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Miss Emma Dawe, who spent many years in Toronto engaged in ornamental and church work, has returned to Newfoundland, and is now living with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Eli Dawe, Coley's Point.

**GIRL GUIDE NOTES**  
The local Branch of Girl Guides are hoping to be formally organized by Lady Allardyce during the week. Lady Allardyce is the Island Commissioner for the Girl Guides and the girls of the 1st Bay Roberts Company are looking forward to the promised visit with much pleasure and enthusiasm.

**CHURCH PARADES**  
The C. L. B. Cadets in charge of Capt. N. French, accompanied by their Band, paraded to Coley's Point last Sunday afternoon, where they attended Divine Service at St. John the Evangelist Church. A impressive sermon was preached by the Rev. E. M. Bishop, which was indeed helpful to the lads and the large congregation.

**Our Sale of**  
Men's, Women's and Children's Boots and Shoes still goes on. Clearing out lot of Misses' and Children's White Canvas Shoes at less than cost.

During the week several of the members of Bay Roberts Branch have left for St. John's, where they will continue their studies. Misses Christeen Dawe, Jennie Serrick and Doris Mercer. Miss Mercer, who has been Acting Commander, will be missed very much but the good wishes of their sister Guides will follow them wherever they go.

On Sunday morning the 1st Bay Roberts Troop of Boy Scouts in charge of Scoutmaster Fred Winsor, paraded to Central Meth. Church to attend Divine Service. The troop was in fine shape and marched along in great style to the music of their Band. An interesting and forceful sermon was preached by Rev. S. Baggs.

**J. JARDINE & SON**  
JUST IN—Ladies' Gloves, from 98c to \$1.30. Worth \$1.50 to \$2.00. Ladies' Black Silk Hose. Children's Tan Hose. Men's Black, Brown and Grey Socks. Men's Knitted Neck Ties. Our usual large stock of Fancy GROCERIES always on hand.

**SIR GLYNN WEST ENTERTAINED**  
A dinner, at which were some 30 guests, was tendered Sir Glynn West at the residence of Mr. H. D. Reid Wednesday night. Amongst those present were: His Excellency the Governor, Sir Michael Cashin, Sir W. F. Coaker, Hon. W. R. Warren, Prime Minister, Major Jennings, Hon. Tasker Cook, his Honor Judge Morris, W. J. Higgins, K.C., M. S. Sullivan, Hon. S. Milley, S. Foote, R. B. Job, J. R. Bennett and Walter Monroe.—Telegram.

**R. OTOOLE WINS**  
In the "Telegram" 10 mile Road Race, which was a special feature in the Nfld. Amateur Athletic Association Sports on Wednesday, September 5th, the winner was Row O'Toole, who made the ten miles in 55.30. Previous to this year record time was made by Jack Bell who covered the course in 55.93. Bell has an athletic record to be proud of, having held the long distance championship for eleven years. It has since been decided by the Amateur Athletic Association to send Bell and O'Toole to compete in the 5 mile race and Burnell in the walk as a representation at the Halifax Championships Meet. Mr. S. Cullen and the athletes will leave for Halifax on Saturday.

**Another Shipment of**  
STAIR DRUGGET at 39c per yard. Men's Dark Tan Boots, \$4.90 per pr. Men's Tan Bellows Tongue Working Boots, \$3.95. Cups and Saucers, Dinner, Soup and Tea Plates. Fresh Stocks arriving every week.

**SCHR. RAIDED FOR LIQUOR**  
Halifax, Sept. 6.—The Digby County schooner Lucille B. was raided off the Massachusetts coast by fifteen armed men in three boats, who made off with 1200 cases of the liquor cargo of the Lucille B. The raided schooner was commanded by Capt. L. Leblanc of Wedgeport, Yarmouth County, who was on shore attending to business at the time of the raid. The news was given by the mate under oath, when he sailed the vessel into Metignon this p.m. The Captain was left ashore.

