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J. S. TAYLOR, Secretary.

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S. A. CHURCHILL, Hon. Sec'y.

Lodge Tasker

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Aubrey's Revenge.

CHAPTER VI.

There was a little lifeboat suspended from the parapet above, which Kelpie had lowered more than once in fine weather, but to attempt such a task on a night like this was to throw away one's life.

But this little heroine did not stop to think of danger, but went flying up the narrow stairs, her cheeks scarlet, her eyes glowing like stars. The gale had subsided in a measure but the sea was still running high, and the clamor of the elements was terrible to hear.

Nevertheless, Kelpie did not hesitate an instant. Out she went, her head bare, her black hair streaming about her shoulders, and attempted the reckless task. How she accomplished it nobody ever knew, but she succeeded in lowering the little boat, and, after many ineffectual efforts in gaining the Phantom Rock just as a great wave swept over its sharp summit.

But the man who, spent, breathless, wounded, had been clinging to the rugged rock for three endless hours did not release his hold until Kelpie's voice sounded in his ears.

"Tom, is it you? I've come to save you. Don't give up!"

Give up! The strength of a giant thrilled through Tom's splendid muscles, and his sluggish blood leaped like rills of fire at the sound of the girl's voice. He forgot that he was covered with bruises from being battered against the cruel rocks; he forgot that he had hung there, discouraged and dying, crying out like a woman for help; he forgot everything only that the girl he adored had come to his rescue, and that her precious life was in danger.

"Give me the oars, Kelpie!" he cried, in a voice like a bugler, "and let me save you. Ah, heavens! what if your precious life were lost for my sake!"

Before the astonished girl could realize what was happening, or even get her breath, Tom Holland was in the boat, with the oars in his strong hands, and they were beating their way back through the riotous waves to New Castle Light.

It was a hard pull, but they made it. More than once the little boat went down under the seething foam, but she came up again like a cork; more than once Tom Holland clasped the girl who had risked her life for his in his shattered arms, determined that in death they should not be separated; but in the end, struggling, suffering, almost dying, he got the little boat safely back to the old tower.

"Safe at last," he said, as they set foot on the stone floor.

"Now, little woman," he added, with his old smile and the tender light in his brown eyes that had beamed for her alone through all the happy years of Kelpie's happy girlhood, "now, little woman, you must let me take you upstairs. You look as white as a poor little ghost."

His right arm had been shattered by his fall over the parapet; he was dizzy and sick with pain, but he took the spent and pasting girl in his arms and carrying her up to her grandfather's room, put her down on the

old leather lounge as tenderly as if she were an infant.

"Thank God you are safe, little woman!" he said, in a gasping whisper. Then, all in a moment his strength failed him, his iron will gave way, and he sank down in an unconscious heap at Kelpie's feet.

"Why, Tom, why, my poor, dear Tom, you should have let me row the boat!" she cried, bending over him. "You were not strong enough, after all you've suffered. Good Heaven! there's blood on your sleeve, and, oh, how pale you are! Tom, dead Tom, can't you speak to me? Merciful Heaven! I believe he's dead!"

The terrified girl had no time to say another word, or even to raise the poor fellow's head from the cold stone floor, for at that moment the relief bell began to ring a furious peal. Somebody in the watch room was pressing the electric button.

CHAPTER VII.

Kelpie was kneeling beside the unconscious man, who lay prostrate upon the stone floor, but as the familiar sound of the relief bell fell on her ear, she sprang to her feet.

"Somebody's pressing the button in the watch room!" she exclaimed. "It must be Tulliver. He has come to his senses and will go up and put out the light."

"Poor Tom, it seems too bad to leave you lying here," she added, glancing down at the assistant keeper's white face, "but I must go. The light shan't be put out if I can help it."

With the speed of a swallow she darted out of the room and up the iron stairs.

The parrot followed her, hopping from step to step, and croaking dimly.

The bell had ceased ringing by the time Kelpie had reached the watch room; the pillows and blankets were scattered about at the foot of the stairs, and Tulliver was nowhere to be seen.

As the girl glanced about her inquiringly, a wild peal of exultant laughter came from overhead.

"Ha! ha! ha! Ho! ho! ho! You're a clever little girl, my pretty little Kelpie, but you're no match for your humble servant, after all. I told you I'd put the light out unless you promised to marry me, and I'm bound to keep my word."

Kelpie looked upward and beheld her half-crazed lover standing on the lantern deck, the revolver, which, in her terror and excitement, she had left lying on the desk, clutched in his hand, and an expression of diabolical cunning on his dark face.

There are few girls who would not, in the face of such an emergency, have given up in despair and abandoned all thought of keeping the light from being extinguished. But Kelpie was one of a thousand, and, knowing what pride her grandfather took in his fine record as a light keeper, she had made up her mind to keep the light burning during his absence at all risks. She climbed the stairway with hurried steps, shouting, in a ringing voice, as she went up:

"Don't dare to tamper with that light, Tulliver. It will be the worse for you if you do."

"Ha! ha! ha! The worse for me, will it? I'd like to know who'll make it worse. You might have made that threat a while ago, when you had the six-shooter in your hand, but it's my turn now, d'ye see? Ha! who'll dare to come up here and prevent me from putting out the light. I'd like to know?"

"I will," answered Kelpie fearlessly, and up she went, the green parrot hopping after her.

Tulliver watched her with glittering eyes, clutching the revolver in his right hand.

"You're a plucky little woman, by jinks!" he said, as she reached the topmost step. "Well, what are you going to do next?"

"Give me that revolver, Tulliver!" said Kelpie, confronting him. "Give it to me instantly, do you hear?"

The man broke forth into a peal of boisterous laughter and turned toward the great golden light.

"Wait till I put out the light," he answered.

Kelpie gained the lantern deck with an agile spring, and, as the determined man turned to execute his purpose, she threw her whole weight upon his wounded shoulder and pushed him backward. The sudden wrench gave him such acute pain that he sank to his knees with a hoarse cry, letting the revolver fall from his grasp.

Kelpie secured it in a twinkling and turned the glittering muzzle upon the desperate fellow as he struggled to his feet.

"Stand back!" she commanded. "Don't dare to come one step nearer, Tulliver. I'll fire if you do."

"Blaze away as soon as you please," he said, but his voice was hoarse with

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pain, and he swayed uncertainly from side to side.

It was quite evident that both strength and courage were failing him.

The quick-witted girl perceived her advantage and followed it up without an instant's delay.

"Stand back!" she repeated, advancing upon Tulliver with the revolver in her hand. "Stand back! I'll shoot you if you don't!"

But instead of retreating, the madman, mustering all his strength for a final effort, sprang upon her with the savage ferocity of a wild beast, and, although his wounded arm was almost powerless, he succeeded in wresting the revolver from her hand.

"Ho! ho!" he laughed exultantly.

"Who'll shoot now? I've got the pistol, my dear, but I don't intend to use it. I'm going to throw it away."

Whereupon, before the half-dazed girl could lift a finger to prevent it, he rushed to the railing and threw the revolver far out into the sea.

"We won't pop away at each other," he said, with a reckless laugh. "I know of a better way. Come along, sweetheart. If you won't promise to marry me, we'll die together, which pleases me almost as well. Come along, my dear."

Seizing the terrified girl around the waist with a sudden strength born of insanity, he whirled her up and down and around and around in a mad waltz until her breath was quite gone.

"Our last waltz, sweetheart," he said, coming to a sudden standstill. "Suppose we try a quick-step next, out on the sea yonder? Won't it be great fun to have all those leaping whitecaps for our partners?"

His eyes glittered and a peal of horrible laughter broke from his lips as he seized the terrified girl and forced her out to the extreme end of the deck.

