



Evening Telegram

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Awaiting the Count.

The battle of the ballots is over, the results of the contest being sealed up in the boxes which contain a victory for one party, a defeat for the other. The beginning of the count is anxiously awaited by the friends and supporters of both camps. The Liberal-Labor supporters are confident that their men have come out on top. Calculations and tabulations have been cast to prove that a majority of the votes have gone in favor of Martin and Linegar, and if enthusiasm proves anything, then last night's manifestation is a sure criterion that the Government candidates have suffered defeat. Labor, genuine labor, numbered by the thousand went solidly in favor of its popular representatives, and should the count not end as anticipated, there will be great disappointment.

But there is no occasion for pessimism, because there is no doubt that the ballot boxes contain the record of the most brilliant victory ever won by a determined electorate. All the signs of yesterday go to buttress the popular belief that St. John's West has done its duty and has remained faithful to its old-time traditions. Its fidelity to principle has not been broken, and the victory which we believe, has been won by the legions of progress over the forces of retrogression and destruction, will be one of the most decisive ever recorded in the political annals of a free and independent district. There was no mistaking the grim determination exhibited yesterday: there was no mistaking the activity and will to conquer displayed by the Committee of the Liberal-Labor Party, and every one of them feels sure that when the result of yesterday's polling is announced their labors will have been crowned with the success, which their supreme efforts in the hour of the city's greatest need deserves, and St. John's West will be hailed as the deliverer of Newfoundland from the perils and dangers of a recurrence of the threatening growth of Toryism and its attendant oppression and tyranny.

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To-day's Messages.

RUMANIANS WANT ODESSA.

WARSAW, Jan. 23. It is rumored that the Rumanians are about to occupy Odessa and organize a defense of that Black Sea port, according to reports received here.

AGAINST SOVIET GOVT.

HELSINGFORS, Jan. 22. (Associated Press.)—The net result of the Conference of the representatives of Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland, which has been in progress here for a week, and which closed last night, is the appointment of a commission to work out a plan for a defensive alliance against Soviet Russia.

MUFFLED CIVIL WAR.

LONDON, Jan. 22. The Daily Mail's correspondent, who is accompanying the English Parliamentary Labor delegation to Ireland, in a despatch to his paper says, "English visitors were deeply impressed with what they saw and heard, and will carry back vivid stories of Ireland's state. It may reasonably be questioned whether any possible measure of Home Rule will bring contentment, but what we have seen to-day in Thurles suggest that any change will be an improvement of the present state of muffled civil war."

TAKING IT EASY.

AMSTERDAM, Holland, Jan. 22. (By Associated Press.)—While the diplomats of the great powers are occupying themselves with the demand for his surrender for trial, former Emperor William, of Germany, as far as these outside Bentinck Castle can learn, remains unperturbed.

SPIES TRAIL LITVINOFF.

LONDON, Jan. 22. Negotiations between James O'Grady, British delegate, and Maxim Litvinoff, representative of the Russian Soviet Government at Copenhagen, have reached a critical stage, because of an alleged system of espionage practiced on the latter, according to a correspondent of the Herald at the Danish capital.

NOT BADLY OFF.

LITTLE, Jan. 22. Repatriation of German prisoners from the Little region has begun, and three thousand of these prisoners left for Germany yesterday. They appeared to be in excellent health and were wearing new boots and clothing, and took with them large quantities of estates.

ALL AFRICAN AIR ROUTE.

LONDON, Jan. 22. Cairo and Cape Town, representing the extremes of the African continent, have at last been linked up by air service. The British Air Ministry has announced that an air route, over which engineers have spent long months of labor amidst great difficulties, is finally ready for traffic. This means that the time, heretofore required to traverse the continent (from ten to twelve weeks) has now been cut down to about one week, and that the heretofore secluded sections of Africa will be opened up to the world.

Newfoundlander on Missing Schooner.

On board the schr. Lucille, which sailed from New York for Halifax on Nov. 30th last with a cargo of coal, was a Newfoundland seaman, Neil Gale, of Bay St. George. The schooner is supposed to have foundered with all hands, as she has not since been heard tell of. She carried a crew of six men.

Personal Mention.

Mr. R. H. Tall, B.L., went out by this morning's train to Bay Roberts. Staff-Sgt. W. Ronald Martin, of "Ours," son of the Registrar General, is a passenger by the s.s. Sachem from Liverpool.

