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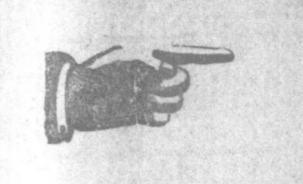
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ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1924.

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3-Ply Ru-ber-oid, 36 ins.  
3-Ply Ru-ber-oid, 18 ins.  
2-Ply Ru-ber-oid, 36 ins.  
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Eureka Rubber Roofing.

Ruberoid Red Coating.  
Ruberoid Cement.  
Ruberoid Galv'd. Nails.  
B.-H. Paint.

Tarr'd Paper.  
2-Ply Felt.  
3-Ply Felt.  
Matchless Paint.

Tierces Coal Tar.  
Barrels Coal Tar.  
Half Bris. Coal Tar.  
Tins Roofing Tar.  
Bris. Roofing Pitch.  
Tar Brushes.



## BOWRING BROTHERS, Limited, Stores Department.

### Auction Sales!

**POPULAR DOWDEN AND EDWARDS AUCTIONEERS**  
**GRAND AUCTION.**  
All the Household Furniture of  
**J. F. LYNCH, ESQ.,**  
Ordanville Street.  
Commencing  
**10.30 a.m. Wednesday.**  
Inventory includes Mahogany,  
Rosewood and other furniture.  
Plan of sale is—  
Wednesday—Drawing Room, Sit-  
ting Room, Breakfast Room and Hall.  
Thursday—Bedrooms.  
Friday—Kitchen and balance of  
goods.  
WEDNESDAY'S LIST.  
Drawing Room—1 mahogany davenport, covered with silk tapestry;  
1 iron and brass fender, 1 set fire  
iron on stand, 2 pair green portiers,  
1 billiard box, 1 mantel clock, 1 carpet,  
2 x 10; curtains, pictures.  
Hall—1 mahogany mahogany hall  
table, 4 ft.; 1 oak hall chair, 1 ornate  
electric light stand, 10 yards  
floral linoleum, 1 rubber mat, 1 rope  
mat, 8 yards stair carpet, 1 pair  
green portiers, 1 coat rack with large  
B. E. mirror.  
Breakfast Room—1 oak table, 1 set  
dining chairs, 1 combination china  
cabinet, 1 reading lamp, 1 clock, 1  
picture, (Royal Family), 8 yards  
linoleum, 1 Edison gramophone  
and 60 records, 1 half Elfin Limoges  
china tea and dinner set, 1 square  
centre table, 1 pile table cloth, electric  
shades, etc.  
Silverware—3 silver entree dishes,  
1 electric hot water kettle, 2 pyrex  
dishes, 1 cut glass salad bowl, 1 cut  
glass cake stand, 1 electric percolator,  
6 silver soup spoons, 18 silver  
teaspoons, 5 dessert spoons, 5 ladles,  
1 silver tea set, 1 electric  
heating bed pan, glassware, china-  
ware, etc., etc.  
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M. E. HAWCO,  
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March 15th, 1924.  
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### TEA AND SALE OF WORK, ETC.

By Cochrane St. Mission Circle,  
**St. Patrick's Day.**  
Sale to be opened 4 o'clock in the  
Lecture Room. General admission 10c.  
High Teas from 6 to 8-30c. Children's  
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### BOWLING ALLEY.

Owing to the Institute  
Alley requiring repairs,  
it will not be open for  
play until St. Patrick's  
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### 30 (THIRTY) HOUSES FOR SALE.

Prices \$1800.00 to \$16,000.00;  
suitable terms arranged.  
**MONEY TO LOAN.**  
\$100.00 and upwards on city  
property security.  
**FRED J. ROIL & CO.,**  
Real Estate & Insurance Agents,  
Smallwood Bldg., Duckworth Street.  
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**Dyeing, Dry Cleaning.**  
All kinds of Ladies' and Gents'  
garments Dyed or Dry Cleaned,  
repaired; also curtains and  
coverings called for and delivered.  
**J. J. DOOLEY,**  
Cor. Lime St. & LeMarchant Rd.  
Phone 1488.  
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### REXALL ORDERLIES

Recommended by us as a gentle  
acting Pleasant and Effective  
Laxative, ideal for children, aged  
people and invalids as well as  
for robust persons.  
THREE SIZES:  
15c., 35c. and 60c.  
**PETER O'MARA,**  
THE DRUGGIST,  
THE REXALL STORE.

### The Salvation Army, Adelaide Street.

**Five Days' Special Self-Denial Campaign,**  
conducted by  
**Colonel and Mrs. Cloud,**  
Commanders of Newfoundland,  
assisted by the Territorial Staff.  
Saturday, 15th March, at 8 o'clock—  
Topic: "Flash Lights."  
Sunday, at 8 o'clock—The Great  
Tableaux effect, entitled "Handicap."  
Admission 20 cents.  
Tuesday, 8 o'clock—The Guards'  
Demonstration.  
Wednesday, at 8 o'clock—The re-  
markable life story of Mrs. (Colonel)  
Cloud. This is one of the greatest  
stories ever heard of the marvellous  
leadings of God. Mrs. Cloud has been  
an officer for 34 years. Admission 20  
cents.  
These meetings are in the interest  
of the great Self-Denial effort of 1924.  
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### Grand Card Party, Dance and Tea, St. Joseph's Hall, St. Patrick's Night.

Good substantial prizes,  
good time assured all who  
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### Saturday's Specials.

Shamrocks—Pot and Cut.  
Flowers—Pot and Cut.  
Raw and Scald Cream.  
Pears, Apples, Lemons,  
Oranges, Grape Fruit,  
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Local  
and Imported Cabbage,  
Local and Imported Eggs,  
Parsnips, Moir's Cakes,  
Coffins' Sausages  
(fresh daily).  
Tinned Bake Apples.  
**W. WHITEWAY,**  
Phone 2018, 8 Charlton St.  
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### Money to Loan

on freehold and leasehold  
security in St. John's.  
**T. P. HALLEY,**  
Solicitor,  
Renouf Bldg., Duckworth St.  
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### TO LET

**PREMISES**  
situate on Adelaide Street,  
consisting of Store, Offices  
and Basement. For further  
particulars apply to  
**CYRIL JAMES FOX,**  
Solicitor.  
Board of Trade Bldg.  
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### Opening Announcement.

**The Central Drug Store**  
is now open for business at the  
corner of Duckworth Street and  
Bates' Hill with a full supply of  
Pure Drugs, Patent Medicines  
and Toilet Articles. Prescriptions  
will be carefully compounded.  
We respectfully solicit your kind  
patronage.  
**The Central Drug Store**  
cor. Duckworth St. & Bates' Hill.  
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### SELLING CHEAP

**150 Boxes**  
**WINESAP APPLES**  
All counts.  
**BAIRD & CO.**  
Water Street East.

### COURTNEY'S

**BEAUTY PARLOR-BARBER SHOP,**  
8 Prescott Street, Phone 1559.  
Exquisite White and Grey Hair  
Nets, double mesh-cap, each . . . 20c.  
Medium Brown, Dark Brown,  
double mesh-cap, each . . . 15c.  
Dark Brown, double mesh-fringe  
each . . . 10c.  
French Face Powder, daintily per-  
fumed, three sizes . . . 35c, 50c, & 80c.  
Coty Compact Powder . . . \$1.75  
Houbigant Compact Powder . . . \$2.50  
Kerens-Medical Kerosene Hair  
Tonic . . . \$1.00  
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### FOR SALE:

That Leasehold Property with Factory  
and Stable Thereon  
SITUATE ON HAMILTON AND BRINE STREET, CITY.  
Machinery and Plant contained in the above building, Mer-  
chandise Stocks.  
Freehold Land on Brine Street—75 feet frontage.  
1 Piece of Land on Blackmarsh Road, measuring 1 acre, 1  
rod, 35 perches.  
Full particulars of the above can be had at the office of the  
Company on Brine Street.  
Machinery would be sold as a whole, or in lots to suit prospective  
purchasers.  
**W. H. CHRISTIAN,**  
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### LEAGUE HOCKEY

**TIE CUP SERIES.**  
**TO-NIGHT at 9.30**  
**Guards vs. Feildians.**  
**ST. PATRICK'S DAY at 2.30**  
**St. Bon's vs. Feildians.**  
General Admission 25c.  
Reserved seats at Gray & Goodland's till 5.30.  
**No General Skating.**

### B. I. S. Celebration, St. Patrick's Night, "CEILIDH".

**MUSIC—SONG—DANCING.**  
Commencing 7.30 p.m. Sharp. Tickets, including  
Supper, \$1.00.  
**John D. O'Driscoll,**  
Secretary,  
Royal Bank of Canada Building.  
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### The Star of the Sea Ladies' Association

will hold a  
**Card Party for Ladies and Gents, on**  
**ST. PATRICK'S AFTERNOON from 3 to 5**  
Prizes: GOLD PIECES.  
Supper served at 5 o'clock. Tickets 50 cents each.  
**BIG DANCE ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT.**  
Dancing at 8 o'clock sharp. C.C.C. Orchestra will  
give very latest Irish Music. Tickets: Ladies 50c.,  
Gents 75c.  
Card tables will also be provided. Be with the  
crowd and have a jolly good time.  
mar3.31,s.w.s

### GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH

**CONCERT AND SOCIABLE**  
IN THE LECTURE ROOM, ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT  
at 8 o'clock.  
The following performers have kindly consented to take  
part: Mesdames Baird, Hughes, Sansome and Parsons; Misses  
Taylor, Johnston, Russell, Hutton and Murray; Messrs. Chris-  
tian, Trapnell, Halley, Holmes, Driscoll, Courtenay, Mewa,  
Stella, Tucker, King, Steer. Accompanist: H. Gordon Christian,  
L.R.A.M.  
Candy and Ice Cream for sale. Admission 50c.  
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### HOLY CROSS SCHOOLS

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY.**  
Afternoon: "Rose O' My Heart"  
Delightful Specialties interspersed. Mt. Cashel Band.  
**Night: Old Time Irish Re-Union**  
C.C.C. ORCHESTRA.  
**GRAND CARD TOURNAMENT**—1 valuable prize  
es: Ten Dollar Gold Piece, Barrel of Flour, Half Ton  
Coal, 22-lb. Tub of Butter.  
ADMISSION 50c.  
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### Newfoundland Horseman's Association.

**FIFTH ANNUAL ICE MEET,**  
MARCH 17th, on QUIDI  
VIDI LAKE.  
(Weather and ice permitting)  
1. Class B. Trot or Pace.  
2. Native Bred Trot or Pace.  
3. Free for all Pace.  
4. Free for all Trot.  
Ribbons and Prizes for each  
Class.  
First Race starts at 2.30 p.m.  
sharp. All entries will be made  
not later than Saturday, 15th  
inst., at 5 p.m. Entrance Fee  
\$5.00.  
Secure your tickets on the  
Course for "THE FREE FOR  
ALL" Trot.  
**JOHN D. O'DRISCOLL,**  
Secretary,  
Royal Bank of Canada Building.  
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### The West End CANDY STORE and RESTAURANT

will be open as usual on St.  
Patrick's Day.  
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### Riverview Nurseries,

Rennie's Mill Road,  
will be open till 1 o'clock on  
St. Patrick's Day for the  
convenience of the Public.  
Telephone 348 if you want  
any of the following first  
class flowers:—  
Carnation.  
Stock.  
Calla Lillies.  
Daffodils.  
Tulips.  
Hyacinths.  
AND  
Cinerarias in Pots;  
ALSO  
Nice Fresh Lettuce.  
Parsley and Shamrocks.  
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### CASH FOR

**HOUSEHOLD GOODS.**  
I have orders open for good  
clean furniture and household  
goods. If you want to realize a  
satisfactory price send what you  
have for disposal to the corner  
of King's Beach and Duckworth  
Street.  
**R. MERCER,**  
Phone 921.  
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### EXPRESS DELIVERY.

**TELEPHONE:**  
Royal Stationery Co., No. 842  
or  
**H. Ledrew's Residence,**  
No. 1688W, for  
**H. Ledrew's Express.**  
mar5.21,s.w.s

### HOUSE TO LET.

That most desirable Dwelling  
House, No. 24 Cochrane Street;  
apply to  
**M. & E. KENNEDY,**  
Carpenters and Builders.  
Jan17,11.ed Office 23 Renouf Bldg.  
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### TO RENT—Dwelling House

No. 158 Gower Street, possession given  
1st May; apply to J. V. O'DEA & CO.  
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### B.I.S.

The Adjourned Annual Meet-  
ing of the Benevolent Irish So-  
ciety will be held on to-morrow,  
Sunday, immediately after Last  
Mass.  
**ALAN DOYLE,**  
Secretary.  
mar15.11

### PRELIMINARY NOTICE

**St. Mary's Women's Association ANNUAL SALE**  
on May 7th, in the Parish Hall.  
Will all friends please note this  
date?  
mar15.11

### MASONIC DANCE.

Admission to the Dance  
on St. Patrick's night,  
will be by ticket only.  
**ERN FOX,**  
Secretary, M.E.C.  
mar15.11

### T. A. Ladies' Auxiliary

**CARD PARTY, SUPPER AND DANCE.**  
**St. Patrick's Afternoon and Night.**  
The Card Party commences at  
3 p.m., Auction and Progressive  
Forty-Fives.  
A Grand Dance at night, com-  
mencing at 8.30.  
Full Orchestra with Special  
Music.  
ADMISSION 50c.  
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### Houses, etc. For Sale

**FOR SALE—A Cow, just**  
calved; apply to THOMAS COLE, Tor-  
bay.  
mar15.11  
**FOR SALE—Up-to-Date**  
Evening Suits also Suits for hire. C.  
M. HALL, Tailor, Bates' Hill.  
jan23.s.11

### FOR SALE—1 Mare, owned

by Wm. Dunn; reason for selling,  
owner in hospital; apply 53 Hayward  
Ave.  
mar14.21  
**FOR SALE—1 Steam En-**  
gine about 70 horse power; apply at  
our Butterine Factory, opp. Prince's  
Risk, between 9 and 12 or 3 and 6.  
**HARVEY & CO., LTD.**  
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### FOR SALE—One Superior

Driving or General Purpose Horse, a  
good driver; gentle in any harness;  
any trial given; weight 1120; apply  
to M. KEAN, Taxi Man, 283 Water St.  
West.  
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### FOR SALE—A Dwelling

House and Garage on Macklin Place,  
also a Building Lot on McKay Street;  
all freehold. For particulars apply  
NORMAN FELLEBY, Macklin Place or  
phone 1535E.  
mar12.61

### FOR SALE—Freehold

Building Lot on Waterford Bridge  
Road, two minutes' walk from street  
car; also Leasehold Dwelling House  
in good locality, suitable for business  
and residence; apply to T. P. HAL-  
LEY, Solicitor, Renouf Building,  
Duckworth Street, City.  
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### VICTOR SAFES.

