



Evening Telegram

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Compulsory Vaccination.

The letter of Canon Noel which we publish in this issue is deserving of consideration. In England vaccination is compulsory, except in a certain defined case. Within six months of birth the child must be vaccinated under a penalty, unless the parent makes a statutory declaration that he conscientiously believes that the vaccination would be hurtful to the health of the child. Public vaccinators are appointed to vaccinate children free of charge to the parent.

On the question Does Vaccination Protect Against Small-Pox, Dr. Newholme says:—
"The registration of deaths for the whole country only began in 1837, and before this period death-rates from small-pox in terms of the population cannot be accurately stated. Since that time there has been less or more vaccination, so that it is difficult to obtain a true comparison between periods with and without vaccination. Some indication of the fact in London prior to 1801, when the first English census was taken, may be obtained from the fact that in 1796 (two years before the date of Jenner's "Inquiry") small-pox reached its highest point, causing 18½ deaths out of every 100 total deaths from all causes. In the pre-vaccination period small-pox was 9 times as fatal as measles, and 7½ times as fatal as whooping-cough (McVail), while since vaccination has been practised it has sunk in an insignificant position, when compared with these diseases. Dr. Guy found that in London there were in 48 years of the nineteenth century ten epidemics, in the whole of the eighteenth century 19 epidemics, and in the nineteenth century no epidemic during which the deaths from small-pox caused one-tenth or more than one-tenth of the total deaths from all causes in any year. The worst year under obligatory vaccination in London was 1871, in which barely 4½ per cent. of the total deaths was due to small-pox, a proportion which was exceeded in the eighteenth century ninety-three times."

Objection is taken to vaccination for small-pox on the ground that serious diseases such as Syphilis, erysipelas and tuberculosis may be inoculated at the same time. With lymph obtained from healthy children this is impossible. Most of the cases of infection described have been in reality hereditary disease, the local irritation of vaccination serving to call into activity the morbid tendencies of the child. The risk of such infection is infinitesimal; it may be reduced to zero by moderate care and attention to detail. With modern antiseptic methods, it is very rare for a vaccination sore to "go wrong." Erysipelas may be inoculated from dirt getting into a vaccination sore, as it may be into any other sore; but with cleanliness this need not occur; and in fact, very seldom does occur. The

risks are so small as to be negligible; and if the protection afforded is one tithe of what is claimed for it, no parent is justified in withholding this protection from his infant.

Their Majesties Return.

Special Evening Telegram.
PORTSMOUTH, To-day.
H. M. S. Medina arrived at Spithead yesterday, fourteen hours in advance of schedule time.

Supreme Court.

(Before Chief Justice.)
Ad. A. Giovanni vs. Greg. J. Giovanni.

This is a motion for judgment. Mr. Furlong, K.C., states that an agreement has been made for a judgment for dissolution of partnership and referred to a master, Mr. Kent. K.C. It is ordered accordingly.

D. Morrison vs. F. J. Tarelin.

This is a motion for judgment by Mr. Furlong, K.C. The Court takes the motion into consideration.

Last Championship Match To-morrow.

Mr. George Downs Dead.

His many friends in the city will read with regret the account of the death of Mr. Geo. Downs, formerly a well known athlete and contestant in the walking matches held in this city. In 1910 he took first place in Christmas and since then gradually wasted away from consumption. Deceased, who was son of Mr. Robert Downs and was 27 years of age, resided on Hamilton Street, and leaves a widow and three young children. Mr. Downs was a general favorite among athletes and has taken part in most of the prominent sporting events which have taken place in this city. In 1910 he took first place in the twenty mile walking match. Previous to that he took second and third place consecutively. He was employed with Mr. Ed. Sinnott as book-keeper. The Telegram extends its condolence.

Wireless From Corinthian.

Messrs. Shea & Co. had a wireless message this forenoon from the Allan liner Corinthian, which left here for Glasgow at 1 p.m. yesterday. The message stated that after the ship left here she went east and steamed through 30 miles of ice. The ice then appeared to be heavy and the ship went south about, steaming 90 miles before she cleared the ice, getting away from it this morning. The ship advises vessels east bound to keep the coast to Cape Race and then go 40 miles south of the Virgin. Some patches of the ice about 25 miles east of Cape Race. Ice was very heavy. Passengers on board all well.

Kamjford Still Unreported.

Up to press hour to-day no news had been received of the S. S. Kamjford. She left Sydney coal laden for Job Bros. & Co. on Friday week and since not a word has been heard of her. The belief of most nautical men is that she is caught in the heavy slob ice reported in the Gulf. Others fear that she is broken down, and if such is the case the vessel would be in a serious position.

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Here and There.

WILL BE DOCKED.—The Nellie M. will go on dock this week for repairs.

