News of the City and the Outports

SHIPPING

SEAMAN BURSEY LOST FROM 'ATTILA.

Was Washed Overboard on the Trip to Pernambuco.

Messrs. Baine Johnston & Co. hav received a message that the Attila Capt. Marshall, has arrived at Per-

named Bursey, was washed overboard pointed as Secretary. and drowned.

ANOTHER FISH CARRIER ABANDONED AT SEA.

Abandoned.-Crew Picked Up By German Oil Tanker.

Mr. A. S. Rendell received a cablegram from London this morning that the schr. Tobeatic had been abandoned at sea and the crew saved. He also had a message from Hamburg that the crew were picked up by the Leda, which is due at New Orleans in a fortnight's time.

By Wireless.

wireless.

and driven off by the gales of the of all dumb animals and has been

last few weeks. down, and the Checkers is 100 days kindness to animals.

Was 99 Tons.

The Tobeatic was built in 1908, and was 99 tons. She was owned by Henry Petites, of Mose Ambrose. Capt. Petites commanded her up to this trip but remained home a voyage on account of being married, and the mate, John White, took charge. The vessel is only partly insured.

SCHR. CANADA 60 DAYS OUT

The schr. Canada is out over sixty days on the passage from Brazil here. She is under charter to the Monro Export Co., Ltd. The Canada is fine vessel, in charge of a good captain, which makes the long passage an unusual happening, unless she turns up within the next few days.

At 5 a.m. the Sardinian was 11 wiles west of Malin Head.

Schr. Hilda R. left Carbonear yeserday for Valencia with 4000 qtls fish, shipped by W. Duff & Sons.

The Mary Duff arrived in port this morning having been towed from Aquaforte by the tug.

Schr. Artizan which was loading at Goodridge's for the West Indies, has berthed at Baine Johnston's where she will finish.

OPORTO MARKET.

The Fisheries Department had cablegram from Oporto, yesterday, that there was no change in the price of fish since last report.

COASTAL BOATS.

BOWRINGS.

Portia left Placentia at 8.30 a.m. and is due here to-morrow morning. will be quickly bought up. The Prospero is still storm bound at Wesleyville. At noon to-day Capt. Kean wired:

"Ice conditions unchanged, but wind veering. Hope for change to-morrow."

SOCIETY FOR PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

Held Successful Meeting Last Night. Reports Show the Excellent Work Done During the Past Year.

The annual meeting of the S.P.A. was held yesterday afternoon. Justice Johnston presided and among those present were: Rev. Dr. Curtis, Mr. R. Watson, Rev. Dr. Greene, Rev. Canon Bolt, Hon. J. Harris, I. Morris, R. A. Squires, Miss Morris, Geo. J. Adams, N. A. Outerbridge, Mrs. W. G. Gosling, Mrs. G. Knowling, Jr., Miss Johnson, Mrs. J. B. Mitchell and Mrs. Schurig. In the absence of Mr. On the passage one of the sailors Dunfield, Mr. Geo. J. Adams was ap-

Reports.

The reports presented were favor-Hon. J. Harris proposed and Rev. Dr. Greene seconded, that last year's

officers be re-elected, as follows: President-M. Justice Johnson. Secretary-B. Dunfield, B.A. Treasurer-N. A. Outerbridge.

Directors-Rev. Canon Bolt. Mrs. W. G. Gosling, G. T. Carty, R. R. Wood, Dr. Macpherson and Geo. J. Adams. A vote of thanks to the officers and directors for their excellent work of the past year was proposed by Hon. R. Watson, seconded by Mr. I. C Morris and heartily accorded.

President Thanked Meeting.

The President then thanked the meeting on behalf of the officers and The Leda must have reported by directors for the appreciation of their efforts as evidenced by their vote. tois to Alicante and then proceeded assistance in the particular work the Society. She has undertaken to present She left Santa Paula on Dec. 24th, train the children of the various and must have been near this coast schools in the proper care and usage This is the third vessel of our Mrs. Mitchell volunteered her serlocal fleet reported lost during the vices which were gladly, accepted. Entrance to Hall from both Harvey last ten days. The Mayflower, the These ladies will visit the schools as Road and Long's Hill. Annie Banks and the Tobeatic, while frequently as possible and instruct the the fish carrier Banshee also went pupils as to their duty as regards

The meeting closed at 5.45.

..... A MARVELLOUS STORY

The Nickel Theatre was crowded last evening, everyone being anxious to see the thrilling picture entitled

"Foul Play," and hear Mr. Koch sing When Other "Foul play" is a feature film in three reels and is one of the most remarkable and sensational ever presented there. The scenes are numerous and from the commencement until the finish there is not a dull or

uninteresting moment. Everyone was delighted with it and Manager Kieley was complimented on

being able to secure it. "The Artist and the Brute" is also a thrilling story, which pleased al Mr. Koch's singing of "When Other Lips" was very pleasing and he was well applauded.

