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By order
ERNEST A. PAYN, Secretary.
dec 9, 11

Presentation Convent Association.
The Regular Monthly Meeting of the above Association will be held in the Schoolroom, Cathedral Square, on to-morrow, Sunday, Dec. 10th, at 3.30 p.m.
ROSE THOMAS, Secretary.
dec 9, 11

St. Bon's Association.
Tickets for the Dinner to be held Tuesday night at Smithville may be procured from the Royal Stationery Co.—dec 9, 21

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CHAPTER X.

"Claude," continued Barbara, laying her hand gently upon his arm, "I tell you whom you love best in the world. It is that fair young girl you met in Brynmar woods, Hilda Hutton. You love her as you never have—never can love another."

"I should never have said so," replied Lord Bayneham sorrowfully. "I know it," said Barbara, "you would have married me and tried to forget her. I prefer making the sacrifice myself, Claude. It would be useless," she continued, "for me to affect that I do not love you. As long as I can remember you have been all the world to me. The strength and depth of my love will be best proved by what I am going to do. Your welfare and happiness are dearer to me than my own; therefore, I release you from your promise—from all the ties that bind you to me; I give you your freedom. You are at full liberty to love and marry whom you will, and I do this because I love you and wish to see you happy."

"But, Barbara," remonstrated Lord Bayneham, "I would never have asked for this—I cannot consent."
 Even as he spoke Barbara saw a half flutter of joy in his face, and her own grew paler.
 "I know that," she said, "but do you think, Claude, I could marry you, knowing full well that you love another? It would be impossible," she continued, for he made no reply; "if you were to kneel and ask me to be your wife I would not. I do not blame you for loving her; she is a thousand times more fair than I; but loving her, could you be so unjust as to offer to marry me?"

"I wish I were dead," cried Lord Bayneham; "I wish I had died rather than have brought unhappiness to you, Barbara. I do love you, but in a different way."

"I shall be very unhappy for a little time," said Miss Earle sorrowfully; "but then I am a brave woman, and brave women have to live down sorrow. All my happiness will come from seeing you happy."

"You are a noble woman, Barbara," said Lord Bayneham. "You are as noble as you are true."
 He held both her hands in his, and for the first time his lips touched her brow, and Barbara grew deadly pale as he did so.

"Go now," she said gently, "and leave me to speak to Lady Bayneham."
 Claude turned away; he could not have spoken another word. She watched him with eyes that grew dim with tears. How quietly he had taken his dismissal! He had nothing to say. With joy and sorrow strangely



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mingled in his heart, Lord Bayneham did not then know the value of what he on that morning lost.

CHAPTER XI.

Deep in Lord Bayneham's heart there lingered a half feeling of regret for Barbara. Not that he loved her; he had never cared more for her than he did at this present time. Her true nobility of character struck him as it had not done before. He could not quite forget her words—so true, so free from all affection, so full of love for him. While they lingered that day in his ears he did not seek Hilda.

Barbara Earle was not one who did anything imperfectly. The rest of that day—the one on which she had given her lover his freedom—was spent in her own room. What it cost no one ever knew. Barbara shut herself up with her sorrow, and spoke not a word of it. The morning after, when she came down to breakfast, there was new beauty in her face, the beauty of calm, serene resolve; the storm had passed over, and all outward trace of it had disappeared.

"We are going to Mr. Seaton's to-day, aunt," she said to Lady Bayneham. "You said two o'clock, I think. Are we to call for Lady Hutton?"

"No," replied the countess, "we are to meet her at the studio. I hope Miss Hutton's portrait will be a success; she has an exquisite face; and, Barbara, remind me that we have to call at Storr & Mortimer's to see about the resetting of the diamonds. The Bayneham diamonds are considered among the finest in England; you must wear them on your wedding-day."

Barbara smiled, and had Lady Bayneham watched her attentively she would have seen the firm set of her lips as she smiled. Claude rose hastily; his face flushed deeply. The countess, serenely unconscious, continued her remarks.

"I should like to have your portrait, Barbara. Mr. Seaton is one of the first of living artists; we will speak to him about it to-day. We shall be side by side then in the great gallery."

Barbara made no reply. She was thinking of the fair young face that would be next to that of the stately lady before her, while she, Barbara Earle, would never be portrayed as one of that race. Claude walked un- easily up and down the room, longing to make an end of the painful scene, but not knowing how. At last, to his intense delight, Lady Bayneham rose and quitted the room, still serenely unconscious of all wrong.

"This is intolerable," he cried; "Barbara, I cannot forgive myself for allowing you to go through such a scene. My mother must be told at once."

Barbara raised her clear, dark eyes to his face, and though the warm tears shone brightly in them she smiled, and said bravely, "It could not be helped. Do not be vexed, Claude. I was wondering if diamonds looked so well with golden hair. And that reminds me that time is precious. Take a cousin's advice, and see Miss Hutton to-day. We may still call at Storr & Mortimer's, you know."

"But, Barbara," said Claude gently, "I think more of you than you do of yourself. I cannot bear to think of love or happiness while you are—" He stopped abruptly, not knowing quite what to say.

"While I am unhappy, you mean, I suppose," said Barbara half haughtily, yet with a smile of amusement. "How candid you are, Claude. Never fear for me. The past is all dead; its ghost will never haunt me. With all my heart I intend to help you, and when you marry Miss Hutton I shall stand by her side, for two reasons. One is that the sight of your happiness will more than repay me for any pain I may suffer; and the second is, that no one shall say Barbara Earle led like a love-sick schoolgirl. No one shall ever know the truth of this affair but you and I, Claude."

"The truth is," said her cousin with a smile, "that you have dismissed me. Your reasons for so doing concerns no one but yourself!"
 "I will speak to my aunt," said Bar-

bara; "she will take it better from me than from you. And now, Claude, go. I can see impatience in every line of your face. I venture to predict if you call you will find Miss Hutton at home."

For once Barbara was wrong. When Lord Bayneham reached Lady Hutton's he found both ladies absent, and was obliged to wait until two o'clock, when he intended to be at Mr. Seaton's. Nor was Barbara more fortunate. She made several efforts to obtain an interview with the countess, but on that particular morning her ladyship was unusually engaged, and when they left home Lady Bayneham was still in happy ignorance. Barbara knew her aunt too well to attempt any communication of that kind in an open carriage. She knew what the storm of anger would be.

"I should be better satisfied," said Mr. Seaton, as the group of ladies stood round his easel, "of Miss Hutton had the same bloom upon her face that she had when I first saw her. She looks pale—something like a drooping flower. Late hours and much dancing do not improve our fair and fashionable ladies."

Lady Hutton looked anxiously at her ward; then for the first time she noted how changed was the fair young face. There could be no mistake about it. Hilda might laugh and sing, but that look could only come from sorrow—sorrow too that had taken deep root. What could it be? Surely the child could not have fallen in love—she, so innocent, so fresh and pure, so untouched by the world, so utterly unconscious of all passion. Yet nothing but love could have stolen the bloom from that lovely face, and yet have left greater beauty in its place. When Mr. Seaton spoke a deep flush covered Hilda's face, and her eyes fell.

"The loss of a little color is easily remedied," said Barbara with a smile; "art can do anything where nature fails; there are plenty of blooming roses in that color-box, Mr. Seaton."

Lady Bayneham was busily engaged criticising Lady Diana Forecler's portrait.

"I call that a perfect work of art, Mr. Seaton," said her ladyship graciously; "without flattering Lady Diana you have brought out the chief beauties of her face. I should like my niece, Miss Earle, to have her portrait taken exactly in this style—it would suit her."

"Miss Earle's face is one of the few I should fear to undertake," said Mr. Seaton.

"Why?" asked Lady Bayneham in surprise.

"Because," replied the artist, "its beauty lies in the soul that shines through it. How can I reproduce that faithfully on canvas? It would not be a mere portrait, it would be what you have kindly called this, a work of art."
 "Then a work of art let it be," said Lady Bayneham, looking up with wonder at the artist's enthusiasm. "We have some magnificent portraits at Bayneham Castle, and this one—"
 (To be continued.)

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Pearl White's big picture "A VIRGIN PARADISE" which made such a hit the first three days of this week will be repeated on Saturday for the kiddies.

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plants, hotels, stores, theatres and other buildings were destroyed. According to Fire Chief E. B. Foster, the fire was out of control because it burned the pilings upon which the business section of the city was built. He attributed the disaster to failure to fill in the space between the pilings.

RUSSIA AGREES.
LAUSANNE, Dec. 9.—4:55 a.m. Even M. Tchitcherin, Bolshevik Foreign Minister, abandoned his previously extremely hostile attitude regarding the Dardanelles question at this afternoon's peaceful session of the Near Eastern Conference, and expressed approval of the Turkish proposals for regulation of the Straits with the reservation that he must see the actual words of the sections, covering the various points at issue before he could give full approval to them.

AUTOMOBILE TIRES.—We have a small shipment of Tires which will be sold at bargain prices. All new. Different sizes. Also 30 x 3 1/2. Tubes.—E. D. SPURRELL, 365 Water Street. sept15,oct17

Men Return From Deer Lake.

A STORY OF HARDSHIP AND PRIVATION.

Yesterday, Mr. J. Abbott a resident of the city called at our office to make a complaint of the hardship he and two companions, named Keough and Parsons endured as members of a working party at Cobb's Camp No. 366. It appears that the three men with others left here on Nov. 6th to work on the Humber. Over half the party returned to the city, and on Thursday week Abbott and his companions decided to quit. They were engaged cutting a right of way at Cobb's, and walked to Grand Lake for the purpose of getting their pay from Mr. Graham. As he had nothing to do with the payment, the men did not know what to do, so they put up in a disused shack and stayed there until the following Monday, in the meantime walking to Deer Lake, 10 miles distant, on three occasions.

During one of their trips they met Mr. McGrath of the Employment Bureau, and he told them that if they would get their time sheet signed, they would be paid at Grand Lake by Mr. Goodridge. On Saturday they secured their time sheets and on Monday they were paid. They were obliged to walk six miles to Howley to take the train for home. They were obliged to wait there three days and join the express on Wednesday. At Howley the men say the carpenters engaged there were very kind providing them with shelter for the three days. According to Mr. Abbott there are 60 men working at Cobb's, 160 at Deer Lake, 200 at Grand Lake, and another 100 will go into the woods at Howley in a few days. Those working at Cobb's do their own shacking, but have to walk three miles to the supply house. They work 10 hrs. per day, receiving \$2.50, and with any kind of fair weather can save from \$45 to \$50 per month. Mr. Parsons said he believed a large number of men would be quitting after the 15th inst, which is regular pay day, but that he could not assign any reason, other than that the section where the work is going on is wet and marshy.

BIG OREGON FIRE.
ASTORIA, Oregon, Dec. 8.—The business district of Astoria, the oldest city of Oregon, is in ruins. Two are dead and hundreds of people are homeless. Property loss is estimated to be fifteen million dollars, caused by a fire here to-day. Banks, newspaper

for like assurances, wherever in the world any common interests are concerned. While the President does not specifically recommend the making of a pact like the Four Power Pact which would extend to European affairs, or certain large phases of them, it is in view here that this is intended to suggest an understanding. The possibility that this may prove the forerunner of an attempt to call another conference at Washington is believed by many to be back of the President's words."

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Concert at Grenfell Hall.

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Solo—Miss M. Mitchell.
Horn Solo—Mr. Arthur Bulley.
Solo—Mrs. Harvey Small.
Recitation—Mrs. H. Outerbridge.
Solo—Miss Krentz.
Cornet Solo—Mr. Wellington.
Dance—Miss Mews.
During the evening Mr. A. E. Holmes performed some very clever feats on the stage which brought forth roars of applause, while his class at Physical Exercises, on the Horizontal Bar, did some clever acrobatics. A feature of the evening's entertainment was the lantern slides shown by Rev. R.E. Fairbairn. The views depicted scenes in St. John's, Conception Bay, Grand Bank, and several of the slides screened were very effective, particularly those of the moonlight and sunset scenes taken over the waters of Conception Bay. The lecturer was accorded a vote of thanks by acclamation at the close. A goodly sum was realized by the sale of candy during the interval.

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St. Andrew's Card Tournament.

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A most successful card tournament was played in St. Andrew's Club rooms last night, the largest number of members and friends for the season taking part. The assured Xmas dinner was won by Mr. Herbert Pike.

