some of the Promises Made By Premier Squires in His Manifesto-ALL BROKEN.

is Next Manifesto Will Contain Many More Promises Which Will Be Treated Likewise.

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PROMISE NO. 1 BROKEN.

re-adjustment of the tariff. Each every session of the Legislature nade the same promise. To-day in a worse state than ever be-

PROMISE NO. 2 BROKEN.

was going to put the Reids in proper places and that the first ernment would do would ganization of the Railway

the system, though less in many respects worse 1918-19. Premier Squires tted Mr. Coaker to take control e result the Reids got our lions of dollars and are now the Government to pay them and a half millions more.

PROMISE NO. 3 BROKEN.

ers Neptune is government would encourage pt. A. Kean of

et is the huge squandering of pubmonies to develop Reid's South anch holdings. He ignored the as and petitions of the sharehold-

PROMISE NO. 4 BROKEN.

full load. ing in the (organization of the Marine and Today that department is a public The Minister has not seen tuide of his office for over three vet he drew his sessional pay row morning dularies almost twenty thousand

> from the Treasury. PROMISE NO. 5 BROKEN.

would institute a policy that would be of great efit to the fishermen and the coun-

we are still suffering the despair, depression, and in three Branches. fishing policy has trol. ankruptcy and privation invenue of the Colony's trade View the trade in

PROMISE NO. 6 BROKEN.

To encourage the cutting of Props with the result that To-day the Colony lost hundreds of thousands of dollars by the rotten mismanagement of this enterprise.

PROMISE NO. 7 BROKEN.

He would secure a fleet of steamers from the Home Government which would be of much benefit to the Col-

To-day we have the fleet but these ships are useless, and they cost the country three hundred and fifty thou-

PROMISE NO. 8 BROKEN.

Squires Promised: His government would finalize the Labrador Boundry dispute to the best advantage for Newfoundland.

To day it is no nearer a settleme notwithstanding Hon. Mr. Warren, Sir P. T. McGrath and the Premier have exhausted hundreds of thousands of dollars during the past three years.

PROMISE NO. 9 BROKEN.

Squires Promised: Free medical attendance and a reorganization of the Public Health Department.

To day every inmate of the General Hospital is compelled to pay at least ten dollars per week and the Public Health service was never worse.

PROMISE NO. 10 BROKEN.

the Colony almost one hundred thouof the St. George's Coal Field's sand dollars and the few that were mpany and other more certain pro- built were too costly for the laborer or mechanic to rent.

> PROMISE NO. 11 BROKEN. Squires Promised Increased Old Age Pensions. To-day

there are hundreds of applications ignored and not one was granted.

PROMISE NO. 12 BROKEN. Squires Promised:

To encourage Education. To-day all we have is a department that is osting hundreds of thousands of dollars giving no results. Teachers paid a miserable wage and from every standpoint the system was never as bad before he took charge.

PROMISE NO. 13 BROKEN. Squires Promised: To organize Trade and Commerca

rought upon us by this in- To-day the prosperous Trade and erference and illegal fish Commerce we had in 1919 in extinct born by W. F. Coaker. The ruined by Coaker influence and con-

PROMISE NO. 14 BROKEN. Squires Promised: tion Bay, West Coast districts a betterment of our Postal and Tele

To-day it is well known that our Postal service lacks the confidence of the people. Day after day scandal upon scandal is unearthed, mails undelivered and destroyed.

PROMISE NO. 15 BROKEN.

in 1919 and years previous.

Squires Promised more representation for Coast districts. To-day we find them the same a

PROMISE NO. 16 BROKEN.

Squires Promised: Reformatory for juvenile offenders To-day we have boys of tende years serving terms of imprisonment in the penitentiary, and conditions are much worse than heretofore.

PROMISE NO. 17 BROKEN.

Squires Promised: to secure the enactment of legislation labor in factories where the confine ment and nature of the work will dation of the child. To-day-No improvement.

PROMISE NO. 18 BROKEN. Labor organizations. No attempt

was made in this respect. PROMISE NO. 19 BROKEN. Squires Promised: The members of the G.W.V.A. and

their dependents extraordinary attention and favors. To-day we find him ignoring their pleas for justice when he was requested to act he insultingly tells them "They Were Paid to Fight."

Squires Promised:

dredging coves, etc. To-day conditions are beyond expression because of the Government's neglect in this respect.

PROMISE NO. 21 BROKEN. Squires Promised:

To reduce the High Cost of Living, during the years of the Great War, scarce. Look over the Sugar and other scandals which cost millions of dollars never to be recovered.

PROMISE NO. 22 BROKEN. Squires Promised:

To prevent profiteering

To-day he admits some business people have by false invoices, etc., fleeced the Customs. Yet those people are allowed to go Scot free and unpunished.

HE WILL-HE WON'T



He must do as Coaker tells him.

MONSTROUS LYING.

