

Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor be out of all proportion. We are un-C. T. JAMES. - - - - Editor

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1918.

A Final Word.

of the finest markets of the world. If there is one particular body The Mayor's Letter. men in Newfoundland to-day, who have a golden opportunity open to them, and one upon which they can The letter of Mayor Gosling pubseize and hold, it is the herring fisherlished elsewhere in this issue is one men of the northern bays. We have that should receive careful and conpointed out in previous articles that siderate attention from all who are ed for the ensuing year. The election they have at their command a huge interested in the welfare of the childmarket one which can take all the stressed in the superstance of the childsquires, K.C., Past Grand Master of market, one which can take all the ren. At the present moment there apherring that they can catch, and one pears to be a disposition to go ahead which, so long as the fishery is able blindly with nebulous plans for the to supply the demand, will be main- establishment of various institutions The Eastern, Middle and the building and maintenance of Western States need fish foods in un- which must be borne by voluntary limited quantities. Newfoundland subscriptions, and consequently will Scotch cured herring is one of the be uncontrolled by any State superprincipal articles of fish diet sought vision. Such institutions are not apt by the people of the American Union, to give the satisfaction which is to and our advantage is now the securbe expected, particularly if they are ing and retaining of the huge busidenominationally directed, and we ness which the possession of such a have not the means nor the populamarket will bring us. But we have tion to warrant either a Maternity to be careful in our methods of trad-Hospital or Rescue Home for each ing. We cannot hope to command this denomination. Therefore, as the nemarket if we set exorbitant prices upcessity for such institutions is very on our products. We are not in a popressing, some concrete form of insition to dominate the buyers and auguration should be taken up, the compel them to pay any prices that Government to be the controlling powmay be asked, regardless of financial er. Otherwise, if the building and conditions. Should we fall into this maintenance expenses are to be made error, there is a rude awakening due, up by public subscriptions, let there and we may find that in grasping at be a Board of Governors appointed in the shadow of an enhanced price we the first place, to whom all contribumay lose the substance of a continued tions shall come and through whom and profitable trade. The latest re- all disbursements shall be made. ports from Green Bay suggest that xceedingly high rates are being demanded by fishermen for herring from the nets, \$11.25 per barrel being Hospital Cots. quoted. New York buyers who have their representatives on the spot have been advised of this, with the result At the Dallas Hill Hospital, Glad-stone Park, London, N.W., where that they have developed an inclina-Newfoundland has a ward of 20 beds, tion to "jib" and transfer their acthere were 8 Nfld, wounded last tivities elsewhere. Should the fishmonth. The names are Pte. S. Miles ers of Green Bay persist in their deof Bonavista, and Pte. Baxter Bugden, mand for a price for green herring both of whom were wounded at Ypres, which leaves but little or no margin Sept. 29th last; Pte. Benjamin Lee, wounded at Ypres, on Oct. 15th; Pte. J. Butler, gunshot wound thigh; Pte. for profit, after all the expense charges have been added, and thus drive F. Hynes, from their doors the stream of gold | . Manuel, gunshot wound neck; which is ready to pour in, if reason- J. Power, gunshot wound wrist; Pte. able figures are not accepted for their B. Reid, gunshot wound thigh. The Commandant writes that they appear toil and industry, they will be drivto be pleased to see familiar ing away forever the prospects of fu-

> places supporting them. Klark-Urban Co.

round them. The plates over the beds

record the names of the persons and

gunshot wound chest; Pte.

Quite a big gathering attended the sentatives now in Newfoundland will be authorised by their principals to presentation of the "Convict's Daughter," at the Casino last night, by the do so. In some quarters of New i do so. . . . In some quarters of New Klark-Urban Co.