Kelpie struggled with all her might, but the man's arms closed about her like iron, and, lifting her up bodily, he made a wild leap toward the outside rail.

A coil of rope used in lowering the boats had been blown into a tangle by the fierce gale, and the door of a small storeroom in which the apparatus for keeping the lamps in order was stored stood open.

As Tulliver made his mad leap toward the rail with Kelpie, almost in a fainting condition, in his arms, by some mischance—or, shall we say, Providence—his foot caught in the tangled rope; he stumbled, slipped on the foam-washed deck, and, losing his hold on his victim, fell headlong through the open door and down a short flight of steps leading to the room below.

Kelpie was thrown with considerable force against the railing, but, impelled by a swift inspiration, she struggled to her feet, and, rushing to the door of the storeroom, shut it with a resounding clang and turned the iron key in the lock.

When Tulliver found himself a prisoner in the dark little closet, his rage knew no bounds. He threw himself against the door with desperate force, and cursed and entreated by turns.

"Let me out, for pity's sake! I'm smothering to death in this black hole. Kelpie, do you hear? Confound you! Unlock the door and let me out. I won't put out the light—I swear I won't, girlie, and I'll never ask you to marry me again. Let me out, Kelpie—that's a good girl. Come on, now! Quick! I've acted like a brute, and I can't expect you to forgive me, but you won't leave me to die in here like a rat in a hole. Open the door and let me out, Kelpie."

Kelpie stood by and listened with quivering lips and swift-tearing tears. She had never trusted or cared for Tulliver, but they had been daily companions for a long time, and he had done her many a kind service.

"It seemed dreadful to keep the poor fellow down there," she said to herself, "but what can I do? There's no trusting Tulliver; his promises sound fair enough, but if I let him out he'll be sure to put out the light, and I can't risk having a blot on poor daddy's record. It would break his heart."

"No, Tulliver," she added, raising her voice. "I'm sorry, but I think I'd better keep you a prisoner till morning."

(To be continued.)

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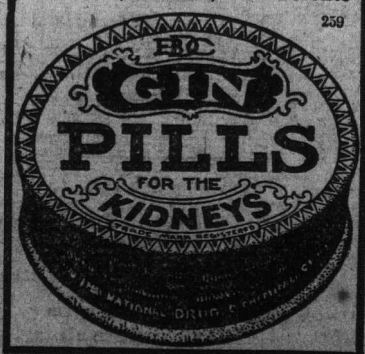
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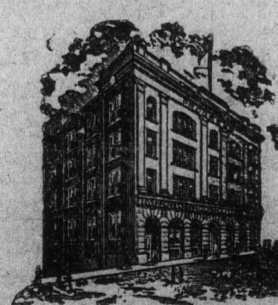
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This Date in History.

MARCH 10.
Full Moon—1st

Days Past—68 To Come—296
WILLIAM ETTY born 1787. A famous English R.A. who contributed to the Royal Academy some of its most admired pictures between 1820 and 1849. Among his famous pictures are "The Coral Finders," "Cleopatra," "Joan of Arc."

KING EDWARD VII. married 1863. Our late King who was happily married on this date to Alexandra, Princess of Denmark and now termed the "Queen-Mother."

MAZZINI died 1872, aged 67. Italian patriot, who, in his endeavours to secure the independence of Italy, incurred the disfavour of the authorities and was compelled to leave the country. In 1848 he was back to Rome and was elected dictator of the Roman Republic. He was not allowed to hold this position long, however, and was driven to England again. He lived to see Victor Emmanuel King of United Italy. Mazzini was the idealist and spiritual founder of United Italy and all his writings are inspired by the noblest thought, the deepest feeling, and passionate eloquence. One of his best works is "On the duties of Man."

You are not guilty because you are ignorant; but you are guilty when you resign yourselves to ignorance. —Mazzini.

AS HE CROSSED THE BAR.

An officer at the front told a London paper representative the following story as within his own experience:

A soldier who had been almost riddled with shrapnel, as he was laid tenderly on the hospital's bed, suddenly began to sing—Tennyson's "Crossing the Bar," to Sir Joseph Burby's beautiful setting.

His voice was one of the sweetest tenors I ever heard. While everyone listened in silence he went right through to the end, but his strength was ebbing. He managed, however, to sing on to the end, while fainter and fainter grew the voice till he reached

And may there be no moaning at the Bar
When I put out to sea.

And then he died. I shall never forget that experience.

THE MODERN MAID.

I met a little maid whose glance, so winsome, made me glad; her lid, she said, was brought from France, her furs from Petrograd. "Will marry me?" I asked. "Sweet maid, you suit me to a T." Then all her molars she displayed; her laugh was large and free. "This marriage bunk," the maid replied, "gives me an oblong pain; what profits it to be a bride? What does a dame's gain? The housewife is a total loss, a drudge up and down; but my employers come across with fifteen boxes a week. The wife must beg her tightwad man for every dime he sheds; a girl becomes an also ran the minute that she weds. Oh, cheerfully my way I jog, I find this old world nice; I'm independent as a hog that has been placed on ice. And if I wedded you, I fear, the change would make me ill; I'd have to work you for a year to get a dollar bill. My bank account is on the boom, I smile and dance and sing; oh, not for me the orange bloom, white gloves or wedding ring." So she went giggling on her way, and would not be a frau; I wonder if she'll be as gay some twenty years from now?

LEAVES TO-MORROW.—The S.S. Stephano leaves New York to-morrow for this port via Halifax.

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5 boxes 2 lb. Slabs.
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10 28-lb. boxes Australian Butter.

2 boxes 1 lb. Bricks Irish Butter.

Just to hand this week:
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95 cases Sound Fruit.

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Britain Will Explain How Order Will Be Enforced.

London, March 3.—The order-in-council putting the English declaration against German commerce into effect, it is stated authoritatively, will explain the details as to how the Admiralty will proceed in enforcing the sweeping order.

The exact date of the order has not yet been decided upon, but it will probably be published in a few days.

Great Britain has not yet prepared her answer to the American note, submitted to the British and German Governments, looking to the withdrawal of the submarine blockade and the continuance of food movements to Germany for the civil population. The publication of the text of the American note and Germany's reply in the London papers has attracted wide attention.

The English view, which will undoubtedly be embodied in the note to the American Government, is that the suggestions propose that Great Britain shall virtually forego the strength of her position due to her superior navy. In other words, Great Britain feels that Germany is trying to have the neutral states perform duties for her which she could possibly carry out had she a superior navy.

Furthermore, the British Government, it is asserted, will ask what assurances the United States can give that Germany would not resume her submarine activities after she had obtained sufficient food under the relaxed regulations to enable her to carry on the war indefinitely.

England's reply to this suggestion that the belligerents cease the use of floating mines will be that she has never used them.

The English position as to the use of neutral flags and the arming of merchant ships is that no general order has been issued for the use of the flags of neutral states, and that merchant ships are only armed after Germany had declared a submarine blockade.

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GAS COKE yields 44 per cent of radiant heat, whereas coal gives only 19 per cent. under the same conditions.

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For a limited time only, the St. John's Gas Light Company will deliver in any part of the town at \$8.50 per ton, or \$3.25 per half ton.

febl.t

London, March 1.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Copenhagen wires—

"Seven more lists of Prussian casualties are published. They contain the names of 11,418 officers and men killed, wounded or missing, and bring the total of the Prussian casualties up to 102,812.

"To these must be added 156 Bavarian, 113 Saxon, 125 Wurtemberg, and 19 naval lists."

Awarded Victoria Cross

FOR CONSPICUOUS BRAVERY.

London, March 1.—Lieutenant Arthur Martin-Leake, of the Royal Army Medical Corps, has been awarded a clasp to the Victoria Cross, an extremely unusual honor.

