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But a sprained ankle takes much longer than four days to recover, and poor Mr. Coke, lying on his back and grumbling after the fashion of men, said to Lashmore, who had hurried up to the Great House and was sitting beside him:

"I'm afraid this stupid thing will keep me here for weeks, Harry. Anyhow, I couldn't catch this boat, and I don't know what the deuce is to be done. I have made all the arrangements and have booked myself right and left. I don't see any way out of it, unless—"

"I'll go," said Lashmore at once.

Mr. Coke drew a breath of relief. "I'm afraid you must, my boy," he said. "But, after all, there's no reason to cry about it. Of course, I don't like the idea of your going away while I'm laid up here by the leg, like a sick fowl, but it will be a bit of a change for you and the missus. You'll take her, of course, and you'll give her a good time, Harry. She deserves

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"Not for very long, darling," he said soothingly. "If I go alone, if you are not with me, every day will seem an eternity; and you may depend upon it that I shall not stay an hour longer than is necessary. Do you think I don't understand, Eva? Of course I do, dearest. And of course I won't ask you to go, if you don't want to. God knows how I hate leaving you, how much I shall suffer in doing so. But I must go; there is no help for it. Mr. Coke has committed himself to several appointments and engagements; and this sale, we can't miss that. Yes, I'm afraid I must go; but you shall stay here and take care of him. I like the thought of that; it will console me for your absence; it will console you, dearest. And I will get back as soon as possible. Don't cry, darling!"

She was not crying; it would have been a relief if tears would come, for the thought of losing him for even a day was almost intolerable. She drew herself from the loving arms and compelled herself into something like composure.

"I must see about your dinner, Harry," she said. "You're not angry with me for not wanting to go? You understand?"

"Of course I understand, dearest," he responded lovingly. "I see now that there would be a risk of unpleasantness, of pain for you. You're quite right, as you always are. You shall stay here and look after Mr. Coke, and I'll cut over to England and do the business, and come back again so quickly that you will scarcely know I've gone before I've got you in my arms again."

The hour of parting came swiftly as all such hours do. The light car that was to drive Lashmore to the nearest station was at the door, and he held Kattie in a close embrace both of them dreading the pregnant word "Good-by." At almost the last moment, as she clung to him, she murmured brokenly through the sobs she tried to suppress:

"Harry, dearest, listen to me. I—don't want you to tell any one that we—we are married. Will you—will you promise me? I want to forget, to pass quite out of the old life, to have no one know—"

Her voice broke.

"Yes, yes, dearest," he said, soothing her. "Of course I won't tell any one, if you don't wish it. But I sha'n't meet any one to whom it would be necessary to tell anything for God's sake, don't cry! I don't want to carry away the memory of you so broken-hearted, so cut up. And we were so happy! I'm almost inclined to chuck it now, the last moment."

"No, no!" she gasped, forcing back her sobs and her tears. "I won't cry. The moment you have gone I shall look forward to the hour of your return to me. Happy! Ah, how happy I have been! And you, too, Harry?"

She demanded almost fiercely, raising her tear-dimmed eyes to his, as if she would read his soul. "You have been happy?"

"God knows I have!" he said devoutly. "No man in this world more happy than I!"

"Then—then you will always remember that? I ask you to remember that," she panted. "If anything should happen, in the future—"

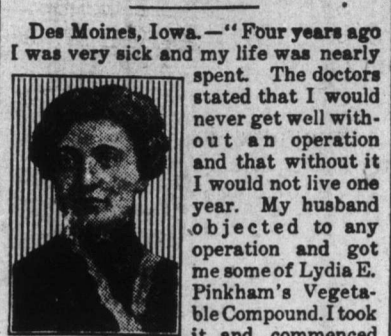
"I'm not likely to forget it, dearest," he said huskily. "But nothing is likely to happen—to me, at any rate." He tried to laugh. "I'm as strong as a horse, and accidents don't fall my way. There's the cart, dearest. Be a woman—for my sake."

When he had been carried away she flung herself on her knees beside a chair and hid her face in her hands, praying for his safety, for his ignorance of what she was and what she had done, for his safe return.

Lashmore had a bad time of it for some days; indeed, he was by no means companionable during the voyage, for his girl-wife's tear-stained face and anguished accents were with him night and day; but he had to play a man's part, and he played it. In ninety-nine cases out of a hundred it is easier than the woman's, for she has to stay at home and count the weary hours of absence, while he must necessarily forget some of them in the bustle of action.

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We offer for immediate delivery,  
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Some Good Values!

AS PER OUR WINDOW DISPLAY.  
Despite difficulties, we can still offer in this department,  
**Mercerised Dress Poplins,**  
Superior qualities in all leading shades, at 75c. and \$1.15 yard.  
**French All Wool Amazon Cloths,**  
for Costumes, in colors of Myrtle, Reseda and Brown, at \$1.15 and \$1.30 yard.

This lot is a snap for ladies who know and appreciate good value, as we cannot replace these goods at any price to-day. We have also some other **Older Values** on which you can save money in certain colors of Lustres, Cashmeres, Nun's Vellings and Crepilles, and besides these a lot of Shepherd Checks, at various prices.

**Gorduroy Velveteens**  
We have cleaned up in tremendous quantity and have now only left in colors of Cardinal, Violet and Saxe Blue. We cabled for some, some time ago and have now got invoices both from firms in Manchester and London for these goods; and to those of our customers who are awaiting our deliveries, we would say that, barring accidents, we expect to show a full range of colors inside of a fortnight.

**Henry Blair**

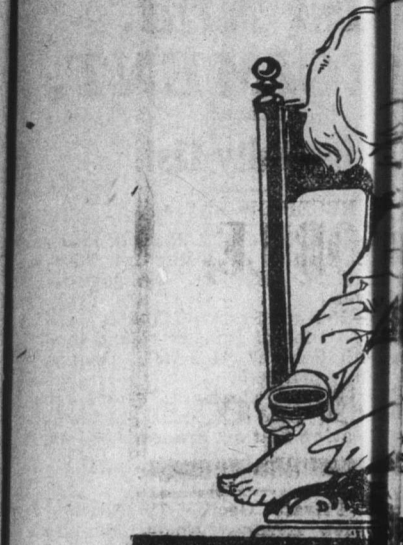
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**Children are keen just as children get cut or bruised. Zam-Buk applied. They and smarting out of a marvellous healer.**

So writes Mrs. B. H. H. adds:—"It was a long time before I would have used it I would never have used it for piles."

Mothers! Take the Zam-Buk, now is the time. (Zam-Buk Co., Toronto) 50 cent box from your drug store.

For piles, eczema, abrasions and skin injuries and diseases. Equal. Used throughout the world.

**Rann-don Reels**  
THE ELECTRIC WASHER  
The electric washer is an invention which was invented some years ago and has since then become a household necessity. It is a device which was invented some years ago and has since then become a household necessity. It is a device which was invented some years ago and has since then become a household necessity.

Perhaps the greatest advantage of the electric washer is that it has forever done away with the tedious form of entertainment known as the stitch in the back. This is caused by beating the family clothes with the bare fists against a grating rubber board at an average of 2,400 revolutions per minute. This is suited in covering the rubber with spration and lint. Now, however, that a woman has to do is to turn the washer loose and sit down to her light heart and some lighter work and wait for the machine to do the rest.

**And the Winner is...**

**AFTER AN HOUR'S STRUGGLE TO GET HIS TRUNK LOCKED HE HAS JUST TEN MINUTES TO CATCH HIS TRAIN**

Ed. Wellington





"Children are keen judges of a good balm and whenever my children get cut or bruised, they run home at once to have Zam-Buk applied. They have found that it takes the soreness and smarting out of a wound or sore very quickly. It is a marvellous healer."

So writes Mrs. B. Hubert of Van Horne St., Toronto, and she adds: "It was a long time before I tried Zam-Buk, but now I have used it I would never be without it. I have also found it very effective for piles."

Mothers! Take the lesson home! If you have not yet tried Zam-Buk, now is the time. Send us a cent stamp for return postage (Zam-Buk Co., Toronto) and we will mail you a trial box, or get a 50 cent box from your druggist or storekeeper.

For piles, eczema, abscesses, varicose sores, ulcers, cuts, burns and skin injuries and diseases, this great herbal balm is without equal. Used throughout the world. Refuse harmful substitutes.

### Rann-dom Reels.

#### THE ELECTRIC WASHER.

The electric washer is an ingenious device which was invented so that husbands could procure something to eat on Monday as well as other days of the week. Prior to this discovery, thousands of stout, voracious American husbands refused to affiliate with the wash-day dinner at home for fear of being permanently disabled in the alimentary tract. Great ingenuity was displayed by housewives in dressing up the remnants of the Sunday dinner so that they would look like a square meal, but even then some husbands would utter disparaging remarks about the menu and threaten to take their meals out.

The mission of the electric washer is to take a pair of khaki overalls, six high-priced lace curtains, ten dozen hemstitched handkerchiefs, an armful of bedspreads and the rest of the family linens and shoot soapuds through them at the rate of four kilowatts per hour. This is a simple process and requires no mental effort whatever, except at the end of the month, when it is necessary to climb a stepladder and read the meter. Many people have been severely injured by falling off the stepladder after taking one glance at the meter, but the majority of patrons prefer to trust to the mercy of some calloused representative of the electric light company who is an expert in men's arithmetic.

Perhaps the greatest advantage in favor of the electric washer is that it has forever done away with that popular form of entertainment known as the stitch in the back. This was caused by beating the family wash with the bare fists against a corrugated rubber board at an average rate of 2,400 revolutions per minute, and resulted in covering the rubber with perspiration and lint. Now, however, all that a woman has to do is to turn the washer loose and sit down with a light heart and some lighter reading and wait for the machine to deliver

the finished product, ready to be strung in all its tempting proportions on the back porch.

The electric washer has done more to make the average woman contented with her home and what she received at the marriage altar than any other device of the age except the electric brougham. If there were more electric washers in our homes, there would be fewer divorce actions and considerably less indigestion.

### \$50.00 in Cash Prizes!

With every 25c. purchase at either of our Drug Stores, Duckworth St. and Theatre Hill, you receive a numbered ticket, and if you are holding a lucky number at the time the numbers are drawn (July 31st) you win one of the Cash Prizes we are giving away.

