



## Evening Telegram

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### TU QUOQUE.

The Advocate with that reputation for consistency which has made it famous, takes the Telegram severely to task for its apparent lack of that trait, but as usual wanders away from the point and uses up all its space in praise of Mr. Coaker. That is as it should be, for the day upon which the organ of the President fails to laud him to the skies, there will be witnessed the spectacle of a general cleaning up on Duckworth Street. The attitude of the Advocate is of course inspired by circumstances. That which was not good enough for Mr. Coaker seven years ago, when in Opposition, is quite safe enough for the Colony to accept to-day, with Mr. Coaker in the Government. And as always the ad captandum cry is used to capture the Northern fishermen. The consistency of which the Advocate prates never had an existence in the editorial department of that paper. Any old shibboleth is always considered good enough to engage the support of its Northern readers, and naturally to hold their attention, it must condemn those in Opposition, otherwise there would be no kernel in the political nut. It is distasteful to the Advocate to have Mr. Coaker's recorded utterances on the Products Corporation Bill of 1915, given more publicity than Hansard could compass. But the half has not yet been told. So far the bare outline alone has been given. Other interesting excerpts will be forthcoming as occasion demands. Thus will be shown the absolute inconsistency of the President and his following.

### At Bell Island.

The situation which has arisen in connection with relief work on Bell Island, is a very serious one, and in all probability may result in the closing down of the mines. At present it is only possible to hazard a guess at the cause of the trouble which has caused the Conception Bay workers to leave the Island, but apparently the conditions under which the men understood they would work, have not been fulfilled. It is known that the minimum wage was \$6.10 and the maximum, \$9.00. It is manifestly impossible for a man to support himself and family on less than a dollar a day, and that is what the majority of the workers are receiving. Under the circumstances it is only natural to expect that the men from Conception Bay would prefer to take their chances of work or starvation with their families, rather than at a distance from them. It is to be hoped that this very difficult problem will soon be solved in a manner satisfactory to all concerned.

One item alone of the Guards' Concert in the College Hall next Wednesday night would be good value. Tickets now on sale at Dicks & Co's.—mar9,11

### Co-Operative Marketing

To-morrow (Saturday) we hope to give space to the address of Mr. A. B. Morine, K.C., as delivered to the members of the St. John's Rotary Club on Tuesday last, making such editorial comment on the subject as its importance warrants.

### Availing of Discount.

The inducement to prompt payment of Municipal taxes offered by giving a discount of 10 per cent. if the amount is paid before March 15th, has caused quite a rush at the Municipal office. This morning the lobby was crowded with people anxious to avail of the reduction. The daily average of people paying during the past six days is over 100, and something over \$3,000 per day is being collected. This discount is one of the provisions of the new Charter, and had it been put in operation before, there is no doubt but a lot of the outstanding arrears would have been paid on time.

### Casino Theatre Leased.

The lease of the Casino Theatre was awarded, last night, at a meeting of the T. A. Executive to a gentleman well known in amateur theatricals. The price is said to be \$750 a year more than was paid by the former lessee, amounting to in the present instance, \$4,250 per year. A company of which a well known dentist is the principal, is back of this new venture, and it is their intention to produce high-class opera.

### Benefit Night.

The management of the Prince's Rink hope to run off the benefit for the ice men to-night. An elaborate sports programme has been arranged and a large number of rink fans are participating in the various races. The Tie-Cup round, if ice conditions permit, will be played next week, on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. These games are bound to prove a big drawing card and it is to be hoped the ice will be good enough to enable them to be played.

### Youthful Desperadoes.

SMALL BOYS COMMIT LARCENY.  
Four young boys were charged before Judge Morris to-day with the larceny of money and cigarettes from a shop. The smallest of the four, whose head barely appeared above the bar, said he got behind the counter, took the money and gave it to one of the other accused. His Honor took the position that the bigger boys had probably sent the little boy in. The Inspector General asked for a remand. He withdrew the charge against the little fellow and put him in the box. He further said the boy had been before the court in company with the other accused. George Williams said he was ten years of age. He went in around the counter of Bing's shop and took the money out of the till and ten packages of cigarettes. One other boy went into the shop with him. The remand was granted until to-morrow.

### McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, March 10.  
Since it has again become possible to obtain our famous Cream of Lilies soap at a price that renders popular sale possible, we have been greatly gratified by the number of our customers who have testified to their pleasure in being able to get this excellent soap once more. We think we can now say that there will hereafter be no difficulty in supplying them with Cream of Lilies soap which during the war years became so difficult to obtain or to sell at a reasonable price. Cream of Lilies soap now sells for 35c. a cake or for a box of three cakes \$1.00.

RABBITS — Fresh Rabbits in to-day, 800 pairs. W. E. BEARNS, Haymarket & Rawlins' Cross.—mar10,11

### Latest Political Rumors.

Political rumours have been current for the past few weeks, but very little reliance can be placed on most of them. There is a possibility, however, of there being some truth in the latest report, which states that Hon. H. J. Browning is leaving the Department of Finance and taking the office of Commissioner of Public Charities, while his place will be taken by Hon. Dr. Campbell. The present Commissioner will probably be pensioned.

PRINCE'S RINK TO-NIGHT. — Will contestants in the different events advertised for the Benefit Performance for Rinkmen kindly note the show is on to-night without fail?

### Princess Mary's Wedding

NEWFOUNDLANDERS PRESENT  
A special cable to the "Ottawa Citizen" dated Feb. 28th, gives a list of the colonial guests who were present at the wedding ceremony of Princess Mary. Amongst the names are the following Newfoundlanders: Lord and Lady Morris; Sir Edgar Bowring, Mrs. John S. Mun, Hon. S. and Mrs. Milley, Hon. George and Mrs. Shea. The message further stated that at the end of the present week Princess Mary will receive Lady Morris and Mrs. Mun, who will present the gift of the "Anglo-Nfld. Ladies' Colony" which consists of a magnificent jewel box wrought in Labradorite, encircled with gold and with initials in diamonds. The whole is enclosed in a box covered with Newfoundland seal-skin.

### Influenza Prevalent.

At the present time a large number of people are confined to their homes suffering from La Grippe or a mild form of influenza. About 12 men of the police force are off duty on this account. Although many claim it is the flu, yet no cases of this type have been reported to the authorities. It is certainly not like the flu epidemic which visited this country in 1918, in that it has none of the attending complications.

ON TO-DAY'S TRAIN.—1200 pounds Fresh Codfish (not cold storage), 5 cents pound. W. E. BEARNS, Haymarket and Rawlins' Cross.—mar10,11

### Horsemen Complain.

GULCHES NOT LEVELLED OFF.  
Horsemen living on the Logy Bay Road complain of the impassable condition of the main road to the city. The gulches in many places are five feet deep. Yesterday a man was sent to level the gulches but instead of doing so he filled them with snow, so that horses coming to town this morning got bogged. One of these was owned by Mr. Dowden. The animal however was not injured but the shafts of his milk sleigh were smashed off.

NOTICE.—There will be a meeting of the Star of the Sea lady supporters on Monday evening at 9 o'clock in the Club Rooms. All ladies interested are particularly requested to attend this meeting.—L. PAYNE, Sec. Amusement Committee, mar10,11

### Large Attendance at Auction Sale.

Messrs. Dowden & Edwards spent a very busy morning auctioning the provisions and stores of H.M.S. Briton. The attendance to-day was even greater than yesterday. Owing to the electric light being off the ship the auctioneers have been obliged to discontinue the sales in the afternoons. A very large amount of goods remain yet to be disposed of, and the auction will be continued in the forenoon of next week.

### Weather and Ice Report.

Seal Cove—Strong N.E. winds, with snow; no ice.  
Fogo—Strong N.E. winds; stormy.  
Nipper's Hr.—Wind N.E., strong breeze; snowing.  
Little Bay Islands—Strong north wind, light snow falls; little sea heaving in.  
Gander Bay—N.E. wind, stormy and cold.  
Springdale—Strong northerly wind, cold.