Lieut. Martin-Leake won the Victoria Cross in the South African war, and, as this decoration is bestowed only once on any individual, the clasp has been given him for "most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty throughout the campaign, especially during the period from the 29th of October to the 8th of November, near Zonnebeke, in rescuing, while exposed to a constant fire, a large number of wounded who were lying close to the enemy's trenches."

Lieut.-Col. E. W. Alexander, of the Royal Field Artillery, has been awarded the Victoria Cross for saving his guns at Lougres, Belgium, while under a flank attack, and for rescuing a wounded man while under a heavy fire.

Among others who received the Victoria Cross are Drummer William Kenny, for rescuing men on five different occasions while under fire and twice saving machine guns by carrying them out of action; Lieut. J. A. O. Brooke, of the Gordon Highlanders; Captain John Franks Vaillet and Lieut. P. A. Depass, all of whom were killed, for leading attacks on German trenches and rescuing wounded; Jas. Mackenzie, of the Scots Guards, who also was killed, and Privates Henry Robson, of the Royal Scots, Abram Acton and James Smith, of the Border Regiment, and Lieut. Philip Neame, of the Royal Engineers, for rescuing wounded, and Lance Corporal Michael Leary, of the Irish Guards, for conspicuous bravery at Cuijnby, Feb. 1st.

Leary, according to the official account, formed one of a storming party, which advanced against the German trenches. He rushed to the front and killed five Germans who were holding the first barricade, after which he attacked the second barricade, which he captured after killing three Germans and taking two others prisoners.

Leary, thus, says the official report, "practically captured the enemy's position by himself and prevented the rest of the attacking party from being fired upon."

A large number of military crosses and other honors have been awarded to officers and men for conspicuous services during the operations in Flanders.

Farewell Post Cards.

Of N.F.L.D. Second Contingent, including Section Groups,

Farewell Dance, Boys Leaving on Neptune, On Board s.s. Dominion, and other interesting pictures, only Five Cents each at PARSONS' ART STORE. febl.t

WILL COME OFF DOCK.—Repairs to the s.s. Prospero, which has been on dock for some weeks past, will be completed this afternoon, and the ship will likely come off dock to-morrow morning. The next ships to go on dock will be the Bruce and Glenoe which are still detained at Trepassy owing to the ice blockade.

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Still lead in quality and satisfaction. In eight hooped, non-leakable barrels. No dearer than the ordinary kinds.
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The coming of Spring means the shedding of the old coat and the putting on of the new. We are showing something neat and dressy in Spring Coatings. Have you seen our Greys with silk facings? Topnotchers, aren't they? Also something good in Scotch suitings, Glenris and Wha-haes; all hand made.

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Spring Cleaning Sale!

To stimulate buying during the second week of our sale we are offering two specials:—

1st—300 Bleached Plain Sheetting Pillow Cases, good quality, 3 inch hem, buttonhole edge. Ordinary 30c. This week only... **19c**

2nd—A 5c. Handkerchief Counter. This is the season you require a lot. Handkerchiefs for Men, Women and Children. Worth up to 10c. Our Special for this week... **5c**

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Tenders

For Floating the Steamship "Desola"

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are invited to send a Representative to examine the Canadian Steamship "DESOLA" now partially burnt and resting on the mud at the Western end of the Harbour with decks above water at high tide, with a view to tendering for the pumping out and tightening of the vessel, so that her own pumps may keep her afloat until such time as she may be placed in dry dock for survey.

An answer by letter or telegram must be received by noon on Saturday, 13th Inst., addressed H. B. SAUNDERS, care Bowring Brothers Limited, Lloyd's Agents. mar10,11

Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
W. F. LLOYD, Editor

WEDNESDAY, March 10th, 1915.

Time for Peace Has Not Arrived.

No wonder Dr. Von Bethmann Hollweg, the German Imperial Chancellor, is talking peace. Germany has reached the maximum of her possible advantage and on that basis she wants to negotiate peace. It will not do. The Entente Allies are only getting into their stride. Germany was ready for war and gained immense immediate advantages on land. The Entente Allies were not ready except as regards Britain and her Navy. Germany holds almost the whole of Belgium, a strip of France, and a large section of Poland. It is with these big counters in her possession that she talks peace. Whatever little chance she had of disturbing the sea supremacy of the Entente Allies is gone, with the great additions which are being made in Dreadnoughts by Britain, France and Russia, and her position on the sea is now even more helpless than it ever was. Kitchener has now created and organized a big British Army. Russia has also got together an immense army. Great progress has already been made in the operations of forcing the Dardanelles and it is now evident that a way to the Black Sea and the Russian ports there can be made. Gigantic efforts are being made to cope with the need of ammunition and guns not only for the British army and navy, but we believe to aid the Russians as soon as a way to Russian ports can be forced. It will be seen from to-day's despatch that the British Government intend to take over all engineering works capable of making guns and ammunition and work them by a Committee of the State, just as the Government have been doing with the British railways since the outbreak of war. Under these circumstances it is not likely that the British Government and her allies will agree to negotiate peace until every material advantage gained by Germany during the war has been taken from her, as will probably be done before the autumn. A patched-up peace at this stage would be worse than useless. It would merely mean a truce of a year or two to give Germany time to prepare for another war. German militarism must be effectively broken. This fight must be a fight to a finish.

Sealers' Entertainment

The series of entertainments for sealers was continued last evening in the Grenfell Hall, when upwards of 400 sealers assembled to see the moving pictures, which included a splendid patriotic film dealing with the raising of Kitchener's Army. At 8.30 His Excellency the Governor entered the Hall, accompanied by the Hon. W. C. Job, President, and A. Sheard, Esq., Secretary of the International Grenfell Association, being received by the audience standing and singing the National Anthem. His Excellency thanked the men for their reception, and expressed his pleasure at meeting them thus for the third year in succession. In the course of his speech he gave particulars of the numbers of men of the Colony now serving their King in the Army and Navy, assuring his hearers that they would be well represented when the Allies entered Berlin at the close of the war. He proceeded to read the latest official war news, which was listened to with rapt attention. Upon leaving the Hall His Excellency wished the men 'Bon Voyage.' The entertainment closed with hearty cheers for Dr. W. T. Grenfell.

Sends Second Son to War.

W. D. Reid, of Newfoundland, Sees Young Man Off.
New York, Feb. 28.—W. D. Reid, the Newfoundland magnate, waved good-bye yesterday morning to the second of his sons to start for the war in Europe, the son, Howard Reid, who recently got his commission as a Second Lieutenant in the aerial division of the British Army, being a passenger on the Lusitania. Another son, Bruce Reid, went over as a private in the Newfoundland regiment that went out with the first Canadian contingent last fall.

Sealer Went Through Ice.

Bowring's sealer Eagle moved off into the harbor yesterday afternoon. Some of the crew were late in getting aboard crossed over the ice, but one man named Murphy, of Penneuse, went through and would have drowned but for the timely assistance offered by eye-witnesses. The sealer was none the worse for his cold immersion and was given dry clothing on reaching his ship.

SHAUN AROON—Tickets for this production will be placed on sale at Atlantic Bookstore at 9 a.m. to-morrow (sharp). Positively no tickets are disturbed before that hour and those wishing to secure good seats should visit the Store as soon as tickets arrive.—mar10,21

To Our Patrons!

We wish to offer our appreciation to all those who helped and are helping to make our Great Sale a success, and take this opportunity of announcing that Sale continues until end of March. New lines are being brought forward every day. We hope to have some attractive offerings for week-end, which shall be announced in a day or two. In the meantime it will pay you to see our Ladies' One-Piece Dresses, well tailored from serviceable tweeds.

Devine's
THE RIGHT HOUSE.
COR. WATER & ADELAIDE STREETS.

