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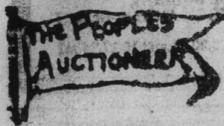
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MRS. JOHN HARVEY,
Secretary Hospital Committee.
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NOTICE!

A public meeting of the St. John Ambulance Association will be held in the Grenfell Hall on Friday, March 30th, at 8.30, at which His Excellency the Governor will preside. Major Macpherson will speak on the work of the St. John Ambulance Brigade Overseas.

L. E. EMERSON,
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CHAPTER III. Master and Man.

"I know, sir; but it's about you, Master Harry. It's from an old friend of his lordship's, your father; at least, they used to be very friendly, but they quarrelled. It was before your time, Master Harry; but it's evident that Sir Talbot still kept a friendly feeling for your father; for he has written to me, as you will see, Master Harry, to ask if I know where you are."

"That is very kind of him," said Lashmore; "especially as he doesn't know me; but I don't remember any Sir Talbot. What is the rest of his name?" he broke off to inquire.

"Lyndhurst, sir; Sir Talbot Lyndhurst. No, my lord, he doesn't know you; you have never met him that I am aware of— He stopped and looked at the young fellow with surprise; for Lashmore had colored deeply, and was staring at him with amazement.

Lyndhurst! What an extraordinary coincidence! Instinctively his hand went toward his breast pocket, where the tiny handkerchief still lay; but he did not take it out, and he smoked his pipe in silence for quite a minute; then he said:

"And I'm to read the letter, eh, Forbes?" He read it, and pondered for a while. "It's a kind sort of letter, Forbes," he said. "I see that it is dated from Gordon Gardens, here in London; but that Sir Talbot says he is returning to his place, Ripley Court, to-morrow; so you'll have to write there. What are you going to say, Forbes?"

"Just what you wish me to, my lord, of course," replied the old man, meekly.

Harry considered for a while; then he said very quietly: "You mustn't give me away, you know. These are just the kind of people I want to avoid. They were my equals; and I am now so greatly their inferior that no one of their servants—" The old man made a gesture of piteous entreaty. "All right, Forbes; I won't harrow your feelings any more. But I don't want to know these people, to meet them. You must write and say—that I have left England, and gave him my true before they get your letter, and that you don't know my address."

"Yes, Master Harry," said Forbes, as he cleared the table.

Lashmore smoked steadily, his brows knit; he was still impressed by the strangeness of the coincidence.

"Has Sir Talbot Lyndhurst any family?" he asked casually.

"Yes, Master Harry; one daughter—I forget her name. No; it's come back to me. It's Eva." Lashmore drew a

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"Certainly, my dear."

"And you may as well give me the money for this other one, the furrier's."

Sir Talbot nodded, and pecked at a piece of toast nervously.

"The other letter, the real one, is from Aunt Emily," said Eva. "Quite a long one. She has had—I can't read the word, it's 'neu' something or other; and she is back at Eaton Square; and she wants me to go and see her—"

Sir Talbot looked up quickly, as the shadow of new dresses came over him.

"You have just been up to town—"

"I know, dear. And, of course, I could not go up again. Besides, I don't want to leave you. My visit to Aunt Emily can wait. The rest of the letter is all about a young man she has met." She laughed. "All Aunt Emily's new friends are the most interesting and charming she has ever known. Oh, father, she says could you ask him down here; she says for the 'shooting'; but evidently remembered that there is no shooting in the summer, and has put the 'fishing.'"

Sir Talbot fidgeted in his chair and frowned. Few visitors came to the Court, because visitors meant additional servants and an increase of the household expenses.

"Listen, dear," Eva laughed again. "She says: 'He is the most interesting and amusing of men. And so clever. Your father, I know, is fond of clever young men, and he is exceptionally clever and brilliant, and remarkably good-looking, too.'"

"Who is it?" asked Sir Talbot, with repressed irritation.

"She hasn't said yet," replied Eva, returning to the early pages of the closely scrawled letter. "She has forgotten to mention that; and will probably have done so to the end; you know Aunt Emily's elusiveness. Oh, here it is. His name is—really, aunt's writing gets worse every letter!—is—Lord Herndale."

Sir Talbot set down his coffee, and gazed over Eva's head with a sudden interest and a certain embarrassment; then, as Eva looked up, he lowered his eyes.

"According to Aunt Emily, he is quite a paragon, and something of a hero of romance," she went on smiling. "She says that until quite recently he was a struggling barrister—I thought that barristers were not permitted to struggle, but were compelled by legal etiquette to sit still and wait—and that he has come into his title and estates by a fluke; what can she mean, father?"

With his eyes still on his plate, Sir Talbot answered:

"It is not always easy to discover what your aunt means; but go on: 'Oh, there is ever so much more of it,' said Eva. 'He is the most charming of human beings; an intellectual, Admirable Crichton, who will make his mark in—I think it's the political world; but I'm not sure; but the gist of it is that Aunt is willing to share her paragon with us, and wants you to invite him for the 'shooting'—she has forgotten again! What shall I say; you have the influenza, or I have caught the measles? Either excuse you'll do.'"

To Eva's surprise he did not nod assent, but remained silent and thoughtful.

"I knew this young man's uncle, the late Lord Herndale," he said slowly, almost guardedly. "We quarrelled, and I had not seen him for a long time; years. Would it be much of a bother to have him? I suppose your aunt has told him that she has asked us to invite him."

"Most probably," laughed Eva, as she laid the letter aside and attacked her breakfast with the appetite of a healthy, open-air girl. "No; it would not be much bother; but wouldn't it bore you terribly, father?"

Sir Talbot glanced up for a moment, and shrugged his shoulders.

"I daresay it would," he replied. "But if we shirked all the duties that bored us we should—"

"We should lie in the sun and eat lotuses all day, and be always comfy and good-tempered," put in Eva lightly. "That means that you would like him to come?"

"How do you feel about it?" he asked, looking at her rather curiously.

"Oh, I don't care one way or the other," she answered indifferently. "Aunt Emily's description of him is

rather daunting; but he may not be so bad as she paints him. I'll write and tell her that Lord—"

she referred to the letter—"can come; and you will write to him, and say that we shall be delighted to see him; that we have been just living for the opportunity of making his acquaintance. You won't forget, dear?"

"No," he said thoughtfully. "I'll ask him for a fortnight hence. What are you going to do this morning?"

"What I am not going to do would be a more easily answered question. But first I am going down to the village to see Mrs. Styles. Mrs. Styles has been 'down' with the 'rheumatics.' I shall walk, and take the dogs for a run. Oh, father, when you are making out the check, I want five pounds for the Dorcas Club; we've got behind with our accounts. Anything I can do for you in the village, dear?"

"No," he said, with a momentary bitterness, "unless you can come upon a gold mine."

She rubbed his ear softly as she passed him, and laughed.

"You wouldn't know what to do with it, if I did," she retorted. "Besides, the Socialists would step in and take it from you. Even now, old Billy Blake says that you've got more than your share—meaning his."

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the Estates of Deceased Soldiers of the Newfoundland Regiment and of Deceased Sailors of the Newfoundland Royal Naval Reserve, the official notification of whose death was published in Newfoundland prior to the 1st day of March, 1917, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the undersigned at St. John's, Newfoundland, on or before the 1st day of May, 1917, after which date the assets of said Deceased Soldiers and Sailors will be distributed having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice shall have been given; and the person or persons responsible for the distribution of the said Estates will not be liable for the assets of the said Deceased, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands notice shall not have been given in accordance herewith.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1917.

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"I have just been reading 'She Went to the Movies'," she writes, "and it reminded me of a story I heard but yesterday. I'll tell it to you and use fictitious names."

RUTH CAMERON

The Kind Of a Woman She Was

"Mrs. S. was an early settler here. She came to America from England, leaving a 'dead beat' husband. Here she opened a little library and reading room. Her father had been a second hand bookseller in London and she grew up in the atmosphere of books and made the acquaintance of authors over the counter. She had also been to India where she had made a governess' acquaintance with Lord and Lady This and That. When she came here, she found many English. She assumed the air of a great lady, although as O'Henry would say 'Dressed Genuinely in Reduced Circumstances.' These circumstances grew more and more reduced, until as she drew on, she became a genteel pauper, supported by the alms of wealthy old timers.

They Wanted Her to Have Some Comforts.

"Now, to my story, suggested by yours. The Misses B. two angelic maidens, wealthy and charitable, consulted a friend as to whether it would do to send Mrs. G. a little anonymous gift of \$10. The friend said it would be just the thing she needed for re-

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They Wanted Her to Have Some Real Comforts.

"Now, to my story, suggested by yours. The Misses B. two ancient maidens, wealthy and charitable, consulted a friend as to whether it would do to send Mrs. G. a little anonymous gift of \$10. The friend said it would be just the thing she needed for real

comforts as winter came on. So the gift was sent.

"The friend went to see Mrs. G. and at once heard of the ten dollars. She also heard how it was destined to be spent.

"I shall give a reception. I want it to be very select. The rooms are not large and I shall have only the best people and I want you to help me with the list. The friend entered some protests against such a use of the money but finally yielded as she could not betray the donors.

Their Wish Was Fulfilled.

"When preparing the lists she ventured to submit the names of the sisters. 'Oh, no, I couldn't think of asking them. They are well meaning persons for all I know, but this must be a really choice occasion.'

"And so it came to pass. Wasn't that killing?"

I've only one criticism of this delightful little story to make,—that my letter friend neglected to say if whether the Blake sisters had enough sense of humor to appreciate the experience. One hopes they did.

Anyhow they should not have complained, for unquestionably in her snobbish their beneficiary got what they wanted her to have,—real comfort.

Fairbanks Brass Globe and Angle Valves to be had at BOWRING BROS., Ltd., Hardware Dept.—Feb 6, 17

Everyday Etiquette.

"I have been asked to act as bridesmaid at a wedding soon. Am I expected to provide my own bouquet?" inquired Alice.

"The bridegroom provides the bouquets for the bridesmaids, sending them from the florists either direct or to the bride's house to be distributed," said her brother.

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- 150 boxes Evap. Apples—Carton and bulk.

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Germany's Toilers in Mood for Revolt.

A. C. Roth, Ex-Vice Consul at Plauen, Describes Sombre Misery in Saxony—Cities Like Dank Prisons—Tells How the Emaciated Poor Talk Sedition and Blame Kaiser for Horrors They Suffer.

"Wage earning Germany's nerves have been worn raw by the increasing weight of suffering that the war has brought it. This class of Germans has become sullen, dissatisfied with the Government, almost rebellious. While the middle class remains intensely patriotic, parading before the casual observer a unified and determined Germany, fatigue of war is making alarming strides among the working people. A great many of these humble people want peace at any price at the price of their colonies, of Alsace-Lorraine, even of their country's prestige and position."

This is the opinion of A. Curtis Roth, American Vice Consul at Plauen in Saxony, who has lived in close touch with the people since the beginning of the war. Having spent seven years in the teeming, industrial Saxon district, intimately acquainted among all classes and accepted everywhere as a friend, Mr. Roth has an unusually strong claim to an accurate knowledge of conditions there. He was, moreover, a friendly observer, full of admiration and sympathy for those among whom he lived.

"The working people, at least in Saxony, are becoming restive. They have hungered and grieved and overworked for many months, with conditions steadily growing worse and with each promise of peace fading into an indefinite prospect of endurance. All foods but the very coarsest are beyond their means. The ration of these coarse foods is insufficient.

The poor have been subsisting throughout the last year upon bread, potatoes, turnips and salt.

Foresees a Peasants' War. "Pushed much further by the galling stress of starvation, overwork and loss of dear ones, a second peasants' war may well be added to the miseries of Central Europe.

"The standard of living among the working people has been lowered fearfully. It is now on a par with the coolie standard of overcrowded Asia. Their work has increased; their share in clothes and foods and other creature comforts has diminished, and their amusements have entirely fallen away. The urban poor have become desperately poor, and they are beginning to realize that each added month of the war means that their plight must become more and more hopeless.

