



Evening Telegram

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Then and Now.

Not so many years ago, certain members of the House of Assembly—at that time in Opposition—declined stridently against keeping the Legislature in session for unduly long periods, and from their places in the lower chamber and through the columns of the press hostile to the Government of the day, bitterly assailed the administration for delaying the proceedings and keeping members from the performance of their necessary work at home—referring chiefly to outport representatives. In those days the sessional pay was but three hundred dollars for members residing in outports, which figured on a basis of two months' service as legislators worked out at a rate of one hundred and fifty dollars per month: considered a fair stipend, yet complaints were made that even when the cost of living was considerably less than it is to-day, that this sum—approximately five dollars per day—was not equal to expenses, and that members from outports were not only out of pocket, but lost considerably in other directions, because of not being able to personally direct their local affairs, their whole time being taken up with matters affecting legislation for the welfare of the country. But times have changed.

No longer are heard the protests of the legislative toiler from north or west. Day after day they patiently and perfunctorily fill their seats in Parliament, and content themselves with following the lead given them by the men higher up. No longer is their voice heard in wrath because of the prolonged time and the practical loss of their summer. No longer do they claim that they are out of pocket and that their affairs at home have gone to the bow-rows. A change has taken place. Instead of receiving an honorarium sufficient to cover their expenses during sessional periods, each member will shortly be in receipt of a salary, a princely stipend, which may be set down as five hundred dollars per month, meet sum indeed to produce silence from the former objectors. The voice of protest has been stilled by the application of the gold cure, and the financial salve thus to be rubbed in is all compelling. But one thousand dollars seems to be a big price for Newfoundland to pay for the wisdom—or lack of it—displayed by the elected law makers of the dominion. Be that as it may, there is this much to be said. Where once an agitation against long sessions was carried on, there is now no denunciation from thousand dollar representatives. Is that the reason?

The present session of the House of Assembly opened on April 21. To-day is the 25th of June, but five days to the end of the financial year, and there is considerable work to be done before the usual ceremonial of closing can take place. The estimates, which provide for an increased expenditure of nearly

two million dollars are not yet passed: Supply has not been voted to His Majesty, nor has Ways and Means been introduced. No word has leaked out as to what provision is to be made to meet the proposed expenditure. That it has to be met is something for which all must be prepared, but what form the excess taxation will take is at present concealed in the mind of the Minister of Finance. But no matter how he proposes to even up the revenue to balance expenditure, everybody must bear in mind that the sum needed is two million dollars, a sum which not so many years gone was considered to be a substantial annual revenue collection for the Colony. Now we are apparently so prosperous with fish at five dollars per quintal and the cost of living "zooming," that two million dollars, spent mainly in "givings" out, is considered but a mere detail. But Liberal Reformers were ever peculiar in their ideas and their peculiarities—in Newfoundland—have taken the form of personal rewards and the reforming of their own fortunes. But what can be expected. Government members will certainly vote for their own benefit and to their own personal advantage. They line up just as they are told and vote as per instructions. A verse of the song sung by Private Willis in the opera "Iolanthe" hits Newfoundland Liberal Reform M.H.A.'s off to perfection. It might have been written expressly for them:

"When in the House M.P.'s divide,
If they've a brain and cerebellum too
They've got to leave that brain outside,
And vote just as their leaders tell 'em too."

THE GOVERNMENT WINS.

The count in Bay-de-Verde District bye-election finished about 9 o'clock this morning, the final figures as received at the General Post Office being 1334 for Cave, Govt., and 913 for Puddester, Opp. By this decision the electors of that district have placed the stamp of their approval on the policy of the Government, and in no uncertain manner, the vote for Mr. Cave increasing over that cast for him last fall, while Mr. Puddester's ballots fell far behind the total of those recorded for Mr. Hickman. By the substantial majority of four hundred and twenty-one, therefore, Bay-de-Verde endorses the Administration, and as Bay-de-Verde must be regarded as an index of outport sentiment politically, the evidence of the present voting must be taken as expressive of popular feeling. The fight was short, sharp and decisive, and was apparently fought without the rancour or bitterness characteristic of the general

(1919) and bye-election (1920) in St. John's West. The approval of all that has been done by the Government—for weal or woe—by the voters of Bay-de-Verde, will but stimulate the Prime Minister and his followers to carry out any policy they propose.

