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1 Set Iron Bars.

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16 Window Trays.

100 Small Tin Candy Trays.

12 Large Candy Trays.

1 Water Hose.

2 Large Marble Slabs.

1 Candy Plate Warmer.

1 Candy Thermometer.

1 Show Case.

50 Wooden Trays.

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WANTED—Two Maids; apply MRS. SHARPE, 27 Queen's Road. dec22.21

WANTED—A Smart Boy; good wages; apply T. J. DULLEY & CO., Water Street. dec20. t.

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WANTED—Maid; good wages; apply immediately to MRS. R. SIMMS, 38 Victoria St. dec12. t.

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# The Romance OF A Marriage.

CHAPTER VI.

"You are very kind," says Sir Herrick, "but—"

"Oh, come; we can't take any refusal," says Mr. Palmer, with an oleaginous smile. "Can't, indeed. You must make the Court your 'headquarters. Come up and have luncheon with us. Take us as we are, Sir Herrick. If we'd known you'd been coming we'd have had a decent spread; but you must take pot-uck, you know."

"But we have had our lunch," says Sir Herrick.

Mr. Palmer looks round with an air of disappointment; but seeing no trace of a picnic basket, brightens up again.

"Oh, a mere sandwich!" he says. "That's nothing! Come, Miss Paula, persuade your friend to join our 'umble meal."

Paula looks up with a smile at the handsome face, and the smile says so plainly, "Go. It will be more fun," that Sir Herrick inclines his head, and, smothering a sigh, says:

"Thanks, I shall be very glad, if Miss Paula doesn't mind. It wasn't much of a lunch, was it?"

Paula shakes her head.

"That's right," says Mr. Palmer, trying to slap Sir Herrick on the back; but aiming short, and nearly losing his balance. "Come along, young people. Stancy, just run on ahead, will you, and tell them Sir Herrick Powis is going to join us!"

Stancy de Palmer colours, and looks rather sullen; but there is nothing for it but to obey; and sticking his eye-glass in his eye, and trying to look as dignified as he can under the circumstances, he sets off.

Sir Herrick stands for a moment watching the erstwhile languid figure scudding across the meadows in the many-coloured knickerbocker suit, then he bends down with a smile and picks up his basket.

"Allow me," says Mr. Palmer, obsequiously. "Let me carry something. I've got empty 'ands."

But Sir Herrick slings his basket over his shoulder and picks up his rod with a polite "No, thanks." Then he looks at the stream and the sky rather longingly, and sets off beside the sugar-baker. Once he turns to glance at Paula, almost bosochtingly asking for permission to back out of it; but Paula carefully evades his glance, and, with a sigh, he walks on beside Mr. Palmer.

Paula walks behind with the gentle daughter of the house, and for a few minutes they are silent; but as the other two step out of hearing, May says in a low voice:

"Oh, Paula!"

"What's the matter?" says Paula, her dark eyes twinkling.

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"Oh, it is dreadful!" says May.

"Is it?" remarked Paula. "How?"

"Oh, I'm sure you understand!" says the sugar-baker's daughter. "To think that papa and Stancy should talk to him as they did."

"Oh, he didn't mind it," says Paula, carelessly. "I think he enjoyed it. You see, he was taking a rise out of them."

May lifts her blue eyes, gentle and innocent as a child's, to the darkly beautiful face above her.

"But, Paula!"

"Well?"

"Don't you see what I mean? To think that he should be a Powis, and that his people owned all this, and that he should be insulted because he happened to be fishing here on what would have been his own land."

"My dear," says Paula, calmly, "he doesn't mind in the slightest; he doesn't mind anything. He'd-ho'd come on his grandmother's tomb."

"Oh, Paula!"

Paula laughed.

"It would, indeed. He is the picture of calm self-possession. Oh! but wasn't it delightful the way in which he met your brother!" and she laughs. "I beg your pardon, my dear; but if you had been behind that stump, and heard it all, and every all the while who he was, you'd have enjoyed it as much as I did."

"And all this once belonged to his people," says May, looking round at the fine stretching meadows and the Court that rises grandly before her.

"Yes," says Paula, with a curious intonation. "But he doesn't care. You'll see, he'll take everything as coolly as if he had never heard of the Court before."

"And how long have you known him, Paula?" asks May.

Paula colours and hesitates a moment.

"Not long," she says, feeling guilty.

"He came to the cottage to see Bob about the fishing, and Bob being busy, ordered me to accompany him. You know Bob?"

It was a simple question, but somehow it brings a blush to the gentle face.

"I'm sure, Bob—your brother—would do 'at as right."

"Oh, of course," says Paula, with gentle sarcasm. "Bob, like the king, can do no wrong. But come on; I

want to see how he enters the Court. Just think! It belonged to his people for ages, ever since it was built. And he is going back to it—you know he was born there!"

"No," murmurs May.

"Yes, actually born there; and he's going back to it as a stranger and a guest."

"I don't think it's right," says May, piteously. "I don't think anyone ought to be able to get rid of their inheritance. I mean they ought not to be able to sell it to the first comer; and, Paula—"

"Well?"

"I'm sure that it is of no use such people as ourselves living in a place like Powis Court. We were much happier at Clapton."

"Oh, nonsense!" says Paula, emphatically. "But do walk a little faster. It will be such fun. I want to see him when he goes in."

May quickens the pace, and they catch up the other two as they enter the Court grounds by one of the lodges that stands by a pair of tall, iron gates.

Mr. Palmer is evidently making the most of his opportunity, and, quite forgetful of the fact that his companion was the heir to the place, is enlarging on the improvements he has made.

"There was an old pond here," he says, waving his hand over the spot where Sir Herrick used to fish, with a piece of cotton and a bent pin, in his childhood; "but I filled it in—I don't like ponds about a place; they make it damp. New lodge, Sir Herrick—my own plan."

Sir Herrick stares at the ugly lodge, and nods, with a smile.

"No expense spared," says Mr. Palmer.

mer, using his favourite formula, "Money no object with me, when I set my mind on a thing."

"So I perceive," says Sir Herrick.

"No, Sir Herrick; I know the value of money, but I don't mind spending it when I see it's necessary. Now, when I took the Court—as an offence—"

"Not in the slightest," assents Sir Herrick, pulling out his cigarette-case and glancing round at Paula.

"When I took the Court it was a ramshackled place, very much out of repair, and all to pieces, as one might say."

Sir Herrick nods.

"There's a lot of money to be spent," says I. Well, I spent it. You won't know the place, Sir Herrick."

"Very probably not," says Sir Herrick, drily.

"No, Sir Herrick, I set about making alterations regardless of expense, and I think I've improved it. Look there," and he points a fat, red finger to a mass of red brick-wook which has been added on to one of the wings of the old place—a mass of brick-work which utterly spoils that portion on to which it has been grafted, and is hideous enough to draw tears from the whole Society of Antiquarians.

Sir Herrick looks at it, with a smile.

"There, Sir Herrick," says the sugar-baker, with an air of self-satisfaction. "There's a billiard-room and smoking-room, and a boocoor for the ladies. Oh, I haven't spared any expense, I assure you."

"So I see," says Sir Herrick.

"And I've added a ball-room and a dining-room. I wanted it, you know. There was only the old banquet-hall, as they called it—a barn of a place, hung with old fags and coats-of-arms. Took 'em all down, sir, and had the room papered; there was only a dark, gloomy kind of oak panelling—"

"I remember," says the last of the Powises.

"You do? Ah, well, you'll be surprised. But money, Sir Herrick, money can do anything."

"So it appears," says Sir Herrick; and he adds, mentally, "Even spoil an old place like Powis Court."

"Come, Sir Herrick," says the sugar-baker, "welcome to the Court," and he ascends the old stone steps, up which even a crowned king had stepped; and rings a bell.

Suddenly the door is opened by a footman in gorgeous livery of canary plush, with crimson trimmings; and another makes his appearance, and two stand opposite each other like a guard of honour, and between them Mr. Palmer, the sugar-baker, and Sir Herrick Powis enter.

Paula runs up the steps to be in time to witness the entrance, and stands panting a little, watching the handsome face.

"There, sir," says Mr. Palmer, waving his hand round the "hold all"; "rather different, I think, from what it was. Had it papered and gilded. None of your dismal old oak for me. Rather different, ain't it? Improvement, eh?"

Sir Herrick looks round at the transmogrified hall, shorn of its time-eaten banners, with its black oak hidden beneath a gaudy paper, with its historic furniture replaced by modern tables and chairs. Looks round with an amused smile, with no expression of regret, let him feel what he may; and Paula, watching him closely, and listening with all her ears, hears him say:

"Yes, it is quite different, Mr. Palmer."

And so the last of the Powises enters the old house of his ancestors. (To be continued.)

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Children's Red and White Wool Mitts, made of warm fluffy wool. They come in three sizes; these will make a very useful Xmas gift. Sale Price, 69c. per pair.

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About 40 dozen of Ladies' Fleece Knickers, made of heavy fleece, buttoned at knee. These are extra good value and suitable for present. \$1.58 wear. Sale Price, ea.

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About 20 different assortments, very fancy, just the thing for your house party.  
We guarantee to please the most exacting in Loose Chocolates.

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S.S. "ROSALIND" leaves New York on Dec. 14th, and will leave St. John's on Dec. 23rd.

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A shipment of **Genuine O'Sullivan's Safety Cushion Heels.**

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Women's Sizes, A.B.C., 00000 to 5, to fit Cuban, Louis and Spool Heels.  
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**RAILWAY TRAGEDY.**

**C.P.R. Trains Collide--59 Casualties  
Among Passengers -- New Zealand Elects Massey Govt -- 25 Lives Lost in Marine Disaster -- Cathedral at Edmonton Burned-- Ex-Kaiser Agrees to Conditional Trial.**

**MASSEY SWEEPS NEW ZEALAND.**  
LONDON, Dec. 20. The New Zealand election results are a great surprise. The Reformers have captured 48 seats with a combined opposition of 30. Prohibition seems to have carried. Premier Massey swept the country and Sir Joseph Ward himself failed to secure election. The results follow: Reformers 48, Liberals, 18, Labor 10, Independents 4.

**WHAT THEY OWE.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20. It is impracticable to pay interest with dollars, states U. S. Secretary Glass. Current interest due to the United States from Great Britain, France and Italy is \$475,000,000 yearly.

**SERIOUS COLLISION ON C. P. R.**  
HALIFAX, Dec. 20. Fifteen were killed and thirty-five injured in a head-on collision between a freight train and passenger special near Brownville, Maine, on the line of the Canadian Pacific this morning. The passenger train was filled with third-class passengers from the S. S. Empress of France which arrived at St. John yesterday from France.

**CAUSE OF COLLISION.**  
MONTREAL, Dec. 21. Failure to count the number of C. P. R. passenger special from the liner Empress of France, which docked at St. John, by the engineer of the east-bound freight, was apparently the direct cause of the collision which took place at Onawa on Saturday morning. The freight engineer let three of the passenger special pass him and did not wait for the fourth. This was the ill-fated train, with the third-class passengers from the liner on board which crashed into the freighter.

**RESULT OF COLLISION.**  
ST. JOHN, Dec. 21. The total casualties to-night of the head-on collision of the Empress of France special and freight train yesterday morning at Onawa, are given at twenty-one killed and thirty-eight injured.

**GOVERNMENT FORCED MINERS TO WORK.**  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20. The Government's firmness had forced the miners to resume their work, said Attorney General Palmer in a statement before the Senate Coal Investigation Committee. Several witnesses gave evidence concerning the coal strike and matters relating to the resumption of operations at the mines, and the investigation will be continued on the strength of the information brought out.

**DISTURBANCES AT CAIRO.**  
LONDON, Dec. 20. Incipient disturbances occurred at Cairo Monday and Tuesday, but the police have been successful in preventing disorders. A demonstration at Cairo by 250 students on Monday resulted in the arrest of eleven students who were court-martialed.

**CLUE TO FRENCH'S ASSAILANTS.**  
DUBLIN, Dec. 20. Belief is expressed to-day that evidence has been secured that may result in the arrest of several persons who planned and carried out the attempt to assassinate Viscount French.