LATEST From the Front.

10.00 A.M.

GREAT PROGRESS IN DARDANELLES—GOVERNMENT TAKING OVER ALL THE ENGINEERING WORKS WHERE AMMUNITION AND ARMS CAN BE MANUFACTURED.

LONDON, To-day. The Commons to-day gave the Government authority to take over the control of the entire engineering trade of the country and place it under a combined management for the purpose of increasing the output of munitions of war. The Defence of the Realm Act passed at the outbreak of the war gave the Government power to take and exercise control over the works where war materials were being actually made. David Lloyd George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, on behalf of the Government to-day asked that the control of manufacturing be extended to works which were capable of being used for that purpose. This power was unanimously granted, although Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, described the measure as probably the most drastic ever laid before Parliament. With the war area extending and the size of the army and navy constantly increasing, the Government found that something must be done to keep the fighting branches supplied with arms and ammunition. The fleet engaged in bombarding the forts of the Dardanelles alone is using an immense quantity of ammunition. The ships engaged probably will have to be fitted with new guns and old ones will need to be overhauled. Reports that three forts guarding the narrows, one on the European side and two on the Asiatic side, all of which were armed with 14 inch guns, have been silenced, have increased the confidence of the British public. The guns of the warships are quite heavy enough to force the Straits, although nobody seems to expect this to be done quickly or without the British suffering some losses. In addition the military and economic importance of opening the Straits would have an immense effect not only on Turkey but on Turkey's neighbors. Greece is already involved in a crisis over the Dardanelles. It is reported to-day that a similar crisis had arisen in Bulgaria where it was said the Premier is demanding intervention on the side of the Allies in opposition to the wishes of King Ferdinand, who is declared to desire to remain neutral. In Greece M. Gounaris has undertaken to form a Cabinet to succeed that of M. Venizelos and threatens to dissolve Parliament if that body does not endorse his policy of friendly neutrality towards the Allies. It is believed in high official circles in London, however, that the people will force the Greek Government to intervene and that M. Venizelos will soon be back in office. In the East and West fighting between Germany and the Allies continues but without making the situation much clearer. General Louis Botha's campaign against German S. W. Africa which has almost been lost sight of, owing to bigger events in Europe and Asia, is progressing. One of Botha's armies is reported to have occupied the German camp north of Okamas, which is forty miles north of the border and is fortified and surrounded by a large number of tents, provisions, clothing and transport animals. These captures, according to the report, showed the evacuation of the Germans had been a hasty one.

Cape Report

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind E.N.E., fresh, weather foggy; a heavy gale with rain and glitter raged all night; shore-packed with ice as far as can be seen. There is a heavy sea in the ice here. No steamers heard passing. Bar. 28.15 and still falling and ther. 34.

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Here and There.

MARCONI STATION.—One of the large collapsible steel poles to be used in the erection of the new Marconi station, was taken to Mount Pearl, yesterday. The workers' house which arrived here by the Graciana in sections is in course of erection.

Remember March 24th for the Sacred Concert in the Methodist College Hall under the distinguished patronage of their Excellencies the Governor and Lady Davidson. Programme under the direction of Gordon Christian, Esq., L.R.A.M., assisted by the best local talent and full Brass Band of the C. C. C. Proceeds for the Poor of the city. Particulars later. mar10,21,w.f

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the Germans are despairing of success on the Western front and had staked everything on the chance of victory over the Russians, if not by an invasion of Russia, then at least by barring the Russian advance towards Berlin.

Irish Musical Comedy

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

There will be one of the finest Irish musical comedies on St. Patrick's Day at Rossley's East End Theatre, new songs, dances and costumes. Rossley's each St. Patrick's Day have always given splendid shows and this year they will go one better. The painters, carpenters and decorators are hard at work and there will be a great transformation when finished. It is impossible to have the theatre finished for St. Patrick's Day. But Mr. Rossley will again close down to complete the work; patrons will be delighted with the beautiful tip-up chairs, comfortable, the latest design with rack under each for hat; ceiling, walls, lobbies, retiring rooms, all have been done in good style, with beautiful art serge drop curtain, new front put in stage, and company par excellence, with astounding novelty, new arrival of pictures in a day or two, last but not least our orchestra with talented leader A. Crocker.

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Obituary.

CAPT. CLARKE.
Capt. Joseph Clarke has passed to the Great Beyond. The sad intelligence reached the city yesterday by cable from Boston. Deceased was 65 years of age, 27 of which he was master mariner with the firm of Bowring Bros., Ltd., and the Red Cross Line, and commanded the following steamers during that period: Miranda, Portia, Rosalind, Florizel and Stephano. The latter ship he was in charge of up to last summer, when he retired owing to failing health.

Capt. Clarke was a most popular and respected commander and the travelling public always had the greatest veneration for him. He was a splendid seaman with a courteous disposition. He married a Miss Churchill of Portugal Cove, and to the time of his death lived with her sister, Mrs. Ebenezer Boone at Boston. Only a widow survives, the only son having died some years ago.

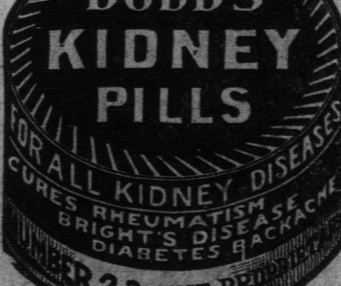
Capt. Clarke was an Englishman by birth. His remains will be brought here for interment, but Mrs. Clarke will not be able to accompany them owing to bad health. To the widow and numerous friends we extend sympathy in their bereavement.

DON'T NEGLECT YOUR CLOTHES.—Even if you are economizing you can't afford to neglect your appearance as regards your wearing apparel. Our Cleaning and Pressing business affords you the greatest opportunities to economize and at the same time keep well dressed. Phone 574 and we will call for and deliver. SPURRELL BROS., East End, 174 Duckworth St., West End, 365 Water Street. Also a few special bargains in Suitings.—feb17,eod,tf

SIX MONTHS EACH.—Mr. C. H. Hutchings, Deputy Minister of Justice received a message from Magistrate Squary, of Channel, to-day informing him that Samuel Skeard and John Gillam, who pleaded guilty to the charge of entering the store of Clement & Co., and stealing therefrom a quantity of cash and goods, and Philip Francis, who received the stolen property, were each sentenced to six months' imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

ST. LAWRENCE WELL REPRESENTED.—Eighteen volunteers from St. Lawrence have enlisted in the service of the Empire to date. Three of these are at present serving on the auxiliary cruiser Alsatian, and one other is on board a mine sweeper. Writing to his friends the latter says that mine sweeping is very dangerous work and that he is constantly wearing a life belt, together with a bell attachment. All of them write cheery letters to their friends in St. Lawrence, and say that all are prepared to give the best that's in them for the honor of the old flag and dear old Newfoundland.

BUSINESS AS USUAL



Here and There.

STILL ICEBOUND.—The Bowring coaster Portia is still held at Bay Bulls, owing to the ice blockade.

NO FOREIGN MAIL.—There will be no express with foreign mails, due in the city until early Friday morning.

TO-NIGHT! — Sociable in Presbyterian Hall. Attractive programme. Candy for sale. Admission 25 cents.—mar10,11

FISH CARRIERS DETAINED.—The barqt. E. S. Hocken and the barqt. Rosina, fish laden for Brazil and Oporto, respectively, are still detained in port owing to ice conditions.

SAFETY RAZORS.—The wonderful Giant Junior with 7 Blades, 50 cts. New shipment just received. CHESELEY WOODS, 140 Water St.—mar10,11

"DALTON HALL" SOLD.—The s.s. Dalton Hall, 3534 tons gross, 2280 tons net, built at Hartlepool in 1899, has been sold at Liverpool for twenty-seven thousand pounds. She was a well known Furness liner that used to run here.