"Iolanthe."

At the Cacho Theatre last night another large audience witnessed the 4th performance of this opera. The principals and chorus were all in fine form and gave a rendition that called forth unstinted applause from their hearers. Several encores were called for and given by the players. His Excellency the Governor will be present at to-night's performance.

Successful Outing at Kilbride.

The social in aid of a laudable object, held at Kilbride on Wednesday evening, proved very enjoyable and highly successful. Mr. Reg. Dowden acted as chairman. A concert followed by a comedy, was part of the programme. The following artists contributed to the success of the evening: Miss Alma Ruby, Miss Ethel Ruby, Mrs. Courtney, and Mr. James Ver. Miss J. Barnes presided at the organ. Dancing was taken up at 11 o'clock and continued until 2 a.m. Mrs. Capt. S. Courtney, who organized the outing, was highly complimented on the splendid manner in which the affair was conducted.

Silver Jubilee Entertainment.

Pupils of St. Bride's Honor Popular Clergyman. Yesterday afternoon the pupils of St. Bride's College, Littledale, gave a very fine entertainment in honor of the "Silver Jubilee" of Right Rev. Mons. McDermott, Vicar General, which was attended by an audience of friends and admirers of this educational institution, including many clergymen of the Archdiocese. The programme was in two parts and was very creditably carried out by the young ladies, who under the training and supervision of the good Sisters, have made a name for themselves which is a guarantee of instrumental and vocal perfection, and whose performances are eagerly attended by those who are lovers of the elegant and accomplished in music. The programme follows:

Part One.
Opening Chorus—"The Venetian Gondollers" The Class.
Address.
Jubilee Chorus—The Class.
Jubilee Celebrations—Fairies.
Tableau.
Accompanist—Miss Brown.
Conductor—Mr. Charles Hutton.
Violins—Mr. Frank Bradshaw and Miss Brown.

Part Two.
Vocal Solo—Just that One Hour; Miss B. Maher.
Instrumental Duet—Golden Youth; Misses H. Channing and W. McDonald.
Chorus—Contrary Mary; The Class.
Instrumental Solo—Les Pierrettes; Miss M. Kieley.
Vocal Duet—Wanders' Night Song; Misses H. Krentzlin and B. Maher.
Vocal Solo—May Dew; Miss M. Hutton.
Trio Dance—Misses H. Krentzlin, E. Warren and W. McDonald.
Instrumental Duet—Through Thick and Thin; Misses I. Collins and M. Kieley.
Vocal Solo—Ariette; Miss H. Krentzlin.
Valedictory and Presentation of Diplomas to Graduates.
Chorus—Old King Cole; The Class.
Distribution of Prizes.
God Save the King.

POOR LOCAL FISHERY.—Hook and liners on the local grounds report poor fishing this morning.

Hymeneal.

CURTIS-FOSTER.
The wedding of Miss Flora Marion Curtis, eldest daughter of Rev. Dr. Curtis, M.A., D.D., M.B.E., Superintendent of Methodist Education, to Mr. John Stuart Foster, B.Sc., graduate of Yale University, son of Mr. D. B. Foster, West Torbrook, N.S., took place at Cochrane St. Centennial Church at 7.30 last evening. Rev. Dr. Bond, assisted by Dr. Curtis, the bride's father, officiating. The bride was given away by her father. She was supported by Miss Catherine A. Milley, while Master Hal Taylor acted as trainbearer. Lieut. P. V. Curtis, late of the Indian Army, was best man. A feature of the ceremony was the bride's renditions of the marriage hymns. Miss Curtis was for some years a member of the choir. The church was filled by friends of the bride, who was attired in white satin with pearl trimming and train of baronette satin. She wore the usual bridal veil with orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white roses and carnations. Her travelling costume was of navy blue serge, with hat, gloves, and footwear of grey. The bridesmaid wore pink georgette beaded with white, with black hat, etc. and carried pink roses and carnations. The groom's present to the bride was a diamond pendant, set in platinum, with platinum chain. To the bridesmaid a bar pin of gold and platinum set with pearls. To the groom's maid, gold cuff links, etc. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of Dr. Curtis, after which the party motored to Topsail, returning at two o'clock to the morning. The happy couple left to-day for Holyrood, where the honeymoon will be spent. Mr. and Mrs. Foster will later leave for New Haven, Conn., where they will in future reside. The Telegram wishes them many years of wedded bliss.