**NOT WORRYING ABOUT THREATS.**  
LONDON, Dec. 20. The Irish Secretary, Liam Macpherson, has arranged to go to Ireland but will be strictly guarded. The Daily Mail's Dublin correspondent quotes Lord French as saying recently, "If they want me they will find me doing my duty. I am not going to alter my routine for all the threats in Ireland."

**ANOTHER MARINE DISASTER.**  
BRANDON, Ore., Dec. 20. At least 25 lives were lost when the oil tanker J. A. Chansier, bound in ballast from Portland, Ore., to San Francisco, was wrecked off Cape Blanco, Thursday night, according to the report of Earl Doolley, a member of the crew who was washed ashore from one of the Chansier's lifeboats near here early to-day.

**REMOVING WAR RESTRICTIONS.**  
OTTAWA, Dec. 20. With the first of January, Canada practically comes to a peace basis. War-time restrictions imposed by Order-in-Council under the War Measures Act, with some exceptions, Orders-in-Council terminate at the end of next session of Parliament.

The Orders-in-Council remaining in force include pulp and paper control, coal and sugar control, silver coinage, trading with the enemy, exportation of gold.

**AGREE ON INCREASE.**  
OTTAWA, Dec. 20. After a lengthy conference of operators and miners, the executive of the Dominion Coal Company have agreed on a readjustment and increase of wages involving eighty-one different classifications of work.

**A COSTLY FIRE.**  
EDMONTON, Dec. 21. All Saints Cathedral, one of the oldest churches in Edmonton, was practically destroyed by fire which broke out in the basement this forenoon. The loss is estimated at \$60,000 with insurance \$20,000.

**THE KAISER'S TRIAL.**  
GENEVA, Dec. 20. A despatch from Basle states the former German Emperor has finally agreed to accept trial by the Allies but adds he wants to choose the place and time of trial and desires to be defended by German experts and lawyers. Basle advices say the former Crown Prince declares he will never appear if he is called before a Court of Justice.

**TOWED INTO FAYAL.**  
LONDON, Dec. 20. Word has been received from Fayal, Azores, that the United States Shipping Board steamer Davidson County, has been towed there by the steamer West Lashaway, in need of a new propeller and tail shaft.

**HOLDING AN INQUEST.**  
DUBLIN, Dec. 21. Inquest over the body of Savage, one of the assailants of Viscount French, who was shot, opened this evening at Bossborough police barracks, close to the scene of the attack on the Lord Lieutenant. The inquiry was conducted by Christopher Friery, coroner of North County of Dublin. A force of Constabulary was outside the Court, from which the general public was excluded, only the coroner, reporters and court officials were present. Addressing the jury, the coroner detailed the circumstances, saying French was attacked at the crossroads by a body of men, one of whom was the unfortunate deceased. He proposed to take only formal evidence such as identification of Savage. A grocer named Kirk, testified that Savage was one of his assistants, having been in his employ for two years, and that he lived at the grocer's house and was unmarried. Kirk said the parents of Savage resided at Sligo. The coroner adjourned the enquiry to allow the jury to join him in congratulating Viscount French on his escape.

**THE GERMAN NOTES.**  
PARIS, Dec. 20. The Peace Conference to-day was handed three German notes. The first deals with transportation of troops immediately after the peace treaty goes into effect, the second gives exact details about the German light cruisers undergoing repairs but not being built, and the third announces ratification by the National Assembly of the protocol signed by Karl Von Lesener in September which annuls article 61 of the German constitution.

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Men's Grey Suede Lined Gloves, \$3.75 pr.  
Men's Brown Suede Lined Gloves, \$3.20, \$3.50, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$5.50 pr.  
Men's Brown Kid Gloves—Lined, \$4.50, \$5.50 pr.  
Men's Brown Kid Gloves—Unlined, \$5.00, \$6.50 pr.  
Men's Chamois Suede Gloves—Unlined, washable . . . . . \$3.80 pr.  
Men's Wool Gloves in Heather and Grey, 70c, 85c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.40, \$1.60, \$1.70, \$1.90, \$2.70 pair.  
Men's White Wool Gloves . . . . . \$1.75 pr.  
Men's Black Astrachan Gauntlet Gloves, Kid Palm . . . . . \$4.00 pr.

**Boys' Gloves.**  
Boys' Black Lined Mid Mitts, \$1.45, \$1.50, \$1.80, \$1.90, \$2.00 pair.  
Boys' Brown Lined Suede Gloves, \$2.40, \$2.50, \$2.60, \$2.70, \$2.80, \$2.90 pair.  
Boys' Brown Lined Gloves, . . . . . \$2.80, \$3.00, \$4.00 pair.  
Boys' Brown Unlined Kid Gloves, \$1.80 to \$2.30 pair.  
Boys' Wool Gloves . . . . . 60c. to \$1.40 pair  
Boys' Lined Mule Hide Mitts . \$1.00 pair

**Men's Handkerchiefs.**  
White Lawn . . . . . 15c, 40c, 55c each  
White Linen . . . . . \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.15 each  
White Lawn—Colored border . . . 35c each  
White Excelsa . . . . . 25c, 40c each  
Colored Excelsa . . . . . 30c, 35c each  
Silk—White and Colored, 70c, \$1.75, \$1.95 each.

**Men's Handkerchief Mufflers.**  
Black Silk . . . . . \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.85 each  
Black Cashmere . . . . . \$1.25 each  
Cream Cashmere . . . . . 70c, \$1.25 each  
Colored Cashmere . . . . . \$1.25 each  
White Brocaded . . . . . \$1.00 to \$1.75 each  
Colored Brocaded . . . . . 30c. to \$1.50 each

**Gent's Black and Colored String Ties,** 12c, 20c, 30c, 45c. to 65c. each.  
**Gent's Black and Colored Wide End Ties,** 18c, 45c, 70c, 80c, 95c, \$1.10, \$1.20, \$2.00 each.

**Combination Garter and Arm Band Sets,** 50c. and 90c. set.  
**Gent's Radiolite Wrist Watch—Gun Metal Case,** \$6.50 each.

**Gent's Black Collar Boxes . . . . . 90c. each**  
**Gent's Black Leather Dressing Cases,** \$5.00, \$8.00 each

**Telescope Tobacco Pouches — Black, 70c., \$4.25; Brown, \$3.20, \$3.75; Grey, 70c.**

**Cigarette Cases—Nickel,** 55c., \$1.35, \$3.50, \$4.75

**Gent's Pipes—in case, \$3.00, \$3.10, \$3.20 each.**

**Gent's Wood Pipes—20c., 25c., 30c., 35c. 40c., 60c. to 90c. each**

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Our stock is now complete with the following suitable presents:-  
PIPES, B.B.B. in Cases—Extra quality.  
TOBACCO—Cut and Plug; the best imported.  
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DURING CHRISTMAS OUR STORE WILL REMAIN OPEN UNTIL 11.30 P.M.

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**Thirty-Three Per Cent. in Two Years on your investment absolutely guaranteed.**

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Hundreds of Pianos at 95c to 4.80 each; Piano Stools, Hunter Sets, Trinity Chimes, Target Sets, Sail Boats, Drums; also Beautiful Desk Sets and Kewpie Puffs.

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- NONPAREILS for Cakes . . . . .55c. lb.
- NELSON'S GELATINE . . . . .20c. pkt.
- GINGER WINE ESSENCE—Mason's . . . . .20c. btl.
- GRAPES—Finest Quality . . . . .28c. lb.
- RAISINS—Choice 2 Cr. Muscatels . . . . .25c. lb.
- CURRENTS—Finest Cleaned . . . . .27c. lb.
- CHEESE—Finest Quality . . . . .40c. lb.
- WINES—Gordon Co.'s Port, &c. . . . .80c. btl.
- CUSTARD POWDER—"Bird's" . . . . .15c. pkt.
- EGG POWDERS—"Bird's" . . . . .pkts., 4c.; tins, 16c.
- LEMON CRYSTALS . . . . .23c. per btl.
- PINEAPPLE—Choice Hawaiian, in large & small tins.

We have also

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And a full assortment of NUTS, ORANGES, GRAPE FRUIT and LEMONS at bottom prices.

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### Obituary.

#### JOHN EDGAR PICKAVANT PETERS.

The passing of Mr. J. E. P. Peters removes from our midst one of the most outstanding figures in the commercial and religious life of the community. He was a type of citizenship that makes unflinchingly for betterment and uplift. The guiding principles of his life were evidenced by his sterling integrity, fidelity to duty and ungrudging co-operation in all those things which make for righteousness. The praise and plaudits of his fellows held no attraction for him; and once satisfied that a course of action was right, no influence or power could induce him to swerve a hair's breadth from the path. Mr. Peters was a religious man in the best sense of the word. None was more attentive to the duties of his church, none more appreciative of the privileges of public worship, and none more regular in attendance. He lived his religion as well as practised it, carrying it into the daily and hourly transactions of business life. His word was his bond, and no man held a higher place in the regard, the confidence and esteem of his fellow citizens. Throughout the Methodist Church in Canada and Newfoundland the tidings of his death will bring general sorrow. To Gower St. Church the loss comes with great severity. In the official life of the Church, Mr. Peters had been active for half a century, and the seal of his personality is figuratively stamped on every institution connected with the present building, which, as did its predecessor, destroyed in the fire of 1892, owes so much to his personal influence and faithful stewardship. To keen powers of observation Mr. Peters added a humour, which was as effective as it was spontaneous, giving piquancy to his pithy and concise commentaries on current events in Church and State. For Mr. Peters, death was translation. He passed away in perfect calm and consciousness. Little wonder that when the news was passed from pew to pew in his beloved Gower Street Church yesterday, that the words of the Psalmist sprang to the lips of many—"Mark the perfect man and behold the upright, for the end of that man is peace."

John Edgar Pickavant Peters, namesake of the well-known Methodist Missionary, was born at Carbonear on April 5th, 1839. His father was at that time principal of the Methodist Grammar School, and subsequently became Judge of the District Court at Harbor Grace. At the age of 15 Mr. Peters came to St. John's, entering the business of Messrs. Steer and Ayre. In 1863 he married Miss Rosanna Cole, niece of the Hon. C. R. Ayre, who died shortly after the golden wedding anniversary in 1913. In 1875 the business of Peters, Badcock and Co. was established. When Mr. Badcock died in 1882, Miss Roche, now Mrs. Mitchell, joined the firm, then known as Peters, Roche and Co. The following year Mr. Peters established the well-known commission business with which he has been so long and so honourably identified. He was twice returned as Member of the House of Assembly for Burin District, in 1882 and 1885 respectively. In the former election Sir James Winter was his colleague the district returning one member on each side; in the latter, Mr. Henry W. LeMassurier, C.M.G. Mr. Peters has held almost every office in the gift of his Church, and has represented it year after year in the Newfoundland Annual Conference and on many occasions was elected delegate to the General Conference in Canada. Seven sons, one daughter and several grandchildren survive. Two of the grandsons made the Supreme Sacrifice in the Great War. The daughter is Mrs. Blythe, of Oyster Bay, N.Y., whose husband, the Rev. J. J. Blythe, was for some years resident in this city. Rev. John E. Peters, M.A., stationed at Bartonville, Ont.; Alfred M., Manager of the Bank

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- Spinning Tops . . . . .25c. each
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Picture Books, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20c. and upwards.

- Buster Brown . . . . .35c. each
- Charlie Chaplin . . . . .40c. each
- Bringing Up Father . . . . .40c. each
- Painting Books, 25, 30c., ranging up to \$1.25 each.
- Boys' and Girls' Books, 38, 40, 45, 50, 55, 65c. upwards.

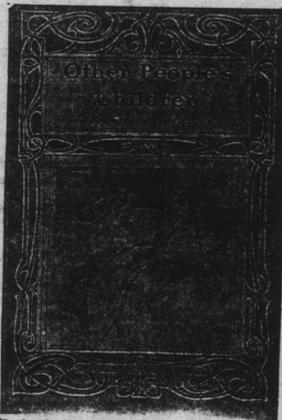
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- Church of England, Prayer and Hymn, A. & M., 55, 70, 90c. up to \$2.70 each.
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Christmas and New Year Cards, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10c. each and up to \$1.80 each.

Package of Cards, 30 and 40c. package.

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Boxes of Cards, 8 and 10 to box, 20c. up to 90c. per box; good value.