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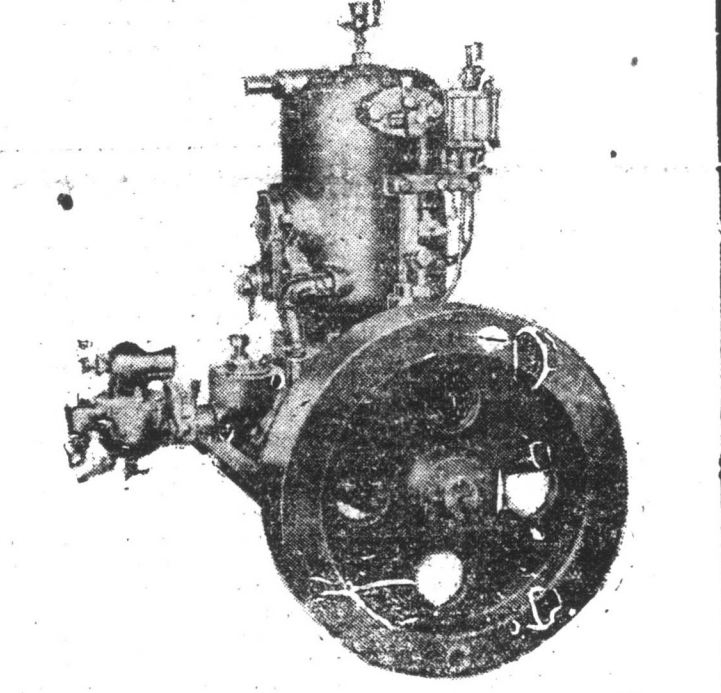
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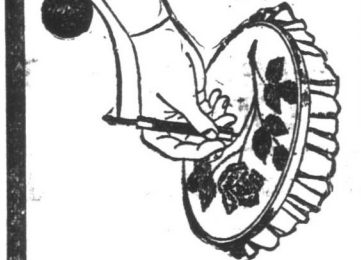
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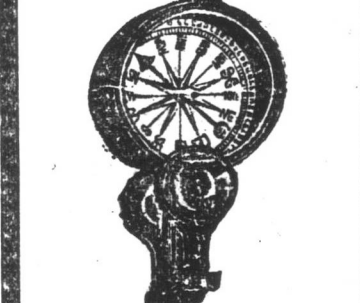
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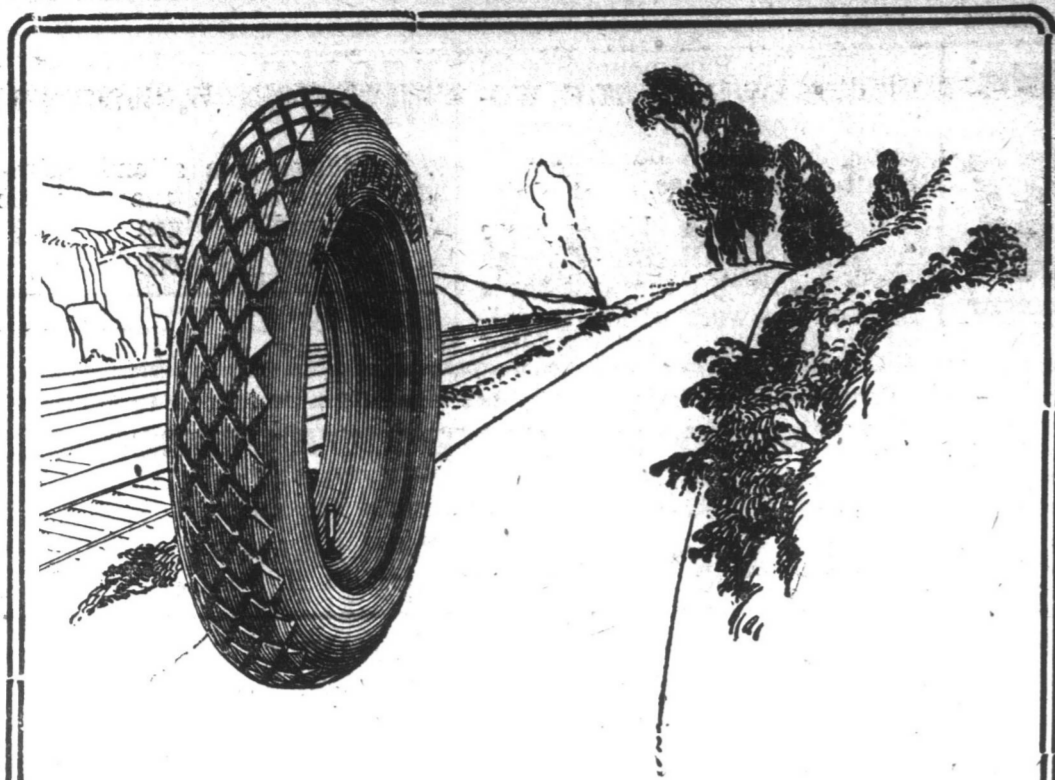
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Editor Evening Telegram

Dear Sir.—For some time I have been seriously considering the fish situation, and I am convinced that it is time that we should come to some decision regarding supplies for the coming season. Last spring we were somewhat incensed because the merchants in St. John's refused to supply without security or the cash down. We see the mistake of taking any supplies for the fishery, when a good voyage does not square accounts. When schooner owners, having 50 quintals per man, cannot clear enough to pay the cook's wages, the condition of affairs is not good enough in my opinion. I supplied my men this spring on the most conservative lines and only one could pay his account,

although they had 400 quintals per man and I myself did not make one dollar. For years I have prosecuted the Labrador fishery, but now I realize I have come to the edge of the precipice and visualizing the chasm into which we must fall, I call upon all planters, supplying men, fishermen owning schooners or rooms, to join with me and give up the voyage the coming season. I admit the action of our United Fishermen in trying to make conditions better. If we can get some reduction in taxation and a guarantee from our exporters of \$5 for Labrador and \$7 per quintal for shore fish, I would try the fishery again. But should we go fishing again we must have standardization of fish, and we must be more careful in the curing of it. Half of our fishermen don't care how they make their fish as long as they get it off their hands. It is time that we, as fishermen, realized these things, and cured our fish in a better manner. I would urge again that we have standardization,

which would destroy the accursed system of consignment. I am,

Yours truly,

P. PARSONS.
Lushes Bight, Dec. 4th 1922.

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Editor Evening Telegram

Dear Sir.—At the general meeting of the N.I.W.A., held this evening, the subject matter of your editorial in this evening's Telegram, entitled "Animals vs. Children" and your expression on the same, was unanimously endorsed, and the Executive was authorized by general body to convey to you their hearty congratulations on your strong expression, for the cause, of suffering humanity, which demands the public's first attention. Believe us to be with you on this most important issue.

Yours truly,
A. E. EARLE,
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Years ago I began to wonder at the great number of my own friends and neighbors who were complaining and doctoring, with out ever seeming to get any better. Both working men and their wives were frequently all tired out in the evening, and a great many were weak, nervous and run-down. One had pains in the back and thought he had kidney trouble. Another had pains around the heart, palpitations and dizziness, and was sure he was suffering from heart disease. Still others had severe headaches, floating spots before the eyes, tender spots along the spine and a great variety of alarming symptoms.

For years I made a special study of this condition, consulting a great number of physicians and chemists. An immense number of investigations by physicians all over the country showed that three people out of every four who

most lack 100% iron in their blood. Lack of iron in the blood is the greatest of all debilitating weaknesses. It is the iron in your blood that enables you to get the nourishment out of your food. Without iron, nothing you eat does you any good. Your heart, lungs and kidneys and all your vital organs get their nourishment from the blood stream, and when the blood lacks iron and is thin, pale and watery, you may suffer from the symptoms of a great number of diseases when the real and true cause of all your trouble is a lack of iron in the blood.

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Supreme Court.

(Before Mr. Justice Kent)
Mendez Lima & Co. vs. The Union Trading Co.

This matter occupied the attention of the Court all yesterday, and at 10 o'clock Mr. M. M. Barr was on the stand being cross-examined by Mr. Mews for the defence. At the afternoon session he was again in the witness box and cross-examined as to the time of the arrival of the vessel "Freedom" at Macelo, the time and methods of discharging and the effect on the market of lifting the regulations. Mr. Winter for the plaintiff objected to some of the evidence as not pertinent to the case. Regarding the arrival of the vessel, witness stated that it was about March 6th, about the time the regulations were lifted, and a claim of 14 shillings and 6 pence was made by Mendez Lima & Co. on March 16th on account of the cargo not being in accordance with the contract. This claim was increased to 30 shillings per drum on March 6th. Answering about the effect of lifting the regulations, Mr. Barr said it left every seller open to make the best bargain he might, but there were other reasons than the lifting of the regulations for the Brazil market going bad. These would be the exchange and the economic condition of the country, which at that time was going from bad to worse. He would not say that the lifting of the regulations was the cause of fish dropping from the regulated price of 100 shillings to 70 shillings. Regarding the complaint of Messrs. Mendez Lima & Co. that the fish on arrival was sunburnt, dun, black and badly stinking, he said that the condition of sunburnt does not develop always until the fish was packed, and the season of 1920 was particularly noted for sunburnt fish, and most of it was discovered before being packed. Dun, which was a fungus growth, could develop during a voyage; its presence did not spoil fish but reduced its value. Insufficient drying or salting would make the fish stink, and if a big quantity was thus affected the fish would be valueless and unfit for food. Questioned as to how Mendez Lima & Co. became aware that the Union Trading Co. loaded the Freedom's cargo, the witness said it was possibly through their agent, Mr. Monroe; but he did not know if the 30 shillings claim substitution for that of 14/6 was made after the Brazilian firm learned from whom the fish came. As to the matter of sale the witness stated, that the Freedom's cargo was packed at Port Union before the sea was made, but the other cargoes were packed after being sold. The chartering of the schooner Freedom was done on instructions from Mr. Coaker, and all agreements and arrangements were made on his advice. In reply to a question by Mr. Justice Kent the witness stated that the reason why his (Barr's) brand was used on the packages was to indicate the quality of the fish, as it was well known in the market.

Evidence taken at Macelo by Commission was here put in by Mr. Winter. Amongst the documents were the certificate of the Customs officer as to the arrival of the vessel and the statement of three merchants, who had purchased quantities of the cargo from Mendez Lima & Co. All three certified to the fish being in a bad condition. One said the major portion was in a tainted and smelly condition; another said it was in a bad state of deterioration, with the barrels in a bad condition. The third said it was in an incipient state of decomposition. They bought it at 150 millreis per drum, but were given rebates on making complaint to Mendez Lima & Co.

Mr. D. White, wharfinger at Port Union, was called and another witness, man called the Freedom's cargo, and it was inspected by Messrs. Snelgrove and Kenny, the latter doing about half the cargo. He did not know why the Government Inspector Snelgrove left the job. The fish was packed in December and there was not a quintal of dun fish on the premises at the time.

Mr. J. Pardy, called and examined, stated he was in charge of one of the fish stores at Port Union. His examination concerned the methods of culling and storing the fish as received. Hon. W. F. Coaker, called and examined by Mr. Mews. Asked what attitude he took over the Freedom's cargo he said the first he knew of the matter was from an item in a newspaper. He had told Mr. Barr that he did not hold himself responsible for anything that happened in connection with the Freedom's cargo and several times he had refused to see Barr to discuss this matter. He did not know that Barr had made a contract. Questioned as to whom the negotiations arose; Mr. Coaker said that on a visit to Port Union Barr said, "how about getting clear of some of this fish for you?" (referring to the bulks in store). He (Coaker) replied, "I would not mind letting you have four or five cargoes at regulation prices less one dollar per drum." The arrangement said the witness, was that Barr could send his own cutters and that the fish drums were to be branded with G. M. Barr's brand in addition to a similar paper brand inside the package. The witness did not know why

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Snelgrove left before the cargo was inspected. He (witness) knew, however, that the best fish they had in store was selected for this particular cargo, as there were thousands of quintals to select from and besides it being the first time shipping direct from Port Union to Brazil, he was anxious to establish his trade there by sending a good article.
On cross-examination by Mr. Winter, Mr. Coaker flatly denied some of the evidence given by Mr. Barr. In answer to the query, How did he expect to establish a market for his fish in Brazil when Barr's brand was used, and how did you expect the buyers to find out it was his fish, Mr. Coaker replied he did not know, but he had intended visiting Brazil himself in this connection. It was also a fact that the buyers found out whose fish it was. Regarding the matter of freight, Mr. Coaker said that Mr. Barr wanted the fish to go in his own vessel. When the claim on the Freedom's cargo was first brought to his notice, he made an offer of 5 shillings to Mr. Barr, which would be settled by making an allowance on the Novelty's cargo. The hearing adjourned at 5.30 p.m. until this morning.