A size for Every Business  
**WALTER E. WHITE,**  
Bon Marche Bld. Phone 1521.  
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### WANTED. A WOMAN

experienced in housework, for  
small family living just outside  
city limits; good opportunity for  
capable, industrious person to  
secure a comfortable living;  
must be fond of children; state  
age and references. P.O. Box  
2039.  
mar8.51.ed

### TO RENT FROM APRIL

**Furnished Residence,**  
a few minutes walk from Raw-  
lins' Cross, delightful situation,  
lawns, trees, large fruit garden.  
For further particulars apply  
immediately to "A. B. C." Even-  
ing Telegram.  
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### LOST—Ladies' Gold Wrist

Watch, initials "L.E.T." engraved on  
back, between R. C. Cathedral, by way  
of Military and Forest Roads. Finder  
will be rewarded on returning same to  
W. HALFYARD, Colonial Secretary's  
Office.  
mar15.21

### TO LET — Small Building,

suitable for garage or stable, posses-  
sion given April 1st; apply at 59  
Cookstown Road.  
mar15.11

### WANTED — To Rent by

May 1st, a Small House, with water  
and sewerage, central part of town  
preferred; apply, stating terms and  
location, to "TESAANT," c/o Evening  
Telegram.  
mar15.21,s.t.u.th

### WANTED—To Buy a Four

Cylinder Coupe Motor Car; apply with  
all particulars and price to letter "X"  
c/o this office.  
mar15.11

### Want to hear from owner

having farm for sale; give particulars  
and lowest price. JOHN J. BLACK,  
Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin.  
mar8.15

### YOUR BOY AND GIRL

can do better work with a Fountain  
Pen. Best values in town at  
**BUTLER BROTHERS,**  
"The Fountain Pen Centre,"  
mar15.11 161 Water Street.

### Help Wanted.

**WANTED—A Good Clean**  
Girl; apply 16 Cathedral Street.  
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### WANTED—A Smart Boy

for the Drug Business; apply to J. J.  
FEEHAN, Water Street West, mar14.21

### WANTED—A Maid who un-

derstands plain cooking; apply MRS.  
BOYD BAIRD, 11 Monkstown Road.  
mar15.11

### WANTED—By the middle

of April, a Good Reliable Girl, for  
family of two; apply to 11 Military Road.  
mar15.21,s.w.s



**Rheumatic Pains**

Are relieved in a few days by taking 30 drops of Rether Seigel's Syrup after meals on retiring. It dissolves the lime and acid accumulation in the muscles and joints so these deposits can be expelled, thus relieving pain and soreness. Seigel's Syrup, also known as "Extract of Roots," contains no dope nor other strong drugs to kill or mask the pain of rheumatism or lumbago; it removes the cause.

**The Countess of Landon.**

**CHAPTER XI.**

"No," she said in a low voice, "I am not glad to see you."

"That's candid, anyhow," he remarked, folding his hands behind his head, and leaning back that he might easily look up at her.

"It is true," she said in the same low, troubled tone. "You should not have stayed. Now that you are well again, you should have gone away—back to your own people. It is not right that you should stay with us."

"Oh! that's what the matter?" he said, quietly. "That was why you wouldn't drink to my health last night, is it?"

"Yes," she said, with still downcast eyes. "We are not fit company for a gentleman. You know that; you must feel that. You should have gone back to your own people."

He was silent a moment; then he said, with quiet earnestness:

"Look here, Madge: I know what you think; that I've joined this tribe for a mere whim; that I'm a harum-scarum sort of fellow that's got bitten by the idea of roughing it for a time, and that I'm just taken with the fancy for living in the open air, like a boy who wants to play at Robinson Crusoe."

She looked assent.

"I thought so, well, Madge, I want to disabuse your mind of that idea at once and forever. You're wrong. There's more method to my madness than you think. You talk about my going back to my own people. But it happens sometimes that a man can't go back—that his own people won't have him. Now, strange as it may seem, that's just my case."

She raised her eyes and looked at him, not incredulously—for if he had said that the sky was green she would have thought him right, that she must be color blind and mistaken—but with a faint troubled wonder.

"When you picked me up the other night I was as much a waif and stray, as much an outcast, without a home or a people, as a lost dog in a strange city. They say that there's a special providence which watches over very young kids and inebriated old gentlemen. There must be also a special providence for young men who—by their

own fault, mind—have had the door shown to them, and are left to roam the world like the lost lamb in the story. So I fell into your hands and your people's, you see, Madge. Do you know that, if the tribe had declined to let me join you—and I haven't yet got over my surprise that they should have done so—I should have had to take to tramping, had to turn navvy, or gone into the boot lace and lead-pencil business? Oh, I'm not joking; for a very faint smile crossed her face. "Honestly and candidly, I was an outcast, I should like to tell you the whole story—his face clouded—"and perhaps I will some day, but I'm not quite up to it just now. Perhaps—his voice grew lower—"I don't want to give myself away altogether—perhaps I want to let you think me rather better than I am, and not a right down bad lot."

Her eyes rested on him with a curious expression, with something of pity and tenderness in their carefully concealed admiration.

"So I sha'n't tell you just now, and I've only said this much to show you that, instead of lowering myself by joining your people—that's how you'd put it, isn't it?"

"Yes," she said, softly.

"I thought so. Well, instead of that, it's just the other way. It's a stroke of luck, and I'm grateful for it."

"You will be unhappy," she said, very softly.

He laughed and looked up at her with the bright light in his handsome eyes which had struck her the first moment she had seen him.

"I think not, Madge. Anyhow, I've spent a jollier day to-day than I've spent for a very long time—that is, I should have done, if I hadn't had an uneasy feeling that you were cut up about something. It's just the life that suits me. Out in the open air all day—and all night, for the matter of that. No care, no worry, plenty to eat, cheerful society. By George! if some of the fellows with the dyspepsia and all that were to turn gypsies, they'd be different men in a week. And I've got a chum already. Old Davy, you know, Madge. Delightful old chap! He has been showing me the ropes. By the way, he told me you were our queen."

She winced and flushed, and drew back as if she feared he was speaking contemptuously; and Royce, seeing what was passing through her mind, made haste to add:

"And mind, I think that they're—we're—quite right to have some one at the head of us; and I'm sure no nation in the world has got a wiser and a sweeter queen than we have, Madge."

Her color came and went.

"I—I thought you were laughing at me—at us," she said, with a quick little pant.

He looked up at her steadily.

"Laugh at the woman who saved my life and nursed me day after day, night after night! I should as soon think of jeering at my mother, or my sister, if I had one, Madge," he said.

The color deepened on her face.

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**About Your Coffee**

**HOW IT CAME TO ENGLAND.**

An interesting story is connected with the opening of the first coffee-house in London. In the seventeenth century a Turkish merchant came to England with his Greek servant, Pasqual Rosee. Rosee was an expert in the making of good coffee, and was in the habit of preparing coffee daily for his master and his master's visitors. The beverage was so much appreciated that very soon the merchant was overwhelmed with visitors, who came again and again. Thereupon the enterprising Turk opened a coffee-house for his servant, bearing Rosee's portrait, with the announcement that he was the first to make and publicly sell coffee-drink in England. After this, coffee-houses became more numerous, and coffee itself became a popular and fashionable beverage.

Of course, coffee-drinking was known to the Turks for close on one hundred years before it became popular in England. In fact, when coffee-houses were first opened in Constantinople they were responsible for a very much depleted attendance at the mosques!

**Out of Ethiopia.**  
Some of the earliest records of coffee as an article of human consumption date back to the time of the Ethiopians, a race of people who dwelt in Northern Africa. They used it not only as a drink but also as a food—roasted, crushed, and formed into small balls with an admixture of grease. From Ethiopia the use of coffee spread in time to Arabia, and we read of coffee being included with shipments of spices and other Eastern produce early in the fifteenth century.

Arabia, during the fifteenth, sixteenth, and seventeenth centuries, was in fact responsible for practically the whole coffee supply of the world. The plant was cultivated principally in the province of Yemen, in South Arabia, from where the variety known as "Mocha" still comes. Towards the end of the seventeenth century some coffee seeds reached the Dutch East Indies, where the plant was soon very extensively cultivated. At about the same period the plant was introduced to the West Indies by the Dutch; and later, South America and Mexico became the principal sources of supply.

**A Pretty Plant.**  
The coffee plant is very pleasing in appearance, with smooth leathery leaves, which are dark and shiny on the upper surface and pale green underneath. It takes from two to four years before the coffee plant begins to bear fruit. The flowers grow in white fragrant clusters, which very quickly yield berries, so that flowers and berries are often found together on the same plant. The berry, which is green and fleshy, soon changes to yellow and then red, and afterwards to dark red or purple. It has to be picked at exactly the right moment. It then goes through numerous processes. The berries are first put through water in which the ripe ones float and the others sink to the bottom. They then go through a pulping process to remove the fleshy portions.

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"Governor Flynn of Rhode Island told me a good story the other day," said Robert E. M. Cowie recently at a luncheon given in his honor on the occasion of his being elected President of the American Railway Express Co. "He heard of an old farmer who lived away back in the backwoods. He had a wife and a small son. The wife unfortunately died, and the nearest neighbors being many miles away, the father wondered how he would proceed to bring up the boy. So he decided to keep him within the confines of the farm. He raised him until he was almost eighteen. The boy, outside of his own mother, had never cast his eyes upon a living woman. The father thought that this was rather cruel, and that he had better show his son something of the world. Being a New Englander, when he talked of the world he of course meant Boston. So he told the boy that after they gathered the harvest in, he would take him down to Boston. On the way down the boy's eyes were going like popcorn in a popping pan, as he looked at the wonderful creatures on the train and on the streets. In the Boston home to which they went was a beautiful young woman about the boy's age. He instantly became very much attached. They went to the Art Gallery the next afternoon and before they got home were engaged. He was what is called in these days a 'fast worker.' About two days after that they carried home the rather unwelcome tidings to the father that they had just been out and got married. He was terribly disappointed. His vision of a future for the boy seemed to have been shattered in one fell shatter. But as he was philosophical he made up his mind to take them into his arms and forgive them. So he told them to go on back to his farm and have a little honeymoon while he finished his visit in Boston. "Two weeks later the father made for home. As he approached the farmhouse, he could see the boy leaning on the fence—alone. He began to holler out to him, and as he got nearer asked, 'And how's Annie?' "The boy shuddered. 'That was awful. Yesterday or the day before yesterday she started to go out into the barn, when she fell down and broke her leg. So, my God, father, I had to shoot her.'"

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### Chief Justice of California Becomes Secretary of the Navy

### Five of Orduna's Crew Plead Guilty of Smuggling--Captain of Santiago Went Down With His Ship.

**PLEADED GUILTY.**  
NEW YORK, March 14. Five of the seven members of the crew of the Royal Mail Steamer Orduna which has been seized by the United States Government, pleaded guilty to smuggling charges here today and were re-handled for sentence until next Wednesday. In the meantime E. J. Berwind, coal operator, put up \$1,000,000 bond for the steamer company, so the Orduna will sail for Hamburg to-morrow on schedule and the trial of the Government's suit to obtain permanent possession of the vessel through condemnation, was begun before Judge A. N. Hand in the Admiralty Division of the United States District Court.

**DENBY'S SUCCESSOR.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, March 14. Curtis D. Wilbur, Chief Justice of the California Supreme Court, announced last night that he had received a telegram from President Coolidge tendering him the office of Secretary of the Navy, made vacant by the resignation of Edwin Denby and that he had accepted.

**THE STORY OF THE SANTIAGO.**  
BALTIMORE, March 14. Ten survivors of the Ward Line steamer Santiago, which sank in the storm off Hatteras, last Tuesday night, were landed here to-day from the Chesapeake. They told a fragmentary but tragic story of the loss of their ship and the gallant death of Capt. J. S. Baldwin, who refused to leave the ship and went down strapped to the masthead. The disaster which overtook the great freighter and 25 of her crew was caused through the loosening of a hatch cover which let in the mountainous seas and foundered the vessel. Lifeboats were smashed to kindling wood and only one got away just as the steamer turned over.

**ANOTHER SHIPWRECKED CREW RESCUED.**  
NEW YORK, March 14. Nine members of the crew of the American schooner Splendide, which was abandoned at sea while on her way from Jacksonville, to Portland, Maine, have been picked up by the steamer Carillo, bound for Jamaica.

**C.N.R. EARNINGS.**  
MONTREAL, March 14. The final figures, showing a complete statement of operating results during 1923, were announced to-day by the C.N.R. The figures show the net earnings last year were \$20,238,563.09, as compared with \$2,838,711.55 in 1922, or net increase of \$17,349,851.54.

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\$51.54. They differ only slightly from the estimated earnings for 1923 as announced by Sir Henry Thornton, President and Chairman of the Board of Directors, early in January.

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### Mr. A. Wareham Explains

Editor Evening Telegram  
Dear Sir.—In the synopsis of the Enquiry, published in your paper on Thursday last, reference was made to a cheque for the sum of \$1,010.16, drawn in my favor, and I would thank you to allow me a little space in the columns of the Evening Telegram to place myself right before the people, not only of St. John's, but of Placentia Bay as well.

The reference is made to A. Wareham and some may think that I was in business for the purpose of supplying all the goods I could to the needy poor with the object of bringing business to myself. As this cheque was apparently questioned, it seems only fair that I should set myself right in the eyes of the public.

Let me tell you, sir, I am the Relieving Officer for a portion of Placentia Bay. I received my appointment from the Commissioner of Public Charities, who instructed me to supply as little relief as possible and to investigate carefully all cases before giving any relief. This I have always endeavored to do and I feel sure I have not spent one dollar that was not absolutely necessary.

The cheque referred to above, while it was drawn in my favor, was not for me personally, as many people may think; but it was for different people in other parts of the Bay.

When I received my instructions from the Commissioner to relieve the very needy cases, I had to communicate with business men in other parts of the Bay and arrange with them, through the Justices of the Peace and Clergymen, to relieve distress in their settlements; but only as little as possible. These bills in time came to me to be certified, and I certified only those from people who had been authorized by me to receive distress.

In many cases bills were sent me to be certified, but as I had given no authority I could not certify them; consequently the people did not get their money. The certified bills were always sent to the Commissioner, who sent a cheque for the total amount of the bills received. I then had to pay the different business men who had supplied the necessary goods.

My only idea, in reference to the above is, as I said before, to place myself right with the public.

Thanking you for publishing these few remarks, I am, dear sir,  
Yours sincerely,  
A. WAREHAM.

Hr. Buffett.

### An Amazing Screen Masterpiece Arrives

**"THE MARRIAGE CHANCE," MONDAY'S BIG FILM AT THE NICKEL.**

"The Marriage Chance," the big Hampton Del Ruth Production has at last arrived, and Monday being a holiday, the Nickel Theatre has decided to screen it on that occasion. It is an amazing photoplay of a distinctly different nature than a picture yet shown in the city. A short synopsis of the story is as follows:—

Eleanor Douglas, dismissed from boarding school, consents to an immediate marriage with William Bradley, young district attorney, in order to evade queries as to her sudden homecoming. Her elder sister Mary has long been engaged to Dr. Paul Graydon, who has taken an isolated house where he may pursue his scientific experiments undisturbed. Eleanor's automobile gets beyond her control, and she is hurled into a pond from which she emerges, pursued by a bull, and finds refuge at Dr. Graydon's. What she sees inside so terrifies her that she makes Mary break her engagement.

Eleanor's wedding is about to take place in her home. She asks for a glass of water, which Graydon hands her, and she falls into a faint. Graydon finally pronounces her dead. Her kitter later tastes the same water and falls dead. About to be buried in the garden it suddenly revives and scampers away. The horrible thought comes to all that Eleanor may have been buried alive. Bradley makes haste to exhume the body but discovers the coffin empty. He rushes to Graydon's, where he discovers Eleanor, in bridal array, on the operating table and Graydon on the door.