"In the beginning all was wild enthusiasm for the war. The people crowded around the railway stations to see the troop trains hurrying past every twenty-five minutes. Then came the floods of wounded, the difficult readjustments made necessary by the absence of the wage-earners, and then, the numbing pinch of hunger. Worst of all was the atmosphere that settled down upon the land, an atmosphere of want, of fear, of sufficing, of black depression, which seemed to seep through and through one and chill the consciousness.

"An eternal New England Sunday gripped the formerly bustling manufacturing towns in my district. The streets were bare of traffic. People passed about their errands silently. There was no laughing, whistling, loud talking, or jovial greeting. The business streets were dotted everywhere by stores closed up by war. Grass grew between the cobbles in the roadway. Now and again oxen dragging primitive carts of farm produce lumbered through the streets. Restaurants and cafes were deserted. It cost money to frequent them, and, moreover, they had nothing to sell.

Strangely Seditious Talk.

"It is hard to describe life under these conditions. The best I can do is to say that it was suffocating. When not going to and fro about their work, the less well to do hid their unhappiness in their rooms. As it was, one was forever meeting on the street hollowed-cheeked, emaciated, dry-eyed sufferers. I felt as though I had escaped from a dank prison when I got back to this country and saw happy, healthy, well-fed people again.

"The strain is beginning to tell. I have heard the Emperor soundly berated by his famished subjects in the shops that the poor frequent. I have often during the last months of my stay listened to strangely seditious talk among the worker, men and women, which grew in violence after the check at Verdun. The working women have threatened a number of

times to get out of hand and rough things. In Saxony, at least, war is successfully throttling, one by one, all the people's impulses for living.

"The Saxon casualty list has been very heavy. The Plauen regiment has been wiped out six times. All the young, dashing, professional officers, who led the first onslaught have been wiped out. The troops are now officered by men of all classes, who have made good in the field, and in some cases that I know of the derivation of the officer testifies to the startling democratizing effects of war. The call for more men is always insistent. The high school boys go out once a week for drill. Boy Scouts drill from twelve to sixteen. The land has been denuded of its physically fit men.

"Saxony has borne an over-large share of the war suffering. It is primarily a manufacturing country, and, so, has suffered most keenly from the effects of food shortage. At one time last year the Saxons were eating a break eked out with chopped straw. Then, Saxony did an enormous export business. The war swept this business away and closed hundreds of factories. I know many men in my district, who, wealthy in 1914, their all wiped out by war, saw themselves paupers in 1915. I believe that it will take many years of peace to repair the frightful losses and bring back the old prosperity.

"The rich textile industries of Saxony have suffered staggering disaster. The woolen and cotton goods mills, once shippers to every part of the world, are just barely employed, going backward in organization, enterprise, capital, and, hence, in ability for the old stiff competition. War conditions are threatening the destruction of the great leather glove industries. The famous machine-made lace and embroidery industry of Plauen, whose products before the war graced the dresses of millady in every land, likewise is decaying under the war stagnation. And the highly-trained operatives in these and other industries are being killed off as fast as cannon, machine gun, rifle, gas, and bomb can accomplish their work upon the battle fronts.

"A revolution, an economic revolution, has already been worked in Saxony, a revolution of destruction whose effects will outlive this generation. The Saxon poor realizes this better than their more fortunate countrymen, and they are bitterly, very bitterly, war-weary."

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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, . . . Proprietor
H. A. WINNER, B.A., . . . Editor
THURSDAY, March 29, 1917.

Woman's Triumph.

"It is not in mortals to command success, but we'll do more, Sempronius: we'll deserve it." The poet might have added, at the risk of sacrificing some of the nobility of the sentiment, that the one is after all one of the most practical ways of compassing the other. The women of Great Britain have at any rate found it so. When the militant suffragette smashed shop windows she did not exactly command success, except in getting herself into prison and the newspapers. She was so far successful in this latter that the matter-of-fact tone of the announcement to-day that she will get the vote at last, and the quiet way in which it is being received, are eloquent of the changes wrought by the war in the spirit of the times and in men's view of them. 'Thou'g, to give credit where it is due, it is not the war that has wrought this change, but woman's noble part in it. The victory has been won by the true militant that the false one put further away.

Yet it would be unjust and a mistake to say that the women of Britain are to receive this reward only because they have deserved it. That is only a triumph in theory and principle which no-one will deny them; they have scored a far greater one in sweeping away almost all the more serious and material objections that stood in the way of their demands. The war and their response have discovered in them new and unimagined powers, abilities which the arrogant male had claimed to monopolize; but the war has also disarranged the social order of things in a way which their influence will be needed to adjust. Where that influence will be felt, where it will be of effect clearly to weigh down the scales, it cannot fail to be beneficial; where it will not be so apparent it will do no harm. They have deserved their reward, and it is fitting that it should take a form which will allow them to serve the nation in peace as they have served it in war.

It is natural that prominence should be given in the messages to this the most striking of the electoral reforms that the British Government has under consideration, but it has for long had others hardly less important in hand. Proportional representation is mentioned, but it is not surprising that that almost utopian scheme is yet impracticable. The vexed question of soldiers' votes has happily been kept deferred by the general consent that it should not and will not need to be solved. The most important of the remaining features of the debate are indicated in the increasing references to such bodies as an Imperial War Cabinet and an Imperial War Council, the direct outcome, of course, of the Imperial Conference now sitting. They will give place in time to the still more momentous question of an Imperial Parliament or Council. The Empire is on the threshold of a new life; the war has killed the old one as dead as a stone. But it is plain, and it is just as well, that the Conference is occupied for the present with the task of killing the war itself. When that is completed, we shall see in this woman's suffrage, these Imperial bodies and other changes in the machinery of government, merely the first expressions of the transformation that has been wrought in the greatest democracy of all ages, the British Empire.

Children's Country Store.

At Rossley's Theatre to-night the Children's Country Store will take place. A night to themselves when a beautiful show will be presented. Both pictures and refined vaudeville will be just as good as for a grown-up audience, and its safe to say there will be another bumper house. Plenty of lovely things of every description to be distributed, and last week the little ones had a great time. On next Monday night the grown-up people will have their night instead of Tuesday night. As there are so much goods yet to be put out and they must be all gone before Easter. As the big show will take too long. Don't let the little ones miss to-night. Parents can accompany their children if they wish. Show over at nine-thirty to allow the little ones to get home in time.

Death of Mrs Edward Mahar.

It is with regret that we record the death of Mrs. Edward Mahar, relict of the late Edward Mahar, which event occurred at four o'clock this morning, after a short illness, fortified by the rites of Mother Church.

Mrs. Mahar was of a retiring disposition, devoted to the welfare of her children, and was ever a friend to the needy and distressed. She was always noted for her kindness and affability, and was always held in the highest respect and esteem by her neighbors and citizens generally. She was a most exemplary and consistent Catholic, and her charity was unostentatious.

The deceased lady has left two sons and four daughters to mourn the loss of a loving mother, viz., James J., of A. Harvey & Co.'s employ; John, engineer of the steamship Eagle, now at the sealfishery; Mrs. Delbou, of Boston; Lucy, of Martin & Co.'s; Ellen, nurse at the General Hospital, and Agnes at home, as well as hosts of relatives, friends and citizens generally to deeply deplore the loss of a truly good woman.

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Here and There.

Fresh Country Eggs, 50c. doz., at W. E. BEARNS.—11

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The Treasurer of the St. Vincent de Paul Society beg to acknowledge receipt of the sum of Fifty-four Dollars, from the L. S. P. U. Committee, per President J. McGrath and M. McDonald.

Coughs and Colds can be cured by using Stafford's Phoratorne and Stafford's Liniment.

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT.—A large number of players will participate in the B. J. S. billiard tournament which opens shortly. Sides have been drawn and the losers will provide a dinner for the winners.

The C.C.C. Masquerade Dance in the C.C.C. New Hall Easter Monday night, April 9th. The one and only dance Easter week. Beautiful prizes for best costumes. Good music by the full band, and a big crowd going. Tickets—Gent's, \$1.00; Ladies', 50c.—mar29,11

AN OLD LANDMARK.—By reference to our advertising columns to-day it will be seen that tenders are asked for the purchase of the British Hall. It is not often that such a fine building is to be seen on the market, and no doubt will prove a profitable investment to the person lucky enough to purchase same.

Casualty List.

Received March 28th, 1917.

Second Lieutenant Joseph H. Snow, 26A Colonial Street. Admitted Wandsworth, tonallitis.

1461—Private Lewis Northcott, Lewisporte. Admitted University War Hospital, Southampton, dysentery.

2295—Private Ambrose Clarke, Dunfield, T.R. Do.

J. R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary.

Birch Rod Revived.

Four Boys Sentenced by Judge Morris to be Lashed for Theft.

After long and weary waiting the State has awakened to its sense of duty to try to prevent the youths of the city from becoming criminals, and the method employed is the revival of the use of the birch rod. Last evening four lads were arrested for forcing an entrance to a schooner's cabin at Monroe's wharf on Sunday night last and stealing a pair of binoculars, 7 pairs of handkerchiefs and sundry other articles. Some of the stuff was found in their possession. This morning the accused appeared before Mr. F. J. Morris and were convicted. His Honor stated that he had discovered a better way of dealing with youthful offenders than sending them to the common jail and imposed sentence as follows:—Ralph Snelgrove, aged 12, to be lashed 3 times with birch rod; Arthur Evans, aged 11, 2 lashes; Hy. Reed, aged 11, 2 lashes; Gordon Crane aged 10, 1 lash. It was ordered that the Supt. of Police secure and pay a man to inflict the punishment. Much difficulty was had to get a man to undertake the job. The lads were stripped naked and flogged early this afternoon in the corridor of the police station and then sent home.

Took Friend's Advice and Got Results

HOW M. C. LINDOS FOUND A CURE IN DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

One of the Reasons Why Dodd's Kidney Pills Have a Phenomenal Growth of Popularity in the West. Ellscoot, Alta., Mar. 28th. (Special.) The growth of popularity of Dodd's Kidney Pills in this section of the Great West has been phenomenal. They cure kidney disease. That much has been proved again and again. One of the latest proofs comes from M. C. Lindos, well known and highly respected here.

"Thanking Dodd's Kidney Pills seems a small way of expressing my gratitude," M. C. Lindos states. "I suffered from headaches and dizziness and was unable to find anything that would do me any good. I tried several medicines that were advertised to cure my trouble, but they did not. Dodd's Kidney Pills were recommended to me by a friend and I sent for a box and gave them a trial. The result is that I am feeling fine now. I shall always keep a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills handy."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cured M. C. Lindos because the trouble came from the kidneys, lumbago, rheumatism, dropsy, heart disease, diabetes and Bright's Disease are other troubles that come from sick kidneys. To cure them cure the kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Children's Sunday [at the Kirk.]

The children of the Kirk will meet at the school room next Sunday morning and march to the church where the service will be one specially devoted to the little ones. This movement certainly is a step in the right direction. The Rev. Mr. Dickie is the proposer of this idea and is backed by the Session and others who will do all in their power to make the boys and girls feel that we want them all to be a help in church work and to attend regularly. The help of the parents is mostly needed in this case, to see that their children come along. The present age is one where parents are finding that their boys and girls show some antipathy to attend Divine worship. Now is our chance to make good. Send your children next Sunday and once started in this direction it will gladden your hearts to see in time how enthusiastic they will be to come to the House of God. Well done, Mr. Dickie, a good movement. Keep it up and lots of success to you parents.