Police Court.

A drunk for the first time in court was discharged.
Two customs charges and two police charges against a resident of Ferryville for breaches of the Customs and Prohibition Acts were deferred till Tuesday.
Four similar charges against another resident of the district will be heard to-morrow.

Reids' Boats.

Argyle left Lawn at 12.30 p.m. yesterday.
Reids left Lewisporte at 5.30 a.m. Carmen at Port Union.
Diana north of Flower's Cove. Glencoe, Meigie, Sagona not reported.
Home left Pillers' Island at 6.30 p.m. yesterday, outward.
Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.30 a.m. to-day.
Petrel left Clarendville at 4.30 a.m. Ranger reached as far as Ship Head; solid jam of ice as far as can be seen.
Edmund Donald left Hr. Main at 6.55 p.m. yesterday.

Painting the Poles.

The street railway people are having the stop poles painted to-day, so that there will be no mistaking the correct ones. The poles will be painted white for a height of four feet. Just by the car stop sign.

Teachers' Convention in July.

A Teachers' Convention will this year be held at the Teachers' Summer School. The Convention, which will take place in July, will last about a week. Various matters concerning teachers, such as salaries, etc., will be brought up.

With the Rod.

During last week some 33 salmon were taken from Grand River, Codroy, three being over 20 lbs. each.
On Saturday last at Harry's River, Mr. J. L. Faunce, of Philadelphia, caught a 36-lb. salmon, which it took 30 minutes to bring to gaff, and was a perfect fish in every way.
Four fish of from 7 to 24 lbs. each were taken on Robinson's River during the same period.

Injured by Cyclist.

Yesterday at lunch hour, while on her way home in company with some companions, Miss Jean Macintosh, a pupil of Bishop Spencer College, was knocked down by a boy on a bicycle coming rapidly over Long's Hill. The little girl was thrown to the sidewalk and received a bad shaking up and several bruises, which necessitates her staying from school for some days yet.

On Tuesday evening Miss Marguerite Ross was knocked down near her home, LeMarchant Road, by a bicyclist and severely cut and bruised.

Fast and careless driving by cyclists is becoming all too prevalent lately—and should be checked.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. (Dr.) Curtis, who has been so ill during recent years, was able to go to church last evening when her daughter, Miss Flora, was married. This was the first time she had been out for several years.

SACHEN DUE TO-MORROW.—A message was received by the Furness Withy people last night, stating that the Sachem was then 250 miles off in a dense fog and is not expected to reach port before to-morrow morning.

ROSALIND SAILING.—S.S. Rosalind sails to-morrow at 3 p.m. and passengers are requested to be on board at noon.

LUNATICS NOT LOCATED.—Up to noon to-day the police and wardens at the Asylum were unsuccessful in locating the two inmates who escaped from the institution early Wednesday afternoon.

Knowling's Men's and Boys'

Summer Underwear

We are now showing a large selection of Men's and Boys'

Wool, Cashmere, Balbriggan, etc.

Underwear which we are selling at prices far below present-day values.

Men's Balbriggan Shirts—
90c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.35 each

Men's Balbriggan Pants—
90c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.35 pair

Men's Brown Cotton Pants, 80c. pair

Men's Net Rowing Shirts, 65c. each

Men's Red Drab Merino Shirts—
80c. each

Men's White Merino Shirts—
Short sleeve 50c. each

Men's Mesh Conde Suits—
36" to 44" \$3.40 suit

Men's Summer Weight Vests and Pants, slightly fleeced, all sizes . \$1.00 gar.

