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The Common Need

One of the visiting Members of Parliament, whose profession and experience make his opinion deserving of consideration, remarked that he was disappointed to observe indications of under-development and under-nourishment among many of the children in different parts of the Island. He also expressed surprise that tuberculosis seemed to be so prevalent, and stressed the fact that it was not due to climatic conditions.

Had the speaker not been a visitor, he would not doubt have been more explicit in accounting for the low standard of health in the community. He did not actually prescribe the treatment, but his remarks made it sufficiently clear that he thought treatment was required and he even suggested the form it should take, namely to improve the standard of living.

Recently an investigation was held in the United States into the ill-health among the industrial class, and it was found that the cost of sub-standard health on a conservative basis was not less than \$3,000,000,000, or about thirty dollars for every man, woman and child in the Republic, and it was demonstrated that more than half of this loss was preventable. The amount quoted does not indicate public expenditure, but the cost borne by citizens directly.

It is impossible to form even an estimate of the cost of ill-health of any particular section of the people in Newfoundland or of the community as a whole, but the following figures taken from the Auditor General's report for the year ending June, 1924, show just how much we pay in taxes to maintain the institutions for the sick and afflicted, and the list does not by any means include all the demands made upon the public purse for such purposes.

Lunatic Asylum	\$158,734.38
General Hospital	214,232.85
Tubercular Sanatorium	96,038.05
Poor Asylum	43,054.39
Fever Hospital	72,448.28
Twillingate Hospital	10,000.00
Escazon & Sudbury	33,974.49

\$628,479.64

There are in addition traveling expenses which run into thousands of dollars, allowances made to private and semi-private hospitals for pauper patients and a host of other incidentals to which we hope to refer in another article. The income from the institutions mentioned is practically negligible.

To what extent this high cost of ill-health is due to the high cost of living is a question to which the ablest brains in the community must be applied. It is a question which calls for something more than a knowledge of finance, and yet it is interwoven in the tariff policy.

If the standard of diet is low in Newfoundland, it is because the prices of the more nourishing foods are too high. If shoddy clothing is purchased, it is because the superior quality is beyond the citizen's means. If the householder economizes on his coal supply, it is not because he prefers an empty grate, but because he cannot afford to

keep the home fires cheerfully burning.

The tariff system is studied in order to ascertain how it can best be made to produce revenue to meet the exacting demands made upon the Treasury, but is sufficient consideration given to the bigger question? Poor food and clothing and badly heated houses make for ill-health. They are also the factors which make for misery and discontent. Study the tariff in order to find to what extent the high rates of duty are responsible for these conditions.

The taxes collected to-day are high to meet the heavy demands. If the calls made upon the public purse are increased because of those taxes, it would appear that we are working in a vicious circle and should seek a way out without loss of time.

Have a Heart

The other day a parent, travelling on one of the street cars, was disgusted to see an unclean sitting opposite holding an ancient-looking transfer in her mouth, but his feelings were somewhat more personal when he discovered his own youngster doing the very same thing, with an even more bethumbed slip. Is it economy that the Company is exercising in having these transfers used over and over again?

Portia Arrives From Westward

S.S. Portia, Capt. Connors, returned from the Western Coast Service at noon to-day, bringing a part cargo of freight and seven passengers in saloon. The greater number of passengers were landed at Argentia and came to the city by rail. The Portia made a good run as far as Port aux Basques, having made all ports of call. On returning the ship ran into easterly winds and fog, and by the time Fortune was reached, conditions grew even worse, and it was found necessary to remain there for two days and two nights. Capt. Connors had nothing unusual to report. The bankers have all returned to Burgeo with good trips. The fishery between St. Lawrence and Lamaline is very good, but poor catches have been made during the past week on account of the boisterous weather.

Can You Use \$2500.00?

