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By order,  
**S. A. CHURCHILL,**  
Secretary.

**St. Andrew's Society.**

The adjourned annual meeting of the above Society will be held on Monday, 17th January, instead of Wednesday, 19th January. All members will please take notice of this alteration. All members are requested to be at this meeting as business of importance will be brought forward.

By order of the V.P.  
**D. JOHNSTON,**  
Secretary.

**St. Patrick's Holy Name Society.**

The Annual Triduum in honor of the Holy Name will be held in St. Patrick's Church on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week. All men of the Parish are asked to attend. By order,  
**C. E. JARDINE,**  
Hon. Sec'y.

**St. John's Masonic Mutual Insurance Ass'n.**

The Annual Meeting of the above Association takes place at the Masonic Temple on Tuesday, the 18th, at 8.00 p.m. This meeting is open to all members who wish to attend, and the Directors earnestly hope there will be a large attendance as it is an important meeting. Applications for membership shall also be received.

jan17,21  
**WM. C. MAJOR,**  
Secretary.

**Nfld. Consolidated Foundry Co., Ltd.**

Stockholders will please take notice that under the provision of the Companies Act, 1899, the time for closing of the transfer books will be from the 17th inst. until after the annual meeting of the 31st inst.

**JAMES STOTT,**  
Secretary.

**Knights of Columbus.**

The Regular Meeting of the Terra Nova Council, No. 1452, Knights of Columbus, will be held in Columbus Hall, Duckworth Street, Tuesday evening, at 8.30 o'clock. The Annual Sale of Papers will take place after this meeting.

**N. J. WADDEN,**  
Fin. Sec'y.

**NOTICE.**

There will be a meeting of the Tasker Celebration Committee on this Monday evening in the Masonic Temple immediately after the sale of papers.

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**PRELIMINARY NOTICE**

The Annual Meeting of the Bible Society will be held in the Methodist College Hall on Monday, Jan. 31st, at 8 p.m. Particulars later.

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**FRED J. ROIL,**  
Secretary to Liquidators.  
587,10,12,14,17,19,20

**NOTICE.**

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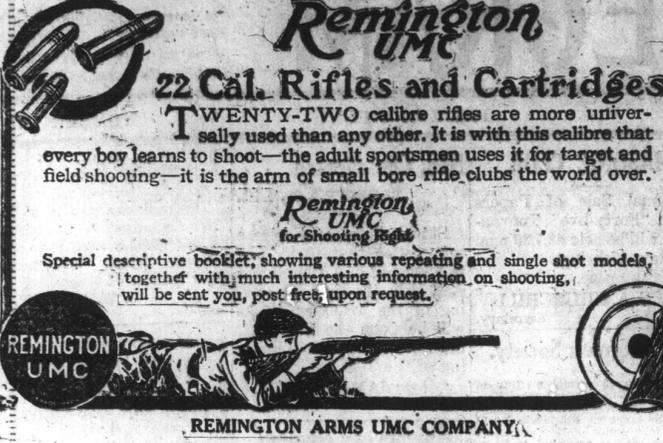
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CHAPTER XI  
 HUMANITY.

My Dear Vane:—I write this, though not feeling at all sure, with my knowledge of your sublime indifference to correspondence, whether you will read it, or indeed, if it will reach you; for, if I know my man, you have, I fancy, grown heartily sick of playing the recluse and the mysterious visitor of Newton Regis, and have left that delightful but dreary spot for fresh fields and pastures new. Where are you now, I wonder? the Nile, the Hartz mountains, or up on the lochs with a salmon-rod glued to your wrist?

I am still in this confounded Paris for the best of all reasons—that I don't see any use, at present, of going anywhere else.

Don't pitch this letter into the fire, under the fearful impression that I am going to bore you with an account of all my doings, good and bad. Seriously, I have been trying to amuse myself, and should have succeeded better if I had not misused your sweet, granting, cynical growl. I am like a man who has grown fond of dancing bear and lost him. We've had a pretty good gathering lately, and among 'em—who do you think? None other than the divine Lucelle herself! The last captive of her bow and spear, the old duke, accompanied her, and remained just a month. He has gone no one knows where. They parted, it is said, in a rage, and all is broken off; whether that is true or not, I don't say.

It is rumored that the divine Lucelle flew into one of her rages, told him she was tired of him, and that she could not marry a man, even a duke, with false teeth! He has gone, at any rate, and here she is, as beautiful and as popular as ever. There are three Italian counts, a French marquis, and an English baronet, at words drawn over her account, and as usual she looks as innocent and serene as a sucking dove. I tell you this, not because I think you are at all interested in her—oh, dear, no, "we have cured that wound," of course, but because her ladyship mentioned to me—to whom she is sweeter than honey—that she was going next month to Leigh's. If I remember rightly—I won't be sure—you know my sublime ignorance of my native land—that the Leigh's place is within a score of miles of

your present hermitage, and you might run against her.

Perhaps it would not be convenient to have your real identity proclaimed to the simple and confiding inhabitants of Muddum-sloper—I beg your pardon, I mean Newton Regis. She leaves here in about five weeks' time, so you have plenty of time to pack up your traps and decamp, that is if you do not care to remain in the near vicinity of the divine Lucelle.

Seriously, there is still danger, old man! She has mentioned your name once or twice, in that deliberately careless tone which means mischief with her. Of course I don't know where you are any more than the man in the moon. But she doesn't believe me. If you are not quite cured, run for it, or by the living Jingo, she'll have you yet! This is a long letter, and has nearly killed me; but I'll be sworn you won't give me a "thank you" for it! Such is friendship! If you decide to run, come over here, and we'll go on to Germany for some fishing. Can't write any more.

CHARLIE HAMILTON.

This was the letter, and Vernon Vane eyed it very gravely, and with a decided touch of annoyance, he folded it sharply and thrust it in his pocket.

"Twenty miles from here," he muttered; "it would not be safe to risk it. A word from her would spoil—well, my whim, and I have set my heart upon carrying it out. I wonder if they would give me my Jeanne so soon—ah!" and at the thought an eager light fell on his face. "Strange how impatient I feel to make her my own—and yet I would trust her for a lifetime—my poor little Jeanne!"

So he tried to dismiss the letter, and started again, and again was stopped—this time by the appearance of the new viscount, who was pelting down the street on his bay horse, when, catching sight of Vernon Vane's stalwart figure, he pulled up at the gate, as if struck by a sudden idea. Only a few hours ago, Vernon Vane had felt very much tempted to pitch the Honorable Clarence over a balcony; but during those few hours things had happened which had softened his heart even to the Honorable Clarence, and instead of the usual curt, grim nod, he looked actually amiable, as the new viscount got off his horse, and held out his hand.

"Good-morning, Vane," he said. And Vane noticed, as Jane had done, the difference in his voice and manner. "How do you do?—I wanted to have a word with you."

"With me?" said Vane. "You have been out early this morning?"

"Yes—yes," assented Lord Lane.

looking rather embarrassed for a moment. "I've been for a ride, that is—I say, Vane, I've heard bad news."

"Yes," continued Lord Lane. "Fact is, I've just had a letter—we get them an hour earlier up at the park than you, you know—saying that my brother Lane has met with an accident, and is dead."

Vernon Vane had been listening rather absently, but those hesitating, hurried words caused him to start.

"Lano—dead!" he exclaimed.

The new Lord Lane nodded.

"Yes," he said. "Did you know him?"

Vernon Vane's usual reserved manner enveloped him immediately.

"I have met him," he said, coldly. "And he is dead!"

"Yes—was pitched out of his dog-cart; always was too fond of driving risky cattle. Knew how it would be some day—poor Lane!"

Vernon Vane looked absent for a moment, then he said:

"I am sorry to hear this, Lord Lane. Can I do anything for him?"

Lord Lane started slightly at his title; it was the first time he had been addressed, and commenced kicking the gravel with his foot.

"Thank's; it's—it's very kind of you, and—well, you could do something if you would."

"What is it?" asked Vane, with his usual directness.

"Well, you see I've only just heard the news, and they don't know anything about it up at the park, and to tell you the truth, I rather shirk going through the whole story, and the regular good-by," and—Vernon Vane eyed him quietly; "and I thought perhaps you wouldn't mind walking up and letting them know. I'm anxious to get to town, and can catch the first train if I don't have to go back to the park, you know."

"And what about the young ladies? Have you any special message for them?" asked Vane, with his old, cynical smile.

"Message?—no—no—of course not. Only the usual thing. Obligated to go—sorry to leave so suddenly, and all that. Hang it, Vane!" he broke out abruptly, "you don't suppose that anything of that kind can go on now; things are changed, and my people would go mad."

"What is sauce for Mr. Fitzjames is not sauce for Viscount Lane, I see," said Vane, grimly, and with quiet scorn. "Well, you want to catch your train; I will go up for you to the park—anything else?"

"No, nothing, and 'pon my life I'm much obliged to you," said his lordship, gratefully. "It would have been a terrible bore, you know. Awfully obliged, I'm sure."

"Don't speak of it," said Vane, coldly. "Good-morning, Lord Lane."

"Oh—half a moment," said his lordship; "I say, Vane, just one thing more, you—of course you won't think anything about our chat last night—about the other little lady, you know?"

Vernon Vane's lips tightened.

"Are you alluding to Miss Bertam?" he asked, grimly.

Lord Lane nodded, and gathered up his reins.

"Yes, of course, that was all nonsense. No more to be thought of than the other young ladies. You understand a fellow, of course. Wouldn't do, you know, eh? Don't mention it; there's a good fellow."

"No," said Vane, "I am not likely to mention it," and without another word he strode off.

Lord Lane drew a long breath of relief.

"Phew!" he muttered; "I'm well out of it all. The sight of the pillmaker would finish me after this morning's work; I feel upset, decidedly upset, and—what to Heaven I was in town," and he made for the station.

By the time Vernon Vane had reached the gate to the wall which, by the way, he had opened pretty often of late, the cynical expression had left his face, and the eager look of the lover had returned.

He paused a moment in the court to look up at the red house which held his treasure, and recalled the evening of his first visit, when he had watched his starting in the midst of

her home life, as she had knelt in the freight and turned her face to him with the tears in her eyes which his music had called up. Then he went in, to find the house apparently deserted. But presently, as he stood looking from the open doorway into the garden, there was a light foot-step behind him, and there stood Jeanne with her hand held out, and her eyes downcast, but a tall-tale blush on her face.

Without a word he drew her toward him with a murmured word of endearment.

"It is like the sleeping palace!" he said, with his quiet smile.

"Where are they all?" said Jeanne, shyly. "I was upstairs, Hal is out, and aunt—"

"Am I so early?" he said; "I should have been here before, but have been detained," and as he spoke, he drew her into the garden.

Jeanne was very silent and very shy as she walked by his side, but every now and then, as he stopped to pick one or other of the spring flowers, she stole a glance at the handsome face—a glance of mingled love and pride. For what girl—even a princess of the blood—would not be proud of the love of this stalwart, handsome artist and musician.

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Suddenly she scatters her feticious reverie by putting his arms around her—they have reached one of the twisting, sheltering walks in which the old garden abounds—and drawing her to him.

"Well, my darling," he says, in the low, softened voice which has haunted Jeanne during the night, "and have you repented? Are you going to tell me this morning that the fairies had bewitched you last night, and that you had recovered your senses with the morning? You see, I can scarcely believe in my good luck—my happiness!"

Jeanne smiled through her tears.

"Are you laughing at me? I am such a poor, insignificant little thing—"

"Hush!" he says, taking her hand and putting it to her lips and then to his own; "not a word more of such dark treason. Bear with me, Jeanne; it is so hard for me to realize that I have such happiness in my grasp. Why, my darling, I shall have to keep you in my sight for the next few days to persuade myself that it is real, and that you aren't flown away, like a dream-child! Jeanne!" he says, suddenly, with a half-serious, wholly tender smile lurking under his mustache, "what will Aunt Jane say when I go in and tell her I want her ewe lamb?"

Jeanne looks up for a second bravely.

"What can she say?"

Vernon Vane shakes his head.

"Poor men, and struggling artists in particular, do not meet with an effusive welcome when they come with the request I am going to make. And Jeanne," he says, taking both her hands, and holding them tightly as he looks with loving, longing scrutiny into her downcast face, "are you sure of yourself? A poor man's wife—fancy!"

"Are you so very good?" asks Jeanne, eagerly. "I am—so glad!" she says, drawing a long breath; "I am so glad!"

"Why—why?" he asks, keeping back the swift, glad light which flashes to his eyes.

