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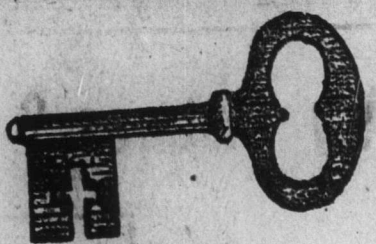
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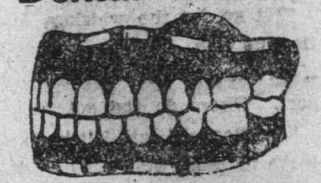
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CHAPTER I
A Bohemian Party.

"Yes; Miss Kittle is growing up now," said Wilson, "and it seems only the other day she was running around, all legs and wings." Kittle's father nodded, as one acknowledging a compliment; but he did not encourage the subject; for with all his Bohemianism, and notwithstanding that he had neglected his duty toward her, he exacted a respectful treatment of her from others; for instance, no one of his boon companions and fellow-Bohemians would have dared to speak of her without the prefix of "Miss."

"Kitt's all right," he said. "Pass the cards, Bickers; it's my deal I'm going nap this time, so get your pennies ready."

Meanwhile, Kittle had laid aside the skirt she was making and had slipped on her hat and jacket. She was a slip of a girl, tall for her age—she was in the last of her teens—and singularly lithe and graceful. One might say with truth that she was "singularly beautiful, with a girlish beauty which promised an actual loveliness later on. Her face was of the Irish type, that type which is only seen in the Celtic race, the charm and fascination of which lie not only in its spirituelle expression, but in its contrasting features.

For instance, her face, rather thin now, because she was growing so fast, was almost a pure oval, would have been quite pure but for the sharpening of the delicate chin, which indicated intelligence and wit, and the slight broadening of the cheek-bones, which denoted strength of character, and the audacity which revealed itself in the gray-blue eyes. Quite wonderful eyes they were, and capable of expressing the whole gamut of emotions; one moment they were dancing with mirth, at another they would be dark and humid with tenderness, and before you had got over the charm of this, they would be brilliant with intelligence, with a keen sense of humor which was Kittle's birthright; but through it all, the audacity seemed to shine as if it were always lying dormant, and ready to spring out, as a wildcat springs from the jungle.

She sang softly to herself as she put on her out-door things before the cheap looking-glass; for Kittle was usually as happy as a young colt frolicking in a spring meadow; and, indeed, she very much resembled a young colt in her freedom of movement, her scorn of conventionalities, her ignorance of the restraining bit and the pressing load of life.

She had inherited her father's voice, his sunny, mercurial disposition; and with her, also, sufficient for the day was the evil and the pleasure thereof. She was her father's child in every

sense of the word, for her mother had died when she was a baby. Her father never spoke to her of her mother, never spoke to her of his past; and Kittle was in careless ignorance of her family history, careless, because she never gave the matter a thought; neither the past nor the present troubled her, nor did the future. Living from hand to mouth, running into debt, bolting just before quarter-day, were as natural to Kittle as respectability, a settled position, plenty of dresses, and a liberal allowance are to other girls more fortunately placed.

She ran down the stairs with its threadbare carpet and hideous imitation marble paper on the walls and, opening the door—the key was on her finger—ran against an old man, who was just about to knock. He was a tall, thin man, with a close-shaven face, wrinkled like a railway-map. His eyes shone and glittered under thick lids; his thick hair was snowy white, but his eyebrows were jet black. In the shape of his nose, slightly hooked, and in the curve of his lips; in fact, in his features and expression, there were unmistakable indications of the Jew.

"You made me jump, Mr. Levison!" cried Kittle, with a laugh as she made way for him.

"Is your father in?" he asked.

"Yes; he's upstairs," she replied, her eyes twinkling. "It's a party; the usual lot. They're having a good time—songs, and stories, and nap. They've run out of whisky and I'm going for some."

Consciously, or unconsciously, she mimicked her father's voice, imitated his very manner. She was a wonderful mimic, and could never tell a story, however short, never relate anything, or speak of any one she had seen without imitating the persons and acting the incident.

Levison watched her from under his heavy lids, and acknowledged her mimicry with a slight nod of approval, and as faint a smile of admiration.

"I'll go for the whiskey, Miss Kittle," he said. "You're getting too big a girl to run on errands—of that sort. Where do you get it?"

"At Boggles," said Kittle, "and if he looks as if he wouldn't give it to you—we must be running a decent bill there—ask after the baby; you'll get it then."

She went back to her room, singing, and took up the skirt again.

Presently she heard the door open—she had given Levison the key—and his step on the stairs; and she called to him through the open door of her room, her mouth full of pins.

"Take it up to them, Mr. Levison, I'm sure they will be glad to see you."

Levison hesitated a moment; then he said, in his low voice, which had just a faint touch of the Semitic, nasal twang:

"I don't think I'll go up, Miss Kittle. I wanted to have a quiet chat with your father. I'll wait here." He took a chair in a corner of the little room in which Norton wrote and Kittle did her needlework, as could be plainly seen by the plain deal table, splattered with ink-stains, and the litter of dress material, the sewing-

machine, and other feminine requisites.

The chair was quite in the corner of the room, but Mr. Levison seated himself on it without bringing it forward, and sat with that statuesque air of patience, of serene immobility, to which only the Jew can attain.

Kittle ran upstairs with the bottle, and her appearance was received with a shout of welcome at once respectful and affectionate. She waved the bottle round her head, then plunked it on the table in front of her father, and stood with her hands upon her hips, looking, with a smile, from face to face.

"Hebe herself!" said Vilorne. "Hebe bringing nectar to the gods in Olympus. Miss Kittle, we are everlastingly grateful to you. There is only one other thing you could do to make us perfectly happy. Dook, we ask Miss Kittle to be so gracious as to sing us a song, just one song, now she's here?"

The toddy was telling upon him, or he would not have ventured to make the request. Norton frowned slightly, and shook his head; but Kittle still continued to smile, and, slipping her arm round her father's neck, said coaxingly:

"Let me, dad. I'd like to sing for them; they all look so happy."

"Oh, well," he said, with a shrug of his shoulders. "Only one song, mind! This is a bachelor party, and it's no place for you, Kite."

She stood by his chair, laughingly beat back the volumes of smoke from before her face, and began to sing. Presently her father's face relaxed with a smile of fond pride, and he beat time with his long pipe. The others listened in silence to the sweet, clear, confident voice, the voice of the born artist; then, when the song was finished, they burst into rapturous applause, with cries of "Encore!"

Kittle shook her head, crossed her hands on her bosom, swept them a curtsy, and, pausing at the door to cry, "No, no; only one; 'twas a bargain!" ran out of the room.

The party was not a late one, for the journalists had to get back to the newspaper work; and presently they trooped away, shouting "Good-night" to Norton, as he leaned over the balusters, waving farewell with his pipe. Then he went back to the room, and Levison came up.

The Dook was in the happiest frame of mind, nicely charged with toddy, and soothed by unlimited tobacco. Perhaps Mr. Levison had waited for this unassuming condition.

"Hullo, Levison!" exclaimed Norton. "Where did you spring from? Why didn't you come up before. Been chatting with Kittle down-stairs, eh? Have some toddy? By jingo, it's all gone. I'll send for some more."

"No, no," said Levison, with a wave of his hand. He took up a gold cigarette case, lighted a cigarette, and smoked it deliberately. All his movements were deliberate.

"Yes; I've been chatting with Miss Kittle," he said; "it is always a pleasure to do that. She is like that woman Voltaire speaks of, who couldn't ask you to pass the salt without being interesting. She is a born actress. She sang that song just now with a sense of balance and a truth of expression which only an artist could arrive at."

Norton listened and nodded; but he looked rather uneasy, and eyed Levison with a touch of suspicion; and at the word "actress," he shifted uneasily and frowned. Levison regarded his cigarette intently, and went on in the slow, deliberate way of the Jew, who is too astute to reveal his eagerness.

"I dined with Pockett—the manager of the Folly, you know?"

"I've known Pockett for years," said Norton, with increasing impatience.

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"I daresay," said Norton, with a kind of grant, and a more decided frown.

Levison knocked the ash off the

cigarette, and looked at his well-made boots; he was always well-dressed, and in an inconspicuous fashion.

"Miss Kittle would make a great success on the stage; I am quite certain of that; and I thought you would like to know that Pockett would take her."

"I daresay," said Norton, in a low voice; "but I don't like the idea. Don't I know what the stage is?"

Levison shrugged his shoulders. "It's like most things, my dear Norton; not nearly so black as it's painted. It is not what it was; it has changed, improved, very much of recent years. You must admit that."

"Do you think you can tell me anything about it?" demanded Norton irritably. "Haven't I been there? I hate it; and I have reason to hate it. It's bad enough for men, it is unwholesome enough for them—the excitement, the late hours, the devil-may-care nature it breeds in the best of them. Go to the men at the top of the tree in the profession, they'd agree with me. Why, there's Walton—he's always regretting, and bitterly, that he isn't a barrister, a doctor, any thing, but a famous actor; and he makes five thousand a year, and is run after by society with a capital 'S.' But the women!—especially those who are not at the top of the tree! It's a dog's life for them."

"Not for all," said Levison, quietly. "Of course, where a girl is amply provided for." He paused significantly. "If anything happened to you, for instance, Norton—we are all of us mortal—what would become of Miss Kittle?"

Norton rose suddenly, and began to pace the room; he was much agitated. Presently he swung round upon Levison.

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LONDON, March 23. For the last 24 hours the weather at the front in France has been the worst possible of a wintry type, with the result that field operations have been brought almost to a standstill. Reuter's correspondent at the British headquarters wires that more definite resistance is being offered by the German rearguard as they are pressed back by the British advanced troops. This is particularly noticeable along the irregular line running in the northern and northwestern direction from Debay wood, which lies about three miles west of St. Quentin. In most of the northerly sector affected by the retreat, the Germans continue to maintain strong covering patrols. Cavalry guards are also posted, and there are many machine guns on chosen vantage points, indicating they intend to prevent the British from continuing their progress as rapidly as they have done heretofore. Although some cavalry skirmishes are reported as well as small clashes of reconnoitering parties, there was no appreciable change in the situation to-day, in accordance with the tendency of the Germans to offer greater resistance. Behind all the newly acquired British front the greatest activity continues, both in the way of troops' movements and construction and repair of roads and railways. Thus far about 1,000 inhabitants have been left behind by the Germans during the retreat, mostly elderly or very young persons. Reuter's correspondent reports that all the women betw. the ages of 17 and 25 are being sent to the fortress of Subeuge, as the Germans say if they were left behind they would make munitions for the French, and so they are keeping them making munitions for themselves.

RUSSIANS ADVANCING.

PETROGRAD, March 23. Russian troops pushing west of Kermanshah, in Persia, have reached a point less than 45 miles from the Mesopotamia border, the war office announced to-day. After the Turkish army had been beaten in a 16-hour battle outside of Kerind, the Turks retreated to the vicinity of Kerind and made another stand. Another Russian column attacked the Turks along the Sherwan River, a tributary of the Diala about midway between Kermanshah and Sakkiz, from which last point another Russian army has been pushing southward into Mesopotamia. By numerous counter attacks the Russians have repaired the breach made in their lines by the Germans recently, near the Beresina River, east of Lida, on the Russian front, the war office announced to-day.

GERMAN REPRISALS.

NEW YORK, March 23. A News Agency despatch from Lausanne, Switzerland, to-day says Germany has sent many of her captives to the front lines of battle as reprisals, according to a statement issued by the International Red Cross to-day. The statement said the Red

GERMANS EXTENDING BLOCKADE.

LONDON, March 23. A Reuter despatch from Christiania says that the German Minister has sent a communication to the Norwegian Government on an order from his Government, that it future that part of the Arctic Sea, lying east 24 degrees east longitude, south 75 degrees north, latitude, excepting Norwegian territory, is to be regarded as dangerous for all navigation. Ships will be met with all weapons, and neutral vessels entering those waters must do so at their own risk. Neutral ships already on the way for or returning from ports in this zone, will not be attacked without warning until April 5.

TENSION BETWEEN NORWAY AND GERMANY.

AMSTERDAM, March 23. Indications of renewed tension between Norway and Germany are appearing in the German papers. The Cologne Gazette makes a feature of its editorial headed "Norwegian Insolence," in which it says the press of Norway these days has assumed a tone of an insulting character, which Germany cannot tolerate. Norwegians would do well to remember that their unbridled press campaign once before tended to create diplomatic tension; hence those in responsibility should have kept the papers from again singing in the same tune.

GERMANY'S FOOD SITUATION.