Roman Catholic Prayer Books, 9, 16, 30c. up to \$2.40 each.

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Mechanical Toys, 80c., \$1.25, ranging up to \$2.40 each.

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Fire Engines, Ladder Trucks, Skipping Ropes, Swords, Ludo, Rook, Flinch, Fish Pond Lotto, Tiddledy Wink, Snakes and Ladders, Painting Outfits,

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Dolls, all prices, 40, 55, 80, 90c., \$1.00, \$1.20.

Also a few Choice Dolls at \$3.60, \$5.50, \$7.80, \$8.00, \$9.30, \$10.50, \$11.00 and \$12.50 each

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Plain and Fancy Boxed Stationery, packed suitable for gifts, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90c., \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.20 to \$2.50 per box.

Calendars, 6, 10, 14, 16, 20 up to 85c. each.

Pencil Cases, Nice attractive cases, filled, 35, 45, 70, 90c., \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.60, \$2.20 each.

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Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, assorted prices.

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DON'T FEEL IT

A friend of mine has a sister who has three small children. The latter are bright children, but they certainly walk all over their mother. I think I should say "therefore" instead of "but." She tells them that if they do such and such a thing she will send them up stairs to bed. They do it. And then she merely says, "Now don't you do that again."



RUTH CAMERON

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Of course, it shows some advance in self control not to voice one's criticism.

#### There is a Big Difference Between Thinking and Feeling.

But how much better it would be not to feel it. One may think it, of course, for one can hardly help it. But one need not feel it.

The Chinese have a proverb: "The legs of the duck are short." The legs of the crane are long. You cannot make the legs of the duck long. Nor the legs of crane short; "Why worry?" Why, indeed.

#### The One Person We Have to Make Good.

And, of course, you remember Robert Louis Stevenson's reminder in his Christmas sermon, but just to bring it more accurately to your mind, I will close with it.

"There is an idea abroad among moral people that they should make their neighbors good. One person I have to make good; myself. But my duty to my neighbor is much more nearly expressed by saying I have to make him happy,—if I may."

#### Monsterr:

For 15 days in the month of January I was suffering with pains of rheumatism in the foot. I tried all kinds of remedies but nothing did me any good. One person told me about MINARD'S LINIMENT; as soon as I tried it the Saturday night, the next morning I was feeling very good; I tell you this remedy is very good; I could give you a good certificate any time that you would like to have one. If any time I come to hear about any person sick of rheumatism, I could tell them about this remedy.

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### Just Folks by Edsar A. Guest

#### HOME FOR CHRISTMAS.

Home for Christmas! There's a joy For the weary, grown up boy Or the little girl who now Feels the years upon her brow! Home for Christmas! Back once more To the mother at the door And the old hearth with its blaze And those happy yesterdays.

Home for Christmas! There's a thrill For the toiler up the hill, For the truder on the road Heart sick with his heavy load. Home for Christmas! Back to be Once again at mother's knee And to feel her fond caress In that spell of happiness.

Home for Christmas! Girl and lad Going to the kindly dad Who has waited through the year For his loved ones to appear. Home for Christmas! Back again To the simple joys and plain, To the refuge sweet with rest, Where is love made manifest.

Home for Christmas! Oh, that I Could recall the years gone by. And could know once more the bliss Of that glorious welcome kiss. Home for Christmas! Girl and man Claim that gladness while you can. Swift must come those years of pain When you'll long for home in vain.

#### Petrified Forest.

Within the stretch of Arizona's desert lies sixty square miles of petrified forest. There lie preserved for all time fallen tree monarchs, millions of years old, turned to rocks. Mammoth trunks, sometimes five feet in diameter and 50 feet in length; or cracked smoothly into blocks, are transformed into everlasting stone, beautiful in quality and coloring—quartz, agate, chalcedony, jasper and exquisite opal, infinite in the variety of delicate tint and rich shading.

The method of petrification, by which the giant trees became rock, was one of the strange alchemistries of nature. Probably the wash of water from hot mineral springs rich in silica was the cause. The chemical permeating the tissues of the plant, acted as a hardening agent, preserving the original structure and detail of the tree with astonishing perfection of detail.

#### THE WOLF.



GABRIEL D'ANNUNZIO

The wolf it at the door, my friends, the wolf is at the door; by day and night his howl ascends likewise his snarling roar. I might have buckled down to toil and kept the brute away, but such a scheme as that would foil my plans for endless play. Before the war I used to work, and go home tired at night; but now all thoughts of labor irk, there's too much fun in sight. I still have gasoline to burn, I laid in quite a store; and when that's gone perhaps I'll earn the coin to buy some more. For modern man must have his gas, and tires, with one to spare, although his children live on grass and have no shoes to wear. Oh, there are movie shows by night, and jamborees by day, and he's indeed a fearless wight who doesn't romp and play. The wolf is at the door, and I've no mutton in the pot, nor credit at the store. My wife insists the outlook's dark, unless I earn some dimes, but work must never interfere with having bully times. My children clamor for a bone, and weeping wend their ways, but work is something we've outgrown in these enlightened days. The wolf is at the door, I ween, he haunts the old shebang; but I have still some gasoline, so let the wolf go hang.

#### About D'Annunzio.

Gabriel D'Annunzio, the Italian poet, and now the adventurer whose seizure of Fiume, is causing so much disquiet in Southern Europe, is said to possess great originality apart from that shown by his literary works. It is related that at his villa, near Florence, several years ago, he had tamed a little salamander which would get upon the writing table, apparently considering that it belonged to him and his maeter. The salamander was a general pet. Great was the grief of the poet, when it died after several years. By the side of the hearth which the salamander loved so well, D'Annunzio had him buried in a little vault closed by a black slab of marble. To this day the poet is said to carry with him the silver key to the little tomb.

#### Wise Men Say—

"That the first and worst of all frauds is to cheat oneself; all sin is easy after that. Always bear in mind this worthy saying: 'To thine own self be true, and it must follow, as the night the day, that can not then be false to any man.'"

#### Important!

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## Preparedness!! The Xmas Slogan.

A good beginning makes a good ending to Xmas Shopping—shop early.

Days are flying as they always do when the Xmas Season comes around, and when there are so many preparations to make Xmas Eve will be here before you know it.

Fancy Goods are most largely demanded as Xmas Gifts, and in our Fancy Goods Dept., early in the shopping season, you can surely find a suitable gift for every one on your list. How about the following articles? They are only a few chosen at random from our stock.

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#### Strange Diseases.

land was found to be suffering from the strange affection called "alexia." A witness in a recent case in England was able to write and spell perfectly, he could not read. This applied not only to printed matter, but even to what he had written himself. There are several similar diseases. In "aphasia" the patient is unable to explain his thoughts by means of speech. It is a most painful business, for the sufferer tries desperately to talk but never gets hold of one correct word. For instance, if he means to say "How do you do?" he may say, as in an ac-

tual instance, "Throw me out of window." A third form is "agraphia," or inability to write. The sufferer in very often a person who has done a deal of writing, and the blow falls quite suddenly. He can read as well as ever, but when he puts pen on paper he cannot form a single letter, let alone a word or sentence.

Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and as certainly cure you. See a post all dealers, or Edmondson, Hates & Co. Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you enclose this paper and enclose 5c. stamp to pay postage.

#### His Descent.

Sir Thomas MacKenzie, High Commissioner of New Zealand, tells a capital story.

The New Zealand forces contained quite a large number of natives, and one of the dark-skinned warriors waited on Sir Thomas, claiming that he was a Scotsman.

"Why do you claim to be a Scot?" asked Sir Thomas. "Well," replied the Maori, "I've Scottish blood in my veins. My grandfather ate a Scots Presbyterian minister."

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Grape Fruit.	Bird's Egg Powders, 4c.
Dessert Apples.	10 lb. Onions, 60c.
Mesina Lemons.	Nuts in the Shell—all kinds.
Cranberries, 70c. gall.	Shelled Almond & Walnuts.
	Peanuts.

MAPLE BUTTER—16 oz. glasses, for pie filling. Cheaper than Oleo, 40c. glass.  
MOIR'S CHOCOLATES in presentation boxes; also in 1/2's and 1's, Nut and Hard and Assorted.

Skipper Sardines.	California Figs.
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### To-day's Messages.

**PRIMATE CONGRATULATES FRANCE.**  
DUBLIN, Dec. 21.  
A letter from Archbishop Walsh, condemning attempts on the life of Viscount French, was read in all the Catholic churches of Dublin Diocese to-day. Cardinal Logue, Primate of all Ireland, telegraphed Viscount French, congratulating him on his miraculous escape from dastardly attempts.

**HOLLAND DETERMINED.**  
PARIS, Dec. 21.  
The trials of persons accused of war crimes will be held at Paris and Lille in 1920. The court martial at Lille has issued numerous warrants against German officers and soldiers, and a Captain and four Lieutenants, already have been imprisoned in the fort there. A Brussels despatch says it has been learned from an authorized source that Holland is declared to have stated officially she will not deliver up former Emperor William for trial.

### Carbonear Boy Wins Rhodes Scholarship

Congratulations to Mr. William George Guy, of the Methodist College and Mount Allison University, who on Saturday afternoon at Government House was nominated by the Selection Committee as the 1920 Rhodes Scholar for Newfoundland. Present at the awarding meeting were His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Horwood, Chief Justice, Hon. Mr. Justice Kent, Dr. Curtis, Dr. Blackall, Hon. Geo. Shea, Dr. V. P. Burke, Messrs. A. Mews, C.M.G., J. W. Withers and C. P. Ayre. Mr. Guy is a son of Mr. James P. Guy, of Carbonear, and a winner of the Newfoundland Jubilee Scholarship. After taking his B.Sc. degree at Mount Allison University, he accepted a professorship at that institution, where he now is. His fellow-townsmen will appreciate to the full the high honor which has now been conferred upon a Carbonear boy.

### To-Night's Committee Meeting.

A meeting of the Committee of the Liberal Progressive Party will be held in the N. I. W. A. Rooms, Plaindealer Building, at 7.30 o'clock this evening, the purpose being to reorganize for the forthcoming election in St. John's West. At 8.30 the Workingmen's Political Committee will meet, when forces will be united. Addresses will be delivered by Sir Michael Cashin and the members elect for St. John's West and East and others. The team mate of Mr. William Linegar, the Labor Candidate with the Opposition, will probably be nominated at this joint meeting.

By permission of Lieut-Col. R. F. Goodridge, the C.L.B. Band, assisted by several of the leading artists of the city, will hold a GRAND CONCERT in the Methodist College Hall on New Year's Night. Tickets: Reserved Seats, 75c.; on sale at Gray & Goodland's, General admission, 50c.

### McMurdo's Store News.

**MONDAY, Dec. 22.**  
For your elderly friend a Hot Water Bottle—metal or rubber—makes a first rate Christmas gift. We have Hot Water Bottles of several different styles and prices, and will be delighted to let you see them and help you to choose the one most suitable for your purpose.  
Cream of Cucumbers after shaving or used on hands face or lips at night will be found very refreshing, healing yet not too drying, soothing and pleasant. Price 30c. a bottle.

S. S. Avondale is expected to get away for Greenock to-morrow morning.



### A "Kodak" for that Gift!

There's nothing gives more all-the-year-round pleasure. The Camera's just IT when talking Gifts—the Kodak's just IT when talking Cameras. We have Gift Cameras of all grades—of one maker—the Eastman Kodak Co.—All necessities for Camera users—Only a day or two left before Christmas—Pay us your visit to-day.

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### Dreaded to See the Night Come Says Mrs. Streat

**St. John's Woman Declares Tanlac Helped Her More Than All Other Medicines.**

"When I had taken only one bottle of Tanlac I realized it had done me more good than all the other medicines I had ever taken," says Mrs. John Streat, who resides at 27 Le-Marchant Road, St. John's Newfoundland, recently. Continuing, she said: "For two years I suffered something awful with indigestion, and what I ate did not seem to do me any good as gas would form and my heart would palpitate something dreadful, and at times I would simply have to gasp for breath. I became very weak and run down and felt tired all the time, and most of the time was unable to do my housework. I was extremely nervous, and the least little noise out of the ordinary would completely upset me. I dreaded to see night come, as it was almost impossible for me to sleep, and I was so restless I would just roll and toss from one side of the bed to the other all night long. I also had severe headaches and an awful pain in my side all the time."  
"One day I read a statement from a lady who lives in this city, telling of the benefit she had received from taking Tanlac, and as her condition was described as being very similar to mine, I decided to try Tanlac, and I am glad I did, for since taking it I have been entirely relieved of all my troubles. I have regained my strength and am able to do all my own housework, and my nerves are in fine condition. I can sleep all night long as peacefully as a child and always get up in the morning feeling greatly refreshed. I never have the headache now and the pain in my side is completely gone. I take great pleasure in saying a good word for Tanlac, and know it will help any one that is in the condition I was." Mrs. Streat is sold in St. John's by M. Connors, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative; in Harbor Buffett, by Thomas Wakely & Sons; in Placentia by James Murphy & Son, and in Topsail by J. K. Bursell.—adv.

