

Roosevelt Convention Opened.

Special Evening Telegram. CHICAGO, To-day. The first session of the first convention of the new National Progressive Party was opened yesterday by the usual ceremony of a national political gathering. The actual proceedings were suggestive of a love feast, no resenting voice being raised during the session. The question of negro representatives from the South had caused some friction on the day of the national committee but there was no echo of this light on the floor of the convention. Former Senator Beveridge, Indiana, presided. Amid acclam he was escorted to his place on the stage decorated with a gold badge and handed the convention gavel. Senator Beveridge then delivered his key note speech and expressed some advanced ideas of Government, adopted by the new party, paving the way for the more progressive proposals to be made to the convention by Colonel Roosevelt to-day. For Vice-President, Governor Johnson, of California, Permanent Chairman, Le Kidnie Lindsey, Denver. This slate was agreed to by the National Progressive leader and met with the approval of Roosevelt. The Colonel endorsed strongly he recommended for Judge Lindsey he recommended for permanent chairman, Lindsey is a former Democrat of southern parentage. It was felt his election would be an appeal to the South.

The Biggest Yet.

For this season's regatta 51 crews have been entered, the most ever recorded before for a regatta on Quidi Vidi. The Committee took extreme pains last night to obviate the danger of an accident when the boats are turning the buoys, especially in the case of the fishermen, laborers and juvenile races, where 5 and 6 boats compete. Much gratification was expressed at the sportsmanship of the crew of H. M. S. Sirius and the French warship "Descartes," in entering boats for the Naval-Reserve-Firearms race. There is much speculation as to who will win in the Brigade Race and much money will change hands on the outcome.

The Police Court.

A drunk and disorderly was fined \$5.00 or 14 days.
Two drunks were discharged.
A married woman convicted of loose and disorderly conduct was ordered to find two sureties in \$25 each or in default 6 months in jail.
An old offender, Richard Gray, was charged with larceny, was remanded for 8 days.
A drunk was held over.
A drunk for the fourth time was fined \$2 or 7 days.
Several civil cases, mostly of debt, were disposed of.

Wedding Bells.

At Sydney, on Sunday, July 29th, in the Sacred Heart Church, Mr. William Hennessey, of St. John's, Newfoundland, to Miss Jennie Steele, of the same place. The bride was assisted by Miss Lizzie Hennessey, sister of the groom, and the best man was John Kenny, cousin of the bride. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, No. 7 McKenzie Street, where a very enjoyable time was spent. The bride and groom left on their honeymoon on Monday. Several other marriages were celebrated.

S. A. Congress.

On Sunday next the Annual Congress of the Salvation Army opens. Colonel and Mrs. Mapp, assisted by Colonel and Mrs. Pugh, Brigadier and Mrs. Mowbray, Staff Captain Cave, 150 staff and field officers and many other Salvationists will attend. At 3 p.m. Col. Mapp, a fine speaker, will lecture in the Methodist College Hall on the World-wide Operations of the Salvation Army. Hon. S. D. Blandford will be in the chair and will be supported by a number of prominent citizens. On Monday the regular business session will commence.

Lost at Sea.

The schooner Bob Roy has arrived at Gloucester and reports the loss of a fisherman. Out on George's Bank, two weeks ago two men strayed off in the fog. One of the men, Minot Snow, has been brought in by the schr. Gladys and Nellie, which picked him up after he had spent 24 hours in his dory. The other man has not been heard from. The lost man is Frank Redmond, a young Newfoundland—Sydney Post.

A Poor Fishery.

At Aquaforte, Renews, Fermeuse and contiguous places on the Southern Shore the fishery has been very poor for some time past and the men are doing nothing. The people are anxiously looking forward to the squid striking the shore and hope to do better when it comes. A fleet of bankers are now laying at Cape Breton, Caplin Bay and Aquaforte, waiting a squid baiting.

Created a Scene.

Yesterday morning a man ran down in Steward's Cove closely pursued by his wife who had a large stone in her hands. The woman was in a rage owing to the fact that the man had been drinking and neglecting his family. When he reached the breastwork the woman threw the missile which barely escaped his head. Had it taken effect he would have been knocked out.

Ask your Druggist for
SERRAVALLO'S TONIC
(Dark and Iron Wine).
Cures:
ANÆMIA, CHLOROSIS, DEBILITY,
Delightful Taste.

Regatta Bargains!

Look this list over, select what you require and we will guarantee that in the article bought you will find the best service you can expect.

One Piece Dresses!