AMSTERDAM, March 23. Bread rationing in Germany will be diminished "one fourth" beginning April 15th, owing to the scarcity of wheat, according to a despatch from Berlin to the Weser Zeitung of Bremen. The potato ration will be continued at five pounds weekly, and meat rations will be increased 250 grams weekly, it is announced, says the despatch. The curtailment of the use of wheat is necessary to insure present stocks lasting until the next harvest. The announcement of the bread ration reduction caused surprise and consternation throughout Germany. The Rheinische West Faehische Zeitung, says, "the reduction is a very painful surprise." The Cologne Volks Zeitung reproduces the semi-official statement, which contains the following, "It should not be concealed that the new restriction means great sacrifice, and can only be borne by people who for the sake of our highest aims will bear even a heavy burden, and who have a firm confidence that their patient endurance will be rewarded before long by a 'glorious peace.'" The Volks Zeitung says editorially: "If the measure is absolutely necessary it must be accepted, but it must be stated for many the limits bearable are thereby exceeded. The grounds adopted for the measures are not adequate even now only with great deprivations is it that the industrial populations of the towns manage with the bread rations."

HOLLAND REFUSED U.S. REQUEST.

THE HAGUE, March 23. The Handelsblad, of Amsterdam, says to-day a rumor has reached it that Holland refused the request of the United States for the admission

Cross was endeavoring to dissuade the German authorities from such re-

ports, and that consequently Dutch harbors will be closed to American and British ships. The Government, adds the newspaper, will assume a great responsibility whichever way the decision may fall, but the Government seems to believe that Germany would interpret as an unfriendly act any decision on our part which would come into line with international usage or justice which Germany recognized before the war. The fear of reprisals by the States or Britain or their antagonism after the war is expressed by the newspaper, but the Dutch Government, has declared it can do only what justice and the interest of the Netherlands indicate.

BRITAIN'S FOOD SITUATION.

LONDON, March 23. Speaking in the Commons on behalf of the Food Controller this afternoon, Chas. Bathurst said: While the food situation and the outlook for the future are not wholly satisfactory, the poorer class of the country are suffering less than those of any other of the belligerents. The greatest danger at present is arousing unnecessary panic. Admitting the shortage of potatoes, the speaker urged all patriots to use a substitute for this article of food during the next two or three months. Everyone while practicing the greatest possible economy, he added, should at the same time maintain that spirit of patience which will carry the nation through what are bound to be critical months ahead.

WILL RESUME DEPORTATIONS.

RAZEBROUCK, France, March 23. It is reported here that deportations from the invaded district of Northern France are about to be resumed. Germany for some time is said to have been distributing blanks to be filled out in order to organize the deportation of young men and young women for spring farming. The Germans continue the requisition of metal, having taken more from the churches of Lille, their bells and organ pipes, and from other places quantities of sheet steel.

HOLLAND'S FOOD SHORTAGE.

NEW YORK, March 23. An Associated Press despatch from Washington to-day says a fleet of 15 Dutch steamers are said here to-day to have recently sailed from a port in Holland for the United States, by way of Halifax. The vessels all steamed out the same day and are now believed to be well north of the German submarine zone around the British Isles. It is intended by the Netherlands Government which has the ships under charter to have them load grain, probably at New York, and then return by the same route they came. It was explained here to-day that lack of foodstuffs in Holland made it necessary for large quantities to be obtained at once, and it was felt a merchant fleet could better brave the dangers of the seas than individual ships. Many Dutch ships loaded with grain are now being detained in British ports, either by the British authorities or through fear of the German submarines.

GERMAN OFFER REJECTED.

THE HAGUE, March 23. The Dutch foreign office statement with reference to the seven Dutch steamers torpedoed off Falmouth recently, says, the German Government on March 6th offered to pay an indemnity for the loss of the members of the crews, and help the owners by

facilitating the purchase of German ships after the war. This offer, the statement adds, was made on consideration of humanity and good neighbor-

ship. Further steps led to a reconsideration of the offer by Germany which now offers German ships for rental on reasonable conditions. Holland, it is declared, rejected the offer for the owners under the circumstances who refused to accept the proposal of indemnification for crews.

OFFICIAL NEWS CRAWL.

BERLIN, March 23. Although official news is still lacking with regard to press reports that China has broken off relations with the Germans, it is now accepted by the German press that the rupture has come.

ENTENTE LOSSES IN WARSHIPS.

BERLIN, March 23. The Entente losses in warships has now reached a total of 850,000 tons, says an Overseas Agency announcement to-day. This compilation includes the French battleship of the Danton class, recently announced sunk by a German submarine in the Mediterranean.

WOMEN TO ACT ON COMMITTEES.

LONDON, March 23. The Town Council of Petrograd has unanimously agreed to appoint a certain proportion of women to several of its committees, says a Central News despatch from Petrograd to-day.

AMERICA AND THE WAR.

WASHINGTON, March 23. The American Government has decided that the steps to meet the situation with Germany shall include preparation for effective and aggressive warfare in addition to measures for protection of shipping. So far as it was learned after to-day's cabinet meeting, there had been no decision as to whether the sending of a military force to Europe shall be proposed, but the army as well as the navy and industrial resources of the nation are to be made ready for any demand that may be made upon them.

FRENCH NOW ADMIT LOSS.

LONDON, March 23. In the sinking of the French battleship Danton in the Mediterranean on March 19, says a statement from the French Admiralty received here, 266 men were drowned. The Danton was torpedoed by a hostile submarine.

THE 'MOEWES' WORK.

LONDON, March 23. The British official issued to-day says that according to the German wireless announcement, one Norwegian and ten British ships were sunk

or captured by the German raider

Moewe in addition to the ships reported destroyed on Jan. 17th last.

THE COAL PROBLEM.

OTTAWA, March 23. Sir George Foster has been summoned to the conference of Nova Scotia coal operators on April 2, to consider a means for overcoming the decreased output of the mines, which has fallen off on account of the labor shortage.

MORE ABOUT THE 'HEALDTON'.

THE HAGUE, March 23. The second boat from the Healdton has been brought to Terschelling by a Dutch torpedo boat with eight men, including one badly injured. One Dutchman had jumped overboard, losing his life. The third boat, containing 19 men, overturned when the ship capsized. All were drowned, making a total of 20 lives lost out of a crew of 41. Of 13 Americans on board, only 6 were saved. Two Dutchmen also are among the victims, the others of whom were a Spaniard, Norwegian and a Finn.

RELEASE OF POLITICAL PRISONERS.

LONDON, March 23. During the release of political prisoners at Kesereton, says a Reuter despatch from Petrograd, to-day, 1,700 convicts disarmed the prison guards and broke into another wing of the jail, where they released 500 more convicts. The released men scattered through the town, but no serious trouble has been reported.

THE DAILY REVIEW.

NEW YORK, March 23. Temporarily at least the retirement of the German forces in France appears to have halted. Both British and French communications report counter attacks and stubborn resistance at various parts of the line along the front. Despite this apparent change in German tactics, the British report progress southeast of Arras, and the French, Paris says, have moved forward between one and a quarter and two and two and a half miles. In the St. Quentin region the French troops have also made gains on the heights overlooking the Oise valley, to the northeast of Terguier, and have repulsed German attacks before Thill, northeast of Rheims. Paris asserts the Germans are inundating the Oise region and that the city of La Fere, thought to have been one of the strong points in the German line is under water. South of the Oise the French continue to cross the Allette River, north of Soissons, Paris says, and considerable progress has been made toward Margival. Stubborn resistance by the Germans is said to have marked the French successes

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northeast of the Canal between the

Somme and the Oise, where much ground was gained. From Beaurains, about two miles south of Arras to Etrepelles, five miles west of St. Quentin, London reports encounters between British and German forces. At Vracourt and two points in the centre of the line German counter attacks are said to have been repulsed and British positions maintained. Southeast of Arras in the neighborhood of Ecoust and Croisilles the British made further gains. The latest official statement from Berlin says that the French were repulsed in attacks along the Somme-Croisat Canal, between the Somme and the Oise, and 230 prisoners were taken by the Germans. Except for French activity near Monastir, Serbia and Russian advances in Persia, there have been no important operations on other fronts. North of Monastir, after a violent fight, Hill 1248 remained in the hands of the French. The German-Bulgarian troops made repeated unsuccessful attacks to gain possession of the Hill, but were repulsed.

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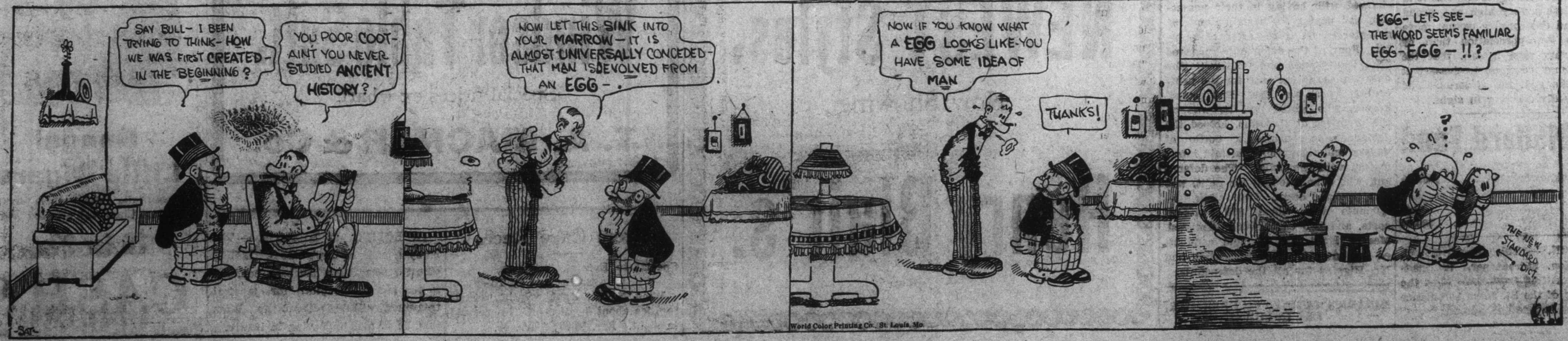
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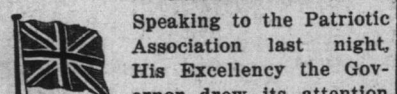
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SATURDAY, March 24th, 1917.

"Mentioned in Despatches."



Speaking to the Patriotic Association last night, His Excellency the Governor drew its attention to the very high and almost unique honour that had been conferred upon our Regiment. Under the familiar heading "Mentioned in Despatches" on February 1st last, in place of the usual name of some officer or private who had distinguished himself by some service above the ordinary appeared the words "The Newfoundland Regiment!" The cause of this special mention was stated to be that the Regiment had "specially distinguished itself in the capture of prisoners, in minor operations, and patrol actions." No praise, as the Governor stated, could be higher or more gratifying. It meant that the Regiment had attracted particular attention; it meant that its work as a whole had been of that nature which, in the case of individuals, is recognised in coveted medals and ribbons. And a further mark of honour by the authorities is seen in its being drafted and associated with certain of the elite regiments of the British Army.

It is boastful, in the face of this, to claim that our Regiment is entitled to a place beside the very finest fighting forces in the whole Empire? We do not think it is fully appreciated here how truly great this distinction is; it will be taken at its real value by Army men. It is recognized, at any rate, by General Headquarters; there is one way in which it can be recognized here—by keeping the Battalion at its full strength through thick and thin. The services detailed in the despatch are necessarily of actual fighting operations, but they are not all that a soldier is called upon to perform. And we have reason to believe that in many other directions than these the work of our men has been above the average and has elicited special commendation. They distinguished themselves early at Ayr by the excellence of their pioneer work, making on one occasion a record in road-building; we know that at Gallipoli they were in constant demand when trenches had to be dug; and we have heard recently of a feat of a Newfoundland squad at the front who not only relieved a number of regular Engineers in the task of laying a railway, but actually outstripped their trained comrades in the speed of their work. Doubtless many more such performances could be quoted if the modesty of the performers permitted them to be known. This all-round proficiency of the Regiment is not surprising when the life that has trained them to it is considered, but we do not think is known generally enough here at home how highly it is regarded. There is hardly a man among them that cannot handle an axe and pick with equal dexterity, and those implements play a great part at the front. When to this invaluable expertness is added the bravery and coolness of which proof has been given time and again, the "mention in despatches" is not altogether to be wondered at. But it is none the less a very high and proud honour, and the country cannot more fittingly show its appreciation than by sending every man it can, that the Regiment may continue to deserve it right to the end, the victorious end that is rapidly drawing in sight.

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OMISSION. — The name of W. Reeves, Hon. Storekeeper, is inadvertently omitted from the list of the Committee of the St. John Ambulance Association in another column.

