

# Devoe Lead and Zinc Paint.



**DON'T** try to Figure Paint Cost by the price per gallon. Poor paint cost most, more gallons to buy—more gallons to apply. Devoe Paint is more economical than the "cheapest" paint ever mixed, because it takes less gallons and wears longer. It is the result of 153 years of experience in honest paint making. No tricks in the paint or the making of it—nothing but honest materials, finally ground and mixed by powerful machinery. That is why one gallon of Devoe covers from 600 to 800 square feet and stays there.

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**A Well Known Mixed Paint.**

Analyses:

Lead and Zinc.....	41 p.c.
Whiting and Clay.....	59 p.c.
100 p.c.	

NOTE.—Whiting and Clay are not paints; they do not cover; they are like the water in the milk. Therefore, two gallons of the above mixed paint will not contain as much paint as one gallon of Devoe, and will not go half as far.

**Devoe Lead and Zinc.**

Analyses:

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For instance: Mr. N. Avery, of Delhi, N. Y., owns two houses exactly alike. He painted one with a well known Mixed Paint; it took 12 gallons. He painted the other house with Devoe, Lead and Zinc; bought 12 gallons and had six gallons left.

**Only \$15 for Paint—House, Barn and Fence**

YANTIC, Conn. Messrs. F. W. DEVOE & Co. Gentlemen.—One year ago I painted my house, also barn, 42 ft. fence, and two verandas, with your Lead and Zinc Paint, bought of Preston Bros. Norwich and I can truthfully say without any hesitation, I was surprised at the small quantity it took to cover my buildings and other woodwork. It applies very smooth and glossy, does not blister or peel, is as white as a lily, and stands out as prominent as a light-house; you can see it over a half mile away. It only cost me about \$15 for paint and oil.

Yours truly, WILLIAM A. MAY.

**25 per cent. less than Lead and Oil**

TITUSVILLE, Pa. F. W. DEVOE & Co., Gentlemen.—My house was painted with Devoe Lead and Zinc, and I bought a quantity, based on the usual estimate for lead and oil. The paint spread and covered beautifully, and you will appreciate my surprise, when I found that I had about 25 per cent. of the amount left over.

Two neighbors painted with lead and oil at the same time and thought for some time that their work looked as well as mine. I can see a great difference now, however; as my job looks much brighter.

You truly, WILLIS GRAY.



**DEVOE TOOK 9 1/2 GALLONS LESS**

Judge I. D. Fairchild of Lufkin, Texas, had two houses painted, both same size. One was painted with a leading top-price paint, and took 25 gallons. The other was painted with Devoe, and took only 15 1/2 gallons. The "leading paint" referred to is adulterated 15%, but is sold at the same price as Devoe.

The most economical paint always is the one that takes least gallons and wears longest, and that's Devoe.



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### Twillingate Indignant.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Gladstone once said, "The principle of Liberalism is the trust of the many tempered by prudence, while the principle of Toryism is distrust of the many tempered by fear." We may consider this principle applicable to the wild-cat scheme contemplated by the Government in the construction of branch railways to a few favored harbors and coves which are already privileged with all the facilities within the financial resources of the country. If we contrast the advantages with which those places south, where the branch lines are going to be extended, with Notre Dame Bay, there is no need of extending any more extra favors upon these at the expense of the whole Colony. Fogo, Change Islands, Herring Neck and Twillingate are from forty to sixty miles from the nearest railway stations. Tilt Cove, Pilley's Island, Little Bay, Little Bay Islands, Fortune Harbor, Exploits, Moreton's Harbor and numbers of settlements in Bonavista Bay and elsewhere, more especially on the West Coast, whose commercial importance will compare most favorably with these places which are going to have branch lines extended, presumably for catching votes and political favoritism. Suppose these and many other places made a similar demand on the Government, where would it end? and what an enormous price for the victory of a Government? Why, one hundred million dollars would be inadequate. It is one of the most extravagant measures that could be contemplated. According to Section 13 of the 1891 Contract it appears that R. G. Reid is liable in all probability to the country for the construction of those branch lines. "The Contractor shall furnish rolling stock as fast and in such quantities and of such description and accommodation as the developing and increasing business of the railway may require." A. B. Morine, Reid's solicitor stated that he was not sure that the Contractor is not bound or under obligation to provide reasonable facilities for traffic, such as spur lines and branch lines, for parties along the line of railway, and provide these facilities under the very words of the contract. Now, with these facts before us, why should the Government force the country to pay \$5,000,000 to R. G. Reid without exhausting every legitimate means, besides the possibility and probability of involving us into such financial difficulties that will compel or force us into bankruptcy, and the next course, Confederation. If the enormous interest on the present debt of \$20,000,000 (or more) is too heavy a burden to bear, how are we going to meet \$175,000,000 annually, or \$5,000,000 at 3 1/2 per cent. for forty years, not including the loan of \$5,000,000 to build branch lines? In all this will be receiving \$10,000,000. It certainly can only be compared to a camel on a cat's back. As a result of such a futile and fatal policy, this Colony of historic misfortune will be

