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To U. S. \$1.10 A YEAR.

BAY ROBERTS, N.F.L.D., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1914.

80 CENTS A YEAR, IN ADVANCE

BOOTS

Men's, Women's and Children's

We have on hand about 200 pairs Boots which we are going to offer at

Less than Cost. In order to dispose of them quick. Sale will commence Saturday morning, and continue until all are disposed of.

Come Early and Secure a Bargain in Footwear.

A. FRADSHAM
Just West Cross Roads, Water St.
BAY ROBERTS.
Jan 30, 14

STOP.

Look & Read

Better than a Life Insurance Policy is one of Lambertson's Non-Explosive

Safety Lamp Burners

Why? Because it saves lives. Make your home brighter and save it from the danger of fire by lamp exploding. A SAFETY LAMP BURNER gives a better and brighter light. It CAN'T EXPLODE. It is self-filling and self-extinguishing with a nickel cone. It is a durable burner and its safety value cannot be estimated.

Testimonial.
"I have used Lambertson's SAFETY BURNERS and would not take \$20 for it if I could not get another. Makes more light than two common burners and for a night lamp has no equal." J. C. JOHNSON, Reynoldsville, Pa.

For Sale by JOHN A. SPENCER, Shearstown.
SOLE AGENT FOR N.F.L.D.
Agents wanted. Jan 23, 14

Business Suicide

The commercial epitaph of the business man who does not advertise.

Is it to be Yours also?

If you are a live one and wish to stay alive, then advertise in

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Newfoundland Notice to Mariners
(No. 11, 1913).

Placentia Harbor, Placentia Bay, Harbor Leading Lights established

Latitude 47. 14.30 north.
Longitude 63. 57.30 west.
POSITION—On the beach which divides the roadstead from inner harbour.
CHARACTER OF LIGHTS—Fixed red catoptric.
ELEVATION FRONT LIGHT—19 feet.
ELEVATION REAR LIGHT—29 1/2 feet.
DISTANCE APART—190 feet.
VISIBILITY—6 miles.
STRUCTURES—Square buildings with sloping sides.
COLOUR—White.
REMARKS—Lights in line lead through navigable water.
These lights will be put in operation without further notice.

A. W. PICCOTT,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries
Dept. of Marine and Fisheries,
St. John's, N.S.
Nov. 15, 1913, Nov 26, 13

Two Men Killed

William James, blacksmith, formerly of Brigus, was killed at Cobalt, recently. Mr. James was standing under a derrick when it fell, and hitting him on the head killed him instantly. Mrs. James, his wife, was at California at the time of the accident.

A man named Patrick Hanlon, of St. Mary's, was killed at Bell Island on Friday last. He was at work on the surface in the Scotia mines operating an electric plow when some earth loosened quickly and fell on him fracturing his shoulder, breaking both legs above the knees and the left leg below the knee, while he received other internal injuries.

A Pertinent Question

The Daily Mail says that the Morris administration received severe probing at the hands of Mr. Coaker a few evenings ago. He particularly probed the District where the Editor of the Mail was at the foot of the poll. Well now Mr. Coaker, don't you think you had better do a little more probing into the annual grant of \$24,000 made by every Government for the past 22 years for the upkeep of the St. John's Fire Dept? We know you live in St. John's now, and it may not be a convenient thing for you to do, but, say, won't you do it, Willie?

Reid Nfld. Co.'s Earnings

The Reid Nfld. Company's returns for the past fiscal year, tabled in Assembly last week, showed complete earnings of \$740,000, an increase of \$106,000 over the previous year. The operating expenses were \$875,000, an increase of \$116,000 over the previous year. The net loss was \$135,000.

Partizan Reports

The regular 'dishing out' of the doings of the House of Assembly is being carried on by a section of the St. John's press in the old fashioned way. We confess we are not surprised at the old Party papers boosting their men as they were wont to in the past, but the thing that strikes us as being most inconsistent with past pretended principles is to find the Advocate and the Daily Mail full of the same material intended to fill up the minds of the 'baymen' who live a distance away from the scene of the 'daily conflict'—the House.

We understood the Advocate particularly, and those responsible for its utterances (Mr. Coaker being again the Editor) were going to do everything, oh, so different. They were going to play the game fair and independent; they were going to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth; they were going to publish things just as they were, having inscribed on their banner TRUTH and RIGHTEOUSNESS.

But how far the best of men fall short of their intentions. Every day we are served by the Mail to reports concerning the doings of the Opposition in the House, especially the Coaker wing, which would lead the average outport reader to think that the Government members were 'babes in the woods' or 'the innocents abroad,' while Coaker, Kant and their followers were Goliaths and Samsous.