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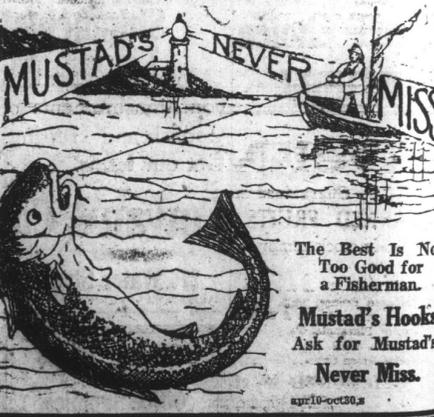
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## Ex-Premier Briand Forms New Cabinet.

### British Statesmen Will Discuss U. S. Naval Policy--North Dublin Surrounded by Police Cordon--South African Elections Will be Hard Fought--Gloucester Fish Returns Show Falling Off.

**BRAND NEW FRENCH PREMIER.**  
PARIS, Jan. 16. Aristide Briand, formerly French Prime Minister, succeeded today in the task undertaken by him yesterday to form a Cabinet in succession to the Ministry of Premier Leger, which resigned last Wednesday. Besides the Premiership Mr. Briand takes the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Louis Barthou becomes Minister of War and Paul Doumer Minister of Finance.

**WILL DISCUSS NAVAL POLICY.**  
LONDON, Jan. 16. The question of the naval policy of the United States and Great Britain will be one of the principal subjects discussed at the forthcoming conference here between Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador to the United States, the Prime Minister, Mr. Lloyd George, and Earl Curzon, Foreign Secretary. It was said in authoritative quarters today.

**SOUTH AFRICAN NOMINATION.**  
CAPE TOWN, Jan. 16. (Delayed)—Nomination day for the coming elections in the Union of South Africa developed considerable excitement today throughout the Union, there being every indication from the happenings of the day that the election would be an exceedingly hard fought one. Both the South African Unionist Coalition Party of the

present government, led by General Jan Christian Smuts, and the Nationalist Party, which supports a policy of separation from the British Empire, put up candidates in almost every possible constituency. A feature of the nominations was the large number of three cornered contests developing, in which the Government Party, Nationalists, and Labor Party are competing. Gen. Smuts in his latest speech expressed his confidence that the government would secure a good working majority, while the Nationalists leaders believe themselves confident of coming back stronger than before.

**GREEKS CONTINUE SUCCESSSES.**  
LONDON, Jan. 16. Continued success for Greeks in their offensive against Turkish Nationalists in Brussa sector are reported in the latest Greek army communiqué forwarded Saturday in a Central News despatch from Athens.

**THE TARIFF BILL.**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 16. Amendments added to the House Emergency Tariff Bill—which were approved on Saturday by the Senate Finance Committee included Frozen Meats of all kinds two cents a pound, all other meats 25 per cent. ad Valorem, Apples 20 cents box, Cherries four cents pound, Tobacco, Sumatra Wrappers and Filters \$2.85 per pound.

Stemmed Sumatra \$3.50 per pound, Butter and Cheese and their substitutes 8 cents a pound, instead of six provided in the amendment accepted yesterday, cattle and sheep to be used for breeding purposes were exempted from duty on imported animals.

**PROHIBITS IMPORTATION OF DYES.**  
TORONTO, Jan. 16. The British Dye Stuffs Act prohibiting importation of Dye Stuffs came into force today. In future all importation on Dye Stuffs will be subject to License with preference to produce from British Dominions.

**SHE FAILED.**  
DANVILLE, Ill., Jan. 16. Mrs. Ernest S. Harrington, who claimed to have been fasting for 48 days to influence her husband to join a church, ended her hunger strike Saturday upon being advised by the Rev. G. S. Payne, of Eldorado, to take food.

**GLOUCESTER'S FISH RETURNS.**  
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Jan. 16. A falling off of sixty per cent. in the amount of fish received at this port was shown in the figures announced by the Board of Trade yesterday. The total receipts for last year were seventy-five million, seven hundred and seventy-five thousand, five hundred and two pounds as compared with the record year of 1920, one hundred and twenty million, three hundred and fifteen thousand, nine hundred and fourteen.

**MORE SHOOTING IN CORK.**  
CORK, Jan. 16. Serious disorders followed shooting here yesterday in which detectives in plain clothes were wounded. The disorders occurred while a crowd was dispersing from a football match and parties of police were trying to clear the streets. Altogether twelve persons were wounded during the promiscuous firing, while excise officer Pring was killed by a stray shot from a passing lorry. The Excise Officer had come to his home here for the week end and was walking in the street with his brother and sister.

**WILL HAVE A LOT OF EXPLAINING TO DO.**  
SYDNEY, Jan. 16. Vice-President Murdoch, who has been directing the strike of railwaymen at the Steel Plant, has been summoned to the Brotherhood's Headquarters at Chicago. The purpose of his hurried visit has not been officially disclosed, but it is understood that officials at Headquarters want more definite information on the strike situation at Sydney and Sydney Mines. It is rumored in local steel circles that a good deal of what has been going on here in connection with the strike and more particularly the embargo has been unauthorized by Headquarters, and that Mr. Murdoch may have a lot of explaining to do when he gets to Chicago. To-night twenty-five carloads of steel products placed in the assembly yards of the Canadian National Railway have not yet been touched by the engine crews, and there is little doubt that the steel shipments will be left standing on the swings until such time as the Brotherhood men receive orders from their officers to handle them.

**DUBLIN SCENE OF BIG RAID.**  
DUBLIN, Jan. 16. The whole section of North Dublin was cordoned by soldiers and police last evening and today the Street Railway Service along the North Quay was suspended. The centre of the cordoned district includes Church Street and the place where the military were ambushed recently, and North King St. the scene of fierce fighting in the east section. A total area of a square mile is surrounded and the biggest raid Dublin has yet experienced has been underway. Only the military have been engaged inside the cordon and it is believed every house will be systematically searched, the raid lasting several days. Hundreds of spiders are taking part and field kitchens are providing them with food.

**EXECUTION POSTPONED.**  
DUBLIN, Jan. 16. The execution of Joseph Murphy, which was due to take place tomorrow, has been postponed to Wednesday, pending a hearing of an appeal for the quashing of the court martial sentence.

**QUIET SHORTLIVED.**  
DUBLIN, Jan. 16. The period of comparative quiet which began in Dublin at Christmas-tide, proved shortlived. During past week there was a continuation of the tragedies in which Crown forces and persons identified with the Sinn Féin movement appeared to have suffered more or less equally. The atmosphere in Dublin is now similar to that in Cork before martial law was declared, people are becoming afraid to venture into the streets owing to number of conflicts in which lives of bystanders are endangered. The air is alive with rumors of impending trouble. According to one report ambulances of Crown forces, which previously have been staged chiefly after the curfew hour, will not take place by daylight in the heart of the city, regardless of risks of such attacks to pedestrians for the purpose of forcing an extension of martial law to the metropolis.

## My Column.

(By the Cub Editor.)

**FOREWORD.**  
It is now some considerable time since the Cub Editor of this paper has inflicted any of his so-called literary effusions on a long suffering public. But, those who hoped never to hear of him again, will now experience feelings of the bitterest kind at the blasting of their hopes, whilst those who have been looking forward to the arrival of this column—and they are legion—can now throw their hats in the air (this is not meant for lady readers if there are any) and shout "Hooryay."

Unfortunately, the former Cub-Editor is not the present one. By this I mean that he who formerly filled this column is no longer on the staff of this paper and in his place there sits one, who though not imbued with either the experience, capability, or energy of his predecessor, nevertheless dares to present to the notice of such readers as have the temerity to take the plunge a column of matter which they will find readable (That's up to the printers) instructive (perhaps), and of a high literary standard (that's me all over, Mabel.) And now, having introduced myself I'll get on with the washing. (No, Horace, my wife doesn't make me do the washing.) That's merely a colloquial. (If you know what that means) expression.

Before, however, closing this delightful and most entertaining foreword may I say to you one and all, male and female, tell your troubles to me. My services are always at your disposal. If you want to know whom to marry, ask me. If you don't know how to propose, I'm always here. Any old question, any old time. All the knowledge of one who has learnt in the hard school of experience is at your service. (Did I hear you laugh, Horace?) Go to it.—The Cub-Editor.

**OTHER PEOPLE'S LUCK.**  
According to The Daily Express twenty-five thousand Government officials are on strike in Austria. People are asking why we can't have this sort of thing in Newfoundland.

**LOCK ME WITH THE BEER.**  
There's a cell down in the Court House where I'd like to now reside. For there I'd lay me down and souse and stay until I died. For in it there are cakes and tuns of moonshine and of whiskey. Which there as free as water runs. Enough to make one frisky. So now to be sure I'm out And when in court I appear Unto the Magistrate I'll shout Please lock me with the beer. (A special license, poetic, of course was granted to the author of the above. He ought undoubtedly to be provided with a cell, a padded one, and not in the Court House,—for daring to compose such crude stuff.)

**TEAM WORK.**  
"I say, Gadaby," said Mr. Smith, as he entered a fishmonger's with a lot of tackle in his hand, "I want you to give me some fish to take home with me. Put them up to look as if they'd been caught today, will you?" "Certainly, sir. How many?" "Oh, you'd better give me three or four—mackerel. Make it look decent in quantity without appearing to exaggerate, you know."

"Yes, sir. You'd better take salmon, tho'." "Why? What makes you think so?" "Oh, nothing, except that your wife was here early this morning and said if you dropt in with your fishing-tackle I was to persuade you to take salmon, if possible, as she liked that kind better than any other."

**THE LATEST HOSEERY.**  
It was enough of modern stuff. When Betsy bobbed her hair, We thought that it was just a bluff At being debonaire.

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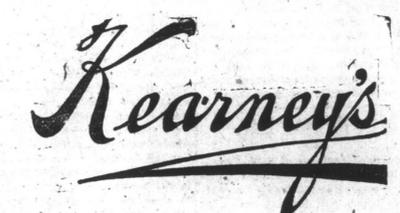
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| Pyjamas, all Wool 2-piece Suits; all sizes . . . . .                  | Regular Price \$12.50 Suit.<br>Half Price, \$6.25 suit    |
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Mail-carrying aeroplanes in the United States are now fitted with asbestos containers to protect the letters from fire.

From Leicester to London one can journey by motor-omnibus, changing at Market Harborough, Wellingborough, Rushton, Bedford, Luton, and St. Albans.

The Census Bureau announces that the population of the United States is 105,633,000, an increase of 13,710,000 over the population at the previous census in 1910.

For the first time in four months the Burlington Fire Brigade have been called to a fire. It is not true that they decided to keep it as a memento.

The summit of Mont Blanc, the highest peak in Europe, collapsed recently as the result of an avalanche. So that our taxes must now be about the highest things on earth.

**TIME FOR CARE.**  
"These short skirts do make a lot of women look like little girls."

"That's right. You've got to be careful who you try to pat on the head nowadays."

**COME TO THE POINT.**  
"I see," he said, "that coal has gone up again."

"Has it?" she replied casually. "And they're raising house rents," he continued.

"Well," she exclaimed, flaring up, "if you wish to break off our engagement, say so. I always hate people to

beat about the bush in a case of this kind."

**NO IDEA.**  
"Where are you going for your Christmas holidays?"

"I haven't the least idea."

"But can't you judge from what you've heard your father and mother say?"

"Well, from the way ma talks I should think we were going to Monte Carlo, Switzerland and Egypt. From the way pa talks I should think we were going to the work-house."

Here endeth my first column.

—THE CUB-EDITOR.

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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor  
C. T. JAMES, Editor

Monday, January 17, 1921.

BAD FISH.

Another cause to which may be attributed the spoiling of fish in bulk is delays in loading. Every one with any knowledge of dry fish recognizes that the more speedily a cargo is put on board the better it turns out, as the under lines do not suffer any undue shrinkage nor become subject to sweating, induced in many instances by the poor ventilation of the holds. Last year cargoes, from the West Coast were so long in the vessels before sailing—a result of the regulations forbidding clearance—and so long on the passage across, and to make matters worse were weeks and weeks outside Oporto, that it were a miracle indeed if they turned out anything but bad. But the shippers have had to carry the losses without hope of redress from those whose bungling and ignorance of conditions, precipitated financial disaster upon firms, the members of which had spent their lifetime in buying and exporting codfish, and making so fair a profit that they could afford to pay a higher price per quintal than was being offered anywhere in Newfoundland. Their early cargoes were always good, but 1920 regulations killed their trade, kept back their vessels from a waiting market and wrought confusion generally. Is it any wonder, under such conditions, that fish so long delayed between loading and discharging have gone bad?

Died at New York.