The Squires-Coaker organs are des- | creasing taxation since he took office regulating child labor so that young perate. They outdid themselves last and won't swallow any such yarn. children of scholable age may find night in the nature of the lies they The taxpayer knows that Squires put their places in the school and on the put before the public. No better playground rather than at manual proof need be asked of how desperate is the plight of the Government than the sort of arguments-save the cent., the total of which, according tend to the mental, physical degra- mark-they advanced in those pap-

to bear in mind that the Humber Deal will give four million dollars to buy any article whatever, knows; in wages and three million dollars in to their bitter cost that Squires neartaxes, that is seven million dollars ly doubled the taxation that was imaltogether. Well, the output of the posed under Cashin. mills according to the statements of Squires, Coaker & Company, is to be 120,000 tons a year and the value of paper, as manufactured, is about fifty dollars a ton. That is only six million dollars for the year's output of the Humber River mills, or a million look for Newfoundland and for Great Britain as well, because the interest on the eighteen million dollars that is to be guaranteed at six per cent. to be found. Moreover, there is no positions they occupy, and the salaris \$1.080,000 a year, which is also provision at all made for all the incidental expenses, depreciation of stock and machinery, etc., which because up to date it is universally every properly run business has to take account of. Evidently Squires other promises. Perhaps he can show and Mosdell think that this concern this in some mysterious fashion To-day it is costing more than can be run in the same way as they ran the "Daily Star" newspaper, when the necessaries of life were which made a great splurge for a time and then "went up the spout" leaving the creditors sadder and wiser men. The intelligent electors will be able to decide for themselves after

> lion dollars in wages and three million dollars in taxes.

the facts we give above what reli-

ance is to be put on the claim that

the Humber mills will give four mil-

SAMPLE NUMBER TWO. The "Advocate" asserts that the taxation under Cashin was thirty- tative returned man, on the Opposition his Humber Deal. Fortunately the eight dollars a head and under platform just now, who did his ut Squires it is only thirty dollars. Evidently friend Clouter imagines that fooled with stuff like this, but the everybody else, intend to ignore the taxpayer knows very well what Squires-Coaker crowd and vote for Squires has done in the way of in- BENNETT & BETTER TIMES

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on any platform in St. John's. A McClary's Enamelware proof of how Squires has treated the

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An Open Letter From Mr. W. H. Jackman.

Former Squires' Candidate Addresses the Voters of Plan centia Bay.

Recites Many Scandals of the Coaker-Squires Administration

To the Electors of the District of Pla- bled white for the sake of political centia and St. Mary's.

advice as to the course it is desirable what Mr. Coaker demands must be to pursue at the present juncture, performed by any government with and many have kindly expressed which he is associated their desire that I might again con- It is not necessary for

prefer, under the circumstances, to public moneys, the violation of con rality. I find it impossible to do so, the Legislature, the concealing of Headstones and Monuments, all sizes ative that the control of the Treasury made in connection with the various The "Daily Mail" invited the voters Cashin imposed, and every man, wobear in mind that the Humber man and child in the country that has at your service. Write to-day for our have brought Newfoundland nearer to District, in common with the whole sons and daughters, denied the living ing and loss occasioned by the miswhich is their rightful heritage, and government of the last three years

> foundland. We were born here, and here we desire to raise our families. had no alternative but to sever my Our main industry is the fisheries, connection with the Squires-Coaker

When I became a candidate for the appears to me not only desirable, resent Government four years ago but essential, that the Squireswas assured that Mr. W. F. Coak- Coaker Government be defeated. er was to be kept in the background. I, therefore, ask you to help in the Instead of that he has been the dom- overthrow of the Government that We can attend to your for- inating figure. To him is directly has wrought such great injury, to due the Fishery policy which has give your active support to Walsh proved so disastrous, and which he is Sullivan and Sinnott, the standard determined to pursue, as he will-have bearers of the Opposition Party, the power so to do, if the Coaker- led by the Hon. John R. Bennett. They

> The present Prime Minister has for the establishment of clean Governnade no secret of the position. He ment. has admitted that he could do no otherwise than submit to the Coaker lemands. This Dominion has been

expediency on the part of Sir Richa ard A. Squires. This evil, great as During the last few months many it has been during the past three letters and messages have reached years and a half, would be intensime from those in your District who fied should the opportunity again be honoured me with their confidence afforded. Nationalization of Fish with fishing centre, the Labrador, is the Many requests have been made for avowed policy of Mr. Coaker, and

larming that, much though I would Scandal, the unparalleled waste of ions are such as to render it imper- to give publicity to the contracts

might assure them, are leaving by creased by almost two million of dolevery steamer for the United States lars, whilst instead of reducing ex-

Under these circumstances I have vet against them has been lifted the combination, and in answer to the axe of the despoiler, and the injury enquiries made by so many friends in done by the Coaker Fishery Regula- the District, and for the information ons, admits of no permanent re- of all whose valued support was exovery so long as the combination tended to me at the last election, l

Squires administration is retained in are fighting the country's battle in the hope of restored prosperity, and

St. John's, April 17, 1923.

graph service. WHERE IS IT?

