
- MEDIUM SIZE SASH RODS**—In tubular form, with large fluted end pieces. Complete. Friday, Saturday and Monday **18c**
- THE PREMIER SASH ROD**—Is a beauty; comes in heavy tubular brass with plain brass knob at each end. Complete. Friday, Saturday and Monday **38c**
- WHEAT COVERS**—White Honeycomb Toilet Covers; size 20 x 45, fringed border. These are a line for 45c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday **38c**
- YELLOW SHAMS**—A 2 dozen lot in strong White Cotton. Just what you need for summer use, finished with a strong lace edge, and lace insertion band in centre. Reg. 40c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **36c**



Values that should claim Houskeepers attention during renewing time.

TABLE OIL CLOTHS—A brand new stock of good quality Table Oil Cloths, stripes, checks and floral designs, light medium and dark, fringed edges; this is a line for the summer's dust your heavy table covers. Reg. \$1.80. Friday, Saturday and Monday **38c**

COLOURED TABLE COVERS—A few dozen of coloured damask table covers in Crimson and Green, and Crimson and White mixtures, fringed edges; these are very nice for summer wear and will save from the summer's dust your heavy table covers. Reg. \$1.80. Friday, Saturday and Monday **92c**

DUCHESS SETS—Some very dainty 4 piece Duchess Sets in good white linen, very daintily embroidered, an each piece finished with a hemstitched border; you'll like these immensely. Reg. \$1.00 set. Friday, Saturday and Monday **27c**

TABLE NAPKINS—11 dozen of very superior White Damask Table Napkins, soft mercerized finish; size 20 x 20, hemmed ready for use, large enough and good enough for best wear. Reg. 33c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday **28c**

TEA CLOTHS—Hemstitched White Linen Tea Cloths with rows of pretty openwork; also embroidered handsomely. A very dainty piece of linen goods for your table when company arrives. Reg. 85c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **75c**

SIDEBOARD RUNNERS—A few dozen of neat white linen runners with a scalloped edge, nicely embroidered; size 14 x 63, unusually good value at 80c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **74c**

ELECTRIC LIGHT SHADES—Fleeced linen shades in 4 shapes, can be used in drop or upright bulb, slips over easily, assorted shades, each **15c**

CUT SALE PRICE OF WINDOW BLINDS.

This is another item that merits the attention of every housewife, as this week we are offering our entire stock of these at reduced prices for Friday, Saturday and Monday.

- BLIND END BLINDS**—In Buff and Light Green shades, 36 inch wide, mounted on dependable rollers; plain ends **59**
- LACE END BLINDS**—Our regular \$1.00 line, in shades of Buff, Light and Dark Green, wide lace ends. Friday, Saturday and Monday **89**



More WANTED Things Priced Away Down for Friday, Sat. & Monday.

- READ!**
- SMELLING SALTS**—French make, in neat bottle for your dressing table, fragrant and lasting. Friday, Sat. and Monday, bot. **18c**
 - PEPPER AND SALT SHAKES**—Assorted makes in plain and fancy glass, with celluloid on nickel sifter tops. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each **12c**
 - BLIND ROLLERS**—36 inch blind rollers, dependable make, complete with fittings. Friday, Saturday and Monday **19c**
 - CURTAIN POLES**—4 feet long, Rosewood shade, wood rinks and fancy turned ends, wood bracket, complete. Friday, Saturday and Monday **45c**
 - CURTAIN POLES**—4 feet long with brass rings and silver fluted knob at each end, brass brackets, neat looking. Friday, Saturday and Monday, complete **50c**
 - "DADDY" SHOE POLISH**—A complete cleaner and polisher, gives a lasting polish. All quality. Friday, Saturday and Monday **23c**

Shirts, Overalls, Braces and Other Things From the Men's Section

- Underpriced for Friday, Saturday and Monday.**
- MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS**—Our best selling line in all-over Negligee Shirts, new patterns, with the improved double stitched French cuffs. If you want fit, comfort and wear in Top Shirts, try these. Reg. \$1.25. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.10**
- TUNIC SHIRTS**—These are English make, a guarantee of their quality and serviceability, good looking striped patterns, laundered cuffs, soft bosom. Good value at \$1.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.15**
- OVERALLS**—Best quality American, Blue Drill Overalls with White pin stripe, pronounced by workmen as the best yet; new for constant wear, and will keep their color to the end. Jackets or pants in all sizes. Reg. \$2.00 per garment. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.89**
- MEN'S BRACES**—You have never been offered such a high grade Brace at such a low price before; a refined looking and serviceable brace with white cord fastenings and all nickel mountings. Our Special Friday, Saturday and Monday **37c**
- BOILER SUITS**—For Engineers, Machinists and Motor-men; English Denim Combination Suits in Navy or Brown shade. These are worth much more to-day, but we have secured a 5 dozen lot at the old price and offer them at a price that will pay you to secure a suit without delay; assorted sizes. Regular \$4.00 value. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$3.40**

Summer FOOTWEAR At Friday, Saturday and Monday at this Store.

