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### Western Notes.

The schooners prosecuting the Gulf seal-fishery out of Channel, four in all, have sailed in quest of harp and hood, and may the best success crown their venture.  
The fishery for the week ending March 21st has not been very promising, consequently very little was done with cod. Halibut has not yet been taken in paying quantities.  
It appears strange that though no ice has been seen around Channel and Port-aux-Basques, and the Gulf waters of the Coast all clear, the Kyle should be making repeated trips to Placentia with mails and passengers. Is this an evidence that the main line of railway is not in fit condition to carry heavy loads, and that it is risky to carry passengers and freight over it? We have had worse winters than the present, but the existing state of affairs "speaks for itself" as a prominent public official once said.

The Bank of Nova Scotia at Channel is now being transferred to its new quarters, on the main line of road leading from Channel to Port-aux-Basques. Mr. Lewis Sheeves has erected a new building. Bank office and residence combined, which is quite an addition to the place. The Bank officials are to be congratulated on their progressiveness.  
Schooner Gladiator has finished loading salt bulk fish cargo for Buckport to the order of T. M. Nicholson, shipped by Emanuel Pike, and the Gorton-Pew Co.'s vessel Senator has gone to Rose Blanche to finish. The price paid at Channel for salt bulk was \$12.50 per quintal of 224 pounds.

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### Six Months for Forgery.

By the Glencoe from Harbor Breton there came, in charge of Constable Squibb two women for the Penitentiary, who had been sentenced by Magistrate Way to six months imprisonment each, with hard labor, for the forging of two cheques.

It appears that the younger woman, while in the employ of Mr. S. J. Young, St. Jacques, having access to his office, tore two blank forms from his cheque book, stubs and all, which she gave to the older culprit, who filled in both, from a genuine one in her possession, doing the imitation so deftly that the Bank of Nova Scotia officials at Grand Bank were deceived and passed the cheques when they went through for deposit to the credit of the dealers who had cashed them. Each cheque was drawn for \$80, on the above named Bank and signed S. J. Young and Bro. This happened in December last, and learning of the occurrence, Constable Squibb traced the crime home to the perpetrators, eventually bringing them both to justice. In the Court at Harbor Breton they pleaded "guilty," and were sentenced as stated.

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### The Peril by Night.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
Dear Sir—Permit me space in your widely circulated journal to call the attention of the authorities to a condition of affairs now existing in our city, and which if permitted to continue, will have a very serious effect on the morals of the growing generation.

The matter to which I call attention to is the most blackguardly conduct that is indulged in nightly on New Gower Street, and the filthy language that is to be heard continually as one passes by that way.  
It has reached such a point now that it would be a crime to send an innocent child out on an errand after dark, and speaking as a father who is trying to bring up his children as a father should, I would rather see my children stricken with the deadliest bodily disease than that they should have to walk one hour amidst such surroundings.

The continuous blasphemy and scurrilous language which is a nightly performance, is enough to bring down the vengeance of the Almighty on our city; and yet we are supposed to be living in a civilized community equipped with all the paraphernalia to preserve the peace and morals of the city. Why such conduct is permitted to go on, one cannot understand, so I most earnestly beseech the authorities in behalf of the dear innocents and a suffering public to take immediate action to do away with the greatest evil this city was ever afflicted with. Theft, highway robbery, even murder are but light crimes when compared to a crime that may be the means of bringing thousands to eternal destruction.

The housing of workmen, the building of hospitals and maternity homes or any other philanthropic or charitable movement deserve the hearty support and co-operation of every right-thinking citizen, but all these are only secondary to any movement which has for its object the preserving of the city's morals.

Therefore I appeal to those whose duty it is and who are fully capable of dealing with the matter.  
Trusting that my feeble effort to rid the city of this curse will not be without effect, and thanking you in anticipation.  
I remain,  
Yours truly,  
AN ANXIOUS PARENT.  
March 31, 1919.

### Further Enquiry Demanded.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
Dear Sir,—Returning to the matter of the "treatment" or "neglect" of one of our Military Medalists by the Militia Department and the explanation of that Department as given in your issue of the 27th inst., let me say that there is no "political motive" or any desire to hamper that Department in the pursuit of its onerous duties, and I should hope that there will be no prejudice engendered against the fair treatment of our hero friend by the Department in question through this correspondence.

Again, Mr. Editor, this is not to be construed in the nature of an appeal for a "dole" in the way of relief, as the father of our hero is a hard-working tradesman who independently supports a large family in comparative comfort.  
The stand taken, sir, is this: Our young men, who voluntarily and bravely and nobly defended our Empire and by their efforts and sacrifices made a most illustrious name for Newfoundland, while affording protection for all who stayed at home, at the same time created a situation whereby immense wealth poured into the Colony, are worthy the first consideration of the Colony; and when they return, broken in health and maimed for life, have a preferential claim for "generous" treatment in every sense of the word.  
Now then, sir, I contend that the

treatment of the hero in question has not been "generous" nor even "considerate" and I believe every reader of the Militia Department report, outside, of course, the officials of that Department, will arrive at the same conclusion.

