Evening Telegram

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Friday, April 1, 1921.

The Speech and the Regulations.

The Speech from the Throne delivered by His Excellency the Governor at the opening of the Legislature on Wednesday afternoon last, was a most remarkable one. In strong contrast to the length of previous addresses, its brevity did not possess the merit of eloquence, and as for its substance, it was all shell and no kernel. For sheer superficiality it is unequalled. The speech of last year possessed at least the virtue of being informative, in a measure, but that of 1921 does not even outline any policy upon which the Government intend to proceed, and merely placed into the mouth of the King's representative several high-sounding phrases of meaningless value. That His Excellency had no choice but to read it everybody is well aware, but at the least his advisers might have given the Governor something better calculated to interest the people of the Colony than they did. The shallowness of the Government and of the Government's message to the population is exceedingly well exemplified in the Speech from the Throne, but as time goes on a great deal more will have to be told by Ministers than appears in this literary gem of the Squires-Coaker Executive. Farcicial in the extreme was the effect of the Speech after its delivery. Auditors turned to one another and queried "what is it all about?" and no one seemed to know. If the object was mystification of the taxpayers then its success is doubtful. If bluff—and it bears that resemblance—then a day of reckoning must come.

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The famous—or infamous Fish Regulations, the practical application of which met with "adventitious" difficulties came in for but little notice, and were discussed in a short paragraph, though it is open to question that had the Minister of Marine and Fisheries been home much more would have been said about them, and when he does come there may be a reckoning because of the scant notice which they received from the Government at the opening of the Legislature, no less than their dismissal in such few lines as were given them. But for the mover of the committee to draft the address in reply, the member for St. Barbe, it is quite possible that no mention whatever would have been made of the Codfish Exportation Act, as other honorable members were obviously inclined to shun any discussion of them whatever. Even the Prime Minister, in his defence of the Speech from the Throne, referred not at all to the Regulations, thus giving the cue to his followers that they must not renege from his lead at subsequent sessions. Fishermen themselves will know how to appreciate the omission. Those members who represent districts in which the application of the Regulations brought financial distress and domestic privation will have something for which to answer, should they return to their present constituents for re-election. Considering the importance attached to these Regulations by the Government it is certainly not in keeping with the professions of good faith to fishermen on the part of honorable members to have permitted a subject of such vast moment to be dismissed so flippantly, whilst another proposed picnic for the Prime Minister occupied twice the space given to a question that vitally affects Newfoundland, and strikes at the very foundations of her chief industry.

From the Fleet.

PATCH CLEANED UP.

The following messages were received from the sealing fleet last night.

TO BOWRING BROTHERS.

Terra Nova—Now steering in search of other patch; following ships in sight, Sagona, Eagle, Neptune; ice not very heavy; progressing favourably.

Eagle—On board and stowed down 6,000; lost 23 pans in yesterday's blizzard; heavy swell; patch cleaned up; now working westerly.

Ranger—Ice very heavy; total on board and stowed down 3,500; all ships in sight.

Viking—Fine and clear, ice open; making good progress; position 30 miles E. by N. of St. Paul's; all well.

TO JOB BROS.

Neptune—Position 70 miles E.N.E. of the Funks; lost ten flags in yesterday's storm; young seals average 58 pounds; Eagle, Thetis, Sagona and Diana in sight.

Thetis—Position 70 miles E.N.E. of the Funks; men spent all day locating flags; crew killed and panned 500; all well.

TO REID COMPANY.

Sagona—Patch cleaned up, hunting for another; lost 30 pans in storm by heavy swell breaking up sheets.

TO JAS. BAIRD LTD.

Diana—On board and stowed down 6,000; lost 3,000 in yesterday's storm; patch now cut; all well.

TO BAINE JOHNSTON & CO.

Seal—Could do nothing in yesterday's N.E. storm and swell; have seals still on pans; will report fully to-morrow.

TO POSTAL TELEGRAPHS.

All ships including Viking reports crews on board and well.

Sealing 'Plane Makes Another Flight.

