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moment's notice for first-class work
at reasonable figure.

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in good order, and about that other
Radiators you wanted in. Only a few
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us. Remember, I personally perform
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Try Phonotone for that nasty
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Store. oct4,17

Bell Wins Newfoundland Championship.

**Ran Five Miles in 25 Min., 30 Secs.
--Eighteen Hundred People Saw
Races -- Gate Receipts Three
Hundred Dollars.**

Some eighteen hundred people saw
the championship races at the Prince's
Rink last evening, when some of the
best runners in the city competed. For
many weeks the competitors had been
in hard training, and the races were
looked forward to with growing in-
terest. The result of strict training
was seen in the time made last even-
ing, and even better time, in some
cases at least, would have been record-
ed but for the presence of thick
clouds of tobacco smoke, which acted
considerably against the runners.

Messrs. W. J. Higgins, (starter), C.
J. Ellis, (time-keeper), N. J. and J. I.
Vinnicombe, (judges), having taken
charge of the programme, at eight
fifteen, the first event, that of the
three-mile Junior began. Four com-
petitors had entered this. Oliphant,
Evans, Jack Norris, and Olson. Olson
led at the get-away, the others follow-
ing closely at his heels. The pace was
a hot one, and at the end of the first
thirteen laps the big fellow was still
ahead with his time five minutes, 30
and one-fifth seconds. Finding the pace
too hot, Oliphant retired after the
first mile and a half, and three only
completed the run. Olson finished the
second mile first, also, with his time
at 10-45 two-fifths seconds. By now,
however, the biggest runner, Olson,
was not as fresh as at first, and at the
finish of the first lap of the third and
last mile Norris, who was light and
enduring, having but little avoirdupois
to carry, took the lead, Olson keeping
doggedly at his heels, with Evans
third. At the end of the lap the big
fellow regained his lead, and soon all
three were running together. This
gave Norris time in which to gain re-
sultant to enable him to spurt, and
on the last quarter mile of the third
mile he shot ahead of Olson and, run-

ning well, increased the distance be-
tween himself and his chief opponent.
Norris touched the tape first with
Olson fifteen yards behind and Evans
a quarter of a lap behind the second
man. The time for the three miles
was 16 mins. 39 and one-fifth sec-
onds. The cause of great excitement
and enthusiasm, this excellently con-
ducted race was the best seen in St.
John's for many years. Norris, who
is but fourteen, ran in splendid con-
dition, and with plenty of training
should eventually develop into a run-
ner that would cause Bell, the five-
mile champ, no little worry.

The two-mile Relay between the
City and the Regiment followed. Each
team entered four men. Representing
the city were: T. Butler, T. Ring, J.
Kavanagh and J. Bell. For the Regi-
ment were: Hill, Hennebury, Wall
and Robertson. Each runner had to
cover two miles, being in four relays.
Bell, for the City, took the tape at the
finish in 42. 01, thereby defeating the
Regiment by three laps. Butler, also
for the City, put up an admirable ex-
hibition of running, and was largely
responsible for the victory of his
side. Running in the second relay,
against him, Butler opened up a good
lead—one which the Regimental run-
ners could not make. Popular Jack
Kavanagh, the well-known runner,
ran well.

After an exhibition of wrestling by
Alex. Hennebury and Arthur Ham-
mond, both of the Royal Newfound-
land, in which a fifteen minutes' bout
failed to give a fall, the big event of
the evening was completed.

The five-mile Championship for
Newfoundland Race was run by J.
Bell, E. Robertson and T. Lynch. The
first mentioned, Bell, made the tape
first with his time 25 minutes and
thirty seconds—25 seconds less than
the five mile (field track) time of
Alfred Shrubbs last summer. Although
Bell ran like a hare, Robertson put
up a creditable fight, and, although
his speed is not as good as that of the
winner, he ran very close to him
throughout the distance. Lynch,
finding the pace too hot for him, re-
tired after running a mile and a half.
Bell set a new Newfoundland record
for five miles, and well won his medal
and title.

Lady Cashin presented the prizes at
the conclusion of the running. The
medals were of gold and of silver,
being of a very handsome design.

The Band of the C. C. C., which was
present throughout the evening, great-
ly increased the enthusiasm with its
music.

Three hundred dollars constituted
the gate proceeds, and the organizer
of the night, Miss Pollie Malone,
King's Beach, deserves the congratula-
tions of all for the successful way in
which the events were carried out.

Tribute to Mrs. Gosling.

W.F.A. Loses a Capable Officer.

