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The Evening Telegram.

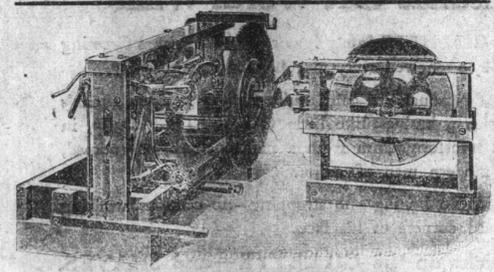
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(Concluded.)

"Well, well, sir," rejoined Mason, impatiently, "you are a good man, and have of course your own notions on these matters and I also have mine. Or, perhaps, you think it is only blood of rich and great which shed unjustly, brings forth the iron harvest. Forgive me," he added, checking himself. "I respect you both; but my heart is turned to stone. You do not know—none ever knew but I—how kind, how loving, how gentle was that poor suffering girl."

He turned from us to hide the terrible agony which convulsed him. "Henry," said Mr. Friend taking him kindly by the hand "we pity thee sincerely, as thou knowest; but thy bitter, revengeful expressions are unchristian, sinful. The authorities whom thou, not for the first time, railst on so wildly, acted, be sure of it, from the sense of duty; a mistaken one, in my opinion, doubtless; still—" "Say no more, sir," interrupted Mason. "We differ in opinion upon the subject. And now, gentlemen, farewell. I wished to see you, sir, before

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I left this country forever, to thank you for your kind, though fruitless exertions. Mr. Friend has promised to be steward for poor Willy of all I can remit for his use. Farewell! God bless you both!" He was gone!

War son afterwards broke out with the United States of America and Mr. Friend discovered that one of the most active and daring officers in the Republican navy was Henry Mason, who had entered the American service in the maiden name of his wife; and that the large sums he had remitted from time to time for the use of Willy were the produce of his successful depredations on British commerce. The instant Mr. Friend made the discovery, he refused to pollute his hands with money so obtained, and declined all further agency in the matter. Mason, however, contrived to remit through some other channel to the Davies's, with whom the boy had been placed; and a rapid improvement in their circumstances was soon visible. These reminiscences ceased about the middle of 1874; and a twelvemonth after the peace of America, we ascertained that Henry Mason had been killed in the battle on Lake Champlain, where he had distinguished himself, as everywhere else, by the reckless daring and furious hate with which he fought against the country which, in his unreasonable frenzy, he accused of the murder of his wife. He was recognized by one of his former messmates in the "Active," who, conveyed a prisoner on board the American commander Macdonough's ship, recognized him as he lay stretched on the deck, in the uniform of an American naval officer; his countenance, even in death, wearing the same stormful expression which it assumed on the day that his beloved Esther perished on the scaffold.

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"It is a brief in an action of ejectment," replied the attorney—"Woodley versus Thornydyke; and is brought to recover possession of a freehold estate now held and farmed by the defendant."

"An action of ejectment to recover possession of a freehold estate! defended, too, I know, by a powerful bar; for I was offered a brief, but declined it. Mr. P— leads; and you bring me this for the plaintiff, and at the last moment too! You must be crazed."

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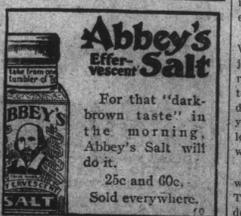
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father," rejoined Mr. Barnes, "that it was too late to bespeak counsel's attention to the case; and that the fee all they have, with much difficulty been able to raise, was ridiculously small; but they insisted on my applying to you—Oh, here they are!"

"We had by this time reached the street, and the attorney pointed towards two figures standing in attitudes of anxious suspense near the gateway. It was dusk, but there was quite sufficient light to distinguish the pale and interesting features of a young female, dressed in faded and scanty mourning, and accompanied by a respectable-looking old man with white hair, and a countenance deeply furrowed by age and grief.

"I told you, Miss Woodley," said the attorney, "that this gentleman would



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decline the brief, especially with such a fee as not the fee, man!" I observed, for I was somewhat moved by the appalling dejection exhibited by the white-haired man and his timid granddaughter; "but what chance can I have of establishing this person's right—if right she have—to the estate she claims, thus suddenly called upon to act without previous consultation; and utterly ignorant, except as far as this I perceive hastily-scrawled brief will instruct me, both of the nature of the plaintiff's claim and of the defence intended to be set up against it?"

"If you would undertake it, sir," said the young woman with a tremulous, hesitating voice and glistening eyes, "for his sake"—and she glanced at her aged companion—"who will else be helpless, homeless."

"The blessing of those who are ready to perish will be yours, sir," said the grandfather with meek solemnity, "if you will lend your aid in this work of justice and mercy. We have no hope of withstanding the masterful violence and wrong of wicked and powerful men except by the aid of the law, which we have been taught will ever prove a tower of defence to those who walk in the paths of peace and right."

The earnestness of the old man's language and manner, and the pleading gentleness of the young woman, forcibly impressed me; and, albeit, it was a somewhat unprofessional mode of business, I determined to hear their story from their own lips, rather than take it from the scrawled brief, or through the verbal medium of their attorney.

