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After a few minutes' consultation, the driver was told to take them to Hammer Smith. Again was the precaution taken of stopping the cab a half-mile from their destination. "We shall be back, say in an hour," Locksley said to the driver. "It is hardly wise for you to loiter in the streets, as you are known to at least one of the people who have been set to watch me."

dreadful accident, and when you weren't here, I nearly became hysterical. I am sure that there is some dreadful meaning attached to it. You must not hide anything from me, dear."

"I will never do that, Dora," Locksley said, earnestly. "In the first place I knew nothing of this until you had left Madam Bell's house; and we have to thank Rogers for outwitting Marlowe, and the people he has employed to trace you."

"I can guess what you would say, Edmund," she softly responded. "Only as your wife shall we be free from the vindictiveness of Mr. Marlowe, through Esther and my grandfather."

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replied, tenderly stroking her shining hair. "Dora, I never knew the value of life until you gave me your love. Without it I should be but a cloud! There! we will not dwell upon that which is gloomy. Before us is a world of brightness, a beautiful garden, filled with flowers and perfumes. We will have a lovely little home- nest, for I am not exactly a poor man, and it shall be furnished with all that is tasteful and beautiful. Do you like the picture, little woman? Do you not think that our lives will be like an idyllic dream? Like a stream that ripples gently along, singing of joy, joy, joy!"

"To make you happy, Edmund, will be my sweetest task," Dora told him. "And, do you know, dear, that I wish that tomorrow were here, so that we could commence our life's journey hand in hand!"

CHAPTER XX.

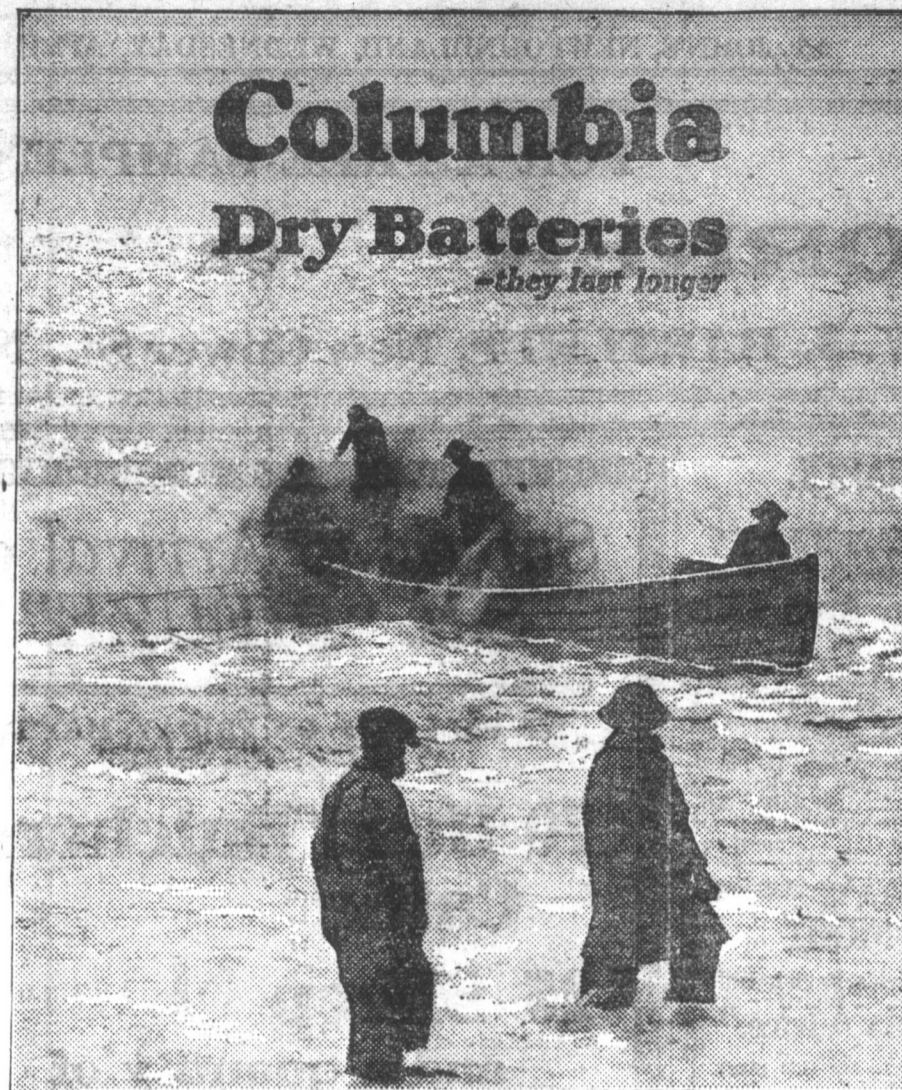
Locksley did not return to Greely's Hotel, but was driven direct to his club in Piccadilly, where he dismissed the ostler, and gave him a handsome fee.

"I would prefer that you keep watch upon Miss Deene until I return to Hammer Smith this evening," he said, finally "Engage a room for me somewhere in the neighborhood, and arrange with your nearest clergyman to be ready to conduct a wedding at nine o'clock to-morrow morning."

"You must not think me foolish and ungrateful, Edmund, my darling," she said, at last "I am ashamed of being so much trouble to you, and of so little use."

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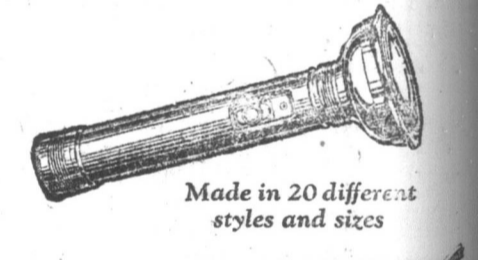
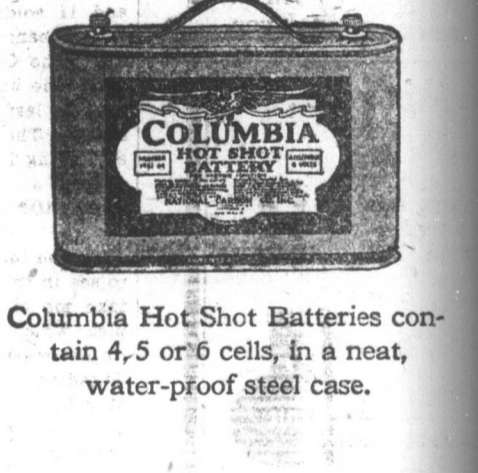
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People Increasing Who Speak English

OVER SIXTY MILLION MORE PERSONS SPEAK ENGLISH THAN IN 1890.

In the year 1901 the number of people who spoke English was only 29,000,000; by 1890 it has grown to 111,000,000; to-day it is 170,000,000, and is rapidly increasing. More than 10 per cent of the world's population use English as their only language.

By 1950 if nothing unforeseen occurs, English will be used by twice as many people as any other language, and by the year 2,000 will be the means of communication between one-quarter of the inhabitants of the globe.

More than that, since English is being taught in the schools of almost every civilized country, it seems certain that by that time more than half the world's population will be able to read English. There can be hardly any doubt but that, in course of time, English is bound to become the world language.

Let us glance for a moment at rivals of English, the other languages used by the peoples of this planet.

In 1891 French was the most widely used language. In Mulhall's Dictionary of Statistics the number then speaking French is given as 31,000,000, or 50 per cent. in excess of English-speaking peoples.

Next came Russian and third German, each with about 30,000,000 adherents. Fourth was Spanish, spoken by just over 26,000,000, and fifth Italian, used by 15,000,000 people.

In the space of 120 years the number speaking French has increased by only a quarter, and is to-day just over 40,000,000; 70,000,000 speak German, 50,000,000 Spanish, 35,000,000 Italian.

The only European language apart from English which has increased on a grand scale is Russian, which is to-day used by about 100,000,000 people. With all due respect to the use and laudates of the Russian language, it can hardly be said to be a serious rival to English.

Chinese is still used by an immense number. The present population of China is supposed to be about 420,000,000. But Chinese is so cumbersome a language that educated Chinese themselves admit that it cannot possibly survive.

The only living language besides English which is at present growing with any rapidity is Spanish. Spanish is the principal language of America from Mexico southwards, and the population of the South American countries is increasing rapidly. Yet even Spanish is no likely rival to English as a world language.

At present three-quarters of all the world's letters and postal packets are addressed in English, more than half the newspapers in the world are printed in English, while their circulation is quite three times that of all the periodicals printed in other languages.

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Income and Goals

Explorers Among With 32 Kill

More than five million all parts of the 14th Congress. Party, which opened former War Ministry presence was expected to be the gainst his departure from the island resort of St. Michael's in order to continue for the time being his political career. The Government is believed his former aide among the in the course of his career. The movement of the production, agricultural movement, the recent activists in the Communist movement. Through the foreigner may be said that already occupied with the of Russia's colonial situation.

Winston Churchil's flight, laid before the on to-day, played the on a role in the re-imposition of on imported goods. Through increases of

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Explorers Report Desperate Conditions Among Eskimos.-Hindenburg Hailed With Exuberance by Monarchists.-32 Killed in Mexican Election Conflict.

PROGRESS OF COMMUNIST PARTY.
MOSCOW, April 28. The fifty-five hundred delegates, from all parts of Russia, are attending the 15th Congress of the Communist Party which opened here yesterday. Mr. W. I. Zinoviev, whose name was expected to be the chief figure of the gathering, has postponed his departure from the trans-Caucasus resort of Sukhum, for another week in order to complete a book on the political life, and his friends anticipate that he will soon be engaged with a responsible place in the Government and gradually receive the former popularity and prestige. Among the questions to be discussed at the convention, which will be the most important in the history of the movement, are the co-operation of the Communist Party with the Government, the reduction of taxation, the resumption of international relations, and the recent activities of the counter-revolutionary "Communist International." Although the London correspondents are allowed to attend the sessions, it is well known that the delegates are busy occupied with the consideration of Russia's economic and industrial situation.

BRITAIN RESTORES GOLD STANDARD.
LONDON, April 28. The House of Commons today passed the British Empire Gold Standard Bill, which restores the gold standard on a solid basis and announced the resumption of the McKenna duties on imported luxuries. After finding additional sources of revenue through increased death duties, a tax on silk and a few other articles, the Chancellor of the Exchequer went to the relief of the General British public by a straight cut of sixpence in the pound on income tax. In announcing Great Britain's return to the gold standard, Mr. Churchill declared there would be complete imperial unity in this policy. Mr. Churchill stated that Holland and the Dutch East Indies, which were very important factors in the world's commerce, would act simultaneously with Great Britain to-day in restoring the gold standard.

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WILL REPORT ON ARCTIC CONDITIONS.
OTTAWA, April 28. Dr. Knut Rasmussen, famous Arctic explorer, is here to interview the Canadian Government regarding the horrible conditions said to exist in the Canadian Arctic. He recently made a long expedition into the Far North to investigate the reports that

Eskimos were killing their babies on account of there being insufficient food. He said he would be glad to make his findings public after conference with the Government.

COLD IN FRANCE.
PARIS, April 28. A cold spell now prevails practically throughout France, and fruit trees which are in bloom are menaced by frost.