The annual Sale of Papers will be held in the City Club to-morrow, Tuesday, evening at 8 o'clock.—Feb. 21

COMING BY BRUCE.—Mr. Walter S. Monroe is coming by the S. S. Bruce, having sent word to this effect to his bookkeeper.

SCARLET FEVER.—A case of scarlet fever developed at the house of Mr. A. Gibb last Saturday. The young girl is being nursed at home.

Buy your WRESTLING TICKETS To-day.

STEAMERS AT COVE.—The S. S. Othar and S. S. Progress, both arrived at Port Cove this morning, the ice having cleared out of the bay at daylight.

T. A. HALL, To-night—hear Miss Jennie Power recite "The Curfew Bell," at the play of Home Rule for Ireland. Admission, 20, 30, 40 and 50c.—Feb. 5, 11

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T. A. HALL, To-night—See Terry Murphy, the Buccaloon, in Irish dances at the play of Home Rule for Ireland. Admission, 20, 30, 40 and 50c.—Feb. 5, 11

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.—Three boys and a girl of the Butt family of Quill Vid road developed scarlet fever Saturday, and were taken to the Hospital.

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Under the auspices of the St. Mary's branch of the W. A. M. A., a TEA and ENTERTAINMENT will be held in the Parish Hall on Thursday, Feb. 8th. Teas will be served from 6 to 7 p.m. Admission 40 cts.—Jan. 531.

Silverware at half price. We are now displaying in our window a pretty assortment of silverware which we are offering at half price; this is your chance to get something nice for your house. R. H. Trappell. Feb. 5, 11

READY FOR PERAMBUCO.—The General Laurie, Capt. Matthews, cleared for Perambuco to-day with 1,395 drums and 2,185 half drums. She will sail to-morrow if the conditions are favorable.

T. A. Hall, to-night, B. F. Moore's masterpiece, "Home Rule for Ireland." A great play and a masterly caste. Admission, 20, 30, 40 and 50 cents ii.

INVERMORE'S PASSENGERS.—The S. S. Invermore arrived at Placentia yesterday bringing Miss Tibbo, Mr. Horwood, Capt. Petties, John Dalton, James Roberts, James Vigus, John Currie, W. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Bonnell, Capt. White, Mr. Brown, M. Tibbo, Mrs. Summers and 4 second class.

Soup Tureens, Fruit Disks, Salad Bowls, Candelabras, Sweet Trays, Napkin Rings, Photo Frames, Fancy Clocks and a great variety of other articles, half price, at Trappell's. Feb. 5, 11

DIED.

This morning, after a brief illness, George Joseph, only and beloved son of Robert and Mary Downs, aged 27 years, leaving a wife and one child father and mother, and a large circle of friends to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 38 Hamilton St. Boston papers please copy. Rest in Peace. Friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice. Sunday morning, Mrs. Jennie Reid, a native of Old Perilgan, but for many years residing in Boston, aged 85 years. Funeral will take place to-morrow, Tuesday, 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 54 Barter's Hill.

On Saturday morning, Feb. 3rd, at Greenspond, after a short illness, Joseph Young, brother of the late Capt. Lewis Young, age 62; leaving one daughter and 2 sons (one residing in the city) to mourn his sad loss.

Last night, at the General Hospital, of Appendicitis, Mrs. Aaron Bagden, of Catalina.

An Appreciation.

Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE BROYLE, To-Day.
The people of Cape Broyle and outlying settlements, wish to express their heartfelt appreciation and thanks to the Reid Brothers for their princely gift to suffering humanity, and being the first of its kind in which the outposts were included, we can but pray it may be returned to them a million fold. Long life and greater success to the Reid Brothers is the wish of Cape Broyle and outlying settlements. **CAPE BROYLE.**

The Police Court.

To hear the case in which Mr. Andrew Carnell was involved, to-day the court room was crowded with citizens. Every available seat was filled and a large number stood along by the sides of the room. The Municipal Council summoned three business people of Water Street for neglecting to keep their sidewalks clear of snow. All three were let off on paying costs.

A disorderly was fined \$1 or 3 days, and another was fined \$2 or 7 days. Const. O'Flaherty summoned Mr. Andrew Carnell for drunkenness and disorderly conduct on the night of Wednesday last, the 31st ult. The charge was made as the result of an encounter between Mr. Carnell and the officer, in which the latter followed Mr. Carnell up in his own premises and throwing him to the ground handcuffed and placed him under arrest. Friends of Mr. Carnell having telephoned Inspector Gen. Sullivan, the officer was ordered to release Mr. Carnell, which he did, later summoning him. On the charge preferred to-day the evidence of Const. Tulk, who was with O'Flaherty, was taken, and Mr. Chas. Duder testified for Mr. Carnell, stating that he (accused) was sober and acting in an orderly manner when the arrest was made, and that the remarks made by Mr. Carnell to the officer were made in a jocose manner. There were nine other witnesses ready to be heard for the defence, but after Mr. Duder had given his evidence the Judge dismissed the case. Mr. W. Wood, K.C., appeared for the defence. I. G. Sullivan conducted the case for the prosecution.