The Mallard Fund

Amount acknowledged	\$68.00
Luke Lambert	1.00
W. McCarthy	2.00
W. G. Dryer	2.00
Christ Church Women's Guild, Quidi Vidi	13.00
	\$86.00

Received a shipment of Scotch Coopers' Tools. BOWRING BROS., Ltd., Hardware Dept., feb6,17

COUNCIL'S ATTENTION.—The Council should direct their attention to the cleaning of Kenn's Hill and make that thoroughfare passable, as at present country people driving to and from the city are damaging a field on the western side of the Hill.

Minnard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

G. KNOWLING'S Central Dry Goods Dept.

We are now able to offer a lot of dainty Silks in checks, stripes and plain colors; Chiffons in all colors, Gauzes in plain and shot effects, Paisley, Delaine, etc., many colors cannot be to-day procured in many cases.

PRICES ARE QUITE HALF

To-day's values and cannot be repeated under present conditions.

Silk Remnant Bargain

Consisting of Embroidered spot, fancy colors, checks and stripes and tucked. Prices range from

25c. to \$1.50 Per Yard.

Regular values would be from 50 cts. to \$2.60 per yard.

Ratine or Sponge Cloth Bargain

We are offering the following colors: Pale Blue, Tan, Pink, Champagne, Sax, Helio, Mauve, Grey, Rose, Salmon, in ratine or sponge cloth; a splendid summer dress material which

Cannot be duplicated at double the price asked

35 Cents

Per Yard.

Note the width, 42 inches wide, and the quality.

Chiffon and Gauze Bargain

We are now showing a large assortment of Chiffons in plain, spot, tucked, accordion pleated, etc. Gauze, Nets, Gossamers. Nearly every colour represented, both plain embroidered and shot effects. Prices range from

15c. to 90c. Per Yard.

Silk Remnant Bargains

PAISLEY DELAINE BARGAINS, 40 inches wide. Worth \$1.80. Our Price \$1.00
GRASS LAWN SPECIAL, fancy spot. 75c. & \$1.20 yard
HAT VEIL SPECIAL 70c. each
HEMSTITCHED SILKETTE FLOUNCING BARGAIN. —23 inches, with lace insertion 50c. yard

In Duchesse Mousseline, Oriental Satin, Chiffon, Tafeta, Japanese Silk, suitable lengths for blouses, etc. ABOUT HALF PRICE.

CENTRAL DRY GOODS

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Dr. Tait Convicted and Fined \$250.

Judge Penney handed down his judgment in the Magistrate's Court to-day in the case of the Crown vs. J. S. Tait for a violation of the Prohibition Act, giving a prescription to a man for a bottle of liquor which was used as a beverage and not for medicinal purposes, as called for under the Act. The full penalty provided by the law for such a breach is \$500. In this case the defendant was fined \$250.00.

Father Appeals for Son's Imprisonment

A case with touching surrounding circumstances, and in which a broken-hearted father and wayward son were concerned, occupied the attention of Judge Morris this morning in the presence of a crowded court room. It appears that the father, who is the manager of an East End establishment, reported to the police yesterday afternoon that some one had broken into his residence on Tuesday night and stolen a cash box containing \$13.80. Suspicion rested on his son, who was arrested last night by Detectives Byrne and Whelan. When searched the box was found in a battered state on him and only a portion of the money was left. The father, who was put in the witness box, broke down as he testified against his son. The accused, who was 21 years of age, had been educated and given excellent chances of making good, but instead had turned out to be an ingrate and a blackguard. By his ill-doings, had company and places of resort he had degraded himself and helped to degrade his family; he had also made several dire threats to his father. The witness told the Judge it was no use advising his son or ordering him to keep away from the home, and appealed to His Honor to deal severely with him. Whereupon the ingrate was sentenced to one month's hard labor.

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Hardly Credible.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—Will you kindly allow me space to make a brief statement. This morning I received a wire from Rev. S. Bennett, of Bay Roberts, to the effect that the Colonial Secretary's Department had notified him that the son of Richard Badcock, a seaman on the s.g. Erik, had been killed in action on March 3rd. I immediately attempted to get in touch with Capt. Parsons of the s.s. Erik through Bairds, telling the man at the 'phone the nature of my message. He interviewed Capt. Parsons twice and reported he received as a reply: "He was too d—nd busy." I thought, Mr. Editor, I was communicating with a gentleman and a patriot. I must have been mistaken. Had it been the case that his son had paid the supreme sacrifice of life, so as to enable some one else to follow the pursuit of our sealing industry, would he have been too d—nd busy? Sincerely yours,
NORMAN M. GUY.
The Parsonage, Hamilton Street.

Obituary.

RICHARD NEYLE.
We record with regret the death of Mr. Richard Neyle, one of the very oldest and most respected citizens of St. John's. Mr. Neyle was born in Devonshire in 1828, so that he was in his 90th year. He came to this country in 1848 and established the business which has borne his name ever since. His passing will be regretted by many friends made during so long time, and not least by lovers of the rod and fly, who found at his store the only supply of their needs for many years. He lived quietly and never sought popular notice, but he was prominent in church work as a member of St. Andrew's Church. He retired from active business a few years ago, being succeeded in the management by Mr. William Soper. He leaves five daughters, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. R. C. Smith, at present resident in Canada; Mrs. Edwin Murray, who is in England, Mrs. Knight and Miss Neyle, and many grandchildren, to whom the Telegram extends its sympathy.

'Ankle-length skirts are very smart for young figures, but everybody will wear them for walking.

The S. A. and the War

There was a large gathering of friends and supporters of the Salvation Army at the Grenfell Hall last night, who listened to an interesting address delivered by Col. Otway, S.A., on the work of the Salvation Army in the Great War. The lecture was illustrated with innumerable lantern slides depicting the part played by the army in the various branches of Britain's fighting forces, particularly the ambulance corps, which has supplied fifty motors for use at the front. The great movement now on foot for the building of Rest Homes was fully explained by the lecturer, one of which is to be for the comfort of our brave boys at the front. Mr. W. H. Jones moved a vote of thanks to Col. Otway, which was accorded by acclamation.

McMurdo's Store News

THURSDAY, March 29, 1917.
Among the new things in the way of Seed that we have to offer this year, Early Gem Carrot will be prominent. This carrot is an early variety of rapid growth, not large, but splendid for table use, very tender, almost without core, and very sweet in flavor. The typical kitchen garden carrot, and one which should be largely grown in this country. This carrot won the Award of Merit of the Royal Horticultural Society in 1911, and is becoming increasingly popular in England. Price 15c. a pkg.
We have still some Fertilizer, both for general use, and for potatoes. We shall be glad to receive orders for the same, as soon as possible. Price \$3.50 per bag of 100 lbs.

Volunteer in Court

FOR PUNCHING RIVAL.
A young printer summoned a volunteer to court to-day for assault. The defendant admitted the assault and, through his counsel, Mr. Higgins, gave as his reason that the plaintiff had been taking away his wife's affections from him. Mr. Hutchings, K.C., J. P., who presided, held that the excuse was not sufficient justification for the assault and fined the volunteer \$2 or 7 days.

When mixing beeswax and turpentine for floor polishing, add a little spirits of ammonia.

Rann-dom Reels

GOING THE PACE.
Going the pace is a pastime indulged in by young men who are trying to see who can spend the most money without finding out where it came from or how much more is left. About the worst thing that can happen to a boy is to fall up to his ears into a wad of money that somebody else earned. When we look about us and see the men who are putting in sixteen hours a day in order to lay up money for a son who has to have the collar buttons put into his shirt by a hired man, we are inclined to doubt the wisdom of the plan of creation. Some of our colleges furnish bright and shining examples of the young sprout who can't spend his income without playing poket with total strangers and who throws away enough on wire-wheeled speed cars to feed a thousand children of the tenement district for a solid year. The habit of going the pace is due to a surplus of easy money and a shortage of character. It is hard to keep the character in good working order when everything is wide open to the boy with a roll and a loose lower lip. The hard-headed millionaire who put his son at work in overalls, for day wages, never had to ball him out of the police court or send him to some home for neeriatrics before he was thirty years old. The cabaret and the all night dance hall are not very enticing to a boy who has to earn his own board and clothes and stand up to his work ten hours a day with other men. The cure for going the pace is poverty and hard work, with plenty of both. There are lots of worse things than being poor, and one of them is to have so much money that it is a serious problem whether to play pool or get measured for some more silk shirts. The cure of riches is not on the man who makes them, but on some squab-headed beneficiary who burns a path up and down each side of the red light district and staggers home to a broken-hearted mother morally impoverished and mentally bankrupt.
Satin slip-over blouses are chic, one of blue satin with white satin collar and cuffs is worn with a white flannel skirt.
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BIG SALE of MEN'S WOMEN'S & CHILDREN'S BOOTS and SHOES.



The entire stock of THE WHITE SHOE STORE, Mr. S. B. Kesner, proprietor, for Sale at THE ROYAL STORES, Limited. All Must Go at Sacrifice Prices.

EVERY Dollar's worth of this stock must be sold, and the price is the factor that will insure a quick clearance. No matter what you want in Boots and Shoes, for Man, Woman or Child, you can find a big selection in this Sale. The crowds that have flooded this big Store since the opening of the Sale on Tuesday morning, are ample evidence of the selections and values. From early morning they come, young and old, and all went away smiling, contented and convinced that they never bought "Better Values."

Don't let Snow, Rain or anything else prevent YOU from coming here To-morrow Morning. The values are so striking, that weather troubles will be forgotten.



A Tempting List of Footwear Snaps

for Men--All must go during this Sale



MEN'S GUNMETAL SHOES.

A comfortable fitting Shoe that will stand remarkable wear; Goodyear welt; broad toes; medium heels and toes; all sizes in these from 6 to 9.

Sale Price \$3.75 pair.

MEN'S HEAVY BOOTS.

Waterproof Wax Veneer Boots, unlined; heavy double soles that will give remarkable usage. These boots are broad stylish shapes with low heels. They will fit comfortably and give great satisfaction; all sizes.

Sale Price \$3.80 pair.

Popular styles in Gunmetal, with dull kid tops; medium and low heels; broad toes; stylish shapes that you are sure to like; all sizes.

Sale Price \$2.40 pair.

MEN'S LOW CUT SHOES at \$2.85 pair.

Box Calf, Gunmetal and Kid Blucher Oxfords, Tan Buttoned Shoes in Vici and Box Calf, and Laced Shoes in Gunmetal and Kid. Various styles with medium and low heels, medium toes; all sizes.

Sale Price \$2.85 pair.

MEN'S BOOTS at \$4.00 pair.

Tan Box Calf and Vici Kid in Buttoned and Laced, Black Patent leather with dull kid tops, and strong wet-resisting boots with double viscolized soles. It would well repay you to buy in a pair or two of these.

Sale Price \$4.00 pair.



MEN'S GUNMETAL BOOTS at \$3.60 pair.

133 pairs of good quality Gun Metal Boots, with dull kid tops, in all sizes from 6 to 11, including halves. They are of extra quality with heavy soles, low heels, broad, comfortable fitting shapes and low heels.

Sale Price \$3.60 pair.

MEN'S SOLID LEATHER BOOTS at \$3.50 pair.

Extra heavy make with broad toes and low heels in the popular Blucher style. A soft bellows tongue extends to the top. The fronts are fastened with three rows of strong stitching which is a proof against ripping. The soles are of solid leather.

Sale Price \$3.50 pair.

OUT! GOES THE ENTIRE STOCK OF WOMEN'S BOOTS and SHOES AT REMARKABLY REDUCED PRICES.

LADIES' BOOTS at \$3.00 pair.

Here's a boot of extra fine quality, suitable for almost any occasion. May be had in Patent leather with Black Cloth tops, Box Calf with dull kid tops, and self-tipped Vici Kid in Buttoned and Blucher styles. They are mostly Goodyear welted.



SALE PRICE \$3.00 per pair.

WOMEN'S BOOTS at \$2.25 pr.

