



## Evening Telegram

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Wednesday, November 5, 1919.

### The Election Feeling.

Perhaps at no time in the history of a country does the feeling of a people reveal itself so much as at a general election, and this is particularly so in Newfoundland, and although in this election we have reason to be thankful for the absence of much that characterized other elections, the feeling during the present time of writing is very intense, more especially so as results to hand, so far indicate a rather exciting finish. This election feeling is peculiar to itself, and as a rule infects all classes. In it the "sport" finds numerous chances for the turning over of a little money. In fact it is evident at this election that there is rather too much of the betting evil in progress, and in some cases men in higher life, who formerly cried down the evil of gambling, are to-day through their agents, foremost in this particular game of "making" money, and the spread of this menace has been increased by some of the papers who have given such prominence to betting on the results of the contest. While it is but natural that the election results should excite interest, there are some things about it that do not reflect creditably upon our people. Last night hundreds of boys of tender years were around the different counting booths waiting for the announcements of the count, and that such should be out at all hours of the night is anything but creditable. The election feeling will always be strong. The betting passion will be always in prominence, but it surely is possible to keep many of the younger children, at least, in their homes after midnight.

### Mystery (?)

That the Opposition papers should misrepresent the incident near the Institute on Monday last is, of course, natural, but it does seem rather early for the Advocate to talk of mysterious doings and happenings in connection with the battle of the ballots. What are these mysterious doings? We have no doubt but that the mysteries will be easily solved, and we question whether many readers will trouble themselves much about the things to be told in future by the a-mewing Advocate. The intelligent public will be more seriously concerned in the future welfare of their country and themselves should the Squires-Coaker party, by any accident grasp the reins of government. While on this question, perhaps the Advocate may also learn something of the things that were done during the elections by members of the Liberal Reform Party (?) Party. There has always been a bit of mystery over some of the doings of the Coaker-Squiresites, and we shall be able to judge soon, whether the mysteries, so-called, are the wonderful things forecasted in that paper? To this as to the many other questions affecting the Opposition, the people will have to wait and see, as presumably the neces-

sary concoctions are not yet made, wherewith to again try and befool the people.

### Freemen's Choice.

Everybody to-day is anxiously awaiting the next count. Everybody is on the tiptoe of excitement wondering whether Cashin or Coaker is to be the man of the next Government. Squires, of course, will at best be but the servant of Coaker. Our caption is rather a misnomer, especially as applied to many in the northern outports, for there hundreds of the fishermen have their money in the U. T. Company and the other Coaker concerns, that fear for this money induced them to vote against their conscience and mark their ballots in the interests of their master. That such is so we know from personal conversation with some of the shareholders. Such of course is not a freeman's choice, for such a man is forced down by mercenary fear, to give a vote for the people practically foisted upon him by Coaker. Freemen's choice! Should Squires and Coaker get control, then farewell to our present sense of freedom, for soon would we be ensnared in the bonds of confederation. Freemen's choice in this election resulted in the re-election of Cashin and his candidates. Any other result of the present poll is but due to the fear that the fishermen have for their property which is controlled by W. F. Coaker.

### Fined \$50.00.

A large amount of money was in the mail car of the wrecked train near Manuels in the recent accident, and some of it was removed from the car before it burned.

Some thousands of dollars were collected by the Police, but there is still some missing.

Hearing that one of the residents of Manuels had taken some, the Inspector General had a search warrant taken out, and when the Police visited the house of the accused, he handed over \$15.00 and denied having any more. Continuing their search the officers located a further \$85.00 in notes. Arrested and brought to the city, the prisoner came before the Court yesterday afternoon and was fined \$50.00 or two months' imprisonment.

### Old Gloucester Skipper Arrives.

CAPT. W. PARSONS EN ROUTE TO NEWFOUNDLAND TO VISIT SOME OF HIS FRIENDS.