Passing of Mr. A. E. Outerbridge. A message received recently from New York states that Alexander E. Outerbridge died there on January 14th, of pneumonia. Mr. Outerbridge, who was a younger brother of Sir Joseph Outerbridge, of St. John's, was for some years with the firm of Harvey & Co. Whilst still a young man, he left Newfoundland and spent the greater part of his life in New York. Mr. Outerbridge was responsible for the inauguration and building up of the Bermuda West India Steamship services, and furthermore, his firm, A. E. Outerbridge & Co., became the agents of the Quebec Steamship Lines. Although he had reached the ripe age of 76 years, Mr. Outerbridge was an active and young looking man, and moreover, a keen sportsman. In fact it was he who caused the first skating rink to be built in St. John's. He is survived by his wife and two sons, to whom the Telegram expresses sincere sympathy.

Men Paid Off.

The Prime Minister advises that he had received a telegram from Magistrate Fitzgerald, announcing that between two and three hundred men had been paid off at Millertown and Badger and that it is of no avail for any person to go to either of these places looking for employment.

Hit By Iron Bar.

The third engineer of S. S. Canadian Sapper, Mr. G. F. McRoberts, met with a serious accident at 3 a.m. Saturday which will prevent him from attending to his duties for some time to come. Owing to the frosty weather the ship's winches were kept running after the ship's arrival on Friday night in order to facilitate the discharging of her cargo on the following morning. During the night one of the after winches became slightly frozen and Engineer McRoberts was in the act of clearing it with the aid of a pinch bar, when the winch suddenly started and before he had time to spring clear, McRoberts was hit in the abdomen by the bar and seriously injured. First aid was immediately rendered and after the arrival of a doctor he was ordered to the Hospital where he was operated on during the morning. Whilst the injuries are not dangerous, they are very painful and are sufficiently bad to cause Mr. McRoberts to be incapacitated for about a month.

Newfoundland Elks.

Ladies' Auxiliary to be Formed. At 8 p.m., to-day the lady friends of the Elks will meet in the Society's Rooms for the purpose of forming a Ladies' Auxiliary. The ladies are very much interested in the Elks, as its objects appeal to them. Preparations are now being made for a grand ball to be held on January 27th in the C.C.C. Hall. Part of the proceeds will be devoted to charity, the cause of which is espoused by the Elks. It is here that the Ladies' Auxiliary will be of great assistance to the organization.

Presentation to Capt. Chambers.

Commodore of Furness Line Honored By Officers, Engineers and Staff Aboard Steamer Digby. An interesting ceremony took place on board the R.M.S. Digby, on Saturday afternoon, says the Halifax Morning Chronicle, of 10th inst., when the officers, engineers and staff presented Capt. F. W. Chambers, D.S.C., with a handsome pair of marine binoculars, which were suitably inscribed. The presentation was made by Mr. J. E. Whitford, Chief Engineer—who has known the Commander many years—and who spoke of the happy relations which existed between the Commander and those serving under him, a statement which was also endorsed by the Purser, Mr. A. Longmuir. The captain expressed his appreciation of the gift, and declared his policy had always been to get his crew working together in harmony with himself, when the happiest results invariably ensued. He said he could always value the gift as a reminder of the harmony which he was so glad existed on board. Capt. Chambers is well known in Halifax and St. John's, Nfld., having had a long and successful career, sailing between England, Newfoundland and Nova Scotia for upwards of twenty years. His numerous friends on both sides of the Atlantic will appreciate the esteem in which he is held by those on board.

Newfoundland Not a Dominion.

When the announcement was made in 1917 of a change of government for Newfoundland, it was also stated, in the statement also bore official completion, that this country had been raised to the status of a Dominion, and up to within a few months proclamations and other official documents were issued bearing the title. We now have it, however, from the highest authority in the land, "that the bare statement of fact is a misapprehension, the fact being that Newfoundland was made a Dominion only for certain purposes, but this did not alter its political status, nor did it give it the fixed title of 'Dominion.'" We are very pleased to get this statement and to pass it on to our readers many of whom have never taken very kindly to the character of the title being jealous of that honored "Yankee Ancient Colony,"—Western Star.

Herring Fishery.

The fall herring fishery in Bay of Islands closed last week. All the returns are not in yet, but from information gathered so far, the pack by the "Scotch" method here is estimated at a little over fifteen thousand barrels. Of this quantity there are yet some two or three thousand barrels to be shipped. Some four or five cargoes of herring have been shipped in salt bulk and some firms put up big packs by the local method, and several thousand barrels have been shipped frozen. In all it is estimated the Bay of Islands herring catch this season has been something over forty thousand barrels. This, however, represents the major portion of the herring industry of Newfoundland this season; for in Green Bay only a few were engaged in the voyage and they provided only for small packs. In Trinity Bay there were some fish packed. In Placentia considerable preparations were made, but the herring were scarce, and at Bonne Bay there was very little done in the herring fishery this season. It is therefore believed that when all the returns are in it will be seen that the total Newfoundland herring pack this season by the "Scotch" method is considerably below that of last year or the year previous.

Norman Fisher had twelve hundred barrels spread at Corner Brook for the frost the first of the year and was very successful in getting them in good shape for the shipment. "One of the finest cargoes of frozen herring shipped from here was taken away by the schooner Roxana Burton which sailed from Middle Arm the first of last week for New York. Capt. Norman Ross spent several weeks in curling, packing and shipping frozen herring to a New York firm. He sent away several carloads. A. M. Dunphy made several shipments of Kippers to New York. They were well cured and found ready sale.—Western Star.

Shipping Notes.

The Danish schooner Energi is now loading codfish for Alicante from the Monroe Export Co. Schr. Robert J. Dale, 50 days from Paramaribo, arrived in port Saturday to G. M. Barr. Schr. Bordello left Preston on Friday last for Povey where she loads china clay for Genoa, Italy. Schr. Elizabeth Fern from Paramaribo, the barque Madeline from St. John's and the schooner, June from Torrevieja, are now due at this port. ANNUAL TRIDUUM.—The annual Triduum in honor of the Holy Name, will be held in St. Patrick's Church on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week. All men of the parish are expected to attend.

War Trophies Sent to Museum.

INTERESTING COLLECTION NOW ON EXHIBITION. Through the initial efforts of Mr. H. F. Shortis the Museum has been presented with an interesting and valuable collection of war trophies. To-day Mr. Duggan is busy arranging the collection, which for some time has been at the Militia Department stores. Amongst the collection sent to the Museum to-day are the following: 10 Turkish rifles, 20 Turkish bayonets, 20 German bayonets (various), 2 granatenwerfers, 1 M. M. French mortar, 20 luminatory pistols, 20 German helmets with visors, 2 German mess tins, 1 set German equipment, 2 10-German rifle grenade stands, 2 signal throwers, 5 German trench gloves, 10 German carbines, 1 field telephone, 1 gas alarm thrower, 1 Austrian wire cutter, 1 German wire cutter. The trench mortar and granatenwerfers will be mounted in the lower vestibule, whilst the rest of the material will be disposed of in various places. All these trophies were secured by the High Commissioner, Sir Edgar Bowring, at considerable trouble, and will form an interesting souvenir of the great war.

Supreme Court.

BEFORE CHIEF JUSTICE. S. S. Portia vs. S. S. Basaan. Mr. Foot, K.C., appears for the plaintiff. The following witnesses were called, examined and cross examined, Arthur Smith, Archibald Noseworthy, Leonard Oliver. This closes the defendant's case excepting the valuation of the cargo. The further hearing was postponed until Jan. 21st.

BEFORE JUSTICE JOHNSON.

In the matter of the petition of the Imperial Oil Co., praying that Michael A. Duffy, grocer, St. John's be declared insolvent. Mr. L. E. Emerson appeared for the petitioner and moves for a declaration of insolvency, Mr. Hunt assents. Mr. Howley does not object. It is ordered that Michael A. Duffy be declared insolvent. Mr. Emerson moves that Mr. Oldfield be continued as interim trustee. Howley, K. C., opposes the motion and moves for the appointment of Mr. Emerson as trustee. Mr. Emerson moves for the petitioners cost. It is ordered accordingly.

Seaman Drowned.

The Deputy Minister of Customs is in receipt of the following message from the sub-collector at Ilay of Islands:—"Schr. Gordon T. Tubbo returned to Wood's Island Saturday night and reported that one of her crew, George Trim of Grand Bank, had been washed overboard and drowned during a W.S.W. gale, about 40 miles N.N.W. from Bay of Islands. The schr. sailed again this morning."

Colors Handed Over.

By recent English papers it is learned that the flags of the Newfoundland Regiment of Fencible Infantry have been handed over by the ecclesiastical authorities of St. Bretheds Church, Jersey. One of the flags is in such a decayed condition that it is necessary to have it mounted with wire reinforcement.

McMurdo's Store News.

MONDAY, Jan. 17, '21. We have the testimony of a number of users of Daggett & Ramsdell's Shaving Cream that this cream really comes up to the ideas of what a Shaving Cream should be. It is certainly the blandest and least irritating Shaving Soap on the market—a strong point at this time of year. It will make a good lather with cold as well as warm water, and in use it is certainly economical. All these good qualities certainly make D. & R.'s Shaving Cream worth a trial and those who think it might be possible to obtain a better shaving soap than they are at present using might well try the Cream in question.

Coastal Boats.

CROSBIE & CO. S.S. Sasa will lie up at St. John's for the winter. GVERNMENT. S.S. Prospero left Springdale at 9.45 a.m. to-day, going north. S.S. Portia sails to-morrow on the Western route. GOVT. RAILWAY COMMISSION. Argyle arrived at Placentia at 3 p.m. yesterday. Leaving to-morrow on Way route. Clyde arrived at Port Union at 8 p.m. yesterday. Glencoe arrived at Port aux Basques at 1.30 p.m. yesterday. Kyle at St. John's. Sagony at Port aux Basques. ANNUAL TRIDUUM.—The annual Triduum in honor of the Holy Name, will be held in St. Patrick's Church on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week. All men of the parish are expected to attend.

Police Court.

FULL DOCKET OF DRUNKS.—It is a fee were to be charged for seating accommodation in the Court House the revenue of the Government would undoubtedly go up to such an amount as would permit the duty on pork sausages to be also abolished. The crowd which thronged there to-day was sufficient to remind one of an old-time regatta and a small admission fee would have brought in untold wealth to the Department of Finance, to whom we pass on this idea which they may use without charge. The first case was that of a girl who had been arrested for acting in a loose and disorderly manner. It was only a few days ago that she appeared before the Magistrate on a similar charge and she was sent down until the first of May. A man, charged with being drunk and attempting to jump over a wharf seemed to be in a very good humor, and in fact thought the proceedings so funny that His Honor decided to have him held over until he could be examined by a doctor as to his sanity. A man was charged with being drunk and disorderly on the S. S. Rosalind early this morning. Judging by his face he seemed to have been acting as Dempsey's sparring partner, for it could not be seen for blood. The second mate and the third engineer of the Rosalind gave evidence. It appears that the defendant went on board the ship under the influence of liquor, went down in the engine room and kicked up such a row that he aroused almost the whole crew. He was escorted ashore by the third engineer, whom he tried to assault. The engineer pushed accused away from him, causing him to fall on his face, cutting it severely. Not satisfied with this, defendant returned to the ship and was this time taken in charge by the police. He was fined \$5 or 10 days. A man who filled up on "balsam and honey", and felt rather sick as a consequence, was discharged.

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KNOWLING'S CHINA & GLASS DEPT.

Jugs. We have just opened a shipment of White-Earthen Jugs at 22c, 25c, 30c each.

Milk Jugs. Suitable for KILM-or any other good milk; 3 sizes in White and Gold. 24c, 26c, 35c each.

Hot Water Jugs. We have some very neat designs with perfect fitting Nickel cover. Prices range from \$1.50, \$2.25, \$2.45, \$2.55.

Dutch Girls & Boys. A sample line of Dutch Figures, consisting of SKIRT DANCERS, GIRLS and BOYS. Very attractive colours. Our price while they last. 25c each or 45c a pair. Also SAMPLE VASES at 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, \$1.20, \$1.50. Nice bright colours.

Egg Cups. Gold Band, only 9c each.

Tea Sets. 21 pieces, White with Green edge, only \$4.50. Other designs, including Crimson Rosebuds, and Dark and Blue Band, at \$5.10 and \$5.50.

IF YOU WANT Cheap Glassware, Cheap Cups and Saucers, Cheap Tea Pots, TRY KNOWLING'S FIRST.

Our Bargain Counter has been working overtime all the week handing out Odds and Ends at HALF PRICE. Did you get your share? If not come right along this week. G. KNOWLING, Ltd. Jan 17, 21

The Fish Situation.

