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WEATHER REPORT.

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A Terrible Disclosure

What Fools Men Are!

CHAPTER XXI

Edgar, you once pleaded with me for your cousin, Clifford Revel. "I did, sir," said Lord Edgar. "And I warned you at the time that I suspected him to be a rogue, and that I hated him."

wife, there must be another ceremony." The marquis raised his head. "That rests between you two," he said. "Until then, I will take her with me. Child, bid him good-by."



marriage between Lord Edgar and the young lady might be rendered illegal. Wait, my lord, I pray you wait!" for Lord Edgar had made a threatening movement toward him.

by me—who was a clerk in holy orders, and a real, and not a make-believe!" With a cry, Lela fell into Lord Edgar's arms, and laid her head upon his breast, sobbing and calling upon his name.

Ruled Destiny!

CHAPTER I. A PLEA FOR JUSTICE.

IT was a lovely evening in June, and the clock of Westbury church struck six as a young girl walked down the High street toward the lanes leading to the open country beyond.



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Florizel Judgment (Continued.) At about 3.00 a.m. the Second Officer, Mr. King, reported to the Captain that he thought he had just seen a light well aft on the starboard quarter but he was not sure of the position. The Captain and the Second Officer immediately examined the quarter lights, but neither could make out whatever of a light. The Captain also questioned Gunner Harty, who was acting as Starboard Look-out, but he saw a light at the same time but did not report it immediately as a prolonged observation of the direction from which the supposed light had come failed to reveal it a second time, and he apparently would have dismissed the light as a common occurrence to be dealt with in such a matter at sea and to be seen in such a light was visible, but the Captain inquired of him respecting it when he returned to the bridge. The result of his observation was that the Second Officer nor the Look-out were sure that about 3.00 a.m. the Captain saw a light on that part of the Coast near Bear's Cove Head and Ferry Head. Although by 2.00 a.m. the ship had given place to rain, it was impossible at a greater distance a mile or a mile and a half. The Captain reckoned that the ship was far off the land for a light to be visible. At 4.00 a.m. just as eight o'clock struck and before the watch had changed, the course was altered from S.W. to W.S.W. The same conditions of weather and sea as those experienced in the middle watch occurred. The Captain could not see the light, but the wind increased after 4.00 a.m. because it was then on the port quarter and the ship was running steadily before it. The ship continued on this course until about 4.40 a.m. At about 4.40 a.m. the Captain ordered the log to be put out. The steamer had by this time run out of all ice and it was practicable to use the log for the first time for the voyage. The Captain understood the order and cast lead. The Captain had not ordered the log to be used for the first time for 45 fathoms, and he remarked the First Officer at the time that they were near Ballard Bank. The Captain intended sounding again at 5 a.m. About 4.40 a.m. the course was altered to W. by S. and ten minutes later, at about 4.50 a.m., the ship struck Horn Reef, near Cappa Zena, a point about 12 miles northward of Cape Race, at a speed of 10 knots. The Captain estimated at about 4.50 a.m. that the increase in speed of that of the middle watch was due to the fact that after 4.00 a.m. the steamer had been running practically before the wind and sea. Five minutes more or less before striking the First Officer thought saw ice ahead and drew the Captain's attention to it. Both the Captain and the First Officer examined it through the glasses and agreed that it was a string of ice coming down around Cape. The dark waters could be seen beyond the log was ordered to be taken in. Both the Captain and First Officer were mistaken. What they saw was the white line of the breakers. The steamer ran ashore before reaching them and whilst they were engaged taking in the log. A prolonged examination of the conduct of the engine room during the trip is unnecessary as nothing unusual character occurred in connection with this department during the voyage. The ship carried four engines. The Chief unfortunately lost his life in the disaster but the second, third and fourth were saved. The Captain did not stand a watch so that the whole period of time is covered by the survivors. It was the duty of the second officer to examine the engine room on leaving St. John's and remain there until about 9.00 p.m. when the fourth, Mr. Taylor, completed the remainder of the watch. The third, Mr. Collier, was on from midnight to 4.00 a.m., Mr. Lumsden was on from that time until the steamer struck. The normal working pressure of the boilers was 175 lbs. On leaving port it was 170 lbs. but decreased to 9.00 p.m. to (Mr. Taylor thought) 167 lbs., but not lower than 165 lbs. However, up again when the engine room at that hour

Florizel Enquiry.

Judgment Handed Down

(Continued.)

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The men reported that they had got bottom with 90 fathoms of wire. Under the circumstances mentioned here and with the steamer going at speed ahead the Captain could only guess the depth of water which the sounding might possibly show. This he thought would be about 40 or 45 fathoms, and he remarked to the First Officer at the time that they were near Ballard Bank. The Captain intended sounding again at 1.15 a.m.

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NEWFOUNDLAND

THE INCOME WAR TAX ACT, 1918.

FORMS GIVING PARTICULARS OF INCOME FOR THE YEAR, 1917, MUST BE FILLED IN AND FILED ON OR BEFORE THE 30th JUNE, 1918.

Section 4 of the Act provides that all persons resident or ordinarily resident in Newfoundland, shall pay a tax of five per centum upon all income exceeding One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) in the case of unmarried persons without dependents; and widows or widowers, without dependents, and exceeding Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) in the case of all other persons; and in addition thereto, a supertax, when the income exceeds Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000.00). It also provides that all Corporations and Joint Stock Companies, no matter how created shall pay the normal tax upon income exceeding Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00).

The Forms provided by the Department of Finance to be filled in with particulars of the 1917 income of all those whose incomes are liable under the Act, and by Trustees, Corporations and Joint Stock Companies, with information required of them, may be obtained at the Assessor's Office, Customs' Building, St. John's.

Forms to Obtain and Special Features to Observe

Individuals—Get Form T1 to give particulars of their own incomes. In stating Dividends received, give the amount from each company, listing Newfoundland and foreign Companies separately. Fill in pages 1, 2 and 3 only. Do not mark on page 4.

The following answers (printed in black type) to questions asked on pages 2 and 3 of Form T1 will help you to fill in correctly your copies of the Form.

PAGE 2—DESCRIPTION OF INCOME.		EXEMPTIONS AND DEDUCTIONS—PAGE 3.	
Gross Income Derived From:		Amount Claimed For:	
1. Salaries and wages	None	14. Depreciation—On Store Building (not land) Brick	125.00
2. Professions and Vocations	\$2000.00	On Equipment used in business	140.00
3. Commissions (from sale of Real Estate)	1000.00	Store Fixtures	100.00
4. Business, trade, commerce or sales or dealings in property, whether real or personal	5000.00	15. Bad Debts; actually charged off within the year	40.00
5. Farming (Horticulture, Dairying or other branches)	None	16. Allowance for exhaustion of mines and wells	None
6. Rents	500.00	17. Contributions actually paid to the Patriotic and other approved War Funds	200.00
7. Dividends (A) Newfoundland Corporations:		18. Interest paid on moneys borrowed and used in the business—Mortgage on Store Property, \$1000	60.00
Standard Manufacturing Co., Ltd	50.00	19. Municipal taxes on property used in the business: General Municipal Taxes	120.00
(B) Foreign Corporations: Dominion Iron & Steel Co. New York Trading Co.	20.00 10.00	20. Income derived from Bonds and other Securities in the Dominion of Nfld. issued exempt from Income Tax	150.00
8. Interest on notes, mortgages, bank deposits and securities other than reported in item 7:		21. Other claims for deductions must be specified in detail: Business Operating Expenses	400.00
Interest on Mortgages	300.00	Repairs (Stating particulars)	190.00
Bank Interest	500.00	22. Total Exemptions and Deductions . . .	\$5325.00
100 Par Value Bonds of Jones Paint Co., Ltd.	70.00	23. Amount paid under Business Profits Tax Act, which accrued in the 1917 Accounting Period . . . ending December 31st, 1917	None
100 Municipal Debentures, Town of Sydney	90.00	24. Section 7 provides that the return must be on oath—Form V.	
9. Fiduciaries (Income received from guardians, trustees, executors, administrators, agents, receivers or persons acting in a fiduciary capacity):		Date	
Income from Estate of John Jones (Eastern Trust Co., Executor)	320.00	Signature	
10. Royalties from mines, oil and gas wells, patents, franchises and other legalized privileges	None		
11. Interest derived from Bonds and other Securities of the Dominion of Newfoundland, issued exempt from Income Tax, \$3000	150.00		
12. Other Sources not enumerated above: 1/2 Interest in Smith Hardware Co'y Partnership	900.00		
13. Total Income	10910.00		

CORPORATIONS AND JOINT STOCK COMPANIES.

