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If You are Proud of your Baking and want  
the Really Perfect Loaf of Bread we Recom-  
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"Canada's Best Flour"

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Dress Poplins in Black, Navy and Brown at \$1.45 per yd.  
Tweeds \$1.25 per yd.

The following Pound goods: Tweeds, Cotton Tweeds,  
Denims, Scrims, Sheetings, Flannelettes, Sateens. All at  
lowest cash prices.

Hearth Rugs	\$3.20 to \$6.00	Oil Cloth Mats	\$1.10 and \$1.65
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The following at Special Cut Prices

Ladies' Raglans	\$12.00	Girls' Oil Coats	\$7.50
Ladies' Waterproofs	\$12.50		\$8.50 and \$9.50
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A Big Variety of

### Wall Papers

in various Shades and Patterns

Also the following

### 1923 Garden Seeds

Hay Seeds, Vegetable Seeds, and Flower Seeds, and to  
arrive, Potato and Turnip Fertilizers.

**A. E. MERCER, Bay Roberts W.**

REV. DR. MERCER AT  
TORONTO

Another step has been reached on  
the ladder of success by the Rev.  
Samuel A. B. Mercer, D.D., Ph.D., in  
that he has been recently appointed  
as Dean of the Faculty of Divinity  
and Professor in the Department of  
Oriental Languages in Trinity Col-  
lege, Toronto. Rev. Dr. Mercer has  
gained a world-wide reputation for  
his authorship of many works on  
ancient history.

Dr. Mercer is a native of this town  
and received his early education in  
the old C. of E. Academy.  
Since then he has held several im-  
portant positions in the United States  
and goes to Toronto from Gambier,  
Ohio, where he has been Dean of  
Bexley Hall, the Divinity School of  
Kenyon College.

Manitoba has rejected the proposal  
of the Beer and Wine League for  
the sale of beer and wine in licensed  
hotels with meals with a majority that  
will likely reach twenty-five thou-  
sand.

On Monday last many Masonic  
brethren went to St. John's and were  
present at the installation ceremony  
when Mr. J. R. Bennett was installed  
District Grand Master of English  
Freemasonry in Newfoundland. The  
following members of Lodge Mac-  
Kay attended the ceremony:—R. W.  
Myers, J. W. Dawe, Dr. T. C. Mc-  
Leod, S. A. Smith, Jas. White, Sergt.  
R. G. Wells and A. M. Calpin, M.H.-  
A.

An old Scotchman, David Gordon,  
was seriously ill, with scant hope for  
recovery. He had been wheeled in  
to making a will by relatives, and  
these were now gathered about his  
bedside watching him laboriously  
sign it. He got as far as D-A-V-I-  
then fell back exhausted.

"D, Uncle David, D," exhorted a  
nephew.  
"Dee!" ejaculated the old Scot fee-  
bly, but with indignation. "I'll dee  
when I'm ready, ye avaricious  
wretch!"

HAS MADE GOOD

Among the visitors to Heart's Con-  
tent recently was Mr. J. R. Chafe,  
a young Newfoundland who, by  
his ability, has gained an honourable  
position for himself in the field of  
Telegraphic Engineering.

Although quite a young man he has  
had a wide and varied experience in  
his profession.  
He was in the employ of the Anglo-  
American Co., before connecting  
himself with the Western Union Tel-  
egraph Co.

During the war he was plant super-  
visor of the Anglo land line system  
and while occupying this position he  
instituted many improvements among  
which may be mentioned the installa-  
tion of the equipment now in use in  
the St. John's office.

He was then transferred to the  
cable division of Heart's Content for  
special study of the submarine cable.

See Advertisement on first page of  
this issue in reference to St. Paul's  
Garden Party, Hr. Grace, July 18th.

Adj. Geo. Earle, S.A., and two  
children, of Grand Falls, arrived here  
by Friday's train. After spending a  
short time here, he will go to St.  
John's to attend Congress.

## Farmers, Attention Seeds! Seeds! FOR SALE

STEELE BRIGGS garden seeds  
including the well known "Jumbo"  
Sweede Turnip Seed. No 1 Timo-  
thy Hayseed. Also a few sacks Good  
Luck specially prepared Seed Oats.