A new lot to hand per S. S. "Florizel." Prices are: Check Gingham, in Blue and White, \$1.40
Sax and White and Black and White....

White Muslin, Embroidered and Lace Trimmed:
\$2.50, 4.50, 6.50 and 7.00.

Ladies' BLOUSES,

High grade, stylish waists, at wonderfully Low Prices that promise quick disposal of the lot the next week. Early buying is advisable for the choicest.

Prices are: 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.80 for a very fine lot, including LINEN SHIRT WAISTS.

CHILDREN'S SOCKS, very dainty stripes and plain effects, 15 cts.

These for Men!

Men's Straw Hats, values from 40c. to \$1.00, now.....20c.
Men's Black Cashmere Socks, only.....10c. pair.
Men's Colored Washing Ties.....4c. or 3 for 10c.
Men's Knitted Scarves, value 35c., now.....20c.
Men's Fancy Cotton Dress Shirts, Special.....50c.
Men's Fancy Coat Shirts, a New Line, Button Collars, just suitable to wear without a vest.

Price.....\$1.50

Marshall Bros.

Cable News.

Special Evening Telegram. BELFAST, To-day. The White Star Company has issued orders that the third steamer of the Olympic class, now under construction here, be provided with a double skin, rising well above the water line.
Special to Evening Telegram. WASHINGTON, To-day. One hundred bluejackets and marines from the gunboat Annapolis are now quartered at Managua, the Nicaraguan Capital. They were landed at Corinto, yesterday, at the suggestion of the Nicaraguan Government which found itself unable to protect American railroad steamship property.
Special to Evening Telegram. WASHINGTON, To-day. While the negotiations for the

Chinese three hundred million loan are deadlocked, the provincial governments of the new Chinese Republic are supplying funds for the conduct of the general administration, contributing the sums which the Viceroy formerly supplied to the old dynasty. Word comes to Washington that the Provincial Governments are opposing the loan which they believe would place China completely under the domination of foreign powers.
Special Evening Telegram. LONDON, To-day. The Daily Telegraph, expressing the hope that Asquith and Churchill will accept the invitation to visit Canada says: "Great events lose nothing but gain much through being emphasized with due dramatic ceremony. We can imagine nothing better calculated to signalize the entry of Canada into full responsible partnership with Britain and her councils of peace and war, than the presence of leading British ministers especially if they are accompanied by a squadron of British warships. There certainly will be general disappointment if so dramatic an opportunity is missed."

Cape Race Report

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind E. N. E., strong, weather fine. S. S. Indrani passed east yesterday afternoon. The schooner Edward Grooves left here for Sydney yesterday, while the schooner J. Garland is at Treassey still undischarged. Bar. 29.70; ther. 50.

McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, Aug. 4, '12. As a tonic for convalescents, or those who suffer from summer coughs, Morrola will be found to be of great service. It contains Cod Liver Oil, deprived of the grease, and iron, with a sufficient amount of Wine to increase the tonic effect; it is very palatable and easy to take, and does not "repeat." It is considered by many people to be the most effective preparation of its class. Price \$1 a bottle.
American Cabbage Seeds and the finest English ones are to be had of us for the August sowing.
We have Cigarettes (two sizes), ten and twenty cents a box.

Personal.

Mr. Frank White, late of the Government Engineer's Office, is leaving by the City of Sydney, on Thursday, for Toronto, where he will spend the next two years at an Architectural College. Frank is well known and very popular and his host of friends wish him a successful career.
BROKE HIS LEG. — A thirteen-year-old lad named Joseph Alward while playing near Quidi Vidi Lake yesterday, fell and broke his leg. He was driven to the General Hospital where he is now being attended to.
MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY PHYSICIANS.

WE HAVE FAITHFULLY considered the Furniture needs and offer a choice line of Furniture that will bring brightness and comfort to the home. Everything here to fit the season. Never here before in larger, more attractive or better variety than now. For summer time comfort, at home or away. You'll find here much that will interest you.



U. S. PICTURE & PORTRAIT CO.
Complete House Furnishers.
Water Street East.

Here and There.

PRESCRIPTION "A" sells for 25 & 50 cents a bottle. jy26.

DOGS KILLED. — Two fine dogs, while fighting on Water Street last evening, were killed by a passing street car.

NEW SILVERWARE. — Handsome new designs, best makes, just opening, at Trapnell's, 197 Water St.—jy18,tf.

Mr. M. Shortall who had been in Boston for several years and has a good position, arrived here Saturday on a holiday.