PRINCE'S RINK TO-NIGHT. — When you were snuggling under the blankets at 4 o'clock a.m. the coldest nights of the winter, the Rink Employees were out on the ice giving "her" "a sprinkle down" in order to have a good sheet of ice for your pleasure the following day. Therefore, show your appreciation by turning up at their Benefit to-night.

### First News From Fleet.

REPORT FROM TERRA NOVA.  
Messrs. Bowring Bros. received a message at 7 p.m. yesterday from Capt. Keen, of the Terra Nova, reporting his position as 33 miles S.E. of Cape Bonaville. Everything was reported O.K. and the ship was making good progress.

### Here and There.

Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—oct13,8mo

Stafford's Liniment for all Aches and Pains, only 20c. per bottle.—mar7,11

DRUNK DISCHARGED.—A drunk who had so far this year, escaped the unwelcome attention of the officers of the law, appeared before Judge Morris to-day. He was discharged.

MISS T. POWER.  
Music Studio 59 Queen's Road after March 8th. mar8,11,ad

There is a very large shipment of Sweater Wool and Sweater Silk being opened to-day at BISHOP'S. Will customers who have been waiting for this shipment to arrive please call at the earliest moment, as both are already selling very quickly.

STORMY ALONG LINE.—It is stormy along the railway line to-day. A heavy gale was blowing and there was considerable drift. The train service has not been interrupted.

G. W. V. A SWEEPSTAKE.—1500 dollar tickets. Boat, day and hour. Prizes: 1st, \$500.00; 2nd, \$300.00; 3rd, \$100.00; Fifty dollars each of the remaining boats. A few tickets still left. Apply G. W. V. A. Office or from members.—mar10,11

PRINCE'S RINK TO-NIGHT.—Rinkmen's Benefit. A good programme. Show your appreciation of the Rinkmen's services by attending.

HOSPITAL CROWDED.—Practically all the cots at the General Hospital are now occupied and a number of patients have to wait in boarding houses for getting admittance. At present only urgent cases are taken in. A patient from Fox Harbor, named Murphy, is coming by train to-night and provision for his entrance has been made.

WEEK END SPECIALS.  
Ladies' Ready-to-wear Hats, newest style, for \$4.98 each. Ladies' All-Wool Striped Skirts, regular \$9.50 for \$4.98. Ladies' Button Boots, regular \$5.50 for \$2.98 pair. Ladies' All-Wool Hose for \$1.35 pair. Ladies' Gloves, 49c. pair up.  
THE WEST END BAZAAR, mar10,11 51 Water St. West.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.—The Matron of the Girls' Industrial Home wishes to thank the following Gentlemen for a special contribution of \$1.00 each.—Fred Dodd, Bert Noseworthy, W. G. Parsons, W. H. R. Burns, M. Green, Capt. Ed. Bishop, Walter Crook, J. Hanham, M. E. Martin, G. A. England, F. W. Wilson, Robt. McAdam, M. D. Shears, B. Stafford, F. C. Crane, Jas. Rendell, F. Hamlin, C. D. Slater, F. G. House, Harry Worsley, F. H. Ellis, R. B. Brown, H. A. Russell, A. W. Oldfield.

Do you want your choice of a Suit or Overcoat—cut, made and trimmed in the Spurrell way—at almost your own price? We must have work, even if we don't get profits. SPURRELL the Tailor, 365 Water Street. jan30,ad,tf

## TO THE TRADE!

This is just the proper season for Rubber Footwear. We carry a large assortment of

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All sizes are available. Also a large assortment of FLANNELETTES, FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR.

COTTON TWEEDS, OVERALLS, SHIRTING, CALICO, WORKMEN'S SHIRTS, and a large quantity of MEN'S ALL WOOL HEAVY SOCKS.

## KALLEEM NOAH, Ltd.

Wholesalers & Jobbers, Noah Building. feb13,ad,w,13m

### TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

READ IT TWICE.

LONDON, March 10.  
In official circles, the view is held that the only justification for publication of the Indian Government's note would have been that the local Indian situation is so acute as to necessitate a demonstration to the Moslem element of the population, that attempts were being made to adjust their grievances. The Foreign Office, however, does not concur that the situation justified any broadcasting of the viewpoint, without merging it with the British and general Allied policy toward Turkey. The publicity, accorded by the note, it points out over-emphasizes India to the extreme detriment and embarrassment of the Empire.