FEW FRIENDS OF PROHIBITION.
LONDON, April 28. According to Walter Granville, Grand Superintendent of the legislative work of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars, the Conservatives, broadly speaking, are, on the liquor question, against both local veto and public ownership; the Liberals are for local veto and against state ownership; Labor agrees with some form of local option and also with public ownership. On this basis Mr. Granville concludes that the temperance question has fewer friends in the House of Commons than it possessed a good many years back.

FRENCH LOSSES IN MOROCCO.
PARIS, April 28. A captain and 14 men of a French Colonial unit in Morocco were killed and 11 soldiers wounded in fighting with a band of 400 rebels early in April, the Government announced today. The battle which occurred near Preftia, lasted three days and three nights. The attacking rebels retreated leaving forty dead.

TESTIMONY OF C.G.M.M. CAPTAIN.
VANCOUVER, April 28. "If you insist upon sending the ship to sea in this condition for God's sake take me out of her." This was the plea which Captain Wm. Bradley, former master of the ill-fated steamer Canadian Exporter, told Mr. Justice Murphy in the Supreme Court yesterday, that he made to shore officers of the Canadian Merchant Marine just before the vessel left port on her fatal voyage in July. The answer he alleges he received, according to his testimony, was, "If this ship is in Vancouver to-morrow morning the newspapers will say that the strikers have beaten the C.G.M.M." With first officer Newton Campbell on the bridge the Canadian Exporter piled up on Willapa Bar, off the coast of Oregon, near the mouth of the Columbia River, early in the morning of July 31, and after several days on the reefs finally broke up and sank. The consignees of the cargo are suing for claims of \$45,000, while other consignees having claims in excess of \$150,000 are awaiting the outcome of the action.

32 KILLED IN ELECTION FIGHTS IN MEXICO.
NOGALLES, Ariz., April 28. Thirty-two persons were killed in fights and disturbances resulting from city elections, held in the State of Sonora, Mexico, Sunday, officials here declared.

NO SIGN OF DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE.
LONDON, April 28. Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, replying to a question in the House of Commons today regarding the possible summoning of another disarmament conference, declared that he did not see any sign of an early call of such a conference from any quarter.

BARON BYNG HAS HIS CHOICE.
LONDON, April 28. The Canadian Press learns authoritatively that there is no question of the British Government's willingness to permit Baron Byng of Vimy to ex-

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GOSH! HE'S BEEN SCALPED!
THAT'S MY POP!
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"Would you, bunny boy," answered Lady Love, hugging him close to her calico apron. "Maybe we can, who knows? Why don't you call up Uncle Lucky?"

"Hello, Central One, Two, Three. Guess who's calling? Little Me Wants to talk to Uncle Lucky. Who is always kind and plucky."

"Of course he is. Everybody knows Mr. Lucky. Leftin'foot," answered a voice over the wire. "But give me his telephone number. I can't remember that."

"One, Two, Three, Rabbitville, Little White House on the hill," answered the bunny boy, quick as a wink. In a few minutes the dear old gentleman bunny was enquiring over the wire:

"Who is calling? I don't know. My rheumatism is hurting so."

"Oh, dear me, I'm so sorry, and so sorry for myself," sighed the little rabbit.

"Ha, ha," laughed funny Uncle Lucky, "how can your little pinky toe hurt you? You're too young for rheumatism."

"That's not the reason," replied the bunny boy. "You may not be able to come to my May Day Party."

"Didn't know you were to give one," answered the old gentleman rabbit. "But I'd come, even if my pinky toe ached and I had to hop on one leg."

"He'll come, he'll come," shouted the happy little rabbit, turning to Lady Love.

"Let me speak to him," answered the pretty lady bunny, and taking the

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Big Advance in Bread Prices Not Justified

FOUR PRICES UP, FOLLOWED BY IMMEDIATE BOOST IN COST OF LOAF.

The jumps in wheat prices over the year's end were followed closely by sharp advances in flour prices. Bread prices showed a sympathetic, but less pronounced, movement.

It would probably be hard to justify the recent advances in flour and bread prices. There is talk of further increases in bread prices. But even the recent speculative advances in wheat prices, if they had been maintained, would not have justified the present prices of flour and bread.

The prices of bread are certainly not reasonable, unless the bakers during 1919, when the war boom was at its height, were losing money.

Here is a comparison from data compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics:

Average and corresponding prices for whole year:			
	Dec. 1923	Dec. 1924	
No. 1. Wheat	\$ 2.21	\$1.79	
1st P. Flour	11.42	9.50	
Plain Bread	.066	.066	

Thus last December bread was the same price as in 1919, though there had been a reduction of 23 per cent in the price of wheat and of 17 per cent in the price of flour. The bread prices are those of Toronto, always lower than Montreal prices. Since the prices given above were quoted, wheat flour and bread have increased in price.

When wheat rose to \$2.10 recently flour prices were advanced to \$11.40 for first patents, the average price for wheat averaged \$2.21. Most factors entering into production costs were more expensive during the war boom than they are to-day. So even if millers had brought their wheat supplies at the recent price of \$2.10, which being speculative has rapidly receded, it would be hard to justify flour prices equal to the average in 1919. Still harder to justify present bread prices, which are higher than in 1919.

It is not on record that the millers of bakers lost money in 1919 when the war boom was in full swing. The boom reached its peak in 1920, wheat prices averaged \$2.75 in August, 1920; then slumped to \$1.85 in December of that year. First patent flour prices soared to \$14.85 in the summer of '20; then dropped to \$11.10 in December. Bread prices began the year 1920 at 7 cents per pound in Toronto, rose to 8 cents in May, held that figure until December, when the price dropped back to 7 cents.

Wheat Advances.
Advances in wheat prices were closely followed by increases in flour and bread prices; but when prices declined, flour and bread prices did not show an equal eagerness to follow suit. The cards are usually stacked against the ultimate consumer.

It is an interesting fact, however, that flour prices have followed the course of wheat prices more regularly than bread prices, and that, by and large, over considerable periods, the changes in flour prices have been fairly proportionate with the changes in wheat prices—much more so than bread prices. That fact is of interest.

Canada has a fair supply of flour and grist mills—1,257 in 1921. But less than 200 mills produce about 90 per cent of the flour ground in Canada. It would be much easier to form a combine of the millers who are commercially important than of the tens of thousands of bakers.

Yet the miller's prices for flour respond to changes in the prices of wheat more quickly, and in a closer ratio, than the baker's prices for bread do.

Since recent advances in flour and bread prices appear to have followed a speculative movement in wheat prices, the question is will they now respond to the decline in wheat prices.—Montreal Standard.

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CONDITION THAT DEPRIVES MUSEUM OF IT.

New York, Tuesday—The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, is placed on the horns of a dilemma by the will of the late "copper king," the former Senator William Clarke, who recently died leaving a fortune estimated at \$20,000,000.

The late Mr. Clarke leaves his entire art collection, worth \$650,000, to the museum, but attaches to the bequest the condition that the treasures must be exhibited as a whole and not divided.

This condition runs directly counter to the policy of the museum. The consequence is that the collection will probably go to the Corcoran Gallery of Art at Washington.

"Toofus!"
"Yes, sir?"
"Call up my dentist and see if he can make an engagement with me. Add, Toofus!"
"Yes, sir?"
"Don't press him."

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The Price of Bread

When flour recently rose to the price of 58c. 6d. a sack, the market bakers rapidly put up the price of bread from 10d. to 11d. for a quarter loaf. Now that flour has sunk to 45c. a sack, the association of the bakers appear decidedly unwilling to decrease the price of the loaf to 10d. And yet it is admitted by them as a general fact, that the fluctuation in the price of a sack—amounting to the amount of 1d. on the loaf—means a difference of 1d. on the loaf.

The bakers' present argument is that many of them bought their flour at high prices, and consequently are not affording to sell bread below 10d. Fortunately for the force of this argument they did not apply the same reasoning when flour rose in price, and announce that many of the bakers must have been the cause of the high price of flour when prices were much lower.

It seems to be a case of Heads I win and Tails you lose.

It is true that bread is now obtainable in numerous shops at 10 1/2 d. a loaf, but this reduction was brought about independently of the bakers' Master Bakers' and Confederation Protection Society, and bakers are still at liberty to follow their own sweet will.

Some shops are even selling bread at 10d.—which, on their own showing, yields a reasonable profit, but it is now suggested by the society that they should raise their prices to 10 1/2 d. If this were to happen, competition, which is the hope of the consumer, would be ended, and the bakers would have it all their own way.

Public opinion ought to be strong enough to put an end to this profitable form of the real essential of life.—Daily Mail.

Policemen Leave Cemetery AS TOMBSTONES SWAY WITH QUAKE

WINCHESTER, March 2.—Sergeant William Hamilton Rogers and patrolman Henry "Jack" Dempsey, the latter recently appointed to the force, will not soon forget their experience during the earthquake that shook the town's foundations along the Medina River valley Saturday night. It became known to-day through leak at Police Headquarters that Sergeant Rogers and the hunky patrolman at the time of the earthquake were standing in the Jewish cemetery in Winchester Highlands, close to the Montvale District of Woburn.

Sergeant Rogers and patrolman Dempsey at the time of the earthquake were awaiting the arrival of some law breakers whom Chief of Police McIntosh desired apprehended. While they were talking to the patrolman they heard no noise. With intent on their duty, they looked about to see what they might see. Officer Dempsey first noticed the moving of the tombstones and markers and felt the ground shake under him. Sergeant Rogers, who was standing near the wooden office in the cemetery, didn't have his eye on the ground because he was watching the small building very intently, for a very good reason. He expected somebody to come out of that building. Just as Dempsey said: "Sergeant, do you believe in ghosts?" Sergeant Rogers saw the office building move back and forth.

Ghosts, Nothing.
Sergeant Rogers was so concerned in keeping his eyes on the building that he didn't notice the ground. Patrolman he stood on a ledge which was shaken as did the soft ground and office Dempsey was standing. "Ghosts, nothing, man. There are no ghosts. Why do you ask that question?"

The words were scarcely out of his mouth before the biggest "ground swell" of the earthquake was on, and the doctery sergeant suddenly realized that the stones in the cemetery wall nearby were rattling and rattling. He also saw the stones and monuments on the graves move and sway in the night air.

Turning to Dempsey, Rogers said: "This must be an earthquake. This fine place, isn't it, for a couple of good Irishmen to find themselves in an earthquake. Don't you think we had better cross over out of here into the 'vary' (the Roman Catholic cemetery)." "I am going out of here, anyway, whether you say so or not," said Dempsey, sharply. "It may be an earthquake, but whatever it is, I feel safer out of this graveyard than in it."

By this time the earthquake was over. The men left the cemetery and went back to Headquarters, agreeing to keep quiet about their experience. Somebody buzzed around the headquarters of the reporters about the occurrence, and both Sergeant Rogers and Officer Dempsey agreed to-day that the earthquake was on them.

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House of Assembly Proceedings

TUESDAY, April 28. The House opened at 3 p.m. MR. HALFYARD presented petition from the residents of the following places:—Bird Island Cove on the subject of a road; Heart's Desire on the subject of a road; Melrose and Melrose on the subject of a motor road.