To-day the programme will be re peated and no one should miss it.

THE AVALONIAN

The second number of the new monthly magazine, The Avalonian, is for sale to-day. The publisher, Mr. Penney, has our thanks for an advanced copy. It is a splendid production, of which the young piblisher can justly feel proud.

There are several interesting local as well as foreign articles, which are profusely illustrated.

terest at the present moment.

The interesting stories "From 17th. Across the Bar," of local concern, and A committee has been formed to issue, but the authors, "Joy O' Lynn" in the past, a good time is assured all and "Midas" will be heard from again | who attend. An attractive program next month; the issue for which will is being arranged. also contain an article on "Imperial Federation, by J. A. Barron, son of Mr. T. J. Barron.

The present issue is a creditable one indeed, and the magazine is of hold a smoking concert on Tuesday such merit that we think the edition evening.

L.S.P.U. NIGHT SCHOOL

The night school conducted by the Longshoremen's Union at their Hall, is meeting with great success.

years up to 30 years. gram from New York this morning, charge, with an able assistant in the Harbor Grace, returned last night. zel leave Feb. 2nd direct, Stephano comprise the chief form of instruc- party. Feb. 4th, and the City of Sydney Feb. tion, but the intention is to bring in 14th, which means that the Stephano other subjects as necessity demands. takes another trip beside the present. At last night's meeting of the lorizel arrived at Halifax at 6 last School, Mr. I. C. Morris was enroled as a teacher

IS MR. SQUIRES THE NEW MINISTER?

Said to Have Been Appointed to the Department of Justice.

The rumor is going the round the street to-day that R. A. Squires is be appointed Minister of Justice. The story runs that he will be fil the existing vacancy in the Legislative Council and so will avoid the necessity of contesting a bye-election.

NOMINATIONS TO BE ANNOUNCED IN MONDAY'S PAPER

See Monday's Daily Mail' for Announcement of Nominations Hockey Contest and for the First of the Voting Coupons.

COCHRANE ST. MEMBERS

The members of the congregation public worship. The scholars of the Sunday School will meet in the Hall at 2.30 Sunday afternoon. All members of the choir are asked to meet in the room behind the organ five minutes before time of service.

member of the congregation, young Mr. H. D. Reid. and old, be present at the evening service, when reference will be made The Tobeatic took fish from Gaul- after which Mrs. Gosling asked for to the present condition of affairs and to the steps which have been to Santa Paul to load salt for Job which she has taken up on behalf of taken by the Trustee Board up to the

co-operation of every member of the congregation. Please bring your aided in doing so by Miss Johnson. hymn books. The regular ushers and collectors will kindly attend as usual

C. L. B. BAND DANCE

C.L.B. Band Dance in the British Hall, Feb. 23rd, is the talk of the town. A good time is assured all AT HE NICKEL THEATRE who attend. Particulars, later.-1i

PRACTICAL APPRECIATION.

The Dominion Volunteer Fire Dept.

Bell Island. Gentlemen,-Herewith I Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) as small token of appreciation of services performed by your Volunteer Brigade in connection with the recent fire at my premises.

I fully appreciate the good work of your Brigade on that occasion, and I regret that-owing to illness-I have not been able to give more adequate expression to my feelings of gratitude before this date. Suffice it to say, however, that I cannot forget the prompt manner in which your organization rendered assistance; and the hearty manner in which they worked on the scene is an excellent indication of the broad minded spirit of the

Again thanking you and with best wishes for the future success of the Dominion Volunteer Fire Brigade. -R. T. KENT.

East Wabana, Bell Island, C.B., January 13th, 1914.

BIBLE CLASS TEA

The annual tea and entertainmen The story of Southern Mexico and under the auspices of St. Thomas's the Panama Canal is of especial in- | Men's Bible Class takes place in Canon Wood Hall on Tuesday, Feb.

"The Influence," both conclude in this look after the arrangements and, as

MASONIC CLUB.

MASONS RETURN

Over ninety are attending at the The thirty city Masons, who were of buildings, in view of the many fires S. Thompson presen time, varying in age from 15 visiting Carbonear and Harbor Grace and their origins. He had every quali- F. Crane Messis. Harvey & Co. had a cable- Mr. F. W. Janes is the principal in son at Carbonear, and W. M. Ford the Board of Underwriters. The mataltering the last sailings from New person of Mr. I. C. Morris, our re- They had a very pleasant time. York Morwenna leaves 28th, Flori- spected townsman. The three R's D.G.M.'s Clift and Duder were in the

THE TRAINS

Friday's express is due this even- to have the present system of taxa- R. Strang ing at 6; and to-day's at midnight.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Dawe, of Toronto, will sing at George St. Church to-morrow.