This lot includes Tan Dongola Button and Blucher styles in light and dark shades, Colored Cloth Top Boots with Tan leather trimmings, and Black Dongola and Patent Leather Boots.

Sale Price \$2.25 pair.

LOW CUT SHOES at \$1.60 pr.

This lot consists of two-strap Sandals; Pumps, strapped and plain in Gunmetal, Dongola and Patent leather, and Black and Tan Dongola Oxfords. We would advise you to take advantage of this bargain without delay as we expect to sell every pair before Saturday night.

Sale Price \$1.60 pair.

LOW CUT SHOES at \$1.95 pr.

About 70 pairs of Pumps, Oxfords and two-strap Sandals in Dongola, Patent leather and Gunmetal, with Coloured Cloth and Chamole tops; all sizes in this lot, but not in any particular line. There are many qualities and styles. Come early as the best will be chosen first.

Sale Price \$1.95 pair.

LADIES' SHOES at \$1.75 pr.

Dongola and Gunmetal Pumps in plain and strapped; Brown and Black Velvet Shoes; Tan two-strap Sandals and Gunmetal and Dongola Oxfords.

Sale Price \$1.75 pair.

WOMEN'S BOOTS at \$2.85.

Here you will find a splendid variety for your choosing. There are Vici Kid in Buttoned and Laced with patent or self tips, self tipped Gunmetal in Blucher and Buttoned, and Tan Box Calf in a magnificent range of styles.

Sale Price \$2.85 pair.

HOUSE SHOES, ETC., at \$1.50 pair.

Women's Juliettes in Dongola Kid with elastic sides and rubber heels; Kid and Felt House Shoes with fur tops in Juliette and Kozzy styles; also a pair of Dongola Kid in plain laced styles, suitable for house or street wear.

Sale Price \$1.50 pair.

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5c. to 90c. Per Yard.

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... 35c. yard White Reseda, 5c., 90c., \$1.20 yard ON BARGAIN 10c., 20c., 30c. Champagne, ... 10c. yard

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MINIMENT CURES GAR- SET IN COWS.



HUNDREDS of pairs of BOOTS FOR BOYS at Sale prices.

YOUTH'S AND BOYS' BOOTS.

Stylish cut Blucher shape in Gunmetal with dull kid tops; heavy solid leather soles; low heels. A piece of copper covers part of the toe cap, giving more than double the wear where the wear comes; sizes 9 to 2.

Sale Price \$1.70 pair.

YOUTH'S BOX CALF BOOTS.

Of superior quality in a comfortable easy-fitting style; heavy soles, medium heels and broad toes. They are of Box Calf and good quality Gunmetal, and will give splendid wear.

Sale Price \$2.50 pair.

YOUTH'S STORM BOOTS.

Made of Tan Storm Calf in heavy quality. High cut with strap and buckle fastenings at the top. The soles are of real oak leather, firmly sprigged and sewn; sizes 8 to 10 only. A fine boot for sloppy days now or later on.

Sale Price \$2.40 pair.

BOYS' GUNMETAL BOOTS.

Blucher style, medium soles and heels; kid tops. Here's an opportunity for you to save on a dressy boot for finer wear. They are indeed excellent values.

Sale Price \$2.00 pair.



MANY LINES OF HOSIERY Offered from our Regular Stock during this Sale.

Here's One Great Opportunity to lay in your supply.

WOMEN'S HOSE.

Women's Cashmere Hose in plain and assorted ribs, some with wide garter tops; sizes SW, W and OS. A splendid saving opportunity. Reg. 45c. pair.

Sale Price 39c pair.

MEN'S HALF HOSE.

Worsted Half Hose in assorted wide ribs; also plain Cashmires; seamless spliced heels and toes; sizes 10, 10½ and 11 inch feet. Qualities that will give great satisfaction and wear well. Reg. 40c. pair.

Sale Price 34c pair.

MEN'S HALF HOSE.

Black, Tan and Navy Ribbed Cashmere, sizes 9, 9½, 10, 10½, 11 and 11½ inch feet; also Black in plain and ribbed Cashmere and Wool; assorted qualities. Reg. 65c. pair.

Sale Price 54c pair.

MEN'S KHAKI HALF HOSE.

50 dozen Khaki Half Hose, made from pure wool yarns in plain seamless make; spliced heels and toes; sizes 10, 10½ and 11 inch feet, Reg. 40c. pair. Worth considerably more.

Sale Price 34c pair.

WOMEN'S HOSE.

Black Cashmere in plain, 2½, 4½ and broad ribbed styles; superior English manufacture; shaped ankles, wide garter tops; spliced heels and toes. For all around wear this Stocking cannot be equalled today. Reg. 75c.

Sale Price 64c pair.

INFANTS' WOOL HOSE.

Australian Wool Hose with silk heels and toes. These goods are manufactured from pure worsted stock and free from all foreign substances; sizes 5, 5½ and 6 inch feet. Reg. 35c.

Sale Price 29c pair.

Mothers will Welcome this Sale of Children's and Misses' BOOTS and SHOES.

CHILDREN'S & INFANTS' BOOTS at 70c. pair.

Black and Tan Dongola Kid, Patent leather with Coloured Cloth and Black and White Kid tops; also a lot of Corset Top Boots in Black Vici Kid, specially made for children with weak ankles or infants learning to walk; sizes 1 to 8.

Sale Price 70c. pair.

CHILDREN'S BOOTS at \$1.10 pair.

Dongola, Blucher styles with Cloth, Kid and Chamole Leather tops in various colors and Black; Patent leather with Brown Chamole tops and heavy soles; wide and medium styles; sizes 1 to 11.

Sale Price \$1.10 pair.



FRIDAY and SATURDAY Grocery Bargains.

Napak Prunes. Reg. 35c. tin for 30c.
Peaches. Reg. 15c. tin for 13c.
Parsnips. Reg. 15c. tin for 13c.
Pineapple Chunks. Reg. 18c. tin for 16c.
Royal Scarlet Potato. Reg. 20c. for 18c.
Pure Gold Quick Custard. Reg. 15c. for 13c.
Quakers Corn Flakes. Reg. 15c. for 13c.
Apricot Pulp. Reg. 65c. tin for 60c.

The Royal Stores Ltd.

FARMERS' FERTILIZERS Will Make Your Garden Grow

If you get 9 barrels of potatoes from a barrel of seed, you will get 3 more by using FERTILIZER; and as 1 barrel extra will pay for the Fertilizer, the other 2 barrels will be clear gain.

IT PAYS TO USE FARMERS' FERTILIZERS.

Last year I was sold out of Fertilizer when you came looking for some. Therefore don't wait this year, come down TO-DAY and order your supply. You will get bigger crops if you use

FARMERS' FERTILIZERS, COLIN CAMPBELL

TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.45 A. M.

LONDON, To-day.
After an interesting debate to-day the Commons by a majority of 279 expressed approval of legislation on the lines of the Speaker's Conference recommendations for franchise reforms. The small minority against such a measure represented not actual opponents of reform but rather members who were desirous of postponing legislation of such a contentious character until after the war. The great feature of the debate was the frank acceptance by ex-Premier Asquith and Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, of the women's right to vote as a result of their war sacrifices and service. Premier Lloyd-George wholeheartedly accepted the Conference's recommendation, except as to proportional representation. He was even willing to go still further and make the qualifying period three instead of six months. A small party of the Commons during the course of the debate expressed their continued firm opposition to woman suffrage, but their numbers were too small to carry any weight. All the Nationalists announced that they would support Asquith's motion. As a result of the debate the Government, as Bonar Law announced, will proceed with the legislation to give effect to the recommendations of the Conference Bill, which will embody all the recommendations except as to proportional representation and women suffrage. These will be omitted, the first because the Government is still undecided on the question, the second because it is held that Parliament must first of all express acceptance of the principle of women suffrage. The present idea is to make the bill as little contentious as possible, so that a second reading may be easily secured. Then in Committee these two accepted questions may be raised as amendments to the Bill, thus giving the House an opportunity to record its opinion. It can't be doubted that the views expressed to-day by Asquith, Walter Hume Long, and other prominent former opponents of women's suffrage will influence many other opposing members. In any case, during the war this opposition has been rapidly dwindling. It is still possible that the women may have to wait till after the war for the fullest recognition of their claims, but a vote for women in some shape is now certain. The new Bill will not be introduced till some considerable time after Easter, as the Budget and other urgent business claims priority.

A MODERN BIRKENHEAD.

LONDON, To-day.
The Admiralty issued to-night the following on the incident. The Admiralty transport Tyndarus with a detachment of the Middlesex Regiment struck a mine at 3 p.m. on February 28, off Cape Agulhas. A strong E. W. gale was blowing. Immediately after the explosion the ship began to

settle by the head with her propellers out of water. The assembly was sounded and the men donned their life-belts and paraded in perfect order. The roll was called and upon the order to stand easy the whole battalion began to sing. Two steamers despatched to the rescue arrived on the scene within half an hour. During this trying time, although faced by the probability of imminent death, the troops maintained steadfast courage and discipline. Never was the tradition of Britain's Army more worthily upheld than on this occasion. Thanks to the devotion and perseverance of the Captain and Officers the ship was saved. The troops were transferred to two steamers and taken to Samsontown, where the Tyndarus subsequently returned under her own steam with two holds flooded and another leaking. The King has graciously expressed deep admiration for the conduct of all ranks for upholding the cherished tradition of the Birkenhead.

WAR REVIEW.

LONDON, To-day.
Further gains by the British over the Germans north west of St. Quentin and by the Germans over the French in the Champagne region in France are recorded in the latest British and French statements. British cavalry have captured the villages of Villers, Faucon and Saulcourt, lying a few miles north of Reisel and virtually astride the St. Quentin-Cambrai Road, says the British official, which adds that additional terrain was taken from the Germans south and west of Croisilles, despite the strong resistance of the Germans. The German War Office, however, takes issue with the latter statement, asserting that the fighting near Croisilles was in favor of the Germans. Activity on the part of the line held by the French west and south west of St. Quentin is maintained by the artillery wings of the opposing forces. To the south of St. Quentin, between Essigny and Erenay, fierce artillery duels are in progress. No infantry action has been fought. In Champagne, the Germans, after a violent bombardment attacked the positions held by General Nivelle's troops west of Maison de Champagne and succeeded in penetrating elements of the French first line of trenches. Sanguinary losses were inflicted on the Germans, however, during the successful efforts they made to capture the village of Maison de Champagne, says Paris. An early spring thaw on the Russian front from the Baltic Sea to the Carpathians has rendered impossible for the present any attack in force by the Germans against the Russians. This seemingly puts at naught for the time being at least the reported intentions of the Germans to attempt to force their way from the Riga region toward Petrograd. Minor operations are in progress, however, in Roumania. Fighting continues in the Usual Valley region. Here the Germans have captured from the Russians a strongly entrenched ridge and held it despite numerous counter-attacks, according to Berlin. Two machine guns and mine throwers fell into the hands of the Germans. Bombardments are in progress on the entire Austro-Italian front, being especially violent on the east between Frido Valley and the northern edge of the Carso Plateau. An attack by the Teuton Allies west of Monastir,

launched after a violent bombardment was put down by the French barrage fire.

U. S. TRYING TO SEE HOW SHE STANDS.

WASHINGTON, To-day.
It is learned definitely to-day that the American Government has no knowledge of any development likely to come before Congress convenes, which would change the present situation between the States and Germany. If Germany contemplates any sort of peace move or has considered abandoning submarine ruthlessness, or if any other neutral has a step in mind designed to alter the present international status, the Government is without information on the subject. President Wilson to-day continued the conference with his advisors preparatory to awaiting the address he will deliver to Congress next week. The administration is said to be chiefly concerned at present with the form of the action to be taken by Congress. Recognizing that Germany is making war on the States with preparedness measures, aggressive steps, while being carefully considered are understood to be looked upon as questions for determination after Congress had defined the status of the nation. Whether the suggestion that a huge loan or gift of money to one or more of the Entente Allies should be adopted, whether an army should be sent abroad, whether increased supplies of munitions should be forwarded are generally regarded as questions which would only confuse the issue if pressed to a decision. The President has told no one just what his message to Congress will include. It is expected to review the history of negotiations with Germany leading up to the present situation and to submit what he believes Congress should do. The preponderance of opinion still is that Congress will adopt a resolution declaring that a state of war exists.

