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All members are urgently requested to attend.

JAS. J. McGRATH, Chairman. dec13, tf

A Tip to Hubby--

Bet you never thought of it, but isn't it just a wee bit selfish to sit there in your big chair, your feet upon the fender, pipe-dreaming, while that little housekeeper of yours works over a sink full of messy pots and pans or finishing up the day's odds and ends? Have a heart, help her keep those rosy cheeks of hers. Be a real sport, step into Stewart's Fancy Bakery and ask for a loaf of Stewart's Homemade Bread, it's the best. Also Xmas Cakes, Mince Pies, Ladies' Fingers, Pastry Shells, Oyster Pattie Shells, etc. Take it home and tell her to quit baking. If it's anything fancy in the baking line Stewart's have it.

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NOTICE.

The meeting of the Nfld. Highlanders' Association, which was to have taken place on Monday, Dec. 15th, has been postponed until Friday, Dec. 19th, at 8 p.m. All members will govern themselves accordingly.

By order, LIEUT. C. C. OKE, Sec.-Treas. dec13, 21

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LOST—On Tuesday night, a Purse containing a Sum of Money and Trinkets, by way of Henry Street, Dicks' Square and Theatre Hill. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Telegram Office. dec13, 11

LOST—Yesterday, \$50.00 in Notes, between C. F. Bennett & Co. and Gower Street, via Barter's Hill and Monroe Street. Finder please leave same at this office. Reward. dec13, 21

LOST—On Thursday afternoon, on LeMarchant Road, a pair of Gent's Eyeglasses. Will finder please return to LEO A. DUFFY, LeMarchant Road West? dec12, 31

FOUND—Small Red Heifer. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses; apply PETER PETIPAS, Whitbourne. dec13, 51

WANTED TO RENT—Three or four Furnished or Unfurnished Rooms at once; apply by letter to G. W. N., care Telegram Office. dec13, 31

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WANTED—By January 1st, for Spencer Lodge, a Competent Cook and a Housemaid; good wages; apply at FIELD HALL. dec11, th, s, tf

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WANTED—A Nursemaid; apply MRS. GORDON WINTER, Circular Road. dec12, 31

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CHAPTER II.

"Are they friends of yours?" he asked, after a moment.

"The Palmers, do you mean? Yes; my sister and brother are in there now."

"Really?"

"Yes, I can point them out to you—or their shadows. That is a moment there! That is my sister."

"Where?" he says; and he comes nearer.

"Wait. She has gone past now—a slim, graceful girl. I know her by her dress and wreaths. She will come past again directly. There! Quick!"

And, all unthinkingly, she puts her hand on his arm as Alice's slim, graceful, petite figure floats on the blind.

"I see," he says.

"I can't point out my brother," she says, with a short laugh, "because he doesn't dance—at least, he may try and struggle through a quadrille, and if he does, it will bring infinite woe to the others. If I know Bob, he is leaning against the door and yawning. Poor Bob!"

"Why poor?"

"Oh, because he thinks the whole thing such a bore. He'd rather be sitting at home, with his old pipe in his mouth, stuffing birds or arranging his fishing-tackle."

"Bob's sensible fellow," he remarks, with an emphatic nod. "I think I should like Bob."

"Everybody likes Bob," she says,

calmly; "the person who could not like Bob would be—" and she pauses for an epithet.

"An idiot. Exactly. I am sure I should like Bob. And he goes in for fishing?"

She laughs.

"He's mad upon it. Bob says that he is sure there were trout in the two rivers that ran through Eden, or it wouldn't have been much of a Paradise."

He laughs and leans back with his hands in his pockets, his face turned up to the sky.

"That is awfully good, awfully good! Bob is a clever fellow."

"He is," calmly and convincingly. "And a good sort of fellow?" enquiringly.

"The best on earth," emphatically.

"The sort of a fellow who, if a man went to him and asked him to put him in the way of getting some trout out of the river here, wouldn't mind putting him up to a tip or two?"

"Bob would receive him with open arms, if he were a black man."

"I'm not a black man," he says, "but I'll try him. I've come down for a little fishing, which at present I haven't been able to get. I'll try him. May I ask where I shall go to find him?"

Paula, without considering that it is as good as asking her address, points one hand to the light in Myrtle Cottage.

"In yonder cot," she says, laughing.

"Thanks," he says, looking at her with a faint smile of gratitude. "It is awfully kind of you. And I may come, do you think?"

"Certainly," she says. "Bob will be very glad to see you, and get out all his flies and tackle, and show you all

the big trout he has killed, and tell all the usual little falsehoods which it seems fishermen can't help telling, even the most truthful of them; and Bob is truth itself, except when he is on the weight of a fish he has lost. Oh, yes, Bob will be pleased to see you and I think I must go now," and she rises.

"The wait is still on," he says, suggestively. "I'm afraid you find it rather wearisome sitting it out. I've noticed your feet have been beating time. Do you dance the three-or-two-time waltz?"

"The three, of course," she says.

"Oh," he says, "I never feel quite certain of it, never feel quite easy and convinced. Doesn't it go something like this?"

And, with the simplest, most natural air in the world, he gets up and executes a step slowly, his eyes fixed on her face enquiringly.

"No, no," she says, laughing. "Not quite. That is the deux temps."

"This, then?" and he tries again.

"No; that's worse," she retorts; and, half-unconsciously, she gets up and shows him.

"I see," he says, and he looks at her. "I think I could do it, if I had some-one to dance it with. It's a pity we're not inside. If we were, we could dance it together, couldn't we?" persuasively, his eyes fixed on hers with direct frank suggestion.

"Perhaps," she assents.

"After all," he says, "we are better off than being inside, really. Cooler and more room, you know. I suppose—I suppose it wouldn't do to dance here?"

"Certainly not," she says, and she laughs at the idea.

"And yet," he says, as if he were considering the question from a purely disinterested basis, "why not? We can hear the band; we both like dancing; nobody would be any the wiser. Yes, pray let us take a few turns!"

He puts the matter so quietly, with such delicious frankness and simplicity, that Paula laughs instead of feeling shocked.

"It's ridiculous—quite," she says.

"I don't see it. 'Pon my word I don't see it," he says, meditatively. "Why not? We shall be too late directly," and he beat time with his foot. "Come, only a few turns! Tell me where the harm would be."

"Harm!" says Paula, frowning, her whole frame vibrating to the music. "Well, as to harm—"

"What are you afraid of, then?" he says quietly.

"Afraid! I am not afraid!"

"Then that settles it. There is no harm, you want to dance, and you are not afraid!"

"But," says Paula, a vision of Alice's wrath and indignation rising before her, "oh, I can't! Well, then, just to show you the right step—for nothing else, mind."

"Of course not," he says, and he puts his arm round her waist.

And they dance.

CHAPTER III.

And they dance. The sentence, as one writes it, sounds dreadful. Dancing inside a ball-room with a stranger is nothing, not that introductions have gone out of fashion; but to meet a strange young gentleman outside a ball-room, sit for ten minutes talking to him in the open air, and alone, and then, with so little parity, to dance with him. It is simply shocking.

I don't intend to make apologies for my Paula; it would be dangerous to begin it, for I should have to make so many before her story is told. I will offer no excuses, but I will just venture to remind my readers of the motto which graces our royal arms, "Honi soit qui mal y pense!" ("Shame to him who thinks ill of it"). And so Paula dances on in the innocence of her young heart, unconscious of evil, meaning no ill.

They dance to the last, the last bar of the famous waltz, and it is not until silence succeeds the heavenly music, and she pauses, panting a little, with her face flushed and her eyes sparkling, that she remembers the excuse for the dance.

"Why," she exclaims, with a laugh, "you danced it perfectly!"

"Did I?" he says, modestly. "That is because you danced it so well."

"You picked it up very quickly," she says, unsuspectingly.

"I had a clever instructress. Your shawl!"

And he takes it up from the ground, to which it has fallen.

"Thanks," she says, swinging it round her; but she does not draw it

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over her face, which is now free to his gaze.

But he does not stare; he is a gentleman, this stranger with the frank smile and the cool assurance of a school-boy; he does not stare, scarcely allows his eyes to rest upon it, for he feels that a word, a glance too marked, will put this wild, beautiful girl to flight; and yet, the beauty of her face, with its dark, brilliant eyes, with its mobile lips, its rich colour mantling on the olive cheeks, tells upon him, and for the moment renders him silent.

Then he rouses himself.

"I can't offer to get you a glass of lemonade or an ice," he says, with a laugh; "though, if you'd like to have either, say the word, and I'll get it somehow."

"By knocking down a waiter, I suppose," says Paula, with a laugh. "No, thanks; I must go home for my refreshments. That's the Lancers now. Perhaps Bob will make an effort and attack them. If he does, he'll persuade some little girl to try it with him!" And she laughs. "Bob has a wholesome fear of full-grown girls."

He nods.

"It's rather a big party, isn't it?" he says, merely for the sake of saying something, and preventing her from going.

She nods.

"Yes; I wasn't asked because there were so many. Oh, yes, quite a grand affair. It is Stancy de Palmer's birthday."

"Stancy de Palmer—old Palmer's son!" he says, with a laugh. "Rather a grand sort of name, isn't it? Wasn't old Palmer a— a candle-stick-maker?—no, that isn't it, something that rhymes to it. Oh, I remember—a sugar-baker!"

"Yes," says Paula, starting up at the moon, now clear of the mist and smiling down at her with placid reproach. "Yes, it is rather a grand name. I think sometimes that the old portraits in the house—the portraits of the people who owned it and lived there—must laugh when they hear 'Stancy de Palmer' pronounced, and laugh louder when they see him."

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Bolsheviks Threaten Indian Frontier--Grave Danger of Famine in Austria--All Russian Army Will March on Petrograd -- German Mines Still Menace Shipping.

SERIOUS SITUATION IN TRANS-CASPIAN REGION.

LONDON, Dec. 11. A serious situation in the Trans-Caspian region where recent Bolshevik statements showed the Bolshevik to have resumed the offensive and to have occupied Kazanjik. The British war office reports no confirmation of this claim, but its truth is generally accepted. It is pointed out that the Bolshevik advance in this region might easily result in a grave position for Great Britain in Asia, as the Bolshevik successes bring them in closer relations with Afghanistan and create a danger that these two influences averse to the British will combine to make trouble on the border of India. It is conceded that the Bolsheviks and the Afghans have a common desire to see Great Britain embarrassed in these regions.

GERMANS CAPITULATE.

PARIS, Dec. 11. The German reply to the Supreme Council's note demanding the signing of the peace protocol has been received in Paris and this afternoon was undergoing translation by the delegation, according to the Intranseigant. The newspaper declares that the reply is substantially a capitulation on the Scapa Flow question and a proposal to discuss other points

AUSTRIA IN DANGER OF STARVATION.

PARIS, Dec. 11. (By the Associated Press.)—Austria must have help from the Allies in order to save her from famine and bankruptcy, Chancellor Karl Renner of the Austrian Republic, told the Associated Press to-day in explaining his presence in Paris, where he came to present to the Supreme Council the situation which he declared faces his country. When I left Vienna we had only 9,000 tons of flour for six and three quarter millions of people. A supply for six days only said, Dr. Renner. Children are dying of hunger and cold in Vienna and eighty five per cent. of these between nine months and three years of age are suffering from rickets. The loss of weight on the part of nursing mothers is seriously resulting in the diminution of the nursing capacity. For these reasons it is of utmost importance that supplies go forward at once.

NEW OFFENSIVE AGAINST PETROGRAD.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 11. A new offensive against Petrograd is being planned, according to an interview with C. G. Lianozov, head of the Russian Northwest Government, printed in Helsingfors. The most important step, Lianozov says, is to arrange for joint action by the armies of White Russia, Finland and Estonia. It is declared that eight thousand men of the Russian Northwest army were not disarmed following their retreat from the Petrograd front and are now fully equipped and prepared to fight.

EMPEROR SAILED.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11. The former German passenger liner Imperator, now a British ship under Cunard Line operation, sailed this morning for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Southampton. The ship had been delayed while charges that she had exceeded her supply of bunker coal were being adjusted. The liner has 2,700 passengers on board.

A REMEDY FOR FINANCIAL SITUATION.

LONDON, Dec. 11. Private enterprise will never rectify the present financial situation throughout the world, according to Baron Swaythling, who has just returned from the United States. In an interview printed in the Daily Mail this morning, Baron Swaythling says he believed an international agreement by the Governments concerned can alone remove the deadlock. He favors the suspension of international payments among the Allies and any neutrals who desire to enter into the agreement for reproductive imports of machinery and raw materials. The suspension, he says, might be perhaps for three years and of course under Government guarantees.

GERMANS SLACK IN REMOVING MINES.

BERLIN, Dec. 11. German naval authorities have been backward in removing mines from German waters, according to a Hamburg despatch to the Voesische Zeitung which states that 9,700 square miles of the North Sea are as yet not cleared while Great Britain and the United States have almost finished clearing the fields laid by their navies during the war. It is claimed here

that the delay has been due to lack of coal.

GONZALES TO OPPOSE CARRANZA.

MEXICO City, Dec. 11. Gen. Pablo Gonzales to-night formally announced his acceptance of the nomination of the presidency tendered him by the National Democratic League and requested permission to retire from the army.

WILL TAKE NO ACTION.