### L. O. A.

**RIISING SUN LODGE ELECTIONS.**  
The members of Rising Sun Lodge held their annual meeting on Tuesday night, 16th inst. After going through the usual order of business the election of officers took place, when the following members were elected to office for the ensuing year:

- W.M.—Robert Sheppard.
- D.M.—Harvey Bray.
- Chaplain—Robert Andrews.
- Sec.—Lorenzo Sheppard.
- Treas.—Jordan Sheppard.
- D. of C.—Albert Wells.
- 1st Lect.—Ernest Shute.
- 2nd Lect.—Duncan Herald.
- 1st Com.—Austin Snow.
- 2nd Com.—James Long.
- 3rd Com.—Henry Pike.
- 4th Com.—Edward Snow.
- 5th Com.—John Parsons.
- O. G.—George Sheppard.
- O. G.—George Dava.

The Society has passed through a very successful year, both numerically and financially. Thirty-five members have been initiated and a considerable amount has been placed to its bank account. The members have decided to have their annual parade and attend Divine Service at the Methodist Church on Saint Stephen's Day, December 26.—Harbor Grace Standard, Dec. 19.

### Schooner Lost.

The Marine and Fisheries Department received a message from Mount St. John's Bay saying that a schooner commanded by Joe Kean had been lost there Saturday and that all the crew were safe. The vessel had left Bay de Verde in the morning with a cargo of fish for St. John's.

**MISSING SCHOONER SAFE.**—Barr's schooner Lowell F. Parks, Capt. Peter Sutton, D.C.M., M.M., C.D.G., which left this port for Marystown two weeks ago, turned up safely at Trepassay at 11 o'clock this morning, all well. Her sails had been carried away and other damage done.

### Obituary.

**MRS. MARY DALY.**  
Mrs. Mary Daly, widow of Robert Daly, passed away at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Capt. J. Jackman, 42 Pleasant St., at the age of 84 years. Three daughters and one brother are left to mourn.

**MRS. J. J. O'BRIEN.**  
Mrs. J. J. O'Brien, wife of Mr. J. J. O'Brien, grocer, passed away at her residence, Job's Street, at 10.30 last night. Although suffering for some weeks her death came unexpectedly. A husband and three sons are left to mourn. The sons are: John, grocer; Michael, grocer; and Gerald, cooper. The funeral takes place from her late home at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow.

**MRS. MARY PARELL.**  
Mrs. Mary Parrell, one of the oldest residents of the West End, died at her home, 388 Water Street, on Saturday afternoon. For two years unable to leave her room she spent the last two months in bed. Following the death of her husband, Patrick Parrell, some twenty years ago, Mrs. Parrell continued to conduct a store at 388 Water Street, opposite Steer Bros., where she made a comfortable living. Her 83th year attained she held her faculties up to a few hours preceding the end and asked for her children. Five sons, one daughter and two sisters are left. The sons are: James, Michael, Patrick and John, of the city, and Thomas, in Boston, Mass. Funeral takes place from her late residence at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow.

### Schr. Rescues Seamen.

The following message was received by the Marine Intelligence Department from the Sub. Collector at Marystown:—  
"Schr. General Byng arrived from St. Pierre on the 19th inst., having on board 4 seamen belonging to schr. Excelsa, lost there recently. The General Byng also rescued 2 men of a small boat, Travers master, of Bruley, 42 miles S. East of Cape Chapeau Rouge. Both men were in an exhausted condition, one being lashed to the mast and the other to the tiller."

### Here and There.

**ROSALIND DUE THIS EVENING.**—S. S. Rosalind is due from Halifax at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

**DELICACIOUS ENQUIRY.**—The Delicacac enquiry will be resumed this evening before Judge Morris.

**GLOVES.**—Here are Gloves for every occasion. Maybe this will solve your gift problem. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

**POLICE COURT.**—A girl of notorious character was before Court on the charge of drunkenness. She advanced the plea that she was to be married shortly and was therefore released.

**Seats for "THE SHAUGHRAUN" Matinee on Christmas Day are selling fast at Kearney's. Did you get yours?—dec22,11**

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Spracklin, Brigus, announce the engagement of their daughter, Susie, to Mr. Loll Hann, of Bell Island. Wedding to take place early in January.—adv.

**Suitable Xmas Presents.** A new lot of FRAMES just received at the Studio of S. H. PARSONS & SONS, corner Water and Prescott Streets.—dec22,31

**AT THE CROSBIE.**—The following guests registered at the ship left Placentia some days ago, Reids Sagona will be sent on the N. W. Coast service from Humbermouth, replacing the lost Ethie. One trip only will be made on this route, the final port of call being, if possible, Flower's Cove.

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**Christmas Day and Christmas Night**—Casino Theatre, under the patronage of H. E. the Governor and Archbishop Roche, "THE SHAUGHRAUN" in five acts; Benefit C.C.C. Have you booked your ticket at Kearney's?—dec22,11

**SACRED CANTATA.**—Last night's rendition of "Bethlehem" at Gower St. Church was heard by a large congregation, both music and singing being of a very high order, the solo being Mrs. F. J. King, Messrs. King, Trapnell, and Wood, Mr. Beresford presiding at the organ. Bethlehem will be repeated on Christmas Day.

**Under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor and His Grace Archbishop Roche, Casino Theatre, Dec. 25th, 26th and 27th, with Matinee on Christmas Afternoon, "CONN THE SHAUGHRAUN" (Benefit C.C.C.) A few good seats left for the show at Kearney's.—dec22,11**



## Christmas Toys For Tags and Coupons only.

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### Shipping Notes.

Messrs. Harvey & Co. have not received any word of the Runa leaving Horta, yet.  
It is expected that the Sabie I. will leave Sydney to-morrow night for here, when her schedule will finish.  
S. S. Canadian Settler has not yet finished discharging her cargo. It is thought she will be ready to sail for Sydney on Thursday.  
J. A. McKee had to put into port this morning to have repairs made to her rudder. She was bound to Lewisporte with coal, but as that port is closed she will go to Clarendville.  
S. S. Sachem is expected to leave Halifax for St. John's on Dec. 27th.  
The Puruss, which people here received no word of the Digby leaving Liverpool. She was scheduled to get away on Saturday.  
Schr. Smuggler, 30 days out from Lisbon, arrived at T. H. Carter & Co. with a cargo of salt and onions.  
Schr. Kinco entered at Wood's Island to load herring for Gloucester by Bay of Islands Fisheries Co.  
S.S. Fire Island, 23 days from Hamburg with a general cargo, and bound to New York, put into port this morning short of coal.

### Coastal Boats.

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S. S. Earl of Devon sails on the Northern route to-morrow morning.  
**GOVERNMENT.**  
S. S. Portia left Cape Broyle at 7.30 this morning.  
S. S. Prospero left Springdale at 2 p.m. on Saturday, coming south. Due to-morrow afternoon.  
**REIDS'**  
Argyle, Clyde, Petrel not reported.  
Dundee left Lewisporte at 1 p.m. yesterday.  
Glencoe arrived at Port aux Basques at 2.30 a.m.  
Home left Three Arm at 12.30 p.m. Saturday, outward.  
Kyle to have left North Sydney yesterday afternoon for Humbermouth.  
Meagle arrived at St. John's at 10.30 a.m. yesterday.  
Sagons leaving Port aux Basques to-day for north to take up Ethie's route.

### DIED.

Passed peacefully away, on the 20th inst., Fred Hurstall, aged 73, leaving a wife to mourn her sad loss. Boston papers please copy. R.I.P.  
At his residence, Gower Street, at 6 a.m. on Sunday, Dec. 21st, John E. P. Peters, in his 81st year; funeral from his late residence at 2.45 p.m. Tuesday.  
At Marcelo, Brazil, Mr. Thomas Murphy, aged 50 years, son of the late Ed. Murphy; leaving a wife, four children, a mother, and two brothers to mourn their sad loss. R. I. P.  
Passed peacefully away, at Pouch Cove, Dec. 10th, after a very short illness, Jane, beloved wife of the late George Vaters, aged 93 years. Leaving 3 brothers, 3 sons, and a large circle of friends to mourn their sad loss. Boston papers please copy.  
On Saturday, after a short illness, Mary, relict of the late Patrick Farrell, in her 83th year, leaving five sons and one daughter to mourn the loss of a loving parent. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 388 Water Street, opposite Steer Bros.  
Passed peacefully away, at her residence, 45 Job Street, last night, at 11 o'clock, after a long illness, Margaret, wife of James J. O'Brien, grocer, leaving three sons to mourn their sad loss. Funeral at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow, Tuesday. Friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice.  
At the General Hospital, on Saturday, at 11.30 p.m., Patrick Tarrant, aged 74 years. He leaves to mourn one daughter in Canada, and two places in the city. Funeral takes place on to-morrow (Tuesday), at 2.30 p.m., at the residence of his sister, Mrs. M. Donovan, 46 Livingstone Street. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend. R.I.P.

### From Cape Race.

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### To All Returned Soldiers and Sailors.

GREETINGS! And my hearty good wishes for a jolly, merry Xmas—for some of us the first one at home in five long years—and may the coming months bring along with them the inestimable blessings of peace, prosperity and contentment to each and every one of you.

I like to think that in whatever part of the island you may be at this season of family-gatherings, good-fellowship and merriment, whether in the far-away frozen north, in and around our capital or in some foreign land, you will gather in little knots, and for a few moments your thoughts will wander back to those days of long ago when the vital question was "Will they let us out of the line for Xmas?"

And you will smoke your pipe, and travel all the way back to the armed Inverness and Naíra, to Gallipoli and its meagre supplies of bully-beef and dog-biscuits; to the little village of Champ-on-Amenote with its wonderfully hospitable people; to prettily situated Fressin where the weather was terribly cold and fuel scarce, and finally to Eildon, Turfless Fife, when the few geese we managed to get were never paid for.

One or two of you may remember how in a certain hot spot, the Brigadier (and his staff) had to wait out the one turkey to be obtained in the place, but some of those d—d sergeants of the Newfoundland Regiment didn't, and how in time the Brigadier forgave but never forgot. Another will recollect the famous occasion when the Co.'s bottle of extra special liqueur brandy arrived on the table quite full when it should have been half empty and the look of bewilderment on his face when he was told that "them fellows out there must have thought it was whiskey and put too much water in the bottle."

And in recalling those incidents, you will give one thought, you soldiers, to the brave fellows who made it possible for us to defend the Empire, who faced the dangers of the seas day in and day out; whose heroic deeds in the presence of the arch-pirates, remained long unchronicled, but will live as long as there are British ships to sail the seven seas, and a British sailor to spin a yarn. We never forgot you "out there" and we never shall. Some day I hope, one or more of you will give me some idea of what you went through; of what the North Sea is like in a nor'easter, and a thousand other things which we naturally knew little of as we gathered round our festive tables and prepared to enjoy ourselves.

So far as we soldiers were concerned, I shall never forget the spirit of good comradeship, the kindly feelings and the desire to please that existed in the Regiment at all times; indeed, but more particularly at Xmas time. Who but noticed the zealous care with which the Q. M. and his staff watched over the precious comforts sent to the front, the folk of the Old Land, the endless pains they took in the preparation of the Xmas dinners and their pride in having everything so plentiful and as well served as possible? Who among the officers did not feel grateful to his batman for the many and unobtrusive attentions he rendered at this season? A bit of evergreen on the special photographs, Xmas cards neatly arrayed on table or mantelpiece; a small, merry, but very much valued present; all of which bespoke the kind heart, and a devotion which could not be too highly praised.