"You have been truly taught," I answered; "and if really entitled to the property you claim, I know of no masterful men that in this land of England can hinder you from obtaining possession of it. Come to my hotel in about an hour and a-half from hence; I shall then have leisure to hear what you have to say. This fee," I added, taking the two guineas from the hand of the attorney, who still held the money ready for my acceptance, "you must permit me to return. It is too much for you to pay for losing your cause; and if I gain it—but mind I do not promise to take it into court unless I am thoroughly satisfied you have right and equity on your side—I shall expect a much heavier one. Mr. Barnes, I will see you, if you please, early in the morning." I then bowed, and hastened on.

Dinner was not ready when I arrived at the hotel; and during the short time I had to wait, I more than half repented of having had anything to do with this unfortunate suit. However, the pleadings of charity, the suggestions of human kindness, reassured their influence; and by the time my new clients arrived, which they did very punctually at the hour I had indicated, I had momentarily lost, and, thanks to mine host's excellent viands and generous wine, was, for a moment, in a very amiable and benevolent humor indeed.

Our conference was long, anxious, and unsatisfactory. I was obliged to send for Barnes before it concluded, in order to thoroughly ascertain the precise nature of the case intended to be set up for the defendant, and the evidence likely to be adduced in support of it. No ray of consolation or of hope came from that quarter. Still, the narrative I had just listened to, bearing as it did the impress of truth and sincerity in every sentence, strongly disposed me to believe that foul play had been practised by the other side; and I determined, at all hazards, to go into court, though with but faint hope indeed of a present successful issue.

"It appears more than probable," I remarked on dismissing my clients, "that this will be a fabrication; but before such a question had been put in issue before a jury, some producible evidence of its being so should have been sought for and obtained. As it is, I can only watch the defendant's proof of the genuineness of the instrument upon which he has obtained probate; one or more of the attesting witnesses may, if fraud has been practised, break down under a searching cross-examination, or incidentally perhaps disclose matter for further investigation."

"One of the attesting witnesses is, as I have already told you, dead," observed Barnes; "and another, Elizabeth Wareing, has, I hear, to-day left the country. An affidavit to that effect will no doubt be made to-morrow, in order to enable them to give secondary evidence of her attestation, though, swear as they may, I have not the slightest doubt I could find her if time were allowed, and her presence would at all avail us."

"Indeed! This is very important. Would you, Mr. Barnes, have any objection," I added, after a few moments' reflection, "to make oath, should the turn of affairs to-morrow render your doing so desirable, of your belief that you could, reasonable time being allowed, procure the attendance of this woman—this Elizabeth Wareing?"

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he cultivated with great diligence and success. The issue of this marriage—a very happy one I was informed—was Mary Woodley, the plaintiff in the present action. Mr. Woodley, who had now been dead something more than two years, bequeathed the whole of his property, real and personal, to his wife, in full confidence, as he expressed himself but a few hours before he expired, that she would amply provide for his and her child. The

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"Tell me what a man reads and I will tell you what he is."
"Tell me what a man waits and I will tell you what he is."
"I have a new one to add:
"Tell me how a man waits and I will tell you what he is."
Did it ever occur to you how many ways there are of waiting and how very expressive of character they are?
There is the man who, when he is waiting for a car which he knows will come at a certain time, will rush out into the middle of the street or to a vantage point across the road, a half dozen times in the space of ten minutes in the hope of seeing it coming.
Can't you imagine just what this man would be like in business, and in the business of living—just how unable to do a thing and then let it alone, just how unable to get and then wait for the passage of time to ripen his act into results?
Then there is the man who, while he waits, asks half a dozen people when his car is due. Can't you paint from that his tendency to suspicion and unbelief?
Then there is the man who, while he waits for the dinner he has ordered, drums upon the table with his hand, takes up his fork and lays it down, then drums on the table again. If he is waiting for a car he paces up and down up and down, up and down, for all the world like the poor panther in