LONDON, Dec. 11. The British government does not propose to take any special measure in connection with the fall of American exchange, beyond continuing its policy of withholding artificial support by borrowing abroad and doing everything possible to stimulate British Export trade, according to Andrew Bonar Law, Lord Privy Seal and former Chancellor of the Exchequer, replying to a question in the House of Commons this evening.

IRISH BILL AGAIN DEFERRED.

LONDON, Dec. 11. Introduction of Irish bill in the House of Commons was again postponed to-day. Andrew Bonar Law spokesman for Government announced that in consequence of the visit of Premier Clemenceau of France, Premier Lloyd George would be unable to bring the measure forward either Monday or Tuesday and he could not say whether it would be introduced next week.

GREY RETURNING TO ENGLAND.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 11. Viscount Grey of Fallodon, British Ambassador to United States notified Secretary of State Lansing to-day that he was returning to England very soon on leave of absence. Whether Lord Grey will return to Washington is dependent upon possibility of his being able to arrange his private business interests and upon decision of British Foreign Office as to whether he also can carry forward great projects for common action by Great Britain and United States in re-organization of finances and commerce and international relations.

SINN FEIN LEADER ARRESTED.

DUBLIN, Dec. 11. Thomas Kelly, Sinn Fein member of

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House of Commons, was arrested in course of a number of raids by police and military this morning, when houses of several prominent Sinn Feiners were searched. Residences entered by the authorities in this process included the home of Count Plunkett who was absent at the time of official visit. Several other arrests were made besides that of Kelly. The prisoners were taken to Kingstown in military lorries. They were then placed in a row boat and taken out to a warship, which sailed for an English port. The approaches to the harbour were guarded by the military with armoured cars and tanks. Kelly was served on Tuesday evening with a police magistrate's order to close the Sinn Fein headquarters, which despite several raids and its suppression by proclamation, has continued in operation. The order was not obeyed, and the headquarters was still open when the raid took place.

SIR WM. OSLER BETTER.

OXFORD, Dec. 11. Sir William Osler, regius professor of medicine at Oxford University, who has been ill for some time is slightly improved in condition to-day.

TROWS BLAME ON AMERICAN.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11. The Mexican government's reply in the case of James Wallace, American citizen, killed by Mexican Federal soldiers near Tampico a fortnight ago was received by the State department. The Mexican government's note said the case had been made one of official record and that the immediate arrest of the soldiers and investigation of the killing had been ordered. It also said that Wallace while intoxicated and mounted failed to stop when ordered by the soldier who fired in the belief that Wallace was an enemy.

FAILED TO FORM MINISTRY.

MADRID, Dec. 11. Count de Bugallal, Minister of Finance in the Toca Cabinet has given up the task of endeavoring to form a new Ministry.

BALFOUR ON AMERICAN FAILURE TO RATIFY TREATY.

LONDON, Dec. 11. Arthur Balfour, Lord President of the Council in a speech to-day in London on world reconstruction said, one of the greatest of our Allies feel that they cannot go through with us to the end in this process of reconstruction. I am not going to criticize, because I think it out of place for any foreigner to criticize a very poor compliment to my American friends to say that we regard with indifference the fact that they have not seen their way to carry their own co-operation with us in this work of international reconstruction to the end. Mr. Balfour described the part American played in the war as noble and disinterested, with no thought of national ambition. We are grateful, he continued, but I confess I had dreams that a work so nobly begun would be effectively carried through. Mr. Balfour expressed the opinion that the future of the world would be assisted incalculably if the great English-speaking nations work together in the cause of Liberty and Peace. I know well in the cause of Liberty and Peace American co-operation will still be forthcoming, he said, "I know they are not going to abandon as a nation, and that no party in America is going to abandon these great ideals. The speaker said, he was bound to admit, however, that it seems more than likely that we cannot count to the full on direct action which would make the assistance of the great American democracy of tenfold value. Should it not be forthcoming, therefore, Mr. Balfour went on, it is, and I know that what I say will not be misunderstood by American friends, even by those most convinced that the true interests of their country lie in the opposite direction, to me a feeling of deepest regret that so much of the common work between the two countries should come to an end before its full fruition could be enjoyed by the world at large. (Continued on 4th page.)

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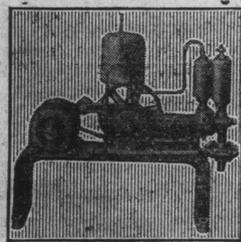
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EXCHANGE MARKET DEMORALIZED.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11. As a result of an heavy balance of trade in favor of this country against Canada the market for Canadian exchange is completely demoralized. It was learned to-day that there are no buyers in the market to take care of the large offerings of commercial bills which are being made at a discount of 10 per cent.

FIGHTING IN MEXICO.

EAGLE PASS, Dec. 12. Fighting between Mexican Federal troops and Villias was reported at three to-day.

PADEREWSKI TO RESIGN.

GENEVA, Dec. 12. Ignace Paderewski the Polish Premier, is expected to abandon the Premiership owing to the condition of his health in the near future, and return to his home in Switzerland, according to an Agency at Lausanne from Warsaw to-day. M. Paderewski, the addressee add, will devote himself to music. He has not touched the piano since the war. Recent reports to the effect that Premier Paderewski might resign were followed on November 29 by a vote of confidence in him by the Polish Diet. At that time it was announced he would form a new cabinet.

ESTHONIA REFUSES.

REVAL, Dec. 8. It is reported here that Gen. Estivar of the French forces, has requested the Estonian Government to permit the reconstruction of the army of General Yudenitch and to allow the West Russian forces, formerly commanded by General Avoloff-Bernadot, to be mobilized in Esthonia for a fresh attack on Petrograd. Esthonia is said to have definitely refused to enter into such a proposition.

POLITICAL MARRIAGE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 6. The marriage of Prince Farouk, son of Prince Vahid Eddine, the heir-apparent to the Turkish throne, to Princess Sabiha, daughter of the Sultan, ends the political disagreement between the Sultan and the Crown

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Prince. The marriage also is significant of the fact that in the future members of the Imperial family will take but one legal wife, thereby terminating the Harem system.

PASSING IT ALONG.

MADRID, Dec. 9. The Cabinet situation as it stood to-night found its latest development in an effort by Manuel Allende Salazar, former Foreign Minister to organize a Cabinet replacing the Toca Ministry.

WANTS IRISH REPUBLIC RECOGNIZED.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 12. Advocates of Freedom for Ireland, headed by Justice Copalen, of the New York Supreme Court, appeared before the House Foreign Affairs Commission to-day to urge the passage of a bill by Representative Mason, Republican, Illinois, to authorize the appointment of diplomatic and Consular Representatives to the Republic of Ireland. Arguing in support of representation, but show simply the willingness to do its part to that end. Justice Copalen told the committee that his delegation was for the majority of twenty million Americans of Irish descent, and was pleading in behalf of a government which was well organized and firmly supported by its constituents.

D'ANNUNZIO WILL COOPERATE CONDITIONALLY.

LONDON, Dec. 12. D'Annunzio is ready to co-operate with the Italian Government to bring about the return of normal conditions in the Adriatic, if satisfactory guarantees are given that Italy will neither renounce Fiume or evacuate territories occupied since the signing of the armistice, it was officially stated here yesterday. The position of Post Commandant was given by General Badoglio, chief of staff of the Italian Army, who it is stated proposed retention of Fiume by Italy and surrender of all claims to Dalmatia.

"BUY LESS."

OTTAWA, Dec. 12. "The only remedy is to buy less," said Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance, yesterday afternoon in commenting on the extraordinary level to which the Canadian Exchange on New York has dropped. Canadian Exchange, it is further pointed out, is so related with sterling exchange that the fall in sterling may be regarded as largely responsible for the present discount on Canadian money in the United States. The question of exchange is under serious consideration here, but it is felt that any action to be really effective would have to be international.

STILL AFTER PETROGRAD.

REVAL, Esthonia, Dec. 11. "I have not given up my intention to capture Petrograd," said General Yudenitch, commander of the Russian Northwest Army, to an Associated Press correspondent to-day.

AEROPLANE FATALITY.

LONDON, Dec. 11. George F. Rand, an American, was killed yesterday by the falling of an airplane, in which he was a passenger. The machine was on a trip from Paris to London. The pilot was dangerously injured. This was the first fatal accident in the London-Paris Air Service which started in August, and since which time many airships in it have flown fifty-three thousand miles.

RESUME CONFERENCE.

LONDON, Dec. 11. Premier Lloyd George and Clemenceau resumed their conferences on war problems this forenoon. Earl Reading, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Mr. Maurice Hankey, Secretary of the War Cabinet, and the French Ambassador, were present. This morning J. Astaxin Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, was called into the meeting, after cancelling a speaking engagement, he said, for to-day.

GERMANY'S REPLY.

BERLIN, Dec. 11. Germany's reply to the last notes from the Supreme Council of the Peace Conference have been sent to Versailles. Nothing has been given

out relative to its contents, aside from a hint that its general tone reciprocates the conciliatory tone of the last communication from the Entente.

U. S. FUEL ADMINISTRATOR GARFIELD RESIGNS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11. The resignation of Dr. H. A. Garfield, as Fuel Administrator, tendered last night, was forwarded to President Wilson this morning by Secretary Tumulty.

Industrial Workers Elect Officers.

A special meeting for the purpose of nominating officers for the ensuing year was held by the Newfoundland Industrial Workers' Association in the L. S. P. U. Hall last evening. President T. M. White occupied the chair and these members were nominated for office:—

T. C. Noel—President.
P. Bennett—1st. V.P.
Rd. O'Hearn—2nd V.P.
W. J. Maloney—Treasurer.
A. E. Earle—Financial Secretary.
W. J. Nauffs—Recording Secretary.

These, with delegates from the other locals, to comprise the Executive. Messrs. T. M. White and P. Bennett declined nomination for the presidency, while the retiring Vice-President, Mr. Mark Chipman, declined nomination for the same office.

As none of the officers are being contested the nominated officers will assume control of their departments at the annual meeting on the second Friday in January. A deputation of the executive officers of the Association met the Premier and discussed various labor matters with him. Among these were the establishment of a labor bureau and that of the H. C. L. problem. Another meeting in the near future will be held when the same matters will be discussed at greater length.

Every Saturday evening after 7 o'clock, Choice Ends of Beef, Mutton, Lamb, Pork will be sold at cost. ELLIS & CO., LTD., 293 Water Street.—nov23,19

Bakery Burned.

Yesterday afternoon the bake house of Mr. James Cole, on the Torbay Road, near Mount Cashel, was destroyed by a fire and the owner is up against a serious loss. A batch of bread was in the oven at the time the fire started and it is thought that the crown of the oven caved in, allowing the fire to reach to the woodwork above. Quite a lot of flour was stowed on the premises and was rendered useless. No insurance was carried on the building or premises. This is the second time that Mr. Cole has met with such a misfortune.

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Cathedral of St. John the Baptist—8, Holy Communion; 11, Morning Service; 6.30, Evening Service.

St. Thomas's—Holy Communion (Men's Coporate), 8; Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11; preacher, Rev. A. Clayton. Sunday Schools, 2.45; Dandelion Boys' Bible Class, 2.45; Girls' Bible Class, 2.45; Women's Bible Class, 3; 6.30, Evensong and Sermon; preacher, Rev. C. A. Moulton.

St. Mary the Virgin—8, Holy Communion; 11, Matins and Litany; 6.30, Evensong.

St. Michael's—8, Holy Communion; 11, Morning Service; 6.30, Evening Service.

METHODIST.

Gower St.—11, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.; 6.30, Rev. E. W. Forbes, B.A.
George St.—11, Rev. G. J. Bond, LL.D.; 6.30, Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, B.A.

Cochrane St.—11, Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, B.A.; 6.30, Rev. G. J. Bond, LL.D.

Wesley—11, Rev. E. W. Forbes, B.A.; 6.30, Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church—Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A., Minister. Sunday services at 11 and 6.30. The Minister will preach at both services. Morning subject, "Spiritual Objectives." In the evening the Minister will deliver the first of a series of sermons on religious mistakes. Subject, "Spiritualism." Sunday School at 9 o'clock. Strangers welcome at all services.

Congregational—11 and 6.30, Rev. L. Curtis, D.D.

Adventist—Subject: "Called to be witnesses." All welcome. Evangelist D. J. C. Barrett.

International Bible Students' Association meet in Chapter Room, Victoria Hall, opposite Gower Street Church, 3 p.m., Sunday School lesson; 8, discourse: "Zionism as we see it; Jehovah's favor returns to the sons of Jacob." All are welcome. Seats free. No collection.

GOWEE ST.—9.45, Class meetings for men; 2.30, Sunday School and Men's and Women's Bible Classes; 4, Young Women's Class Meeting; 11 and 6.30, public worship. The preacher in the morning will be Rev. W. B. Bugden, B.A. The Pastor will preach in the evening; subject, "Daniel in the Den of Lions"—the power of prayer—the fourth of the series on the Life of Daniel.

Week-day meetings—Monday, 8 p.m., Epworth League; Wednesday and Friday, 7.45 p.m., Prayer meeting; Thursday, 3 p.m., Girls' Club. You are cordially invited to attend any of the above meetings or services. A special welcome to strangers and visitors in the city.

WESLEY—Thanksgiving Sunday at the West End Church, Morning, Rev. Mr. Forbes will preach on the subject of the day, and at night the Pastor

will speak on "The Mission of the Local Church." Visitors are cordially welcomed.

