

Evening Telegram

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Thursday, December 15, 1921.

Prorogation Ill-advised.

sembly on Monday was, precipi- members thereof to hasten the Government during the four | sounded. months' recess. Nor were they even permitted to comment on any of the acts done on Executive responsibility, nor to dis-Colony largely and vitally. Minnever carried out to the extent Higgins, C.R.L., "The Blue Puttees" by lars out, through the accessors not it has to-day in Newfoundland, "W.F.R." who is presumably Lt.-Col. and the more there is of it, the W. F. Rendell, "Salmon and Salmon payers in cases where there are more the Railway, left by to-day's express gallons of brandy imported into Newmore becomes the menace and danger of permitting the hand- in this number is very good indeed. Council Office looking for the franchise. the New Year. On his way to and from being \$8,933. The total number of ful of men comprising the Exgentive to control the destinies of the island, without Legislaof the island, without Legislative check on their performan
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It is a statisties ful of men comprising the Ex- There are two fine poems by Lieut. There were many vital matters which should have been brought before the House of Assembly. No persons realise this assertion more clearly than the Government itself. No persons can feel more guilty than the men who pre-arranged the bit of political burlesque, culminating in Monday's proceedings. It does not always become necessary to quote au- being killed this morning, but fortunthorities or to search for prece- ately escaped with a fractured arm. dents. Sound common sense, The accident happened in the Daily political decency and honor play far greater parts in the business of Administration and the Gov- ing in motion quickly drew him against

People have but to read the closing speech from the throne but the castings on two cylinders were in order to realise its vacuity. hits absolute shallowness and emptiness. If the speech at the opening of this famous session in March last was barren and shallow, what can be deduced from that now under discussion. The opening paragraph becomes knows that the best, and the best markable results even in chronic cases its chief accuser. The Governor only has been selected as the token is made to say that happily no of your esteem.-dec14,21 trade crisis has occurred, when day after day reports of financial embarrassment are heard on every hand. But apart from this there were other crises. There was the crisis of unemployment; the crisis of marine debated. The leaders for the affirmadisasters; the crisis of people having their winter's supplies lost, both by sea and land; the crisis of damage to property; Ford, Earl Best, H. Hookey, Mr. J. R. the crisis of the falling off in fish prices. Were not all these matters with which the House of Assembly should have dealt? They are still active, and though relief work may have been un dertaken to tide over the situation, the nature of that work should have been approved by the Wesleyan of December ?th., to the Legislature. But Cromwel- hear a most thoughtful, lucid, and conlian methods were introduced, and certain honorable members of the Government have lost | the Center." The Robie St. congregawhatever little prestige they tion was much pleased to hear him (a possessed. They were satisfied former pastor) in the evening. to be dragooned into line, and Try our Fresh Sauss Tomato-Pork-Beef-Made thus the last vestige of their independence disappears. We can at ELLIS'_dec8,tf

prestige by submitting their

programme to the whole House.

Voters Not Registered.

leave the Railway out of the dis-

The Veteran.

Buy Stafford's Ginger Wine.

One 20c. bottle makes nearly a

Accident at News Office.

BOY CAUGHT IN PRESS.

A 14 year old newsboy named Wil-

liam Bellows had a narrow escape from

News press room. The boy, it appears,

got his coat caught amongst the cogs

of the large printing press, which be-

self the lads arm was fractured be-

tween the wrist and the elbow. The

foremen, when he heard the outcry

quickly stopped the machinery. The ac-

cident did not damage the main parts

spoiled by some coin which Bellows

Gifts coming from DULEY'S play an

important part in the sentiment at-

The Cathedral Debating Club had an

interesting session last night when the

subject "Conscription as the most ade-

quate means of National Defence" was

tion were Messrs. Lawrence Cullen

Preached at Halifax.