Use Form T2—giving particulars of income. Also attach a financial statement. Under Deductions, show in detail amounts paid to Patriotic Fund or other approved War Funds.

Trustees, Executors, Administrators of Estates and Assignees use Form T3. Full particulars of the distribution of income from all estates handled must be shown as well as details of amounts distributed. A separate Form must be filled in for each estate.

Employers must use Form T4 to give names and amounts of salaries, bonuses, commissions and other remuneration paid to all employees during 1917, where such remuneration amounted in the aggregate to \$1,000.00 or over.

Corporation Lists of Shareholders. On Form T5 corporations shall give a statement of all bonuses and dividends paid to Shareholders residing in Newfoundland during 1917, stating to whom paid, and the amounts.

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SUMMER DRESSES for this and that Occasion. All Smart Models From Our New Stock.



WOMEN'S DRESSES—Soft, striped muslin supplies the material for this beautiful summer garment; it is made in a square, low neck style with embroidered collars and cuffs and four white muslin covered buttons, in shades to match the material. A most desirable summer dress. Reg. \$4.25 each. Friday & Saturday \$3.70

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CHILDREN'S WHITE EMBROIDERY DRESSES—Fashions latest models from our recent arrivals of summer dresses. You will surely find a style to suit you in this collection. Sizes to fit from 2 to 6 years. Reg. \$2.25 each. Friday and Saturday \$1.80

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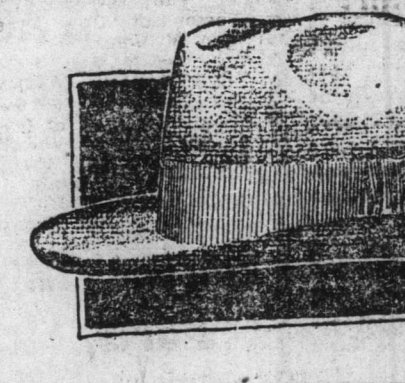
STYLISH SUMMER BLOUSES.

CHILDREN'S MIDDIES—White Drill with plain colored and striped cuffs, collars and pocket tops; elbow sleeves; one breast pocket; wide hem at bottom and laced front; sizes to fit from 4 to 14 years. Reg. 90c. ea. Friday & Sat. 75c

WHITE MARQUETTE BLOUSES—Here are Blouses that you will be delighted with; the latest summer styles from our new stock, all marked at Friday & Saturday bargain price. We feel pleased to be able to offer such a good value as a sale item. Reg. \$3.50 each. Friday and Saturday \$3.15

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MEN'S TWEED CAPS—With values like this it is no wonder why all the young men flock here for their headwear. This lot includes a big variety of English tweeds in a good color range. All sizes. Regular 45 cents. each. Friday and Saturday 38c

SOME STRIKING SHOWROOM VALUES for Friday and Saturday.

WOMEN'S UNDERSKIRTS—Moire, a remarkably low price when you consider the quality of these garments. Made wide with accordion pleated founce and drawstring waist to fit up to 36 inches. Regular \$1.50 each. Friday and Saturday \$1.25



WOMEN'S LONG SLEEVE SUMMER WEIGHT VESTS—Of closely ribbed union material with snug-fitting drawstring necks, finished with fancy crochet edge. Size 36 and 38. Reg. 95c. each. Friday and Saturday 76c

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WOMEN'S JAVIA CANVAS HATS—Made with corded velvet underbrim and white mull muslin trimmings with little band of corduroy at side. The shades are charming and the price is very inviting. Cream Hats with underbrims of Pink, YVrose, Champagne, Sage, Pale Blue and Beige. Regular \$2.75 each. Friday and Saturday \$2.30

GIRLS' WHITE COTTON UNDERSKIRTS—A beautiful soft quality that will launder splendidly. Plain bodies with drawstring neck and waist. The skirt is neatly finished with narrow tucks and embroidery edging. Reg. 65c. each. Friday and Saturday 55c

DRESSING COMBS—With coarse, or coarse and fine teeth. Black and white. 75c. values. Fri- day & Saturday 48c

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MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS—Assorted jobs in stripes, checks, spotted and fancy patterns on white and colored grounds. Made with cost fronts, stiff collar bands and soft cuffs. Reg. \$1.50 each. Friday & Saturday \$1.30

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MEN'S PARIS GAITERS—Wide cotton elastic in assorted colors, with satin pad rubber buttons, and nickel fittings. A splendid quality at a remarkably low price. Regular 15c. pair. Friday and Saturday 12c



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TAPED PILLOW CASES—Of soft, English pillow cotton, with hemmed and taped ends. The remarkably low prices quoted here should interest hundreds of economy seekers. Friday and Saturday. Size 17 x 28 inches. Reg. 25c. each. 20c Regular 40c. each. for 32c

AMERICAN CROCHET QUILTS—A serviceable high weight that will launder easily and improve in use. Size 2 x 2 1/4 yards, with neatly hemmed edge. Regular \$2.50 Friday and Saturday \$2.55

TAPESTRY MANTLE DRAPERY—Green and red scroll designs, with gold tinsel interwoven to give a bright finish; 5 inches wide, with fringe. Reg. 7c. yard. Fri. 5c and Saturday 5c

MARCELLA AND HONEYCOMBE TOILET COVERS—Good qualities, finished with looped designs, with edge. Assorted sizes. Regular 35c. each. Friday and Saturday 30c

CHILDREN'S AND MISSES HOSE.

Soft, elastic Cashmerette with ribbed legs and plain feet that will fit perfectly. At the low price quoted below you should take immediate advantage of this bargain and lay in enough to fill your needs for several months to come. Regular values to 40c. a pair. Friday and Saturday 32c

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WOMEN'S DONGOLA BOOTS—Blucher style with patent leather tip and comfortable broad toe. Your chance to get a good serviceable boot at a low price. Regular \$3.50 pair. Friday and Saturday \$3.25

WOMEN'S CLOTH TOP BOOTS—With plain toes and kid finished cloth tops; sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Regular \$3.00 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$2.75

WOMEN'S HOSE—Plain and Ribbed Cashmere in Black, lace ankle in Black and Tan and fancy silk seconds. Reg. 45c. pair. Fri- day and Saturday 40c

BOY'S WEAR.