Enjoy your meals by taking a teaspoonful of PRESCRIPTION "A" a few minutes before eating. jy26

The S. S. Durango sailed from Halifax at 11 o'clock last night for here and leaves for Liverpool on Thursday afternoon.

STAFFORD'S PRESCRIPTION "A" cures Indigestion and Dyspepsia, in all their forms. jy26.

SALT ARRIVAL. — The schooner Blanche Currie, 27 days from Cadiz, reached port last night with a cargo of salt for A. S. Rendell & Co.

No 11. Sunday School, Salvation Army, intend holding their annual picnic at Haley's Field, Wislilling Well Road, on Regatta Day—aug.11

Mr. T. T. Cartwright has returned from his regular northern trip. He is accompanied by Mrs. Cartwright; they both expect to leave for Montreal by Wednesday's express.

THE SOUVENIR HOUSE! Trapnell's, 197 Water Street. All kinds Enamels, Labradite, Model Seals, etc.—july 18, tf.

STOLE LARGE SUM. — The prisoner brought from Bell Island by Constable Morrissey yesterday is named Flynn. He is accused of stealing a wallet and \$50, with a railway ticket, from a resident of the island.

ORGANS. — The famous Needham Organ—sold in tens of thousands of homes. Eight styles to select from. Call and see them. CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Agent for Nfld.—June 25

BROKE HIS FINGERS. — A lad named G. Hiscoc, while working discharging salt at Bowring's South Side premises yesterday, fell and broke the two fingers of his right hand. Dr. O'Connell set the fractured members.

CAME FOR REGATTA. — There came over by the Other to-day, Portuguese, about 70 Bell Islanders to take in the Regatta to-morrow. All were well equipped with money and will bet on the D. I. S. crew in the laborers' race.

Don't forget the Shamrock Big Popular Regatta Dance, Regatta Night, in the Prie's Hall, Music by the T. A. Band. Tickets at usual popular prices: Double, 70c.; Lady's, 40c.—aug.6,11

FOGOTA SAILS. — The Fogota sailed at 12 noon to-day. Her passengers were J. J. Swelgrove and son, J. Benson, Rev. W. J. Wilson, Mrs. Pike, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. E. Benson, Jno. Chalk, Mrs. Geo. Cross, T. Young and 12 steers.

Electric Restorer for Men Phosphonal restores every nerve in the body to its proper tension; restores man and vitality. Premature decay and all sexual weakness arrested at once. Phosphonal will cure the most stubborn cases of impotence. The Scott's Electric Restorer. Dr. de Van's Female Pills.

A HEAVY HAIL. At midnight Sunday Mr. Chas. Lester with a big team of horses hauled a large turbine weighing 11 tons from the city to Peter's Harbor. The ground was soft from heavy rains and the work was of the heaviest kind for men and beasts.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills. A reliable French regulator, never fails. These pills are especially powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Refuse cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold in a box, or three for \$10. Mailed to any address. The Scott's Electric Restorer. Dr. de Van's Female Pills.

PROSPECTIVE WEDDING. — Mr. Reginald Dowden, Herald reporter, will lead to the altar on the 29th inst. a very estimable and popular young lady in the person of Miss Gertrude Roberts, of Hamilton Avenue. We wish the young couple in advance every felicity.

INVERMORE'S PASSENGERS. — The Invermore arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.05 a.m. to-day with the following passengers: F. J. and Mrs. Keough, C. S. Dunn, H. P. Murray, L. Murray, L. Bickham, H. B. Curtis, A. B. Spence, J. M. Aylward, Misses A. Goss, J. Rolis, A. Green and J. A. Robinson.

P. F. COLLINS' STORES will remain open until 9.30 on Tuesday Evening for the convenience of his customers.—jy25,21

DEMO.

At 6 p.m. Monday, after a long illness, Sarah, beloved wife of Thomas Hills, aged 80 years, leaving 2 sons and 3 daughters to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Thursday, at half past two from her late residence, 76 Forest Road. Friends and acquaintances please accept this the only intimation. Boston papers please copy. This morning, after a long illness, Jas. Dobbin, aged 58 years, passed on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 202 Water St. Friends and acquaintances please accept this the only intimation.

ASK FOR MINARD'S AND TAKE NO OTHER.

Last Few Days in St. John's Of the Veedee Demonstrators

Who on Account of Previous Engagements Abroad can only remain a few Days longer at Mercantile Chambers, 193 Water Street.