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Time passes, and shows her installed in the home of the wealthy Carters, as companion to Nina, the young daughter of the house. Royal has long since passed out of her life, but his memory has left a sadness and despair. Harriet finds hard to shake. Ward Carter, the only son, falls for the charms of his sister's companion, but she—well here is where the story reaches a remarkable climax. It is Anita Stewart's greatest screen characterization. Nobody is going to miss this on Monday. It's a marvelous production.

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Lazenby's Ground Sweet Almonds 1's Tins 90c.	Jacob's Fancy Sweet Biscuits Per lb. 90c.
Libby's Cut Beet, per tin 25c. Libby's Carrots, per tin 25c. Libby's Early June Peas, per tin 28c. Lazenby's Petits-Pois, per tin 30c.	Lazenby's Fruit Salad, per bot. \$1.50 Lazenby's Peaches, per bot. \$1.50 Glace Cherries, per lb. 80c.
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We have just opened a large and well assorted stock of Men's Eastern Winter Caps. Nice patterns, splendid materials; full range sizes. Prices as follows: \$1.80, \$1.90, \$2.20 and \$2.50.

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A very nice variety of strong, serviceable Apron Checks. Prices 35, 40 and 48c. yard.

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Bleached Table Damasks, at our usual good values. Prices 95c., \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.20, \$1.60 \$1.80 yard.

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Just opened a shipment of English Curtain Nets.

White. Prices 42, 70 & 85c. yard. Cream. Prices 43 & 50c. yard.

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English and American Manufacture.

Prices . . . 28, 31 & 42c. yard

English Dress Meltons

A fine assortment of English Dress Meltons; wide widths; shades as follows: Black, Navy, Brown, Green, Grey, Dark Red. Prices . . . 85, \$1.30 and \$1.60 per yard.

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A large variety of Striped Flannelettes. Good values. Prices . . . 23 1/2, 25, 30 & 35c. yard. Also, White Flannelettes; splendid materials. Prices . . . 27, 30, 35 & 40c. yard.

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White Saxony Flannels—Prices . . . 85 & \$1.20 yard. Grey Welsh Flannels—Prices . . . 60, 65 & 80c. yard. Striped Union Flannels—Splendid values. Prices . . . 50 & 75c. yard.

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Ladies' Jersey Gloves. Black and Grey. Reg. 50c. Reduced to 40c. pair. Ladies' Jersey Gloves. Black and Grey. Reg. 55c. Reduced to 42c. pair. Ladies' Jersey Gloves. Black, Grey, Tan and White. Reg. 60c. Reduced to 47c. pair. Ladies' Lisle Gloves. Black, White and Grey. Reg. 65c. Reduced to 46c. pair.

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A small shipment of Ladies' Black Dressed Kid Gloves. Jobbing at . . . \$1.00 pair.

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A small assortment of Ladies' Black Kid Gloves (Lined). Jobbing at . . . \$1.40 pair.

Hosiery Bargains

3 Dozen Child's Black Hose. Size 5 1/2. Reg. 40c. Reduced to 20c. pair. 4 Dozen Child's Black Hose. Size 5 1/2. Reg. 62c. Reduced to 40c. pair. 8 Dozen Child's Black Hose. Size 7. Reg. 35c. Reduced to 27c. pair.

Men's Half Hose

10 Dozen Men's Grey Wool Half Hose. Reg. 60c. Reduced to 45c. pair. 15 Dozen Men's Grey Wool Half Hose. Reg. 90c. Reduced to 52c. pair.

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Children's Jersey Knit Pantalette Leggings; Black and Brown shades. Keep the kiddies dry and warm. Only \$1.35 pair.

Legging Drawers

Children's White Worsted Legging Drawers. Just the thing for frosty weather. Only \$2.20 pair.

Prices Due To Advance.

TEA—Tea prices will be advanced during the coming winter, according to tea importers in London. The reason assigned being the failure of the tea crop. This is 70,000,000 lb. below normal, and the effect will be shown by increase of from

four to ten cents a pound in all tea using countries. The China crop, which is largely imported to the United States, is said to have suffered the most.

One 20c. bottle of STAFFORD'S Ginger Wine Essence makes nearly a gallon of good ginger wine.—decl.17

The dumb bell who lets little children write letters to Santa Claus is already running loose in this fair land of ours.

STAFFORD'S Ginger Wine only 20c. per bottle.—decl.17

Following the list of birth notices, one St. Louis paper publishes this line. "Our ads bring results."

SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

WIVES AND HORSES.

"The love of some men for their wives is like that of Alferi for his horse. My attachment for him," said he, "went so far as to destroy my peace of mind every time that he had the least ailment; but my love for him did not prevent me from fretting and chafing him whenever he did not wish to go my way."—Bovee.

Did you ever hear of a man like that, Reader Friend? I have. And furthermore, I have heard of husbands who went farther than Alferi— whoever he may be. Not only did their love for their wives not prevent them from fretting and chafing them whenever the latter did not wish to do what they wanted them to, but they just plain made a habit of fretting and chafing them, even when they were not opposing their will. Just as a sort of mental outlet. As, if Alferi, when he felt nervous, gave his horse a blow with the switch or yanked his head sharply to one side when the horse did not understand what he wanted.

Not Worth Writing About. Of course, I don't mean to suggest that the husband should use physical violence. The kind of a brute that does that isn't worth writing about; he's too degraded. This is the sort of thing I mean: I once attended a committee meeting, which was held in a friend's dining room, around the dining table. Presently, word came in from the kitchen that someone had his feet on the bell under the rug, and that it was sounding continuously. "Someone" proved to be a very nervous, shy, little woman, who was much embarrassed at her perfectly blameless act. Everyone tried to pass it over and make as little of it as possible, except the person who probably thinks he cares more for her than anyone in the world does. And he had something sharp, and would be witty, to say about it: "Just like Emily to put her foot on it, if she couldn't get it in it."

Did It Pay Him? I wonder how much satisfaction he got out of that? I wonder if he got a tenth as much enjoyment as she got discomfort.

Of course, wives sometimes do this sort of thing, but not so often, because they don't so often have the upper hand. This habit of saying sharp, disagreeable things is a tyrant's habit. It is the sort of thing the manager of an office will do, or the boss of a gang, if he is a tyrant. It is inexcusable outside the home, and it is ten times as inexcusable in the home, where there is not only decency to forbid it, but also family affection. Just Whenever.

Mind you, I do not mean to blame the husband whose wife is not looking after her job of making his home as comfortable as possible, and getting as much for his money, and who rebukes her for negligence. I can understand his case, though I think his rebukes would often be more efficient if less impatient. But I mean the man who simply gets the habit of saying disagreeable things whenever anything discommodates him, whenever any accident happens, whenever he feels tired, whenever things have been going wrong at the office, whenever he sees a chance to get under his wife's skin on some sensitive point, in fact, whenever—



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Wrist Handkerchiefs Find Favor. PARIS.—The wrist handkerchief which first appeared in Paris several weeks ago, has become quite the craze, with the result that the price has been run up as high as 100 francs each. The little handkerchief of crepe de chine is held by a loop on a dainty wristband of leather or ribbon.

Eat Mrs. Stewart's Home-made Bread.—oct4,6mo

XMAS DICKS CARDS

WHAT happier way to greet your friends on Christmas Day than with one of our dainty cards, with its cheery wish? ALL the designs are printed in attractive colours from engraved steel dies. THE wording will be process-embossed as well as your name if you so desire. THE BEST DESIGNS SELL QUICKLY. IT IS WISE TO ORDER EARLY.

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Tommy's father was, telling him about his experiences in the Great War. After a moment's thought Tommy asked: "And you went through all those fights?" "Yes." "And the shot and shell fell about you?" "Yes."

"And people were falling and dying everywhere?" "Y-e-s-s." "And you never got hurt at all?" "No." "Well, what a fine dodger you must have been!" Eat Mrs. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—oct4,6mo MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR COLDS. ETC.

When the village postmaster's wife comes in and stamps her foot, he doesn't cancel it. Xmas Cards and Calendars; new local view postcards, wholesale and retail, at S. H. PARSONS & SONS, corner Water and Prescott Streets. Postcard views of Bowring Park, never before exhibited.—dec8,21

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Evening Telegram

The Evening Telegram, Ltd. Proprietors.

Saturday, December 9, 1922.

The Mystery of the Herring.

The departure of the herring from many of their former habitats along the Newfoundland and Labrador coasts has given rise to much speculation and conjecture, and many and varied are the reasons advanced for the forsaking of home waters by this fish which once schooled in millions in the bays of the Colony and in the deep arms and bights of Labrador. In these days it was only child's play to shoot a seine and make a haul of a thousand barrels, and thus for days there would be employment for all in the curing and stowing away of these valuable and deliciously edible fish. Discussing Science and Herring Fisheries, a recent issue of the London Times advanced this opinion:

"The recent disastrous failure of the herring fishery is attributed to an alleged change in the currents of the North Sea. There are many instances of a sudden desertion of waters which herrings have frequented for centuries. In the fifteenth century the Baltic herrings at Scania—the foundation of the wealth and naval power of the Hanseatic League—suddenly failed. A century later the Bohuslan fishery in Sweden failed, and the waters remained unvisited for seventy years. From 1871 to 1873, and again early in this century, the shoals deserted Loch Fyne, and in 1890 and several successive years the winter shoals deserted the Bay of Fundy. The gunfire of the Battle of Copenhagen was thought to have driven herring from the Baltic. In 1835 the decision of a Protestant-Irish rector to take title of the fishing was alleged to have repelled the fish from the coast of Catholic Ireland; in these modern days the Shetlanders have a theory that whaling stations drive off the herrings. But the problem is too complex to be resolved by any simple and immediate sequence of cause and effect. It is a complex problem for science to solve if she can."

If the question is complex in the United Kingdom, it is none the less so in Newfoundland. It can be certain that neither gun fire, nor the decision of any rector had the effect of causing the one time enormous schools of herring to forsake Labrador, and Placentia and Fortune Bays. Nor yet was it the hunting of whales by steamers, that drove off the herring from the coast of Labrador, for these fish had departed long before the whaling industry, pursued by steamers specially built in Norway, had been introduced in Newfoundland. Nor did these affect Placentia and Fortune Bays. From the year 1885, when the last great herring voyage was killed on Labrador to the present time there has been a dearth of these fish. For two years following 1885 they began to forsake the waters by degrees, until to day there is no such thing as a Labrador herring fishery comparable to those preceding that date. Who can account for this failure of the herring to return? Who can account for their leaving waters which were for unknown and known centuries their favorite spawning ground? It is now roughly about twenty-five years since the great herring fisheries of Placentia and Fortune Bays failed, when the fish forsook these waters also. Some attribute the cause to the mismanagement

and neglect which prevailed, due to the pollution of the breeding grounds by the wholesale throwing of offal and fish that were spoiled by bad weather. That may have been, but some other and greater cause must be found. On Labrador there was little if any pollution of the herring habitat, because the fish were taken from the seine as fast as they could be handled, and if the seine owner found that he had hauled more than he could put away, the order went forth for all who could to come and clear away the take. In thus acting few fish were left to decompose on the bottom. In the bays mentioned during the winter season, many cargoes of herring were taken away in bulk, frozen, and but few were barbelled. The fish were exposed to the weather on scaffolds, but should a low temperature set in or rain fall, thousands and thousands were spoiled by softening, and had to be inconspicuously dumped overboard. Year after year this happened, and it may be that the fouling of the waters thus ensuing caused the migration which has never been scientifically accounted for. Only the fact remains that the herring were in these places for centuries and centuries and all at once disappeared. It is, as the London Times remarks, a complex problem for science to solve if she can.

Thanks!

Our sincere thanks to the editor of the Advocate for his good heartedness in republishing the verbal *olla podrida* of Mr. Coaker, re the buying and export of fish, as handed out to the "greatest ever" at Port Union last month. Mr. Coaker's loquacity is proverbial and the reproduction of his ideas in cold type is no more clear than his delivered word. The kindness of our journalistic brother is only exceeded by his gargantuan physical proportions. Mentally—well, that's another matter. Ex pede Hercules.

Battle of Falkland Islands.