Fresh Rabbits, Fresh Codfish, Fresh Cod Tongues and Halibut at BISHOP & SONS' Grocery. Phone 679.—feb26,tf

FURNACE BOATS.—The s.s. Tascasco was supposed to leave Liverpool yesterday for here. The s.s. Durango is expected to get away from Halifax to-day for this port.

LECTURE.—Mr. J. M. Kent, B.A., K.C., M.H.A., will lecture in the Star Club Rooms on Thursday at 8.30 p.m. Subject: "Daniel O'Connell." Admission 10c. Proceeds for Clerical Students' Fund.—mar9,31

PUT BACK.—The s.s. Kyle left Louisburg for Port aux Basques at 3.30 p.m. yesterday, but owing to a heavy N.E. gale which raged in the Gulf, the ship was forced to put back to port again. She reached Louisburg at 7.30 last evening and was expected to sail from there again this morning.

REIDS BOATS.

The Bruce, Glencoe and Home are still at Trepassay. The Ethie left Burin at 5.15 p.m. yesterday, going west. The Kyle was expected to leave Louisburg for Port aux Basques about 9 a.m. to-day.

The Meikle has not been reported since leaving Burin at 8.20 a.m. yesterday, going west.

Charity Committee.

The Charities' Committee met again yesterday afternoon at the Board of Trade Rooms, the following being present: Mr. W. G. Gosling, Chairman of the Civic Commission, Mrs. W. C. Job, representing the Dorcas Society, C. W. Ryan, St. Vincent de Paul Society, Rev. Canon White, Rev. Fr. McDermott, Rev. Mr. Hemeon and Inspector O'Brien. The investigation of the committee since the last meeting showed that there was no great destitution in the city at present, and that the charitable organizations are able to cope with the existing conditions, the applicants for relief being practically the same as in former years. Though many of the tradesmen of the city are out of work none have been found to be in actual want. About 70 men are engaged at stone breaking and some of the men earn \$1.80 per day. The committee will hold another meeting on Monday next when detailed reports will be submitted.

McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, March 10, 1915. Sore throat is very prevalent this spring, owing no doubt to the changeable and damp weather, and is often very annoying and persistent. Nyal's Sore Throat Cure offers a quick and certain means of getting rid of this troublesome condition. It is a gargle and also an internal remedy; and as one mode of treatment reinforces the other thus rapidly completing a cure. Nyal's Sore Throat Cure is also good for tonsillitis and sore tongue. Price 25c. a bottle.

Dovel's Herb Tablets come in as an anticonstipation pill and general mild laxative. They never gripe, but do their work easily and thoroughly. We recommend them as a valuable family pill. Price 25c. a box.

Tim Shannahan Back.

Dear Mr. Editor.—I was delighted to hear a day or two ago, that Tim Shannahan had arrived after a long visit to the "States" visiting friends. So I hope if such is the case, he will favor us with a line or two, and let us know how the neutral Powers are progressing, and (by the way) remind him that things are all at sea, even since his arrival.

Yours truly,
AN ADMIRER.
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Gulf Steamers Clear of Ice

Baseless Reports of Diana.

The exaggerated reports concerning the sealing steamer Diana, which we alluded to yesterday as being jammed in the ice at Petty Harbor Motion and quite near the land, were continued last night without abatement. The sealing list went so far as to say that the ship had been abandoned and that the crew had walked ashore at Maddox Cove.

THE JAPANESE TREATY.

LONDON, March 9. Speaking in the Commons this afternoon in reply to a question, Foreign Secretary Grey said that he had no doubt but that Japan would observe the treaty of 1905, under the terms of which Japan and Britain guaranteed the integrity and independence of China, together with equal commercial opportunities to all nations.

GERMAN SUBMARINES ACTIVE.

LONDON, March 9. An official announcement just issued, shows that German submarines yesterday (Tuesday), sank three steamships. The statement follows: The steamer Tangistan was sunk by a German submarine off Scarborough at 12.20 on the morning of March 9th, only one man out of a crew of 38 was saved. The steamer Blackwood was sunk by a submarine without warning, off Hastings at 6 o'clock on the morning of March 9th; the crew of 17 were saved. The steamer Princess Royal, of Glasgow, was sunk without warning, by a German submarine at 9.15 on the morning of March 9th, off Liverpool; the crew were saved.

The official report announcing the torpedoing of the British steamers Tangistan, Blackwood and Princess Royal, the two former cargo boats, and the latter a coastwise passenger ship, indicates that German submarines are again raiding at widely separated points around the British Isles. As each of the boats was torpedoed in a period of less than nine hours, it would seem probable that all three were sunk by different underwater boats. The Tangistan, the largest of the sunken vessels, was 2,393 tons displacement.

GERMANY WILLING TO MAKE PEACE.

LONDON, March 9. The Daily Telegraph's Paris correspondent says he learns that Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, German Imperial Chancellor, will make a statement in the Reichstag to-day, setting forth terms of which Germany is willing to make peace.

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Norwegian Fishery.

The following returns of the Norwegian fishery are now posted at the Board of Trade Rooms, and show the catch up to March 9th:

Lofoden	4,500,000
All Others	12,000,000
Total	16,500,000

For the corresponding date last year the figures were:

Lofoden	3,900,000
All Others	14,250,000
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Her Damage Beyond Repair at Constantinople, With Two Big Hoies Amidships Below the Waterline.

The Malta correspondent of the London Morning Post says that Mr. Laurence Morton, who has arrived here from Constantinople, asserts that the report about the severe damage sustained by the Goeben when she fouled a Turkish mine in the Bosphorus is by no means exaggerated. She is completely hors de combat, since her damage was beyond repair, at any rate in Constantinople, where no docking accommodation for a ship of that size is possible.

Cruising in the Bosphorus!

On the other hand, there is a Reuter telegram from Athens to-day which says: The following message from Mitylene is published here:—"The Goeben, which has been completely repaired, is cruising night and day in the Bosphorus, accompanied by a destroyer."

(The Mitylene message cannot be regarded as reliable. It was known that the Goeben was very badly damaged either by the Russians or by a mine, and the chances are all against the Turks having been able to make that damage good, seeing their dockyard facilities are of the most restricted nature.)—Westminster Gazette.

Newfoundland's Net Trade.

Formerly most of the fishermen of the western Newfoundland bays obtained nets from the captains of American vessels, who gave credit and charged the nets against the fish later caught in them and delivered on the schooner. The system was lax and subject to many abuses, with heavy resultant losses to American fishing companies.

Through changed conditions much of the trade in nets is now in the hands of Newfoundland merchants, who, as a rule, carry more British than American nets. A local factory makes herring nets, and both the English and locally made nets sell at prices about \$5 lower than do the American. It has been learned that in thorough tests in west coast waters English nets have given entire satisfaction, the twine being of excellent quality and a tar or system of tarring being used that renders them always soft. The tar appears to be vegetable tar.

At present there is much discussion of the possibility of greatly developing the herring industry of Newfoundland. This agitation may result in nothing more than talk; it may be the forerunner of important extensions of the Newfoundland herring fishery, the employment of drift nets, seines and steam drifters, and the divorcing of the operations of catching and curing. Such development would render very important any prestige held by American makers of nets.—From report of Consular Assistant O. C. Gould, of Bay of Islands.

Our Volunteers.