BOYS' BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR—A summer weight undergarment in the natural Balbriggan shade. Well made and finished throughout. Sizes to fit from 10 to 15 years. Reg. up to 65c garment 58c Friday and Saturday 58c

BOYS' TWEED HATS—American Job Hats in a big range of plaids, stripes and mixed tweeds in Fawns and Greys. A crushable style with stitched rim; for boys from 6 to 10 years. Reg. \$1.25 each. Friday and Saturday \$1.00

BOYS' BOOK BAGS—Large sizes, with separate lunch compartment. Strongly made and bound with Tan Morocco edging; assorted checks and colors. Reg. 70c. each. 55c Friday and Saturday 55c

SHOE LACES—Black and Tan Mohair and Cotton in assorted widths and qualities. Values up to 10c. pair. Friday & Saturday, 10c 6 pairs for 10c

Cable News.

SOISSONS BOMBARDED. PARIS, May 29. Soissons, which the Germans began to bombard severely on Monday, has been evacuated by the civilian population under advice of the military authority, the correspondent of the Intransigent reports. More than 1,200 shells fell in Soissons on Monday, and the patients in the hospitals there were hastily removed by American light cars to places of safety. The evacuation beginning as soon as the shelling started. The nursing and medical staffs remained in the town until Tuesday. The population got away as best it could. At the latest report up to mid-day yesterday, the bombardment was still continuing.

WHERE AMERICANS FOUGHT WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, May 29.—German prisoners captured to-day by the Americans include men from a Bavarian and a Silesian regiment, some of them as young as 17 or 18 and others between 45 and 50. The Germans trooped out of their dugouts when they saw the futility of resistance, their hands held up shouting "Kamerad." Apparently they were glad to surrender. One of them said he didn't want to fight but had been compelled to do so. The garrison at Contigny was well accounted for; the men either surrendered or were killed. Many German dead were strewn over the ground.

GERMAN OFFICIAL. BERLIN, May 29. (Official.)—On the battlefield from the Yser to the Oise the increased fighting activity continued. French local attacks south of Ypres failed. West of Mont Didier the enemy during a local advance penetrated into Contigny yesterday. The armies of General Boehm and General von Below have victoriously continued their attack. French and English reserves, rushed up, were defeated. On the right wing the divisions of General Larrieh, after repelling a French counter attack, captured the Ferry-Sorry Ridge and the heights north of Soissons. After hard fighting the troops of General Wichura also broke the resistance of the enemy on the plateau of Conde. Fort Conde was taken by storm. Fery and Missy also were taken on the south bank of the Aisne, and the heights to the west of Ypres were occupied. The corps of General Von Winkler, General Von Conta and General Schentow have crossed the Vesle. Brains and Fismes have been captured and we are standing on the heights due south of the Vesle. The troops of General Lathau have taken the hills northeast of Prouilly by storm and have captured Villers Tranquex and Courcy and now are fighting for the heights of Theury. The energetic labors of the pioneers and railway equipment and construction troops have rendered possible the conquest of the field of attack and the bringing up of fighting men by columns uninterrupted. In self-sacrificing activity doctors and stretcher-bearers are looking after the wounded on the battlefields. In spite of the changing weather our aerial forces are attacking the enemy again and again with bombs and machine guns, while the aviators have surveyed without interruption our progressing attacks, and the effect of our artillery fire. The number of prisoners has increased to 25,000, including one French and one English General.

FRENCH TROOPS FALL BACK. PARIS, May 29. The French troops have fallen back to the eastern outskirts of Soissons where the battle continues with bitterness, the French War Office announces this afternoon. Franco-British troops, the statement adds, have fallen back to the heights south and southeast of St. Thieray where they are holding positions between the Vesle and the Aisne Canal. American troops to the west of Mont Didier have repulsed two German counter attacks against the village of Contigny. In the center, continues the announcement, fighting is going on with varying success on the heights of the southern bank of the Vesle River where the French troops are bravely and admirably defending their positions.

SOME OF OURS IN HALIFAX. HALIFAX, May 29. The record between the front line trenches and Halifax has just been made by Lieut. A. L. Summers of the Royal Nfld. Regiment. It is just seven days to the minute since I started from my regiment, said the Lieut. as the ship on which he arrived docked in Halifax this morning. Lieut. Summers went overseas in 1914 and has seen continuous service. Our men were never more confident than they are now, he says, and while they still expect some severe fighting they know that we have got Fritz's measure and believe that there will be no need of spending another winter in the trenches. The Lieut. has great and justified pride in his regiment. With him is Capt. Tait, M.C., who was wounded in the recent drive and also Lieuts. K. Smith and H. M. Maddock. Together with 17 of other ranks, they will leave for Newfoundland tomorrow morning.

PILOT TO DESTROY OIL WELLS. WASHINGTON, May 29. Reports of a German pilot to destroy the Tampoco oil wells from which the American and British navies draw a large part of their oil supplies, reached the State Department to-day. They said an attempt to destroy the wells was to be made to-morrow. Many reports of a similar nature have reached Washington. Officials here are dependent on the Mexican authorities to protect the oil wells, as a large part of the Mexican Government's revenues are derived from oil taxes.

PRaise FOR AMERICANS. LONDON, May 29. The afternoon papers, while not seeking to minimize the seriousness of the German blow on the Aisne, assure the public that the Allies' reserves are coming into action. They feature the success of the American near Mont Didier, publishing long accounts from British correspondents who credit the Americans with brilliant fighting.

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25 pieces Bleached Table Damask at prices to suit the most economic purse. Also 300 lbs. Bleached Table Damask in lengths to suit any size table. Comes much cheaper than piece goods, \$1.20 pound.

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It All Depends.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

What are the necessities of life and what are the luxuries?

I suppose there would be almost as many answers to that as there are human beings in the world.

Last winter I was visiting a friend in one of the most famous "camps" in the management of this camp lays great stress on what it calls simplicity. The distinctive idea of the place is supposed to be that one gets, there, all the comforts without any "tugs" or luxuries.

Happiness From Simple Comforts. Said my friend, one day: "Why don't you write about how much more happiness one can get out of life, if one is content with simple comforts? Use this place as an illustration."

With her thesis I agreed. At her illustration, I couldn't help laughing. And after a minute she laughed, too. "These were the simple comforts with which she was managing to be content:

Her Idea of Simple Comforts.

A large room furnished without any heavy upholstery, to be sure, but with brass beds, wicker furniture and all the best of that sort of thing. A private veranda. A big open fireplace kept constantly supplied with seasoned wood. Steam heat. A daintily appointed private bath. A little kitchenette furnished with electric stove, cupboard, etc., to facilitate the heating and serving of ones meal in case one preferred to have them in private, instead of going to the big dining hall. For food, few frills or exotic relishes, but the best of everything culled from the twenty-four "mains" owned by the management. For outdoor surroundings, wonderful facilities for every known kind of winter sport, and a view of the mountains that often made one catch one's breath because it seemed so beautiful to be true.

These things she called "simple comforts."

Ones definition certainly depends on the point of view, doesn't it? And the point of view depends on many things.

Most of us would call a Bathroom a Necessity.

There are few of us who wouldn't call a bathroom a necessity, to-day. Yet, just recently I was reading an article which told of the first bathtub with running water ever installed in America. That was in 1842, in the home of a wealthy merchant in Cincinnati. The idea of bathing as a regular function was then so novel that discussion thereof arose all over the country. Many of the medical profession declared that bathing was unhealthy; and in Philadelphia a law forbidding bathing from November to March was rejected by only two votes.

What is your least common denominator of comforts?

I tried making mine out, the other day, and though I regard myself as a person with simple tastes, I found it surprisingly long.

And one naturally wonders what the least common denominator of comforts of the average citizen of fifty years hence will be.