Men's Natural Cashmere Shirts—
\$2.80, \$3.50, \$3.80, \$4.20, \$4.50 ea.

Men's Natural Cashmere Pants—
\$2.80, \$3.50, \$3.80, \$4.20, \$4.50, \$5.75 pair.

Men's Woolsey Natural Cashmere Shirts—\$6.50, \$7.70, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$11.50, \$13.50.

Boys' Natural Cashmere Pants—
24" to 34" . . . \$2.45 to \$3.30 pair

Boys' Balbriggan Shirts—
24" to 34" . . . 60c. to 85c. each

Boys' Balbriggan Pants—
24" to 34" 65c. to 85c. pair

Boys' Natural Cashmere Shirts—
24" to 34" . . . \$2.45 to \$3.30 each

Men's Woolsey Natural Cashmere Pants, \$7.20, \$9.70, \$12.00, \$13.00, \$14.50 pair.

Men's Socks, Black and Colored, in plain and fancy 20c. to \$2.50 pair

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Obituary.

ROBERT J. RANDELL.

Yesterday morning, the sad news was received in town of the passing away at Catalina, a few hours earlier, of Mr. R. J. Randell, a man well known by all for his honesty, uprightness and business ability. Being of an unassuming and quiet personality, he became a friend to all who had the pleasure of being acquainted with him. Although troubled with an affection of the heart for some few years past, still he kept at work up to within a week or so ago. Formerly a schoolteacher, he resigned many years ago to enter the office of Ryan Bros., at Bonavista, where for several years he held the position of bookkeeper. He later severed his connection with that firm to carry on the business at Catalina, owned by Dr. McKay. On the latter going out of business, deceased came to St. John's where he secured a position as manager of the Nail Factory, but owing to ill-health, had to sever his connection with that concern, much against his will, and returned home about a fortnight ago. On Monday, of this week, a friend of his in the city received a letter from him saying that he was out of bed and hoped to be able to come to the city within a few days on private business; but yesterday morning the sad intelligence was received as recorded above. Being a constant visitor to the city, he was well known by the business community. He was also a member of the S.U.F. and Masonic fraternities. Deceased leaves a wife and six children, Miss Annie, C. E. teacher, Bell Island, and five at home; mother, sister and a large circle of relatives and friends to all of whom the Telegram extends sincere sympathy.—Com.

Personal.

Rev. E. L. Birchby, formerly Curate of St. Thomas's Church, who arrived with his family by the Rosalind, will leave again in a few days to enter Harvard University for a course of study.

Hon. W. J. Ellis is a passenger by Tannery Field, who is just recovering from a severe illness, will spend a couple of months in Canada and U. S. resorts. He will be accompanied by his niece and a nurse.

Mr. Jack Newhook, the young footballer who a few nights ago broke his leg while playing in a game at Tannery Field, was unfortunate enough, this morning, to again break the bone, in some manner, which had to be reset.

Ripe Bananas, Cucumbers, Cacao-nuts, Grape Fruit, whole-sale and retail, at GLEESON'S, 108 Water St.—Feb18,1921

Shipping Notes.

S.S. Choctaw sails for New York, direct this afternoon, in ballast.
Schr. Maxwell R. arrived in port last evening with a cargo of coal to Hynes & Co. from Sydney.
Schr. Bertha May arrived last evening from Big Bras' or C.B., with a coal cargo to Davis and Co.
Schr. Elizabeth Horwood arrived in port this morning with a cargo of hard coal to Job Bros. & Co.
S.S. Impoco has sailed to the Southside premises of the I. O. Co.
Schr. Senator has arrived at Wood's Island from Gloucester, with a general cargo to the Bay of Islands Fisheries Co.
Schr. Geo. A. Wood has arrived at Burin from Boston, with a general cargo to Hollett & Co.
S.S. Hochelaga has sailed from Auquathana for Sydney, with 7,800 tons limestone.
S.S. Prospero arrived at St. Anthony last evening, and reports a heavy jam of ice with dense fog.
Schr. Elsie S. Smith, Capt. Leander Pike, has arrived from Carbonear, with a cargo of cask and drum fish, shipped by W. and J. Moores.

McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, June 25, 1920.
Among recent arrivals we announce a pretty full line of Woodbury's goods—Facial Soap, Face Powder, Shaving Sticks, and would draw special attention to the twin creams, Woodbury's Cold Cream and Woodbury's Facial Cream. The Cold Cream is particularly a night cream and may be used as a massage before retiring; the new facial cream is the day cream par excellence and does not show on the face being at once absorbed. It protects the face against hot suns and warm winds. Price (each) 50c. a tube.

Will Parade Tuesday.

The Nfld. Highlanders will have a full dress parade on Tuesday evening next. At the end of the parade a meeting for the purpose of finalising arrangements for the summer camp will take place. The matter of the Brigade's participation in the Commemoration Day Parade, and of entering a crew in the Regatta, will be discussed.

SCHOONERS OFF.—Some fifteen or twenty northern schooners with salt and supplies left for their home ports to-day.

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the new aid to digestion. As pleasant and as safe to take as candy.

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Here and There.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.—George's Field, at 7.30 o'clock this evening, C. E. I. vs. B. I. Admission 10c. Grand Stand 1c. extra. Ladies free.—June25,1920

AT THE BALSAM.—The following are guests at "The Balsam"—Mary Jones, Harbor Grace; T. Lench, J. R. Lench, New York; MacMullin and wife, Miss Du North Sydney; Ray Norman, Cole Point; John Rorke, Jr., Carbonear, W. S. King, Broad Cove.

The Garden Party in aid of the Methodist College-Ayre Athletic Field will be held July 21 instead of August 4th, on Lister's Field, off Cornwall Avenue June25,1920

NOTE OF THANKS.—The family Mrs. James A. Noel, Harvey Street, Harbor Grace, wish to thank all the who attended their mother while also those that sent wreaths to adorn her casket, and those that sent messages of sympathy to them in the great bereavement.—adv.

NOTICE.—Special Meeting of the C. C. C. Boat Club will be held at the President's residence, King's Bridge, this evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested. T. RYAN, Sec. Treas. June25,1920

(By Permission O.C.)—C. C. Band Concert, Bannerman Park, Monday next, June 28th at 8.30 p.m.; Friday, July 2nd at Victoria Park. Collection of gate in aid of Band Funds as per last year's arrangement.—June25,1920

BORN.

On June 23rd, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Greaves, Quidi Road.

MARRIED.

At St. Patrick's Church, on June 23rd, by the Rev. Fr. Renouf, Private Leo Boland, Royal Nfld. Regiment, son of the late James Boland to Miss Mabel Spry, daughter of J. Spry, of Crosbie & Co.'s, both of this city.
At the R.C. Cathedral, on June 24th, by the Rev. Mons. McDermott, ex-Rev. Martin J. Spry, Royal Nfld. Regiment, son of Ed. J. Spry, of Crosbie & Co.'s, to Miss Madge Flynn, daughter of John Flynn (Cooper), of this city.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away, yesterday morning, George E. Taylor, aged years, leaving to mourn a widow, sons, 2 daughters. Funeral on Saturday at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 80 Springdale Street. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this the only intimation.

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BUTTER—Very finest Canadian, per lb. . . 75c.
BOLOGNA SAUSAGE—Sinclair's, per lb. . . 35c.
BACON—Sinclair's choice, per lb. . . . 65c.
BOILED HAM—Very choice, per lb. . . . 80c.
COOKED CORNED BEEF—Fray Bentes (not sterilized), per lb. 45c.
COOKED TONGUE—Very choice, per lb. . . 80c.
ROAST PORK—Cooked with Sage and Onions, per lb. 45c.
FINE OATMEAL—Best quality, per lb. . . . 8c.
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