Eleven volunteers enlisted with the Second Contingent yesterday which makes a total of 1,266 enrolled to date. The names of those who enlisted yesterday are: Samuel Hancock, Carbonar, Geo. Atkins, North River, Clarke's Beach, George Dawe, North River, Clarke's Beach, Jas. Shute, St. John's, Denis Mealey, St. John's, Walter S. Moore, St. John's, Wm. Bennett, St. John's, Patk. J. Caravan, St. John's, Orland Pilgrim, Gricquet, Albert Noseworthy, Hr. Grace, Arthur Slaney, St. Lawrence. Those who were given leave to visit their homes on Saturday last will report for duty at 2 p.m. to-morrow.

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Mrs. Whitmarsh, 2nd instalment	5.00
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KATHERINE EMERSON, Hon. Treas. W.P.A.

St. John's, March 9, 1915.

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A local express from Port aux Basques is due in this city at 8 p.m. to-day.

Eluding the Raider

QUEEN WILHELMINA SEES ATTACK AND ESCAPES.

According to an eye witness on the Furness Liner Queen Wilhelmina which reached Liverpool safely from St. John's, the attack occurred about 11.30. The Queen Wilhelmina and the Cambank were about five miles off Point Lynas.

Somebody on our vessel (said the eye witness to our correspondent) shouted out that he could see the periscope of a submarine, and about four minutes afterwards we could see a torpedo skimming through the water towards the Cambank. It struck her in the engine room on her port side. A terrific explosion followed which threw water as high as the funnel. We were about 300 yards away but the force of the explosion was so great that it rattled the crockery in our pantry. Eight minutes after she had been struck the Cambank broke in the centre, buckled up and went down. Only one boat—one on the starboard side—could be got out. It was promptly lowered, and the crew got into it. The crew numbered about twenty-four, the Cambank being about the same size as our vessel.

As soon as the submarine had sunk the Cambank she turned round and made for us. But to escape her the Queen Wilhelmina started on a zigzag course, and the smart manoeuvring of the men in charge proved successful. We were going about nine knots up to the moment the Cambank was torpedoed; but the order was "full steam ahead," and we were soon doing eleven knots. The submarine gave chase for some time on two or three occasions we could see her, but on account of our crooked manoeuvring no doubt she did not attempt to sink us.

The chase did not last long, as we soon got refuge in shallow water close to Putlin Island, where it would have been inadvisable for the submarine to follow. But still we kept up full speed until we had lost sight of the submarine altogether, and then we came right on to Liverpool. And very glad we were to see it, you may depend. It was the most exciting half hour any of us had ever had in our lives, and it gave us a twist in the stomach we are not likely to forget in a hurry.

The Cambank is a well known trader to Carleton, bringing in copper ore, and her last visit there was at Christmas time, when she left for the Bristol Channel, and from there she would probably take on a coal cargo, calling at Huelva, in Spain, on her return journey. Singularly enough a vessel laden with iron ore, flying the Italian flag, docked at Carleton on Saturday afternoon, having come on the same track that the ill-fated vessel should have taken.

Inter-Club Billiard Project

Postponed For a Year.

Another meeting of those interested in the starting of an Inter-Club Billiard Tournament was held at the T. A. Armoury last night. Representatives from five clubs were present. There was considerable discussion, but the consensus of opinion was that on account of the lateness of the present season it was better not to proceed further, but call a meeting early next autumn and discuss the project fully with a view to holding an inter-club competition during the winter months of 1916.

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Halifax Sealer Has Head Start. As we pointed out yesterday the Halifax sealer "Seal" is the first to reach Channel this season and departs from there to-day for Gulf waters. Though she will have a good head start over our local Gulf fleet, with the exception of the Bonaventure, the Seal is within the letter of the law, March 10th being the fixed sailing day from Channel, though seals cannot be killed before Monday next, March 15th.

Sealing Notes.

The Neptune leaves as soon as conditions permit for northern outport. The Adventure's crew is now signing on.

Last night and this morning contingents of sealers for the northern fishery reached the city. The Eagle is now forcing her way through the Narrows en route to Westville from which port she will clear for the front on Saturday next.

Arrested for Larceny.

At an early hour this morning the police arrested under warrant a boy who is charged with the larceny of a five dollar bill from the store of Mr. F. Smallwood. Accused was taken into custody at his home on Springdale Street. He is being tried before Judge Knight to-day.

Hr. Grace Notes.

The Harbour Grace Volunteers arrived by train on Saturday night on a visit to their friends. They are all quite well and are feeling good and fit for a bout with the Germans.

Miss Noel, assisted by other ladies, will give a concert in St. Paul's Hall, on Thursday for the benefit of the poor.

Requiem Mass was celebrated at St. Joseph's Church, Riverhead, this morning for the brave fellows who lost their lives in H. M. S. Clan Mac Naughton recently. The service was largely attended.

At the charity concert given by Mr. Thomas J. Carroll and a number of friends on Thursday last was very enjoyable, but not so largely attended as the object merited. The sum of \$29.00 was realized.

The Germans in jail here are experts at putting ships in bottles.

Several of our townsmen have souvenirs of the above work. But to our mind the best souvenir is that bottle held by Sir John Jellicoe, where all the German fleet are bottled up and kept there. Sir John is also an expert at putting (German) ships in bottles.

When volunteer Charles Butler appeared in the post office on Saturday night it was quite a surprise to the gathering to see Mr. Butler in uniform. There is no more popular man wearing the uniform than Charlie. He made many friends while acting mail officer on the Labrador boats. He even made friends with old Neptune, and on the way across it will be a rough day when Charlie will refuse his meals. All his friends, and that, includes everybody, wishes him well, and a safe return.

The wind storm of Friday last and Saturday morning was one of the most severe felt in this neighbourhood for many years.

The wind was very high and the heavy gusts made some of the strongest houses tremble. Many people remained up all night fearing the roofs would be torn from their dwellings. At the home of Mr. James Cron, Bear's Cove, the roof of a barn was ripped off and carried across the barn-yard to the dwelling a distance of nearly one hundred feet. The roof of the dwelling over the sleeping rooms of the children was broken by the falling timber, and the plastering of the walls was shattered and broken. The occupants of the rooms were compelled to seek other quarters in the home for the balance of the night. The occupants of the rooms were commiserated by the wind. We are glad to say that no member of the family was hurt, although their escape was almost miraculous.

CORRESPONDENT.

Harbour Grace, March 8, 1915.

TELEGRAPH INTERRUPTION.

As a result of last night's storm the Postal Telegraph lines are interrupted to-day and in consequence no late reports of the coastal stevedores can be had.

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South Side, this morning,

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Shannahan Back.

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ROOTS.

By RUTH CAMERON.

"I will study and get ready and maybe my chance will come."

—Abraham Lincoln.



RUTH CAMERON

The bulbs that I put down in the cellar to get ready to grow have been brought up stairs. They sit in the sunlight now and sending their pale green shoots up toward the sun. The daily development of these shoots, as everyone knows, is beautiful to watch, but beneath the surface of the water is another miracle of growth which, though it usually wins less attention, somehow fascinates me. While the bulbs were down cellar waiting for the chance to grow upwards, they were very busy striking down into the water dozens of exquisite little silver roots. For every stalk there are at least a dozen roots that go creeping and clambering about the bowl, twining around the pebbles, holding the bulbs firmly upright and seeking out nourishment for them. Without these busy little roots, even the call of the sun would not make the slender green blades carrying the flowers-to-be sheltered between them, grow upward.

One bulb, for some reason, failed to send its roots down during the period of preparation; it has started to do so now but it has just a little runt of a stalk and I am afraid it will never catch up with the others that have such a head start.

One of the fascinations of studying animal or plant life is finding whimsical little analogies to human life. The bulb that put a handicap on itself by not sending down roots in the time of preparation makes me think of the human beings who set themselves back in the same way. The reason that some people are ready to respond to opportunity while others are not is that during the mark-time peri-

ods,—the periods of enforced passivity, some of us are sending down the roots and some of us are not.