Now we are not saying that the other newspapers are innocent altogether of this same thing, but the Mail and Advocate have them 'knocked in the shade.' And when one considers that the average man in this country reads only his newspaper, and that a newspaper he is prepared to swear by, we are not surprised at the way his opinions are moulded. Let any man spend an afternoon or two in the House and then read the report of the session in the Opposition papers and he will, we think, be inclined to wonder if he was really present or not.

Mr. Chesley Hoskins, of St. John's is in town putting the finishing touches on the plumbing and heating of the new cable office building.

Rich Red Blood

Is yours? If you take HOOPE'S SERRAPARILLA, which makes the blood normal in red and white corpuscles; relieves pimples, boils, scrofula, salt rheum or eczema, catarrh, rheumatism, dyspepsia, nervousness, that tired feeling.

Brief News

Mr. R. C. Smith, General Manager of the Anglo-American Telegraph Co., was in town this week.

The American tug Potomac is in the ice off Bonne Bay. Her crew has left her, and she is now drifting helplessly. If she remains above water she should prove a valuable prize for somebody.

While the members of the Opposition are keen in opposing certain increases of salaries for certain outport civil servants, we do not find one of them keen in opposing the grant for the upkeep of the St. John's Fire Department nor the grant for lighting the streets of St. John's.

The Salvation Army will hold a celebration of the General's 58th Birthday in the Citadel on Wednesday night, Feb. 25th, at 8 o'clock. A programme, consisting of instrumental and vocal music, recitations, speeches, etc., will be rendered. Proceeds will be in aid of the Corps.

Mrs. Lucy H. Skelton, wife of the late Dr. Skelton, M. P., passed away on Friday afternoon last. She was the daughter of the late Richard W. Wille, of St. John's, and at the time of her marriage to Dr. Skelton was in charge of the school at Greenspond.

Mr. J. McDonald, the architect who planned the dwelling houses and staff house for the Western Union Telegraph Co., passed away at St. John's on Tuesday night. He had been ailing for several months, and for the last six weeks was confined to his home. He leaves a widow to mourn her sad loss.

There are some people who will not buy a newspaper while the Debates of the House are being published in its columns. Unfortunately there are far too many of that class in our Country, and as a consequence we are not as well informed about public matters as we should be. We spend hundreds of dollars in furnishing our bodies with food, but one cent a week is considered by some too much to spend in order to feed their minds. Thank God the number in this class are getting fewer every year.

As we see it, if some individuals would criticize the Government of this country less (we mean any Government who may for the time being be in power) and criticize the people (for their good) a little more, we would have a different condition of things. Those who criticize know usually to whom their criticism should be directed, but expediency is too often placed before duty because it may mean a loss of votes. For our own good and our country's good a spade should very often be called a spade.

The liquor dealers of the city have been releasing all the liquor they possibly could from bond in anticipation of the imposition of duty during the present session of the Assembly. It is said that large quantities have been imported and that nearly a hundred thousand dollars in revenue have been paid since the opening of the House. The revenue is suffering this year owing to the taking off of duties on sugar, tea, beef and pork. The taking off of this duty was practically opposed by Mr. Coaker and 'The People,' published by Geo. Knowling. But the Government is going to increase the duty on liquors and other luxuries in order to make up for the duties lost on necessities. A good idea, we think.

News in a Line

After a thorough examination of the new cable office building by Messrs. C. B. Canham and R. C. Smith, it was taken over by these gentlemen, on behalf of the Western Union, to-day (Friday).

Mr. W. Downing, representing the firm of builders of the cable office here, and Mr. H. J. O'Brien, representing the architects, leave for Halifax and New York via St. John's by to-day's train.

Mr. Geo. Martin, foreman builder of the cable office, and Mr. Woolgar, foreman plasterer on the same building, left for New York via St. John's on Thursday evening. Mr. Rhuarid, the electrician, returned to New York last week.