Consorzio to be Abandoned—A Story With a Moral. It is stated that on Saturday evening, Mr. W. A. Munn sent a message to his firm here from Italy, saying that the Consorzio would be abandoned about the last of April. It is also rumored that a business man in the city has received a message from the Consorzio, saying that they had sufficient stocks to fill all their present requirements, but that they would be willing to store fish sent on consignment, but would not make any advance on it. An interesting sidelight on the helplessness of the Regulations to our neighbors in Canada is shown by the following story, which is authentic: An exporter, in this city made a deal with a Halifax firm, whereby the former sold the latter 500 qts. of fish. The fish was to be of extra good quality and complying with this condition the Halifax firm would take another 500 qts. The exporter sent the fish and received an acknowledgment, which stated that the fish was extra good and fully up to expectations, but that owing to the regulations being lifted no further business could be done as the people who were buying our fish through Halifax dealers could not now deal direct and save considerable commission.

C. M. B. C.

The C.M.B.C. met yesterday at 3 p.m. in the Synod Hall and was largely attended, all available space being occupied. The address was the second of the series of studies of the History of the Church, in connection with inter-communication and re-union, and was entitled "Internal divisions and their causes." The subject of the previous week's address was "Preparation for the Church."

Exchange Rates.

STERLING RATES. (To-day) 60 days. Sight. 4.21 1/2. 4.27 1/2. Buying . . . . . 4.15. Selling . . . . . 4.23 (Saturday) Buying . . . . . 4.17. Selling . . . . . 4.23. AMERICAN EXCHANGE. (To-day) Selling . . . . . 14 1/2. Buying . . . . . 13.

Burns' Night.

GRAND DANCE TO BE HELD. The St. Andrew's Society intend celebrating the birthday (January 25) of Rabble Burns, Scotland's National poet, by holding a dance, which bids fair to outrival any of their previous efforts. Great preparations are being made for this dance, which is an annual affair, and the C.C.C. Hall and Band have been engaged for the occasion. The Social Committee of St. Andrew's Society, the convener of which is Mr. R. G. Ross, is looking after the preparations, whilst the Ladies' Auxiliary is seeing to the catering, a fact which is sufficient guarantee of a splendid supper. Mr. J. McFarlane will again superintend the management of the floor, a position in which he has proved himself thoroughly efficient. A concert, comprising all the best known local artists, will also be given, and in which Scotch songs will feature. This will precede the dance. Tickets may be had from members of the Social Committee.

Shipping Notes.

S.S. Theia sailed this morning for Sydney to load coal. S.S. Storborg is still in port waiting orders. Schooner Mollie Fearn cleared for Oporto with 3712 qts. codfish from the Union Export Co. Schooner Eileen Lake has entered at Port Union to load codfish for Oporto. GRAND DANCE, in connection with Juvenile Society Treat, Thursday, January 20th, T. A. Armoury. Tickets: Gent's, 70c; Lady's, 40c. Music by full Brass Band. Dancing at 10.30. JAS. L. JACKMAN, Secretary of Juvenile Society.—Jan 17, 21

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INSOLVENCY ASSETS.—In the insolvency case of Mr. M. A. Duffy, Grocer declared in Court to-day, the assets are stated at \$31,000 and the liabilities at \$25,000, which the creditors thought was too narrow a margin.

Floral Tributes to the Departed. Nothing so nice as Flowers in time of sorrow. We can supply Wreaths and Crosses on short notice, and guarantee satisfaction. We will endeavor to meet the humblest purse. "Say it with Flowers." VALLEY NURSERIES. Phone 124. Box 394, St. John's. Tessier Brothers. DIED. Called to rest at Harbor Grace, on January 10th, Frances Mary Collins, relict of Edwin Collins, of Trinity, aged 66 years.—R.I.E. Interment at Trinity. Passed peacefully away on Sunday, after a long illness, James Dunbar, a native of Great Yarmouth, England, leaving a wife and sister at Hull, Yorkshire. Funeral to-morrow, Tuesday, at 2 p.m., from his late residence, 100 Duckworth Street. Passed peacefully away, after a long illness, Joseph J. Reid, Funeral taken place at 2.30 p.m. Tuesday afternoon from his late residence, 73 Pleasant Street. "Gone but not forgotten." IN LOVING MEMORY of my dear Brother James Ivory, who lost his life on the "Ethel" four years ago to-day. "We miss thee from thy home dear. We miss thee from thy place; The shadow o'er your home is cast, We miss the sunshine of your face. We miss your kind and willing hand, Your fond and earnest care, Your home is dark without you, You are missed both everywhere; Heartbroken is your mother, As she views your vacant place And mourns to think it's four years to-day. Since she saw your smiling face, Ingested by his sister Mrs. J. Ivory.

Dr. Lehr, DENTIST, Has removed to Strang's Building, 329 Water St., Three Doors West of A. Goodridge & Sons. COAL! Now Landing Ex. S.S. "Volunda," A Cargo of North Sydney Screened Coal. H. J. STABB & CO.

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Thrilling... TIVID NARR... DAVE, S... The express... city last night... have, Miss J... W. French... man P. B... Churchill, man... the ill-fated... of the event... island and the... given by Capt... S. Euphrates... on, on Decem... and got aroun... 48. About 1... from the north... equals and also... to hurricane... possible to see... of the snow, r... running ash... loaded off the... alarm on 6 p... board, and Cap... by the steam... pointed S.E. ... less than half... could be seen... An effort... such the Navy... was crowded... anously the r... very heavy bu... steamer was ca... the gale. She... during the nig... indented, and... December 23... and owing to... steamer began... day the wind... N.E. with bri... assed the stea... maked matters... ported coal re... took that the... consumed. They... nued to drive... that night a... mat jump, an... assed laying... ph saw com... engineer rep... of coal, and... 5 tons in Ne... ings to the... was extremely... but all... the engine r... without... leaving... evening and... statement in... morning it be... must go down... all... and the crew... the bulkhead... to the engine... wind howled... seas, and at... things look... were worn on... all... and the crew... about dock... All... but except the... rick, and the... steamer would... a last round... rance and s... to keep the... feet's night... steamer bore... code signals... able to reply... which prom... G. H. ... returned. ... wanted to be... lost all his... Capt. J... strates crew... boat. In the... with all his... possible, and... waiting... about an... about an... very sea was... with a... board the Gal... be allowed... being too hea... once on board... ricked crew... given... Good... until... they were... great down... stended... also will... north Sydney... way was... been... and... the trouble... by the... On your... with S... the... Staff... the very... nature...

**Thrilling Story of the Sea.**

VIVID NARRATIVE OF CAPTAIN DAVE, S.S. EUPHRATES.

The express, which arrived in the city last night, brought Capt. George Dave, Mate John Somerton, Engineer W. French, Stoker A. Taylor, Steward F. Somerton and Cook A. Churchill, members of the crew of the ill-fated Euphrates. The story of the eventful passage from Bell Island and rescue by S.S. Galileo, as given by Capt. Dave, is as follows: S.S. Euphrates left Bell Island at 7.50 a.m. on December 28th last for here, and got around Cape St. Francis at 1.40. About 10.30 the wind came in from the southeast with heavy snow squalls and almost suddenly increased to hurricane force. It was impossible to see more than the length of the snow, and to provide against the squalls the steamer was ordered to anchor the land. About 1 p.m. the alarm on Cape Spear could be heard, and Capt. Dave decided to start the steamer too with her head pointed S.E., the engines working at half speed. About 6.30 the weather cleared and the city lights could be seen from the steamer's deck. An effort was then made to reach the Narrows and full steam was crowded on. Almost instantaneously the wind veered to north-west with hurricane force, tossing up a very heavy cross sea, and the little steamer was obliged to run before the gale. She continued to drive the engine. She light with her decks inundated, and when daylight broke on December 29th no land was in sight, owing to the heavy straining the steamer began to leak. During the night the wind blew around from S.E. to N.E. with high seas running which caused the steamer to heel. To make matters worse the engineer reported coal running short, and the fact that the food was practically exhausted. The Euphrates still continued to drive from the land, and that night a three-masted schooner under jumbo and riding sail was passed laying to. The morning of the 30th saw conditions do better. The engineer reported the bunkers empty of coal and a reserve store of about 10 tons in No. 1 hold was put in use. Owing to the steamer's condition it was extremely difficult to get at the supply, but eventually it was passed leaving Bell Island. During the evening and night there was no change in the storm, and next morning it looked as if the steamer was going to be blown to sea. On the evening of the 31st all the coal was consumed and the crew started to break down the bulkheads and get the woodwork of the engine room. All night the wind howled from the N.W. with high seas, and at daylight New Year's Day dawned looking hopeless. The crew were worn out for want of food and sleep, and were scarcely able to get about decks. All the woodwork was bent except the hoisting boom and derrick, and if the fires went out the steamer would not long remain afloat. At last resort these were fed to the boiler and sufficient steam was kept up to keep the pumps working. New Year's night the crew felt that the steamer could not live much longer. A few coils of rope, the woodwork around the bunks and a few empty stoves, etc. were next used for fuel and kept the furnace going during the night. Next day, January 2nd, the steamer was sighted at 2 p.m., and the distress signal, The steamer bore down and answered in the usual way, but no flag being on the Euphrates, Capt. Dave was unable to reply. Eventually the steamer proved to be the S.S. Galileo, Capt. G. H. Jones, bound from Antwerp to New York, hauled close and the Euphrates crew was taken off. The Galileo had lost all her boats on the trip out, and Capt. Jones ordered the Euphrates crew to leave in their own boats. In the meantime the big steamer with all bags out got as close as possible, and the Newfoundland crew were given dry clothing and warm food. Good treatment was accorded them until New York was reached when they were met by government agent Devine who had their names attached to. At Boston they were well looked after and again at New York by Mr. A. Shano. When they reached New York plenty of money was at their disposal, it having been arranged by the Euphrates Company, and though the men lost their belongings, they experienced no trouble whatever, after being rescued by the Galileo.

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- Reg. \$3.10 pair for **\$2.30**
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- Men's Black Vici Kid Boots.** Reg. \$10.80 pair for **\$7.92**
- Men's Gun Metal Boots.** Reg. \$5.80 pair for **\$4.22**
- Reg. \$5.90 pair for **\$4.27**
- Reg. \$9.70 pair for **\$7.75**
- Reg. \$9.80 pair for **\$6.50**
- Men's Tan Bluchers.** Reg. \$5.00 pair for **\$4.50**
- Reg. \$4.25 pair for **\$3.60**
- Men's Patent Leather Boots** Reg. \$10.40 pair for **\$7.68**
- Child's Pat. Leather Boots.** White Tops. Reg. \$3.50 pair for **\$2.65**
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- In Electric Blue only. Reg. \$5.75 yard for **\$4.28**
- Grey Costume Serges.** In assorted shades; superior grades. 54 in. wide. Reg. \$4.25 yard for **\$3.05**
- 56 in. wide. Reg. \$7.50 yard for **\$5.40**
- Sylvan Suitings.** High grade materials, soft finish; 5 yard lengths only in all the new shades; 54 inches wide. Reg. \$8.00 yard for **\$5.85**
- Gabardine.** In 5 yard lengths, 54 inch wide; all the newest shades. Reg. \$9.00 yard for **\$6.75**

- Smart Washing Silks**  
**Habutai Silks.** White grounds with broad colored stripes, 33 inches wide; assorted colors and patterns. Reg. \$2.70 yard for **\$1.25**
- Reg. \$3.25 yard for **\$1.63**
- Reg. \$3.40 yard for **\$1.70**
- Pongee Silks.** 33 inches wide; assorted colors. Reg. \$3.20 yard for **\$1.60**
- Striped Satins.** 33 inches wide; soft lustrous finish; will keep its sheen after repeated washings. Reg. \$3.20 yard for **\$1.60**
- Reg. \$4.00 yard for **\$2.00**
- Reg. \$4.75 yard for **\$2.38**
- Striped Serges.** 56 inches wide; Navy and Black with white pin stripe. Reg. \$4.55 yard for **\$3.38**

**Ladies' Silk Hose**  
50 dozen pairs Art Silk Hose, lace fronts, shot effects in Black and colors Green, Gold, Purple, etc.; elastic Lisle tops, double heels and toes, perfectly seamless. Regular price \$2.75 pair. Sale Price **\$1.38**

**Congoleum Squares**  
In a variety of handsome Carpet and Tiled designs; size 6 feet by 9 feet. Reg. \$19.00 each for **\$7.68**

**Feltex.** 2 yards wide floor covering in a wide range of good designs. Regular \$2.00 yard for **\$1.80**

## The Royal Stores, Ltd.

**Turkish Bath Mats**  
Heavy Green and White Mats; size 24 x 20; 16 only in stock; popularly sold at \$2.25 each for **\$1.13**

**Art Craft Doyles**  
In high grade Oil Cloth with fancy floral designs; graduated sizes in each set. Regular \$2.90 set for **\$1.45**- Regular \$3.20 set for **\$1.60**
- Regular \$3.60 set for **\$1.80**