Coastal Boats.
REID NPLD. CO.
The Bruce left Glasgow at 11 a.m. yesterday for St. John's.

The Gloucester reached Louisbourg midnight Saturday and left again for Port aux Basques at 6 p.m. yesterday. The Home arrived at Placentia at 9.15 p.m. yesterday from the west. The Invermore arrived at Placentia Saturday night.

BOWING SHIPS.

The Fortia left St. Lawrence at 10 a.m. to-day and is due here to-morrow night.

Railway News.

The west bound express left Bishop's Falls at 1 p.m. to-day.
No. 1 rotary plow, coming east, left St. George's at 11 a.m. to-day.
No. 2 rotary, coming east, also left Benton at 9 a.m.
Bonavista and Placentia branches are open.

Here and There.

STRAITS STILL FILLED.—Flowing's Cove, To-day—Strong breezes to moderate gales, N. to W. Light snow falls, continued cold to-day and on Tuesday.

GIRL INJURED.—A ten year old girl of St. John's, named Flander, was seriously injured by an accident at St. George's Saturday. She will be brought on here by the next incoming express.

TIDEWATER BOARDED HER.—The Assistant Collector, Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, had a message Saturday evening from the sub-collector at Botwood saying that he had sent a Tidewater on board the Tritoula. She was then 15 miles from that place and the Customs officer boarded her Friday evening last. The ice in which the ship was then jammed was very heavy.

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PERCIE JOHNSON.

Cable News

Special Evening Telegram.

BELGRADE, Feb. 5.

LONDON, Feb. 5.
A railway bridge was blown up by a train, which was wrecked and overturned. It is not known whether or handits are responsible.

MONTREAL, Feb. 5.
A cable to-day to President now in this city, stated that Bruce sailed from the Clyde and would at once take her route from Sydney to Tasques.

LONDON, Feb. 5.
Speaking here, Lloyd George claimed that reports of a split in the British Cabinet were unfounded and assured the audience that the existence of an alleged feud between Premier Asquith and himself was mythical.

NANKING, Feb. 5.
President Sun Yat Sen is expected that a satisfactory settlement of revolution will be effected in days. The official Gazette says rioting occurred at Sun Sen. Stationary troops there ran amuck and killing twenty people.

LEIPZIG, Feb. 5.
Bertrand Stewart, a prominent wealthy London lawyer, was found guilty of espionage and sentenced to a half year's imprisonment in a fortress. The trial lasted three days. When the verdict was announced, Stewart cried, "I am innocent and want everybody in England to know it."

BELFAST, Feb. 5.
Elaborate arrangements have been made by which, on the day of Home Rule meeting, those parties in the city in which disturbances likely to occur will be placed in the hands of the military who will line the main thoroughfares to Celtic Park, and guard the streets.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.
The Pacific Coast cities, from Diego, California to Vancouver, themselves to-day confronted Chinese Tong war. Three men already been killed by merces. The leaders of the great Chinese cities have made ready to defend themselves and avenge their deaths. While the Tong war is a serious affair, it interrupts business and the Orientals.

PORTSMOUTH, Feb. 5.
Attempts to save the submarine A 3, which sank yesterday near after collision with the gunboat, were again made yesterday morning. Fog impeded the attempts. Several steamers from Government dockyards are on spot with a large number of divers, some of whom have a gone below to examine the boat. It is unlikely that the boat be raised for several days, they are not fitted with appliances that purpose.

Not Correct

The crew of the Nellie Louise, tain Burke, are indignant over item that appeared in the Daily this morning saying that they could not sail on account of the absenting themselves. There is word of truth in this. The crew all sober men and were on duty since Thursday morning. The crew called at our office morning and strongly requested we retract the report. The item that it would be inferred from item that they were all drunk, as the captain and crew are strictly sober men.

Typewriting Tests

An examination in typewriting place at the Mercy Convent, Road, last week. It was won by Hon. John Harris, Mr. Johnson and Mr. M. W. Purlon as a result prizes were awarded the following: Bride Mullin, highest speed on Underwood, writer and a special prize for speed in class; Margaret North, highest speed on Smith Premier; Gertrude Mermer for best dictated letter; F. Channing for best dictated legal document.

FEILD-SPENCER "AT HOME"
The ladies of the Feild-Spencer association are holding an "At Home" in the British Hall on Thursday 14th. Everybody is invited tickets, gentlemen, \$1.00; 50c. for this popular event. sold at Gray & Goodland's or bers of Committee. Dancing 8 o'clock. Refreshments during evening.—Feb. 4, 1912.

ONLY TWO ARRESTS.
streets were very orderly last night and only two arrests made.