Will the R.S.M. feel conscious, when I tell him I shall always remember his face as he came along a few days before the great occasion, to see whether somehow or other the Sergeants' Mess couldn't be granted permission to have a small amount of "special comfort"; and his smile of pleasure (I don't believe he ever had a doubt about the result of his visit) when permission was granted. And so each and every one of us will, I hope, have some pleasant memory of those wonderful days when amongst the discomforts, hardships and miseries, attendant upon war, each of you strove to be cheerful, to forget he was in a foreign land miles away from his friends, and did his best to brighten his own and his comrades' surroundings and give a homely touch to the too-often miserable billets. And all of us, I trust, are conscious of that indefinable but unbreakable bond which surely and firmly unites in one great and mighty body, all those who heard the cry of the oppressed, and having heeded, conscious of the immense power for good which we have in our hands and determined that this power shall be used in no way but a just and righteous one.

And so, boys, "Dismiss," and may your billets this year be filled with comforts, your rations be ample and varied. "GOOD LUCK." A. E. BERNARD, Lt.-Col., President of the G.W.V.A. St. John's, Dec. 20, 1919.

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### Missing the Point.

(Twillingate Sun.)

Both Government and Opposition papers are discussing the propriety or otherwise of removing Captain Wesley Kean and placing Mr. Field in charge of the Prospero. With the machinations of politicians we have nothing to do. Either side can always quote a precedent from the other, and it seems to be the unflinching motto of politicians that two wrongs make a right.

The point which both sides overlook is that a passenger ship of the size of the Prospero would not be permitted in any other country to sail except under charge of a man with at the very least an "only mate's" certificate.

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Evening Telegram

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Monday, December 22, 1919.

Alcock, Hero!

The untimely death of Capt. Sir John Alcock, K.B.E., D.S.C., removes one of the principal figures from the aeronautical world: one which, perhaps, was the most notable in the science of aviation, and one whose name was famous, as being, in company with Lieut. Sir A. Whitten Brown, K.B.E., the first to conquer the air in a non-stop flight across the Atlantic Ocean from Newfoundland to Ireland. It is but a few months ago since Alcock and Brown were in our midst, making arrangements for the air journey, the successful accomplishment of which brought them both fame and honor. Now Alcock's name is but a memory of great things done, yet a memory that will live for aye, his great feat of the first aerial crossing of the Atlantic being among the wonders of the world. Where others failed Alcock succeeded.

The news of his death in France, on Friday, came as a shock to the people of St. John's. They had remembered and appreciated the strong, quiet, but nevertheless affable and obliging aviator, whose engaging personality made for himself hosts of friends during his brief stay. Newfoundlanders, too, were among the first to applaud his aerial conquest, and to tender him congratulations on having achieved the almost impossible, and Newfoundlanders will not be the last to tender their sincere sympathies to the relatives and friends of the latest tragedy of the air. The brave, whether their deeds are performed on land, sea or in air, never fail to command respect and admiration, and if death seeks them out in the performance of their duties, we shed a tear for their loss and emblazon their names on the scroll of honor, and write them in our hearts. "The paths of glory lead but to the grave," wrote the poet Gray. In Alcock's case, not the glory of battle, but the far transcending glory of science led him to a premature end, but his deeds do follow him. Intrepid, daring, and skilful the conqueror of the unknown spaces of the air unfortunately met the fate that has come to many an airman. Something about his machine was not quite right; some little thing had been overlooked and left undone at the tuning up preliminaries, and because of that, or because of some, it may be, atmospheric disturbance in his immediate vicinity, John Alcock, Hero, crashed to earth and died shortly afterwards from injuries received in the fall.

His pilot on the transatlantic flight, Lieut. Sir A. W. Brown, characterized the death of Alcock as a true sacrifice for the sake of humanity. What nobler epithet could be written. That sacrifice was made in endeavoring to perfect aerial navigation in the interests of the world and the world's trade, that humanity might benefit. But it was not fated that the pioneer of the long flight should carry his plans to fruition. The great

spaces will never more be penetrated by John Alcock. The air which he had overcome, for a time, claimed him as a sacrifice for itself, and in his death as a martyr of science in the sacred cause of humanity, he stands pre-eminently first among equals, and the world will lament his early passing.

Cold Weather Across Country.

A N. W. gale with blinding snow and intense frost raged along the West Coast from early Saturday until last night. At Bishop's Falls the thermometer registered 22 below, and at Lewisporte it was down to 16 during Saturday morning. In the afternoon it became mild and rain fell. Yesterday morning it again changed and the mercury went well below zero. Last night a regular hurricane with snow, raged west from Bishop's Falls.

Harbors Frozen Over.

Humbermouth has frozen over during the last few days and the S. S. Princess, with a part cargo of freight from Halifax, was not able to force an entrance, and it is probable that her freight will have to be landed at Port aux Basques. Lewisport has also frozen over and it is unlikely that the coastal steamers will be able to call there again this season.

Holy Name Society Meeting.

The Holy Name Society attended Benediction in the Cathedral yesterday afternoon. The spiritual director, Rev. Dr. Green, preached an appropriate sermon on the proper celebration of the Christmas festival. After the service the regular monthly meeting was held in the society's rooms. Next month the annual meeting will be held, when officers for the ensuing year will be nominated.

Fine Ice at Rink.

Skating enthusiasts will be able to enjoy their pastime at the Prince's Rink on Christmas Day, if a mild spurt does not set in between now and then. There is a five-inch sheet of ice there now, and as the frosty spurt lasts this thickness will increase. Last evening, at nine o'clock, there was a three-inch sheet, and this was flooded every two hours. The rink was first flooded on Friday afternoon at six o'clock, the floor by having been covered with one-inch roofing material. It took seventy-nine rolls of this material to cover the floor, there being some four hundred square feet in each roll. The floor at the upper end was broken through by the monster trucks of the Peace Parade, and these holes had to be patched up. Even then it was found to leak, and the rubberoid had to be laid. Mr. Bulley, the rink manager, states that the place will be open to skaters for Xmas Day, and books of tickets were placed at different stores to-day for disposal. On opening day the full C.C. Band will be present, while for the duration of the season the same band will attend every night and three afternoons a week. The big orchestra has become out of order, and an expert will arrive shortly from Halifax to repair it. Last year the Prince's did not open until the seventeenth of January, and but fifteen days of skating were enjoyed. It looks as if many more will be available this season.

A Plea for the Clerks.

I ain't much good, 'tis true, at rhymin', to sing of brooks that babble free, nor can I paint a glowing sunset to cheer the heart of you and me; on holly-leaves I am no stunner, I leave those themes to our D.C., but let me whisper low and softly—Go do your shopping before tea. Go buy your sweets for the children ere the dark shades of evening fall, go buy your clothes and cream of tartar, ere dawn the window blinds we haul; that fur-lined cloak for Mary Agnes, select before the joy bells ring, and show the clerk behind the counter that Xmas-Joy is a real thing. There's nothing so exasperating as fifteen women strolling in to buy a goose, or dancing-master, or automobile made of tin, at half-past nine on Eve of Xmas, such twacks as these make Xmas blue, such pests as these deserve the treatment so well prescribed by Everett True. So do your shopping in the morning; we'll treat you right, just, there and then; at night-time in the family circle, sing Peace on Earth Good Will to men. —Tim Shannahan.

Dr. Bond Preaches Eloquent Sermon.

BOUNDLY SCORES WEAKNESS OF PRESENT-DAY FAMILY LIFE.

Rev. Dr. Bond, pastor of Cochrans Street Centennial Church, preached one of his well-known vigorous, eloquent sermons at last evening's service. Taking as his text the nineteenth verse of the eighteenth chapter of the Book of Genesis: "For I know him (Abraham), that he will command his children and his household after him and they shall keep the way of the Lord and justice and judgment," the Doctor, for a period of half an hour or so gripped his auditors with his impressive words, and his penetrating insight into the human mind, to every heart within the beautiful building. "God knew his man," said he, "when he said that of Abraham. God knew that he could trust him to do this thing. What a multitude of people which cannot be trusted and relied upon by God there is in the world to-day! God knew the importance of the family and the household, and how that a man's household and family make up the greatest and most important thing a man possesses. Not his business, be it ever so prosperous; not his political standing, nor his money nor all of them together—but it is his wife and children which is his most valuable possession. This is the most important untive government. As the family goes the community goes. As the country goes the country goes. As the nation goes the nation goes. The foundations of national greatness and glory are laid in the homes of the people." The matter of wealth or poverty makes no difference. The home is the very centre of affection and influence of the man and the woman. It is a little kingdom where the man is king and the woman queen. It is here that the habits of mind and body which will govern them in future life are inculcated in the child. "In the homes are the foundations of national greatness laid," and they can be laid nowhere else. Nothing can compare in value with children. The biggest task in life a man has is the ordering of his household and the management of his family. He is the author of that family. Not the creator but the pro-creator. His is a great responsibility. "As a man is so is his family; as he goes the family will go." If he is indifferent to the claims of God the family will be the same. In this city the rule of "like parent like child" applies with terrible force. God does not know of most men and women in St. John's that they will "Command their family and household after Him." Someone has said that if you want to improve a man you must begin with his grandfather. That is largely so. It goes down the line. Traits of character are inherited. "It is God's desire that the home be the spot on earth most like Heaven. This should be the happiest, freest, loveliest place in the world. But there is no heaven without authority on the one hand and obedience on the other. Heaven is heaven not from its position. Heaven is where God dwells. There can be no Heaven here or hereafter without authority and obedience. Many parents do not realize this. They do not insist on obedience. It is an easy matter for one to tell by the action and behavior of children how they have been trained—if at all—at home. It is all 'often the rule here in St. John's, that children may do as they like, go where they like and say what they like. "I can do nothing with them," is a cry often heard. The man who confesses to this has no right to be a father. He neglects the first law of Heaven and his home is not a heaven. "It is easy to see, therefore, what an all-important factor in all civic national and international life the family is. Every man is the pro-creator of a family which stretches away down the ages as long as the world lasts. You and your habits of thought and body are going to greatly influence that family. From Abraham sprang a great and powerful race. For centuries it prospered and thrived. When it forgot God's laws, however, it fell apart and was scattered over the face of the globe and its units became the despised of man. If the family life of the British nation deteriorates the fate of the Jewish nation can overtake it. "There are too many in this country who are not making an effort to govern the household for God's service. The scene presented by the city streets night after night is eloquent of this neglect. The night after night, moving picture houses are more proof of the inefficiency of our city homes. Not the children but the parents must be blamed. If the home is not made a cheerful, happy, interesting place in which to be, it is natural that the child does not desire to remain there. For this reason it is the duty of every parent to make his home such and then make the undeviated rule that their children are to remain indoors at night. This does not mean that they are to spend the night in study. "Streets, movie-shows, parks and other places of amusement are destroying the very foundations of home life. They are proving themselves the deadly enemies of home, school and church. This is a terribly important matter. The thing is on the increase and I do not know—I cannot think—what is to be the end. "Let me beg of you—fathers and mothers—to take the subject to heart. Take your children off the street. Make your home what it should be. Keep your children indoors at night. Let God be able to say of you, as he said of Abraham, 'I know him, that he will command his children and his household after him and they shall keep the way of the Lord.'"

One of the first things every visitor does when he reaches London is to buy an Aquascutum. It is next in importance to Westminster Abbey and the Tower; and it is a greater Coat this year than ever before, more alluring in the felicity of its line, more engaging in the felicity of its colourings, all the characteristic English case in the one, all the heather hues of moorland and highland in the other. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD., Sole Agents for Nfld.

T. A. & B. S. Meeting.

The T. A. and B. Society held a special meeting yesterday to appoint the Guardians of the Juvenile branch for the ensuing year. The selection was: John J. O'Toole, Thomas Walsh, M. A. Walsh, J. Jackman, John Fowler, G. Wells, Jas Kavanagh, Thomas Doherty, James Reardon, John J. Walsh, Honorary Guardians, Jas J. Ciancy, J. J. Norris, M. J. Tobin. Following the appointment of Guardians, the latter met for election of officers, which resulted as follows:— Chairman—Mr. J. J. O'Toole. Vice-Chairman—G. W. Wells. Treas.—T. J. Walsh. Secty.—M. A. Walsh. A meeting will be held at an early date to arrange for the annual treat to the boys.