It was our privilege, on Sunday af-

ernoon, at the Y.M.C.A., Halifax says

vincing address from Rev. D. B. Hem

meon, B.A., of Wolfville, on "The Com-

munity Concept with the Church a

by a majority of one.

gallon of the best Ginger Wine.

cussion for the present: There will be ample time to devote CONFUSION AT COUNCIL OFFICE. certain space to its reference in speech later. Likewise amined. The Colony has last ing the need was so great and so imminent. The whole crux position, were so disgusted that they needy. of the situation, and one which refrained from voting. Mr. Mahoney we wish to emphasize is the pro- and the staff at the Council office are posed big undertaking on the up to their eyes in work and are likely all sizes in pudding bowls, from iz-Humber River. A huge sum of to be throughout the day, and Mr. E. dividual to family size, at STEELE'S.

Leo Carter, the City's Solicitor, has to Just arrived and selling at their money is involved in this probe constantly called into consultation ject, and the usual employment in connection with the qualifications for thousands is being freely ex- of applicants for certificates.

ploited by the promoters. But A peculiar situation is caused by is there something more apart Section 11 of the Charter. This secfrom labor and development. Seems to us that a Government has carried on a business or profes- sary rum, was fined \$1. guarantee was suggested at a sion therein on his own account, either A youth who deserted from a vesrate not less than five per cent. alone or as a recognized partner for sel, was ordered to be remanded un-While it may have meant a on the capital stock of the com- one year previous to any election, be- til his ship is ready to leave, when he ing otherwise qualified, shall be deem- will be put on board. victory for the Government— pany. If the Executive Govern- ed to be a ratepayer, notwithstanding yet a Cadmean success at that ment intends to take up this far- that his residence may be outside the —the action of the Executive reaching matter on their own city." It is only reasonable to expect not already secured a Fancy Teapot pre-Prohibition 180,000 gallons to in proroguing the House of As- responsibility, let us warn the that in view of this section, any pertate, hasty and ill-advised, un- slowly. Where vast sums are to to vote, even if he lives outside the but still have a few left. der the circumstances of ad- be spent vast concessions are city. But, the section makes specific journment in August last. Op- usually sought. The nature of qualifications and does not allow for position members were treated these will have to be determined the man who owns a house or other with studied discourtesy, and and examined. Meanwhile a property than that mentioned. Another were not given the least oppor- warning note, when it comes to some discussion is that which declares tunity to criticise the doings of a Government guarantee, is that "when property is held by an executor, administrator, trustee or other person in trust for the use or benefit of others, the person beneficially entitled shall be held to be the ratepayer in respect of such property." In other words, if the beneficiary is not The "Brombeek Number" of the Vetcuss future propositions looking eran has just made its appearance and present in the city, then he cannot apfor finalization, which affect the its contents are of a most interesting point an agent to vote for him. This nature. There are several articles of also applies to all absentee landlords. wide interest, including "The Ancient Experience to-day is teaching the ute of Council Government was Town of Bruges" by Rev. Dom Gilbert Council that they are hundreds of dol-

having been given the names of rent

Increased Labrador Prices

Hon. D. A. Ryan has received the following cable from his London brokers, Messrs. Harrington & White: "Our agent, Mr. Fainie, of Malaga has brought about an agreement with Messrs. Campos, Lazo and Hawes, to increase the price of Labrador Codfish, 10 pesetas from to-day, and two pesetas more from the 20th." This message was dated December 14th and has been posted in the Board of Trade Rooms for the information of exporters. In publishing the cable incorporated in the above item, several typographical errors occurred yesterday, hence the reprinting and ernment would not have lost any the cylinders. In trying to save him-

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, Dec. 15. Many sufferers from rheumatic trouble, stiff joints, pains in the limbs, gout, had inhis pocket. Drs. Murphyand Car- lumbago, sciatica and all the dolorous nell attended the boy and had him conlist, have gotten real relief by the veyed to his home in Brine Street, judicious use of Rendel Bath Saltrates. complain of being always tired, a course of bathing with these salts will refresh and invigorate. At any rate tached to them, for the recipient Rendel Bath Salts have produced reof the above troubles on the other side of the Atlantic, and we have already heard of their good effects locally. No Cathedral Debating Club sufferer from Rheumatic troubles should omit a trial of Rendel Bath Saltrates. Price \$1.20 a tin.