NORTH SYDNEY, Oct. 31. Capt. W. Parsons, of Gloucester, Mass., arrived in town last evening en route to Newfoundland, by S. S. Kyle. He will spend a two months well earned vacation with friends and relatives. Capt. Parsons is one of the most successful fish killers sailing out of Gloucester, and he received a most hearty welcome by his many friends in this town.

### Seaman Injured.

The S. S. Olaf Kyrre, Capt. Jesson, bound from Norway to New York, in ballast, put into port yesterday to land a young seaman, who was badly injured by falling into the hold from between decks. The injured man was brought to hospital in the ambulance.

### Towed to Port.

The trawler La Rosita, which left here a couple of days ago after taking bunker coal, returned again yesterday morning having in tow another trawler which was found with her rudder gone.

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A QUESTION FOR THE HOUSEKEEPER:

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CROCKERY DEPT.

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### Wreckage Picked Up.

Yesterday the Minister of Marine & Fisheries received the following message from Magistrate Roper of Bonaville:—"Head board of small schooner with name Home of the Sea on it, picked up here this morning, no other wreckage."

### Obituary.

There passed peacefully away on Thursday, Oct. 23rd, at his residence, "Hillside Cottage," Trinity, Annie Patience, beloved wife of Kenneth Coffin, of King's Cove, and eldest daughter of Capt. Robert and Mrs. Fowler. The deceased had been in broken health since April past and in June underwent an operation at the General Hospital. She was in her 42nd year, and previous to her marriage was engaged in the teaching profession. She leaves to mourn their loss a husband, father, mother, and seven sisters, Mary at home with her parents; Mrs. O. J. Morris, Trinity; Mrs. W. A. King, Bonaville; Mrs. H. R. Lilly, St. John's; Rachel, telegraph operator, Trinity; Catherine at Spencer College, and Elita May, telegraph operator at Catalina. The family of the deceased wish to express their sincere appreciation of all the kindness shown to her by friends and those at the General Hospital, and also to those who so kindly sent messages of sympathy and floral offerings in their sad bereavement. Interment took place at Christ Church Cemetery, Trinity East, on Sunday, Oct. 26th.

### Sable I's Passengers.

The S. S. Sable I sailed this morning for Sydney, taking the following passengers:—Wilted Ivany, Mrs. J. C. Strang, Sgt. J. Perkinson, R. W. Norman, L. D. Reynolds, C. Power, Mrs. P. Shea, Miss A. Duff, J. O. Lariviere, C. W. Blair, A. E. Claesson, E. F. Clarke, Mrs. A. Baldwin, Miss H. Baldwin, Mr. M. Baldwin, Mrs. G. Kerr, (2) Miss Kerr, D. B. Falkner, Sister Theresa, Sister Aloysia, Miss Minnie Ray, W. J. Sweeney, Mrs. W. J. Sweeney and child, Capt. Lendegram.

### McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 5th, '19.

McMurdo's Quinine Hair Tonic has the merit of being different enough from other recipes for hair tonics to be labeled as a distinct class. It certainly has been most successful as a stimulator to the growth of the hair; it puts the scalp in good condition; and it makes the hair soft and fluffy, being a dressing as well as a tonic. For those who want to have a stronger or more luxuriant growth of hair, we recommend this daintily perfumed preparation. Price 60c. a bottle.

We have just opened a consignment of Evans' Throat Pastilles, the familiar ones made up after the formula of the Liverpool Throat Hospital, and probably the most popular lozenge of its kind. Price 40c. a box.

### An Early Hint for Christmas.

CHEAP BUT CHARMING PRESENTS CAN BE "GROWN" IN YOUR OWN HOME.

Before very long we shall all be racking our brains what to give for Christmas presents, and few things are more acceptable to the house-proud woman than a charming bowl of bulbs just coming into flower.

Now is the time to plant them, and the bulb trade is quite busy again, so you are sure of getting what you want.

Roman, French, and Italian hyacinths, daffodils, and early dwarf tulips are some of the best bulbs to grow in pots and bowls. Many of the narcissi straggle too much to look well in pots and bowls. You may use any suitable ornament for your gift. What could look more charming than an old-fashioned willow-patterned sauceboat, or vegetable-dish filled with Golden Spur Daffodils?

