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Employment and Unemployment.

It is passing strange how the Government Press and supporters make such tremendous potholes over any reports concerning unemployment and relief in Newfoundland. They apparently would have it that there is no such thing as out of work people in this country, when in every other land under the sun there is a dearth of employment, and Governments have their hands full in efforts and attempts to cope with a situation which does not appear to lessen itself. Late newspapers from England are by no means so sensitive to conditions there as some of our contemporaries in this city. They do not apologise for making it known that much unemployment exists and that measures have to be taken to cope therewith. A Cabinet Committee of the Imperial Parliament is just now considering the whole question of unemployment and endeavouring to arrange a scheme which will carry those out of work over the winter. Various public improvements will be undertaken, during the autumn and winter months, should circumstances appear to justify such being put into operation. But there will be an end to the doles. Work of sorts has to be found, as it has been discovered that the system of weekly doles in cash has undermined the original independence of the workers, and they now are beginning to look upon these payments as being due them regularly. When the Cabinet Committee reports, the problem will be discussed and such remedial measures only as are absolutely necessary will be put in hand. Apparently similar measures as adopted by the Government of this Colony during the past months have not been marked with the success expected. The fact that a couple of detachments of police have been sent out over the line recently would give rise to the suspicion that all is not so glowing as we have been led to believe. The message from Badger to Sir Michael Cashin, published in the daily press yesterday, reveals a situation hitherto unheard of in our labor history. As it reads, it is a striking commentary on the methods adopted by the Government to relieve the unemployment congestion. The men were given work but the scale of pay left them nothing to maintain their families after they had each paid ordinary living expenses away from home. Hence they quit. They could not earn enough to keep their dependents and themselves, and that has been the real story of pulpwood and pit-prop cutting, no less than up country road-making. The laborers exist; their families starve, and no red-blooded man is going to stand for that kind of a deal. That the situation along the

line is serious the fact that the police have been ordered out is supporting testimony. Let us hope, however, that despite much provocation, there will be no lawlessness or acts of violence on the part of the men involved. Chapter one of the story has not yet been completed. There may be other developments as the writing of Chapter two is begun.

Honors Easy in Inter-Town Football.

GRAND FALLS WIN SECOND GAME—GRAVE DANGER FROM FOREST FIRE.

GRAND FALLS, To-day. Special to Evening Telegram. Grand Falls turned tables on the city yesterday, winning the second game by two goals to nil in a good contest in which the city was outplayed. The first half found the city playing against sun and working hard, but Pitcher scored a great shot near goal. In the second half, Grand Falls forwards, combining well, forced city to defence, Bellamy scoring a wonderful wing shot. City shooting was poor, but goalkeeper saved magnificently. Meaney not playing as he was hurt Tuesday. There is great interest in the final to-night. Forest fire still raging. Large patrol constantly watching. It winds turn westerly Grand Falls will be in great danger. Flames lit up sky last night, and illuminated surrounding country for miles.

Local Movies at the Majestic Monday:

Jack Bell in training.
Great War Vets Sports.
Mount Cashel Garden Party.
And the Funeral Processions of Messrs. C. R. Duder and Chesley Crocker.—aug18,21

Memorial Flower Service

AT SANDY POINT.

(Western Star)
A very impressive Flower Service was held at Sandy Point on Sunday, August 6, the Feast of the Transfiguration.

The early morning was threatening, but as the day advanced it became beautifully fine. The service began at 3.30 p.m., and consisted of a Special Form comprising Versicles, Psalm, Lesson and Prayers; also Hymns A. & M. 165, 221, 57. The Rector preached an interesting sermon from the text "The world passeth away, but he that doeth the will of God, endureth for ever."—1 Ep. St. John II, 17. The chief theme of the preacher was the due care and respect for the resting places of the Christian dead.

In St. Stephen's churchyard lie the bodies of persons from all parts of Bay St. George, and among them the late Rev. H. Lind, a former well-known and beloved clergyman of Sandy Pt., whose grave was not forgotten on Sunday. This is still the burying-place for the Church people of Stephenville Crossing and St. George's, who must return to this mother of settlements at the last.