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Marine and Fisheries, after which the Leader of the Opposition stated that the Encouragement of Shipbuilding Bill was before the House they fought to have the bounty paid on ships not hauled out of the water, and contented that what they fought for was being granted through the Upper House. He alleged that the resolutions originated in the Upper House, but was informed by the Minister that he was not correct. Mr. Hixman agreed with the point taken by Mr. Ashbourne in reference to the bounty under Schedule F.

MR. HALFYARD hoped that the bill would bring about the ends desired. He felt, however, that the discretionary powers given the Minister were too great under the bill. Mr. Halfyard held that it appeared as if the Legislative Council was dictating to the lower chamber.

THE MINISTER OF MARINE AND FISHERIES explained some anomalies in the Encouragement of Shipbuilding Bill which had passed the House and pointed out that the resolutions originated in the Lower House. He also outlined the intention of introducing a new bill. In the proposed bill there was no provision for the use of a dismantled vessel as a ship which the Minister pointed out the bill was entitled to one half the bounty for rebuilding an old vessel.

MR. ASHBOURNE regretted that the Government could not see its way to increase the bounty, and he believed that one half of the bounty was not as much relatively as the bounty for rebuilding an old vessel. THE MINISTER said the idea behind the bill was to encourage building of new gear on new hulls.

MR. HALFYARD felt that the point made by Mr. Ashbourne merited consideration. MR. HIBBS asked some question which was answered by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

tion to him and should be given the fullest consideration. The Committee passed the Resolutions with some amendments. A bill to give effect to the resolutions was introduced and read a first time.

MR. WARREN brought to the attention of the House a letter on the matter of private bills signed J. A. W. McNelly which appeared in the Telegram. One paragraph of the letter he claimed was a gross insinuation. Mr. Warren pointed out that the firm of Warren & Winter were only temporary solicitors for the Power & Paper Co. referred to in the letter.

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THE LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION held that the amended bill should be rejected forthwith. The Council's amendments to the Hotel Facilities Bill was agreed to. The House then resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on Supply.

THE LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION on behalf of his following, congratulated Major Cashin on the stand he took in reference to the tariff. He agreed with Major Cashin that no further taxes should have been placed on the fishermen.

MR. SPEAKER followed and expressed his appreciation of what Mr. Hickman had said. He claimed that he did not leave the party but rather was excommunicated because he could not see eye to eye with the Government on tariff matters. Following a reiteration of some of the remarks of the previous session the speaker read the Manifesto of the Premier on which he made some passing comments until recess hour.

When the session resumed at 8 o'clock, Major Cashin referred to a challenge he had issued before recess via that less than six weeks ago the Prime Minister put a gun to his head to try and drive him out of the party. As a proof he called attention to the redistribution bill which in its original form contained a clause closing any District which had one or more representatives against further by-elections. This was done to keep Sir M. P. Cashin, his father, out of St. John's East. The clause was later dropped. The Prime Minister had told him that he did not want to have his father in his party. If they did not want him, the Government surely did not want his son. He was prepared to resign his seat on the Tariff, and challenged anyone to contest the District against him.

THE PRIME MINISTER asked why it was the intention to keep his father out of the district, why the clause was not kept in the bill. MAJOR CASHIN continuing, charged that Major Sullivan while in London, said they did not want Cashin in the Government. The statement was denied by Hon. Mr. Sullivan and

party do anything they did not want to do? It was not the cause and he had said it was not the Tariff that made him disloyal to the party. The reason was that one morning some months ago a Mr. Tobin came to his office and presented him with a petition to open St. John's East and have Sir M. P. Cashin as the Government nominee. He asked Mr. Tobin whom he represented and he said the Committee of Mr. Higgins. He at once informed Mr. Tobin that the Committee wanted to make to him had to be made through Mr. Higgins. He plainly told him also that he considered it a piece of impertinence to make such representations to him and not to Mr. Higgins first. He pointed blank refused the request of Mr. Tobin. He then sent for Mr. Cashin and asked him if his father wanted to return to public life as a rank and file member of the Monroe party. Mr. Cashin said yes he did. He (Mr. Monroe) reminded him that his father was an ex-Prime Minister, etc., and he said that didn't matter. He then told Mr. Cashin that he felt in the interests of the party that Sir M. P. Cashin should not be asked back, and plainly put the matter before him that he (Mr. Monroe) could not entertain any such idea. Mr. Cashin then said, I am glad I understand the matter Mr. Monroe, and you and I understand where my father stands with your party. Since that time Mr. Cashin has been trying to get out of the party, and to-night he admitted that during the time since elapsed he has remained in the party as a spy. Mr. Cashin said the tariff put an extra two cents protection on the Tobacco Factory, which was not the case. He reiterated what he said before; he had gone to the Finance Minister and told him that the Tobacco Factory should get no more protection. He challenged Mr. Cashin to agree to have Read Son & Watson verify both their sets of figures. He was satisfied who would be correct. The Imperial Tobacco Company were making no profits on their cheaper grades of tobacco. The \$300 and \$100,000 tax was put on tobacco factories to aid in paying for an Excise Officer stationed in the factories to see that no smuggling was done. He had already assured the House that there would be no increase in lines and twines. He stated that the Tobacco Factory and the Cordage Company were two of the most beneficial industries in the country. He defended the Government's Tariff policy. He regretted the increase and he had promised to try and reduce the expenditure. It was not being done as well as he would like. He was perfectly satisfied to have the country judge them at the end of four years. He was very much inclined to think that the interests of the fishermen of the country was not the only thing that in-

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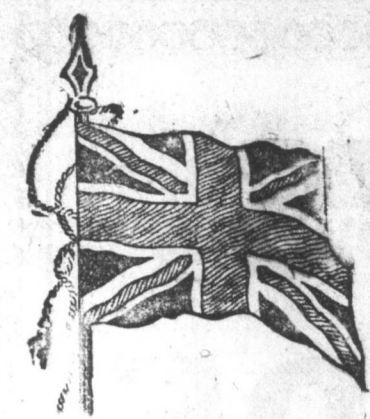
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The Enemies of Civilization

The foreign messages during the past few days indicate that Europe is at last awakening to the menace of Communism, and no wonder. The disorders in Germany over a long period, the recent murders in Paris, the attempted assassination of King Boris, followed by the ghastly crime in the Cathedral at Sofia, when one hundred and sixty persons were killed by bombs, disturbances in Asia, and the signs of unrest in various parts of the Empire are attributed to the activities of certain elements subsidised by Russia, in an effort to reduce law and order everywhere to the same chaotic state which exists under the regime of the Bolsheviks.

Referring to the Sofia outrages, a United Press message of April 21st says:

The Daily Telegraph ridicules the idea that Bulgarians alone were responsible for the Sofia outrages, and warns that "numerous dangerous Bolshevik visitors have arrived in England recently, attached to Soviet sanctuaries in one way or another." There has been a similar influx into Vienna, Athens and Constantinople, says the Telegraph, and Greece was astounded to see a personnel of 51 arrive as the staff for the Soviet legation when diplomatic relations were resumed with Russia, while the Vienna legation and annexes "include a bureau of military espionage."

The Morning Post says: "We are again in times when Christianity is threatened by an eastern invasion of barbarians, who in this case are assisted by secret agents and allies in our midst."

The Post charges that the influence of Moscow is behind outrages in Germany, France, Italy, Ireland, Egypt and India.

In this connection it will be recalled that General Primo Rivera, head of the Spanish directory, alleges that the Soviet Government is aiding Spain's enemies in Morocco.

Moscow is exercising every effort to affiliate the various unions in Great Britain, and eventually those in other parts of the world, with the Red International, and at present Russian delegates are holding a conference in London with representatives of British Labor drawn chiefly from the ranks of the extremists.

That the great majority of those workmen have little sympathy for this movement, or are in fact under an delusion as to the ultimate object of their recognized leaders. Anxious as they are to improve conditions in the various industries, they realize fully that this cannot be accomplished by the methods advocated and already practiced with disastrous results by these agitators in many fields.

The views expressed by several prominent British Trade Unionists when it was first announced that the Red envoys were coming to London clearly indicate their attitude. Here are a few of them:

Mr. J. A. Seddon, a former president of the Trades Union Congress: Any attempt to weld the British and Russian trade union movements will, in my opinion, simply result in splitting the British movement. Russian trade unionism stands for something that has been condemned by the organized workers of Britain in conference.

Mr. C. T. Cramp, industrial general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen:

The vast majority of European trade unionists are opposed to the political influences of the Red Trade Unions

International. . . There is a danger that a continuation of the efforts employed for unity will create far more serious divisions than they can possibly heal.

Mr. W. A. Appleton, secretary of the General Federation of Trade Unions:

The British workman does not care a straw for the project. He is fed up with Russia and with the people who can only think of Russia at a time when British industry is slipping to a position so serious that the British worker may be involved in hardships even greater than those his grandfathers suffered in the early years of the 18th century.

The silence of others is equally significant.

In the list of those who are attending the conference as British Labour representatives, conspicuous by their absence are the names of such men as Ramsay MacDonald, Robert Clynes, J. H. Thomas, Arthur Henderson and of other outstanding persons, who have not only given their lives to the real cause of labour, but by their sane counsel and ability have secured recognition of its claims, and have succeeded in considerably ameliorating conditions in the various fields of industry.

According to the Pravda, a Moscow journal, Zinovieff, the president of the executive committee of the Third International declared that the conference in London was a successful move by the Communist Internationale for the "bolshhevizing" of the world. "We shall continue to fight," he said, wherever our Red trade union exists, but we shall maintain our struggle for trade union unity." By which Zinovieff means affiliation to the Moscow Reds.

In referring to the work of the "missionaries" about to start for London he expresses the opinion, and evidently the wish is father to the thought, that "England is losing her predominance in the markets of the world; that British colonial power is beginning to totter; that class war is becoming fiercer, and that the position of the labour leaders is losing ground."

Claiming that the traditional trade movement in England is trembling in the balance, and that the fighting methods of the old leaders are no longer effective, Zinovieff urges his delegates to do their utmost to give them "the last push" by effecting an Anglo-Russian amalgamation. Once having established Communism in Britain, these fatuous preachers of a vicious creed believe that the way will be prepared for a world revolution.

The pernicious activities of these agitators cannot be disregarded. Already there is sufficient evidence to indicate that they have been extended even to comparatively small industrial centres, and perhaps for their real purpose, the more isolated these places are the better, because ignorance is the most fruitful soil for the seed which they sow.

In Newfoundland we are entering upon a period in which new industrial enterprises will play an important part in augmenting our wealth, formerly derived almost exclusively from the fisheries. So far the industrial life of the country has been little affected by this insidious element of disorder, but it is too much to expect that we shall long be left unmolested. The factor, however which can chiefly be relied upon in this Colony as a means not only of defence, but of prompt attack, against the enemy of civil and religious institutions and of all the ordinances which make for civilization, is the sterling character of the people themselves. They are not kindly disposed to alien doctrines; they are firm in their religious convictions (and we bethink the rash individual who attempts to belittle them); they are law abiding and prefer to live and let live, and they love and reverence their Sovereign, who is the keystone of our cherished constitution, whose basis is Liberty, as distinct from license.

Labour unions have proved themselves indispensable to the industrial world, and great are the services which they render

to their own cause, equally great is their responsibility in the cause of humanity generally. This principle has been recognized and acted upon by the broad-minded men who have served Labour well. It has remained for the agitator to awaken discontent and set class against class.