- 1st Prize .....\$20.00
- 2nd Prize .....\$15.00
- 3rd Prize .....\$10.00
- 4th Prize .....\$ 5.00

P.S.—The above does not apply to "wholesale" buyers, but only the "Retail Cash Purchases" made at our two stores.

These prizes will be drawn by two prominent business men on the above mentioned date.

**DR. F. STAFFORD & SON,**  
Theatre Hill.  
**STAFFORD'S PHARMACY,**  
Duckworth Street.  
Stafford's 3 Specialties:  
**STAFFORD'S LINIMENT.**  
**STAFFORD'S PRESCRIPTION "A."**  
**STAFFORD'S PHORATONE COUGH CURE.**

**TRAPS DAMAGED.**—A number of fishermen of the North Battery visited the fishing grounds yesterday and found their traps badly damaged by the rough sea the past few days.

Received a shipment of Scotch Coopers' Tools. **BOWRING BROS., Ltd., Hardware Dept.**

## Important Session of the Civic Board.

### Resolution For Increased Taxation Say That the People Want Sport They Must Pay For It.

The regular weekly session of the Municipal Board held last night, was a busy and important one.

The principal item of business was the subjoined Resolution, submitted by Mayor Gosling, for the purpose of levying increased taxation to meet certain financial obligations, as previously mentioned. The Mayor pointed out that the various claims in the new Charter empowered the Council to fix taxation, subject to the approval of the Legislature, and if the new Charter is passed this session of the Legislature, he felt it incumbent upon the Board to pass this Resolution. The Mayor showed that the proposed increase of taxation on theatricals and other forms of amusements (which really means extra taxes on people who attend theatricals) would yield a revenue of \$10,000 a year. The Resolution will be discussed fully next week.

#### NOTICE OF RESOLUTION.

It is hereby Resolved, — That, beginning with the half year period July 1st to December 30th, 1917, the City tax as authorized by Sec. 211 of the proposed City Charter shall be at the rate of Twelve and one half per cent on the gross rental value.

The Ground Landlord's Tax, as authorized by Section 217 of the proposed City Charter shall be at the rate of Five per cent.

The Stock Tax, as authorized by Section 218 of the proposed City Charter shall be Twenty cents (20c.) per One hundred dollars.

The Improved Vacant Land Tax, as authorized by Section 219 of the proposed City Charter shall be at the rate of Six per cent.

The Unimproved Vacant Land Tax, as authorized by Section 220 of the proposed City Charter shall be at the rate of Six per cent.

(The above taxes to be subject to a discount of Ten per cent. as per Section 240 of the proposed City Charter.)

There shall be paid to the Council by all persons frequenting any theatrical, musical, dancing, pantomime, athletic, pictorial, circus, or other kind of public performance, exhibition, or amusement, within the City limits, one cent upon every five cent ticket, two cents upon every ten cent ticket, and so on in proportion.

For the purpose of collecting the above tax, the Council may, upon payment of the face value of the same, issue to the owners or managers of such entertainments, stamps, of such value as may be required, to be affixed to the ticket issued by the said owners or managers.

Or the Council may, upon payment of the face value of the same, issue duly certified tickets of such denominations as may be required. Such stamps or tickets shall be cancelled, when sold, by being punched in such a manner as to indicate the value of the ticket and the date of cancellation.

In addition to the annual fees payable to the Council under the Motor Car Acts of 1906 and 1911, a further tax, equal in amount to one half of the said fees, shall be paid by owners or drivers of motor cars owned or operated within the City Limits, on the first day of July, 1917, or on registration, and annually thereafter on or before the first day of May in each succeeding year.

Wood and Kelly, Solicitors for the U. S. P. and P. Co., claimed \$897.75, account of damages to furniture and store, caused by the bursting of a water pipe. Referred to solicitor for enquiry.

Mr. R. F. Horwood asked to have the night soil removed from Jensen Camp by the Sanitary men. The Council cannot accede to the request, as it is too far outside the city.

Baine Johnstone & Co., again wrote asking that repairs be made to the Newman building and following a little debate between Couns. Brownrigg and Mullaly the building was ordered to be torn down altogether, it being considered unsightly and an eyesore to the public. Couns. Brownrigg (proposer) Tait (second) and Ayre voted for the motion and Couns. Mullaly, Morris and Vinnicombe against. The Mayor cast his vote for the affirmative.

Councillor Mullaly then moved, seconded by Coun. Morris, that the Engineer be asked to report on the condition of the block of houses west of the Kesmer building and on the Franklin building.

Councillor Brownrigg begged leave to ask the Engineer to include in his itinerary that building immediately west of Franklin's and occupied up to recently by Mullaly and Co.

The Solicitor reported that the Council were liable for injuries to Ernest Guzzwell's horse and it was ordered that the \$25, claimed by Guzzwell be paid.

The question as to whether or not any travis paving was to be done this

season on Duckworth Street was decided in the negative.

The collections and expenditure for the week ending May 3rd, as compared with the corresponding period last year are:—

1917.		1916.	
COLLECTIONS.			
Arrears .....	\$ 277.47	Arrears, Water and Sewerage .....	912.53
Sundry Revenue .....	\$1,196.00	Sundry Revenue .....	302.04
Water and Sewerage Rates .....	1,492.04		
			\$3,095.13

1917.		1916.	
EXPENDITURE.			
Pay Rolls .....	\$1,279.34	Pay Rolls .....	\$1,236.52
Bills .....	1,816.79	Bills .....	1,555.25
	\$3,095.13		\$2,791.77

1916.		1915.	
COLLECTIONS.			
Arrears, Water and Sewerage Rates .....	\$1,521.53	Arrears, Water and Sewerage Rates .....	1,236.52
Customs Coal Duties .....	243.00	Customs Coal Duties .....	94.40
Sundry Revenue .....	176.66	Sundry Revenue .....	176.66
	\$2,035.59		\$1,507.58

1916.		1915.	
EXPENDITURE.			
Pay Rolls .....	\$1,236.52	Pay Rolls .....	1,236.52
Bills .....	1,555.25	Bills .....	1,555.25
	2,791.77		2,791.77

After some minor matters were disposed of the meeting adjourned.

## What a Gas Range Means for You, Mrs. Housekeeper.

The gas range is a muscle saver and a step saver. Think of the many tons of coal you used in that coal range, and how you have had to handle it all twice; first, carrying it up out of the cellar; then, from the kitchen to the ash barrel.

No more soot to wipe away; no more ashes to cart away; no more wood to fetch; no more coal dust; no more smoke and no more reason why the kitchen cannot be kept as clean and as orderly as the parlor. The gas range means just this.

#### Saves 50 Per Cent of Kitchen Cares.

Half of the labor in the house is caused by dust from the coal range. Every time it smokes, no matter how good the draught may be, clouds of ashes rise and settle on the furniture. It eliminates Hard Work.

Use a gas range and you will live better, you will play better, and you will work better because the use of the gas range eliminates the drudgery of carrying coal, ashes and the chopping of kindling, as well as the drudgery of cleaning up a lot of dirt, and, best of all, for the cook it makes upon every ten cent ticket, and so on in proportion.

#### Installation.

### SHANNON CHAPTER OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS, NO. 9, R.N.S.

The High Priest and officers of the above Chapter were installed last night by M. E. Companion W. A. Ellis, P.H.P., representative of the Grand High Priest, assisted by Companions W. Noel, P. H. P., Marshal as follows:—

- Comp. W. H. Hynes, M.E.H.P.
- Comp. H. E. Cowan, E.K.
- Comp. F. J. King, E.S.
- Comp. E. M. LeMessurier, Treas.
- Comp. E. W. Lyoh, Sec.
- Comp. A. G. Osmond, C. H.
- Comp. A. MacKeen, for J. McNeil.

- P.S.
- Comp. W. J. Milley, R.A.C.
- Comp. D. P. Duff, G.M., 1st veil.
- Comp. J. S. Ayre, G.M., 2nd veil.
- Comp. G. F. Grimes, G.M., 3rd veil.
- Comp. W. C. Major, Tyler.

## Had Headache for Two Years.

A Barrie Man Tells of Persistent Headaches and Indigestion—Finally Found His Way to Good Health.

Barrie, Ont., May 4th.—For two long years the writer of this letter was subject to severe headaches. The nervous system got run down, digestion failed, and there was continued loss of weight.

The use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food changed all this, and now with scores of other Barrie people Mr. Nader is recommending the use of this food cure as the best means of building up the exhausted nervous system and curing headaches, indigestion and all the annoying symptoms of a run-down condition.

Mr. John Nader, 38 Penetang street, Barrie, Ont., writes:

"During the last two years I had an attack of indigestion, accompanied by severe headaches. I suffered from loss of appetite, and my system became run down. I also lost considerably in weight. I began using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and as they helped me I continued this treatment for some time. My condition is now greatly improved, my headaches are gone and my health in general is much better. I can cheerfully recommend the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to those suffering from nervousness of any kind."

As a spring tonic and restorative to overcome tired, languid feelings and build up vitality at this time of year there is nothing to be compared to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c. a box, a full treatment of 6 boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Do not be misled into accepting a substitute. Imitations only disappoint.

## MOTOR BOAT SUPPLIES.

- Piston Rings from ..... 45c.
- Spark Plugs, .80c., \$1.00 & \$1.20
- Spark Plug Porcelains ..... 45c.
- Contacts for K. W. Coils. \$2.00
- Copper Pipe, Prime Cups.
- Engine Enamel, Grey & Black.
- Lubricating Oils and Greases.

- Shaft Couplings to lengthen Shafts.
- Wire, large and small.
- Trouble Lamps, Switches.
- Brass Nuts for holding on propellers.
- Babbitt Bearings.

All Class Repairs at Lowest Prices. Brazing, Machine Work, Castings.

## SILVERLOCK'S MACHINE SHOP,

210 NEW GOWER STREET. P. O. BOX 532. (Next door Salvation Army Citadel.)

# Six Big Specials

For this week end—every one a money saver.

**TOWELS,**  
75 pairs Blay Turkish,  
Big Value,  
30 cents pair.

**Straw Hats,**  
For Little Girls,  
Smart and Becoming,  
30 cents.

Ladies, those Washing Percalé Blouses for 90 cts., are Exceptional Value. Did you get some?

**Ladies' BLACK HOSE,**  
Value cannot be duplicated,  
20 cents per pair.

**School Girl MIDDY BLOUSES,**  
to fit from 6 to 14 years,  
75 cents.

## GIRLS' WASH DRESSES,

In Fancy Checks, etc.,  
**65 cts.**  
Sizes, for 6 to 14 years.