CONGREGATIONAL—To-morrow will be Thanksgiving Day at the Queen's Road Church, and sermons appropriate to the occasion will be preached morning and evening by Rev. Dr. Curtis. After the evening service a meeting of the church and congregation will be held, and all members are asked to be present.

The Herring Fishery.

There is a marked contrast in the prosecution of the Herring Fishery this winter when compared with last year, when the industry was at its height. Herring are plentiful in Bay of Islands, Bonne Bay and Notre Dame Bay, but there are few purchasers from outside there is not much doing. The price per barrel is down to \$2 from the net in Green Bay and \$2.50 on the West Coast. Local packers can take only a limited quantity and the fishermen in many cases have had to take up their nets for want of buyers. Last week three herring vessels arrived at Bay of Islands from the United States for cargoes and this gave a slight boom to operations. There is also one or two U. S. vessels at Bonne Bay. The experience of last year has no doubt kept the Americans from coming in. The high prices asked by the fishermen last winter has brought about this state of affairs and the industry a blow from which it will not recover for a long time. The same applies to Notre Dame Bay. The market demand is sluggish in New York and there is a large quantity of last year's pack there in storage which first has to be sold. It is going out

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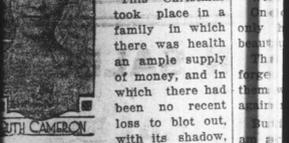
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"Ah," you say, "it must have been home in which there were no children."

You might well think that, but it isn't.

On the contrary there were four children under ten in that family, and instead of being the thing that adds Christmas beautiful they were the cause of its seeming so unbecomingly to my friend.

Everything was done as usual for these children, stockings in the morning, a wonderful tree slathered with nuts, and a Christmas feast, "these and yet," said my friend, "these were some of the things that happened before Christmas Day had passed."

After the presents had all been taken off the tree, we found Ruth sitting on the sofa looking most disconsolate. We asked her the trouble and she said that she thought Elinor and Roderick, the two older children, had had more than she. A child of five, mind you! And she had three or four dolls, a lovely doll carriage, a tricycle, and a whole lot of little things besides.

"Soon afterwards we heard shrieks from upstairs and we found Ruth and Elinor quarrelling over the distribution of a present which had been given them to use together."

"That afternoon Roderick and Elinor had to be scolded, and would have been punished if it had not been Christmas Day, because they got into quarrel over a book which one of them had just received and in watching it from each other tore the pages square in two. It was a beautiful book, one of an expensive set. It seemed terrible to me."

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TAKING THE BEAUTY OUT OF CHRISTMAS.

I want to tell you about an ugly beauty. I call it Christmas which is a friend of mine described to me last year.

"This Christmas took place in a family in which there was health an ample supply of money, and in which there had been no recent loss to blot out, with its shadow, the gaiety of Christmas feasts and the joy of Christmas giving."

"Ah," you say, "it must have been a home in which there were no children."

You might well think that, but it isn't.

On the contrary there were four children under ten in that family. Instead of being the thing that made Christmas beautiful they were the bane of its seeming so unbecomingly to my friend.

Everything was done as usual for these children, stockings in the morning, a wonderful tree splattered with gifts, and a Christmas feast.

"And yet," said my friend, "these were some of the things that happened before Christmas Day had passed. He thought the Others Had More Than She."

"After the presents had all been taken off the tree, we found Ruth sitting on the sofa looking most dissatisfied. We asked her the trouble and she said that she thought Elinor and Roderick, the two older children, had had more than she. A child of five, mind you! And she had three or four dolls, a lovely doll carriage, a tricycle, and a whole lot of little things besides."

"Soon afterwards we heard shrieks from upstairs and we found Ruth and Elinor quarrelling over the distribution of a present which had been given them to use together."

"That afternoon Roderick and Elinor had to be scolded, and would have been punished if it had not been Christmas Day, because they got into a quarrel over a book which one of them had just received and in reaching it from each other tore three pages square in two. It was a beautiful book, one of an expensive set. It seemed terrible to me."

"What Wonder They Get Greedy."

"Are they unusually selfish or ill-natured children?" I asked.

"No," she said, "I don't think so. But it's just the same with them as it is with a great many children. Christmas means just receiving to them, and with so much emphasis put on that side of it what wonder they get greedy?"

What wonder indeed!

One often hears it said that it is only children who make Christmas beautiful.

That is so, largely because we can forget ourselves in preparing for them without any hope of receiving again in return.

But in their manner of receiving I am afraid they do not always make beautiful. Far from it.

Too Much Emphasis on "What Santa Is Going to Bring."

Of course the fault is ours. We put too much emphasis on "what Santa is going to bring" and not enough on what the Christ child stands for.

We don't try hard enough to have our homes filled with the spirit of peace and good will and tenderness.

We let our nerves get ragged with overmuch preparation of the gifts and the feast, and the child quickly—Oh, so quickly—responds to that unhappy aura.

Of course these children were young, but surely even a little child can be made to feel that we love each other a little more on Christmas than any other day because we are celebrating the birthday of Him who made love the law and life of the world.

Important!

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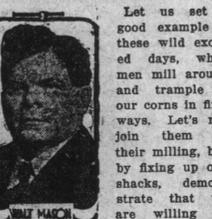
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AN EXAMPLE.



Let us set a good example in these wild excited days, when men mill around and trample on our corns in fifty ways. Let's not join them in their milling, but by fixing up our shacks, demonstrate that we are willing to get down once more to tacks. Let us shun the noisy clamor of the smiths who wield the jaw; let us argue with the hammer and expound things with the saw. Let us build a stately dwelling for the hens to occupy, while the anarchists are yelling threats and curses at the sky. Let's erect a noble chanty where our cows may chew their cud, while the Russian, wild and ranty, blows the foam from bootlegged suds. All our ills will be adjusted, and the Reds will whoop in vain, if we only can be trusted to be calm and sane. If you'd rail at your condition, if you're victimized by crimes, bending 'neath some imposition, let it slide till saner times. Do not join the angry chorus, but be patient and serene, knowing that the storm clouds o'er us soon will vanish from the scene. We but make the country sicker when we paw around like yaks; and we'll bring good times the quicker if we all get down to tacks.

springs every day. A mille of hand-spring wire weighs just one pound. A ton of such wire is worth about \$8,000,000. It is claimed.

The balance wheel of a watch vibrates five times a second; that means 300 vibrations a minute, 18,000 vibrations an hour, or 432,000 vibrations a day, this being more than 157,500,000 vibrations each year. It is no wonder that occasionally a watch should receive an overhauling.



Just Folks by Bob Ar. Guest

TABLE MANNERS.

When company comes here for tea I'm just as good as I can be; I sit up straight before the table And eat as nicely as I'm able. My hands are always clean and white, And I do things exactly right. I do not cram my mouth with food, For mother says that's very rude. I never sprawl my hands out wide, But keep my elbows at my side. (That may be proper, but I'll say It's awful hard to eat that way.)

When company comes here to eat I don't slip back into my seat, But sit up stiff and straight And wait until I get my plate. My table manners are correct And all that grown folks should expect. I never shout for things I see But wait until they're passed to me. And that is proper, but I'll say I miss a lot of food that way. 'Cos they forget to ask if I Would like another piece of pie.

And when they're serving out the cake The biggest piece I never take; The table cloth I never smear. The way I do when folks aren't there. I'm just as proper as can be When company is here to tea, I always try the best I can To be a little gentleman. But Oh, I like it better when The company goes home again, 'Cos I get more to eat at night When I don't have to be polite.

Land of Many Languages.

In the southeastern corner of European Russia, between the Black Sea and the Caspian, there rises abruptly from the dead level of the Tartar Steppes a huge, broken wall of snowy, Alpine mountains, which has been known to the world for more than two thousand years as the great range of the Caucasus.

The Caucasian range may be regarded for all ethnological purposes as a great mountainous island in the sea of human history, and on that island now live together Robinson Crusoes of a score of shipwrecked states and nationalities—the fugitive mutineers of a hundred tribal bounties.

The languages and dialects spoken by the different tribes are more than thirty in number, and two-thirds of them are to be found in the province of Daghestan, at the eastern end of the range, where the ethnological diversity of the population is most marked.

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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Remember to shop early. First week of December shopping will be a pleasure. Second week it may be satisfactory. Third week it will be a whirl, and the last half week will be a crush!!! Shop early.

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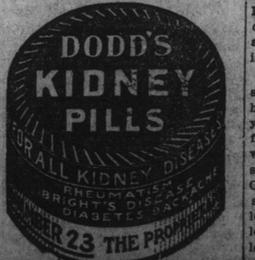
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Duckworth Street and Queen's Road.

The Marvels of a Watch.

Jewellers are fond of saying that "there is no piece of machinery like a watch." It runs day and night for years; yet when it stops the owner feels aggrieved. What other bit of machinery can operate twenty-four hours a day for years at a time? Any machinist will tell you that most machinery must have a rest each day in order to do its best work, owing to what is commonly called metal fatigue, but the watch seldom gets a rest. It is said that a good watch will, with good care, last for a hundred years sometimes.

Then, too, consider the marvelous things that go into a watch, such as the springs, for instance. One of the big American factories uses each day several miles of main-spring wire, two and one-half miles of this steel wire being converted into hair-



Languages spoken by only twelve or fifteen settlements are comparatively common, and on the headwaters of the Andkhi Kolu, in Southwestern Daghestan, there is an isolated village of fifty or sixty houses—the Aoul of Inooch—which has a language of its own, not spoken or understood by any other part of the whole Caucasian population.

Of course the life, customs, and social organizations of a people who had lived for perhaps two thousand years in almost complete isolation from the rest of the world presented, when they first became known, many strange and canyons of the Eastern Caucasus it was possible to study and see in full operation customs and legal processes that had been obsolete everywhere else in Europe for at least a millennium.

Many of the souls of Central and Southern Daghestan bear a striking resemblance to the Pueblos and cliff dwellings of New Mexico. The stone walled houses are built together in a compact mass on the steep slope of a high terrace, and the flat roofs rise in tiers or steps, one above another, just as they do in the settlements of the Pueblo Indians. The roof of one house forms a small square front yard for the occupants of the house, next above it, and ladders serve as means of intercommunication between the roofs of the ascending tiers.

A Writer's Discovery.

A Canadian writer of considerable note claims to have discovered that those concerns which are considered big advertisers seldom figure in labor troubles, strikes, etc. In a recent article he says in part: "There are two reasons: first, a successful and vigorous advertising policy is usually the concomitant of executive ability and good judgment in the direction of an enterprise; and second, a well-advertised business is profitable and thus able, as most of the great advertisers do, to pay high wages and make factory conditions especially agreeable to its workers." Certainly not a bad line of thought, at that.

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Verging on War.

That the escapade of D'Annunzio, the fiery Italian poet-aviator-warrior, did not precipitate another war, must be credited to the patience of the Jugo-Slav peoples, who under great provocation remained passive and peaceful, even while the insurgent soldiery of the "expensive cigar" man were overrunning their territory, and occupying their cities, but should this armed aggression continue, and an attempt be made to seize the whole of Dalmatia, it will inevitably lead to hostilities. So far as the port of Fiume itself is concerned, it is not likely that the Jugo Slavs will enter into armed resistance against the holding of the town by D'Annunzio's troops, as Fiume really is not Jugo Slavian territorially, it being theirs merely by deed of gift of the Supreme Council of the Peace Conference. But the case of Dalmatia is different altogether and admits of no debate.

Discussing the situation created by the procession of events of the past few months, in this quarter of Europe, Colonel Frank H. Simonds, the famous military expert and critic of the Halifax Herald, says that of the 700,000 people who populate Dalmatia, less than 20,000 are Italians, and outside of the one town of Zara, (recently occupied by D'Annunzio), they are a hopeless and unpopular minority. The desire of the population of Dalmatia is overwhelmingly in favor of union with the new Jugo Slav State, and it is Simonds' opinion that the Dalmatians and Southern Slavs are bound to fight if any further attempt at Italian extension is made by D'Annunzio. A war between the Southern Slavs and Italians would not, in the opinion of Colonel Simonds, be terminated by a single swift campaign, nor would Italian occupa-

tion of a portion of Slav territory bring about a settlement. In support of this, the Colonel points out that the Serbs carried on their resistance to the Turks for four centuries, after the Battle of Kosovo, in which the Serbians, under John Hunyadi, defeated by the Turks on October 17th, 1448, enabled the latter nation to overrun Serbian territory.

In the event of a struggle, Italy relies upon Bulgarian and Roumanian assistance, and also upon a certain amount of separatist sentiment in Montenegro and in Croatia, this sentiment being the result of Italian intrigue. But despite all the handicaps under which the Serbs would labor, it is by no means certain, to quote the authority referred to, that the Italians would not be subjected to a long and costly campaign and to an indefinite period of guerilla warfare, for one thing is patent. All the Southern Slavs, Serbs, Slovenians and Croats would prefer a new war with all its sacrifices, to annexation by Italy, and in this spirit they will unitedly resist D'Annunzio, and the country on the eastern shore of the Adriatic Sea is admirably adapted to guerilla fighting. Nor, says Simonds, in his able recapitulation of the tense situation, is it by any means certain that the Southern Slavs might not ultimately derive aid from the Austrian-Germans, a portion of whose territory, together with a quarter of a million of German-speaking Tyrolese, have been included within Italy's frontiers against their will and protest.