GOVERNOR FELICITATES ADMIRAL. We have been led to understand that it has been the practice of His Excellency, who was Governor of the Falkland Islands at the outbreak of the Great War in 1914, to send, since the above action, a cable to Vice-Admiral Sir Doveton Sturdee, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., conveying his felicitations on the anniversary (8th December) of the battle, and in accordance with this custom a message was despatched on the 7th. To celebrate the anniversary his Excellency gave a small dinner party at Government House to which the Chief Justice and Lady Horwood and the Acting Prime Minister and Mrs. Shea had the honor of being invited.

George Street Adult Bible Class will open at 2.45 p.m. tomorrow. Solos will be rendered by Miss Ray Hampton and Mr. S. Tucker. Every member is expected to attend. Visitors cordially welcome.—dec9.11

Distinguished Preacher at Wesley Church.

Rev. Dr. Powell, of Ford City, Pennsylvania, U.S.A., has consented to preach at Wesley Church to-morrow night. The Doctor has preached here on a previous visit when on vacation, and is a very able speaker. Born at Bonavista about 60 years ago, after college life this talented Newfoundlander has acquired a high reputation as a writer on theological questions, and filled the best pulpits of city Methodist churches in the United States.

Shipping.

Schr. Lavender is loading a cargo of frozen herring at Wood's Island for Boston. Schr. Geo. M. Cook, 4 days from North Sydney, arrived yesterday with coal cargo to A.S. Rendell. Schr. LeBerger, 6 days from Sydney via Trepassay, and bound for Twillingate with coal for Hodge Bros., harboured here yesterday. S.S. Silvia arrived at New York 9 a.m. yesterday, and she leaves for Halifax and this port at 2 p.m. today. S.S. Manoa leaves this afternoon on a special trip to Charlottetown, calling at Sydney en route. Mechanics Society Meeting.—The Regular Monthly Meeting of the St. John Mechanics Society will be held in their Hall on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. dec9.11

Magistrate's Court.

STEWART OF SENECA FINED \$50. The disturbance which occurred on board S.S. Seneca yesterday afternoon was aired before court this morning. Allan Deale, the Chief Steward, belonging to Boston, Mass., stood charged with threatening to do grievous bodily harm to Albert Palice, the cook, a colored man, by attempting to use a loaded revolver and a cooking knife on him. The Plaintiff in his evidence stated that the steward visited him in the galley and ordered him to carry out some duties in connection with his work, which he (the cook) refused to do. The steward became angry and after a few words had been exchanged between the two, the Chief left the quarters. A few minutes had elapsed when he made a second visit, and said that if instructions were not done as ordered, serious consequences would follow. The accused then placed his hand in his right hip pocket and drew out a revolver, but before he had time to point the weapon, the cook, who is well known as a boxer of repute, felled his man with a stinging blow and grabbed the pistol from him. A witness who was in the galley at the time was filled to the gills and he swore in his evidence that the accused threatened to do the cook bodily harm, and had aimed the revolver with the fore finger on the trigger. The Captain stated that he was not on board at the time of the occurrence, and did not arrive to the ship until 5.30. As soon as he heard there was trouble, and that a revolver was brandished, he went to his room and found that his own revolver was missing. He identified the revolver as his in court. It was a .38. The captain did not know of any former quarrelling between the two, and stated that the accused was always a conscientious worker and had never caused any trouble. The defendant had no question to ask the plaintiff and witnesses, but upon being placed in the box himself stated that the cook on several occasions threatened to beat him. He admitted having the revolver, loaded, in his possession, but did not intend to carry out any threats, as when he pulled the pistol from his pocket, he intended to lay it on the table near by, when his man closed with him. Asked why he had the sheath knife on his person, he stated that he had used it sometimes previously in cutting twine off a ship's rope. During his stay placed on board, and unmindful of anything, put it in his hip pocket. The Judge on summing up said that the accused was very fortunate in not being charged with manslaughter or wilful murder. The act was no doubt premeditated, but luckily for him the revolver did not go off, although the fore-finger of his hand was resting on the trigger. A fine of \$50 or 30 days was imposed. The Judge gave the plaintiff and defendant to understand that they must in future go about their work with no ill-feelings against each other; and any orders given in future by the Chief Steward to the cook must be carried out. The captain was asked to see that the principal involved in this occurrence would behave properly on board ship in the future. The captain paid the fine.

Santa Claus

Word has been received from Santa Claus that he will arrive in St. John's on Thursday next and will be present at The Kirk Xmas Fair. He hopes that all the children of town will make an effort to be present, so that he may renew acquaintanceship. dec9.21.11

Tragedy at Stone's Cove

MAN DROWNED IN PORT. A message to the Assistant Collector of Customs from F. R. Dinham, Stone's Cove, Fortuna Bay, states that John Hatch of that place was drowned there yesterday morning in a pond. The body was later recovered. No particulars as to the cause have been received. The message states that deceased was married, and is survived by a wife and a large family.

Police Issue Warning.

Last night District Inspector Noseworthy, accompanied by Sergeant Nugent, visited the hut used by the Walsh family. The five little children, three girls and two boys, ages ranging from 6 to 14 years, were found huddled together on a bench without a particle of clothing covering their persons. Upon this being made known to police headquarters, Walsh was notified that if his children were not properly sheltered and comfortably looked after by Monday next he would be confined to the Penitentiary, while the authorities would become interested and care for the children.

Shipping.

Schr. General Ironsides with 3,690 qts. shore and 1,000 qts. Labrador fish has cleared from Change Islands for Oporto. Schr. E. D. Bailey has entered at Carbonar to load shore fish for Gibraltar for orders by W. & J. Moores. Schr. General Alenby has sailed from Marystown for Oporto with 4,556 qts. codfish shipped by Marystown Trading Co. Schr. Carl S. has arrived at Gaultois from North Sydney with 500 barrels flour and 41 tons coal. S.S. Ilford sailed to-day for Rotterdam with 8,700 tons iron ore from Bell Island and the S.S. Wascana sailed for Sydney with 9,560 tons. S.S. Silvia leaves New York to-day at 2 p.m., for Halifax and this port. S.S. Hesperia is due in port this afternoon with a general cargo. S.S. Sable I. arrived at St. Pierre at 9 p.m. yesterday. Santa Claus left Toronto on Thursday afternoon and will arrive in Newfoundland in time to appear at THE HOPS New Toy Department next Tuesday afternoon at 4.30.

Supreme Court.

(Before Mr. Justice Kent.) (Continued from yesterday.) Mendez Lima & Co. vs. The Union Trading Co.

On resumption of the hearing at 11 a.m. Mr. H. A. Winter for the plaintiff called Mr. John Snelgrove a Government Inspector under the Fish Regulations. The witness, after being sworn, stated that he had been a laborer and sworn fish cutter for the past 17 years and worked principally at Job's premises. In the fall of 1920 he received instructions from Mr. Power of Baird's to proceed to the Marine and Fisheries Department, Ottawa, to call there Mr. Badcock, ordering him on to Port Union. He left St. John's on Tuesday and on Wednesday morning when he went to work at the Union fish-store he found that they had between six and seven hundred drums packed. He saw a number of bulks of fish containing between them two or three thousand quintals, Brazil fish. He inspected a few of the drums that had been packed the night before he arrived, but not screwed and he found some of the fish sunburnt, dun and damp. He then told the boss of the store to have the loose packages screwed up and stored with the rest adding that he would not hold him responsible for what was already packed because he had examined four or five of the packages and found their contents similar to the loose ones that first came under his notice. During his stay he saw packed, and inspected, between 500 and 600 drums. Asked by Mr. Winter how he found the fish coming the witness said he found it a poor run, with a lot of damp and sunburnt, and as they had six packers and not enough cutters, he asked for two more. These two men were given to him without complaint the witness stated. Questioned why he was knocked off as inspector, the witness said he did not know. He remembered that Mr. Coaker came into the store on Saturday and said that the fish was good, to which he replied "yes, it is coming very good now." Mr. Coaker then left, but returned in an hour and ordered the men to knock off packing. On Monday they began preparing a cargo for the President Coaker, and on Tuesday he received a telegram from St. John's from the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to return to the city. He accordingly came to St. John's and reported himself. He was not told any reason why he was knocked off.

CROSS EXAMINATION.

The witness was cross examined at some length by Mr. Mews for the defence, and in answer to various questions said he could not remember the date of the message ordering him to knock off. He remembered that the schooner Barbra Barr was loaded, and ready for sea when he arrived at Port Union. He did not take out all the fish in the drums that were not put under the press, nor did he have any mark to put on the fish he inspected. It was stored in a separate bulk. During the first night he was at Port Union they packed about 200 drums, and out of this he threw out between 16 and 20 quintals of sunburnt and damp and the cutters threw out the balance to a total of 50 qts. The fish, he said, was too bad for his liking, and he instructed the cutters as to the quality of fish to throw out. Questioned by Mr. Mews as to anybody saying to him that he was throwing out a lot of fish, the witness replied "Yes, one man, I think his name was Hicks, said that he (the witness) was stricter than any of the other inspectors. Mr. Coaker was not any so, but said on Saturday that the fish was good." The rest of the cross examination was in reference to the witness's experience in judging bulks of fish, and the qualities suitable for the different markets.

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Newfoundlander Killed at Detroit.

MR. P. HUGHES OF NORTH RIVER STRUCK BY CRANE.

Special to Evening Telegram DETROIT, Mich., Tuesday. William Patrick Hughes, aged forty years, of 3846 East 4th Street, Detroit, mechanical foreman in the employ of the Henry Ford Motor Company, River Rouge Plant, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon, after being struck by a heavy crane. He is survived by his wife and two small children, also his mother, Mrs. Anastasia Hughes of North River, Newfoundland. John, the brother of the deceased, was there when the accident occurred. The remains are to be forwarded to North River, Newfoundland, on Monday. (Sgd.) LANG.

Here and There.

Delicious Partridge Sumners are being served at the Kirk Christmas Fair.—dec9.21.11

TRAIN NOTES.—The local Carbonar train arrived at 12.30. The incoming express is due in the city early to-morrow morning.

BEAUTIFUL SHAPES.—We would remind the lady of the house that now is the time to get Xmas Jellies made. STEELE'S Crockery have a big variety of Jelly Moulds in assorted shapes.

PRIZE DRAW.—The cake which was raffled in connection with the T. A. Ladies' Auxiliary sale of work was drawn last night and resulted in Mr. Ken. Tobin of I. F. Parlin & Co.'s employ being awarded the prize. The lucky ticket was No. 151. Mrs. H. Pedigrew and Mr. Geo. Coughlin were in charge of the drawing.

DEVON POTTERY.—There is a large stock of this ware, lettered with quaint sayings, now on display at STEELE'S Crockery Store. Every piece makes an ideal Xmas Gift.

MR. G. H. NICKEL, of the Columbus Rubber Co., Montreal, is in the city arranging for their future business, which is to be done exclusively through J. B. Orr Co., Ltd., who will occupy the entire buildings, 166 and 168 Water Street. The Columbus Rubber Co. are manufacturers of high class Rubbers, and the well known Columbus Vacuum Boot.

BORN.

On Nov. 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Milley, Barnes' Place, a daughter. (Nee Bessie Snow).

On Wednesday, Dec. 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Halleran, 129 Military Road, a son.

On December 3rd, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. J. Newton Lovesy, 1497 Lansdowne Avenue, Toronto.

MARRIED.

At the Wesley Parsonage, Hamilton Street, on December 4th, by the Rev. J. G. Joyce, Miss Janet Piercey of Winterton, T.B., to Mr. Frank Moore of this city.

DIED.

Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock, Margaret, relict of the late Captain Richard Mealy, Funeral from her late residence, 344 Water Street West on to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

Passed peacefully away this morning, after a long illness, Mary Peckham, aged 63 years, widow of the late George Peckham; leaving 4 sons and 1 brother in New York to mourn their loss. Funeral on Monday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 97 Bond Street. Friends and acquaintances please accept this (the only) intimation.

This morning, at the residence of his niece, Mrs. W. Piercey, "Riverdale", Waterford Bridge Road, James Wilkie Rendell, aged 89 years. Funeral notice later.

Personal

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Remarkable Reductions Off Ladies' Fur Coats! Special Sale Commencing TO-DAY Only 10 COATS in the offering But they are 10 RARE ONES in Seal & Marmot trimmed with Opposum and Sable Collar and Cuffs Others show large Shawl Collar of Seal. 1 only at 65.00 each for 49.00 2 only at 85.00 each for 65.00 1 only at 125.00 each for 98.00 1 only at 150.00 each for 124.00 5 only at 330.00 each for 230.00 UNMATCHABLE VALUES James Baird LIMITED

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Fishermen Thank Sir John Crosbie.