Had ship's anchor fall on my knee and leg, and knee swelled up and for six days I could not move it or get help. I then started to use MINARD'S LINIMENT and two bottles cured me. PROSPER FERGUSON.

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Casualties For Big Offensive.

At a recent meeting of the Academie de medicine, Dr. Tuller, professor agree a la Faculte de medicine de Paris, and chirurgien des hopitaux, read a very interesting communication on this subject. As a consulting surgeon of the armies in the field, he has been instrumental in effecting the organization of the medical services for the wounded, following the operations during the battle and confirming the ultimate results. He said that the French soldiers attained more than the assigned objective on the first day. The irresistible assault necessarily entailed a high proportion of severe wounds; in fact, although 80 per cent of the wounded were evacuated at once, 20 per cent were found to be untransportable.

Figures on the various kinds of wounds are of interest, for this offensive was typical of big operations carried out with good artillery preparation, the best of organization and characteristic French dash. So far as the site of the wound is concerned, 16 per cent were head wounds; 33 per cent legs; 34 per cent arms; 10 per cent thorax; 4 per cent abdomen, and 2.6 per cent spine. Twenty per cent of the men suffered from multiple wounds. Shell fragments caused 72 per cent. The general mortality among the wounded has been 5.18 per cent, due to hemorrhage, to shock, and to the gravity of the wounds. Complicated gangrene had a rate of 3 per thousand, and tetanus of 5 per 10,000. The abdominal wounds were always the most severe. They caused 61 per cent of the mortality; on the other hand, wounds of the thorax yielded the greatest number of successes (20 per cent mortality). The fractures and wounds of joints comprised 77 per cent of the sutures. The wounds of the soft parts gave most remarkable results (83 per cent cured), so that after 45 days there remained in the army some posts only 1.43 per cent of the wounded.

These results, heretofore unknown during periods of offensive of such intensity, were due to the best possible arrangement of well organized surgical posts; the rapidity of the relief given and the evacuation of the

wounded to the special posts for each class of wounds, of which the need was well foreseen; the close co-operation between all the surgical services, which made use of the same technique, and the fact that surgeons were able to follow their patients from the firing line back to the rear; and, finally, to the perfection of the technique of immediate disinfection of wounds, primary suture—immediate or tardy—and to secondary suture after chemical disinfection according to the Carrel method. For these data we are indebted to the Medical News of recent date.—Scientific American.

TALKING TOO MUCH.

I often wring my hands a and mourn, and oftentimes I get in dutch, and all the troubles I have because I talk too much. I can't restrain my eager jaws, when there's a chance to spring hot air; I argue every human cause, and every subject, everywhere. The less I know about a theme, the more warm platitudes I shed. I talk until my hearers scream, and bounce a brickbat at my head. I used to have good friends in town, with high class men I was in touch, but now they always turn me down; it is because I talk too much. I see our leading business men cooal themselves when I draw near; they will not show themselves again until they find the landscape clear. When I arise to hand out slush, to make a little timely speech, the auditors get up and rush for the fire escapes in reach. I know it's my besetting sin, this thing of talking all the day; but when at spilling men begin, it's mighty hard to break away. I'm always trying to reform, but when I see a chance to talk, I paw around and rant and storm, and push pink language round the block. Then people get me on the dome with wooden leg and club and crutch, and tell me I should toddle home, and stay there, for I talk too much.

Special Notice

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

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

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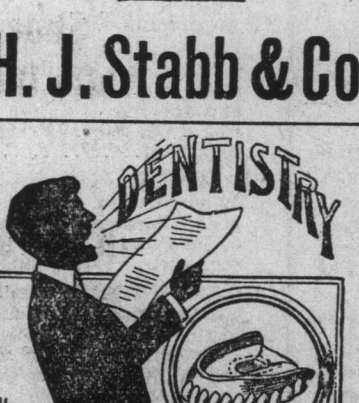
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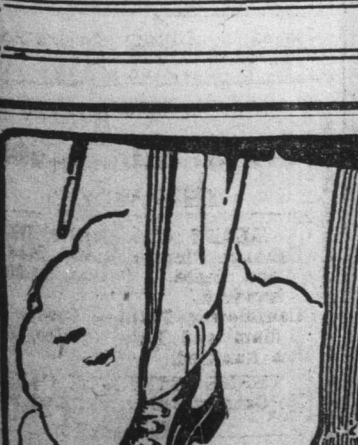


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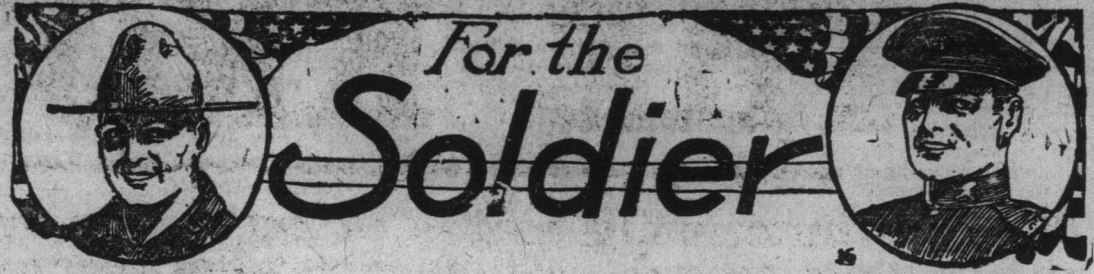
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Florizel Enquiry.

(Continued from 2nd page.)

the heavy sea running all day Sunday
 such attempts, however determined
 and courageous, were fore-doomed to
 failure.
 Mr. Marshall, Gunner, H.M.S. Briton,
 apparently succeeded in throwing
 a rocket line near the ship or across
 her bows, but it was difficult for the
 survivors on the wreck to see this and
 impossible for them to secure it.
 It is fortunate that the attempt did
 not succeed. Otherwise it is almost
 certain that lives would have been
 lost in any attempt at rescue by this
 means whereas eventually all the sur-
 vivors were taken off and landed at
 St. John's. Seventy-eight passengers
 sailed on the Florizel of whom sixty-
 one lost their lives in the disaster.
 The Captain, Officers and crew num-
 bered fifty-nine of whom thirty-two
 were lost.

It now remains to be considered
 whether the casualty was caused by
 the wrongful act or default of the
 Master, mates or engineers of the
 ship.

As far as the mates and engineers
 are concerned they may be exoner-
 ated without comment. The Captain is
 wholly responsible for the conduct of
 the voyage. Indeed he has never
 made the slightest attempt to evade
 it or to implicate any of his officers.
 Before proceeding further it will be
 desirable to deal shortly with the
 question of currents respecting which
 a great deal was said in argument by
 Counsel on both sides. The Captain
 himself was utterly unable to explain
 why the accident occurred. The only
 thing he could think was that some
 current which he knew nothing what-
 ever about was running from the
 South and his Counsel in argument
 found it necessary to attribute to it
 or some other current a velocity of 2
 or 2½ knots in order to account for
 the position of the ship at the time of
 stranding.

