

Last Week's Sales.

Monday 5,350
Tuesday 5,530
Wednesday 5,570
Thursday 5,600
Friday 5,400
Saturday 5,570

33,020

Average daily sales 5,503

Evening Telegram

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WEDNESDAY, April 3, 1912.

Fears to Face the People.

After flouting the large number of petitions presented from very many settlements in the island, and infinitely and numerically very largely signed, the Government took another step in the House of Assembly yesterday to enable them to put off the day of reckoning until the Fall of 1913.

Our readers will already be familiar with the difficulty in which the Government had already put the Governor by refusing to vote an amount to enable the Voters' Lists to be compiled this present summer, as the present law calls upon him to do. They have refused the vote and are now engaged in changing the law with a view of revising the Lists in the summer of 1913, after providing the money in the spring of 1913.

As they have roundly refused to appeal to the country this fall, as the people at large wish, they are endeavoring now to create a situation which will embarrass the Governor should he insist on an election in May 1913, as is perfectly competent for him to do.

As Supply is in the hands of the majority of the House of Assembly, they are in a position to delay the granting of Supply until it is too late for an election next May. Further, even if they grant Supply early and allow the Legislature at the beginning of April 1913, they would be in a position to put up the argument that the Voters' List had not been taken and that it would be an inconvenient season to take it; that the teachers, who usually take the list, would not be available to take the list, and that the time was too short to make up the list, print and publish it for a Spring election; that therefore the lists should be taken in the summer and the election held in the fall. It will be seen then that the Government are engaged plotting to hold on till the Fall of 1913, although they cannot deny successfully that the country wants an election this fall, and wants it to turn them out.

Against this flouting of the people's will, Messrs. Kent and Chitt made strong objections in the Assembly yesterday. Mr. Kent pointed out that Parliament would expire by June 1st next by force of the Statute, and that in recent years the course pursued had been of making the time between a dissolution and the Proclamation as short as possible, and that for good and sufficient reasons. He showed that both in 1904 and in 1908 the same issue of the Royal Gazette which contained the Proclamation of Dissolution contained a Proclamation for the Elections, which were held a few weeks later.

The Prime Minister instanced two cases where a Government had done precisely what they purposed doing. But he had to go back more than half a century to find them, viz. 1855 and 1881.

But Mr. Kent had already shown

why it had been found necessary in recent years to make the time as short as possible between a dissolution and an election. A special session had unexpectedly been called together in connection with treaty rights. On another occasion a disaster, viz. the fire of 1892, had rendered the unexpected calling of the Legislature together. On a third occasion another disaster, the Bank Crash, had necessitated an early meeting of the Legislature. These bitter experiences had shown the danger of leaving the country for a long period without the ability to call a Legislature. Hence the action of 1904 and 1908. Hence the issues of Proclamations for Dissolution and Elections in the same Gazette.

Yet in spite of this experience, and merely that the People's Party may hold on to the Government, Sir Edward Morris is ready to risk the salvation of the country and fight for an Election in the Fall of 1913, and leave the country for half a year without the means of calling the Legislature together, no matter what may happen.

McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, April 3, '12. Figen is a mild but effective laxative lozenge, combining the virtues of Figs, Senna, Cascara, and other gentle aperients. Its value in occasional or habitual constipation is quite evident from its effects upon this trouble, which it always relieves, and not unfrequently cures outright. If you have any slight sluggishness of the liver or torpor of the bowels, we advise you to buy a tin of these handy little tablets. Price 10 cents.

Cream of Lilies is as valuable in April, especially an April such as this has been so far, as in March. It soothes and heals all chapped and abraded skin, softening and making smooth the roughest face or hands. For the effects of cold April winds, use Cream of Lilies. Price 25 cents a crock.

Promoted.