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If you want a good time, come to St. Joseph's Hall, St. Patrick's night, Grand Card Party, Tea and Dance. Substantial prizes awarded. Your last chance before Easter to enjoy a good night.—mar15,11

### TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

**WORK ON HUDSON BAY RAILWAY TO PROCEED.**  
OTTAWA, ONT., Mar. 15. The announcement that the Canadian National Railway has been subject to go ahead with work on the Hudson Bay railway this summer, subject to the approval of the estimates by Parliament was made in House of Commons this afternoon by Hon. George P. Graham, Minister of Railways.

**GENERAL ELECTION IN GERMANY.**  
BERLIN, Mar. 15. President Ebert to-day fixed May the fourth as the date for the general elections in the German republic.

**DESTRUCTION BY EARTHQUAKE IN COSTA RICA.**  
MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Mar. 15. The Costa Rican villages of San Mateo, Naranjo, Crotina, San Ramon, and Gracia have been completely destroyed by earthquakes. The people have left the stricken centers and are camping in the open. Shocks continued with minor intensity and five hundred distinct tremors have been felt thus far.

**AGREEMENT BETWEEN U.S.A. AND CANADA REACHED ON DEEP WATERWAYS PROJECT.**  
WASHINGTON, Mar. 15. An agreement has been reached between the Canadian and United States governments whereby they will create national commissions to co-operate with the Joint Engineering Board in planning the proposed St. Lawrence Great Lakes waterway project. Secretary Hoover will head the United States commission. The development of the St. Lawrence waterway as recommended by the International Joint Commission would make it possible for ocean-going shipping to enter ports on the Great Lakes, and provide at the same time for the development of hydro electric power at an estimated cost of \$252,750,000.

**LEAGUE OF NATIONS JUSTIFIES ITS EXISTENCE.**  
GENEVA, Mar. 15. Everybody in the League of Nations circles to-night was of the opinion that the League to-day had one of its biggest days in its history throughout the work of its council, and had given new proof of its usefulness as a mechanism for international conciliation and arbitration.

It settled the conflict over Meme, which has been a dangerous problem for Europe for years. It definitely launched the project for the reconstruction of Hungary by inducing the little entente to sign the Hungarian proposal. It advanced the cause of European peace by inducing Poland and Germany to arbitrate their differences over the question of minorities. In case they are unable to reach an accord by direct negotiation, and it disposed of the frontier conflict between Poland and Danzig which is under the league control.

**AROUND THE WORLD FLIGHT STARTS ON MONDAY.**  
SANTA MONICA, Cal., Mar. 15. Three cruiser airplanes will leave here at 7 o'clock on Monday morning on the start of the United States army round the world flight. It was announced here yesterday by Major Frederick L. Martin commander of the flight that the fourth airplane will start later in the week.

**J. H. THOMAS GIVES HIS VIEWS ON EMPIRE AFFAIRS.**  
LONDON, Mar. 15. J. H. Thomas Secretary for the colonies in a speech yesterday at Derby said the policy of the Colonial Office must not be to dictate to the colonies but to help and encourage them. No greater mistake could be made than to assume that the interests of the dominions were identical to those of Great Britain. He trusted the result of self Government and loyal and make Ireland as strong and loyal as the rest of the dominions. Self Government for India, said Mr. Thomas, should come through co-operation not through bloodshed. "We must treat native races as human beings not as slaves," he concluded.

**LADY ASTOR'S TRIBUTE TO LABOUR PARTY.**  
PLYMOUTH, Mar. 15. A tribute was paid to the Labour Government yesterday by Lady Astor in a speech at a luncheon given by the Mayor. "Look at the present Government, the way they buckled to and played the part of Englishmen first," she said. "I think this very aptly. We must give the devil his due in these days of transition and unrest in the world. A small party spirit is not big enough. I think the Government has realized it, and we ought to be proud of it."

**GRIEVANCE REMOVED BEFORE RECOGNITION IS CONSIDERED.**  
TOKIO, Mar. 15. Japan will not consider the formal recognition of Soviet Russia until a satisfactory settlement of the recent incidents at Vladivostok is in effect, the foreign minister, Matsui announced to-day these incidents which have been described as pin points in a campaign of irritation against Japan, and which have become leading issues of the greatest importance are the closure of the Japanese consulate at Siberian Port, stoppage of the Mail-service to and from Japan, and arrest of Japanese for which no reason has been given.

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rests of Japanese for which no reason has been given.

### POINCARÉ SENDS THE SENATE TO HIS WILL.

PARIS, Mar. 15. Fighting single handed against the strongest opposition encountered during his administration, Premier Poincaré has won for his Government the right to make laws governing immediate economic and fiscal measures by a simple decree without Parliamentary ratification. Victory came late last night when the senate after a lengthy session bowed to the Premier's will by a vote 154 to 141.

### Installation of R. W. M. Elect.

AND OFFICERS TASKER LODGE NO. 454 A.F. & A.M.

On Monday morning, St. Patrick's Day at 10.30 a.m., the R. W. Master-Elect, Brother E. W. Scandrett and Office Bearers will be installed into their various offices for the ensuing year. The following brethren will be installed by the District Grand Master Brother Hon. Tasker Cook, M.L.C., assisted by the Grand Lodge Officers:—

- R.W. Master-Elect—E. W. Scandrett.  
L.P.M.—G. J. Oke, P.M.  
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### Statutory Notice.

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Dated at St. John's, this 21st day of February, A.D. 1924.

THOMAS G. W. ASHBOURNE & ELMO L. ASHBOURNE, Administrators to Estate late William Ashbourne.

ADDRESS: Twillingate. feb22,81,s,w

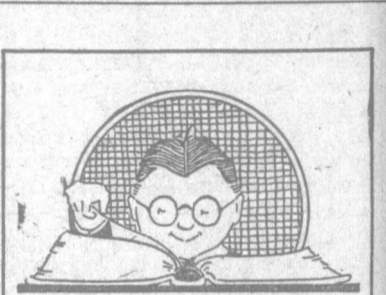
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF N.F.L. In the matter of the Companies Act and in the matter of Bishop Sons & Co., Ltd.

Take notice that all persons claiming to be creditors of or who have any claims upon or affecting Bishop Sons & Co., Ltd. in Liquidation are required to send particulars of their claims in writing, duly attested, to the Liquidators for the said Company, Post Office Box 866, St. John's Newfoundland, on or before the 19th day of March, A.D. 1924, after which date the said Liquidators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Co., having regard only to the claims, of which they then shall have had notice. St. John's this 19th day of January, A.D. 1924.

BLACKWOOD, EMERSON & WINTER, Solicitors for Liquidators. jan23,24,eod

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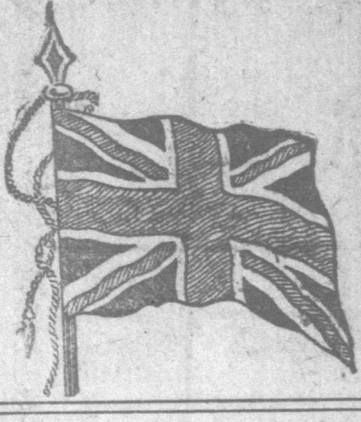
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### Digby Arrives From Liverpool

S.S. Digby arrived from Liverpool at 5.30 p.m. yesterday, after a run of 8 days and 19 hours. Fair clear weather prevailed throughout the passage until Wednesday, when in the vicinity of Cape Race dense fog was encountered. The ship brought 1,300

tons freight, 81 bags mail and the following passengers:—E. Dudowski, Miss I. Lovett, Miss G. Lovett, Dr. J. J. Murphy, Mrs. Murphy, J. J. Murphy, La-Col. T. Nangle, T. Roberts, E. Templeman. On board en route to Halifax are Captain W. L. Duncan, H. B. Clyde-Lake, C. R. Smallwood; and for Boston A. B. G. Stephen. The ship is scheduled to leave for Halifax and Boston to-morrow.





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Saturday, March 15, 1924.

St. Patrick's Day

On Monday the whole country takes holiday to celebrate the feast of St. Patrick. As to the life of Ireland's Patron Saint, there is unfortunately little that can be stated with certainty. It is hidden in the misty and obscure history of the fifth century of which but here and there a gleam of light can be caught.

There are those who contend that St. Patrick was actually born in Scotland, and that the reason his ministrations happened to be carried out in Ireland was due to the fact that he was taken there by force and sold as a slave, following a raid on the province in the region of the Solway Firth, but the same historian with commendable tact hasten to add that Ireland was the country which gave to Scotland.

Whatever doubts there may be as to his birthplace or to the actual facts of his life, there are none with regard to the noble work which he performed in overcoming paganism and founding Christianity in the Western Island. The difficulties with which he had to contend must have at times seemed insurmountable, but his prudence, sound sense, and zeal, of which there is ample proof in the records of his work; slowly but surely enabled him to accomplish his self-imposed mission, and in due course he established churches and schools and founded a priesthood.

When he died is a matter of conjecture, but what is of far greater importance is that his work lives on, as was ably shown by the lecturer last night in the Irish Hall, a summary of whose address will be found in another column. Of all the patriarchs none perhaps is held in greater regard and esteem than St. Patrick. Ireland may claim him as their patron saint, but the whole Christian world, regardless of creed or nationality, unites to do honour to his memory on the seventeenth of March. In him is typified the common purpose in which we are all engaged, and the common goal towards which we are all striving.

Weather and Ice Conditions

Fogo—Fresh southerly winds, cloudy, ice off. Catalina—Wind south, fair, harbour blocked with ice, water outside. Greenpond—Wind southerly, fair breeze, bay still blocked with ice. Bonavista—Light S.W. wind, colder; big sea on; no ice to be seen. Westville—S.W. wind, cloudy, ice conditions unchanged. Twillingate—Light S. wind; ice about 10 miles off. Nippers Hr.—Light S.E. Wind, dull; no move in ice.

MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR HEADACHE

Hospital at North West River

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

A message to the Department of Justice was received yesterday afternoon from Mr. S. W. Brasie, of Battle Harbor, stating that the Hospital at North West River, Labrador, had been totally destroyed by fire, and that an inmate of the Institution was burnt to death in the flames. The message reads as follows:—

"Hospital at North West River, belonging to the International Grenfell Association was destroyed by fire on January 25th. One male patient was burnt to death. Everything destroyed. Employees barely escaped."

How the fire originated is not known, but it is inferred from the information given that the conflagration occurred during the hours of the night. The hospital was erected about six years ago at a cost of \$10,000, the gift of a lady of the United States, in memory of her mother, and was known as the Chamberlain Memorial Hospital. Dr. Paddon was the physician in charge. This is the first disaster that has befallen the work of the Grenfell Association. The building is understood to be covered by insurance.

A Real Irish Night.

Among the many attractions offered to the public on St. Patrick's night is a Grand Concert in the Methodist College Hall, which has been arranged by the Columbus Ladies' Association. A glance at the programme is sufficient to indicate that it is in keeping with the festival and the names of those taking part are a fine list of a thoroughly enjoyable evening. In addition to the vocal and instrumental selections, there will be a one-act comedy entitled "Bobby Settles Down," in which several of our leading local artists will take part.

The Best Dance Music. The Best St. Andrew's Orchestra, at the Massquade, in the Grenfell Hall, on St. Patrick's night. Tickets: \$2.00, Double; \$1.00, Ladies'; \$1.50, Gent's.—mar15,11

"Abie's Irish Rose."

The last chance to see "Abie's Irish Rose" in the Casino will be St. Patrick's afternoon and night, and we would advise all those who have not already seen it to take this opportunity of witnessing the most finished performance that has taken place in St. John's for many years. It is laugh, laugh, laugh from beginning to end and the splendid cast in whose hands the play is entrusted gets everything out of it that is in it. Those who saw the performance in New York say that our St. John's artists play it equally as well, and in two or three parts better. Then, added to this will be the feast of Irish music.

THE PLACE—Holy Cross Schools.

THE TIME—St. Patrick's afternoon.

THE PLAY—"Rose O' My Heart."

POPULAR OPINION—"A splendid play with splendid players."—mar15,11

Morphine Enquiry On.

SEVERAL WITNESSES EXAMINED. The preliminary enquiry into the morphine case preferred against Charles Taylor, was begun yesterday afternoon in the Magistrate's Court before Judge Morris. The afternoon was taken up with hearing the evidence of Richard Dwyer, the man who was doped, and the evidence of his companion Marven Buel. The further hearing was resumed after the recess this morning when the evidence of Mr. R. G. MacDonald, Dr. J. M. MacDonald and that of Mr. Wallace Simms, night watchman at the Seaman's Institute was taken. Owing to one of the principal crown witnesses being ill, the further hearing was postponed until Tuesday next.

Tickets for Irish Night Concert.

The plan of the Hall and tickets for the Irish Night Concert in the Methodist College Hall, will be at the Knights of Columbus Rooms on St. Patrick's Day, where tickets may be purchased.—mar15,11

Express Passengers.

The following passengers landed from S.S. Kyle this morning, and are now on the incoming express which left for here at 8 a.m.—H. S. McKensie, R. S. Chappell, H. R. Richards, Mrs. H. Richards, Miss C. Patrick, D. M. Halford, J. Pettie, C. Merrell, J. Barry, J. L. Sherry, C. H. Hawkins, W. R. Pearo, D. A. Beaten, Wm. Stewart, M. G. Basba, J. Buffett, T. Buffett, Geo. Aird, Miss D. Walters, J. Staple, A. Condon, Miss M. J. Ryan, Miss D. Dicka. The Kyle leaves Port aux Basques for North Sydney this afternoon.

Magistrate's Court.

One drunk was released.

Joseph Burnstien, who was arrested under warrant by Head Constable Byrne, last night in connection with the recent robbery preferred against two young men named England and Reid, who are held on remand, was arraigned before Judge Morris this morning, and stood charged with the larceny of goods to the value of \$189.00, the property of M. J. O'Brien, grocer, Mundy Pond Road, committed sometime within the past month. Head Const. Byrne, upon being sworn and examined by inspector General Hutchings, Crown Prosecutor, stated that the balance of stolen goods was found in possession of the accused and later identified by the owner as his property. The evidence as submitted by witness was sufficient to warrant a case, whereupon Inspector General Hutchings asked for a postponement until the police had completed their investigation. The order was granted accordingly. Mr. Jas. O'N. Conroy represented the accused and secured bail in the sum of \$4,000, the accused himself signing bonds for \$2,000, with two additional securities of \$1,000 each. A threatening language case was postponed until Tuesday next.

Under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Allardye. The Cowan Mission Association will hold their annual Entertainment, in the Methodist College Hall, in aid of the Old Ladies' Home. Delicious Homemade Candy and Cake for sale. Admission 50c.; Children half price. Performance 3.30.—mar15,11

Operations on the Humber.

DEMAND FOR GOOD GANG BOSSES.

Operations in connection with the erection of the Paper Mills at Corner Brook, have reached the stage where a great amount of skilled labor can be employed. The greatest demand at present is for good gang bosses—men used to rigging, concrete form work, steam shovel, erecting steel buildings and placing machinery. As time goes on the demand for machinists, carpenters, painters, etc., will increase, but the process will be slow and gradual. There is no doubt but men of the class that have been emigrating during the past couple of years will find plenty of employment in their own land during the coming summer. In proceeding to the Humber, however, it is of no use to expect ideal conditions or conveniences such as are to be found in cities, and it must be borne in mind that but a short while ago the scene of operations was practically a wilderness. Unskilled labor—that is those who can only wield the pick and shovel—is not needed at present, and men of their class should not go to the Humber on speculation. Securing employment at ordinary labor there is an impossibility at the present time.

Have you heard the D'Arcy Orchestra?

