



Evening Telegram

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Easing Up.

With the measures being taken by the Government to relieve unemployment, there should be a considerable easing up of the labor situation, providing that work giving an equivalent value for the money expended can be found for all those in the city who are off jobs on account of the lack of industrial employment. But St. John's is not the only centre where men seek fruitlessly for work. The outports can number their unemployed, if not by the hundred, at least by the score, and something has to be done for these. All the consideration cannot be given the city to the disadvantage of other sections, though we submit that for various reasons the unemployed of St. John's possess a first claim on such labor as can be found for them. The reasons for this assertion are apparent to the most casual student of the times. St. John's really was discriminated against deliberately in certain ways and by certain people, and to that discrimination may be charged present conditions of depression and lack of work. There is not any necessity to go further into the details of this. All are fully acquainted with them and will not fail to remember the one-time threat of a very prominent member of the Government. In a measure that threat has been put into execution. St. John's therefore has no reason to expect any favors at the hands of the gentleman who has practically made good his promise of destroying trade and industry so far as the city was affected. Nevertheless it is the bounden duty of the Government to provide means whereby those who need employment may have it. It is not the business of the Civic authorities, as pointed out by a correspondent in yesterday's Telegram to engage in relief or charitable measures. They have no power to spend ratepayers' money in such respects. The onus is on the Government and to the Government applications for work must be addressed. The employment of two hundred and fifty men at railway line repairs and the engaging of a similar number on improvements to public roads and highways will be of material aid in the present crisis, but other means will have to be found to embrace the thousand or more who do not participate in the work recently given.

Boy Nearly Drowned.

RESCUED BY FRIEND.
Yesterday afternoon, little Paddy Summers, son of Mr. P. Summers, Forest Road, fell through the ice covering the surface of a deep ditch filled with water and was rescued only in the nick of time by a chum who was standing by. Young Summers was quickly taken to his home. He is suffering considerably as a result of his sudden immersion. The ditch was left open by the City Council last year, and filled with water to a depth of over six feet. Only a thin surface of ice covers it, and it now forms a serious menace to children playing in the neighborhood. The Council should take the first available opportunity to have the hole filled in.

Masons' Big Lead.

Have Majority of 408 in Inter-Club Billiards—Ten Games Played.

Half the first round in the Billiard Tournament between the Masonic and City Clubs is now completed and the former have a majority of 408 points. Out of the ten games played, the Masons have won eight. Four games were played last night and three of these fell to the Masonic team.

A Good Start.

In the opening game, Dr. McLoughlin (City) and George Rabbitts (Masonic) were the contestants. The City Club representative is well known as a billiard player of no mean ability, but last night, was not up to his true form and had to bow to defeat. The score was Rabbitts 250, McLoughlin 115. The last break by Rabbitts was 33 and was made entirely of the red.

The breaks were:—
McLoughlin—13, 10.
Rabbitts—12, 10, 11, 32, 21, 10, 14, 14, 10, 33.

The next game proved the most exciting for the evening. The opponents were J. Strang (City) and W. F. Joyce (Masonic). For a time it seemed as if Joyce would have an easy win, for he drew away from his opponent at the beginning and when he had reached 177, was leading Strang by 74. From this point, however, Strang began to increase his score until, soon he had equaled and passed his opponent. When the game ended Strang was 250 and Joyce 216.

The breaks were:—
Joyce—15, 17, 23, 20, 11, 11.
Strang—10, 15, 21, 10, 10, 12, 34, 14, 13.

A Fine Exhibition.

In the third game, J. Edwards (Masonic) defeated W. R. Warren (City) by 64 points. The latter held the lead for a short time but was outdistanced by his opponent. The score was Edwards 250, Warren 186, and the breaks were:—

Warren—12, 15, 11.
Edwards—13, 18, 15, 10, 13, 17, 12, 17, 12.

S. J. Foote (City) and J. Crawford (Masonic) were the opponents in the final game for the night. This was the closest game of all, both players keeping together almost to the end.

The scores were:—
Crawford 250, Foote 233, and the breaks:—
Foote—14, 12, 15, 11, 17, 13.
Crawford—11, 10, 10, 13, 11, 17, 24, 16.

Five games will be played to-day, if possible. One in the afternoon and four at night. The teams usually other-wise arranged will be:—

Masonic.
L. Chaplin Walter Joyce
J. P. Blackwood L. J. Harnum
J. J. McKay Gus Sellars
A. Hayward A. H. Greaves
A. Williams Geo. Phillips

First Snow

Storm for Season.