the zoo, until the people about him catch the contagion of his nervousness and become restless too. Don't you know just what kind of a man he is at home, just how nervous, how impatient, how easily worried, how quick to fly off the handle?
And then there is the man who finds out when his car is due and then simply folds his arms and waits. He knows that no antics of his can hurry the passage of time and he indulges in none.
He is master of himself, captain of all his forces, and when he has given himself the command to wait he expects unquestioning obedience.
Can't you get the whole man from that? Can't you realize the reserve force, the control, the power in leash, in his character?
Waiting is the hardest thing most of us ever have to do. Everyone knows that. And he who does it well is one of the greatest self conquerors.
Do you remember what that great poet, whose blindness transformed a life of passionate activity into a blank of eternal waiting, said about waiting?
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Near-seal is a favorite fur for shoulder scarfs and hats.
Many of the narrow skirts appear taper from hip to ankle.
Froth dressy street frock velvet seems to hold the sceptre.
Raccoon is one of the most fashionable of the season's furs.
Eringes of gold, silver, jet crystal and silk are much in evidence.
A few bolero effects have been noticed within the last few weeks.
Evening coats maintain the narrow silhouette of the earlier models.
Fur plays a large role in trimming little turbans and large shawls.
For evening gowns the "fish-tail" train is one of the newest cries.
Black velvet, velveteen, corduroy and velour are seen everywhere.
Brocades are glorying in a revival for the evening wraps and gowns.
Men's neckties and socks come from Paris in knitted silk effects to match.
A majority of the coats, whether long or short, have collars of jony hair fur.
The fashion of attaching the waist and skirt in one piece effect still obtains.
Coats are made in every material from rough tweeds and chevilles to satins.
Butterflies of white kid are made over wire and are placed at the side of a large hat.
The rope girdle is a favorite, and outlines the high waist line of many a chiffon frock.
Milady's skating costume almost invariably includes an angora jacket like a man's sweater.
Trimnings of white, black and colored beads have taken a firm hold on the feminine fancy.
Metallic laces and trimmings are most effectively used to lighten the corsage of a dark gown.
Girdles are made of draped satin, heavy lace, embroidery, fancy metal braid, beads or heavy cords.
Many handsome reception and calling frocks of velvet are trimmed with combinations of fur and lace.
Remarkably lovely are the insertions, motifs and garnitures of clear crystal, inset with baroque pearls.
A charming ribbon has a back ground of white silk covered with a small tapestry design in dull colors.
"Sparkle" embroidery is made from colored spangles and sequins and is used effectively on black velvet or net.
Silk and satin flowers, each petal edged with beads, are used on the crown and under the brim of an evening hat.

S. A. Christmas Dinner

Colonel Rees acknowledges with thanks the undermentioned subscriptions towards the Christmas dinner for the poor of St. John's. It is only one week before we shall be once again enjoying the pleasures of this festive season, and undoubtedly our joy will be increased by the knowledge that our poorest citizens will partake of a share of these pleasures through this excellent, Christian effort of the Salvation Army, assisted by the voluntary offerings of many of the citizens of St. John's. Don't lose the joy of helping to make glad these seventeen or eighteen hundred poor men, women and children which Colonel Rees is arranging to provide with a good dinner on Christmas Day. All subscriptions sent to 29 Springdale Street will be duly acknowledged in the newspapers.

- Percie Johnson \$2.00
- T. Smallwood 2.00
- A. Friend 1.00
- J. Sparks 1.00
- Alan Goodridge & Sons 10.00
- Horwood Lumber Co. 2.00
- W. H. Warren 2.00
- E. M. MacLean 1.00
- Sympathy 5.00
- John R. Bennett, M.H.A. 2.00
- Butler and MacDonald 5.00
- James Halliday, 1/2 barrel potatoes, 1/2 barrel turnips.

Pianos. We have made quite a number of homes happy lately. Follow suit and invest in a Koster or Tonk Piano before Xmas. Special rates. CHESELEY WOODS—dec12/11

Municipal Council.

The Mayor and a full Board attended last night's meeting.
A letter was received from Messrs. Howley & Herder asking that the Council consider the claim of Mr. Thomas Kent for money due on a contract performed for the Council several years ago.
A letter was received from T. J. Allan, Secretary of the Longshoremen's Union, asking that the Council allow the sanitary staff ten minutes' grace when they go to work at midnight.
J. J. Neville, Secretary of the Truckmen's Union, complained that the salt thrown on the street on truck was very injurious to the feet of horses. He suggested that one truck only be used during the winter. Enquiry will be made into the subject.

Mr. Morison wrote informing the Council that he had evidence that the wall at the rear of St. Andrew's Church had been built by the Government in 1892.

Permission was given to E. H. & G. Davey to erect a platform scale and to extend their sidewalk.
The plan of house on Merry Meeting Road sent in by Mr. Elsiea Burton was approved; also the plan of proposed Marine Training School for Parade Street sent in by Mr. W. T. Penny.

In reference to the proposed new street from Springdale Street to Patrick Street, the Engineer reported that a survey would have first to be made.
The committee appointed to investigate Mr. Lester's complaint re horse taxes reported that he had been overcharged to the extent of \$21. Reform will be made in the system of collecting horse taxes.
Plans of offices in the new acquired City Hall (Seaman's Home) were discussed with Architect Butler at considerable length before the meeting closed.

Makes Stomach Trouble Vanish.

No Indigestion, Heartburn, Gas or Dyspepsia five minutes later.
Why not get some now—this moment and forever rid yourself of Stomach trouble and Indigestion? A dieted stomach gets the blues and grumbles. Give it a good eat, then take Pape's Diapepsin to start the digestive juices working. There will be no dyspepsia or belching of Gas or eructations of undigested food; no feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach or heartburn, sick headache and Dizziness, and your food will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors.
Pape's Diapepsin costs only 50 cents for a large case at any drug store here, and will relieve the most obstinate case of Indigestion and Upset Stomach in five minutes.
There is nothing else better to take Gas from Stomach and cleanse the stomach and intestines, and, besides one single dose will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all your food the same as a sound, healthy stomach would do it.
When Diapepsin works, your stomach rests—gets itself in order, cleans up—and then you feel like eating when you come to the table, and what you eat will do you good.
Absolute relief from all Stomach Misery is waiting for you as soon as you decide to take a little Diapepsin. Tell your druggist that you want Pape's Diapepsin, because you want to become thoroughly cured this time.
Remember, if your stomach feels out-of-order and uncomfortable now you can get relief in five minutes.