York the opinion is expressed that The story of the play was very he Newfoundland packer (and fish-cleverly produced and the actors did Bowring Bros., erman) will be given an opportunity to 'come down off his high horse' beMaisie Cecil and Thomas Brower. All George McGuire . . . fore the trade of this city undertakes the acting was such as to merit an-

Whether or not this is a threat, we the play will be repeated.

ture prosperity and wealth. New York

merchants, to quote from an article

elsewhere in this issue, have not been

on the herring situation, published

paying the prices asked, "and it

seems doubtful if any of the repre-

O. B. E.

nnot say, but obviously New York is not inclined to be taken by the nose

in the matter of prices. The buyers

Northern fishermen stand to lose one

In England, Bolshevism—everything is called Bolshevism now that has to of that city practically control the market, which at present is inactive do with reform—will take but a very owing in a great measure to the boosting of herring prices in the Bill for the Abolition of Titles, so boosting of herring prices in the Green Bay section. At Bay of Islands and Bonne Bay more reasonable rates rule, and a shift of purchasers to these centres would be disastrous to the Northern Bay, where preparations on such an extensive scale were made for the prosecution of the herring fishery. It is claimed that, at the fishery. It is claimed that, at the prosecution asked in Green Bay from prices being asked in Green Bay from the nets, the cost of Newfoundland Scotch Cure, per barrel, ready for And pocketed lots of L.S.D.,

shipment is \$25. The additional And he (thank God!) is an O.B.E. shipment is \$25. The additional state of the where between \$28 and \$30, which inwhere between \$28 and \$30, which instead of making this fish the "poor man's food" would rank it with luxuries, because the retail prices would rank it with luxuries, because the retail prices would and he (thank God!) is an O.B.E. I had a friend, a friend—and he doubtedly up against a stiff proposi-Just held the line for you and me,

tion, and only the greatest caution in And kept the Germans from the sea our dealings with American buyers And died without the O.B.E. will bring us through. Prices must He died without the O.B.E. therefore be regulated. If not, the

Rose of Sharon, R.B.P.

Rose of Sharon, R.B.P., No. 216 of he L.O.A., held its annual meeting last night when reports for the past he G.B.C., of B.A., and resulted

W.P.-Jordan Milley D.P.-James Wheeler Chaplain-Norman Heater. Registrar-R. J. Ivany. Treasurer-L. J. White 1st Lecturer-John Norman 2nd Lecturer-W. K. Mercer. 1st Censor-Chas. Moore. and Censor—Frank Jones 1st Standard Bearer-R. Hicks 2nd Standard Bearer—O. Spencer. Inside Pursuivant—Geo. Buchanan Outside Pursuivant-John Rogers. Deputy Registrar-John Miller. -John Whitten, R. Dawe chas. Noseworthy, H. Long, A. Pier-The above officers were then in stalled by Sir Knight J. W. Penney. P.G.M. of the G.B.C. of Newfoundland.

Dismissed.

The preliminary hearing in the case of the Crown vs. Rose, was continued resterday evening before Judge Morris. Mr. George Brown gave evidence and at its conclusion Mr. L. E. Emerson, B.L., counsel for the prosecution stated all the evidence for the Crown bad been given. Hon. Mr. Higgins, K.C., then moved for the dismissal of K.C., then moved for the dismissal of Anthem was then sung and the redence had been given supporting the accusation. His Honor Judge Morris, after careful weighing of the evidence had been given supporting the accusation. agreed with the counsel for the acused, and the latter was accordingly lismissed as not guilty.

Variety Sale.

resbyterian Hall to-morrow afterhould not be overlooked or forgotten by those who wish to purchase the newest delicacies. An added attrac-tion will be a short musical program in which the hest local talent will take part. Teas will be served during he progress of the sale.

Acknowledgment.

Mayor Gosling acknowledges with many thanks the following subscriptions for the Community Nurses' Fund Anonymous 50.00

Bowring Bros., Ltd.

George McGuire Previously acknowledged 920.00

Still required 1395.00

Diana's Trip.

outh from the Straits after a seventeen days trip. Captain Burgess reports very inclement weather on the passage to and fro.

The Diana was chartered for a

couple of trips to relieve freight congestion at Humbermouth. Her charter completed, it is probable the ship landed at Placentia for the Reid

Obituary.

at prices to suit all pockets. Skates! Skates! Skates!