come the prey of pawns and venturous and rapacious creatures. A few years ago the Tory faction made capital out of certain concessions made to R. G. Reid by the Bond administration. Now their Government have given R. G. Reid \$15,000 per mile and all lands adjacent thereto, including minerals. It is not surprising to hear the Hon. D. J. Greene twit Sir E. P. Morris for giving away the pasture land to the Reid Co. instead of reserving it to whiten the hills with sheep, and make two blades of grass grow where one grew previously. In 1890 offers were made to build such branch lines for \$15,000 per mile. This is \$2,000 per mile less than they have agreed to pay the Messrs. Reid Co. Will Morris answer why this is so? There is no district with the exception of White Bay who would appreciate the extension of branch lines more so than Twillingate District. During four months we are shut off from traffic facilities with the capital. Again, we are about forty miles from the nearest railway station, making it at times almost impossible to convey mails to and from the Lewisport station. But we are willing to endure with patience the inconvenience, because we are conscious of the fact that the business of the district would not warrant such an enormous expenditure. Why then should we in this district (or a portion of them) be compelled to contribute to the special branch accommodation for a very small portion of the population? In conclusion I wish briefly to state that one appointment has been made here. If the Government had searched the domains of the Sultan of Turkey, or the domains of William of Hohenzollern, they could not have found a more unpopular appointee. Nine-tenths of the population of Twillingate would not have been sorry if he had been translated to Tibet, where he would likely have made himself acquainted with Dalai Lama. When the proper time comes nine-tenths of the voters of this community will resent the hooliganism of the famous Western Bay episode. They will resent the treacherous conduct of the Government in the summary dismissal of Messrs. Colbourne and Robert Moss. Mr. Moss, who is 80 odd years old, was ruthlessly dismissed to give place to James Hodder, who was not in need of the position, and must be a selfish and greedy man to deprive a poor helpless and penniless man of a small stipend in his old days.

I am, yours truly,  
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### Out All Night.

Two residents of Hoytestown went out in the Bay shooting birds early Friday morning, but as the day advanced it blew so hard off the land that they could not get to port. They landed at Cantwell's Gulch and passed the night in an old deserted house used in the summer season by berry pickers. They lit a fire and made themselves comfortable and returned to the city Saturday afternoon. They had not much grub with them and suffered considerable from hunger. Their friends were very uneasy about them.

### Lunatic a Good Sprinter

Saturday a keeper named Barnes was out from the Lunatic Asylum with his team getting saw dust from the Horwood Lumber Co. He was accompanied by a patient who is regarded as practically cured. Suddenly as the saw dust was being put in the car the patient became rattled and ran with great speed down Water Street. Barnes followed and the lunatic was captured at George's Street by Barnes and a police officer. He was taken to the Western Station and later brought back to the Asylum.

### At C. of E. Cathedral.

At the C. of E. Cathedral during the present week Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 a.m. every morning. To-day, to-morrow and Wednesday there will be Matins and Meditation at 11 and Evensong at 7.30.