# S. MILLEY.

## WILL YOU PAY \$1.00 A BARREL for POTATOES?

A bag of Farmers' Fertilizer will cost you \$2.00 to \$3.00, and ought to increase the yield from a barrel of seed potatoes by 4 to 6 barrels.

## FARMERS' FERTILIZER Ready for Delivery Now.

Don't wait until it's all gone, come down right away and get some. Remember, 1 barrel extra of potatoes will give you back your money, the other extra barrel will be clear profit.

# COLIN CAMPBELL.

## And the Worst is Yet to Come

AFTER AN HOUR'S STRUGGLE TO GET HIS TRUNK LOCKED HE HAS JUST TEN MINUTES TO CATCH HIS TRAIN.



—Ed. Wellington



**Knowing's Men's Dept.**

**MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRT BARGAIN**

**75** cents.

To be had in Fancy and Plain Stripes and the following Plain colors: Cream, French Grey, Light Blue, Mild Blue, Helio, single and double cuffs, good style, finish and material. Worth \$1.00 to \$1.25.

**SEE OUR MEN'S NEW SUITS.**

**GEO. KNOWLING**

may 24, w. f. tu. w.

**Evening Telegram**

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor  
H. A. WINFER, B.A., Editor

FRIDAY, May 4th, 1917.

**The New Offensive.**

The British have struck again, this time with great force and over a wide area. We must not judge the fortunes of the new drive too much by the map, except to remember that each seemingly small gain it reveals stands for a very large victory. For the Germans have been concentrated by this time every man and every gun that can be spared to hold the line before Douai. The fighting is a gigantic stand-up contest of strength, and there can be no question which side is the stronger. The value of the victory at Vimy Ridge, which gave the British the high ground commanding all this territory, is showing itself in the blindness of the German shooting, and at no cost will the British relinquish their aerial supremacy.

The nervousness of the enemy opposite the Canadians has been justified, for those intrepid soldiers have now taken Fresnoy at a bound. This, with the advances at Bulbourt and Cherisy, smashes the switch-line from Droocourt to Queant at either end. As on the Somme last year, the line is being slowly but surely borne back, until some day a great retirement will be forced. Lens is being gradually pocketed. Douai is being gradually nearer. Fresh German troops are thrown into the melee. The reserves are being drained and the east front may show what that entails before long. Soon there will be another lightning thrust by the French and more reserves will be interposed for a shield. And with it all the Allies push their line ahead just as far as the artillery has made a way for it and not a yard further. Verdun has been a twofold victory. It wasted the German divisions and has taught the Allies how to conserve theirs. To this relentless process, it is the application of man and metal superiority, there can be but one end, which is now only a question of time.

**In Russia.**

Lord Curzon states that the situation in Russia is still not regarded without anxiety. To-day's news is not of a nature to allay it. M. Millukoff has found it necessary to address a note to the Governments of the other Allies assuring them of Russia's continued adherence to the terms of their agreement and its determination to fight to the end. We are told, and we can believe, that the whole Provisional Government stands solidly behind him, but unfortunately Governments are not everything. The note may not be as reassuring as the necessity for making it is disquieting. The Workmen and Soldiers' Delegates are a body that is exerting a most pernicious influence and, playing into the hands of the German Socialists, who are themselves the merest puppets to that end in the hands of the German Government. This being a game of intrigue and treachery, the last named find it exactly to their taste and are playing it very skillfully. One of their cleverest ruses is their affected antagonism to the German Socialists, who are thus able to work easily upon the simple minds of the mass of the Russian people. All may yet be well, and will be as long as the sane and sensible men that now control the Government continue to do so, but if the army office becomes infected with the insidious ideas the German emissaries are endeavouring to inculcate, anything at all may happen.

**GOOD PAY FOR MASONS.**—Masons working on the new cold storage building will be paid at the rate of 50 cents an hour, with 75 cents an hour for overtime.

**Monchy Bloodiest Spot of War.**

British Front in France, April 25, via London, 1.50 p.m. (From a staff correspondent of the Associated Press.)—The town of Monchy-le-Preux, which lies about five miles east of Arras, will stand out in history as one of the bloodiest spots of the world war. The fighting north, east and south of this little Artois village, perched upon a high knoll, has exceeded in intensity any of the individual struggles of the Somme. Efforts of the Germans to re-take the village apparently have subsided on account of the sheer exhaustion of their available forces.

The ground around Monchy, as far as the eye can reach, is covered with the dead, the Germans at times having employed their old tactics of attacking in mass formation. Letters taken in the last two days from German prisoners, written in front of Monchy, say they regard the situation as worse than it was on the Somme, while the casualties are mounting up as at Verdun. In one of the letters, the opinion is expressed that what has made the fighting difficult has been the fact that the opposing forces have not occupied fixed lines, but are scattered in half built trenches on this part of the front.

During one German counter attack on Monday, a force of 700 Germans took one bit of trench from a British outpost. The Germans continued to press forward, not noticing that they were passing an isolated trench section on their right. When they were well beyond it, several hundred British soldiers poured out of this trench section and the Germans trapped between the khaki lines, were absolutely wiped out in the fighting which followed. It was a general melee in which the cries of the men engaged hand-to-hand could be heard plainly. The number of prisoners taken during the various operations this week amounts to more than 3,000. There is absolutely no index of the casualties inflicted on the enemy. The fighting is too thick for the most part to permit of individual surrenders.

Finding Monchy too difficult, the Germans late yesterday directed a counter attack on Gavrelle, where the last defensive line before the Droocourt switch position had been held. Four thousand men were seen forming for attack at a distance of 4,000 yards.

British field guns, massed in great number, were trained on the Germans, but their fire was held until the advancing enemy was about 2,000 yards away. Then a perfect hurricane of fire was opened and shrapnel shells played about the advancing column like fire-flies in a summer twilight. The oncoming waves, trembled for a time and then broke completely routed. Their path was strewn with the dead and the wounded.

**Stray Bullets an Annoyance.**

A gentleman in the city, whose summer residence is in the vicinity of the Jensen Camp, complains of the frequent firing of rifles by the invalid sailors and soldiers who are quartered at the Camp. Bullets evidently fired at random are a source of danger to the people whose homes are nearby. It was only a few days ago that a bullet landed in a back yard of a farmer's home, just a few feet from a small boy who was proceeding from the house to the barn to procure firewood. A few other incidents similar to the foregoing were related by our informant. While the whole community is desirous that our inviolated heroes should enjoy all the privileges possible for them to have, they should remember that the form of amusement is a dangerous one, and should exercise care in its pursuit.

**Celebrated His Visit**

With a Bottle of Brandy.

An opponent of the Prohibition Law, who expressed his opposition openly, appeared before the Magistrate's Court to-day, charged with being drunk. He was found by police officers Greene and Whelan yesterday on Water St., helplessly intoxicated. He belonged to Point Lance and had just struck town. He had a valise with him and in it was a bottle, half full of brandy. Mr. Hutchings, K.C., J.P., who presided on the bench, took into consideration the fact that the defendant was not a resident of the city but had merely celebrated his visit to the capital, and discharged him.

**McMurdo's Store News**

FRIDAY, May 4th, 1917.

Goods are now coming along at somewhat better pace than they have been since the beginning of the year, and to-day we have to announce that Neville, Hamilton's Pill and Ferrone have arrived and are now open and on sale.

Other recent arrivals include Zam Bam, D.D.D., Nyles Pace Cream, Flaxen (2 sizes), Nyles Talcum, Chase's Nerve Food, and Chase's Ointment, all of which we have pretty good stocks on hand.

**The Coal Carters' Increase**

In reference to the recent raise of pay given to the coal carters, we have been given the following statement: Wheelwrights, harness makers, coal carters, stable hands, etc., in the employ of Mr. C. Leason, receive slightly over 12 cents of the 20 cents per ton increase recently given by the coal dealers. The balance is to defray the increased cost of foodstuffs and upkeep. To give an idea how the latter has increased, iron for shoeing horses, making bands for wheels and such, has increased from 10 to 15 cents. Oats from 75 cents a bushel to \$1.25, hay from \$20 per ton to \$32.

**Reids' Boats.**

The Argyle arrived at Placentia at 4 p.m. yesterday.

The Clyde is due at Lewisport.

The Dundee left Port Blandford at 4.50 a.m. to-day.

The Ethie is due at Humbermouth.

The Glencoe left Belleoram at 7.30 a.m. yesterday, going west.

The Home is due at Lewisport.

The Wren left Clarendville at 6.30 a.m. to-day.

**Train Notes.**

Yesterday's outgoing express left Grand Falls at 8.25 a.m. to-day.

The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 11 a.m. to-day.

The Trepassey train reached the city at 12.15 p.m. to-day.

**Stafford's Essence of Ginger Wine only 15c. bottle.**—may 1, if

**TRAP BERTH CASES.**—There was another audience of fishermen at the Magistrate's Court to-day. George Cook, of the North Battery had M. Leonard, of the South Battery, summoned on two charges: (1) for setting a cod trap within fifty fathoms of the plaintiff's salmon net, already set and (2) for setting a cod trap within eighty fathoms of the plaintiff's cod trap. At the request of the defendant's counsel and for the purpose of summoning witnesses, the case was postponed until Monday next.

**WINARD'S LINIMENT CURES CURBS BURNS, ETC.**

**Ayre & Sons LIMITED**

**NEW SEEDS!**

**ASTER. ALYSSUM. BALSAM. POPPY. NASTURTIUM. DIANTHUS. SWEET PEA. MARGOLD. MIGNONETTE. CANDYTUFF. DOUBLE DAISY. SWEET WILLIAM. WALL FLOWER. CARNATION, ETC.**

**Steele Briggs SEEDS**

Need no advertising but simply to announce that we have them in stock.

We regret that owing to transportation conditions these seeds have been a little late in arriving; but haste in planting seeds this season may not be so speedy in results.

**CABBAGE—Early York. CABBAGE—Charlestown. CABBAGE—Early Jersey. TURNIP—Suede. IMPROVED PURPLE TOP PURPLE TOP MAMMOTH PARSNIP. CUCUMBER. RADISH. SAGE. BURSSELS SPROUTS. LETTUCE—Asstd. PARSNIP. BEET—Asstd. BEANS, ETC.**

**Sox or Socks!**

It doesn't really make much difference how you write it, but what does count Men, is the GREAT VALUE we are giving in them this week.