DAYLIGHT SAVING.  
LONDON, Mar. 10.  
The French Chamber of Deputies, yesterday, by a vote of 296 to 229, agreed to make "summer time" effective in France between March 25 and October 7.

HIGH TIME.  
DELHI, Mar. 10.  
The Government has definitely decided to arrest Mohandas K. Gandhi, non-co-operationist leader. He is now in the Ajmer district, about twenty miles to the southwest of this city.

CAN HAVE IT WHEN THEY WISH.  
LIMERICK, March 10.  
The situation in Limerick this morning was quiet, but still critical. Business has suffered greatly since the advent of hostile forces, and trades express themselves as most anxious for peace.

RELIEF SHIP WRECKED.  
LONDON, March 10.  
The United States steamer West Munham is ashore off Heligoland and is half full of water and is likely to break in two at any moment, says a despatch. The ship was carrying relief supplies to Russia.

JUST RECEIVED.—Stock Men's Dancing Pumps. F. SMALLWOOD, Water Street. feb10,tf

### Hero of Vimy Dead.

Major-General Sir David Watson, former G.O.C. of the 4th Canadian Division in France, died Saturday, February 18th, after a paralytic stroke. General Watson was one of the first Canadians at Valcartier, because he was there before the Government bought the land for that great training camp; in fact, it was he who took General Sir Sam Hughes down there and urged him to acquire the land for what, in a few days, was transformed from a veritable "Sleepy Hollow" into one of the finest military camps in the world.

Under General Watson, the 4th Brigade earned immortal fame. It captured and held Regina Trench after weeks of bloody struggling at the Somme. On April 12, in a blinding snowstorm, they attacked and captured the key position to Vimy Ridge. For services in the war, Sir David Watson was made K.C.B., following on his award of the C.M.G. He was also made a Commander of the Legion of Honor of France; awarded the Croix de Guerre of France and Belgium, and also given the Order of Leopold by King Albert. He held the long-service medal before the war.

The only Eyesight Specialist named Trapnell doing business in Newfoundland to-day is KARL S. TRAPNELL, 307 Water Street (upstairs, next door to Kodak Store).—jan16,tf

# Remnants!

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WHITE SHIRTINGS, 36 inches wide, only 22c. yard.  
Consider the width of these, which is extra special.

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We have also Remnants of White Marquisettes at 35c. yard.

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The Store that Gives Big Values.

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APRON CHECK.  
This serviceable Apron Check has a nice clean appearance; it will give satisfaction in washing and wear; 36 ins. wide, 35c. yard.

MEN'S "Straight-Line" LONG RUBBERS.  
Made by the famous B. F. Goodrich Co'y; made of good quality rubber, \$5.70 pair.

BLACK WOOL 4 and 5-ply Black Fingering Wool, 14c. slip.

MEN'S KHAKI SHIRTS.  
Good strong Khaki Shirt, cut from a large roomy pattern, affording full freedom of movement to the wearer; all sizes, \$1.75 each.

FULL LINE OF ALL POUND GOODS.

HEAVY BLACK HOSE.  
All Wool Black Ribbed Hose, suitable for boys or girls, 79c. pair.

PINK FLANNELETTE.  
Another big bargain in an English made Flannelette. This is an exceptionally good cloth, possessing a texture with a soft fluffy nap; an ideal choice for all kinds of underwear; 34 inches wide, 33c. yard.

Outport Orders Receive Prompt Attention  
M. J. SUMMERS, 330 Water Street

### From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day.  
Wind N.W., blowing strong with snow squalls; ice moving off; nothing sighted. Bar. 29.22; Ther. 30.

On March 9th, Gwendolyn, darling child of Florence and Leon Hamilton. "Safe in the arms of Jesus." USE MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR THE FLU.

EDISON  
The inventor who never tires, and his favourite invention is the "New Edison Phonograph." Edison's slogan is: "A Phonograph in every home," and accordingly he made a model to suit everyone's pocket.  
ARTHUR R. STANSFIELD,  
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