**W. H. Greenland**  
COLEY'S POINT

### REMAINS BROUGHT HOME

On Monday night, July 9th, the re-  
mains of the late Walter French were  
brought to his home at the  
Dock from the railway station, at  
Clarke's Beach. Deceased went to  
Boston about a month ago and was  
stricken with appendicitis recently  
and died in Hospital following an  
operation.  
The remains were met by the mem-  
bers of the L.O.A., in which society  
he was a member. He is survived by  
a wife, two children, mother and sis-  
ter.

### For Sale

1 Set Carriage Harness,  
1 Carriage Collar, 17-12 inches,  
1 Carriage Collar, 21 inches,  
1 Carriage Collar, 22 inches,  
1 pair Carriage Hames,  
1 Pony Breast Strap, with traces.

Apply to D. G. Fraser, Bay Roberts.



### Newfoundland

#### Notice to Mariners (No. 2 of 1923)

#### Green Island, Catalina

Lat. 48 30 15 N.  
Lon. 53 02 30 W.

#### Change in Character of Light

On June 15th, 1923, the Character-  
istic 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 12  
SECONDS.

#### W. W. HALFYARD,

Minister of Marine and Fisheries  
Department of Marine and Fisheries  
St. John's, Newfoundland,  
June 16th, 1923.

### Canvas Boots and Shoes

RUBBER SOLED, BLACK,  
WHITE AND TAN,  
For Men, Women and Children,  
98c to \$1.70 per pair.

### Men's High Rubbers

\$3.35 per pair.  
40 DOZEN

### Summer Hose

19c per pair up.

### Marshall's

NEXT DOOR TO PUBLIC  
BUILDING.

### LETTER FROM BERMUDA

From a letter received from Com-  
mandant E. Hiscock, now in charge  
of the Salvation Army work at Ham-  
ilton, Bermuda, we quote the follow-  
ing:—"You will be surprised to get  
a letter from me, but your paper  
finds its way to our quarters away  
down here in Bermuda, and we read  
its contents with great interest.  
Newfoundland is well represented  
down on these beautiful islands, both  
in religious and commercial life. We  
have Canon Merrett of the C. of E.  
Cathedral, Dr. and Mrs. Saint, Ham-  
ilton Methodist Church, Rev. Mr.  
Adams, Meth. Church, St. Georges,  
ourselves in charge of the Salvation  
Army work on the islands. We have  
four corps working here, Hamilton,  
St. Georges, Southampton and Sum-  
merset. The majority of our people  
are coloured.

In commercial life there is the  
Hon. J. P. Hand, who is a leading  
citizen here, and a splendid man.  
Then, the working class is represented  
by over one hundred men, engaged  
in erecting the new hotel here.  
This will be a splendid hotel and the  
last word in being up to date. Dur-  
ing the winter season we have about  
10,000 tourists come in here, largely  
from the U.S.A. and nearly the whole  
country is catering to the tourist  
trade, which is the commercial life  
of the country. Nature is perfect  
here on these islands, but we have  
one great curse—that is, the open  
bar—and as elsewhere it prevails, it  
leaves its ravages behind in blighted  
lives, broken homes and broken  
hearts, while want and distress and  
the funeral hearse follow close be-  
hind. Why men of knowledge will  
import and sell that which lowers  
the morals of a country and make  
money from the weakness of human  
nature, is more than I can under-  
stand.

We are now in the midst of our  
warm season and it is hoped that  
our "vacation" will be a happy one  
from the Atlantic. The folks here  
call it the Doctor and I have no  
doubt but it bears the right name, as  
it cools the night for good rest.

Both Mrs. Hiscock and myself  
have many friends at Bay Roberts,  
having been stationed there upon two  
different occasions, and which we  
look back upon with great pleasure.  
I note that several of the old land  
marks have been removed by death.  
Give our regards to all."

### ITEMS OF NEWS.

Rev. W. S. Bishop, of this town,  
spent a short time in St. John's visit-  
ing friends. He returned home on  
Tuesday night, July 10th.