The Evening Telegram, Sir—We, the undersigned, on behalf of the fishermen who comprise the Fishermen's movement beg to thank the public press to extend our thanks to Sir John Crosbie for the very many ways in which he has helped us...

The Belated Reply.

The Evening Telegram, Sir—In your publication of December 28th there appeared an item headed "A Boy from the Rock", in which reference was made to our representative, Mr. R. G. Winsor, to the effect that Mr. Winsor had been late in coming to town and that he was not in justice to Mr. Winsor...

"Peggy O'Neil."

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Silver Hat Pins. Having just received a beautiful assortment of Silver Hat Pins, we invite you to see them and particularly note the prices.

A Page That Will Help With Your Christmas Shopping

Every day from now until Christmas Day should be important to you, for each day is filled with the responsibility of Christmas buying.



Photo Frames

Leatherette—Prices .30, 45c, each. Wood—Prices .35, 45 and 55c, each.

Framed Pictures. Wood—Price .60c, each. Gift—Price .75c, each.

Table Centres. Hemstitched and embroidered, fringed and painted. Prices .28, 45, 75, 85 up to \$2.20 ea.

Cushion Covers. In White and Fawn Linen, in Lawn and in Fancy Art Satens. Prices .50, 70, \$1.10, \$1.25 each.

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Teneriffe Music Cases. Prices .75, 90, \$1.25, 1.50, 2.00 each.



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Birthday Books—Prices .50c, each.

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Gifts for the Man

Tunic Shirts. Well shaped, full sizes; correct fitting neck bands; sizes from 14 to 17 1/2. Prices \$1.20, \$1.55, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00 each.

Knitted Ties. In Black and assorted colors. Prices .45, 85, \$1.10 each.

Men's Dressing Gowns. Elderdown and Heavy Flannel. Prices \$9.25, \$11.50 and \$17.50 each.

Long Rubbers. Plain and pebble finish. Prices \$3.50, \$5.60, \$6.00 pair.

Men's Socks. Fine Wool Socks of Cashmere and of Yarn; Socks that are reinforced where the wear comes. Prices 55c, 75, 90 and \$1.25 pair.

Handkerchiefs. Plain White, hemmed Linen. Prices 15, 25, 35c, each.

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Winter Caps. In Heavy Tweeds and Naps; inside fur lined bands. Prices \$1.85, \$2.35 each.

Mackinaw Coats. Heavy all Wool Tweeds, plain, striped and plaid designs. Prices \$12.00, \$13.50, \$17.50 and \$20.00 each.

Men's Braces. Leather or corded ends. Prices .65, 75, 85 and 95c pair.

Men's Leggings. Tan or Black Leather. Price \$4.00 pair.

Dancing Pumps. Oxford style; Black Patent Leather. Prices \$5.00, \$5.75 and \$6.00 pair.

Felt Slippers. In Dark Grey, fancy checks, etc.; leather soles. Prices \$2.25 and \$2.50 pair.

Leather Slippers. In Black and Tan. Prices \$2.30 and \$2.70 pair.

Briar Pipes. With straight and curved stems. Prices .20, 25, 40, 60 and 90c, each.

Pipes in Case. Prices \$2.60, \$3.60, \$4.20, \$5.70 up to \$10.00.

Cigarette Cases. Metal—Prices 50, 90, \$1.20, \$1.55, \$1.50 up to \$6.00.

Tobacco Pouches. Rubber—Prices .55 and 85c, each. Leather, Rubber lined. Prices 80, \$1.50, \$1.80 up to \$3.00 each.

Cigarette Holders. Assorted styles. Prices from .20c to \$1.50 each.

Military Brushes. With Leather Case. Prices \$3.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 set.

Men's Overcoats. In Heavy Tweeds and Blanket Cloths in fashionable shades and latest styles. Prices \$15.00, \$24.00, \$25.00, \$29.00 each.

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Davidson Lodge L. O. B. A.

ANNUAL MEETING. The annual meeting of Davidson Lodge, No. 160 L.O.B.A. took place in the Oddfellows' Hall, Thursday night last.

W.M.—Sister Martin, elected. D.M.—Sister Mitchell, re-elected. Chaplain—Sister Smith, elected.

Recording Secretary—Sister England, re-elected. Financial Secretary—Sister Clara Yetman, elected.

Treasurer—Sister Hynes, elected. 1st Lecturer—Sister Simmonds, re-elected.

2nd Lecturer—Sister Noseworthy, elected. D. of C.—Sister Osborna, elected.

Inside Guard—Sister James, re-elected. Outside Guard—Bro. Chafe, re-elected.

Committee—P.M. Ruby, Sisters Newell, Elford, Penny, Smith, Cains. Trustees—P.M. Ruby, Sister England and Bro. Dawe.

Auditors—Bros. Stirling and Dawe. Guardian—Bro. Dawe. Installation takes place early in New Year.

Sunday Services.

SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT. C. of E. Cathedral—8. Holy Communion; 11, Morning Service; 3, C.M.B.C. in Synod Building; 6.30, Evening Service.

St. Thomas's—8, Holy Communion; 11 Morning Prayer, Library and Sermon. Preacher, the Rector, "The Abiding Word"; 2.45, Sunday School and Bible Classes; 6.30, Evening Prayers and Sermon. Preacher, Rev. G. O. Lightbourn, "Jesus Christ, The Supreme Revealer."

St. Mary the Virgin—8, Holy Communion; 11, Matins; 2.30, Sunday School; 2.45 and 4.30, Holy Baptism; 6.30, Evensong.

St. Michael and All Angels—8, Holy Communion; 9.30, Holy Eucharist (sung); 11, Matins; 2.30, Sunday School; 4.15, Holy Baptism; 6.30, Evensong; 8, Preparation for Holy Communion.

METHODIST. Gower Street—11 and 6.30, Rev. Hammond Johnson. Cochrane Street—11 and 6.30, Rev. C. H. Johnson.

George Street—11 and 6.30, Rev. R.E. Fairbairn. Morning service subject, "What is God?"; evening, a Memorial Service to late J. W. Taylor.

Wesley—11, Rev. Dr. Dunn; 6.30, Rev. Dr. G. L. Powell of Ford City, Pa.

Congregational, (Queen's Road)—11 and 6.30, Rev. B. T. Holden. Thanksgiving Services, special music by the choir, morning and evening. Morning subject, "Providence ancient and Modern."

St. Andrew's Presbyterian—11 and 6.30, Rev. Robert J. Power. At the evening service the pastor will continue his "Intimate Talks on the Home," speaking to grown-up daughters.

Salvation Army, No. 8 Corps, (113 Duckworth Street)—7, Knee Drill; 11, Holiness Meeting; 3 Free and Easy; 7, Salvation Meeting, Adjt. C. Woodland, leader.

No. 2 Corps, (Adelaide St.)—7, Knee Drill; 11, Holiness Meeting; 3, Free and Easy, leaders, Adjt. and Mrs. Hillier; 7, Salvation Meeting, leaders, Col. and Mrs. Martin.

Adventist, (Hamilton Street)—6.45, Evangelist B. E. Manuel, subject, "The Millennium. Has it begun? Would you like to know what the Bible says about it?"

Gospel Mission, (Adelaide St.)—9.45, Class Meeting; 2.45 and 7, Evangelistic Services.

International Bible Students' Association meet in the Chapter Room, Victoria Hall at 7 p.m. Discourse—"Star's Empire falling. Millions now living will never die."

George Street. The subject at the morning service "What is God." In the evening a Memorial Service will be held for the late John W. Taylor.

C.M.B.C.—The Class will meet in the Synod Building at 2 p.m. Subject—continuation of the series of Bible studies in the Epistles to the Seven Churches—"Laodicea."

TEMPERATURE.—The temperature taken at Valley Nurseries last night showed 27 degrees of frost. At 9.50 this morning the temperature registered 12 degrees.

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Gems of Evil.

THE SHAH'S HOODOO DIAMOND.

(By STUART MARTIN, in Pearson's Weekly.)

In one of the rooms of a London diamond merchant there is a peculiar gem of pale yellow about an inch square. It is a diamond, but it is a diamond which has a strange history, and one which is known throughout the East as peculiarly sinister.

On that day the yellow stone was found on the floor of the shrine--true indication that All would fall. All fell, poisoned by subtle power which had been laid on the stone; the poison entered his blood as he touched the stone with his fingers, one of which was scratched. His son Husain

Christmas, Confectionery, etc.

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was also slain when he wore the stone on the plain of Kerbela.

Every year in the month of Mohurrum there pass the Shah's palaces long processions of men and women crying aloud: "O Husain! O Husain!" The processions are headed by fanatics, who beat their breasts and call for vengeance on the slayers of Husain, son of Ali.

Just before the month of Mohurrum in the year 1913, the Imam Riza sought an audience of the Shah concerning the stone.

"Your Majesty," he began, "the wisdom of the ancients is come to pass, and the words of the Prophet are being fulfilled. For centuries we have lain under the curse of the Yellow Devil, which is the name given to the Yellow Diamond of the Prophet which lay on the shrine of Mecca. It was foretold that one day a Frank would come and lay hands on the stone, and his coming would remove the curse. The Frank has come."

"Who is he?" asked the Shah. "He is a general of the Kaiser's army--Frankenstein. He is an envoy who has been asking your Majesty to come into league with his Kaiser so that they could build a railway to Baghdad and oust England from the East. He seeks an audience of your Majesty, but I have denied it to him."

"What has he to do with the Yellow Diamond and the prophecy?" asked the Shah. "This general has decided to make a pilgrimage to Mecca," replied the Imam gravely. "I am keeping watch on him."

Now, for a foreigner to enter Mecca is sacrilege to the Mohammedan creed, yet it will be remembered that at the time when the Germans were trying to upset the treaty between England and Persia General Frankenstein announced that he was about to make the pilgrimage.

He turned Mohammedan in order to carry out his plan; but he never came back. Two months after the German envoys started for the Holy City the Imam Riza again entered the Shah's palace to seek an interview.

"It has come," he announced calmly. "The prophecy is fulfilled. The Yellow Devil has been handled by the German. Islam is freed from the curse of the stone."

"And the General Frankenstein?" asked the Shah. "The general is dead. The Yellow Devil slew him. But it has disappeared."

More information was not to be had; but the Imam, after prayers that day, began to recite to the Shah the long tale of tragedies for which the stone is blamed. The list includes every prominent Persian for generations before the stone was laid on the shrine.

The Shah knew that he could never get more information of how the Germans had removed the stone, or what had become of it, for the mullah Riza was a great holy man and would not tell even if he could.

The great European War broke out. Persia was wooed by Germany more than ever, but Persia stood firm to her loyalty to England. But one day just before the Armistice was signed the Imam Riza once more sought the Shah.

"Your Majesty, the Yellow Devil has come back!" He opened his palm, and there was the yellow diamond of Muhammad. The mullah seated himself before the Shah and began his new story.

"The German general," he said, "was never a Muhammadan. He only pretended to be so that he might get to Mecca. I let him go, for I knew he would be fulfilling the prophecy. He stole the Yellow Devil. But he was killed by the mob. His friends took the stone away, escaping in the turmoil. They travelled to India, then to China, and presented it to the Chinese Emperor. The same day revolution broke out in China and the Japanese landed on the coast. Amongst the loot taken from the Peking palace was this stone. The Germans brought it back with them, and by order of the Kaiser, it was presented to the Sultan of Turkey. It was a gift for his share in the War."



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Fresh Ptridge. Fresh Rabbits.

"I remember," said the Shah. "What became of it afterwards?"

"It fell into the gutter, and lay in the mud between the stones of the street. It was trampled upon by strangers of all nationalities, by friend and foe. It was picked up by an old beggar woman, who sold it for a paltry sum to a Jew, not knowing the value of the stone. The Jew took it to Salonique, but there, having it valued, he could find no purchaser, for it was so valuable. A Turkish merchant took it to a mosque, to a wise mullah, on behalf of the Jew, to seek for its story."

"Mullahs know everything, your Majesty. The Salonique mullah sent word to me, and I travelled to Salonique."

Imam Riza stopped and bowed his head to the floor and murmured a prayer. "I arrived in time to see the city of Salonique in flames. Fire had broken out and was consuming the face of the earth. I wandered for days among the tents of the people as they were spread on the plain of Karabournou near the city, seeking the mullah.

"At last I found him. He had hidden the Yellow Stone in a heard hole over Mount Hortiach. He told me that the Jew who owned it had died in the fire. The Turk who had brought it to him had been killed by a falling beam as he tried to escape. He handed the stone to me, and I have brought it back."