It is unnecessary to consider the
 existence of any very exceptional cur-
 rent. The strong but at times ir-
 regular current known as the Polar
 or Arctic Current which flows past
 this Coast from Cape Spear to Cape
 Race is well known to navigators. It
 sets very constantly southwestward
 but it is not unusual for it to be so
 disturbed as to set across its ordinary
 direction or to be reversed on its sur-
 face. The Newfoundland and Labrador
 Pilot published under the author-
 ity of the Lords Commissioners of the
 Admiralty states that when such dis-
 turbance occurs it is usually for a
 short time immediately before a gale
 comes on. A clear warning is printed
 on Admiralty charts which include
 this Section that "the ordinary set of
 the current over the Great Bank and
 between it and Newfoundland is to
 the South West but North Easterly
 currents are by no means rare." Cap-
 tain Martin stated in evidence that
 the only current he had ever experi-
 enced was the Southwesterly current
 which he always felt between Cape
 Spear and Cape Race. He found it
 strongest with a N.E. wind. Its great-
 est velocity according to his observa-
 tions would be from 1½ to 2 knots
 per hour but ordinarily it was one
 knot or a little more. It is stated in
 works relating to the subject that the
 greatest observed velocity when the
 current flows on its usual course is
 1.10 and 1.15 knots per hour, but I
 think that the observations from
 which these figures were deduced
 were not taken during the winter
 season. The Captain had never
 known it to set in any other than a
 Southwesterly direction although he
 had heard of it doing so from fish-
 men belonging to the Coast.

It must be taken that Captain Mar-
 tin knew of the disturbances to which
 this current was liable and there is
 no doubt he did. If he did not he

should have been acquainted with the
 subject. He states that he never
 made any allowance for the current
 at all leaving St. John's. He always
 reckoned it was with him going to-
 wards Cape Race and that it could
 therefore only make his position more
 secure. It was argued on his behalf
 that he had no means on the last
 voyage of knowing how the current
 was setting, which is true, and that
 he was either justified or could not be
 blamed for ignoring the fact that it
 sometimes flowed in other directions
 than Southwesterly. The argument
 cannot by any means be accepted.
 If navigators persistently ignore the
 fact that disturbances of the Polar
 Currents are "by no means rare"
 casualties are pretty certain to result
 sooner or later even to ships leaving
 this port to round Cape Race unless
 indeed courses are steered so far off
 the land as to render it quite impos-
 sible for any known alteration of the
 current to place the ship in peril.

It was of course impracticable to
 obtain positive evidence that the Po-
 lar current had reversed on the night
 of February 23-24 last, but I have
 no hesitation in inferring it as a fact
 from the circumstances surrounding
 the case. Unless this inference is
 drawn it is impossible to account for
 the position of the Florizel when she
 stranded.

It must be clearly understood, how-
 ever, that notwithstanding the above
 comment, the Captain's failure to al-
 low for a reversed current is not one
 of the reasons for the decision here-
 in. It is impossible to account for the
 decision on facts which have been in-
 ferred or admitted and not on in-
 ferences however irresistible the lat-
 ter may appear to be.
 I am of opinion that the Master was
 in default in not verifying his posi-
 tion by sounding before changing his
 course from S.S.W. to W.S.W. at 4.00
 a.m. or if he could not have done so
 before changing, in not reducing
 speed and verifying his position by
 constantly sounding the changing.
 In this case if no other means were
 available he could have waited until
 daylight, if necessary, to ascertain
 his position. In very thick weather
 daylight might have helped him but
 little. On this occasion, however, it
 would have disclosed to him his
 whereabouts and every case must be
 judged by its own circumstances and
 the measures for safety presently
 available. The casualty is attribut-
 able to the Master's default in not
 taking these precautions. He felt
 absolutely confident of the safety of
 his position at 4.00 a.m. and thought
 that it was quite prudent to change
 the course to W.S.W. and subsequent-
 ly to W. by S. but the wind and sea
 experienced the fact that there was no
 means of ascertaining the speed of
 the ship except by the very uncer-
 tain and inaccurate method of esti-
 mating it by the eye as she passed
 through the water and the well-
 known variability of the current
 involved—the loss of life and property
 should have suggested to him the ab-
 solute necessity of taking the precau-
 tions already mentioned.

Considering the magnitude of the
 disaster—the loss of life and property
 involved—the Master's Certificate is
 suspended for 21 months, but in view
 of his good record and his general
 care and attention to duty we think
 he should be allowed a Chief Mate's
 Interim Certificate for the time of
 suspension. The Attorney General
 desired the opinion of the Court on
 the questions below. For the sake
 of convenient reference the answers
 follow each question. It should be
 stated that at the termination of the
 hearing Mr. Dunfield agreed that only
 a plain affirmative answer would be
 necessary to questions 1, 2, 21 and 24.
 Ques. 1. Whether at the time she
 left St. John's on the 23rd February,
 1918, the "Florizel" was in good or-
 der and seaworthy condition, and suf-
 ficiently manned?
 Ans. 1. Yes.

Ques. 2. Whether at the said time
 her equipment of navigating, life-sav-
 ing and other instruments and appli-
 ances was sufficient and in good or-
 der?
 Ans. 2. Yes.

Ques. 3. Whether safe and proper
 courses were set and steered after
 leaving the Narrows of St. John's Har-
 bour?
 Ans. 3. (a) The course from a po-
 sition off Cape Spear at 3.30 p.m. till
 midnight may have been unnecessary-
 ly close to the shore but in view of
 the fact that this did not materially
 contribute towards the casualty no
 further comment is necessary.
 (b) The course of S.S.W. set at
 midnight and steered till 4 a.m. was
 a good and safe one.
 (c) The course of W.S.W. and sub-
 sequently W. by S. steered after 4 a.m.
 was dangerous and improper in view
 of the fact that the position of the
 ship was not accurately known and
 that she was proceeding at full speed
 and without a constant use of the
 lead.

Ques. 4. Whether due and proper
 allowance was made for the effect of
 wind in checking the ship's way or
 causing leeway?
 Ans. 4. Due allowance for leeway
 does not appear to have been made
 after midnight. The course of the
 ship was S.S.W., estimated speed 5-6
 knots while the wind was S.E., a mod-
 erate gale with a fairly heavy sea
 running. Yet on the chart produced
 by Captain Martin to show his esti-
 mated course and position no allow-
 ance at all has been made for leeway.
 Ques. 5. Whether due and proper
 allowance was made for the effect of
 slob ice in checking the ship's way
 or causing leeway?
 Ans. 5. There is no evidence to
 show that the slob ice encountered
 was sufficient to affect the ship in any
 way.

Ques. 6. Whether due and proper
 allowance was made for the effect of
 sea and swell in checking the ship's
 way or causing leeway?
 Ans. 6. Same answer as No. 4.
 Ques. 7. Whether due and proper
 allowance was made for the effect of
 tide and currents in checking the
 ship's way or causing leeway?
 Ans. 7. It is impossible to state
 definitely whether the ship's speed
 over the ground on that night was
 retarded by a northeasterly current
 or not, but in view of the extrordi-
 narily low speeds which she must nec-
 essarily have gone over the ground,
 to account for her position on the
 rocks, it is reasonable to conjecture
 that such a current was running. No
 allowance for current was made by
 the Captain.

Ques. 8. Whether the boilers and
 engines were in good order and work-
 ing satisfactorily?
 Ques. 9. Whether the engines
 were revolving at their usual speed,
 and if not, to what extent were they
 slow, and why?
 Ans. 8 and 9. Evidence of Engineers
 goes to prove the course of the en-
 gines were in good order and working
 satisfactorily, but no satisfactory ex-
 planation of the fact that the engines
 only recorded 83 revolutions in the
 middle watch instead of the regular
 full speed rate, has been given.

Ques. 10. Whether the distances run
 by the ship were correctly estimated
 and whether every possible effort
 was made from time to time to ascer-
 tain and verify her position, especial-
 ly at the times when the Master gave
 orders to alter the course at 12 mid-
 night (Feb. 23-24) and at 4 a.m. Feb.
 24th?
 Ans. 10. The ship's position when
 she grounded proves conclusively
 that the distances run were not cor-
 rectly estimated. The steps taken to
 ascertain and verify the ship's posi-
 tion were fairly satisfactory up to 4 o'-
 clock, when the lead should have been
 in constant and regular use till the
 position of the ship was definitely
 and accurately known.