Mr. Antoni Michael left yesterday on the S.S. "Roseland" for Halifax and New York to purchase goods. While away Mr. Michael will visit his daughter, Sister Mary Lillian, at Clinton, Iowa, U.S.A., and if time permits will go on to Mount Lebanon to see his father.

L. C. A. S. Sale.

The regular annual sale of the Ladies' College Aid Society of the Methodist Church has been delayed in opening this year, but final arrangements have now been made to hold it on Wednesday next, 28th inst., in the College Hall. This sale will be more or less a White one, and all kinds of home made garments will be offered. The usual high tea will be served from 6 o'clock on, to be followed by a short musical programme, in which the best local talent will take part. Remember these famous L.C.A.S. delicious teas, and turn up on Wednesday next in your hundreds.

Supreme Court.

(In Chambers: Before Chief Justice.)
In the matter of the estate of Jos. Tilley, late of Clarendville, deceased. Petition for revocation of letters of administration granted to Phoebe James.

Mr. Hunt moves for a postponement until Friday, Jan. 30th, at 11 a.m. It is ordered accordingly.

(Before Justice Kent.)

Richard Lahey, Margaret Lahey and Richard Lahey, as guardians of infant children, Alice Lahey, Maggie Lahey, John Lahey, William Lahey and Jos. Lahey, and the Dominion Iron and Steel Company.

This is an application on the part of the defendants for an order to pay into court the sum of \$1,500 in full satisfaction and discharge of all claims whatsoever on the part of plaintiff and all other dependents of Richard Lahey, if any, in respect of the death of the said Richard Lahey who in the employ of the defendants at the mines at Bell Island.

H. E. Knight for defendants moves for leave to pay into court the sum of \$1,500. C. E. Hunt for plaintiffs consents. It is ordered that the sum of \$1,500 be paid into court.

Coastal Boats.

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S. S. Sulu will probably sail for ports in the Bay de Verde District at 6 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

S. S. Ingraham, which left port yesterday morning, had to return on account of failure to get through the ice off Cape St. Francis.

REIDS'

Argle at Placentia.
Clyde arrived at St. John's at 2.30 a.m.

Glencoe at North Sydney.
Home left Trinity at 8.30 p.m. yesterday, inward.

Kyle arrived at St. John's at 6 p.m. yesterday.

Meigle at St. John's.
Petrol arrived in port at 3 a.m. Sagona in port.

McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, Jan. 23.

The use of Gum Benzoin (usually in the form of a tincture) and of Almond nuts (usually as a paste or meal, or as expressed Oil of Almonds as applications to the skin), is as old as civilization, and these things used in Egypt by the court beauties twenty centuries B.C., as well as by Newfoundland ladies in the twentieth century A.D., and no doubt with equally satisfactory results. In one respect however, the girls of to-day have an advantage over their sisters of forty centuries ago, and that is in the elegant manner in which these indispensable are brought to them in such preparations as Jergens Benzoin and Almond Lotion, which in point of fact is about the nicest things of this kind we have come across. By use of this lotion, ladies can in the fullest degree get the value of these two ancient complexion preservers in the most up-to-date style. Price 50c. a bottle.

Under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Harris, the Great War Veterans Association will hold a Dance on Thursday, January 29th, to celebrate the grand opening of their new Club Rooms. Dancing at 9 p.m. Tickets for sale at Pedigree's Ice Cream Parlor, J. J. Strang, Veteran's Canteen, Water Street; also from the ladies of the Executive Committee. Tickets: Lady's, \$1.00; Gent's, \$1.50; Double, \$2.00.—Jan. 23.

Curliana.

The special match arranged through the result of the H. D. Reid Medal and Taylor Medal will be played for on Wednesday evening next, 23th inst., starting at 9 o'clock.

Two sheets of ice have been reserved for this match and much interest is taken in the result.

The following are the players as arranged, viz:—

Rev. G. Dickie	F. White
E. A. Hayward	Geo. Whiteley
T. Winter	C. R. Duder
D. P. Duff (skip)	A. H. Salter (skip)
Bert Hayward	John Angel
Hon. M. G. Winter	J. B. Mitchell
W. H. Duder	Dr. Knight
W. F. Joyce (skip)	H. J. Duder (skip)

The positions as to play will be drawn on night of play.

A Woman's Right
Is to enjoy good health. The secret of good health is chiefly to maintain normal activity of the cranium, bowels, liver, skin and kidneys.
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Smallpox at Griquet.

The following message has been received from the Stipendiary Magistrate at Griquet:—

"Six families are suffering from smallpox at Griquet. The Grenfell Mission doctor is in attendance and so far no deaths have occurred."