The sealing 'plane made another flight yesterday afternoon, but though the machine made a radius of over 350 miles no seals were seen. The 'plane in charge of Messrs. Cotton and Plaistow, Wireless Operator Heath and ice observer Capt. N. Kean, left Botwood at 2.26 p.m. and returned to the base at 6 p.m. The 'plane was in the air 3½ hours, and was almost in sight of the fleet when forced to return owing to darkness setting in. The machine covered nearly 400 miles and reports loose slob ice but no sign of seals. The engines gave every satisfaction and the 'plane was in wireless communication with Fogo all through the trip.

Delayed by Regulations.

The schr. George A. Wood, with 3,518 quintals codfish, shipped by Messrs. W. & T. Hollett, has sailed from Burin for Pernambuco. The schooner was loaded in January last, but was delayed in sailing because the owners were unable to comply with the Brazilian regulations. These being now lifted, she proceeded without any interference. Considerable loss to the shippers, however, has been entailed, owing to the delay.

Spring Overcoats for little Men from three to eight years of age, made from finest English Serge, styled exactly as the British Naval Officers top coat, manufactured by the Britannia Clothing Co., London Tailors to H. M. Navy. Selling for one week at only Seventeen Dollars and fifty cents each at BISHOP'S. Every boy needs a light coat to ward off Spring's chill. Now is the time to supply him and save money.

Personal.

Sir John C. Crosbie who arrived in New York during the week by the S. S. Adriatic, will leave for home shortly, via Montreal, and will probably reach here this day week.

Mr. Wilfred E. Harvey has joined the staff of Hon. S. J. Foote, K.C., in the Manufacturer's Life Insurance Company. Wilfred is a hustler and we bespeak for him all success in his chosen position.

Those who wish to hear Mr. King and the leading singers of the city, attend the Concert and Sociable in the Synod Hall on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Candy for sale. Admission 30c. apr1,3i

Minard's Liniment for Burns, Etc.

Magnificent Bequests.

WILL OF LATE HON. W. B. GRIEVE.

The will of the late Hon. Walter B. Grieve, C.B.E., who died in February last, shows an estate having a gross value of $343,548.27. By the terms of the will Messrs. Hepburn, Donnelly and Collingwood are made executors. Amongst the bequests are:

Andrew Grieve, Greenock	£1,000
Mrs. Hill, Edinburgh	£1,000
John McDougall, Greenock	£1,000
Wm. Dick, Jr., Clerk, Greenock	£1,000
To his three nephews—	
Jas. H. Grieve	£1,000
Leonard Grieve	£1,000
Robert Grieve	£1,000
To each of the surviving daughters of his brother, Robert Grieve	£ 500
Miss U. Harvey, Nurse	$500
C. of E. Orphanage	$2,500
R. C. Orphanages	$2,500
Methodist Orphanage	$2,500
Dr. Fraser's Children's Hospital	$1,000
C. of E. Tower Completion Fund	£1,000
John T. Croucher	$2,500

To each of his four sisters £1,000, and shares in various enterprises. The expenses of granddaughter for 4 years to be paid out of the estate. To each of the executors of his will £1,000, in addition to salaries connected with the execution of the will.

The deceased directed that the business be carried on under the name of Baine, Johnston & Co. until it shall show a loss.

The residue of the estate goes to deceased's four sisters.

Obituary.

MRS JOHN G. WATERBURY.

Within the very wide circle of her own and her husband's friends, news of the death, in Dr. Mader's hospital, Coburg Road, of Hilda, wife of John G. Waterbury, and eldest daughter of the Rev. H. W. Cunningham, rector of St. George's Church, and Mrs. Cunningham, will be received with a sense of shock and with genuine sorrow, for the young wife, scarcely more than a girl in years, was beloved in the sphere in which she moved, and it seems difficult to associate the idea of Death with her bright personality.

