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July 29, 1910.

Evening Telegram

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Friday, July 29, 1910.

Will This Council Act?

Such is the pertinent enquiry, our correspondent "Reform" puts publicly, in reference to cleaning up the town. "Reform" is outspoken in his remarks about the unsanitary condition of the streets, and rightly so. There is a time to be outspoken and this is one. "This town STINKS" is his outspoken verdict, and it is the outspoken verdict of the many. There should be no delay in cleaning up the streets, and it is a matter of urgency for the Council to act, and to act promptly. While the town stinks, danger is in the air, and death-dealing dirt is doing its dire work.

The future of the city depends largely on the health of its inhabitants. In the past it has been stricken sore by an abnormal death rate. This death rate can be cut in two. It is up to the City Council to do it. It has been done elsewhere, and can be done here. The ever present "stinks" are constant reminders of civic negligence. The publication of the death-rate annually is the annual reminder that the community is paying a heavy toll of life for the "stinks" it tolerates. "This town stinks. Will this Council clean it up?"

Seeing is Believing.

The public bought only £56,000 out of the £800,000 bonds issued recently at 97½. When the subscription list closed the underwriters had to take up the £744,000 unpurchased by the public. The Government press assert that the underwriters have guaranteed £96 net for the £100 bond. In view of the fact that the official lists of the London Stock Exchange show that the business done on the Newfoundland 3½ per cent. £100 bonds was done in the week of flotation at prices ranging around 93, the contention of the Government press that the underwriters have taken up £744,000 of the loan at 97½ less 1½ for expenses is not convincing.

As the Government has acquiesced in the contention, let the Government produce the evidence, that the public may see it for themselves and read the full terms. Let the Government

produce the text of the agreement for the underwriting, and that for the deposit of the proceeds with "Financial Corporation." If the contention is correct, the production of these agreements will clinch the matter, and may explain the anomaly between the London Exchange quotations and the alleged underwriting net price for similar bonds.

Safe Swimming Pools.

Much discussion is going on in the city in reference to safe swimming pools, and the action of Mayor Ellis is awaited with interest. Many are of opinion that steps should be taken immediately and that by Monday places should be roped in three convenient ponds and a man put in charge of each for the next six weeks or so. The cost would not be heavy and a number of gentlemen are willing to co-operate with others in guaranteeing sufficient money to finance the scheme this season. Others preferred to wait and see what the Council would do to-night. Others again would like to see the City Councilors unite with the Government in providing immediately for this season and taking counsel together for permanent arrangement. One suggestion was that a Public Bath would be a fitting, worthy and useful form for a memorial to King Edward.

To-morrow we shall return to this subject. It should be remembered that boys will resort to the waters, and that the only thing feasible is to provide better for their safety.

Two Bankers Arrive.

The Lunenburg banker Frank H. Adams, Capt. R. Silver, arrived here this morning from the Grand Banks for salt and bait. She has 300 qts of fish for two weeks' work on the Bank, found cod scarce and has 1,600 qts. to her credit for 7 dories. The Lunenburg banker Earl Grey, also arrived this morning from the Banks with 100 qts for 2 weeks' fishing. She has 1,500 qts. for 6 dories. Both vessels report cod scarce, very stormy weather, and that dogfish are a pest on the Banks. Both vessels are being supplied with salt by Job Bros.

An Important Appointment.

A cable was received in the city to-day from New York saying that Mr. John Vetch had been appointed Superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Co. This is a very important appointment and an onerous position to fill, but Mr. Vetch is quite capable of coping with the work demanded of him. Mr. Vetch is a native of Holyrood and a nephew of Rev. Monsignor Vetch. He has been in New York 20 years. He is also a nephew of Mr. George Vetch of the Postal Telegraphs. We congratulate Mr. Vetch and his relatives on his success.

Coastal Boats.

REID N.F.L.D. CO.
The Argyle left Balne Hr. at 2 p.m. yesterday.
The Clyde left Lewisporte at 8.05 this morning.
The Dundee left Port Blandford at 2.45 this morning.
The Ethie left Clarendville at 3.55 this morning.
The Glencoe left St. Jacques at 7 p.m. yesterday.
The Home left Bonne Bay at 2.30 a.m. yesterday going north.
The Portia left Rose Blanche at 8.20 this morning coming east.
The Prospero left Morton's Hr. at 9.45 a.m. to-day.