Meigle's Stormy Passage

S.S. Meigle, Capt. Cross, had a very stormy passage from Sydney, and during Saturday and Sunday morning she was obliged to heave to under the lee of Cape Pine. A blinding snow storm with intense frost was experienced but by careful navigation the ship came through without mishap. She arrived in port yesterday morning at 10.30, being 76 hours on the run.

You'll find useful things at this store: gifts that men really appreciate. Our label on any article of men's wear denotes quality and excellence to men of good taste; to give such merchandise is a compliment to your judgment. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

When you want Sausages, why get ELLIS'; they're the best.

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Aids to Beauty.

Dainty Toilet Requisites!

- PERFUMES—Rose, Lily of the Valley, Lilac, Florina, Rose, Carnation, Jockey Club. CREAMS—Vanishing and Cold Cream, Witch Hazel and Almond Cream. SHAMPOO LIQUID OLIVE SOAP. TOILET WATER—Lily of the Valley, Lilac, Sylvan and Rose. NAIL WHITE CUTICLE REMOVER. NAIL POLISHING POMADE. FLEXIBLE EMERY NAIL BOARDS. TOOTH PASTE. TOOTH POWDER. BATH POWDER. BATH SALT. SMELLING SALTS. LIP STICK—Rose and Dark. ROUGE—Cake form, in Gold Metal Case, with Puff. ROUGE and COMPLEXION POWDER—Cake form, in Gold Metal Case with Puff. WHITE FLESH & RACHEL FACE POWDER, in Bottles and Boxes—Rose and Bouquet. BOX CONTAINING Toilet Talcum, Cold Cream, Toilet Water, Face Powder, Nail Polishing Stone, and Complexion Powder, in Metal Case.

Travellers' Companion.

- FOR MEN—Box containing Toilet Water, Talcum Powder, Soap and Shaving Powder. BOX CONTAINING Face Powder, Nail Polishing Stone, Rouge Sticks, Flexible Emery, Nail Boards. BOCKLETS OF POWDERED PAPER. CANTHARIDINE HAIR WASH.

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Acknowledgment.

Mrs. Gosling wishes to acknowledge with many thanks, the following contributions to the Christmas treat for the Church of England Orphanage: Mrs. Gilbert Shiers, \$2.00. A Friend, \$5.00. Walter B. Clouston, Esq., \$5.00. E. D. Spurrell, Esq., \$5.00. Hon. Tasker Cook, \$10.00. A. J. Harvey, Esq., \$5.00. Mrs. John Harvey, \$5.00. A. W. Kennedy, Esq., \$5.00. Mrs. Richard Goodridge, \$1.00.

Stafford's ESSENCE OF GINGER WINE.

20c. a bottle—dec20,19

To the Soda Fountain Trade.

I had one year's experience conducting a Soda Fountain business and the result has been, at least, that I know the trials and tribulations of a Soda Fountain proprietor. One of the worst of these trials is the difficulty of getting Fruits and Syrups in town. Affable drummers blow in once or twice a year and book your requirements for Fruits and Syrups, and do you get what you ordered? Not by a darn sight! You get a Bill of Lading calling for so many boxes of Fruits and Syrups, you pass your entries, pay your freight and go down to get your goods, and what do you get? You get boxes of broken glass and sticky muck, jars with the covers off, tins that have come unsoldered, and about one jar in five not damaged. Sure, the shippers pay your claims, but what's the use of that when your customers are clamoring for "Peach Blow Sundae" and the nearest thing you can give them is Lemon Phosphate and a tale of woe about all the "Peach Blow" being broken en route. I propose, being now in a position to devote by entire time to the agency business, to do away with all the above sort of thing. I have obtained the agency for

The Liquid Carbonic Co., Ltd.

Manufacturers of "So-dalicious" Fruits and Syrups, Soda Fountains and Ice Cream Parlor Supplies of all sorts. I propose carrying in St. John's a complete stock of Syrups and Fruits and I shall be glad to supply these to the trade in quantities as required. Think what this means: You buy the goods and pay for them as you use them, having no big drafts to meet before the season is well advanced. You get what you order and not a collection of broken glass and Credit Notes. You get Fruits and Syrups as good as any imported and at as cheap a price as you can import them yourselves. My first shipment, due early next month, comprises:—

- FRUITS: CRUSHED STRAWBERRY, CRUSHED RASPBERRY, CRUSHED PINEAPPLE, MARASCHINO CHERRIES, CRUSHED APRICOT, SHREDDED FIGS, CRUSHED PEACH, BUTTERSCOTCH FRAPPE, SLICED PEACH, ALL NUT SUNDAE, PECAN HALVES, WALNUT HALVES, CARAMEL FRAPPE, CHOCOLATE FUDGE, COCOA PASTE. SYRUPS: PINEAPPLE, RASPBERRY, ROOT BEER, SARSAPARILLA, STRAWBERRY, VANILLA. RED CHERRY, COCOA, COFFEE, LEMON, ORANGEADE, ORANGE, MAPLE.

Soda Fountain Sundries.

CONES.

I have also been appointed Sole Agent for The Consolidated Wafer Co., Ltd., Manufacturer of Ice Cream Cones, and have just received a shipment of 50,000 "Dandy Crisp" Cones which I am offering at 75c. per hundred, or \$7.30 per thousand, delivered.

PAPER CUPS, PAPER DISHES AND PAPER SPOONS.

I have also obtained agencies for these goods and will have same in stock before the opening of next season. These paper goods have the advantages of being sanitary and of doing away with all washing and breakage and are a boon to the Soda Fountain Soft Drinks trade. They are now used exclusively in the United States and Canada.

I should like to call the attention of persons getting up dances and other entertainments to the fact that I will shortly have these paper goods in stock. They save all the worry, breakage and loss and about three quarters the expense of hiring glass and silverware. Samples of these goods gladly to anyone interested just as soon as shipments arrive.

P. E. OUTERBRIDGE,

SODA FOUNTAIN AND SOFT DRINK SPECIALTIES, KING'S ROAD (corner Gower Street.) TELEPHONE 60. oct27,m,t

Announcement.

I wish to announce to my patients and the public that I have moved into my new Optical Office on Duckworth Street, No. 336, opposite Beck's Cove steps, and just a little east of the Majestic Theatre. It's easy to find my office, because it's between the Daily News Office and Holloway Studio.

If you have decided to have your eyes attended to, and you haven't much time to spare, call and see me and you will be attended to immediately. My time is given exclusively to the examining of eyes and the fitting of glasses. I have no other business or agencies to delay me or you when you call to see me about your eyes. If you are too busy to call during the day time, you will find me at the office between 7-8 every evening. If you are an invalid or unable to come to the office I will keep appointments to visit you at your home. (I am in a position to serve you whenever you call.) This is of especial advantage to outport people who have no time for delays when in town. There should be no excuse now for neglecting your eyes. My office is easy to find and is well equipped to give you the necessary eye service.

HARRY B. THOMSON, Opt. D., 336 Duckworth Street, Near Beck's Cove.

P.S.—Christmas is the time for giving and receiving. Perhaps your aged parents should have their eyes examined. Think how they would appreciate being able to read and see with comfort you call to see me about your eyes. My time is given exclusively to fitting glasses for them this Xmas? dec20,22,24. Grove's O-Pen-Trate Salve. Opens the Pores and Penetrates the Skin. Its Stimulating, Soothing and Healing Effect soon relieves Croup, Colds, Head Colds, Colds in the Back, Spasmodic Croup, and any congestion, inflammation, or pains caused from Colds, 35c. per box. If your druggist hasn't any, send 35c. in postage stamps to Paris Medicine Company, 193 Spadina Ave., Toronto, and a full-size box will be mailed to you promptly.

SHORTEST DAY OF YEAR.—To-day the sun's declination south of the Equator is at its greatest, being 23 degrees, 26 minutes, and 50 seconds at apparent noon, Greenwich time. This marks the shortest day of the year. NOTE OF THANKS.—The Executive Committee of the Jensen Camp wish to thank Sir Joseph Outerbridge for his very kind offer of a sleigh for the Jensen Camp; also Miss Mary Outerbridge for \$30.00 for Xmas gifts.—adv.

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- TEA COSEY PADS—Covered with various shades, each. Sale Price... TRAVELLERS' COMPANION Cream, Toilet Powder and women, or the above with instead of Cold Cream, most suitable for gift giving. Sale Price... SOAP AND TALCUM POWDER for gift giving; boxes of extra quality fine, containing same perfumes. Regular Price... SAVONIA SATINEUSE SOAP—Its quality benefits complexion. Its use is simple. Three cakes to box. Regular Sale Price... LACE AND INSERTION TOWELS—Handsome, durable, able washing quality. Regular Sale Price... DUCHESSE SETS—Nicely made thread lace. Regular \$1.25. Price... WHITE EMBROIDERED TOWELS—hand-worked border, medium size. Reg. \$1.60. OPENWORK AND EMBROIDERED—extra quality fine, containing hemstitched hem. Regular Sale Price... OVAL DOILIES—Edged with size 12 x 16 inches. Regular Sale Price... INFANTS' WADDLED SILK and Pink, stitched in size. Reg. \$5.00 each. INFANTS' FIBERDOWN BOOTS to match. Regular Sale Price...

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# Christmas Money - Saving Sales

## FRI., SAT., MON., TUES. AND WEDNESDAY

We have completed plans to serve on the above days the greatest number of Holiday Shoppers that were ever before attended to in five days at this store.

The displays of Christmas Goods are beyond all comparison the most attractive we've ever had. Our Stores are literally overflowing with holiday hints in all sorts of goods.

Extra attendants will be called from the wholesale departments, so that the greatest possible number will be served to satisfaction. With all this we can scarcely hope to meet the requirements of the afternoons' and nights' rush.

**WE HOPE AS MANY AS CAN WILL SHOP IN THE MORNINGS**

Spend Your Xmas Club Check Here.



**It will bring Happiness to All**

- TEA COSEY PADS—Covered with plain colored sateen; various shades. Reg. \$1.20 each. Sale Price **\$1.10**
- TRAVELLERS' COMPANIONS—Soap, Cold Cream, Toilet Powder and Toilet Water for women, or the above with Shaving Powder instead of Cold Cream for men; nicely cased, suitable for gift giving. Reg. 55c. the case. Sale Price **48c.**
- SOAP AND TALCUM POWDER—Suitably boxed for gift giving; boxes contain 2 cakes Soap and medium size tin of Talcum Powder of same perfumes. Regular 55c. Sale Price **48c.**
- SAVON LA SAINTEUSE SOAP—No other soap will be found so beneficial to the skin and complexion. Its use is strongly recommended. Three cakes to box. Reg. 90c. box. Sale Price **82c.**
- LACE AND INSERTION TRIMMED SIDEBORD CLOTHS—Handsome designs, and good, durable washing quality. Reg. \$1.65 ea. Sale Price **\$1.40**
- DUCHESS SETS—Nicely bordered with coarse thread lace. Regular \$1.25 set. Sale Price **\$1.05**
- WHITE EMBROIDERED TRAY CLOTHS—With hand-worked border and centre; medium size. Reg. \$1.60 ea. S. Price **\$1.40**
- OPENWORK AND EMBROIDERED TEA CLOTHS—Extra quality fine cotton; finished with hemstitched hem. Reg. \$2.20 each. Sale Price **\$1.90**
- OVAL DOILIES—Edged with stout cotton lace; size 12 x 16 inches. Reg. 55c. each. Sale Price **45c.**
- INFANTS' WADDED SILK QUILTS—Pale Blue and Pink, stitched in panels; cot size. Reg. \$5.00 each. Sale Price **\$4.40**
- INFANTS' EIDERDOWN BATH SETS—Robe and Booties to match. Reg. \$2.75 set. Sale Price **\$2.48**

