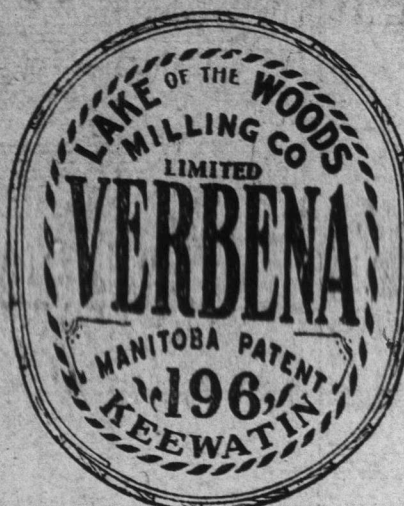


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Evening Telegram.

W. J. HERDER, --- Proprietor.
W. F. LLOYD, --- Editor.

SATURDAY, April 25th, 1914.

Elective Road Boards.

During the session of the Legislature the Premier, Sir Edward Morris, declared that the Government would allow the people of different settlements of electoral districts an opportunity of selecting the persons who should form the Road Board of the settlements. In a number of cases, the people acted on this promise, held meetings, and sent in copies of the resolutions passed at the public meetings, and the names of the elected candidates.

The Government did not act on these elections. They refused to recognize them and insisted that the elections must be called and held under the direction of Magistrates.

This decision paralyzed the movement, for it was a matter of expense and delay. In some cases the expenses of the Magistrates would have eaten up the whole grant, for the expenses were to be charged to the grant.

At last the Government awoke to a fact that was obvious to everybody else, and decided to draft rules for the election and permit Magistrates, J. P.'s, or other responsible persons to act, after the receipt of a petition for such an election.

The instructions were printed on April 9th, and copies sent out.

On enquiry at the Board of Works, we find that four copies were sent to the Trinity District eight days later. One to Hillview to a J. P. who is stated to have died four years ago. One to Mr. J. W. James, J. P., of Hant's Harbour, for that settlement. One to Mr. E. J. Sanson, J. P., for Winterman, and to the Chairman of the Road Board, for Queen's Cove. The Chairman was directed to hold a meeting as the expense was too great to send the Magistrate from Trinity. There are 15 voters.

Yesterday another was sent to Mr. J. W. James, J. P., of Hant's Harbour, for new Chelsea, and one is being sent to-day for Clarendon.

We cannot congratulate the Government on their manner of going about the business. They would have been much wiser had they made public what they were going to do immediately, and avoided the vacillation about magistrates.

Train Notes.

The Trepassey train arrived in the city at 9 p.m. yesterday. The local from Carbonear and Placentia reached here at 10.50 p.m. yesterday.

An express with the Bruce and Lintrose passengers arrived in the city at 5.45 a.m. to-day.

A local express with about 10 passengers arrived in the city at 9.45 a.m. to-day.

Thursday's outgoing express left Gaff Topsail at 8.50 a.m. to-day.

The incoming Lintrose express left Grand Falls at 5.50 a.m. to-day and is due in the city about 3 a.m. to-morrow.

The Annual Meeting of the C. L. B. Boat Club will be held on Monday, April 27th, at 8.30 p.m. Business important. By order, H. BARNES, Sec'y.—apr25,21

Hay, Oats, Corn, Corn Meal, Bran, Hominy Feed, 50 Bags Molassine Feed.

PURITY BUTTER—
2 lb. prints.
10 lb. tubs.

BULLDOG BRAND TEA
reduced from 40c. lb.
to 33c. lb.; 5 lbs.
30c. lb.

DANNWALLA TEA
reduced from 50c. lb to
40c. lb.; 5 lbs. 36c. lb.

10 lbs. Sinclair's Spare
Ribs.

3 bris. Fidelity Hams.
300 lbs. Cedar Rapids
Bacon.

3 bris. Bologna Sausage.
Irish Hams.
Irish Bacon.
Irish Butter, 1 lb. prints.

T. J. EDENS,

151 Duckworth Street, 112 Military Road.

This Date in History.

APRIL 25.
New Moon.
Days Past—114 To Come—250
St. Mark.
OLIVER CROWLEY, born 1599.
At one time contemplating going to America but entering Parliament and becoming enthusiastic in the popular cause, he obtained recognition as one of the Parliamentary leaders, and ultimately on the outbreak of the Civil War, became General of the Round-heads. How he gained battle after battle and after the execution of Charles I. was installed at the head of the Commonwealth, is familiar history.

WILLIAM COWPER died 1800, aged 49. The great poet published his first poems in 1782, and soon after appeared the ballad, "John Gilpin." He wrote some of the most beautiful hymns in the language and was imbued with much piety of sentiment and a remarkable poetic talent. His "Task" is one of the great poems of the 18th century.