LATEST

FORETELLS ABDICATION OF GERMAN EMPEROR.

PARIS, To-day.

The abdication of the German Emperor is forecasted by the former German magistrate who wrote the celebrated book "J'accuse," in an interview published in L'Oeuvre. He says the Kaiser is obsessed by the thought that he is responsible for the war, a thought which poisons his whole existence. He feels that he is menaced by three enemies at home without counting those abroad. First is the Crown Prince, the real author of the war; the second is the Junker Pangermanist, who cannot imagine the smouldering hatred of the Emperor for those whom they believe to be maniacs who are driving him into an abyss. The third are the people, not the Socialist party, but the people who are starving and who, he feels, are growing in number and raising little by little against those who organized the war.

The people he fears most are the anti-militarist, anti-Prussian and Liberal Republicans, who want the Reichstag to be based on universal suffrage. That is why Wilhelm is so anxious to convince the nation that he did not want war. All his protestations are made to appease the Liberals and his furnished and ruined subjects, whose murmurs are growing stronger. He wants to continue popular at any price and that is why he spoke the first word of peace. His failure to initiate peace negotiations was a great disappointment. To try again would be to admit and proclaim to the whole world, but above all to the German people, which he fears most, Germany's real situation. If the Allies solemnly declared, as they did with Napoleon in 1815, that they would refuse to treat for peace with the Hohenzollerns, it would be a knock-out blow. The German people who still believe in him would abandon him; for peace at any price will soon be the unanimous and hidden thought of tortured Germany. What recourse is left to him but a dramatic abdication in order to retain the sympathies of the German people and save the political future of Prussia?

FORM A REPUBLIC.

LONDON, To-day.

The Central Committee and Parliamentary representatives of the Constitutional Democratic party at Petrograd voted to-day in favour of a Republican form of Government of Russia, according to a Petrograd despatch. Prof. Paul Milukoff, Foreign Minister in the new Government, is the leader of this party.

Prohibition Cases Before Court.

Yesterday afternoon a medical man was charged with giving a prescription to a city laborer for beverage purposes, contrary to the Prohibition Act. After several witnesses were examined, including the defendant and two other medical practitioners, the case was postponed till Tuesday next for the purpose of getting further medical testimony. Five citizens appeared before His Honor to-day, charged with having in their possession and paying for certain liquor at a Water Street store after January 1st. Four of the defendants pleaded "Not Guilty" and one "Guilty." The only witness in the case for the prosecution was an East End storekeeper, who stated that he was on the premises at the time, helped the defendants to consume a bottle of whisky and then went and laid information with the police. The defendant, who acknowledged his guilt, was fined \$50 and costs. Two other defendants were fined \$50, without costs, and two cases were dismissed. Messrs. Hunt and Dunfield conducted the cases for the prosecution and Mr. Higgins for all the defendants.

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War Veterans Coming.

The following wounded heroes are passengers on the incoming express due to-morrow afternoon.

Lt.-Corpl. Bursley, Privates J. Carter, D. Churchill, E. Knight, W. LeDrew, J. Michelon, A. Wiseman, E. Janes. Some of the returning heroes are so badly wounded that they will be invalided for life. Included in the latter is Private Daniel Churchill of Portugal Cove, son of the late Levi Churchill, a well known trapper and fisherman, whose death occurred last year during his son's absence at the front.

Milady's Boudoir.



DAILY CARE OF THE HAIR.

If the hair is in an "impoverished" condition, abnormally greasy or dry, showing a tendency to become brittle and break off short, if it loses its color and bulk, then it will be no good to begin any hair treatment without first attending to the general state of the health.

One should take sufficient exercise and rest, and correct any indigestion in diet. When an anemic condition exists a tonic often does wonders, so will a course of cod liver oil, while raw eggs and unboiled milk are articles of diet which directly beautify the hair.

As to the general care of the hair it should be washed as often as it requires cleansing. Once a week is not too often for a very oily type of hair, and about once in three weeks is a good average for ordinary hair.

If it should be washed at home liquid soap is the best thing to use. The hair should be thoroughly wetted with warm water, then a handful of the liquid rubbed in. If it does not lather at once use a little more water, and a little more liquid until the whole head is in a perfect foam. Then rinse out the lather very thoroughly taking the worst of the moisture off with hot towels and dry by brushing and fanning. Do not, on any account, dry it by the fire.

The daily care of the hair is most important. It should be well brushed every night, the scalp being first treated with a rather hard brushing to stimulate the circulation, and the long hair afterwards brushed with long sweeping strokes, two brushes with with rather long, stiff bristles being used. This is to keep the hair clear and give it a natural gloss.

On Edge of Revelations

(From the Boston Transcript.)

Germany has been preparing for war with the United States for many months. That is brought out abundantly in the revelations of "propaganda work," which is war work, that are now coming out. We have heard of the great wireless station which the Germans were setting up in Mexico. This was to be a part of a wireless system organized on American soil. Among the lavish purchases of real estate, apparently made with Dr. Zimmermann's money, by So Kunna and Chakrabarty, the German-Hindu firm who have been operating in New York, was a hill 1300 feet high east of Fishkill, N.Y. This hill, well known to the writer of these words, stands where it would probably be well sheltered from naval bombardment from the Hudson River, and also where it looks down over the tops of lesser hills toward Long Island Sound. An admirable site for a wireless station with an oceanic and continental reach. What could the Germans do with such a station as that? Little, if it were not in some way defended, at least for a time, against a land movement; but a great deal, if it were successfully entrenched against our "contemptible little army" by a force of German reservists suddenly springing into being. It would not be surprising if a system of intrenchments for that position were already mapped out somewhere, and the orders ready for issue for its defence. We are merely on the edges of the revelations of such preparations against us.

Why We Shave.

It is difficult to find any practical reason why male servants should be allowed to grow hair on the cheek, but not on the lip or chin; soldiers on the lip, but not on the cheek or chin; sailors, again, if on the lip, then compulsorily on both cheek and chin.

Shaving was practiced in the New World before that was discovered by Europeans, and the Mexican barbers shaved their customers with flakes of volcanic glass, each piece as it lost its edge being flung away and a new one applied.

A curious instance of political significance in the mode of shaving may be remembered by some people. It was after the downfall of Napoleon III, when the French army ceased to be Imperial and became Republican, that a general order was issued that all military chins were to be shaved, and forthwith the familiar characteristic "Imperial" disappeared from 500,000 chins.

For many years before the Crimean War the moustache in this country was the distinguishing badge of the cavalry; it was prohibited in the infantry, and, as for the civilian who braved public opinion, by sporting it, he was looked on either as an artist, an eccentric, or as wishing to pass for a Hussar.—Tit-Bits.



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FRENCH LINE

The French line steamer arrived at Bonnet yesterday, according to her to-day from New York. She left New York 12th with 201 passengers were American citizens.

GERMAN FOOT

Announcement is in the bread ration and an increase in the

SIBERIA REJOICES

PEKIN, Wednesday. Harbin and other says a message from Harbin, celebrated the Russian revolution which civilians, soldiers participated. Various Committees to talking and workmen's organizing the men to come railway and employ loyal to the Government is sending delegates to trans-Siberian railways congestion at Vladivostok.

WAR REVIEW

The fronts north of a violent fight at reports a harness near Monastir, and took place between Presha to the West of Kermanshah. Russians have forty-five miles of border, according to would bring the 106 miles of the have been advanced River from Bagdad.

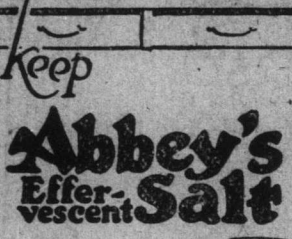
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TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.00 A.M.

DIMINISHED GERMAN MORALE.

LONDON, To-day.

Although the Germans told these people countless stories to demonstrate their invincibility, they had pretty good general knowledge of the true state of affairs in the world beyond the German lines, the correspondent continued. People say the German soldiers have been talking a good deal, especially of late, and that notwithstanding all the efforts to conceal the truth from them it was surprising how much they appeared to know. It is almost possible to judge the progress of the Somme battle by the change in the demeanour of the Germans. They did not attempt to conceal their apprehensions over the prospect of facing another great British offensive this year. One of the possible reasons for this retreat may well be the doubt of the German high command whether they could get their men to face a possible continuation of such an attack.

FRENCH LINER ARRIVES.

NEW YORK, To-day.

The French liner steamer Rochambour arrived at Bordeaux safely yesterday, according to a cable received here to-day from one of the passengers. She left New York on March 12th with 221 passengers, of whom 100 were American citizens.

GERMAN FOOD RATIONS.

COPENHAGEN, To-day.

Announcement is made of reductions in the bread rations of Germany and an increase in the meat.

SIBERIA REJOICING IN CHANGE.

PEKIN, Wednesday (Delayed.)

Harbin and other cities of Siberia, says a message received here from Harbin, celebrated the success of the Russian revolution with parades, in which civilians, soldiers and police participated. Various cities of Siberia have appointed Provisional Committees to take charge of affairs and workmen's organizations, urging the men to continue work on the railway and employees to remain loyal to the Government. Petrograd is sending delegates to reorganize the trans-Siberian railway and relieve the congestion at Vladivostok.

WAR REVIEW IN THE EAST.

LONDON, To-day.

The fronts north of Monastir, after a violent fight at Hill 1248, remained in the hands of the French. Berlin reports a harassing fire by French near Monastir, and says a partial attack took place between Lake Ochrida and Presha to the westward. South West of Kermanshah, in Persia, the Russians have progressed to within forty-five miles of the Mesopotamian border, according to Petrograd. This would bring the Russians to within 106 miles of the British forces which have been advancing up the Tigris River from Baghdad. In a sixteen hour

battle near Kerinda, Petrograd also reports the Turks were forced to retreat to Kerinda. The Russians have attacked the Turks along the River Sherwan.

AMERICA SPEEDING UP.

WASHINGTON, To-day.

The American Government will decide on sweeping measures to be put into effect following the expected declaration by Congress, soon after it meets on April 2nd, that a state of war exists between the States and Germany. Fully appreciating Germany's policy of acting war first and talking it afterwards, the Government has determined to provide against every possible emergency. The broad questions involved were discussed to-day at a long Cabinet meeting, which was held by the Departments and carried reports of the preparations already made and those contemplated. Details are being taken up between President Wilson and individual Cabinet members. Regrettably the Government has apparently decided that since Germany is making war upon the States through ruthlessly killing Americans and the destruction of their ships, the issue must be met with steps much more far reaching than mere attempts to protect individual merchant craft. If anything is asked to prevent this it is not now foreseen. Once a state of war is declared to exist aggressive measures are expected to be taken. As outlined after to-day's Cabinet meeting, the preparations of the Government are not to be for a short war or a war marked by half measures. Nothing is to be taken for granted. A complete programme has been prepared so that everything arranged to be done will be carried out in systematic order. The exact measure of American participation in the war is not expected to be revealed until after the President addresses Congress and the public sentiment crystallizes. So far as is known no political alliance with the Entente Allies is contemplated, although military as well as naval co-operation is possible. The Government will be unsparring of both money and supplies for the Allies.

FRENCH REPORT.

PARIS, To-day.

French forces operating northeast of St. Quentin Canal have pushed back the Germans between one and a quarter to two miles, and also gained additional ground on the heights northeast of Tergnier overlooking the Oise Valley, according to a French official issued to-night. Two German attacks near "Thill" northwest of Rheims, were repulsed. To the northeast of Tergnier our detachments pushed ahead on the heights immediately overlooking the Oise Valley. In this region the Germans resorted to inundations and the city of LaFere is under water. To the south of the Oise we have continued our crossing of the Ailette River. In the region north of Soissons our troops fought for and realised considerable progress towards Margarril. To the northwest of Rheims the Germans carried out against our trenches before Thill two attacks which failed under a curtain of fire of our machine guns. The losses of the enemy have been serious, judging from the bodies of men abandoned by him within our wire entanglements. Along the rest of the front the day was comparatively quiet.

GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF SHIPPING.

LONDON, To-day.

It is understood in shipping circles that the Government has extended its control of shipping and has now requisitioned at fixed rates all lines of tonnage engaged in Australian, South American and South African trades. This extension of the control plan is apparently intended to deal systematically and to the best advantage with virtually all the entire British tonnage and bring it under the management of the Shipping Controller.

SHIPBUILDING IN NOVA SCOTIA.

HALIFAX, To-day.

Two million dollars will be raised on the credit of the Province of Nova Scotia for the encouragement of shipbuilding if a Bill introduced by Premier Murray this afternoon passes both Houses.

GREAT STORM IN NEW ALBANY.

NEW ALBANY, In. To-day.