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AMERICAN CLUB, CLIP and HOCKEY SKATES, CHILDREN'S and GIRLS' SKATES with ankle straps. YOUNGSTERS' ADJUSTABLE SLED SKATES. HOCKEY STICKS and HOCKEY PUCKS. A full line of SLEIGH BELLS.

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Appreciation of Newfoundland's Efforts.

Extract of Letter Received from Messrs. C. T. Bowring & Co., Ltd.
20 Castle Street, Messrs. Bowring Bros., Ltd.,

St. John's, Nfid. Dear Sirs,— Since you last wrote you will have had cause for rejoicing in common with us all, in the signing of the arm-istice on the 11th inst. There can be only the one feeling of profound thankfulness in this deliverance from the horror which for the past four years and three months has burdened the world. Everything now points to the Peace Conference being held at an early date, and we confidently hope the final settlement there made will be such as to give entire satisfaction. e such as to give entire satisfaction The Colony of Newfoundland has every reason to feel proud of its share in the victory attained, and we feel sure the great help so freely given will always be gratefully remembered by the Mother Country.

Extract from Letter Received from Messrs. The Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co., Ltd. 1 Dale St., Liverpool, November 15, 1918.

Messrs. Bowring Bros., Ltd., St. John's, Nfld.

On the occasion of the conclusion the armistice, it is with much pride and pleasure that we offer our congratulations to the people of New-foundland on the end of the struggle and the attainment of those great aims for which so many sacrifices have been made.

Yours truly

St. Margaret's Sale

St. Margaret's Guild held their annual sale yesterday in Canon Wood Hall. Although the weather was rather inclement, the attendance was large and the goods were quickly dis-posed of. The following were the stall holders:
Candy—Misses Lyall and Wiseman.

Fancy-Misses Stirling, Edwards, oung and Moore. Jumble-Misses Coaker (2), Brazil. Jams and Pickles-Misses Roberts and Saunders Vegetables-Misses Cook (3) and

Book-Misses Tilley and Bright. Tea-Misses Wellman, Dowden (2), Lawrence, Clark, Rendell. After the sale a concert was held inder the patronage of His Excellency the Governor, who was attended by Lt.-Col. Knox-Niven. The programme consisted of solos, duets and recitations, and was highly appreciated those taking part being Capt. Campbell, Miss Ryan, Miss Mitchell, Miss Downton, Miss Cook, Mr. P. F. Moore and Mr. T. P. Helley. The concert closed with the sketche "A Weaver of

Nfld. Scotch Cured Herring.

Since representatives of many of the New York herring merchants are now The Variety Sale to be held in the in Newfoundland, it is possible to give with some degree of accuracy a noon and evening, promises to be one review of the situation preceding the of the events of the season, and opening of the market on fall Scotch pack herring from this source. The is the case with practically all herring at this time. As fall packing is beginning in Newfoundland, attention has naturally been directed there. Those who have gone from New York make little comment on the cause for the present condition of affairs, but advices from reliable sources there state that herring is selling at the outports as high as \$9 @ 9.25 from the fishermen, and that packers are asking as high as \$25 @ 26 for Scotch ured herring at the point of packing. So far as is known New York mer-chants have not been purchasing at these figures, and it seems doubtful if any of the representatives now in Newfoundland will be authorized by their principals to do so. Some of ferings from this market have been made on quantities of herring, when packed, among them several for 5,000-barrel lots at \$18 per barrel. In some quarters of New York the opinon is expressed that the Newfound and packer will be given an oppor tunity to "come down off his high horse," before the trade of this city undertakes to do any business. The trade is of the opinion that there is no warrant for these exceptionally high prices. In the first instance the price being asked by the fishermen s held to be beyond all reason. Since t is estimated that the cost of packing a barrel of Scotch cured herring is about \$11, it will readily be seen that the packers are adding a profit of about \$5 per barrel. The price of the fresh herring, it is believed, far in excess of what it should be, and prominent factors in New York and prominent factors in New York are of the opinion that if the packers would hold off and decline to buy at these prices it would be but a short time when the price would decline and it would be possible to purchase at a more reasonable figure. Newfoundland Scotch cured herring at \$25 in the outports would be so expensive in New York that it is doubtful if the jobbing trade here would There passed away at his home, King's Bridge, at 8.30 o'clock this morning, Mr. Robert Cole, in the 73rd year of his age. Deceased had been ailing for a year, suffering from an internal complaint, which ultimately proved fatal. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. Edward O'Neil, Freshwater Road, and two sons, Martin and John at home, and two sisters, Mrs. E. Power and Mrs. Thos. Hibbs, to mourn their sad loss. The funeral will take place and Mrs. Thos. Hibbs, to mourn their sad loss. The funeral will take place on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. To the bereaved relatives the Telegram extends sympathy.