In the still older graveyard lower down on the extremity of the Point, is buried another clergyman of this parish, Rev. Thos. Boland, who lost his life in ministering to his people. Unfortunately this burying-ground lies so far out on the sandy flats that it is in danger of being completely buried by the ever-shifting sand. The Service in the church was short and was concluded by singing the well-known hymns "Within the churchyard" and "Side by side," during which the priest and choir walked down the aisle, and followed by the congregation, proceeded to the churchyard. Here two more hymns were sung, and appropriate prayers recited.

The graves were beautifully decorated with flowers, a really surprising profusion of floral tributes having been brought for the occasion. The church was also brightened by a large number of potted plants lent by members of the congregation. The Little God's Acre of St. Stephen's, Sandy Point, amid its encroaching trees is at all times a peaceful and lovely spot, but never has it appeared more attractive than on this occasion, nor more worthy of the care bestowed upon it.—COM.



The Governor desires, through the courtesy of the press, to thank all those who were so good as to assemble at the wharf and bid him farewell.

Nominally going on leave he was taken aback by the number who wished to greet him. If there were any to whom he could not speak personally he asks them to pardon the omission and to accept the assurance that he was greatly touched.

On board S.S. "Silvia," aug18,21.

See "OVER THE HILL"—Greatest human story of all time. A picture that will live forever.—Monday.—aug18,21

Our Local Peeps

HIS DIARY.

August 17.—I did have the enjoyment of witnessing the first game of football between a team from St. John's and one made up of athletes from Grand Falls, at the latter place, last night. The men from the Capital did win but by a small margin, the total score being one goal to none. The second game is to be played this evening, the paper men being sanguine of a win for their team, the which, if so be it should happen, will make the final all the more interesting. A great fire is raging in the nearby forest here and there is great need for constant watching, as the town will be in grave danger should a change of wind turn the flames in its direction. The death of the founder of the mills and town of Grand Falls—Lord Northcliffe—was much lamented, and memorial services were held in all the churches on the day of his burial, the same being attended by the whole population.

Fight to a Finish.

BOTH SIDES DETERMINED.

From late Cape Breton papers received by yesterday's cross country mail we gather the impression that the striking miners there are confident of victory and that the enforcement of their demands for 1921 rates of wage will be granted by the Coal Corporation. The officials have made no comment on the situation and there is considerable speculation as to what their future attitude will be. Indications of the settlement of the United States soft coal strike leads many people to believe that the struggle in Nova Scotia will be long drawn out, and that the company are prepared for a fight to the finish.

Mysterious Disappearance

ANOTHER TRAGEDY OF THE SEA.

The mysterious disappearance of a fisherman of Burin, and his boat, is reported in a message to the Deputy Minister of Customs from Inspector J. Dee. It appears that yesterday morning Albert Mayo and his two sons went fishing, 8 miles South of Doding Head. The father sent the sons off in their dory, whilst he lay in the boat. The boys on returning found no trace of either boat or their father. They rowed to land and on reporting the matter to Inspector Dee, the latter at once put the Revenue cruiser Daisy to sea in an endeavour to locate the missing men. A search over a large area availed nothing, and no tidings of the man or boat could be found. The weather at the time of the happening was calm, and the disappearance of the man and boat cannot be accounted for.

Labrador Report.

Cape Harrison—Gale N.E. wind with rain; 10 boats out.

Makovik—Light winds, foggy; no boats fishing.

Holton to Dominio—Gale from north with rain.

Venison Island—Strong N.W. wind, cloudy; no fish.

Battle Harbor—Northerly wind, blowing a gale.

The Annual Garden Party in aid of the Church Building Fund, will be held at Torbay, August 20th. The Mount Cashel Brass Band will be in attendance. aug18,21

Obituary.

MICHAEL O'REGAN.

Mr. Michael O'Regan, a prominent business man of the city, passed away suddenly at 8 o'clock this morning. The deceased, who was not feeling well yesterday, remained indoors at his residence, Water Street. When the dread summons came this morning, Rev. P. Kennedy and Dr. Mitchell were called in attendance. The latter pronounced death due to heart failure. Son of the late John and Catherine O'Regan, the deceased was born at St. John's forty-eight years ago. For a number of years he conducted a butcher's store on LeMarchant Road, subsequently taking over the premises of the late Denis Dooley on Backworth Street, where he has since established a flourishing business. Courteous and generous to a fault, his splendid disposition won him a host of friends. To all calls he responded freely and any worthy cause had his unfailing support. He leaves to mourn their loss three sisters, Mrs. J. P. Cash, Misses Mary and Kate, and one brother, Rev. T. O'Regan of Mount Cashel, to whom the Telegram extends sympathy.