Taken as a whole the Italian Government have to face an extremely delicate and difficult situation. Should D'Annunzio refuse to climb down from the stand he has taken, and let matters be settled by the Governments involved, Italy will be faced with a war, brought about by the misguided and misdirected patriotism of one man. And should such a war, be waged all Europe would be in a blaze in a moment, as the whole near East would rise to a man against Italian domination. Dalmatia, which was taken from Austria and added to Jugo Slavia by the Peace Council is a narrow strip of territory extending along the eastern side of the Adriatic Sea, having an area of 4,940 square miles. The coast is steep and rocky. The country is mountainous, Orjen, near the town of Cattaro attaining a height of 6,235 feet. Only one-ninth of the land is fit for cultivation, and that mainly on a strip of the coast. Nearly half is in pasture and a third in wood. The numerous islands off the coast are not very fertile.

Cochrane Street Centennial Church.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES.
The annual Thanksgiving services will be held in Cochrane Street Methodist Church to-morrow, when special sermons will be preached both morning and evening. A special offering is to be taken up in aid of the Memorial Tablet to be erected to the memory of the boys of the congregation who were killed during the war. It is confidently expected the offering will reach last year's figures. Old and young are asked to contribute.

G. W. V. A.

ENQUIRY COLUMN.
The management of the Evening Telegram has kindly put at the disposal of the Great War Veterans' Association an Enquiry Column for men out of employment. Any men requiring work can communicate with the Association direct, and their request will be attended to.

Guild Sale Next Week.

The sale of work in the Methodist College Hall on Tuesday next promises to be a most successful one, exhaustive preparations having been made to this end. The Girls' Guild of the College is looking after the arrangements. Water color paintings, local crocheted work and home embroidery will be offered for sale. The most interesting of them, however, will be a quantity of genuine Japanese goods received direct from Japan. Afternoon teas and candy will be procurable.

Presented With Address.

From the London Morning Post we clip the following:—
"The Board of Management of the Royal National Hospital for Consumption, Ventnor, has presented an address of cordial appreciation to the chairman, Mr. P. B. Burgoyne, for his leadership in the affairs of the institution during the past eighteen years." Mr. Burgoyne above referred to, was known to many here during the sixties, but few however, of his then associates now remain, perhaps his warmest friend was Mr. George A. Hutchings, with whom, we understand, he still corresponds. Mr. Burgoyne now lives at Broadlands, Ascot, London, where he has a magnificent home and beautiful grounds. His son, Major A. N. Burgoyne, M. P., was, during the war, appointed Controller of the Priority Department, Ministry of Munitions.

Five-Day Express in To-Morrow.

Wednesday's east bound express, which left Port aux Basques on Wednesday morning and met bad and stormy weather right across, becoming eventually snowed in in eight feet of snow near Clarendville, has not arrived yet. A message from the nearest station states that it was hoped to have the unfortunate express "dug out" by four o'clock this afternoon and in this case she would reach the city to-morrow morning, probably early. Snow plows which were rushed to the assistance of the train ran off the track and thus added to the delay. At no time in the winter is a train-ride across country a joy-ride, but five days, or a little less, of it is surely a most unenviable experience. If food and fuel ran short the hardship, especially in the case of the women and children, must have been intense. The list of her passengers has not yet been received, on account of wire trouble. Running a railway in this country certainly is no child's play.

Removing Burn-put Cargo.

A gang of men was put to work this morning on the steamer Meridan and engaged in removing the cargo from No. 2 hold, which is still on fire. The fire hose has been laid alongside in case of need and the Furness Withy Co's tug is standing by the steamer. So far there is no fire to be seen but the deck around the hatch is quite hot, and an immense quantity of steam is escaping, making it difficult for men to work. Some hundreds of cases of California apples were the first of the cargo to be removed. These latter were stowed to mush. The ship has a general cargo, and in No. 2 hold are such articles as starch, automobiles, cotton, etc.

Police Court.

A well known milkman of the Goules was fined \$5 for being drunk and disorderly and using obscene language.
Two firemen of the city were each fined \$100 for a breach of Prohibition Act—having alcoholic liquor in their possession.
A thirteen year-old-boy was fined costs for firing a gun within the city.
FERM FINDING THIS EVENING.
The finding of the court in the FERM enquiry will be given this evening at the Magistrates' office.

Three-Master Ashore at St. Pierre.

WAS FISH LADEN AND IS TOTAL LOSS.
According to a message received by Bowring Bros., Lloyds agents in this country, the Job Corp's, N.Y., three-masted vessel Exilda, fish laden, went ashore at St. Pierre on Wednesday. The crew was saved.

Stormy Trip.

The S. S. Canadian Adventurer, arrived in port this morning from Charlottetown with a load of produce. The steamer met a hard time coming along and was coated with ice all over which gang of men were at work removing to-day. She will discharge her cargo at Harvey & Co's pier.

Had 150 Quintals Fish on Board.

The 50-ton schooner Lapwlg, belonging to Bay Roberts, was taking fish to St. John's, P.E.I., for Hickman & Co. and had 150 qtls on board, Carbonar for shelter. She drove out of that port early yesterday morning and has gone to sea. The crew are ashore, and all their belongings are gone on the vessel.

Coastal Boats.

GOVERNMENT.
S. S. Portia left Hermitage at 5.30 p.m. yesterday, coming east.
CROSBIE & CO.
S. S. Earl of Devon left Concho at 7 p.m. on the 10th, coming south to this port.
F. H. ELLIS & CO.
S. S. Susu left Catalina early this morning and is due here at any moment, possibly making port before this paper goes to press.
REIDS'
Argyle to have left Placentia for Bay route when storm abated.
Cynde, Dundee, Ethie, Lencoe, Home, Kyle, Petrel, Sagona not reported.
Meigle leaving for North Sydney as soon as weather permits.

McMurdo's Store News.

SATURDAY, Dec. 13, '19.
Zylix Ointment has been used with phenomenal success in cases of eczema and psoriasis and like forms of skin disease—indeed we know of other ointment which has so many successes in these troubles to its credit. Its value as a healing and soothing ointment in skin troubles is greatly enhanced by the use, in conjunction with the ointment of Zylix Soap, which latter, however, is not only a good medicinal but a first class general toilet soap. Price (Zylix) 50c. box; (Zylix Soap) 30c. cake.
Use Cream of Cucumbers after shaving. You'll appreciate it. Price 30c. a bottle.

At the Majestic.

Characterized by those who saw it as "the best picture in which Charles Roy has ever been in the Paramount picture," "The Girl Dodger," proved very acceptable at the Majestic Theatre last evening. Certainly Roy was never seen to better advantage and in the part of "the girl dodger" or "dreamy dub," he was just fine. Rooming with a rather "fast" companion, the "dreamy dub" detailed by the latter to receive and entertain a girl, whom his mother wished him to marry but whom he had never seen nor desired to. The parts portraying the "dreamy dub" and the girl, were so well acted, that one whom he had been led to believe was "a wild woman" are ludicrously funny and kept the spectators in a good, jolly mood for the evening. The comedy-drama, "The Real Estate," was full of laughs and chuckles, and the co-star comedians were watched with boundless amusement. To-night the same show will be repeated.

Obituary.

With regret we chronicle the passing of Mr. T. Broderick, who was knocked down by a horse on Thursday, Mr. Broderick was a cooper by trade and had been in the employ of the Customs Examining Rooms for the past 30 years. We learn that Mr. Broderick attached no blame to the driver, as he stated, after the accident, that he was crossing the street and had let one horse pass, and, thinking that he could get between this one and one following, started across. The horse struck him and knocked him to the ground. The driver states that the horse tried to jump over the prostrate man and in doing so struck him with its hoof, causing a fracture of the skull, from which he died. The authorities have investigated the matter and so far find that the driver was blameless. Mr. Broderick leaves a widow, one son and a daughter, to whom the Telegram extends sympathy.

Here and There.

When you want Sausages, why get ELLIS'; they're the best.
SACHIN DUE AT DAYLIGHT.
The S. S. Sachin will not make port before daylight to-morrow.
When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS'.
AT THE CROSSIE.—The following guests have registered at the Crossie: J. F. Cantwell, Brigus; Rev. J. Walker, St. Brendan's; H. B. Gillis, Sydney; D. A. Flynn, Grand Falls.
MINARD'S LINIMENT.—The Old Reliable, P. C. ODDIS-COLL, LTD., Agents, St. John's, Oct. 14, 1919.
POTAL WRECK.—The schooner Edith Farly, owned by Geo. Rodway, with a load of produce from P. E. Island, and which went aground on a shoal at Haystack, P.E., early yesterday, has become a total wreck.

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- Hand Mirrors.**
Ladies' Hand Mirrors—Celluloid back, \$3.75, \$1.85, \$4.00 each.
Ladies' Hand Mirrors—Metal back, \$3.50, \$4.00.
- Ladies' Celluloid Soap Boxes, \$1.30 each.**
Ladies' Celluloid Puff Boxes, 35c. each.
Ladies' Silver Thimbles—In case, 35c., 60c.
Ladies' Blouse Sets, 40c., 60c., 80c. set.
Ladies' Brooches, 20c., 25c., 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c. each.
Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, \$2.00, \$2.40, \$2.80 each.
Ladies' Fancy Silk Handkerchief Sachets, 55c.
Ladies' Needle Cases, 20c. each.
Ladies' Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, 50c. set.
Ladies' Writing Cases, 70c. each.
Post Card Albums, 90c., \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.20, \$2.60.
Pencil Cases, 35c., 45c., 70c., 75c., 90c., \$1.20, \$1.40.
Music Cases, 35c., \$3.45, \$4.90 each.
Ladies' Tea Aprons, 40c., 80c., \$1.00, \$1.50 each.
Teapot Cozy Covers—White, \$1.60; Colored, \$1.25.
Sideboard Closets—White, 45c., 80c., \$1.15, \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.50; Brown, 85c., 95c., \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.50 each.
Tea Cloths—White, 75c., \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.90, \$2.30, \$3.00.
Duchesse Sets, 55c., 75c. and \$1.60.
Manicure Sets, \$4.00, \$5.85, \$6.30.
Toilet Sets, \$17.80, \$13.80, \$10.50.
(Composed Brush, Comb, Mirror and Manicure Set.)
Brush, Comb and Manicure Sets, \$7.50, \$4.00, \$3.60.
Brush and Comb Sets, \$5.80.
Jewellery Cleaning Sets, \$2.85.
Pin Trays, \$1.70 each.
Pin Cushions, \$1.20 each.
- Ladies' Fancy Handkerchiefs.**
Ladies' Lisse Handkerchiefs—With colored border, 35c. each.
Ladies' White Lawn Handkerchiefs—Edged with Saxony Lace, 50c., 80c., \$1.50 and \$1.70 each.
Ladies' White Hemstitched Lawn Handkerchiefs, 12c., 15c., 18c., 20c. to 55c. each.
Ladies' White Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, \$1.00 and \$1.10 each.
Ladies' Hemstitched Colored Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs, 35c. each.
Ladies' White Silk Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 50c. and 75c. each.
Ladies' White Silk Handkerchiefs—Colored border, 55c. each.
Ladies' Wool Clouds—White, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.25, \$3.00.
Ladies' Wool Clouds—Black, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$3.25.
Ladies' Wool Squares—White, 40c., 65c., 80c., 90c.
Ladies' Wool Squares—Black, \$1.80, \$2.00.
- Ladies' Gloves and Mitts.**
Ladies' Tan Kid Gloves—Unlined, \$2.60, \$2.90, \$3.50, \$3.90 per pair.
Ladies' Tan Napper Kid Gloves—Unlined, \$3.50, \$4.10 a pair.
Ladies' Navy Kid Gloves—Unlined, \$3.50 a pair.
Ladies' Black Kid Gloves—Unlined, \$2.90, \$3.25 a pair.
Ladies' Grey Suede Gloves—Unlined, \$3.25 a pair.
Ladies' Black Suede Gloves—Unlined, \$2.50, \$3.50 a pair.
Ladies' Brown Kid Gloves—Lined, \$6.25 a pair.
Ladies' Tan Doeskin Gloves—Lined, \$2.90, \$5.50 a pair.
Ladies' White Wool Gauntlet Gloves, \$1.50 a pair.
Ladies' Astrachan Back Gauntlet Mitts—Grey, \$2.95; Black, \$2.40.
Children's Astrachan Back Gauntlet Mitts—Black and Grey, \$1.75 to \$2.25 a pair.
Ladies' Sleeping Socks—White, \$1.30 a pr.
Ladies' Silk Hose—Black, \$1.25, \$2.50, \$3.70 a pair; Navy, Brown, White, Grey, Sky, 75c. to \$2.70 pair.

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Here and There.

American Xmas Novelties and Hand-painted China at the SCHURIG STUDIO, 1 Devon Row.—dec13,21

HOCKEY LEAGUE TO MEET.

The Hockey League will meet on Thursday, Dec. 18th, for the purpose of arranging for the season's games, fixtures, etc. This year's hockey series promises to be the most enthusiastic since 1914, and many a hot clash is looked forward to.

YVESSEL DIDN'T GO ASHORE.

