



Evening Telegram

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ABATTOIRS.

At last week's meeting of the City Fathers, an application for the erection of an Abattoir within the municipal limits, met with approval, and the report of the proceedings further states that when the plans are submitted, the project will be discussed with favor. The suggested site for the erection of the building is on Water Street, west of the premises of the Standard Manufacturing Company, which may practically be said to be right in the heart of St. John's. Since the favorable reception of this proposition by the Council, much comment—not preponderantly friendly—has been heard, and there is talk of a protest being made against the establishment of a "slaughter house" so near the dwellings of the people. That apparently is the main objection, and not against the object.

Abattoir comes from the French word abatte, to slaughter, and is used to define a public slaughter house for cattle, sheep, etc. The first abattoirs were established in Paris in 1818. "In the construction of an abattoir," says an encyclopaedic article, "careful consideration must be given to the selection of the site. It must not be near dwelling houses: it should admit of extension; and control should be had, if possible, over any buildings in the immediate neighborhood. It should be easy of access, adjacent to the cattle market, and close to main thoroughfares and railways. A good water supply is most important. The abattoir must include accommodation for lair, killing, dressing, cooling, inspection of suspected animals and meat, offices and the various buildings for the treatment of the fat, intestines and blood. The slaughter house proper ought to be separate from the rest of the building. The walls and floors should be smooth and impervious, to prevent absorption and to admit of thorough cleaning. The offal is usually removed in trucks or in barges, when near the water, to be used as fertilizer. A public health officer and a veterinary surgeon, acting in conjunction are essential to the administration of a good abattoir."

Capt. Levi Diamond.

A deplorable error crept into the leading article in yesterday's Telegram, when the impression was conveyed that Capt. Levi Diamond, the last of the old school of sealing masters, was no longer with us. The paragraph referring to the masters of the 1870 fleet was originally written: "None of these, we think, are alive to-day, with the exception of Capt. Levi Diamond, the last (but him) of the sealing captains courageous having passed away not so very long ago at a ripe old age," but owing to the omission of a couple of lines of type in the make up, the reading as printed went through. Captain Diamond, we are privileged to state

is, notwithstanding his advanced age—he will be 86 next birthday—still able to get about, and takes great interest in all matters which bring back to his memory the days of long ago. That many other years may be added to his life is the wish of all his friends.

Supreme Court.

(Before the Chief Justice and Justice Johnson.)

In the matter of the Election Act, 1913, and in the matter of the election in the District of Bay de Verde between A. E. Hickman, Petitioner, and Wm. H. Cave, Respondent.

Arthur Mews, recalled, examined by McNeilly and put in election writ and returns and statement of Returning Officer for Bay de Verde. Wm. Joyce, sworn and examined by McNeilly, cross examined by Mr. Mews. Geo. W. Davis, sworn and examined by McNeilly. Francis Woods, sworn and examined by Mr. Mews. W. Joyce recalled and examined by Mr. Mews. Robert Peace, sworn and examined by Mr. Mews. The further hearing is adjourned until to-morrow at 11 a.m.

Police Court.

A case of malicious damage to property was withdrawn.

Two young men, for firing rifle shots at the reservoir over the Standard Mfg. Co.'s factory, were each fined \$2. Four boys who had stowed on the Thetis were before Court. Job Bros. did not prosecute and even paid expenses.

Viking Arrives.

The S.S. Viking arrived last night from Louisburg, via St. Lawrence. The steamer met with very stormy weather on the passage down. It is likely the ship will get away on her sealing voyage by Saturday.

Received Promotion.

ON FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY. District Inspector Noseworthy (ex-Head Constable) has spent forty years in the Police Force and his newest promotion comes most opportunely. The Telegram extends congratulations.

Could Not Get Berths.

Some forty sealers, who came over from Conception Bay on spec, had to return home yesterday, as all berths had been taken up. Despite the many notices the men came and incurred considerable expense to themselves.

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, March 11. The fame of V. E. M. grows. Both as a preventer of grippe, colds, and "flu," and as a quick relief of coryza, catarrh, and cold in the head, many people during the last few days have testified to its value, having found its use greatly soothing to the nasal passages, and curative of inflammations in those parts. In tubes 75c. each. Do not give your children the ordinary cough medicines given to adults. Some of these mixtures are positively harmful to the little folks. Use McMurdo's Infant Cough Syrup which contains no narcotics, and is useful for all coughs and colds in children up to ten years or so. Price 30c. a bottle.

Personal Mention.

Mr. C. C. Pitman, sub-collector at Lamas, is in town on a brief holiday, having arrived by train from Placentia.

Mr. Phillip Bennett, of the N.I.W.A., is confined to his home, seriously ill of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lewis returned from New York by S.S. Meigs from Louisburg yesterday, having been away for seven weeks on business and pleasure combined.

Schooner Jean and Mary sailed from Marytown for Oporto with 6123 qts. codfish, cleared by Buffett & Co.

JUGS!

Just opened, one of the best lines we have had for some time. Pink Band and Gold Band and Line: 3 sizes.

55c., 65c., 75c. each.

BROWN TEAPOTS,

50c., 55c., 60c.