Expensive Liquor.

Yesterday morning a man was fined \$100.00 for purchasing a bottle of liquor from one of the sailors on board the S. S. Meigle and as a sequence the man from whom the liquor was bought was brought before court yesterday evening and fined \$100.00 for the selling and \$50.00 for a breach of the Customs Act. People visiting ships coming into port and purchasing liquor are laying themselves open to a heavy fine and yesterday's proceedings should be a warning. The authorities have no alternative but to carry out the law as it stands.

Coming Home.

Word has been received by the Department of Militia that the following soldiers embarked at Liverpool per S. S. Sachem on January 21st:—Capt. Leonard Stick, 75 Staff Sgt. Martin, 1577 Cpl. Hepditch, 2066 ex-Pte. Neville, 3495 ex-Pte. Haynes and wife.

Here and There.

Stafford's GINGER WINE for sale in two sizes, 20c. & 40c.—dec20,11

So our warmth without weight Wool Socks in pretty heather mixtures. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

WON FIRST PRIZE.—The C.E.I. held a card tournament in their club rooms last night. Sergt. Ricketts, V.C., was the winner of the first prize.

CHOICE GREEN GRAPES selling at only 20c. lb. at G. KNOWLING, LTD.—Jan. 23.

ZERO WEATHER.—At 8 p.m. this morning the temperature in the city was down to zero, and last night it was 2 below.

Stafford's GINGER WINE for sale in each end; at J. J. St. John's, Duckworth St. and U. Gosse, Plymouth Road.—dec20,11

CANDIDATE FOR MEMBERSHIP.—Mr. D. R. Thistle is a candidate for membership in the Board of Trade. Mr. Thistle is business manager of the Trade Review.

Now, boys, secure your ticket in time for the G.W.V.A. Dance on the 29th. Positively NONE sold on the door.—Jan. 23.

POLICE COURT.—A drunk was fined \$1. For breaking a door in the house of his father-in-law a drunk was fined \$25 for damages or 20 days' imprisonment.

LEAGUE HOCKEY.—Saints vs. Feildians to-night at 7.30 sharp. Band in attendance. Season tickets will admit. No smoking allowed.

ICE FORMED IN HARBOR.—Last night the harbor was frozen over, and launches had difficulty in making channels to the different premises. Slob ice has formed outside the heads and extends far to sea.

AT THE CROSSBIE.—The following guests have registered at the Crossbie: D. J. Murphy, Moncton; R. E. Browne, Montreal; E. Gagnier, Montreal; E. R. Wheeler, New York.

ELECTION COUNT.—It is expected that the count of the ballots in yesterday's bye-election will begin about 4.30 this afternoon. As the figures are received from the Returning Officers booth, they will be bulletined on the blackboard in the ground flat front window of the Evening Telegram building.

NFLD. ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.—"Burns' Night" Celebration.—The following ladies and gentlemen have kindly consented to assist at our Concert on Monday, January 26th, at 8 p.m.: Mesdames F. J. King, H. Small, G. Dickie; Misses Herder, Langmead and Wallace; Messrs. J. J. McKay, A. Williams, H. Chaplin, A. Ross, D. Herschell and D. McIntosh. Dancing will commence after the concert. Supper will be served about midnight. A good time assured all who attend. Tickets may be had from the Committee: Messrs. W. B. Eadie, A. Ross, W. D. Gunn, J. M. Irvine, D. Ferguson, G. Wallace and D. McIntosh.—Jan. 23.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind north, light, weather fine. A schooner of the knock-about type passed in yesterday afternoon, nothing sighted to-day. Bar. 30.34; Ther. 24.

Shipping Notes.

Schr. Monday cleared from Port Union for Gibraltar, with 4,000 qts. codfish, shipped by the Union Trading Co. Schr. Mark H. Gray is loading codfish at Burin for Gibraltar for orders, by M. Inkpen.

S.S. Digby arrived at Liverpool yesterday, and will sail again for this port on Feb. 12th.

S.S. Sheba is expected to leave Sydney for this port, to-morrow or Monday.

The S.S. Cranley will discharge all her cargo at Harvey's, and will then sail for Halifax to load cargo for Manchester.

New Disease Puzzles British Doctors.