On March 2, a little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Waterbury, and three days after his birth alarming and very unusual complications presented themselves. Since that time it has been a fight for her life, which sadly enough was destined to be lost. In spite of every effort of medical skill and devoted nursing, she sank rapidly, and for the past two days it has been recognized that no hope of her recovery could be encouraged. As intimated, she entered into rest, leaving an inexpressible gap both in the home of which she was so well loved, and in the various groups devoted to helpful activity in which she was identified.

Mrs. Waterbury, before her marriage was a teacher in the Sunday School of St. George's, her father's church, wherein she may be said to have grown to happy and gracious womanhood, and she has always taken an active part in its varied work, as also in the work of other organizations of the Church of England in the city. The death of a fragile little daughter two years ago was a deep grief to her. Still young and girlish of aspect and in heart, deservedly loved wherever known, she has passed to a sphere in which all the graces which so endeared her to her friends will have a larger scope, but she will be sadly missed here.

There survive her her husband for whom the deepest sympathy is expressed, and the infant son above referred to.

The body will be taken from the hospital to Mr. Waterbury's residence on Edward Street, where it will remain until Wednesday evening, when it will be taken to St. George's Church, remaining there for the night. The funeral will take place thence, at 10.30 on Thursday morning, to St. John's Cemetery. There is a request from the family that friends send no flowers.—Halifax Herald.

(The Rev. Mr. Cunningham is a native of Burgeo, and his wife a daughter of the late Rev. W. K. White of Harbor Breton. Many friends in the homeland will sympathize sincerely with the family).

McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, April 1, 1921.

With spring comes what used to be the Sulphur and Molasses Season. Nowadays the younger generation have an easier time than their parents, and Sulphur and Cream of Tartar with Sarsaparilla (another good blood purifier) are now to be had in the form of an elegant lozenge, which children delight to take. Sulfarilla Tablets. These pleasant lozenges aid in purifying the blood and keeping the skin clear, as well as act as a gentle laxative. As a matter of fact, others beside children will find in Sulfarilla Tablets an excellent alterative, and adults might well be persuaded to take them instead of harsher if more powerful blood purifiers. Price 25c. a box.

Brick's Tasteless makes you eat. For sale at STAFFORD'S. Price $1.20; postage 20c. extra.

Encourage Home Industries.

EXHIBITION OF LOCAL MADE ARTICLES.

In four windows of The Royal Stores, Ltd., and in one of the windows of the Martin-Royal Stores, Ltd., local made goods are now being exhibited. These goods consist of men's and boys' clothing, boots and shoes, blankets and wool, biscuits, butter, soap, oiled clothing, tobacco products, paints, tinned fish, rabbits and lobsters, brooms, brushes and paper.

Every one of these articles were made in Newfoundland by local industry and compare favourably with the imported equivalent, whilst they can be sold at a considerably lower price. The reason for this is that all raw material can be brought in duty free. For some unaccountable reason, however, there seems to be a prejudice amongst our people towards locally made articles. Why this should be so is hard to say, but it certainly cannot be because of differences in the quality, some of our local articles being a great deal better than foreign made goods selling at the same figure. If the people only realized it, they are doing themselves a great deal of good by encouraging home industries, for not only do they get a good article at a low price but they are also helping to relieve labor troubles by keeping the factories busy, and furthermore are permitting of more money being circulated throughout the Dominion.

The Royal Stores, Ltd., deserve to be congratulated upon their progressiveness.

Fined Five Cents.

Six men were charged before Judge Morris this morning in the Civil Court with trespassing on Windsor Lake. Mr. E. Leo Carter, counsel for the Civic Commission, prosecuted, and Mr. W. J. Higgins, K.C., defended. A great deal of argument ensued and several witnesses were examined. The men were not aware whether they were on the pond or not. His Honour ordered each to pay five cents and both parties to pay their own costs.

CIVIL ACTION.—The civil action reported some time ago in the **Telegram**, in which a tenant entered a claim for $88 for negligence against a landlord, was concluded before Judge Morris this morning when a decision was given for the plaintiff for $88 and $5 costs. Mr. G. W. B. Ayre represented the plaintiff.