**Silk Cushion Tops**  
In a variety of pretty designs, patriotic and others; medium sizes. Reg. \$2.00 each for **\$1.00**

**Tapestry Table Covers**  
About 150 high quality Table Covers in Red and Green Tapestry; size 72 x 72. Reg. \$8.50 each for **\$5.95**- Regular \$ 6.50 each for **\$4.55**
- Regular \$ 7.25 each for **\$5.08**
- Regular \$10.50 each for **\$7.35**
- Regular \$13.50 each for **\$9.45**
- Regular \$18.00 each for **\$12.60**

**Pram Covers**  
In White Pique, nicely finished with ribbon tape, etc. Regular \$3.00 each for **\$1.50**- Regular \$2.50 each for **\$1.25**

**Job Lines in Smallwares**  
**WOOD PENCIL BOXES**—With lock with lock and key. Reg. 24c. 30c. each for **24c.**- PENCIL BOXES**—Containing assortment of Pencils. Reg. 85c. each for **68c.**
- CARTER'S BLUE INK**—Special, per bottle. Reg. 9c. **8c.**
- CARTER'S RED INK**—Special, per bottle. Reg. 9c. **8c.**
- PENHOLDERS**—Cork tipped. Special, each **6c.**
- INK AND PENCIL ERASERS**—Special, each **5c.**
- SLATE PENCILS**—Wood covered. **3c.**
- LEAD PENCILS**—Black. Special, each **4c.**
- MAGIC PEN KNIVES**—Reg. 20c. each for **20c.**
- SCRIBBLERS**—Extra large; ruled and plain. Special, each **7c.**
- STATIONERY**—"Waverley" in boxes; linen finish. Reg. 70c. box for **64c.**
- PAINT BOXES**—Asst'd water colors. Reg. 80c. each for **71c.**
- JAP ROSE GOLD CREAM**—2 pots. Special, each **21c.**
- TILLET SOAP**—White Rose; 3 cakes to a box. Special, per box **88c.**

**Dr. Scholl's Arch Supports**  
Patent steel arrangement for supporting the arch of the foot; men's and women's sizes. Regular \$4.25 and **\$1.00**- \$6.00 pair for **\$1.00**
- FOOT ERASERS**—**\$1.00**
- Reg. \$3.00 pair for **\$1.00**

**Gloves**  
**Ladies' Suede Gloves.** Wool lined, Grey shades. Regular \$1.50 pair for **50c.**- Ladies' Wool Gloves.** All 1 Wool Ringwood Gloves in White, Navy and Black; all sizes. Regular \$1.40 pair for **70c.**
- Men's Wool Gloves.** Fawn, Tan, Drab and Black Astrachan. Reg. \$1.20 pair for **60c.**

### Big Fire at Burin.

ONLY HEROIC EFFORTS PREVENTED GREATER CONFLAGRATION.

Special to Evening Telegram. BURIN, To-day.—One of the worst fires that Burin has known occurred at one o'clock Sunday morning, when the stores of Joseph Goldstone, dry goods, and Patrick Guinan, linens, were destroyed with their contents, practically nothing being saved. The fire was first discovered in Goldstone's store, and before help could be summoned the building was a mass of flames, and Guinan's store being near took fire also, and was soon destroyed. It was fortunate at the time that it was raining and very little wind, otherwise the fire would have swept the northside of Burin. Practically all the men thronged out and formed a bucket line keeping the residence of Wm. Collins and the Bank of Nova Scotia from being destroyed. Everyone worked like trojans and succeeded in keeping the fire confined to Goldstone's and Guinan's, thereby saving that part of the town consisting of Bank, Court-house, Post Office and W. & T. Hollet's premises. The loss is estimated at thirty thousand dollars. Guinan had no insurance, but it is understood that Goldstone is covered.

### New Law Partnership.

The Prime Minister, Hon. R. A. Squires, makes the announcement that he has formed a partnership, for the practice of the profession of law, with Mr. Leslie R. Curtis, Solicitor. The business will be conducted under the style of Squires and Curtis, the firm's office being in the Bank of Nova Scotia building. The senior partner wishes it to be known that he will be able, from now on, to devote more time to important legal business entrusted to the firm than heretofore.

### Train Notes.

The express which left here Thursday reached Port aux Basques 10 o'clock Saturday night. It was raining along the railway yesterday with the temperature averaging 40 above. In consequence the snow was given a good cutting. All the trains which were more or less held up during the week, are running yesterday and the road to Port aux Basques is now open. The regular express went out at 1 o'clock yesterday, taking a large number of passengers, including the Urban Theatrical Company. The Bay de Verde train was at Freshwater last night forcing her way to Carboneau.

### Harbor Grace Notes.

The many friends of Mr. Hector Martin will be sorry to hear that he has been confined to his home for the past few days, but we hope to see him about again in short. Business at Bell Island is beginning to stir a little, so it is rumored, and several of the men who were laid off belonging to this town, are going out to start work again next week. According to yesterday's Daily News, we learn that we are to have only one train from St. John's each day, Saturday's excepted, commencing from Monday next the 17th inst. Several days during the last couple of weeks, on account of the heavy snow, falls, only one train would be able to manage to get through the snow drifts, and would arrive here late in the afternoon and evening. We do not know how long this arrangement is intended to continue, but we think for the winter months, it is a good idea, as, no doubt, much hardship has been undergone by the train hands, when perhaps quite a bit of it is unnecessary, and by having one train a day, will be eliminated somewhat.

When making mention of a funeral at the C. of E. Cemetery here last week in these notes, on the 14th inst., it should have read thus: The funeral of the late Mrs. Charles French (not Mrs. George Nicholas, as stated) took place from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Nicholas of the West End. We regret this omission.

We are pleased to see our old friend, Mr. John Tapp, able to attend to his work again, after being off from duty for some time; and we trust his family "cheer" will be heard each day by his friends, for many years to come.

—COR.

January 15, 1921.

### Would-be Suicide.

TAKEN TO POLICE STATION. Constables Pitcher and Bruce of the night police were informed at an early hour this morning, that a young man was acting in a very strange manner in the vicinity of St. Peter's Cove and that he had threatened to commit suicide. The officers hurried to the spot and having located their man, took him to the station for safekeeping.

# Selling Direct From Factory to Consumer at Factory Prices

The St. John's Public approves of our effort to place clothing within the reach of all men and boys of the city--and by buying goods made by Newfoundlanders will assist us in finding work for our employees.

## COME AND EXAMINE

the biggest assortment ever shown in Newfoundland.

## YOU CAN NOW BUY

one suit at the same rate as we previously sold one thousand.

### SUITS, OVERCOATS, TRENCH COATS, MACKINAWs, PANTS.

TERMS: STRICTLY CASH.

The sale is now on in our own Factory Wareroom. Hours--9-1 a.m.; 2-6 p.m.; 7-9 p.m.

# The WHITE CLOTHING MANUFACTURING CO., Ltd.

Late Smallwood Building

259-261 DUCKWORTH STREET

Foot of Church Hill



### THE SILENCE OF SNOWSTORMS.

I don't know how to say it, but somehow there seems to be a silence to a snowstorm that just grips the soul of me. The rain drops have a patter as they splash against the panes. And the thunder rolls and rattles like a thousand railroad trains. But a good old-fashioned snowstorm has no tumult in its sweep. As it spreads its spotless blanket where the roses lie asleep. There's no herald of its coming, no black, angry patch of sky. No great gust of wind to whistle of that's drawing nigh. But the birds give up their singing, and the trees stand straight and still. And the snow begins to flutter round the humblest window sill. Then the noise of busy traffic seems somehow to die away. While the world takes on the silence of a country Sabbath day. He who rises with the dawning, ere the trade of men begins, sees a world of wondrous beauty, washed completely of its sins. And the splendor of the tropics and the glory of the palm. Never knew such robes of silver or such sweet unbroken calm. As the humblest northern lilac or the roughest fence rails know. As they stand on winter mornings in their uniforms of snow.

### Fun for Women to Diamond Dye

Buy "Diamond Dyes," no other kind, then perfect results are guaranteed. Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains simple directions to diamond-dye worn, shabby skirts, waists, dresses, coats, gloves, stockings, sweaters, draperies, coverings, everything, whether wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods, new, rich, fadeless colors. Druggist has Color Card.

The monk's collar is having a decided revival.

### Produce and Provisions.

(From Saturday's Trade Review.)

**Codfish**—During the week just closed the total shipments of dry codfish to foreign markets from Newfoundland was 25,174 quintals. Of this amount, 5,445 quintals were sent out from St. John's, and 16,709 quintals from the Outports. Following are the particulars:—

**From St. John's**—By the schooner Russell Zinck to Kingston, Jamaica, 1,380 quintals, and by the schooner Miriam H. to Pernambuco, 7,085 quintals from Monroe Export Co., Ltd.

**From the Outports**—By the schooner General Gough from Elliott & Co. Change Islands to Gibraltar for orders, 5,884 quintals, by the schooner Cecil, Jr., to Malaga from W. Ashbourne, Twillingate, 5,425 quintals, and by the schooner General Byng from Elliott & Co. Change Islands for Gibraltar (Orders), 5,600 quintals.

**Cod Oil and Cod Liver Oil**—There is nothing of an encouraging nature to be told about the oil situation. The market for both kinds of Cod Oil remains inactive at home and abroad, with prices at the lowest point for several years. However, oil demands in the best of years is always poor at this season and holders of stock here are confident that the demand will improve in the coming spring.

**Herring**—The S.S. Portia brought some 4,000 barrels from Bay of Islands, this trip, chiefly Scotch Pack for transhipment to New York. Although the price there is only about \$14.00 still those who are shipping these herring will clear a satisfactory profit, as the herring were bought from the fishermen for about \$2.50.

We are informed that these herring were packed with great care and are of excellent quality. We do not think that there will be any money lost in herring this winter.

**Beef**—The Beef market keeps steady at last week's quotation. A scarcity of the higher grades continues to be a prominent feature of the market. Local trade is at its lowest ebb and is confined to city retail. This will be the case till April. Small lots will continue to come forward meantime by New York steamers to keep the market going. Libby's Special is \$40.

### Extra Flank \$37, Family \$36 and Boneless \$34.50.

**Pork**—Pork prices are unchanged. The market is very dull at home and abroad. Present prices are at lowest point for twelve months, and all the indications point to still lower prices. Business of importing will be slow till late in the spring, and by the time there is any activity, pork prices will likely be more favorable. Mess is \$39, Fat Back and Short Cut \$45, Short Mess \$43, Ham Butt \$52, Independent Ham Butt \$45.

**Flour**—Stocks of flour in Newfoundland are short over 60,000 barrels as compared with 1919. Exports of Wheat from the United States and Canada to Europe are keeping up, and up to December 30th the United States had sent over to Europe no less than 207 million bushels and large sales have been made for the coming three months. The States is importing largely from Canada. The price of flour in the St. John's market is \$14.50 for leading brands, and \$14.25 for other qualities. Lower prices are expected the coming spring.

**Sugar**—No change, as the F. C. B. will keep on the lid till February 12th. Stocks here are getting low and wholesalers are very timid in ordering the 25 barrel regulated lots, as the time draws nearer and nearer for the raising of the embargo. Even on one barrel it would be possible to lose \$50. The situation is the most unique ever known here in trade circles, and the public are longing for the 12th of February to come in order to get their sugar for half the price they are now paying. Sugar seems to have passed its lowest point in New York and it is a pity that importers are not able to take advantage of the minimum price.

**Molasses**—The Molasses situation is unchanged and local prices are lower than for three years, viz: \$12.50 per gallon wholesale for Choice and \$13.00 for Fancy. These are the quotation of Messrs. Harvey & Co., who, in their Circular express the hope that retailers will follow the reduction and give the public the benefit of the reduced prices. As most of last year's Molasses was bought at higher prices than would warrant these local quotations, there must evidently be a loss at these rates.

**Potatoes**—Owing to the condition of

the weather and the difficulty of farmers getting into town, there are no local potatoes offering these days. None are being imported. The stocks held by dealers are ample for several weeks, and prices are remaining steady, \$4.00 to \$4.50 for home-grown and \$5.00 to \$5.20 for imported.

**Hay**—The price of hay in the St. John's market is stiffening up and the quotation to-day is \$58.00 to \$60.00 wholesale lots and single bales, respectively. These prices are likely to be maintained and some importers believe that the prices will advance to higher levels in the spring. There are no arrivals of hay lately. There is a good stock in local hands but it is going out to consumption fast. Small consignments will be coming in via Halifax after this month.

**Oats**—The Oat market is quite weak and lower prices are quoted for consignments of oats coming next month. This applies particularly to Canadian Western oats. In fact, P.E.I. oats show firmness since New Year, though the price so far is unchanged. Holders are not anxious to sell P.E.I.'s as they are counting on better value in the spring. The St. John's prices to-day are \$4.50 to \$4.70 for Mixed, \$4.80 to \$5.00 for White, and \$5.20 to \$5.30 for Black—all 4 bushel sacks.