Contrary to thought the vessel Donnie McC., which was driven out of Carbonar by the storm, did not go ashore. The crew escaped safely, but nobody knows where the schooner went. It is known, however, that she did not go ashore.
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NOTICE!

SHIPPERS OF FREIGHT BY S.S. "DIANA."
Shippers will please note for their information when effecting Marine Insurance that considerable freight shipped for carriage by DIANA for West Coast Ports, as advertised, will now go forward by PORTIA sailing about December 18th.

W. H. CAVE,

Acting Minister of Shipping.
dec13,11

To-Day's Sailings.

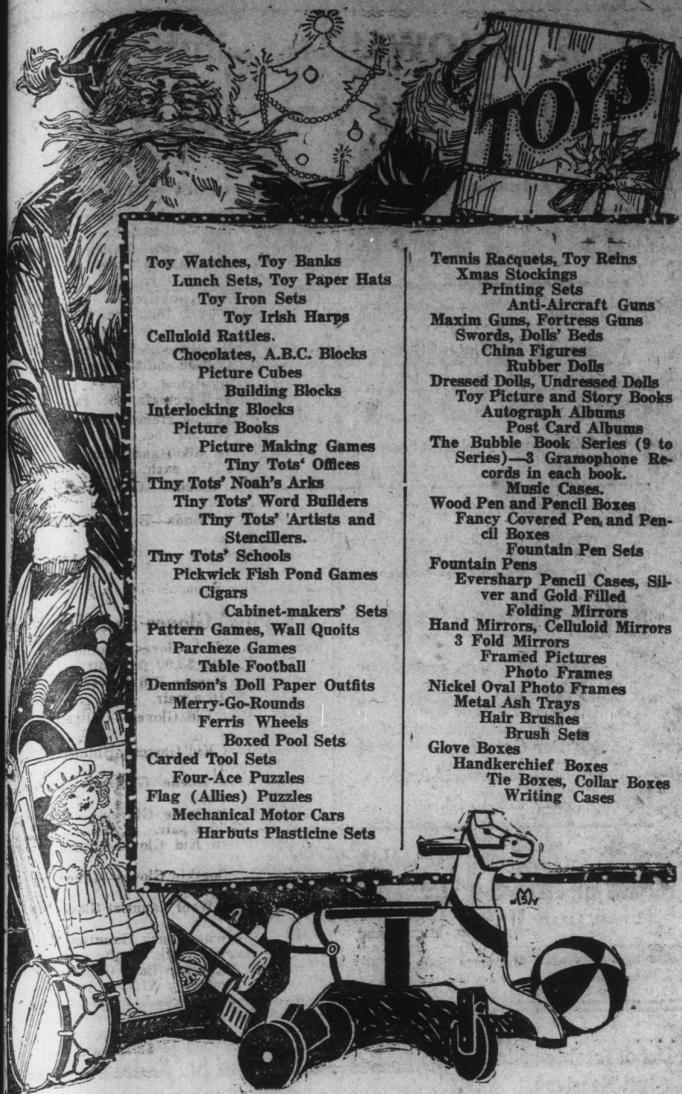
Schooner Armatrice sailed to-day for Seville with a cargo of fish shipped by Lazo & Co.
Schooner Nina Lee sailed to-day for Seville with codfish shipped by Lazo & Co.
S. S. Watuka left this morning for North Sydney in ballast.
S. S. Lady of Gaspé sailed to-day with a general cargo, from A. B. Hickman.
Schr. Herbert Warren sailed to-day for Seville with a cargo of codfish shipped by Lazo & Co.
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The Royal Stores' Great Christmas Bazaar where Santa Claus makes his own home is now ready for the little ones, ready for the grown ups, too, ready with a collection of Toys that will bring gladness to thousands of children. Folks who take time by the forelock and do their shopping NOW, will have the most complete assortments to choose from, will escape the hurry and confusion that the final days will bring.



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Tiny Tots' Noah's Arks
Tiny Tots' Word Builders
Tiny Tots' Artists and Stencillers.
Tiny Tots' Schools
Pickwick Fish Pond Games
Cigars
Cabinet-makers' Sets
Pattern Games, Wall Quoits
Parcheze Games
Table Football
Dennison's Doll Paper Outfits
Merry-Go-Rounds
Ferris Wheels
Boxed Pool Sets
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Flag (Allies) Puzzles
Mechanical Motor Cars
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Handy Box Sets
Sealing Wax Sets
Fancy Brooches
Gold Brooches
Cuff Link Sets
President Braces, Vanity Bags
Silver Thimbles
Fancy Handkerchiefs (3 and 6 to box)
Pipes, Tobacco Pouches
Cigarette Holders
Cigar Holders
Pearl Necklets
Potted Flowers (assorted)
Xmas Tree Ornaments
Xmas Tree Beads
Bells, Paper Screens
Xmas Tree Napkins
Xmas Paper Napkins
Xmas Paper Lunch Sets
Xmas Design Gift Bxs.

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Xmas Cards, New Year Cards
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The accommodation at a public school at Harrow, England, where the fee is \$10 a term, are so insufficient that there is a waiting list of 75, so that objection is made to having Dr. Christopher Addison, Minister of Health, with a salary of \$25,000 a year, send his daughters to the school, which, it is argued, is intended for the masses. Dr. Allison says he would gladly pay higher fees if the rules permitted, and declares that he has as much right as any other citizen to send his children to a public secondary school, adding that he does not believe in class distinction.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARBET IN COWS.

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the Declaration of Independence, and he did not flinch when he had placed in his hands the swords of men who hewed down the flower of his royal progenitor's army. Finally, he came to the gavel. This was where the bell was rung when the Declaration was read, he was told. Then he wanted to know what had become of the bell. They found it for him with the use of their canes. It was hidden away beneath a mess of peanut shells, orange peels, waste paper and other debris. No one seemed to mind what had been discovered except the Prince of Wales. He was apparently appalled. For the moment he forgot that he was a Briton. He gazed upon the poor cracked bell that hung at the nation's birth, and then he spoke the words that made the American people see that they were neglectful.

"This old Bell," he said, "is the greatest relic that the republic has to-day. Instead of being here covered with accumulated dirt, it should occupy the chief place of honor in this Hall of Independence. It is to you what the Magna Charta is to England. It is cracked, but it is an inspiration. Believe me, my friends, it affects me more than anything I have been shown."

That was the renaissance of the Liberty Bell. No more dirt was thrown upon it. During the civil war its name was used to stir the Union soldiers and then when Chicago's World Fair began, it was taken there so that men and women might see it. To-day the Liberty Bell is America's greatest relic and the Prince of Wales, afterward King Edward Seventh, made it so.

I am, Prince,
Very respectfully yours,
ALFRED KING,
North Arlington, N.J., U.S.A.

Canadian Pacific Railway.
On Line at Chatham,
October 22, 1919.

The Private Secretary to the Prince of Wales presents his compliments to Mr. Alfred King and is desired by His Royal Highness to thank him for his letter of the fourth instant and for the interesting information about the old Liberty Bell contained therein.

[The writer of the above, Mr. Alfred King, is a native of St. John's, Newfoundland.]

Evan D. Roberts, of Scranton, Penn., when he was overseas in Uncle Sam's Air Service, went to a town in England one evening to find the home of his grandmother. Passing by a house he saw through the window his father's picture hanging on the wall, and so found the grandmother whom he had never seen.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Department of Marine & Fisheries.

CIRCULAR TO TRADE.

NO. 3.

Since issue of my last Circular further progress has been made with the organization for regulation of exports.

It has only been found necessary to decline Export Permits in a very few cases, the most liberal construction possible having been placed by me and my Board, on the Rules published in Circular No. 2. The applications refused were flagrant cases where considerable damage would have ensued to the markets abroad, had the Export Permits been granted.

Judging by certain criticisms in the press, it does not yet seem to be clear to everyone, that Regulations will in no way damage the so-called small exporter, who on the other hand is prevented from realizing his fish at under its fair value, and thus damaging himself, his business competitors, and the Dominion's interests generally.

The Regulations admittedly, do restrain a too anxious seller from doing incalculable damage to the Dominion's Trade and are framed with that intention. Nor does it appear to be clear to everyone that except in the case of Italy, (a temporary exception on account of the continuation of the Consorzio), there is no interference under the Regulations with the regular channels of doing business. There is nothing in the Regulations, for instance, to prevent shippers from doing their business through the Agency of London Brokers (except for the present in the case of Italy), provided that the shipper on his agents are able to control sales or consignments in accordance with the Regulations.

Shipments to United States Ports: In view of the fact that it has been found that there is some small consumption of Labrador in U.S. markets, the terms of Circular No. 2, have been modified to the extent that exports will be granted for sales of this quality guaranteed for consumption there.

Brazil, shipments to Pernambuco, Bahia, Maceio, and other regular ports where cargoes are usually despatched. The new contract referred to in Circular No. 2, has now been finalised. Copies are being printed and will be available here upon application in a few days' time and in the meantime a typed copy may be seen by anyone so desiring.

The Board of Trade Inspection is under process of organization, and may take a little time to complete. As in its early stages, it may not be as

thoroughly effective as might be desired, the contract has been framed for the present in such a way as not to make it conclusively binding upon the purchaser; but its use will be to supply contributory evidence, that taking the inspection for what it is worth, the shipment was of good dry quality when packed.

Every reasonable protection is afforded to the purchaser in return for the terms of payment which it has been definitely decided cannot be otherwise than full net cash against documents prior to sailing of the vessel. Tapped freight being deducted from invoices and made payable by buyer on delivery of cargo.

I cannot too strongly urge the taking of immediate steps for some organization in Brazilian Ports, to deal with alleged defective parcels, so that the shipper will be able through an Agent on the spot, to take charge of fish claimed to be defective for sale on his own account when necessary. In nine cases out of ten such action will not be necessary, but the safeguard should nevertheless be there.

Forms of Application for Permit to Export: These are now printed and ready for use, and on and after 15th instant, no Permits will be granted unless applications are made on these forms, properly filled up and signed. Due allowance will, however, be made for Districts where applicants cannot yet obtain the forms. A supply of which in due time will be sent to the Sub-Collectors at the various points of shipment.

Feast of Dedication Celebrated by Jews.

Commencing on Tuesday evening, December 16th, one of the most interesting minor holidays in the Jewish calendar, will be celebrated for a period of eight days. It is known as Chanukah, the Feast of Dedication, and being a joyous home festival, it is looked forward to with anticipation by all, especially by the children, since, to a great extent, it has become a children's festival.

The festival commemorates the stirring events of the period from 168 to 165 B. C. Antiochus Epiphanes, the king of Syria, wishing to unite all the provinces under his dominion into one nation, issued a decree that only the Greek religion was to be

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practiced thenceforth. He thereupon tried to suppress Judaism, burned the Sacred Scrolls of the law and set up idols in the Holy Temple at Jerusalem. But the Jews did not submit to his decree. Instead, they resisted, and after a long protracted warfare, Judas Maccabeus, the son of Mattathias the priest, supported by his four heroic brothers, defeated the Syrians, and on the twenty-fifth day of the month of Kislev in the year 165 B.C., removed the idols from the Temple and rededicated it to the service of God.

Many beautiful legends and stories have grown up around the Feast of Chanukah. The most beautiful of these states that on the day of the rededication only a single cruse of oil was found unspoiled, but this oil, through the miraculous power of God, proved sufficient to burn during the entire period of the reconsecration. For this reason the festival is kept for eight days and candles are lit during the entire period, one on the first day, one on the second day, and so on until eight candles have been lighted on the eighth day. Many other legends and features contribute toward making the Chanukah festival one of the most joyous in the Jewish year.

Advertising Pays.

Never before, in the history of newspaper advertising, have the papers of the country, morning, evening and Sunday, been so crowded with full page advertisements. Many advertisers are especially conspicuous by the frequency of their full pages, and they are the advertisers most notable for their success. They undoubtedly find that it pays more than ordinarily to have full pages for themselves, to attract first attention of the reader when he opens the paper in which their ad. is dominant; and that advertisements which overshadow other suitors for the public attention are an assured means of success.

Not long ago, some of those big advertisers thought that full-page advertising campaigns would be too expensive for their business to afford; but after taking the plunge, they find that they cannot use enough of those big, effective ads., with their sure and profitable returns—Exchange.

The Annual Christmas Tree and Party for the Church of England orphans will be held at the Shannon Munn Memorial Farm on Saturday afternoon, December 27th, at 3.30 o'clock. Friends of the Institution are cordially invited to be present. Contributions gratefully received.
A. N. GOSLING, Hon. Sec.
Decs. 11, 13, 15, 19

Handkerchiefs. Each. Colored Crepe de Chine, 35c. each. Embroidered Handkerchiefs—Colorful. White, \$1.00, \$1.90. Black, \$1.00, \$1.90. White, 40c., 65c. White, \$1.80, \$2.00. Unlined, \$2.60. Unlined, \$3.50. Unlined, \$2.90. Unlined, \$6.25. Lined, \$2.90. \$1.50. \$2.40. \$1.75 to \$2.25 a pair. White, \$1.30 a pair. Black, \$1.25, \$2.50. White, Brown, \$2.70 pair.

Ltd. Apricots; Ltd. FREIGHT ANA." for their information, as advertised, RTIA sailing about AVE, Minister of Shipping. Dec 13, 21

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W. H. CAVE,
Acting Minister of Shipping.

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To-day's Messages.