Between 25 and 50 persons were killed and probably 100 or more injured by a storm which to-day swept over New Albany, abolishing residences, stores and manufacturing places.

EXTENSION OF DANGER ZONE.

WASHINGTON, To-day.

An extension of the area of danger to shipping off the mouths of the Weser and Elbe Rivers, where the Allies are employing mines and other devices in their efforts to block progress from the Great German naval base, is announced in a British Foreign Office note cabled to the State Department to-day by Ambassador

6 SPRING MILLINERY OPENING

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SOCIALISTS SUPPORT WILSON.

NEW YORK, To-day.

Several prominent Socialists met to-day after protesting against the action of the Executive Committee in issuing a manifesto purporting to express the Party's position about threatened war between the States and Germany, and passed a resolution endorsing President Wilson's course and pledging their support to the country.

HARROWING DETAILS OF THE HEALDTON.

THE HAGUE, To-day.

Detailed accounts of the sinking were shown on Wednesday. About 3.15 p.m., notwithstanding the electrically illuminated words "Heraldton, New York" between the masts, the vessel was bombarded suddenly by an invisible sub, which first shot away the illuminated name, and thereupon without warning twice torpedoed the vessel. Fire broke out owing to the nature of the cargo and an explosion in the machine room. The crew immediately sought safety in the boats, not having a minute to dress or collect any of their belongings. All efforts to save the 19 men of the overturned boat were fruitless.

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TURKISH GOVERNMENT FEARS PEOPLE.

ATHENS, To-day.

Information has reached here that the mass levy, ordered by the Turkish Government, has proved so unpopular with the people so far that the Government has not ventured to enforce it fully. Resentment is rife among the people. The Young Turks

are trying to prevent the spread of the facts about the Russian revolution, referring to it as disorders and riots against the war. The attitude of the people is beginning to be feared by the Government.

REVELATIONS OF GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS.

LONDON, To-day.

Grand Duke Nicholas Michaelovitch, says a Times despatch from Petrograd, was banished to his estates in December for telling Emperor Nicholas the truth concerning the situation and for denouncing the Rasputin scandal. The Grand Duke relates how he was moved much more during the conversation than the Emperor, and when, fearing he had gone too far, he said to the Emperor, "Now call your Cossacks and have me killed and buried in your garden." The Emperor merely smiled and thanked him. A few days later the Emperor wrote the Grand Duke a note ordering him and imploring him to retire to his country seat. Before retiring to the country the Grand Duke wrote a letter to the Emperor. The text of

the letter is printed by the Times. Following are some extracts from it: "You have proclaimed frequently your will to continue the war to a victorious end. Are you sure the present condition of the country permits this? Are you acquainted with affairs within the empire, particularly in Siberia and Turkestan and the Caucasus? Do you hear the whole truth? Your manner of choosing ministers you are known in close circles and things could muddle along, but when they became a matter of public knowledge and all classes talked about them, it was a senseless attempt to continue to govern Russia in this fashion. You often told me you could put faith in nobody and that you were being deceived. If this is so, it applies particularly to your wife, who leads you yet and who leads you into error. Being surrounded by evil minded intimates her words are the product of skillful machinations, not of truth. If you are powerless to liberate her from these influences, then at all events beware of the intrigues who are using your wife as their instrument. My first impulses are always remarkably true, but as soon as other influences supervene you begin to waver." After appealing to the Emperor to remove the interference of the "dark forces", and assuring him that he will thereby regain the confidence of the people which he had forfeited, the Grand Duke's letter continued, "I have long hesitated to tell you the whole truth, but decided to do so after being convinced by your mother and sisters that it must be done. You are on the eve of new trouble. On the eve of attempts on your life." The appointment of General M. P. Alexieff as Commander-in-Chief of the Russian armies is forecasted by the Times correspondent in Petrograd, who adds that he probably will work in connection with a committee on national defence.

DISAFFECTION IN BULGARIAN ARMY.

LONDON, To-day.

Semi-official despatches from Serbian headquarters in the last few days have reported serious trouble among the Bulgarian troops around Monastir. Several regiments are reported to have deserted in a body as a result of friction over supplies and their relations with their Teutonic Allies. According to these reports it has been necessary to rearrange several large units of the Bulgarian army, distributing troops of suspected loyalty to places where they can do the least harm.

DOUBT IF GERMANS CAN HOLD LINE.

PARIS, To-day.

The Allies continue to forge ahead on the centre and extreme right and made substantial progress eastwards in the direction of St. Quentin and LaFere in the teeth of German determined resistance. Notwithstanding the efforts of the Germans to destroy the roads as they retire, the Allies

have managed to bring up a good force of all but their heaviest artillery and the guns are again busy after a long rest. The pressure of the French from St. Quentin to the Aisne is so powerful that it seems doubtful in the opinion of French military critics as to whether the Germans will be able to hold on to the so-called Hindenburg line. The Teutons have opened the sluices at LaFere, apparently feeling that their chances of holding the town are not good now that the French have got a footing on the high ground in the Jassy region northeast of Tergnier. If General Nivelle is able to establish himself in this position his guns will command LaFere. Further south the French are making solid progress against the five mile salient covering St. Gobain and formed by the lower Gouchy Forest. The columns here are working hand in hand with the columns operating northeast of Soissons in the direction of Laon. The latter made continuous progress to-day and their advance exposes the left extreme of the German line at St. Gobain to the risk of being outflanked and driven back on Laon. It is evident that the German staff is alive to the growing danger for they are making desperate efforts to check the French advance and the fighting is fiercer here than in any other section.

STIRRING WORDS OF RUSSIAN MINISTER.

LONDON, To-day.

Foreign Minister Milukoff has outlined the attitude of the new Russian Government in Foreign Affairs to a number of Petrograd and Moscow journals. A despatch from Petrograd quotes the Foreign Minister as saying: "We shall remain faithful to all past Alliance, similar to that with our Allies, which will be still further strengthened and become still more cordial and sacred. The change in the regime will disperse the distrust our Allies had a right to feel toward the late Government. It is Russia's duty to continue to struggle brilliantly both for her own liberty and that of all Europe. By the change in the regime we have definitely won the sympathy of neutrals, especially Sweden, while Finland, thanks to the restoration of her constitution, has become our sincere friend. Our Allies came into touch with the new regime without an instant's delay, understanding that the old regime was a serious hindrance to that organization of the Russian people which is necessary for final triumphs. To-day Russia is no longer a dead weight in the coalition of the Allies; she is a productive force. Henceforth all rumors of separate peace must vanish once and for all. It would be anti-national for freed Russia to come to an understanding with reactionary Germany."

EMPEROR AND CHANCELLOR DENOUNCED BY SOCIALIST.

LONDON, To-day.

The German Emperor and Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg were denounced in the Reichstag by Socialist Deputy Kunert, as originators of the war, according to a Berlin despatch to Reuter's by way of Amsterdam. The incident occurred on Thursday during a debate on public estimates. Vice Chancellor Helfferich reaching to Herr Kunert's remarks declared that a German who spoke in the same breath of Russian and German conditions insulted his Fatherland. The Socialist Deputy retorted, amid Socialist's applause, "Because I compared the German reactionaries with the Russian revolutionists you say I insulted the Fatherland. I should be proud if such progress were made in our country as has been made in this Empire."

McMurdo's Store News

SATURDAY, March 24th, 1917.

If you have not yet sent along your order for Colonial Fertilizers, we advise you to do so at once. Our shipment though very much larger than last year's, has been depleted by the filling of several large orders, and already we are well into the second half of it. We understand that other fertilizers are hard to obtain this season and than only at prices almost prohibitive, and we are glad to be able to point out that we are able to sell the Colonial Fertilizers, of which there are two kinds, one for general use, and one for potatoes, at the same price as last year, \$3.50 a bag of 100 lbs. For large quantities we give a special price on application.

Here and There.

SABLE I. AND SEAL.—There was no word received to-day from the homeward bound sailors Sable I. and Seal, and it is supposed they were jammed in the ice all yesterday.

A STRAYAWAY LANDED.—An East End baker was found by the police last night wandering about in the storm, helplessly intoxicated. He was given a berth at the lockup for the night and this morning was given his liberty on depositing a dollar.

A good luncheon dish is made with rice, tomatoes and cheese. Spread a layer of cold-boiled rice in a baking dish, cover with tomatoes, sprinkle with salt and pepper and grated cheese. Continue this until the dish is full and then bake until brown.

DIED.

Died of wounds, March 8th, 1917, at the 11th Stationary Hospital, Rouen, France, Private George Joseph King, 1st Newfoundland Regiment, fifth son of William and Mary King, South Side, aged 21 years. Passed peacefully away on the 23rd inst., after a long illness, P. M. McDonald, baker, leaving two children and one brother to mourn their sad loss; funeral on Sunday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 47 McParlan's street; friends and acquaintances accept this, the only, intimation.

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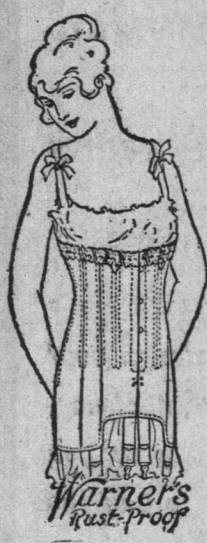
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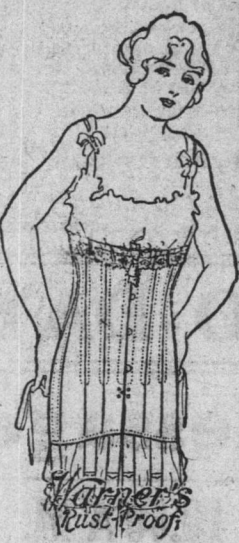
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While the Iron is Hot.

By RUTH CAMERON.



"What you aren't going home just to answer that letter now?" we asked the Authorman. He had dropped in to show us a splendid letter of appreciation he had received from an editor, and when we urged him to stay had said he must go home and answer it. "You bet I am," he said. "Why, you just got it," we pointed out. "Surely he won't expect to hear from you by the next mail." "It isn't that," he said, "but I want to get it written now while it's bubbling in my mind. I'll lose it if I don't. I'm full of active gratitude now. If I wait a week I'll still be grateful but I won't be excited about it. You have to use your excitements instead of letting them vapor off, if you want to accomplish things. When the Sentences are Falling Into Place. And after that oration we knew better than to try to detain the Authorman any longer and permitted him to cram his soft hat on his head and let himself out, whistling softly under his breath as he sometimes does when the sentences are falling into place in his mind. But he left a good thought behind him. You want to use your excitements instead of letting them vapor off, if you want to accomplish anything. It's very true, isn't it? Warmed Over Gratitude. How many times the letter of gratitude or appreciation that might have been a warm living thing if we had written it when the gratitude surged

high, has become a lifeless, conventional note because we wrote it on warmed over gratitude. How many times the gift that in an impulse of generosity we meant to make so very generous, shrinks back to normal or subnormal size, if we wait to give until the impulse grows cold. Truly he who gives quickly gives twice. From A Piano To A Flannel Petticoat. Years ago I read a little story of the rich relative who in an excess of generosity following an unexpectedly large dividend, thinks she will give her cousin a grand piano for Christmas. The next day she decides that that would be foolish because the children would want to take lessons and they cannot afford it. So she decides on some slightly less expensive gift. The next day she has thought of an objection to that—and so on until finally the gift shrinks to a red flannel petticoat. Absurdly exaggerated? Yes, of course, but essentially true in its lesson. Just the same. Nothing in the world withers so quickly as good impulses. For the frost of our inherent selfishness and laziness is always ready to nip them.

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Everyday Etiquette.

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will be exposed to and be destroyed by French artillery fire. As the prisoners will be exposed and defenceless they will be slaughtered unless the French cease fire. The Huns are putting up to the French the same problem they put up to the Belgians when they used their men and women as a screen under which to advance, forcing the Belgians to shoot their own civil population or fall back and let the invaders advance unrestricted. What they now mean is this: that the French artillery and the British must let up, or, undefended against their fire will be tens of thousands of French prisoners. This is the last resort of unrestricted frightfulness and is meant to indicate that there is no limit whatever to the barbarism that will be practised. There is no low, no conscience to restrain, no world opinion to respect. The enemy deliberately adopts any resource that would be open to the barbarian or the maniac, feeling perfectly confident that Britain and France are incapable of adopting similar methods in reprisal. They feel they can go as far as they like. But ever their own moral cause degenerates towards the inevitable collapse. —Toronto Star.

Your Boys and Girls.