NOTICE.—The Current will be shut off from daylight till 10 a.m. Sunday, THE ST. JOHN'S LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER CO. aug18,21

His Grace the Archbishop at St. Brides.

CONFIRMATION AND DEDICATION SERVICES.

BRANCH, To-day.

Special to Evening Telegram. His Grace the Archbishop, accompanied by the Very Rev. Fathers McGrath and O'Flaherty, made an episcopal visitation of St. Brides parish Monday and Tuesday. Arriving on Monday afternoon at Ship Cove the episcopal party was met by the pastor Rev. Fr. Ryan, and the people of the settlement, and was given a most enthusiastic reception. A procession having been formed, all proceeded to the church, where the sacrament of confirmation was administered to the candidates present, after which His Grace addressed the people, congratulating them on the marks of prosperity which were visible on all sides, and thanking them for their love and loyalty to the church, which was evidenced by the cordial reception given to him. After a short delay at the hospitable abode of Mrs. Michael Brennan his Grace embarked on Tuesday at five o'clock. On rounding Cross Point a flotilla of motor boats met the party and escorted them to the landing. His Grace and clergy proceeded to the Presbytery to be the guests for the night of the Pastor. On Tuesday the first Mass was celebrated by the Archbishop, followed by the administration of the sacrament of confirmation. Then his Grace in choice language thanked the people for their warm reception and praised this ancient custom of honouring the representative of the Holy Father. After luncheon the episcopal party accompanied by Father Ryan left for Branch to dedicate the new church. Here the people gave the Archbishop a reception worthy of the occasion, and one which surpassed all previous efforts. The new church having been blessed his Grace administered Confirmation, and then addressed the large congregation expressing the pleasure it gave him to see their church completed, and set aside for the worship of the Most High. He congratulated them on the happy unity that existed among them, which enabled so much work to be accomplished under many difficulties. Following the sermon, assisted by Rev. Fathers McGrath and O'Flaherty, his Grace imparted Benediction of the most Blessed Sacrament, this bringing to a close the visitation of St. Brides parish. With the firing of guns and sounds of cheering His Grace resumed his journey taking with him the best wishes of his people and pleasant recollections of his visit. The number of children who, during the visitation received confirmation was one hundred.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

SOLDIERS FROM ONTARIO.

LONDON, ONTARIO, Aug. 18. A royal Canadian regiment company was ordered last night to leave for Sydney early this morning.

RATHMORE TAKEN.

LIMERICK, Aug. 18. Nationals have captured Rathmore from the Irregulars. Rathmore is thirteen miles northeast of Killarney which was occupied by the National army Tuesday.

DUBLIN CASTLE CHANGES HANDS.

DUBLIN, Aug. 18. Dublin Castle yesterday passed completely into the hands of the Provisional Government, the last Royal Irish Constabulary sentry being withdrawn.

HERCULEAN LABOR.

PARIS, Aug. 18. Reparations commission to-day continued the task of seeking a solution of the Franco German Tangle, but a final decision is not expected for at least a week.

TWO OTHER TOWNS CLEARED.

BELFAST, Aug. 18. Reports were received in Belfast this morning that Carrington and Omagh, County Louth, have been cleared of Republican Insurgents by National Army Forces.

Here and There.

See yourself in the Movies at the Majestic, Monday.—aug18,21

FOR SALE—Splendid and Punched Hoop Iron, all sizes, for Scotch hammering barbed wire. Also a 1 1/2 ton "Republic" Motor Truck, suitable for passenger or freight. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.—aug8,20,21

WHORTS.—These berries are very plentiful this year, and you won't regret putting some away for the winter months, so order your Preserve Bottles from STEELE'S Crockery Store to-day.

Floral Tributes to the Departed.

Nothing so nice as Flowers in time of sorrow. We can supply wreaths and crosses on short notice, and guarantee satisfaction. We will endeavour to meet the humblest purse. "Say it with Flowers."

VALLEY NURSERIES.