REGATTA GOODS

For Tent Holders and Family Parties.

HAMS, (with or without bone), New Spare Ribs, Choice Jowls, Long Island Green Cabbage, New Potatoes, Old Potatoes, Fresh Tomatoes, Lemon Crystals by the lb., Lemon Crystals, 9c bottle.

Hire's Root Beer Extract, Wilson's Root Beer Extract, 10c bot., 5c Cigarettes, Virginia Cigarettes, Mott's 5c and 10c Confectionery, Fry's 5c and 10c Confectionery, Lowrey's 10c boxes Confectionery, **Special Box Price.**

Smoke "Judge," The same Cigars as formerly sold under Brand of "Little Governor."

BISCUITS, A Fresh Supply of Carr's Just Received. All crisp and fresh from the bakers ovens.

BIRD'S CUSTARD AND CALIFORNIA FRUIT, Will combine nicely and make a very tempting dessert.

LIME JUICE, Roscoe's Lime Juice and Cordial, Flett's Lime Juice, Howard's Lime Juice Cordial, West India Lime Juice, small & large.

We are giving a special price on California Fruits this week—2 dozens at dozen rates.

Bird's Custard in assorted flavours.

C. P. EAGAN, Duckworth St. and Queen's Road.

Yacht Sunbeam Here.

The historic yacht Sunbeam, the vessel associated with the late Lady Brassey's book, "The Voyage of a Sunbeam," arrived in port last evening from Reykjavik, Iceland, after a voyage of 9 days. She is 36 years old, and is a very handsome, well found and a staunch vessel of 560 tons gross, 227 net, and is a steamer which can make 9 knots easily. Sail is used as auxiliary, and she is built after the style of a three topmast schooner. She left Dover on the 9th inst., and after going to Darrook, in Scotland, proceeded to Iceland and thence to St. John's. She will likely leave here on Tuesday next for Bay of Islands, thence to Quebec and Montreal, and after cruising in the St. Lawrence will return to England. Lord Brassey, the owner, is on board, and as guests on his yacht are:—Hon. R. Littleton, Col. Hutchinson and wife, Mr. Follett and Dr. Richardson. To-day Hon. R. Watson called on Lord Brassey on board the yacht, and later came ashore with that gentleman and his guests and paid a visit to the Administrator, Sir E. D. Shea, at Government House. The captain of the ship is J. R. Carter, sailing master, Mr. Kindred and chief engineer, Mr. Cooke. The vessel is palatially furnished and fitted up. Mr. Tasker Cooke is supplying her.

Newfoundlanders Own the Mine.

Recently the Daily News quoted an article in a London paper dealing with the anthracite coal deposits on Labrador and stating that a Canadian vessel was going there to locate the claims and prospect them. As a matter of fact these coal claims are owned right here in St. John's by Messrs. J. T. Phillips, Tinsmith, and Jas. Headall, Machinist. The property is located 25 miles inland from Forteau and these gentlemen took out claim for it last November. They prospect it and now hold samples of the coal and if their rights are infringed on by the Canadians, will bring the matter before the courts to protect their interests.

Personal Notes.

Mrs. Walters, wife of Const. Walters, who has been at Manuels this past two weeks, returned here by yesterday's train having enjoyed the outing.
Mr. J. B. Foote, of Grand Bank, arrived here by the Placentia train on business and will remain for some time.
Mr. Thos. F. Armstrong of the electric sub-station left here by the express yesterday en route to Quebec where he will attend the conference of the Knights of Columbus, of which he is a member.
Misses Walsh and O'Rourke, of Holyrood, left here by yesterday's train for Topsail to spend a holiday.
Mr. Augustus Foran, son of the late J. W. Foran, arrived recently from New York and will remain for a holiday. Gus is looking well and enjoying his trip to the old homestead.
The wedding of Mr. Edward R. Goff, of Carboner, and Miss Mary Houllihan, of St. John's takes place on Tuesday afternoon.
Mr. Chas. Kelly, of Knowling's grocery, who had been spending a week at Bell Island, returned home to-day having enjoyed his vacation.
Mr. Joseph Macnamara, brother of Rev. J. Macnamara and Alfred Macnamara, who has resided in New York the past 10 years, arrived here by the Borneu yesterday on a holiday. Joe, as he is familiarly known, has an excellent position in Gotham. He will remain for the Regatta and will spend a holiday with his friends.