BLIZZARD GRIPS ST. JOHN'S.

Last night a N.E. blizzard struck the city and gave St. John's the first real touch of winter. The street car service is tied up and many of the streets on the higher levels will have to be shovelled before traffic can be resumed. On the country roads the snow in many places has drifted to a height of 10 feet and very few milkmen reached the city before noon hour. Water Street had its full share of snow, the sidewalks were blocked off and pedestrians were compelled to wade along the centre of the street where the snow was over knee high. The direction of the wind piled the drift in some places to heights of seven and eight feet, whilst in other places the ground is bare, this being particularly noticeable in some of the coves.

Will Debate "Titles."

"Should Newfoundland petition the Throne to the effect that no further titles be granted in this Dominion?" This is the interesting and extremely topical subject which will be debated at to-night's session of the Methodist College Literary Institute, when a hot time is expected. The leaders are: in favor of petitioning, Rev. C. H. Johnson, with two supporters; and against the proposition Mr. R. F. Horwood and two supporters. The public is invited to attend the debate, at least so far as there is capacity for them. The entrance is from Long's Hill.

Personal.

Rev. Edwin Jukes, M.A., B.D., who has been rector of St. Alban's church, Whitney Pier, left last week for Sacramento, California, where he has accepted a call to one of the Protestant Episcopal churches of that city. Rev. Mr. Jukes has been rector of St. Alban's congregation for some time past. He was accompanied by his wife and child. It will be remembered by many that Rev. Mr. Jukes was the first Chaplain of "Maple Leaf" Lodge No. 77, Society United Fishermen, established at Whitney Pier last October. His ever present help and sound advice will be greatly missed by the Brethren, who hope that his good lady will find better health in "Sunny California."

"A Woman's Honour."

POPULAR PLAYERS PRESENT POPULAR PLAY.

Despite the inclement weather of last night a large audience attended the Casino Theatre to witness the production of that well known and thrilling four act drama "A Woman's Honour." The play was under the distinguished patronage of His Grace the Archbishop of St. John's, the proceeds being in aid of St. Patrick's Convent. Mr. T. M. White directed the performance, assisted by the cast playing previously, and it is needless to mention that each and all acquitted themselves in a manner that won unstinted applause from the audience. A "Castanet" dance by Miss Wallace was admirably done, that young lady responding to an encore with a sailor's hornpipe. Later she gave a fine exhibition of the Highland Fling. Miss Ida Howlett was in splendid voice and her songs, as always, received the tribute due such a talented vocalist. The play itself needs no description of theme or plot. It is too well known. The feminine parts were played by Miss Irene Kennedy (Imogene Courtleigh); Miss Gertrude Ryan (Ginger); Miss Gipsy Wall, who was afterwards discovered to be an heiress; Miss M. Moran as Prudence Freshwater, one of the old Virginian families, while Nance Tyson's part was admirably interpreted by Mr. J. J. Sullivan. Capt. J. J. O'Grady, M.B.E., played lead as Horace Verner, and was ably supported by his chum Dink Potts (Lieut. J. M. Spears). Mr. T. M. White was imitable in his characterization of Ira Courtleigh, Imogene's guardian and hopeless suitor, while Mr. P. J. Grace gave a true-to-life portrayal of Buck Tyson, a Gipsy tinker. Mr. J. J. Prowse as Major Duffy, County clerk and Civil War veteran, was right there with the goods. Capt. W. Grace in the part of Elmer Von Sittart of New York, who wore an monocle, which was always falling out, did ample justice to his role, as also did Mr. G. Muir in the part of the Virginian landlord, Squire Ripley. Last but not least is Mr. J. Clancy as "Lige," the colored attendant, who was equally at home in a dress suit as in overalls. Altogether the play was a tremendous success, and it was singularly unfortunate that the weather man turned out a spoil sport. The music by the C.C.C. Band was all that could be desired. Productions of popular plays lose nothing by being put on the boards by local artists. "A Woman's Honour" is one of these and the whole caste is eminently deserving of their particular success in this instance.

The Institute has a splendid programme arranged for the coming season. A billiard tournament will shortly be started, and two prizes have been offered by the president. There is a great revival of interest in billiards and as the C.E.I. number several good players among their members, the coming tournament should be productive of some excellent play. Card tournaments will also be held. There will start on Monday next. A ping pong tournament will start shortly.