If to purchase your tickets now for the sweepstakes on the Masonic-B.I.S. Billiard Tournament. Games start in October. Tickets only 10c. each—10 tickets for \$1.00, sent post prepaid. sept24,60d,1f

S.S. Rosalind in Port

S.S. Rosalind, Capt. James arrived in port shortly after 9 a.m. from Halifax and New York bringing a full freight including a large quantity of fruit and vegetables. The following passengers arrived:—Eleanor News, Alva Brazil, Abraham Snow, Aubrey Snow, Israel Goldstone, Vincent Fleming, Edith Brennan, David Edwards, Stanley Hawkins, Mary Hawkins, Simon Hurst, Robert Charlton, Ella Charlton, Esther Bishop, George Burke, Norman Ennis, Katherine Scott, Alice Miller, Max Hoffer, Watson Hill, John McGrath, Joseph Smith, Gordon Thompson, James Stewart, Charles Bruce, Emily Turpin, Albert Locke, George Winter, John Gardiner, Katherine Gardner, Samuel Thorne, Rachel Thorne, William Hall, Emma Morgan, Edward Morgan, Stephen Corbett, Patrick Brennan, James Drover, Walter Murphy, James Browning.

Oporto Stocks

	Oct. 5	Sept. 28
British	30,572	36,172
Consumption	8,800	7,314
Norwegian	18,000	20,628
Consumption	2,388	2,685

Cooking With Comfort

"One of the many fine features about Crisco" says Miss Olive Allen "is that it does not smoke in deep frying, nor does it smell like ordinary fats." When cooking with Crisco, the deliciously digestible fat, the news of what's cooking in the kitchen need not be known in any other part of the house. In several other respects, Crisco is superior. Your grocer will recommend Crisco—more than likely his wife sits at home. At all Grocers. Sole Agent: Gerald S. Doyle. sept17,4b,1f

Newfoundland's Track Team for the Big Road Race at Halifax, October 17th: Entry No. 1 Jack Bell; Entry No. 2 Ron O'Toole; Entry No. 3 Gower Stone; Entry No. 4 J. Ralph. We don't know what their TIME will be but we feel confident their time will be a winner in the Halifax-Marathon Sweep. oct7,4f

Magistrate's Court

A man given in charge by his wife for being disorderly in her home, was allowed to go. The wife failed to appear against him.

A tenant of Rosalind's Lane had her landlord summoned before court this morning for assaulting her on Oct. 6th. The complainant in her evidence stated that the defendant made a stroke at her with a hatchet, which missed her head and struck her in the back. The defendant with his wife further assaulted the woman and taking her by the head and feet, ejected her from the house. Two independent witnesses who live in the same range also gave evidence which corroborated the complainant's story. The landlord, who is over seventy years of age, was given a sound lecture by the judge for such a flagrant breach of law and order, and for treating the unfortunate woman in the manner that he did. A fine of \$25.00 and costs was imposed, or in default 30 days imprisonment.

New Barristers and Solicitors

When the Supreme Court opened this morning, Messrs. W. B. Skinner, J. G. Muir and Hugh Garland were admitted to the bar on motion of Mr. W. R. Howley, K.C. They were first admitted as Solicitors, and then as Barristers, following the practice recently introduced. Formerly a candidate after becoming solicitor was obliged to wait a year before enrollment as a barrister.

Mr. Garland was first presented by Mr. Howley who intimated that he had passed an especially creditable examination the results of which were equal to the best attained by any former candidate. Mr. Muir, who was next presented for enrollment, was congratulated by Mr. Howley on the results of his exams. The third motion was for the admission of Mr. Skinner who, Mr. Howley said, had passed a creditable examination, attaining honors.

As each candidate was sworn, he donned the gown and each in turn was presented as a barrister. The Chief Justice afterwards extended congratulations and made special reference to Mr. Garland who was the first student entitled under the new regulations to be admitted as solicitor and barrister simultaneously. Mr. Garland is son of the late W. E. Garland, Esq., Solicitor, Dublin, grandson of the late W. P. Walsh and nephew of Mr. Justice Kent. He studied with Messrs. Blackwood, Emerson and Winter.

Mr. Muir is son of the late Charles F. Muir, a former Councillor. He is prominent in athletic and theatrical circles. We understand he takes up the practice of his profession at once with offices in Muir Building.

Mr. Skinner the son of Mr. Thos. B. Skinner is the champion billiard player of this city. His law examination shows that he has been an attentive and efficient student. He studied with Mr. J. G. Hilgins.