Coast Weather Report

Herring Neck—Plenty of squid, fish scarce the past two days.
Twillingate—Little fish still on grounds and 1 to 3 barrels caught by hook and line daily, when bait obtainable, squid scarce.
Change Islands—Very little fish yesterday; bait scarce.
Tilt Cove—Shoe Cove, hook and line doing very well; traps all up.
Hr. Grace—No bait, codfish scarce, qtl on trawls.
Burns—Squid plenty; fish, ½ to 1 little on trawls.
Trinity—Traps 1 to 5, trawls ½ to 1½.
Lawn—Dories 1 qtl; plenty of squid.
Brigus—Hook and line from 1 qtl to 1½ qtl; bait scarce.
Bonne Bay—No improvement in fishery here.
Sound Island—Better sign of fish; nets and trawls enough squid for bait.
Lark Hr.—Fishery fair; no squid yet.
St. Lawrence—Squid fairly plentiful; 1 to 2 qts. cod per dory on trawls.
King's Cove—Boats averaged 1½ qtl yesterday; enough squid for bait.
Fortune—Enough squid for bait; little fish.
The west bound express was at Grand Falls this morning on time.

Bornu's Eventful Trip.

When the Borneu was coming this way on her run between New York and Halifax on her second day out she narrowly escaped collision with a large three masted schooner. Dense fog prevailed when at 9 a.m. the schooner loomed up out of the gloom and suddenly catching sight of the steamer close inward her captain altered his helm, but such a close call was it from running into the ship, that as the vessel passed by at a 9 knot clip her jibboom scraped the side of the steamer. The crew and passengers could plainly see the men running about the unknown vessel's decks.
Wednesday night at 11.30 in running over St. Pierre Bank the ship found herself in amongst a fleet of fishing boats and schooners. These sent up rockets and fired guns from their decks, blew fog horns and gave other signals to warn the ship of their presence. Capt. Dutton skillfully picked his way through them and avoided accidents.

Colonia Coming With New Cable.

The Colonia which was here last year has been chartered from the owners, The Telegraph Construction & Maintenance Co., to lay a new cable from the Land's End to Newfoundland. The cable is about 3,000 miles long and is valued at \$2,000,000. She will convey the cable from the works on the Thames to Land's End, lay out a length, and then proceed to Newfoundland with the bulk of the cable, paying it out from the Newfoundland end.

French Consul Leaves.

The French Consul, Mr. Choral, leaves here for France, via New York on the Borneu to-morrow. He requested the Telegram to-day to thank publicly His Excellency the Governor the business and the professional people of the city for the many courtesies and kindnesses extended to him during his stay in St. John's.

Bell Island Will Row.

A crew from Bell Island will compete in our Regatta and these will appear in the Red Lion in the Fishermen's race. Their names are: D. Dwyer, Coxswain, J. Dwyer, E. Butler, Fitzgerald, (2) Patk. Kelly, and J. Kelly. No other crews will come from the Island.

A Youthful Stowaway.

There returned by the Borneu from Halifax a lad named Malone of this city, aged 12 years, who on the last trip of the Florizel went by her to Halifax as a stowaway. He was looked after by Capt. Clarke and on the run here was treated well by captain, crew and passengers. On the ship's arrival last evening his mother went on board and welcomed him back.

Train Notes.

The Bruce express left here at 6 p.m. yesterday taking Mrs. Sprudling, J. Fahy, Mrs. John Browning, Miss Browning, T. F. Armstrong, R. H. White, C. Hogg and wife, Mrs. Farou, and 50 second class.
The local arrived at 9.25 last night bringing T. P. Connors, S. Ryall, W. Stranger, Miss K. Cole, Mrs. W. Slater, Miss Galway, Rev. Fr. Galway, Mr. and Mrs. Wright, J. Angel, several Christian Brothers and 20 others.
The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 8.20 this morning and is due here at noon to-morrow.

In the police court to-day a drunk was discharged. Several civil cases were adjudicated in the Central District Court.

The fishery on the North Shore, especially at Adam's Cove, Western Bay, and nearby places will be better than last year especially for traps which have now under salt from 100 to 150 qts. Boats are also doing fairly when squid is obtainable.