Capt. J. Pogor, of Oderin, arrived here by the Rosalind and goes to visit his brother, Magistrate Power, at Bell Island. His family is at New York and he has sailed out of that port with Capt. John McGrath. Capt. McGrath, he says, has been promoted to the position of General Manager of a new line of steamers, the Cuban-American Line, which ply between New York and the ports of the Southern Republic. The captain deserves the success he has achieved.

Will Return.

Letters received by the Rosalind say that a number of young fishermen, natives of the Southern Shore, who have been for some time in the United States and have done well, will soon return to engage in the fishery. They will purchase motor boats with the cash they have earned abroad so that they may be enabled to work on the fishing grounds with better success and in all weather, and come and go from the shore with greater despatch.

MARINE NOTES.

The Stella Maris, which left here yesterday with sealers, left Grate's Cove at 7 a.m. to-day bound northward. The Euphrates arrived at Kelligrews to-day with a crowd of men from Bell Island.

The Pearl Evelyn, Capt. McKay, is loading fish at Franklin's for the Mediterranean.

Cape Report.

Special to Evening Telegram.

WIND EAST, fresh, with rain and glitter; the S. S. Rosalind passed in at 3.15 p.m. yesterday; nothing since sighted. Bar. 29; Ther. 23.

FIRST SALT STEAMER.—The S. S. Rosalind is expected to leave Cadiz for here to-morrow with a large cargo of salt for Morey & Coy.

Hot X Buns

FOR SALE
Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday
ORDER NOW
AYRE'S
ANGLO-AMERICAN BAKERY

Here and There.

Lady Morris and Mrs. Garrett Byrnes will give a tea and concert in St. Bon's College (Aula Maxima), on Easter Tuesday, April 9th, at 3.30 p.m. Admission including tea and concert, 30 cents.

SEALING SOUVENIR.—Yesterday Capt. Jesse Winsor of the Fogota, purchased a very fine painting of that ship among the seals, the work of our local artist, Mr. J. W. Hayward. Capt. Winsor is pleased with the painting and intends keeping it as a memento of the sealing voyage of 1912.

Electric Restorer for Men Phosphorus restores every nerve in the body to its proper tension, restores energy and vitality. Premature decay and all sexual weakness averted at once. Phosphorus will make you a new man. Price \$5 a box, or two for \$9. Write to any address. The Seaboard Drug Co., Baltimore, Md.

CREWS TAKEN HOME.—The S. S. Bonaventure sailed last midnight taking her own sealing crew and that of the Bellavente to their homes north. She will visit Trinity, Catalina, King's Cove and Greenspond, dropping men off at each port.

JACKMAN'S SALE CONTINUING.
25 Per Cent. Off Everything.
Men's Walk-Over Boots, Vici Kid and Box Calf, \$4.70. Sale Price, \$3.53. Sizes 7, 7½, 8, 8½.

JACKMAN THE TAILOR,
mar30,41 The Mail Order House.

BELL'S TURN OUT.—The Bellaventure finished discharging at Job's premises yesterday and her turnout was as follows:—2,183 young hares, weighing 45 tons, 13 cwt., 3 qts., 5 lbs., gross; 44 tons, 4 cwt., 1 qtr., 27 lbs., net. Gross value, \$3,980.31; net value, \$3,940.67. Her crew shared \$1.80 each.

JACKMAN'S SALE CONTINUING.
25 Per Cent. Off Everything.
Men's Gripsole and Clog Rubbers, \$1.10. Sale Price, 83c. Sizes 6, 6½, 7, 7½, 8, 8½, 9.

JACKMAN THE TAILOR,
mar30,41 The Mail Order House.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The Rev. Mother Superior, Littledele, gratefully acknowledges the receipt of the following amounts toward the new building fund: A Friend, \$100.00; A Friend, \$100.00; Various Sources, \$125.00; A Friend, \$20.00; A Friend, \$25.00; A Friend, \$5.00.

Ask your Druggist for
SERRAVALLO'S TONIC
(Mark and Iron Wine).
Cures:
ANÆMIA, CHLOROSIS, DEBILITY.
Dilapidated Tissue.