London, Jan. 17.—Doctors have a new disease, encephalitis lethargica, to puzzle over. Several cases are now under treatment in the London hospitals. The chief symptom is sleepiness, yet the disease has nothing in common with the deadly "sleeping sickness" of Africa. In talking about the cases an official of the London hospital said:

"The patients are very difficult to awaken, and when aroused are likely to remain in an abnormally drowsy condition. Their state is perhaps best described by the word 'muzzy.' They seem very heavily dazed. In other respects they appear fairly normal, and it is this absence of a number of attendant symptoms that makes the disease more puzzling."

"The greatest interest is being taken in the outbreak, and an authoritative medical committee of experts has been set up to discover its origin and cure. So far as is known, no women have been attacked, and the patients are all Londoners, not seafaring men. The disease is not in the least infectious. That in itself proves it is not 'sleeping sickness.' Frankly, we are mystified."

Most Gallant Naval Duel

(From the Australasian.)
The posthumous award of the Victoria Cross has been conferred upon the late Captain Archibald Smith of the British steamship Otaki. When the German auxiliary cruiser Moewe was engaged in raiding it encountered on March 10th, 1917, the Otaki, a vessel of 9,375 tons, belonging to the New Zealand Steamship Company. The Moewe signalled to the Otaki to stop, but Captain Smith refused to obey. There ensued a running gun "duel," which lasted for twenty minutes. At a range of 300 yards the Otaki was sunk. Several hits were scored by the Otaki's guns on the Moewe. One shell struck the Moewe two feet under the saloon, where some neutral prisoners were congregated, and killed two German seamen. A fire was caused on the Moewe and the outbreak was not extinguished till three days later. When the Otaki, which had sustained several casualties and much damage, was heavily afloat, Captain Smith ordered the crew to the boats. But he remained on the Otaki and went down with his ship, with the colors flying. The Germans described the duel as "as gallant as naval history can relate."

Sharps and Flats.

Do you know that the Lancers are just one hundred years old? The dance was devised in the city of Dublin by one John Duval.

Do you know that the piano of Beethoven's time was nearly an octave shorter than the piano of to-day. That is, it had ten notes, or keys, less. The added keys in the treble are rarely used, but the additional keys in the base are valuable in octave effects.

Do you know that the first paucal dictionary was published in 1703? Its author was Sebastian de Brossard, a Frenchman. A small Latin dictionary of music had appeared two years previous. It was, however, intended for scholars, and was written by a Bohemian, Janowka. Louis XIV thought so highly of Brossard's carefully selected musical library, that he bought it for an annuity of 1,200 francs.

Do you know that four hundred years ago the musicianship of a composer was judged by the number of parts or voices in which his works were written? Nowadays four parts—soprano, alto, tenor and bass, seem sufficient for most compositions, but in 1601, Dr. John Bull found a composition of 40 parts, and was not contented until he had added 40 more.

WHAT IS EDUCATION?

(From the New York Times.)
The truth is that "education" is finally and maturely picked up in the fields and streets, among men and women and realities, much more effectively and really than in the formal courses of schools and universities. However and wherever bit or missed, "education" is multi-form and protean, hard to grasp or define. One of the best concrete illustrations of it was made by Lord Morley. He said, in effect, that "an educated man knows when a thing has been proved and when it doesn't."

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Stocking Darners—25c. each.

Peri Lustre Convent Cotton—6c. per slip.

Peri Lustre Pearl Knit—13c. per ball.

Victoria Mending Floss—10c. per ball.

Barbour's Linen Thread—25c. reel.

Lingerie Braid with Bodkin—18c. per piece.

Blocked India Tape—10c., 12c., 16c. each.

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Aluminum Knitting Pins—35c. per set.

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Election Returns

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BOYS' HOCKEY BOOTS, 1 to 5 only...\$3.00

You can save money by taking advantage of our Special Sale.

Fred. W. Smallwood,
111 DUCKWORTH ST. EAST.

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Lowell Parks Reloated.

The Intelligence Department received a message this morning from Trapsay saying that the Lowell F. Parks had been relocated but the amount of damage done to the vessel could not be ascertained on account of fog in the harbor.

Stafford's ESSENCE OF GINGER WINE, 20c. a bottle.—dec20,11

DIED.

Yesterday, of acute bronchitis, the beloved child of Thomas and Beatrice Davis, aged 18 months. "Gone to be with Jesus."

IN FOND AND LOVING MEMORY
of my two dear sons, Patrick and James Hearn, who lost their lives on the ill-fated Beverley, two years ago. Two loving ones from us are gone. The voices we loved are still. Their vacant places in our home can never more be filled.
—Inserted by their mother.