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This Date in History.

FEBRUARY 27th. Days Past 54. To Come 307. HENRY WADSWORTH LONGFELLOW born 1807. ... BATTLE OF MAJUBA HILL, 1855. ... SIR HUBERT PARRY born 1848. ... TRINITY RAY DESTASTER, Twenty-four men driven off, 1892. ... GEO. BOWE presented with valuable watch by Choral Society, 1897. ... He thoroughly honest in thought, word and deed. —W. Whiteley.

Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor W. F. LLOYD, - - - - Editor

THURSDAY, February 27, 1913.

Bible Society's Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Bible Society takes place in the Methodist Church, to-night. At this important convention His Excellency the Governor will preside and as it is his first appearance on a local platform, we feel assured that he will be given a loyal and hearty demonstration of welcome. ... The collection will be for the funds of the Society. This meeting which will be of great interest, opens at 8 p.m. and with His Excellency presiding, and the other eloquent speakers to be heard, a most profitable and pleasant convention is in prospect.

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Slightly Better.

At 1:30 p.m. to-day, the Hospital authorities informed us that Dr. Lloyd seemed slightly better than at any time since he entered the institution.

The Police Court.

A young man who was remanded yesterday on a charge of larceny was discharged to-day. Two young men were charged with using a disorderly conduct on the public street. They pleaded not guilty but were convicted and fined \$5 each. A drunk was discharged on payment of cash here. A youth charged with the larceny of a cash box pleaded guilty. He was held over for sentence. A case brought by the S. P. C. A. against the owner of some horses for keeping them in a stable which was not in a fit condition to provide shelter for them, was tried this morning, and the defendant was fined \$5. A case of threatening language was tried.

Florizel Here.

The s.s. Florizel, Capt. Smith, entered port at 2 o'clock today bringing a full freight and a couple of passengers. She left New York on Sunday last coming direct and made the passage in four days. She passed Cape Race at 8:15 this morning when ice was met. The Florizel will be discharged with despatch and will then berth at Bowring's Southside premises to be outfitted for the sailing voyage. Capt. Joe Keen will command the ship at the Icelanda.

INSTITUTIONS FILLED.—All the cots at the General Hospital are now filled and a number of patients are now waiting to be admitted. There is lack of accommodation also at the Penitentiary, nearly all the cells being occupied.

More Smallpox.

Dr. Brehan has been apprised of two more cases of smallpox having developed at Harts' Common. This makes the third patient to be stricken with the ailment at that place, and all three are living in the one house, which is quarantined.

Lawrence Delahanty, aged sixteen, of Duggan Street, who contracted smallpox two days ago, was removed to the Signal Hill hospital to-day.

Got Four Months.

The boy whom Detective Byrne arrested last evening for entering a shop in the West End and stealing a purse, containing \$10. and a cash box containing \$10., was tried before Judge Knight at 1 o'clock to-day. The lad pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four months imprisonment. The prisoner is 15 years old and only a month ago was released from H.M. Penitentiary after serving a three months term for an offence similar to the above.

Train Notes.

The Yopalsis having been cleared of snow by No. 1 rotary, Tuesday's west-bound express passed there last night and are due at Port aux Basques this evening. A local express from Port aux Basques is due here at 10 to-night. A local express and the shore train arrived here after 1 p.m. to-day. An express for Port aux Basques leaves here this evening at 6.

Personal.

Mr. Gus Collins, of Parker & Montrose's, has been ill the past two weeks of pleurisy. Mr. Harold Bishop, of Bishop & Sons, left here by the City of Sydney and will go to England later on business and pleasure combined. Messrs. Burr and Somerville left here by the City of Sydney to spend a holiday in England.

Here and There.

SAILED YESTERDAY.—The schooner Annette sailed yesterday for Opocot, fish laden by Goodridge & Sons. BRUCE STILL JAMMED.—Up to 1 p.m. to-day, the Bruce was still jammed in the ice off Cranberry Head. Her mails and passengers went ashore to Sydney on the ice Monday. As tomorrow promises a change, it is hoped the ship will get clear.

HURT BY RUNAWAY.—This morning a man named Bennett, was driving up to the city from Portugal Cove, his horse took fright and ran away. The man was thrown violently to the ground, was dragged some distance and was badly cut about the head and face. On arrival in the city Dr. Anderson had to stitch the wounds.

THE CLUTRA HERE.—The largest Clutra Capt. Josce, arrived here last evening to Bishop & Sons, after a run of six days. She had several severe storms but sustained no damage and on this coast met a body of very heavy ice with intense frost and gales of wind. Her captain and crew are well.