The Remarkable Case of the Member for Ferryland

Mr. Peter Cashin's defection from the Monroe party in the early hours of Monday morning has been received with enthusiasm by the Opposition, even though he has not sought sanctuary in their company, but the doctrine which they have preached on the right of individual members of a party to act on their own and to disregard their pledges of allegiance is not unlikely to have a repercussive effect. The principle does not apply to one party more than another, and it certainly does not make for stability in Government.

Loyalty and obedience to the leader is as essential as loyalty and obedience to the captain of a ship or to the commanding officer in the army, and while the member for Ferryland has apparently been too short a time in politics to appreciate the fact, it might have been expected that his experience in the army, which he has referred to, would have made it clear that if he disagreed with his leader, there was no course left him but to get out or to be put out. That the latter alternative resulted was entirely his own fault.

It does not follow that a member of the party must sacrifice his principles or subordinate the dictates of his conscience to the will of others. He is at liberty to resign, and this may be done, if his motives are sincere, without either alienating the friendship of his colleagues or giving himself cause to feel aggrieved. No more notable examples of such action can be mentioned than those of Lord Morley and Mr. John Burns who, finding themselves out of sympathy with Mr. Asquith and the party in 1914 on the question of intervention in the European war, tendered their resignations in order that they might not embarrass the Cabinet, and their resignations were accepted in the spirit in which they were tendered.

But Mr. Cashin, according to the report of his speech in the House, desired to remain in the party to act, as he says, as a detective. No further comment on his actions in this matter is necessary since he has gone to such pains to make his position plain.

No Report From the Neptune

No report was received last night by Messrs. Job Bros. from the Neptune, and the Post-Telegram has no message as there was trouble somewhere with the lines. The storm, it is believed, made it impossible for the ship to do anything during the day.

Rosalind Sails

The S.S. Rosalind sailed for Halifax and New York to-day, taking the following additional passengers:—Mr. and Mrs. O. Ryan, W. G. Reburn, H. W. Noseworthy, Rev. Canon Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. Matthews, E. R. Morrissey, H. Bowden, Mrs. G. Pike, Dr. T. Anderson, Master T. Anderson, W. E. Griffin, J. J. Lacey.

Bakers Request an Investigation

The following communication has been forwarded to the Prime Minister by the City Bakers:

St. John's, Nfld., April 28th, 1925. The Honourable W. S. Monroe, Prime Minister. Sir,—As, in our opinion, much criticism of a most unfair kind and of a most damaging nature to our business has been made by some members of the Government in the Legislative Council, and which has been given much prominence in the Public Press, we respectfully request that a Commission be appointed by the Government to make an investigation of our profits without delay, and in fairness to us, to make public the finding in this connection.

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The menu was laid out in attractive manner, being decorated with the Society's colours, whilst the armory, where the dinner was held, was also tastefully decorated. The catering was in the hands of the Society's ladies' auxiliary, and left nothing to be desired.

The menu was an excellent one, the speeches were of a high order, and the musical programme all that could be desired. Mr. M. P. Hynes, Chairman of the T. A. Club, ably performed the duties of toast-master. The following was the toast list:—THE KING—Prop. The Chairman; "God Save the King." HIS GRACE THE ARCHBISHOP AND CLERGY—Prop. Mr. P. J. Hanley; Resp. Rev. Fr. Pippy, Spiritual Director.

THE T. A. & B. SOCIETY—Prop. Mr. L. J. Griffin; Resp. Hon. W. J. Ellis, President. SONG—Mr. Robert J. Power. THE JUVENILE T. A. & B. SOCIETY—Prop. Mr. Geo. Coughlan; Resp. Mr. Edward Foran, President. RECITATION—Mr. J. Crowlley. THE T. A. LADIES' AUXILIARY—Prop. Mr. J. A. Clancy; Resp. Mr. John J. Murphy. SONG—Mr. J. J. Hickey. THE GAME—Prop. Mr. Frank Walsh (skip); Resp. Mr. W. J. Myler (skip). SONG—Mr. W. Dugan. OUR GUESTS—Prop. Mr. R. J. Power; Resp. Dr. A. H. Carnell. THE CHAIRMAN—Prop. Mr. J. J. Spratt; Resp. Mr. M. P. Hynes. GOD SAVE THE KING.

G. F. S.

We would particularly draw attention to the G.F.S. sale, which Lady Allardrye will open in the Synod Hall at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, April 30th. Very little is known of the work of this world wide Society in Newfoundland. There are 11 outpost branches and the Society is quietly working for the good of the community by striving to raise the standard of the girls of the city and outposts by inculcating its high ideals into their lives; also by providing rooms in the Synod Building where girls may go at any time to work, read or play, especially in this a boon to the outport girls in the city. The Society would like to do far more for the girls than it does, but lack of funds hampers the work. A special effort is being made for the Society all over the world this year as it is the Jubilee year. We would ask all who can to come to the sale on Thursday afternoon, even to have a cup of tea would help and be much appreciated by those who are working for it.

Springs reburst! Aren't you longing to see the flowers? Well come along to Cochrane St. Lecture Room to-night, and see Miss Kiku, our Chrysanthemum flower.—apr29.11

Reafforestation

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir—Your very interesting article in yesterday's issue descriptive of the Nfld. Power and Paper Company's plant at Corner Park carries with it the hall mark of reliability as your correspondent's statements are made upon the authority of Mr. Stadler, than whom no one is better qualified to offer opinions that are businesslike, yet conservatively so. The only regrettable feature of the article is the opinion expressed therein by Mr. Stadler in which he discounts the value of re-afforestation. To the initiated this will not come as a surprise, but to the man in the street, who has heard of afforestation as an agency of great promise, it will be somewhat of a shock. Mr. Stadler's statement, however, is quite explicable to any one with even an elementary acquaintance with wood craft. All paper producers seek "limits" carrying a wood supply of about forty years' duration. This, Mr. Stadler states his company possesses; therefore it would not be businesslike for them to resort to re-afforestation for 35 years after their 40 year limits are out on waiting for the maturing of the re-afforested areas. Reafforestation does not appeal to Corporations for the reason stated by Mr. Stadler, but it should and does appeal to Governments whose duty it is to ensure that national assets shall be preserved to posterity to as great an extent as possible. This is a subject upon which much could be written and with your permission, Mr. Editor, the writer may refer to it again. Yours truly, SULLIVAN.

Obituary

JAS. HUSTINS. Last evening, whilst attending to his duties as Secretary of Lodge Dudley, S.O.E., Mr. Jas. Hustins was suddenly stricken ill and lapsed into unconsciousness. Dr. Anderson was called and responded immediately. He found Mr. Hustins' condition so grave as to need hospital attention, and he was conveyed to the General Hospital. We learn from the Hospital this morning that Mr. Hustins had passed away without regaining consciousness.

Mr. Hustins has been for a number of years employed at the Royal Stores, and was a well known customer. He leaves a wife, nee Miss Williams, one son, two brothers and one sister to mourn. To the relatives the Telegram extends sympathy in their hour of bereavement.

Meeting Broadcasted

Station 8WMC was again on the air last night, and the address was sent from the Presbyterian Hall to the Telephone Office, thence by direct line to the Broadcasting Room at Wesley Methodist Church, where the operator, Mr. Walter I. Veay, by using remote control, gave listeners in another town, Mr. Chas. A. Ellis was in charge of the "amplifier" at the Presbyterian Hall.

"Take My Advice"

Last night's performance of "Take My Advice," at St. Patrick's Parish Hall, attracted an even larger audience than on the opening night, all available space being occupied. The performers, without exception, gave excellent impressions on the characters assigned them and on the whole the play was one of the best ever presented at St. Patrick's. Between the acts specialties were given by Misses Ida Howlett and Pauline Vaughan; Messrs. J. Canning, F. Wylie and R. P. Ledmond, and during the evening excellent selections were rendered by the orchestra, composed of Miss Mollie Doran; Messrs. J. Walker, H. Hutten and F. Oliver. The play will be presented again to-night with new specialties and is well worth seeing.

PEPPYS BEHIND THE SCENES

April 28th—Up betimes, and the weather turned to rain, so needs must I go abroad in the raincoat that, which he did leave at my house, but the thing full of holes and do leak greatly, and so is of little use to me and must return it to Povey. All the news I do hear this day is of the bye-election that will be held in St. John's East, and am told that the writ for it will be issued mighty soon, but no news yet of the candidates that are like to contest it. My wife this day giving me for my dinner a pudding which she do find the recipe for in a battered old cookery book that she finds about the house, I am nigh poisoned by it, and is the most villainous stuff that ever I did eat. Asking her to show me the book she did find the recipe in, I do discover that the page is torn, across the middle of the pudding, and that having half the ingredients for this prepared, the witless wretch does not notice the tear, and makes the other half of stuffs given in a recipe for curry. The House sits all this day and night, but little progress made. Mr. Warren raising a question of privilege in the afternoon, concerning a letter in the news sheets that did criticize him, and is upheld by the Speaker. On the continuation of the Tariff Debate, Mr. Cashin speaks at length, criticising the Government, and is replied to by Mr. Lake and the Prime Minister. By despatch as out of England, news of Mr. Churchill's Budget, and among other things, do restore the gold standard, and gives a reduction of 6 pence in the pound on the Income Tax. Talking this night with Mr. Stiek, he do tell me how he has many letters from listeners-in who did hear the concert broadcasted by the C.I.B. Band, and were mighty pleased with it.

If you want more than the equivalent of your money, come to Cochrane St. Lecture Room to-night, and hear our Madcap Princess, Abba San.—apr29.11

Advertisement for Provisions, Schooner Accessories and Fishery Requirements. Includes text: 'We are fully equipped to supply all your needs in Provisions, Schooner Accessories—and all other—Fishery Requirements'. Features the logo for Ayle & Sons and contact information for mail orders.

Advertisement for To City and Outport Buyers. Text: 'I am offering the balance of my stock comprising Boys' Winter Coats, 12 years up. Men's and Boys' Winter Caps. Men's Neck Ties. Men's Wool Scarfs. Men's and Boys' Soft Collars. Braces and Garters. Men's Half Hose. Cuff Buttons and Studs. Garters and Braces and other small goods.' Also lists window and shop fittings.

Advertisement for Thos. J. Barron. Text: 'WATER STREET (1 Door West G. P. O.)'.

Advertisement for SYMPATHY. Text: 'Ease the family's Sorrow, send FLOWERS. Wreaths delivered promptly. Prices reasonable. Valley Nurseries, Ltd. Phone 1513. Night Phone 2111M.' Also includes a note of thanks for a friend's help during illness.

Advertisement for Best Cadiz SALT! and Torreviega SALT!. Text: 'New Due ex. S.S. "Brattingsborg" Also, in Stock. For Prices, apply Baine, Johnston & Co. LIMITED.'

Advertisement for Why, of Course. Text: 'If you want GOOD Clothes go to a GOOD Tailor. There is where you get good material, good fit and clothes that look as if they were made for YOU, and not for the other fellow. The Ready-to-Wear! Yes, of course. They were made for the one who buys them, very seldom for the one who fits them. But be careful and go to a good tailor. It's cheaper and better. SPURRELL'S are good, reliable tailors, and you make no mistake in going there. Spurrell the Tailor ST. JOHN'S. Spurrell the Tailor GRAND FALLS. Send for Samples and measuring forms if you live out of town.'