Gifts for Christmas!

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Ayre & Sons, Ltd.,

Crockery Department. 'Phone 11.

CHARMING BLOUSES NEWLY ARRIVED.

A SPECIAL PURCHASE.

We recently had an opportunity to purchase 1,000 WAISTS at a very much reduced price. Styles were the best to be obtained—all new and desirable—and qualities were exceptionally good. It did not take us long to decide that our patrons would appreciate such splendid Waists at the low prices we could afford to quote. We bought. They're here and they will be included in

A Timely Sale of Waists.

This is indeed an opportunity every thrifty woman will hail with delight. The only possible disappointment you can experience will be that of coming too late to share in the benefits of our special purchase.

\$1.68 each.

Here and There. Here and There. Here and There

THE SUFFERER .- Miss C. Brown,

Grenfell Hospital.

When you want Sausages, why—get ELLIS'; they're the

SMALLPOX SUFFERER. ohnson, the boatswain of the Little tephano, was taken to hospital yeserday suffering from smallpox.

BIPHTHERIA CASE.—One case of liphtheria, a 15-year-old lad, was re-noved from his home, Hamilton St. to the hospital yesterday. FLU AT SYDNEY.—Yesterday reports stated 300 cases of Spanish in-fluenza had occurred in Sydney lately

and many cases are also reported

ANNUAL SALE.—The annual sale by The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church takes place to-morrow evening and night. A pleasant time is assured all who attend.

CHRISTMAS GOODS-Moir's 3-X Chocolates, Nut and Hard Centres, at MRS. FARRELL'S, Head Long's Hill .- dec10,5i

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.—The many riends of Mrs. D. P. Redmond will be sorry to hear that she was again conveyed to the General Hospital, yesterday to undergo another operation.

Stafford's Essence of Ginger Wine at Stafford's Drug Stores

MAY REFLOAT SUSU. - Captain suffering from "flu," who arrived from Rose of the tug Ingraham wired Mr. Placentia yesterday, was admitted to Ellis, Manager of the Tug Co., saying there was every hope of refloating the Susu if weather conditions were only

> KYLE TO BE DOCKED.—The S. S. Kyle will probably arrive here on the 23rd inst., for a thorough overhauling ere she resumes the Cabot Strait service for the winter months. The Sagona takes her place during the time she is in dock.

SCHR. LOST—Messrs. James Baird, all surplus stock of the dope Ltd., received word yesterday that the schr. Success was lost while entering Oporto. The success took across a cargo of 4,500 qtls. of fish from Marystown. The captain and crew are well.

Commencing to-morrow, Afternoon Teas will be served at tables. Short musical The Blue Puttee, Rawlins' gramme. Admission (inch Cross, every afternoon from 3 Tea) 30c.—dec7,3i o'clock on,—dec9,6i

CLAIMS ASSISTANCE. - Captain Joe Cheeseman, whose schooner was quarantined by the Health Authorities, claims that the said authorities should help him secure his anchor, etc., which is fouled on the bottom, where

SMALLPOX-Although only a few cases of smallpox are reported in the city, some of the outports appear to be suffering heavily. At Paradise, P.B., there are 60 cases; six new cases at Island Cove, three at Bryants Cove, and two cases at Oderin, P.B.

on Friday for Christmas. They will re-open early in the New York tate in December or early in January.—N.Y. Fishing Gazette, We have already outlined will begin, and the Red Cross Work will go on as usual.—dec10,2i

on Friday for Christmas. They will as a augury as to what may be expected when the fall herring come into early in the New York tate in December or early in January.—N.Y. Fishing Gazette, Nov. 30.

