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WANT STEAMER KEPT ON.—There is a strong feeling on Water Street that the Bay boats should be kept running until the freight congestion is over. It is felt that the services might be entered a week or two beyond the usual period.

BROKE HIS ARM.—Mr. R. Rodgers, while alighting from an express on New Gower Street, Tuesday, fell and broke his left arm at the elbow. He was attended to by Dr. Campbell.

One ton of Turkeys, Chicken, Geese and Ducks at W. E. BEARNS. Prices lowest, quality best. 'Phone 379.—dec23,tf

C. L. B. BAND NOTICE.—The Band will meet at the Armory this (Thursday) evening for practice. Business important.—dec26,li

You can buy a two pound box of Fry's Delicious Chocolates at W. E. BEARNS' for 65c.—d23,tf

IS SERIOUSLY ILL.—Rev. Canon Smith, of Portugal Cove, became suddenly ill Tuesday evening, and *to him. It is feared that he has developed pneumonia and Dr. Anderson went to the Cove to-day to attend him.

Stirling Silver Manicure Sets, good substantial Flair Pattern. English make. Just opened at TRAPNELL'S.—dec20,tf

TAKE TO HOSPITAL.—Mr. Lawrence Walsh, who had his leg broken near the Battery, a few days ago, was taken from his home Lime St. to-day in the ambulance to hospital.

Try Campbell's Buckwheat Cakes.—dec21,tf

PRISONERS FAIR WELL.—Yesterday at the Penitentiary all the prisoners were given an extra allowance of meat, &c., and had a good Christmas dinner with plum pudding. Rev. Mr. Baron and wife and the members of the St. John's Epworth League visited the institution, were received by Supt. Parsons, and distributed fruit cake, &c., to the unfortunate incarcerated there.

On Tuesday evening the workmen employed by the Municipal Council on the East End roads met Inspector Barnes at his office and presented him with a walking stick, containing a silver shield on which was inscribed his initials. The recipient, in a neat speech, thanked the men for their handsome Xmas gift. Refreshments were then served and a pleasant evening spent.

Hot Bovril at Campbell's, 10c.—dec21,tf

Wreck of Schr. Aldine.

CAPTAIN AND CREW SAFE. VESSEL A TOTAL WRECK—PART OF CARGO SAVED.

ST. PIERRE, Mig., Yesterday. Special to Evening Telegram. The Lunenburg schooner Aldine drifted in the harbour this morning abandoned, general cargo floating ashore, presumably to be from Boston; will probably be a total wreck; no tidings of crew.

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ST. PIERRE, Dec. 25.
The crew of the Lunenburg schooner Aldine, bound from Boston, numbering probably six men, are believed to have perished in yesterday's gale. To-day the wrecked vessel was found on the north side of St. Pierre roads, but there was no traces of the crew.

CREW SAFE.
Special to Evening Telegram.
ST. PIERRE, To-day.
Capt. Smithers and crew of schr. Aldine have arrived here. The vessel struck on the sand bar near Pigeon Island during a heavy snow squall at 3 a.m. yesterday. After the crew left her she floated over the bar. They being unable to reach her, she drifted here and stranded and is now a total wreck. Part of cargo was saved.

Cable News.

LISBON, To-day.
The arrival of Dr. Almeida here made occasion of monster demonstration on the part of Conservatives. The Democrats replied with equally imposing counter demonstrations. The Government, alarmed at the possibility of trouble, turned out available police troops. As soon as steamer, aboard which Almeida was passenger, docked there was a tremendous uproar of cheers and groans. The Democrats made a determined rush with the object of capturing leader of rival party. A regular riot ensued. Almeida was military escort. The baffled Democrats paraded the streets for hours, troops being kept constantly under arms, as important happenings are likely at any moment. The President of Republic asked the Premier to pardon Archbishop Barga and Bishops Portilaga and Lamego who were condemned last February to three years banishment from their Diocese, and grant amnesty to political prisoners or least relax the severity of their imprisonment, but the Premier replied that the moment was not favourable for granting pardons.

NEW YORK, To-day.
Fifty-seven passengers and eighteen of the crew of the United Fruit Company's steamer Turrialba, which drove ashore yesterday morning on the Atlantic City, arrived here last night aboard the United States reserve cutter Seneca. The cutter stood by the steamer all Tuesday night and until nine on Christmas morning. Passengers, part of the crew, baggage and mail were safely transferred.

LIVERPOOL, To-day.
The steamer Watermouth arrived here yesterday from Galveston. She reports she spoke on December 15th the steamer Ardyne, from Antwerp to New York, which signalled "Be ware burning wreck. I have crew aboard." Later the Watermouth passed a derelict on fire. It was a wooden sailing ship. The position of wreck was 48.45 north, 28.14 west.

Earl of Devon.