Convicted on Serious Charge.

POSTAL OFFICIAL GUILTY.

A postmistress of an office in Trinity Bay district was tried before Judge Penney at Carbonear, during last week for tampering with the mails. The accused was convicted and given a term of imprisonment with the option of a fine. The fine was paid.

Before the Fish Regulations.

The following is taken from a recent Liverpool paper, and is an extract from the Plymouth Weekly Journal of December 14th, 1722:

"This is to give notice that there is a parcel of very good Newfoundland codfish to be sold at Fox Hole (Vauxhall) Key, in Plymouth, at 8 shillings per hundred weight, or at one penny per pound to those that require a lesser quantity than half hundred."

Shipping Notes.

S.S. Manola leaves St. John, N.B., to-morrow for this port with general cargo to Harvey & Co. This will be the Manola's last trip from St. John, and on discharging the ship will leave for Montreal direct, opening the summer service between Montreal and this port, and is scheduled to leave Montreal on April 20th.

Schr. Sordello left Liverpool on March 30th for here.

S.S. Stanmore, Capt. Griffiths, is due at 10 o'clock to-night. At 8 a.m. she was 140 miles off.

Fears for the safety of the schr. Hawker long overdue at Trapani are now entertained. Enquiries have been sent to that port, but so far there has been no word of her reaching there.

S.S. Rosalind is supposed to leave Halifax at noon to-morrow.

S.S. Sable I. leaves Halifax to-morrow.

Schr. LaBerge arrived in port this morning to T. H. Carter & Co., salt laden from Gibraltar, via St. Lawrence.

Schr. Agnes P. Duff, Capt. Snow, arrived this morning from Bahia, in ballast, via St. Lawrence, where she was ice bound for some time past.

Tern schr. Roxanna Barton, 11 days from New York, with a cargo of hard coal to Job Bros., arrived in port last night.

The Pastor of St. Patrick's requests the gentlemen of the Parish to meet in the Convent School on Monday night at 8 o'clock, and the ladies in the same place on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.—apr1,2i

Nolan Gets Seven Years.

THE FINAL CHAPTER.

"The sentence of the Court is that you, William John Nolan, be imprisoned in the Penitentiary at St. John's for a term of seven years' with hard labour."

With this utterance of the Chief Justice the final chapter in the famous murder trial which after a four day's hearing ended at 11.20 p.m. on Thursday of last week with a verdict of "Guilty of manslaughter with a recommendation for the clemency of the Court." For several weeks this case had aroused the keen interest of the people of the island, for it is seldom indeed, in the annals of any country that charges of such a brutal nature have been brought against any man.

A large crowd had assembled in the Supreme Court this morning to hear what sentence would be passed on the defendant. When the prisoner was brought in and placed in the dock he glanced round the Court several times in an uneasy manner. It was difficult to believe that he was the same man who had entered the dock so cheerfully on the opening day of his trial. The severe cross examination had left its traces on his face and the suspense and mental suffering which he must have experienced during the trial was plainly evident by his bearing. Upon being asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed on him, Mr. J. G. Higgins, prisoner's counsel, addressed the bench and asked their Lordships to consider the recommendation for mercy and to take the man's illiteracy into consideration also. The prisoner took his sentence impassively and left the Court amidst the gaze of a curious crowd.

Supreme Court.

BEFORE FULL BENCH.

The spring term of the Supreme Court opened this morning. The Grand Jury was in attendance and the following gentlemen were sworn for the term:—J. H. Urquhart, foreman, Wm. Donnelly, D. P. Redman, Jas. Stephens, S. Steele, W. J. Long, W. Geary, H. Godden, W. F. Gooble, P. Kavanagh, John Day, J. C. Pratt, Richard White, Jas. B. Colford, Ken Ruby, Thos S. Devine, A. Doyle, John Thistle, W. Aylward, H. Gabriel, Geo. Macklin. As there was no criminal business they were dismissed to appear when called upon, but were instructed to visit the Government Institutions in the meantime.

