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THE following message has been received by His Excellency the Governor from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies, and is published for general information:—

"GOVERNOR,
"St. John's, Nfld.

"Court Mourning will last until the 6th of May, 1911. It is expected that the public will wear mourning from the 12th May. Duration not fixed yet. King Edward's funeral will take place on the morning of the 20th May.

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By His Excellency's Command,
R. WATSON,
Colonial Secretary.
Colonial Secretary's Office, 11th May, 1910.

Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor
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Friday, May 13, 1910.

**The Twentieth
A Day of Mourning.**

As will be seen by the official notice we publish elsewhere in this issue, King Edward's funeral will take place on Friday morning next, the 20th of May. Hon. R. Watson, Colonial Secretary, informs us that by command of His Excellency the Governor the day will be proclaimed in the Colony as a Day of Mourning. On that day the official Memorial Service in Newfoundland will be held in the Cathedral Church of St. John the Baptist. The Lord Bishop will conduct the service. Particulars of this service will be published later.

It may be interesting to recall the course pursued on the demise of Queen Victoria, who was buried on Saturday, February 2nd, 1901. That day was observed as a day of mourning, offices and stores were closed and newspapers suspended publication.

The official Memorial Service was held in the C. E. Cathedral. Those entitled to wear uniform did so, and representatives of societies wore their regalia.

The appended extract is part of the report which appeared in the Evening Telegram, on Monday, February 4th, 1901:

"The services at the Church of England Cathedral on Saturday last in memory of our late Lady Queen Victoria was attended by a very large congregation, possibly the largest that ever was known. Drapery hung from every point of the building. The Royal Coat of Arms was placed upon one side of the Church, and on the other side were the Union Jack and the Native Flag, above which was written the words, 'Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a Crown of Life.' In the nave of the Building sat His Excellency Sir Henry McCallum, Right Hon. Sir W. V. Whiteway, P.C., His Lordship Chief Justice Little; the Judges of the Supreme Court; the Executive and Legislative Councils; the members of the House of Assembly, besides the heads of departments and a number of clergy. Rev. Canon Colley, the oldest clergyman in the diocese, preached the sermon. After the hymn 'O God our help in ages past,' was sung, Rev. G. H. Bolt, M.A., read the opening sentences from the burial service. The choir sang the 96th and 33rd Psalms, and Rev. Canon Cartwright read the lesson 1. Cor., chapter XV. After another hymn was sung, Rev. Canon Colley opened with the sermon, taking as his text the verses from Kings 2 and 10: 'So David slept with his fathers and was buried in the City of David.' Rev. H. Dunfield sang the prayers, after which the hymn, 'God of

the Living and the Dead," was rendered. The congregation stood while the "Dead March in Saul" was played. Rev. Canon Pilot afterwards read the prayer for the King, the Benediction being pronounced by Rev. Canon Colley.

We believe that at this time the Lord Bishop was in his diocese of Bermuda. Memorial services were also held in the same morning at St. Andrew's Church and at night in Gower Street Methodist Church. The Salvation Army also conducted a memorial service.

Bluffing is the Style.
No matter what a person may represent in this world, for the purpose of making a living, he is bound to do some bluffing. Everyone does a little of it, one more, the other less. Certainly some bluffs are the limit; for instance some merchants will advertise their bluffs as follows:—
"Ten dollar suits for \$4.75; Three dollar pants for \$1.00; Two dollar shirts for 60 cents, etc., etc."
We say we are not able to sell Ten dollar suits for \$4.75, etc., etc., but we can sell you Ten dollar suits for \$10; Three dollar pants for \$3.00; Sixty cent shirts for 60c. for cash or credit.
B. FRIEDMAN, 301 Water St. Phone 546; P. O. Box 5.—adv.

Here and There.

BAND PRACTICE.—The C. C. C. band will practice at the armoury band room to-night instead of at the Mechanics' Hall. Every member is expected to attend.

AT THE POLICE STATION.—A silver watch and chain picked up yesterday can be had by the owner if he applies to Supt. Grimes at the Police Station.

GUARDS.—Any member of the Methodist Guards requiring Cap Badges, or Jerseys, for Sunday, must procure same during or after drill, to-night, may 13, 11.

Cut flowers may be preserved for an unusually long time if a little saltpeter or carbonate of soda is added to the water. Salt also helps to keep them fresh.

GUARDS WILL ATTEND CHURCH—Next Sunday the Methodist Guards will attend Divine service in Cochrane St. Church. There will be a special sermon for the occasion.

ANOTHER GARDEN PARTY.—St. Andrew's garden party is set down for July the 20th at Mount Dorset, Waterford Bridge Road, the same date set for Littledale garden party.

EXCURSION TO RENEWS.—An excursion to Renew's will be held by the Fanny Club next month. They will have a dance in the British Hall on the 24th.

NOTICE is particularly called to the May Month Music Sale at the White Piano and Organ Store. 20 per cent discount on Folios and Sheet Music. Cash only. CHESLEY WOODS.—may 2, 11.

SOME FISH JIGGED.—Some boats were out on the local fishing grounds yesterday. The first sign of fish was noticeable and some were jigged. When bait is procurable it is expected good work will be done.

SALMON MORE PLENTIFUL.—There was a considerable amount of salmon in the market yesterday from Portugal Cove and other places. Twenty cents per pound was asked for them, but in most cases could not be procured and the fish sold for from

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