The wedding of Miss A. Dawe, and Mr. Burley, of R. G. Reid's employ, takes place at St. Thomas's Church

Mr. J. Stick, buyer for the Royal Stores, leaves for England by the Digby next week, to select new goods for his firm.

Miss Stick has booked passage for England by the Digby next week, to purchase new goods. She will visit the fashionable millinery stores of Paris as well as London.

Mr. John Williams, the efficient man ager of Messrs. Bowring Brother's hardware department, leaves for the Old Country next week on a business and pleasure trip of several weeks.

Mrs. Godden is now in a sanitorium where she will undergo treatment for some little time, when the doctors hope to make a complete cure. The last news of her is that TO MEET IN COLLEGE HALL her health has greatly improved.

Mrs. C. J. Cantwell, who left at of the above church will assemble on Christmas for Western Canada to Bunday at the College Hall morning visit her sister, Mrs. Godden, who and evening at the usual hours for was seriously ill, has left for home and is due next week.

Mr. J. W. Grant, who visited the Mediterranean in the Nascopie, on a health trip, was much improved by the sea voyage. He left the steamer It is specially requested that every at Naples and is now in London with

He will visit the premises of the large hardware concerns and will select a large and more varied stock han the firm has ever carried before. The Mail hopes that the trip will The Board desire the sympathy and prove a beneficial one to his health.

> Word has been received that Miss Harkins, daughter of 'W. S.', is still very ill at her home. Yonkers, N.Y. Her father intends taking her to the West Indies with him, when he leaves for there next month.

Mr. W. Taylor, who rowed with the C.L.B. at last year's regatta, is dangerously ill at his home on the South Side. He has been unwell since last September. His many friends hope ie will soon recover and enjoy good health again.

Mr. Williams is one of our best known citizens, who since assuming the management of this branch of ceeding all previous records.

Miss Elsie Doyle, niece of Hon. J. Harris, and Miss D'Alberti, sister of Mrs. C. Hutton, who are nursing at the King's County Hospital, Brooklyin, New York, have made friends since taking up the work. Both are doing well in their profes-

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

The weekly meeting of the Municipal Council was held yesterday.. Full Board present.

The minutes of previous meeting

Councillor Myrick critized the ac tion of the Citizens' Committee in exhibiting corroded pipes at Board Trade. Placing the pipes on exhibit, he said, could have no other effect than to terrorize the people, suggest to the insurance companies the necessity of increasing rates; and if not create a more serious aspect in that of exciting the dishonest to incendiarism.

Mayor Ellis and Couns. Mullaly and Ryan agreed with him. Rev. C. A. Whitemarsh, Pastor of Cochrane St. Church, wrote thanking

the Council for its expression of sym-

Waste Water

pathy.

meeting.

The Solicitor wrote that he had had an interview with Vice-President The members of the Masonic Club Reid and Solicitor Farlong, re the matter of waste water on the dry dock premises. The report of Insp. Rooney Lintrose leaves North Sydney to- was repudiated and the Company asked that the Council visit the dock Bruce leaves Basque this after during working hours to see for themselves. They will do so on Mon-

day, in company with Mr. Rooney. F. W. Knight asked that the Council consider appointing him as inspector Dr. Smith ter will be considered at a special W. McNeily

from all theatrical houses in the city: Councillor Mullaly gave notice that J. Mulcahy

at the next meeting he would move W. L. Donnelly tion changed.

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The Leading WASH FABRIC For 1914.

RATINES proved such a satisfactory fabric last season that it is no wonder that costumiers everywhere are adopting it as the leading material for wash dresses this season.

RATINE is a soft, spongy fabric, in a basketweave, and comes in beautiful shades.

Dresses made of RATINE do not require ironing; do not crease; have excellent wearing qualities, and are fast in color.

The new shades we are showing include Cactus, Bamboo, Minart, Ciel Blue, Egg Blue, Pink; also in White..... 70c. and \$1.10. 40 inches wide....

White Sale---Special Notice.

As many of our patrons are anxious to know when our WHITE SALE will take place, we beg to state that we purpose having it early in March. At this showing we will specially feature goods from England, America, France and Switzerland. Our assortment of Embroideries will surpass in style and designs anything ever shown in St. John's.

AMIE Homs

Coun. Ryan then brought up the T. O'Neil the Messrs. Bowring's extensive matter of firemen's pay. The motion D. Eaton business, has met with considerable was seconded by Coun. Martin, but Dr. Murphy success, the sales during the year ex- was refused by the Mayor on the T. J. Duley 16 sk. A. Montgomerie 13 grounds that the Council had

power to act. The street lighting was again discussed. Impounder Duffett must at end to this work in future. At 5.30 the meeting adjourned.

