

## 23rd Anniversary.

To-day is the twenty-third anniversary of the great fire of '92, which practically destroyed the eastern section of this city. The blaze, it will be remembered, started in the afternoon of July 8th in a barn owned by Timothy Brien on Freshwater Road, and swept downward towards the city, a strong westerly wind carrying "flankers" to the extreme east of the town. Amongst the principal buildings destroyed were the Kirk, Gower Street Methodist Church, Star Hall, T. A. Hall, Church of England Cathedral, Court House, Masonic Temple, Commercial Bank, British Hall, and the Electrical Power House, which stood on the site now occupied by the Imperial Tobacco Factory. The fire extended as far west as Beck's Cove, and from that point swept along Water Street to Wood's dock. The estimated loss of property was about \$16,000,000, and the total amount of insurance carried was only about one-fourth the value of the property destroyed.

## Two Men Astray.

The French banking schooner St. Leon, Capt. Frautleat, entered this port yesterday from the Grand Banks to refit, having lost her cables and anchors in a recent storm. The St. Leon came from Pécamps early in April and has been fishing on the banks ever since. She has on board 1,500 quintals. She reports fish plentiful but operations are hampered by storms.

## Boy Run Over

## AND IS BADLY HURT.

A little boy named Morris Phelan, aged 5 years, had a narrow escape from serious injury on Tuesday evening, though as it is he is badly hurt. He was crossing the road at the junction of Holloway and Duckworth Streets when he was run over by a passing team, a wheel of the vehicle going over the right arm of the boy and breaking it. The driver did not bring up the horse but continued on as if nothing had happened. Two citizens picked up the victim and brought him to his home on Nunney Hill. Doctors Roberts and Burden were summoned and reset the broken member. The little boy suffered very much from shock and was in a very weak state. The police have secured the name of the driver of the team

and he will have to answer for his conduct.

## Cod Fishery Good.

The codfishery on the local grounds promises to be good. Within the past few days trappers as well as hook and liners have fared well. The waters are teeming with caplin and the codfish are glutted. A feature is that the fish taken during the present week are a splendid run and of an unusually large size. All along the Southern Shore conditions are similar and at Bay Bulls there is a saving voyage ashore already.

## Laid To Rest.

Some few days ago a well known local sportsman, who was up country salmon fishing, was interfered with by a foreigner who was fishing at the same place and who seemed jealous over the local man's success with the fish while he didn't get a "bite." The authorities were advised and the Yankee was given the gentle hint to quit, which was accordingly done.

## Captured First Whale.

The whaler Cachelot, Capt. Amundsen, has captured her first fish for the season in the waters around Hawke's Harbor. Whales are not plentiful, though it was just as late as this last year when the Cachelot landed her first one, and was high-liner when finish up time came.

## EVERYDAY ETIQUETTE.

"One of my young man cousins is coming to visit me, and as he has never been here before, he cannot very well take me around the city. Should I take him and am I supposed to pay the street car fares?" inquired Sadie. "You should take your cousin around and do everything you can to make his visit an enjoyable one, but he should pay carfare and admission fees," replied her friend.

## Subscriptions to the 'Khaki' Prisoners' Fund

Already acknowledged . . . \$484.22  
T. Peel . . . 2.00  
"Heartfelt Sympathy" . . . 2.00  
Mrs. B. T. Shortall . . . 2.00  
\$490.22

## Amusements.

## BRITISH THEATRE.

For variety and excellence of subjects selected the programme at the popular British surpasses anything they have yet given. The feature photo-play by the famous Lubin Co. entitled "His Brother's Blood" is without exception one of the strongest pictures of its kind ever to be shown in St. John's. The great American humorist, George Ade, contributes one of his cleverest stories in the fable of the "Good Samaritan." It abounds in rich cultured humor. The Oriental subject is most attractive and the drama: "A Just Punishment" is a most powerful one. Arthur Priestman Cameron in comedy song and Miss Elsie Tapper at the piano complete a great entertainment.

## "THE MAN IN THE DARK."

The Crescent Picture Palace presents John Bunny and Flora Finch today in "Bunny Backslides," a very laughable comedy. "The Man in the Dark" is the top spot a mirror to be seen. "Auntie" is a splendid Vitagraph story. "Jimmy Hayse and Muriel" is a western tragedy drama. "The Man Hater" is a farce comedy produced by the Selig all star comedy company. Don't miss this big feature bill at the Crescent to-day; afternoon at 2 o'clock; evening at 7 o'clock; good music and singing.

## OURS IN THE WEST END.

Crowded at each and every performance yesterday the popular West End Theatre had a great programme. The new shipment of pictures seen at Rossley's are even better than ever. All new and splendid subjects and were loudly applauded at each performance. The little singers made a big hit in their scotch number, Maggie McLaren, while their dancing pulled down the house. There will be one of the best songs ever published and sang to-night. It swept like a cyclone over Great Britain and Mrs. Rossley secured it from the publishers, entitled: "Somebody's Boy Has Gone to the Front. Somebody's Boy is Bearing the Brunt," a great song; all new pictures again.

## NICKEL'S BIG PROGRAMME.

The holiday programme at the Nickel Theatre was a delightful one and afforded every pleasure and satisfaction to the large audiences present at each session. "The Million Dollar Mystery" proved as attractive as ever. It was a very exciting episode. Be sure and attend this evening. Forbes Law Duguid sings Tosti's "Good Bye" and (b) Rose in the Bud. To-morrow the great feature film in four acts: "One Wonderful Night" will be given.