SIGNOR MARCONI born 1874. The ingenious Italian electrician who in 1896 brought forward an apparatus by which he succeeded in sending wireless messages. To-day his system is being adopted in all parts of the world.

PRINCESS MARY born 1897. Only daughter and third child of the King and Queen.

APRIL 26.
New Moon—25th

Days Past—115 To Come—249
2nd Sunday after Easter.

DAVID HUME born 1711. The celebrated historian and philosopher whose "History of England" is a fascinating and comprehensive study. His philosophical writings were no less famous, and widened the sphere of philosophical thought.

DANIEL DEFOE died 1731, aged 70. The son of a London butcher who after a varied business career, became a political writer and novelist, obtaining world-wide fame by his "Robinson Crusoe," written when he was nearly sixty years of age.

BORNSFELT BORNSEN died 1910, aged 78. The Norwegian poet, dramatist and novelist, is one of the great names in modern European literature, his poems, plays and stories being marked by a strong intellectuality and a rich imagination.

Deeds, not words. He who talks the most or shouts the loudest may not be the most patriotic. The more truth the better.

—Alfred H. Allen.

QUESTION ON MUSICAL MATTERS.

L.M.—Do not think of the right hand pedal only as the "loud" pedal.

It is used just as frequently in playing softly, as one of its most important functions is the holding of one or more notes while the fingers are playing others; it is in fact a sort of third hand which holds the other two.

Both pedals are sometimes used together. When the notes of one hand are to be played louder than those of the other, the expression marks are given, one for each hand. The usual direction for the soft pedal is "una corda," and for its discontinuance "tre corde."

—BATOR.

Here and There.

S.S. PORTIA.—The Portia left St. Lawrence at 1 a.m. to-day, going west.

WEATHER.—It is calm and fine up the country to-day with the temperature ranging from 20 to 35 above.

Drinking, Drinking, Drinking.

Golden Pheasant Tea.

apr25,m.w.s.t

DOE AT PLACENTIA.—The Glencoe is due at Placentia about midnight and will not sail from there until after the arrival of Monday's train from St. John's.

Do it now—buy that pound of Golden Pheasant Tea for your wife.—apr25,m.w.s.t

DIED AT ST. ANDREW'S, N. B.—

Mrs. R. A. Brehm has received a message announcing the death of her mother, Mrs. Gove, at her home, St. Andrew's, N.B.

G. F. S. Candidates Lantern

Lecture April 28th, 8 p.m., Synod Hall. Admission 10c.—11

BRUCE PASSENGERS.—The S. S. Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 8.05 a.m. to-day with the following passengers in saloon:—E. B. Hesser, W. H. Stephens, W. LeRoux, H. T. and Mrs. Bartlett.

The Ladies of St. Bon's Association wish to announce that their postponed dance in aid of the New Wing will take place on Tuesday, May 19th.—apr25,11

LOCAL DELAYED.—To-day's incoming local from Carbonear was delayed at Woodford's this morning, owing to two cars of a freight train running off the track. She was expected to arrive in the city at 2 p.m.

W. M. S.—Illustrated Lecture on Thursday evening next in the Grenfell Hall by Mr. W. H. Jones. Subject: "Livingstone's Steps Through Central Africa." Admission 20 cents. Candy for sale.—apr25,21

POLICE COURT.—Two vagrants were sent down for 14 days. A 17-year old girl charged with obtaining money under false pretences, was convicted and sentenced to be suspended. Four men for assaulting a Conception Harbor man, were remanded for 3 days. Three drunks were fined \$1 or 3 days.

Mr. J. L. Slattery will lecture on "Home Rule and Why" in the Star Club Rooms on Thursday evening, at 8.30, in aid of the Disaster Fund. Admission 20c. Everybody welcome.—apr25,11

Bread Cake

AND

Pastry JOHN B. AYRE

Reid's Boats.

The Argyle sailed for Placentia at 4.35 a.m. to-day to take up her regular route on Placentia Bay.

The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 8.05 a.m. to-day.

The Ethie sailed from Placentia at 4.30 a.m. to-day on the Red Island route.

The Glencoe left Belleoram at 2.30 a.m. to-day, coming East.

The Lintrose left Port aux Basques at 4.30 p.m. yesterday and reached North Sydney at midnight.

Sunday Services.

Cathedral of St. John the Baptist.—Holy Communion every Sunday at 8 a.m.; also on the first Sunday of the month at 7 and 8 a.m.; and 12 noon. Other services at 11 a.m., and 6.30 p.m.

Saints' Days.—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins, 11 a.m.; Evensong, 6.30 p.m.

Other Days.—Matins, 8 a.m.; Evensong, 6.30 p.m.; (Fridays, 7.30 p.m. with sermon).

