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H. J. B. WOODS, Postmaster-General.

may 22, 1912

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C. E. RUSSELL, Proprietor.

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BAY ROBERTS, FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 1912.

Self-Confessed Failures

Bond and Kent would put Back Taxes on Tea, Sugar and Pork

One of the things that the taxpayers of this country should not lose sight of during the next election is the fact that the Opposition, or Liberal Party, are practically committed to a re-imposition of the duties on tea, sugar and pork which the present Government removed last session.

It will be remembered that in the session of 1912 Sir Robert Bond ridiculed the idea of the Government's promise to remove the duties from tea, sugar and pork, and said: "SUCH REVISION OF THE TARIFF AS I HAVE BEEN REFERRING TO IS ALMOST IF NOT ALTOGETHER IMPOSSIBLE WITHOUT A REDUCTION OF THE CIVIL LIST. THE PLACING OF TEA, SUGAR AND PORK UPON THE FREE LIST WOULD REDUCE THE REVENUE BY THE SUM OF THREE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS PER YEAR."

It would puzzle wiser heads than those of the Government to devise a revision of the tariff under which that large amount of taxation may now be dropped. In the matter then of this promised reduction of taxation the people have been most wantonly and cruelly deceived.

Mr. Kent supported Sir Robert's view of the matter and twitted the Government with its inability to redeem their pledge to the country as regards reduction of taxation.

This attitude was maintained by the Opposition members in the House, and by the Opposition press outside. They reminded Sir Edward Morris that he could not reduce the taxation on tea, sugar and pork as the revenue could not be reduced that amount without a corresponding reduction in the civil service estimates.

The past session when the Opposition was faced with the sweeping reductions in taxation which their leader and his colleagues in the Assembly repeatedly declared was impossible, Mr. Kent, speaking for the Liberal Party, was not the Government—that the country could not afford to drop the amount of revenue represented by the reductions they were making on tea, sugar and pork. He said the Government would have to reimpose these taxes next year as it was not possible to meet expenditures of the colony without them. This being challenged by the Premier, who asked Mr. Kent if it was the policy of his party to put back the duties on these articles of food, and asked him to declare their intentions, Mr. Kent admitted that the Opposition regarded the re-imposition of the duties on tea, sugar and pork as inevitable.

This is a feature of the policy of the Opposition which the voters should bear in mind when they are called on to vote for Opposition candidates next election. Both Sir Robert Bond and Mr. Kent have committed themselves to the policy of putting back the duties, and if their future may be judged by their past then there is very little doubt but if they got power the duties would be increased. They confess that they cannot see how they could carry on the Government without putting the duties back on tea, sugar and pork. They ought to be the best judges of what they themselves are capable of, and as they publicly avow their belief that they will have to put the duties on these articles of food again the people must take heed at their word. They increased the duties over two hundred thousand

Years of Suffering

A Desperate Case of Catarrh in the Head.

"My father had catarrh in the head for a long time. It was such a desperate case that he didn't know what to do, but one of his friends recommended Hood's Sarraparilla. He got a bottle immediately, and as soon as he commenced taking it he felt relief and after the use of two other bottles he was completely cured. He was so well pleased he has ever since recommended Hood's Sarraparilla." Della Allen, P. O. Lewis, P. O. Get Hood's Sarraparilla today. Sold by all druggists everywhere.

dollars during the last four years of their term of office preceding 1908, while they were deceiving the people by claiming that they were reducing taxation all around.

That is but an instance of what may be expected from them should they again get power. They are self-confessed failures in the matter of managing the affairs of the colony, and what they admit was impossible for them to do has been done by Sir Edward Morris, and now that it is done they confess that they would be unable to carry on the Government unless they put back the taxes Sir Edward took off.

Moral: Don't give them the chance to do so. Keep the man in charge who took off the taxes and who says he will take off more during the next four years.

Before Judge Oke

Six boys, whose ages ranged from 10 to 16 years, were before the Court on Thursday charged with tampering with the letter boxes in the postoffice. Four pleaded 'Guilty,' and they were given a warning by the Judge and fined a small amount. Two of the lads were discharged, they being innocent.