ANOTHER TRIP.—The S. S. Rosalind will make one more trip to New York and return when she will be transferred to the Black Diamond Line route. By that time the S. S. Stephano and Florizel will have cleaned up after the sealing voyage and be in readiness for the Red Cross service again.

JACKMAN'S SALE CONTINUING.
25 Per Cent. Off Everything.
Men's Bathing Pants.
Regular Price 25c.
Sale Price 19c.

JACKMAN THE TAILOR,
mar30,41 The Mail Order House.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. W. T. Hanlan desires to thank Miss Hookey, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Grace, Miss Chaplin and Miss Whitten for their great kindness, and the Bricklayers' and Masons' Union for the beautiful wreath and cross, and all her kind friends who showed sympathy with her in her recent bereavement.—adv

GUESTS AT BALSAM PLACE.—The following guests have registered at the Balsam Place, Barnes' Road: H. J. Crowe, Bowwood; John Kelly, London, England; H. C. Thomson, London, England; R. H. and Mrs. Trappnell, city; Grant Trappnell, city; Mr. Bowser, New Brunswick; Mr. A. T. Ritchie, city; Mr. Field, Mr. Rice, Virginia, U. S. A.

DEED.—At the Lunatic Asylum, last evening, Edward Harrigan, aged 34 years; funeral on to-morrow (Thursday), at 2.30 p.m., from Mrs. Aylward's residence, 20½ Hagerty's Square. Friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice.

On the 30th ult., after a tedious illness, Thomas Cuddihy, leaving a wife, three sons, three daughters and one sister to mourn their sad loss, R. L. P.—Halifax papers please copy. At Harbor Grace, this morning, April 3rd, after a long illness, Ralph, son of John Trappnell, J. P., aged 21 years.

On April 3rd, after a long illness, Edward Phalen, aged 79 years. Funeral on Friday at 12.30 p.m., from his late residence, Windsor Lake. Interment at Torbay.

Sealing News.

Messrs. James Baird, Ltd., had the following message sent them from their agent:—

"SEARSTON.—"Message from Fr. Hawkins to Mons. Sears states two ships off Red Island supposed did well; gone toward Bay of Islands."

From Stephano.
"Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Taken about 2,000 seals to-day. Eagle in same patch; think she has done very well. Eagle, 11,000; Stephano, 13,000."

Gibbons vs. Piccott & Crosbie

(Before Mr. Justice Johnson.)
Mark Gibbons vs. Walter Crosbie and A. W. Piccott.

This matter, which was adjourned yesterday afternoon till eleven this morning, came up for further hearing at the same hour.
Mr. Crosbie was again in the box, and Mr. News, counsel for plaintiff, continued his cross-examination.

Train Notes.

The west bound express left Gambo at 10 a.m.
The push plow clearing the Top-salls with a gang of men ahead picking and shovelling, made 1½ miles yesterday. Some heavy cuts are being negotiated.

There is no news to-day of the Bonavista trains.
The train working from Bay of Islands to Port aux Basques was 2 miles from the latter place last night. It is expected to pick the ice off the rails through to Port aux Basques.

Here and There.

EX-MEMBERS MEET.—A meeting of the C. L. B. ex-members will be held in their armoury to-night.

TRAMP COALING.—The tramp steamer Southfield moved down to Harvey's coastal premises this morning to take aboard coal.

PORTENT OF SPRING.—Yesterday a flock of larks were seen alighting in the trees near Hutchings farm. This is believed to be a portent of the approach of fine weather and an early summer.

CARTHAGINIAN LEAVES.—The R.M.S. Carthaginian leaves Liverpool for here Saturday next, the beginning of the Allan Line service, word to this effect having been received by Shea & Co.

REID FELD, CO.
The Argyle left Sound Island at 3 p.m. yesterday inward.