IS DOING WELL.—Seaman Bjorn, of the Benedek, who was stabbed by the Spaniard Diaz on the ship Monday night, is doing very well, and now there are great hopes that he will ultimately recover. The man has a very strong constitution and this is a good thing for him at this juncture.

REID NEWFOUNDLAND CO'Y.

The REID NEWFOUNDLAND COMPANY'S Railway and Steamship System, being equipped with all Modern conveniences, affords its patrons the most

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PLACENTIA BAY—S. S. ARGYLE.

LEAVES PLACENTIA EVERY THURSDAY FOR PORTS MARKED AND EVERY MONDAY FOR PORTS MARKED—

Calls at oFox Harbor, oShip Harbor, oRed Island, oRum Island, oRose-au-Rue, oMussel Harbor Arm, oHarbor Buffett, oHaystack, oBrute, oNorth Harbor, oSound Island, oWoody Island, oBaron's Island, oTack's Beach, oBurgoyne, oSt. Leonard's, oLafite Harbor, oLafite Vale, oMersheep, oPresque, oSt. Kyril's, oParadise, oPetit-Forde, oSt. Joseph's, oOderin, oBaine Harbor, oFlat Island, oMary's Town, oSpanish Room, oFox Cove, oBurin, oGreat Burin, oEpworth, oSt. Lawrence, oLawn, oLord's Cove, oLamaline.

NOTRE DAME BAY—S. S. CLYDE.

LEAVES LEWISPORT EVERY MONDAY FOR PORTS MARKED AND EVERY FRIDAY FOR PORTS MARKED—

Calls at oCampbellton, oKite Cove, oBotwood, oExploits, oMoreton's Harbor, oTizzard's Harbor, oWillington, oHerring Neck, oChange Islands, oFogo, oBeaver Cove, oDog Bay, oExploits, oFortune Harbor, oNew Bay Head, oLeading Tickle, oTriton, oPilly's Island, oSpringdale, oBoat Harbor, oWard's Harbor, oLush's Bight, oWellman's Cove, oLittle Bay Islands, oLittle Bay, oRattling Brook, oThree Arms, oJackson's Cove, oSouth West Arm, oNorth West Arm, oNipper's Harbor, oSaook's Arm, oTilt Cove, oShoe Cove.

BONAVISTA BAY—S. S. DUNDEE.

LEAVES PORT BLANDFORD EVERY MONDAY AND FRIDAY.

Calls at Charlotteville, Duny's Cove, James' Town, Brooklyn, Musgraveville, Sweet Bay, Southern Bay, Indian Arm, Plate Cove, Open Hall, King's Cove, Keels, Bonavista, Salvage, Flat Islands, St. Brendan's, Gooseberry Island, Fair Island, Greenspond, Pool's Island, Wesleyville.

TRINITY BAY—S. S. ETHIE.

LEAVES CLARENVILLE EVERY MONDAY AND FRIDAY, AND CARBONEAR EVERY TUESDAY AND SATURDAY.

Calls at Fox Harbor, Deer Harbor, Lady's Cove, Thoroughfare, Hant's Harbor, British Harbor, Middle Rocky Brook, Bay-de-Verde, Western Bay, Scilly Cove, Heart's Content, Trinity, Ireland's Eye, Britannia Cove, Catalina, Hickman's Harbor, Old Perlikan, Northern Bay, Carbonear, New Bonaventure, Salmon Cove.

PLACENTIA to PORT-AUX-BASQUES—S. S. GLENCOE.

LEAVES PLACENTIA EVERY WEDNESDAY AND PORT-AUX-BASQUES EVERY SUNDAY.
Calls at Placentia, Burin, St. Lawrence, Fortune, Grand Bank, Belleoram, St. Jacques, Harbor Breton, Hermitage, Pushthrough, Balaie, Rencontre, Reuben's Harbor, Ramea, Burgeo, Grand Brail, LaPoule, Dablin Cove, Rose Blanche, Burnt Island, Port-aux-Basques.

BAY OF ISLANDS to BATTLE HARBOR—S. S. HOME.

LEAVES BAY OF ISLANDS EVERY WEDNESDAY.

Calls at Bay of Islands, Birchey Cove, York Harbor, Lark Harbor, Trout River, Boanac Bay, Rocky Harbor, Cow Head, Parsons' Pond, Daniel's Harbor, Port Saunders, Hawk's Harbor, Old Port-au-Choix, Bartlett's Harbor, Brig Bay, Current Island, Salmon River, Bonne Esperance, Isle-au-Bois, Blanc Sablon, Bradore, Flower's Cove, Foreau, Lance-au-Loup, West St. Modiste, Red Bay, Henley Harbor, Chateau, Chimney Tickle, Cape Charles, Battle Harbor.