No; well there is a treat in store for you! They are playing selections at the Cowan Mission Entertainment in aid of the Old Ladies Home.—mar15,11

Government Railway Officials.

ON TOUR OF INSPECTION.

Mr. H. J. Russell, Manager of the Railway, accompanied by Mr. J. H. Fulmer, Supt.-Motive Power, and Mr. W. F. Joyce, Chief Engineer, left by freight train with special car attached at 8 o'clock this morning, to make an inspection of the railway. The party will stop off along the line, particularly at Corner Brook, where they will make arrangements with the Armstrong Whitworth Co. re equipment and other matters in connection with the big boom in construction work which opens up between Corner Brook and Howley, beginning on or about the 1st of April. The railway officials will go right through to Port aux Basques and are not expected to reach the city before Wednesday next.

The Trains

The incoming express with the Kyle's mails and passengers left Little River at 11 a.m. The express went out at 1 p.m., making foreign connections at North Sydney. The local Carboneau train arrived at 1.50 p.m. The east bound express which left Port aux Basques on Wednesday night reached the city at 6.30 p.m. yesterday. The train was divided into two sections while enroute, due to the accumulation of passenger traffic in the Humber area. A S. E. wind with snow prevails along the railway to-day.

Personal

Mr. R. Walsh, formerly Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Assembly, is seriously ill at his residence, Colonial Street. His many friends hope he will shortly be around again.

League Hockey

TIE CUP SERIES.

The oft postponed game between the Guards and Feildians, will be played at the Prince's Rink to-night, at 9.30. For a time it looked as if the series would remain unfinished, but with the present cold snap it is hoped that the remaining games will be run off. The Guards will be minus the services of Bill Clouston in to-night's game, as he is out of town. The St. Bon's-Feildians game will be played on St. Patrick's day at 2.30.

HOCKEY LINE-UP.

The following will be the lineups in to-night's Guard-Feildians Hockey game:— GUARDS Goal: N. P. Hunt. Defence: J. Patterson, H. Rendell, J. Herder, M. G. Winter (Jr.). Forwards: E. Munn, E. Ewing, H. Munn, Lloyd H. Cottias, Withers. Spares: B. Parsons, Jerritt G. Hunter, Alderice Whelan, Reid.

The only changes in the line-up for to-night is Joyce replacing Voysey in goal for the Guards. The following is the standing of the teams:— P. W. L. P. St. Bon's . . . . . 2 2 0 4 Feildians . . . . . 1 1 0 2 Guards . . . . . 1 0 1 0 Terra Novas . . . . . 2 0 2 0 Two games remain to be played.

Portuguese Double Tax on Fish

London Brokers have advised the Board of Trade that by a new decree of the Portuguese Ministry effective March 1st the Consular tax on fish is doubled. The rates now are 1 per cent. ad valorem instead of 1/2 per cent. on codfish, and 4 per cent. instead of 2 per cent. on haddock, Laith and Ling. This tax must be paid to the Consul here as the documents are issued.

Mrs. Herbert Outerbridge has charge of the Programme for Cowan Mission Entertainment. "Gentleman Boarders" will be the feature of the afternoon. Songs, Recitations, etc.—mar15,11

Rosalind Sails To-Morrow

S.S. Rosalind sails for Halifax at 11 a.m. to-morrow taking the following passengers:—Geo. Denahy, R. G. Rendell, M. Patten, Luigi Gigli, Miss Brancombe, Miss G. Healey, Capt. St. Smart, Miss E. Lahey, Capt. R. Benson, John Sears, J. P. and Mrs. Moore and 9 second class.

How St. Patrick's Day is enjoyed in Ireland. See "Rose O' My Heart." It is a St. Patrick's Day play.—mar15,11

GOWER STREET CHURCH.—The evening service at Gower Street Methodist Church to-morrow will be chiefly a service of songs, Anthems and Hymns will be in keeping with the Lenten Season. The service will be conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Hammond Johnson. Visitors will be cordially welcomed.

League Hockey 'to-night at 9.30: Guards vs. Feildians. St. Patrick's Day at 2.30: St. Bon's vs. Feildians. No General Skating.

Stock Market News

TO-DAY'S NEW YORK OPENING. Beth. Steel . . . . . 58 Marine Pfd. . . . . 30 Mack Truck . . . . . 87 Punta Sugar . . . . . 65 1/2 Sinclair . . . . . 22 1/2 Sinclair . . . . . 100 1/2 U.S. Steel . . . . . 102 1/2 Kelly Springfield . . . . . 18 1/2 Pan. American . . . . . 46 Sub. Boat . . . . . 9 1/2

MONTREAL OPENING. Abitibi . . . . . 62 1/2 Brazilian . . . . . 57 1/2 Car Pfd. . . . . 59 Can. Cement . . . . . 92 Can. Steamship . . . . . 46 Consolidated Smelters . . . . . 37 Montreal Power . . . . . 154 1/2 Nat. Breweries . . . . . 51 1/2 Spanish River Pfd. . . . . 117 1/2 Brompton . . . . . 40 1/2

STEEL OF CANADA HAS ONE OF LARGEST WORKING CAPITAL—POWER A CLOSE SECOND. Study of the working capital position of six of Canada's representative corporations is striking in its revelation of liquid strength. Steel of Canada, with only slightly less than ten millions of working capital is outstanding, while Montreal Power is a close second with about 9.1-2 millions as the excess of current assets over current liabilities.

Spanish River shows well in liquid position with working capital of over 1.2 millions, while Canadian Car

SEALING NEWS

The following messages were received from the sealing fleet last night:—

BOWINGS. Eagle—Approximately 40 miles S. E. of the Gray Islands, ice tight. Sagona—About fifteen miles off Seal Cove. Too thick to see far. Jammed, everything working well. Terra Nova—Position, a few miles from the Gray Islands; jammed, impossible to get ahead without a change of wind. Viking—Twenty miles west of the Grindstones, ice tight, ship jammed, blowing a gale from the North. All well.

JOBS. Neptune—Ten miles S.E. Horse Islands, tight ice as far as can be seen, light breeze from South East, weather foggy, change of wind needed to get clear.

BOWINGS. Eagle—10 miles N.N.E. Gray Islands, ice in bad condition. Ranger—Passed Funks 7 o'clock last evening. Steering in a N.N.E. direction. BAINE JOHNSTONE & CO. Seal—Position ship 6 p.m. yesterday, lat. 58.44 N, long. 54.10 W. In ice, making some progress. The Postal Telegraph reports crews of Eagle, Terra Nova, Sagona, Seal, Theris, Neptune, Stella Maris, Viking, were all on board and well. A message from Magistrate Alcock, Griguet, to Messrs. Rowing Bros., was received this morning as follows:—"Wind S.E., clear, open water as far as can be seen. Sea still heavy."

St. Patrick's afternoon. See the typical Irish Widow in "Rose O' My Heart," Holy Cross School.—mar15,11

Keep the Race Track Clear

'Should the weather hold clear the horse races on Quidi Vidi Lake will take place on Monday at 2.30 p.m. The track is in good condition but there is danger of the ice giving way should a great crowd assemble at any one point. All those who intend visiting the course are again reminded that they should keep to the bank. If each individual obeys this rule all will have an equal chance of viewing the full run and danger of accident will be avoided.

You will be sorry if you miss the Cowan Mission Entertainment. A most attractive programme—and you will hear the D'Arcy Orchestra.—mar15,11

RESIDENCE PURCHASED.—The residence of the late Dr. Pilot, Orange Street, sold recently by Dowden & Edwards, Auctioneers, has been purchased by Dr. H. A. Smith, Eye and Throat specialist.

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Stock Market News

and Foundry has a working capital of nearly 7 millions. The other two companies, Dominion Bridge and Asbestos Corporation, both are in splendid liquid position. DOME MINES REPORTS ON FINAL 1923 QUARTER. (From Montreal Daily Star). TORONTO, March 6.—Dome Mines, limited, shows earnings during the three months ended December 31st, 1923, amounting to \$1,146,178 of which \$678,597 was amalgamation and \$467,581 a credit. Non-operating revenue for the quarter amounted to \$92,482. After deducting operating and maintenance costs amounting to \$352,597 and re-servicing \$26,069 for federal income taxes, there remained a profit of \$618,544. The surplus account as at December 31st stood at \$2,671,557. The balance sheet places capital assets at \$6,282,646 of which \$2,409,077 is for mining claims, and property, and \$2,873,569 for plant, etc. Current assets are valued at \$2,322,547. The dividend assurance fund amounts to \$1,974,223 and the total fund is \$2,022,058.

During the nine months 320,177 tons were hoisted, of which 320,700 tons was ore which was sent to the mill and treated. Bullion to the value of \$3,246,477 was obtained and the average yield per ton was \$10.4718. Operating costs amount to \$4,664 per ton milled, as compared with \$5,255 for the previous year.

S. S. Fiona Sold

WAS HEADQUARTERS OF SEA SCOUTS.

We understand that the S.S. Fiona, formerly a revenue cruiser but for some time in the possession of Messrs. Jas. Baird, Ltd., has been sold to the North American Scrap and Metal Co. For the past year or so through the courtesy of Messrs. Baird this ship has been used as quarters by the Newfoundland Sea Scouts. They are now at the disadvantage of having no place to meet, but it is hoped that the need will be supplied before long through the generosity of some of the Mercantile firms.

West Coast Creamery

A number of West Coast merchants have formed a company capitalised at \$50,000 for the purpose of starting a Creamery at Stephenville to replace the factory which had previously operated there. Remember St. Patrick's afternoon and night will be the last chance to see "Abie's Irish Rose" the most laughable play ever produced in St. John's.—mar15,11

DIED. Passed peacefully away, at Moncton on March 12th inst., Harold W. Pike, aged 19 years, son of Thomas Pike of this city, leaving two sisters and one brother to mourn their sad loss. This morning, at the Southcott Hospital, May, the beloved wife of Frank J. Barron, Funeral on Monday at 2.30 p.m. from her late residence, 65 Power Street.—R.I.P.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF James Ricketts, who was killed at Royal's Tannery, March 18th, 1916. This day brings back sad memories of a dear one gone to rest; those who miss him most to-day, Are those who love him best. Inserted by his mother and sister.

IN LOVING REMEMBRANCE OF Maurice and Edward Michael, my two loving brothers, who accidentally lost their lives, by drowning, on the West Coast, in 1923. Fondest recollections.—E. J. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. G. Dearest loved ones you have left us. Never more your face we'll see; But we know you're gently breathing, In the land that's of the free. Inserted by their sister, Mrs. Antoni Michael, 194 New Gower Street.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF our dear wife and mother, Ellen Clancy, who died March 15th, 1922. Gone but not forgotten. The flowers we place upon your grave May wither and decay; But fresh and green within our hearts Your memory will ever stay. And yet again we hope to meet you When the cares of life are fled; And in Heaven with joy to greet you Where no farewell tears are shed. Inserted by her husband and children.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chafe and family desire to express their sincere gratitude to all those who in any way assisted during the illness of their dear son and brother Leo, especially Rev. Dr. Carter, Rev. Fr. Kennedy, Rev. Fr. Pippy, Employees Avalon Telephone Co. Mr. and Mrs. J. Moore, Mrs. Frank Bradshaw, Miss C. Greene, Mr. H. J. Curtis, Miss A. Curtis, Mr. R. Cleary, Mr. and Mrs. Rowell, Mr. J. Bailey, Mrs. Hayward, Mrs. Fred Bradshaw, Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. Power, Mr. and Mrs. A. Symonds, Mr. J. Whalen, Mr. S. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. Caul, Mrs. Lever, Mrs. Godley, Mrs. A. Rowell, Mr. and Mrs. Power, Mr. J. Long, Mrs. Donovan, Misses Edna, Mollie Lahey, Miss Gertie and Master Jack Udle, Mr. and Mrs. Osmond, Mr. and Mrs. H. Goolie, and Mr. Edna Goolie; and for spiritual comforts: Rev. Fr. Hinchey, Bishop's Falls, Mrs. M. T. Dunn, Miss M. Lahey, Mr. W. H. St. John, Mr. H. Brown and the members of Petty Hr. Choir; and the following for telegrams and notes of sympathy: Rev. S. O'Driscoll, St. Mary's; Rev. Fr. Hinchey, Bishop's Falls; Sr. M. Ursula, St. Patricia, Convent, Bell Isd.; Mrs. G. White, Bell Isd.; Miss E. Devine, Mrs. J. Bishop, Mrs. S. Gibbons, St. Mary's; Miss M. Hogan, Sgt. and Mrs. Farley, Gable; Placentia; Const. and Mrs. Whelan, Placentia; Mr. and Mrs. J. Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Doyle and family, Mr. M. J. Cashin, Mrs. A. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Brien, Mrs. M. Keefe, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. D. Cossetta, Cape Breton; Miss C. Snow, Topsail; Mrs. S. Peck, Bay Bulls; Mr. and Mrs. W. Walsh, Goulis; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leo and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dalton, Anbury, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. A. Everard, Roxbury, Mass.; Miss Lucy Chafe, Mansfield, Mass.; Miss K. Devesaux, Miss M. Wynn, Mr. J. Doy's, Boston, Mass.; Mr. T. Murphy, Mrs. P. Coady, Mr. F. and Miss N. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. G. Healy, and Miss M. Hananford, City; Mrs. M. Chafe and family, Mansfield, Mass.; Miss Lucy Duffy, Cambridge, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. S. O'Brien, Taunton, Mass.—ADT.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. Henry A. Shaw and family wish to sincerely thank Mrs. Simmons for her great kindness to them during the illness of their husband and father.

"Abie's Irish Rose" CASINO ST. PATRICK'S AFTERNOON & NIGHT LAST CHANCE TO SEE IT! A WONDERFUL PRODUCTION. Specialties, and the Mount Cashel Band in a programme of the latest Irish Music. Admission for Night Performance at 8.30: Dress Circle, \$1.00. Reserved Seats, 75c. Gallery, 50c. P15. 30c. Attention Performance at 2.30: Reserved Seats, 50c. 25c. Gallery, 20c. P15. 10c. Plan at Hutton's.

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**S. S. Terra Nova**

**Tragedy**

Monday morning, March the tenth, it opened fine and clear.  
But the sloop was in the Narrows, from Chain Rock to Cape Spear; nothing daunted Capt. Kean, upon the bridge he stood  
Of the good ship Terra Nova, to search for harp or hood.

Three blasts came from her whistle and they woke up our old town, and men from all directions, to the wharf came running down;  
The roll was called, all hands aboard, a hardy lot of men bound for the Northern ice floes to fill her up again.

Another blast and then she hauled away from Harvey's pier,  
And her course out through the Narrows the helmsman straight did steer;  
She forged her way to the Norrd Head, and then was put about  
But the sloop ice was getting heavier. It was without a doubt.

With stayalls set to catch the breeze she forced ahead full steam,  
In half an hour the Captain said we'll have Torbay ahead;  
But very shortly after a "pan" got in her way  
Which caused the death of three brave boys 'way out in St. John's Bay.

A dozen of the pluckiest jumped on the ice that day  
To help the Terra Nova to carry on her way;  
Very shortly after the sad news was flashed to town  
That three of those brave fellows in the sight of all went down.

This news it spread like wildfire, on all faces there was gloom  
That three of our hardy seafarers all in their youth and bloom,  
Were snatched away and met their doom in sight of friends and sound  
May the Lord have mercy on their souls now and forevermore.

There was David Whelan of St. John's with a wife and children four,  
Who are left without their breadwinner, 'twould make your heart feel sore;  
There was Hubert Hiscock of Trinity Bay who was taken in his prime;  
His Mithplace sent out heroes to every land and clime.

