

BARGAIN SALE Ends Sat., June 5

Our advertisements which were printed in last weeks papers attracted crowds of eager purchasers to our store, and from Friday morning, when the sale started, till late Saturday night there was constant buying in our shop. Our total amount of sales for Friday and Saturday of last week shows an increase of more than 100 per cent. over the Friday and Saturday of the week before last—ample proof of our earnestness—of our willingness to play fair and give the public bagains of **GENUINE WORTH ONLY** just as we advertised.

Sale Ends Saturday, June 5th.

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WYLAN BROS., 314 Water St.

House of Assembly.

The House met yesterday at 3 o'clock.

Petitions were presented on various local matters by Sir Michael Cashin and Mr. Abbott.

Prohibition petitions were presented by Sir John Crosbie, Dr. Jones, Mr. Small and Hon. Mr. Warren on behalf of the Speaker. The petition of Sir John Crosbie and the Speaker were against any modification, and those of Dr. Jones and Mr. Small in favor of modification.

Hon. Mr. Warren, for the purpose of clearing away any misapprehension on the part of the public as to any suggestion that delay in the appointment of the Royal Commission was caused by the Judges of the Supreme Court, made the following statement:

"From the beginning the two Judges who had been requested by His Excellency the Governor to serve in the Royal Commission, pointed out that they ought not to be asked to deal with any question of law. His Excellency the Governor, did not, however, understand that they had no wish to find upon the facts though the Judges believed they had endeavored to make this clear to him. No draft was submitted to the Judges and it was not suggested that the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Kent were responsible for the delay in issuing this Commission except so far as there was a misunderstanding as to their functions."

QUESTIONS.

Mr. Fox asked the Hon. the Prime Minister what policy the Government has under review in reference to the establishment of a Reformatory or House of Correction for Juvenile offenders. If it is the intention of the Government to establish such an institution. If so, when and where? If not, why not?

Reply—Whole subject under consideration of the Government.

Third reading was given the "Fire Patrol" Bill and second reading to the following: "An Act to amend the Consolidated Statutes of Nfld., (Third Series), entitled 'Of the Encouragement of Agriculture'; "An Act to amend 'The Business Profits Tax Act, 1917'; "An Act respecting certificates of Masters and Mates"; "An Act respecting the issue of certain Debenture Bonds of the Colony"; "An Act to regulate the exportation of Salt Codfish."

The preamble of the bill respecting Masters and Mates reads as follows: WHEREAS, owing to the abnormal conditions produced by the recent war, there are a large number of masters and mates in this Colony who have been unable to obtain certificates of competency in the manner provided by law, but who are otherwise competent to command and serve in sea-going ships;

AND WHEREAS it is desirable, in the interest of this Colony and its trade, that such persons should be permitted to command and serve in such ships, and to make provision temporarily for that purpose;

The Bill then provides for a Board to make rules and regulations, issue certificates of service, etc., which will be in existence up to January 1st, 1921.

The "Profiteering" Bill and the "Income War Tax" Bill were put through final Committee stages.

On motion to adjourn, Sir John Crosbie drew the attention of the Prime Minister to the seriousness of the salt situation, and enquired if

the Government had done anything tending to the relief of same. The Prime Minister replied that all information in the possession of the Government relating to the salt situation would be handed down next sitting.

The House then adjourned to meet again this afternoon.

JUST ARRIVED — Shipment of 5 Cross-Panel Fir Doors, also large stock of Sash Weights from 4 lbs. up to 10. B. BOW-ERING, 97 Gower Street, or Lumber Yard, Springdale St. may 21, 31, eod

Legislative Council.

May 25.

The Council met at 4.30 p.m., and went into Committee on the Survey of Foreign-going and Labrador vessels' Bill, Hon. Mr. Murphy in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Grieve considered it vexatious to have a survey after every voyage.