Ques. 11. Whether the lead or
 sounding machine was used between
 8 p.m. and midnight (Feb. 23rd) and
 whether it was used with sufficient
 frequency and accuracy?
 Ans. 11. Yes.
 Ques. 12. Whether the lead or
 sounding machine was used between
 midnight (Feb. 23-24) and 4 a.m.
 (Feb. 24) and if not, whether its neg-
 lect was justifiable?
 Ans. 12. No. There was no abso-
 lute necessity to use the lead during
 this watch as the course was taking
 the ship off the land.

Ques. 13. Whether the lead or
 sounding machine should have been
 used more frequently and with greater
 accuracy between 4 a.m. and the
 stranding at 4.50 a.m. on Feb. 24th,
 and whether any reliance was placed
 by the Master upon the cast taken
 without a pressure-table at about 4.30
 a.m. and if so, whether such reliance
 was justifiable?
 Ans. 13 (a) Yes, it should have been
 used more frequently. (b) The Mas-
 ter appears to have put some re-
 liance on the sounding at 4.30 a.m. but
 he should not have done so as no
 tube was used and no sufficiently ex-

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perienced and reliable person was in
 charge of the sounding machine at
 the time. The depth of 45 fathoms
 which the Master deduced from the
 sounding should have caused him to
 immediately get another cast and
 continue the use of the lead till cer-
 tain of his position.
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AMERICANS REPULSE ATTACK.

WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES ON THE FRENCH FRONT, May 29.—Three counter attacks made by the Germans to retake the terrain which they had lost in Picardy on Monday completely broke down in the face of the American artillery fire and the heroism of our infantrymen. The ground won by the Americans on Monday all remains in their possession.

NEWFOUNDLAND GRADUATE.

OTTAWA, May 29. Among the nurses graduating from St. Luke's Hospital, is Miss Daisy M. Goodyear, of Grand Falls, Nfld.

EFFECTIVE AIR RAIDS.

LONDON, May 29. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—As an instance of the great effectiveness of the continuous air raids which the British are making day and night at different points behind the German lines where there are dense concentrations of troops, a German prisoner stated that in the recent air raid of the British flying squadron on Douai there were 300 soldiers killed and wounded in addition to great material damage done.

THROWN BACK WITH HEAVY LOSSES.

LONDON, May 29. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—Telegraphing this morning, Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters says, the front from Loos to Voormezele remains pretty quiet. The Germans, apparently being vexed at the American success at Caubry, opened a tremendous bombardment upon the new positions. The enemy counter attack was met by the Allied gunners with such a hurricane of fire, that the German masses were stopped dead and thrown back with heavy losses.

PAYING OFF DEBTS.

LONDON, May 29. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—Reliable reports continue to show the immense damage done by the great panic caused by British air raids. For example, in a recent raid a huge bomb fell on an important railway station killing many soldiers and quiting the railway buildings. Another one fell one hundred and fifty yards from the Meuse iron works, which manufactures an enormous stock and threw the workers into a panic. Bombs were also dropped on the Pieper works at Herstal, where thousands are engaged in the manufacture of munitions and on the national arsenal. The same day a squadron bombarded with great success large factories at Aix-la-Chapelle. Further reports regarding the raid on Cologne on Wednesday confirm that the town is panic stricken.

GERMAN DISCIPLINE FOR AUSTRIAN ARMY.

LONDON, May 29. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—

She Took Her Fathers Pills

AND DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS SOON HELPED HER BACKACHE.

How Mrs. Beaudoin Found Complete and Permanent Relief From Her Kidney Trouble.

Imperial Red Cross Fund.

EMPIRE DAY APPEAL.

Table listing names and amounts for the Empire Day Appeal, including Johnstone, Rendell, Benson, etc.

Hr. Grace Notes.

On Sunday next there will be a memorial service in the Methodist Church for Pte. Hubert Webber who was killed in action in France, on April 14th.

NAVAL MEN RETIRING.

Royal Naval Reservists H. Saunders, D. Conolly and P. Roche, who have been on active service overseas, are returning on furlough.

DR. A. F. PERKINS has resumed practice at his Dental Surgery, 216 Water Street.

WANTED—A Girl for repairing clothes; one with a knowledge of tailoring preferred.

Casualty List.

At Wandsworth, 3620—Pte. Peter Neville, Black-march Road, French Fever.

One good time Monday, June 3rd, King's Birthday, C. C. C. Hall.

TWO EXTREMES.

"PANDORA"

Writing on the important matter of our past, present and future war loans.

ATTENTION!

New Perfection Oil Cook Stove Week

BEGINNING Monday morning, hardware, furniture and department stores will display

WATCH FOR YOUR DEALER'S WINDOW DISPLAY

IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED

NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK STOVE

Anglican Bishop of Jerusalem.

The enthronement of the Right Rev. Bishop R. MacInnes as Anglican Bishop in Jerusalem took place at St. George's Cathedral on Sunday, March 17th.

Here and There.

PERSONAL.

FROM BONNE BAY.

When you want Steaks, Chops, Cutlets and Collops, try ELLIS'.

COD TRAPS DAMAGED.

When you want Sausages, they get ELLIS'.

VISITING THEIR HOMES.

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MORE DIPHTHERIA.

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Be With Us To-Day.

CORPUS CHRISTI, 1918.

Bright breaks the day, and o'er the land the dawn-light throws a silvery gleam.

Now bursts the sun above the hill.

Dear Madam.

As to the elevated Host!

The streamlets in the thicket's shade

From unseen censers everywhere

Along a "wandering path I stray

And pray that Masses offering now

Throughout the Christian world may shield

Our Allied arms on every field.

Queen Mary's Guild.

LETTERS TO LOCAL BRANCH.

Queen Mary's Needlework Guild, Friary Court.

Hon. Lady Hawley, Hon. Sec.

Dear Madam.

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ARROW COLLARS FOR SPRING.

Subscriptions may be sent to Miss Armorer Harris, President; Mrs. Emerson, Hon. Treasurer.

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In Aid of the Sick and Wounded and of Our Soldiers and Sailors at the Front.

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JUDGMENT: In the matter of the complaint of William O'Brien, Health Inspector against Allan Williams, Farmer, of a breach of certain Rules and Regulations made under the authority of the Government of the Province of 1914, approved by the Governor in Council and published in the Provincial Gazette of date, March 19, 1918.

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Individual Laundry Bags.

Extra Special Boots of Interest to Every Member of the Family.

Ladies White Boots.

Boys' Boots.

White Boots for Children.

A Special Line of Ladies' Foots, \$4.50 Value for \$3.00.

NOTABLE VALUES in Men's Summer.

Seed! Seed!

JUST RECEIVED A FRESH SUPPLY.

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European Agency.

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Everything. To-day is a time for getting extra good value in White Quilts of a generous size. Many patterns; great variety; just the weight needed for summer use. Quilts worth \$2.75 each. Friday, Saturday and Sunday. \$2.40.

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Convenient size for hanging on bedroom door. At the price it was extravagant to have one for each member of the family or at least each room. They are made of strong material, embroidered, in White or color. They never wear to sell. 40c. Our Special Price, each. Friday, Saturday and Sunday. 35c.

Extra Special Boots of Interest to Every Member of the Family.