Ashore at Greenspond—Expect Will be a Total Wreck.
We are indebted to Mr. H. W. Le-Messurier for the following:

GREENSPOND.
To Deputy Minister of Customs:—
"Steamer Earl of Devon ran ashore on the Ring Rock, when leaving here yesterday at 9 a.m., steering gear refused to work; ship full of water; expect total wreck; saving all cargo possible; crew safe."
(Sgd.) D. BLANDFORD."

NOTE OF THANKS.—On behalf of Mr. Blackwood, commanding officer and the No. 2 S.A. Band, I wish to thank through the columns of your paper, the many friends who kindly helped us on Christmas morning, especially His Excellency the Governor, Hon. J. S. Pitts, Hon. J. Harvey, H. D. Reid, Esq., A. S. Rendell, Esq., Andrew Carnell, Esq., and the many other friends. Again thanking and wishing you all every blessing and a prosperous New Year.
C. W. HORWOOD,
Bandmaster.

Steeplejack's New Feat

Mr. W. Larkins, the London steeplejack, who climbed the Nelson Column and restored the statue in 1905, the centenary of Trafalgar, has been engaged to repair the monument of the first Duke of Sutherland, near Dunrobin Castle. The journey from London is 625 miles, and the monument stands on the summit of Ben Vraggie, 1,500 feet high. The statue itself stands on a solid stone pedestal 90 feet high, and measures 23 feet in height, nearly twice the size of the statue of Nelson in Trafalgar Square. It takes two hours to climb the mountain, and the work has to cease in time for the descent before dark, the top of the mountain being covered with snow nearly all the winter.

Coastal Boats.

REID SHIPS.
The Argyle left Placentia at 12.35 p.m. Tuesday.
The Clyde left Lewisporte at 7 p.m. yesterday bound south.
The Dundee left King's Cove at 8 p.m. Tuesday.
The Ebbie left Clarendville at 3.45 p.m. Tuesday.
The Invermore is due at Port aux Basques to-day.
The Solway arrived at Port aux Basques at 2 p.m. Tuesday to load freight for St. John's.

BOWINGS' SHIPS.
The Portia left Burgeo yesterday afternoon and is due here the last of the week.
No word was received as to the movements of the Prospero, owing to the telegraph interruption.

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, Dec. 26, '12.
With the snow and frost the Hot Water Bottle season is in full blast, and those who need one of these valuable aids to comfort can now procure from us the very serviceable "Nugget" Rubber Hot Water Bottle. These are made in two sizes—2 quart and 3 quart, but are otherwise of the same style and quality. These bottles are guaranteed to give at least two years' perfect service, and with care can be made to last much longer. The value of a hot water bottle to those who suffer from cold feet can scarcely be exaggerated. The regular use of the hot water bottle will often prevent colds and chills. And in many serious ailments the application of hot water in this way is used to give relief, and every house should have one. Price of the "Nugget" \$2.00 and \$2.50 each.

The Annual Xmas Tree at the Church of England Orphanage will be held to-morrow, but as the institution is under quarantine no visitors will be received.
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Here and There.

Gold Plated Photo Frames for Xmas just opening at TRAPNELL'S.—dec20,tf

A FINE BELL.—The new bell in the tower of St. Patrick's Church, was rung for the first time yesterday, and its peal could be heard over the city.

Silver Jewel Cases are classed among the choicest of Xmas Gifts. We have just opened a few of very pretty design. R. H. TRAPNELL.—dec20,tf

FREIGHT DISCONTINUED.—Until further notice freight for the north side of Notre Dame Bay will be closed by the Reid Mtd. Co. on to-morrow, Friday, the 27th inst.—adv.

English make Gold Pendants set with genuine stones; latest designs. Very pretty. Just opened at TRAPNELL'S.—dec20,tf

STELLA MARIS.—The Stella Maris arrived here Tuesday forenoon after having had a very rough trip north. She went as far as Beaverton and on the run had to shelter at Catalina.

Silver Deposit Ware nicely put up in cases. A piece of this ware is sure to please as a Xmas Gift. Call and inspect these goods. R. H. TRAPNELL.—dec20,tf

TO-NIGHT!—Turkeys at Shooting Gallery; also Xmas attraction, Saratogo Fish Pond. Shooting Gallery between Collins' Dry Goods Store and Connolly's Butcher Shop.—dec20,tf

COLLINS' SALE

Will last until end of year, and the **Thousands** who have visited our Store the past week have made our prices the **talk of the town.**

This Sale is by all means the biggest opportunity to save money. Below are a few articles we mention to show you that our sale is genuine.