After the customary votes of thanks were passed, the meeting adjourned. The C.E.I. is now in a most flourishing condition and has an exceedingly large membership. It offers numerous advantages to all churchmen, who should not hesitate to join and so not only swell the membership, but also help to extend the sphere of usefulness.

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Young Dietrich of Bern.

Young Dietrich was the son of Theodorus King of the Ostrogoths. He afterwards became known to fame as Theodoric the greatest king of the Goths. There is a story that tells of how young Dietrich was saved by Hildebrand a faithful follower when his father met with defeat and disaster at the hands of Attila and his Huns. The story forms the theme of a splendid song composed by George Henchel, famous English composer. This song will be sung for the first time in Newfoundland by Mr. W. Lloyd Wood at the Octette concert on Monday night. It is a song full of dramatic possibilities which are taken full advantage of by Mr. Woods. His fine, rich bass voice does full justice to it. Tickets for this concert are selling rapidly at Mr. F. V. Chesman's on Water Street.

Prince's Rink open to-night.

Trains Held Up.

STORM STILL RAGING ALONG LINE.

No trains are running to-day as a result of the snow storm which is still raging between St. John's and Glenwood. No efforts can be made to clear the line until the storm abates. West of Glenwood, all is clear. All the branch trains are at their terminals. The storm began early this morning and swept the eastern section of the line, raising drifts to a considerable height. The Meigs has been prevented by the storm from leaving for Port aux Basques and will probably get away to-morrow. The Kyle is scheduled to leave North Sydney to-night for Port aux Basques, with foreign mails and passengers.

Lost His Hat.

The danger of wearing a bowler hat in weather such as St. John's has just experienced, was demonstrated to-day when a well known resident of King's Bridge Road was deprived of his head gear by an unempathetic wind, and was compelled to return home without it. The hat was blown off by a sudden gust and after careering over snow banks was finally lost to view. Moral: Don't wear a bowler in a snow storm.

Miss Powers' recital advertised for to-night has been postponed. Date of Recital announced later Jan 19, 22.

C. E. I. Has Satisfactory Year.

PROGRAMME FOR 1922.

The reports of the Secretary and the Treasurer presented at the annual meeting of the Church of England Institute held last night, were eminently satisfactory, and showed that great progress had been made by the club during the past year. The Secretary's report made reference to the Institute's participation in athletics. The activities in this connection included rowing, baseball and football. Ping pong has been revived with great success, and during the year a series of tournaments were played between teams from the C.E.I. and the Officers' Mess of the C.L.B. Cadets, in which the honours were in favour of the Institute.

After the presentation and adoption of the reports, the election of officers for the ensuing year was held. Mr. J. Gould conducted the election, which resulted in all the old officers being returned. Some new councillors were elected. The officers of the Institute are now:—

President—J. Long.
Vice-President—F. F. Harris.
Treasurer—J. H. Farndale.
Secretary—R. C. Knight.
Councillors—J. Wellman, J. Miller, W. E. Winsborough, E. T. Snow, W. Reid, and J. M. Carberry.

After the election of officers, Councillor Reg. Dowden auctioned the periodicals of last year with satisfactory results.

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Brother and Sister Drowned.

SAD FATALITY AT ST. JACQUES.
H. W. LeMessurier, Esq., C.M.G., Assistant Collector of Customs, received the following message from Sub-Collector St. Croix, St. Jacques, this forenoon:—

"Richard and Adela Burke, brother and sister of the lightkeeper on St. Jacques island, who left here Tuesday afternoon last going to the island, are missing. It is supposed that the dory in which they were making the trip, upset."

Saved From Starvation.

Widow and Children Destitute.

Several cases of destitution have been recently discovered in the city. A crippled man, who has been confined to his bed for some time, was discovered by a resident of New Gower Street in a state of starvation. This good woman provided the unfortunate man with a meal just in time to save him from literally dying of hunger. Another case was mentioned by Deputy Mayor Martin at yesterday's meeting of the Council. It was that of a widow, with three children, residing on Baring's Hill. This woman is absolutely destitute and temporary relief was provided none too soon.

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, Jan. 19.
Amolis is not an ordinary toilet powder by any means, but is an odorless deodorant power which may be used for the many purposes for which an exceptionally good antiseptic powder may be used. And it is very refreshing, healing and soothing in use, and may be trusted to allay all surface irritations. Price 45c. a tube.