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| *Waterford Bridge. | *Tickle Harbor, *Rantern. | Grand Falls. |
| *Mount Pearl. | *LeManche. | *Rushy Pond. |
| *Kane's Valley. | *LeManche Siding. | *Badger Brook. |
| *Dunovon's. | *Arnold's Cove. | *Lake Bond. |
| *Topnail. | *Come-By-Chance Siding. | *Millertown Junction. |
| *Manuels. | *Come-By-Chance. | *Patrick's Brook. |
| *Talcville. | *Glenview. | *West Brook. |
| *Fox Trap "Y." | *Mercer's Mill. | *Quarry. |
| *Kelligrews. | *Seward's Mill. | *Kitty's Brook. |
| *Upper Gullies. | *Goobie's. | *Howley. |
| *Scal Cove. | *Northern Bight. | *Grand Lake. |
| *Duff's. | *Tunnel. | *Deer Lake. |
| *Hillside. | *Bursey's. | *Little Harbor. |
| *Brigh's. | *56th Mile. | *South Brook. |
| *Holyrood. | *Dark Hole. | *Steady Brook. |
| *Woodford's. | *Clareville. | *Bay of Islands. |
| *Ayndale. | *Shoal Harbor. | *Corner Brook. |
| *Brigus Junction. | *Clench's Mill. | *Fisher's. |
| BRIGUS BRANCH. | *Wiseman's. | *Birchey Cove. |
| *Brigus. | *Tuck's. | *Cook's Brook. |
| *Cupids. | *Thorburn Lake. | *Howard's. |
| *Hueville. | *Pelley's. | *Spruce Brook. |
| *Clarke's Beach. | *S. W. Bridge. | *Chrome Point Junction. |
| *Bay Roberts. | *Port Blandford. | *North Brook. |
| *Spaniard's Bay. | *Terra Nova, "Y." | *Harry's Brook. |
| *Titton. | *Terra Nova. | *Black Duck. |
| *Harbor Grace. | *Macceles. | *Stephenville. |
| *Mosquito. | *Alexander Bay. | *Main River. |
| *Carbonear. | *N. W. Brook. | *St. George's. |
| MAIN LINE. | *Grant's. | *Flat Bay. |
| *Maher's. | *Gambo. | *Bank Head. |
| *Bishop's Siding. | *Butt's Pond. | *Fischell's Siding. |
| *Hodgewater. | *Benton. | *Fischell's. |
| *Ocean Pond. | *Union. | *Rattling Brook. |
| *Whitbourne. | *Whitman's. | *Robinson's. |
| *Spread Eagle. | *Cobb's Camp, *Appleton. | *Cartyville. |
| PLACENTIA BRANCH. | *Glenwood Tank. | *Jeffrey's. |
| *Blaketown. | *Glenwood. | *Crabbes. |
| *Broad Cove, *Grove. | *Indian Arm. | *North Brook. |
| PLACENTIA BRANCH. | *Notre Dame Junction. | *South Branch. |
| *Kennedy's Siding. | BURNT BAY POINT. | *Overfall. |
| *Villie Maria. | Lewisport. | *Doyle's. |
| *Dunville. | MAIN LINE. | *Little River. |
| PLACENTIA. | *Norris Arm. | *Wreck House. |
| *Long Harbor. | *Jumper's Brook. | *Red Rocks. |
| *Camp 4. | *Bishop's Falls. | *Cape Ray. |
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- FANCY BOXES OF CHOCOLATES FROM 18c. TO \$1.50 EACH.
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| CLEANED CURRANTS . . . 7c. lb. | LOOSE CURRANTS . . . 6c. lb. |
| SEEDED RAISINS . . . 12c. pckt. | ORANGE PEEL . . . 14c. 7 1/2 |
| LEMON PEEL . . . 14c. lb. | CITRUS . . . 15c. lb. |
| VALENCIA RAISINS . . . 10c. lb. | CHOICE CANNED FRUITS . . . 20c. tin |
| ESSENCES . . . 8c. to 70c. bot. | ICING SUGAR . . . 10c. lb. |
| LARGE BOTTLES FRUIT . . . 30c. bot. | BAKING POWDER . . . 17c. lb. tin |
- BEST SELECTED RAISINS, 25c. lb.—THIS YEAR'S STOCK.
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| ISINGLASS . . . 14c. pckt. | GELATINE . . . 10 and 12c. pckt. |
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| DRIED HERBS . . . 7c. tin | BOMBAY CHUTNEY . . . 20c. bot. |
| FRENCH TINNED PEAS . . . 9c. tin | EVAPORATED APRICOTS . . . 17c. lb. |
| GRAPES . . . 18c. lb. | CANADIAN CHEESE . . . 19c. lb. |
- KOPS ASSORTED NON-ALCOHOLIC WINES, 25c. BOTTLE.
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| HUNTER'S YORK CUT HAMS, 30c. lb. | EDAM CHEESE . . . \$1.00 each |
| HARRIS' WILTSHIRE BACON, 40c. lb. | ENGLISH CHEDDAR CHEESE, 30c. lb. |
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| ALMOND NUTS, HAZEL NUTS, | WALNUTS, BRAZIL NUTS. |
| CHOICEST MINCED MEAT. | In this . . . 30c. tin |
- PLAIN POUND CAKE, CHECKERBOARD CAKE.
- with Almond Paste.
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| FRUIT POUND CAKE, | SELTANA CAKE. |
| 4 lb. SELTANA CAKES, | 1 lb. CITRUS CAKES. |
| 1 lb. PLAIN POUND CAKES, | 2 lb. FRUIT CAKES. |
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We are exhibiting an immense range of Beautiful Framed Pictures, imported specially for the holiday trade. The assortment is a large one, both in Subjects and Frames. One would make an ideal Christmas Gift.