MEETS TO-DAY

The hockey meeting asked for last evening did not take place. It will be held this evening.

ST. XAVIER'S CANNOT COME

Secretary Tobin of the Hockey League, had a message from Chairman Doherty, of St. Francis Xavier College yesterday, that their team could not visit St. John's this winter, having entered the Eastern section of

the inter-collegiate union. An effort will now be 'made bring along some other Nova Scotian

GREINER CUP

The Greiner Cup was competed for by the Greens and Blues yesterday The former won by 7 points.

The scores are.		
Green		Blu
S. J. Foote		W. Campbel
J. Baxter		W. C. Jo
P. C. O'Driscoll		R. B. Jo
J. Peters, 16	(sk.)	D. Duff, 1
A. Macpherson		G. B. Tut
G. Knowling		C. Carte
F. Donnelly		H. Foste
T Winter 16	(el)	H Duder 1

Dr. Knight G. Harvey W. R. Warren, 10 (sk) C. F. Taylor 16 on the agricultural policy; reorganize

for the installation of W. M. Goodi- fication, which could be endorsed by W. F. Joyce 9 (sk.) J. H. Jardine 14 of all keep the Reid Nfld. Co. in their J. Kelt The Secretary tabled amounts of A. S. Rendell

> W. Harvey honester, squarer guidance in the J. B. Mitchell future. J. R. Stick J. C. Jardine 12 (sk) A. Robertson St. John's, Jany. 24, 1914.

A. E. Hickman | WHEN THE JOKE J. A. Paddon W. C. Job

Total for Greens, 94. Total for Blues, 101. IF I WERE PREMIER.

(Editor The Daily Mail.) Dear Sir.—In yours of yesterday you requested the public to write suggesting proposals for the improvement of an public welfare.

I may say that if I was Sir Edward I would grant the fishermen motor boats on easy payments. I would allow the people to have full control over all expenditure in their locali-

acre for clearing land. I would erect Bait Depots to supply the fishermen while he went in for a shave. with bait. I would do all possible to secure the good will of the F.P.U. in view of

preventing internal friction between the North and South as must follow unless the South become Union. I would dismiss J. C. Crosbie, A. W.

Piccott, W. Woodford from the position and offices they occupy. I would make Devereaux Minister of Fisheries; I would make Moulton Minister of Agriculture and Mines

and give him and Devereaux seats in the Executive. I would turn out Gibbs from the Executive as he is useless and only in

the way of good practical men. I would take the position of Minisf ter of Justice myself. I would pension Judge Emerson and give the job to Frank Morris, one of the most decent chaps on the Government side.

I would build no more railways for

A. Hayword two years and then only finish the J. Chalker present contracts. I would cut out the \$40,000 wasted the Fisheries Department; turn out D. Baird half the loafers in Government de-C. Carter partments; pension Judge Conroy and J. Chalker give the job to Judge Knight, and last proper place, and allow them to make Hon. S. Milley no interference in public matters and H. Taylor then say my prayers three times a

-A TORY.

eral of our readers have already sent in accounts of embarrassing situations in which they have found themselves and of occasions on which the joke was "on them." To-day we publish two of these very interesting

WAS ON THEM

We shall be pleased to receive other letters along the same line and as in the case of these published below, will, where desired, suppress the real name and publish only initials or

a nom-de-plume. OBVIOUSLY EMBARRASSING. The most embarrassing moment of

my life was when a young man, with whom I was going to a dance, left I would give a bonus of \$20 per me waiting outside a barber shop -MRS. M.K.B. IT TURNED OUT ALL RIGHT. The most embarrassing moment in

> my life was when my hostess introduced me to a young woman whom I secretly disliked and had snubbed on several occasions and asked me to be her luncheon partner and afterward instruct her in a card game. I hesitated and blushed and replied that "I would be delighted," while my

true feelings were much the reverse

As the afternoon passed pleasantly,

and we got better acquainted she

seemed very charming and invited me

to call. This time when I replied that "I would be delighted," I really meant —M.M.B. DR. LEHR, DENTIST, 203 WATER STREET. BEST QUAL-ITY TEETH \$12.00 PER SET. TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT

PAIN, 25c.—jan20,6m King George the Fifth

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE, St. John's, Newfoundland.

PATRON:-His Majesty the Kingg. Bedrooms can be booked at all hours; night porter in attendance. F. Alderdice day in order to appease Providence Small rooms 20 cents, and large receipts for 1913, and 1914, to date, E. W. Rowe 15 (sk.) F. V. Chesman 11 for all the bad things I have com- rooms 35 cents per night, including mitted in the past and ask for truer, bath.

Meals are served at moderate

Girls' department (under the charge of a matron), with separate entrance.