**Plain Black Cotton, at 25c. a pair.**

**Plain Black Cashmere, at 35, 45, 50, 55 & 65 cts. pr.**

**Black Ribbed Worsted, at 65 cents a pair.**

**Grey Worsted, at 35 cents a pair.**

**Heather Worsted, at 40, 60 & 65 cents a pair.**

**THIS WEEK.**

**A. & S. RODGER.**

**War News.**

**Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.**

**THE IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.**

LONDON, May 3.

(Through Reuter's Ottawa Agency)

The Rt. Hon. Walter Long, issued a statement respecting the work of the Imperial War Conference now approaching the end of its labors, together with some of the resolutions adopted by the Conference. It states some matters are of a most confidential character that the publication of the resolutions and debates upon them probably will be impossible until after the war. The statement records that the decision was unanimous with respect to the resolutions which are now publishable. On no occasion was it necessary to divide or to withdraw a motion because an agreement could not be reached. In moving the vote of thanks to the Secretary of State for the Colonies as Chairman, Sir Robert L. Borden paid a touching tribute to the late Brigadier-General Long who has fallen in the service of his country. Sir Robert and other members of the Conference also expressed gratification at the presence at the Conference of the son of the statesman who had done so much to promote the idea of Imperial unity, the late Joseph Chamberlain. The resolutions adopted recommend the appointment at the earliest possible moment of a committee representing the military authorities of the United Kingdom, the Dominions and India to consider the various patterns of military stores and equipment in use with a view to the selection of standard patterns for general adoption as far as the special circumstances of each country will permit. It is also recommended that the ordnance personnel of the empire military organizations be trained in the same methods and principles, and that the ordnance officers from all parts of the empire should be attached for an adequate period to the Imperial ordnance department. Further, it is recommended that the Admiralty be requested to work out immediately after the war the most effective scheme of Imperial naval defence for consideration for the governments concerned at a conference to be held with reports of the admiralty regarding the future security of the empire. The conference welcomes the increase in the number of Trade Commissioners and recommends the governments concerned to co-operate in assisting the service of the conference in promoting inter-imperial trade. It records the view that the 1907 Imperial Conference resolutions be modified so as to permit full representation of India in all future Imperial Conferences, and that the assent thereto of the various governments be obtained. It prays the King to constitute by royal charter, an imperial graves commission on the lines proposed by the Prince of Wales to the Prime Minister. The conference records its deepest appreciation of the French government's generosity in allowing in perpetuity land where our men are buried and urges that similar arrangements be made in the peace terms with all the allies, enemy and neutral governments in Gallipoli, Mesopotamia, Africa and elsewhere. The conference expresses the opinion that the re-adjustment of the constitutional relations of the component parts of the Empire is too important and intricate a subject to be dealt with during the war, and should be discussed at a special Imperial Conference to be held immediately after the war. The conference records further that such readjustment while thoroughly preserving all existing powers of self-government and complete control of domestic affairs, should be based upon the full recognition of the Dominions as autonomous nations of the Imperial Commonwealth, and India as an important portion thereof; should recognize the right of the Dominions and India to a voice in foreign policy and foreign relations, and should provide effective arrangements for continuous consultations on all important matters of common imperial interest. For such concerted action founded on that consultation as the several governments shall determine the conference recognizes the importance of securing uniformity in empire policy and action with regard to naturalization, and recommends that proposals be submitted to the Overseas governments. It recommends present systems of double income taxation and that there be no delay in taking steps for the establishment in London of an Imperial Mineral Resources Bureau, on which the whole Empire shall be represented, whose duties shall include advising how its mineral resources may be developed and made available to meet the empire's metal requirements. In view of the experience of the war the conference has drawn attention to the importance of developing adequately the capacity for production of the naval and military material, munitions and supplies in all important parts of the empire, including the countries bordering on the Pacific and Indian Oceans where no such facilities at present exist. It affirms the importance of close co-operation between India, the Dominions and the United Kingdom with this object in view. The conference urges the present system of double income taxation within the empire be taken in hand immediately after the war and the law so amended as to remedy the present unsatisfactory position. In view of war experience the conference records that the safety of the empire and the necessary development of its component parts demand prompt and attentive consideration and concerted action and regard, first, in the production of adequate food supply, arrangements for its transportation, when and where required under any conditions that may reasonably be anticipated; secondly, to control the natural resources available within the empire, especially those of an essential character for national purposes whether in peace or war; thirdly, the economical utilization of such natural resources through manufacturing processes carried within the empire; and recommends that the Governments concerned consider the enactment of legislation in this direction.

**The Annual Grand Dance in aid of the T. A. Band will be held on the eve of the General Holiday, May 23rd, in the T. A. Armoury. Special music is being arranged by the Band, including some of the latest Waltzes and Two-Steps. Programme to suit all.—may 3, 21.**

**1st Nfld. REGIMENT. Casualty List.**

RECEIVED MAY 4th.

2374—Private John H. Parrell, Pines Cove, St. Barbe. Died May 3rd, Stables Hospital, Liverpool. No particulars given.

2687—Private Francis Thistle, Gander Bay. Died of gunshot wound but lock, 4th General Hospital, Danes Camiers, April 30th.

2514—Private Stephen Peyton, Jos Batis Arm. Died of wounds, 8th Casualty Clearing Station, France, April 30. Admitted King George Hospital, London.

1788—Private George C. Chalker, Lake View Avenue. No particulars given.

At First Canadian General Hospital, Etaples, April 25th.

2876—Private Ronald T. Piko, Grand Falls. Gunshot wounds multiple.

At Fourth General Hospital, Danes Camiers, April 24th.

(Gunshot Wounds).

2503—Private John Hussey, 51 Merymeeting Road. Left arm.

2676—Private Samuel Harris, Gander Bay, South. Left arm.

1252—Private Edward P. Murphy, Catalina. Head and Hands.

(Shell Contusion Back—Slight.)

1039—Private Joseph Judge, Pointe Verde, Placentia.

Previously Reported.

169—Cergt. John J. Whelan, Jersey Side, Placentia. Gunshot wound left leg, Danes Camiers, April 25. Admitted King George Hospital; London.

2254—Private Walter P. Cape Charles, Labrador. Gunshot wound right leg, Danes Camiers, April 19. Admitted Military Hospital, Bethnal Green.

J. R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary.

**Wedding Bells.**

A quiet but exceedingly pretty wedding took place at St. Patrick's Church on April 18th when Miss Bertha Penney and Mr. James McGrory were united in holy bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Renouf. The bride was handsomely gowned in cream silk with veil and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of Lillies-of-the-valley, and was attended by her confidential friend, Miss Violet Marshall, who wore a dress of helle embroidered nixon with a black hat. The charming little flower girls were Mildred Penney and Nellie McGrory, niece of the bride and sister of the groom, respectively. The groom being shyly shy, he openly John Norburgh. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to the home of Mrs. J. R. Bennett, 100 St. John's Square, where a reception was held. The present's received were numerous and useful testifying the esteem of both bride and groom, and Mr. McGrory and Mrs. McGrory many years of happy wedded bliss.

**Our One-Man Government.**

St. John's, May 4th, 1917.

Dear Sir—The whole of the "Where are we and whither tending" published in your issue of the 2nd inst., certainly emphasizes one fact very clearly, and that is the absolute incompetence of the present Government! Here we have an administration that has been in power for the past eight years, and they are unable to open the Legislature for the despatch of business because one man, their leader, Sir Edward Morris, is absent from their ranks. Was there ever such a public degradation of object imbecility on the part of a Government! The public were fully aware that practically the whole of the business of the Assembly when in session fell upon the shoulders of Sir Edward Morris, but it has been left to the Government to openly proclaim to the country their absolute dependence upon him. We can fancy that we see Sir Edward quietly chuckling at the confusion amongst his army that his absence has caused, and we can quite believe that in many cases he says to himself "serve them right!" In the meantime the House must remain closed, the band will play, the crowd will cheer, "and the caravan moves on."

Yours truly,  
CITIZEN.

**Fresh Fillets and Fresh Kippers at ELLIS.**

**BORN.**

On April 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Tippet, of Whitbourne, a son.

**DIED.**

On May 2nd, at General Hospital, Agnes Osborne, the beloved wife of William Shute, aged 23 years, leaving a husband, father, mother, three sisters and one brother to mourn their sad loss; funeral this Friday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, Mr. Jas. Shulte, 46 Barter's Hill; friends please take notice this is the only intimation.

Passed peacefully away Wednesday, May 2nd, after a long illness, Mary Joseph (May), aged 22 years, eldest daughter of John and Elizabeth Proude, leaving father, mother, sister and a large circle of friends to mourn her loss; funeral on Sunday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, No. 235 Water Street West. Friends please accept this, the only intimation.—R.F.P. Boston and New York papers please copy.

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New stock of suitable and seamless hosiery; all ribbed, in Black, Friday and Saturday.

**CHILDREN**

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Very stylish Oxford packed; a Rec. \$2.75 Friday & Saturday.

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able metal coin slot at each in Black. Reg. 20c. and Saturday

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White and Black. Friday and Saturday

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About 60 pairs left over from our Big Job. Selling now all one price, 75c. per pair.

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25 only LADIES' LAWN DRESSES AT HALF PRICE.

Regular Price	..... \$3.00	NOW	..... \$1.50
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### By the Aid of Your Nose.

By RUTH CAMERON.



RUTH CAMERON

If you were set down in a shop anywhere with your eyes closed, and asked to tell what kind of a shop it was, you would always guess by the aid of your nose?

And I don't mean only in cases where the smell was something poignant and unmistakable, as in a fish shop for instance, I mean in any shop. Take a shoe store. The next time you go into one, notice the distinctive smell. No, it isn't wholly the smell of leather. If you think it is, go into a leather shop and see how different the distinctive odor there is. By the way, I wonder if there ever was a person who disliked the smell of leather? But in the odor distinctive to the shop, though leather is a component part, perhaps the dominant part, it is not the whole.

#### That Undefinable Smell of The Apothecary Shop.

The apothecary shop is another example of a distinctive but unnamable odor. It seems to me that the soda fountain contributes an influence that dominates that odor but I am not sure. It is certainly a most wonderful blend in which one catches suggestions of soap, of toothpaste, of toilet powder and the dry vague fragrance of a thousand drugs. Last time I was in an apothecary's shop I sniffed so hard and so thoughtfully in an attempt to analyze the subtle odor that I suddenly found the clerk looking at me suspiciously.