At the bottom of the bowl, or dish, place some clean stones, or small pieces of broken crocks, and on this arrange enough fibre, or other mixture, to be bought at all nurseries. To hold your bulbs firmly in place, their noses should be only just seen above the surface of whatever material you are using. After planting, leave the fibre nicely damp, and keep it in that condition; at no period of their growth must the bulbs be too wet or too dry.

Place the bulbs in a cupboard that is frequently opened, but dark. They like plenty of air, but must have darkness to induce plenty of root growth. This means good blooms. When the top growth begins to make headway, the bowls must come into the light, but only by degrees. It is the greatest mistake to place them right away into a sunny window, or anywhere in a strong light. The corner of the room should be their first home for a few days, then the center table, and finally the window. If you wish to hold back the bloom for a week or so, keep them in moderate light until you make your little gift.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

### Here and There.

When you want Sausages, why—get ELLIS'; they're the best.

POLICE COURT.—A clean docket to-day.

Coughs and Colds are very prevalent at present. Try Phoratone at STAFFORD'S, Theatre Hill.—oct4,tt

AT THE CROSBIE.—The following are guests at the Crosbie:—Kathleen R. Casey, S. Foote, W. H. Collins, Mrs. J. Casey, N. M. Young.

Try Phoratone for that nasty Cough and Cold you have. Price 30c., at STAFFORD'S Drug Store.—oct4,tt

DOUBLE BIGAMY CASE.—A Preliminary enquiry into an alleged double bigamy case, will be held before Judge Morris this evening at 8 o'clock.

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AT THE BALSAM PLACE.—The following are guests at the Balsam Place:—A. W. McEvoy, Montreal; M. Hollett, Burin; R. H. Trapnell, Los Angeles, Cal.; W. H. Greenland, Coler's Point; V. DeDominices, New York; Sam Rowell, Placentia; Mrs. M. Muir, Toronto; G. Batten and wife, Barened; Moses Bartlett, Briggs; Mrs. L. C. Leighton, Stillwater, Inc., W.S.

An Entertainment by the Pupils of the Academy of Our Lady of Mercy, Military Road, will be held at the Casino Theatre on Wednesday, Nov. 26th. Elaborate preparations are being made by the young ladies to have their opera an unprecedented success.—nov5,21

NOTE OF THANKS.—William Campbell and family desire to express their sincere thanks to all friends and relatives who so kindly sent messages and comforting letters of sympathy during their sad bereavement; also to the following for their kindness in sending beautiful wreaths to adorn the casket of a dear wife and mother:—

Sir John and Lady Crosbie, Women's Missionary Society of George Street Church, George Neal, Mrs. Henderson, Messrs. Campbell & McKay, Mr. Edwin Whiteaway and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. A. Patrick, Miss Ethel Lindstrom, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Macpherson, Captain and Mrs. Jolliffe, Mr. and Mrs. E. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Withycombe.

### Supreme Court.

(Present—Full Bench.)

Nfid. Shipbuilding Co. vs. Michael Martin, Def.

Mr. Justice Johnson gave judgement for plaintiff for \$20,831.10, and a counter claim for defendant for \$344.20. It is ordered that judgement be entered accordingly with costs to plaintiff.

Wm. A. Mann, Plaintiff, vs. Geo. Hawes, Defendant.

Mr. H. A. Winter for plaintiff moves for a day in December.

Mr. L. E. Emerson does not object. It is ordered that Saturday, December 6th, 1919, be set down. The court adjourned until to-morrow, November 6th.

### Coastal Boats.

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The S. S. Susu left port this morning for the usual route.

### GOVERNMENT.

S. S. Prospero left Pillay's Island at 5.30 p.m. yesterday, coming south. The S. S. Portia sails to-morrow morning.

### REIDS'

Argyle no report since leaving Placentia.

Clyde left Lewisporte at 7.30 a.m.