**Feeds**—The local supply is again running short, due, one dealer informs us, largely to the unsettled freight conditions from Halifax to this port. There are so many steamships offering that suppliers get confused and puzzled as to how they shall best direct their freight. There is much dissatisfaction in consequence, and while all this apparent competition is going on the peculiar feature of the situation is, that the freight rates keep up. As to Feeds, prices, with the exception of Bran, are weak and lower still is offered to arrive.

### Fashions and Fads.

Silk braid is a fashionable trimming for woollen dresses. The tunic may have a deep hem of a contrasting material. Tunics of net, embroidered in fiber silk, appear on satin frocks. Very effective is metal embroidery on rust-colored duvety.

### Pleads for British Fair Play.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—As a member of the Chinese Community who has been resident here for over twenty years, I desire to take exception to the manner in which some matters dealing with certain individuals of my race have been reported in a section of the press of late. The Chinese Community as a whole are as law-abiding and industrious a body of citizens as there is in this country, and it is not in accordance with the principles of British fair play that they any more than any other race should be singled out as objects of contempt or ridicule because of the conduct of a few individuals.

There are occasionally Chinamen who act foolishly, and if individuals misbehave themselves it is but fair that they should meet with the punishment they merit, but it is not just that a whole community should be saddled with the shortcomings of a few, neither is it fair that any individual should be accused of a matter that is not his own. It is a matter of personal man, should rush into print should not be discussed in the public press.

All we ask, Mr. Editor, is that we be accorded British fair play, and I think that the Chinese Community as a whole, by their conduct in the past, by their industry and sobriety, have rightly earned a good name at the hands of their fellow citizens.

Yours truly, KIM LEE.

### When Eve First Flew.

In these days, when women are invading every industry and proving themselves capable of braving any danger, it is safe to assume that they will soon provide us with serial "stunts" as thrilling as those performed by male aviators.

At one time, however, it was not only thought impossible but indecent for Eve to fly.

### Where's the Missing Link?

With a view to try to find the missing link between ape and man, an American expedition is shortly leaving New York for Central Asia.

But altogether it has been financed to the tune of \$50,000 by the Museum of Natural History and the American Asiatic Society, experts are not at all sanguine as to its success.

They hold that the last missing link, an ape-like creature of shambling gait and uncouth aspect, almost certainly perished one hundred thousand or more years ago.

From fossil remains found in various parts of the world we are able, however, to form a fairly accurate idea of what these ape-men were like. We can tell, for instance, by the shape of their skulls, that they were chinsless, dumb creatures, with practically no forehead.

The bones of the face, too, prove that the missing link would have had little mobility of expression. The man could certainly not laugh. From time to time alleged live mis-

### Harvard Defeats Kings.

EXCITING HOCKEY AT BOSTON.

In one of the most exciting games of hockey ever witnessed at the Boston arena, Harvard University defeated King's College, Windsor, by 9 goals to 1. According to the Halifax Evening Mail this was the most largely attended hockey game ever played in Boston and was most exciting throughout. It was of particular interest to Newfoundlanders because three of the King's College team are natives of this colony. They are Gerald White, the son of His Lordship Bishop White, Tom Wimer, whose father is Mr. Thos. Winter of this city, and Reg. Parriell, whose people left St. John's for Boston a few years ago.

### Here and There.

**Nouriture Laxative Infallible, "LES FRUITS."**—dec9,t

**PRISONER BROUGHT IN.**—Constantin Quinan arrived from Bay of Islands by last night's express, having in charge a young man who was convicted of larceny a few days ago and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

**Try our Special Cambridge Sausages.** Made fresh daily at ELLIS'.—nov10,t

**EXPRESS PASSENGERS.**—The S. S. Sagona arrived at Port aux Basques at 10.30 o'clock last night, bringing the following passengers, who are on the incoming express:—H. Halliburton, G. Harmsayer, J. S. Boyes, M. Lane, H. F. Cowell and H. E. Preston.

**The Gift for Health from the East, "LES FRUITS" ELLIS'.**—dec9,t

**FUNERAL YESTERDAY.**—The funeral of the late Edward Tracey took place yesterday afternoon and was very largely attended. A Guard of Honor from the C.C.C. of which deceased was a member, was present and also several of the officers. Interment was at Belvedere.

**EXPRESS PASSENGERS.**—The cross country express arrived in the city at 11 o'clock last night, after a fairly good run from Port aux Basques, bringing a large mail and the following passengers:—W. A. O'D. Kelly, J. A. Kelly, Miss B. McGuire, J. Curnew, J. Snow, W. Knickie, L. Hall, W. Tucker and the crew of the S.S. Euphrates.

### The Week's Calendar

- 17.—MONDAY. Moon in first quarter. Battle of Abu Klea. Coomassie occupied, 1896. Scott's expedition reached South Pole, 1912.
- 18.—TUESDAY. St. Prisca. British Native Lass blown out Narrows and never afterwards heard of. 1847. S.S. Warren Hastings lost, 1897.
- 19.—WEDNESDAY. Battle of Chancellorsville. Rodrigo (Peninsular War), 1808. S.S. Hercules burned at sea, 1893. Zeppelin raid in England, 1915.
- 20.—THURSDAY. St. Fabian. Canadian Brothers first arrived in St. John's by s.s. Moravian, 1800. S.S. George Washington lost, 1877. German cruisers Brauer and Goben damaged, 1918.
- 21.—FRIDAY. St. Agnes. XVI. gullioned 1793. Prussia declared war against Denmark, 1864. Duke of Teck died, 1892.
- 22.—SATURDAY. St. Vincent. Battle of Borke's Drift, 1878. Queen Victoria died, 1901. Naval raid on Sarro Basin, 1917.pedo boat engagement, Nov. 25, 1917.
- 23.—SUNDAY. Septuagesima. Ham Pitt died, 1896. Sponza (Boer War) captured, 1900.

### Impolite Politics.

Politeness in politics was not a strong trait in the character of Randolph Churchill.

On one occasion, Mr. Selater-Broughton brought in a certain Bill to which lordship objected.

"It is remarkable," he said, "how often we find mediocrity dowered with a double-barrelled name."

"I have no objection," he continued, "to the President of the Local Government Board dealing with such questions as the salaries of inspectors nuisances. But I do entertain the strongest objection to his coming here to repair, according to his ideas and in his little way, breaches of the British Constitution."

"On another occasion this 'dearable young man,' as Lord Randal was once called, was at a loss for certain precise phraseology concerning amendment. Sir Richard Cross was detected, politely scribbled in a piece of paper and handed to him.

"The consequences were akin what followed in the case of a man who, fleeing from a grizzly bear, had been had a bun in his pocket stopped to present the refreshment his pursuer," says Sir Henry Lee who tells the story in "The Daily Journalist." Poor Old Richard snapped up, body and boots.

"A pretty mess we've come to the House of Commons," said Lord Randal, with dainty repugnance, holding the sheet of paper between finger and thumb, "when we have to consider amendments passed about from hand to hand on dirty bits of paper."

### Fashions and Fads.

Suit coats have long sleeves, ending at the wrist.

The string belt ties in a loop in the back.

Gray gloves will be introduced in spring wear.

Turbans for spring fads are trimming in front.

The high, fur-trimmed collar is still very popular.

Cunning bib collars are worked in eylet embroidery.

Wool gloves and stockings are smart and popular.

Embroidered pockets are absent from afternoon frocks.

Few buttons or fastenings are seen on the new suits.

Lavish embroideries and tunics are favored by Paris.

### WOMEN OF MIDDLE AGE

How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieves the Ailments of Change of Life.

"During Change of Life I had flashes, dizzy spells and every morning I had a constant pain, and I always felt tired and suffered in this way for five or six years, and was treated by a physician and a different physician, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me and I took it, and I believe I would not have been well if it had not been for the Vegetable Compound and Lydia E. Pinkham's Sensitive Wash. I am recommending my medicine to all women suffering from the Change of Life, and I believe it will relieve the ailments that come with that period."—Mrs. ALEXIE C. MANNING, Galatin, Ill.

### "REG'LAR FELLERS"



By GENE BYRNES

### Riverside A Good Investment -Not an Expenditure.

When you choose Riverside Blankets for your beds you are making an investment that will pay dividends of real satisfaction for many a year to come.

### Side Talks by Ruth Cameron

#### THE GOOD TIME ATTITUDE.

Into a restaurant where I was eating lunch the other day came a charming looking young woman with two children about four and six years old. She helped them out of their coats and got them seated before she made any move to eat herself, after the manner of all mothers.

#### The Mother Hen Attitude.

The anxious "mother hen" attitude certainly is more common than the "now let's have a good time" attitude. Of course I know that it's not the easiest thing in the world to be with children constantly and to keep from cluck-clucking over them.

#### DR. F. STAFFORD & SON;

Wholesale and Retail Chemists and Druggists, St. John's, Newfoundland.

only ten years after its adoption it was calculated that if the old paddle-wheel had continued to be an exclusive use, engines of nearly 100,000 horse-power would have been required, the cost of which would have been five or six million pounds sterling.

### Scented Wax Flowers for Sachets.

For imparting a refreshing fragrance to clothes there are few things so delightful as scented wax flowers. These are easily made so that they give out the favourite perfume of the owner. In the first place cut some pieces of ordinary wax candles. If these can be secured in a variety of colors the final effect is all the more pleasing.

### STOP THAT COUGH.

A good many people have thought that a cough is not amount to much—most excellent people whose friends were sorry to lose them. Now don't make this mistake—a cough is the first step towards serious and often fatal sickness. Stop it right there.

Manufactured by DR. F. STAFFORD & SON; Wholesale and Retail Chemists and Druggists, St. John's, Newfoundland.

### This Week's Wisdom.

A good loser often has a winning smile.

It is easier to look wise than to act wisely.

Love isn't just one sort of emotion—it's a kind of mixed grill.

Women are quicker than men to get to the point—except a pencil point.

There's some virtue in being generous to a fault—but not if it is your own fault.

It takes twenty years for a mother to make a man of her son, and twenty minutes for another woman to make a fool of him.

### Labor and Capital Agree on One Thing

While strikes are going on all over the world, it is a relief to find one point on which Labor and Capital agree. This is a matter which may not have much to do with the wealth of nations, but it has a material influence on their health—and that is the efficacy of Buckley's Bronchitis Mixture for coughs, colds, bronchitis, hoarseness and other throat and chest affections. Just as there is "no royal road to health," so this wonderful remedy, which has brought relief to thousands, is easily within the reach of the laboring man as well as the millionaire. Rich or poor, old or young, once you have tried it, you realize that nothing else can equal it. Don't go on suffering. Get a bottle to-day. You buy it on the understanding, your money refunded if it does not give you quick relief. Take no substitute. 75c a bottle.

### It Was Surprised To Him Declares William White.

Never Dreamed Anything Could Do Him As Much Good In Such A Short Time As Tanlac Did.

"My wonderful improvement was a surprise to myself and all my friends," said William White, Sudbury, N.B., in relating his experience with Tanlac, recently. "I never dreamed that a medicine could do so much for anyone, in so short a time as Tanlac did for me. Although it has been several months since I stopped taking it, I am still feeling fine, and am glad to give this statement for what it may be worth to others. Last spring I was taken down with typhoid fever, and was deathly sick for quite a while. Finally I was told that in about three months I would be able to go back to work. I gained in strength like a should. But I began taking Tanlac, and it seemed that I started gaining strength faster right from the start. The pains and that awful weak feeling a fellow has after such an attack, gradually disappeared, and my strength returned so fast that in just six weeks I was able to go back to work. It was quite a surprise to me to be feeling as well as I ever did in my life so soon, and since Tanlac was what put me on my feet, I gladly give it the highest praise."

Tanlac is sold in St. John's by M. Connor; in Paradise by Mrs. Martin F. Byrne; in Upper Gables by Heber Andrews; in Portland by H. C. Haines; in St. Joseph's Saloon by Mrs. J. Gushue; in Millerton by Exports Valley Royal Stores, Ltd.; in Flat Islands by William Samson; in Jamestown by Christopher Haines, and in Lewisville by Uriah Freake.

### Street Urchin to Millionaire.

#### ROMANTIC HISTORY OF THE WALLACE COLLECTION.

The wonderful Wallace Collection of pictures, armory, and objects of art, at Hertford House, Manchester Square, London, which has again been re-opened, is valued at between fourteen and fifteen millions sterling. It includes specimens unequalled for value and historic interest.

The story of how it came into being forms a romance unique in the history of art.

It is a story in which the love affairs, marriages, and family "skeltons" of the Marquesses of Hertford are intermingled with amazing art deals.