Wet Smells and Dry Smells. A grocery shop also has a fragrance all its own—a clean, spicy, dry

smell. Smells can be divided into dry and wet, you know. And I think it is almost always the wet smells that are offensive. Leather is a dry smell. Fish is a wet smell.

Although it has nothing to do with shops, there is one more odor that clamors to be mentioned on the chance that it may arouse the same train of memories in your mind that it did in mine.

#### That Parlor Smell.

I went to see a very old lady the other day. She insisted that I go into her parlor and snuffered in ahead of me to open the door and raise the shades. And oh the queer little stuffy parlor odor that smote my nostrils! It carried me straight back to the days when I used to go with my father on Sunday afternoons to call on elderly relatives and parlors closed up during the week where opened to receive us.

The sense of smell is one of the humblest of our five handmaidens but when she touches the chords of memory she comes into her own and displays a power greater than even that of the two proudest, sight and hearing.

Yours gratefully,  
MRS. C. D. PRINCE.  
Nauwigawauk, Oct. 21st.

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### What We May Come To

By a Morbid Pessimist.

"Summoned for using a covering of sugar on a cake and abetting in the sale of it, a confectioner at— was fined ten shillings on each summons." A painful scene was enacted at the Old Bailey when John Scutterack, the well-known banker, was convicted of possession of a Bath bun. A secretary deposed that, entering the prisoner's office, she found him unable to speak and noticed that he hid a newspaper over his desk. Having had suspicions aroused by noticing crumbs on his floor, his secretary raised the paper and found the half-consumed bun. In fulfillment of her obvious duty to her country, she communicated with Scotland Yard.

Prisoner pleaded guilty, and said that he had formed the Bath-bun habit in pre-war days and was unable to resist temptation. He made a pathetic appeal for mercy, urging that, in any case, the City career was ruined. Passing sentence of two years' imprisonment, the judge said that he would consider revision of the sentence if the prisoner divulged the source whence he had obtained the bun. The authorities had long suspected the existence in the city of a secret bun she-ben.

Agnes Burr, The Nasturtium, Penge, was acquitted at Croydon of employing a domestic servant known as a "general" in contravention of the Munitions Act.

Discharging the case, the chairman of the Bench said that only the most complete proofs could be accepted in a charge of this serious nature. The Bench accepted the defendant's evidence that the alleged "general" was paying guest. For his own part he could not imagine any more wildly improbable story than this trumped-up tale of the existence of a domestic servant of any sort in these days. And indeed, though he ought not to say it, he was inclined to think that, even if the case had been proved, the defendant's organizing acquisitiveness ought

### Local Potatoes!

to be rewarded by a seat in the "Win the War" Cabinet.

"Too much sugar" was the successful defence of a man charged at Barnet with disorderly conduct and assaults upon the police. Defendant expressed contrition and explained that his wife discovered some lump sugar in an old canister. It being his birthday, he foolishly took two lumps of it in a cup of tea, and it "got into his head." He had no recollection of his subsequent behaviour.

"Suicide while burdened with remorse" was the jury's verdict at the inquest upon a Wimbledon builder. The deceased, once a highly respected resident, had been leading a life of extraordinary crime. He built, to the order of a man who had since absconded from justice, a house costing more than the £20 building outlay of any sort limited by the realty. He had dressed his wife and children in boots (sensation in court), whence procured the police could not trace. He had travelled by rail to Epping and Richmond, obtaining travel permits under pretext of business journeys (further sensation), thus paying only three times the pre-war fare. He used matches for his pipe (sensation again), manched butter-scotch while on night duty as a special constable, and on one occasion entertained friends on 1917 ale at thirty shillings a bottle. The corner remarked that it was a terrible case of unpatriotism and depravity, leading to a tragic end.—T.B. in the Daily Mail.

### DOING ONE'S BIT.

How gladly I would do my bit, if I "bit" had the chance! If I were joyfully I'd go and hit a Prussian with a lance! But I have spavins on my knees, a ring-bone on my wrist, and I have foot and mouth disease and so I can't enlist. A lot of us must stay at home, too lame to seek the front, too old to sail across the foam and do a warlike stunt. And yet we need not throw a fit, or grumble day and night, for we can surely do our bit, although we cannot fight. I cannot make the Germans die, or sink their submarines, but I can help the food supply by raising fields of beans. I cannot chase the brutal foe, and hew him with an axe, but I can help to make the kind of spirit that patriots admire, that makes the young man grasp his steel, filled up with martial fire. And I can set examples here, and more examples there, by hooting down all talk of fear, all dirges of despair. Even though my ailments make me sit supinely all the day, methinks I still can do my bit, and figure in the fray.

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### Recruiting Statistics.

Of Places of a Population Between 200 and 250.

Griquet leads this list with the magnificent percentage of 11.38. This is truly splendid. Flower's cove, away up in the Straits, shows the fine percentage of 10.74. The percentages of British Harbor, Blacktown, Bauline, Gooseberry Island and Humbermouth, also call for a special word of praise. In each of the following places the percentage has exceeded 4: Topsail Road, Kilbride, Robinson's Head, Badger's Quay, Bay L'Argent, and Salvage Bay. This is one of the best lists published, although it ends with the names of several places that have done nothing in the way of furnishing men for King and Country.

Place	Total Volunteers	Population (Census 1911)	Percentage of Population
Griquet	28	246	11.38
Flower's cove	26	244	10.74
British Harbor	18	211	8.53
Blacktown	16	237	6.75
Bauline	14	217	6.45
Gooseberry Island	15	234	6.41
Humbermouth	14	229	6.11
Topsail Road	14	235	5.95
Kilbride	12	216	5.55
Robinson's Hd.	13	242	5.37
Badger's Quay	10	207	4.83
Bay L'Argent	11	248	4.43
Salvage Bay	9	245	3.67
Bunyan's Cove	9	233	3.86
Thorburn Rd.	8	209	3.82
Point Verde	8	227	3.52
North Arm	8	228	3.5
Millertown	8	232	3.44
Pushthrough	7	210	3.33
Tizzard's Hr.	8	241	3.31
Harry's Hr.	6	200	3
Broomfield	7	239	2.92
Laureston	6	214	2.8
Pass Island	6	229	2.72
Jackson's Arm	5	203	2.46
Blackhead (East)	5	249	2.01
Horwood	4	197	2.03
Barhaven	4	248	1.61
Coomb's Cove	3	201	1.49
Loky Bay	3	215	1.39
Pleur de Lys	3	245	1.22
Aquaforte	2	213	0.93
Rencontre (Burgoo & LaPelle)	2	228	0.87
Oderin	2	229	0.83
Bay du NoFde	1	201	0.49
Cape Ray	1	207	0.48
Shoe Cove	1	210	0.47
Burnt Pt.	1	212	0.47
Sagona	1	232	0.43
Hr. Mille	1	235	0.42
Melrose	1	239	0.41
Platrock, B. de V.	1	243	0.41
Farmer's Arm	1	246	0.4
East Point, Cata-lina	0	215	0
Tickle Cove	0	203	0
Dark Cove	0	242	0
Seal Cove	0	238	0
Summerside	0	228	0
Hunt's Isld.	0	244	0
Hopedale	0	215	0
Nain	0	230	0

## Smart Blouses!

Our Ladies' Dept. is now displaying a remarkably choice selection of Blouses in Crepe de Chine, Silk and Georgette Crepe. These Blouses are distinctly characteristic in style and illustrate Fashion's latest fancy in sleeves and collars, the former are all long with dainty cuffs, while the latter are very deep and quaintly cut.

The new surplice neck is very much in evidence and the entire stock is as charming and up-to-date as it can possibly be.

The leading colors are Flesh, Coral and Blue, but there is a wide choice of lovely colors, also Black and Black and White.

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TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.30 A. M.

ZAIMIS BACK AGAIN. LONDON, To-Day. Alex. Zaimis has accepted the task of forming a new Greek Cabinet, says a Reuter despatch from Athens.

THE FINANCIAL SITUATION. WASHINGTON, To-Day. The creation of a Central Purchasing Committee at Washington for all supplies bought in the United States by the Allied Governments was forecast here to-day by Sir Hardman Lever, Financial Expert of the British War Mission. Sir Hardman was careful to say that the negotiations to this end still were incomplete, but pointed out why a joint direction bureau would be essential to the most economical administration of the huge credits authorized by this country and the farthest distribution of supplies among the various nations. The American Government is prepared to do its part towards seeing that the Allies get their money's worth for every dollar spent here. Discussing the world financial situation, the British expert expressed the opinion that Germany will be practically bankrupt in the credit markets after the war. He predicted that the end of the war would find the Allies in very good shape financially despite their enormous permanent debts. The British mission to-day spent one of its busiest days since its arrival. It opened by some members having breakfast conferences with the American officials. To-night Balfour entertained at dinner Secretary and Mrs. Lansing, Ambassador and Madame Jusserand, Assistant Secretary and Mrs. Breckenridge Long, Sir Richard and Lady Crawford, Counselor and Mrs. Barclay, and the American attaches to the mission.

THE KING'S REPLY. LONDON, To-Day. Following is the text of the King's reply to the Conference: "I thank you for your loyal and dutiful address, which I profoundly appreciate. Since my accession I have realised sincerely the loyal affection for my throne and person shared by all classes throughout the Empire. It has afforded me special gratification to receive to-day's testimony of such feelings from your representatives of my dominions beyond the seas and India now gathered together in the heart of the Empire. You have men at an historic moment in the Empire's history. I am confident that the result of your deliberations will be a greater and lasting advantage, not only in helping to bring the present war to a victorious conclusion, but to ensure that when peace is restored we may be found prepared for the tasks which await us in the organization of the resources of the Empire with a view to rendering it more self-sustaining and strengthening the ties that knit together all parts of the Dominions. It has afforded me the utmost satisfaction that representatives of India have been members of your Conference with equal rights to take part in its deliberations. This meeting around a common board and consequent personal intercourse will result in increasing a growth of spirit, larger sympathy and mutual understanding between India and the Overseas Dominions. Your present gathering is a giant stride on the road of progress in Imperial development. I am sure that this advance will be steadily continued. I deeply regret that owing to unavoidable circumstances it was not possible for the Commonwealth of Australia to be represented at the present Conference, but I know that the great Dominion stands second to none in determination to do all in its power to assist in the tremendous conflict in which the Empire is engaged. I trust that when the next Conference meets it may be attended by representatives from all the Dominions and India. In the midst of the present terrible

George Knowling

- has just received the following:— 120 boxes Rising Sun Stove Polish. 10 cases Royal Scarlet Grape Juice. 8 cs. Moir's Chocolates. 1 case Moir's Cakes. 7 boxes Vaseline Goods. 40 cases Castoria. (The sort the babies cry for.) 25 sacks Special Potato Fertilizer. 25 sacks Animal Fertilizer for Gardens. (Far better than Nitre Soda.) 50 brls. Table Meal. 40 brls. Table Meal. 100 sacks Whole Corn. 50 sacks Crushed Corn. 25 cases Naval Oranges. 5 boxes Calif. Apples. 1 case Pineapple. 2 boxes Calif. Lemons. 2 brls. Roasted Peanuts. All selling at our Usual Low Prices.