Advertisement for HATCHING EGGS—S. C. Text: 'White Leghorns, Rose Comb, R. I. Reds and Anconas; \$2.00 per setting of 15 eggs; apply 103 Pleasant Street. apr28.51, the s.c.'

Large vertical advertisement for KIELLY DRUG STORE. Text: 'ALL SCHOOL should be supplied with the new WALL M. Eight in the series THE WORLD EUROPE NORTH AMERICA BRITISH ISLES CANADA ASIA AFRICA THE WORLD HEMISPHERES. Finely coloured and printed. In hand-to-handle size—3 1/2. Price: \$22.40 or \$2.95. Garrett Bookseller & Stationer. LONDON DIRECTOR. Business Establishments. KIELLY DRUG STORE SPECIALS. Flowers Face Cream, Flowers Face Powder, Flowers Toilet Soap, Flowers Travelers' Kit, Flowers Compact, Flowers Hair Masque, Flowers Reg. Cream, Flowers Nordy's Face Powder, Flowers Reg. Soap, Flowers Splendor, Flowers Rose Florient, Flowers Reg. Cream, Flowers Cashmere Ribbon, Flowers Ecolat Face Powder. See at Spurrell's Dressing and Keeping hair in place, now Spurrell & Galt's "Bourbon de Amour" Face Powder, Reg. \$1.30, now Spurrell & Galt's Cold Cream, Spurrell's Face Powder, Spurrell's Face and Cream, large pot, Spurrell's Face Powder, Spurrell's Face and Cream, large pot, Spurrell's Face Powder, Spurrell's Face and Cream, large pot, Spurrell's Face Powder, Spurrell's Face and Cream, large pot. Water Street East. We request our customers to be satisfied with a small quantity of lettuce. We request our customers to be satisfied with a small quantity of lettuce. We request our customers to be satisfied with a small quantity of lettuce.'

LOWEST PRICES OUR CHIEF ATTRACTIONS
The Broadway House of Fashion

"A STORE FOR EVERYBODY!"

PEERLESS IN QUALITY—PEERLESS IN STYLE AND VALUE!
NEW SPRING COATS

VALUES UP TO \$35.00—IN FOUR GROUPS.

9.44 Judge this Sale from any angle—you will find it a marvellous event, bringing to you the very latest creations—exceptional Peerless values at such low prices as \$9.44 to \$22.88.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' **14.93** NEWEST COLORS OF THE SEASON—Rosewood, Blond, Plaids, Stripes, Lipstick Red, Jade, Sand, Navy, Grey, Black.

DRESSY MODELS AND SPORTS COATS—made up of such fine materials as fine Suede, Downywave, fine Velours, Poirer Twill, Woolly Plaids, Bengaline, etc., etc. **18.38** YOU WILL MARVEL AT EACH GROUP—AT THE LOW PRICES—AT THE BIG VARIETIES.

Every Coat in our Store reduced to bring the biggest Trade this Store has ever been able to attract—we have had enormous crowds attending our Sales before—but THIS SALE will bring even greater crowds than ever **22.88**

PEERLESS
Gloves
VALUES.
Silk Gloves, in colors of White, Grey and Black. Every pair perfect. All sizes. Values to \$1.25 for **54c. Pair.**
Only 2 Pairs to a customer.

PEERLESS
Hosiery
VALUES.
Fine Silk Hose, the kind you pay up to \$1.75 for, in colors of Black, Cordovan and a few of other shades. On Sale for **88c. Pair.**

PEERLESS
Camisole
VALUES.
Made of good quality Silk and Satin with lace straps and yoke. A 98c. value for **42c.**

PEERLESS
Brassier
VALUES.
These are the very newest models, the "Boyishmade" Brassier known everywhere as the finest made. They are made of fine Satins and Jersey Silk. Values to \$1.75 for **89c.**

Newest Dresses

VALUES! VALUES! PEERLESS VALUES THAT WILL AMAZE ALL ST. JOHN'S!

9.66 Our Store is the scene of scores of sensational Sales throughout the year—the whole country talks about them. Can you wonder then why we expect thousands of thrifty shoppers here to-day for this Peerless Event!

All Sizes. **12.47** Values of \$15.00 to \$32.50
WOMEN'S—**12.47** Tunics, Straight Lines, Panels and a variety of Pleated and Flounced Frocks at greater values than ever.
MISSES'—**12.47**
STOUTS—**12.47**
Sizes: 36 to 44—14 to 18—42½ to 52½

RICH MATERIALS: **16.94** The season's newest colors—Peach Bloom, Flat Crepe, Novelty Silks, New Prints, Georgettes, Rich Satins, Bengalines, Satin Canton, Canton Crepe and Combinations of Beautiful Silks. **16.94** Rosewood, Bluette, Sand, Blond, Cocoa, Penny, Powder Blue, Jade, Lipstick Red, etc.

These Dresses bring to you the very latest ideas. Many of them are copies of very expensive models, that is why we expect this to be a marvellous Peerless Value. Buy one or more now, while prices are the lowest. **21.79**

Real Blouse Values!

A SELLING EVENT OF UNPARALLELED VALUES—WONDERFUL VARIETIES—GREAT SAVINGS!
3.68 Tunics and Overblouses, the kind you are used to paying dollars and cents above these Sale prices. Wonderful quality Crepes, etc., beaded or tucked models **4.88**

OUR
SEMI-ANNUAL PEERLESS SALE!

Peerless Values! Peerless Stocks! Every Department Shouts Peerless with LOW PRICES!

SALE STARTS TO-DAY AT 9 A. M. SHARP!

Right at the Beginning of the Season Comes Your Greatest Opportunity to Save! Now is Your Chance! Don't Miss it!

Extra! -- SKIRTS -- Savings!

3.34 Beautiful Pleated and Plain Skirts, in Crepe, Serge, Prunella, Poirer Twill at great Peerless Savings. You save on every one you buy in this Sale. Values to \$7.90 **4.94**

Peerless COSTUME Sale!

THE MOST AMAZING PRICE SLASHING SALE EVER WITNESSED!

Thousands of thoughtful buyers in need of a Costume will visit our Store for the savings offered them during this Great Sale. Right at the beginning of the season we have hundreds of Costumes in the newest Spring creations, at savings which will amaze you. Prices slashed regardless of what every Costume is worth. A showing that answers completely what is authoritative and new for Spring.

BOX MODELS!

This group consists of beautiful Check materials in a semi-Boyish style, in colors of Fawn, Grey and others; also many Navy and Black Serge, Tricotine and Poirer Twill tailored models.

9.74

Values to \$18.50

TAILORED MODELS!

This group includes many styles in Tweeds, Serges, Tricotine, Poirer Twill, in a great variety of styles and colors. Buy your Costume now, and Save!

14.88

Values to \$25.00

BOYISH MODELS!

This group consists of one of the finest lot of strictly tailored long Costumes in Black and Navy, Poirer Twill and Tricotine, every one lined with Crepe de Chine or Satin. Sizes to 46.

22.66

Values to \$34.50

PEERLESS
Bloomer
VALUES.

Jersey Silk Bloomers of the finest type. A regular \$2.95 seller. On Sale for less than wholesale price **\$1.96**

PEERLESS
Blouse
VALUES.

On Sale From 9 to 10 a.m. Only. Over 100 beautiful Tricolette and Georgette Blouses, every one perfect. Values to \$3.25. On Sale for **99c. each.**

PEERLESS
Skirt
VALUES.

On Sale From 9 to 10 a.m. Only. 64 only Skirts, in Serges, Gaberdines and Plaids, worth up to \$4.00 each. On Sale for **\$1.78**

PEERLESS
Corset
VALUES.

On Sale From 9 to 10 a.m. Only. Hundreds of pairs in this lot, not one worth less than \$1.50, go on Sale for **74c. pair.**

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The models so beautiful, the shapes so new and smart, the colors so charmingly chic—they radiate their own worth. They distinctly indicate that these are values to \$8.50 for \$2.22 to \$4.97.

PEERLESS SALE OF
Coats and Dresses

For Girls of 9 to 14 years.

3.64 THE DRESSES! Made of fine Navy Blue Serge with Paisley Silk sleeves—Skirt pleated. **6.96** THE COATS! Of fine soft Woolly Plaids, nicely lined in the new straight lines.

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PEERLESS SALE OF
Men's Ties

Nicely Knitted Ties, in all Black and assorted colors. Values 45c. On Sale for **11c**

PEERLESS SALE OF
Boys' Suspenders

Another illustration of what the Peerless Sale means to every saving person. Values to 30c. for **9c pr.**

PEERLESS SALE OF
School Bags

Good strong leather bound School Bags. Every one worth \$1.25. Our Peerless Sale brings it to you for **59c**

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"A STORE FOR EVERYBODY!"

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PEERLESS SALE!

A Sale Which is the Peer of Every Sale! No Greater Values Have Ever Been Offered Before--After--Anytime!

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S HOSE

Extra fine Men's Mercerised Hose, in colors of White, Grey, Brown, Black, Navy, etc. Every pair perfect. Values to 55c. On Sale for **32c. a Pair.**

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S SHIRTS

A wonderful value. Some of these Shirts are worth up to \$3.00, but on account of being slightly faded they are going out at only **94c. each.**

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S GARTERS

Good strong wide band elastic Garters in all colors. A regular 25c. garter brought down to a Peerless Price of **11c. a Pair.**

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S HOSE

Good strong Cotton Hose with double tread sole and heel, in all colors and sizes. Every pair worth at least 30c. On Sale for only **19c. a Pair.**

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S TIES

Novelty Knit Ties made in contrasting shades of Grey, Navy, Brown, Sand, etc. Ties which formerly sold in the U.S.A. up to \$2.00. Peerless Price **34c.**

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S and BOYS' ODD SHIRTS & DRAWERS

Just a few dozen Summer weight Shirts and Drawers, some worth up to \$1.25. We are going to clear them for **33c. garment**

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S SEMI-SOFT COLLARS

Every well-known make is included in this Sale of hundreds of dozens of Men's Semi-Soft Collars, the kind you have been paying 40c. and 45c. each for. On Sale for only **28c. each.**

Men's Suit Sensation of St. John's!

The Peerless Suit Sale Should Read \$20,000 Suit Stock Sacrificed

—Because every Man's Suit in our Store is at a Peerless Price. New purchases and our own stocks. Everything is re-priced. We are determined to make this Peerless Sale a memorable event to thousands of men who will take advantage of it. Suits of Quality, Style and Reliability—Suits remarkably low priced is what you will find here.

MEN! YOUR SUIT IS HERE at Greater Savings Than Ever

Men's and Young Men's 2-Pants Suits Values to 17.50 are included in some of these groups. At no time has any one store been able to place before you such a variety of fine Suits at such great savings. Come! See!

Don't let anything keep you away from this great Sale. If you are in need of a Suit of Clothes, whether you are slim, stout, short or long, we have your Suit in stock. Come now, while these low prices are in force.

Every Group Represents Your Greatest Opportunity to Save!

VALUES TO 35.00 **10.94** Navy, Grey, Pin Stripe, Powder Blue, Mixtures, Plaids, Brown, Black, in fact every conceivable shade.