The new barristers and solicitors are ex-pupils of St. Bon's College. The Telegram, in extending congratulations with them every success in their profession.

Will Run Weekly Service

Beginning Saturday, the 10th, the Canada Steamship Line will run a weekly service from Montreal to St. John's, for the balance of the month. The first sailing will be S.S. Ceuta, leaving Montreal Oct. 10th. She will be followed by S.S. Humberwood, sailing Oct. 17th. Both ships will call at Charlottetown. S.S. Alredale leaves Montreal, Oct. 24th, for St. John's direct, followed by S.S. Ceuta on Oct. 31st, via Charlottetown.

Personals

Miss Edith Bremner, who has been residing in Boston the past four years, arrived by the Rosalind this morning to spend a vacation with her father, Mr. Arthur Mews, C.M.G., arrived by the Rosalind this morning. Miss Mews has been attending the Toronto Conservatory of Music.

Lieut. Jack McGrath, M.C. nephew of Sir P. T. McGrath, arrived from England via Halifax by the Rosalind to-day. Mr. McGrath has been receiving treatment for the past four months for an old wound received in the war and returns home greatly improved.

Plans for Brewery Received

Plans have been received from England for the erection of a brewery in St. John's, to which a reference was made some weeks ago in the Telegram. The company is known as the Dominion Brewing Co., Ltd. Three sites are under consideration, and as soon as a selection has been made the work of construction will begin.

The quality warrants the name "Perfect" Baking Powder. oct5,22,nov5,19

Supreme Court

(Before Chief Justice Herwood and Mr. Justice Kent.)

Mr. Howley, K.C. motions for an order nisi directed to Judge Morris to show cause as to why the record in the case of the Minister of Finance vs. Sir Richard Squires should not be brought certiorari (for the purpose of making more certain) on the grounds that the Magistrate had no jurisdiction. Mr. Howley read an affidavit of Sir Richard Squires setting forth particulars of the trial and the imposition. The affidavit set forth that a question of law arose regarding the Judge's jurisdiction. Mr. Howley asked for an order nisi returnable on Friday or Saturday of next week. It was ordered that an order proceed on Friday, the 16th, at 11 a.m.

A Most Successful Dance

The Felidian Club dance which was held in Spencer College Hall last night, was attended by about sixty couples, and was in every way a brilliant success. Artistic decorations, novelties of various kinds, the splendid music of the Prince's Orchestra, and the delicious refreshments provided by the Felidian Ladies' Association all helped to make the evening pass all too quickly. The elimination dance was won by Miss Douglas Bruce and Mr. J. Herder. During the supper extra Mr. C. Morale presided at the piano, and the duties of floor managers throughout the evening were ably performed by Messrs. Ron Martin and M. G. Winter, Jr.

Government Boats

Argyle left Burin 2 p.m. yesterday, outward. Clyde left Springdale 4.40 p.m. yesterday, inward. Glenace—No report leaving Port aux Basques.

Home leaving Lewisporte to-morrow. Kyle left Port aux Basques last night.

Malskoff arrived at Port Blandford 2.15 a.m.

Portia arrived from the westward at 12 o'clock.

Prospero left Change Islands 8 a.m., coming south.

Sagana arrived at Greenspond 4 a.m., coming south.

The Folders distributed by the Harkins Co. announcing farewell week, Nov. 12th, should read Oct. 12th. oct8,1f

At Dances

It is interesting to notice that the better dressed woman, the correctly attired lady, invariably uses the beautiful Three Flowers Compact, its very appearance is aristocratic, while its fragrant and appealing odor is just what particular women require. Three Flowers Compacts will be found more in evidence at dances and parties than any other. In the hand bags of fashion's most popular women Three Flowers Compacts will always be found. This little gold-finished case finds a popular position on the dressing-tables of the most fastidious women—oct8,1f

SHIPPING LOCAL AND FOREIGN

S.S. Silvia is due at New York to-day and leaves again on Saturday on the return trip via Halifax.

S.S. Humberwood left at 4 p.m. yesterday for Montreal via Sydney.

S.S. Ceuta leaves Montreal on Saturday for this port via Charlottetown. S.S. Hethpool, en route from Boston, leaves Halifax on Saturday and is due here Monday.