Government House,
St. John's,
8 Dec. 1919.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir—Every member of the
Women's Patriotic Association will
learn with regret that Mrs. Gosling
has decided to resign the position of
Honorary Secretary which she has
held for nearly three years, during
which she has fulfilled the onerous
duties of the post with a competence,
unselfishness and benefit to all
branches and members, which could
not well be surpassed.

In spite of her numerous other ac-
tive interests, Mrs. Gosling has given
unintended and generously of her
time and her help to the Association,
and everyone must feel that in losing
her the Women's Patriotic Association
is losing a very devoted and cap-
able Secretary.

It is no light task to conduct the
work of so large an Association: it
requires not only ability and mastery
of detail, but, even to a greater ex-
tent, a sound judgment combined with
that charity and kindly readiness to
consider all opinions which is the
highest qualification for such duties.

Yours faithfully,
CONSTANCE HARRIS.

Fire at Admiral's Cove.

According to messages received in
town yesterday, the shop and store of
Mr. P. Finlay, of Admiral's Cove, was
totally destroyed by fire, which
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Pres. Mitchell Replies.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir—From time to time dur-
ing the past three weeks, I have
noticed various letters signed by re-
turned soldiers and sailors. I have
read carefully all these letters and
have always felt when reading them
that if a sailor or soldier will not
first come to his own organization
for help, then there must be some-
thing wrong with the organization of
which he is a member, or something
wrong with himself.

Every case that has been placed in
the hands of the G.W.V.A. Secretary
has received proper and careful at-
tention, and in nine cases out of ten
has proved most successful. I may
say that I have personally secured
a number of positions for returned
men, some of whom have proved
themselves very good men. One or
two, however, accepted the positions,
but did not turn up to go to work.
It may be that some of the men who
are writing to the papers, are
amongst these, or it may be that they
are really wanting work. I should,
however, like to see their names
signed to the letters instead of an
assumed name, it would give me more
confidence when taking up the cases.

Two weeks ago I had a letter from
one of our leading "Water Street"
business houses enclosing a copy of
a letter sent to the Civil Reconstruc-
tion Committee, re one of the
letters that appeared in your paper.
This was taken up at an executive
meeting and it was decided to ask all
newspapers to allow the executive of
the Association to read the letters
before being published, so that we
should know how to deal with such
cases. I have not yet read a letter in
which the writer can say that the
G.W.V.A. has thrown him down, un-
less, of course, there was some very
good reasons.

I may say, however, that the G.W.
V.A. has been thrown down in a
number of cases where civil service
positions were concerned, and al-
though we took it and said nothing,
owing to the elections coming on, and
feeling that it might be said that we
were doing it for political purposes,
yet we have not forgotten it. Take
for instance the position of gao keep-
er in Ferryland—a largely signed pe-
tition was sent in from Ferryland
that the position be given to a re-
turned soldier, who had lost a leg;
yet this position was not given to a
returned man. The same thing hap-
pened with regard to the post of
Custom House Officer at Twillingate
and Harbor Grace, several positions
in Bay Roberts and so on right around
the island. In one of the above cases
a man who left the United States
to evade conscription, was granted
the job.

Who ever says he thinks the G.W.
V.A. executive are not alive, has an-
other think coming. While he per-
haps is spending his time at the
movies or playing cards, we are hold-
ing meetings and discussing such
cases as his. For the information of
all, the executive held four meetings
last week, have two on this week in
addition to which there is to be a
general meeting Thursday night. I
know I would like to find a body of
men who would give more time to an
organization.

It was in view of your editorial,
Mr. Editor, that I write this letter,
and I hope I have not transgressed
upon your valuable space. Thanking
you for calling the attention of the
G.W.V.A. to these letters, and for
holding back correspondence that you
think would not be beneficial to the
returned men, I remain,

Yours truly,
HAROLD MITCHELL,

Pres. G.W.V.A., NSB.

Dec. 9, 1919.

Every member of the Royal New-
foundland Regiment knows that all
British Troops were supplied with
pure wool. Millions therefore have
proved that the use of pure wool is
Safe and Best for the good health
of the nation. "Alpha," the brand of
Men's Pure Wool Underwear stocked
by BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD., is
made from the pick of pure wool and
is put up in sizes to fit all. A huge
stock now open.

L. O. A.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

On Thursday, Dec. 4th, Royal Wil-
liam Lodge, No. 29, Channel, held its
annual meeting for election and in-
stallation of officers, the ceremony
being conducted by W. Bro. W. J.
Brace, P.M. The following consti-
tute the staff for the ensuing year:

L.P.M.—Bro. Henry Tracey.

D.M.—Bro. Edward Sheaves.

Chap.—Bro. John Gilliam.

