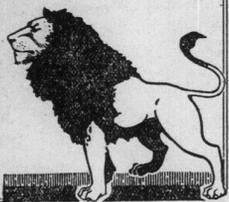




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The Women's Parade.

Editor Telegram.
Dear Sir,—The demonstration of yesterday proves that a new day has dawned for the women of Newfoundland.
To organize and get together a demonstration of one thousand women representing about one thousand women on the part of the ladies of the W. C. T. U. is something to be proud of and shows that if a week's campaign had been inaugurated a parade of at least 5,000 women would have been held.
The slogan of the demonstration was that women and children are the chief sufferers and should therefore have a say in this fight for total prohibition.
As one speaker said at the meeting in the Casino it required courage and nerve for women to establish a precedent and march through our streets, but the result showed that our women can and will unite on a great moral question.
The parade was composed of women of all classes who are hoping, praying and working for total prohibition or if not total, then the next best thing.
The writer of this letter was told by one woman that she was out in the parade because her husband was on a spree all the winter and that she was broken hearted, many other women were in the parade for similar reasons, and also many were there who do not directly suffer but were in deep sympathy with the movement for temperance and moral reform.
One of the speakers at the Casino stated that he believed that if the Government announced a special tax on goods which now come in duty free it would be cheerfully paid by a large majority of the people of the country. The whole audience made a hearty endorsement by prolonged clapping, especially as it was pointed out that probably only about \$250,000 would have to be provided for the first year as the million dollars now spent in liquor would be spent in dutiable goods and the whole amount of the loss would be made up in a year or two, especially with reduced expenditure at the Penitentiary and other institutions which are made necessary chiefly by the drink traffic.
The Government cannot ignore this woman's demonstration and the parade of last night as it is an index that the people are demanding the abolition of this cursed traffic.
Yours truly,
A BUSINESS MAN.

At the House.

TUESDAY, April 20th.
Petitions were presented by Mr. Morine from the Island, B. E., for a winter mail service; by Mr. Jennings asking that Comfort Cove be made a port of call for the Clyde; by Mr. Hallyard for better roads at Change Islands and Fox-Head Cove; by Mr. Stone from Hatchet Cove, and St. John's within on the subject of roads; by Mr. Abbott from Broad Cove, B.B., on the matter of roads.
The bills relating to the Sale of Labrador Codfish and the operation of Saw Mills passed the third reading.
The House went into Committee of the Whole on Supply. The Hon. Minister of Finance in tabling the estimates made a detailed reference to the changes made from last year.
The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the Bill to amend the Customs Act of 1898. In introducing the Bill the Minister of Finance stated that the amendment calls for the removal of goods from the warehouse within 5 days after their landing from the ship. The recommendation has been made by the Council of the Board of Trade on the grounds that it would greatly facilitate trade by preventing congestion and consequent annoyance, delay or loss.
Mr. Coaker was of the opinion that the removal of goods after the expiration of the time limit set forth in the Act would entail great hardships on the small importer, who because of limited capital might find some difficulty in financing the removal of goods. He claimed that the Act only tended to conserve the interests of the larger business concerns, who besides importing largely were also steamship agents.
Mr. Hickman agreed with Mr. Coaker that the Bill protected the steamship agents rather than importers in general. He said that exporters were often impeded in shipping by the large inward freights on steamboat premises, and often had to keep men at work all night to facilitate the shipping of Newfoundland produce to foreign markets. He was of the opinion that the time as set forth in the Act should be extended to meet the requirements of the trade, rather than conserve the interests of the shipping agents who are a rule imported largely themselves.
The Premier took exception to the statement that the Bill was intended to conserve the interests of steamship agents. The introducer of the Bill had no such intention and not the slightest representation had been made on the matter by the steamship companies. The representation was made by the Board of Trade, which body represents every class of importer and exporter in the country.
Mr. Coaker held that the Bill in the form submitted to the House would confer a monopoly to 4 or 5 large importers and stated that the Premier not being an importer knew nothing about the situation.
The Premier took exception to the latter statement and stated emphatically that he did know something about it.
Mr. Morine was of the opinion that it was not necessary to be an importer to know something about a bill of this kind. Personally he knew that some of the men who made the representation had given the matter very serious consideration, and had discussed it thoroughly at the Board of Trade. Some of them were Messrs. C. P. Ayre, Monroe, McKay and Gosling, the latter representing Harvey and Co. Some of the requests made by Mr. Gosling had been absolutely refused, in the interests of the general trade. He was of the opinion that wharfage was not really a legal charge as imposed on goods landed from a ship and stored in a warehouse, because such storage was for the convenience of the ship owners and meant nothing more than the transfer of goods from one hold of the ship to another, which purpose the warehouse really served.
The Colonial Secretary also took part in the debate. He had come to the conclusion that much of the congestion at the warehouses was due to negligence on the part of importers in the matter of taking delivery. He was of the opinion that if the time were extended to 7 or 8 days, the measure would meet the wishes of all parties concerned.
The resolutions dealing with the imposition of duties on the estate of deceased persons also passed with some amendments.
Notices of question were then given and the House adjourned at 6 p.m. to meet again at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