Miss Julia Barrett, of the Royal Stores, met with a painful accident yesterday afternoon. While skating at the Prince's Park, she fell and broke her right arm in two places. Miss Barrett suffered a great deal of pain and became unconscious. Doctors Mitchell and Macpherson, who were summoned, chloroformed the patient and set the broken bones, after which she was driven home in a sleigh.

CAPT. DAVIDSON HEARD FROM.—Mr. A. Moore of this office, received a letter by last mail from Capt. Davidson, who is whaling in Japanese waters. At the time of writing the captain was well and doing well with the whales, though the weather was very stormy. Capt. Jacobsen, late of the Puma, who left here last fall for Japan, had also reached there and at the time of writing he had secured several of the large fish. They wish to be remembered to their many friends here.

The Best Bread is Ayre's

Here and There.

FOR PLACENTIA.—The Argyle sails this evening for Placentia to take up her regular route on the Bay. STILL DETAINED.—The s.s. Kite is still at Trinity, awaiting a chance to get north, being detained by ice.

For Pure Milk, delivered daily, try J. W. Campbell's, Ltd.—J.W.C.

HARBOURS BLOCKED.—According to messages received from different places north to-day the harbours are all blocked with heavy ice.

SAGONA SAILS.—The s.s. Sagona sailed for Louisbourg at 3 p.m. yesterday and will there take her coal supply for the sealfishery.

If you want good Fresh Eggs go to KNOWLING'S. They are only 30 cts. doz.—Feb 27, 11

STAYS MEET ACCIDENT.—Yesterday a slight containing two Sisters of Mercy capsized. The occupants were thrown out and one of them received injuries.

ADJUSTING COMPASSES.—The s.s. Eskason has not left port yet, not having her compasses properly adjusted. She has secured her crew of foremen and sailors.

Stafford's Liment cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all aches and pains. For safe everywhere.—Feb 11, 11

Mr. E. Harland Edgar begs to acknowledge the receipt through the General Post Office, city delivery, of One Dollar and Fifty Cents, anonymously and presumably conscience money.—advt.

If you would have your eyes accurately tested and correct glasses fitted go to R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Specialist.—Feb 11, 11

CAPE RACE, To-Day. Wind W.N.W., blowing strong, weather fine. A schooner passed westward at 5 p.m. s.s. City of Sydney west at 6, followed by s.s. Fortia in 6:50, and s.s. Marinel inward at 8 a.m. to-day. Bar. 29.55; ther. 44.

Electric Restorer for Men.—Phosphoric acid every man in the land should use. It is the proper tonic, restores vitality, cures all ailments, restores vitality, cures all ailments, restores vitality, cures all ailments. Phosphoric acid every man in the land should use. It is the proper tonic, restores vitality, cures all ailments, restores vitality, cures all ailments. Phosphoric acid every man in the land should use. It is the proper tonic, restores vitality, cures all ailments, restores vitality, cures all ailments.

LADY HURT.—Last night a lady passing down Garrison Hill became ill and fell heavily to the ground, striking her head and being severely hurt. Mr. John Pigg and others coming out of the S. I. S. rooms assisted the woman to her home.

Stafford's Prescription "A" cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Catarrh and Nervous Dyspepsia. Price 25 and 50 cents a bottle. Feb 11, 11

SEALERS ARRIVE.—By the morning and evening trains yesterday over 200 men arrived here from Port de Grave and other ports in Conception Bay to go to the sealfishery. They sign on the Viking, Southern Cross and Neptune.

FROST GOES DEEP.—Men employed by the Council and contractors who are from time to time engaged at such work, say that in digging up the ground they find that the frost has penetrated the earth to the depth of 5 feet. This shows that the frost this winter has been more severe than for several years past.

STUCK WITH TIN CAN.—Two lads were playing hockey on a street in the East End yesterday and were using a tin can for a puck. A middle aged man named Whelan, who had happened to pass at the time, was struck with the tin can in the face and badly cut. Playing hockey on public thoroughfares is becoming a nuisance.

WEEK-END BARGAINS. Just opened: Pound Serge in Navy for Boys' Coats; best quality. Pound Cambric; extra good quality. Pound Cup Towelling. See our 2c. window. Value up to 50c.

THE WEST END BAZAAR. Feb 27, 11 TEAMS FROM BELL ISLAND.—Twenty men with horses and sledges came over from Bell Island to Port aux Basques this morning and then drove out to the city. All will return this afternoon laden with provisions. The men say that the ice is perfectly safe and is over 2 feet thick. While it remains like this the mails will be taken to and from the island over the ice.