"Then you will take it back to Mecca?" cried the Shah. But the mullah shook his head. "It cannot go back into the shrine again. It has been polluted by being handled by strangers, Christians, and by being thrust into the mud, and because of its adventures. It can never be a part of the sacred shrine again."

The Mullah spread his arms wide in explanation, for now he was talking of a Sultan who was also a Muhammadan.

"Your Majesty may remember that trouble has come upon Turkey. This stone was for many years in the crown of the Sultan Ab-dul Ham-Id. It was in his chamber when he was dethroned. It was on the neck of his favorite wife, who was murdered by the mob of Young Turks who broke into the palace of Yildiz. It was in the hand of his young son, Ab-tul-arrum, who was killed as he tried to escape a few days later."

"All these things were remembered by the new Sultan when he received the stone from the Kaiser of Germany. He gave it in fear to Mahmud Pasha, his general-in-chief. I remind your Majesty that Mahmud Pasha was slain by assassins as he crossed the square which leads from Stamboul to Yildiz."

The Yellow which Devil which claimed so much blood and so many victims cannot longer live here. Nevertheless, I have brought it back with me to receive your commands; but so long as it remains in your Majesty's possession it will be sacred.

So it came about that when the Shah came to England he was accompanied by the Imam Riza, who bore the diamond, and who sold it in Hatton Garden through an agent. The famous Riza was a very wise man, and knew that the Shah needed several gifts from England, among them being two of the famous new motor-cars, which were sent out with the returning party to the land of the Arabian Nights.

And for his wisdom the Imam received from the Shah money to build the new mosque of Teheran and the benefits of being famed throughout the land as the saviour of Islam.

White flannel bound in dull red makes the collar and straight tie-end bands at the wrists of a tailored frock of Poiret twill. A smart sports costume is a knitted frock, a loose striped coat collared with raccoon or beaver and a small felt hat.

Afternoon gowns are conservative in color. One graceful model achieved a slim silhouette by girding in skirt eight yards wide. Chameleon tones will feature largely in the spring dance frock. Triple taffeta and small fruit ornaments will be seen.

The smart jacquette may be made of black or taupe caracul, ermine edged with monkey, seal, one of the brown furs or cloth. As though the frock were tired of the plain bateau neckline, an erect band collar, beautifully embroidered, finished the bateau neck.

The popular monogrammed blouse is being made of moisture-proof plain flannel. Those of white flannel have piping and motif in black. A brown cloth jacquette is worn with a skirt of darker brown and a helmet-like hat of platted brown crepe de chine edged with fur.

The spring silhouette will show a waistline very near normal and a straightened effect. The circular skirt and baggy will have departed. A frock planned for the spring collection will be developed in gold crepe Romain and trimmed with metallic thread and ribbon braid.

Fur is playing an important part as trimming. Both frocks and coats appear ornamented heavily with beaver, mink, squirrel and caracul. Gold and silver cloths and brocades make beautiful bodies for regal evening gowns of velvet. Touches of brilliants and jet are used in trimmings.

The three piece costume dress will be shown for spring; and flat crepes printed crepes, and taffetas will make many of the afternoon frocks. An unusual tea gown is of silver fish net over a slip of pale yellow chiffon. Tiny ostrich tipped with silver edges it and there is a delectable cap to match.

A cunning felt hat for a child was a daisy-colored mushroom shape banded with Kolinsky and trimmed at the sides of the brim with clusters of bright flowers.

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Editor Evening Telegram.

Sir—One does not usually take any notice of anonymous criticism, but you have seen fit to give the assis of your editorial column to an utterly unreasonable, unwarrantable, and unprovoked attack upon the humane work which some of us who sympathize with animal suffering, have been trying to accomplish here, and therefore, I think it necessary to reply, if only for the purpose of refuting the mistakes and misrepresentations in which your article abounds. Its very name, "Animals versus Children," is false. Never, in the history of humane work in this country, has there been any attempt to place animals on a par with suffering humanity, nor any suggestion of alleviating the miseries of the one, while neglecting those of the other. Your references to Child Welfare are singularly infelicitous, inasmuch as the Child Welfare Movement was inaugurated and set going by my husband, at the cost of much time and money, and it is a work with which I have been closely connected ever since its inception. I do not wish to refer to work which I have done, and am doing for the poor children of the country, but for the work at which your sneers are chiefly directed. I have to say, that for some years I have periodically visited many of the city schools in the interests of humane education, feeling certain that the teaching of kindness to animals would have a beneficial effect upon the character of the child, as well as both for children and animals I have endeavored to do as much as my time and means would allow. May I ask what you have ever done for either children or animals, that you arrogate to yourself the right to sit in judgment upon others? Also, permit me to point out to you, that you entirely misunderstood the nature and scope of a Home of Rest for horses and other animals. It is not, as you describe, an institution for preserving "disabled and diseased horses," when of no further "practical utility," but is intended for quite different purposes. One is to afford treatment (by a Veterinary Surgeon) for sick and injured horses and other animals; another, to give a horse that is run down or worn out the rest and proper food that will enable him to recuperate, and get into fit condition for going back to work again. Such an institution maintains a free clinic, and is of inestimable benefit to the poor man who cannot afford to get proper treatment for his horse. Many towns no larger than St. John's support work of this kind, and Homes of Rest for Horses and Other Animals are to be found in most parts of the civilized world. From the whole tenor of your editorial, one would infer that you disapprove entirely of any humanitarian efforts for the relief of animal suffering. If this is your position, I hope and trust that you occupy it quite alone.

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Debased Currency.
VIENNA—A curious effect of the debased Austrian currency is disclosed in the necessity of revising the system of instruction in decimal numbers in the schools. As in all other countries, the simplest method for such instruction used to be in terms of money, appealing directly and understandingly to the child mind. True it was easy to formulate lessons to the effect that one heller represented one one hundredth of a crown, and so on. Now one heller represents a variable sum; with no comparative stability, and the school authorities are trying to find another basis or symbol for primary instruction. Furthermore, children to-day never hear of hellers except in school. The lowest purchasing unit is 100 crowns, and it takes three such units to buy a box of matches.

SKATING ON NEARBY PONDS—A number of young people, taking advantage of the bright moonlight, were skating on Burton's Pond last night. The ice on this pond is now considered quite safe. A large number of the young folk have been skating there during the past few days.

Eastern Island a Horrible Place to Live
LONDON—Eastern Island, the land of mystery of the South Pacific, virtually devoid of vegetation, and without bird life of any kind, is a horrible place to live, according to a New Zealand scientist who is now in London after a five months stay on the island. No trees grow on Eastern Island because it lacks water and the heavy winds wreck them. No birds live there because there are no worms in the dry soil; there are no mosquitoes, but this lack is more than compensated by vicious local flies. The island is triangular, 12 miles by nine by seven, and is remote from the track of ships. Two hundred Polynesians inhabit it, and they suffer perpetually from hunger, according to the investigator, who is Professor J. MacMillan Brown. It is famous for its high carved stone images, the origin of which never has been determined. Professor Brown says the island cannot have been long inhabited. He fixes 1600 as the date of the first settlers, and consequently of the setting up of the strange stone gods. It was first sighted by white men in 1685, and first explored in 1722, when it had 2,000 inhabitants.

Money Hidden at Home Has It's Dangers
GENEVA, Switzerland.—A miller who hid bank notes to the value of four thousand francs in a sack of flour during the recent scare caused by the proposal to levy a tax on capital, is now scouring the canton of Argovie in an attempt to recover his funds. The sack of flour in question was by error included in a delivery with other sacks, and sold by the retailer to some housewife who, thus far, has not reported any unexpected prize in her package. A good many Swiss during the money scare drew their money out of banks and confided it to improvised depositories, which in some cases proved to be unsafe. One man, following the example of the farmer of Lorient, France, put a thousand franc note in a gun barrel and then forgot it. He shot the money away a few days later when firing at a rabbit.

Ought to Have Been Dead.
Although he is so consistent an advocate of total abstinence, Mr. "Pussy-foot" Johnson is a stickler for accuracy on the temperance platform. "I was," he says, "converted to this view at a meeting I attended in Chicago many years ago, when the lecturer began his address as follows:—'Every glass of whisky a man drinks shortens his life one hour.' There was a long pause, then:—'Question!' shouted a stout, red-faced man, rising in the body of the hall. 'Question!' 'Well, what's your question, friend?' said the lecturer. 'Did I understand you to say, sir, that every glass of whisky a man drinks shortens his life an hour?' 'That's what I said. Why?' 'Oh, nothing,' said the stout chap, 'only, I've been doing a little mental arithmetic, and I find I ought to have been dead about thirty-five years ago.'

Soviet Officials Tire of Long Hours.
MOSCOW—Night work, which was so popular among the Soviet Commissioners and various government chiefs when communism was at its height, is gradually disappearing as part of the programme of the new economic policy. The work of the various officials has been distributed in part to others, and it is no longer necessary for them to labor fifteen to eighteen hours out of every twenty-four. Nikolai Lenin, the Premier, since his return to office after a six month's rest in the country made necessary by illness, occasionally works in the evenings, but not all the night as formerly. George Tchicherin, Commissioner for Foreign Affairs, who in the old days never finished work until five or six o'clock in the morning, also works in the evenings seven days a week, but he usually finishes along toward midnight. Generally speaking, official hours nowadays are from ten or eleven o'clock in the morning to nine or ten o'clock at night, with a few hours off in the late afternoon for dinner.

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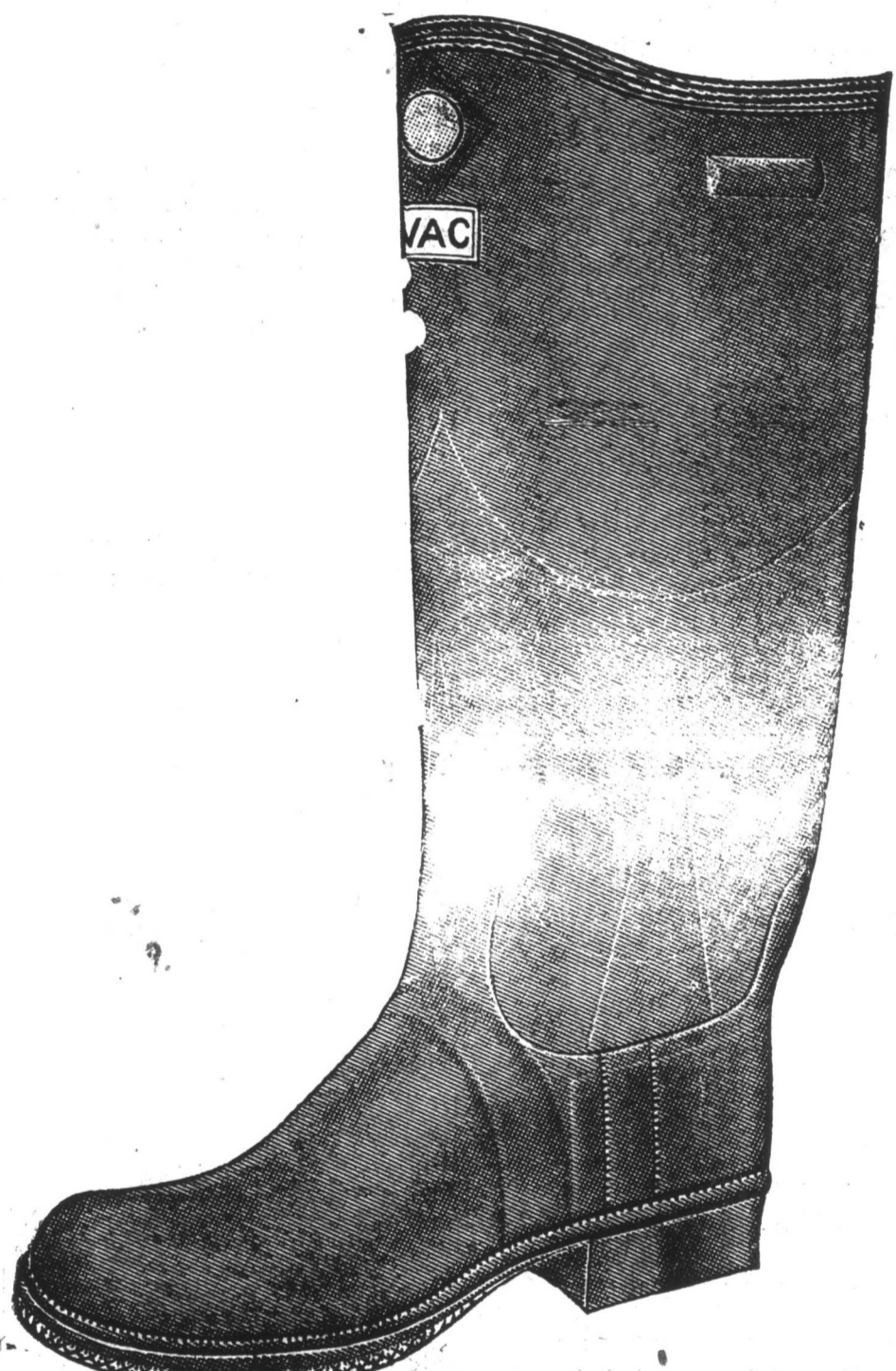
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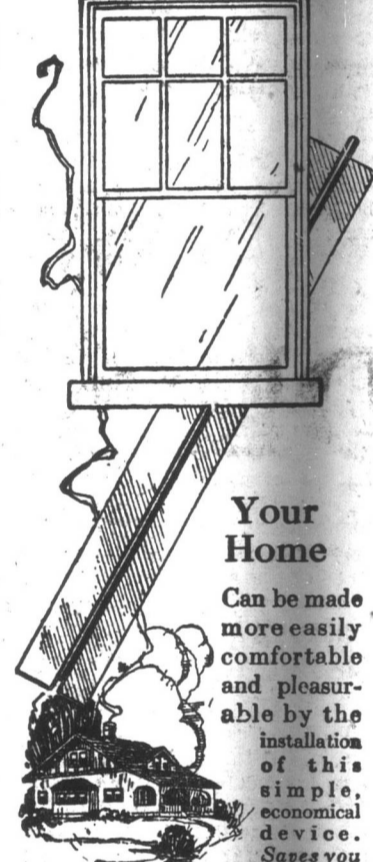
A Careless Military Commander.