I refrain from making comment upon all the circumstances in this connection which are now in my possession, and duly refer to one or two statements in this M. D. report. One is that our hero left Rectory Hospital on 18th January, and yet it also states a cheque for ten dollars (munificent donation) was sent to this same institution on Feb. 1st, which cheque was returned and held over. Another cheque (for the same liberal amount, I presume) was forwarded on March 1st, which is still outstanding. Now if this report shows anything more than another it is this: that the M. D. was not in touch with the movements of our hero, and it is perhaps not supposed to keep track or record of its changes.

The report also states, "Other arrangements were made with the doctors at Carbonar to have him (our hero) 'boarded there.'" How did such a statement get into this report? It would be news to those concerned to know what those arrangements were and with whom the question of "board" was even suggested.  
The facts are: One cheque for a miserable ten dollars have been received (in March). Our hero was too ill to go back to St. John's after his return home from St. Thomas's Rectory Hospital and under no consideration would he go to the "bank" provided.

It is now expected that the Department will get to work and assume the responsibilities which they have undertaken to discharge for the "people of Newfoundland," who realize the debt they owe to our heroes and expect "generous" treatment for them in every way.  
No. 2.  
Carbonar, March 28, 1919.

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### Digby's Passengers.

The following passengers who landed at Placentia Saturday morning having been transferred from the Digby, reached town yesterday morning: Lieut.-Comm. Grieve, Lieut. J. P. Blackall, Major Greene, Major Cashin, Hon. W. F. Coaker, C. Bryant, P. W. Engholm, F. Greene, C. M. Hall, R. E. Innes, Capt. J. Lewis, H. W. Hawker, Mr. and Mrs. Hollett, Mrs. Wolverson, Miss M. Watts, Miss Lena Spring and Mrs. E. M. Tessier.

A meeting of Spencer Club will be held at Spencer College on Tuesday, April 1st, at 4.15 p.m. A full attendance is requested. J. TAYLOR, Secy.  
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In our last assembly. Peace has come. The long route-marches of the years to be your packs bravely, and let even this proud thought, that when the Britons guard their homeland, manfully, dismiss!  
John J. Withers, in the Westminster.

### Site for Flight.

Mr. Robin Reid and Mr. P. C. Macdonald have remained in town selecting for the site mentioned. The matter has been finalized. It is understood about town that time is for a year with an option for a longer period. Our negotiators are confident at this stage of proceedings; but it is very certain that the place from Bear's Cove. The oldest Airplane Company, the oldest in the world, the Oldest Colony, what have you? Gracians to say but to wish for the quickest flight across the Atlantic to the west land—Ireland—a distance say 1800 miles—will be made as soon as the land is properly prepared and other plane machines arrive and other arrangements are completed. It is likely that conditions are favorable—40 per cent say of 120 miles an hour can be attained.—Harbor Grace Standard.

### His Bride of Three Months.

Merwick, N.C., March 16.—Henry F. Cartwright, a prominent business man of town, today shot his bride of three months, calmly informing an undertaker that his wife was dead, and he shot himself dead. It was one of the most tragic murders in the history of Maine.  
Nobody knows what his motive was. He disappeared a few days ago and reappeared today. One of his first acts on his arrival was kissing his wife, who minutes after he kissed and embraced his wife he shot her dead. He had a 38 calibre revolver. He fired shots into the body of his wife where he shot himself. Five empty bridges were found by the police.  
Witnesses say they had a domestic argument. Then Flint whipped a revolver from his pocket and fired four shots into the body of his wife. One shot her heart. Then he asked a girl boy "for God's sake get an undertaker for her." The boy did not like what had happened and boy just simply stood and stared at the murderer.  
Flint rushed into the undertaker's shop of Fred A. Spencer and told Mr. Spencer he had just killed his wife to please hurry up to his house. Spencer, who is a constable here, once started for the Flint home, where he arrived Flint had turned his silver on himself and fired one shot which killed him.

### Man's Best Age.

It may not be generally known that man is surest of good health between thirty-five and fifty-five. In the third of his life he is most prone to infectious diseases. At forty-five in the apex of his health. After forty-five atrophy begins—that is, nutrition becomes not so perfect, which causes diminution in the size and in the active function of certain organs parts of his body.

### Flower That Goes A-Courting.

Do you know that there is a flower that goes a-courting? It is a male flower called the Vallisneria plant, and grows in the water. The female flower is borne on a long stalk which reaches to the surface of the water, which the flowers float. The male flower has only a short, straight stem. But Nature detaches the stem from this flower, which rises the surface of the water. There floats about until it comes into contact with the female flower, and the plants are the result.

S. S. PROSPERO—Messrs. Bowring received a message from Capt. S. S. Prospero, Saturday, saying that the ship left Gibraltar for New Castle with a fruit cargo. It is possible the ship may undergo repairs at Newcastle instead of at St. John's.

**Forty Years in the public service—The Evening Telegram**