THE IMPERIAL WAR CABINET.

LONDON, To-day.
The Government was interpellated in the Commons to-day with regard to the status of the Imperial War Cabinet and Imperial War Council. Rowland asked, "Is the Imperial War Cabinet an Executive body or only a Consultative body, like the Imperial War Council?" Bonar Law, Chancellor, replied, "The Imperial War Cabinet is both Executive and Consultative, its functions being regulated by the nature of the subject under discussion." Mr. Morrell inquired, "If it is Executive, what is its relation to the War Cabinet of five? Is it superior or subordinate?" The Chancellor answered, "It is difficult and very desirable to define their relations, which are entirely friendly."

NOON.

THE ENEMY'S DILEMMA.
LONDON, To-day.
There are various suggestions concerning the reason for the present visit of the Austrian Emperor to Emperor William. The Daily Mail says it learns from Vienna by way of Switzerland that the Conference between the Emperors is to decide whether the Austro-German policy toward the

United States shall be modified so as to avoid war, or whether the present submarine methods, which are certain to provoke war with the United States, shall be maintained.

RUSSIA SOLID FOR WAR.

PETROGRAD, To-day.
The official organ of the Council of Deputies of workmen and soldiers devotes a leader in its Tuesday's issue to the necessity of vigorously carrying on the war against Germany. The paper says: "Russia, although disturbed by revolution, must not give the Hohenzollerns and their partisans any ground to believe that she will be an easy prey to German monarchy. We must let them know that revolutionary Russia will devote all its forces to the accomplishment of victory."

ASKS TO SEND SON TO NORWAY.

LONDON, To-day.
The former Russian Emperor has asked the Provisional Government to permit his little son to go to Norway for the sake of his health, according to a Petrograd despatch. The despatch says that permission has not yet been granted. The former monarch and his family are said to be cheerful under their imprisonment.

MAY BE TREMENDOUS GERMAN RETIREMENT.

LONDON, To-day.
The Germans are striking back in the Champagne in determined efforts to divert General Nivelle from his ceaseless pounding at the base of the shaken Hindenburg line. The scene of the counter offensive launched by Von Hindenburg is, along a fifteen mile front starting about 25 miles east of Rheims. Attacking in force in this sector, the Germans have driven the French from some of their advanced trenches, but have failed so far to make a serious impression on the defenders' line. In the meantime the iron semi-circle, which General Nivelle has thrown around the southern half of the great St. Gobain Plateau, is steadily contracting. If the French maintain their present rate of advance it can only be a matter of a very few days before the entire plateau is in their grasp, removing the last great natural barrier to Laon. The British are moving steadily in the north, but the fact that they are capturing villages with cavalry indicates that they are not yet in contact with the main German forces. The most advanced British outposts are still ten miles from the Cambrai line, where the Allied observers have assumed the Germans propose to make their real stand. Military critics in parts of London are reverting to the belief that the present German retreat is only part of a plan for retirement on a tremendous scale to the Belgian border. In support of this theory it is pointed out that the withdrawal from the Noyon and Bapaume salient is rapidly forcing the whole German line into the form of an immense right angle. The apex of this angle runs north and south for 120 miles from Neuport on the Belgian coast to Laon, and the horizontal runs for an equal distance east to the Lorraine border. It is into the apex of this angle that General Nivelle is boring his way, threatening to cut the forces of the invaders squarely in two.

Great British Victories.

Messrs. F. B. McCurdy & Co. have received the following message from New York to-day as we go to press: British Army in Mesopotamia defeated Turkish Army of 20,000. Entire divisional staff of fifty third division (in ?) Palestine captured by British.

LATEST

2.30 P.M.

BEGINNING OF REVOLT IN GERMANY.

COPENHAGEN, To-day.
The demand for immediate introduction of internal reforms in Germany, particularly in Prussia, which the Socialist and Radical parties have been advocating for months, has received a strong impetus from the Russian revolution. The press organs of these parties, notably the Vorwaerts, declare that Russia's revolt to democracy leaves Germany and Austria-Hungary alone among the belligerents as representatives of non-parliamentary regimes and necessitates German reforms without waiting for the end of the war, as Chancellor Von Bethman Hollweg advocates. The Vorwaerts declares that otherwise the conviction of the Entente nations that they are now fighting for the freedom of the world against antiquated modes of Government will grow stronger and stronger.

Telegram Fashion Plates.

The Home Dressmaker should keep a Catalogue Scrap Book of our Pattern Cuts. These will be found very useful to refer to from time to time.

A PRACTICAL MODEL.



1920—Ladies' Apron and Sleeve Protector.

Drill, linen, lawn, alpaca, percale and brilliantine could be used for this style. The bib is joined to strap portions, which are crossed over the back and fastened to the belt. The apron has ample fullness in its skirt portions, and is fitted with deep pockets. The sleeve protectors are very serviceable, and easy to make. The Pattern is cut in 4 sizes: 34, 36, 38 and 46 inches bust measure. Size 38 requires 5 yards of 36-inch material for the apron, and 3/4 yard for the sleeve protector. A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

Your Boys and Girls.

Craving for excitement and diversion overshadows and makes unattractive both home and school in the minds of too many typical children. Parents and teachers must unite to reduce distracting influences to a minimum and create such habits and conditions of child lives as are favorable to the cultivation of the power of concentration. The movement towards community action in these matters is already underway in many places.

Train Notes.

Tuesday's outgoing express reached Port aux Basques at noon to-day. The incoming express left Glenwood at 8.25 a.m., due at St. John's at 10 p.m. to-day. The local from Carbonear reached the city at 1 p.m. to-day.

\$7.50 FOR FAT.

Messrs. Bowring Bros., Ltd., have purchased all the s.s. Terra Nova's seals at the rate of \$7.50 per cwt.

Rossley's British Theatre.

CAPITAL PROGRAMME TO-NIGHT.

Thursday, Children's Country Store.

A great surprise night and treat for all the youngsters. Such a wonderful display of goods for mother, father, sisters, brothers, grandmas, uncles, aunts and the baby. Presents for the drawing room, parlour, bedroom and kitchen, besides toys and nice groceries.

New Vaudeville and Pictures.

A GREAT BIG SHOW AND A CLEAN ONE. Parents may bring their children. Doors open 6.30. 10 cents all over Theatre.

5c. The Crescent Picture Palace. 5c.

EVERY AFTERNOON 2.15—EVERY NIGHT 7.15.

A BIG MID-WEEK SHOW FOR WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY. The Knickerbocker Star features present Daniel Giffather and Marguerite Nichols in a three part drama.

An Old Man's Folly.

"THE FABLE OF A HANDSOME JETHRO WHO WAS SIMPLY CUT OUT TO BE A MERCHANT"—By George Ade, America's greatest humorist.

And a Vim comedy.

The Night Prowlers.

With Burns and Stull as Pokes and Jabba.

PROFESSOR MCCARTHY playing the latest and best music—Drums and Effects.

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Is well in
advance of all
other cut tobaccos

Every 15c. Tin
contains 3 coupons.

Imperial Tobacco Co.
Newfoundland Ltd.

Here and There.

THE PROSPERO.—The s.s. Prospero left Hermitage at 8 a.m. to-day; due here Saturday.

Stafford's Liniment cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is light N. E. wind and raining east of Port aux Basques, snowing on the West Coast.

ETHIE AND GLENCOE.—The Ethie left Burin at 3 p.m. yesterday going west. The Glencoe reached LaPoile at 7.20 p.m. yesterday en route to Port aux Basques.

LLEWELYN MYSTERIES.—The Llewellyn Mysteries are now rehearsing new songs, quartettes, etc. for the minstrel show on Easter Monday night.

CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind east, light, with dense fog; ice packed tight against land. Bar. 29.32; ther. 42.

BAY DE VERDE RAILWAY.—It is expected that train communication over the Bay de Verde railway will be resumed to-morrow. It is not likely the road will again be interrupted by snow this year.

ANOTHER GRAND SOCIABLE.—The ladies of the Congregational Aid Society intend holding another Sociable on Thursday, April 12th. As this is the last Sociable they will hold this season, a special effort is being made to make this one a crowning success. Make a note of the date.—mar27,31,lu,th,s

Here and There.

STOWAWAYS RETURN.—Three stowaways went to the ice in the Terra Nova. They were not allowed on the ice. One of the lads joined the Eagle in the hope of getting a chance to bat a few whitecoats.

SUDDEN DEATH.—We learn from people who arrived on the Trepassay train this morning that Mr. Patrick Scott, an old and respected resident of Bay Bulls, dropped dead yesterday afternoon at the age of 67 years.

THEFTS DAMAGED.—Messrs. Job Bros. & Co. received a message last night from Capt. Winsor stating that the thefts was homeward bound. The thefts was damaged by rafting ice in the early part of the voyage and we learn her bows are leaking.

DIED.

Drowned at sea, Feb. 20th, 1917, in Almeria Bay, Coast of Spain, Captain Jeremiah Callahan, leaving a wife, son and daughter to mourn the sad loss of a kind and devoted husband and loving father, also three brothers and six sisters and a large circle of relatives and friends.—R. I. P. Montreal, Toronto and Sydney papers please copy.

Passed peacefully away, Thursday morning, Johannah, relict of the late Edward Maher, leaving two sons and four daughters to mourn their sad loss. A funeral will take place at 2.30 p.m., Saturday, from her late residence, 7 Allan's Square.

On March 28th, after a long illness, Willie, darling child of John and Veronica Bennett, aged one year. This morning, of broncho-pneumonia, Frances Eva Fraser, aged 11 months, darling child of Benjamin and Maud Fraser.



War

Messages Re Previous

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Easter Millinery.

London and New York HATS
1917—Spring and Summer.

Complete showing now open. An exhibition of the most exquisite creations introduced. Skilful productions by the leading British and American designers, trimmed with fancy feathers, wings, flowers, richly coloured ribbons and novelties in a variety of beautiful colour combinations and solid blacks for dress and semi-dress wear.

All Easter Goods now open.

BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

PHONE 484. MAIL ORDERS RECEIVE CAREFUL CONSIDERATION.

Ladies' Spring Suits and Spring Coats

\$10.00 to \$60.00.

The graceful lines and charming simplicity of these garments have made an immediate hit. Long coats and short coats are equally smart. The new shades for this Spring are Rooky, Tapestry Blue, Tan, Spruce Blue, Gold, Rose, Black, Grey, Olive, Magenta and Checks in variety.



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The New!

The New has captured our whole Store.

New Ruffles, New Neckwear, New Veils, New Raglans, New Sweater Coats, New Party Dresses for Children and Young Women, Ladies' New Silk Dresses, New Satin Underskirts, New Silks, Crepe de Chene, Georgette Crepes, Organdie de Jardin, Exposition Voile, and Ladies' Onyx Brand Silk Hosiery.



This Model in Stock.

War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

BRITISH TRANSPORT MINED.
LONDON, March 28. The British transport Tyndareus struck a mine on Feb. 9th, says an official statement issued this afternoon. The battalion of the Middlesex Regiment that was aboard upheld the army tradition. The ship was saved. The mine was struck off Cape Agulhas, the southernmost point in Africa, near the spot where the troopship Birkenhead was lost. The men were paraded on deck and began to sing while they waited for the ship to sink. The Tyndareus, however, was saved, and the troops transferred to two rescuing steamers. King George has expressed his admiration to all ranks for the manner in which they had upheld the cherished traditions of the Birkenhead. The British steamer Tyndareus, apparently the one alluded to in the official announcement, registered 11,000 tons, and was built last year.