C.C.C. BY ORDER O.C. The Battalion and Band will parade at the Armory at 8.15 THURSDAY night at 8.15. N. F. SEMERS, Lieut. and Adj. Presentation of medals to Toronto Squad. Feb 27, 11

True Time for a Life Time. THE RIGHT HOUSE FOR WALTHAM WATCHES, 7, 15 and 17 Jewelled. In Nickel, Silver, Gold Filled and Gold. 7 Jewel Open Face Nickel. \$6.50 SWISS WATCHES, in great variety, from \$1.00 to \$25.00. ORDERS filled with CARE same day as received. Wholesale & Retail. Ayre & Sons Limited Jewellery Dept.

HALF DOLLAR SALE OF MEN'S TOP SHIRTS, Black Sateen Top Shirts, Blue Knit Top Shirts, Brown Knit Top Shirts. All 50 cents each. Army Grey Top Shirts, White Matting Top Shirts, Fancy Tennis Top Shirts, Fancy Negligie Top Shirts, Top Shirts for Tradesmen, Truckmen, Firemen, 'Longshoremen THIS WEEK AT S. Milley's.

A Note From Delegate Woods.

Either Evening Telegram. Dear Sir.—Would you kindly grant me the space to contradict the statement the "News" made this morning? The "News" was speaking of Mr. E. Bowring presiding and he said local men had been employed on the two Red Cross boats, the Florizel and Stephano, but hopelessly neglected their work; but I would like to tell Mr. Bowring in regard to trouble that there is more trouble with Dagna; there is trouble every trip since they went ashore of her, because they are leaving her every trip she reaches New York. As for the Florizel, last summer the little grievance our men had was the first since ever she came to the country. They did not have to do with our local men what they had to do with the Dagna. They give them, according to Mr. E. Bowring's own word by the Delegate, \$5.00 if they stay two months on the ships. They get \$35 a month. Now this \$5 unless the Dagna be laid on for three months. The public can see what the Company goes through to keep these Dagna on these ships. Now, I would ask him did he ever give that money to our local men to keep them on the boat, or did he ever offer any, I say no, he never did, neither had he any occasion to do so. Our men always stayed on her since she was built, except one or two leaving after a long while, some who left her last year went home after the Florizel, and pretty nearly the same crew went for the Stephano, and I might say to the public that Mr. Bowring told me

he would sooner have our local men, and so did the Chief Engineer of the Florizel tell me he had last year, and he went so far as to tell me in his own room, in the presence of Mr. Macpherson, the Surgeon, Engineer, that if they were to get the Union men back, he wanted the same men he had last year. That stands to show that there is nothing wrong with the local men. We never had any trouble with the Stephano and why should they be paid off now, I want to tell Mr. Bowring he told the "News" a falsehood, when he said local men neglected their work. Our men were not at work at the time that they left the ship. How dare Mr. Bowring say that local men neglected their work on any of his boats, when their work called for them they were always at their duty. At the time they left her last year they were not at work, and I don't see why Mr. Bowring should tell the "News" a falsehood. We can tell Mr. Bowring now that he can't get any Union men; he can get all the seals he may require. I would ask the public is it safe with incompetent men, I say it is not safe, for she might blow out to sea or she might blow on the land and they would not be able to keep her off, and to show they will not get men in Placentia. When the Florizel left St. John's last night telegrams were sent warning our firemen not to join her. I think that the Government, to my mind, should take some steps to prevent these Dagna from coming in here to earn the money belonging to Newfoundlanders.

Terrible Accident.

Yesterday while at work in the docks at Bell Island, a man named Murphy, a resident of the town of Conception Bay, was in the act of cutting up a part of a wire cable with an axe. He was lightly cut at his work when suddenly a piece of the wire embedded itself in his side and went in through the intestines. It is over two inches long and the doctors could not extract it. The man is in a dangerous state and an effort will be made to get him to Hospital to-day.

Here and There.

Campbell's Milk Shakes are delicious.—advt. Messrs. W. J. Herder and T. J. Daley were passengers on the s.s. City of Sydney last night for Halifax. SUNDAY'S MEETING.—The Holy Name Society will meet on Sunday next when over a hundred new members will join. GREATLY IMPROVED.—We are glad to be in a position to state that the Rev. Canon Smith, of Portual Cove, who is now in the city, is rapidly recovering from his illness. Though yet unable to leave his bed he has greatly improved and he is able to converse for a short while with friends who go to see him. Yours truly, F. J. WOODS, Pres. P. P. U.

A. & S. Rodger. The Cream of BARGAINS in COTTON Blankets and Striped F'lette. A. & S. Rodger.