- LADIES' SANDALS**—Cool, summery looking footwear, 8 bar Sandal with patent leather vamp and gun metal back, very comfortable for walking, high heel, plain toe, very dainty, half sizes from 2 1/2 to 7. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$3.40**
- LADIES' WHITE SHOES**—This is a popular style for summer wear. Comes in fine White Poplin, 2 strap style, bow front, solid sole and heel; sizes 2 to 7, including half sizes. Reg. \$2.20. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.98**
- MISSIES HIGH-LACED BOOTS**—This is a very attractive looking boot, 15 eyelet height, made of good White Poplin, sizes 1 1/2 to 2; a real Summer boot. Regular \$2.25. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.10**

SUMMER HOSIERY.

- LADIES' BLACK HOSE**—A special line of super-quality Fast Black Lisle Hose, silky finish. Good value at 50c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **47c**
- LADIES' WHITE HOSE**—White Hose will be more fashionable than ever this season. Here is a good wearing White Cotton Lisle make in assorted sizes. Value for 40c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **32c**
- CHILDREN'S HOSE**—All sizes in Children's and Misses Fine Ribbed Tan Hose; a real Summer Hose that will give surprising wear. Friday, Sat. & Monday, pair **25c**
- BOYS' SHIRTS**—Here are some splendid looking and good wearing Shirts for the boys for summer wear; light and dark makes; Shirts for Sunday wear. Shirts that the boys like; well made with double stitched seams, collar and pocket; true-to-fit sizes. Reg. \$1.20. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.10**
- BOYS' KHAKI SHIRTS**—Shirts for the holidays, that will not soil as quickly as the lighter makes; Shirts that the boys like; well made with double stitched seams, collar and pocket; true-to-fit sizes. Reg. \$1.20. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.10**
- BOYS' BLACK SOCKS**—Extra good value in Boys' 8 inch foot Black Cashmere Socks. We have a few packages of these left over from 1916. They offer particularly good value. Reg. 60c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **39c**

CABLE NEWS.

THE NEW MINE AREA.

LONDON, May 15. The Admiralty restriction on navigation in the northern part of the North Sea, in consequence of the laying of a great mine field for the purpose of felling submarines, became operative to-day and hereafter all shipping in that area must comply with stringent regulations or ignore them at their own peril. After darkness no ship will be allowed within the prescribed area which lies between the coasts of Norway and Scotland, and any vessel finding herself there half an hour after sunset must anchor in accordance with the Admiralty's directions. The regulations include strict rules affecting all except warships entering and leaving the ports of northeastern Scotland as well as the Orkney and Shetland Islands. The vast barrier which seems to have been overestimated in extent in earlier reports is now said to cover approximately 22,000 square miles. Many details obviously cannot be divulged and some of those printed appeared to be based on assumption by non-official experts, but it is generally accepted that the barrier is designed to fence in as far as possible U-boats and other enemy craft in the northern end of the North Sea in the same manner as the barrier across the Straits of Dover already effectively blocks their access to the Channel. It is remarked that as the barrier is intended to exclude submarines the mines must have been laid at an unusual depth to cover the limit of the average submarine capacity. The forbidden area necessarily leaves a gap on each side on the east, because the territorial waters of Norway must be respected, and on the west to preserve a passage for shipping and to allow freedom of action for the grand fleet. But notwithstanding such limitations confidence is expressed that the new measures combined with the recent operations at Zebruggo and Ostend must greatly handicap the movements of the U-boats and further discourage the hopes that the Germans have placed in the submarine campaign.

GERMAN POSITIONS ATTACKED.

PARIS, May 15. French troops yesterday evening attacked German positions near Hales on the front below Amiens and captured a wood on the west of the Avre River, it is announced officially. The Germans made a counter attack and were beaten off with severe losses. During the night there was a violent bombardment north of Mont Didier and between Mont Didier and Noyon. There is nothing to report elsewhere on the battle front.

THE SUB. QUESTION.

LONDON, May 15. Asked in the House of Commons to-day by Robert P. Houston, a Liverpool Shipowner, for information as to our successful operations in capturing enemy submarines around the coast during the past three weeks, Thos. McNamara made this reply: "On the whole, the general trend of the submarine warfare has progressed quite satisfactorily since the first of January."