Sec. Sec.—Bro. Geo. Poole, P.M.

Fin. Sec.—Bro. Albert Bennett.

Treas.—Bro. W. J. Brace, P.M.

D. of C.—Bro. John Hardy.

Lecturer.—Bro. Wm. Sheaves.

First Con.—Bro. Harry Richards.

I.T.—Bro. Stephen Spencer.

O.T.—Bro. John Stickland.

Standing Committee.—Bros. Her-
bert White, John Stickland, Samuel

Harris, Joseph Huell, James Evans.

Relief Committee.—Bros. Joshua
Bennett, Richard Spencer, William
Herridge, John Wells.

When you want Roast Beef,
Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast

Poultry, etc., etc., call on

T. J. EDENS,

151 Duckworth Street.

POULTRY

FOR CHRISTMAS.

It looks as if Poultry would be
scarce this season, especially
Turkeys. I have my usual se-
lected stock secured, and would
advise patrons to book their re-
quirements now.

TURKEYS,

DUCKS,

CHICKEN,

GESE.

All selected dressed stock.

20 cases Selected Eggs.

Swift's Bacon.

Morris' Bacon.

Grape Juice—Nips, ½ pints,
pints and quarts.

Grapple—No. 1 and No. 2 size.

Curry's English Biscuits.

Jamaica Cigars—Selected.

MOLES—Chocolates:

1 lb. and ½ lb. Soft Centres.

1 lb. and ½ lb. Hard Centres.

1 lb. St. Julien & Milland.

2 lb. Decorated Boxes.

250 Fine Boxes, 5 lbs. each.

Cakes—Sultana, Plain, Fruit.

ENGLISH XMAS STOCKINGS.

Large assortment now on
sale.

Boneless Codfish, 1 lb. cartons,
Shredded Fish, 6 oz. pkts.

T. J. EDENS,

151 Duckworth Street.

Grand Entertainment.

The pupils of St. Bride's College,
Littledale, have a very elaborate pro-
gramme prepared for Wednesday
evening. These young ladies are al-
ready noted for their talent in this
direction, and do not need very much
introduction to the St. John's public.
The names of the performers are
synonymous of success in the local
theatrical sphere.

In the first part, the feature of the
evening will be an "Ave Maria," with
violin obligato to be rendered by Miss
Krentzlin. This is the young lady who
starred in last year's production of
"Cinderella." She has a delightful
voice and a most winning personality.
Those privileged to hear her in her last
appearance are loud in their praise
of her. The "Ave Maria" will be fol-
lowed by other number by Misses
Maier and Krentzlin and one or two
feature dances. Another treat in
store will be the three tableaux, which
in itself will be worth the entrance
fee.

The second part of the programme
will be the Operetta, which is one of
the prettiest yet staged in St. John's.
The orchestra will be composed of
Messrs. Bradshaw and Bulley, already
so well known, and the accompanist
Miss Channing, star pianist of the
College. The principals in the Oper-
etta will be Misses Krentzlin, Hutton,
Moore, and Warren. Those young
ladies have already won great names
for themselves, and bid fair in this
production to outlive all their pre-
vious efforts.

The performance is to be repeated
only once, and judging from the sale
of tickets will be greeted by two cap-
acity houses.

The C. C. C. Band will be an at-
tendance to render during the inter-
val the smartest and most up-to-date
music, so that there will not be a dull
moment from start to finish.

The Walking Doll.

Walks with natural, graceful
stride, when led by hand. Can bow,
kneel, etc. Boundless joy for chil-
dren and grown-ups.

Sensational entertainment for par-
ties. Is 22 inches tall, dressed beau-
tifully, including stockings, shoes and
underwear.

Doll complete with wig. Sixteen
dollars and eighty, at BISHOP, SONS
& CO., LTD.

Patient for Asylum.

Constable Martin arrived in town
last night from Grand Falls, with a
male patient for the Insane Asylum.
The man belongs to this city, but was
working at the paper town. It is be-
lieved he was drinking dope, with the
usual ending. He had made an
attempt to end his life by jumping
into the Exploits river, but was re-
scued and handed over to the police,
who were obliged to put him in a
straight jacket. At the station last
night the man presented a pitiable
appearance. His whole nervous sys-
tem is practically destroyed.

Every Saturday evening after
7 o'clock, Choice Ends of Beef,
Mutton, Lamb, Pork will be sold
at cost. ELLIS & CO., LTD.,
203 Water Street.—nov29,17

FUNERAL LARGELY ATTENDED.

The funeral of the late Reynold
Thomas took place yesterday after-
noon and was largely attended. The
services at the graveside were con-
ducted by Rev. Dr. Bond.

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