Undee left Port Blandford at 2.55 p.m. yesterday.

Elkie no report since leaving Bonne Bay on the 1st.

Glencoe arrived at Port aux Basques at 10.45 a.m. yesterday.

Home leaving Lewisporte to-day.

Kyle due at Port aux Basques.

Meigle at Port aux Basques.

Sagana leaving St. John's at 2 p.m. to-day.

Petrel left Clarendville at 12.10 p.m. yesterday.

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### Wedding Bells.

Heart's Delight was the scene of a pretty wedding on October 31st, when Miss Elfreda Reid, daughter of Mrs. Sarah and the late Stephen Reid, of that place, became the bride of Mr. A. E. Whitten, of St. John's. The bride, leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Joseph Reid, who gave her away, entered the church while a wedding march was being played, the organist for the occasion being Miss Florrie Drover. The bride was attended by Miss Mabel Reid as maid of honor, Miss Lucy Hobbs and Miss Lucy Legge. The bride's dress was of white net over cream satin, and she carried a beautiful bouquet. The bridesmaid was supported by Mr. Walter Reid and Mr. Jethro Reid. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rector of the Parish, the Rev. E. M. Bishop. The church had been beautifully decorated by loving hands and added dignity to the occasion. A large congregation was present at the service, and the singing of the marriage hymn was hearty and impressive. For several years the bride had given much time to church work in Heart's Delight. A member of the Women's Association, a Sunday School teacher, and organist of St. Matthew's Church, she was also teacher of the Primary Dept. of the High School here. To one who so lovingly and faithfully carried out her many duties there goes the gratitude and sincerest good wishes of the church people of Heart's Delight, and they desire to express the wish that the years before her may be as full of happiness as those behind her were of service. The wedding presents were numerous and costly. Several cheques were included, among them being a substantial one from the bride's sister living in Halifax. Especially appreciated were the presents from the Women's Association, St. Matthew's congregation, the day school and Sunday school, Mr. and Mrs. Whitten left for St. John's a few days after the wedding. They have the best wishes of the community for a life of usefulness and happiness.—Com.

### A Better World For Our Children.

The world rocks. The bomb which exploded at Sarajevo disintegrated our universe. Whether for wear or for woe "the former things are passed away." We stand on the threshold of strange changes and no man can say whether these changes will be for the benefit or the blasting of mankind. Everywhere is conflict, industrial unrest, clashing ideals.

Yet amid all the chaos there is one thought to which we all, conservative or radical, can cling confidently; one goal toward which we can all press. When doubtful and troubled as to what course to pursue, what party to adopt, we can all unite confidently on one slogan: "We must make a better world for our children."

So swiftly does life move that the radical of yesterday is the conservative of to-day. Never before in the history of the world have such momentous changes loomed. But nothing can harm us if we make the welfare of the child our first aim and end.