The Bruce is due here to-morrow morning direct from Sydney.
The Ethie left Hermitage at 10.15 a.m. yesterday bound west.

BANKER OUTFITTING.—The banking schooner Huron, Capt. D. Martin, is now being supplied at Bowring Bros. and fitting out for operations on the Grand Bank. Capt. Martin was one of the high liners last year and hopes to do as well this season.

NEW STEAMER CHARTERED.—The Red Cross Co. have chartered the s.s. Minnesota to make one trip to St. John's, and she leaves New York on Friday evening direct, bringing a full freight. The Minnesota will also take a cargo of fish from here.

FOGOTA IN COMMISSION.—As there is a large amount of freight awaiting shipment here to points north, the Fogota will be put in commission quickly and will make two or more trips, going as far north as Twillingate. She will start early next week.

GOING POGIE FISHING.—Some 20 men arrived here to-day from the Southern Shore to go pogie fishing from Boston and New York. Several girls also came along to go in the Rosalind to the same cities to seek employment.

BON'S TURN OUT.—Yesterday afternoon the Bonaventure finished landing her seals and turned out 5,748 young hares, 2 bedlamers, 6 old hares, 2 young hoods; weighing 109 tons, 15 cwt., 7 lbs., gross; 106 tons, 17 cwt., 1 qtr., 3 lbs., net. Gross value, \$9,563.50; net value, \$9,468.20. The crew of 272 men shared \$11.59 each.

FELL INTO STEAMER'S HOLD.—William Dalton, of Georgetown, who was to the sealfishery in the s.s. Bonaventure, slipped on a plank yesterday afternoon and fell into the hold. He was severely cut about the head and sustained serious injury to his body. He was driven to Channing's drug store where he was treated, and later attended to by a doctor.

ADAMS' ALE.—Some few nights ago a well-to-do man from a popular part of the country purchased a bottle of four crown whiskey and placed it securely away until needed. An hour or so after his feelings can be better imagined than described when he found that the bottle had been "spirited" away. Shortly afterwards, however, he again located it. This time it was filled to overflowing with Adams' ale. His friends are to-day twitting him over the event.

Removal Notice!

As our place of business has been rendered unfit for occupancy by the recent fire, we have removed to 307 Water Street. We wish here also to thank our customers for their patronage in the past and respectfully solicit a continuance of same.

Lawrence Newfoundland Co., Ltd.
Agents, Importers, and Wholesale Paper Dealers.
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An Interesting Lecture.

Last night before the members of the B. I. S. in their club rooms, Mr. P. K. Devine lectured on "Compensations of outport life." Mr. J. C. Pippy occupied the chair and the lecturer gave an interesting as well as humorous resume of life in the outports which covered a personal experience of 25 years. Mr. Devine, who has a thorough appreciation of wit and humor, related many interesting and funny stories, detailed incidents which were most mirth provoking, and for nearly two hours had his audience heartily laughing at the drolleries of the people of the sections in which he had dwelt. At the conclusion of the lecture Mr. M. F. Lawlor proposed a vote of thanks, which was seconded by Mr. J. C. Fox and supported by Mr. J. P. Crotty and tendered in a hearty manner by the audience. Mr. Pippy on behalf of the Society thanked the lecturer for the pleasant evening afforded them.

Not Better Yet.

Sir Robert Bond has not yet recovered from the attack of bronchitis which followed the cold he caught last Saturday week. He has been suffering from colds since the beginning of the year. He regrets much that he is not able to be present in the House of Assembly to enter a strong protest against the action of the Government in altering the Election Law to allow them to put off the Registration of Voters for another year and so help them to hold off facing the country till the fall of 1912.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, April 2.
Edward Terry, the celebrated actor, is dead.



MAKES LIGHT
the work of washing, does Sunlight. Brightness and sweetness reign in the home when Sunlight Soap helps you.

SUNLIGHT SOAP

TRY THE SUNLIGHT WAY

Did Not Like the Delay.