Prices, 60c. to \$7.30 pair.

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Large assortment of Bamboo Easels, in an immense range of designs.

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Fancy Quartered Surface and Straight Oak Morris Chairs, double side Cushions upholstered in velor and cut plush, assorted colors.

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English folding chairs, upholstered in Tapestries and silvelts, nice for bedroom.

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Fancy Quartered Oak Rockers, from

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This is a department abounding in GIFT SUGGESTIONS for Ladies or Gentlemen. We are showing an immense variety of useful articles, priced to meet the average purse rather than the extreme.

HAND BAGS, all styles and all prices. In PURSES, you can choose from a wide scope of prices. Other suggestions are WALLETs, Card Cases, Albums, Manicure Sets, Dressing Cases, Handkerchief Collar and Cuff Boxes, Etc.



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Santa Claus arrived last week and brought a tremendous assortment of Toys with him. He wants all the boys and girls to come and see him at the Royal Stores.

- Dolls, Shipping Ropes,
 - Drums, Swords, Trains,
 - Bugles, Ships, Jack-in-the-Box,
 - Horses, Horses and Carts,
 - Slides, Skates, Pop Guns,
 - Teddy Bears, Steamers,
 - Sewing Machines, Soldiers,
 - Loop-the-Loop, Scales, Rattles,
 - Doll Cradles, Washing Sets,
 - Pianos, Noah's Arks,
 - Skittles, Furniture Sets,
 - Spin Tops, Horns, Sheep,
 - Yachts, Elephants, Rifles,
 - Christmas Trees, Etc.
- In fact everything for the Children.

Bring the Children often.

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For a stimulating, sustaining, and warming Winter Cup (a certain preventative of colds) or a soothing Nightcap, put a wineglassful into a tumbler and fill up with hot water. For a cooling and refreshing Summer drink, add a plain, Cold, Aerated or Soda Water. Can be had in flavors of Ginger, Peppermint and Raspberry. Reputed quart bottle, 35c. each.

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A RING, BROOCH, BRACELET, PENDANT, NECKLET, WORK SET, MANICURE SET, BRUSH AND MIRROR, DRESSING CASE, CARD CASE, BELT, MESH BAG.



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 TIE PINS 50c. to \$14.00
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 SIGNET RINGS \$3.00 to \$7.00
 BLOUSE SETS \$1.80 to \$4.50
 LORGNETTE CHAINS \$5.00 to \$40.00
 BEAUTY PINS (pair) 50c. to \$2.00
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DULEY'S FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

OUR CHRISTMAS STOCK, this season, is a marvel of beauty and elegance, its new features are innumerable, and its variety almost unlimited. We are showing a stock that will meet the wants of everybody. High priced presents, low priced presents, useful, ornamental, practical and pretty; we offer the advantage of selection that can only be found in a very extensive showing of Christmas Goods. In this advertisement we give a condensed list of some of the suggestions we have to offer. Don't be content with just READING this list, but COME AND SEE the beautiful goods we have in JEWELLERY, SILVER WARE, TOILET WARE, LEATHER, SILVER PLATED WARE, WALKING STICKS, UMBRELLAS, FOUNTAIN PENS, BRONZES, CUT GLASS.



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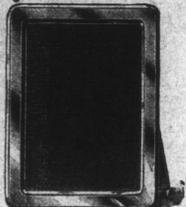
- Hair Brushes \$2.50 to \$10.00
- Hair Pin Rollers 60c. to \$2.00
- Salts Bottles 75c. to \$3.50
- Clocks \$5.50 to \$12.00
- Pemades 60c. to \$2.00
- Trinket Boxes \$1.50 to \$17.50
- Hat Pin Stands \$1.75 to \$6.50
- Pin Cushions 50c. to \$3.00
- Manicure Sets, in cases \$5.00 to \$22.50
- Jewel Cases \$3.25 to \$6.00
- Cloth and Hat Brushes \$2.50 to \$5.00
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- Hair Tides \$1.80 to \$3.00
- Manicure Files and Scissors 70c. to \$3.00
- Button Hooks 75c. to \$2.00
- Shoe Horns \$1.00 to \$4.00
- Pin Trays \$1.75 to \$7.50
- Perfume Bottles \$1.25 to \$15.00
- Hair Pin Jars \$1.25 to \$15.00
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LEATHER GOODS.