FRENCH ADVANCE THEIR LINE.

LONDON, May 15. Marshal Haig's report from the British headquarters in France to-night says there was local fighting in which French troops captured several prisoners and successfully advanced their line early in the morning in the sector north of Kemmel Village. Elsewhere there was nothing beyond artillery activity on both sides of the front.

FIGHTING FOR HILL FORTY-FOUR WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, May 15.—Hard fighting continued in the neighborhood of Hill 44, north of Kemmel, which was stormed and retaken late yesterday by French troops. This much disputed elevation has changed hands many times recently but the French were still holding the Germans off at 2 o'clock this p.m.

GAVE LIFE FOR OFFICER.

LONDON, May 15. Colonel Percy Archer Clive, Member of the House of Commons for the South Division of Hertfordshire, gave his life on the west front a few days ago in a gallant attempt to rescue a wounded officer. Colonel Clive, at the head of his battalion of Lancashire Fusiliers, had just straightened out the line by a successful counter attack when it was reported to him that the Colonel of the regiment on his left was lying severely wounded between the battle lines. Colonel Clive went out immediately alone to aid the wounded Colonel and was killed by a German sniper. Subsequently the wounded Colonel was brought in by stretcher bearers.

DEATH PENALTY.

PARIS, May 15. M. Duval who was director of the suppressed Germanophile newspaper Bonnet Rouge was condemned to death by court martial for treason. The six other defendants were sentenced to imprisonment for terms ranging from two to ten years.



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COLLARS in the styles: CONTOUR, 15-1-2.

MEN'S TIES, Silks and Satins blending of the latest have been neckwear

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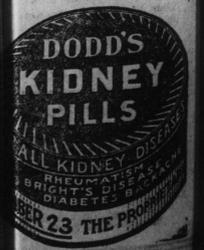
FLOWER ROOTS: Canterbury Bells, asstd. colors (double); Hollyhocks, Foxgloves; each \$1 a dozen.

Sweet Williams, 60c. doz.

Pansies, Daisies (Pink and White), each 50c. dozen.

TERMS: STRICTLY CASH.

J. McNEIL, PHONE 247, Wat-ford Bridge Road.



TORONTO, Noon.—Moderate winds, fine and mild to-day and on Saturday.
Roper & Thompson (Noon)—Bar. 29.80; Ther. 54.

Auction Sales!

AUCTION SALE.

Real Estate!

On the premises on at 12 o'clock Noon,
Monday, the 20th day of May, inst.,

2 HOUSES (one a two tenement), Nos. 16, 18 and 20 FLEMING STREET. Houses in good repair. Lease 40 years from May 1st, 1909. Ground rent only \$6.00 per annum on both houses. Further particulars upon application to
FRED. J. ROLL & CO.,
may15,4i Auctioneers.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

To-Morrow, Saturday, at 11 o'clock,

At the Central Auction Mart (Beck's Cove)

40 barrels APPLES.
5 bags ONIONS.
7 SMALL CASES ONIONS.
1 FLOW, 1 HAND CART.

M. A. BASTOW,
may17,1i Auctioneer.

B.I.S.

The Quarterly Meeting of the Benevolent Irish Society will take place on Sunday next, immediately after Last Mass.
By order,
T. P. HALLEY,
may17,1i Hon. Sec'y.

NOTICE!

NEWFOUNDLAND AGRICULTURAL BOARD.

Parties who ordered Green Mountain, Irish Cobbler, White Beauty of Hebron, Empire State and Rochester Rose Potatoes will please take immediate delivery of them.
By order,
A. J. BAYLY,
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THIS WEEK.

READY ON THE 20TH.
Cabbage Plants: Early, Medium and Late. Price, \$1.00 a hundred.
Cauliflower Plants: Early, Medium and Late. Price, \$1.25 a hundred.
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Come in Out of the Wet.

You can't afford to lose much time now. Spring is coming on, so get your pipes, traps and drains in good order and don't delay your house-keeping.

SEND FOR ME

If you want expert Plumbing or Heating done at Low Rates. Orders left by Parsons' Phone 688, will be taken. I personally perform or supervise my own work.

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Bargains in Rebuilt Engines!

Fishermen, now is your chance to order a RE-BUILT MOTOR ENGINE.