FOUR PROSPECTS.

LONDON, Dec. 12. The announcement in the House of Commons, yesterday, that the introduction of the Irish Bill would have to be postponed at least for a few days, has caused the press to drop all confident predictions regarding the prospects of a Home Rule measure, the comment now expressing general uncertainty. The staunch Unionists, especially the Ulster men, have been indifferent or opposed to the Bill as outlined in the press, and have all along given voice to doubts of its being introduced before Xmas, believing the Cabinet Ministers are divided too greatly for an agreement to be reached.

"BOLSHIES" ROUT DENIKINE.

LONDON, Dec. 12. Bolsheviki forces have again heavily attacked the left flank of General Denikine's army, and driven the latter's volunteers back to a depth of thirty or forty miles, along a front from three to four hundred miles long. The situation gives rise to anxiety. On the Caucasus front, however, the Bolsheviki have been repulsed before Tsaritzin with heavy losses. Bolsheviki attacks continue along the Esthonian front, south of the Gulf of Finland and east of Narva, according to an official Esthonian statement issued Wednesday night.

FAVOR AN ENLARGED ENTENTE.

PARIS, Dec. 12. Premiers Clemenceau and Lloyd George have a clear understanding as to the situation resulting from the present attitude of Germany, according to French newspapers, which speak with satisfaction of the opening of a conference in London by the two statesmen. Many French newspapers express the desire that the London conference should end in the conclusion, if not of an alliance, at least of an entente or agreement, equivalent to an alliance between Great Britain, Italy, France and Belgium.

SUBTLE DIPLOMACY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 12. The Sultan of Turkey, Mohammed VI, to-day received an Associated Press correspondent, and discussed the Turkish situation and the part Turkey is taking in settling of a world peace. In the view of the Sultan, despite alarmist impressions in Europe with regard to a peace settlement, Turkish politicians are taking the position of sound reasonableness, relying upon the judgment and also justice of the Allied Powers, as did Austria, in order to secure the best terms possible.

THE FIRST OPPOSITION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12. The first speaker to oppose Representative Mason's Bill was James S. MacGraw, a Pittsburg Minister of the Reformed Presbyterian Church. He declared that while certain factions in Ireland were trying to establish a republic, there was great division of opinion there. The Irish Republic, he said, could not be considered a de facto Government under international law. The fact that they have not a sufficient army, he said, that they have not a system of taxation, that they have not established courts, and other circumstances, demonstrate that they have not really established a de facto Government.

BRITISH BUY SPITZBERGEN MINES.

CHRISTIANIA, Norway, Dec. 12. The Norwegian coal mines in Spitzbergen have been sold to a British concern for two hundred thousand pounds. The sale was made subject to the approval of the shareholders.

KING RECEIVES TIGER.

LONDON, Dec. 12. Late to-day it was learned that as Premier Clemenceau and Lloyd George had been unable to complete their conference, M. Clemenceau had postponed his departure for France until Sunday. The French Premier will be received in audience by King George at Buckingham Palace this evening.

NOT THREE BUSINESS.

PARIS, Dec. 12. Premier M. Clemenceau, as President of the Peace Conference, has replied briefly to the two notes in which Premier Huszar, of Hungary, explained why he could not send a Hungarian delegation to Neully to negotiate a peace. The reply takes note of the announcement in a Hungarian communication that the three persons, proposed to be selected as delegates, were under internment by the Rumanians. The reply then adds the following: "The Supreme Council is not called upon to intervene in a question of this kind, and it renews to the Hungarian Govt. its invitation to send delegates to Neully as quickly as possible."

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 12. A bill granting a credit of two hundred million pesos to Great Britain, France and Italy, to facilitate the

purchase of Argentine products, was reported to the Chamber of Deputies by the Finance Committee to-night, the report being approved by a vote of 37 to 25. The credit will be guaranteed by a deposit of the sixty million gold pesos in the bank of the Argentine nation. The measure now goes to the senate.

DRAWING CLOSER TOGETHER.

LONDON, Dec. 12. Commenting on Premier Clemenceau's visit to England, the Manchester Guardian says, "Clemenceau's arrival in England and departure of American delegates from Paris, were significant, and not disconnected. Premier Clemenceau doubtless came to do what he can to fill the breach caused by the withdrawal of America. A prospect of support from America becomes less as need of support from this country grows, and may enter not only military and diplomatic spheres, but also those of finance and economics."

A SET BACK FOR GOVERNMENT.

LONDON, Dec. 12. Another rebuff was met by the Government in the Commons last night, when it was obliged to temporarily suspend discussion upon the second reading of the Coal Bill, which limits profits of coal mine owners to fourteen pence per ton for the year ending March thirty-first, nineteen-twenty. This Bill is the Government's method of redeeming its pledge to the Miners Federation, to give legislative effect to a report made by the coal commission headed by Sir John Sankey.

BOLSHEVIKS CLAIM VICTORY.

LONDON, Dec. 12. A Bolsheviki communication, issued before the announcement of the capture of Kharkov, recorded a general advance by the Bolsheviki on all fronts, and the occupation of Volchansk in the Kharkov region. It also told of the swift-pursuit of the hurriedly retreating Kolchak troops Siberia.

REDS SHOOT LOYAL OFFICER CAPTIVES.

IRKUTSK, Dec. 12.

An engineer named Icheriakoff, who has just arrived from Omsk, after having spent a week there, says the Bolsheviki shot captive officers of the Siberian army, who refused to join the Red Army, and citizens who protested against night raids and other Bolsheviki excesses. The price of commodities, the engineer adds, increased from one hundred to two hundred per cent. immediately after the Bolsheviki occupation of Omsk.

CONFERENCE ADJOURNED.

LONDON, Dec. 12. A despatch received here from Stockholm says that the conference between the Baltic State representatives and the Bolsheviki has been adjourned until the end of the month.

HAD TEA WITH KING AND QUEEN.

LONDON, Dec. 12. M. Clemenceau went to Buckingham Palace this afternoon, where he had tea with King George and Queen Mary. In the evening he dined with Earl Curzon of Kedleston and Lady Curzon, and later visited a theatre.

Supreme Court.

The action of Dr. John Alex. Robinson, for libel against the St. John's Daily Star, was continued yesterday afternoon. The council for the defence addressed the jury, pointing out that the plaintiff had not established his identity with the matter complained of. His Lordship the Chief Justice, in directing the jury, quoted eminent authority on what constitutes libel. The jury retired at 3:45 p.m. and returned to court again at 8:45, announcing through their foreman, Mr. W. B. Fraser, that they had failed to agree upon a verdict.

To-day's Proceedings.

Before the Chief Justice. The King on the prosecution of James Murdoch, vs. W. G. Gosling, Mayor, et al. Mr. McNeilly for plaintiff states that the plaintiff is ill and he has no additional evidence to call. Mayor Gosling, recalled, examined per curiam. The court adjourned until Wednesday, Dec. 17th.

ROSALIND LEAVES TUESDAY.—S. S. Rosalind leaves New York on Tuesday for Halifax and St. John's.

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IN LOVING MEMORY

of my darling son, Thomas Francis Power, died this day one year ago, R. I. P. The ones now left to mourn his loss will shed a silent tear. For him who was so dear in life, so noble, kind, sincere. Passed peacefully away on Dec. 12th, after a long and painful illness, Elizabeth, wife of the late Joseph Kennedy of Carbonear, leaving one son and a large circle of friends to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Sunday, from her late residence, Rope Walk Range.

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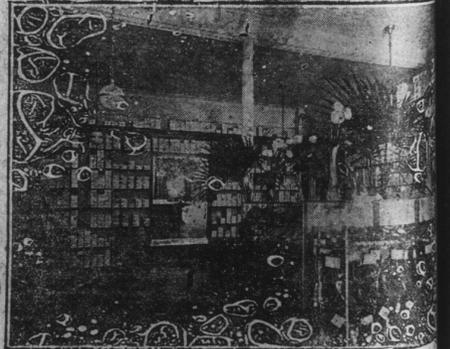
Waters,
PERRIER
Pints and Splits.

ILL AT HOME.—Mr. J. McCarthy, J. P., of the Magistrates Court, is at present confined to his home suffering from a slight attack of pneumonia.
MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, Etc.

THE
Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Society
WILL HOLD A
SALE OF WORK
in the Club Rooms, Smallwood Building, Duckworth Street (opposite Bell Street), on
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Plain Work, Fancy Work, Candy and Pantry Stalls.
Afternoon Teas, 40c.; Meat Teas (after 6 p.m.), 75c.
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The Craft of the Press may rightly be said, in many respects, to stand out, differing from all other professions in that it combines the literary and the mechanical. In the course of its evolution, since the printing press was first invented, it has passed through a long and interesting history. It has not only been a means of disseminating knowledge, but it has also been a powerful agent in the advancement of civilization. The printer's art is one of the most important and useful of the arts of the present day. It is the printer who has made possible the great works of literature, science, and art that have enriched the world. The printer's work is a noble and honorable one, and it is one that should be highly respected and valued by all.

Home



A wanderer stood
wondering at a happy
face, his soul for the hour
The man slipped
song of his soul. And
and pathetic heart-
The man was
Sweet Home."
You may RE-
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Grand Old Traditions of the Press.

Representing Forces of Energy and Gravity.

By E. M. DOBIE,
(Printer and Publisher.)
The Craft of the Press may rightly be said in many respects to stand apart, differing from all other professions in that it combines the literary and the mechanical. In the center that have passed since the press was evolved and has struggled through its evolution. And having now reached a fulfillment of usefulness which is rightly claimed that indeed the press is mightier than the sword.

As to the Press its antiquity is second to none. It is one of the oldest of the arts. Consider the element of truth. Any profession or cult that claims to influence must have traditions. Its claims be too modern to respect. So hanging around the newspaper, and absorbed by its history. Traditions which are disregarded, for the true newspaper man accepts and stands for a code of ethics from which he may not swerve without impugning his position as a leader of thought and framer of traditions. We find examples of the dropping of barriers in the case of newspapers that fall from the mass of tradition is one concern the editor. In these

later days the editor's individuality has become impersonal. Largely because the editor does not own his paper, or rather the journal for which he writes. In the days when he was the proprietor, to a very much larger extent than now, especially in connection with papers in the larger centres, his work and worth stood out in the community as a driving and directing power. He was inferred to have gained his grasp of a field of thought as the result of tribulation and much burning of the midnight oil. About where he lived and printed his paper and published his opinions such were accepted as almost infallible by a large section of readers. That day has passed, but it was a vital matter when men at the helm were of the calibre of George Brown, Richard Dana and others. These men issued the personality conducted paper and their writings had weight accordingly.

But this matter of traditions. I asked a friend who walks the same way as myself when going to eat, if there were any traditions about his business and work. He was a plumber. "Not that I know of," he said, and added, "only that people say that we charge about three prices for what we do." I replied that that was not tradition, but fact, and he got so mad that he wouldn't speak to me for a week.

I asked still another friend, who is in the way of making the most

astounding things in big boilers and thumping big things in machinery, the same question. He reflected a few minutes and said that he couldn't recall any traditions, and added that his was very serious business, as if that gave any distinction. After several trials, in addition, I reached the conclusion that the Press was in a class by itself so far as traditions were concerned.

Surely we must concede that prominent among these is the tradition, handed down from editor to cub reporter, from journeyman to apprentice, which inculcates the beautiful thought that when the irate citizen comes in, burst in, to express the situation as it abounded, demanding of the editor "who writ that piece that was printed about me in your paper," and threatening annihilation, that the intruder was at once taken hold of by the editor and summarily tossed down stairs or thrown out a second story window. This fine old tradition, I regret to say, is now much more honored in the breach than in the observance, but I have seen the thing done. And it came about in this way.

It was along back in the late sixties, when one day a couple of fakirs named Rutley and Andrus struck down and professed to effect certain cures of bodily ailments by a kind of laying on of hands. As we had in the community a diverse collection of those who were periodically infirm as well as those who permanently posed as complete nervous wrecks, and as operations for the relief of appendicitis had as yet not become popular or expensive, the pair had many applications. By common consent the old reliable lined meal poultice, the stand-by for all internal ills, was laid on the shelf, while the new cult was given a chance to show itself. The practitioners had got a few days' start, and were doing nicely, thank you, when Mr. Romaine, of whom I have previously written, came home from a trip to Montreal. He hated a fakir and a sham, and pitched into the clique in a column of scabbed-leafed bourgeois, with what was, for the time and situation, a real "swell heading." It was a ringing denunciation of the whole thing, with a very apparent libel in every other sentence, in case the issue were taken into court.

Paper came out of a Friday. Middle of the morning I was holding some copy while proof was being read by Mr. Romaine, when the office door was flung open and a large man strode into the room and demanded to be informed if the editor was in. The large man (Rutley) was wearing a silk hat and a pounce-colored, light overcoat and his legs were encased in light grey trousers. Such apparel was plainly an offence in itself and the hands made audible remark as to the libelment. Mr. Romaine was pointed

out to the stranger, who he was busy in the inner office. Striding forward and towering over the desk the large man demanded to know if Mr. Romaine was the editor.

It looked as if hostilities would commence. This to my great joy and to the engrossing interest of the hands now awaiting developments, Mr. Romaine leaped from his chair, pulled off his coat, cast it on the desk, rolled up the sleeves of his shirt and glaring defiance at the intruder, thundered, with a perfectly delightful disregard of good grammar, "If you mean the responsible editor, I'm him."