## Bankers in for Repairs

## WAS IN COLLISION.

Capt. W. Hollett's fishing schooner Gordon M. Hollett, of Burin, crippled into port yesterday evening in a badly damaged condition, as a result of being in collision with a Lunenburg banker. The G. M. Hollett had just finished a caplin baiting and was on her way to Cape Broyle from the Grand Banks to renew her supply of caplin. Tuesday morning the Hollett vessel was making about five knots when a Lunenburg vessel was observed about a half mile in the distance coming towards her. The Lunenburg ran into the Gordon M., though the latter showed a port light, ramming her aft of the main rigging, carrying away main boom, rail, six planks of the deck and battering the hull as far down as the water line. The impact was so great that the crew who were down below thought the vessel had struck an iceberg and rushed to the deck, finding the other banker making away. The name of the Lunenburg was not discerned owing to the confusion and the haze and darkness. The Gordon M. made after her but found it useless in her wrecked condition. It was found that the Durin vessel was not looking and she was headed for this port for repairs. Capt. Hollett says that he will know the vessel that cut him down by the broken bow she will have. Captain Hollett has landed for this season 2,800 qtls. of codfish and has 700 on board now. Repairs to the vessel will take about a week, after which operations will be resumed.

## YOUR BOYS AND GIRLS

To amuse a child who is slightly ill or kept indoors by storm get out the encyclopedia and turn to the pages of flags printed in various colors. Show the child the page and suggest that you both try to make some flags in the colors shown.

When I tried it with great success I found I had some scraps of sateen and cambric left over from fancy work which served the purpose admirably. Of course any other material would do, and even colored paper pasted on the background of the flag, would do all right. The most used colors are red, white and blue, which will not only make our own flag but are used also in the merchant flag of Germany, the ensign of France and in several others. Yellow and green are the colors next most prominently used.

## RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

## PHOTOGRAPHS

Of the Consecration of HIS GRACE ARCHBISHOP ROCHE. Also, the arrival of His Excellency MONSIGNOR STAGNI, for sale on Portrait or Post Card,

At TOOTON'S Studio,

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June 5, 1915

## This Is Economy Year.



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## Fads and Fashions.

Olive oil and turpentine in equal parts is excellent used with a soft cloth on furniture that has become clouded and gray from dust and dampness.

For apple snow, bake seven large apples, rub through a sieve, add quarter pound sugar, a little essence of vanilla and the whites of two eggs, well beaten.

## Cape Report.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
CAPE RACE, To-day.  
Wind light and variable, weather fine, foggy to sea. The steamer Beatrice passed in at 7.30, Stephano at 8 and Mina at 10 a.m. Bar. 29.64; ther. 62.

## J. J. St. John.

## 45c.—The Real Irish Butter—45c.

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## Advertise in the Telegram

## Funeral of Mr. Alfred Harris.

The funeral of the late Alfred Harris, Engineer of A. E. Reed Co., Nfld. Ltd., took place at Bishop's Falls on Saturday afternoon last, July 3rd, the Rev. Gardiner, Church of England, officiating. After a short service at the Company's Staff House, nearly all the residents of Bishop's Falls and Bishop's Falls Station followed in procession to the graveside. The deceased was borne to his last resting place by his workmates, by whom he was much respected and esteemed. The floral tokens of sympathy and affection were numerous and beautiful. The Staff and Mill Department sent several; others were received from Mr. & Mrs. Hampton, Mr. & Mrs. Dove, Mrs. Petrie, friends at the Hotel, Mr. Twiner and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wentzell (Botwood). The late Mr. Alfred Harris was a native of the city of Oxford, England, and came out to this country about three years ago as Engineer for the A. E. Reed Co., Nfld. Ltd., at Bishop's Falls, at which plant his brother, Mr. A. E. Harris, is Manager.

## Here and There.

PIT-PROP STEAMERS.—The S. S. Mancunia is at Alexander Bay loading pit props for Evans and Reid Ltd., Cardiff. The S. S. Norburn is also there loading for the same firm.

For Indigestion and Dyspepsia take Stafford's Prescription "A". Price 25 and 50c.; postage 5 and 10c. extra.—may 18, 15

COAL CARGO.—The schr. J. N. Rafuse arrived in port from Louisbourg yesterday with a cargo of coals to the Nfld. Produce Co. The run from Louisbourg here occupied 7 days.

Stafford's Liniment cures Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia and all Aches and Pains. may 18, 15

NOVELTY ARRIVES.—The schr. Novelty, Capt. Benson, arrived in port last evening after a passage of 20 days from Barbados. She brought a cargo of molasses to Ayre and Sons, Ltd.

SAFETY RAZOR.—We are Sole Nfld. Agent for the Giant Junior Safety Razors—50c. with 7 blades. CHESLEY WOODS, 233 Duckworth Street.—may 28, 15

FROM OPORTO.—The schr. Henry M. Stanley reached port yesterday after a passage of 28 days from Oporto. She brought a cargo of wines to the Smith Co., Ltd.

OUTPORT FRIENDS and Customers will please note our new address, No. 282, Duckworth Street. We have vacated our old premises 140 Water Street. CHESLEY WOODS.—may 3, 15

MATCHES POSTPONED.—The Star-Saints football game did not come off Tuesday evening on account of many of the players being out of town and the baseball clash between the Wanderers and B. I. S. yesterday was postponed on account of adverse weather conditions.

THE BONAVENTURE.—The s.s. Bonaventure is expected to get away from North Sydney to-day for here with a cargo of coal. After discharging she will get ready for the Hudson Bay cruise.

CONFIRMATION.—As announced on Sunday last, the Sacrament of confirmation will be administered by His Grace Archbishop Roche at the Cathedral, on Sunday next, and at St. Patrick's Church the following Sunday.

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