



## Evening Telegram

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### "Ring Out The Old, Ring In The New!"

ANOTHER year is slowly dying, it's time being numbered by hours, of which it has but twelve to live. At midnight the bells will ring out their merry peal welcoming the infant 1922. They will have already tolled out old 1921, whose scene in the drama of the world has been played, let us hope to some purpose. Many things were done in the year passed, which might have been left undone, and others were left undone, which might have been done. The same, doubtless will occur in 1922 and through all the succeeding years of universal time. Still there is hope, for the signs show that all of us are improving. In the daily intercourse there are more indications—we speak now of Newfoundland alone—that we are coming closer together, beginning to understand each other better and beginning to help each other more. If we do not all these things to what end are we striving?

THE year 1921 saw toil and sorrow, triumph and defeat, success and failure, disaster and destruction. It was a year of stress, and desolation came to many homes, but out of all the pain there comes a jubilant note. The desire to carry on is as intense as ever it was, and human nature cannot sit down and perpetually mourn under the stroke of misfortune. "I will arise" is the dominant declaration. The jubilation of that is in the action of arising and in the joy of working. The strength to endure, to give service for service, to arrange affairs so that they may be of benefit to all. Whatever has happened during the past twelve months is beyond recall. Yet any ill deeds done need not necessarily be repeated in either of the twelve months ahead. The good, however, can be renewed, and a determination to avoid the evil taken. All must strive for the common good, and the closing months of 1921 gave evidence that that spirit had sprung into existence with full strength. May it remain.

AND so we begin the New Year with new resolutions, with new hopes and new desires. "Let all the ends thou aim'st at be thy country's" should be a motto for every man, woman and child in Newfoundland. Carrying out that unitedly and the Ancient Colony will emerge from her present temporary state of depression and will quickly get back to more prosperous conditions. The men who control affairs have to be on the alert, in order to see that nothing detracts from or prevents or stands in the way of progress. Newfoundland can rise supreme over present difficulties. The spirit is there, the recuperative power is there, the will is there. But all must work together. There must be no simulation, no deception. The game of make-believe has to be discontinued, and a newer, more confidential, more mutual spirit

developed. Only in this way can future prosperity be assured. The time is ripe for action: 1922 is full of the promise of great possibilities. Our natural resources are going to be developed to a huge extent, and progress rather than retrogression appears to be the ruling idea. Therefore when the bells ring out from the church towers their message of the birth of the New Year, let the peal be heard as chimes, ringing out the old, ringing in the new, ringing out the false, ringing in the true. With this spirit of the advent of 1922, we wish to extend to all the readers, patrons, contributors and friends of the Evening Telegram our best wishes for A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

### Of Interest to Fishermen

On Tuesday, the Telegram will publish a letter from Mr. A. B. Morine, written at Toronto, the subject matter of which is of exceeding great interest to all fishermen. Mr. Morine discusses the only possible future policy in the successful marketing of our codfish so that the producers may derive the greatest benefit in its final sale, and become sharers in the profits accruing. We have made such editorial comment on this communication as we deem fitting, and recommend the closest attention of fishermen to the arguments put forward in support of the most constructive policy of sale and share heretofore placed before them.

### Power Gives Out.

Shortly after 9 p.m. yesterday, the city was suddenly plunged in darkness through the falling of the electric power due to a grounded line which caused a transformer to blow out. Shortly after 10 p.m. the power came on and remained until about 12.15 a.m. when it failed again for a similar reason. The trouble was somewhere between town and Petty Harbour. The power was shut off all through the early morning, but was finally turned on at 9.45.

### Wires and Poles Down.

During last night there was a heavy "silver thaw" which did considerable damage to the telephone wires, electric lighting system and trees. On the Long Pond Road the telephone lines, of which there are some 20 wires, are all smashed down. From Carleton Place to Dwyer's Hill a large amount of damage was done. In this section no less than 5 poles were smashed off by the weight of the ice coating. Gangs of line men were out early this morning effecting repairs.