AT THE CROSSIE.—The following ment were abourd. It was also stated that there were abourd. Bar. It was also sta

GOVERNMENT FUNCTION. night a large gathering of guests assemble at Government House 9 o'clock. At this function there be a presentation of decorations those citizens who were thus home during the past year receiving in

> DOPE DESTROYED-A New GO a little money was visited recel

Variety Sale Young Lada Guild, Presbyterian Hall, We nesday, Dec. 11th, beginning 3.30 p.m. Jams, Pickles, Ver

Schooner Lost

The following message was rece by the Minister of Marine and Fish by the Minister of Marine and ies, from Cape Race:

"S.S. Suerre, saved crew of st Vanessa, schooner still afloat, dash ous to navigation, latitude 45.23, dash tude 40.05 west.

MARCONI OPERATOR.

The Vanessa belongs to wm. Holf

From Cape Race.

of Burin.

-DAY'S MESSAGES. 9.00 A.M.

MERCIAL AIR SERVICE

LONDON, Dec. 9. commercial and financ-are making plans to rails with London, and of the British Empire by pirplanes. A company
s been formed to finance
of an aerial route to Lonties of flying, from the issued by the Civil lows the time when the compete with the tele-Post Office and the raildeclared that nearly five be saved between Lon-Paris, one day between Lontwelve days between Johannesburg. South committee recommends formation of a special of the Government air mmencing on a "modest scale the air ministry, to insure

out delay." FASTENING HIS GUILT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. the documents, relating rigin of the war, found in the in Berlin, contain marginal in the former Kaisers own hand a ccording to advices receivofficial channels. The legisla the advices said, are d, as was announced by rian Premier.

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minary action will be

PRESIDENT UPHELD.

WASHINGTON, Dec 9. eral court decision, holding within the Presidents power t exclusive fishing rights in waters, were upheld by the Court to-day, in making in injunctions restraining Pacific fisheries from nets in the vicinity of the and adjoinging islands off the coast. Under Presidental these islands, together ent waters, were set aside sive use of the Metlakaht ans. In contesting the pro which were brought by the t, the company contended lent had no authority to ex-

public from these waters. MORE U-BOATS.

PARIS, Dec. 9. rawlers are expected to ar erbourg to-day, each towing n submarine. This is the of U-boats to be handed France. It includes one of the sels of the submarine vne. The Japanese armored two torpedo as arrived at Constantinople.

RANKS AS A MONARCH.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. Wilson probably will not teach peace table, but will be re- teachi there by delegates, while re- probab in close contact with the the other nations, and preo decide questions referred to

BLAMED THE NEWSPAPERS.

MUNICH, Dec. 9. armed soldiers, which night forced the resignation, s point, of Herr Auer, Minthe Interior in the Bavarian and then occupied various er offices, gave as the reason tter action, that the newshad been deceiving the people out the war. Premier Eisner he withdrawal of the revoluom the newspaper plants, me, but a statement which publication in the Bavar-, the organ of former Chan-Hertling, was printed in when it managed to get n at noon, after the nocrruption of its working statement said that soland workmen occupied the of- Preside the newspaper "which had lied of Labo ed the people for fifty-one d bore the fearful respon-

banque of murder." The papers would waiters for pres mens direction, added the ecutive of which was signed by the the Inter ary Nationalists of Bava- and Res Courier explained that it nounced statement "to indicate eration ppened." After forcing asked to on of Herr Auer, the mob sure, aim ier Eisner's residence to stated.

he news. Eisner however the banque why they had not informed heir intentions. "I should has seried intentions, "I should has ser Holidays Are Kod

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e have a complete line of Kodaks, as, from the little Vest Pocket up t

Kodaks from \$8 Brownies from \$ Premos from \$2

ere are lots of other Christmas sugg in and let us show you.

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