Through the glass of the partition separating the sanctum from the working staff, the entire and joyous proceedings could be viewed. Printers are ever ready to appreciate a situation. Indeed I have observed that they will even anticipate and accelerate, if opportunity offer. Such is quite in line with good tradition. Work had stopped. The rhythmic grind of No. 3 Oshawa Gordon ceased. The comp. who was locking up an auction sale poster, paused with the mallet in mid-air. Anyway it was Friday, distribution day, with all the general relaxation following the long night's work. The hands waited for the conclusion and in anticipation of an unusual form of entertainment, for the case on the stage was about to furnish both comedy and tragedy.

Turning about Mr. Romaine told me to put a brick against the door. Now as an apprentice I endeavored to be thorough. I hastened to place two bricks, for bricks were the usual form of door holder, as we did not enjoy using boiler plate base, solid lead, from the Central Press Agency. Placing the bricks I hurried back to the scene of carnage. Mr. Romaine had hold of the intruder by the lapels of the pounce-colored coat and was dragging him about the room in an effort to steer him through the doorway. The couple knocked over the other chair, upset a small book-stand filled with Government reports and other priceless literature. The tall man was remonstrating with utterances of "see here," "hold on a minute," "let me explain" and other ejaculations. All these efforts at amity and concord were lost on Mr. Romaine. With a mighty tug he pulled the stranger through the door, and then the real fun commenced.

It will be apparent to any one who has been incarcerated in an old-time composing room that the last place for judicious violence is among the racks and cases. The stranger in his passage to the outer door snubbed on to anything that promised a hold. He clawed at the top cap case of an Old Style Long Primer and the case fell on the floor with a noise to wake the dead. The pair caromed up against the corner of a composing stone, twisted around the corner of a news form, and about a column and a half of paid advertising, top of column, next to reading, fell out of the chase with a fearful crash. The time-honored tin can, half full of dirty water and the sponge, standing on the other corner of the stone was knocked off and the contents irrigated the overcoat and the grey trousers.

Viewing the concussion from a respectful distance it seemed to me that I never beheld so many flying legs and obtrusive feet. It boots all how loose-pointed a man can be when he is subject to fractious exertion by some other fellow bent on personal destruction. I pledged myself that presently there would be a casualty. The couple, in their gyrations, walked into a double-demy stallion route bill (it was early in May), and all that was left of the embroglio was a cluster of wooden type, the empty chase, sidesticks and quoins.

Finally with a mighty heave Mr. Romaine thrust the man through the door, the door, mind you, against which I had placed the bricks, and stood him up for a moment's rest on the landing. The stranger anticipated early release. But not so, for Mr. Romaine twisted him around, for a fair start, got behind him and hurled him bodily down the stairs. And I am sure that all concerned in the Craft will appreciate how my juvenile faith in the best traditions of the Press was strengthened and widened, heartened and broadened as I saw and heard that large man go thumping down the office stair. It was a magnificent expression of the combined forces of energy and gravity. Side by side with this relation may I remark that such was the kindergarten of my initiation.

Laughter Solved the Problem.

Probably the most delicate of the problems that in a country like this one confront the Prince of Wales are these that were well illustrated when at the Academy of Music he found a large and stately armchair—a sort of throne—in which he expected to sit. It was a well-merited attention, of course, and a less wise Prince might have accepted it as his due, seated himself at such a time in such a chair—and have made himself by doing it a somewhat amusing spectacle.

This Prince avoided the double danger of the situation—he did not hurt the feelings of those who had tried to be kind, but he sat in a little chair instead of the big one. He did it, seemingly, by turning the episode



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into a joke, which he enjoyed himself, for the same reason that those around him enjoyed it, and tact was required for doing that successfully. The chances are that he did not have to think what to do. A Prince of precisely the right kind wouldn't, and Ly common agreement of all who meet or see this one he is of precisely the right kind.

So does he teach those who need the lesson that, as regards forms of government, it is the spirit, not the letter, that counts and that a nation is not necessarily enslaved because it chooses to have a King.—N. Y. Times.

Prince Greet 1,000 Pupils.

High School Boys and Girls Have Tea on the Renown.

One thousand New York school children from twenty-nine high schools went aboard the British battle cruiser Renown to see the Prince of Wales. They were conveyed to the warship in a naval tug and two of the municipal steam boats. The

Police Boat Patrol, covered with American and British flags and the band on deck playing popular airs, circled around during the reception. About half the nurser were young women with a sprinkling of girls, and the remainder were youths who carried American flags.

The officers and the crew of the Renown expected to have 1,000 children come on board the ship and had made preparations for them.

The carpenter's mates rigged up an electric switchback railway on the forward deck and the sailors placed hand-spikes in the steam capstan aft for the children to sit upon and have a merry-go-round. The officers of the Renown made a bran bag, which is one of the ship's canvas bags filled with bran and all kinds of little gifts placed inside done up in small boxes for the little ones to dive for with their hands. These childlike pastimes were abandoned when the news was sent off to the Commander of the Renown that there would not be any little children in the party. As the tenders with the school girls on board came alongside they sang glees, and the Prince of Wales,

dressed in the uniform of a naval captain, stood on the grating of the accommodation ladder on the starboard quarter and saluted them. Tables were set out for tea on the after deck, and 500 were served at a sitting.

When a few hundred of the juvenile guests were assembled and cheering him on the quarter deck under the awning, the Prince of Wales walked into a position amidships and standing with one foot on the captain's said: "I am delighted to welcome so many girls and boys of the New York schools on board the Renown, and I thank you for the kindly welcome you have given me in New York and the friendly words which have been addressed to me. The Renown, as you see, is a very large ship, but she is not large enough to hold the many thousands of boys and girls of New York whom I would like to invite on board to-day. I have been having a very good time in this great city, and I hope you will have a good time here this afternoon, and I hope you will carry away a happy memory of my party.

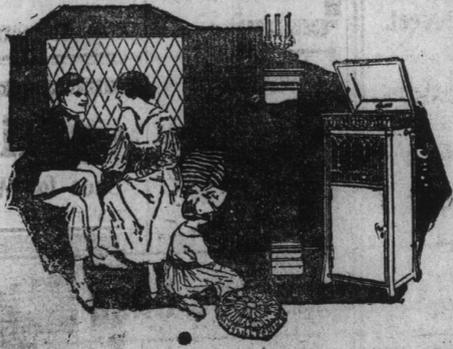
"I want you to have some small memento of this party and I have therefore arranged for you to be given a box of chocolates before leaving the ship. I thank you for coming."

The Collie.

Dogs seem to know human nature perhaps better than we do, and collie dogs especially seem almost human. There is a story told by Albert Payson Terhune, himself the owner of the famous prize collie "Lad," of a dog which came into the home as a playmate and guardian of the wee girl. Collie and baby grew up together, and though the dog worshipped the child, the master was the one who came first. When war broke out the man enlisted, and over in France was wounded. The collie had gone to sleep that night on the verandah, and at just the same time his master was wounded the dog began to give the most agonizing cries, and tried to get his mistress to follow him down the road. She did go with him for a little way, and then the dog stopped, as though baffled, and turned once more homeward. Word came from the master in a French hospital, and things went along as usual until one evening, at sunset, the collie, which had been romping, suddenly stiffened and, throwing back his head, gave one sharp bark. His mistress spoke to him, and he came over near her, head down and his whole body drooping. In the hospital just at that time, the master had died. The author calls his story "Something," and it is a something that we are unable to explain. Some people will not believe that dogs have this sense of knowing, but men who know and make a study of dogs say they have it.

NOTE OF THANKS.—The family of the late Mrs. James Keen wishes to thank the Doctors and Nurses of the General Hospital for their kindness and attention to their mother during her stay at the institution, especially Nurses Hogan, Squires, Murray, and Cashin; Sisters Scott and Lerner, and all kind friends who helped and sent notes of sympathy and wreaths to adorn the casket.

Home, Sweet Home



A wanderer stood in the darkened street, looking through the window at a happy family within. The scene pictured the longing in his soul for the home he did not have.

The man slipped away unseen, and one day wrote a song—the song of his soul. And this song became immortal; the most beautiful and pathetic heart-song that the world has ever known.

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The sea washes the world—Pears' Soap washes its inhabitants!

For over a century, Pears' has been making its way round the world. Ask for it in your local store; it is there! From the Cape to Cairo, in the bazaars of India, throughout Australia, Canada, the U.S., and South America Pears' has made its way with civilization,—on merits!

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Pears'

is not heavily scented. Its delicate perfume comes from pure natural ingredients; the difference is important,—it means again that Pears' soap is pure.



Preserving Our Inheritance.

That "Government of the people, by the people and for the people shall not perish from the earth" has again become the direct and personal concern of all who are loyal to the democratic ideal.

When its adherents and beneficiaries cease to safeguard it from the assaults of its enemies, democracy—as a governmental system and a social ideal—ceases to properly function.

When the will of law-defying minorities—such as the I. W. W.—can be enforced in sinister disregard of the rights of majorities, and the industrial life of the country paralyzed, little or greatly, it is time for plain speaking.

The marine workers, organized as a branch of the I. W. W., up to the commerce of the harbor of New York. That their arbitrary action means the endangering of the food supply of six millions of people does not interest these strikers. They issue a statement attacking organized labor and its leaders and calling for "one big union" to replace all existing craft unions. They see in this plan a promise of autocratic power for their own leaders—power which would menace the life of the people far more gravely than would the triumph of political

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Thousands of housewives have found that they can save two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, by using the well-known old recipe for making cough syrup at home. It is simple and cheap but it has no equal for prompt results. It takes right hold of a cough and gives immediate relief, usually stopping an ordinary cough in 24 hours or less.

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Lord Nelson's Sword to be Sold.

Patriotic Britons are beginning to shake in their shoes for fear that Lord Nelson's service sword, which is to be sold at auction in London, about the middle of December, may be knocked down to some wealthy American collector, whose long purse will enable him to outbid those whose desire it is to keep this most interesting historical relic in this country. Apart from its association with Nelson, who carried it in some of his fiercest battles, the old weapon has a most curious later history. This sword, which was made especially for Lord Nelson, is a plain naval service weapon, 25¼ inches in length, and is still in the original black leather scabbard. It is accompanied by several affidavits vouching for its authenticity. It was evidently not worn by Nelson during the battle of Trafalgar, but was taken from his cabin on the "Victory," by Sir Thomas Hardy, with whom England's greatest admiral was talking when he fell mortally wounded. It was presented by Lady Hamilton to Alderman J. J. Smith, who came to her assistance in her days of bitter adversity. It was he who obtained her release on bail in 1814, from the King's Bench Prison, where she was confined for debt, and who assisted her to escape to Calais. "This will be the first of Nelson's swords to be sold at auction, and it undoubtedly will fetch a goodly sum. Nelson's log-book, sold under the hammer last summer, realized, it may be remembered, \$28,000, but it is hardly expected. I was told at Sotheby's yesterday that the sword will fetch as large a sum. The weapon which is five inches shorter than the regulation length for a naval service sword, is believed to have superseded a still more historic one used by Lord Nelson, which is now in the United Services Museum in Whitehall. Since being presented by Lady Hamilton to Alderman Smith, the weapon has had strange vicissitudes. By Alderman Smith it was given probably in 1830, to one John Kinsley, described as a "constable," who helped to pack up Nelson's personal possessions when, after Lady Hamilton's death, they were handed over to the great sea-fighter's family.

A Prominent Prohibitionist.

The campaign for prohibition in Great Britain undertaken by Mr. Wm. E. Johnson of the United States, is proof of the man's zeal and tireless energy. Prohibition is not a popular cause in the Old Country. Mr. Johnson is, therefore, waging an uphill fight.

A little more than 57 years ago Mr. Johnson was born at Coventry, N.Y., but was educated at the University of Nebraska, and it was in Lincoln, Nebraska, that he began his career as a journalist, which later included a term in New York and in Chicago. Then he entered the service of the Federal Government of the United States, becoming the special agent of the Department of the Interior to enforce the liquor laws in Indian Territory and Oklahoma, and later chief special officer of the United States Indian Service. During three years he secured more than 3,200 convictions against violators of the liquor laws. He was nominated several times for public offices by the Prohibition Party. He has attended several international temperance conventions in Europe and is well known to the temperance workers of his own and other countries.

He has been a prolific writer, but practically all his works are devoted to various phases of the temperance question.

He is a member of the Presbyterian Church, a Free Mason and a Knight of the Pythias. His home is at Westerville, Ohio.

Who Invented Paper?

All the world knows that the Arabs transmitted from India to Europe, through Asia, the figures with which we do our sums, but it is not generally known that we also have them to thank for paper, says Harper's Weekly.

At various times the scholars of different countries have tried definitely to determine the real discoverer of paper in the eleventh century. It is to paper that we owe the renaissance of letters. From time immemorial something answering modern paper was used in China, where it was manufactured from silk. About the middle of the seventh century of our era there seemed of have been established in Arabia a manufactory of paper, and fifty years later the way was discovered to make it from cotton instead of from silk, silk being a rare commodity outside of China at that time, and cotton relatively plentiful. In the reign of Henry II. of France a Greek scholar was sent to Paris to arrange systematically a catalogue of antique manuscripts in the royal library, and a notation in his hand speaks of what was then known as "paper" as originating in Damascus. The later invention of making paper from fax, linen or hemp has been attributed to Italy and Germany, but there is evidence that it existed prior to the fourteenth century.