### Complaint of Negligence

Citizens coming to work this morning had a difficult time trying to get down the different inclines. Many complaints were heard of the negligence of the Council's inspectors in not having the hills sprinkled with ashes or sand. During the past 3 days the hills were in a dangerous condition, and many citizens have received nasty falls. No efforts were made to improve conditions. Horses are engaged all day long carting ashes out in the country but it seems nobody's business to see that any of this is placed on dangerous inclines. The S.P.C.A. inspector was more interested in the welfare of the animals under his charge, than the Council's men are in the lives of citizens. During the week Mr. Hyatt could be seen with a bucket of salt sprinkling the archways from which horses were drawing heavy loads.

### McMurdo's Store News.

NEW YEAR'S EVE, 1921. At this, the close of a year which was in Newfoundland and elsewhere, a year of "hard knocks," we might say a great deal, but so much has been said and written on the subject, that it would profit little enough. But we would remind our readers that Newfoundland has passed through worse times than this, and came through them; and she will come through this too. Already there are signs, slight but unmistakable of a break in the clouds, and the year 1922 may have some pleasant surprises in store for us. Meanwhile we wish all our friends who in these difficult days have stood by us so loyally, a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

STAR OF THE SEA ASSOCIATION.—A Special Meeting of the Star of the Sea Association will be held in the Armoury, T. A. Hall, on Sunday at 2.30 p.m. Committee on revision of rules will report and arrangements made for annual parade. By order, W. F. GRAHAM, Secy.

ON PROFESSIONAL BUSINESS.—Mr. G. W. B. Ayre leaves for Carbonear on Monday night where he will defend a woman who is charged with larceny before Judge Penny.

### Watch Night and New Year Services.

ST. MARY THE VIRGIN.  
New Year's Eve.—Watch-night Service, commencing at 11 p.m. and ending soon after midnight. (Collection for the Orphanage.)  
New Year's Day (Sunday Jan. 1). 8. Holy Communion; 11. Matins; 2.30. Sunday School and Bible Classes; 4. Holy Baptism; 6.30. Evensong.

### Wireless College Opens Tuesday.

The British Radio Institute, the wireless College, which has recently been started in this city, opens on Tuesday, January 3rd. There will be day and night classes. A post-graduate course will be given for wireless operators who wish to have their licenses endorsed for Continuous Wave Sets, and Wireless Telegraphy. A Home Study Course is given to enable young men throughout the island to study this fascinating profession. Amateur Wireless Classes for boys will be given to teach them how to construct and erect a set for themselves. Mr. Southgate, in an interview yesterday, stated that their purpose was not so much to train Wireless Operators for the Newfoundland Coastal boats, but rather for the English and Canadian Trans-Atlantic ships, that sail to all parts of the world. The motto of the college is "A Wireless Set in Every Town, Village and Island in Newfoundland." We wish them the success they so richly deserve.

Choice Italian Gorgonzola Cheese at ELLIS'—4c8.1f

### Sachem Arrives.

S.S. Sachem, eight days from Liverpool to this port, arrived at 10 a.m. today. The ship had a stormy passage. She brought the following passengers: Mr. J. Armstrong, Mr. F. Buckingham, Mr. F. Candow, Mr. E. Dunfield, Mrs. Dunfield, Miss D. H. Dunfield, Mr. H. Jones, Mrs. L. M. Kavanagh, Mrs. E. S. Marshall, Mrs. J. L. Murphy, Lt.-Col. T. Nangle, Mr. W. Peniston, Capt. R. F. W. Strong, Mrs. Strong, Mr. H. Thornhill, Mr. S. C. Marshall, Mr. R. Nash, Mr. W. Butt, Mr. E. Babb, Mr. A. Wang, Mr. A. Uding, Mr. J. Hickey, Mr. G. E. Penney, Mr. J. Butt, Mr. J. Doyle, Mr. H. W. Vere-Holloway.