Public Catechizing.—Every Sunday in the month at 3.30 p.m.

St. Michael's Mission Church, Casey Street.—Holy Communion at 8 and 12 noon on the 3rd Sunday of the month, and 8 on other Sundays. Other services 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

Catechizing.—Second Sunday of the month, 3.30 p.m.

Sunday Schools.—Cathedral, at 2.45 p.m. Mission Church at 2.45 p.m.

Cathedral Men's Bible Class, in the Synod Building, at 8 a.m. Sunday at 8 p.m. All men invited to attend.

St. Mary's Church.—Matins at 11; Evensong at 6.30.

Brookfield School-Chapel.—Evensong at 8 p.m. Sunday School at 4 p.m.

St. Thomas's—Holy Communion on the third Sunday in each month, at 10.30; every other Sunday at 8 a.m. Morning Prayer at 11 a.m. Evening services at 3.45 and 6.30 p.m. Daily Morning Prayer at 8 a.m.; every Friday evening at 7.30, prayer and sermon. Holy Baptism every Sunday at 3.45 p.m. Public catechizing third Sunday in each month at 2.30 p.m.

Christ Church (Quidi Vidi).—Holy Communion second Sunday, alternate months at 8 a.m. Evening Prayer third Sunday in each month, at 7 p.m. other Sundays at 3.30 p.m.

Virginia School-Chapel.—Evening prayer every Sunday at 3.30 p.m. Public Catechizing third Sunday in each month, at 3 p.m.

Sunday Schools.—At Parish Church at 2.45 p.m.; at Christ Church, Quidi Vidi, at 2.30 p.m.; at Virginia School Chapel, 2.30 p.m.

Gower Street.—11, Rev. J. W. Bartlett, 4.30; Rev. Dr. Cowperthwaite, 6.30; Rev. C. A. White, 7.30; Rev. J. W. Bartlett, 8.30.

Cochrane Street (Methodist College Hall).—11, Rev. Dr. Cowperthwaite, 6.30; Rev. C. A. White, 7.30; Rev. J. W. Bartlett, 8.30.

Wesley, 11, Rev. R. H. Maddock, 6.30. Platform Meeting.

Frederick, 11 and 6.30, Rev. J. S. Sutherland, M.A.

Congregational.—11 and 6.30, Rev. W. H. Thomas.

Salvation Army.—S. A. Citadel, New Gower Street, 7 a.m., 11 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7 p.m.; S. A. Hall, Livingstone Street—7 a.m., 11 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7 p.m.; S. A. Hall, George St.—7 a.m., 11 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7 p.m.

Adventist Church, Cookstown Rd.—Regular Service, 6.30 p.m., Sunday and Saturday at 3 p.m.

Beltheda Mission.—192 New Gower Street, Sunday services at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. Service every week (except) evening, excepting Saturday, commencing at 8 o'clock.

DIED.

On April 25th, after a short illness, Ellen, relict of the late Thomas Christopher, aged 50, leaving one son and one daughter to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on to-morrow (Sunday), at 2.30 p.m. from her late residence, No. 9, Bannerman Street; friends please attend without further notice.—R.I.P.

BORN.

On Friday, April 24th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Terence G. Cooper, 11 LeMarchant Road.

Emergency Meetings of St. John's

Lodge, No. 579, Avalon Lodge, No. 776, Tasker Lodge, No. 454 (R.S.), and Whiteway Lodge, No. 3541, will be held respectively in the Masonic Temple on Sunday, next, at 2.30 p.m., preparatory attending Divine Service in the Cathedral Church of St. John the Baptist, when Bro. Rev. Henry Uphill, Chaplain of Avalon Lodge, will preach.

A collection will be taken up in aid of the Tasker Educational Fund.

R. ALMON BREHM.

W.M. St. John's Lodge, No. 579.

A. H. SALTER.

W.M. Avalon Lodge, No. 776.

ANDREW WRIGHT.

R.W.M. Tasker Lodge, No. 454.

(R.S.)

R. A. GOODRIDGE.

W.M. Whiteway Lodge, No. 3541.

The Companions of Shannon Chapter, No. 9, R.N.S., will meet at the same time and place for same purpose.

W. NOEL, H.P.

G. KNOWLING.

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We are now able to offer the following items suitable for the present house cleaning season and you will find

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Some of the quantities are limited, so would advise an early call to secure some of these really wonderful Bargains.

DAINTY COLOURED SPOT MUSLIN, regular prices 30 cts. and 35 cts. NOW, 19c. and 20c. YARD.

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CURTAIN LACE ECRU, regular prices 30c. & 40c. NOW, 19c. & 25c. YARD

LACE CURTAINS, White and Cream; regular prices \$1.20 to \$7.50. NOW, 60c. to \$1.90 PAIR.

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