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THE NEW DRIVE. (From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press at British Headquarters).—After four days of calm, fighting on a large scale was resumed on the front to-day. More complete strategic points have fallen into British hands, including the village of Fresnoy, several miles north of the Scarpe River, and ground about Cherisy some distance south of that somewhat insignificant stream. Between Fontaine-les-Corisselles and Bullecourt about 600 yards of the more original Hindenburg line where it ran from Guent in a northwesterly direction towards Arras was penetrated and rolled up in this fighting close to Guent on the Hindenburg line, a new emergency trench system extending north from there to Drocourt. The work on this new system is proceeding with feverish haste, according to prisoners, and the stubborn resist-

ance the Germans are now offering is to prevent the necessity of their occupying the new line before it is ready for a prolonged defense. The action in to-day's range of operations covered virtually eighteen miles, although pressure was not exerted over this entire front. There was artillery activity at all points, however, and the stronger German positions were fairly deluged with shells. Fighting began just before dawn and continued through a day of glorious sunshine, the troops moving up to support those actually in the firing line. Along roads whose overhanging trees were tipped with the first fresh green leaves and the fields back of the battle front were yellow with cowslips and dandelions, the birds sang joyous full-throated melodies. A wafted breeze stirred up great clouds of dust and the men were white with fine chalk powder blowing from their faces. As the marching columns reached the battle-zone, however, all was changed. The trees became only gaunt black skeletons, the once verdant fields were trampled and scarred with the thunder of shell fire, until the earth itself was still by the time the troops had reached the deep-throated British guns which roared the artillery preparation at intervals during the night but it was not until the sun rays disappeared beyond the western horizon that the real bombardment began in its intended form. It was short and sharp. Then the guns settled into the barrage work as the troops stole out from their trenches or shallow shelters hastily dug in the night of the more recent advances. It was still a half hour before dawn. The morning mist gave the scene a ghastly darkness. There was stiff fighting from the very first everywhere along the line. The Germans offered desperate resistance. Since the battle of Arras began on Easter Monday the Germans have concentrated great numbers of guns and machine-guns and lately they have been firing with almost reckless extravagance. Much of the shooting has been absolutely blind since the British took all the high ridges, the Germans being unable to get more than momentary observation with airplanes and balloons. This morning the British creeping barrage of fire which swept like a great trolly work of exploding shells over the advancing troops was met by a furious defensive curtain of fire. For half an hour the fighting was at its fiercest. It was one of the most wonderful seen during the war. At the north of the line the Canadian troops, who occupied Arleux several days ago, pushed forward and took Fresnoy, Arleux and Fresnoy had been swathed about with great coils of barbed wire. The Fresnoy garrison fought with great bitterness. It was not until the Canadians had practically surrounded them that they surrendered. The number of prisoners taken here was 200 men and seven officers. The British had excellent English and as a Canadian Officer was conducting him to the rear he asked the British soldier to be taken which the Germans were driven during the storming of Vimy Ridge, on April 9. He was not until the British and asked what Canadian Division took the particular position he saw. When told it was the same division which captured him at Arleux, he laughed and said he couldn't believe it. He couldn't believe any Division in the Vimy fighting would be able to get on now and shook his head incredulously when told that all the Divisions in the west were of this strength. This same officer asserted that the morale of troops opposite British front was better than during the battle of the Somme. He said the German soldiers see their airplanes about and they also seem to be getting the word that they are being supported. The last three weeks there had been much complaint about the lack of support and infantry men had begun to regard themselves as targets of the British artillery. The officer declared the feeling that all was changed now, some of which have been mounted in the trench. He said that the German shells began to pitch about the position and that the characteristic of German high explosives. The German had to be moved to a safer spot. The prisoners taken at Fresnoy were all fresh; two fresh regiments came into the Fresnoy trenches last night for the great German counter attack on Arleux. This morning, needless to say, their plans were frustrated by the British attack. Good progress was made east.

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Gower St. Choir will meet for practice to-night at 9 o'clock. A full attendance is essential.—11

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GRAND FALLS RECRUITS.—About forty recruits reached the city by to-day's express from Grand Falls. Thirty of the number are for the Forestry Co., and the remainder for the army. All the men were examined by a doctor at the place mentioned and found to be physically fit.

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## War News.

### Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

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LONDON, May 3. The British began another attack this morning. The announcement follows: Heavy fighting is taking place all along the front from the Hindenburg line south of the Senne River to the Chevilly-Vimy Road. Our troops are making progress and have already captured a number of strong hostile positions.

**BRITISH TROOPS REACH CHERISY.**  
LONDON, May 3. British troops have reached Cherisy, crossed the Hindenburg line toward Reincourt, and are reported to have taken Bullecourt, says Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters.

The taking of Fresnoy and the reported capture of Bullecourt indicates that the British troops have smashed their way through the Hindenburg line at two points twelve miles apart on the Arras battlefield. Fresnoy is near the northern end and Bullecourt near the southern end of the Arras section of the Hindenburg line.

**DESPERATE FIGHTING RAGING.**  
LONDON, May 3. Fighting of terrible intensity raged throughout the day at the main points of the British attack, says Reuter's correspondent at headquarters. The battling, he adds, has been in many places of ding-dong order, which renders it extremely difficult to define the situation, but I think it may certainly be claimed as a successful day for our gallant troops. The most conspicuous gains have been on the flanks of the long front, while towards the centre up the valley of the Scarpe, we have made less progress owing to the intensity of the concealed machine gun fire. Despite the opposition of massed German forces, Canadian troops took Fresnoy, Oppy, however, still proved too strongly held to attempt to carry it by a direct frontal attack without courting a heavier casualty list than the enterprise warranted. The wood in front of the ruined village literally

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**BRITISH OFFICIAL.**  
LONDON, May 3. The official from the British headquarters in France tonight reads: There was fierce fighting throughout the day from west of Queant to north of Fresnoy, four miles east of the village of Vimy. The enemy again employed large reserves of men and guns, and delivered repeated counter attacks, practically along the whole battle front. Those hostile forces suffered heavily from our concentrated artillery and machine gun fire, both while assembling prior to attack and during actual assault. In the face of obstinate resistance our troops this morning penetrated a sector of the Hindenburg line west of Queant, and have maintained themselves there all day against constant and powerful counter attacks. Further progress was also made in the neighborhood of Cherisy and astride the Arras-Cambrai bank of the Scarpe where positions which changed hands frequently were defended with great determination, and are now in our possession. On the left position of massed German forces, Canadian troops took Fresnoy, Oppy, however, still proved too strongly held to attempt to carry it by a direct frontal attack without courting a heavier casualty list than the enterprise warranted. The wood in front of the ruined village literally

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**REPULSE OF GERMAN ATTACK.**  
PETROGRAD, May 3. The repulse of a German attack near Oena in Northern Rumania is reported to-day by the war office.

**A SECRET SESSION.**  
LONDON, May 3. Chancellor Bonar Law announced in the Commons to-day that a secret session of the House would be held on Thursday of next week.

**FRENCH GAIN.**  
PARIS, May 3. The French made an important gain on the Champagne front last night reducing a position which was still being held by Germans in the new lines east of Mont Haut and capturing German prisoners of more than 200 men, the War Office announces. There was active patrol fighting on Chemin-des-Dames line. The new British attack takes in virtually the entire front on which the battle of Arras was begun on Easter Monday. It is the fourth great attack which the British have made along this line. The attacking front is about twelve miles long.

**AGAINST REPRISALS.**  
LONDON, May 3. In the Lords yesterday the Archbishop of Canterbury raised the question of the recent bombing of Freiburg by French and British aviators in retaliation for the outrages perpetrated by the German fleet. The Archbishop declared there was very strong feeling throughout the entire country against such reprisals. Earl Curzon, of Kedleston, member of the War Council, replying for the Government, said that after the "abominable outrages" against the hospital ship Austrias, the War Cabinet had decided to execute the threat of reprisals made in January. We consulted the French upon the matter and they heartily approved and expressed a desire to co-operate. It was then decided to carry out the bombing raid on Freiburg. The Government, however, consulted the Imperial War Conference which also concurred, and it was also decided that no reprisals would be undertaken after this if the Germans ceased their attacks on hospital ships.

**THE SUB WARFARE UPHELD.**  
AMSTERDAM, May 3. The Berlin Reichsbote dealing with the submarine situation says, certain elements are again at work aiming at restoration of the old policy, which failed, of running after Great Britain and America; the logical condition sought being that submarine warfare should be again restricted. The newspaper denounces the propaganda as not only fatal but also villainous and critical.

**ADDRESS PRESENTED.**  
LONDON, May 3. Members of the Imperial War Conference to-day presented an address (to the King) which said: "It has been the privilege of the members to share in the deliberations of the conference with a view to securing a victorious conclusion to the conflict and further consider steps to secure that the fruits of victory may not be lost because of unpreparedness after the war, thus preventing an unscrupulous enemy from repeating the outrages upon the liberties of civilization. We are returning home inspired, by the magnificent efforts of all classes of His Majesty's subjects throughout the world, and we are confident that the sacrifices of the throne in common with all will draw closer the bonds of Imperial unity and co-operation." The address was signed by Rt. Hon. Walter Long, Colonial Secretary, and by all the members of the Conference.