FANCY TEAPOTS,

65c., 70c., 80c., 90c.,

\$1.10, \$1.25.

Milk Bottles, 1 quart, 25c. each

Milk Bottle Stoppers, 65c. per M.

Job Lot Meat Dishes,

90c., \$1.25 each.

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East, West & Central Stores, mar11,4i

Archbishop Sends Message of Sympathy to the Diocese of St. George's.

To Monsignor Sears, Administrator, St. George's:

St. John's, March 10.

On the occasion of the obsequies of your lamented and beloved Bishop, permit me to say how much I regret I cannot be present to pay last tribute to the memory of one who was not only a brother in the Episcopate, but also a warm and sincere personal friend. Not alone is the diocese of St. George's in mourning to-day, but the shadow of your Bishop's death falls over the whole Church of Newfoundland. Young, energetic, able, a cultured scholar, a lover of his country, a priestly prelate, his death creates a void it will be difficult to fill in the ecclesiastical and public life of the Colony. On behalf of the priests and people of the Arch-diocese of St. John's, I send heartfelt sympathy to the late Bishop's bereaved Diocese, to his loyal clergy, and his sorrowing people, and I pray that his gentle spirit may rest in eternal peace.

(Signed) E. P. ROCHE, Archbishop of St. John's.

The following message from the Apostolic Delegation, Ottawa, has been received by His Grace the Archbishop:

"Apostolic Delegation, Ottawa, to the Most Rev. E. P. Roche, D.D., Archbishop of St. John's.—I deeply deplore the death of Bishop Power. Please convey my sincerest sympathy to the Diocese of St. George's."

(Signed) APOSTOLIC DELEGATE.

Weather and Ice Conditions.

Twillingate—Moderate S. W. winds, fine and cold.

Port aux Basques—Reported fair seas, old and young harps taken at Crabbes during the past few days.

Thetis—Calm and fine; sealing prospects never better.

La Scie—Moderate W. N. West winds, cold; no ice in sight.

Flower's Cove—Moderate West winds, fine; little milder; straits blocked with ice.

Greenspond—Wind South West, light; no ice in sight.

St. Anthony—Moderate Westerly winds, fine and cold; no seals; ice off shore.

Griguet—West winds, weather fine and mild; no seals; ice off coast.

Wesleyville—Light West wind; no ice in sight.

Gratitude.

The Management of "The Wrong Mr. Wright" feels indeed a debt of gratitude is due to one and all who helped to make the production of that Play such a gigantic success. To the performers a special word of praise is due for despite the many obstacles, not only during the week of the performance, but during rehearsals, all made a desperate effort to come on.

Many of those taking part were stricken with the epidemic now in our midst, and were only convalescent the first night of the show. It was much regretted that Mrs. Herbert Outerbridge could not play, she having given much time and attention to the preparation of the part, which was afterwards so gracefully taken by Mrs. Baxter, who came in at the last moment to save the situation. Congratulations Mrs. Baxter, we were all glad to see you once again on our Theatrical Stage.

To Mr. Kelly, the popular Manager of the Casino, we offer our deepest gratitude for giving the Casino free. Mr. Kelly is indeed the orphan's friend. To Capt. Buller and his Band we once again say, thank you, for what would a great many of our performers be, were it not for the brilliant playing of the ever reliable C.C.C. Band. The Royal Stores in the usual generous way sent a Gramophone for the occasion, and to Mr. P. H. Cowan we are indebted for the water cooler.

This pretty programme so artistically done were the work of Misses McEvoy, Betty McNeil, Margaret and Gertrude Edens and Miss Joan Rendell, and helped in no small way to augment the fund. To the public for their generous attendance, and to all concerned this blessing must assuredly follow "He who does even unto the last of My little ones does it unto Me." The Orphans of Mt. Cashel needed funds and they, having asked, their request was granted.—Com.

Reids' Boats.

Argyle left Placentia this morning, Clyde at St. John's.

Glencoe not reported.

Home at St. John's.

Kyle arrived at St. John's at 4.30 p.m. yesterday.

Meigs at Placentia, discharging coal.

Petrel at St. John's.

Saguna at Port aux Basques.

MINARD'S LIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

MINARD'S LIMENT CURES COLDS, Etc.

Tall Stories of Newfoundland.

Mr. J. McIntyre, now at Havana, Cuba, sends us the annexed clipping taken from the Havana Daily Post, of February 20th, the story of Newfoundland's wonderful winter being cabled from Halifax. Most of the startling intelligence contained in this famous despatch will be news indeed. Should the "ice packs be literally black with walrus, seals and other polar creatures," the sealing fleet should not experience any difficulty in loading quickly.

"Halifax, N.S., Feb. 19.—By the A.P.—Arctic ice packs, literally black with walrus, seals and other polar creatures, are the largest within memory, according to reports brought here by sailors and overland travellers. The solid ice extends farther south than at any time within years, with the bays and inlets fringing the Newfoundland coast blocked tightly. Newfoundland is ice-bound and railroads are completely tied up. Inhabitants in the interior are suffering intensely and several deaths from exposure have resulted.