A case of abusive, lewd and insulting language was also heard. After evidence was given by the plaintiff and a number of witnesses, the case was adjourned when evidence was presented which showed that the defendant uttered statements which implicated Judge Oke in 'fixing up' a case heard in the Court some time ago. The Judge declared that he could not, under the circumstances, further proceed with the hearing of the case, and intimated that he would be obliged to take action for libel against the defendant in this case in the Supreme Court. Subsequently an apology to the Judge was tendered by the defendant, and it being accepted by His Honor, the abusive language case was postponed until Tuesday next.

A couple of civil cases were also heard.

Brief News

The Fortune Bay schooner Athlon, 99 tons, James Burden, master, was lost at Blackhead, just outside St. John's, recently.

A slight error occurred in the funeral notice of Mrs. A. J. Dawe, published in our issue of May 10th. Mrs. Albert Basion should have read Mrs. Albert Brown.

The chairman of the F. P. U. Council, referred to by "Fair Play" in last week's issue, was the F. P. chairman at Shearstown, not Bay Roberts.

Messrs. Robert Dawe of Abram, Henry Bowring and George Henry Bishop, of Coley's Point, have built splendid trap boats this spring.

Rev. George Sparks, who has just completed his second year's course on probation in the New Brunswick Methodist Conference, had a very successful year, covering all the subjects of the course, and on the whole came out in the 1st division.

Mr. C. E. Hunt, of Morison & Hunt, St. John's, arrived here by Wednesday night's train on professional business in connection with a case heard before Judge Oke on Thursday.

The S. S. Ingraham arrived here Thursday night for the purpose of towing the old Norwegian barque Nebo, which has been anchored in Bay Roberts harbor for years, to St. John's.

Mr. Jno. B. Dawson's 28 ft. trap boat was launched last week. She has been fitted with a 4 horse-power Fairbanks Engine, which propels her splendidly. Mr. Nathan French, of French's Cove, also owns a new trap boat fitted with a 5 1/2 h.p. Ferro.

A Change

Coaker has been making desperate efforts lately trying to induce the Liberal Party to join hands with him. If he has the following he claims to have, and if he is certain of winning 17 seats, why is he so anxious to join the Liberals or even the Tories? It is said the Liberals won't touch him. In this connection the public will remember how that last winter the Telegram published a column after column in an effort to boost Coaker. The Editor, Dr. Lloyd, even left his warm and comfortable sanctum to share the honors of a brief but very exciting political campaign with Wm. F. Coaker. But for weeks past Coaker's name has been scarcely mentioned by the Telegram, and messages reporting Coaker's trips are never published now. What's the matter, Brothers David and Jonathan of ye olden times? Something serious must certainly have happened.

Good Wishes

Most of our Labrador and French Shore fishermen will be leaving this week and next for the scene of operations this summer. The Guardian takes this opportunity of wishing one and all a prosperous voyage, with the hope that no calamity may befall any one of them.

Note of Thanks

Mr. William Bradbury desires to thank all those who rendered him assistance in his recent bereavement.

NEWS IN A LINE

A few hundred of hay for sale, Apply to C. E. Russell.

The Sunday evening services at Central Meth. Church will commence at 6.30 for the summer months.

Just in, a lot of CHOICE FOUND TWEEDS. Also, a lot of other new goods. JAS. S. SNOW.

Mrs. T. L. Drover and two children arrived here from Green's Harbor on Thursday on visit to her aunt, Mrs. E. Russell.

The S. S. Ingraham, with the big barque Nebo in tow, left here at 8 o'clock this morning for St. John's.

The schr. Keestrel, Capt. Nath Mercer, arrived here from Harbor Grace on Tuesday last.

Mr. Clare Dunham, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dunham, arrived here last week on a visit to his parents.

The following schrs. for sale: 22 tons, 10 years old, \$500. Hunter, 20 tons, 8 years old, \$450. Village Bride, 32 tons, 8 years old, \$850. Boat, 20 tons, 4 years old, \$850. Apply to C. E. Russell, Bay Roberts.

To everything there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven. All are cordially invited to the Old Printing Office to share in the study of this interesting subject Sunday night. Service at 7 o'clock.

Mr. Edward Snow of Abner, who was on the survey of the Bay de Verde branch railway, arrived home on Saturday last suffering from a heavy cold. He is confined to his bed and receiving medical treatment.