Let us use the children's bedtime hour as our greatest of the whole day. It is the children's real hour when they turn to us for sympathy and spiritual care. The physical forces are at the lowest ebb and a child who is usually good will often then be peevish and hard to manage and then is the real time for patience and soothing lovely management. Sensible mothers are learning that a combination of flannel in winter and thin muslin in summer solves many difficulties. It is an excellent plan to tie the bedclothes securely over the tiny tot when the nights are cold and thereby avoid any risk of his taking cold. Common sense teaches that children rest better and grow more vigorous if each has his own bed. It is better to use cot and improvised beds than not to have this rule of the family.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES BURNS, ETC.

St. John Ambulance Annual Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the St. John Ambulance Association held yesterday the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Hon. Sir William Horwood, President; The Mayor, the President of the Board of Trade, the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Surgeon Major Macpherson, The Inspector General of Constabulary, and the Officers commanding the Brigades, Vice-Presidents; H. W. LeMessurier, Esq., C. M. G. Chairman; L. Edward Emerson, Esq., Secretary; John Fensel, Esq., Treasurer; W. L. Donnelly Esq., and Lieut. Herbert Outerbridge, Auditors.

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CHANGE OF WORK.



We do the same things, day by day; and now and then we rise and say, "Oh, chee, for something else to do, some other calling to pursue." Sometimes I think I'd like to try the doctor's job, and help folks die. Again I see the banker stand with his untold wealth in either hand, and wish that I might have his task, and on a pile of greenbacks bank when I behold the merchant prince, I feel the soul within me wince. It's hard to think that I must strive at my stale grind to keep alive, while he rules o'er a hibe of trade, where every brand of wealth is made. But when I walk around the block, and meet the good old village doc, I notice that his face is sad, as glum as any in the grad. The banker's hair, above the ears, is white, although he's young in years; his face is drawn with haggard lines, though he worries and repines. The merchant prince has said to me he never is from trouble free, and often, with a spirit sore, the whole night long he'll walk the floor. So, peradventure and mayhap, I'm after all a lucky chap.

Skating Races.

A large attendance of spectators witnessed the skating races held at the Parade Rink last night. In the three mile championship race G. Soules came first, R. Marshall second and LeValliant third. The time was 12 mins. and 45 secs. The All-Corner race was won by R. Ellis with F. Squires second and R. Pushie third.

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California Muscat Grapes, large tin, 15c.
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Palsley Flour, small tins, 4c.
Charlotte Russe, 8c. pac.
Phillips and Cassard's Truffled Larks and Quails, 60c. tin.

C. P. Eagan

DUCKWORTH STREET & QUEEN'S ROAD.

Meeting of Patriotic Association

Last night's special meeting of the Patriotic Association was well attended, His Excellency the Governor presiding. Following the reading of the minutes, the Governor read a general report concerning the Regiment. He read the telegram from the Premier which was received yesterday, and stated that Acting Colonel Forbes-Robertson had the esteem and confidence of the Government, of which he is temporarily in command. The strength of the Battalion, in France, on March 24, was 1125, without any reserves of the 2nd Battalion, at Arras, about 540 fit men. His Excellency went on to state that silver medals to be worn by soldiers who had been discharged for disabilities, whether wounds or sickness, contracted through military service, had been compiled from the King's Regulations and will be published in due course. Arrangements are being made for the badges distributed with all the casualties incurred since the report, the Governor referred to a communication received from the Secretary of State to the effect that arrangements were being made for the burying of all Overseas soldiers who die in the United Kingdom in separate graves, which will be fully and worthily tended. The Governor stated that a covering appreciative note will be sent each. He referred briefly to despatches from the official press at the front, and spoke of the manuscript history of the foundland Regiment, which had been compiled by Mr. H. F. Reeves, and would be published in the local press. For much of the notes of the late Lieutenant Steele, in conclusion the Governor touched upon the matter of the rejection of certain volunteers on the ground of flat foot; he showed each case some other defect was responsible. Hon. M. G. Winter, for the present Home Committee, submitted a report stating that Waterbury had been purchased by Sir Bowring for this purpose and at their disposal, and asking the Association accept the offer. Acceptance was indicated by the donor, moved by Sir W. H. Horwood, seconded by Mr. H. Horwood, and carried by acclamation. His Excellency then introduced the principal business of the meeting which was to consider the contribution to the funds of the fish Red Cross and the St. John's Ambulance Association for the sick and wounded this year. Our own casualties, he said, was the outstanding feature, and what aid we can give not be given to the cause. On his proposal a motion consisting of Mr. F. H. Steele, G. Rendell and Hon. P. T. was appointed to deal with the matter. Mr. W. S. Monroe rose to the advisability of having memorial cards suitably framed referred himself to defray the cost of doing so. His offer was amid applause. Mr. W. V. Blackall, on behalf of the Recruiting Committee, presented showing the comparative returns for the different parts of the Island. They are set up to March 17, representing a percentage of total population: St. John's Harbor Grace Trinity Fogo Port de Grave Twillingate St. George's Harbor Main Bonavista Burin St. Barbe Carbonar Placentia and St. Mary's Ferryland Bay de Verde Fortune Burgeo and LaPoile The total for the Island number who have offered Navy is 2278 and for the while 716 have, as far as enlisted abroad. Mr. T. A. MacNab spoke of the necessity that existed of men coming forward to assist in the recruiting, particularly in the accompanying the regular parties in tours of the With a few creditable there had been no response the appeals lately made. Blackall supported Mr. MacNab's statements. The meeting was adjourned.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES EVERYWHERE.

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Last night's special meeting of the Patriotic Association was well attended, His Excellency the Governor presiding. Following the reading of the minutes, the Governor read a general report concerning the Regiment. He read the telegram from the Premier which was printed yesterday, and stated that Acting Lt. Colonel Forbes-Robertson had won the esteem and confidence of the Regiment, of which he is temporarily in command. The strength of the 1st Battalion, in France, on March 1st was 1125, without any reserves; that of the 2nd Battalion, at Ayr, is now about 540 fit men. His Excellency went on to state that silver badges to be worn by soldiers who had been discharged for disabilities, whether of wounds or sickness, contracted through military service, had arrived. The terms of issue and wearing are compiled from the King's Regulations, and will be published in due course. Arrangements are being made to have the badges distributed with all speed. After reading a summary of the casualties incurred since the last report, the Governor referred to a communication received from the British Secretary of State to the effect that arrangements were being made for the burying of all Overseas soldiers, who die in the United Kingdom, in separate graves, which will be carefully and worthily tended. With reference to the Memorial Cards, the Governor stated that a covering and appreciative note will be sent with each. He referred briefly to the despatches from the official Eye Witness at the front, and spoke in detail of the manuscript history of the Newfoundland Regiment, which had been compiled by Mr. H. F. Reeves to date and would be published serially in the local press. For much of the events in Gallipoli it was indebted to the notes of the late Lieutenant Owen Steele. In conclusion the Governor touched upon the matter of a letter to the press with reference to the alleged rejection of certain volunteers on the ground of flat foot; he showed that in each case some other defect was responsible.

Hon. M. G. Winter, for the Convalescent Home Committee, submitted a report stating that Waterford Hall had been purchased by Sir Edgar Bowring for this purpose and placed at their disposal, and asking that the Association accept the offer. The acceptance was indicated by loud applause, and a vote of thanks to the donor, moved by Mr. Blackall and seconded by Sir W. H. Horwood, was carried by acclamation.

His Excellency then introduced the principal business of the meeting, which was to consider the matter of contributing to the funds of the British Red Cross and the St. John Ambulance Association for the care of the sick and wounded this year. This, he said, was the outstanding need of this year. Our own casualties show how great was the price of victory, and what aid we can give could not be given to a better cause. On his proposal a committee consisting of Mr. P. H. Steer, Mr. R. G. Rendell and Hon. P. T. McGrath was appointed to deal with the matter.

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Mr. W. W. Blackall, on behalf of the Recruiting Committee, presented figures showing the comparative recruiting returns for the different districts of the Island. They are as follows, up to March 17, representing the percentage of total population:

St. John's	8.36
Harbor Grace	4.07
Trinity	3.78
Pogo	2.89
Port de Grave	2.81
Twillingate	2.81
St. George's	2.78
Harbor Main	2.65
Bonavista	2.65
Burin	2.53
St. Barbe	2.45
Carbonar	2.05
Placentia and St. Mary's	2.02
Ferryland	1.81
Bay de Verde	1.56
Fortune	1.46
Burgeo and LaPolle	1.36

The total for the Island is 3.72. The number who have offered for the Navy is 2278 and for the Army 5586, while 716 have, as far as yet known, enlisted abroad.

Mr. T. A. MacNab spoke strongly of the necessity that existed of public men coming forward to assist in recruiting, particularly in the direction of accompanying the regular recruiting parties in tours of the districts. With a few creditable exceptions, there had been no response at all to the appeals lately made. Mr. W. W. Blackall supported Mr. MacNab in his statements. The meeting then adjourned.

MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.

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MARCH 21, 1917.

500 lbs. FRESH HALIBUT.
10 brls. FRESH HERRING.
FINYAN HADDIES.
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By Rail To-day:
20 boxes PURITY BUTTER.
This is Butter for particular people.

MILK MACARONI
(A preparation of the best hard wheat).
SEMOLINA and MILK.
20 cases CREAM OF WHEAT.
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FRESH COUNTRY EGGS.
50 sacks LOCAL POTATOES.

COMPRESSED COOKED PORK by retail.
AROMEL COFFEE ESSENCE, 15c. bottle.
WORCESTER SAUCE, 1/2 pint, 12c. bottle.
PRUNES in Tins.

T. J. EDENS.

Duckworth Street and Military Road.

Here and There.

Received a shipment of Scotch Coopers' Tools. BOWRING BROS., Ltd., Hardware Dept. feb.6.17

PASSENGER SERVICE CUT OFF.—Mail and passenger service with Bell Island is again cut off from the main land owing to the heavy ice in the bay.

Coughs and Colds can be cured by using Stafford's Phorathone and Stafford's Liniment.

SEALS OFF BALINE.—We learn from people who arrived from Bauline yesterday that several seals were seen on the ice about four miles northwest of the settlement. This is not unusual at this season of the year.

Fairbanks Brass Globe and Angle Valves to be had at BOWRING BROS., Ltd., Hardware Dept.—feb.6.17

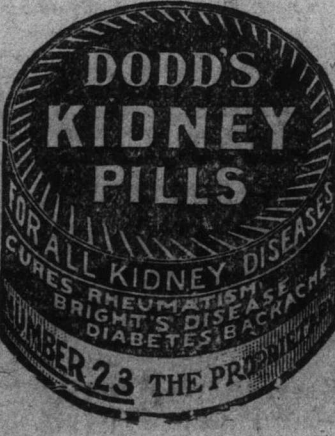
ENLISTED YESTERDAY.—Four young men offered for King and Country at the recruiting station yesterday viz: L. Erslier and Albert Parmiter of the city for the Regiment, and Harvey Peddie, Hodge's Cove, and Birkley King, Bauline, for the Navy.

STOMACH TROUBLES.—Stafford's Prescription "A" cures Indigestion and Dyspepsia. Price 25 and 50c. bottle. Postage 5 and 10c. extra.

ST. THOMAS'S CHURCH.—Tomorrow is Family Sunday at St. Thomas's Church. As many of each family as possible are asked to be present. Strangers will find room as well. Rev. Mr. Moulton preaches in the morning, and the Rector, Rev. Dr. Jones, at night.

Are you going to get a New Suit of Clothes for Easter? If so, buy now; as the longer you delay the more you pay. We have a splendid line of Tweeds and Serges of the very finest quality, and our cut and workmanship need no advertising. SPURRELL BROS., 365 Water Street.—mar.14.17

Short suede jackets are made to wear with Jersey dresses.



Greenspond Acclaims Returned Soldier.

GREENSPOND, Mar. 22nd. Editor Evening Telegram. A magnificent reception was tendered Francis Wheeler, our returned Hero, who arrived here this afternoon. The Young Britons' brass band met him and played him to his home. Most of the school children were given a half-holiday. Hundreds of flags were flying all over the settlement.—Cor.

Glovertown W. P. A.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir,—Kindly allow space for an item from Glovertown.

Of course, our supreme thought, like that of all Britons to-day, is patriotism, and we are acting accordingly.

On Feb. 26th we held our annual meeting in connection with our Branch of the W. P. A. The following officers were elected:—

President—Mrs. Baxter Purry.
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Nelson Sparks.
Sec.—Miss L. M. Janes.
Treasurer—Mrs. Edgar House.
At the same meeting five ladies, viz. Mrs. W. H. Dewey, Miss N. Pomeroy, Mrs. Edgar Howse, Miss J. Saunders and Mrs. W. Arnold, kindly volunteered to do some collecting in order to increase our funds. The people, in general, responded nobly to the plea of the ladies; and the fine sum of \$30.75 (thirty dollars and seventy-five cents) was collected.