C.L.B. COMPANY'S ORDERS

Orderly Officers for the week—2nd Lt. J. Dewe, 3rd Lt. J. Dewe, 4th Lt. J. Dewe, 5th Lt. J. Dewe, 6th Lt. J. Dewe, 7th Lt. J. Dewe, 8th Lt. J. Dewe, 9th Lt. J. Dewe, 10th Lt. J. Dewe, 11th Lt. J. Dewe, 12th Lt. J. Dewe, 13th Lt. J. Dewe, 14th Lt. J. Dewe, 15th Lt. J. Dewe, 16th Lt. J. Dewe, 17th Lt. J. Dewe, 18th Lt. J. Dewe, 19th Lt. J. Dewe, 20th Lt. J. Dewe, 21st Lt. J. Dewe, 22nd Lt. J. Dewe, 23rd Lt. J. Dewe, 24th Lt. J. Dewe, 25th Lt. J. Dewe, 26th Lt. J. Dewe, 27th Lt. J. Dewe, 28th Lt. J. Dewe, 29th Lt. J. Dewe, 30th Lt. J. Dewe, 31st Lt. J. Dewe, 32nd Lt. J. Dewe, 33rd Lt. J. Dewe, 34th Lt. J. Dewe, 35th Lt. J. Dewe, 36th Lt. J. Dewe, 37th Lt. J. Dewe, 38th Lt. J. Dewe, 39th Lt. J. Dewe, 40th Lt. J. Dewe, 41st Lt. J. Dewe, 42nd Lt. J. Dewe, 43rd Lt. J. Dewe, 44th Lt. J. Dewe, 45th Lt. J. Dewe, 46th Lt. J. Dewe, 47th Lt. J. Dewe, 48th Lt. J. Dewe, 49th Lt. J. Dewe, 50th Lt. J. Dewe, 51st Lt. J. Dewe, 52nd Lt. J. Dewe, 53rd Lt. J. Dewe, 54th Lt. J. Dewe, 55th Lt. J. Dewe, 56th Lt. J. Dewe, 57th Lt. J. Dewe, 58th Lt. J. Dewe, 59th Lt. J. Dewe, 60th Lt. J. Dewe, 61st Lt. J. Dewe, 62nd Lt. J. Dewe, 63rd Lt. J. Dewe, 64th Lt. J. Dewe, 65th Lt. J. Dewe, 66th Lt. J. Dewe, 67th Lt. J. Dewe, 68th Lt. J. Dewe, 69th Lt. J. Dewe, 70th Lt. J. Dewe, 71st Lt. J. Dewe, 72nd Lt. J. Dewe, 73rd Lt. J. Dewe, 74th Lt. J. Dewe, 75th Lt. J. Dewe, 76th Lt. J. Dewe, 77th Lt. J. Dewe, 78th Lt. J. Dewe, 79th Lt. J. Dewe, 80th Lt. J. Dewe, 81st Lt. J. Dewe, 82nd Lt. J. Dewe, 83rd Lt. J. Dewe, 84th Lt. J. Dewe, 85th Lt. J. Dewe, 86th Lt. J. Dewe, 87th Lt. J. Dewe, 88th Lt. J. Dewe, 89th Lt. J. Dewe, 90th Lt. J. Dewe, 91st Lt. J. Dewe, 92nd Lt. J. Dewe, 93rd Lt. J. Dewe, 94th Lt. J. Dewe, 95th Lt. J. Dewe, 96th Lt. J. Dewe, 97th Lt. J. Dewe, 98th Lt. J. Dewe, 99th Lt. J. Dewe, 100th Lt. J. Dewe.

H. L. PIKE, O. C.

During their stay amongst us of about seven months, Messrs. W. Downing and Geo. Martin, superintendent and foreman respectively of the contractors of the cable office building, made themselves very popular with all who came in contact with them, both in a social and business way, and our citizens in general will wish them each good luck.

Proclamation.

By His Excellency WALTER EDWARD DAVIDSON, Esquire, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St. George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies.

Whereas it is provided by Chapter 23, of 2 Edward VII, entitled "An Act to amend the Post Office Act, 1891," that upon the recommendation of the Board appointed under the provisions of the said Act, the Governor in Council shall, by Proclamation give notice of any alteration of name, naming or re-naming of places within this Colony, provided that Public Notice of such proposed alteration of name, naming or re-naming of places shall have been given for Three Months previous.

And whereas by Public Notice of date the 23rd day of September, 1913, certain alterations of name and re-naming of places within this Colony were notified, as required by the above mentioned Act;

I do, therefore, by this my Proclamation, order and direct that the alterations of name, or re-naming of places within this Colony, as contained in the said Public Notice of the 23rd day of September, 1913, shall come into effect from the date of these Presents, that is to say:

1. Collier's Bay Cove, District of Trinity, to be re-named "Thornlea."
2. Ship Cove, Bay D'Espoir, Fortune Bay, to be re-named "St. Alban."
3. Broad Cove, District of Ferry land, to be re-named "Cappahayden."

Given under my Hand and Seal, at the Government House, St. John's, this 23rd day of December, A. D. 1913.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

SNAPS

For THRIFTY BUYERS NEW ARRIVALS.