### A Happy and Prosperous New Year to All.

The close of the year 1921 finds the Royal Stores with a deep sense of gratitude to the thousands of customers who have, by their patronage, helped to bridge over a trying period of trade depression. We are particularly grateful because we feel that this patronage is a recognition of our efforts to serve the community faithfully. We feel that this store owes, as a very good reason for its existence, much more to the community than just the buying and selling of certain articles which are required by the public. We feel that the function of a big store like this far exceeds that of being simply a trading house, and we feel that to do anything like its duty to the community, it must grow deeper and deeper into the hearts of people, being looked upon as a great necessity, a public centre, a meeting place where the public may gather for many and varied purposes.

No big store in Newfoundland has yet reached this standard of public service. It is no simple matter to decide upon the functions a big store should perform and then put them into practice immediately. It takes years for their complete development. Here at the Royal Stores we are trying each day to come nearer to our ideal. We have many departments and a great staff of members of the organization, and we are trying individually and collectively to fulfill the requirements expected of the business.

One of the always noticeable features of this store, and one which makes it agreeable to those who visit it every day, is the spirit of goodwill which permeates the building, not only at festive seasons like this, but throughout the year, and which is constantly evident in the manners and actions of those young men and women who are cheerfully carrying out their individual duties.

It has been said that it is easier to see a smile at the Royal Stores than anywhere else in the country, and when one walks through the numerous departments, one discovers a great deal of truth in this agreeable little remark.

We look upon the smile, the happy face, the cheerful manner as contributions to the well being of the community.

It goes without saying that we fully appreciate the friendly spirit shown by our customers throughout the past year, and hope that all our many friends will have a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

THE GLEANER.

MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR GARGET IN COWS.

### Wrecked Crew Arrive.

"JUNE" CAUGHT FIRE.  
Capt. S. C. Marshall and crew of the schooner June, lost in the Mediterranean on 29th ult., arrived by a.s. Sachem from Liverpool this morning. Speaking to the captain and Robert Nash, chief engineer, the Telegram was informed that when about 20 miles E.N.E. of the Misora Islands, the engine room of the June caught fire due to the bursting of a cylinder head. The flames spread quickly and the crew were obliged to take to the boats without getting a chance to save their belongings. Fortunately the weather was fine and the row to land was effected without accident. The shipwrecked men landed at Mahon, Minorca. The burning ship was a spectacular sight and could be seen for a distance of thirty miles. Capt. Marshall was particularly unfortunate in losing all his nautical instruments, but all were glad to escape with their lives. The crew went to Barcelona by mail boat, thence to Spain and France by rail. The crew of the June speak in the highest terms of the kindness shown them on the passage out by Col. Nangle.

### Left Over.

Owing to the suspension of the electric power last night, and not being turned on until late this morning, a considerable lot of matter, including contributions and communications, has to be left over until Tuesday, Monday being a general holiday.

Sir! the next pair of Boots you will buy will be "K's". SMALLWOOD'S has just received a new shipment—dec16,tf

### A Matter for the Court.

To a correspondent from Harbor Grace (LeMarchant Street) we would suggest that the matter of which he complains should be ventilated through the Court. If fishermen on Labrador who shipped, taking a receipt for payment in St. John's, have not yet received their money from the purchasing companies, they should seek such compensation as the law allows. Might we further recommend that the members for the district be approached with a request to have the matter complained of adjusted.

Buy your Skating Boots at SMALLWOOD'S, and we will attach your skates, free of charge.—dec16,tf

### Dress Rehearsal.

A full dress rehearsal of "The Quaker Girl" was held last evening, and those present were delighted at the manner in which all the details of the performance were carried out. The costumes were a revelation even to St. John's theatre goers, and those present predict a long run for the opera locally.

WINTER WANTS.—We have a large assortment of Boots, Shoes and Clothing for your Winter requirements—Prices reasonable. Drop in and be convinced. DOMINION SECOND HAND STORE, 4 Chapel Street. dec8,2st

### Cheap Tumblers and Wine Glasses.

Half Dozen Plain Thin Tumblers, job lot, for 50c.  
Half Dozen Plain Heavy Tumblers, job lot, for 50c.