Mr. Herbert Sparkes, of Shear-  
stown, went to St. John's by Thurs-  
day morning's train, to attend the  
funeral of little Mary Humphries,  
who was killed by a motor cycle on  
July 11th.

Mr. Lloyd Hurst spent the week-  
end with friends at Harbor Grace.  
He has just returned from his home  
in Nova Scotia, where he spent his  
holidays.

A letter has been sent by the Ex-  
ecutive Council of the Trades and  
Labor Congress of Canada to Prem-  
ier MacKenzie King, demanding  
the immediate recall of troops from  
the Cape Breton strike area, and, if  
necessary, the calling of a special  
session of the Dominion Parliament  
to deal with the matter.

### SAGONA FROM LABRADOR

Solid Jam of Ice from Holton North  
ward—No Fish Taken Below  
Flat Islands.

The S.S. Sagona, Capt. Burgess, re-  
turned from the Labrador service  
Wednesday morning, bringing eleven  
passengers and 300 packages of  
freight. She was 16 days on the  
trip, and made all ports of call going  
and returning. Beyond Holton a  
solid jam of ice extends.

On the way north the Sagona  
took 150 passengers from the Seal  
and landed them at different points.  
The materials for the erection of the  
wireless station at Stag Bay were  
brought back. The operators for all  
stations to Holton have been landed.  
Those for Makovik and Cape Har-  
rigan were landed at Grady and Hol-  
ton, and will go down by the first  
boat.

Capt. Burgess reports no fish be-  
low Flat Islands. Munn's men there  
had 3 qts when the Sagona sailed  
on the way south. Lewis Dawe's  
men at Fishing Ship's Hr. had 15  
qts. in one haul. Hiscock's men at  
Francis Hr. had 60 qts. From Fish-  
ing Ship's Hr. to Battle Hr. there is  
a good sign of fish, and fair work  
is being done even in the bottom  
of Snug Hr., the fish having been  
driven in by the ice. Trawls at Bat-  
tle Hr. are doing well, and along  
the French Shore there is also a  
good sign. During the last 4 days  
N. E. winds have driven the ice in  
along the Labrador coast.

The yacht Pixie B. was seen at  
Holton, and also the Sylvia II.,  
bound to the Stag Bay gold fields.  
One of the crew of the latter, named  
Holloway, of this city, was injured  
by being caught between the sheet  
block and the rail when the sheet  
jibed. He was attended by Dr.  
Smith and brought home on the Sa-

### THUNDER STORM AT LONDON ENGLAND

London, July 10—London experi-  
enced one of the worst thunder  
storms in years early to-day. It last-  
ed from midnight to about six o'-  
clock this morning.

The fire brigade was kept busy an-  
swering some forty calls through-  
out lightning striking houses.

### FISHERMAN IS DROWNED WHILE ATTEMPTING RESCUE

Gakarua, C.B., July 10—William  
Clerk, a lobster man was drowned on  
the flat shoals here this morning  
while endeavoring to assist his father  
and younger brother who were in an-  
other boat which had developed en-  
gine trouble and was drifting to-  
wards the breakers.

The smack Monarch reached the  
latter and towed them to safety.

Mr. Lewis Dawe took passage by  
the Senec for Labrador. He will  
look after his fishing business at  
Fishing Ships Hr.

Miss Marion Snow, of this town,  
left by Tuesday morning's train for  
Boston, Mass. We learn that Miss  
Snow will be one of the principals in  
a very pleasing event which takes  
place shortly.

## It's a long trail

From the North Pole to the  
South Pole, but Royal Bak-  
ing Powder went with Ad-  
miral Peary—Amundsen has  
it with him now. It went with  
Scott to the South Pole.  
Stanley had it in darkest  
Africa. Royal is the only  
baking powder you can buy  
anywhere under the sun.

## ROYAL Baking Powder

Made from Cream of Tartar  
derived from grapes

Contains No Alum—Leaves No Bitter Taste  
MADE IN CANADA

### ITEMS OF NEWS.

Mrs. John Spence, mother of Mrs.  
Geo. Hierlily of this town, was strick-  
en with paralysis recently and is se-  
riously ill at the home of her daugh-  
ter, Mrs. W. Pushie, St. John's.