In 1895, General Arimondi, commander in chief of the 11 advanced posts in Abyssinia, sent from the fortified town of Markalla a flying column of two thousand, five hundred native troops under Italian officers, with a mountain battery, the whole under the command of Major Toofelli. On Sunday, December 8, the Major reached a place called Amba Alagi. He had no idea that there was any hostile force in the neighbourhood, and he bivouacked without sending out any scouts to search the hills, and only posted a few sentinels near the camp. In fact, he arranged his bivouac just as if he were at home in Italy in peace time, and he paid dearly for his carelessness. There were some twenty thousand of Menlelek's troops—riflemen and spearmen—moving on Amba Alagi, and that same Sunday night they fell upon Toofelli's little force. The Italian officers and their native troops made a hard fight, but the battery was rushed and captured, three fourths of the officers were shot or speared, two thousand, two hundred of their men fell in the fight, and a mere handful—less than three hundred—escaped from that field of slaughter and reached the fort of Markalla.

Dry Throats Reduce Wine Production.

ROME—Prohibition laws in America continue to have their effect on the production of wine in Europe, especially in Italy and Spain, the most important wine growing countries on the Continent. According to the International Institute of Agriculture, the 1922 vintage in Italy is estimated at 726,000,000 gallons, or about 18 per cent. below the average of the previous five years. In Spain the yield of wine is expected this year to be 476,000,000 gallons, or eight per cent. below the last five years.

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Our Dumb Animals

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REPORT OF CHIEF AGENT S.P.A. WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 8.

attended to the landing of 21 head of cattle from the Sable. The saw them landed and taken away immediately. Some of the 43 head cattle, which came from these were taken to Neal's farm, housed and fed. Attended to the sale of cattle, saw that all were taken by purchasers immediately after sale. Humanely destroyed a dog owned by a resident of Freshwater Road; also one on York Street that had been taken in some unaccountable way. Received report of a dog being left on the Topsall Road, the owner looked after it. Advised several truckmen, horse owners in general re-keeping their horses covered when standing in cold weather. consented to do the best possible in my opinion the clipping of horses in the most cruel treatment, particularly a cab horse, in some instances is out with. It is a violation of nature's law simply because it gives old horses a smart appearance. When a little grease and elbow grease would be used, 100 per cent of horse owners will admit this. Spoke to several persons whose horses needed a little care. Was called to King's Road to humanely destroy a horse owned by W. Bassett. An attempt to get allowed where the owners are here to make cost of killing quite a number of messages which have all been promptly attended.

JONAS BARTER, Chief Agent.

An Expression

of gratitude.

THE PEOPLE VIEW IT.

Evening Telegram. I cannot find words to express my gratitude to you for your article yesterday in reference to the houses for the diseased horses of this city. I feel sure Heaven must have prompted you to protest against a proceeding, realising as you do the starvation that exists in our city. If these faddists want something to do let them go feed the hungry, clothe the naked. I will be most happy to furnish the names of families in St. John's who are greatly in need at the present time. And I can tell of little children both cold and hungry, who are in greater need of help than diseased horses, or horses too old to work. One cannot imagine any sane person soliciting the help of colleges for money to establish a rest camp for diseased horses. When it is so well known that hunger conditions are existing in St. John's to-day. Do not make your protests, Mr. Editor, about this silly craze. The Unions of St. John's will stand behind you. "Get Homes for Horses!" Dear little children and women going for bread to feed them and to warm them, and none forthcoming. Not only will the Unions support you, Mr. Editor, but the whole city will back you in anything you will in future write against such a useless and unnecessary project.

JULIA SALTER EARLE, President Ladies' Branch N.I.W.A. Dec. 9, 1922.

Meeting of Bible Society.

METHODIST COLLEGE HALL TOMORROW NIGHT. A special meeting of the friends and supporters of the Newfoundland Bible Society is being held in the Methodist College Hall tomorrow night at 8.15 o'clock. The meeting will be addressed by His Excellency Sir William Almon and the Lord Bishop of Newfoundland and Rev. R. J. Turner, M.A. In addition to hearing His Excellency on the first time from a public platform in Newfoundland, and the other speakers, there is an added attraction in that St. Andrew's Choir, under the direction of Professor Monahan, will render some special music. The time of opening the doors has been set to permit various congregations to attend service at their respective churches before proceeding to the Hall.

Marine Works Closed.

SHED FOR SMALL BOATS. The work for building a shelter for small boats at Bonavista has been suspended for the winter. During the work a large number of men were employed at this work, which included the making of a canal to connect it with the salt water. The improvements have not been half completed, and it will require many thousands of dollars to complete the work of the shed.

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Do not make
your protests,
Mr. Editor,
about this
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Unions of St.
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stand behind
you. "Get
Homes for
Horses!" Dear
little children
and women
going for bread
to feed them
and to warm
them, and none
forthcoming.
Not only will
the Unions
support you,
Mr. Editor,
but the whole
city will back
you in anything
you will in
future write
against such
a useless and
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Yours truly,
JULIA SALTER EARLE,
President Ladies' Branch N.I.W.A.
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The Fascisti: Their Origin And Aims.

(Catholic Register.)
We have been asked by many readers, "Who are the Fascisti?" "What is their origin?" "What do they propose to do?" "Why are they called Fascisti?" For answer to these questions and as a very clear, comprehensive and satisfying account of the present dictators of Italian politics, we cannot do better than give the following article from the Manchester Guardian. By way of preface it should be known that the Fascisti take their peculiar name from the "Fasces," which was the symbol of magisterial authority in ancient Rome. The "Fasces" (from Latin "Fasces," a rod or twig), consisted of a bundle of rods bound around the axe. The rods signified the power of scourging, which was a common punishment for crime in old Rome, and the axe symbolized the power of death or beheading. Axe and rods combined signified the power of punishing crime possessed by judges and magistrates. They therefore became a symbol of law and of government. As such they were carried before magistrates by the "lictors" or policemen of ancient Rome, just as the mace to-day is carried before the Lord Mayors of English cities, and before the Speaker of Parliament, or the American House of Representatives, to signify his authority.

A BLOODLESS REVOLUTION.
(From The Manchester Guardian.)
The part of an English observer of the Italian crisis is at the moment to study it in a spirit of sympathy for Italy, for the nation as a whole, not for a section of it. The Fascists, who at the Armistice did not exist, have now overthrown a constitutional Government by threat of force, impelled the King to reject the advice of his Ministers, and established themselves in power. We may congratulate Italy that she has so far escaped bloodshed. The discipline of the Fascists has been good, their success in the occupation of important towns was immediate, and the action of the King perhaps averted what chance there was of civil war. Office and responsibility are apt to exercise a sobering influence on unsober minds, and some utterances are already attributed to the new Premier which suggest that he may pursue a policy more moderate than the speeches he has sometimes made. That remains to be seen. Meanwhile we may as well begin by recognizing what has happened in Italy.

Signor Mussolini has been victorious by a "coup d'etat," by the exercise of unconstitutional violence. It is said that the bulk of Italian opinion is on his side, but there is no means of judging that. Amid the arms of the Fascists the voice of criticism is silent. But even if it were true, it would still be irrelevant. If Italy is on his side, why declare a "general mobilization?" Mussolini's example, however moderately he might use his success, does permanent injury to his country. When a Lenin or a D'Annunzio, a De Valera or a Zeligowski insists by means of violence that he knows what his people want better than it does itself, he does an injury to its free development which is not soon or lightly healed. Italy will be fortunate if she, too, does not pay heavily for Mussolini.

ORIGIN OF THE FASCIST MOVEMENT.

For the origins of the Fascist movement we must go back to D'Annunzio, who fomented mutiny in the army and navy and seized Fiume. Had the Italian Government been strong enough to suppress D'Annunzio at once, there would in all probability have been no Fascists and no Mussolini. All recent history (in Ireland, for instance) teaches that unless an anti-constitutional movement of this kind is grappled with while it is still young and weak it will attract to itself support from the many elements to whom force or fanaticism or the idea of nationalist expansion makes an irresistible appeal. The Italian Government hesitated—our own record over Ulster forbids us to be censorious—and for many months D'Annunzio, with strong support in the army and navy, successfully defied them. But if the Nationalists, why not the Communists? So the workmen seized the factories and it was found that they, too, could use force with impunity. A compromise was made with them, and, if it failed in their object, it was not as they were not sufficiently organized and had not used force enough.

MUSSOLINI.
Then came Mussolini—a former Socialist and possessed by not less than the usual fervour of the man who has sprung from one extreme to another—and the Fascists arose. The Communist outbreak had struck terror into the heart of large masses of the population, who found that the Government could not protect them. Mussolini found a fertile soil and many allies. He preached to the youth of his country both the dangers of Communism and the gospel of a great Imperial Italy which D'Annunzio had already done much to make popular. Like Pompeius, he stamped his foot and an army arose. The manufacturers, the middle classes, everyone who had anything to lose supplied him with men or money. Glottis, the Premier, who had not dared to deal severely with the Communists, was not averse



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to the growth of a force which was likely to relieve him of a very troublesome task.

In its inception the Fascist movement was the most unnatural product of extreme weakness in the central Government, and it had its generous and its worthy side. But, as was inevitable with an organization which was under private and therefore under inadequate or inefficient control, it degenerated. It became itself a means of persecution against the Socialists and of open interference with the established State authorities. Sporadically but continuously it has waged the class war throughout Italy. No longer the upholder but the breaker of law, an instrument of tyranny instead of a bulwark against it, it has latterly threatened that it would, if need be, seize the reins of power. Parliament and Government, rent as they have long been between many little groups and only two or three parties of any size, have no more been able to assert the voice of the law and Constitution against Mussolini than they were against D'Annunzio or the Communists. Mussolini might have waited for the elections in order to submit his case to the electorate. He has chosen a shorter way, though there is nothing in the situation of Italy at home or abroad that justifies his haste. If Italy is really on his side, he should be able now to "re-align" his action by appealing to the people for their approval by constitutional means.

POLICY OF THE FASCISTS.

Of Mussolini's policy the little that is known is not encouraging. At home the mainspring of the movement has been anti-Socialism, which has taken the form of destroying the property of Socialist institutions and ejecting Socialist officials from the posts to which they have been legally elected. If this method should be elevated into a principle of government by a Ministry founded upon a threat of war, "Force begets Force" will be its epithet. Abroad the Fascists proclaim a flamboyant Nationalist policy of the sort for which no other people has had much stomach since the war. The re-opening of the Adriatic question with Jugo-Slavia—what a time for "re-opening" a problem that was hardly settled without another war!—the conversion of the Adriatic into an Italian lake, the acquisition of Malta, the recovery of Italian-speaking districts of Switzerland, and even, according to a good authority, the "demolition of the British Empire" (though presumably as an ideal rather than an immediate proposition)—these are among the aims attributed to the fascist leaders.