**AFTER HOLLWEG.**  
COPENHAGEN, May 3. Such German newspapers as are permitted to reach here, although evidently carefully selected for the absence of military news or any information in regard to the strike movement, indicate that the campaign against Bethmann Hollweg is again in full swing. The Conservatives, although persisting as usual that other parties observe a political truce in the interests of the fatherland, have adopted and published a set of resolutions sharply attacking the Chancellor and censuring the government

for weakness on the peace question and dealing with the strike agitation. Resolutions express grave grief and concern at the steadily growing influence of the Socialists, whose peace making efforts are declared to be leading Germany to the brink of ruin.

**TURKEY AND PEACE.**  
AMSTERDAM, May 3. A Vienna despatch quotes Tahaat Bey, Turkish Vizier, as saying to a reporter for the Neue Freie Presse, "Turkey went to the war in the defence of the country and not with schemes of conquest, and we wished an honorable peace, always have wished it, and so informed President Wilson. Our enemies refused the invitation, but as soon as they change their minds we are ready to negotiate an honorable peace."

**BRITISH TRANSPORT SUNK.**  
LONDON, May 3. The British transport Arcadign was sunk by a submarine April 15; it is believed 279 men were drowned.

**HANDED PASSPORTS.**  
LONDON, May 3. The Chilean Minister in Germany has been handed his passports, according to a Central News despatch from Amsterdam.

**BERLIN REPORT.**  
BERLIN, May 3. On the Arras front, says the official report issued here this evening, a fresh British attempt to break through failed with heavy losses to the enemy. On the Aisne and north of Rheims a strong artillery duel continued.

**CURZON AND THE SUBMARINE.**  
LONDON, May 3. Earl Curzon, a member of the War Council, speaking to-day said he recognized the submarine menace to be formidable, but stated in his calculations the Cabinet made allowances for a wastage of shipping greater than that which had already taken place. He did not himself think in practice it would diminish shipping so greatly as to affect the ultimate issue of the war. The situation in Russia, he declared, was still regarded not without anxiety.

**THE FOOD SHORTAGE.**  
NEW YORK, May 3. The German U-boat menace made the food situation of Belgium and Northern France grave, the mortality among adults in the industrial district having been multiplied by three during March and April, according to Herbert C. Hoover, who arrived to-day on an American ship. Hoover said he would go immediately to Washington, to take charge of the government's food control program.

**BRITISH OIL TANKER SUNK.**  
PHILADELPHIA, May 3. The British tank steamer British Sun, owned by the Sun Oil Co., this city, and leased to Britain, has been sunk by a submarine, probably in the Mediterranean, according to Howard M. Pew, President of the Co. The crew were saved. The steamer was built in 1909, of 3,600 tons measurement, and is said to have been one of the finest of her class. She was valued at \$2,500,000. Last summer Britain took her for war purposes.

for weakness on the peace question and dealing with the strike agitation. Resolutions express grave grief and concern at the steadily growing influence of the Socialists, whose peace making efforts are declared to be leading Germany to the brink of ruin.



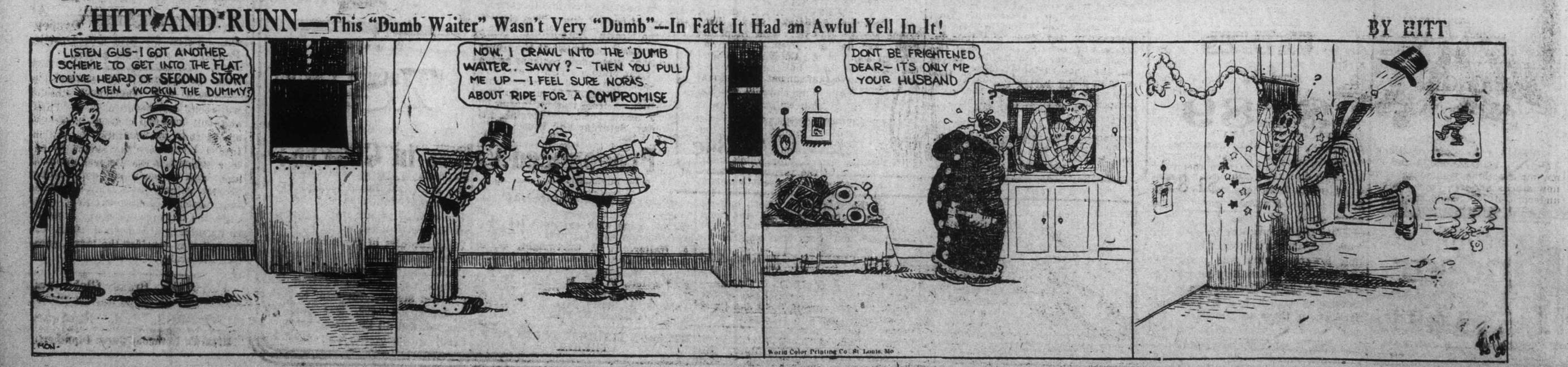
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Model S24 D & A Corset with its elastic bands, special boning and graceful lines is best suited to plump figures. Like all D & A Corsets its price is moderate, and it wears splendidly. Ask your corsetiere.  
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### Ice and Seals in White Bay.

At present White Bay is filled with ice; seals are very plentiful and apparently landmen are doing good work in the capturing of them. This morning the following message reached the Marine and Fisheries Office from Seal Cove:—"Wind East, bay still jammed with ice; 250 old seals killed so far this week." The people at Seal Cove have made a phenomenally successful season taking seals, as they have many thousands ashore and will ship them to St. John's at the first chance.

### Fresh Smelts and Fresh Haddies at ELLIS.

By Rail to-day, Thursday, May 31, 17:  
**500 lbs. FRESH HALIBUT.**  
1,000 gross  
SEA DOG MATCHES.  
25 Tons  
**No. 1 HAY,**  
Small bundles,  
1 1-2 cts. per lb.,  
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**\$30.00 Ton.**  
300 bags P. E. I. Black Oats.  
300 bags P. E. I. White Oats.  
100 bags Bran.  
100 bags Hominy.  
100 bags Badger Feed, \$2.50 bag  
Robinson's Patent Barley.  
Robinson's Groat.  
Barrington Hall Coffee, 1 lb. tins  
White House Coffee, 1 lb. tins.  
Pure Gold Coffee, 1 lb. tins.  
Red Rose Coffee, 1 lb. tins.  
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Shredded Wheat Biscuits, 16c. pkgs.  
Maccaroni, finest, 1 lb. pkgs., 15c  
Corn Cob Hominy, 3 lb. tins, 10c.  
**T. J. EDENS.**  
Dickworth Street and  
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**HIT AND RUN**—This "Dumb Waiter" Wasn't Very "Dumb"—In Fact It Had an Awful Yell In It!

LISTEN GUS—I GOT ANOTHER SCHEME TO GET INTO THE FLAT. YOU'VE HEARD OF SECOND STORY LOVER, WORK ON THE DUMMIES

NOW, I CRAWL INTO THE DUMB WAITER. SAVVY?— THEN YOU PULL ME UP—I FEEL SURE NOW'S ABOUT RIPE FOR A COMPROMISE

DON'T BE FRIGHTENED DEAR— ITS ONLY ME YOUR HUSBAND

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MONTH  
ECONOMY  
SALE!**

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and Worthy of the Special Emphasis we give them here for  
**FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY.**

**READ and REALIZE** The broad helpfulness of this Store's news abounding in values that we have not bettered this season.

## SHOW-ROOM VALUES

That will make shopping pleasant and profitable here  
FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY.



### LADIES' DRESSING GOWNS.

Handsome fancy Crepe Dress in Gowns with plain silk facings and 1/2 sleeve, becoming shades of Navy, Grey, Sky and Pink; a new line with a complete size range; \$1.90 values. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **\$1.65**

### CHILDREN'S SLEEPING SUITS.

Made of fine striped flannel-ettes, Blue and White and Pink and White garments that are perfectly shaped and well attached; we have these with or without feet, to fit children from 2 to 6 years; very suitable for spring wear. Reg. to 40c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **32c**

### CORSET COVERS.

Saag-fitting, pure White, fine ribbed Jersey Corset Covers, with long or short sleeves, buttoned in front, draw string at waist; real summer weight. Reg. 45c. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **37c**

### WHITE UNDERSKIRTS.

Something you can't have one too many of for summer wear; these are remarkably cheap; full sizes, and trimmed with Swiss embroidery; founced; good value at 45c. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **41c**

### "LITTLE BEAUTY" WAISTS.

For children from 2 to 10 years; stitched and corded waists that give everlasting wear; they fit snugly, buttons and tapes to attaching suspenders. Reg. 22c. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **19c**

### LINGERIE BRAIDS.

These are put up in 5 yard pieces, guaranteed fast colors, each piece with a bodkin attached; shades of Sky, Pink and White. Friday, Saturday and Monday, per piece to this Sale of . . . . . **7c**

### LADIES' & MISSES' White Corduroy Coats.

Reg. \$7.50 for \$5.95. A clear-away line of fashionable spring styles, showing fine and heavy velvet corduroy; belted style; large pockets and large covered buttons; in the Misses you'll find sizes to fit from 16 to 20 years, and the Ladies' sizes run from 36 to 42 inch bust. Make haste to this Sale of \$7.50 coats. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **\$5.95**

### JOB LINE OF LACE AND NET SLEEVES.

These come in White and Cream shade easy to attach; suitable for blouse or waist. Special per pair Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **9c**

### NECK CORDS.

A huge box of these in plain and fancy mixed shades, finished with nice silk tassel at ends. Reg. 13c. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each . . . . . **10c**

## OPPORTUNITIES

That mean economies on Men's Wear. Economies that will bring quick decision FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY.