- No. 3—One 6 H.P. 2-cycle White \$60.00
- No. 5—One 6 H.P. Truscot \$80.00
- No. 22—One 12 H.P. 2-cylinder, 4-cycle, heavy duty, with one way clutch \$130.00
- No. 25—One 16.20 H.P. 2-cylinder, 2-cycle high speed Red Wing, with paragon gear and unispartker ignition \$125.00
- No. 27—One 46.55 H.P. 4-cylinder, 2-cycle, five by five Vim motor, aluminium base and manifold equipped with four carburetors, one way clutch, rear starter and at water kent ignition \$200.00
- No. 30—One 12 H.P. 2-cylinder, 2-cycle, Detroit, five by five, complete with jump spark ignition and propeller, completely overhauled and in working order . . . \$130.00
- No. 35—One 15 H.P. 2-cylinder, 2-cycle Ferro, with reverse gear, ignition system . . . \$175.00
- No. 37—One Model—a thoroughbred 14.20 H.P. 4-cylinder, 4-cycle, with aluminum crank case oiling system, water circulating pump, drip cocks, priming cups, spark plugs, carburetor starting crank . . . \$285.00

These Engines are smooth-running. Will last much longer than any others. Write, or wire if necessary to

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All parts of the engine are carefully packed and shipped just as they come from the automatic machines at the factory—not even painted—full directions for assembling, including a picture with number and name of each part, are sent you. The Company guarantees that every part will fit perfectly, and that any man who can read English and use a wrench can set them up.

Those engines are guaranteed exactly the same as common engines that have been fitted and tested at the factory and sold at double the price. Why not save a month's wages by setting up your own engine? These engines are 2 cycle. Terms: half cash with order, balance on arrival.

On rush orders, can wire order and have engine sent by express.

WATERPROOF ENGINES,

Four Cycle.

Here is what you have been looking for, a special Four Cycle Engine, specially fitted with a waterproof ignition system, at a price to meet all competitors.

- 1 CYLINDER 2 HORSE POWER \$ 70.00
- 2 CYLINDER 4 HORSE POWER 130.00
- 2 CYLINDER 8 HORSE POWER 190.00
- 3 CYLINDER 6 HORSE POWER 175.00
- 3 CYLINDER 12 HORSE POWER 240.00
- 4 CYLINDER 16 HORSE POWER 295.00

These Engines come set up ready for use. Everyone knows that a Four Cycle Engine will produce the same power on much less fuel than any two Cycle Engine made; it will also be much cleaner.

The only objection to Four Cycle Engines has been the difficulty of keeping the ignition dry in wet weather; this objection is overcome in our "WATERPROOF" Engines. A big advantage in having two or more Cylinders is to reduce vibration and give steady power; a smooth running Engine will last much longer than any other.

Write or wire if interested. Two shipments of Engines now on road, expected here by May 25th. Wire your order.

St. Louis Cash Registers!

We have secured the Agency for the St. Louis Cash Register line. These are not second-hand or rebuilt machines, but are new Registers, built in a new Factory, and are sold at about half the price of the common registers. Now is your chance to get a New Register right from the Factory at a reasonable price.

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"TOODLES"—A sparkle comedy of the funniest kind.

"A DEAL IN BONDS"—Showing Tom Grant, the daring Police Reporter, in one of his adventures.

Ham & Bud in "POLITICS AT PUMPKIN CENTRE"—You know what Ham and Bud means: a good laugh.

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50 cases California Oranges—all counts.
50 sacks Choice Silverpeel Onions. Also, Seed Potatoes: Beauties, Early Roses and good Whites.

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GEO. NEAL

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Military Service Board.

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Last report from Safe on Sea, Ltd., shows that nearly all the stock has been subscribed for. Quick action is necessary if you want to share in this great money-making proposition. Get in at the beginning.

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Freight for S. S. "Home" North Side of Green Bay, via Lewisporte, will be accepted at Freight Shed on Saturday, the 18th Instant.

Notre Dame Bay Steamship Service.

Freight for S. S. "Clyde" South Side of Notre Dame Bay, will be accepted at Dock Shed on Friday, the 17th instant up to 1 p. m.

REID-NEWFOUNDLAND Company



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Dull, Bright or Tan leathers. Lace or Button style. High or Low Cut. The Business Man's Conservative Shoes and the Young Fellow's Swagger styles, \$4.00, \$5.50, \$6.50 or \$11.50. There are no better values for the money!

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Dull or Bright leathers. The handsome new Military Lace Boots, the new Cloth Top Gaiter Boots, beautiful new Oxfords, Colonial and Sandals, \$3.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 to \$10.50. The limit of value and satisfaction at every price!

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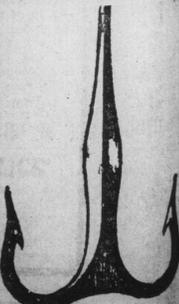
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