- INFANTS' CREAM CASHMERE DRESSES—Neck and cuffs nicely finished with val. lace, hand embroidered yoke in self color, and hemstitched front; most desirable for holiday wear. Regular \$4.00 each. Sale **\$3.40**
- CHILDREN'S WHITE CAMBRIC PINAFORES—A host of pretty styles; all new and desirable. Regular \$1.00 each. Sale **85c.**
- CHILDREN'S IMITATION LAMBSKIN COATS—Made in a beautiful new style with wide belt, deep, turned up cuffs, belt straps and large pearl buttons trimming; sizes 2 to 5 years. Reg. \$16.25 each. Sale Price **\$14.00**
- INFANTS' WADDED SILK DRESSING ROBES—Warm, light-weight garments, daintily trimmed with silk embroidery in beautifully blended colors. Reg. \$5.00 each. Sale Price **\$4.38**
- SILK FLAGS—Suitable for cushion tops or interior decorating; edged with white silk fringe; size 20 x 20 inches. Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price **\$1.60**
- HEMSTITCHED DAMASK BREAKFAST CLOTHS—In various designs; imitation hem; size 45 x 45 inches. Regular \$2.50 each. Sale Price **\$2.20**
- WHITE DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS—Extra close quality, in some of the prettiest designs we have ever shown; size 2 x 2 yards. Reg. \$4.75 each. Sale Price **\$4.10**
- PLAIN COTTON PILLOW CASES—Size 40 x 33 inches; soft and durable. Reg. 65c. each. Sale Price **55c.**
- FRILLED CRASH CUSHION COVERS—Em-broidered in colors with designs edged with chain stitching. Regular \$1.85 each. Sale Price **\$1.60**
- CREAM COTTON CUSHION COVERS—Frimled and beautifully designed in colors. Reg. \$1.75 each. Sale Price **\$1.50**
- CHRISTMAS ELECTRIC LIGHT SHADES—Assorted floral designs. Reg. 15c. ea. Sale Price **12c.**
- "KID-GLAZED" FRILLED LINEN ELECTRIC LIGHT SHADES—Can be used on any style fixture. Regular 27c. each. Sale **24c.**
- FRILLED & EMBROIDERED PILLOW SHAMS—Fine, soft linen with lawn frill, embroidered corners; size 24 x 36 over all. Reg. \$1.05 \$1.20 each. Sale Price **\$1.05**

- HEMSTITCHED CRASH CUSHION COVERS—A real durable cover with colored cotton embroidery; hemstitched. Regular \$1.75 each. Sale Price **\$1.50**
- LARGE PILLOW CASES—With scalloped edge and white embroidered ends; size 23 x 36 inches. Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price **\$1.65**
- FLOWING VEILS—In stout, open mesh, Brown, Mole, Navy and Purple. Van Raalte make. Reg. 85c. ea. Sale Price **75c.**
- JAP SILK CAMISOLES—Delicate shades of Pink and Pale Blue with colored silk embroidered fronts; insertion and lace trimming. Regular \$1.50 each. Sale **\$1.60**

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### TOYS

- NEW GAMES—Including Hee Haw, Go Bang, Beauty and the Beast, Victor, India, The Donkey Game, etc. Reg. 17c. ea. Sale Price **15c.**
- HOLLY DECORATED GLOVE BOXES—For enclosing gift gloves. Regular 15c. each. Sale **12c.**
- MERRY XMAS ENCLOSURE CARDS—Twenty to package. Reg. 10c. pkg. Sale Price **8c.**
- A B C BLOCKS—Reg. 20c. box. Sale **17c.**
- INTERLOCKING BLOCKS—Reg. 25c. box. Sale **21c.**
- DRESSED DOLLS—RED AND GREEN HANGING DECORATIONS—Reg. 35c. each. Sale **30c.**
- PICTURES, AND HOW TO MAKE THEM—Reg. 80c. set. Sale Price **68c.**

All lines sold out will be replaced by the nearest in price that we have in stock.

### Christmas REURS

- WOMEN'S FURS—Corstine's famous make in Marmot. This is a line that we want to clear before stock taking; it is a rich dark brown with heavy satin lining, and trimmed with several heads and tails. Would sell in the regular way at nothing less than \$20.00 each. Special to clear **\$11.40**
- MARMOT MUFFS TO MATCH—In large, pillow shape. Reg. \$25.00 each. Sale Price **\$21.90**
- BLACK FUR NECKLETS—Made of real skin, thickly furred; lined with fine quality black satin. For women's and misses' wear. Special, Sale Price **\$1.50**
- THIMBLE SETS—In handsome Plush Case. Reg. 55c. Sale Price **45c.**
- WOMEN'S HEAVY EIDER DOWN DRESSING GOWNS—With Paisley Velvet cuffs and collars, and stout silk girdle. Reg. \$15.00 each. Sale Price **\$13.00**
- EIDERDOWN DRESSING JACKETS—In a very pretty style with deep cuffs and collar of Japanese Silk and silk cord rosette with tassel attached at front. Colors: Rose, Cardinal, Saxe, Pink and Pale Blue. Reg. \$11.75 each. Sale Price **\$10.00**
- RIPLIE EIDERDOWN DRESSING JACKETS—With buttons, cuff tops and medium width sailor collar of self color silk. A smart new style that would make a most appreciated Christmas Gift. Reg. \$7.75 each. Sale Price **\$6.60**
- CREAM HABUTAI SILK AND COLORED CREPE DE CHENE BLOUSES—In smart new styles just to hand; all the newest shades are here shown. Regular \$10.75 each. Sale Price **\$9.35**
- WOMEN'S CREPE DE CHENE BLOUSES—Pale Pink only, in two very popular styles. Reg. \$7.25 each. Sale Price **\$6.50**



- SILK MOIRE UNDERSKIRTS—With plain self-color satin stripes. Made with deep accordeoned-pleated flounce, adjustable drawstring waist and back closing. A perfect fitting garment well finished in every way. Colors: Navy, Saxe and Rose. Regular \$5.50 each. Sale **\$4.85**



### Gifts for the Men Folk

- MEN'S WIDE END TIES—Choice assortment of all that is new and beautiful, opened only in time for our great Xmas Tie trade. Included are plaids, floral, paisley, check, spotted, etc., practically every wanted design and color combination. All conveniently displayed on stands for your quick and easy choosing. Regular \$1.65 each. Sale Price **\$1.55**
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- MEN'S FLANNELETTE PJAMAS—An extra good quality, nicely trimmed and well made. Would prove most durable and make a very acceptable Xmas Gift. Reg. \$5.00 suit. Sale Price **\$4.55**
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- MEN'S BLUE FELT SLIPPERS—Moccasin style with padded Elk soles. Reg. \$3.30 pair. Sale Price **\$2.65**
- BLACK CABERETTA ROMEO'S—Heavy elastic sides, low heels and durable leather soles. Reg. \$2.80 pair. Sale Price **\$2.60**
- MEN'S SOFT FELT HATS—A very popular shape in Greens, Browns, Grey and Black. Reg. \$5.00 each. Sale Price **\$4.25**
- MEN'S GREY FELT SLIPPERS—Tape bound edge, solid leather soles, low heels and lasting heel clicks. Regular \$2.90 pair. Sale Price **\$2.70**
- MEN'S DONGOLA ROMEO'S—Especially constructed for lasting wear and comfort. Reg. \$4.35 pair. Sale Price **\$4.40**
- MEN'S KHAKI WOOL MUFFLERS—Heavy tubular make with long knotted fringe. Reg. \$2.30 each. Sale Price **\$2.10**
- WHITE KNOTTED WOOL MUFFLERS—Will wash well and wear satisfactorily. Reg. \$2.20 each. Sale Price **\$2.00**
- ARTIFICIAL SILK MUFFLERS—Black with white specks; silk fringed ends. Reg. \$1.75 each. Sale Price **\$1.55**
- SHORT SILK MUFFLERS—Assorted, two color effects; tubular make. Reg. \$2.50 each. Sale Price **\$2.20**
- MEN'S BROWN FELT SLIPPERS—Wool inner soles, padded Elk outer soles and tape-bound edge. Comfortable and lasting. Regular \$2.15 pair. Sale Price **\$1.95**
- BROWN FELT ROMEO'S—Unusually low priced for the benefit of gift-givers. Reg. \$2.35 pair. Sale Price **\$2.18**
- TAN KID ROMEO'S—A fair quality at a very popular price. Reg. \$2.90 pair. Sale Price **\$2.75**
- BROWN KID STITCHED DOWN ROMEO'S—Elastic sides, leather heels, soles and clicks; part Kid lined. Reg. \$3.30 pair. Sale Price **\$3.35**
- BLACK KID STITCHED DOWN EVERETTS—Flexible leather soles and cham-ols kid lining. Reg. \$4.30 pair. Sale Price **\$3.95**
- GREY FELT MOCCASINS—Warm, durable and not easily soiled. Reg. \$2.35 pair. Sale Price **\$2.18**

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# EXCEL RUBBER BOOTS

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**The Week's Calendar.**

- DECEMBER—12th Month—31 Days.
- 22.—MONDAY. New Moon 8.51 p.m. George Elliot (novelist), died, 1880. Brest-Litovsk conference opened, 1917. Trooper Corsican, with 600 Canadians, sailed for Halifax, 1918.
  - 23.—TUESDAY. Sir Richard Arkwright born, 1832.
  - 24.—WEDNESDAY. W. Makepeace Thackeray (novelist) died, 1863. Viscount Morley born, 1838.
  - 25.—THURSDAY. Christmas Day.
  - 26.—FRIDAY. St. Stephen's Day. Boxing Day.
  - 27.—SATURDAY. St. John, Apostle and Evangelist.
  - 28.—SUNDAY. 1st after Christmas. Innocents Day. Childermas.

**Labor Leader Linegar Upheld.**

HIS LATE SUPPORTERS WILL AGAIN BACK HIM.

Editor Evening Telegram  
Dear Sir,—I read two letters in Saturday's Telegram in reference to Mr. Linegar, the Leader of the Workingmen's Party in the General Election and now the special Labor representative with the Opposition. What both writers stated was absolutely true, as I can vouch for. I am one of the committee of the Workingmen's Political Party, and as such know that Mr. Linegar holds the warm support and good-wishes of practically every member of the committee. At the meeting of the committee in the L.S. P.U. Hall it was decided that the invitation of the Opposition to Labor to place a man as candidate for the bye-election in St. John's West be accepted, and Mr. William Linegar was selected to be that candidate. Mr. Linegar did not select himself. We selected him, and appointed him to the position. Mr. Linegar was the Leader of our party in the General Election, and never did anyone dare breathe a word against him. We found him to be clean, honest and above board. That he has now accepted the command of the Workingmen's Committee to stand in the bye-election as the special Labor representative of the Opposition certainly does not say anything against him. We fought for Mr. Linegar, with his two candidates, in the month of November, and we will fight even more for him now. Because, you see, Sir, the workingmen of St. John's West are determined, this time, that they will put a man in the House of Assembly as their special representative. Thanking you for space, I am

Yours sincerely,  
A LABOR WORKER.

**Shipping Notes.**

- Dec. 21, 1919.
- S.S. Brighton is expected in a day or two from Sydney with general cargo.
- S.S. Canadian Sower sails to-day for St. John, N.B.
- A steamer is expected to leave Sydney to-day with a cargo of coal for Humbermouth to the Reid Co.

**Trains Hung Up.**

The outgoing express was cancelled yesterday owing to conditions along the railway line; several trains were hung up all day. It is hoped that the track will be clear to-day and the trains running their regular schedule.