And lastly comes young Maurice Green down from the Southern Shore,  
Where the hardest boys are born and bred—they have proved it o'er and o'er.  
May the God of Love who renews above console their friends we pray  
For those brave boys who gave their lives 'way out in St. John's Bay.

Now the fleet have all departed, may they return both safe and sound  
And we hope before the end of March they'll all be honorably bound;  
The crews with beaming faces return, in good health,  
And the ships down to the scuppers filled up with whitecoat pelts.

In conclusion of these verses, our sympathy we send  
To the families of those brave boys, who met untimely death;  
Who didn't shirk, when duty called, as Newfoundlanders brave,  
And are sleeping now forevermore down in a sailor's grave.  
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**MAUNDER-NEAL**

A very quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized this afternoon at 3.30 at the residence of the bride's parents, Forest Road, when Amy, second daughter of Mr. John Maunder, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. David Neal, son of the late George Neal, and director of the firm of Geo. Neal, Ltd.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. H. Johnson, Pastor of Cochrane Street Methodist Centennial Church, and was attended by the relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The bride was given away by her father and was becomingly dressed in a gown of white crepe-de-chene, beaded in iridescent beads, with satin train and full veil, and carried a bouquet of orange blossoms.

The bridesmaids were Misses Eleanor Maunder and Elsie Neal. The former wore a dress of pale blue satin and lace; while the latter was gowned in a gown of gold. The bride's mother wore a dress of shot taffeta. Little Miss Cherry Maunder, niece of the bride, made a very pretty flower girl. The groom was ably supported by P. G. Ledingham. After the ceremony Mrs. Ernest Maunder played the wedding march. The groom's present to the bride was a cheque, to the bridesmaids a silver mesh handbag and a pearl bracelet; to the flower girl and pianist gold pieces, and to the best man, cuff links. The bride was the recipient of a large and beautiful collection of presents. After the ceremony a reception was held when the usual toasts were proposed and honored. The honeymoon will be spent visiting the principal cities in the States and Canada. The Telegram joins with their many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Neal many years of wedded bliss.

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**Mr. Cameron Geddes**

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A Big Show St. Patrick's Day and Night.

The Majestic management are fortunate in having booked Cameron Geddes, the premier Basso Profondo from Canada. Last night, though only a few hours ashore from the S.S. Rosalind, after a most eventful trip, rather than disappoint the Majestic patrons, he made his debut at 9 o'clock. Mr. Geddes sang "Over the Hilltop Sea" and "The Bells of St. Mary's," renditions which to say the least, were never heard to better advantage. The vocalist was forced to comply with the wishes of his delighted listeners. The film programme was up to expectations and the same bill will be repeated this afternoon and night, when Mr. Geddes will appear at each performance.

St. Patrick's Day Mr. Geddes will sing, (a) "A Nation Once Again"; (b) "On to Philadelphia in the Morning"; (c) "An Irish Lullaby." A special programme is arranged for Monday afternoon and night. Make your appointment with the Majestic on Monday and hear Cameron Geddes, who undoubtedly is a real musical treat, and bids fair to be the biggest stage favourite since the inception of movies in this country.

**"Rose o' My Heart"**

At the earnest request of those who could not gain admission, and of the hundreds of others who wished to see it again, "Rose o' My Heart" will be staged at Holy Cross on St. Patrick's afternoon by Holy Cross Dramatic Troupe under Mr. Percel Jardine's able direction. Since last performance the rehearsals have been regular and most enthusiastic, so that on Monday afternoon it promises to be the best yet. Grand Irish specialties under Mr. T. P. Halley's splendid guidance will charm the very large audience, while Mount Cashel Brass Band will discourse the best of Irish music. Patrons are promised a delightful feast of Irish Music, Irish Songs, Irish Dances, and Irish Wit and Humour. Performance at 8 p.m. sharp.

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**St. Patrick's Day Events**

St. Andrew's Masquerade Dance, Grenfell Hall. Catering by the Ladies Association.

Irish Night, Methodist College Hall. Concert and one act comedy "Bobby Settles Down."

Concert and Sociable at George Street Methodist Church Lecture Room.

"Rose O' My Heart," afternoon performance at Holy Cross Schools. Old Time Irish Re-union at night including card tournament.

Concert and Sociable at Victoria Hall, under the auspices of Leeming Lodge, L.O.A.

Card Party, Supper and Dance at the T. A. Hall. Card party begins at 3 p.m.

Bowling Alley practice at King Geo. V. Institute.

Celldish Entertainment at B.L.S. Hall—cards, concert and dancing.

"Able's Irish Rose," at the Casino Theatre, afternoon and night performance. Mount Cashel Band in attendance.

Sale of work, high teas and concert basement Cochrane St. Church.

Star Ladies' Association at Home Card party in afternoon, supper and dance at night.

Concert and Sociable in the basement of Wesley Church.

Cowan Mission Association afternoon entertainment, Methodist College Hall.

"The Courting of Mary Doyle," by St. Patrick's players at Synod Hall.

Horsemen's Meet: Quidi Vid Pond 2.30 p.m., weather and ice permitting.

Moving Picture Halls. Special St. Patrick's day programmes.

Hockey match Prince's Rink, 2.30 Feldians vs. St. Bon's.

**Crescent Theatre**

**Attracts Huge Crowds**

BIG PROGRAMME HAS MANY NOVEL FEATURES.

Last night's bill at the Crescent Theatre was one of unusual attractiveness, for not only did it consist of the usual Friday night's big show, but Dan Delmar and Co. again staged that laughable sketch, "School Days." The audience laughed long and loud and the applause tendered the various items was at times deafening. The show contained plenty of pep and ginger and was greatly enjoyed by all.

The picture programme was headed by the strong melodramatic feature "Backbone."

Early in the picture the action reverts to the period of Louis XV in France. These scenes have been entertainingly produced and serve to give the following story a romantic background. They are not sufficiently prolonged to weary those who avoid costume pictures, and are dramatic as well as spectacular.

The modern chapters take place in America, mostly in and about a stately old mansion. One of its mysterious rooms, into which the heroine is never permitted to enter, is supposed to be occupied by her fast-falling grandfather. This unexplained imprisonment heightens the suspense and interest throughout. There are moments of swift melodrama, as when she attempts to climb the roof to get into his window. There are frequent touches of comedy. There is a strenuous endless fight that will be sure to thrill anyone who likes fighting on the screen. Alfred Lunt and Frank Evans are responsible for this big scene.

Monday night another big extra attraction will be offered. By all means spend St. Patrick's night at the Crescent and experience real enjoyment. An Irish Vaudeville Show will be given.

Mr. T. P. Halley directs the specialties at "Rose O' My Heart" St. Patrick's afternoon, at Holy Cross Schools.—mar15,11

**Japanes Relief Fund**

March 13, 1924.

Editor Evening Telegram,  
Sir,—I enclose herewith correspondence regarding the further draft sent to the Government of Japan, completing the contribution from Newfoundland for the relief of the sufferers in the late Japanese disaster. Will you kindly give this space in your columns as it will be of interest to the public.

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
Your obedient servant,  
W. W. HALFYARD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Foreign Office, S.W. 1,  
February 5th, 1924.

Your Excellency,  
With reference to Your Excellency's note No. 173 of December 22nd last, I have the honour to transmit to you herewith a further draft for the sum of three hundred and forty-eight pounds, five shillings and seven pence which completes the total amount collected in Newfoundland for the relief of the sufferers by the late calamity in Japan.

2. The total subscriptions to this fund amounted to six thousand and fifteen dollars, ninety-one cents, including a donation of one thousand dollars from the Government of Newfoundland.

I have the honour to be, etc.  
(Sgd.) LAURENCE COLLIER,  
His Excellency,  
Baron Gonsuke Hayashi, G.C.V.O. etc., etc., etc.

Downing Street,  
February 14, 1924.

Newfoundland—No. 28.

Sir,—With reference to your despatch No. 4 of the 14th of January, I have the honour to transmit to you to be laid before your Ministers, the accompanying copies of correspondence with the Japanese Ambassador relative to the contribution of the Government and people of Newfoundland for the relief of the sufferers from the recent earthquake disaster in Japan.

I have the honour to be, Sir,  
Your most obedient, humble servant,  
(Sgd.) J. H. THOMAS,  
Governor Sir W. L. Allardyce,  
K.C.M.G., etc., etc., etc.

Japanese Embassy, London,  
February 8th, 1924.

Sir,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your note No. F3063/23 of yesterday's date transmitting to me therewith a further draft from Newfoundland for the sum of three hundred and forty-eight pounds, five shillings and seven pence which completes the total amount collected in that Dominion for the relief of the earthquake sufferers in Japan.

I should be grateful, if you would be good enough to convey to the Government and people of Newfoundland the most sincere thanks of the Government and people of Japan for the above manifestations of warm sympathy.

I have, etc.,  
(Sgd.) HAYASHI.

The Right Honourable  
James Ramsay MacDonald, M.P.,  
Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,  
Foreign Office,  
S. W. 1.

**Our Dumb Animals.**

REPORT OF CHIEF AGENT FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 14TH, 1924.

Called on Sunday morning by two gentlemen to Pleasant Street to destroy a cat which was in a very pitiable state. Humanely destroyed a setter dog for Mr. Slater, on Military Road, which had been run down some time previously by an automobile; also two unlicensed dogs at the request of the Council's agent. Visited Water Street on Saturday night in the rain and found that the horses on the stand were fairly well covered. Owing to the terrible condition of the streets I have had to send several horses for treatment of sore shoulders and lameness, and I think that it would be money well spent,

**Great March Clearance of Wet Weather Wear**

For this week we offer exceptional opportunities to buy wet-weather wear—most essential for the frequent rain storms and showers to be expected during the next couple of months—at prices which mean considerable savings. We cannot emphasize, to every bargain lover, the importance of seizing these money-saving opportunities at their earliest convenience.



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Storm and low cut; sizes 12 to 2. Reg. \$1.05 pair. Sale Price **95c.**  
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**Child's Rubbers.**  
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Single-breasted style, open and Prussian collars, lined throughout with waterproof lining; assorted Fawn shades. Reg. \$16.50 ea. Sale Price **\$14.10**

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Dark Fawn, waterproof lining, open and Prussian collars; all sizes. Reg. \$30.00 ea. Sale Price **\$17.10**

**Men's Fawn Raglans.**  
Waterproof lining throughout; open and Prussian collars; all sizes. Reg. \$24.50 ea. Sale Price **\$21.00**

**Double Breasted Trench Coats.**  
Full belted, waterproof lined throughout, in assorted Fawn shades; all sizes. Reg. \$17.50 ea. Sale Price **\$15.00**



**Men's Trench Coats.**  
Double breasted, full belted, waterproof lined; shades of Dark Fawn; all sizes. Reg. \$25.20 each. Sale Price **\$21.60**

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Velvet collars, some having storm sleeves and cape shoulder; all sizes. The famous "Nore" brand. Reg. \$12.00 ea. Sale Price **\$10.65**  
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Size 44, to fit 16 years. Reg. \$11.40 ea. Sale Price **\$9.75**

Size 46, to fit 17 years. Reg. \$11.75 ea. Sale Price **\$10.05**



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Velvet collar, metal clasp and buttons; to fit ages 4 to 18 years. Reg. \$3.40 ea. Sale Price **\$3.10**

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Last Night's Lecture

MR. J. G. HIGGINS, ADDRESSES THE R. I. S. ON THE GLORIES OF IRELAND.

A large gathering in the Club Rooms of the Benevolent Irish Society listened with intense interest last night to a lecture on "The Glories of Ireland" by Mr. J. G. Higgins.

The lecturer showed that a high state of civilization existed in ancient Ireland. Centuries before the Christian era Ireland was divided into five kingdoms and in this classification men of learning were ranked next to royalty.

states that were founded at the time and could boast of from two to seven thousand students, all of whom were educated free.

A short account of the part played by music in ancient Ireland was given. Great schools for the teaching of music were set up and thousands from all parts of the world flocked to Ireland to study music.

He explained that no great ruined piles show the civilization that existed in pre-Christian Ireland in the same way as the greatness of Ancient Greece and of Rome are shown by their magnificent ruins.

Previous to the address there was a short concert in which Misses Howlett, Harris and Mr. Canning took part. At the conclusion a vote of thanks to the lecturer and to those who had contributed to the pleasure of the evening was moved by Mr. Geo. F. Power and carried unanimously.

Wesley Church Entertainment. Concert and Sociable. Monday night, Candy for sale. The following are taking part in the programme:—Mrs. Allan Barnes, Mrs. Wallace, R. Goobie, Messrs. T. P. Halley, S. Richard Steele, A. E. Holmes, Walter Driscoll, Miss Ruth Taylor and Master Pelley, Harry Courtney, Macklin Instrumental Trio and a Dialogue under the direction of Miss Alice Woods. Concert starts at 8 p.m. Admission 40c.—mar15,11

PEPPYS BEHIND THE SCENES.

March 14th.—This morning comes Blabb to my wife, and is well content with her condition, and she will be abroad again within two days. This the pleasantest news, being the hardest thing to keep in good humor with the wretch when she is ill, and her impatience and querulousness the worst of any woman's.

Send the Kiddies to see "Abie's Irish Rose in the Casino on St. Patrick's afternoon. Oh there'll be such fun for them—they will enjoy it.—mar15,11

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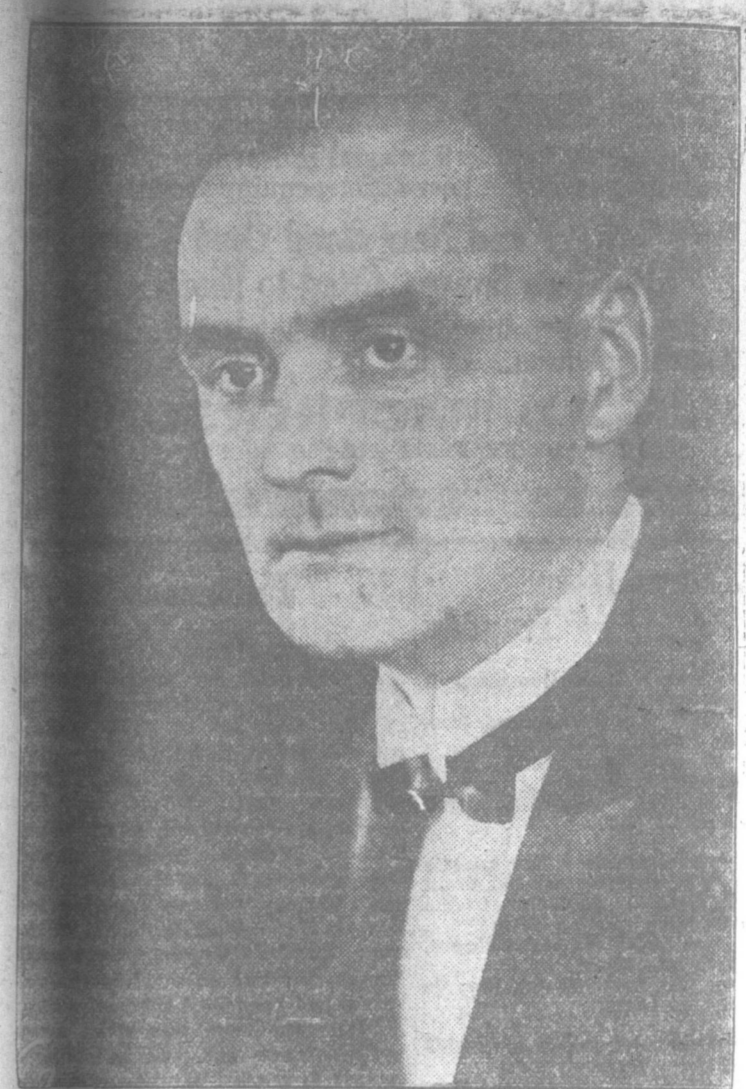
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Those hues in one blossom be sure to unite, boys. Let each Irish heart wear those emblems so true: Be as fresh as the green, and as pure as the white, boys.