### Half Dozen PLAIN WINE GLASSES for 1.15.

Pony Tumblers, half dozen for \$1.00.  
Plain Thin Tumblers, half dozen for 90c.

### RUBIGOLD WINE SETS, 2.70.

Plain Tumblers, bell shape, half dozen for \$1.10.  
Lemonade Sets . . . . . \$2.70  
Fruit Bowls . . . . . 48c.  
Cake Stands . . . . . 65c, 75c.  
Best Quality Wine Glasses in key and circle patterns, half dozen for \$1.55.

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### Our Local Pepsys.

December 30th.—Up very betimes and to do some work that I had left over from last night. So to the office where among other things I hear that Mr. Coaker, the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, is like to be made a knight on the New Year. A strange thing, seeing how but a few years back he did rave and rant like any socialist, and did condemn all capitalists. This does only show that he is a man of changing mind, nor is there any knowing what those in politics will do. I to the office of Mr. Cook, the Mayor, and he tells me that he is not yet announced in his new position, but is like to be gazetted next as knight. He gives me an article, out from a Toronto news sheet, which makes the most ridiculous fun of our knights, and was, I think, written by one that knows this country. And a more foolish thing I have never laid eyes on. So I send it to the editor of the Telegram news sheet and he to publish it in his issue of to-day, that all may see how strange are the minds of some men on the Canadian news sheets. On going to the office of the City, I meet Mayor Morris and he to talk of matters relating to the installation of a new Council. Thence to the Board of Trade, where meeting Mr. R. G. Rendell, he tells me of the War Memorial, and how the funds do daily increase, which is a good thing to see, being that the times are bad. Mr. Bradshaw also talks to me of the Memorial, and shows how there is great difficulty in choosing a site. Mr. Gosling, that was one time Mayor, tells of some of the matters which will require the attention of the new Council. And above all things, care must be given to the Sanitary Stables seeing how they are in a mighty bad state. Home and to the preparation of the first edition of my Journal, which I will myself do the illustrations for. A hard task, and one that will take me some time, albeit that it is a labour of love, and one over which I shall take great care. In the afternoon to the Board of Trade, there to talk of many things. And Capt. Kean reads from the Advocate news sheet an item which pleases him not, nor the others either. It comes to my mind this night to set down how a grocer, here in the city, did receive an order over the telephone, to send divers articles to a certain house; and on his sending them, he finds that the order was naught but a joke, and is I think a most unkind piece of fooling as ever was. My tailor's man brings my breeches home and are come at the right time, seeing how it has come to rain mightily hard; nor has there been a worse year than this for storms of all kinds. Being that I begin to suffer pains and afe I think from my smoking of too many cigarettes, so I resolve to make a vow that I will have no more of them from a month to-morrow. Even as I write, the electric power goes off, so to bed and with a lamp.

### DIED.

Passed peacefully away after a short illness, on the 30th inst., Claude Wilson, darling child of Eli and Ida Lilley, aged (3) three years. Interment on Sunday from his residence 2 Allan Square. "Gone to be with Jesus."

A darling child from us is gone. The voice we loved is still'd; A place is vacant in our home Which never can be filled."

IN LOVING MEMORY of Josephine (Josie) Bryan, who died St. 1919. You are gone, but not forgotten. Never shall your memory fade; Loving thoughts will always linger Round the place where you are laid.

—Inserted by her Mother.

IN LOVING MEMORY of our dear father, Edgar Kellaway, who died January 1, 1921. In that great cloister's stillness and seclusion By guardian angels led; Safe from temptation, safe from sin's delusion He lives, whom we think dead.

—Inserted by the Family, Perry's Cove.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The Treasurer of the Methodist Orphanage Finance Committee gratefully acknowledges receipt from the Executors of the Estate of the late Hon. Walter Bains Grieve the sum of \$2500.00—adv't.