LADIES WHITE BOOTS—All White, very dainty for Sunday wear; high, plain sole; light and high; high. Just the boot you would wish for. 2 1/2 to 7. Value for \$3.50. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 3.00.

Boys' Boots—Sturdy Boots made from good quality gun metal Blucher cut; ideally suited for game about wear; sizes 1 to 5, including Reg. \$2.50 pair. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 2.00.

White Boots for Children.

Strong White Duck Boots for the comfortable shape, sturdy made, small sizes, 1 1/2 to 8, including heel; the larger sizes a low flat boot; look well with their white flannel. Special Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 8 1/2 to 11 for 1.00.

A Special Line of Ladies' Foots, \$4.50 Value for \$3.00.

A fortunate purchase by our Ladies' High Grade Buttoned Boots, or ramp, with gun metal or cloth feet shape, assuring foot ease and walking comfort. These are value for value. Reg. \$4.50 value. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 3.00.

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Seed! Seed! JUST RECEIVED A FRESH SUPPLY. You had our Seeds last year, you know what good returns you had from them. All the Seeds for your garden this year now in stock. Don't wait to buy, even if you say that the weather is not right yet. We have only a limited supply. Order now.

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things they contained were just... for Christmas. The lovely... bags took the place of Christmas stockings, and hold sweets, socks, and the little writing cases, etc., also the most acceptable soap which was included in the contents of the bags. All these gifts could not have been more greatly valued than they have been here, and who have contributed towards providing such things.

Magistrate's Court.

William O'Brien, Health Inspector vs. Allan Williams.

JUDGMENT.

In the matter of the complaint of William O'Brien, Health Inspector against Allan Williams, Farmer, of a breach of certain Rules and Regulations made under the authority of Section 9 Inspection of Food and Drugs Act, 1914, approved by the Governor-in-Council and published in the Royal Gazette of date, March 19, 1914. The Secretary of the Board of Health proved that a contract existed between the Defendant, Williams and the Board of Works Department for the delivery of a certain quantity of good pure milk daily. The evidence of the Matron of the Institution went to show that the usual supply of milk was brought to the Asylum by the Defendant, or his son. The Matron was not present when the milk was brought in, but she was any person under her authority delegated to take delivery of it, the milk is supposed to have arrived between 8.30 and 9 o'clock. Shortly afterwards the Complainant called at the Institution and the Matron gave him a sample of milk from a can then standing in the room containing milk alleged to have been delivered by the Defendant. This sample was immediately taken by the Complainant to Mr. D. James Davies, Government Analyst. Mr. Davies submitted the following report at the hearing:

"Sample of Milk from Public Health Department, April 21st. Sample labelled Allan Williams, Forest Park, 2418, R.A.B. Sample received at Laboratory 12.30 P.M., April 21st and analyzed immediately.

Total Solids7.00% Fat1.67%

Very poor Milk—Much below standards laid down in the New Milk Regulations. (Sgd.) D. James Davies, S.E., F.C.S., M.S., Public Analyst, Government Analyst."

Mr. J. J. McGrath, counsel for Defendant moved for a dismissal of Prosecution on the following grounds: 1. That it was not proven the milk from which the sample was taken by Inspector O'Brien, was the Defendant's milk.

2. That if it was the Defendant's milk, the Complainant has not complied with the provisions of Sec. II of the Rules and Regulations. Taking Mr. McGrath's point first, Sec. II of the Rules and Regulations provides: "The person taking a sample of milk with the intention of submitting it to analysis, shall forthwith notify the seller, or his agent selling the milk, his intention to have the same analyzed, and shall endeavor to divide the sample into two parts to be there and then divided each part to be marked and sealed or fastened up, and shall deliver one of the parts to the seller, or his agent. He shall afterwards retain one of the said parts for future comparison and submit the third part to the analyst if he deems it right to do so."

"I have to hold with the learned Counsel for the Defendant, that Mr. D. James Davies for analysis was delivered by the Defendant, or his agent at the Poor Asylum on the morning in question, and no evidence was submitted by the Prosecution showing that the essential requirements of Sec. II were complied with. I therefore dismiss the complaint. Mr. E. Leo Carter, B.L., for Complainant. Mr. J. J. McGrath, B.L., for Defendant. Dated this 30th day of May, A.D. 1918. (Sgd.) F. J. MORRIS, Judge.

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Friday, Saturday and Tuesday Is Going to Be a

Friend-making Event

By Reason of Its Value-Giving and Its Importance to Sharp Shoppers.

All Wanted Goods. All Underpriced

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In the HOW-ROOM This Week.

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BOYS' BOOTS—Sturdy Boots for sturdy boys, made from good quality gun metal stock; Blucher cut; ideally suited for general knock-about wear; sizes 1 to 5, including half sizes. Reg. \$3.40 pair. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. \$3.10

MEN'S BOOTS—Here is an excellent Boot, and for the special price quoted far better value than you would expect to find to-day. Fine Dongola Kid make. Blucher cut, good shape; sizes 6 to 10. Good value for \$3.50. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. \$2.95

White Boots for Children & Misses. Strong White Duck Boots for the girls; very comfortable shape, sturdily made, toe cap; the smaller sizes, i.e., from 5 to 8, have a spring heel; the larger sizes a low flat heel. These boots look exactly like the summer dresses. Special, Friday, Saturday and Tuesday— Sizes 5 to 8 for \$1.55 Sizes 8 1/2 to 11 for \$1.85

A Special Line of Ladies' Buttoned Boots, \$4.50 Value for \$3.78.

A Clearing Line of Silk Chiffons.

3 pieces of 28 inch Silk Chiffons in shades of Nile Green and Hielo. Would make up prettily for Children's all-silk Dresses, Ladies' Dresses or Blouses. These are value for 40c. per yard. Clearing Friday, Sat. & Tuesday. 29c

NOTABLE VALUES in Men's Summer Shirts.

Clearing Line of Men's Negligee Shirts. We have a quantity of odd sizes in broken lines of Men's Summer Shirts, that should in fact be sold at this season, as the other variety includes some very desirable shirts in neat striped patterns, laundered and soft cuffs, with a wide range of makes; shirts that usually sell at \$1.00 and \$1.10. Not all sizes, but perhaps your size is available. Special per garment. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 85c

WORKING SHIRTS—Dark Blue working shirts in good wearing and good washing material; all bolted seams, well finished. In every detail; single pocket; sizes from 14 1/2 to 16 1/2. Reg. \$1.40. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. \$1.18

Balbriggan Underwear. Don't wait until those scorching days force you to change your heavier underwear. Come down to-day and get a suit or two of this reputable Summer weight Balbriggan Underwear. Some white, some tan, is complete and the best value giving sale in. No time like the present. All sizes in vests and pants. Special per garment. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 68c

PILLOW CASES. STAMPED PILLOW CASES—Just a 4 dozen lot in strong White Cotton, size 20 x 20, with hemstitched ends; some very neat stamped designs for fancy workers. These are an extra good quality. Reg. \$1.40. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 38c

FRILLED PILLOW CASES—Best quality English make, size 22 x 32. These are strong, nicely embroidered at corners and finished with a hemstitched frill. Value for 60c. each. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 42c

SATIN UNDERSKIRTS—Your choice of Black, White, Purple, Sky, Grey and Fawn Satin Underskirts. These are beauties for the price and something that would be a welcome acquisition to your wardrobe. At \$2.00 they are really good value. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. \$1.69

LADIES' UNDERPANTS—A special lot of very fine ribbed summerweight Underpants, pure White. Your choice of knee length or ankle length, excellent complete range of sizes. Exceptional value at 40c. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 34c