Rosalind's Passengers. S.S. Rosalind, which arrived in port yesterday afternoon, brought the following passengers:— From New York:—Thomas Walsh, Horace Hall, Marjorie Hall, Joseph McKinlay, James Rendall, Irene Rendall, Joseph Bages, Eric Chafe, W. Pierey, M. Greeley, J. C. Bonita, M. Tobin.

Personal.

Lieut.-Col. T. Nangle, C.F., who has been in England finalizing arrangements for the National War Memorial, returned by the Digby yesterday, accompanied by his Secretary, Mr. J. L. Murphy.

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church—11 and 6.30, Rev. Robert J. Power, M.A. Evening subject: "The Seven Deadly Sins—Avarice." Congregational (Queen's Road)—11 and 6.30, Rev. T. B. Darby, D.D.

St. Patrick Was a Gentleman

Oh! St. Patrick was a gentleman. Who came of decent people. He built a church in Dublin town. And on it put a steeple. His father was a Gallazher. His mother was a Brady.

There's not a mile in Ireland's Isle Where dirty varmin musters. In soups and second courses. But there he put his dear fore-foot, And murdered them in clusters.

Oh! was I but so fortunate As to be back in Munster. 'Tis I'd be bound, that from the ground I never would once stir: For there St. Patrick planted turf. And plenty of the prattles. With pils salore, ma gra, ma store. And cabbages—and ladies.

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HIGGINS, HUNT & EMBERSO, Solicitors for Petitioners. Columbus Hall, Duckworth Street, St. John's, Newfoundland.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their solicitor (if any) and must be served, or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 5th day of April, A.D. 1924. mar15,11

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Obituary.

MAY BARRON. The news of the death of Mrs. F. J. Barron, (nee Miss May Dobbin) wife of Mr. Frank J. Barron, of Barron & Co., Water Street, which occurred at the Southcott Hospital early this morning, came as a shock to the many friends of the deceased and her relatives. Mrs. Barron entered the hospital eighteen days ago for treatment, but pneumonia set in, and despite all possible attention, death claimed a loving mother, wife and sister. The deceased was well and favorably known. Her many associates and acquaintances knew her to love her for her many deeds of charity and kindness and cheerful disposition. The sympathy to the husband, two brothers and three sisters, is general, and is greatly added to by reason of the fact that two children, one a little over eight years and an infant of a couple of weeks, will miss the endearing affection of a loving mother. To Mr. Barron and children and relatives the Telegram, in communion with all, tenders expression of respect and sympathy. The funeral takes place from the residence, Power Street, on Monday afternoon.

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**In My Garden**

**LATER BORDER FLOWERS.**

Many perennial border flowers of early and midsummer blooming if properly managed come again with beauty in the late summer and autumn. The peritrichium delphinium are notable examples. But on the whole, unless the border is planted to be as delightful in late as in early summer a certain loss of freshness, variety, and color begins to be apparent in August.

This we want to avoid, and it is quite easy to do so if we tend properly the plants which have the characteristic of perpetuality, and introduce certain others whose season arrives after the dog days and extends to the time when leaves begin to fall.

Certain well-known subjects come at once to mind. The helianthus and helenium, the soldago (golden rod), and redbeckia are often seen. They are showy things, and perhaps because they are so commonly grown shades of yellow so dominate the borders in thousands of gardens in August. And yellow rules until blues and mauves and purples take up the dominance with the coming of the equally widely cultivated Michaelmas daisies. There are a yellow and a blue, or purple, phasae, and then comes the end.

**Sources of Variety.**

Now let us plant good varieties of the yellow flowering subjects named. A plenty of the better Michaelmas daisies, but also introduce in greater number certain other plants to provide diversity of effect. They need not be exclusively perennials, otherwise we shall not leave the advantage of the fine results given by discreetly by planted groups of sun-flowers and hollyhocks, of the former some of the chocolate-red sorts as well as yellow.

Perennial phloxes should be given more attention. One sees the same few shades of red, white, and pink over and over again, to the neglect of some of the delicate salmon, bluish, lavender, and greyish-mauve shades, and the lilac blue, purple, scarlet, violet, and rich crimson varieties. There is a feast of hues in the phloxes.

The Japanese anemone, also, is a beautiful thing whose finer varieties are not too well known. They give more shade worthy of any springtime's most delicate, flowers right into October—silvery rose, deep rose, and flesh pink, some of them with more than one row of petals. Clumps of them break up a bed of Michaelmas daisies delightfully.

In light soils the sea holly, and in most good soils the globe thistle, should be introduced for the late summer effect of their peculiar shades of blue. A bush of lavender here and there likewise should be seen, both the white and purple kinds. The heleniums used should not comprise only the yellow-flowered varieties, for there are such striking sorts available as Riveston Gem and Riveston Beauty (the former of crimson shot with late centre), and Harlequin (golden yellow shaded with orange red).

**Long Flowering Season.**

Geums should be planted freely because they enrich the borders with a long season of flowers if properly tended. Good plants of Mrs. Bradshaw (crimson scarlet) and Lady Strathearn (bright yellow) are hard to beat. For the same reason achuasa must have a prominent place—the gentian blue Dropmore, and Opal (the hue of its name stone). They will flower into September with a little care.

A place or two should be found for the everlasting pea White Pearl. Its fine clusters of pure white flowers are excellent for cutting and are produced right into autumn. The kniphofia (red-hot poker) in its various shades of red and yellow is another very worthy plant.

Space forbids more than mere mention of a few other indispensable subjects, not necessarily perennials, for late summer colour. They are the stately mullein, the statice tradescantia, snapdragons (grown particularly for late flowering), African marigolds, and, among bulbous things, gladioli and lilies in variety.

**Cats**

"THERE IS NO LOVE LIKE THE LOVE OF A CAT."

(By EDWIN PUGH.)  
I find it very hard to praise cats without disparaging dogs, the more so as I am as fond of dogs as I am of cats. Indeed, I am fond of all animals, that it is possible to be fond of, even human beings. And here again I find it hard to agree with the man who said that the more he knew of men and women the more he liked dogs. If he had said "cats"!

But cats are unpopular. And to be either very unpopular or very popular is to be misunderstood.

"The Most Beautiful Creature."  
I think I like and admire cats for the same qualities that I like and admire in people generally.

First, Beauty. When Keats wrote that a thing of beauty is a joy forever he uttered an immortal truth, although it was mostly the inanimate rather than the animate that he worshipped. If only he had watched a cat with the same intensity that he listened to a nightingale! A cat is perhaps the most beautiful creature on earth. Those who cannot distinguish between grotesque and ugliness will say that some cats' coloring and markings are ugly. But what might be said of any animal that man has interfered with and tried to make as domesticated, counterfeited, and artificial as himself. What fault has that man to find with the coloring and marking of an orange tabby?

In Repose.  
In motion there may be some birds and insects as beautiful as cats. In repose, no. The cat alone is as beautiful in repose as in motion. And that is because of its perfection of form. Every part of a cat seems specially made to serve every other part of it. Its head, its body, its legs, even its tail, are in accord with its exquisite proportions. That is why I do not wonder at ancient lovers of beauty regarding cats as something good-time, or at the high priest who cut off his sleeves rather than disturb a cat that was sleeping on it. Cats seem so beautiful to me that I would no more think of turning one out of a chair than I would think of painting a monstache on La Gioconda.

Then, their Courage. The finest courage is a sublime form of hypocrisy. Those who have no fear have no courage. Only those who are most afraid can be most brave. That is the cat's case. A dog may catch a cat unawares and kill it at a stroke. But no dog I have ever known, and I have known many dogs, will seriously tackle a cat at bay.

The cat is essentially a fighting, hunting animal. Startled, it explodes like a squib and wheels about to face any threatened danger or indignity. And when it fights with its own kind it fights to the death, never to win or point.

There is no domestic animal more intelligent than the cat, unless you class the monkey among domestic

**Just Folks.**  
By EDGAR A. GUEST

**WEANING THE BABY.**  
Her tears are very near to-day,  
There's sorrow in her eyes,  
For they have ordered her away  
Whene'er the baby cries.  
There's little beauty in the sun  
However fair the day be,  
For now the mother has begun  
The weaning of the baby.

No more upon her gentle breast  
That little face may lie,  
No more that little nose be pressed  
Against her food supply;  
No more by night, and more by day,  
That wondrous pleasure may be  
This shadow falls across the way,  
The weaning of the baby.

Oh, you may smile, but mother sighs,  
And now the hours are sad,  
She sees the look of pained surprise  
In eyes that once were glad,  
And in her throat a lump comes up  
That's big enough to throttle,  
Because her lovely babe must sup  
Her dinner from a bottle.

Now bottles can't sing lullabies  
When tender babies die,  
Or read the love in little eyes  
When eagerly they shine,  
And so she sadly says to me:  
"I miss her fond caresses,  
The cuddling ways which used to be,  
Her tuggings at my dresses."

"I'll miss her cry for me at night  
And all her squeals of glee,  
Her smile of welcome and delight  
When she discovered me,  
I'll miss the tit that holds me near  
And long will every day be,  
I'm sorry that the time is here  
For me to wean the baby."

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animals. This is because the cat is never wholly tamed. That is why she cultivates that skill in the craft of hunting which is necessary to the wild beast's existence. The wholly tamed beast is dependent for its daily bread, so to speak, on its master, and so, having had no need to exercise its old, half-forgotten faculties, has lost them, and with them the greater part of its intelligence. This is where the dog, which still retains traces of its age-old instincts and habits, approximates in intelligence to the cat—incidentally, however, losing its self-respect.

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—By Bud Fisher.



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MUTT: IF YOU HAD A REPUTATION AS AN EXPERT ACCOUNTANT LIKE ME YOU WOULDN'T HAVE ANY TIME TO LOAF IN POOL ROOMS! WELL, TATA! I'M OFF TO SEE JOHN D.

JEFF: THAT WAS A LOT OF APPLE SAUCE I SLIPPED! I JUST WANTED TO MAKE HIM JEALOUS—THAT'S ALL! I'LL KILL THE DAY ALONE!

MUTT: MUTT MUST BE SMART AFTER ALL! HE'LL GET A NUTTY FEE FROM JOHN D.'S ELL DROP IN THE DUTCHMAN'S AND SHOOT SOME POOL!

JEFF: OOWAH!

MUTT: TEE HEE!



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## About Men and Things

And Public Men in Particular.

(By SCRUTATOR.)

"Come, I'll tell you what I'm thinking is our duty in this line; They'd have done it quick as winking in the days of eighty-nine." —Shortfellow.

### THE FIRST POLITICIAN ON RECORD.

Somebody has said that "modern politicians, on the whole, are a 'bad lot.'" Perhaps they are, but it is questionable whether they are any worse than were those of the patriarchal days. The first professional politician on record I conceive to have been that individual who is mentioned in the Book of Job as "going to and fro in the earth, and walking up and down in it." Although "the father of lies," perhaps he was not much worse than are some of those who recently gave evidence before the Commission of Enquiry here. I say, "perhaps." We'll give them the benefit of the doubt, any way? It has always been, and will continue to be, the case that when an unprincipled political leader gets high up in office, obtains free and easy access to the public treasury, and becomes to run about the country and elsewhere at the expense of his fellow-citizens, he will find not only Apostles, but Chief Priests and Scribes and Pharisees to ride with him.

"In short, he will wholly upset with his ravages All that keeps us above the brute creatures and savages, And pitch into all kinds of broils and confusions The whole of our civilized, free institutions."

### HARD TO UNDERSTAND THEIR MENTALITY.

However, after a careful review of the political situation, I have come to the conclusion that it is not a constitutional form of government some of those in control of public affairs here want to see in operation. It is hard to understand their mentality at all! Right-minded people are almost driven to despair by it. The prospect of getting rid of the present state of shame and disgrace by ordinary means is so slight that a Messianic Spirit has seized a certain section of the community, including, of course, the optimists and dreamers. By the way, the Jewish nation, in its time of distress, waited for the Savior, who would come again on the clouds of heaven. Thus certain scientific poets now tell us tales of "the great technical wizard" who, by means of inventions and by unknown electrical waves, will deliver his people. Needless to say, when he appears he will demand and find blind obedience. But he has not yet revealed himself. Good men and women seek with religious fervor this new dictator; but they are simply exploited by wily politicians and adven-

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very different one to install them in the positions of leaders, or allow them to dictate policy. But it is to this danger that Liberals have been exposed during the last four or five years, and, in my judgment, it has been the chief cause of the calamity by which we have now been overtaken.

### NEED OF A NEW LIBERAL PARTY ALTOGETHER.

We must form up a new Liberal Party altogether, and take care that it embraces a majority of men like those of 1889 and 1893. In brief, we must develop a scientific party, with a reasonable body of principles and proposals. It must win the workers, who appreciate sincerity, by a sincere attitude towards all the anomalies of our constitution, as well as by an intelligent attitude towards the vast and vital problem of industrial disease. It must be visibly democratic and intelligently informed with respect to the great staple industry of the country—the fishery. It must leave the management of our harvest of the sea to those who know all about it and who will be influenced by the fundamental principles of supply and demand. It need not attack all the anomalies at once; but it must evoke and develop the Colonial temper which deals with anomalies as such.

On the other hand, its social policy must be economic, constructive, sociological, not merely semantic, morally repressive and Sabatarian; and its leaders must all round be decently consistent in their theory and practice. Finally, they must have the courage to count on the common sense of the mass of the workers, and refuse to have their course marked out for them by the presumptuous and unenlightened political demagogue.

### A LESSON TO FANATICS AND FADDISTS.

For the moment the masses have lost their faith in Liberalism, Fanatics and faddists of all sorts and descriptions have received a lesson by which they themselves are not able to profit, but which will not be lost upon the politicians of the future. The broad, plain common-sense of Newfoundlanders has, not for the first time in our island history, vindicated its supremacy. If any special proof were needed of the truth of this assertion, it would be found in the electoral condition of the metropolis. The gang of noisy scoundrels who considered themselves entrusted with a mission to St. John's in accordance with progressive principles, have received their quietus, and St. John's—the heart and brain of the island—has shown that its ideas, aims, and aspirations are not those of the clique of pestilent busybodies and boodlers who have made away with the revenues of the colony and rendered the administration of affairs here a mere travesty on Responsible Government. Obviously, then, if there is to be a renaissance of Liberalism, it must be in the form of a party with an economic aspect and an industrial policy. It is utterly idle to suppose that an industrial civilization can be governed in the name of democracy by a party with neither a social ideal nor a social scheme.

### MUST DO SOMETHING OR CLEAR OUT.

The present position shows the country to be very much of a melting-pot, as far as contending parties are concerned. Liberals and Conservatives, Laborites and Radicals, are all taking their turn in trying out alliances. This may seem at times altogether artificial, but in reality it indicates the natural outworking of a natural state of mind in the Colony. Newfoundland is shaken to the foundations by the struggle of the new ideas, and it is not too much to say that the result of this internal and spiritual crisis will be more important and far-reaching than the outcome of the "Boundary Question" or any other matter under consideration. If members of the Legislature would once grasp the fact that a constructive policy is demanded of them that they must do something or clear out, the end would be in view.