BRITISH CONTINUE THEIR SUCCESSES.
LONDON, March 28. Following up their rush of yesterday morning our cavalry captured during this afternoon the villages of Villars, Faucon and Saulcourt, several prisoners and four machine guns, says to-day's British official statement. Last night a hostile attack on our new position at Equancourt was driven off with considerable German losses. Further north our troops established themselves during the night at two points on the Boignes-Lagnicourt Road, and after a short fight to-day gained ground south and west of Corisilles, meeting with strong resistance. We carried out successful raids early this morning east of Aix Noulette and north of Neuville St. Vaast.

PREMIER'S DECLARATION IN FAVOR OF WOMAN SUFFRAGE.
LONDON, March 28. Premier Lloyd George made a declaration in the House of Commons to-day in favor of Woman Suffrage. The Premier said he welcomed the recommendation in favor of woman suffrage which was made in the programme for electoral reform moved to-day by ex-Premier Asquith. The former Premier said the House would not be unprepared to hear that he and

other members no longer regarded the question of woman suffrage from the standpoint they occupied before the war. In moving the adoption of the plan for election reform, Asquith said his opposition to woman suffrage always had been based solely on the consideration of public expediency. The women had now worked out their own salvation; the war could not be carried on without them. What moved him especially, he added, was the problem of reconstruction after the war. He considered it to be neither just nor expedient to withhold from women the power or right to make their voices heard directly. Paying the warmest tribute to woman's work during the war, especially the devotion, courage and zeal of women at munition work, Premier Lloyd George said that, after the war, when the nation came to recast the whole industrial fabric, to give women no voice therein would be an outrage, it would be inequitable, unjust and ungrateful. He believed the country would not sanction such an injustice for a moment. He agreed with the desirability of avoiding all political controversies during the war. The Parliament to be elected after peace, he declared, would have to solve quickly the problems which would determine the course of things in Britain and the Empire for generations. Unless he was mistaken in the temper of the people, they did not intend to entrust this tremendous reconstruction to any party machine. They meant, he believed, to take it into their own hands. Therefore, he declared, he was glad that men of all political faith had agreed upon a basis for an electoral privilege for millions who had made sacrifices for their country. After intimating that the Government was not prepared to adopt proportional representation, the Premier concluded by expressing the hope that the House would show the same spirit, not merely of conciliation, but of good sense, and carry through the recommendations substantially in the form in which they were made, without bitterness. Several members of the House supported the amendment introduced by Arthur Clavell Salter, Unionist, urging avoidance of the question during the war, except in the shape of a temporary measure placing soldiers and sailors on the register. The ground taken by Salter was that any scheme of reform as suggested would discourage our Allies, disconcert the fighting men, and detract from the national efforts to win the war. Walter Hume Long, Secretary for the Colonies, implored the Government's opponents to acquiesce in the Government's policy. He moved the adoption of the Conference proposals in full. It would be criminal policy, Long said, to lose this opportunity of Parliament to turn their backs

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 30 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 it unnecessary for her to stand over a hot stove from two to three hours a day.

on the possibility of a settlement, a chance which might never return. He had been a life-long opponent to woman suffrage, the Secretary added, but if he still held the same views, which he did not, he would not raise a voice against granting recognition to women, who had suffered for their country in the war, and without whose heroism, self-devotion, physical strength and endurance, the country never would have faced its hour of crisis. Andrew Bonar Law, in addressing himself to Conservative opponents of the recommendations of the Speaker's conference, said he had always held the view that the Conservative Party, which was not a national party, might as well go out of business for a compromise and for membership altogether. There was going to

be a new world after the war. It was certain at least that no party need attempt to exist which could not hope to have the support of the men and bulk of the nation who saved the liberties of the Empire. If there could then be better understanding between all classes in recognition of increased production, it was for the benefit of all. Recovery from the devastation of the war would be quick. The war, Bonar Law declared, altered his view on the subject of woman suffrage. He would do his best to prevent any extension of the franchise to men if the women were left out. Salter's amendment was rejected by 341 to 62, and Asquith's motion was carried.

THE U. S. WOULD BENEFIT.
PARIS, March 28. Jules Cambon, General Secretary to the Foreign Office, talking with the Associated Press to-day, referred to the effect which he considered the entry of the United States into the war would have upon its international and commercial relations during and after the period of hostilities. The U. S. Government, said M. Cambon, had never cared to enter into commercial treaties with another nation in the European sense, therefore American imports had not always received what was called the favoured nation treatment. Joining the Allies, however, he declared, would naturally bring with it more intimate trade relations, which would greatly develop and become permanent during times of peace.

REFUSED TO DISCUSS THE MATTER.
NEW YORK, March 28. A News Agency despatch from London published here this afternoon, says: Queries concerning a Cunard liner reported recently sunk with a number of casualties, as to whether the ship was mined or torpedoed, was asked of the Government by the Irish Nationalist Ginnell in the Commons to-day. Secretary for the Admiralty, McNamara replied that such informa-

tion was not in the public interest and refused to discuss or reply to Ginnell's further interrogatories as to whether an enquiry was to be instituted. The only Cunard liner known to have been sunk recently was the Laconia. Presumably the report mentioned in the London despatch refers to some other Cunardier not heretofore mentioned.

APPAM CASE CLOSED.
NORFOLK, Va., March 28. The United States Court here to-day was ordered by the Supreme Court to turn over the prize ship Appam to Floyd Hughes, representing the British African Steamship Navigation Company, the owners of the vessel prior to her capture by the Germans. The Court ordered \$500,000, the proceeds of the sale of the cargo, to be paid to the English owners. The money is in Norfolk and Richmond banks. The unsold portion of the cargo, consisting of ore, was ordered to be restored to the owners. The German defendants were ordered to pay all costs in connection with the case.

GERMANS PENETRATE FRENCH LINES.
NEW YORK, March 28. In Champagne the Germans, after violent bombardment, attacked positions held by General Nivelle's troops west of Maisons-de-Champagne, and succeeded in penetrating elements of the French first line trenches. Sanginary losses were inflicted on the Germans, however, during the successful efforts they made to capture the village of Maisons-de-Champagne, says Paris. An early spring thaw in the Russian front from the Baltic Sea to the Carpathians, has rendered impossible for the present any attack in force by the Germans against the Russians. This seemingly puts at naught for the time being at least, the reported intentions of the Germans to attempt to force their way from the Riga region towards Petrograd. Minor operations are in progress, however, in Roumania fighting continues

in Uzul Valley region. Here the Germans have captured from the Russians a strongly entrenched ridge and held it despite numerous counterattacks, according to Berlin. One hundred prisoners, machine guns and mine-throwers fell into the hands of the Germans.

BRITISH TAKE MORE VILLAGES.
LONDON, March 28. Summarising the progress of the British forces the past 24 hours, Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in France, mentions the capture of the village of Guyencourt and Villers Gaucon, and says that taking the line between Longavesnes and Equancourt as representing our progress on Tuesday morning, this means that we have pushed forward some 3,000 yards. This does not mean, however, the advance of the whole British line. In the present phase there is no continuous front line, but rather a succession of posts and patrols, all in touch with each other, but varying in their position from time to time as opportunity offers for pushing on. Equancourt was captured by a single squadron of cavalry. Its garrison continued to fire until the front rank of our horsemen, in wide open order, with lances lowered, were within seven hundred yards of its outskirts. The Germans then bolted, flinging away arms and all encumbrances. A similar stampede occurred at Longavesnes, but at Villers Faucon the enemy made a stand. Liermont was entered without opposition.

A WEEK'S SHIPPING LOSSES.
LONDON, March 28. During the week ending March 25th, 3,314 ships over 100 tons net, arrived in ports in the United Kingdom, according to an official statement issued this evening. During the same period, 2,433 ships of over 100 tons net sailed from ports in the United Kingdom. These figures are exclusive of fishing ships and local shipping. Eighteen British merchant ships of

over 1,600 tons gross, including two during the previous fortnight, and the hospital ship Asturias, were sunk by mines or submarines. Seven merchant vessels under 1,600 tons were also sunk. Thirteen British merchant ships, including three during the previous fortnight, were unsuccessfully attacked by subs. Ten British fishing vessels including nine sailing ships, were sunk during the same period.

SWEDISH CABINET RESIGNS.
STOCKHOLM, March 28. The King has accepted the resignation of the entire Cabinet, headed by Premier Hammarskjold. The Swedish ministry resigned on March 5 according to previous Stockholm despatches, but King Gustav requested the Ministers to remain office, which they consented to do temporarily. Their resignation on that occasion followed the defeat of the Government in Parliament on the matter of appropriation to be used for the preservation of Swedish neutrality, only one-third of the sum required being granted.

ITALY EXPECTS AN ATTACK.
ROME, March 28. The predicted great offensive against Italy by the Central Powers continues to be the chief topic of discussion in military and political circles. Field Marshal Von Hindenburg is credited with aiming at an invasion of France across a prostrate Italy. In this connection General De Russi, Commander of the Montenegrin troops serving with the Italian army, writes a terrible and desperate attack is in preparation against our lines. Every-one foresees it, and even the enemy announces it in order to intimidate us by threatening Italy with the fate of Roumania and Serbia.

REDUCTION IN HARD COAL.
NEW YORK, March 28. Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company to-day announced a reduction of fifty cents a ton in the price of coal to become effective April 1st. The reduction applies only to stove, egg and nut size.

ANGLO-AMERICAN REGIMENT.
NEW YORK, March 28. More than 500 American citizens of British descent have volunteered for a British-American regiment, which is being raised in this country for service in case of war, it was announced to-night. Many of these who have offered their services to the United States are said to have been men invalided out of the British Army, but have recovered.

Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken at ELLIS'.

HITT AND RUNN—Central—Oh, Central, Please Connect Us With the Health Department—and Hurry!



GREAT GIZZARDS! BULL-LISTEN TO THIS—IT SAYS THAT GERMANY HAS ISSUED A CALL TO ARMS FOR ALL PEG-LEGGED MEN FOR THE SPRING CAMPAIGN—

CUT OUT THE KIDDING—READ IT RIGHT! A PEG-LEGGED MAN ON A BATTLEFIELD WOULD BE AS MUCH AT HOME AS AN ARMLESS BUM—AT A FREE LUNCH HANDOUT—

HERE IT IS—IF YOU DON'T BELIEVE IT—

WELL WHAT IN THE NAME OF NANCY ARE THEY GONNA USE 'EM FOR—'POTATO' MASHERS—?

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with some Zam-Buk on hand in case of accidents? We all know what serious results often follow minor injuries.

When Zam-Buk is applied to a wound it immediately destroys all harmful germs and extracts all poisonous matter, and thus removes all danger from festering or blood-poisoning. Zam-Buk's soothing herbal extracts end the pain and banish the soreness. Then the healing essences in this famous balm grow new, healthy skin.

A box of Zam-Buk kept handy, both in the home and at work, will save much suffering and loss of time and money. 50¢ box, 3 for \$1.25. All druggists and stores, or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. Send 1¢ stamp for postage on free trial box.



Our Volunteers.

The members of the non-com. officers' class under Capt. O'Grady, which was recently formed, are now receiving instructions in platoon work and in a few weeks will go up for examination. The men are making rapid strides in their studies. Owing to unfavourable weather conditions the volunteers were prevented from shooting at the Southside Rifle Range yesterday.

Sealing News.

BY WIRELESS.

To Bowring Bros.

EAGLE—"Picking up scattered whitecoats; nothing new to report."
VIKING—"Struck small patch 15 miles east of Entry Island; men have panned to-day 300; ship jammed; light ice as far as can be seen."

To Job Bros.

THETIS—"Homeward bound; have about 20,000."