Discrimination.

As you read this, we ask, are you and H. Smith. The negative was taken one of those foolish people who alby Messrs. H. S. Ford and Rev. J. ways accept "something just as good" Brinton, Other speakers were H. G., instead of the genuine. We stand behind our products as allwood who was present as a guest best in purity and flavor, and if you

also spoke. When a vote was taken it are not ordering GADEN'S drinks to was found that the affirmative had won day, you lack one of the greatest hu man assets, Discrimination Extra Special: BOYS' OVER-COATS!

age 12 to 17 years. Price: \$6.50 to \$10.50 each. Regular value \$20.00 up. THE WEST END BAZAAR. 51 Water St. West. dec15.1i

L.S.P.U. CARD TOURNEY .- The nembers of the L.S.P.U. held a very enjoyable card tournament in their Club Rooms last night. A large number participated in the games. A handsome um was realized which will be use to aid the Shoe Workers.

Beggar Thieves.

Confusion worse confounded is the their front doors closed after night-

XMAS PUDDINGS., You can get dividual to family size, at STEELE'S. usual low prices.

Police Court.

A Norwegian seaman who celebrat tion states that "any person who has a ed his absence from his own prohibishop, store or office in the City and tion country by filling up on dispen-

from STEELE'S, we advise them to son who owns property in the city and do so to-day. We learn that they sold pays taxes on it, should be permitted over 800 Teapots in just over a week,

Proceeding to Azores.

A message has been received stating that the Italian ship Gilda has gone on to the Azores. It will be remembered that on Tuesday the Gilda report and in need of assistance. Temporary repairs were since affected.

The Ten Days' Sale is still running at I. LEVITZ, 252 Water Street, opp. Dicks & Co.

Will Procure Statistics.

R. C. Morgan, General Manager of Fishing" by Judge Morris, and many than one occupant of a house. Many for Canada. He will spend Christmas

Here and There.

Finest English Cheddar Cheese at ELLIS'_dec8,tf

express with the Kyle's mails and tually cost \$9,348, while in 1911-12 to passengers is due at 7 p.m.

W. W. W. stands for Whitty Will Win.-dec14,2i

SENEF NORTH S.S. Senef arrived The number of gallons imported in

Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—oct18,6mo

SEBASTOPOL LEAVES. - S. S. Sebastopol left port last night for She took a large freight, consisting chiefly of foodstuffs.

the Pyjamas at BISHOP'S. Numerous attractive patterns to choose from.

If in doubt about a Man's Gift se

Damaged Suits-Just a few opp Dicks & Co.-dec15,6i

SUSU DUE .- S.S. Susu was com pelled to put back to Valleyfield yesterday by fog. She left Greenspone last night and should arrive here LODGE DUDLEY ELECTS OFFICERS early this afternoon.

Dry Shampoos; Olive Oil Shampoos. MRS. J. L. COURT-NEY, Keating Bldg.—dec12,3i

S.U.F. CARD TOURNEY-The mem bers and friends of the S.U.F. Club held another enjoyable "forty-five" tournament in their rooms last night ome forty players participating Every game was keenly contested the prizes ultimately being awarded the two with the greatest number games to their credit.

McGuire's Bread, 18 oz. loaf, retailing at 10 cents.

ANOMALOUS PASSAGE RATES .-It is a curious fact that any person coming out from England by the home oats may have their ticket booked to Boston for the same fare as to Si John's, although the passage is some hundreds of miles longer. The rea son given for this is that transtlantic

Men's Slippers are always an ac newest assortment to be had in Prohibition Statistics.