### RESULT OF POLITICAL MIDDLE OF 1919.

The plain fact is that one consequence of the political middle of 1919 was to change the whole centre of gravity of the hitherto fine old Liberal Party here. The withdrawal of men of influence and statesmanlike qualities, threw the balance on to the side of those more undesirable opinions—mere mushroomers in the political arena. The old ship of state had to make a difficult and dangerous voyage without an adequate supply of ballast. Far be it from me to indulge in unjust and disparaging reflections upon men whose passionate zeal even on behalf of views which I regard as extreme and unwise is still an element of strength in the army of progress. There must be room in a truly Liberal Party for great diversity of opinions. But it is one thing to exercise tolerance, even in relation to extremists and faddists, and another and

### ONE STATESMAN OF UNSULLIED REPUTATION LEFT.

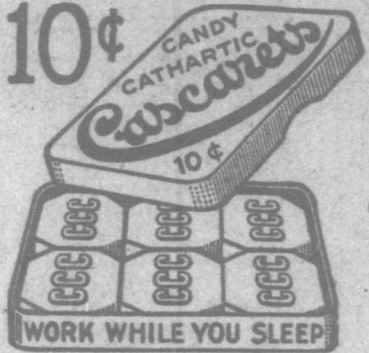
There is still at least one statesman of unsullied reputation in the colony—although not now in active public life—to whom every Newfoundlanders can point with pride. Needless to say, I refer to Sir Robert Bond. What a relief and satisfaction it would be to his fellow-countrymen, at this extremely critical juncture in our affairs, if he could be induced to return to the political arena, and, like Cincinnati of old, become "a second time the saviour of his country!" Throughout his life Sir Robert Bond has been eminently clear-headed. Not only has he never taken anything for himself from the public purse, but he has never, when not in office, eked out his income by means unworthy of a gentleman and a man of true honesty. Consequently his name is never found among those who "punt" on the Stock Exchange; no limited liability company ever got him to be a director, nor could a single financier ever confide, with his prestige because of any selfish interest he might have in view. Sir Robert's very purity of mind and conduct in this and other respects was doubtless a source of weakness to him in practical affairs, and for one thing marks him throughout his career a bad judge of men. It is visible not only in his own life, but in the way he has abstained from quartering his family and friends upon the country. Newfoundland has never seen his like before; will it ever see his like as Prime Minister again?

### "THE HANDSOMEST PRIME MINISTER."

It has recently been stated by one of the London newspapers that "Mr. Ramsey MacDonald is the handsomest Prime Minister since Lord Beaconsfield's time." This is a large assertion, demanding to be backed by more experience than most people will acknowledge. Nor is it one that will pass without challenge. Gladstone, especially in his later years, was a magnificent figure of power and dignity; and Rosebery might well have posed for an ideal picture of the British statesman. That was, of course, in Queen Victoria's day, and fashions change in political physiognomy as

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well as in political creeds. The present British Premier varies the tradition with a suggestion of romance and—if one may use the term without offence—more nearly approaches the type of the film hero. Perhaps that is what the newspaper referred to meant. Mr. MacDonald says "they"—meaning his predecessors in the Prime Minister's office—"have failed. We are going to succeed."

"WAIT AND SEE" Mr. Warren, so far as I can learn, has not yet made a pronouncement with respect to his future policy and prospects! Meanwhile the Government must not only be carried on. It must be carried on with credit and efficiency in the public interest and in view of the awkwardness of the situation resulting from the scandalous condition of things revealed before the Commission of Enquiry. When the time comes as abnormal and grave as now, the most moderate facilities for the execution of that task must be given by any wise and patriotic Opposition. In emergency Mr. Warren and his colleagues became the Government of the country. Though embracing too many Radical ministers, this in effect is not in the least a Radical Ministry. It has shown so far considerable moderation and tact, as well as an optimism and satisfaction with itself, which are probably excessive. What will happen when the Legislature meets next month? "Wait and see!"

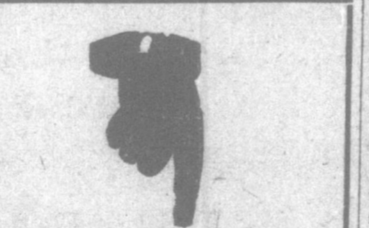
### Topics in Brief

It does sound a bit odd, though, to accuse Uncle Andrew of wanting to let the rich ones off from a tax they haven't been paying.—Dallas News.

In Budapest a dance was stopped by a bomb. Over here, everybody would have thought that a part of the jazz orchestra.—Detroit News.

If we annex the North Pole, will that make Santa 100 per cent. American?—Dallas News.

You cannot expect a living wage if you are a dead one.—Dayton News.



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## Road Board Elections

AT HOLYROOD AND NORTH ARM.

A public meeting was held in the Star Hall Holyrood on February 25th for the purpose of electing a new Road Board. There was a large assembly of voters present to hear the doings of the expiring board debated, and to exercise the franchise. The meeting was orderly and well conducted. Mr. R. Dwyer, J.P., was Chairman and Mr. J. A. Hannon, Secretary. It was agreed that five members constitute the new Board. Twelve candidates were nominated, namely, Messrs. L. Barron, J. J. Carroll, M. C. Dunphy, John Harding, Daniel Hennessey, Edward Kirby, Aaron Lewis, Daniel Lewis, J. J. Maloney, Andrew Nash, W. P. Walsh, John Walsh. When the poll was taken and the 112 votes counted, it was found that Edward Kirby, J. J. Carroll, John Walsh, M. C. Dunphy and Laurence Barron were duly elected and declared to be the new Board for Holyrood. The new members adjourned to the Reading Room, held a meeting, and elected Mr. M. C. Dunphy, Chairman; and Mr. J. J. Carroll, Deputy Chairman of the Board, and these are the chosen trustees to manage the public affairs of the new term. The election was well balanced and well contested and a change of two votes only would have elected the defeated Chairman and his Board again.

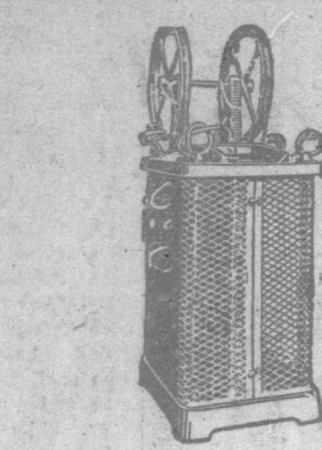
Meeting at North Arm.

A public meeting was held in the North Arm school room on March 1st for the purpose of electing a Road Board for North Arm, Holyrood. This is a new era having only recently come under the provisions of the Local Affairs Act, Rev. Fr. Finn, P. P., to whose activities in a great measure is due the granting of this privilege to North Arm, was present and opened the meeting with a short and instructive address on the duties of members of the Board and the workmen employed by them. He gave sound, practical advice to both and aimed to produce better results all around. His attitude then was to help them out to the best of his ability, and he trusted North Arm Board would be an object lesson for other places. This, he concluded, was a matter in which he was much interested as he journeyed much on foot on his mission work, over those roads of the North Arm area. He would like to stay to vote, but the N. A. River forbade him. He wished the Board which they were to elect a full measure of success, and that it would justify its institution in the prosperous settlement, and then left the meeting on a business call. Considerable interest in this new institution was evident and every voter home but three voted. It was agreed that the Board was to consist of five members. Seven were nominated, namely: Messrs. William Corbett, John Dwyer, Edward Joy, Patrick M. Healey, Joseph Penney, Mark Penney, James Quinlan. The result of the poll was that Patrick Healey, James Quinlan, John Dwyer, Mark Penney and William Corbett were duly elected and declared the first Board for the North Arm of Holyrood. The members elected retired to the ante-room, held a meeting and elected Mr. James Quinlan, Chairman; and Mr. John Dwyer, Deputy Chairman of the new Board. The Board Chairman and Deputy were repeatedly cheered and made promising and thankful speeches to the meeting. There were some speeches from the meeting, too, and in particular a very sound and forcible one from Mr. Jeremiah Penney. Considerable stress was given to the point that as the "Country Path" Road and "Station" Road were used to a great extent as main roads by people outside the area, a special grant should be allocated for the upkeep of these roads. The Chairman thanked the meeting for their attendance and good order and wished the new Board a prosperous term. The meeting then closed.

R. DWYER, J.P., Chairman.  
HUBERT PENNEY, Secretary.

## Jewels Necessary Articles for Dress

Jewellery and precious stones are recognized as part of the articles of personal use necessary for the society woman in Germany by a decision of the Criminal Court in Osnabruck, in a recent trial for alleged smuggling. In 1920 a rich land owner named Zakrewski, and his family left home for a long visit in Uruguay, taking with them all their jewels. But on the Dutch border they were searched by Customs Officers, the jewels found, and the couple accused of attempting to export valuables in violation of German law. The seized articles were held, and upon Zakrewski's return from South America, he and his wife were brought to trial. When their attorney drew attention to a paragraph in the law of April, 1921, providing that a traveller may take everything necessary for personal use upon a journey abroad and insisted that Frau Zakrewski's jewels certainly came under that classification, he won his case. His clients were acquitted and the jewellery was restored to them.



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**SIDE TALKS.**

By Ruth Cameron.

**MAKING THE NEWCOMER UNCOM-**



If a par a dise didn't have walls about it, would it be Paradise? If everyone were to go to Heaven, would it seem like Heaven to some folks? I certainly know some people whom I cannot imagine really enjoying Heaven, if everyone were allowed to go there were no exclusive inner circle for them to belong to. Still, there would of course always be newcomers to eye critically and to be made to feel outsiders. That would help some.

Do you know any of the sort of people I describe? If you ever went to a summer hotel you have met them. They are generally middle-aged people. Young people are too busy being happy themselves to have to find their pleasure in making other people uncomfortable.

**How The Inner Circle Works.**

These people get together in twos, threes, and half dozens and look over all the newcomers.

When you enter the room where they are, they stop talking in that obvious way which gives you the feeling, perhaps not that they have been talking about you. If you, having been duly introduced, sit down near them, they make their conversation with each other elaborately personal and full of references understandable only to a member of their secret society. They have a special glassy smile which they keep as a response to any-

thing you say. If they talk to you, their talk consists in asking you first where you come from, secondly, if you know certain people from that place whose names are evidently a Shibboleth by which you shall be put in your proper place.

This is the way they treat all newcomers. The treatment lasts for a few days, just long enough to make everyone as thoroughly uncomfortable as possible in that period of newness and adjustment when they would feel a little homesick and ill adjusted under the best of circumstances.

**Now You May Do It Too.**

Then some more people arrive, and if you have stood their tests properly, have known the right people, and now show yourself quick to criticize and perhaps make fun of the new people, you are at once initiated into the society of the old inhabitants. Not into the inner circle of course, long residence and a sharp tongue are required for that, but into the outer fringes. Now you may form one of an aloof group, you may look the strangers over with an appraising eye, you may say sharp things about them when they are out of ear shot (or ought to be, and if they aren't they shouldn't blame you for what they hear, eavesdroppers never do hear any good of themselves).

**Perhaps You Won't Want To.**

It may possibly be that you won't care to join their society. You may remember how you felt as a newcomer and may want to make other newcomers feel a little less uncomfortable than you did. You may remember how many times in your life

people who did not seem prepossessing at first have turned out to be well worth knowing, and may therefore be willing to suspend judgment, and to be courteous and kindly while you are doing so.

I am afraid you will never be very popular with the secret society, if you feel that way. But perhaps you will not mind too much.

**To Raise Scuttled Fleet**

Big Salvage Plan—Work to Begin This Month.

It was stated recently that the contract between the Admiralty and Messrs. Cox and Danks, iron and steel merchants and ship-breakers, of Queensborough, Sheerness, for salvaging vessels of the German fleet sunk at Scapa Flow is completed. The ships when raised will be broken up.

"It is probably the biggest salvage feat ever attempted," said a salvage authority. "There is no precedent for operations on such a scale. They will begin about the end of March."

It is understood that several salvage and shipbuilding companies—including an American syndicate—competed for the contract. An unsuccessful English firm is said to have offered £2,000 for the right to sell or own all the sunken German ships, and to pay the Admiralty £1,500 a year for the use of their four lifting barges and £3,500 for the ships.

The vessels scuttled by the Germans at Scapa Flow in June, 1919, were 11 battleships, 5 battle-cruisers, 8 light cruisers, and 28 destroyers. A battleship, 3 light cruisers and a destroyer were raised by the Admiralty in July, 1919.

Messrs. Cox and Danks will use the ex-German floating dock for submarines, surrendered after the armistice, for use as a floating workshop in the salvage operations.

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is plain, outdoor life, he said. Mr. Sprague, who is the oldest member of the Masonic fraternity in New Jersey, has been a Knights Templar for sixty-five years. Despite his age Mr. Sprague does not find it necessary to wear glasses and has not been ill in seven years. He stands with body erect and never misses his five-mile jaunt, rain or shine, every day of the year.

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**DIFFERENT TASTES.**



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### A Luther Burbank of the Fish

The creation of new varieties of fish by the methods that have made Burbank celebrated in the vegetable kingdom is looked forward to as possible by a contributor to Le Matin (Paris). Transformations of the kind have already been made, he tells us, by Dr. Schmidt of Copenhagen, who has gained fame by practical discoveries in ichthyology, and especially by finding that the French eel brings up its families far from home, near our own continent. We read in the newspaper named above:

"A Danish scientist, Dr. John Schmidt, has demonstrated a disturbing fact. By keeping fish in water at a different temperature from that to which they are accustomed, he has shown that after several generations he can produce individuals of a new type, modified in form and structure, especially in the number of vertebrae and the rays of the fins.

"No other agency has the same result—neither ultra-violet rays, nor feeding, nor anything else. Only the temperature of the medium has an influence.

"This is a very important matter to those who are looking for the origins of life and of living species on our globe. It is nearly certain that we now hold a key that will permit men—again rivals of the gods—to create new fish as horticulturists turn out new flowers in greenhouses.

"Dr. John Schmidt is well known in the world of science, especially among zoologists. Although still young—about forty-five—he is director of the Carlsberg laboratory at Copenhagen, which is a kind of Pasteur Institute. Dr. Schmidt is also a bold sailor who has placed his scientific ability at the disposal of deep-sea fishermen.

"Thanks to him, and to his experiences gathered in eight successive exploring expeditions in Iceland and the Faroes, herring fishermen no longer rely wholly on chance for a good catch. They now know the precise spots where, according to the indications of the moment, their nets should be cast.

"The interest of Schmidt's work may be understood when we remember the importance of the fishing industry. This investigator has also acquired a singular title to fame. He has solved a puzzle that has occupied the attention of scientists for several centuries. Our edible eels of France, celebrated by Rabelais, interest them very much. No one has ever discovered how they reproduce their kind.

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"In this relatively small region the young eel develops slowly and reaches again the shores of France, where it arrives at the age of three years. Our fishermen then call it civelle, houlron or piballe, and catch it in vast numbers. Those that escape the nets ascend rivers and brooks, even travelling over solid ground on wet nights, and establish themselves in lakes, ponds and ditches, far inland.