A bottle of Creco Cough Cure will remove that annoying cough which has been troubling you, and do so without impairing the appetite or upsetting the digestion. Price 40c. a bottle.

Latest Developments in Labor Situation.

COUNCIL DEFINES ITS POSITION.

In connection with the relief work on the Southside Road, several members of the Unemployed Committee called on Hon. Dr. Campbell, Minister of Agriculture and Mines, at his office this morning to ascertain the Government's attitude in the matter. The Minister informed the delegation that by Minute of Council, passed recently, a fund to be expended on this road was provided. The position of the Government as explained by the Minister is that the Council refused a loan, whereupon the Administration desired the Council to proceed with the Southside Road, giving labor up to a point where the work was useful, and that the pay sheets would be met by the Government.

The position taken by the Council on the other hand is that this is relief work, undertaken by the Government, it should be handled by the Government entirely through the Board of Works Department. The Engineer of the Council, his staff, or any other assistance that would be needed, the Council is prepared to put at the Government's disposal. Mayor Cook informed the Telegram this morning that there had, so far, been no written communication exchanged between the Government and Council on the matter of either a loan or a gift of money as suggested to the Unemployed Committee by Hon. Dr. Campbell or any other Minister of the Crown.

Where Are the Street Cars?

Apparently no efforts have yet been made to clear the street car track and it is evident that we shall be without the tram service for a few days unless immediate action is taken. This is just the time that the street cars are urgently needed, and residents of the West and East Ends are suffering great inconvenience through the hold-up of the service. We venture to suggest that had men been employed from the time of the coming of the blizzard, last night, and the plow and sweepers kept going the track would have been kept open sufficiently to have the cars running. Obviously nothing was done at the beginning of the snow storm, consequently extra labor will be required, and extra delay involved in getting the line in running order.

Operto Stocks.

	Jan. 16	Jan. 9
British	63.204	67.429
Consumption	4.229	5.715

Outside—General Rawlinson.

Here and There.

KEENLY FELT.—Last night's frost was felt in many a home. Be prepared for to-night. Get a Foot Warmer at STEELE'S Crockery.

Parade Rink will not be open to-night.

THE EVENT OF THE SEASON.—Talented artists will sing famous Scottish songs at Burns' Night Celebration in C. C. Hall—Jan 19, 22, 8 p.m.

Carbona removes grease spots without injury to cloth or colour of clothing. Try a bottle for only twenty-nine cents at BISHOP'S Dry Goods Dept.

SEALS GOING NORTH.—The mating season for seals is now in and it is under weather conditions similar to those now prevailing that they go north to get on the whelping ice.

M.C.L.I.—Debate: Resolved, That the Legislature should petition the Throne to the effect that no further titles be granted in this Dominion. Leaders: Rev. C. H. Johnson and R. F. Horwood. Jan 19, 22.

FELL THROUGH ICE.—A man who was crossing Quidi Vidi pond yesterday afternoon, fell through the ice, and had to be assisted from his unpleasant predicament by a mechanic from the nearby hangar. The victim of the accident appeared little the worse for his unexpected bath.

A Happy Phrase.

There can be no doubt that the use of the inspired phrase "An Irish Free State" did more to induce Sinn Féin's acceptance than anything else. Who was responsible for it? We are inclined to think it happened in this way. When the final draft of the document was being prepared Mr. Lloyd George asked what "Republic" was in the Gaelic language. As Gaelic provides, apparently, no other means of rendering the idea but "Free State," the suggestion was adopted with the utmost enthusiasm by all parties concerned.—London (Eng.) Saturday Review.

CARS STALLED.—Several motor cars, which were out in last night's storm, are now stalled in various parts of the town, and had to be left by the owners to the mercies of the blizzard. They are all covered in with snow and their exposure to the storm will be anything but beneficial.

METHODIST COLLEGE HALL, MONDAY, JANUARY 23

(Under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor.)

A Grand Concert

St. John's Octette

assisted by talented lady artists.