A man who held a small position as the custodian of a very old house was asked by one of the visitors something about the woods used in the construction of the house. He knew nothing about the subject but being the kind of man that sends down roots at once began to study the question. He studied it so thoroughly that a year later when a man to demonstrate the use of certain woods in old houses was selected. The position has meant money, the chance to travel, romance—in short, a new life to him, all because he sent down roots.

In this way, self education on any subject is one of the roots that will sustain and support us when we get a chance to grow; knowledge of human nature is another; habits of perseverance, of order, of system are others; an attractive presence is a very valuable root. Of course there are many others, but to cite more is superfluous. You know what I mean already. The question for us both is—how are your roots?

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Germany's Invasion.

The Wall Street Journal says:

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It is worth while to recall what those threats were, particularly in view of their virtually negligible military value:

First—The British Empire, being held together by imperial power, must break up as a result of war with united and homogeneous Germany, India, South Africa, Egypt and Ireland were to fight England for their freedom at this heaven-sent opportunity; white-Cahaga was to annex herself to the United States, and Australia would seize the chance to declare her independence.

Second—England's commerce would be invaded, and largely destroyed, by the roving warships of Germany.

Third—The English Navy would be worn down by piecemeal destruction, called "attrition," until the German fleet could safely give battle to what was left of it.

Fourth—A fleet of Zeppelins would invade England, attacking her coast defences, and laying waste her great cities.

Fifth—On the taking of Dunkirk and Calais, new Krupp guns, mounted on the Continental coast, would shell the opposite English shore, making a special Krupp invasion of England.

Sixth—A fleet of transports was forming for the land invasion of England by the German army.

The war has now progressed more than six months without any material development from these threats. Is it to be taken that the threat department of the German general staff in the Wilhelm Strasse is a specimen of the wonderful efficiency of the great war machine?

THE PRICE OF WHEAT.

By GEORGE FITCH.

Author of "At Good Old Swash." It is too cold in winter to enjoy balloon ascensions or aeroplanes exhibitions. Day during the frigid season just passed, none of us has minded this. We have all been able to watch the price of wheat.

When the porcupine farmer had stuffed the last sack of wheat into his granary after the harvest of 1914, the price of wheat was around eighty cents a bushel. At this price, prosperity reigns, the sale of automobiles to the farmer is very heavy, and the price of bread has to be increased because of labor costs or some other reason than the price of flour.

There were over 900,000,000 bushels of wheat in the U. S. A. waiting to be sold at a price of 80 cents a bushel last summer, and everyone was well content except the farmers who had raised oats. But when the great war was declared, wheat began to try for an altitude record. It crossed the \$1.50 mark late in January, going strong and unless peace gets into Europe by some unguarded side door this spring, it will yet sell for \$2.00 a bushel.

There was a time when the price of wheat was the most important thing in the world. The nearest approach to a revolution England had in two centuries was over the price of wheat. But in those days the common citizen

was supposed to earn only enough to buy himself bread, and if he had anything left over, the mistake was rectified by new taxes. To-day, with wheat higher than it has been since the civil war, the struggle between organized baseball and the Federal league is arousing twice as much interest and ten times as much ill-feeling.

This is because the bread bill of the ordinary American citizen to-day isn't as big as his cigar bill. Seven bushels of wheat a year is more than one man's share in this country. We would head riots and overturn the administration if the price of moving pictures or street car rides was raised to 10 cents, but we respectfully decline to yell to you high heaven because our bread bill is 7 cents more per week. Life is too short to produce said yell when all our strengths are required to kick over a \$1.50 rise in our personal taxes.

The April price of wheat will make many farmers very rich and will cause them to spend enough money to inject a little confidence into American business which is just beginning to take its tail from between its legs, in a cautious way. But it will not cause any calamities. The price of a modest little necessity doesn't matter. It is the soaring price of luxuries which is filling us with unmitigated woe.

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If sandwiches are to be made early on a cold wintry morning, put the butter in the warming oven over night and it will spread over the bread without difficulty.

Before cleaning out the fireplace, sprinkle a good handful of tea leaves among the ashes. This makes the ashes lift easier, and prevents the dust from flying about the room.

It is a good plan when frying meat or fish to sprinkle a little salt over the bottom of the pan before putting in the fat. This prevents any splashing on the wall or rust on the stove.

Milk may be heated without burning if the saucepan is rinsed in clean, cold water before pouring the milk into it. The saucepan is also more easily cleaned if it is thus rinsed before using.

If the children seem irritable and unhappy, inquire into their bedtime hour, and if they are going to bed at nine o'clock, put them in their beds at eight, and see how much more smooth life will be.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURE S DANDRUFF.

Patriotic Concert at Clarendville.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—The Patriotic Concert which was organized under the skillful management of the lady members of the Patriotic Society and given in the Methodist School-room here on Thursday night, March 4th, was a performance that will be remembered for some time by all who witnessed it. The programme of dialogues, recitations and songs held the closest attention of over three hundred people present for over three hours.

Among the items on the programme was a dialogue, more comic than pathetic, entitled "From Puckin Ridge," which has in it a character called "Jonathan Scroggins," or as the acting Jonathan was sometimes called by his dramatic assailant, a Country "Bumkin." This comic part was acted by Kenneth Driscoll, of Clarendville, and was so cleverly acted, that people advanced in years who sat and watched him, laughed until they cried outright, while the younger folks roared an accompaniment. Mrs. G. Gullford, President of the Ladies Patriotic Society here, was the leader in organizing the concert, and whose name alone is a guarantee of success. Miss Fry and Miss V. James presided at the organ and took many other parts in the drama also. The concert was given for the purpose of raising funds to purchase material to be used up by the ladies of Clarendville to send to the boys who have so willingly gone to the front.

The last item on the programme was gone through; the National Anthem was sung, and the crowd dispersed feeling well satisfied with what they had seen.

—M. I. B.
Clarendville, March 6th, 1915.

"Daniel O'Connell."

The third Star of the Sea lecture of the Lenten series will be delivered in their club rooms on Thursday night by Mr. J. M. Kent, M. H. A., for St. John's East. His subject will be "Daniel O'Connell," and as this is a very popular one, we predict the usual packed house that always follows the announcement of any function in the Star Club Rooms. On the following Thursday night Mr. M. A. Devine will deliver a very original lecture, entitled: "Clippings from the Back Bay Bugle."

The Entombed in Layton Mine.

Hipton, W. Va., March 3rd.—Rescue parties worked in relays throughout the night in a feverish effort to penetrate the depth of the Layton Mines of the New River and Pocahontas Consolidated Coal Company, seven miles from Quinnimont, where 182 miners were entombed by an explosion yesterday.

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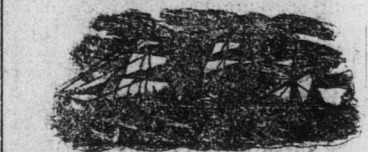
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Opinion Held by Military. Political Circles in London of the Tremendous Obstacle Overcome by Fleet Before is Complete.

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Dardanelles is Pivotal Point of Whole War.

Opinion Held by Military, Naval and Political Circles in London—Some of the Tremendous Obstacles to be Overcome by Fleet Before Triumph is Complete.

London, March 2.—The day on which the Dardanelles are forced will be the turning point of the whole war, is the opinion of high military, naval and political authorities in London, and, if one may judge from the tone of the French press, of those of the French Capital also. It will mark the downfall of the Turkish Dominion, predicted by Premier Asquith; it will signify the total failure of those German ambitions which found concrete expression in the Baghdad Railway; it will break the backbone of the German policy of communications with Asia through the Balkans and Constantinople, and will effectively counter the plans for the Turkish invasion of Egypt. Supplies of German munitions of war for Turkish troops in Asia Minor will be cut off and those armies rendered impotent. Free passage will be obtained for Russian grain and oil, with double benefit to Russia's finances and the stores of the other Allied nations. A way will be opened for flanking operations on a scale impossible even with the vast continental lines in the eastern and western theatres of war and possible only to the all embracing arms of the sea powers. The remotest danger of a new accession to the German-Turkish alliance on the part of any Balkan power will be removed.