NOTE OF THANKS.—D. J. Green of Grand Falls, wishes to thank Drs. Keegan and Wilson, Sisters and Nurses of General Hospital for their kindness and attention shown to him while at that institution; also all those who visited him, Rev. Canon Field, Mrs. Green and family, Mrs. Borden and family, Adm. Sainsbury, Mrs. Veinman, Mrs. Keegan, Mrs. James, Mrs. Doherty, Miss Myrick and Miss Walsh.—adv't.

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## Happy New Year to our Many Friends

We appreciate the friendly spirit you have shown us throughout the past year, and hope that your New Year may be filled with Good Fortune, Good Health and Good Cheer.

Your good will is one of our real assets, and we thankfully appreciate your help in carrying us over the trying period of trade depression into what we happily trust is the prosperity entrance of a new trade cycle, and so enabling us to maintain our staff without a single discharge.

It is our ambition to give you good service, to trade fairly, to profit not alone in dollars but in the good will of those with whom we deal, to correct our errors, to improve our opportunities and to reap from our daily work a result which shall be shown for all that is best in business.

The Royal Stores, Ltd.

## Special Year-End Offers of GROCERIES

If there be one outstanding reason why you should, in these days, look to the Royal Stores for your needs, it is that Royal Stores value is so surely the best obtainable in the city. It is a value that spells economy of the soundest and most practical kind.

### Kops' Wines, Special per bottle 65c

Libby's Extra Pears, per tin . . . 70c. Libby's Ex. Cherries, per tin . . . 60c.  
Libby's Extra Peaches, per tin . . . 60c. Libby's Ex. Strawberries, tin . . . 60c.  
Libby's Extra Apricots, per tin . . . 60c. Libby's Ex. Raspberries, tin . . . 60c.

### Jacob's Fancy Biscuits, 60c & 90c lb.

Hazel Nuts, per lb. . . . . 28c. Shelled Almonds, per lb. . . . . 70c.  
Walnuts, per lb. . . . . 45c. Shelled Walnuts, per lb. . . . . 1.10  
Almond Nuts, per lb. . . . . 32c. Shelled Peanuts, per lb. . . . . 70c.  
Peanuts, per lb. . . . . 25c. Ginger Chips, per lb. . . . . 1.00

### Havana Cigars

Puritinos, 50's . . . . . \$10.00  
Panetella, 50's . . . . . \$10.50  
Camelias, 25's . . . . . \$ 5.50

### English Cigars

House of Lords Especial, 50's . \$8.75  
Royal Invincibles, 50's . . . \$5.25  
House of Lords Especials, 5's . . 80c.

### Moirs' Syrups, Special per bottle 65c

Treasure, per lb. . . . . 90c. Currant Puff, per lb. . . . . 80c.  
Boston Cream, per lb. . . . . 90c. Cinderella, per lb. . . . . 90c.  
Creamy Chocolate, per lb. . . . 90c. Cream Crackers, per lb. . . . 60c.  
Shortcake, per lb. . . . . 90c. Thin Social, per lb. . . . . 60c.

### Fresh Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken

Sunkist Oranges, large, per doz. \$1.00 Grape Fruit, large, each 15c.  
Sunkist Oranges, med., per doz. 70c. Table Apples, per doz. 50c.  
Tangerines, per doz. . . . . 75c. Grapes, per lb. . . . . 35c.

## The Royal Stores, Ltd., Grocery Department.

PADRE NANGLE ARRIVES.—Lt. Col. (Rev.) Nangle, arrived from England this morning on a.s. Sachem. He has been in the Old Country for several months in connection with the Imperial War Graves Committee. He will remain here two months and will then return to England to continue his work.

Real English Stilton Cheese at ELLIS'—4c8.1f  
Stafford's Glazer Wine for Christmas, 20c. per bottle, at Stafford's Drug Store, Theatre Hill.—dec7,tf  
Finest English Cheddar Cheese at ELLIS'—4c8.1f

Free to Ladies!—who buy Evangeline Boots, Shoes or Pumps—a pair of live O'Sullivan Rubber Heels attached free of charge at SMALLWOOD'S. dec16,tf  
Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—oct18,emo