- Purses \$2.00 to \$6.00
- Card Cases \$1.25 to \$5.00
- Jewel Cases \$4.00 to \$11.00
- Dressing Cases \$4.00 to \$16.00
- Glove & Hank Cases \$4.00 to \$7.50
- Hand Bags \$2.00 to \$12.50
- Belts \$1.40 to \$10.50
- Cigarette Cases \$1.75 to \$4.50
- Cigar Cases \$3.75 to \$6.00
- Pouches \$1.00 to \$6.00
- Pocket Books \$1.75 to \$4.00
- Bridge Scorers \$2.50 to \$5.50
- Military Brushes \$3.25 to \$6.00
- Collar Boxes \$3.75
- Post Hastes \$2.00 to \$2.50
- Pipes \$2.50 to \$7.50
- Umbrellas \$2.25 to \$6.00
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- Thermos Bottles \$3.50 to \$5.50
- Fountain Pens \$2.50 to \$7.50

A piece of Sparked Cut Glass makes a dainty gift.



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- Tobacco Boxes \$7.50 to \$12.50
- Cigarette Cases \$6.50 to \$10.00
- Cigarette Holders \$1.75 to \$4.00
- Shaving Brushes \$1.75 to \$4.00
- Ink Bottles \$1.00 to \$15.00
- Military Brushes \$6.50 to \$16.00
- Cloth Brushes \$2.50 to \$5.00
- Pen Holders \$1.25 to \$2.00
- Pen Wipers 75c. to \$1.25
- Pocket Knives \$2.00
- Pocket Fruit Knives \$1.25 to \$2.25
- Pocket Manicure Files \$1.75
- Tooth Picks 90c. to \$1.50
- Book Marks \$1.00
- Bridge Sets \$6.25 to \$7.50
- Ash Trays \$1.75
- Match Globes \$1.00 to \$2.00
- Paper Knives \$1.00 to \$4.00
- Pencils 40c. to \$2.00
- Erasers 90c. to \$1.50
- Flasks \$7.50 to \$16.00
- Cigarette Boxes \$10.00 to \$22.00
- 400-Day Clocks \$12.50 to \$22.50

Something For a Gentleman.



CUFF LINKS, CIGARETTE CASES, CIGAR CASES, NOTE B WATCH FONGS, SIGNET RINGS, VEST BUTTONS, TIE PINS, SET OF STUDS, MILITARY BRUSHES, BILL FOLDS, POUCHES, PIPES.

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- Signet Rings \$4.00 to \$12.00
- Vest Buttons \$4.00 to \$7.00
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Harbor Grace Notes.

Doctors W. E. and Ainley Thompson, sons of W. H. Thompson Esq., spent a couple of days this week here among their old friends. The visit was no doubt much enjoyed.

Mr. E. Simmons has a large shipment of oats just arrived by schooner Arabian.

Miss Minnie Tetford, daughter of Mr. Robert Tetford, arrived from Montreal on Saturday last and will remain a couple of months with her parents. On returning to Montreal Miss Tetford will be united in marriage to a young gentleman of that place.

Mr. Williams, of the U. T. E. Co., was in town a day or so arranging to install telephones for parties who are anxious to have the benefit of the service.

The closing of Victoria St. School for the Christmas holidays will be an interesting occasion. The kindergarten class of Miss Trapnell is assisting the pupils of Miss Wallace and a very pretty programme has been arranged. We were a "mouse in the wall" at practice one evening, and feel sure that a most enjoyable hour will be spent by those who attend on Friday afternoon next, commencing at 3 o'clock. Miss Wallace and Miss Trapnell have worked hard, and the children will take their parts well.

The free rain this morning for a time seemed inclined to take away all the snow and leave us a green Christmas.

CORRESPONDENT.
 Harbor Grace, Dec. 16, '10.

Getting Bankers Ready

Next year promises to be an enterprising one in the banking world and already vessels are being put in readiness on the S. W. coast to go to the grounds off Ramona and Burgeo & LaPelle. An early start will be made this season and the vanguard of the fleet will start in February. Crews are already being engaged and most of them will go as sharemen, as next year there will be good money in selling green fish to the Americans (Capt. Walter Kennedy's new vessel, it is thought, will be the first to go on the ground).

Obtain a bottle of Stafford's Ginger Wine for Xmas.—dec.5,11.

GOOD CATCHES—Those fishermen at Portugal Cove who have their nets set out are getting from a half to a barrel of herring every morning.

Have you seen those Enamelled Vest Buttons at TRAPNELL'S? Just the thing for your gentleman friend this Xmas.—dec.13,11.

WILL ATTEND SERVICE.—The Methodist Guards will attend service at Gower Street Church to-morrow morning. It is anniversary Sunday of the Sunday School.

One 10c. bottle of Essence of Ginger Wine, (Stafford's) makes 1/2 gallon.—dec.6,11.

MASTER'S CERTIFICATE—Enoch Falk who has been sailing from St. John's on foreign voyages the past four years, was awarded a master's certificate this week.

PRIZE DAYS.—The pupils attending Bishop Spencer College will have their Christmas vacation on Tuesday next, and those attending Bishop Field College on Wednesday next.