The full Battalion of the Methodist Guards will parade at Headquarters on Sunday, 31st inst., at 10 a.m. sharp, to attend Divine Service at Wesley Church. By order O.C., E. S. AYRE, Lieut. and Adj. July 29, 21.

BORNU'S OUTWARD PASSENGERS—The Borneu sails at 1 p.m. to-morrow. Her passengers are: Mr. Page, Mrs. Page, E. S. Booth, Mr. Vookes, Mr. O'Connell, M. Choral, H. Kettel, Miss Hoskins, Mr. Morales and Col. and Mrs. Seddon.

Weak Women should heed such warnings as headache, nervousness, backache, depression and weariness and fortify the system with the aid of
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AYRE'S COMPETITION



Our Anglers' Competition.

For Regatta Day, Aug. 3rd,
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- One Prize—For the heaviest **SIX** Local Mud Trout.
- One Prize—For the heaviest **THREE** Rainbow Trout.
- One Prize—For the heaviest **THREE** Brown Trout.
- One Prize—For the heaviest **Three** Loch Leven Trout.
- One Prize—For the heaviest **THREE** Sea Trout.

REGULATIONS:—

- No. 1—Customers purchasing any portion of Tackle from Our Store from the 29th July, to the 2nd Aug., inclusive, are eligible to enter this competition.
- No. 2—Trout to be sent for inspection any time Thursday, 4th Aug., up to 2 o'clock, p.m., when Competition closes.
- No. 3—Competitors eligible for one prize only.

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New Summer Goods, Just received.

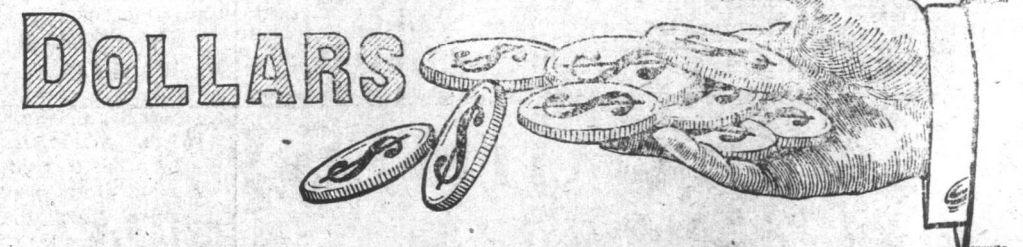
Ladies' Summer Vests, Combinations, Stockings, Terry Cloth, Silks, Penelope Canvas.

Boys' Real Irish Linen Suits—In blue, grey, green, etc.
Boys' Serge Sailor Suits, Boys' White Blouses—Fine white drill, trimmed with blue, 35c. up, according to size.
Boys' Cream Flette Shirts, Boys' Special Tweed Outing Hats, 25c. Boys' Special Cord Hats, ass. cols. 20c. Boys' Golf Caps, Navy Tweed.

GEO. KNOWLING.

July 29, 5th news

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Is going to get a portion of it. All this Season's Stock must leave our store at once, nothing reserved. Here's what you may expect:

DRESS GOODS. Light Colors, value 60 cents. Sale Price—30c. Ladies' Singlets. 9c, 14c, to 35c. Embroidery. 9c—Sale Price 5c. Embroidery Insertion. 9c—Sale Price 5c. Torchon Lace. 25c per dozen. Sale Price 15c. 35c per dozen. Sale Price 24c. 60c per dozen. Sale Price 45c.	Children's Singlets. 8 and 10c each. Wash Cottons. Value 10c. Sale Price 6c. Value 12c. Sale Price 8c. Value 15c. Sale Price 12c. Value 20c. Sale Price 15c. Ladies' White Night Dresses. 90c. Now 60c. All Over Laces. In Cream and White. 25c. Sale Price 18c. 35c. Sale Price 25c. 45c. Sale Price 35c.	Remnants of White Long Cloth and Cambric. 36 inches wide. Value 20 and 22c. Sale Price 10 and 12c per yd. Linen Finish Shirting. 36 inches wide. Value 15 and 17c. Sale Price 9 and 10c per yard. Curtain Nets. 10c. Sale Price 8c. 14c. Sale Price 11c. 20c. Sale Price 15c. 25c. Sale Price 20c.
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