very interesting statistics prepared most appropriate description of the fall against the operations of youth- from the Customs and other official Agricultural returns can be left; scene at the Municipal Council Office ful thieves who under the protence of records along the lines of Prohibition. this morning. From an early hour, the begging, enter into hallways and Prohibition came into effect on the office was besieged by applications for ransack the pockets of all the wearing first of January, 1917. So as to get a equiring space all to itself. But certificates from people who had de- apparel they can lay their hands on year which would be regarded as a the engagements of the Govern-layed paying their taxes until after Last night at tea time one of those normal pre-Prohibition year, the year ment with certain contractors November 15th. A large number of tax- lightfingered youths performed such 1914 was taken. In that year the should have been carefully ex- payers who had paid all their taxes, an operation at a residence near St. total consumption of intoxicating previous to the end of the Council's Patrick's Hall, but the knowledge of liquors in Newfoundland was about fiscal year, found upon arrival at their his thefts was not apparent until the 180,000 gallons. That consumption year's experience of wood cut- booths, that they had not been regis- victims in donning their overcoats did not include any smuggled liquor. ting as a guide. Still perhaps tered. Even Mr. Mahoney, Secretary discovered the pockets had been and it has always been estimated that an excuse can be found consider- Treasurer of the Council, discovered rifled. It is this kind of thief-beggar a considerable quantity of liquor was that even he was not registered. Many who turns the hearts of the charitably smuggled every year from St. Pierre; men who found themselves in a similar disposed against helping the really nor did it include local brews in the nature of overproof beers or moonshine, but the quantity of overproof beers and moonshine was not then regarded as of any substantial amount. These 180,000 gallons included the legally imported and legally local manufactured, insofar as there are Customs returns covering them.

> In the year 1920 the consumption was about 29,800 gallons, which is the quantity which passed through the Customs. In addition to that there would be considerable quantities which would be smuggled and the illegally made local article. The decrease of consumntion through regular channels, including everything in connection with the Controller's Department for the whole Island of A WARNING. To those who have Newfoundland, has thus dropped from Prohibition 29,800 gallons, or a decrease of 831/2%. To refer to the chief articles of consumption, the percentage drop is as follows:-

Rum 84% Brandy 80 Whiskey 71 Ales and Porters 96

During the four-year period prior to Prohibition the total consumption, insofar as it can be secured from the ported being 600 miles east of this official records of the Customs Department, was 651,112 gallons; total consumption for the following four years (Prohibition) was 66,649 gallons, or a decrease of 584,463 gallons, or ninety per cent. decrease.

To make a comparison in price only and say that the consumption of liquor in Newfoundland under Prohibition has not been materially reduced is no way to judge as the following will show. The number of foundland during the fiscal year 1911others. The verse which is to be found such rent payers are to-day at the in Winnipeg, and will return early in 12 was 6,158 gallons, invoice value Winnipeg, Mr. Morgan will procure gallons of brandy imported into Newbrandy imported into Newfoundland last year was \$9,000, while the cost of brandy imported in 1912 was \$8,000, is making a conclusion upon a false basis, because last year the amount imported was 1,272 gallons, which, be-EXPRESS DUE. - The incoming cause of increased cost abroad, acactual consumption wa 6,158 gallons,

> which cost \$415.00 less. Take the case of rum. The number of gallons imported for the year 1911-12 was 72,978, invoice value \$25,819. at her terminus, Cook's Harbour, yes- the year 1920-21 was 11,732, invoice value \$12.991. The invoice value of \$12.991, on the 1911-12 basis of price. would represent not an importation of about 11,000 gallons, but an impor tation of about 36,000 gallons.

What shall I give my Gentleman ports of call as far north as LaScie. Friend as a Xmas Gift? Let me think: BOWRING'S are advertising Gent's Wool and Silk MUFFLERS. SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, Lined and unlined KID GLOVES, FELT SLIP-PERS and an endless variety FANCY NECK TIES, BRACE and SUSPEND-ER SETS, nicely put up in Fancy Holly Boxes. YES, to BOWRING'S Even for those who are languid, or who left. I. LEVITZ, 252 Water St., I'LL Go. They always give GOOD VALUE for your money.-dec13,15,17

S. O. E. B. S. Meeting.

The annual meeting of Lodge Dudley, No. 227 S.O.E.B.S., took place at Victoria Hall Tuesday night. Bro. P. P. Ruby occupied the chair and con

ducted the election of officers for 1922, which was as follows:-W.P.P.-C. R. Puddester, re-elected W.P.-B. R. Taylor, re-elected. V.P.-John Hemmens, re-elected. W.C.-George LeDrew. W.S .- James Hustins, re-elected.