The collection was started by the second Marquess, but the real foundation was laid by the third Marquess, who enjoys a dubious fame as the "Marquess of Steyne" of Thackeray's "Vanity Fair." His son, Richard, the fourth Marquess, added much to the collection some seventy years ago. Great wealth was brought to the Hertford family when the third Marquess married Maria Fagnani in 1788; for Maria had inherited two fortunes in extraordinary circumstances.

It was this lady who, when her son, the fourth Marquess (as the result of an intrigue with a Scotch girl named Agnes Wallace), had an illegitimate son, adopted the child and brought him up as a member of the family. The Marquess had made a home for his mistress in Paris, where the child ran wild in the streets until discovered by Colonel Gurwood, grandfather of Lord Esher, who had known of the liaison between his friend Lord Yarmouth—as the fourth Marquess of Hertford then was—and Agnes Wallace. It was Colonel Gurwood who brought the boy to the notice of the Mar-

## January Clearance

### A Tremendously Important Clearance of Women's Coats, Dresses, Suits, Furs and Millinery at Half Price.

This is the final clearance sale of the season—Cost does not enter into consideration—The main purpose of the event is to sell within the next fifteen days every Coat and Hat in the store.

<b>BOYS' SHIRTS.</b> A clearing line of Boys' Negligee Shirts with collar attached; sizes 12 to 14. These are well worth the price asked in this sale. Clearance Price, each... <b>\$1.39</b>	<b>WOMEN'S VESTS.</b> Women's Fleece Vests for open-wear. These are of medium weight, high neck and long sleeves; only about 10 dozen left. Clearance Price, each... <b>98c.</b>		<b>WHITE MUSLIN WAISTS.</b> Also a clearing line of White Muslin and Voile Blouses. These we sold at \$3.50 to \$4.00 each. Clearance Price, each... <b>\$2.50</b>	
<b>MEN'S WINTER CAPS.</b> Made of good quality Tweed, either one piece or quartered crowns. These are fitted with warm sanitary ear bands, and come in all sizes. Clearance Price, each... <b>\$1.50</b>	<b>WOMEN'S VESTERS.</b> These are Knitted Vests, to wear under coat or waterproof. These come in Brown, Sage and Rose shades; are sleeveless. Going at a bargain. Clearance Price, each... <b>\$1.95</b>	<b>WOMEN'S HOSE.</b> A line of Women's Fleece Hose of excellent quality; though cheap, full fashioned; ribbed garter top. Clearance Price, per pair... <b>45c.</b>	<b>WOMEN'S BOOTS.</b> A pile of Ladies' Boots going at less than half price. Big assortment of sizes. Space will not permit to go into details, come and see for yourself. Clearance Price, per pair... <b>\$2.95</b>	<b>LADIES' WAISTS.</b> A lot of Ladies' Blouses in Georgette, Crepe de Chine and Silk at less than half price. These we sold at \$8.00 to \$12.00 each. Come early and get your pick. Clearance Price, each... <b>\$4.95</b>
<b>MEN'S WOOL UNDERWEAR.</b> Only \$2.00 per garment; nearly as cheap as the fleece lined, only one hundred times warmer and healthier to wear; sizes 36 to 44. Clearance Price, per pair... <b>\$2.00</b>	<b>CHILDREN'S HATS.</b> A lot of Children's Hats in Felt and other makes at only 39c. each. A cheap Hat for knockabout and school wear. Clearance Price, each... <b>39c.</b>	<b>WOMEN'S HOSE.</b> Also a lot at 19c. per pair. These are cotton ribbed, with slight imperfections; ideal for wearing about the house. Clearance Price, per pair... <b>19c.</b>	<b>WOMEN'S BOOTS.</b> Two lines of Cotton Blankets at rock bottom prices. Note the sizes: 54 x 74, per pair... \$3.20 64 x 78, per pair... \$4.00	<b>COTTON BLANKETS.</b> Two lines of Cotton Blankets at rock bottom prices. Note the sizes: 54 x 74, per pair... \$3.20 64 x 78, per pair... \$4.00

## ALEX. SCOTT, 18 New Gower St.

More Like an Aunt.  
"She does look more like an aunt than a mother," admitted the other girl.

"Oh, dear, I hope not. They do seem to be having such a jolly time together. When she smiles at them it warms my heart. You know the things my mother looks at her children, kind of like a mother-in-law. Well, there isn't a bit of that in the way she looks—just jolly friendliness, kind of a 'now let's have a good time together' look."

### Romantic History of the Screw Propeller.

A young Bolton engineer, strolling one evening along a country road, noted that the seeds falling from a sycamore tree acquired a rotary motion before reaching the ground. Taking up one, he found that the two wings were turned in opposite directions, which caused them to revolve in falling. This gave him the idea of making a screw propeller on the same principle.

But the first man to apply this principle to the propulsion of vessels was a Scotch farmer named Francis F. Smith. The son of a Hythe postmaster, he had always been fond of making models of boats, and had invented various methods of propelling them. It was not, however, until 1834 that he constructed a model of a boat propelled by a screw driven by a spring which answered so well that he determined that this would be a much better means of propulsion for steamboats than the paddlewheel.

### MUTT AND JEFF

JEFF, I NEVER KNEW UNTIL MR SIDNEY TOLD ME TODAY THAT YOU CLEANED UP A ROLL SELLING RABBIT PIES IN PARIS AFTER THE ARMISTICE WAS SIGNED!

BUT SID SAID YOU CHARGED ONLY ONE FRANC FOR A RABBIT PIE WHILE ALL THE FRENCHMEN CHARGED THREE FRANCS. HOW COULD YOU SELL YOUR PIES SO MUCH CHEAPER?

Constipation is quickly relieved when the liver is allowed to activity by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. One pill a dose. 25c a box, all dealers.

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### Constipation

Water Street, St. John's, GERALD S. DOYLE, Distributing Agent.

THE CAFETERIA.  
We stand with trays and wait our turns, a long line of hungry guys, while appetite, within us years for Hubbard squash and custard pies. Before us there are many jays who fool and fiddle, which is wrong; and so we wait and wait our trays and wish the bunch would move along. One graybeard can't make up his mind between roast pork and shredded veal, and while he doubts the mob behind must all the pangs of hunger feel. One woman stops, a row to raise, because the soup is half-way cold; and while she jaws we clasp our trays and feel ourselves grow frail and old. We all must wait until our turn, in vain are protests and appeals, though while we're waiting we could earn the price of fourteen useful meals. It is a modern way to feed, and modern things; we know, are best; old ways, old times, are gone to seed, old restaurants are but a jest. We used to journey home at noon, before old ways were proven frauds, and there devour the wholesome prune, surrounded by our household gods. And then we'd have a little snore, to rest our bones so tired and sore, and, having slept, put on our shoes, and go downtown to work some more.

Fads and Fashions.  
Tand and scarf match the plaid skirt. At last there is hope of longer skirts. Colored handkerchiefs are quite the rage. The suit coat is usually fingertip length. Duvety is a favorite material for blouses. Slide panels are trimmed with seal cloth buttons.

### UPHOLSTERING.

To the public in general, a few secrets about your furniture. 1. If your couch or chair is going to wrack, it really has to be upholstered before you can cover it. 2. Now is the time to have it done as we have a new staff and will guarantee good workmanship and quick delivery. 3. What is worth doing is worth doing well. Drop a card to 15 Balsam Street and we will do our best to make 1920 link up to 1914 with good work and reasonable price. KEATS & O'DEA, 15 Balsam St.

—By Bud Fisher.

### SPEAKING OF THIS FIFTY-FIFTY STUFF.



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I DON'T MIND LETTING YOU IN ON MY SECRET, MUTT. I PUT SOME HORSE MEAT IN MY RABBIT PIES!

FIFTY-FIFTY!

WHAT D'YE MEAN, FIFTY-FIFTY?

ONE HORSE - ONE RABBIT!

SAP!

# GOLDEN JUBILEE PARADE.

## Star of The Sea Association.

### High Mass at St. Patrick's with Sermon by His Grace.

The members of the Star of the Sea Association met in the armory of the T.A. Hall yesterday 9 a.m. preparatory to holding their Golden Jubilee Parade. Some fifty three applicants were admitted to membership, after which the Society formed up in procession. Led by the Colors of the Association, the C.C.C. Band, the officers in full regalia, accompanied by the Spiritual Director of the Society, and followed by the members, the procession numbered between four and five hundred. The older members were driven along in sleighs. The parade proceeded up New Gower and Patrick Sts. to St. Patrick's Church, where special seats were provided for the Society. High Mass was celebrated by the Spiritual Director of the Association, Rev. Dr. Greene, Rev. Father Wilson and Rev. Father Sheehan being deacon and sub-deacon respectively. His Grace the Archbishop occupied the throne assisted by Rt. Rev. Monsignor McDermott and Rev. Dr. W. P. Kitchin, Pastor of St. Patrick's.

### SERMON BY HIS GRACE.

In delivering his sermon His Grace said he wished to avail of this occasion of his annual visit to St. Patrick's—although the month was somewhat advanced—to tender the season's greetings to the people and to wish them every happiness and success during the coming year. The year that had terminated a few weeks ago had been in Newfoundland as elsewhere one of the most trying and critical through which the world had ever passed. It was only during the past year that the consequences and effects of the Great War had come home fully to the nations and peoples of the world. It was true that more than two years had elapsed since the cessation of hostilities amongst the warring nations, but it had taken all that time for the world to realize and face the problems the war brought in its wake. With diminished production, increased and increasing unemployment, with unsettled financial conditions in every country, the whole world at present was passing through a fever of unrest, the crisis of which had not yet been reached. Indications of the disturbed conditions of the world were to be found on all sides. In the countries of the Old World in which the strain of four years' war had been most severely felt, conditions were naturally much worse than with us. Labor troubles had at times reached a stage where they seemed almost on the verge of revolution. The absorption of so many millions of discharged soldiers into the economic and civil life of communities had presented enormous difficulties and had taxed to the utmost the resources of States and the resourcefulness of leaders and Governments. On this side of the Atlantic, Canada and the United States were endeavouring to anticipate and guard against the labor conditions that obtained on the other side. They foresaw a great wave of immigration from Europe, the overflow of the millions of unemployed, and hence the severity of their immigration restrictions. As far as we in Newfoundland are concerned His Grace expressed the hope that we should be able to meet and overcome any difficulties that the coming year might bring. Newfoundland had always shown marvellous powers of recuperation and had weathered in the past many a storm that seemed to threaten disaster. During the war we had suffered less than most countries in the way of privation, and it might well be said that the after-war depression would deal leniently with us. Meantime, it was their duty to face the future resolutely and courageously, to pray that Providence would deal kindly with us, and that God would bless our country and its people with prosperity during the coming year.

### THE NEW PASTOR OF ST. PATRICK'S.

His Grace then went on to refer to the appointment of Dr. Kitchin, who had been recently named Pastor of St. Patrick's.

**A Ready-Cooked Food for breakfast lunch or supper**  
**Grape-Nuts**  
Crisp granules of wheat and malted barley sweet as a nut from special processing and long baking.  
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which had such prominence in the world to-day. He hoped, therefore, that the Star of the Sea Association would emerge from its recent reverse stronger and more vigorous than ever, that it would long remain with us to inculcate, as it had been doing, the highest ideals of citizenship and Catholicity, and in any effort that the Society would make to cause the Hail to arise Phoenix like from its ashes, the officers and members could rely with confidence on the support of the Catholic laity and all the sympathy and blessing of the Church.

### THE PRESIDENT'S CONGRATULATIONS.

After Mass the Society reformed and returned to the T. A. Hall by way of Water Street and McBride's Hill. On assembling at the Hall President Martin took occasion to congratulate the members on their Golden Jubilee parade, which showed clearly that the old-time spirit which animated its founders still lives in its present members, and true to these high ideals which gave it birth, the organization is capable of upholding those grand principles so dear to the hearts of its members. Special votes of thanks were passed to Messrs. Chas. Lestey, Matthew Kelly, J. Reer, H. Brennan, W. Kelly, James Stamp, who so kindly placed the use of their horses and sleighs at the disposal of the Association for the parade and to all who helped to make the event memorable.

### Special Musical Programme.

#### FOR "THE OLD HOMESTEAD."

That which helped materially to make "The Old Homestead" such a huge success, when last performed, was the rendition of the simple but beautiful hymns of "Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight" and "Nearer My God to Thee" by the specially trained boy chorists in the first and third acts; and the famous "Old Oaken Bucket" quartette of Messrs. McCarthy (3) and M. F. Murphy in the haymaking scene. The musical portion of the performance is again under the direction of Professor P. J. McCarthy, which is the best assurance that it will be very capably rendered.