It would be sad indeed if the unconsidered flow of heady oratory were to inspire not only the orators but also the statesmen which they will now become. It would be a grievous loss if the aid which during the last few years Italy has so often given to the cause of moderation and goodwill in reconstructing Europe were now to be withdrawn and she were to dissipate her energies on a class-war at home, waged under constitutional forms, and Nationalist ambitions abroad, when for all of us, the need is to sacrifice something of our personal ambitions for the larger good. But it may be that Signor Mussolini and his crusaders have been misunderstood.

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A CHARMING LITTLE.
3975. 100% pure cotton, a pretty sleeve pattern, these lines, these sizes, these materials, this attractive pattern of velvet will be required. The dress or in linen, or combination materials. It is also a good pattern. The Pattern is cut in 3 Sizes: 38, 38, 40, 42, and 44 inches waist measure. To make as illustrated, 3 3/4 yards of figured material, 40 inches wide. The Pattern is about 2 yards. Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 10c in silver or stamps.

A BOY'S PLAY SUIT.
4142. This is a good model for galatea, drill, seersucker, gabardine and serge. The back is made with drop portions. The sleeve may be finished with the cuff or only the sleeveband.
The Pattern is cut in 4 Sizes: 2, 3, 4 and 6 years. A 2 year size requires 1 1/4 yard of 40 inch material. To trim as illustrated requires 3/4 yard of contrasting material 32 inches wide.
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Serge, chevot, corduroy and khaki are good for the Knickerbockers and cambric, madras, linen, chambray and flannel for the Blouse.
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4170. This is a good model for boys with now and then inserted pockets. The "knickers" too, are large enough to hold things boys like to carry. The Pattern is cut in 3 Sizes: 3, 4, and 6 years. A 3 year size requires 1 1/4 yards of 32 inch material. For 6 years alone 1 1/4 yard of material. Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 10c in silver or stamps.

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New prune sauce is made by washing and soaking prunes and pouring enough syrup over them to cover. Bring to boil and cook slowly until soft. Serve with cream or low sauce and nuts.

Alphabet soup makes an indispensable when preparing children's party. They can be on place cards to spell out the name or they can be colored in by decorating the letters on the alphabet.

A delicious apricot sauce can be made in the following manner: 2 cups apricot pulp, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 2 cups thin cream, 2 cups milk. Freeze to a consistency and the stiffly-beaten white of 2 eggs. Finish freezing and allow to melt two hours.

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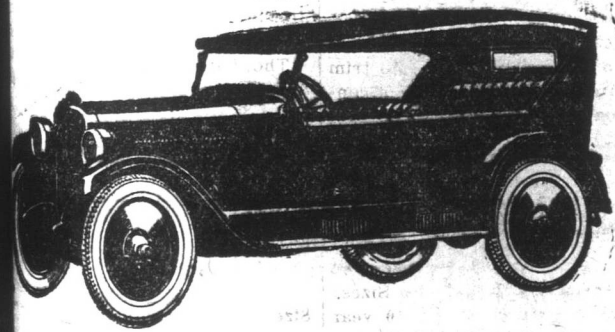
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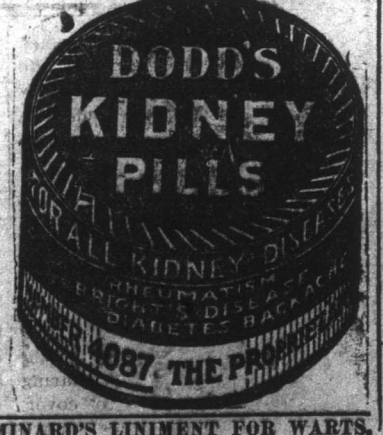
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TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

SHORT SHERIFF FOR NEGRO. PERRY, Florida, Dec. 9. Charlie White, a negro, accused of the murder of Ruby Hendry, a young school teacher, was taken from the Sheriff and burned at a stake at the scene of the crime, last night, by a mob of several thousand men.

ALL ON BOARD SAVED. PARIS, Dec. 9. Fleeing from a violent tempest sweeping the Mediterranean coast of Spain, the French mail boat, Governor General H. Hirman, struck the reefs of Port Venres, nineteen miles southeast of Perpignan, where it was seeking refuge. All the passengers were saved with difficulty.

STREET FIRING. LONDON, Dec. 9. Reports from Dublin say that there was promiscuous firing in the city last night, but no suggestion that it was of unusual intensity.

FEARED LOSS OF REVENUE. WELLINGTON, N.Z., Dec. 9. Complete figures on the licensing referendum disclose a majority for its continuance of over sixteen thousand. The failure of prohibition is attributed to fear of financial loss.

READY FOR ACTION. PEKING, Dec. 9. United States destroyer Asheville will arrive at Tsing Tao to-day, and it is understood the vessel will not hesitate to land marines if bandits infesting the district endanger the lives of foreigners after the Japanese evacuation.

FOUR WOMEN IN SENATE. DUBLIN, Dec. 9. All membership for Senate is completed. It will have four women members. Dowager Countess Desart and Mrs. Wyse Power, nominated by Daill, Mrs. Green the historian, and Mrs. Costello, both elected by the Lower Chamber. There is considerable Democratic element among those elected by Daill. Several members being farmers or traders, and one road builder.

ALL SETTLED. LAUSANNE, Dec. 9. Optimism reigned to-day, when it became known that conference had weathered its most difficult session. With Turks and Powers practically agreeing on Dardanelles settlement, and Russia accepting the inevitable, it remains only for sub-committees of experts to work out details of the pact.

ANTICIPATE REPRISALS. LONDON, Dec. 9. The belief that yesterday's executions in Dublin will be followed by further shootings, was expressed to-day in Dublin despatches to London newspapers. Correspondents are convinced that a chain of reprisals will follow.

FOUR PREMIERS MEET. LONDON, Dec. 9. Premiers of Great Britain, Italy, France and Belgium met here to-day to sketch the latest and most important chapter in the story of German reparations. It was expected that Poincare would take the opportunity to state definitely to Premier Law that France has absolutely no desire to take over Rhineland.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS. TORONTO, Dec. 9. Six hundred undergraduates of colleges in various parts of the world will gather in Toronto from December 28 to January 2, attending the first National Conference of Canadian students to be held under the auspices of the Student Christian movement, in Convocation Hall.

TOGETHER IN DEATH. PARIS, Dec. 9. Twenty thousand French soldiers, who died in Germany as prisoners of war, are to be buried in a great cemetery at Sarrebourg, near the frontier, according to an announcement to-day.

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Coastal Boats. REIDS. Argyle—No report since leaving Argentea yesterday morning. Clyde left Morston's Harbor at 4 p.m. yesterday, outward. Glencoe left Grand Bank 7 a.m. to-day, coming east. Home left South West Arm 11.30 a.m. yesterday, outward. Kyle at North Sydney. Sagona at Humbermouth. Malakoff left Salvage 7.50 p.m. yesterday, outward.

GOVERNMENT. Prospero left Nipper's Harbor at 10.20 a.m. to-day. Portia arrived at Wesleyville 7.30 last night. Senet—No report.

Shipping. S.S. Canadian Sapper which arrived in port last night from Charlotte-town brought a full general cargo, including a deck load of cattle and sheep. The ship sails again on Monday for Halifax making close connections with steamers leaving for the West Indies. S.S. Canadian Gunner hauled to the dry dock this morning for a survey of the damage done by the fire. All the damaged goods which were landed from the ship are being surveyed and during next week they will be sold by auction.

How Wireless Came. A POTTED HISTORY OF THE WORLD'S NEW WONDER. Wireless waves were proved to exist long before they were ever experimented with. In 1877 a man named Clerk Maxwell worked them out theoretically, and predicted that before long they would be demonstrated practically.

These demonstrations were made some years after his death by a German professor, Heinrich Hertz, in 1888. The apparatus with which he made and detected these waves was very crude, but it has the honour of being the first wireless apparatus ever made. His transmitting set consisted of two metallic plates separated by an air gap. By charging them with electricity, and causing a spark to jump across the gap, wireless waves were sent out.

To show this was the case he held a coil of wire near by (the receiving aerial) which had one small gap in it. When the spark from the "transmitting set" sent out the ether waves, the "aerial" picked them up, and a tiny spark jumped across the gap in the aerial.

In 1895 Marconi carried out successful experiments in practical wireless, and the following year demonstrated them before authorities of the British Government and the Post Office. His experiments were conducted over a distance of about 100 yards. A few months later he increased the length of distance over which he could send signals to 1 1/2 miles.

The next year he could wireless a distance of thirty-four miles. And in December, 1896, the first wireless message was sent to a ship at sea from a station at the Needles, Isle of Wight. The first thermionic valve to be invented, and so make the wirelessing of speech and music possible, saw light in 1904, and was the outcome of experiments on the part of Dr. J. A. Fleming. This first valve was afterwards considerably improved by Dr. Dee de Forest, who rendered it practical, and very much like the valves as are used to-day.—Ex.

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Some Music!

The regular horn-player of the orchestra was ill, and the conductor reluctantly accepted the services of an applicant who played in an amateur brass band.

After the first performance, the new player asked the conductor how he had done. The conductor replied that he had done fairly well, but would do better, doubtless, with practice. Whereupon the new comer exclaimed gratefully:—"Sir, the music was strange to me to-night, and I'm not quite sure of it yet. But just wait till to-morrow night and you aren't going to hear any of them fiddles at all!"

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Board of Trade Meeting. MR. MORINE WILL ADDRESS GATHERING.

The Newfoundland Board of Trade are holding a special meeting on Monday afternoon, when Mr. A. B. Morine will address the gathering on Co-operative Marketing. The speaker has given much thought to the subject and a very interesting address may be expected.

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Note of Thanks.

Mr. Michael Wade and family desire to thank sincerely the large circle of friends who contributed so much towards the alleviation of the sorrow and bereavement with which they were afflicted owing to the death, recently, of Mrs. Wade, their dear wife and mother. The many messages and letters received and bearing words of kindness, cheer and encouragement tended a great deal to lighten the burden of sorrow and affliction, and Mr. Wade and family desire to express their gratitude to the following:—Miss Bride Burke, Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, and Mrs. George Kennedy, Avondale, for wreaths; Rev. Fathers Kavanagh and Murphy; James McGrath, New York; Mrs. James Lewis, Brigus Junction; Dr. W. E. Jones, Avondale; Mrs. Michael Kennedy and family, Holyrood; Mrs. Albert Ryan, Placentia; William Sinnott, Whitbourne; T. S. McGrath, St. John's; Mrs. W. O'D. Kelly, St. John's; Sister M. Evangelist, Bolvidere; Miss and Mrs. Shea, Brigus; the Sisters, Mercy Convent Conception; the Sisters, Presentation Convent; Mr. Main; Elias Busha, Bell Island; Nurse Cron, St. John's; John Hannon, Holyrood; James Verran, Placentia; Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Wadden, St. John's; Rev. Dr. Murphy, Brigus; J. C. Murphy, Bell Island; Rt. Rev. Mgr. Donnelly, Conception; Katie Donnelly, Conception; Mrs. (Conat) John Morrison, Bell Island; Joseph M. Greene, East Wabana; Executive and Members of Knights of Columbus, Conception Convent; Sister M. Clara, St. John's; G. Cobb, Supt. R.N. Co., Bishop's Falls; Miss Frances and Helena Kennedy, Montreal; Mrs. James Powers, Philadelphia; Mrs. E. N. White, Philadelphia; J. B. Dunn, St. George's. Avondale, Dec. 2nd, 1922.

NOTE OF THANKS.—As promoter of the Jackson-Bell Challenge Race, I wish to express my sincere appreciation of the services rendered by the officials of the A.A.A. who conducted it for me, and to those other gentlemen who so kindly assisted me as ushers, etc. Also to the Press for their very generous publicity. I would also take this opportunity of stating that despite assertions to the contrary, absolutely none were interested in this proposition but myself, though I very gladly availed of the kindly assistance of the Executive of the A.A.A. in making the necessary arrangements for the Jackson boys' visit here. CLAUDE HALL.

NEWFOUNDLAND. NOTICE TO MARINERS (No. 8 OF 1922).

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W. F. COAKER, Minister of Marine & Fisheries. Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, St. John's, Newfoundland, December 5th, 1922. dec.5

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