During the past three weeks we have knit 38 pairs of socks. We hope to continue our work still, but trust that ere long the "slogan of peace" will be heard throughout the world.

M. J. Glovertown, March 20th, 1917.

The Fiercest Thing in War.

(From the New York World.)

Mme. Alma Gluck advises American mothers to shoot their sons rather than permit them to go to war. In case of invasion on the German plan the stay-at-homes might be shot regardless of sex, age or previous condition of pacifism. Under the Gluck idea, then, it would be the same hard luck for the sons whether they enlisted or not. It seems, all things considered, that one may be a great singer without incurring the necessity of thinking logically on matters beyond the written score. In behalf of this singer, it is explained that her children are all girls. There is nothing fiercer in war than the sacrifice of other people's sons.

Train Notes.

Thursday's outgoing express reached Port aux Basques at 12.25 a.m. to-day.

The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 9.50 a.m. to-day and is due here to-morrow afternoon. The Trepassey train is stuck in a snow bank at 87 mile post, 9 miles this side of Portugal Cove South.

LEAVING FOR HOME.—Mrs. Learning, this city, received a message from her son Pte. Learning, yesterday, stating he was leaving the Old Country to-night en route for home. He was badly wounded on July 1st and for a considerable time was confined to hospital.

And the Worst is Yet to Come—



Our Fallen Soldiers.

For heroes lost in field and flood, Who for their country shed their blood, In Belgium, France and Italy, In Serbia and Gallipoli; For these, O God, we lift our prayer: And leave them sleeping 'neath Thy care. To Thy safe keeping we entrust Their quiet graves, and splendid dust. Their comrades shall march home one day; But they'll be sleeping far away. Their wars are o'er; their sun is set. But England never shall forget. And through the long, long years to be, Their deeds shall live eternally.

Interesting Meeting.

George Street Sunday School holds a special session to-morrow afternoon to honour and support its representatives in the Mission Field. At this session Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, Mrs. Guy and Mr. Gourmey are to present the special features. The meeting is open to visitors and friends.

Here and There.

THE PROSPERO.—The Prospero reached Channel to-day.

Fresh Smelts and Fresh Herring at ELLIS'.

ETHIE.—The S.S. Ethie left Placentia at 1.50 a.m. yesterday coming to Ayr.

Fresh Halibut and Fresh Cod at ELLIS'.

GLENCOE.—The s.s. Glencoe left Burgeo at 1.30 p.m. yesterday, inward.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is calm and dull, snowing in places, temperature 9 to 20 above.

Over 30,000 bottles of Stafford's Liniment sold last year.

TO BRING FREIGHT.—We learn from the Reid Nfld. Co. that as soon as Sydney harbor is free of ice a special steamer will be despatched to bring freight direct to this port.

Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken at ELLIS'.

DELEGATES RETURNING.—The delegates to the Grand Lodge, L.O.A. who were attending the annual session held this year at Grand Falls, are expected to reach the city by special train to-night.

OFFICIAL WAR PHOTOS.—On exhibition in Messrs. Steer Bros. dry goods and grocery windows are a number of excellent views of the army and navy. The photos have been taken with the approval of the British Government and are the best yet seen in the city. They were admired by hundreds of people this morning.

Stafford's Liniment cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains.

EXPRESS PASSENGERS.—The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 9.50 a.m. to-day with the following first class passengers:—J. B. and Mrs. Baird, E. Dickie, Rev. Dr. L. Curtis, N. S. Brown, O. and Mrs. Lench, E. Inkpen, W. F. Baxter, M. S. Sullivan, E. Froude, J. Duley, Mrs. B. Hubley, Miss A. Dicks, W. Rooney, W. M. McDonald, K. Noah, J. C. Sapp, A. Noah, Mrs. S. Gamberg, J. Hiscock, H. H. Blanchet, L. C. Mews and eight returned soldiers whose names appear elsewhere.

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Hats for Easter.

As time is drawing near to Easter, we have much pleasure in informing the ladies that we are now displaying a large and really charming array of the latest

London Styles and Makes in Hats

to suit both young and old. These Hats are of especially neat design, and in the softest of tones and shades.

SEE WINDOW, where we are showing striking effects in NEW NECKWEAR, at 25c. per Collar.

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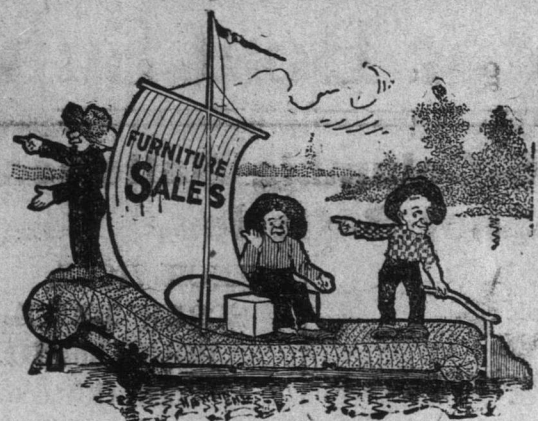
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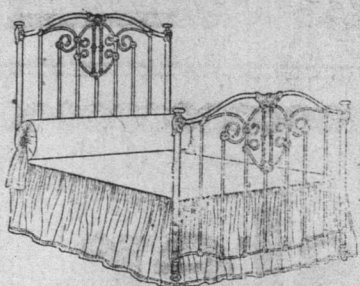
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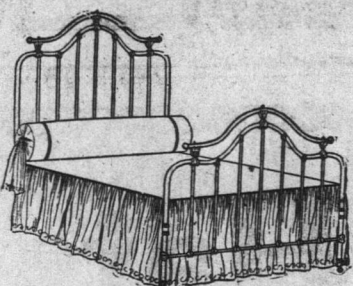


BARGAINS GALORE!

BEDS! BEDS! BEDS!

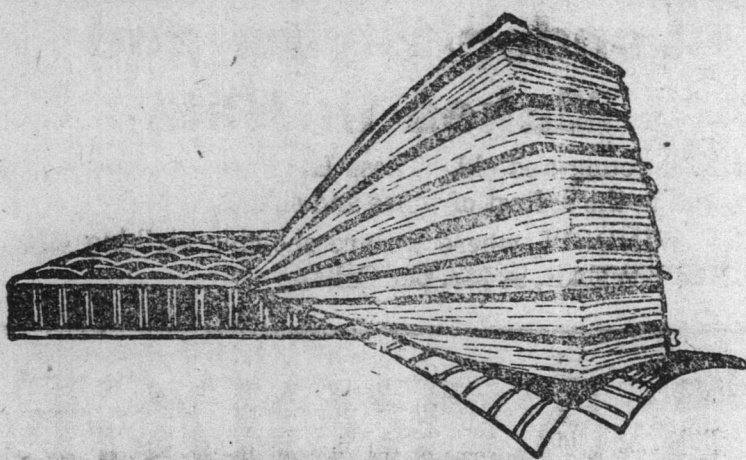


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The New Health Mattress, made expressly for us. Guaranteed to give entire satisfaction. Made of pure Wool and Cotton, with filling of Wood Fibre. Prices from \$5.00 up.

We are headquarters for BEDS, SPRINGS and MATTRESSES.

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Not Dead--Dead Drunk

At about seven o'clock last evening two boys reported at the East End Fire Hall that they had seen a man lying face downward on the roadside at the junction of King's Bridge Road and Sheehan's Lane and that he was apparently dead. They did not make any examination as to his identity as they were more or less frightened by the big human prostrate form in a snow bank. Two policemen went to investigate and on making a keen observation found in the snow the im-

print of the body of a man, who meanwhile had been made a body load of and carted away. Later it was learned that the victim, while on his way home, could not withstand the storm owing to the high hydraulic pressure of his "load" and lay down. Unfortunately, however, he was discovered or he would have smothered.

DIPHTHERIA SPREADING.

A twelve year old boy suffering from diphtheria was removed to the Hospital yesterday from a residence in Hayward's Avenue.

Sure Success in Sowing Seeds

DON'T waste your efforts and time on seeds of questionable quality. Buy Bruce's. For 66 years we have sold seeds and each year made satisfied customers. Insure the success of your garden by selecting from the list below:

- Bruce's No. 1 Collection Sweet Peas—4 separate colors—25c postpaid.
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Try them. Splendid varieties.

- Bean—Refuge Wax . . . 1 lb. 15c. 1 lb. 50c. postpaid
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Write to-day for handsomely illustrated catalogue of Vegetables, Fern and Flower Seeds, Plants and Bulbs, Fowl Supplies, etc. FREE.

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Household Notes

Fresh, cool water at meal time generally adds to the pleasure and wholesomeness of a meal.

It is not generally known that small potatoes, properly timed, are better than large ones baked.

When paring vegetables or fruit do not waste a clean pan, a newspaper will catch the parings.

When applying an ice bag a cloth should be wrung out of ice water and put between the patient's head and the ice bag.

Fish that is to be boiled will be improved if it is placed in a dish containing melted butter for an hour before boiling.

Cucumber parings are supposed to give the skin a soft, velvety appearance if rubbed on the face and allowed to dry.

The water that is generally poured off the dried beans after they are boiled will make a good addition to the stock pot.

The housewife with a passion for clean bed clothing will find it worth while to have the sheets out on the line in the middle of the week.

Boiled custard is greatly improved by stirring marshmallows into it; allow 6 or 8 to each pint of milk and 2 eggs. Stir until they dissolve.

There is economy in buying half of a lamb. Most any of the butchers will store the meat in their refrigerator and deliver it to you as you want it.

Sealing News.

Encouraging From Gulf.

As indicated in the message from Capt. W. Bartlett, the Viking has evidently struck a big patch of seals and is expected to load. With a good Gulf fishery the total catch this year is going to be a large one.

There was no report last night from the Sable I. and Seal. They are supposed to be moving along slowly in the ice, being detained by yesterday's storm.

The northern ships did nothing yesterday, owing to the N. E. gale that raged.

Unfortunately the new law prohibits the killing of hood seals. Captain Whiteley says that he passed enough hoods during the past week to load his ship twice.

The following wireless messages were received late last night:—

TERRA NOVA.—"Nothing to report."

RANGER.—"Blowing a gale from N. E.; nothing to report."

EAGLE.—"Nothing to report; blowing a gale from N. E."

VIKING.—"Men have panned to-day 4,800; position 5 miles S. W. of Bryon Island."

TO BAINE JOHNSTON & CO.

BLOODHOUND.—"We have on board 9,000 harps; spent all week searching; passed enough hoods to load twice."

OFFICIAL.

FOGO.—"No direct report from Diana; signals intercepted by Thetis from her indicated all well; others report crews aboard and well."

CAPE RAY.—"Viking all well; no men on ice."

Teacher Has Not Lost One Day in a Year

MRS. ROGER GIVES CREDIT TO DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Before She Suffered From Sciatica, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Other Troubles Coming From Sick Kidneys, Which Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured.

Elm Tree, Gloucester Co., N. B. Mar. 23rd. (Special).—Mrs. Jos. Roger, the popular teacher here, is fully recovered from a long siege of sciatica, neuralgia, and other troubles resulting from diseased kidneys and has made a statement in which she gives Dodd's Kidney Pills all the credit for her cure.

"My trouble came from a strain," Mrs. Roger states, "and I suffered for thirteen months. Backache, heart flutterings, sciatica, neuralgia, dizziness and falling memory were among my symptoms. When the doctor I consulted failed to do me any lasting good I decided that my kidneys were the root of my troubles and decided to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I took twelve boxes in all and you may judge of the results when I tell you that I have not lost a day's work as teacher in the last year."

"I can say that Dodd's Kidney Pills have done all for me that was claimed for them."

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What a Gas Range Means for You, Mrs. Housekeeper.

The gas range is a miser's savior and a step saver. Think of the many tons of coal you used in that coal range, and how you have had to handle it all twice, first, carrying it up out of the cellar; then, from the kitchen to the ash barrel.

No more soot to wipe away; no more ashes to cart away; no more wood to fetch; no more coal dust; no more smoke and no more reason why the kitchen cannot be kept as clean and as orderly as the parlor. The gas range means just this:

Saves 50 Per Cent. of Kitchen Cares.

Half of the labor in the house is caused by dirt from the coal range. Every time it smokes, no matter how good the draught may be, clouds of ashes rise and settle on the furniture.

It Eliminates Hard Work.

Use a gas range and you will live better, you will play better, and you will work better because the use of the gas range eliminates the drudgery of carrying coal, ashes and the chopping of kindling, as well as the drudgery of cleaning up a lot of dirt, and, best of all, for the cook it makes it unnecessary for her to stand over a hot stove from two to three hours a day.