Official.

POGO—"All ships report crews aboard and well; Thetis homeward bound."
CAPE RAY—"Viking all well; no men on ice."

"A Peep Behind the Scenes."

Our advertising columns this evening announce that Mr. Charles Hutton will stage a roaring comedy entitled: "The First Night," or "A Peep Behind the Scenes," in the Casino Theatre on the 12th and 13th of April. Mr. Hutton's name is a guarantee that it will be a professional performance. He has been fortunate in securing the very best dramatic talent that St. John's can boast of and he will appear himself in the principal role.

Use "Cascarets" for Liver and Bowels When Constipated.

When bilious, headachy, sick, for sour stomach, bad breath, bad colds.

Get a 10-cent box.

Take a Cascaret to-night to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets — or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, indigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret to-night will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

Fads and Fashions.

On evening frocks the flounces of tails and net are caught up by tiny roses.

The tailored suit will be less popular than the one-piece frock in the spring.

The wash fabrics for children's dresses are gingham, percales, linens and reps.

Black and white veils are often noted, and some veils have borders in two colors.

Invisible plaids, jersey cloths and novelty woolens are favored for sports coats.

War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A. M.

(Continued from 3rd page.)
FRENCH OFFICIAL.

PARIS (Official) March 28. Between the Somme and Oise German artillery, fiercely counter-barraged by our batteries, shelled our positions on the Ropyy-Esigny-front. Several German attempts to attack were shattered and crumpled up by our heavy fire. South of the Oise our troops followed up the success, and all the lower Coucy forest and villages of Petit Barisis, Venuil, Coucy-L-Ville, have fallen into our possession. Our advanced guards have reached on several points the western outskirts of St. Gobain forest and high Coucy forest. Our losses during this successful engagement were exceedingly slight. North of Soissons we have realized substantial advance, especially north of Neuville Margival and east of Leully. The Verdun front reports a fierce artillery struggle in the direction of Hill 304 and north of Bezonvaux.

Eastern Army—After goodly artillery preparation a French battalion assaulted and captured four hundred yards of trenches towards Serraigna crest, capturing 100 prisoners. There is heavy aerial activity on the whole of the eastern front.

BRITAIN NEEDS FARMERS.

LONDON, March 28.

Five thousand skilled American farmers on English soil would go a long way toward combating Germany's plan to starve us into submission through her submarines, Sir Arthur Lee, head of the newly formed food production department, told the Associated Press correspondent. I told you recently, Sir Arthur continued, that we intended to bring from America some two thousand tractor ploughs for night ploughing. We need skilled American and Canadian farmers to supplement them.

RECORDING HUN BARBARITY.

PARIS, March 28.

General Nivelle, at the request of Rene Besnard, Under Secretary for war, has appointed an officers' commission to report on the devastation caused by the Germans in the evacuated portions of France. The commission is instructed to inquire into and draw up declared reports with proofs attached of all acts of barbarity and devastation committed without military necessity and with the sole object of ruining one of the richest regions of France.

REPRISALS DEMANDED.

LONDON, March 28.

It is assumed by the press that the sinking of the hospital ship Asturias will be met with prompt reprisals in accordance with the declaration issued by the British Foreign Office at the end of January, when the German threat to sink hospital ships was made on an allegation that such vessels were being used as transports. The form that the reprisal may take has not been indicated officially, but the suggestion was then made that several of the highest ranking German officers among the British prisoners should be carried on all hospital ships.

ROOSEVELT'S OFFER REJECTED.

NEW YORK, March 28.

The New York Sun this morning says rumors have reached here that Colonel Roosevelt's offer to President Wilson of a fully manned and armed division has been rejected. As the Colonel now is devil fishing in Florida, no confirmation of the report could be obtained. From what can be learned of the division it has at the present time between 7,000 and 7,500 men enrolled, all pledged to follow the leadership of the former President. Because of the rumors of the rejection, the division's officers may send a delegation to the Colonel in Florida to learn his new plans.

Here and There.

Fresh Halibut and Fresh Cod at ELLIS'.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS—J. B. C., Boston. Thanks for your contribution, but we do not think it advisable to publish it at the present time.

Over 30,000 bottles of Stafford's Liniment sold last year.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. Capt. Callahan and family wish to thank their many kind friends who helped them in their time of trouble, also those who sent telegrams and notes of sympathy.—adv.

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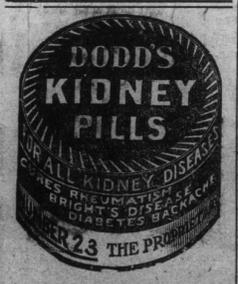
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From the People of Trepassay to Private Waddleton.

May it Please You, Sir,—We the people of Trepassay wish to extend a hearty welcome to you on your honourable discharge from the arena of war. This gathering here to-night is only too sure a proof of our loyalty and patriotism to the common cause of Righteousness and Honour for which you have rendered the highest service and would have made the supreme sacrifice if it had been your fate. At the outbreak of this world war our Empire called for voluntary assistance, you manfully offered your life for King and Country. It was then we read with pride of your noble adherence to the post of duty. You have been tried and not found wanting. We cannot thank you in words nor express our heartfelt gratitude for the work you have performed in defence of Liberty and Justice. You have been the first of our townsmen to return and we feel happy to have one in our midst who has been loyal to Britain, an honour to Canada and a pride to Newfoundland. Your parents must feel proud to have a son who responded nobly when the call came and helped to fight for a cause which shall go down indelibly on the emblazoned pages of future history. Again we extend our heartfelt congratulations to you and present this in memory of your undaunted courage and labor. Signed on behalf of the people of Trepassay, Thos. Keefe, Jno. Brien, Francis Pollett, Con. Kennedy, Michael Tobin, Geo. Sutton, Rd. Curtis, Rd. Ryan, Denis Fitzgerald.

M. C. L. I.—The subject for debate to-night is: "Resolved,—That modern patriotism retards universal peace." Leaders: Messrs. W. Dwyer and A. Soper. This is the last debate of the season and a large attendance is looked for.—mar29,11

LUCKY PEOPLE.—We understand that a young lady in Louisburg, N.S. is the fortunate winner of one of the large sweepstakes on the sealfishery. We are informed from a trustworthy source that the promoters of a fairly large sweepstakes were the winners of first and third prizes. Very fortunate indeed.



MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

After the Trustees.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir:—As Friday night was stormy and as Tom lit his pipe after tea and took his place on the "settle" by the side of the stove, I seated myself in my favourite four-barrel chair and began to question him as to the public's opinion of Shannon Park and the Trustees of Park Property, and his conversation was so interesting and his answers so curt and clear that I thought it would make a fine topic for a letter to your paper while the Agricultural Society are basting up their report that has now been nearly two years in the oven.

Well, sir, I asked Tom what the people thought of ploughing up Shannon Park and setting it out in turnips and potatoes, and his reply was: "This no use, Min, girl, Mr. Travers says the public will not get it, there is too much profit from the grass crop."

Well I won't be blessed, said I, if the people of Harbor Grace are not a quiet people after that. Why, Mr. Travers is only one of the Trustees or Park Managers for the Harbor Grace public, their servant you see; how dare he— But go on, Thomas, and tell us your own opinion.—Well, I really am not in favor of ploughing up the grass ground there until all the vacant lots around here are under cultivation, and after that I would consider it.

What do you think of the men who form that Trustee Board, and what would you do were you unfortunate enough to have been appointed on it?

I really cannot tell, said he, as I am not on that Board, but if they the Trustees could hear all the people are saying about them they would surely do something to get themselves on better thinking terms with the people. I am sorry for some of them who are no doubt good men, but who are easily hoodwinked in the matter of not being bound to give a statement to the people.

But sure, Tom, the Park belongs to the people, does it not?

The Trustees say not, it belongs to the town.

Well, well, well, said I, and it seems as if the town belongs to them and that is why they object to give a statement. Well gentlemen of the Park Trustee Board, if the Park belongs to the town then give the town a statement of its affairs, and tell the town in a voice loud enough for the people to hear, how much money has been received for hay sold and what is the interest on the money accumulated for the past 12 or 14 years.

Well, Min, said Tom, how many of the owners of the Park (the people) know who the Trustees are? You mentioned one, one of your old cronies but who are the rest. Can you name them?

I could, Tom, but for the present I prefer not, but I don't think many people in Harbor Grace know them. In a later letter perhaps I will get a dispensation to use their names, but I hope before that time the Board will for its own honour's sake hold a meeting, make a statement and submit it to the people.

Do you know when the Board held its last meeting, Tom?

Yes, TWELVE years ago, Oh, Min, how white you are; will you take a little water?

There, I'm better now, Tom, thank you. Well, did you ever see the equal of that?

Once more I ask the men who constitute that Board of Trustees to wake up, and let the people of Harbour Grace know there is some live men on the Board. Not only for the sake of the Park and the town but for your honour's sake, gentlemen, come out of your shells, give us a statement of Park affairs, and let us begin to make it a Park.

Yours very truly,
M. C. L. I.

Here and There.

Fresh Smelts and Fresh Herking at ELLIS'.

CITY COUNCIL.—The regular weekly meeting of the Municipal Council will be held at 8 o'clock to-night.

Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken at ELLIS'.

DIVIDE THE SPOLLS.—The various patriotic funds anticipate receiving a fair share of the easy money won on the sealfishery.

Are you going to get a New Suit of Clothes for Easter? If so, buy now; as the longer you delay the more you pay. We have a splendid line of Tweeds and Serges of the very finest quality, and our cut and workmanship need no advertising. SPURRELL BROS., 365 Water Street.—mar14, eod, 17

C. L. B. COMPETITION.—The competition by sections for the Outer-bridge Shield will take place to-night at the C. L. B. Armoury. The members of the brigade have been training hard for the event for sometime past.



For Motor Boat Supplies.

No. 6 Columbia Batteries.
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Hats for Easter.

As time is drawing near to Easter, we have much pleasure in informing the ladies that we are now displaying a large and really charming array of the latest

London Styles and Makes in Hats

to suit both young and old. These Hats are of especially neat design, and in the softest of tones and shades.

SEE WINDOW, where we are showing striking effects in NEW NECKWEAR, at 25c. per Collar.

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SOME VERY HANDSOME

BLouses.

They were bought JOB, that accounts for the particularly strong values to be found among the lot. Blouses that are really worthy of your inspection if you want something stylish, something up-to-date and yet moderately priced. White Embroidered Blouses, Jean and Ropp and a variety of others in Striped and Plain Silk Muslins; large shawl collar and tie, low neck and long sleeves. Blouses that would find favour at \$2.00. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.49

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And we make it a point at all times to secure that which is new, desirable, and dependable, in fact, always make sure of THE BEST the World's Markets Offer.

SPOT SILKS.

12 pieces of Spotted Silks, all white, assorted spots, good wearing silks for Blouses, Children's Dresses, 29 inches wide. Reg. 40c. Quality. Friday, Saturday and Monday 35c

Below we List Some of Our Best Values for

FRIDAY, SAT. & MONDAY.

BOYS' SHIRTS.

Shapely Top Shirts with new style semi-erect collar, big variety of strip patterns. Reg. 75c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 69c

HOME NEEDS UNDERPRICED

HALF BLEACHED SHEETS.

Just about 40 pairs of these, left over from last season. Sheatings have advanced and these offer you exceptional value at our Sale Price. Reg. up to \$1.20 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday 95c

TABLE NAPKINS.

A 20 dozen lot of pure White Mercerized Damask Table Napkins; size 15 x 15; these for every-day wear save your better ones. Reg. 12c. value. Friday, Saturday and Monday, each 9c

TABLE DAMASKS.

Strong value here in pure White Table Damask, 57 inches wide; this is a brand new line and represent the very best value procurable to-day. Special per yard Friday, Saturday and Monday 43c

PILLOW CASES.