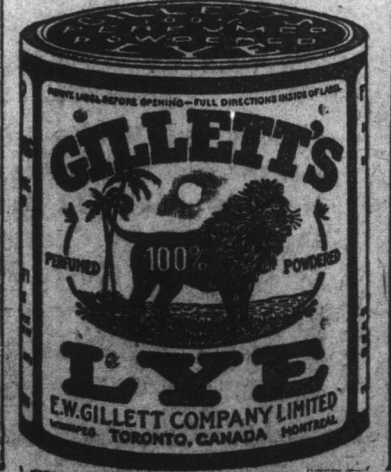
Tessier Brothers. Box 994, St. John's.

MARRIED.

On August 16th, at the Oratory of the Presentation Convent, by the Rt. Rev. Monsr. McDermott, V.G. Rose Donnelly to Charles Thomas.

DIED.

Suddenly this morning, Michael O'Regan, son of the late John and Catherine O'Regan, aged 48 years. Funeral on Sunday, at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 122 Water Street. Friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice.—R.I.P. This morning, Margaret, beloved wife of John Coughlan, leaving three daughters and three sons to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Sunday at 2.30 p.m. from her late residence, 1 Howley Avenue, Boston and New York papers please copy. At the Requiem, on the 16th inst. Mary, daughter of the late Elizabeth and Charles Lewis, aged 20 years, leaving one sister, one brother, uncle and aunt to mourn their sad loss. May she rest in peace. Amen. Passed peacefully away, this morning, after a lingering illness, Frank J., son of the late Michael and Elizabeth Bambrick, leaving a widow, eight children, two brothers, one sister and a large circle of friends to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Sunday at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 170 Hamilton Avenue.



CHIMNEY ON FIRE.—At 1 p.m. to-day an alarm of fire brought the Central and East End Fire Companies to Cochrane Street where the chimney in the residence of Miss Croft was ablaze. The fire was put out with hand extinguishers and no damage was done to the building.

IN THE MEN'S AND BOYS' SECTION THIS WEEK Every Item--New as New Can Be! AND EVERY PRICE--A "BAIRDPRICE". Meaning the Utmost in Value.

New Togs



New Values

New Raglans, New Velours, New Stiff Felts, etc.

MEN'S VELOUR HATS.

The popular Hat to-day; shades of Lock, Manila, Azure and Light Grey. This line gives you a trim looking shape, light weight and especially good in value. Special . . . \$3.90.

STIFF FELT HATS.

See the two newest shapes in London. Stiff Felt Hats, lightweight and real nobly looking. We have numerous enquiries for such Hats. They're here, gentlemen. Special . . . \$5.50.

BOYS' JERSEYS.

Neat looking Wool Jerseys, with half buttoned front and turnover collar, relieved with a contrasting stripe; shades of Navy, Brown and Grey; assorted sizes. Special . . . \$1.50.

NIGHTSHIRTS.

American Longcloth Nightshirts of pure White, finished with galon trimming, open neck, pocket; full sizes. Special . . . \$2.45.

DRESS GLOVES.

Fabric Gloves with a Suede finish, pretty Grey shade; English manufacture; 1 dome wrist. Special . . . \$1.30.

DRESSING GOWNS.

In beautiful soft Camel Hair; warmth without weight, finished with twisted silk cord facings and waist girdle; long roll collar. Special . . . \$19.50.

NEW RAGLANS.

Another shipment of our famous "T. G." Raglans, in Fawn shade, plaid lined, strap cuffs, neat lapel front; assorted sizes. Excellent value. Special . . . \$22.00.

KNITTED TIES.

Big range of these in plain and fancy mixtures, silky finish; they fit well and look well, with soft collars, nice ties for boys. 45c. value. Special . . . 29c.

WAIST BELTS.

Trim-fitting Waist Belts, in Black leather, showing pretty silverette buckle; assorted sizes. Special . . . 70c.

SILK SOCKS.

Beautiful quality Silk Socks, in shades of Blue, Grey and Brown; a few dozen of shot effects also. Special . . . 85c.

BOYS' LONG PANTS SUITS.

In the best of English Tweeds, in pretty Browns and Greys; pants cut bottomed; style and service combined in these worthy suits; sizes to fit 13 to 15 years. Special . . . \$14.50.

BOYS' RUSSIAN SUITS.

These come in a pretty Grey shade, turn-over collar, bow tie, pleated front and waist belt; sizes to fit 3 to 8 years. Special . . . \$3.60.



PIPE!

Black, Galvanized and Brass Pipe

All sizes up to 6 inch.

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Pipe Fittings, Valves, etc.

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