**FATAL ACCIDENT AT BELL ISLAND**  
Word was received here on Monday, Sept. 3rd, that a fatal accident had occurred at Bell Island. Miss Hilda Horney, while crossing one of the tracks was struck by a runaway ore car and almost instantly killed. The unfortunate girl was a general favorite and her sudden passing will be keenly felt by her many friends. She was the niece of Adj. and Mrs. Oake, S.A., of this town. Adj. and Miss Daisy Oake went to Bell Island on Tuesday morning to attend the funeral.

**Marshall's**  
NEXT DOOR TO PUBLIC BUILDING.

**ITEMS OF NEWS.**  
Miss Minnie Mercer arrived here from St. John's this week on a visit to relatives.  
The interior and exterior of the public building here has recently been painted by Messrs. Henry Mercer and George Crane. Mr. George Badcock also painted the Shearstown and Mercer's Cove postoffices and the Government railway station.

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**Newfoundland Notice to Mariners**  
(No. 2 of 1923)

Two officials of the St. John's Post Office who were arrested on Tuesday night in connection with the recent thefts at the Post Office were not asked to plead, and on request of Mr. W. J. Higgins, were remanded till Saturday morning at 10.30, bail being renewed in the sum of \$500 each. Inspector General Hutchings intimated that defendants elected to be tried summarily.

His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint the Minister of Public Works, ex-officio, Hon. W. W. Halfyard, Hon. Michael Power, J. H. Scammel, Esq., M.H.A., Harvey Small, Esq., M.H.A., J. Fitzgibbon, Esq., and Llewellyn White, Esq., to be the Board of Works.

**Green Island, Catalina**  
Lat. 48 30 15 N.  
Lon. 53 02 30 W.

"I've come to fix that old tub in the kitchen."  
"Oh, mamma. Here's the doctor to see the cook."  
"Maggie, have you been smoking?"  
"No, mother."  
"But your breath smells of tobacco."  
"Father kissed me good-bye."  
"But father doesn't smoke."  
"I know it, mother, but his stenographer does."

Sir M. G. Winter, Kt., C. B. E., Chairman, Hon. W. R. Warren, K.C., Hon. Geo. Shea, Hon. W. W. Halfyard, Hon. H. A. Cave, R. Hibbs, Esq., M. H. A., and The Speaker, House of Assembly, to be Board of Governors for the Newfoundland Savings Bank.

**Change in Character of Light**  
On June 15th, 1923, the Characteristic of the Light on Green Island, Catalina, was changed from a 4th Order Fixed White Light to a Group Flashing White Light, showing a TRIPLE FLASH EVERY 10 SECONDS.  
**W. W. HALFYARD,**  
Minister of Marine and Fisheries  
Department of Marine and Fisheries  
St. John's, Newfoundland,  
June 16th, 1923.  
July 6, 1923

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### JOURNAL OF REV. HENRY GORDON

CARTWRIGHT, LABRADOR  
Continued.

On account of being short-handed we decided to go straight to Plant's Bight and get the assistance of the men there. There were also two more bodies there, which were to be buried at Fish Cove, about three miles from West Bay. I divided the gang into two parts. Four men were to proceed to West Bay and start in at the graves there. I and the three remainder went on to Fish Cove with the two bodies to be buried there. Fish Cove is considered one of the best burying places on the coast. The ground is pure sand. We expected to get our work thru before dark. Two to a grave, we started in, and that was about the state of things when dark came on. The sand was frozen through as solid as rock. It was a case of chopping-out splinters with heavy axes. We were barely a foot down by the time we knocked off. My three companions drove back to Plant's Bight for the night, while I walked across to West Bay to rejoin the Williamses. Bob and the two Woody Point men also went off to Plant's Bight for the night, but Jim and I decided to see it out in an old summer shack on the point. As I expected the others had fared worse than ourselves. The graveyard at West Bay is worse than the one at Cartwright, being in fact nothing but an old raised beach. The had hacked away all afternoon, and barely got six inches in one grave. And there were five to be dug! I decided to limit them to two single graves and one grave to hold three. This would make it easier digging. Our lodgings were not very inviting. Jim prophesied a miserably cold night, so we fortified the inner man with a huge feed of porridge. Our stock of "grab" is likely to run short if we are here very long. I only provided for two days, and we have been out that already. We made up a big fire and turned into our bags.