VALUES TO 40.00 **14.77** Fine Botany Serges, Hard and Soft Worsted, Scotch Tweeds, Herring Bones, Cassimeres, Cheviots and many all Wool fabrics. Don't delay. Come while assortments are complete.

VALUES TO 55.00 **18.93**

The Outstanding Values of the Year in

Men's Top Coats and Raglans

Fine English materials made up in the U.S.A., give these Top Coats a very fine appearance, and also good wear to the purchaser. Never before, and never is a long time, have such fine Top Coats and Raglans been offered in St. John's at such low prices. If you are in need of a new, smart Top Coat or a Navy Blue or Fawn Raglan, now is the time to buy it and save!

Values to \$22.50 **14.48**

Values to \$27.50 **18.97**

Values to \$40.00 **24.88**

Peerless Offering of Men's Raincoats

Here's another proof of what the Peerless Sale can do when it comes to greater values than ever. Fine guaranteed Waterproof Raincoats made up in Fawn or Dark Tweeds. Just the kind you need for this time of the year, offered to you at the low price of **\$4.98**

PEERLESS SALE OF
Boys' Suits

For Boys of 3 to 8 years. Here's another illustration why mothers come to THE BROADWAY when they need a little Suit for their boys: This lot consists of well tailored Suits of good strong Tweeds which mothers will eagerly purchase at this low price. They are all attractively trimmed in contrasting colors and have emblems on sleeves. Values to \$3.75 for **\$2.27**

PEERLESS SALE OF
Men's Hats

Well known makes. Made of fine quality Felt these Hats represent the very newest shapes and colors. Some are silk lined, others unlined. Every Hat priced at a lower price than ever before for such quality Hats.

ALL SIZES
\$2.48 \$3.19
\$4.19 \$4.98

PEERLESS SALE OF
Men's Shirts

— THE BETTER KIND — This Sale is planned to demonstrate forcibly the fact that THE BROADWAY values excel at any price. This is a Store for all people, and when men demand better Shirts we have them at a saving which mean dollars to every man purchasing one of these fine Shirts.

Silk Striped Madras and fine Cord Percales, with double cuffs. Values to \$3.00 for **\$1.93**
ALL SIZES.

A FEATURE IN OUR GREAT PEERLESS SALE!
Boys' 1 & 2 Pants-Suits

For Boys of 9 to 17 years of age. MOTHERS! FATHERS! and all who buy for boys! This SALE cries out with greater values than ever. Your dollar doubles in value if you buy your boy one of these fine Suits. They are smart in style, made of finest Wool fabrics. Patterns and colors the very newest. Pants fully lined and taped. A special purchase of over 300 of these fine Suits just arriving in time for this Sale, including hundreds of our own, make this the outstanding Sale of Boys' Clothes in years.

Values to \$9.50 **6.77** Single Knicker Pants Suits.

Values to \$12.00 **8.44** 2 Pants Suits.

Values to \$15.50 **10.38** 2 Pants Suits of the best kind.

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S WORKING SHIRTS

Made of good strong Flannel, the kind you can wash and they always look good. Our Peerless Sale brings it to you at a price as cheap as the ordinary cotton work shirt. Values to \$1.60. On Sale for **\$1.09 all sizes.**

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S WORKING PANTS

Made of good strong Striped Cotton Tweed. These pants will give the wearer complete satisfaction. All sizes included in this lot. Values to \$2.98. Our Peerless Sale Price is **\$1.94 Pair**

PEERLESS SALE OF
CHILDREN'S PLAY OVERALLS

With the Summer at hand every mother should provide her child with one of these. They are made of good strong Khaki Cloth, nicely piped with red. Values to \$1.00. On Sale for **56c. Pair**

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S COMBINATIONS

Well known brands are included in this Sale of Men's Combinations. Every pair well made and finished. Values to \$4.75. On Sale for **\$2.69 all sizes.**

PEERLESS SALE OF
BOYS' LONG TWEED PANTS

Made of good strong Striped Cotton Tweeds; they are well worth double the price. Buy one of these and save your good ones. On Sale for **59c. Pair**

PEERLESS SALE OF
MEN'S CAPS

Over 50 dozen placed on sale for less than wholesale prices; all sizes and colors, well made and finished. Values to \$1.50. On Sale for **78c. each!**



Cozy Homes

The Canada Paint Co
Gentlemen,
Sun Floor Varnish has been on our floors now for several months and its wonderful lustre and beauty still untouched although the children have given it plenty of abuse and liquids have several times been spilled on its surface.
We polish it every two weeks with your Floor Wax and it should last for several years without losing its beauty. Our home looks more cozy than ever. Our painter says it's a perfect varnish.
Mrs. Geo. Harris

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St. John's.

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Clip out and send this to THE CANADA PAINT CO. LIMITED, 115 Wilson Street, Montreal.
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Facts in Poetry

We live in a matter of fact age, where nonsense is vanquished by logic, cold thought, and frigid reasoning, at least we like to think so!

No sphere should need to be purged of nonsense, as much as the Poet, we can no longer afford to browse in those Elysian meadows, which so many of those poor highbrows have depicted to us in Epic, Heroic, and Elegiac verse, from time to time.

Gone are the days which allowed a Shelley to write in ignorance:

"Hail to the blythe spirit! bird thou never wert." To-day, he would be summoned before a jury of Natural Scientists, who would prove conclusively that a Lark was a bird (avis), whether he liked it or not.

And as for Colonel Lovelace, whose evident sincere conviction that:

"Stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage," made him feel so high spirits, I don't think he would make that rash assertion to-day, as we would certainly make him take out an affidavit, and perjury might result.


I forget (perhaps I never knew) who wrote about the boy of the "burning deck" fame. Anyhow the memory of that heroic child is hopelessly besmirched. Ramor has it that his pants were worn around his neck, but I for one do not believe this. However, if a poet must write about these things, we ought to make a point to carefully describe costume, and position, and the part of the body is adorned.

The ultra-futuristic-modernist school of poetry will take it upon itself to produce poems, which will have a strictly useful, and every day note, about them, in order to rest the tired harassed housewife and her belated husband.

I give a list of titles which will have an instant appeal to all lovers of verse.

"Owed to my grocer."
"We are fifty-seven," varied metre.
"The Lay of the Lost Chicken," heroic.
"Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Nicker."
"The Heartless Cabbage."
Here is scope for some clever versifier, and might well serve to place him in a sphere all to himself. As an illustration of how such verse might be treated I append for example:

A MYTH (La. Lady Moth.)
There's a breathless moth in the clothes to-night
Seven had tried, only one got in;
And he would have failed if he hadn't remembered,
That Migg's moth-balls were not therein.
NEMO DIXIT.



When Bakeday Comes Depend on Carnation

Uncertainties ruin many a milk dish through absolutely no fault of your own.

You want whole milk—you have only the skimmed milk left after you took the cream from the top; you should have two cups—you just have a cup and a half. Milk you thought fresh is just on the turn.

Why take those risks. Insure with Carnation Milk.

Carnation is just pure, fresh milk, evaporated to double richness, kept safe by sterilization. Nothing is added. Some of the natural water is taken away—all the food value left in.

Get it from your grocer. Tall (16 oz.) cans or by the case of 48 cans.

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ONE EGG CARNATION CAKE
3 tablespoons butter, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1/2 cup water, 1/2 cup Carnation Milk, 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 teaspoon baking powder. Cream butter and sugar, add yolk of egg, vanilla. Add water and Carnation Milk alternately with the sifted flour and baking powder. Beat well, fold in the beaten white of egg. Bake in quick oven.

CARNATION GINGERBREAD
1/2 cup shortening, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 cup molasses, 1 egg, 1/2 cup water, 1/2 cup Carnation Milk, 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1/2 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon cloves, 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg, 1/2 teaspoon salt. Cream shortening and sugar, add yolk of egg, vanilla, beaten egg. Add Carnation Milk and water and flour, soda and baking powder sifted together. Add spices and beat well. Bake in greased pan in moderate oven about twenty minutes. This serves eight people.

Harbor Grace Notes

The Dalton Ladies Association held a Card Party and Dance in the Academy Hall on Tuesday evening last, which proved a very successful and enjoyable affair. The card tournament began at 8:30 and Progressive Forty-fives were played, and at the conclusion, supper was served by the sales committee, after which the prizes won at cards were presented. Dancing was indulged in until 1:30 a.m., when the gathering dispersed, having spent a most enjoyable evening. Mrs. C. L. Kennedy and Mr. P. Coady supplied the music, and an Edison Victrola was used for some of the dances. Messrs. D. F. Meany and J. Clare were kept busy operating a wheel of fortune, which received good patronage. Prizes won at cards and on the wheel were tickets in the Association sweepstake, and the prize-winners were as follows:—Misses Mary March, Mary Lynch, Mrs. C. L. Kennedy, Misses Frances Casey, Vera Power and Winnie O'Keefe and Messrs. A. G. King, W. L. Ross, John Thomey, F. C. Archibald, J. Stapleton, and L. C. Cashin.

On Thursday evening a second card tournament was held by the Dalton Ladies Association in the Academy Hall. After the tournament, dancing was indulged in until 2 a.m., and all spent an enjoyable evening. The following were prize winners:—Mrs. M. P. Stapleton, Misses Ita Davis, M. Thomey, Mrs. John Clare, (who was also the winner of the lucky number which entitled her to twenty tickets.) Mrs. Dr. Cron, Messrs. T. Halliday, John Stapleton, Jr., George Parsons, Wm. Ayre, and J. L. Oka.

bers included W. J. Carroll, Sub-Sheriff; S. Butler, Clerk; J. Cahill, Crier; and Miss Rowe, Stenographic. While Messrs. A. G. King, J. A. Barron, and W. Browne are the lawyers in attendance.

S. S. Seal, Capt. Jacob Kean, arrived here from the icefields on Sunday night last, and discharged her catch at Messrs. Murray and Crawford's premises, the turnout being 9,468 seals. Her crew of 140 men shared \$52.09 each. She finished discharging her load on Wednesday morning, and left port that night for St. John's.

Mr. R. J. Sheppard arrived here on Monday last on a short visit to his parents, Inspector and Mrs. Sheppard. Mr. Sheppard is residing in London.



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and is this way on a business visit, but expects to return to England early in June. His many friends are pleased to see him here again.

S. S. Malakoff which was here for dockage, came off on Monday last, and sailed for St. John's the following morning.

S. S. Susu arrived in port on Monday evening for dockage, and was taken up the following day. The necessary repairs having been attended to, she has since been launched again, and has left port.

The schooners Sunshine, Jubilee and Perfect have been docked here during the last week.

Miss Estelle Dwyer arrived from St. John's by Wednesday night's train to spend St. George's Day with her parents, Sergt. and Mrs. Dwyer, and returned to the city again on Friday.

Mr. H. B. Thomson, Optometrist, of St. John's is visiting town during next week, from Tuesday until and including Thursday, on a professional visit, and will later be visiting Carbonear and Bay Roberts.—COR.

Too Much to Expect

"Look here," he said, "I'm going to leave. I've never seen such dirty towels in my life, and I can never find any soap."
"But you've got a tongue in your head," was the landlady's curt reply.
"Yes," as the quick response, "but I'm not a cat."—Tidbits (London).