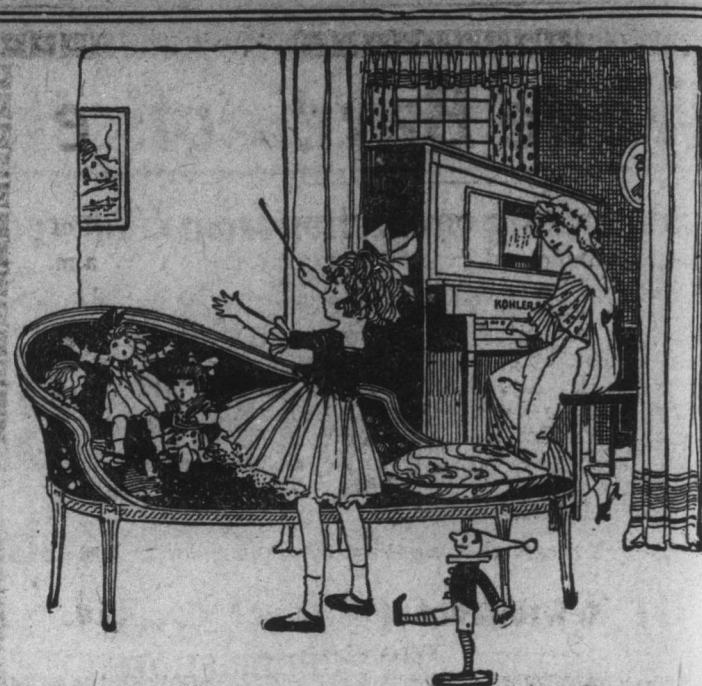
Every mother worth the name studies the welfare of her children. But many mothers—and many fathers—fail to realize that "no mother's baby is safe till every mother's baby is safe." So closely are we bound together that we can hardly formulate a thought that will not make life worse or better for our neighbors. If we provide our children with the best of food, with warm clothing, pure air, and careful training, and leave the children of other parents to suffocate in the heat, shiver in the cold, go hungry and miserable and uncared-for to their graves, we shall sooner or later reap the benefit of our heartlessness. Pestilences are born in filthy slums—but they do not stay there. They poison the air which is wafted to the homes of the wealthy. Criminals and degenerates are produced from vile environments—and we pay for the jails and asylums which they fill. A small portion of the money spent on reformatory measures would, if spent in preventive measures, reap a rich and lasting harvest. "Baby welfare is the bargain counter of modern philanthropy."

It is time that we realized that we have a duty to the child. Not only to our own children but to all children. It is time that we realized the truth of the warning "Whatsoever a man soweth THAT shall he also reap." This warning applies to nations. The nation that either through carelessness or ignorance, sows death and misery among its children, will reap an awful harvest. Conversely the nation that sows health and happiness will reap a harvest of joy.

We must prepare now to lay the foundations of a great nation; and to do this we must start with the child. "We must make a better world for our children."

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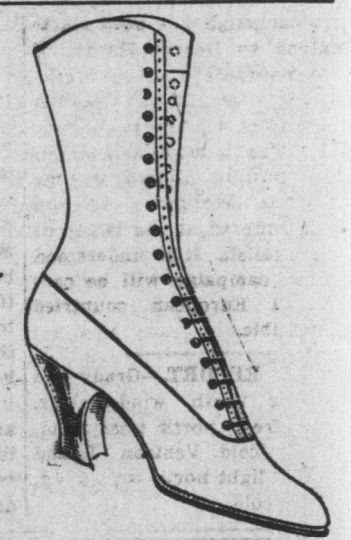
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## To-day's Messages.

STRIKE WILL BE LONG ONE.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Nov. 4. Despite the spirit of hopefulness in official quarters that the end of the coal strike was near, spokesmen here for the miners and operators declared tonight that the country was in for a protracted industrial struggle in the bituminous fields. Labor leaders, more specific than the operators, estimated that all union mines would remain closed at least four weeks. Other estimates cut that time in half, but officials, although without word of direct efforts to bring the two sides together, still held firmly to the view that the strike would not run thus long.

BIG BOLSHIEVIK SUCCESS.

OMSK, Nov. 4. The Bolshevik thrust against the left wing of the Siberian armies has developed to such an extent that the Siberians have been obliged to fall back south of the trans-Siberian railway to within 80 miles of Petropavlovsk, which appears to be the Bolshevik objective in this sector. A corresponding tactical retirement of from 12 to 25 miles miles has occurred along the whole Tobol river front.

WANT I. W. W. PRISONERS RELEASED.

LONDON, Nov. 4. An active campaign has been started in England by George Hardy, of Chicago, to persuade English workmen to appeal direct to Washington for the release of all I. W. W. men imprisoned. The campaign includes propaganda showing alleged wrongs the "Industrial Workers of the World" have suffered at the hands of American capitalists. It is understood that a similar campaign will be carried on in all European countries wherever possible.

LABRADOR REPORT.—Grady and Domino, strong north wind, clear Flat Islands, fresh north west wind clear and very cold. Venison Island and Battle Hr., light north west wind clear and very cold.

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