Mr. George Bursell, of the Finance Dept., St. John's, has spent a few days here this week. Mrs. Bursell spends each summer here at her home, "Floral Dale."

Mrs. Samuel Dawe, 902 5th Ave., New Westminster, B.C., spent the past month here visiting her sister, Mrs. Thos. Bowring, Country Road. Mrs. Dawe was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary A. Richards, who spent the past two years in B.C. Mrs. Dawe returned to her home in British Columbia Saturday, Sept. 1st, after spending an enjoyable holiday.

### For Sale

A RUBBER-TIRED BUGGY. Practically new. Apply at this office.



### PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency Sir Wm. Lamond Allardyce, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland, and its Dependencies.

Whereas it has been represented to me by the Importers' Association and other persons engaged in Banking and Commerce, that they have decided to assign certain days as holidays to their employees:

And, whereas it is desirable that such days, as hereinafter mentioned, should be proclaimed as Public and Bank Holidays:

- I do therefore, by this my Proclamation, order and direct that the following days be set apart and observed, throughout the Colony, as Public and Bank Holidays, viz:—  
Friday, the Twenty-second day of June next;  
Monday, the Second day of July next;  
Wednesday, the First day of August next;  
Wednesday the Twenty-second day of August next;  
Wednesday, the Fifth day of September next;  
Friday, the Twenty-fifth day of January, 1924.  
Wednesday, the Thirteenth day of February, 1924.  
Monday, the Seventeenth day of March, 1924;  
Friday, the Eighteenth day of April, 1924;  
Wednesday, the Twenty-third day of April, 1924.

Of which all persons concerned are hereby required to take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my Hand and Seal, at the Government House, St. John's, this 22nd day of May, A.D. 1923.  
By His Excellency's Command,  
R. A. SQUIRES,  
Colonial Secretary.

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## ROYAL Baking Powder

Made from Cream of Tartar derived from grapes  
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### PUBLIC NOTICE

As under the provisions of an Act passed during the present session of the Legislature, the Newfoundland Government has acquired the Railway, Steamers, Dry Dock and Express business of the Reid Newfoundland Co., notice is hereby given that the same shall be operated until further notice under the name of the Newfoundland Government Railway and the management of Mr. H. J. Russell, General Manager.

W. W. HALFYARD,  
Colonial Secretary  
Dept. of the Colonial Secretary.  
August 29th, 1923.  
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### POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

A Wireless Telegraph Office has been installed at Flat Island, Bonavista Bay. Local rate 25 cents for 10 words or portion thereof and 2 cents for each additional word. Address and signature free.  
DAVID STOTT,  
Superintendent.  
June 22, 21

### POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

A Telegraph Office has been opened at Ferryland. Established local rate 25 cents for ten words or portion thereof, and 2 cents for each additional word. Address and signature free.  
DAVID STOTT,  
Superintendent.  
June 22, 21

### Watch this Space Bargains Continued!

A few pairs Boots and Shoes still on hand. No reasonable offer refused.  
A further reduction in Girls' Linen and Cotton Dresses. Call early. Only a small assortment to select from.  
Ladies' Blouses in white lawn and colored poplins; also in white, blk and colored silk. Prices from \$1.49 to \$4.89.  
Ladies' White Embroidered Underskirts. Prices from 39c to \$1.20.  
Ladies' Cotton Dresses for \$1.58.  
Ladies' Cotton Hose in white, brown and black, for 24c per pair.  
Overlaces and Veilings at give-away prices.  
Children's White Socks with fancy ringed tops, to fit from 2 to 5 yrs. Price 28c.  
Boys' Tweed Pants, to fit from 7 to 14 years. Price 58c to \$1.69.  
Blue Denim Overalls for 95c pair.  
Sewing Machines, from \$11.75 to \$25.00.  
Men's Hard and Soft Felt Hats. Price from 75c to \$2.49.  
Just arrived, a shipment of No. 1 quality Scythes, including Scythe Handles, Stones and Rasps. Also a full outfit of Hay-making implements at prices hard to beat.  
Enamel Bedsteads and Springs at greatly reduced prices.  
Provisions, Groceries and Cattle Feeds always on hand at low est. market prices.

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**E. J. French**  
BAY ROBERTS WEST.