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What Schools Are Costing

A city auditor is responsible for the statement that the cost of education in Toronto has risen from \$6.32 per head of population in 1918 to \$12.20 in 1924. The net cost per pupil in these public schools jumped from \$54.57 in 1918 to \$85.33 in 1924. In the Toronto high schools the cost per pupil increased from \$120.60 in 1918 to \$154.59 in 1924. It appears to be a case of the more pupils the higher the cost.

The figures are interesting though by no means gratifying in view of the fact that the cost of living since 1920 has shown a steady decline.

The educationalists of this country had best bear in mind that there is a point beyond which the taxpayers can not and will not go, and that they are slowly but surely bringing on a financial eclipse.—Saturday Night.

Pickled artichokes make a delightful relish with hot or cold sliced meat. Creamed eggs are particularly nice when served on whole-wheat toast. A sauce made with the juice of the fruit is nice served with shortcake.

Thursday, April 23rd, St. George's Day, was celebrated here by a joint parade of the members of Lodge "Diamond Jubilee," S.O.E.B.S., the First Harbor Grace Troop of Boy Scouts, Girl Guides and Brownies. The members of the organization met at their headquarters at 10 a.m., and headed by the Scouts' drums, paraded by way of Harvey, Noad and Water Streets to St. Paul's Church, where divine service was held. Rev. Mr. Haggitt preached a most instructive and helpful sermon from Judges 9:14—"Go in this thy might," and the Service was an interesting one. At the conclusion, the parade formed up again, and marched by way of O'Connell and Harvey Streets to their respective Halls, where they disbanded. It was the purpose of the Sons of England to make this parade a larger one, by including the other Societies, but the other Orders were unable to attend. Many favourable comments were made on the splendid appearance of the Scouts, Guides and Brownies, having put up such a good showing in the Parade.

The spring session of the Supreme Court began here on Wednesday. Judge Kent and the members of the court having arrived here from St. John's on Tuesday's train. This session will only be held at Harbor Grace and the Court will sit until and including Monday 27th inst. The mem-

bers included W. J. Carroll, Sub-Sheriff; S. Butler, Clerk; J. Cahill, Crier; and Miss Rowe, Stenographic. While Messrs. A. G. King, J. A. Barron, and W. Browne are the lawyers in attendance.

JEFF DAUBS A PICTURE OF AN IRATE MAD GOLFER.

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OF COURSE YOU DON'T SEE HIM! HE'S IN THE BRUSH LOOKING FOR HIS PILL! THAT'S WHY HE'S MAD!!

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Proceedings at the Legislative Council

OFFICIAL SYNOPSIS. TUESDAY, April 28.

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Ranger's Enquiry

second engineer and the witness prepared the box. This consultation took place about 10.30 and the repairs were completed at three the next morning. Everything went along all right until March 30th, about eleven o'clock in the forenoon, he saw steam coming from behind the patch they had put on. Witness told the Captain and recommended that the boiler be blown down, as he wanted to see what was wrong. He had fears that there was something serious and he wanted to make sure. The boiler would have to be emptied and stripped on the inside. To this the Captain said he would rather put into a harbor as it was feared the ice might come apart. After this they made for harbor and brought up at the Groasis Islands. The pressure was reduced to about 65 and 70 lbs. It was on the 3rd of April when they reached the Groasis Islands. Witness thought between the 30th or March and April 3rd, 500 seals were picked up. They arrived at Groasis Islands about four o'clock in the evening, and she was ready about eleven o'clock in the night, although work could not be begun until the morning. There were two holes in the boiler, the second one was on the other side, with the same reference as regards the cement. This hole was discovered after getting into the Groasis Islands. Witness examined the boiler; the hole was small, about the size of a pin hole. The cement had to be cut away on the inside so that the hole could be got at. For about one inch around the hole the plate work is very thin; the hole was the result of a gradual thinning of the plate around the vicinity. It was only about half the thickness that it should be. The thickness of the boiler, when new, should be about an inch. The hole was enlarged to about half an inch and a bolt was put through it, holding the two pieces, on the inside and outside of the boiler. The patch was about a foot long. Both holes were about the same size and were treated in the same manner. It took three days to do the work, every night and Sunday all day, was also worked. Witness was satisfied with the work. The boiler was then filled up with water (sea water). The door was put on and the fires were lighted. In lighting fires in a cold water boiler like that you have to give it roughly about twelve hours to get a full head of

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steam, otherwise there will be unequal expansion, and damage caused. The boiler showed steam after three or four hours and in six hours she showed sixty pounds pressure. The boiler was rushed a bit as there were 150 men all after the witness, urging him to rush. He did wrong by rushing her. After putting on the steam, the patch on the port side leaked, and the boiler had to be blown down again. It was found that part of the patch joint blew out. The patches were taken off again, and after being fixed up better than before, were put on a second time. Cement was then put on and allowed to set for 24 hours. The boiler was again filled up and it took 24 hours to get up sixty pounds of steam, and after this they started out again for the ice fields. About half an hour after, when the pressure was about 70 lbs., the starboard patch showed signs of leaking. The pressure was reduced to sixty pounds and continued until they got to Conche, when a patch of cement was put on the outside. The ship was not run into Conche to put on the patch. After this the engine room was in splendid order and the boiler was alright for 60 or 65 pounds of steam. The next harbor put into was Twillingate, after that Pool's Island and then St. John's, and the boiler was working alright at 65 lbs. pressure.

John Murphy, sworn, examined by Mr. Bradley—Witness is second engineer on board the Ranger. He has held the position about six weeks. Previous to that he has been in the employ of Bowring Brothers for 17 or 18 years, being a boilermaker. He has not an engineer's certificate, and is really a boilermaker. Whatever repairs could be made to the Ranger by the shop of Bowring's was done by witness and the other men, since he has been with the firm. The cement that was in the bottom of the boiler when the ship went to the ice was not put in by the witness and he did not know who put it there. He has worked pretty often on the Ranger's boiler. There was cement in the boiler about ten years ago or before. Witness did not see any plates put on the boiler, except what he put on in the Spring. If there were any plates put on the boiler witness would see them provided they were put on the parts of the boiler that he worked at. He helped to put on compensating rings on the front of the boiler. These were put on to strengthen the boiler at this particular part. These rings make the floors of the boiler steam proof. After the boilers were blown down and the patches were put on at the Groasis Islands steam was got up in a hurry, witness did not know at whose instructions this was done. The steam was got up by the firemen at the instruction of the Chief Engineer. Any repairs made to the Ranger at their own premises were done by their own men under the direction of Mr. McGettigan. Repairs were made to the ship at the dock about six or seven years ago. There was a new furnace put in. An inspection of the Ranger's boilers was made last year by Mr. Forbes; witness was in the combustion chamber when Mr. Forbes came in there. At the time Mr. Forbes told witness he had been on the inside of the boiler. Witness had heard some one in there, but did not know who it was. Witness showed Mr. Forbes about twenty stags that were put in the boiler and at which the witness was working. Mr. Forbes then examined where the witness was and said she is looking alright. Mr. McGettigan or others were not present as far as the witness could see.

Capt. Wesley Kean, examined by Mr. Bradley—During the recent sealing voyage there was trouble with the boilers. The trouble was reported on the night of the 11th of March. The Chief Engineer reported it and asked the witness to come down and see it. After going down he saw the water bubbling around as if water were put on a hot stove. It looked to the Captain as if there were holes; the trouble looked about the size of a fifty cent piece. The Chief at first said they would have to blow down and the witness said this would be a killer to

the sealfishery. After much discussion a clamp was put on, the Chief Engineer explaining that it would protect the firemen. After this the Captain was continually asking about it, and after three days, the Chief Engineer reported steam was coming out again. The block, the witness inferred, was always considered dangerous, but still the ship continued on until 31st of March the Chief Engineer informed the Captain that the boiler was leaking badly and had to be blown down when convenient to do so. After this the ship was headed westward in order to get into a light patch of ice in order to blow down. This was outside and it would be dangerous to blow down. It was intended to go to Twillingate, and Cape John, Gulf Island, was made, when the seals were sighted, and the witness went to the Chief and asked him what they would do; the Chief Engineer said go at the seals. In this place 850 seals were shot but such a poor hand of getting around was made that the witness decided to go into Groasis Islands. Here the patches were put on and subsequently they came off again. Witness often went into the engine room and does not remember seeing any more than 58 lbs. of steam. With this the ship would not go along at all when the wind was unfavourable, in moderate weather she would do about four knots. After the boilers were patched the second time it was decided to come home. Witness did not know if it was usual to patch a boiler at sea, he never saw a boiler that needed this to be done to it. Witness saw both holes in the boiler. He put his middle finger through the hole and could do so without fear of cutting it. He also broke away a part of the surface. The log was written up every day. The witness wanted to protect himself and he had a conference with the Chief Engineer and Chief Officer, so that all could come to agreement on one thing. This was noted in the log. There was another paper signed by the Chief Engineer and himself setting forth what the voyage was given up for. This was done as a protection for the captain.

To Judge Morris.—This paper will be produced.
 Witness is in her five years. She is 54 years old.
 Adjournment was then taken until Thursday, at 3 o'clock, when Mr. Forbes will be examined.

Our Daily Bread
 Editor Evening Telegram.
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The Port of Missing Ships

THE SARGASSO SEA.

(By WILLIAM BEEBE.)

A ship called the "Arcturus" is sailing on a voyage which will be a multiplication of a dozen romances. She will sail to the Port of Missing Ships, to the region where the lost Atlantic lies, to that portion of the sea where the sea-serpent is reported to be found; and all this she does in the name of sober Science. Instead of trying to avoid the Sargasso Sea, the dreaded spot of perilous marine quicksands, she will try to become entangled in its legendary web of vegetation; and if that creature the giant octopus, whose undoubted existence is probably the foundation for many sea-serpent tales, should coil his gigantic tentacles over the bulwarks in preparation for boarding, the genuine cordiality of his reception would surprise him.

The first area which I propose to study is the Sargasso Sea, famed in romantic legend. The canny Phoenicians were perhaps the first tellers of the tale, for they frightened off prospective competitors in foreign commerce by dire stories of what awaited any foolhardy voyager beyond the Pillars of Hercules. The Atlantic, they said, was a piece of dreadful darkness, a muddy and a shallow sea, where great morasses of strange growth waited to twine its slimy tendrils about any ship that ventured there and hold it helpless prisoner for ever. The recent discovery of a large store of Phoenician coins on one of the Azores makes it seem quite certain that those daring navigators from African shores actually saw the Sargasso Sea and embroidered this foundation of fact with their own shrewd fancy.

Six weeks after Columbus had sailed from Cadiz on his first epoch-making voyage, his ships began to pass through great patches of weed, such abundance . . . that the ocean seemed to be covered with them; they came from the west." He took this for a sure sign that they were nearing land; but when they had sailed another week the wind died out and the sea was so calm "that the sailors murmured, saying they had got into smooth water, where it would never blow to carry them back to Spain." It was almost a month after they saw the first weed before they finally sighted the West Indies.

Perhaps it was the experience of Columbus that first gave rise to the legend that the Sargasso Sea was a region of constant calm, for a belief exists even to the present time that here is the graveyard of missing ships, and that all the wrecks and derelicts of the Atlantic eventually drift to this weedy spot, and here, tangled in a mat

of vegetation, they slowly eddy round and round in desolate assembly. The truth has been the basis for a thousand fantastic tales, the most picturesque version being that, as the first vast field of wreckage is penetrated, the age of the vessels increases until in the very centre are Phoenician galleys still afloat on a voyage which has no end.