Last night the Florizel was anchored off the quarantine grounds for a considerable time before the quarantine officer, visited her, and the crew were indignant over the delay, being anxious to get ashore. When he had examined the crew the ship was given a clean bill of health.

Personal.

Mr. Roy Rabbits, perator at Cuckhold's Cove, who had been to the States on a vacation returned a couple of days ago.

Mrs. Hampton, of Bishop's Falls, arrived in the city last night by train to visit friends.

Have you a bad taste in your mouth after meals? Prescription "A" will cure it. apr.2/12

LADIES!

What is Your Opinion of this Smart Little

Ready-to-Wear HAT?

We predict that it's going to be a

Favourite,

—AT—

\$1.20

EACH.

In Black Crinoline only.

DON'T FORGET US when you set out to buy that Ready-to-Wear for Easter Sunday. Abundance to select from.

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THERE is the Astigmatic Eye, under which heading comes compound and simple Hypermetropic, Myopic and Mixed Astigmatism. These cause much suffering. Diplopia or double vision and strabismus are also accountable for a great deal of pain and annoyance. The remedy is properly fitted Glasses. Why do you suffer when the relief is so near at hand? Go to!



THE FARSIGHTED OR HYPERMETROPIC EYE GLASSES NEEDED.

R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Specialist, Water Street.

All kinds of Frames and Mountings kept in Stock. All kinds of Lenses ground at an hour's notice.

AMERICAN PLATED PINS.
200 Pins on a sheet, 3 sheets for..... 5c.

AMERICAN SAFETY PINS.
1 dozen sorted sizes for..... 5c.

Our Outport Friends can avail of all the benefits of this ad by enclosing cash with order and mention date of adv.

APPRECIATION

Perhaps a few would not be responsive in previous opportunities, sales, which every day open. Remember the MORE

Remain Thursday

Hard felt Hats, 78 cts

4½ dozen Men's Hard Felt 1912 London shape; big Jobs Worth \$1.00. Specially Priced at

Suit Cases, \$1.28

53 Suit Cases, 24 inch, A embossed, lined, leather trimmings, brass lock and end, strong leather handle. Reg. Thursday and Saturday

American Neckwear, 10 cts.

8 dozen American Neckwear including Jabots, Sailor Collars, Pans, etc. Splendid range. Price Thursday and Saturday, each

American Neckwear, 22 cts.

15 dozen American Neckwear Novelties including Dutch side frills, Jabots with Collars, Lace Stocks, Lace Stoles, etc. Price Thursday and Saturday

Side Board Cloths, etc.

Big Job Line American Side Cloths, Pillow Shams, Tablecloths, etc., openwork braided, hemstitched. Values up to 50c. Price Thursday and Saturday

American Doyleys 13 cts.

7 dozen American Doyleys x 11, Embroidered, openwork ed and hemstitched with Reg. 15 & 18c. Sale Price Thursday and Saturday

Window and Door Panels, 14 cts.

4 dozen Window and Door White Muslin with centre frills yards long. Reg. 18c. Sale Price Thursday & Saturday

Chamois Gloves, 42 cts.

6 dozen pairs Washable Gloves, White, Cream and Regular 50c. Sale Price Thursday and Saturday

110 Dozen Liquid Tape

Shoe Polish. Two Regular 10 cents. Sale Price..... 8c.

BIG BUYING WEEK

AT DEVINE'S.

Fancy Vests
Free with Suit.

A TALK
With the Men.

SNAPS
In Galore.

Men, Young and Old, You are wanting a New Suit of Clothes for Easter. We invite you to see our showing of AMERICAN SUITS with Fancy Vests free. We are also strong in PANTS—at all prices from \$1.00 up.

Men's American Suits—\$7.

A Word to the Ladies:
BUY YOUR Easter Blouse

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Men's Fancy Top Shirts, 59c. ea.

Spring Caps, various shades, 40c. ea.

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