"Reports of a strange malady have been received from Gander Bay, which is without a doctor. The disease is an affection of the throat and has claimed many lives, particularly children."

Curliana.

General Result of A. Macpherson's Prizes (4 gold cuff links), and for the 8 Curling Caps Presented by Mr. R. G. Bennell of The Eastern Hat and Cap Co.:

Wm. Rogers, 30; Stan Rogers, 29; Thom. Winter, 28; W. H. Duder, 27; D. Eaton, 26; Hon. M. G. Winter, 24; Geo. Peters, 23; Chas. R. Duder, sr., 22; Jno. Angel, 21; C. R. Duder, jr., 20; E. A. Hayward, 19; A. H. Salter, 18; W. L. Donnelly, 17; T. Hallett, 16; P. W. Bradshaw, 15; A. E. Hickman, 14; P. M. Duff, 13; Angus Reid, 12; J. S. Haultin, 11; D. MacFarlane, 10; J. W. Dowling, 9; H. J. Duder, 8; H. D. Carter, 7; W. B. Fraser, 6; R. H. Simms, 5; A. Wilson, 4; W. F. Joyce, 3; D. P. Duff, 2; J. MacFarlane, 1; L. G. Chafe, 1; H. J. Taylor, 1; J. J. Tobin, 1; J. J. Henley, 1; J. B. Mitchell, 1; H. C. Hayward, 1; T. J. Barron, 1; Sam Ryall, 1; Bert Martin, 1; W. H. Peters, 1; W. Pearce, 1; G. B. Tuff, 1; H. C. Crawford, 1; A. G. Gosling, 1.

The winners of A. Macpherson's Prizes are:

Wm. Rogers, 30; S. Rogers, 29; Geo. Peters, 23; Chas. R. Duder, 22—105. And the first 32 leading scores will play for the caps in a game to be arranged.

Here and There.

INTER-COLLEGIATE HOCKEY.—In this morning's game the St. Bon's won over the Feildians by a score of 19 to 2. Maher, of the St. Bon's, was substituted for Murphy, and Feaver, of the Feildians, replaced Blackler in goal; Mr. E. Churchill was referee.

DELICATE OPERATION.—A very delicate operation was performed at the Southcott Nursing Home recently, when Doctors Murphy, Burden and Roberts, successfully removed an abscess from behind the ear of the four months old baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Levitz.

Delicious Homemade Candy for sale at the Cowan Mission Entertainment on St. Patrick's Day. Tea served at a small extra cost. The best artists in the city are helping to make the programme a success. Don't miss it.—mar11,3i,ead

BORN.

On March 8th, to Mrs. and Mr. Kenneth Payne, of Alexander Street, a son.

On the 8th inst., a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips, Allandale Road.

DIED.

On the 10th inst., Hayward Frederick, darling child of William and Alfreda Taylor, aged 13 months. "Gone but not forgotten." Jesus said, "Suffer little children to come unto Me."

This morning, at 12.45, of pleuropneumonia, Belinda, beloved wife of Kenneth Payne. Funeral to-morrow, from her late residence, Alexander Street, at 2.15 p.m.

On Wednesday, March 10th, after a short illness, Alexander William, darling child of Selby and Margaret Cooper, "Safe in the arms of Jesus."

Passed peacefully away at 3 a.m. to-day, Minnie, beloved wife of (Inspector) William O'Brien, a native of Middleton, County Cork, Ireland. Funeral takes place at 2.30 p.m. Saturday, from her late residence Shamrock Cottage, 4 Carnell Street.—21

On March 10th, after a brief illness, Lucy Bennett, aged 23 years, beloved wife of John Baird, leaving a father, step-mother, 3 brothers and 6 sisters to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Friday, from her father's residence, Pine Street; friends will please accept this, the only intimation.—R.I.P.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of the late Mrs. James Byrne will take place this afternoon at 5.30 from the railway station upon the arrival of the express.

MINARD'S LIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

MINARD'S LIMENT CURES COLDS, Etc.

STEER Brothers Grocery.

Goods just in:

25 boxes Blue Nose Butter.
21 cases Moirs' Chocolates, consisting of 200 dozen 1-2 lb. boxes, 100 dozen 1 lb. boxes, 200 doz. 5-lb. blue boxes, 600 boxes Bars, Nut Milk, etc. Lowest wholesale prices.

10 gross Southwell's Lemon Crystals.
10 gross Bird's Egg Powder.
10 gross Bird's Custard Powder.
5 gross Bird's Lemonade.

5 gross Eno's Fruit Salts.

25 gross Sunset Soap Dye.

Steer Brothers.

At the Big Food Depot.

Bright Yellow Corn Meal,

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"Diamond" Gluten Meal,

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P.E. I. White Oats,

Bran.

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Old Masonic Lodge.

The oldest Masonic Lodge in Burlington, England—St. Martin, No. 98—founded in 1764, celebrated its 155th anniversary recently. Out of this Lodge, owing to increasing numbers,

has grown a new one, the members selecting as its superscription on the Burial arms "Ready." The consecrated "Ready" Lodge A. F. and A. took place on November 4th.

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