PROGRAM

- Chorus—The Bequeathed A. S. Sullivan
 - Solo—Nelson's Gaze A-sailing Hermann Lohr
MR. W. A. TUCKER.
 - Trio—A Little Farm Well Titled James Hook
MESSRS. WILLIAMS, RUGGLES and FOX.
 - Chorus—The Long Day Closes Sullivan
(By Special Request.)
 - Solo—The Last Watch Ciro Pinsati
MR. ARTHUR WILLIAMS.
 - Violin Solo—Conzertino Oscar Rieding
MRS. DI MURPHY.
 - Solo—Young Dietrich Henchel
W. LLOYD WOODS.
 - Chorus—The Baby on the Shore George Grossmith
- INTERVAL.**
- Piano Solo—Scherzo in Bb Minor Chopin
MR. GORDON CHRISTIAN, L.R.A.M.
 - Chorus—Comrades Song of Hope Adolph Adam
 - Solo—The Salt of the Sea for Me Penn
MR. KARL TRAPNELL.
 - Duet—The Ballad Singers H. Lane Wilson
MESSRS. WILLIAMS and RUGGLES.
 - Recitation MRS. H. OUTERBRIDGE.
 - Chorus—Medley from the South Harry Hale Pike
 - Solo—A Song of Thanksgiving Alliston
MR. FRED RUGGLES.
 - Chorus—Absence John L. Hatton
GOD SAVE THE KING.

Doors open at 7.30 p.m. Commencing at 8.15 p.m.
Tickets 50c, 75c and \$1.00, at F. V. Chesman's, Water St.
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GOLD PRIZES!

WHO WILL BE THE LUCKY ONES?

Beginning this week we are offering GOLD PRIZES to the consumers of our Bread.

The lucky ones will find a small tag (in sanitary wrapper) in a loaf of our bread. The Tag will be redeemable at our office, Bond Street, for a

FIVE DOLLAR GOLD PIECE.

ASK FOR MCGUIRE'S BREAD AND WIN A PRIZE.

MCGUIRE'S BAKERY, Bond St.

Jan 19, 22

Houses and Health.

Nothing is more certain than that half the misery and unrest of the industrial population is due to the deplorable housing conditions which form large sections of the people have made life almost intolerable. There can be neither peace nor real progress in England while this grave social scandal remains. We shall continue to keep the public informed of the relevant details of what is a peculiarly iniquitous form of profiteering until the Government, which included in its electoral program lofty plans for elevating C3 people into the A1

grade, has taken action, long overdue, for breaking the ring round the house or destroying its power for evil.—London (Eng.) News.

NO PARADE.—The C.L.B. Cadets will not parade to-night owing to weather conditions and Major Tate's lecture on "Oxford University" has been consequently postponed indefinitely.

Grand Dance in connection with Juvenile Society's Treat in T. A. Armoury to-night. Music by Empire Band. Ladies Tickets 40 cents; Gents 70 cents. J. P. Kelly, Secretary Guardians. Jan 19, 22.

Here and There.

Eat MRS. STEWART'S Made Bread.—Oct 18, 6mo

Stafford's Phorotone for at Knowledge's Stores, East and Central.—Jan 19, 22

There will be no parade to-night for Cochrane Street Jan 19, 22

CALENDAR.—We thank Harvey & Co., Ltd. for a copy calendar for 1922.

Stafford's Phorotone, for Coughs and Colds, 35c Jan 4, 22

Miss Powers' recital postponed for to-night has been postponed. Date of Recital announced later

Prince's Rink open to-night.

The Second Prize in the Gold Piece was won by Miss George. The loaf containing Tag, was purchased at the Fish Stores, Water Street will be the next?

BOARD OF TRADE MEET.—The annual meeting of the Board of Trade takes place on 24th inst., when the report of the past year will be presented and new officers will take up their duties.

BORN.
On January 18th a son to Mrs. Blair.

DIED.

Last evening, after a long illness, Maria Hall, widow of Sylvester O'Brien, died at her son-in-law, Michael O'Brien's, 10 Cabot Street. Friends and please accept this, the only May her soul rest in peace.

KNOWLING'S

Shoe Stores

offer the following items in

Rubber Footwear

- WOMEN'S BUTTON GAITERS,** \$3.30, \$4.80 and \$5.80
WOMEN'S STRAP GAITERS \$4.70
MEN'S STRAP GAITERS \$5.50
MEN'S LONG RUBBERS, \$5.50, \$6.20, \$7.35, \$8.50
MEN'S THIGH or STORMING RUBBERS, \$6.80, \$7.80, \$11.00
MEN'S HIP BOOTS \$12.00
CHILD'S LONG RUBBERS . . . \$2.75 and \$3.60
MISS'S LONG RUBBERS . . . \$3.30 and \$4.30
WOMEN'S LONG RUBBERS \$3.70

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