S.S. Canadian Sapper sailed early this morning for Montreal via Ingonish.

S.S. Newfoundland leaves Liverpool on Tuesday next for this port.

S.S. Sachem sails from here for Liverpool, Oct. 15th.

S.S. Lark is due at Halifax to-day en route to St. John, N.B., and Montreal.

S.S. Dargo left New York yesterday and leaves Boston to-day for Halifax and this port.

S.S. Lab arrived at Port Union at 2 p.m. yesterday, to complete her fish cargo. The ship left Twillingate at 10 p.m. Monday and was delayed by storm.

S.S. Nascope is due in a few days from Hudson's Bay and Baffin Land. She will go to England from this port. S.S. Lab arrived from Port Union at 11 a.m. and began immediately to load fish for Mediterranean ports.

Schn. General Wood has sailed from Miramichi for Oporto with 5,000 qts. codfish, shipped by Harris Trading Co.

Hot Roast Chicken and Partridge served daily at Liddy's. Phone 14F2. sept22,1f

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES

RUSSO-GERMAN COMMERCIAL AGREEMENT.

BERLIN, Aug. 8. President Von Hindenburg informed the Soviet Foreign Minister, M. Tschichirin, during a conversation yesterday, that the German Ambassador in Moscow had been authorized to sign a Russo-German commercial agreement.

CANTON TROOPS CLASH WITH ANTI-RED FORCES

SHANGHAI, Oct. 8. A Japanese report received here says that Canton troops clashed with the forces of the anti-Red General, Chen Chuang Min, in Shanghai District, on October 3. It is believed the battle resulted in numerous casualties.

AMERICA MEETS HER DEBTORS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 8. The experts of the Czechoslovakian and American Debt Commissions devoted their time yesterday to an examination of the records covering loans made by the United States to Czechoslovakia, but apparently made little progress towards a solution of the differences between the two governments as to the amount.

KRIM IN THE PINCERS.

FEZ, Oct. 3. The French and Spanish troops are now in full contact having completed a wide encircling movement extending from the Kifane Adir sector to the western section of Abd-el-Krim's front. The troops may find it necessary to take up permanent positions because of the torrential rains.

Home Sweet Home

A report that a family in squalid surroundings was located on the South Side Hill was made to the police this morning and a Constable was sent to investigate. After a difficult search among the shacks, he located the dwelling. It was occupied by a man and woman who were married some time last year. The building, according to the Constable's calculations, measures 7 feet long, 6 feet wide and 3 high on the uprights. It is saddle roof and five feet high to the peak. The occupants could not stand upright. The door admitted light and the dwelling was furnished with a bunk, small stove, lantern and a couple of mugs. Rags and boughs lined the mud floor. The owner of the dwelling belonged to Cappahayden and is working at the Dry Dock.

Ellerdale's Damages Probably Extensive

PROSPERO COMING SOUTH. A message from Capt. Smith of S.S. Ellerdale, to Messrs. Bowring Bros., Agents, was received yesterday afternoon, stating that 17 feet of water was in No. 1 hold, and 6 feet in No. 2. The Captain fears the damages to her bottom are very extensive, but as she now lies at present there is no further danger. The captain and the crew are all on board, and awaiting the arrival of a surveyor. A representative of the ship's owners is coming from England and is due at New York on Wednesday next. The Prospero, which did good work in locating the Ellerdale, and being that she was safely beached, left St. Anthony at 5.30 yesterday afternoon, to continue her service. The Prospero is due in port to-morrow morning.

McMurdo's Store News.

CONVENIENT PROMPT RELIABLE. If we were reputed to be prompt but not reliable, or reliable without being prompt, our reputation would bring us only a business failure. Instead we have built up a reputation for being convenient and reliable.

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THE TRAINS.—Tuesday's express arrived at Port aux Basques 6.30 last night; the express with Kyle's passengers, reached the city at 1.45 p.m.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The Mother Superior, Bellevue Convent, gratefully acknowledges the receipt of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) towards the Annual Collection, from Brigus Parish, per Rev. Dr. Murphy, P.P.

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United Fishermen Want Higher Prices for Fish

GREENSPOND, Oct. 8. Special to Evening Telegram.