**BRUCE PASSENGERS.**—The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.15 a.m. yesterday with the following passengers: Mrs. A. Mitchell, Miss W. J. Muir, A. D. Turnbull, Miss E. L. Neville, J. Maunder, A. K. Lumsden, M. Power, D. McIsaac, G. Nichol, W. Forsey, E. and Mrs. West, C. C. Dooley, R. A. Templeton, T. A. McNab, H. H. Halliburton, J. R. Robertson, Miss B. Lauder, Alex. Gale, F. J. Cleary and R. Walsh.

**LECTURE AT STAR HALL.**—Mr. Shortis will lecture on "My Early Days Among the Baymen" at the Star Hall to-night. The lecture will be helped out by lantern pictures.

#### Here and There.

The Dorothy Baird, Capt. Keeping, arrived at Bahia on Saturday after a passage of 32 days.

A pinch of borax stirred into a quart of milk will keep it sweet, if you object to the taste after boiling.

**ONLY TWO ARRESTS.**—The police made only two arrests Saturday night. They were held at the lockup all night.

**A Great Builder.**—"The D. & L." Emulsion is a great builder. It gives weight, adds healthy flesh, and altogether overcomes any downward tendency of health.

**CORRECTION.**—In re Our London Letter "coats and skirts" should read de figure, and "the comb is made of pinked-out 'cock's comb red velvet," &c., &c.

**B. I. S. BILLIARD MATCH.**—J. J. Mahoney defeated F. Brien by 9 points. W. Casey beat W. Harris by 63, P. Brown knocked out J. Pidgeon by 79, and W. O'Neil "downed" R. McGrath by 26 at the B. I. S. matches Saturday night.

#### Here and There.

**MECHANICS' BUILDING.**—The theatre flat of the Mechanics' Building is now renovated for the purpose of holding entertainments after Easter.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.**—Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—oct25,m

**VAGRANT SEEKS SHELTER.**—A man named Hipditch, who formerly resided near Mundy Pond but is now without a home, went to the police station Saturday night seeking shelter. He was pretty hungry, and after getting something to eat he was given a bed in the cells.

**SEARCHING FOR SHEBEENS.**—Sgts. Byrne and Noseworthy went in the country yesterday and visited several places on the Topsail Road in search for shebeens. Nothing in the shape of the illicit sale of liquor was observable and owing to the vigilance of the police it looks as if shebeening was pretty well stamped out.

#### Here and There.

**RESIGNED HER POSITION.**—Mrs. Spears has resigned her position as forewoman at the Imperial Tobacco Factory.

**"Captain Grip the Outlaw,"** Star Hall Monday and Tuesday, March 28 and 29, by the Avian Dramatic Co. Reserved Seats 40 and 30c., on sale at the Atlantic Bookstore. General admission 20 cents.—mar21,1w

**IMPORTING A TAXICAB.**—We learn from the cabmen at the central stand that Mr. Walter Lawlor is shortly to order a taxicab from London and will use it here during the summer season. It will be capable of seating a small number of persons including the driver, and will be a very comfortable conveyance.

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#### Here and There.

**CHAMPIONS PHOTOGRAPHED.**—The Fiddian team, the inter-collegiate hockey champions this season, were photographed to-day at Parsons' studio.

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**THE HOLY WEEK SERMONS.**—We are informed that Rev. Father Pippy will preach the Good Friday's sermon at the R. C. Cathedral and that Rev. Father Gough will preach the sermon on Holy Thursday on the institution of the Blessed Eucharist by our Saviour at His Last Supper.

**A BIG BLIZZARD.**—Passengers by the express say that Friday and Friday night last was the most stormy period for the season. A fierce blizzard raged from Port aux Basques to Quarry and over two feet of snow fell on the levels. The train had to use a plow, and was impeded considerably by the snow fall.

**ARRIVED FOR HOSPITAL.**—A man named Hollett arrived by the Bruce express Saturday night and was driven to hospital. While logging in the woods the axe used last week, slipped as he was felling a tree and split his right instep open. He lost much blood, and had to be assisted from the cars to a cab on arrival.

**HOLY NAME MEETING.**—The Holy Name Society of St. Patrick's met in the church after last Mass yesterday. President Barron presided and about 50 new members were added to the organization, a total to date in the organization of about 400. Rev. Fr. McDermott gave a very impressive lecture on the Passion and Death of the Redeemer.

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