Not the slightest doubt is entertained that the Allies mean to carry through the work taken in hand, and it is fully recognized that anything less than complete success—in other words, the occupation of Constantinople—would be morally a tremendous defeat in the eyes of the eastern nations, which have been informed by the German wireless that the Kaiser has already captured seventeen British Dreadnoughts.

Big Problem Understood.

Regarding the plan of operations, J. L. Garvin says in the Observer: "Speculation must be restrained; but we have to express our emphatic conviction that not only our own Admiralty and the War Office, but the Allies as a whole have a sure grasp of

their problem and mean to make a thorough job of it. It is admitted that a military force must supplement the fleet and that the right plan must lead up steadily to the final co-operation of Russia with France and Great Britain.

"Nothing must yet be asked about the composition and direction of possible landing expeditions. There are several points, both on the European and Asiatic sides, where troops might be landed with the object of seizing both shores of the Straits from the Aegean to the Sea of Marmora. It is especially hard for the opponents of all amphibious powers to distinguish a feat from a blow or to tell where the worst blow is likely to fall. It is no business of the Allies to solve the puzzle for the benefit of the Turks."

Some interesting facts based on personal and local observation are given by Sir Edwin Pears with regard to the Dardanelles defences. The forts at the southwesterly entrance were mounted with Krupp guns, which, when presented to Abdul Hamid a dozen years ago, were said to be the most powerful guns ever made. The process of strengthening the works which has been going on under German direction for the past six months does not appear to have made the forts anything like a match for the offensive of the Queen Elizabeth, which can throw from her fifteen-inch projectile weighing a ton a distance well over twenty miles, if not nearly thirty. Supposedly the stronger defences, however, are at the narrows at Killid Bahr, opposite Chanak, while two or three miles further on is Nagara headland, stretching half way across the straits and so fortified that its many guns, with those on the northern shore, could concentrate a deadly fire on any ship endeavoring to get round the point in order to enter the sea of Marmora. It is on the south side of this point that the Turkish fleet generally lies in the Dardanelles in order to be out of the strong current which flows from the sea of Marmora, and it was here that the Turkish warship Mussudieh was torpedoed by a British submarine.

May Take Forts in Rear.

"When Nagara point is passed," says Sir Edwin Pears, "the greatest difficulty in reaching Constantinople is overcome. It has often been suggested that troops could be landed in the Gulf of Saros, to the north of the peninsula, which is the northern boundary of the Dardanelles, and which at one place—and this behind the strong forts of Killid Bahr—is not more than four miles wide. The object of such a landing would be to take such forts in the rear. A similar proposal has been made in reference to the forts on the Asiatic side. A strong body of troops disembarked at Bessika Bay might capture the Asiatic forts."

"All difficulties would not have been surmounted when the fleets have passed Gallipoli at the northern end of the Dardanelles, for during the last three months the Germans have erected batteries on Marmora Island, forty miles from Gallipoli and one hundred miles from Constantinople, as well as on the southern Asiatic end of the Bosphorus and even at Prinkipo."

Whatever difficulties are in the way, the prevailing opinion here is that they have been well estimated and the value of success calculated to exceed the possible costs.

The optimism with which the continuance of the Dardanelles operations is awaited extends to the future operations of the Allies generally. A story, reinforced by details, which it is impossible to make public because of the danger to certain people involved, is current in unusually credulous circles to the effect that the German general staff realizes that Germany has delivered her strongest blows and has failed, and is now laying its plans to avert a crushing defeat. Apocryphal or not, the story well represents the trend of the best informed public opinion here.

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Baden-Powell Recalls Germany

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New York, March 2.—A German Baron von Stein, purchased in 1906 a villa three miles southeast of Liege and spent much time and money on fixing up the grounds. Last August the turf of the tennis court was torn away by the German invaders, who used the concrete foundation underneath as an emplacement for one of their 16-inch howitzers with which they reduced the fortress. In the vicinity of Lille and Maubeuge, it was later declared, similar gun emplacements had been prepared. The following passage taken from Lieut. General Sir Robert Baden-Powell's new book, "Germany's Secret Plans," throws some additional light on the subject:

"Some years ago a report came to the War Office that a foreign power was making gun emplacements in a position which had not before been suspected of being of military value, and they were evidently going to use it for strategic purposes."

"It was sent to see whether the report was true. Of course, it would not do to go as an officer—suspicion would be aroused, one would be allowed to see nothing and would probably be arrested as a spy. I therefore went to stay with a friendly farmer in the neighborhood and went out shooting every day among the partridges and snipe which abound there. The first thing I did was to look at the country generally and try to think which points would be most valuable as positions for artillery."

"Then I went to look for partridges (and other things) on the hills which I had noticed, and very soon found what I wanted."

Officers Taking Angles.

"Officers were there taking angles and measurements, accompanied by workmen, who were driving pegs into the ground and marking off lines with tapes between them."

"As I passed with my gun in my hand, bag on my shoulder and dog at my heels, they paid no attention to me, and from the neighboring hills I was able to watch their proceedings. When they went to their meals or returned to their quarters I went shooting over the grounds they had left, and if I did not get a bag of game, at any rate I made a good selection of drawing and measurements of the plans of the forts and emplacements which they had traced out on the ground."

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"They repeated their story of escape from a wrecked fishing boat which struck a mine, but the magistrate disbelieved them, saying the survivors had not the appearance of sailors. Then they confessed they were survivors from a Zeppelin wrecked in last night's storm."

"When the airship got into difficulties they tried to steer in the teeth of the gale, but the motor smashed as the ship neared shore, and was driven down by snow. The captain gave orders to set the ship afire and then leaped for their lives. The whole ship was ablaze as the men leaped overboard from a fair height some two or three miles from shore. There were fifteen men on board and four were lost."

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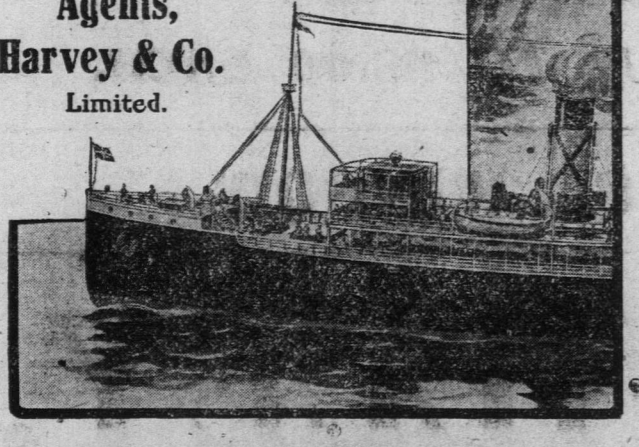
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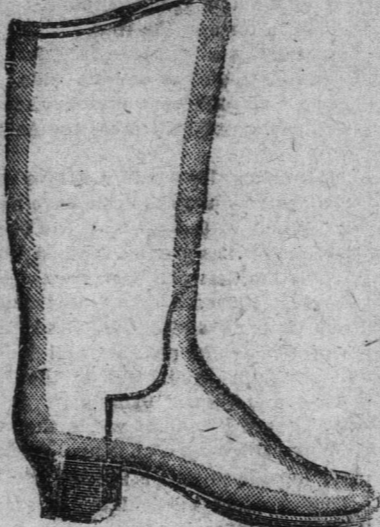
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