Most of the following bought at bargain prices.
Men's Fleece-lined Underwear, only 47c garment. Boys' Fleece-lined Underwear, assorted sizes, good values. Men's Fancy Shirts, values to \$1.50 all one price, 65c.
Men's two buckle Gaiters, reg. \$3.30; for only \$2.50.
Men's, Women's and Children's Hose, good values.
Men's Grey and Blue Sweater Coats, only 55c.
Men's and Boys' Navy Sweaters. Child's Bearskin and Astrackan Leggings, job lot, 45c.
Men's Overalls, 75c, 84 and 88c a pair.
Infant's Bibs and Feeders, 2 for 15c, half price.
Ladies' black and colored Blouses, same price, 70c up.
Cotton Blankets and Blanket Ends, cheap.
Hair Bandeaux, a real snap, only 9c each.
Clark's Sewing Cotton, 2 for 9c.
Exercise Books, 2 for 5c; 60 pages, 2 for 7c.
Post Cards, embossed and gloss finish, 3 for 5c.
Kitchen Clothes Driers, 6 bars, 22 and 27c each.
Nickel Towel Racks, only 13c.
Egg Cups, gold rim, 3 for 7c.
Dust Pans, Fry Pans, Enamel Pans, Saucepans, Meat Pans, Baking Pans, Goggles, etc., at Bargain Prices.
Try our 27 and 35c Teas, and beat them if you can for flavor and strength.
Watch this advt. on Feb. 28th.

Marshall's
Just west Cable Site.

Sole Leather

Cheapest in Town

Wholesale and Retail
Bay Roberts West 120, 51

Schooners For Sale

I have had placed in my hands for sale eight Schooners, in sizes from 14 to 53 tons, and in price from \$250 to \$2100. For further particulars, apply to C. E. Russell, Guardian Office, Bay Roberts.

For Sale

One solid quarter-cut Oak Sideboard, with bevelled edge plate glass mirror. Apply to C. E. Russell, Guardian Office. feb 13, 21

Counter CHECK BOOKS

I am agent for a first-class make of Counter Check Books, made in various styles. You can have your choice of Blue or Black Backs or the Carbon Leaf style. There is no order too small or none too large for me to handle. C. E. RUSSELL, Bay Roberts.

A. L. COLLIS

Piano and Reed Organ Tuner

Would be pleased to respond to post-card or telegram from persons requiring work in this line attended to. Also agent for the celebrated

Stanley Piano

Highly recommended here, as well as Church Organs of one and two manuals, with foot pedals of two claviers. Satisfaction guaranteed. Address: A. L. COLLIS, Harvey St. East, Harbor Grace.

Arctic Indigestion Cure

Recommended as a Great Cure for Indigestion and General Debility.
Sold by
C. E. Russell, Bay Roberts

REID NEWFOUNDLAND Company.

Bargains for Lumbermen!

We have purchased at a bargain a large stock of **Peavies and Peavie Handles**

These are all made of air-seasoned Hickory, standard length and guaranteed No. 1 quality.

We have also a large supply of **Sole and Heel Caulks**

for River Driver's Boots. Order now while bargain prices are in effect.

WATER STREET STORES DEPT.

Reid Newfoundland Company

We have received a full range of the Celebrated

National Drug & Chemical Co. Medicines.

GEO. HIERLIHY
East Two Stores West

Work for 1400 MEN

At Millertown and Badger.

Wages paid— Badger, from \$18 to \$23 and found. Millertown, from \$20 to \$25 and found.

Good Axemen & Teamsters

Working through the season and staying till End of Chop will be paid \$1.00 per day and found.

For further particulars, apply to
C. E. RUSSELL, Guardian Office, Bay Roberts.

GUARDIAN FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE CO. LTD.

Subscribed Capital - \$10,000,000
Paid-up Capital - 5,000,000
Total Funds - 25,000,000

Insurances effected at lowest rates.

T. & M. Winter, Agents
C. E. RUSSELL, Local Agent.

Brown Slab TOBACCO

Sold in 5 and 10c. Sticks

Once Tried Always Used

TRY IT.

Fire and Marine Insurance.

The undersigned, having been appointed Newfoundland Agent for HOLMWOOD & HOLMWOOD, LTD., of London, INSURANCE AGENTS and LLOYDS, wish to notify the general public that they are now prepared to do both FIRE and MARINE INSURANCE at lowest rates.

A Specialty made of Outport Risks.

Newfoundland Produce Co Ltd,
ST. JOHN'S, N.F.L.D.