quires Issues no Manifesto Yet

es organ used its front page what he intended to do if entrusted

to cast ridicule on the with the reins of office. In 1919 he o of Mr. J. R. Bennett, the had a Manifesto in which he promised of the Opposition Party. Of everything to everybody, making the according to Squires and Mos- most reckless assertions and utterly the Bennett Manifesto promises disregarding all honesty and sound and is artfully designed to judgment. To-day his sins have found public. Squires and Mosdell him out. He knows that the thing think that everybody else above all else that is doing him harm repeated last night and drew another nemselves and that because in the country to-day is that Manifes- good audience. The players seemed octed a Manifesto in the Fall to and his failure to perform any of to be more at home in their parts, made any headway. At 2 p.m. yester- Should ice conditions permit, the ship to fool the people, Bennett the twenty-three promises as to img likewise now; but that is portant reforms which he embedied nett's way nor Bennett's re- in it. Therefore he is quitting and isennett will make an honest suing no Manifesto. He is throwing of the whole affair is perfect in every Breton. The ice opened up later in the Harbor and Exploits. The Clyde is to carry out his Manifesto, up the sponge, confessing himself detail and reflects great credit on afternoon, but the ship made little if now in first class condition. She out his mannesto, up the sponge, contessing ministration. She way of Mr. Bentley. "Bulldog Drummond" any progress. A good Southeast wind takes takes a large cargo of freight, Dut in his first term as Premier a consecutive policy and throwing will run for the balance of the week is necessary to clear her from the passengers and several bags of mail he appears before the country to himself on the mercy of the electors and is a show we commend our reada renewal of their confidence, to return him again on a promise to ers to see not be in the position of bring about the Humber Deal. Well, nites to-day, afraid to issue a Mani- as we have already said before, the Drove Spikes in to or to promise anything. Two Humber Deal is a very good thing in from to-morrow the General its way, but it won't satisfy all the will take place and so far needs of this country at the present has issued no Manifesto, and time. If it does all that Squires and ding to his intimate supporters, Coaker claim for it, which of course ot intend to do so. Last Mon- it cannot do, because their claims evening Squires proclaimed are too preposterous, it will leave the young man, resident of Clarke's Breton. On the return trip the Sahis papers that he was no great bulk of the fishermen and the Beach to serve a term in the Penitenand that he did not intend to working people still faced with the tiary for attempting to wreck a train Marystown, Messrs. E. Elliott, J. John's West as reported. He problem of how they are to make two on the Brigus branch line. A few Kenny, J. Westcott, H. J. Moore and camouflage that development ends meet, how they are to catch fish days ago the local train came near the crew of the ill-fated Rita M. sibly deceived some people at a paying price, how they are to being derailed in this section and an Cluett went as passengers. The latthe did not deceive the major- set the wheels of industry going in the investigation showed that spikes had ter are returning to their homes in but in the matter of a Manifesto city and the outports, how they are been driven in the rail expansion Belleoram. annot camouflage and if he is no to fill up the gaps on Water Street joints. Sergeant Bishop was put on about seats he is certainly the caused by the collapse of so many the case and although he had no clue

country has in Mr. Bennett's Manifesto something of a constructive character from which there is some hope the taxpayer who isn't drawing two to be obtained. Therefore, we say to salaries as Clouter probably is, one when they got in they had no thought the electors, throw out the Squires- from the Fisheries Department and of anybody but themselves. Coaker numskulis and vote for Ben- another from the "Advocate," can be nett and Better Times.

At the Casino. BULLDOG DRUMMOND DRAWS

GOOD HOUSE. "Bulldog Drummond," which this week's offering at the Casino was STEAMED EIGHT MILES YESTER.

Rail Expansion.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK TRAIN.

Kyle Making Poor Headway.

DAY. than on Monday night ,and the var- day the ship managed to steam a dis- will call at Port Union, Carmanville, ious scenes that require quick action, tance of eight miles, but again be- Seldom, Fogo, Change Islands, Her-

A BIG CHANGE.—The weather is

Sagona Sails West.

S.S. Sagona, Capt. Tavernor, sailed Sergt. Bishop arrived in the city by at 5 o'clock this morning with a full fax for here on the 24th inst., after the Shore train yesterday, bringing a cargo of freight for Burin and Harbor which she will take up the Montreal gona will call at Grand Bank and

ampion quitter about Manifestoes. is the first political leader in the story of Newfoundland who has factor Squires has nothing to of days ago and given six months for to more producement to indicate of the collapse of so many the case and although ne had no cite to work upon, he succeeded in landing in the city by express, bringing a young woman prisoner from Grand to fore Magistrate Thompson a couple to days ago and given six months falls, to serve a term of twelve months in the penitentiary.

Mr. Wheeler, Ventriloquist will be in good form at Canon Wood Hall to-night. A good laugh is worth a good deal, but it won't cost you much to-night.—apris,ii

Clyde Sails for Green Bay To-Morrow.

Up to press hour the Kyle had not at 10 o'clock on the Green Bay route

Sapper Sailing To-Night.

midnight for Halifax taking Messrs L. P. Crouk and F. H. Peters as pas-

Personal.

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