So numerous and so pressing have been the requests received within the last day or so by the Veedee Demonstrators asking them to stay a little while longer, that it has been decided to keep on giving Free Consultations to Sufferers at Mercantile Chambers, 193 Water Street, to-day and the next few days (Regatta Day excepted).

The local press during the last two weeks, devoted columns of their news space to descriptions of the Veedee Lecture Demonstrations witnessed by hundreds of people at the T. A. Hall, when wonderful results were obtained on the platform by the application of the marvellous little machine on the large number of sufferers anxious to test the power of the Veedee Blood Circulator. The extraordinary results were effected before the eyes of the astounded and applauding audiences.

WHAT A REPORTER SAW. A newspaper reporter who called at the Mercantile Chambers says:—"I saw men, women, and children of all ages and all conditions awaiting their turn for treatment. I spoke to the Demonstrator and told him I would like to have a little closer insight into his work. 'Come along with me,' he said; 'step into my consulting-room and see for yourself the treatments we are giving to our patients.'"

"I took a seat in the room, and had not I seen with my own eyes such marvellous effects performed in so short a time, I frankly admit I could not have believed such a thing possible. I saw men whose arms and hands were stiffened with years of Rheumatism, after a few minutes' treatment with the Veedee, raise those same arms above their heads and swing them about with perfect ease.



Catarrh, Cold in Head, Lung Troubles, Asthma, Indigestion, Constipation, Deafness, &c. Figure Development, etc. Wind Trouble, &c.

But even more astonishing feats are performed every day at the Demonstrators private offices in Mercantile Chambers, where a large number of sufferers are daily coming from far and near to consult, and purchase the famous Veedee Vibrators for home use.

At their offices the Demonstrators have more time to devote to the sufferers and in order to see what the Veedee can do for them, if a cure is possible, you are as sure of it as you are of the sun rising. If, however, you are beyond relief, or improvement, the Demonstrators would REFUSE TO SELL A VEEDEE if they did not feel certain its use would be beneficial to you.

Many are coming daily for relief. Fully nine out of every ten who are treated by them are immediately benefited and eventually cured; the greatest number only requiring a few treatments.

With unerring skill the Veedee is placed to work upon the seat of pain, and in a few moments, almost before you have had time to realize what has happened, those pains have disappeared.



Rheumatism, Gout, Wife or Sister using for Neuralgia, Headache, Sprains, etc. Lumbago, General Tonic, &c. Face Massage, Wrinkles.

CONSULTATIONS ARE FREE. The Veedee Demonstrators make no charge to callers for consultation, and they never publish the names of callers or private patients.

WHAT THE VEEDEE CURES. RHEUMATISM, RHEUMATOID, ARTHRITIS, GOUT, PARALYSIS, DEAFNESS.

As well as the following: Liver Troubles, Stiff Joints, Insomnia, Kidney Diseases, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Swollen Glands, Gout, Indigestion, Eye Weakness, Constipation, Asthma, Throat Troubles, General Debility, Contracted Limbs, Neuralgia and Stammering.

The medical testimony which supports the Veedee is marvellous in its volume and in the fact that hundreds of well-known doctors actually use and prescribe the Veedee in their practice.

NOT A CURE-ALL. It might be thought from the number of cases that in the Veedee at last, there has been found the Philosopher's Stone, but the Veedee Demonstrator when questioned upon this point, smilingly said "No! but the reason it can relieve so many cases of a nervous functional nature is due to the fact that it is a purely natural treatment."

The Veedee Demonstrators visit to St. John's has, on account of their great success, been extended far longer than originally intended, but is now drawing to a close, they must leave in a few days.

WHAT SUFFERERS SHOULD DO. If possible go to-day or any week day between 11 and 12.30 or from 3 to 5 p.m., or else on Monday evening from 7.30 to 8.30 the Mercantile Chambers, 193 Water Street and avail yourself of this opportunity or trying what this wonderful invention will do for you. If on the other hand, you live too far away then write to the Veedee Demonstrators, and GET THE BOOK.

"The Veedee and how to Use It," enclosing twelve cents in stamps which includes this splendid book, written by four qualified doctors, in plain, nontechnical language which all can understand, tells you all about this marvellous invention. It is published at the popular price of twelve cents.

When sending the stamps for your copy of the book, you will do well to mention, your trouble, and if you enclose a postal order for Ten Dollars a Veedee will be sent to you at once, with full directions how to use it to get your cure. Whilst the Veedee is still here, sufferers should secure their chances by calling at once at Mercantile Chambers, 193 Water Street.

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