The Portuguese called this place Sargasso, from the word "sarga," a kind of grape. Thus it might be literally translated as the "Sea of Little Grapes," and, indeed, the floating weed is buoyed up by thousands of tiny gas-filled bladders which look like the fruit of the weed, but are in reality only the evic which keeps this nomad of the vegetable world from sinking into the icy depths of the ocean.

Somewhere in this region, too, legendary Atlantis is said to lie. This dream country, the thread of whose legend may be traced through the folklore and priestcraft of a dozen countries, was thought to occupy most of the space where the Atlantic now lies, and there are historians and geologists who are convinced that it once existed, a smiling, happy land that was overtaken by frightful catastrophes, and was overwhelmed by an on-rushing sea. This is by some historians supposed to be the origin of the Flood story, which is so curiously and inexplicably universal; and the theory of a submerged continent is somewhat upheld by the soundings of oceanographers, which show that lofty mountain ranges raise their peaks towards the surface of the Atlantic as they may once have raised them towards and above the clouds.

Although I do not expect to find Phoenician galleys nor to dredge up relics of a lost Atlantis, the undoubted fact of the existence of the Sargasso Sea is enough to promise thrills in plenty. Not the sort of thrill that Thomas Janvier injected into his novel, "In the Sargasso Sea," for we know that no ship need fear permanent entanglement there, and that in this Port of Missing Ships we can expect to find nothing more than a few bits of debris such as may be seen on any part of the ocean. It is merely a comparatively quiet spot, the hub of a huge, vaguely defined circle formed by the wheeling of the Gulf Stream from the southwest and the equatorial current from the southeast.

In preparation for the peculiar requirements of the work to be undertaken, the Arcturus has been outfitted and many odd devices have been installed which will make her the depot of captains called upon by curious passengers to explain the rig of the queer-looking ship they see in the distance. She is 280 feet over all, with a beam of 45 feet, and is by far the largest vessel ever available for scientific work such as that contemplated, her gross tonnage being almost twice that of the yacht L'Hirondelle, on which the Prince of Monaco did such notable oceanographic work for many years.

A large laboratory has been built forward of the bridge deck, containing every facility for the intensive study of captured specimens, and tanks and wells have been installed to keep fish alive, as well as cages for live animals, birds, and reptiles. There is a special dark room for the study of one of the most interesting phases of the life of ocean depths—that is, the luminescence of deep-sea fishes. Many of these creatures, incredibly grotesque in form, carry their own lights furnished by their own bodies, and one of our problems, will be to solve the method of production of this luminescence which serves to irradiate the blackness of the medium in which the fish spends its existence. We have, of course, all appliances for dredging and trawling, and carry a dozen small boats, some with glass bottoms, in which to put off from the Arcturus in pursuit of specimens.

Projecting from the bow just above the surface of the water is a small platform which resembles nothing so much as a cow-catcher. From this, in reasonably calm weather, it will be possible to net floating organisms and to use the harpoon gun. All around the outside of the vessel's hull is a narrow footway furnished with handropes, from which observations will be made, and from a specially large and lofty crow's-nest a watch will be kept for anything of special interest that might otherwise escape unobserved. The Arcturus resembles an old pirate ship, for she is all of wood, with very high bulwarks, and to stand in her hold and look up at the great curved timbers of her frame carries the mind irresistibly to slave ships and buccannering days. The last practical touch is given by the double boom which projects amidships, supporting a gang-plank that ends in mid-air. If Blackbeard came aboard our ship he would see that plank at once and identify it as the plank of footpa'h along which he forced so many of his prisoners to take their last walks. But we plan to walk the plank in a diving helmet, which is a vast improvement over the old style, as any captive would admit. From our lower beam a platform which can be hoisted below water. Seated on this and clad in a helmet, an observer can be let down twenty or thirty feet below the surface in mid-ocean and spy upon the busy life of the aquatic jungle called the Sargasso Sea.

Here the little Sargasso fish climbs about the branches of yellow-brown weed, clinging with fingered fins, and in the masses of vegetation she builds her nest of transparent singlass spun from her own body. Here the place of insects in the foliage is taken by millions of tiny crabs and shrimps, some with luminous eyes and glowing spots like jewels on their minute bodies. Barnacles of many queer shapes make up for a sedentary existence by violently kicking their food into their mouths with their feet, and creatures that might be animal or vegetable, or both at once, ceaselessly wave their delicate fronds and tentacles in the soft yellow light that filters down through the floating forest.

After two months in the Sargasso Sea the Arcturus will turn towards the Pacific, as we plan to visit the Galapagos Islands, where two years ago we spent one hundred magic hours of study and exploration. Incidentally this visit will have a practical flavor, as we expect to find buried treasure. In my book "Galapagos: World's End," I described the adventures of Christensen, the taxi-driver shipwrecked on these islands, and the gold left behind when he and his companions were rescued. Christensen is to be one of the company to revisit the scene and dig up the gold.

The New Diversion

LONDON.—(Can. Press)—The smart young people of London, with plenty of money and plenty of time in which to spend it, have discovered a new diversion which eclipses the Treasure Hunts of last year in freakishness and originality.

The idea itself is simple enough. You stay in bed all day and sleep, and rise about nine o'clock in the evening, have breakfast and begin the day. All the house party, of course, does the same. At one a.m., in the cold hours of the morning, there is lunch, and the day is filled in with moonlight tennis and golf, and some of the guests go and paint night-scapes with electric torches.

A feature of the game is that there are heavy fines for anybody who refers to the fact of it being night-time. For instance, there is a great temptation at breakfast time to say, "What a lovely night," instead of "What a marvellous morning," but that will cost five dollars.

Lady Louis Mountbatten, Mrs. Richard Norton and the young Duchess of Roxburg were among the guests of a "Night-Time Day," which was given a few nights ago by the Hon. T. Fellowes at her house in Eaton Square. Before breakfast—that is about 8 a.m., if the guests went for a ride in the m.w. Lunch was at Mrs. Fellowes' use. There was tennis in the afternoon on the hostess' own courts—electric lamps had to be furnished here—and having changed for dinner all the party went on to the Savoy for cocktails and dinner about seven in

Lawless French Law Students

Praise and encouragement to rioting students were shouted in those Paris newspapers which berate the late Herriot Government for having shut the Law School of the University of France for an indefinite period and for having deposed Mr. Bartholemy, Dean of the Faculty. But some neutral observers say that, although these seem harsh measures, it is difficult to see what other course was open to the Government "short of capitulation to the Camelots du Roi and the Catholic Fascists, who had undoubtedly received their cue from members of the teaching staff, disgruntled at the appointment of Prof. George Scelles." All the trouble began, we learn from the Paris correspondent of the Manchester Guardian, when the University of Paris arranged for a temporary course of lectures upon international law by Professor Scelles, and this informant relates:

"As Scelles happens to hold views on the Clerical issue that are those of the (Herriot) Government and of the majority of the voters of France, the Monarchist and Clerical press, the Camelots du Roi and the new Fascist organizations at once declared a vendetta against him. His first lecture was prevented by a mob of some students and many Camelots du Roi and other outsiders, who occupied the lecture theatre and howled him down. It was then decided to restrict the audience to students actually taking the course and admit only by ticket.

"Mr. Scelles was to have lectured recently under these conditions. But, instigated by the Clerical press, the students seized and barricaded every available lecture-hall, screwed bolts into the doors, piled up furniture against them, and bivouacked there all that night and all the next day in great hilarity, until late in the afternoon an announcement that the lecture had been abandoned sent them pouring triumphantly into the street. By a wise decision of the University authorities the police were not allowed to enter the precincts.

"By this time all the streets around the Sorbonne and every corner on the Boulevard St. Michel were packed with rival demonstrators, students, and others—but mainly others—summoned hither by flaming appeals in the morning press. Even the sober Quotidien had given its main pages to a battle-call on behalf of the forces of progress, liberty and Republicanism. Thus by four o'clock there was in the Lath Quarter all the materials for a first-rate political riot save one—the mood for it. The spirit of the rival clans was as sunny and sparkling as the spring afternoon, and the whole affair passed off as a gigantic 'rag.'"

The real sufferers from the closing of the University, we are told then, are the students themselves, most of whom are hard-working and serious, and wish only to be allowed to continue their studies. This correspondent, however, calls attention to the fact that the fall of the franc and the consequent dearth of living has of late enormously diminished the proportion of poorer and more earnest students. The minority who were responsible for the trouble, he avers, belong to "good families," and he speaks of these "irresponsible youths" worked upon by an unscrupulous reactionary press and organization. "Of the real victims of this folly, he adds, "nothing of course is heard; they are left to bemoan in their mean lodgings what to many of them is the ruin of their hopes in life." Very different is the attitude of the French press which opposed the Herriot Government. Thus the Paris Journal des Debats declares sharply that the University must not be treated like election districts, and it goes on to say:

"The University is a great moral force in our country whose status should be beyond and above political agitation. The Government offended it twice. It committed an act of favoritism by naming a professor for a place that did not belong to him. It committed an injustice in striking at the Dean, who wished to have order observed and the students respected. What is the origin of all this movement of youth, if not the provocation of the Ministry which proceeded to make an unjustifiable nomination and which closed the Law School rather than abandon a choice that was disputed?"

A bitter opponent of the Herriot Government, Gustave Herve, editor of the Paris Victoire, calls the demonstration of the students a protest of indignation against "a crying injustice committed by the Ministry of Public Instruction and against the disgusting mixing of law politics with our higher education." The story as Mr Herve tells it is this:

"The professors of the Law School had to choose a colleague and presented as their first choice to the Ministry, Professor Le Fur of the Law School of Rennes and as second choice Professor Scelles of the Law School of Dijon, Professor Le Fur is a Catholic Republican, which is of itself a prohibitory vice. On the other hand Professor Scelles is a Free Thinker and a Free Mason . . . nat-

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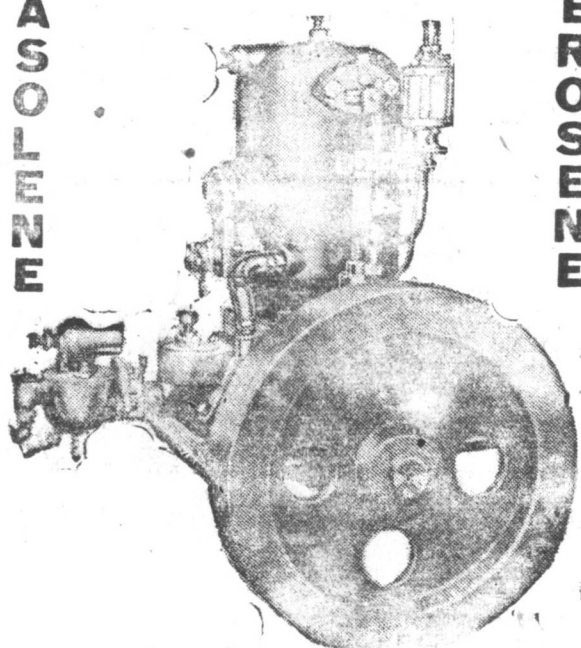
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