THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE, ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, FEBRUARY 26, 1915-6.

Too Many Strings To This Charity

A few days ago the Committee of without doubt a splendid one, and the Curling Club forwarded a cheque deserves every commendation, but it for one hundred dollars to the St. has been spoiled by the request which Vincent de Paul Society. The money accompanied, namely, to have a list was donated with the understanding of those who had been helped by the that the names of the persons to whom money, returned to them.

aid would be rendered should be giv-The St. Vincent de Paul people acten back to the Curling Club people, a condition that the St. Vincent de Paul ed wisely in returning this money. Society would not accept, and the The object of the Society is to help the poor, without making names cheque was returned. Last season the Curling Club pre- known, or giving to the curlous the sented a hundred and fifty dollars pros and cons of deserving charity.

to the St. Vincent de Paul funds, but It was possibly an unpremeditated unconditonally, and a like donation error on the part of the Curling Club, was made the year before, and also and they certainly cannot blame the free of any conditions. St. Vincent de Paul Society for hav-The action of giving on the part of ing refused to agree to the condition the gentlemen of the Curling Club, is asked.

To His Grace

Archbishop Roche

ringing Your flock are bringing their love so given to them. true. Within their hearts lies a joyous feel- and in Remembrance" was made in ing Which they're revealing to-day for turer of the evening, the Rev. Dr. you. All creeds around you, they feel de- changes mark. This spleudid city, in lighted,

They are united with you to-day, motion,

And their devotion to you they pay.

proud of,

THE STAR LECTURE

Those who had the good fortune to attend at the lecture in the Star Hall We all feel glad, and the bells are last night shall not soon forget the delightful two hours entertainment

> The subject "Louvain in History its rendition a masterpiece by the lec-Kitchen. Louvain in its history bears

all the scars which age and Time's the Belgian province of Brabant, and 19 miles from Brussels, has all the They know you're worthy of your pro- beauty of art in its cathedrals and retains the richly-decorated style of ancient days. Its Church of St. Peter.

St. Gertrude's Church, and its Weav-Your past is one which we all feel ers' Hall appropriated by the University in 1679-are to the artistic eve-You are spoken loud of by every one; joys for ever, and though German atrowest.

'l'o ()ur Readers

Our special issue to-morrow morning which will consist of eight pages dealing with the Bowring-Kean outrage will contain some of the Resolutions passed by Spaniard's Bay Convention on Wednesday which will carry this matter into another phase.

The Convention on Wednesday decided not to accept \$3.75 for fat. The situation has now become acute and the T. A. Hall has been hired for Sealers' Meetings during the first and second week in March.

Read our paper to-morrow morning and evening and closely follow every step of this issue which is fast reaching a situation that will compel every lover of Newfoundland to give it full consideration.

Volunteers THE NICKEL SHIPPING NEWS This is the feature film at the Nickel for this week-end show. It is a Vita-It is thought that some of our Volgraph of sublime dramatic strength. The S.S. Nascopie was to leave unteers will soon be made ready to go Be sure to see it. "Current Events" Liverpool this a.m. for St. John's. abroad, and a company is being formare also depicted in the "Mutual ed of those who have shown most im-Weekly," and several other films of in-Portia left Trepassy at 7 a.m. going provement in drill and in rifle shootterest will please.

What F.P.U. Councils Have Intimated re Bowring-Kean Outrage

BAY-DE-VERDE—"Will support resolution passed by Convention to a man.'

R. G. WINSOR, M.H.A.-"Sorry, impossible to get to Convention. Wish you every success in any action taken to deal with Kean and Bowring. If Northern men could reach City Kean, Munn and Bowring would realize consequence of deceiving the fishermen and defying public wishes."

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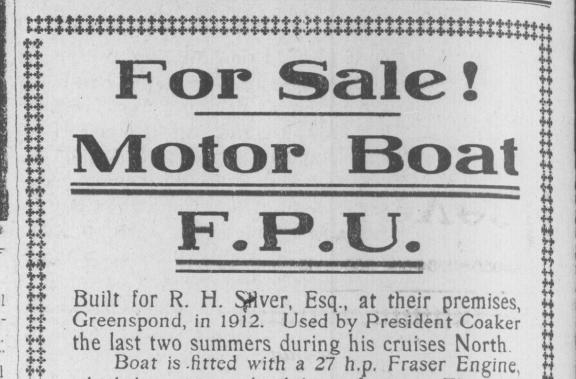
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LAMALINE-"We appreciate your stand keep Kean from commanding sealing steamer."-F.P.U. Council.

CATALINA-"Again Catalina is ready to stand by you in anything you do."-F.P.U. Council.



which has given splendid satisfaction. The boat is 40 feet long and 9 feet wide, and would make



invade their country at the first fa- societies of the city. vorable opportunity Possibly the

action of Italy will steady the con-INSTALLATION ation of affairs in the Balkans. Bul-

The Party in

garia is still a doubtful quantity, and Greece is unlikely to stir unless Bul- The installation of officers of the gatia should make common cause King Edward Branch, N.B.S. took with Germany against Serbia. The place in the British Hall last, night Turkish menace to Greece is no long- and a very large number of members were present. Mr. John Maunder very er dangerous.

The amazing proposal of Count von acceptably conducted the work of the Bernstorff is occupying the attention evening, and after the installation adof the world. The Ambassador to dresses were given by Messrs G. Cook. Washington, speaking for his Gov- W. H. Goodland, H. Cowan, H. Hamernment, propses to withdraw the mand, and J. Lawrence. Music, too, proclamation of a war-zone about was not forgotten, and a splendid pro-Great Britain if the British navy will gramme in which Messrs Cook, Dowpermit foodstuffs to pass. There is den, Hammond, Goodland, W. Cowan no better proof that the proclama- and G. Cook took part. A special feation was an absurd bluff. Sea-power ture of the evening's pleasantry was is necessary to establish a blockade, the serving of tea by the ladies, and and six months of war have proved when the event had closed by the singconclusively that sea-power is not to ing of the National Anthem, everybody be gained by submarines and float- felt that it had been a very enjoyable evening, and a useful one, too. ing mines.

THE GULF SEALERS DON'T SIGN any Agreement that contains a clause fixing \$3.75 per cwt. for Seals. Before Sealers will accept \$3.75 the owners of ships will have to prove to the President of the F.P.U. that Seals are not worth more.

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