Obituary.

MISS MARY STELLA POWER.

We may well imagine the sorrow which enshrouded the Power's household like a gloomy pall, when Marie Stella, beloved daughter of David and Emily Power died on last Monday evening.

The deceased had been ailing for more than twelve months, yet she bore the illness with exemplary patience and despite the unremitting care of her parents and all that medical science and skill could do, she passed to her eternal reward on the feast of St. Joseph, March 19th, at the early age of fourteen years. When it became evident that the innocent young life was fast flickering to a close, the last Sacraments were duly administered as a vaticum on the last journey, and to be an Angel of the Covenant and a pillow of light to guide the soul to that unknown country, from whose bourne no traveler ever return.

Modesty, simplicity and sweetness, these were the charming qualities which endeared her to all with whom she came in contact and will be always cherished sacredly in the garden of hallowed memories.

We extend sincere sympathy to the father, mother, two sisters and one brother whom she leaves to mourn.

A void has been made in their home and in their hearts which only christian faith and hope can fill, but the souvenir of the dead child's piety, affection and love, must ever remain as a sweet consolation when time has softened grief and has dried tears.

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Sunday Services

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

Church of England Cathedral—Holy Communion at 8 a.m., also on the first Sunday of the month at 7 and 11 (Choral). Other services at 11 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

St. Nicholas's Mission Church (Casey Street)—Holy Communion at 8 and 11 on the 3rd Sunday of the month; and at 8 on other Sundays. Other services at 11 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

Christ Church, Quidi Vidi—Holy Communion second Sunday at 8 a.m. Evening Prayer third Sunday in each month at 7 p.m. Every other Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

Virginia School Chapel—Evening Prayer every Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

PARISH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN.

Sundays—Holy Communion every Sunday at 8 a.m.; also on the first Sunday in each month at noon.

Fridays—Evangel and Sermon at 7.45 p.m.

Holy Baptism—Every Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

Public Catechism—The third Sunday in each month at 3 p.m.

Sunday School—At 2.30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

Young Women's Bible Class—Every Sunday at 2 p.m. in the Parish Room.

The Holy Communion with special Intercessions on behalf of the War is celebrated on the first Wednesday in each month at 10.30 a.m.

BROOKFIELD SCHOOL CHAPEL.

Evangel—Every Sunday at 3 p.m.

Sunday School—Every Sunday at 4 p.m.

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, THE GOULDS.

Evangel—Every Sunday at 3 p.m.

HOLY COMMUNION—THE FIRST SUNDAY in each month at 9 a.m.

MATINS—Every Sunday at 9 a.m.

METHODIST.

Gower Street—11. Rev. Dr. Bond; 6.30. Rev. George Dickie, M. A. & George Street—11. Rev. D. B. Hemmeon; 6.30. Rev. N. M. Guy.

Cochrane Street—11. Rev. R. Royle; 6.30. Rev. Dr. Bond; 6.30. Rev. W. H. Thomas; 6.30. Rev. H. Royle.

St. Andrew's (Presbyterian)—11 a.m. Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A.; 6.30 p.m. Rev. D. B. Hemmeon.

Congregation—11. Rev. N. M. Guy; 6.30. Rev. W. H. Thomas.

List of Letters Remaining in the G.P.O. to March 19th, 1917.

A
Allen, Ludwig M., Water Street
Adams, John, Water Street
Austin, William, care A. Harvey & Co.
Anderson, Mark, Hamilton Street
Anderson, Miss N., Military Road
Adams, Samuel, care Gen. P. O.

B
Baker, Jackson, care G. P. O.
Barrett, Mrs. James, 15 — Road
Barne, Mrs., Newtown Road
Baldwin, Mrs. P. V., care Mr. Parsons
Bartlett, Miss Jessie, New Gower St.
Banister, Miss Eva, Bond St.
Baird, John
Byrne, Thomas, Nagle's Hill
Beacon, Mrs. F., care John Mayo, Pilot's Hill
Brennan, F., care J. J. Tobin, Water St.
Benson, Mrs. Susanna, Monroe St.
Bellman, Mrs. James C., Water St.
Bellban, Mrs. James
Brennan, Timothy
Bishop, Miss B.
Bowman, Edward, Patrick St.
Brown, Eph., Blackmarsh Road
Bolger, Miss Alice, Pleasant St.
Brooking, Miss Jennie, Walsh's Sq.
Bradbrook, Miss A.
Budden, L., 22 — Street
Blundon, Robert
Bugden, Miss Carrie L.

C
Butler, Mrs. Joseph, care G. P. O.
Bradbury, A. G.
Blanche, Miss N., Water Street W.
Bears, Thos., Newtown Road
Butler, Bert
Brown, H., card (P), Prescott St.

D
Campbell, Richard, care General Delivery
Carter, Maud, card, care General Delivery
Carrigan, Miss Ellen, New Gower St.
Carrig, Miss Amelia, Queen's Road
Chafe, Miss Laura B., New Gower St.
Clarke, Albert, Carter's Hill
Carew, Miss Stella, Monroe St.
Cotter, Denis, Nagle's Hill
Comford, Patrick, Clifford St.
Cook, Joseph, South Side
Cole, Solomon, care Philip Cole
Corbett, J. J., care Gen. Delivery
Clarke, Victor, South Side
Cooper, Mrs. Arthur, Cook St.
Costello, Mrs. Lizzie, New Gower St.
Coyle, Edward
Comford, Patrick, Clifford St.
Coombs, Mrs. Eugene

E
Dawes, Alfred, Casey Street
Delaney R. J., care Post Office
Driscoll, Hubert, Cornwall Avenue
Downes, Thomas
Duffy, Joseph, card, care G. P. O.
Downton, Robert, card, Water Street West
Doyle, Miss E., card (P), 206 New Gower St.

F
Farle, Henry, Osborne House
Elms, Mrs. John, Beaumont St.
Elsworth, Mrs. Geo., Hayward Avenue
Edwards, Miss Anne

G
Garland, Miss Laura, Henry St.
Gray, Mrs. Lyman
George, Miss R.
George, Miss Hilda
Gillingham, Mrs. John, Charlton St.
Griffin, Miss Minnie

H
Goldsworthy, Mrs. Gideon, care Knitting Mills
Hayward Avenue
Godley, W. F., York St.
Goodland, Mrs. A. J., Victoria St.
Gushie, Miss Mary
Giles, Miss Hannah, James St.
Groves, Mrs. Richard

I
Hayward, Miss Sadie, Water St.
Hart, Mrs. Wm.
Hammond, Thos., card
Harvey, W. T., LeMarchant Road
Halper, Lottie
Heldren, Mrs. Morris
Hickey, Miss Catherine, Gower St.
Hickey, Mrs. Patrick, Cochrane St.
Hiscock, Miss Francis, care Wm. Sinnott, Theatre Hill
Hines, Miss Eva, care G. P. O.
Hounsell, Mrs. Henry, 1 and St.
Howell, Wilfred, late Lucia
Howard, W. S., care G. P. O.
Hogan, Thomas, Caddily St.
Holloway, John, Gower St.
Horwood, Cyril
Holloway, Miss K., George St.
Harris, S., Gower St.
Hollett, Miss Annie, Duckworth St.
Hirtles, Capt. V. J.
Hiscock, Miss E., card (P), care Wm. Sinnott

J
Jacobson, Mrs. Wm., McDougall St.
Ivany, Miss Bessie

K
Janos, Mrs. Lizzie, Patrick St.
Jones, Francis H.
Janos, Miss Lizzie, care General Delivery
Jacobs, Miss Susie, Prescott St.

L
Kenny, Miss Rose, 9 — St.
King, Robert
Knight, Miss Marion, card
Leary, Miss Bridget, Water St.
Luley, Fannie, retd.

M
Martin, Miss Francis, St. John's East
Martin, Jas., Newtown Road
Maldiment, S. G., Newtown Road
Manning, Thos. F.
Mackey, Paul
Martin, John, Newtown Road
Mileady, John, care John Winsor
Mercer, Abe, Casey Street
Mercer, Ida, Springdale St.
Miller, Miss D., Brazil's Square
Moore, Alfred, care Bishop & Sons
Mills, Miss A., Pennywell Road
Morzan, Mrs. Wm., Colonial St.
Mouland, Miss D. N., Gower St.
Morrissey, Mrs. Pennywell Road
Moore, Miss Annie, Pleasant St.
Morrissey, Mrs. Thos., Queen St.
Mugford, Mrs. Julia, Flower Hill
Murphy, John
Maher, M., card (P), Water St.
Miller, Mrs. C., card (P), Bond St.

N
McDonald, Miss Nellie, Nagle's Hill
McGrath, J. J., Bell St.

O
Neary, D., Barnes' Road
Newhook, R. H., care Post Office
Neal, John, Barter's Hill
Noseworthy, James, Pennywell Road
Noel, Allan, Flower Hill
Nofal, Mrs. Wm., Larkin's Square

P
Parsons, Miss Gerlie, care G. P. O.
Pardy, Miss Violet, Springdale St.
Parrell, Mr., Allandale Road
Percy, Mrs. Robert, Duckworth St.
Parsons, A., late Wabana
Parsons, Mrs. Wm., 192 — St.
Piedie, Miss Nellie, New Gower St.
Penney, Thos. W., Alexandra Street
Pendergast, Catherine, care Insane Asylum
Picco, John
Phillips, Mrs. Jane, Mundy Pond Rd.
Fynn, Mrs. C., card, Nagle's Hill
Power, Miss Alice, card, Gower St.

Q
Quinton, Miss Naomi, card, Cochrane Street
Quigley, Mrs. Matthew, St. John's E.

R
Ralph, Daniel, Bond St.
Richards, Miss Beatie, card
Rolls, Miss Mary, Signal Hill Road
Rodgers, James A., Codner's St.
Rochford, Mrs. John, Gower St.
Rose, Nicholas, Gower St.
Ricketts, Miss Bride, care G. P. O.
Rose, George, Mt. Scio
Russell, Miss Jessie, care Methodist College Home
Rogers, Miss Mary, — St.

S
Stapleton, James, Water St.
Saunders, Stanley, Springdale St.
Starks, Joseph, Springdale St.
Starks, Miss Annie, Circular Road
Shaw, Martin, James St.
Sheppard, George, Water St. West
Sheard, Miss Victoria, Codner's Lane
Sheppard, Martin, Gower St.
Shppard, Miss May, Prescott St.
Smith, Miss Bertha, Prince's St.
Snow, Mrs. Edward (of Abner), LeMarchant Road

T
Taylor, H. C.
Taylor, Miss Myrtle, Queen's Road
Taylor, Mrs. William
Templeman, Miss Maggie, Military Rd.
Thistle, Arthur, John St.
Thistle, Miss T., care T. J. Barron, Gower St.
Turpin, Miss Hannah
Turpin, Mrs. Alice
Tuck, Peter
Turner, Mrs. George
Tompkinson, Mrs. H. A., Bannerman Street

V
Vavasour, Miss M.

W
Walsh, Thomas, Long Pond Road
Walsh, Robert F., Mt. Scio
Whalen, Miss M., care Jessie Crocker, care G.P.O.
Walsh, Martin, Nagle's Hill
Way, Wm., Barter's Hill
Weir, James, Newtown Road
Whisor, John, LeMarchant Road
Wills, Miss Laura, New Gower St.
White, Miss Martha, Duckworth St.
Whiffen, Miss Martha
Whipple, Mrs. Robert, Summer St.
Walters, Mrs. George

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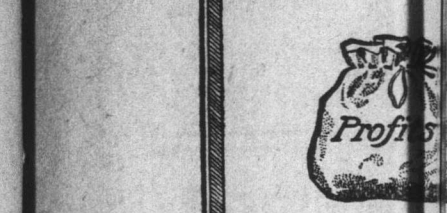
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all surplus war policyholders

The profit in reducing the amount of the

Lesser excess profits, but in the Mutual of profits some

One could out a life insurance policy in the future

For example, man, age 25 to on the 20 year single premium Company's return of \$23.3 addition to the years.

The Mutual of Canada

A. S. REYNOLDS, Gen. Mgr.

WEEK

As a change we will take our

ers to a mountain height and moment or two "survey" the "scape o'er." Newfoundland in such scenes, but here with them we sometimes fail to

distaste their grandeur.

This particular eminence of we are about to write, is a

re-passed daily, by the way, it is situated at the foot of the mountain known as George's Cove. To look at its summit, from the side to be filled with a dense of clouds and to scale its peaks, exactly what we did. We had the mountain for years and decided to stand upon its top, and down upon the beach men who had so often looked upon

Our party consisted of four — the sex being equally represented with bright sunshine and a ray of dall care, and a very pleasing" the ascent was a

was a case where ignorance was for had we known it, the climbing could have been avoided, our hard task saved, for the of the mountain there were no and no boulders, but we being and not knowing the height, we paid the price and accomplished hard work, what could have done with comparative ease.

in the G.P.O.