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**The Kaiser and England.**

We have long known that the reason for the particularly bitter hatred against England which obsessed all Germany at the outbreak of the war was the belief, persisting up to the very last moment, that England would stand aside. It has been a German argument that this belief was based on the acts of perfidious Albion herself; that the Government had talked neutrality and finally declared war. The world before this has been unable to judge the extent to which typically Teutonic political blindness thus misinterpreted honest efforts to preserve the peace of Europe, and overestimated the influence of pacifism in the British Cabinet and the British nation. And now the publication of secret German archives by Von Kautsky, Schussling and Montgelas shows what the Kaiser thought about the Kaiser who at any time before the war could have prevented the war. The Kaiser agrees with the whole mass of propagandists when he says that "one single, sharp and earnest word of warning" from Sir Edward Grey would have made war out of the question. But warning to whom? In the Kaiser's opinion, to Paris and Petrograd. If Grey "enjoined neutrality" upon France and Russia, both would keep quiet at once. The Kaiser, perhaps, did not consciously "will the war" with England. He willed a little war with Serbia; if need be he willed, so far back as July 5, a safe war with Russia. When it became apparent that France would stand by Russia he willed a war with France, thinking he was certain to win. When England stands by France and Russia it is shameful perfidy; the Kaiser did not will the war; but it never entered his head to avoid it by calling off the safe war with Serbia which had started the whole trouble. On July 30 the Kaiser wrote to Bethmann Hollweg:

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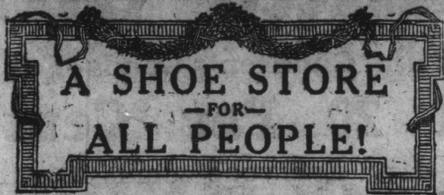
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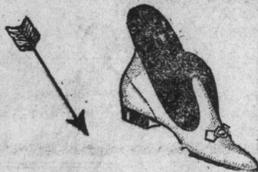
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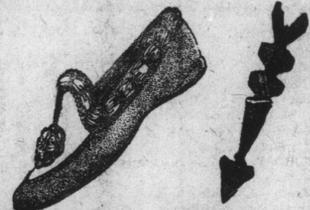


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**THE LIMIT.**

One of Dixon's greatest fallings is his absentmindedness. The other morning he came out of his house, walked to the edge of the pavement, and suddenly threw his right leg into the air with a vaulting movement. Of course, he fell sprawling to the ground.

"Hallo, Dixon, what are you doing?" cried a neighbour, who rushed to help him.

Dixon rose to his feet, brushing the dust off his clothing and rubbing his bruises.

"Oh, nothing!" he muttered sheepishly. "Only thought I was mounting my bicycle. I forgot I hadn't the beastly thing with me!"

**WORST OF ALL.**

The upward change in prices had hit the Browns very hard. Brown's salary didn't rise to the occasion at all.

"I don't know what we shall have to do," he said one evening, after one of the usual serious financial discussions. "I'm very much in the dark as to how all our bills are to be paid."

With a frightened look, Mrs. Brown produced yet another bill from her pocket.

"Anyway, you will be altogether in the dark if this isn't paid soon!" she said. "It's the gas bill!"

**CRUEL FATE!**

As his family knew well, Atkins was not a smoker. Recently he was going to entertain some distinguished guests, and wanted to do the thing properly.

His first move was to order some particularly choice Havana cigars, which cost a couple of shillings each. But it seems the cigars arrived before it was made known at home that the guests were expected.

That evening Mrs. Atkins said to her husband:

"Oh, by the way, some cigars came for you to-day—evidently a gift from some one. Knowing you didn't smoke, I gave them to the plumbers, who were working in the house."

**HIS MISTAKES.**

Weary and worn and sad, the young man, who was prematurely grey, crawled into the registrar's office.

"Are you quite sure," he asked desperately, "that was a marriage license you gave me three months ago, and not a dog's license?"

"Quite—quite! Of course!" said the registrar sharply. "Why do you ask?"

"Because I've led a dog's life ever since!" said the weary one, as he turned sadly away.

**FRANK, AT ANY RATE.**

After he had been demobilised, Simpson went to the photographer and was taken in all sorts of poses in his uniform, soon to be discarded.

He was proudly showing all these to a friend, when he asked:

"Which do you think is the best, Tom?"

The other man was disgusted at Simpson's vanity, and replied promptly:

"Well, personally, I think I like best the one where you are wearing the gas-mask!"

**HE WAS CONTENT.**

The stranger to the village came across an old man sitting on a gate and began to ask questions:

"You are a farmer, I suppose?"

"No, not now. I used to be but I gave it up."

"Well, you don't seem to be very busy. You have plenty of time on your hands, haven't you?"

"Lots of it."

"Ever do any work?"

"Once I did."

"What do you do now, if I may ask?"

"Don't do nothing. Ain't done nothing for nearly ten years."

"So, why, you're in luck! If I had done nothing for half that length of time I should be in the work-house."

The old man's face beamed with a glad surprise, and then, as one who knows his good fortune and values it at its just worth, he cried delightedly:

"That's just where I be!"

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**His Side.**

It had been raining steadily for the past twenty hours, and, in consequence the field was more like a lake than a football-ground. Still, the sun was shining now, and a big crowd had gathered to see the game, so the referee decided that the match could not be postponed.

"What!" gasped the captain of the visiting team. Surely you're not going to make us play in this?"

"Certainly," replied the knight of the whistle; then, seeing an angry retort forming on the captain's lips, he added: "Now, don't hang about. You've won the toss; which side are you taking?"

"Well, if we've got to play," came the reply, "I guess we'll kick off with the tide!"

**Her Best Age.**

Women themselves probably are under the delusion that their best age is something under twenty-five and something over eighteen. At any rate, they are supposed to resist all birthdays after thirty, and are occasionally charged with working backwards and growing older in looks and younger in years.

put on her clothes, who reads and thinks, who develops all her best qualities, need worry at passing into the thirties, for at forty a woman is at her very best, physically and mentally. She is at the zenith of her beauty, and if she has cultivated her intelligence, she is at the zenith of her mentality also.

Very few men of any note find the same pleasure in the society of a young, undeveloped girl which they find in a woman who shows signs of age. A woman who is an ideal companion, and her preference for the society of a man is a real compliment to his mental and moral qualities.

No, there is no reason why a woman, unless she be merely a coquette, and has nothing to recommend her but a pretty face, should dread advancing years.

There is a charm about all ages, indeed, and many a woman is more beautiful and attractive when her hair is streaked with gray than ever she was when her golden hair was hanging down her back.

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### In the Prize Ring.

By ROBERT COREY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—William Muldoon thinks that Georges Carpentier had best keep on the other side of the street from Jack Dempsey. The little pot that bumps the big pot is apt to get broken. Carpentier, he says, is a good little man, but Dempsey is a very good big man. "I have always had the theory," said he, "that every inch above six feet and every pound over two hundred is a handicap to the professional athlete. See what happened to the bulky Willard at Toledo. He could not get out of Dempsey's way."

Willard Wasn't Hurt.

Muldoon says that Willard was not hurt in the fight at Toledo. Willard told him so himself.

"He was stunned," said Muldoon. "That is all that happened to him. After that he felt no pain whatever. He knew that Dempsey was hitting him—he had intelligence enough left for that—he could even see Dempsey's arm go back and the glove strike his flesh. But he could not feel it. So that he had a vague, hazy idea in the back of his poor benumbed skull that Dempsey wasn't injuring him. But he really did not know anything—he did not know what was going on—from the time that first hook crashed on him until his seconds asked him if they might throw up the sponge in the fourth round."

"I said 'yes' Willard told me. 'But I didn't know what it was all about. If they had asked me if I could dance a jig I would have said 'yes' just the same."

What He Thinks of Dempsey.

Muldoon is seventy-five years old. He is still an athlete. He has been a professional trainer of athletes—and of late an exterminator of neurasthenia—for forty years. He thinks that Dempsey is a good big man—a very good big man—but he is not satisfied that he is the best big man he has ever seen in the ring. "See how long it took him to bring down Willard after the champion was stunned and practically unconscious," said he.

He has a high opinion of Fred Fulton's fighting ability. Nor is he wedded to the theory that Fulton's heart is soft and yellow. Things he

knows about Fulton make him hold to the contrary.

"If he can live through the first round in a fight with Dempsey—watch out," said the old trainer. Fulton is built like a string bean, and the string bean men have a snap in their blows that the square built men sometimes lack. I doubt if Willard could have gone to the fourth round if Fulton had been battering at him in the arena at Toledo."

Fulton Showed Gameness.

He spoke of Fulton's fight with a hard hitting heavyweight in the west—who knocked him out in the first battle. The crowd was against Fulton, in a hostile environment, but he was game enough to go back for a second fight and finish his man properly.

"That does not sound as though Fulton is yellow," said he.

Fulton reminded him, he said, of the time when he was training Ned Hanlon to row Courtney for the championship of the world.

"Courtney could go out on an empty river," said he, "and row faster miles than Hanlon ever thought of rowing. But he got rattled when he appeared before a crowd. Last time they met Hanlon spurted at the start and got ahead of Courtney. Then he laid on his oars and tossed water on his head with one hand."

What Settled Courtney.

"Come on, Courtney, he said. 'Hurry up. Let's make a race of it.' 'That settled Courtney. He was never in the race from that time on. Yet there is no doubt in the mind of any who knew the two men well that Hanlon was inferior to him in speed. The difference was that Hanlon had no nerves. Once when I went for him, to put him in the boat. I found him sound asleep. Bob Fitzsimmons was the same sort. If he were to fight in half an hour, he did not give the fight a thought until his seconds began to lace on his gloves."

Muldoon does not think that Carpentier's defeat of Beckett is necessarily a proof that Carpentier can give a first rate heavyweight a battle. "Beckett was a counterfeiter," said the old trainer. "His managers kept him away from all the dangerous men. You will notice that they did not let Fred Fulton have a chance at him. He is a sullen, impertinent unpleasant youth, from what I have heard of him, but quite destitute of ideas."

Nasty to Antagonists.

"He has won a certain popular following because he is overbearing and nasty to his antagonists. That is the way a great fighter ought to act, according to the British idea. But he was simply a poll parrot. He just repeated the words that others put in his mouth: 'I'll fight you, he used to tell Fulton. 'I'll be glad to fight you. I can lick you—etc., etc.' "That cheered Fulton, because he thought he was to get a chance at Beckett after all. And it made Beckett popular with the English because he was living up to their ideas of champions in pugilism. But some one had told him what to say. He never thought of it by himself."

At the Majestic.

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There will be a meeting of the Workingmen's Party Committee in the N. I. W. A. Rooms on Monday, Dec. 22nd, at 8.30 p.m., for the purpose of uniting forces with the Liberal Progressive Party as decided.

Sir Michael Cashin and other members will address gathering and finalize matters.

A. WIGHT,

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**Serious Accident.**

Mr. Stan Turner, 3rd engineer of the S. S. Cape Breton, met with a very serious accident at Sydney about three weeks ago. In some manner he fell into the hold of the ship, breaking his collar bone and fracturing his skull. He was removed to the city hospital at Sydney, C.B., where he recovered sufficiently to be able to return home by Friday's express. His many friends will be glad to learn that he is on the road to complete recovery, and hopes to be able to resume work in about a month.

**Railway Tieup.**

The express which left Port aux Basques Thursday, and the one which left Saturday, were both held up owing to the storm. The former is at Gambo, and the latter is at Bishop's Falls. A west going express left Terra Nova at 11:40 yesterday morning but had not reached Alexander Bay up to early this morning. At Notre Dame Junction a special train with plough attached went off the track on Saturday night, and had not been replaced up to last midnight. None of the trains will be able to move till the track is cleared at this end. The conditions along the line are the worst in many years, the drift being from 10 to 15 feet high.

**Convent Association Meeting.**

The quarterly meeting of the Presentation Convent Association was held yesterday afternoon. The president reported that the receipts from the Bazaar held recently were brought beyond all expectations, and expressed thanks to all those who helped to make it such a success. The yearly report which was read by the Treasurer, showed that the finances of the Association had greatly increased during the year. A vote of thanks to Miss Burling, the retiring president, was proposed by the Secretary, and seconded by Miss A. Murphy. After the paying of fees the meeting adjourned.

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A choice assortment of fancy boxes in NEILSON'S, MOIR'S and GANONG'S, suitable for Christmas Presents.

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**KNITTED SILK SCARVES**—We have a very pretty showing here in plain and fancy striped silks, with silk tassels at ends. These look gaily. Reg. \$3.30. Xmas Sale Price **\$2.79**

**BODOOH CAPS**—Very dainty Boudoir Caps in Silk and fine nets, trimmed with silk, lace, ribbons, etc.; shades of Helio, Sky, Pink, Rose and Maize. Reg. 90c. Xmas Sale Price **72c.**

**SILK UNDERSHIRTS**—Popular shades in rich Taffeta Silk Shirts; Purple, Sky, Green, Brown and Black, wide flouncings and shirred; others with double frill and pleatings. Some Gift. Reg. \$5.50. Xmas Sale Price **\$6.98**

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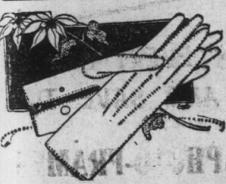
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