### MEN'S NECKWEAR.

Nobby neckwear that reaches the dollar mark at the regular price; extra long flowing and Scarfs in pretty mixtures; these are new. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **90c**

### MEN'S HALF HOSE.

Even the men like something distinctive in Summer Socks; this line for instance, in fine Black Cashmere with embroidered silk ankles, very neat looking. Reg. 60c. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **49c**

### BLACK OIL COATS.

The lightweight black oil coat, with deep black velvet collar is becoming more popular, its serviceable, light, and moderate in price, a perfect rain-shader. Reg. \$6.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **\$5.70**

### BOYS' KHAKI CAPS.

A few dozen of these in assorted sizes, regulation shape and Union Jack button in front, all the rage with the boys. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **23c**

### MEN'S UMBRELLAS.

The Brophy Umbrella for men offers excellent value; it gives an extra broad spread, has strong rigid frame, fast back covering, steel rod and curved handle. Reg. 2.15. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **2.15**

### MEN'S BOOTS, \$3.50.

Here is a particularly good looking Boot in Gunmetal-Calf, Blucher cut; a dressy Boot for Sunday wear, marked at a popular price. Reg. \$3.70. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **\$3.50**

### MEN'S OVERALLS.

An extra strong make in Striped Cotton Tweed roomy overalls, well shaped and strongly stitched pants only; these are just to hand. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **\$1.05**

### SPRING CAPS.

With the advent of Spring comes the desire for new head wear; the first thought is a new cap; we have them in all the newest and most satisfying shapes and weaves; light and medium mixtures in the very latest styles. Reg. to 90c. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **79c**



### MEN'S SOFT FELTS.

Lightweight stylish soft felt hats that fit without feel, shades of Grey, Green and Navy, and broad corded silk band; just the hat you would desire for Spring wear. Reg. \$2.70. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **\$2.55**

## Springtime, Home Needs are Many

### Interesting Values.

#### BED SHEETS.

Extra large Sheets, made from best English Sheeting with a fine twill finish, family sheets that will give years of wear; size 7 1/2 x 9 feet. Sheets that represent \$4.50 value. Per pair, Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **\$3.80**

#### TURKISH TOWELS.

Family Towels in a heavy unbleached Turkish make, with crimson striped centre; Towels that we usually sell at 25c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each . . . . . **22c**

#### GLASS TOWELING.

A nice Crimson Striped Craah glass Toweling, 23 inches wide, this has a soft free-from-dressing finish, and a Toweling you'll like. Reg. 20c. Special, per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **17c**



### Listed Here.

#### HONEYCOMB QUILTS.

36 only, a mixed lot of serviceable wearing quilts in all white honeycomb make, plain hemmed edge, nicely patterned; quilts worth \$2.30 each. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **\$1.98**

#### CURTAIN NETS.

A few pieces of White Lace Curtain Nets, these are unusually good looking, extra strong make, 33 inches wide. Reg. 27c. per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **23c**

#### SIDEBOARD CLOTHS

A clearing line of White Cotton Sideboard Cloths, finished with a neat hemstitched edge, these make nice bureau cloths as well. Special, each, Friday, Saturday, and Monday . . . . . **14c**



## With Spring the Time for Wash Goods these Values Should Appeal.

### INVINCIBLE "GALATEAS".

Mothers! If you want something particularly strong, see these Galateas without delay, truly a lovely assortment showing stripes, checks and spots, mostly Navy and White mixtures, suitable for every member of the family, excellent for working shirts, lasting and good looking for blouses or summer skirts; the ideal cloth for girls' dresses, boys' blouses or suits. Reg. 30c. value. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **26c**

### A Swell Line of Wash Gingham.

These offer excellent value, their factory ends in useful lengths, plaids and checks mostly in a bewildering haze of mixed shades, gingham that sell readily at 18c. per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **15c**

### CREPE PLAIDS

Handsome looking reversible Plaids with a Crepe finish; these are beautifully shaded, 28 inches wide; suitable for Blouses, Children's Dresses and other make-ups. Materials like these will be much worn this summer. The price is popular and the goods worthy goods. Better see these. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **23c**

### DRESS LINENS.

Fadless Wash Linens for Summer Dresses and Skirts, etc.; shades of Cream, Fawn, Rose, Pink and White. They make the prettiest looking Summer Dresses and are always favoured. Special, per yard, Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **29c**

### BOYS' HANDKERCHIEFS

For the school boys, nice soft white lawn Handkerchiefs with hemstitched border. Reg. 5c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **3 for 13**

### INFANTS' SLIPPERS.

For the little ones we offer a nice line of slippers in Black or Tan, with single strap; sizes 2 to 6, worth from 60 to 70c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **89c**

### Variety Line of Ladies' Blouses.

### Ladies' Blouses.

A worthy lot of Summer Blouses in Voile and Ratine, etc., plain, fancy and self stripes, others in plain headed in Pretty Silk Muslins, low neck, long sleeves; all these show the stylish, large collar. They're up-to-the-minute styles in every respect and priced so conveniently that purchasing your Summer Blouses from this lot means but a small outlay. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **78c**



### Pronounced Values in GLOVES!

#### JOB LINE OF Ladies' Kid Gloves

The regular value of these would be \$1.50 per pair, mostly Tan, Grey, V Rose and Black, an accumulation of odd sizes and broken lines that we are going to clear. Friday, Saturday and Monday, at . . . . . **\$1.18**

#### LADIES' GLOVES.

Another mixed lot showing Black and Grey in Lisle, Black and V Rose in a beautiful silk make, and White only in Suede Lisle Gloves like these you usually pay 75c. for. Friday, Saturday and Monday, at . . . . . **64c**

## Job Line of Ladies' Pumps & Shoes.



**\$3.50  
VALUES  
for  
\$1.89**

Broken lines, showing Black and Tan in Pumps and Strap Shoes. These are as fashionable and good as the day they left the factory; no imperfections whatsoever; we merely wish to move them before new stocks arrive. Your summer footwear is here much underpriced. Values to \$2.50. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.89**

### Ladies' Half Silk Hose.

In Black, White, Tan, Champagne, Sage, Navy and all the most asked for shades; suitable for matching your new Summer Dress. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday, per 2 pairs . . . . . **27c**  
**2 pairs for 48c.**

## CORSET LEADERS worthy of your attention. Unexcelled Values.

### SHAPELY "D & A" CORSETS.

To-day's perfect models surpassing anything yet for grace and beauty, fashioned from best quality White Cotton, the non-rustable make, with medium and low busts and hips, four high-grade suspenders attached to each pair. See these if you want Style, Comfort and Value in perfect fitting Corsets. Reg. \$1.70. Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **\$1.59**



### SPECIAL!

200 pairs of Ladies' White Corsets Clearing at Easy fitting Corsets in all White with embroidery topping, light weight corsets for summer wear; a full size range. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday . . . . . **34c**



## Our Volunteers.

The following recruits signed the roll yesterday.

**For The Army.**  
Jos. W. Harding, Greenspond, B.B. Stanley Squires, St. John's.  
Jos. Earle, St. John's.  
Rennie Riggs, Marystown.  
Allan Dawe, Upper Gullies.  
Samuel Angel, St. John's.  
Wm. Morrissey, St. John's.

**For The Forestry.**  
William Jones, Upper Island Cove. His Excellency the Governor made an informal visit to the parade grounds yesterday afternoon where the volunteers under command of Capt. Ayre were being put through their drill. His Excellency next visited the C. C. C. Armoury and inspected the Forestry Company who were drawn up under command of Capt. O'Grady. Mr. J. Browning and Mr. M. S. Sullivan, of the Selecting Committee were present. His Excellency, who was delighted with their appearance, congratulated the men on the rapid strides they had made in drill and discipline.

## Concert at Channel

On Thursday and Friday evenings last the Parish Hall, Channel, was the scene of one of the most successful concerts ever put on the boards and the performance reflects the very greatest credit upon those who were responsible for such a brilliant entertainment. Notwithstanding many initial difficulties the management, with a worthy determination, worked incessantly to bring the affair to such a state of excellence as put all previous efforts of a similar nature completely in the shade. The proceeds, which amounted to the handsome sum of one hundred and sixty dollars, will be devoted to one of the Patriotic Funds. It may be considered invidious to mention names, but one really cannot help complimenting Miss Mabel Meade and Miss Maud Pike, both of whom contributed so largely toward the happy termination. The latter young lady was the accompanist. Appended is the programme:  
Chorus—"We'll meet our friends at home on Xmas morning."  
Recitation—Mr. N. S. Parsons.  
Dialogue—"Why young men don't marry." 2 acts.  
Reading—Mr. G. Moore.  
Duet—Miss Marion Forsey, Mr. A. C. Clarke.  
Solo—Miss Nora Pike.  
Recitation—Miss Mabel Anthony.  
Duet—"Khaki." Miss Mabel Anthony, Miss Marica Forsey.  
Recitation—Miss Olive Anstey.  
Chorus—"When Jack comes back".  
Recitation—Miss Jennie Huehn.  
Interval of 10 minutes, during which candles were sold.  
Dialogue—"Josiah's first courtship".  
Solo—Miss Dora Evans.  
Musical Recitation—Miss Dolly Seeley, Miss Dora Evans.  
Recitation—Miss Dolly Seeley.  
Dialogue—"Women's rights".  
Solo—Mr. A. C. Clarke.  
Chorus—"We'll never let the old flag fall."  
\*GOD SAVT THE KING.  
April 28th, 1917.

## Llewellyn Club.

**FINAL MEETING.**  
The members of the Llewellyn Club held their final meeting for the season last night at Canon Wood Hall, Rev. Dr. Jones presiding. The proceedings opened with a short concert. Those taking part were Rev. C. E. Monton, Messrs. H. J. Earle, H. Y. Mott, G. McDonald and C. Noonan.  
Owing to professional duties calling him elsewhere, Major C. Macpherson, who was to have addressed the meeting on his experiences of the war, was unable to attend, but in his absence the notes which he had prepared were read by the Rector. The paper, which was a most interesting one, dealt mainly with the work of the Red Cross Societies.  
Speeches were made by Messrs. H. Y. Mott, R. J. Devereaux, C. E. Hunt and the Rev. Dr. Jones. The Rector spoke at length on the work of the club during the past year.

## STOMACH TROUBLES.

Stafford's Prescription "A" cures Indigestion and Dyspepsia. Price 25 and 50c. bottle. Postage 5 and 10c. extra.  
GEM CIGARETTES AT ROSSLEY'S.  
All this week Miss Bonnie Rossley will recite that beautiful poem "Fags" and will distribute Gem cigarettes among the audience, these are not intended for boys. The sketch is one long laugh and the pictures are good also. On next Tuesday's Country Store there will be many presents of Gem cigarettes given away by the hundred, several sacks of flour, groceries, dry goods, glass and china with several silver pieces; again there is in preparation a very novel act, all new Indian costumes with a delightful plot written by Mrs. Rossley, something different to anything seen before. Big show to-night; don't miss it.

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<b>COCOA:</b> Van Houten's, Bendorp's, Dr. Tibble's VI, Cadbury's, Fry's.	<b>Biscuits:</b> Jacobs', Carr's and Huntley and Palmer's, Beecham, Swift's, Premier, Sincclair's, Elm City, and In Glass.	

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