Harvey & Co., Ltd., vs. Anglo American Telegraph Co.

Mr. Justice Kent gave judgment for defendant with costs.

Fred. W. Ayre, Plaintiff, vs. Michael Murray, Defendant.

Mr. H. A. Winter for plaintiff moves for a hearing on Saturday April 9th. Mr. Halley for defendant consents. It is ordered accordingly.

Fred J. Roil, Plaintiff vs. Alan F. Long, Defendant.

Mr. McNeilly for plaintiff moves for a hearing on Friday April 8th. Mr. Hunt for defendant consents. It is ordered accordingly.

Dickinson vs. Franklin.

Judgment on appeal, delivered by Mr. Justice Johnson, dismissed appeal and confirmed the judgment of Mr. Justice Kent for plaintiff for $550.00 and costs and against the defendant in the counter claim.

David Kelly, Plaintiff vs. William Mitchell, Defendant.

Mr. J. G. Higgins for plaintiff asks for a late date in April. Mr. H. A. Winter for defendant consents. It is ordered that the motion be enlarged. In the matter of an application of Michael L. Parrell for mandamus. On motion of Mr. L. E. Emerson for the Crown and by consent of Mr. Fenelon for plaintiff the hearing is postponed until Moday, May 2nd. The Court then adjourned until to-morrow.

Evangeline High Cut Boots, Low Shoes and Dainty Pumps at 25 PER CENT REDUCTION at SMALLWOOD'S Ladies' Dept. mar28,tf

Marvel of the Age.

New York.—(Associated Press)—Dr. Alexis Carrel, who is to sail for France soon, will leave at the Rockefeller Institute loboratories one of the sergical marvels of the age. It is the heart of a chicken that never lived, although its heart, which was removed from the embryo in 1912, still beats and adds to its tissues in a special container. The organ has been nourished artificially for eight years.

Long before the war Dr. Carrel startled scientists with the announcement that he had kept portions of animals' hearts alive for months while immersed in a special antiseptic solution, and that these portions, after a comparatively short time, surrounded themselves with living cells and grew to more than sixty times their original size.

Dr. Carrel was awarded the Nobel prize in 1912 in recognition of his surgical achievements, notably the transplantation of organs.

MAT HOOKING. — See our Special 54 inch wide Brin. Worth 65c. yard. Now 35c. yard. G. KNOWLING, Ltd.—mar19,26,apr1

HAVE YOU BAKED THAT LOAF YET?

IT MAY MEAN 20.00 TO YOU

REMEMBER! THE COMPETITION IS ON THURSDAY

Wedding Bells.

SWERSKY—LEVITZ.

At the Blue Puttee Hall, which was transformed into a temporary synagogue for the time being, the celebration of the Hebrew rite of matrimony was performed last night, the contracting parties being Mr. Charles Levitz of St. John's, and Miss Katie Swersky of New Haven, Connecticut, U.S.A. Rabbi E. B. Ershler tied the nuptial knot according to the Jewish ritual, in the presence of a large gathering of friends of the principals. The bride was beautifully gowned in white satin and georgette trimmed with pearls, over which was worn a veil, and as a floral offering she carried a bouquet of orange blossoms and white roses. She was attended by Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Perlin, while the groom was supported by Mr. and Mrs. E. Gittleson, whilst Mr. S. Frehlich acted as Toastmaster and master of ceremonies. After the ceremony the bride and groom entertained more than one hundred guests to supper and following, an enjoyable dance was held, at which the city orchestra furnished the music. The bride and groom who are well known in St. John's and in American cities, where they met many friends, were the recipients of numerous presents, including several cheques. They also received numerous messages from friends living in the U.S.A. and Canada. Quite a romance attaches to the culmination of this interesting event the groom having met the bride, while on a visit from St. John's to New York, in which city the young lady was then domiciled, and from this first meeting developed a sentiment which terminated in marriage. To Mr. and Mrs. Levitz the **Telegram** extends good wishes for the intensification of all the joy and bliss that wedded life usually brings.