STRAW TRIMMINGS—Here you are, hat makers! 10 yard lengths of fancy Straw Banding for making Hats or trimming Hats. We have all the likable shades such as Sage, Sky, Pink, Rose, Champagne, Nigger Brown and Green, etc. in 10 yard pieces. Reg. 60c. value. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday, per piece. 30c

CHILDREN'S COMBINATIONS—Excellent quality in Children's fine knit Combinations, knee length, for summer wear, buttoned at back, taped and buttoned for attaching suspenders to; suitable alike for boys and girls from 4 to 13 years. Reg. 50c. suit. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 39c

SPORTS HATS—Smart, stylish and becoming Sports Hats, made of fine quality linen, stitched brim, in shades of Rose, Sage, Gold, Green and White. Just the kind of Hat you would wish for. Come along early for these. They are all new and sell regularly for 75c. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 67c



LADIES' CHEMISES—Real summery-looking undergarments in good quality longcloths, full sizes, embroidered trimmed. These are good value at their regular price, \$1.00. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 89c

THE "CRUSHER" HAT—A Sport Hat, may be folded up and carried in the pocket. We have all White, Shepherd's Checks, as sorted, and others in mixed shades. This is a convenient Hat for everyday wear, moderately priced. Reg. 45c. value. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 39c

CHILDREN'S KNICKERS—Well made Little White Lawn Knickers, finished with fine pin tuckings at knee; sizes to fit girls from 8 to 12 years. Time and labor saved buying this at our Special Sale Price for Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 32c

HAT CORDS—Something new in adjustable Hat Bands for Children and Misses' Hats, mostly fancy mixtures, with a corner end and patent adjustable slide. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday, each. 13c

DRESSING GOWNS—We are offering a few dozen of Fancy Muslin Dressing Gowns at a reduced price this week to clear up the line; these have heading and embroidery trimmings and come in pretty mixtures. Just what you need for the coming season. Regular \$1.70. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. \$1.39

GIRLS' IMITATION PANAMA HATS—Very becoming Little Imitation Panama Hats for the little girls, fancy Cream shade, trimmed with Pale Blue and Pink Ribbons and small rose bud wreath; others with self band and piped with Pink or Pale Blue. These are value for \$3.00. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday. 85c

SOCKETS—Little Duck-socks for little folks. They hold the sock firmly; made of fine elastic with ribbon bow and in shades of Sky, Pink and White. Friday, Saturday and Tuesday, per pair. 14c



Smallwares.

OUR TABLES ARE NOW OVERFLOWING IN THIS SECTION.

- Machine Oil; per bottle 8c
Yaseline; handy size; per 1c
Yaseline; large size; bottle 18c
Carbolol; best disinfectant; bottle 25c
Florida Water; genuine; bottle 27c
Florida Water; medium size 48c
Nursing Bottles; each 8c
Mendets; stops leaks; outfit 8c
Clothes Pins; 2 dozen for 15c
Household Cords; assorted; each 15c
Boot Laces; per dozen 15c
Bone Hair Pins; per box 15c
Blouse Pin Sets in enamel 17c
Gents' Scarf Pins; 17c
Moth Flakes; per package 17c
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BELLIGERENT ARMIES AT DEATH GRIPS—ALLIES CONFIDENT.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES IN FRANCE, May 29. (By the Associated Press.)—The Germans advanced against the French lines again to-day after throwing further masses of troops into the battle. Both flanks of the battle line were the scene of very heavy fighting by inferior numbers against superior forces, with the result that the Allies were obliged again to concede ground at many points. Besides Von Boehm's and Von Below's troops were engaged. Of Von Witt's troops were engaged. These especially trained units had participated in the fierce rush on the Chemin-des-Dames, and had since been reconstituted. A great number of light machine guns were employed by the enemy as well as a large fleet of tanks, and much heavy and light artillery, while the German aviators were extremely active. From the plain towards Juvin-court, Ville aux Bois, Bontevant, and Berry au Bac, numerous tanks came into action. For a considerable time the thin Allied line held out, but as the enemy debouched again after wave the French and British, almost submerged, fell back slowly, getting across the river. Several British officers afterwards sacrificed their lives in destroying the bridges. Almost simultaneously the overpowering enemy forces made their way to the top of the Chemin-des-Dames ridge and also to the west end of this road in the neighborhood of Chavignon on Malmaison, and the troops holding these points were obliged to recede. The Allied movement to the rear was executed with the greatest precision; there was no disorder and all the units kept in constant liaison. Further east other British divisions amalgamated with the French Colonial troops held fast, and are still firmly sticking to their positions, although they have been compelled to rearrange part of their front in order to keep alignment with their retreating comrades. In the direction of Soissons a readjustment of the front line also became necessary in consequence of the falling back of the centre where the Germans were pushing hardest. The fighting has been continuous for two days through a country composed of a series of chalky plateaus with winding valleys, whose slopes are half clothed, with trees and containing many caverns. Along the top of one of the principal ridges runs the famous Chemin-des-Dames, from which valleys spread radiating towards the front. The Allied possession of this ridge compromised the security of the German southern flank. The enemy's torrent of divisions rolling forward found only the thinnest line of Allied troops facing the advance. These fell back before the irresistible pressure, but struggling valiantly. The torrent moved forward because even stronger, as the enemy added new forces to it. Even the Aisne didn't stop its rush. The Germans followed the Allies across the river and at the same time spread along the sides, the Allies having decided that it was useless to sacrifice men in efforts to hold those positions with too few defenders. The southern slopes of the Aisne valley offered good ground to the Allies, and stand, had they been in sufficient forces, but the Germans were in immensely superior numbers and the Allied commanders chose to retire to the plateau beyond, and thus give an opportunity for the reserves to concentrate. It is probable before the retreating German torrent weakens that further territory will fall into the hands of the enemy. That, however, in the opinion of French officers will not affect the strength of the Allied forces, which retain their striking power for the future. The French and British kept in the closest touch throughout the battle working together as a single unit. The spirit of comradeship was touching. Both in the ranks and along the roads the Allied troops of whatever nationality, in spite of their lost positions, confidence is great that the desperate effort of the Germans will not succeed in inflicting more than a glancing blow on the Allied forces, and that the present situation is only temporary.

GALLANTRY OF THE BRITISH DIVISIONS.

FRENCH ARMY HEADQUARTERS, May 29. (Via Reuters.)—A magnificent role was played by British divisions in the first two days of the fighting on the Aisne. We had four British divisions which held the front from Craonne to Berniercourt. On the right the twenty-first division had liaison with a French division, our left consisting of the fifteenth territorial division, was in touch with the French holding the Chemin-des-Dames. The weight of the German attack on our sector fell on the 50th division, which had the worst of a gas bombardment, and sustained the heaviest part of the German infantry attack. The troops bore themselves magnificently and held on until the men were drowned under the German numbers. The same fate overtook a French division on the crest on the right, and retirement to the second line became inevitable. A gallant attempt by the 50th division to recapture Craonne was defeated chiefly through machine gun fire and German tanks attacking on the right flank. The enemy used tanks in greater number than he has ever done before. Finally the 50th division fell back to the general retreat to the river, keeping in touch with the French on the left. On the right sector our twenty-first and French divisions withstood the assault like rocks. The Germans attacked in proportion of two to one, but were unable to progress. It was along the Chemin-des-Dames, where the density of the attack was greater that the Anglo-French line was submerged. The twenty-third British division and the French, after beating off a fantastic number of attacks, held last night almost integrally the ground on which the battle was begun. Battalion sent up as support to them and units of this division are now fighting with the French in close amalgamation.

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