Strong White Cotton Pillow Cases from the old country; size 22 x 32, with hemstitched frill and neatly embroidered corners; surprisingly cheap; good value at 30c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 27c

ART MUSLINS.

12 pieces of pretty Art Muslins, mostly floral patterns and fancy border; nice for all kinds of Summer Drapes, bedroom curtains etc. Reg. 17c. yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday 15c

BREAKFAST CLOTHS.

English Breakfast Cloths in half bleached Damasks; size 44 x 56, clear of fringe; they come with bright crimson striped border, cheerful looking. Reg. 80c. Friday Saturday & Monday 72c

ROLLER TOWELING.

18 inch pure White, with a huck finish, crimson striped border, a good wearing towel for kitchen wear. Reg. 15c. yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday 14c

Japanese Straw Rugs.

These take the place of the more costly Tapestry Rugs for bedroom wear; spacious rugs with broad striped borders and plain centre; size 36 x 72; you get surprising wear from these. Reg. 70c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 64c

"SUNFAST" DRAPERY CLOTH.

Just 3 pieces of this pretty shot-effect material, shades of Gold, Electric. Drapes imaginable, retains its shade, being a fadeless cloth. Regular 60c. and V Rose, makes the prettiest of yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday 47c

DAMASK TEA CLOTHS.

An assorted lot in nice White Damask; some with broad hemstitched border, others with scalloped edge; neat little cloths ever so useful; values to 45c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 36c

DUSTERS.

For the housewife, good wearing plaid Chamousette Dusters that can be washed over and over again; ideal cloths for polishing furniture, silverware, etc. Reg. 9c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 7c

GLASS TOWELS.

Heavy Linen Crash Glass Cloths, with permanent crimson lettered band border, hemmed ready for use. Reg. 20c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 16c

BALL FRINGE.

In Sky, White and Ecru, with heavy Chenille ball; these are hung very close together; makes a nice finish to fine drapes, sash muslins, and such like. Special per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday 4c

GIRLS' WATERPROOF HATS.

Fawn shade to match your Raglan or Rain Coat, the best kind of a Waterproof Hat for the Spring showers, Sou'Wester shape and stitched sloping rim. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday 34c

SHOWROOM NEWS.

ALL SILK SCARVES.

These are all the style for Spring wear, extra long Silk Scarves with silk fringe ends, unusually broad, quite a variety of shades. Reg. \$1.20. Friday, Saturday and Monday 69c

HAND BAGS.

Something you always need when shopping or otherwise bent; this lot shows a strong line of Black, Tan, Green and Navy Leather makes, double pocket and strong leather strap; a bag you would find possess. Reg. 75c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 48c

CHILDREN'S KNICKERS.

Snug-fitting White Flannel-knicker, cheaper than you can make them, finished with frill at knee; sizes to fit from 2 to 8 years. Reg. 22c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 18c

CHILDREN'S UNDERSKIRTS.

These come in White Flannel-knicker made with body, with button hole edge at foot of skirt; sizes to fit from 2 to 8 years; well made Underskirts, cheaper than you can make them up. Reg. 22c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 18c

RUBBER DIAPERS.

Some buttoned, others square cut; they're roomy and well shaped, indispensable where there is a baby. Reg. 18c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 14c

JOB LINE OF HAT BUCKLES AND ORNAMENTS.

Lots of pretty things here to brighten up your Spring Hat; the assortment showing makes Apron be of "Otis" Cloth. Special Friday, Saturday & Monday, yard 29c

Sample Line of LADIES' CORSETS.

This lot includes the famous "D and A" and the popular P. C. Corsets, the very newest models, made from best White Cotton, running through the lot will be found styles in high or low bust and long and medium hips, some with 4 others 6 suspenders. Make the most of this opportunity and decide on your Spring Corsets now. Regular prices up to \$3.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.98

DAIRY TEA APRONS.

These are decidedly pretty and made up attractively in fine White Muslin, with coloured muslin frill. Something you always need. Value for 20c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday 15c

Spring Underwear.

Fine ribbed Jersey Vests, with high neck and long sleeves. Pants to match ankle length, a medium weight, very suitable for spring wear; sizes run from 34 to 40 inch. Reg. 40c. per garment. Friday, Saturday and Monday 32c



"CRUSHER" HATS. These are going to be "all the rage" for Spring wear; a soft Felt Hat that can be rolled up and carried in the pocket; shades Rose, Navy, Grey, Brown, Emerald, Pink, Crimson, etc.; smart-looking Hats. Reg. 95c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 87c

New Arrivals in Children's American Dresses.



Winsome styles for summer wear. Muslin, Crepe, Gingham and plain and fancy linen makes; the low neck styles are favoured again this season; dresses with long sleeves, trimmings of fancy buttons, pippings, buckles, and so forth. Dresses to fit girls from 6 to 14 years. See these at the earliest opportunity. Regular values to \$2.00. Special for first showing Friday, Saturday and Monday \$1.29

SPRING FOOTWEAR!

CUT PRICES ON HATS and HOSE.

LADIES' SPRING BOOTS.

A smart looking boot in Gun Metal Calt, Paris heel; this boot is heavy enough to wear without rubbers, and most serviceable for all spring wear; half sizes from 3 to 7. Regular \$3.50 value. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$3.15



MEN'S NOBBY BOOTS.

This time it's a serviceable Gun Metal Boot, Blucher Cut, Military heel and block toe, half sizes to fit from; this is really an ideal boot for spring wear. Reg. \$4.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$4.30

LADIES' HOSE.

Our best line of high grade Hose, plain and ribbed, Black and Tan Cashmere, assorted sizes; the best English Hosiery we have ever passed over the counters. Reg. \$1.00. 89c Friday, Saturday & Mon. 89c

Khaki Drill.

This is an extra strong make with a nice soft finish, fast shade, very suitable for making up children's top garments for fine weather wear, overalls, rompers and so forth. Special, per yard 32c

"Bexel" SUITS FOR BOYS.

A line of neat looking suits for spring wear, Belted Coat and round close fitting collar; sizes to fit Juniors from 3 to 7 years. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday \$2.10

A Clearing Line of BOYS' English Boots.

Honestly constructed Boots, with heavy oak leather soles and heels; odd sizes to pick from; they are worth considerably more than we quote for this Special Sale. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$2.98

Infants' Socks.

Fine ribbed, Cashmere finish, 3/4 Socks for the little ones; they come in bright, Crimson shades; assorted sizes. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday 17c

BOYS' SPRING COATS.

Double breasted, smart looking Black and White Check Coats for the little fellows from 2 to 7 years, mannish looking with black velvet collar, 3/4 length; not many of these to hand. Reg. \$3.40. Friday, Saturday and Monday \$3.15

CHILDREN'S COLOURED HOSE.

Cashmere finish with fine rib, assorted sizes and shades of Pink and Sky; a line of Black in similar make; this is very good wearing Hose and very suitable for present wear. Special per pair Friday, Saturday and Monday 23c

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Here is a most serviceable cloth, heavier than gingham and comes in nice striped patterns on navy grounds, suitable for Rompers, Children's Dresses and Boy's Blouses. Reg. 27c. yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday 25c

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Made of strong English Flannellettes, without collar; shirts that will stand any amount of hard wear; full sizes, light and dark stripes. Reg. 80c. values. Friday, Saturday and Monday 72c

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Stout Corduroy covered School Bags, spacious size, with separate pocket outside. These are durable Bags and able to stand the weather. Reg. 85c. Friday, Saturday and Monday 78c

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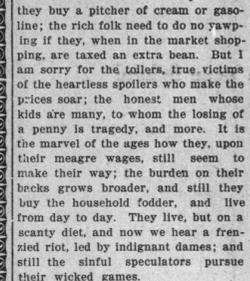
His Excellency the Governor, accompanied by Capt. Riley, M.C., A.D.C., visited the Regimental Headquarters yesterday morning and presented Mr. George Barrett with the Military Medal won by his son, 2nd Lieut. G. H. Barrett. His Excellency was received by Capt. C. Ayre and Capt. O'Grady. In the presence of the volunteers now in training His Excellency in a very fitting address tendered the coveted medal to Mr. Barrett, complimenting him on being the proud father of so brave a son. Mr. Barrett in a brief address on behalf of himself and his son thanked His Excellency for the compliments paid them. Cheers were given for His Excellency, Lieut. Barrett, M.M., and Mr. Barrett. The volunteers were then inspected by His Excellency, who was highly pleased with their smart appearance.

Made Away With the Flippers

There was a deal of trouble yesterday at the South Side over the familiar "grabs" of flippers. On one occasion two lads "lifted" a barrelful from a steamer's side and made a hasty get-away. Excitement and amusement vied with each other as two outportmen gave hot chase in a dory over the harbour after the "pirates," but did not succeed in catching them. The pursuers were greatly incensed over their loss and resolved that they would be on the alert in future.

THE HOLDUP.

Whene'er I blow myself for taters, I cure the greedy speculators who've made the prices high; re-trenchment is an empty byword when prices still are shooting skyward, and no relief is in sight. It matters nothing if the richer are held up when they buy a pitcher of cream or gasoline; the rich folk need to do no yawping if they, when in the market shopping, are taxed an extra bean. But I am sorry for the tollers, true victims of the heartless spoilers who make the prices soar; the honest men whose kids are many, to whom the losing of a penny is tragedy, and more. It is the marvel of the ages how they, upon their meagre wages, still seem to make their way; the burden on their backs grows broader, and still they buy the household fodder, and live from day to day. They live, but on a scanty diet, and now we hear a frenzied riot, led by indignant dames; and still the sinful speculators pursue their wicked games.



Five Dollars for "Another Spot on the Crackie."

The English language contains only five words ending in -o-o-t-s. Here are four:—Tremendous, Hazardous, Stupendous, Hybridous. We will give \$5.00 to the 1st person forwarding us the best word. Can you find it? Conditions:—The Outside Green Wrapper obtained from a bottle of "Stafford's Liniment" must be enclosed with your answer. "Stafford's Liniment" cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains. For sale everywhere; over 30,000 bottles sold last year. Prepared only by DR. F. STAFFORD & SON, St. John's, Nfld. Manufacturers of 3 Specialities: Stafford's Liniment, Stafford's Prescription "A", Stafford's Phoronate Cough Cure. The above competition closes on the 30th of April.

Household Notes.

Newspapers will give as brilliant a finish to window glass as champagne. Nothing so good for a sprain as bathing with very hot water, in which turpentine has been added, an ounce to a quart. To relieve the soreness of a painful soft corn, try binding it up each night with baking soda moistened with a little water. Delicious sandwiches are made of thin slices of cucumber dipped in French dressing. Stale brown bread is better than white. Parsley may be preserved for winter by tying in little bundles when fresh and placing in layers, with salt between, in a glass jar. MEN'S MISSION.—The mission for men, conducted by the Vincentian Fathers, began at the R. C. Cathedral and St. Patrick's Church this morning at 7 o'clock, large congregations being present. Appropriate sermons were preached after Mass.



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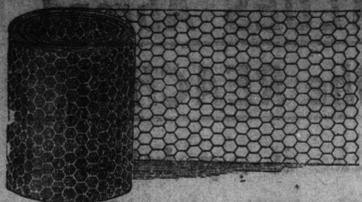
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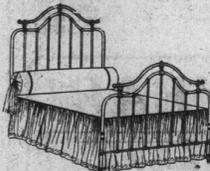


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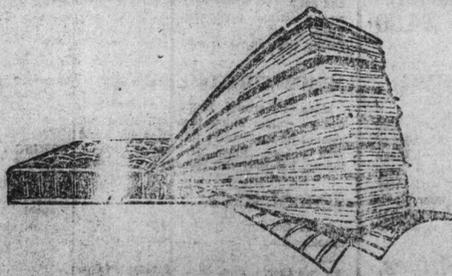


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