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Wm. McDougall St.
Bessie
Lizzie, Patrick St.
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Susie, Prescott St.
Rose, 9 — St.
Marion, card
Bridget, Water St.
retd.

Francis, St. John's East
Newtown Road
G., Newtown Road
Fos. F.
Newtown Road
care John Winsor
Casey Street
Springdale St.
D., Brazil's Square
care Bishop & Sons
Pennywell Road
Wm., Colonial St.
D. N., Gower St.
Mrs. Pennywell Road
Annie, Pleasant St.
Mrs. Thos., Queen St.
Mrs. Julia, Flower Hill
Card (P), Water St.
C., card (P), Bond St.

Miss Nellie, Nagle's Hill
J., Bell St.
Barnes' Road
H., care Post Office
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James, Pennywell Road
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Nellie, New Gower St.
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Catherine,
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Jane, Mundy Pond Rd.
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Alice, card, Gower St.

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Bond St.
Beattie, care

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N., Nagle's Hill
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Martha, Duckworth St.
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Robert, Summer St.
George

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It isn't the amount of the premium but the amount of the dividend that fixes the cost of an insurance policy.

This is particularly true in a Mutual company where all surplus earnings are credited solely to policyholders.

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Less expensive policies are issued without profits, but in a prosperous company such as the Mutual of Canada the policies with profits soon become the cheaper.

One could not do a wiser thing than take out a life, limited payment life, or endowment policy in the Mutual of Canada, for it is among the most liberal dividend payers in America.

For example: twenty years ago a young man, age 25, took out a policy for \$4,000.00 on the 20-year endowment plan. He paid a single premium of \$2,036. Last month the Company paid him \$5,374.65. This was a return of \$263.95 for each \$100 invested in addition to the protection of \$4,000 for 20 years.

The Mutual Life of Canada WATERLOO ONTARIO

A. S. RENDELL, Gen. Agent. W. J. PIER, Spec. Agent
St. John's, Newfoundland

WEEK-END NOTES.

As a change we will take our readers to a mountain height and for a moment or two "survey the landscape o'er." Newfoundland abounds in such scenes, but being familiar with them we sometimes fail to appreciate their grandeur.

This particular eminence of which we are about to write is passed and re-passed daily by the travelling public, for it is situated at Holyrood, and is known as George's Cove Mountain. To look at its summit from the train, is to be filled with a desire to climb its sides and to scale its peaks. This is exactly what we did. We had seen the mountain for years, and now we decided to stand upon its top, and look down upon the beach from which we had so often looked up.

Our party consisted of four persons—the sex being equally represented, and with bright sunshine and freedom from dull care, and "every prospect pleasing" the ascent was begun. It was a case where ignorance was bliss, for had we known it all the toil of climbing could have been avoided and our hard task saved, for at the back of the mountain there are no steep, and no boulders, but we being green and not knowing the difference we paid the price and accomplished by hard work, what could have been done with comparative ease. We didn't stop to look, nor halt to enquire. We wanted to gain the mountain top and in the determination to do so we lost sight of the possibility of there being an easier or better way in which to attain our purpose.

In this respect we all learned a good lesson; and if our climb had afforded us no other return than that we felt fully paid for our blunder. Mistakes will occur but, if we learn the proper lessons from them, they will prove a tonic, perhaps bitter but beneficial.

Having gained the coveted spot and climbed to its highest elevation our altitude afforded us the view which we sought, and what a view it was! How shall we describe it, or with what language shall we tell of it? The occasion was ideal, and all nature seemed in harmony, and on every hand there was visible that impress of higher power which we call Divine.

Reason alone could not answer the questions which such a spot, and such a scene suggest, nor could any human logic explain how it all occurred. Yonder lay a chain of beautiful lakes, which dotted the landscape like so many sheets of crystal, and which, under the rays of the sunset, scintillated and danced in panoramic order like molten silver. We counted the lakes and totaled them at twenty-one—great and small. Beneath us lay the homesteads of Holyrood, and the track and the station, and a passing train, all looking like some little toys with which the children play on Christmas morning. Beyond these we beheld the church, where kneel the people at the hour of prayer, and where broken hearts go for consolation. Here and there a few people passed, but all seemed small, and all looked insignificant. As we looked we remembered the words of the prophet when he spoke of the inhabitants of the earth as grasshoppers. (Isaiah.)

These sights and scenes far transcended our little selves; and there was still a grander scene beyond us. There was the bay with all its arms and coves, its headlands and its beaches; there was the sea so full of mystery, and so laden with tragedy. Just then it was placid, but in imagination we saw it angry, and seemed to hear its roar. The sea, and the hills, and the sunshine, and the mountain height upon which our company stood, were all telling one tale, and each imparting one lesson. It was the tale of the Seasons in their turn, of Nature in its glory, of Time in its march, and of Eternity in its duration. There was not any voice, yet a thousand convictions spoke to us; there was not any motion, but all nature was active, and the immensity of time being, we seemed to have realized that higher and truer interpretation of life which was meant for the children of men, and which is in store for them. The dust and cobwebs of the ages have some day to be blown away, and men will see the world in a better light, and the beauty and the grandeur of creation will be more closely studied and more

fully appreciated. Then will men rise from their own failures to the attainment of their ideals; and finally from their smaller selves to their larger possibilities. The destiny of mankind lies in this direction, and when the right moment dawns this destiny will be reached. All teaching of faith leads to this; and when faith, and nature, and men harmonize, then there will be one head, supreme and great, and that head God.

Rann-dom Reels

THE SERMON.

The sermon is a long, aggressive missile which is aimed at the heads of people who are not present in the congregation.

The habit of sermonizing was brought to this country from England in the Mayflower, along with a new brand of conscience and some antique furniture which is still on sale. The most deadly and uninterrupted form of sermon ever perpetrated upon the American people sprang up in the Thirteen colonies, and lasted as long as the hour glass could stand it. It must have been a terrifying sight to a thirteen year old Pilgrim Father to watch the hour glass at the morning service and count the number of times it was turned end for end, while the minister delivered a sermon with the smooth, gliding motion of a Corliss engine. In those days the sermon which started at 9 a.m. and was finished before three o'clock in the p.m. of the same day was considered a total failure, and a still hunt for a new preacher was immediately instituted.

The modern sermon does not cover as much ground as the samples which were put out in colonial days, which teaches us that we should know when we have had enough. It is a lamentable fact, however, that a vestryman who will begin to yawn like an army tent after the home pastor has preached for twenty-two minutes will sit in a saw-dust tabernacle on a seat without any back for two hours and a half, while some evangelist rips up the community from teflocks to collar button, and never notice the flight of time or size of the crick in his back. Most people would rather listen to a super-heated evangelist raise blisters on the hides of the members of the church than attend the evening sermon which lasts fifteen minutes and then runs into a series of moving pictures.

The missionary sermon is an effort which secures better results when nobody knows it is coming. It has a sublime mission, which is to extract money from people who would rather spend it for new non-skid tires. It requires courage to preach one of these sermons, but probably no more than is required to live on the average pastor's salary.

Girls! Girls! Try It! Stop Dandruff and Beautify Your Hair

Hair stops falling out and gets thick, wavy, strong and beautiful.

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Dandertine" hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Dandertine and carefully draw through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This cleanses the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Dandertine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair. But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandertine from any druggist or toilet counter, and just try it.

Seal-Skinners Annual Meeting.

The Seal-Skinners Association held their 82nd Annual meeting at the T. A. Hall last night. There was a large attendance and the reports of the Secretary and Treasurer showed the Institution to be in a flourishing condition. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President—G. Reid.
Vice-Pres.—C. Whitten.
Treasurer—D. Courtney.
Secretary—G. Cook.

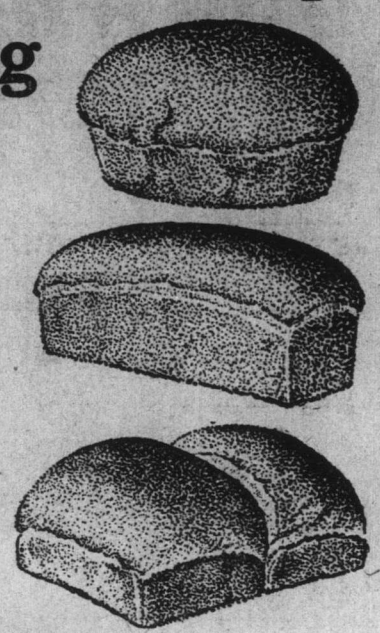
Messrs. W. Parmiter and W. Ennis were appointed in charge of Job's and Bowring's lofts, respectively.

WOMEN'S MISSION.—The women's mission, conducted by the Vincentian Fathers, will terminate to-morrow evening at the R. C. Cathedral and St. Patrick's Church. The men's mission will begin on Monday.

This woman's experience will help you with your breadmaking



She writes: "My grocer told me to get Cream of the West flour for bread—he could recommend it. It makes bread white and light, so now I won't have any other." A flour so satisfactory that it deserves such praise from those who actually use it is well worth trying. Women everywhere who use it, recommend



Cream of the West Flour
the hard wheat flour that is guaranteed for bread

Give it a trial. See for yourself how splendidly it makes bread that rises right up out of the pans. Cream of the West flour is rich in gluten. This highly nutritious substance has such wonderful elasticity or power of expansion that it imprisons the gas developed by the yeast, thus enabling your bread to rise properly.

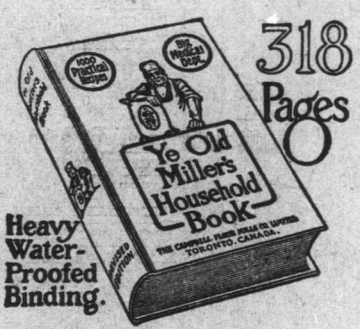
If you want fine big, bulging loaves, with delicious flavor, even crumb and all the wholesome nutritious quality of Western hard wheat, you decidedly ought to try Cream of the West flour for your next batch. If your bread proves unsatisfactory, return the unused flour to your dealer; also bring this advertisement which is our guarantee. He will return your money and we will repay him.

Our Domestic Science Experts solve your problems

Do you know what makes bread go sour sometimes? Are you puzzled about your pie crusts turning soggy for the first time, in spite of your close attention to the recipe? Would you like advice about the right kinds of pastry for different kinds of fillings? It is such unexpected, mysterious difficulties as these that we want to help you solve. No matter what your problem may be, with either

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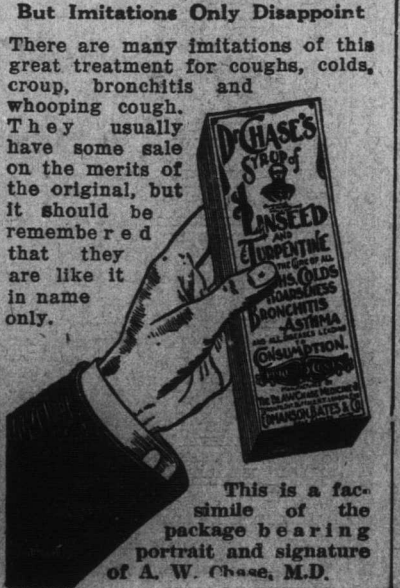
Every addition to the military news of 1917 explains more and more fully why Germany made her peace offer and her attack by submarines on the neutral world, for the two were parts of one movement. She knew that she was coming to the end of her tether, and to stave off the day of wrath she made a wild attempt to stop the war before it came. The Allies knew it as well as she did, and refused her plea. That falling, she sought by destroying England on the sea to save herself before the inevitable blow of the superior military strength of the Allies fell upon her on land.

Flattering to the Original

But Imitations Only Disappoint
There are many imitations of this great treatment for coughs, colds, whooping cough, and influenza. They usually have some sale on the merits of the original, but it should be remembered that they are like it in name only.

Weakened by Anaemia

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Anemia is indicated by thin, watery blood. The gums and eyelids grow pale, there is great weakness and fatigue and digestion fails. Since Dr. Chase's Nerve Food forms new, rich blood, it is naturally most suitable as a treatment for anemia. This letter proves its efficiency in the most severe cases.
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Wakened by Anaemia

through Dr. Chase's Almanac and read about the cure of anemia by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I began the use of this treatment at once and am now well on the way back to health, after having used the Nerve Food for six months. I want my friends to know that my cure was effected by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food alone and after my discouragement from the use of other treatments. I feel it my duty to let everybody know about this remarkable cure."
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