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Bowring Bros., Ltd., Rescuing Schooners	450.00
Board of Works, Motor Taxes, refund	1,569.75
Bank of Montreal, Outstanding Cheques	31.75
Hagg, Wm., Bullock Killed	30.00
Canada Newspaper, Advertising	1,114.37
Costello, Elzie, Cattle Killed	40.00
Coughlan James, Hospital Commission	150.00
Crown Agent, Government proportion	481.75
Curry, Rev. Dr., Hire of Broom	50.00
Clary, Ed., Cow Killed	30.00
Croft, John, Cow Killed	35.00
Davies, D. James, part salary, analyst	1,199.97
Dawe, Capt. Henry, Magistrate Labrador	500.00
Daily News, Printing Report	119.00
Dunstan, Professor, Mineral Report	2,627.63
Dunart, Thos., Cattle Killed	15.00
Evans, John J., Advertising	40.00
Rhodes Scholarship	125.00
Education Higher, expenses	
English, Capt. Ed., in account Capt. and crew S. S. Lusitania	123.46
Elliott, Thos., Pension late Light Keeper	33.32
Elliott, E., for outstanding cheque	4.00
Furness Withy Co., passage two Reservists	90.00
Furlong, M. W., Stamp Act Financial News, Advertising Field, Advertising	974.00
Harding, E. J., on account Line Commission	500.00
Harbor Grace Fire Brigade Holloway Studio, Photo	116.00
Hearn, Martin, Cattle Killed	35.00
Hicks, Joseph, Cattle Killed Houlihan, P., Pension, late Light Keeper	233.31
Job Bros. & Co., Relief Labrador	521.05
Keegan, Dr., Travelling Expenses	500.00
Knight, A. W., Enquiry S. S. Southern Cross	316.60
King, John, Cattle	30.00
Lilly, G. R., Pension, late Magistrate	174.90
LeGrow, Cattle	83.00
Marine Railway Dock, Harbor Grace, Interest	1,855.50
Morison, Hon. D., Fees Commercial Taxes	750.00
Marconi Wireless Co., Expenses	820.34
Morris, Sir E. P., Expenses Visiting England and U. S. A.	3,250.00
Moulton, Geo. A., Pension	374.97
Mooney, Lawrence, Error in Pension	5.00
Newfoundland Steam Tug Co., Services	160.00
O'Brien, Thomas, Cattle	80.00
McGrath, Hon. P. T., Colony's Trade and Digest of News	2,350.50
Hynes, Samuel, Cattle	50.00
Oxley, J. J., Apparatus for Analyst	267.50
O'Brien, Timothy, Pensions	233.31
Payne, Wm., Pay Arrangement Reservists	22.26
Perrior, Chas., Cattle Killed	30.00
Pierding, Alfred, Cattle Killed	30.00
Reid Newfoundland Co., Expenses in Sundry matters	1,434.98
Ryan, Thomas, Pension	291.63
Shea & Co., Passage Wm. Payne	45.00
Standard of Empire, Advertising	1,126.41
Sullivan, Mary, Cattle Killed	35.00
Terra Nova Dock, St. John's	685.12
Tessier & Co., Wharfage S. S. Ellinor	130.00
Times Paper, Advertising	439.87
Waterford Hall, Expenses Commissioners	430.55
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Mid Week Bill
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If you have not heard Mr. Howard C. Stanley in his opening songs then we advise you to go to-day. They are genuine ragtimes and he sings them in a way all his own. Last night the audiences were delighted with them and he was warmly applauded. The songs are well worth hearing and the pictures are good.
White gabardine is being used for wash suits and separate skirts. Afternoon frocks of distinction are made of black and white striped silk. Cotton voile with satin stripes is delightful for inexpensive dancing dresses. Vandyke points and scallops are a favored edging to full silk skirts.

Here and There.

WILL BE ENTERTAINED.—Tonight the volunteer members of the T. A. Society will be entertained by their brother members.
OFF DOCK.—The Portia came off dock yesterday, and will resume the coastal service next week.
SEALS LANDED.—The Nasopic has landed 1,227 seals; the Neptune, 60; the Bellaventure, 347 and the Adventure 192.
TALKING MACHINES.—New shipment at very low prices. Call and see them. CHESLE WOODS, 140 Water Street, upstairs.—ap21,tf
MORE DIPHTHERIA.—Two more cases of diptheria have been discovered at Petty Harbor, making six cases there altogether.
"Mapleton's Peanut Butter" is manufactured in England. Use it and be patriotic.—Feb 25, eod, tf
Mr. Donald Nicholson, who was on a visit to Scotland, arrived by the Stephano, having come via Liverpool and Halifax.
GOES TO PHILADELPHIA.—The s.s. Adventure will go into dry dock shortly to get new propeller blades, then proceeding to Philadelphia to have her engines cleaned up. On her return here with a cargo of coal she will begin her engagement with the Canadian Government in the Hudson Bay route.
MOBILIZED!—50,000 bottles of Stafford's Liniment for killing Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains.
SHIELD COMPETITION.—The annual competition for the Outerbridge Shield amongst the different sections of the C.L.B., will be held tomorrow night. The section of "A" Company won the trophy last year.
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REFLOATED.—The Bowring launch Zelds, which sunk in the harbor recently as the result of a collision with a submerged schooner, was successfully raised to the surface yesterday afternoon and towed by the D. P. Ingraham to Bowring's Southside premises where she will undergo complete repairs.

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