With the Scissors.

Now it is the Princess Marie, of Roumania, who, rumor has it, will become the bride of the Prince of Wales; but in this case there seems to be some foundation for the statement, for she is a constant visitor at the Royal Palace at Windsor. Princess Marie, who is attending school in London, is 20 years of age and one of the most beautiful girls in Europe.

Although his parole date was reached several months ago, Charles Ortner refuses to leave St. Sing Prison, N.Y. His sentence was for four years, and he cannot be forcibly ejected from his prison home until the four years expire. The warden told Ortner, convicted of assault in Queens, that he could go, but Ortner continued to hang around the place as if he enjoyed it. A man was needed to tunnel a wall, and Ortner got the job, because he would not run away when he got to the other side of the wall.

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**BOY SCOUTS'
COLUMN.**



HAPPY HALIFAX.
We see by a late copy of the Hal-
fax Herald that at a very recent meet-
ing of the Rotary Club of that city,
on the suggestion of Prof. Styles,
B.A.Sc., the assistant to the Domini-
on Commissioner, the members
pledged themselves to help on the
movement in, not only Halifax, but
also in the other towns of Nova Sco-
tia where there is a branch of the
club. The Rotary Club is helping
not alone the "Bluenose" Scouts but
also the whole movement. Good
Luck.

Speaking of the Rotary Club, it will
be remembered that they gave a
luncheon to the Chief Scout, Sir R.
S. S. Baden-Powell, in Montreal.

A COUNTY ENCAMPMENT.

A three days' week-end encamp-
ment was held for all scouts in York
County, Maine, U.S.A., this June.
Owing to school being on, all the
various troops in the county could
not attend, but despite that, over
250 Boy Scouts of America turned up.
Each troop brought its own camp
and usual camp equipment, and all
did their own cooking. This encamp-
ment was held at a well-known sea-
side resort, Old Orchard, Me. The
local troop supplied the firewood and
also laid on water and electric light
for the encampment. Incidentally a
Newfoundlander was present, at the
invitation of the camp committee, in
the person of the Editor of this col-
umn.

Those Yankee Scouts were a dandy
bunch, but they can't beat us, except
in one way, that is their observance
of their rules. They stick to their
rules always and they have twelve
Scout Laws while we only have ten.

Look here, Scoutmasters, what's
the objection to a combined week-
end encampment for all Scouts on
the Avalon Peninsula, next year?
Don't say, "Oh, yes, there's heaps of
time; wait until the winter is over."
You have to be prepared. Do it now!

**HINTS ON SIGNALLING BY THE
SEMAPHORE METHOD.**

(When sending Semaphore mes-
sages, the following points should be
carefully attended to both at drill and
when actually sending messages):

The signaller should stand exactly
facing the receiving station.

In the case of double letters occur-
ring, care should be taken to bring
the flags down to "ready" sharply,
after the first letter has been made.

The flags should be kept unfurled
and moved quickly to attract atten-
tion.

When sending is going on, every
Scout but the signaller should keep
away from the flags, to give the re-
ceiver a clear view.

In Newfoundland, the regulation
Semaphore flags are plainly visible
from 1 to 2 miles distant. With a
cold, clear atmosphere they can be
read at greater distances.

All motions of the flags must be
sharp. The flags must be kept fully
exposed, when sending, and complet-
ely hidden from view at other times.

When finishing a word, care should
be taken to bring the flags smartly
to the ready, but be sure to check
them at this position.

The learner will find it of assist-
ance in keeping his flags unfurled,
to wave them in an elongated figure
eight. Care should be taken to have
a free motion of the arms and wrists.
(Contributed by Chas. D. Muir, P.
L. "Muskrats," 2nd St. John's (S.B.C.).

THE WOLF CUBS.

Dear Old Shabago.—On Thursday
we had our meeting and a fine bunch
of Wolf Cubs turned up, although it
was so disagreeably cold. Six more
boys were sworn in this week, and we
tried them on their badges. They
did fairly well. All are busy now get-
ting ready for Xmas, and next week
we have a special programme.
Yours Scoutingly,
D. C. LEWIS,
Cubmaster.

THE PICTOU CAMP.

Editor Scout Column.
Dear Sir—I had the pleasure and
privilege this summer to attend the
training camp which was held in
Chance Hr., Pictou County, during
July and August. The camp was at-
tended by 6 officers, 3 troop leaders,
20 patrol leaders and 18 scouts. Mr.
H. O. Eamon was in command. He
is Maritime Secretary for the Boy
Scouts. The first day's routine was
as follows: 6.45, reveille; 7.00 a.m.,
setting exercises; 7.40, morning
plunge; 7.45 breakfast; 8.15 flag
raising, day's orders, etc.; 9.30, open-
ing talk by Scoutmaster; 11.15, swim-
ming and water sports; 12.15 p.m.,
dinner; (we were very glad to get
any grub at any time); 1.45, kit in-
spection; 2, scouting games; 4.30,
swimming; 5.30, supper; 7.30, camp
fire; 9.30, first post; 9.40, last post;
10, "taps," lights out.
Mr. Eamon who is wholly given up

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to this job of doing something for
the boys of Canada, is a fine fellow,
and it is hoped that he will come down
early next year to see the Newfound-
land Scouts, and we are going to show
him what we are made of, aren't we
boys?

I do not wish to occupy too much
space, and will close this report next
week, so cheero scouts; and thanking
you, Mr. Editor, I am,
Yours Scoutingly,
DONALD LEWIS.

Dec. 12, 1919.

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Christmas FURS

All sizes from 34 to 44 when the Sale begins Monday Morning, Dec. 15

Just at the edge of the Winter, while these advance Mid-Winter styles—the accepted Modes of the season—are new, this offering is a real opportunity for the woman who desires to effect an extraordinary saving.



BIG REDUCTIONS

...ON...

Fur Sets, Fur Coats, Ladies' Suits and Fur Trimmed Cloth Coats and our entire stock of Dresses.

So many are planning Gifts of FURS, etc., for Christmas, and many, too, have waited until now to buy for themselves. These important reductions give ten days of splendid values, of which all who are shopping for the holidays should take advantage, as according to our usual custom all Ladies' Ready-to-wear Apparel must be cleared out, regardless of cost, at the end of each season.



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Newest Winter models, including Yalama Cloth, Silverstone, Duvet Delaine, Broadcloth and Velveteen, only a few of a kind. Many are beautifully trimmed with sealine or nutria. Ripple and straight line styles, many novelty effects. Handsome silk linings.

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that our SOUVENIR CHRISTMAS GREETINGS and NEW YEAR PHOTO MOUNT CALENDARS are now ready for sale.

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- 1 5-8 x 2 1-225c. each
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These Calendars are especially suitable for Christmas or New Year Gifts. You only need to slip your photo or snapshot in these mounts to have an artistic and attractive souvenir. We have only a limited number. Call and see them.

All Mail Orders must be accompanied by remittances.

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Obituary.

MISS HELEN SPARROW.

On the 9th inst, there passed to the reward of a truly christian life, Miss Helen Sparrow, at Burin North. For some months past the deceased lady was confined to her home through illness, and during that time she was a constant example to those around her of resignation and patient faith in the designs of Divine Providence, in that she ever displayed a beautiful submission and a cheerful compliance with the trials so inevitably characteristic of a prolonged sickness. She passed away as she always wished—surrounded by her friends and fortified by all the rites of the Catholic Church, of which she was ever a consistent and practical member.

The deceased lady was 69 years old, and in her early days taught school in the district. After resigning the teaching profession, she was appointed Post Mistress at Burin North, which she held uninterruptedly for a period of twenty-two years. About two years ago she was retired on a pension. The deceased was well and favorably known on the West Coast, and her untiring energy displayed in Church matters was fully appreciated by the late Father Morris and other clergy-men.

She possessed rare intellectual attainments, as well as very considerable literary ability, both in prose and verse. Fifty years ago she was a contributor to the Morning Chronicle, her articles being greatly appreciated for their high standard of excellence, and later on she also contributed to the Terra Nova Advocate, Evening Telegram and the Newfoundland Quarterly Magazine. Nor did she confine her contributions, to her own country, as for several years articles of high merit appeared from her pen in the columns of the leading Catholic journal of America, the Boston Pilot.

The deceased has left one brother, ex-Inspector Robert Sparrow of the Newfoundland Constabulary, sister and many relatives and friends to mourn their sad loss. Requiescat in pace.

Shipping Notes.

S. S. Rosalind is scheduled to leave New York for this port via Halifax on to-morrow.

The schooners Westorian and Alembic have arrived at New York, from Job Bros. & Co.

Notice to Consignees!

The S. S. LADY OF GASPE has discharged a cargo of freight from Boston and Halifax to Messrs. Morey & Co., South Side Premises. Consignees are requested to take immediate delivery of their freight.

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Last of All-- "Kearney" First

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Applications will be received... undersigned, between the hours... for the purchase of Government... Bonds, amounting to ONE MILL... ing Interest at the rate of FIVE... PER CENT. per annum, payable... January and July in each year... able on the first day of July, 1920.

Such Principal sum and Interest... Office of the Minister of Finance... John's, Newfoundland; at the B... John's, Montreal and Toronto, and... Bank of Montreal, New York.

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Applications will be received at the Office of the
undersigned, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.,
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Bonds, amounting to ONE MILLION DOLLARS, bear-
ing interest at the rate of FIVE AND ONE-HALF
PER CENT. per annum, payable on the first days of
January and July in each year, and Principal repay-
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Such Principal sum and interest are payable at the
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John's, Newfoundland; at the Bank of Montreal, St.
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You didn't? Well you should. Who is
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collection of short yarns spun by the
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friends, and your friends too if you
ever read Jacobs. Sam Small, Ginger
Dick and Peter Ruseoff. It is Jacobs
all over, 12 short rollicking, bright,
sailor stories that will be enjoyed by
anybody with any sort of a sense of
humour. The four illustrations are
worthy of the book and the cover de-
sign will portray the character of the
book. The publishers are Hodder &
Stoughton, London.

Here and There.

When you want Steaks, Chops,
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The S. S. Meigle is sheltered at Hr.
Buffett having run there from Placentia
out of the storm of Thursday last.

Coughs and Colds are very
prevalent at present. Try Phor-
atone at STAFFORD'S, Theatre
Hill.

C.C.C. TO ELECT OFFICERS.—The
C.C.C. Association will meet to-mor-
row at the Armoury, after last Mass,
when officers for the coming year will
be elected.

Try Phorafone for that nasty
Cough and Cold you have. Price
30c. at STAFFORD'S Drug
Store.

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The engagement is announced of
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Mrs. William Hewardine, to Walter J.
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Dry Batteries and Flashlights
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30 doz. Winter Cranberries.
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Large assortment of
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Snow-bound Pas- sengers Complain.

The following message to the
Premier from the passengers of the
express which was stalled in eight
feet of snow near Clarendville was re-
ceived yesterday:

"About fifty people stalled here pas-
sage forty hours awaiting train to St.
John's. Weather very cold. Women
and children suffering. Send relief
train.—Nicholas Gushue, Patk. Seward,
Bernard Carty, Herb. Pitcher, Wm.
Quinton, Fred. Curtis."

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Like the sun, the modern gas fire
warms solid objects—such as the
furniture of a room or its occupants
—without appreciably raising the
temperature of the intervening air.
At the same time the products of
combustion in their passage up the
chimney flue keep the atmosphere in
healthy motion.

Further information from
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Oke Building.

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The young man in the employ of
the Post Office, who was charged with
stealing letters containing scripts, was
committed to the Supreme Court for
trial yesterday. Bail in \$2,000 was
given—a personal bond of \$1,000 and
two securities, Messrs. Spratt and
Ruby, in \$500 each was accepted.

The Walking Doll.

Walks with natural, graceful
stride, when led by hand. Can bow,
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Sensational entertainment for par-
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Here and There.

READ PAPER TO LADIES.—This
afternoon Miss Morris read her pa-
per, "Library Notes," which she had
prepared for the hearing of the His-
torical Society, to the members of the
Ladies' Reading Room of this city.

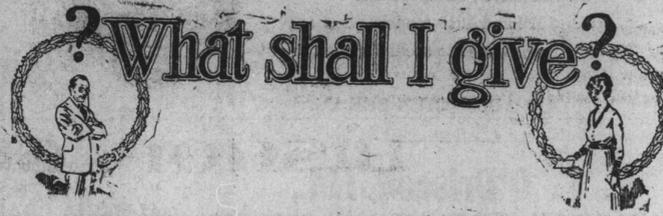
Just arrived per S. S. Sable
Island, a large shipment of Wm.
Dow & Co. (Montreal) Pale Mild
Ale, at STEWART'S, opposite
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East.—dec 12.21

HAULED OFF COAST.—It is
thought that the vessels *Clintonia* and
Lowell Parks, have run off the coast
to escape the storm, as no word of
their reaching port has been received,
since they left here for the Westward
on Wednesday, to load fish for Eu-
rope.

Give a Thought to Music!

The festive season of Xmas will
soon be here. Have your piano put
in good shape and help to brighten
up your home with tuneful music. A
trial of my services will convince you
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Boxes of Assorted Cards with
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All different.

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