In the reception held at the Fifth Avenue home of Judge Paterson in honor of the visit of his old boyhood chum—Josh Whitcomb—the wonderful "Daddy of Mine" halli—will be sung by Mr. Karl Trapnell, who needs no introduction to St. John's audiences, and the closing lines of the song create a surprising climax in which the old farmer (unopinionated to the surprise and amusement of the cabaret) sets the well-regulated mansion in a state of confusion.

### "Balsam and Honey."

#### A NEW DOPE ON THE MARKET.

A resident of the Battery was found last night, lying in the street in an unconscious condition, by the police and was taken to the station. Here he became seriously ill, and after being seized with a fit of vomiting, collapsed. A doctor was immediately called, but it was several hours before the unfortunate man regained consciousness. The illness was caused by an overdose of the latest dope on the market, "Balsam and Honey" which is evidently not so pleasant to the taste as its name would imply.

### Wedding Bells.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the R. C. Cathedral on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock when the Rev. Mgr. McDermott united in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony Mr. Harry Strang and Miss Olivia Edwards. The bride, who was attired in pale blue silk with shadow lace, and a wreath of orange blossoms, was attended by Miss Della Strang, sister of the groom, who wore a dress of crepe de chine. The groom was ably supported by Mr. T. Dunby. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to the residence of Mr. Peter Kent, where a reception was held and the congratulations of their friends received. In the evening a dance was held and the guests spent a most enjoyable time Mr. and Mrs. Strang will leave by S.S. Fortia on Tuesday morning for their future home at Lawn, carrying with them the best wishes of their many friends.

### From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind west, light, weather fine, preceded by fog and rain; nothing sighted to-day. Bar. 30.10; Ther. 34.

For your health's sake we offer Nature's answer to Constipation, "LES FRUITS." ELI-SIS—dec 9/11

### Time and Talents.

A meeting of Time and Talents will be held at Government House on Tuesday, the 18th of January, at 2:30 p.m. A full attendance is particularly requested as the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place. Several subscriptions have not yet come in. Will any member who has not yet paid her subscription of one dollar and ninety cents (\$1.90) bring it with her to the meeting without fail?

There was never a better illustration of talent being employed in spare time for the benefit of others than the Cabaret entertainment organized last week. The organizer is a member of T. & T. and it is entirely due to T. & T. that her interest was first aroused in the girl's orphanage at Exon. Starting with a games club arranged last summer and of which she and seven others were members, for the old-time spirit which animated its founders still lives in its present members, and true to these high ideals which gave it birth, the organization is capable of upholding those grand principles so dear to the hearts of its members. Special votes of thanks were passed to Messrs. Chas. Lestey, Matthew Kelly, J. Reer, H. Brennan, W. Kelly, James Stamp, who so kindly placed the use of their horses and sleighs at the disposal of the Association for the parade and to all who helped to make the event memorable.

### What Did the General Say?

It was the recruit's first turn on sentry duty.

"Now, remember your salutes," the corporal warned him. "If you see a lieutenant, wearing one or two stars, slope arms. For a captain, with three stars, slope arms also. The major has a crown on his straps, and you present arms. For the colonel, who has stars and a crown, you present arms and turn out the guard."

When he was left alone the recruit went over these orders, again and again, when suddenly his musings were interrupted by the approach of an officer. This was a general, and the recruit did not know what to do. "And what might you be?" he inquired, fidgeting to recognize the badge of the officer's rank.

"I'm the general," replied the officer quietly.

"Sure, now, and are ye?" exclaimed the recruit, in great consternation. "Then ye'll want something big: How would it do if I gave ye a bayonet exercise?"

### Fixed It Up.

Owing to the illness of his regular office boy a man engaged a new lad named Tommy.

Tommy was a jewel, and when Joe, the former messenger, was convalescing, the merchant was loath to send Tommy off.

But Joe wanted to come back and pleaded with his former employer.

"A way out of the dilemma seemed to present itself, for the merchant said—

"You can have your situation again if you can arrange with Tommy."

"Very well sir," replied Joe. "I think I can do that."

In a few moments Joe had thought out a plan.

When his master returned from lunch he met a sight he had not bargained for. The glass in the door was smashed to smithereens, a marble clock on the mantel was minus its hands, face, and dial, and a handsome chair reposed on three legs.

There had evidently been a tremendous struggle, but Joe was in victorious possession, nursing a swollen cheek.

"Tommy's gone. I've arranged with him!" he said, with a grin.

### From Bad to Worse.

When the present Government hinted at control of the Railway, the sun protested against what it believed was a great mistake.

We have now had nearly half a year of Government railway control and what is the result?

Fares have advanced, freight rates advanced, and the first fall of snow blocks the line for a day.

Worse than all that is the misceous way in which weight is being delayed and rebbed.

In conversation with a business man to-day we were informed that out of a box of skin boots received by rail, twelve pairs were stolen.

Out of another shipment of underwear almost every dollar worth had been rebbed.

Everyone complains of the same thing, for these are only cases among dozens of the same thing here; and what applies here applies elsewhere. And this is the boasted Railway.



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Policy of which Mr. Coaker has filled pages of the Advocate.

Nobody knows who is running the railway at present—certainly not Reid, for having had the control taken from them they do not seem to care.

The past fall has been a difficult one under ordinary circumstances but to have railway facilities coupled with incompetent management and wanton dishonesty is really too bad, when we were promised something better—Twillington Sun.

### JUST RECEIVED PER "ROSALIND"

# BRAN, MIXED OATS

AND

# N. Y. BONELESS BEEF.

## HARVEY & CO., Ltd.

### Terra Nova Returns.

STORMY WEATHER EXPERIENCED

S.S. Terra Nova, which left here on Tuesday last for Sydney, returned to port on Saturday evening, having been unable to reach her destination. After leaving here the ship experienced a continuation of North West winds and was compelled to harbour at Trepassay for a day. That port was left on Thursday, but head winds and heavy seas were again encountered and furthermore, the ships coal supply gave out, owing to its being mostly slack and of inferior quality. As a consequence, Captain Taylor decided that his wisest course would be to return to port.

CHINESE IMMIGRANTS.—Some Chinese arrived by Saturday's steamer from Canada, to engage in different landrises here.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The Orphans of St. Michael's, Bellevue, desire to express cordial thanks for their kind friends at Bonne Bay for very welcome donation of eight pairs homespun Stockings. Very Rev. W. Brennan, P.P.

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Silks of every description. Endless variety of yard Silks very much lower priced than it will be possible to sell New Goods to arrive next Season.

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We invite you to inspect these goods and form your own opinions. Values can not be equalled, nor are they likely to be for at least two seasons yet.  
Women who know values will have their fondest expectations surpassed in the unusually drastic price-concessions offered in this event. Prices have been cut deeper than ever before, and cut on merchandise of most timely value.

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## Mistaken for Burglar.

### A HOUSEHOLDER'S DARING.

Last night a householder of the West End was awakened by a noise coming from the direction of his front door. He immediately jumped out of bed and arming himself with a "mat frame, proceeded downstairs in net too happy a mood. As the knocking continued he decided that the best course of action would be to secrete himself behind the door, open it slowly, and break the head of the intruder as he entered the house. This arrangement proceeded, according to plan, that is, all except the last part, for when the door opened, in trotted a large dog. It was ultimately discovered that the dog belonged to a neighbor and having been accidentally locked out for the night had decided to seek a lodging next door.

**NEXT MONDAY.**—What about a horse race? The pond is o.k.; we have the best horses in our history; we want something to sweeten our cup; no sugar in our tea long enough. Start the ball rolling.—Horseman.

## Fashion Plates.

### A VERY ATTRACTIVE CALLING COSTUME.



Comprising Ladies Waist Pattern 3459 and Ladies Skirt Pattern 3446. The Waist Pattern is cut in 7 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. The Skirt in 7 sizes: 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches waist measure. To make the costume for a medium size will require 3 yards of plain material and 4 of plaid or checked, 36 inches wide.

Combinations of material are attractive for this design. Velvet and satin, or serge and checked or plaid woolen or dusty and crepe. The width of the skirt at the foot is 1 1/2 yard.

### A SIMPLE FROCK FOR THE LITTLE GIRL.



Pattern 3458 is portrayed in this design. It is cut in 5 sizes: 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 years. Size 4 will require 3 1/2 yards of 27 inch material. Poplin, repp, gingham, percale, chambray, linen, serge, gabardine, velveteen and pongee are good for this style.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 15c. in silver or stamps.

**JAS. P. CASH,**  
Tobacconist,  
WATER STREET.

## TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

**BREAKING OUT AFRESH.**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 18. Two cases of homicide, numerous hold-ups, robberies and increased police activity, were recorded to-day, when New York's crime, which abated after the Christmas holidays, apparently broke out afresh.

**STRIKE SETTLEMENT SHORTLY.**  
MONTREAL, Jan. 18. An early settlement of the labor trouble at Sydney, N.S., in connection with the strike among freight handlers of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company is expected. Gerald Brown of the Labor Department, Ottawa, was here to-day and was in conference with officials of the Railroad Men's Brotherhood. Although no statement was forthcoming to-day there is every reason to believe that the strike will be called off shortly.

**HOLD UP AND MURDER.**  
BAY CITY, Mich., Jan. 18. Six armed men robbed the Broadway Branch of the Bay County Savings Bank last night and shot and killed L. M. Parsons, an insurance man, and Martin L. Debits, president of the Valleyhome Telephone Company, who were in the bank at the time, and escaped with loot estimated by bank officials at five thousand dollars.

**OUTLAWS ON THE RAMPAGE.**  
BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 18. Damage, estimated to total many millions of pesos, has been caused by the degradation of bands of outlaws, who are reported to be roaming through the territory of Santa Cruz, pillaging, burning crops and ranches, destroying agricultural machinery, and killing and terrorizing the inhabitants.

**SOME HAUL.**  
PARIS, Jan. 17. The disappearance of a messenger of the Receiver of Finances, who had been given one million four hundred thousand francs to take to the Bank of France, was announced yesterday.

**DOINGS IN DUBLIN.**  
DUBLIN, Jan. 17. Troops, yesterday, occupied a wide area in the city, commanding streets and hawking houses, giving the inhabitants of the upper floors twenty minutes in which to move downstairs. Machine guns were placed at windows and barbed wire entanglements erected. The entire area was enclosed and the inhabitants virtually made prisoner. At night search lights made the streets as bright as day.

**EMBARGO OFF.**  
SYDNEY, Jan. 17. The embargo declared by the Bro-

## TO-DAY'S ARRIVALS!

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1 Carload--475 Bags  
Mixed Oats--4 Bush. each  
3 Carloads--739 Bales  
Prime Timothy Hay

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Fancy Silverpeel Onions  
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## Horses in Banquet Halls.

The bizarre proposition to make the honored guest at a banquet to celebrate his recent victory on the turf, recalls the stories of similar honors paid to English champions, which created a great sensation at the time.

given by the Royal Hunt at the White Hart Hotel, at Aylesbury, after an exciting steeplechase participated in by some of the finest steeds in Britain. A beautiful grey mare, owned by Charles Symonds, of Oxford, had especially distinguished herself by her great leaps and high hurdling, and the stewards of the club unanimously decided to have her present at the banquet.

The animal shortly announced her progress by a loud clattering on the old oak staircase, up which she was led to the banquet hall. In a few minutes she was gazing on the assembled company and, amid the cheers of the participants, the owner led her around the table.

As the dinner progressed, nothing would satisfy the assembled company but that the mare should hurdle the tables.

The owner of the hotel, fearing lest some serious accident might occur, as the room was of great antiquity, having been built by the Earl of Rochester in Charles the Second's time, strongly objected, but he was overruled, and the horse was led over the tables, every one standing.

The champagne glasses rattled, the plates quivered, the candlesticks shook, but nothing was displaced, and back again went the mare, clearing everything at a bound.

Then a Mr. Manning, of Wexford, volunteered to ride the horse back over the table, without even a bridle.

Leading the intelligent animal to the end of the hall, Mr. Manning vaulted on her back and drove her straight at the table and, amid a wild applause, cleared the entire three candlesticks and landed on the floor on the other side as cleanly as though taking a hurdle on the turf.

Then the celebrated gentleman Jockey, Captain Barlow, mounted the mare and essayed a repetition of the feat, but this time the mare made a smash of one table, but on the return jump cleared the other table and, amid vociferous shouts of applause, snuffed the light of one of the candles without even shaking it from the candlestick.

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The bet was taken up, a carrier's covered cart was procured and placed outside the large centre window of the banquet room, which was on the second story of the building. A rough runway of planks was laid up to the window sill, and mounting his horse, Whalley drove him up the runway at full gallop and fairly flew out the window over the top of the cart, and safely landed without injury to man or beast on the other side of the road.

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