Rev. J. W. Winsor, of Western  
Bay, P. G. Chaplain L.O.A., will re-  
present Newfoundland Orangemen at  
the annual meeting of the Grand  
Lodge of British North America  
which meets in Winnipeg, Man., on  
July 15th, and also at the Triennial  
Council, which will be held a week  
later. He left for St. John's on  
Thursday last enroute for Winnipeg.

The S.S. Senec, on her way to  
Labrador, called at this port on  
Wednesday night, July 11th, for pas-  
sengers and freight.

### R. AUGUSTUS PARSONS, B.C.L. SOLICITOR, etc.

Bank of Montreal Building  
ST. JOHN'S  
Phone 470. P.O. Box 1303

## Clearance Sale! Bargains! Bargains!

Ladies' Boots, values unequalled, reg-  
ular price from \$5.00 to \$6.50. All  
for \$2.49 per pair.  
Special values in Ladies' Patent Lea-  
ther Shoes. Regular price \$8.00.  
Now \$4.20.

Another line of Ladies' Shoes going  
at \$1.68 to \$3.79.

### BOYS' AND MEN'S BOOTS

Selling at Slaughter Prices.

Boys' Suits, in white and striped  
jeans, sailor collars, to fit boys  
from 4 to 10 years, \$1.89 to \$1.98.  
Girls' Dresses, in cream, pink and  
blue linen, nicely trimmed, at 78c  
to \$1.49 each.

Girls' Cotton Middies, price from 40c  
to \$1.25.  
Children's Cotton Hose, 14c pair.  
Misses' and Ladies' Cotton and Silk  
Hose, assorted colors, prices to  
suit the most economical buyer.

Poplin and Voile, in various shades.  
Regular price 70c. Now 58c.  
Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Hats. Regu-  
lar price was \$2.25. Now 60c.

### PROVISIONS, GROCERIES AND CATTLE FEEDS

At Lowest Prices.  
When you want your next bar-  
rel of FLOUR try a barrel of  
Maple or Windsor Patent, and  
get the Best Quality for the  
Cheapest Price.

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

### Wanted

Boys to sell THE GUARDIAN in  
Bay Roberts and vicinity, and Span-  
iards Bay.

Apply at this office.

### To Motor Car and Engine Owners

We want to sell the balance of our  
stock of

ENAMELS  
Colors—Green, Black, and Wine.  
Also RUBBER TOP DRESSING,  
RUBBER CEMENT, etc. for Auto-  
mobiles.

C. E. RUSSELL  
Guardian Office.

### POSTAL TELEGRAPH S-

A Wireless Telegraph Office has  
been installed at Flat Island, Bona-  
vista Bay. Local rate 25 cents for 10  
words or portion thereof and 2 cents  
for cash additional word. Address  
and signature free.

DAVID STOTT,  
Superintendent.

June 22, 21

### POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

A Telegraph Office has been open-  
ed at Ferryland. Established local  
rate 25 cents for ten words or por-  
tion thereof, and 2 cents for each  
additional word. Address and signa-  
ture free.

DAVID STOTT,  
Superintendent.

June 22, 21

Try a few lemon peelings in the  
water for boiling the tea towels.  
They will be whitened and sweeten-  
ed.

### Bay Roberts

BAY ROBERTS, population about  
2600. With Coley's Point, Country  
Road and Shearstown, places adja-  
cent to Bay Roberts, the population  
is over 4,000. Sixty miles west of  
St. John's. Beautifully situated as a  
town. Splendid harbor. Railway  
and coastal transportation facilities.  
Bank. Three High Schools. Cable  
Station of the Western Union Tele-  
graph Co. Mercantile and general  
fishery business. Two lumber mills  
and one veneer factory. Electric  
lights and power. Churches, schools,  
and fraternal societies. Farming and  
live stock and poultry raising. Boat  
building plant. Three well-equipped  
and large coal sheds. Public Build-  
ing with Court-room and Govern-  
ment Departmental offices. Tele-  
phone, local and long distance con-  
nection with St. John's and Bell Is-  
land. Two hotels. Splendid inland  
fishing a few miles distant. Anglo-  
American Telegraph Office.