W. C. T. U. Women Made Ship Dry.

New York—(Associated Press)—How two women, delegates to a W.C.T.U. convention in South America, "spoiled" a perfectly good trip for several of the passengers was told by officers of the ship when they returned here. The women succeeded in putting a stop to the poker playing, and also kept such a supervision over the liquors that the sale was reduced to a minimum. The men breathed sighs of relief when the women disembarked at a South American port, the officers said.

There will be a meeting of the men of St. Patrik's Parish, in the Convent Schoolroom, on Monday night next, April 4th, at 8 p.m.—apr1,1i

KNOWLING'S.
CHINA & GLASS DEPT.

TOILET SETS.

Blue Printed, floral design, 5 pieces ..... $ 8.50
Blue, Shaded, 6 pieces: Job ..... $ 8.90
White and Gold, 6 pieces .. $14.50
Decorated and Gold Traced, 6 pieces $15.00
Crimson Roses on Cream Ground & Gold Traced .. $17.00

TEA SETS.

21 pieces, wreath pattern, black border and gilt, with crimson roses and green leaves ..... $ 5.50
21 pieces, crimson roses and gold traced, English China; new shape cup .. $10.50
40 pieces, English China, green band and gold traced; very neat $18.00
40 pieces, dark blue band and gold traced $22.00

JUGS.

We have the greatest variety in the city. Note the prices:
¼ pint size Earthen, painted design ..... 20c.
½ pint size Earthen, painted design ..... 25c.
1 pint size Earthen, painted design ..... 30c.
All White Jugs, 3 sizes, 30c., 40c. and 50c.
Job Lot Plain Glass Jugs .. 35c.

G. KNOWLING, Ltd.
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Avondale Murder Case.

DR. JONES EXPLAINS.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Now that the so-called "Avondale Murder Case" has been disposed of and anything that I may say will have no bearing on the result, I must, in justice to myself, correct some misstatements made by Nolan in his evidence and reported in the several papers. The Evening Advocate of March 23rd featured his statements with a "scare headline" as follows:—"Did not get a Doctor because Dr. Jones had twice before refused to attend his family." This unnecessary importance given the man's statement by the Advocate I excuse as a belated campaign effort. Nolan says in his evidence:—

"Mrs. Pendergrast spoke of sending for the Doctor, but myself and Jones were not on the best of terms. I had called him to my house twice before, but he refused to come each time. That was in the case of my wife and and another daughter who died."

Again he says:—in reply to the question, "You say when your wife died Dr. Jones refused to come?

"Yes the proof is here in Court. In his eloquent address to the jury Mr. Higgins said:—"Nolan knew the Doctor would not come because he couldn't pay him. He knew well the Doctor at Avondale would not come."

Briefly my professional relations with the Nolan family began in 1903 and ended at the death of his wife in 1914 or 1915. During that time it was his custom to pay for the last attendance on the eve of the next and he was always one lap behind. In 1914 or 1915 he came for me, although at the time I had not been paid for the 1912 attendance. He professed ignorance of the debt, saying that he had given his wife the money to pay me, but he left for his home to get me the amount and I have not seen him or the money from that day till this. As to the statement that I refused to visit his wife when dying, the fact is that I did attend, although the 1912 debt was still due. The woman did not die in confinement, but 6 months later of Tetanus. He also says my fee for going to his house was $10, whereas the fee for visit in ordinary case as that of the child is $2. He further states, "at the time of the election there was a little grievence between us and I told him I'd never trouble him again." This also is false, as I have not spoken to Nolan about politics or anything else during the past seven years and have no idea what his political feelings were during the 1920 campaign.

Thanking you for publication, I remain,

Yours truly,
W. E. JONES.

St. John's, April 1, 1921.

Three on St. Pierre.