W.F.S.-Wilson Clarke, re-elected W.T.-Wm. P. Butler, re-elected. 1st G .- H. J. Peet, elected. 2nd G,-H. E. Pike. 3rd G.-R. Ivany. 4th G.-E. Vivian. 5th G.-H. E. Long. 6th G.-E. Barnes. I.G.-M. Spurrell, re-elected. O.G .- J. Bishop, elected.

Auditors-P.P., T. J. Pope and J. L.

Lodge Surgeon-Dr. Anderson Trustees-P.P's S. G. Collier, N. Andrews and K. Ruby.

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Supreme Court.

(Before Mr. Justice Johnson.) King vs. Ryall for Larceny.—Before special jury. J. A. Barron appears or the Crown. The prisoner is not represented. Mr. Barron states the case for the Crown. Five witnesses were examined, and also the prisoner which is the store of W. J. Murphy, Smoking Jackets that BIHOP'S are from their examination after a half off, to half of their regular prices .hour's absence, and were again instructed by the trial judge, who sent them in charge of the bailiff to lunch- Silverware. GEORGE LANGeon. The hearing was resumed at MEAD.—dec15.tf

2.30 but up to press hour the case was not concluded. The special jury is as follows: Maurice J. Malone Richard Goodridge, Wilfred Dove. I. Joldstone, J. McFarlane, Michael Shortall, J. J. Lacey, Chas. Bishop, Wm. Barker, John O'Keefe, Archibald Radford, Thos. Hughes.

(Before the Chief Justice.) A. H. Murray, Managing Owner of the Ship Jean Wakely vs. Royal Bank of Canada.—The hearing of this case was postponed. The special jury were released to return again on

Given Farewell Party.

Miss Mollie Goldstone, of "Elgin Place," Leslie Street, was given a farewell party last evening by a number of her lady friends, in honor of her approaching wedding. Miss Goldstone leaves here by Tuesday's express, accompanied by her mother, for Sydney, Nova Scotia, where she will be married shortly after the New Year to Mr. Ralph Garber, a prominent young merchant of that town. Miss Goldstone takes with her the best wishes of her many friends of this

SPEECH DAYS.—Speech Day at Bishop Spencer College will take place this year in the Spencer College Hall on Wednesday next. There will be a concert by the pupils preparatory to the distribution of prizes. Bishop Feild College Speech Day will be held in the Casino on

Report From

Cook Headquarters. From the headquarters of Mayoralty | near Lower Island Cove, in the Candidate Cook we learn that the re- storm of last week, is very grateful ports from the agents in the East End | the residents of that place for of the city show that a big majority of the illiterate vote was in favor of they rescued from what migh Hon. Tasker Cook. In the West End | well have been a watery grad at 1 p.m. the vote from the booth schooner Passport was lost with rooms reported, showing a major- hands only 150 yards from where ity of 9 to 1 in his favor. The Pansy went ashore. agents report that the women voters are taking more interest in the election than the men, and as a result KNOWLING'S Stores for of their activities they will likely send a protest to the Colonial Secretary against the action of a very prominent official in the elections. It is stated that probably one thousand voters will be disfranchised, as though

the Returning Officers at the different

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their names appear on the Voters'

List, they are not found on the list of

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Capt. Wm. Frost, who was master the schooner Pansy which went ashe

Good Salt Fish can be had cents a pound only.—dec8,13,16

Cecil Jr. Not Reported

The schooner Little Stepha Catalina vesterday for Twilling ter having some repairs to effected. The schooner Cecil j left this port for Twillingate p to the storm of Monday week. yet been reported. It is thou Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home | Captain Kean, the owner of the that owing to thick weather h tain would not risk making la he is not thoroughly acqu

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