LADIES' WOOLLEN STOCKINGS.		BOYS' OVERCOATS THIS WEEK.		FOR MEN! MEN'S BUCKLE GAITERS.	
Regular 25c. for	19c.	Size 0 from	\$1.45 to \$2.35	Regular \$3.20 for	\$2.70
Regular 30c. for	25c.	Size 1 from	\$1.55 to \$2.45	MEN'S BLACK WOOLLEN SOCKS.	
Regular 35c. for	30c.	Size 2 from	\$1.60 to \$2.50	Regular 25c. for	20c.
Regular 45c. for	38c.	Size 3 from	\$1.70 to \$2.60	Regular 35c. for	30c.
Regular 55c. for	47c.	Size 4 from	\$1.75 to \$2.65	Regular 40c. for	34c.
Regular 75c. for	67c.	YOUTH'S OVERCOATS.		MEN'S STANFIELD'S SHIRTS & DRAWERS.	
GIRLS' & BOYS' WOOLLEN STOCKINGS.		Size 5 from	\$1.50 to \$2.50	Red and Blue Label.	
Size 1 for	17c., 22c., 30c.	Size 6 from	\$1.55 to \$2.50	12 1/2 per cent. off Regular Prices.	
Size 2 for	20c., 23c., 33c.	Size 7 from	\$1.50 to \$3.00	MEN'S AMERICAN CUT SUITS.	
Size 3 for	20c., 23c., 34c.	Size 8 from	\$1.55 to \$3.10	Regular \$9.50 for	\$7.00
Size 4 for	27c., 30c., 42c.	Size 9 from	\$2.00 to \$3.20	Regular 10.00 for	\$8.00
Size 5 for	30c., 35c., 45c.	GIRLS' PLEATED SKIRTS. IN NAVY BLUE SERGE.		Regular 12.00 for	\$9.00
Size 6 for	33c., 38c., 50c.	Regular \$1.10 for	90c.	MEN'S MACKINTOSHES.	
CHILDREN'S BUTTON GAITERS.		Regular \$1.20 for	\$1.00	Regular \$8.00 for	\$6.80
Sizes 6 to size 2.		Regular \$1.40 for	\$1.25	Regular \$11.00 for	\$9.90
Size 6 starting at	\$1.35	TOYS REDUCED TO HALF PRICE.		Regular \$12.00 for	\$10.00
BLANKETS.		LOCAL YARN.		Regular 80c. lb for	70c. lb.
Regular \$2.20 for	\$1.50	EVERYTHING IN OUR STORE IS LESS THAN WHOLESALE PRICES DURING THE SALE.		BULLDOG BRAND Best 40c. Tea.	
Regular \$3.60 for	\$3.00				
Regular \$4.20 for	\$3.60				

P. F. COLLINS,
299, 301 Water Street.

BULLDOG BRAND Best 40c. Tea.

With every pound of Bulldog Tea purchased we will give a pound of Cleaned Currants free. This offer is good until the end of this year.

50 Selected DRESSED TURKEYS received by rail to-day. Just in time for New Year.

T. J. Edens,
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JUST RECEIVED:

Men's RAGLIN RAINCOATS.

\$8.00, \$950.

Newest, stylish, ever-useful garments, with storm collar, and storm cuffs. See them in our Men's Outfitting Department.

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KNOWLING'S GROCERY DEPTS.,

EAST, WEST and CENTRAL.

WE OFFER THE FOLLOWING:—

Gelatine—Nelson's or Cox's, 12c. pkt.
Good Quality Essence, 1/2 oz. 7c., 1 oz. 10c. bottle.
Ground Sweet Almonds, from 18c. tin.
Angelica for Cakes, 40c. lb.
Almond Paste, in 1 lb. tins, 47c. tin.
Blanc Mange Pdrs., "Bird's," 12c. pkt.
Cornflour—Colman's Best, 13c. lb.
Custard Powder, 1 lb. tins, 18c. tin.
Custard Pdr., "Bird's," 12c. pkt.
Chocolate—"Cadbury's,"—for icing, 35c. lb.
Chocolate, in 1/2 lb. Cakes, pure for Candy making, 25c. cake.
Cream Tartar, finest English refined, 33c. lb.
Creamoline, equal to most of the Cream of Tartar sold, 13c. lb.
Egg Powder, "Bird's," 6d. pkt., 12c. tin.
White's Extra Sponge for making Sponge Cakes, etc., 7c. pkt.
Jellies, White's Celebrated "Crystal," pint size, 8c. pkt.
Lemon Curd for cheese cakes. Chiver's best quality, 30c. jar.
Fussell's "White Butterfly," unsweetened, sterilized, condensed Milk, the best for high-class cooking, rep. pint tins, 15c.
Mince meat, "Royal Scarlet" brand, 13c. pkt.
Potato Flour, the celebrated "Health" brand, 15c. pkt.
Ground Rice, best quality, 7c. lb.
Bread Soda, finest possible quality, 3c. lb.
Barbadoes Brown Cane Sugar, 6c. lb.
Genuine Mixed Spice, highest possible grade, 15c. lb.
All these goods are fresh and new. We have no old stock to offer.

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The Perfection SMOKELESS OIL HEATERS



No. 120, \$4.00	No. 150, \$5.50
No. 160, \$6.00	No. 125, \$4.00
No. 1230, \$7.20	No. 270, \$7.75

A PERFECTION OIL HEATER. NO SMOKE. NO SMELL.

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Jewellery.

Some new designs just arrived.]

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Silverware.

Good quality, large quantity.



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