Field public meeting last night at Greenspond hall concerning the price of fish. The meeting not satisfied with the slump and we are determined to hold out for a square deal to all; namely \$5.50 for Labrador cure. If market does not warrant above prices, give us bonus as promised—Walter Carter, Mark Bragg, Henry Burry, Peter S. Carter, Llewellyn Kean.

CHANGE OF SAILING NOTICE S.S. PORTIA.

Ship will leave Bowring's Coastal Wharf, at noon on Saturday, Oct. 10th, taking up South Coast and St. Mary's Bay service. As Portia will not call at Argentia, passengers must join ship at St. John's on Saturday. oct8,1f

From Cape Race

Special Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-Day. Wind E.N.E. strong, weather dull, a steamer passed in at four, another at five a.m. Bar 29.50; Ther. 52.

SYMPATHY.

Ease the family's Sorrow, send FLOWERS. Wreaths delivered promptly. Prices reasonable. Valley Nurseries, Ltd. Night Phone 2111M. Phone 1513. mar5,60d

BORN.

At the Grace Maternity Hospital, on Oct. 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Simmons, Pleasant Street, a daughter.

MARRIED.

On September 24th, at St. Joseph's Church, Holytown, by Rev. Fr. Pippy, Isabel Walsh to Frank Barron, both of this city.

DIED.

On October 7th, after a long illness, Lillie, adopted daughter of Mrs. (Capt.) J. Jackson, 148 Pleasant St., young daughter of Ambrose and the late Margaret Shea, of Pouch Cove, aged 20 years.—R.I.P.—Funeral notice later.

This morning, after a short illness, Elizabeth, aged 75 years, relict of the late Edwin W. Lyon. Funeral on Saturday, at 3 p.m., from her daughter's residence, 124 Military Road.

Passed peacefully away on Wednesday 7th inst., after a long illness, the well-known Contractor and Builder, Henry George Herder, leaving to mourn a wife, three children, George, Jack and Dorothy, all at home. Funeral Friday, at 2.45 p.m., from his late residence, 12 Pleasant Street. Friends and relatives please attend without further notice. "Gone to be with Jesus."

FUNERAL NOTICE. The funeral of the late Mr. M. Searle will take place on Friday at 2.30 from his son's residence, Mundy Pond Road, near Mount Royal Avenue.

IN LOVING MEMORY of Elijah beloved husband of Clara Morris who died October 8th, 1919.

Days of sadness will come o'er us Tears in silence often flow: For memory keeps you ever near us Though you died six years ago. —Inserted by his wife and children.

IN LOVING MEMORY of my dear brother 3283 Pte. Levi M. Nichols killed in action Oct. 8th, 1917 somewhere in France.

He sleeps not in his native land But under foreign skies Far from those who loved him best In a heroes grave he lies. We think of him in silence And his name we often call There is nothing left to answer But his photo on the wall. —Inserted by his sister.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. Jas. Braddy and family, 199 Summer St., wish to thank the Staff of Broadway House of Fashion, Stella Larney, Mrs. Odle, Mrs. Pearl Auchincloss also the following for wreaths, Mrs. Jas. Phelan, and family, Mrs. Eric Austin and family, Mrs. Elijah Coombs, Mrs. Field and family, Mrs. Douglas Munro, Miss Violet Jones, Mrs. Fred Oakley, and the following from Mr. Grace, Mrs. Jno. Blocham, Jr., Miss Lou Lee Whiting, Mrs. Leo Pike, Mr. Thos. Brown, Mr. Fred Morris, Miss Gertrude Davis (organist) also for letters of sympathy, Gover St. E.G.S.S. Class, members of Edith Cavell Lodge, Rev. Hammond Johnson, Dr. B. F. Moore, and all others who assisted in any way in the death of their son and brother, John Braddy.—Boston papers please copy.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. Dillon wish to thank Drs. Fallon and Grievie, the Rev. Father Sumner, sisters and nurses, Sullivan, Williams, Dunne, and Whitty for their kindness and attention to their daughter Bride during her stay at St. Clare's Mercy Hospital and all kind friends who visited her, also Mrs. Patrick Murphy for use of phone.

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