"Dr. Schmidt has calculated that the civelles that penetrated our water-courses in 1923, for instance, are the offspring of the adults that left France in the autumn of 1919. On an average, the eel lives with us eight years, and after full growth, seeks the sea again to find a mate and found a family. She goes to 'hide her happiness'—according to the words of a well-known opera—on the American coast.

"Thus, there are no unimportant problems in science. One discovery brings another, and we must take off our hats to the men who, silently and with patient labor, starting from the most trivial facts, or what are apparently so, reach practical results capable of transforming a



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Singers may come, and singers may go, but popular Charlie Foster still goes strong, and, owing to the illness of Mr. Hawkes last evening he was obliged to "go it alone." That he did this in a creditable and qualified way, was shown by the applause that greeted his appearance; secondly in the masterful and accomplished way he sang Astor in the Deep, and to which he had to respond with an encore, Any Old Port in a Storm; thirdly from the big applause that greeted him at the finish. This gentleman has, since his coming here, treated his audiences to a class of entertainment that has never been equalled, and will take some to keep up to, and the thousands of friends and admirers he has made for himself since his arrival, speak volumes for his popularity. He last evening entered upon his seventh and final week, and as a parting final will put forth the very best that is in him, and no doubt all will hear him during his change. St. Patrick's Day programs is to be found on another page, and it will be usual bring full houses.

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### Rivals of Ruin

PLACID STREAMS THAT SOMETIMES BECOME RAGING TORRENTS, SPREADING DEATH AND DESTRUCTION EVERYWHERE.

We have recently been reminded by the floods in France of the ravages which, even in modern times and in highly developed countries, can be wrought when a great river overflows its banks.

But the damage done by the Seine and other great French rivers on such occasions is not very considerable as compared with the havoc caused by other streams in similar circumstances.

The most tragical river in the world is the Hoang-ho, or Yellow River, which is known throughout the Celestial Empire as China's Sorrow. Earthquakes and eruptions claim their victims in tens of thousands occasionally, but this river "drinks" nothing of drowning several millions of human beings in one fell flood.

Not many years ago, when the Hoang-ho devastated an area as large as England, its victims were estimated at ten millions. In historic times it has changed its mouth eleven times and its present outlet is three hundred miles away from its former one.

When Human Power Is Vain.  
Another river of tragedy is the Mississippi, which also has a tendency to alter its course and run amok across field and farm and city. Its great plain is very flat, and when it overflows it overflows a long way, carrying stock in vast numbers to feed the sharks in the Gulf or Mexico. As time goes on, its banks are being more and more strengthened, but when a big river takes matters into its own hands, human devices are apt to look foolish!

The Nile is a river of blessing, and a river of blight. If it comes up to scratch and does its duty it is worth tens of millions to Egypt and mankind; but if it fails—as it has many times done in history—that failure means famine. Since Britain has come to the rescue, however, and built the Assuan Dam to conserve and regulate the water, so that the river does not wash the land away one year and leave it barren the next, the Nile has done nothing to justify its former sinister reputation. But in the past its failure to function normally has cost millions of lives.

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### Sea Superstitions

The sailor inherits many strange superstitions from the distant past, and even in these modern days of steel and steam his outlook is still influenced by them.

From time immemorial sea birds have been regarded by sailors as sacrosanct. Woe betide the man who slays one of "Mother Carey's Chickens." The fate of the man who shot the albatross is well known. But there are other superstitions concerning sea birds. Many sailors, for instance, believe that they are the wandering souls of evil-doers condemned to continual movement. Some believe they carry the souls of masters of lost ships plaintively crying in the still watches of the night until their bodies shall be carried to the land for Christian burial.

The small grey gulls which fly swiftly up and down the Bosphorus, near the Golden Horn, skimming close to the surface of the water without ever seeming to alight, are said by sailors to be the souls of wicked captains of ships sentenced to wander until they fill the Day of Judgment.

Rats foretell disaster by leaving an ill-fated ship just before she sails. They have often been seen swarming along the hawser securing the ship to the wharf.

The possession of an infant's caul is regarded as a certain protection against drowning, and it is a fact of melancholy significance that during the late war the price of cauls went up considerably.

At table if a glass tumbler is inadvertently struck, a sailor will instinctively put out his hand to prevent it from ringing out and say "Save a drowning man."

Cats are lucky. Especially black cats, but dogs are not always regarded with favor. Scots fishermen say that to mention the name of a dog will bring on a storm, and that the wind will come from the direction in which a dog points his nose when he howls.

Icelandic fishermen regard it as unlucky to have a dog near their nets or boats, while in Cornwall storms are foretold by the appearance of a spectral dog.

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### Government's First Bill

A Children's Charter—Many Changes in Present Law.

The text of the first Government Bill was issued yesterday. It is a far-reaching Children's Bill, the introductory memorandum extending to eight pages, while the Bill itself runs to 143 closely printed pages or 184 sections.

This measure is introduced by Mr. C. G. Ammon, Parliamentary Secretary to the Admiralty, and the following are among the chief provisions:

Prohibition of marriages for persons under 16.

Five years' penal servitude to be the maximum penalty for cruelty to children on conviction before a jury, instead of (as now) £100 fine and two years' imprisonment with hard labor.

The maximum penalty for a summary conviction in cases of cruelty to be raised from six months' hard labor to twelve and a fine of £200 (instead of £25).

The present penalty for the exposure of children under seven to the risk of burning or scalding through unprotected fire-places to apply to children under ten, and to all mentally defective children or young persons.

Corporal Punishment.  
Children under 16 may no longer, on any condition whatever (as at present, when a license may be obtained), be sent abroad for the purpose of performing for gain.

The existing prohibition on persons under 14 being in the bar of licensed premises is extended to persons of 14 and 15, while the age under which it is illegal to give any intoxicating liquor to children, except in pursuance of medical directions, is raised from five to ten.

Street betting with persons under 16 will render the offender liable to a fine of £100 and six months' hard labor, instead of (as now) £50 or six months (or, on summary conviction, £30 or three months) without the option of a fine.

The age of competence to commit crime is raised from seven to ten. A boy under sixteen convicted before a jury is not to be liable to corporal punishment; a boy under fourteen summarily convicted is.

Publishing in a newspaper, without express authorization from the court, of name or address or sketch or any information of any child or young person charged with or convicted of any offence, other than murder, or attempted murder, or wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm, to be made punishable (on summary conviction) with a fine of £100 or six months' imprisonment.

Where this offence is committed in respect of a case tried before a Court of Assize it is to be punishable as contempt of court.

Among the general provisions of the Bill it is proposed:

To extend the law of homicide to the protection of children not completely born.

Offences Against Girls.  
The penalties for offences against girls are regraded. In no case is reasonable ground to believe that a girl is over sixteen to be a defence in any proceedings with respect to a girl under that age.

The limited period within which proceedings can be instituted for an offence against a girl of fourteen or fifteen is abolished in the case of prosecutions instituted by or with the sanction of the Director of Public Prosecutions.—London Daily Mail, February 12.

### Unfrosted Clergyman as Brazilian Hero

For some time past rumors have reached this country of the surprising doings of a religious revivalist in the secular life of a town in Brazil. Details have lately come to light in a recent book on his travels in South America by Arno Penrose, a British student of international economics.

Ten years ago a Jesuit priest, Cleoro Romano Baptista, was excommunicated by Roman Catholic authority on account of anti-religious teachings.

Some years later he appeared on the scene in a little town in Northern Brazil, proclaiming that he was sent by Christ to announce the coming of the Kingdom of Heaven on earth. Many followers were soon converted to his doctrines and he came to be regarded as a supernatural being. Finally he was elected as mayor of the little town, and his followers being in the majority, important decisions in all matters concerning the community were left to him. He soon exercised the rights of a ruler, never, however, for his own ends, but solely for the good of the community.

Thousands of men and women from all the neighboring districts go daily to consult him on religious, as well as on worldly matters. His word is regarded as gospel and it is not exaggeration to say that his decisions carry greater weight than the orders and decrees of the Brazilian government.

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The case of the windmill is very similar. In the old days all our corn milling was done by water or wind power. The water-mill survived, but steam killed the old-fashioned, clumsy windmill, with its great wooden sails.

Then came the modern steel windmill, which was first used in America for pumping water. Very light, very portable, and very cheap, it was soon introduced into this country, where before the War one could be erected for as little as £500.

Doing Eleven Men's Work.  
Trials were conducted by the Royal Agricultural Society, and it was found that a steel windmill, costing £70, would pump from 1,400 to 10,000 gallons of water a day, according to the speed the wind was blowing, to a height of 200 feet.

A light steel windmill of modern construction will do the work of two horses at practically no expense whatever, except that of a little oil. Such a mill, with 12 ft. steel sails, can raise 3,200 gallons of water 1 ft. high in a minute, when a man working at a pump can only raise 300 gallons in the same space of time.

One of the principal uses to which these little windmills are put nowadays is to generate electricity. The wind may go on strike for a day or two at a time, but the electricity generated can be stored for purposes of lighting and heating, so in this way we are able to make good use of wind-power.

Wind, after all, is the cheapest of all natural powers, and there is no reason why it should not be utilized all over the countryside.

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### INTER-CLUB BOWLING LEAGUE.

Games Will Start March 15th. The following schedule has been drawn:—  
March 15th.  
7.30—Masonic vs. K. of C.  
9.00—Dunfield vs. C.L.B.  
March 20th.  
7.30—Gaelic vs. Guards.  
9.00—Oddfellows vs. B.I.S.  
March 21st.  
7.30—Feldians vs. St. Andrews.  
9.00—C.E.I. vs. Star.

### RING FANS CRITICISE CHAMPION

Demsey Believes He is Unjustly Put on Pan for Receiving Big Purses for Title Battles.

Quite often I have been criticised by some persons because I have been paid huge sums of money for my end of the fights I have engaged in since winning the championship.

It has been pointed out that \$100,000 was the top price before my day, but that since then I have been paid \$300,000 for one fight and something like \$450,000 for another. Which is about true.

But I can't figure out why I should be condemned for getting all the pay that I can get for my services. Isn't that the common custom in work? Doesn't every man try to get as big a salary, as big a commission or as big a percentage as is possible?

Since I won the title, I have engaged in five battles. My purse has been bigger for each new fight. But I have the consolation of knowing that in each and every instance—but one—the man who promoted the show I engaged in made money for himself. Never, except in Montana, did any promoter or group of promoters lose money when I fought in defence of my crown.

### Floyd Made Profit.

I got something like \$35,000 in Benton Harbor when I fought Billy Micks under the promotion of Floyd Fitzsimmons. Billy got about \$25,000 for his end. Floyd made a nice profit out of the affair, the crowd got a run for its money—and everybody was more or less happy.

Tex Rickard paid me \$100,000 to fight Bill Brennan. Bill received \$25,000. Yet even though the show was indoors, where the seating capacity was limited to about 15,000, Rickard made money out of it.

Rickard paid me \$300,000 to battle Carpenter. He gave the Frenchman \$200,000. What his other expenses—arena cost, etc.—were I don't know.

### Perhaps they figure another \$500,000.

That made a total of \$1,000,000. But the intake was reported to be about \$5,000,000. So Tex made a neat profit for himself and the crowd saw a good fight.

The Montana men offered me \$310,000 to fight Tommy Gibbons. They paid \$210,000 and then flunked. The day before the fight they turned the gate over to Jack Kearns and I guess Jack picked up about \$40,000 or \$50,000 that way, making a total of \$250,000 or \$300,000. But Jack had to pay quite a bit out of that final \$40,000 or \$50,000 to satisfy judgments against creditors of the promoters, referees' guarantee and preliminary fighters.

### Montanans Lost Money.

The men in Montana lost money on the fight. But I feel that the sporting world knows that it was not that I was a failure as a drawing card. The whole fault was due to mismanagement by the promoters. The gate certainly would have hit \$500,000, and perhaps \$700,000 if the affair had been handled right.

My most recent fight with Firpo, I got the biggest amount of money I ever received as my end for that show. Firpo is reported to have received about \$125,000, which is his top figure in single fight earnings. Despite that Rickard is said to have made about \$200,000 to \$250,000 out of it.

And, from all I can gather, there wasn't a single person of the \$0,000 who saw the fireworks that night that ever has regretted the expenditure of the money that enabled him to get in to the fight arena.

So, as far as I can figure it out, no one ever has been a loser on any of my championship fights—except the Montanans—even though I have been paid money far beyond anything ever received before by a pugilist.

### RUTH PLAYS GOLF TO START TRAINING.

HOT SPRINGS, Mar. 10.—A handful of satellites of the baseball world, vanguard of the army of players that will be trained in the South this spring, has arrived here for the light workouts and baths that will precede the rigorous schedulers which most of them will undergo in Florida.

Babe Ruth, king of the sluggers came yesterday and lost no time getting started on his program for reducing. The Babe played golf and hit the trail for the mountains during the afternoon.

Urban Faber, veteran tosser of the Chicago White Sox, and Claude Jon-

nard, a New York Giant moundsman, have been in camp several days. Other early arrivals are Joe Harris, Steve O'Neill and Jack Quinn of the Boston Red Sox.

The first quota of twenty-five Indians from Cleveland is expected to entrain at the spa to-day.

### TAYLOR MAKES 500 BULLSEYES WITH 500 SHOTS.

Alexander Winchell Taylor, 18, of No. 798 East 175th Street, a graduate of Evander Childs High School, recently accomplished a feat performed by only four boys in the United States.

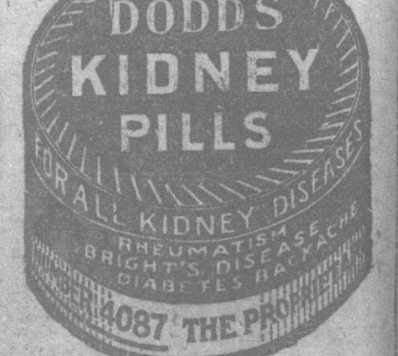
In competition for the Distinguished Rifleman Trophy offered by the Winchester Arms Company in the Junior Rifle Corps, he shot a perfect score of 500 bullseyes at the regulation target kneeling, 150 sitting and 150 prone.

The hits on the prone target had to be within the two inner rings of the bullseye.

The trophy is in the form of a bar to be attached to the Expert Rifleman medal, which must be won before the bar, and calls for a 100 per cent score, the marksman having the option of his position. The bar is the highest award given by the Winchester Company.

Taylor began to shoot under his father's instruction when he was too small to hold a light rifle without a rest, and has been under the instruction of P. B. Mann, rifle coach at Evander Childs for the last five years, during which time he shot on the team which won the city championship, and was Captain in 1922. He expects to continue rifle competition at college.

He comes of pre-revolutionary stock, and his father and grandfather were good marksmen. The former is an employee of The World.



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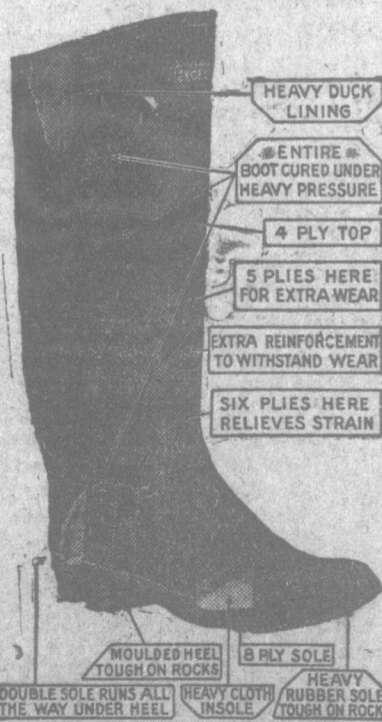
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