The loss of the tug Stadium on the island of St. Pierre-Miquelon makes the third steamer to be wrecked on this island since the first of the year. The first vessel to come to grief on the rocky shore of the little island was the United States Shipping Board steamer Basaan, which was so badly damaged in a storm in the gulf that her crew was forced to run her ashore. At the time the vessel was being towed from St. Pierre to Hampton Roads, U.S.A., for repairs. She had been damaged previously when she grounded on the West Coast of Newfoundland. The next steamer to meet disaster on the island was the concrete steamer Permanencia, which was driven ashore in a heavy gale about two weeks ago. The Permanencia has been declared a total loss. She was owned by a company of local business men.—Sydney Record.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-dya.

Wind southwest, fresh breeze, weather dull, no ice in sight. The schooners Laberge and Retraction passed in yesterday afternoon; a Canadian Line steamer passed east at 7 and schooner Norma B. Strong passed in at 9 a.m. to-day. The Norma B. Strong wished to be reported all well. Bar. 29.98; Ther. 42.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

Antiquated Coastal Service.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—The people of Fortune Bay are a long suffering people. Not only are they long suffering, but they apparently suffer and say nothing. The writer of this letter has not altogether been a stay-at-home. He has done a little travelling, not only in his native country but also in the States and Canada. To his surprise (?) on the great neighboring continent he found that all ferries coastwise and other steamers were especially comfortably fitted for the carrying of passengers. Not only this, but the ladies travelling had the privilege of possessing a place apart from the men—as ladies should have.

Have you, sir, ever travelled on the **Sebastopol or Senef?** Our liberal hearted Government has lately given us the great privilege of having the use of these elaborate government owned boats on this bay. Apparently they do not realize that the inhabitants of this Bay are civilised, and that our wives and daughters have the avail of these steamers, much the same as St. John's people avail of the railway and street cars, etc. We have no horses, nor have we any motor cars, for the simple reason that we have no roads. Therefore our only means of getting about is the water and naturally as this is so, we are dependent on the Bay Steamer, particularly.

To bring this letter to a point, sir, may I ask Mr. Warren if he considers that the accommodation we have on board these steamers would be such as he would desire for his own use. I would not ask him if he would consider it good enough for his wife. I do not want to insult her. The staterooms are something to talk about. If you do not believe me pay a visit on one of these steamers next time St. John's harbor has the honor of sheltering one. The Dining-Saloon is a thing of beauty. Table capacity six. Seats, two forms, such as we used to have in our schools fifty years ago. The service, so far as the stewards are concerned is however wonderful considering the handicaps they work under.

I do not want to make this letter too long. I will not refer to the sanitary conveniences on board these steamers, especially those set apart for the lady passengers. So far I have not been able to locate any of the latter. But in any case, sir, I will again repeat the people of this Bay are long suffering. But I do not think they will be satisfied to suffer the present Coastal Service much longer.

Yours truly,
NEWFOUNDLANDER.

Fortune Bay, March 18th, 1921.

Commencing to-day BISHOP'S are selling all their Rubber Footwear at a discount of 10%. See that your 10% is deducted from your bill at the time purchase is made. This includes all Rubbers for Men and Boys, Women and Girls and comes at a most opportune time, for this is the season when good Rubbers are absolutely necessary.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away last evening, after a short illness, Sarah Harvey, widow of the late Edward Thomas, aged 85 years. Funeral at 2.30 on Sunday afternoon, from her son's residence, "Birchholm," Allandale Road.

At 3 o'clock this morning, Joseph Angel, aged 85 years, leaving 2 sons and 1 daughter to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Sunday, at 3.15 p.m. from his son's residence, Woodford's Range. (Glace Bay papers please copy.)

IN LOVING MEMORY

of my dear brother George Butt, who lost in the s.s. Southern Cross, while returning from the icefields, March 31st, 1914.

"My darling brother how we miss you
Ever since you went away;
My thoughts are always with you
Though we will meet again some day.

We miss thee from our home,
We miss thee from thy place;
A sorrow o'er our hearts are cast
We miss thy loving face.

Oft in fancy you are with us,
And your gentle face we see,
As it was in days of childhood,
When you knelt at mother's knee."

—Inserted by his sister Aggie Butt.