A charming Xmas Gift for your lady friend would be one of those pretty little Waltham Watches in Silver, Gold Filled or Solid Gold Cases. Just see the beautiful assortment at TRAPNELL'S, ranging in price from \$12.00 to \$50.00.—dec.13,11.

CARD TOURNAMENT.—About 100 players took part in the tournament held in the Central Amusement Club rooms last night. The prizes were won by P. Power, W. J. Butler, J. Murphy and S. Tilley.

STORM DELAYS SHIPPING.—The big gale of N. W. wind which blew last evening and night prevented the s.s. Benedek from putting to sea. She swung into the stream yesterday morning and remained there until the storm abated, sailing to-day for Sydney. The schr. Lady Napier and the Inga, now both ready for Brazil, were also held up by the storm.

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Here and There.

TYPHOID AND SCARLET.—At the present time there are five cases of scarlet fever and five of typhoid in the hospital. There are also being treated at home eight of scarlet and one of typhoid.

"GOSPEL MISSION."—An Evangelistic Service will be held in the Odd-fellow's Hall, over the Bank of Nova Scotia, to-morrow afternoon. The meeting will start at 2.45. Be on time. Invite a friend to come with you. All are welcome. Books free.—dec.17,11.

A CARD TOURNEY.—A card tournament was held last night at the C. E. I. rooms in which about 50 players took part. A fine turkey was put up as a prize and won by Mr. James Gould. A series of weekly tournaments will be held during the winter.

TAKES VALUABLE CARGO.—The barque Cordelia cleared from Bowring Bros. to-day for Pernambuco, taking approximately 15,000 packages of fish, which at the present enhanced rate increases its value, so that the cargo is worth about \$90,000. This is one of the most valuable cargoes of the staple that ever left this port in a sailing vessel.

THEFT FROM SCHOONER.—Thieves seem to still have designs on the waterfront, and Wednesday past one of them watching his opportunity and seeing that the crew had gone ashore from Mr. John Linehan's craft, boarded the vessel; ransacked the cabin and stole goods and clothing to the value of \$10. The police are at work on the case.

FOGOTA'S BIG FREIGHT.—The s.s. Fogota, sailed for the northward this morning taking one of the largest cargoes ever put on board the ship, consisting mostly of Christmas goods. She took these additional passengers: Jos. Hall, Geo. Hann, Jno. Winsor, Dr. Whiteway, J. Day, E. Bursey, J. Fenelon, Levi March, Weston March, Lewis Weeks, H. Hall and 50 stevedores.

MADE GOOD WAGES.—Yesterday the crew of Capt. Chas. Blackwood, of Brookfield, B.B., who prosecuted the fishery at the Labrador the past season, were paid off at the office of Jas. Baird, Ltd. They had to their credit \$48,000. The crew of the schooner Hann shared \$137.50 each. Capt. C. Hann's crew of the schr. Emma W. Brown, also made good wages.

FEAR THEY ARE DEAD.—The names of the three men who are missing from Greenspond are Jacob White and two brothers named Barry. They are now absent from home over three weeks, and people from Gambo, who recently arrived here, say that they had not been seen in that section. The weather has been very stormy since they left, and it is feared that they lost their way, became exhausted and succumbed.

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HANDSOME CALENDAR.—We thank Mr. W. A. Munn for a handsome calendar of the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., Ltd. It contains a pretty colored picture of the King.

A Sterling Silver Photo Frame makes an acceptable gift for anybody. Go to TRAPNELL'S for choice selection.—dec.13,11.

VERY DANGEROUS WALKING.—After the rain of last evening, and when the frost set in properly last night, the streets became ice-covered and pedestrians had to be careful in getting over them. Such steep places as Barter's Hill, Carter's Hill, Holloway Street and Victoria Street were simply impassable. It would be a good idea if the Council would again put some slag on such thoroughfares. Last winter this saved many a person from serious mishap.

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For three hours the surgeon worked on the man as he lay on the operating table.

"It's all over; he will live," announced the surgeon when the work had been finished. "But I am feeling badly. I must lie down," he added in a moment.

On his way to a rest room the surgeon gave a gasp, threw up his hands and fell dead to the floor. Heart disease was given as the cause of his death.

OPPELT DEPOSITS \$200.—Otto Oppelt to-day deposited \$200 forfeit money, with the Bank of Nova Scotia, as an earnest to wrestle Young Olsen on conditions to be arranged between them at a meeting to be held on Monday night next.

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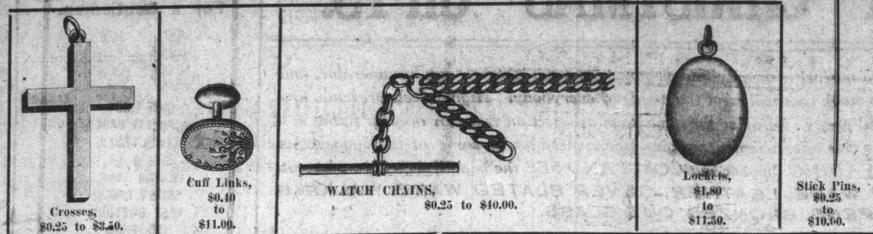
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