Hon. R. K. Bishop asked what will happen to vessels from foreign ports that go to the outports? He could not see how a survey or could be made in every port, and to get one from St. John's would cause great delay. It seems unnecessary to have a survey

every time a vessel comes from Sydney, for instance.

Sir P. T. McGrath also spoke on this and other sections to which several amendments were made, when the Committee rose and asked leave to sit again.

The Judicature Amendment Act came in for a lot of criticism from Hons. Milley, Anderson, Grieve and Bishop, and Sir P. T. McGrath in reference to the new fees for the legal fraternity. It passed the Committee stage.

The Committee on the Bill entitled "An Act to confirm a Contract between the Government and the St. Lawrence Timber, Pulp and Steamship Company, Limited," covered sev-

eral sections, during which a lot of discussion arose, Hon. J. Browning objecting to the clause relating to pit props. He said that he was informed that the A.N.D. Co. were buying up all pit props available, and were grinding them to pulp. He did not see that if they could be manufactured into pulp why they should be allowed export in the raw state.

Hon. Dr. Campbell said sticks 2½ inches in the smaller end possibly might be used for mechanical pulp. He thought the concessions asked were very reasonable and that a great benefit would be derived by people of the West Coast, by having this company operate there. He was not aware of the kind of timber on

this section of the coast, as a thorough survey had never been made. The department was in communication with people re making an areal survey of our timber and water power. He did not think the method would be entirely successful, and only a thorough cruising would show what timber and water powers we possess.

Hon. Sir P. T. McGrath stated that the Harmsworth people were, owing to increasing the size of their plant, short of pulp wood, due also to the shortage of labor, and were obliged to gather in all pit props to provide a surplus.

Hon. J. J. Murphy thought that our method of cutting timber, for the

past 20 years, was more like butchering than lumbering. There was more timber left in the forests to decay than was taken out. He thought the Bill reasonable, and as long as the company was satisfied to put their money in the plant, we should not unduly hamper them.

The House next considered the second reading of Bill entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 183 of the Consolidated Statutes of Newfoundland (Third Series) entitled 'Of the Management and Control of the Harbor of Grand Bank.'"

Hon. Mr. Browning asked for further details as to the expenses of Medical Dept. of the Militia Dept.

Hon. Mr. Bishop tabled the petition asking for the franchise for women, and will present it this afternoon. Adjournment was taken at 6.30 until this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Appreciation.

Mr. Geo. H. Andrews, who has been on the printing staff of the Daily News for the past twenty years, recently resigned his position with that paper. Before leaving, the management presented him with the following address of appreciation and good wishes for his future success, to which Mr. Andrews made a suitable reply.

ADDRESS.

St. John's, Nfld., May 20, 1920.

Mr. Geo. H. Andrews, Printer, City.

Dear George.—Whilst we wish you every possible success in your new enterprise, a success that your ability and skill renders assured, we cannot but regret that the pleasant relations of nearly twenty years have now been severed. It is a pleasure to us, in looking back, to know that our relations throughout have been of the most cordial character. Your work was of the highest order, and your invariable courtesy and loyalty we heartily appreciate. With these qualities as assets, fortified by the energy and business acumen which you in a large measure possess, your enterprise and perseverance must be crowned with success. You enter on your new career with the best wishes of all your friends in the News Building, amongst whom we trust we may always be numbered. Kindly accept the accompanying as a slight token of our respect, esteem and good will. Yours,

JOHN S. CURRIE, Editor 1910-1920,
J. ALEX. ROBINSON, Editor 1901-1916,
J. C. PUDDISTER, Business Manager.

Nine Teams Will Play Football.

Nine teams will engage in the Association Football series this year, three new teams having entered. They are: Felldians, Highlanders and a Naval team comprised of men from the Briton and other sources. The fences and grandstand are now being rebuilt under the direction of Mr. N. MacLaughlin, while Mr. W. Clance, the new caretaker, is putting the field in A. 1. condition. The annual meeting of the League will be held next week, when the fixtures will be set.

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