The Cheapest and Best place in Town to buy Men's and Boys' Fleece-lined Underwear is at JAMES S. SNOW'S. Prices from 85c to \$1.65. Sold.

In another column will be found a message from London stating that the House of Lords, sitting as the highest court of appeal in the Empire, declares that no court of justice in the land has power to sit otherwise than with open doors. This should stop the practice of hearing cases in camera.

Elders Young and Hubley dropped into the office for a friendly chat, and upon inquiry why their faces wore such a sunny look these rainy days, we learned that a subscription list was already started with several goodly sums to help the purchase of land and to build a church house for the Adventists of Bay Roberts and vicinity to worship in.

Gramophone Records

For sale, from 30c to 45c. Double and single. C. E. Russell, Guardian Office.

Now is the time to see about getting your FENCING MATERIAL. I have on hand about 150 rods of Wire Fencing, which I am disposing of at cost. 20, 25 and 30 rod Rolls. C. E. RUSSELL, Bay Roberts.

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For Sale. Tested (guaranteed) 75 lbs. pressure. Drives engine 45 h.p. Complete with all fittings. Cost \$400 when new. Apply to C. E. Russell, Guardian Office.

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Choice Chocolates
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D. G. FRASER



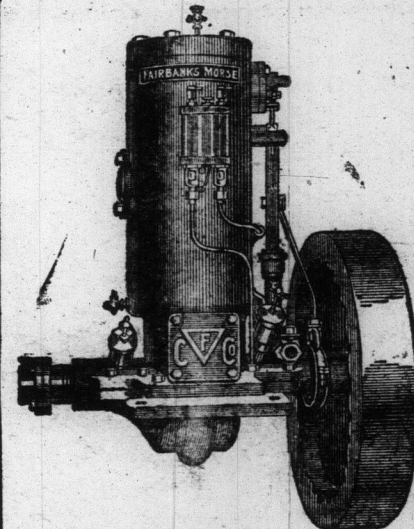
Notice.

To Salmon and Lobster Packers.

REGISTER ALL LETTERS CONTAINING MONEY.

The Department of Marine and Fisheries will not be held responsible for any letters addressed to the Department CONTAINING MONEY, unless said letters BE REGISTERED.

A. W. PICCOTT,
Minister of Marine & Fisheries.
Dept. Marine & Fisheries,
St. John's, Nfld.,
May 10th, 1912. may16,31



The Fairbanks-Morse Marine Engine

See it at The Guardian Office.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Under the provisions of Chapter 23, Edward VII., entitled "An Act to amend the Post Office Act, 1891," and upon the recommendation of the Board appointed under Section 1 thereof, notice is hereby given that, three months after this date, a Proclamation will issue for the alteration of name, or re-naming of places as under, that is to say:—

1. That North West Arm, Green Bay, Twillingate District, be re-named BURLINGTON.
2. That Northern Bight, Random Sound, Trinity Bay, be re-named HILLVIEW.
3. That Seal Cove, Bonavista Bay, be re-named PRINCETON.

R. WATSON,
Colonial Secretary.
Dept. of the Colonial Secretary,
March 14th, 1913.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

The attention of the public is hereby called to Sec. 4. of the 'Cruelty to Animals Act,' which reads as follows:—

Sec. 4.—Every cart or vehicle with shafts, used for draft purposes shall be provided with a sufficient pithet or support, which shall be placed; when the vehicle is stationary, under the shafts thereof, in such manner as to leave the animal tacked to such vehicle free from the weight of the load thereon. Any person driving any cart or vehicle not provided with such pithet or support, or neglecting to use the same when necessary, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten dollars.

And also to Section 23 of an Act entitled 'Nuisance and Municipal Regulations' and which reads as follows:—

Sec. 23. All carts and waggon employed or used upon any of the public roads or streets of this island shall have the owner's name painted in full length on some conspicuous part thereof, in letters of not less size than two inches, and painted in White on a Black ground, under a penalty not exceeding ten dollars.

These two Sections of Acts named above, will be strictly enforced in the future.

JOHN SULLIVAN,
Inspector-General Constabulary
may9,51

FEEDS For Sale

Consisting of Oats, Bran, Yellow Corn Meal and Feed Flour.

This Flour is put up in 100-lb. Sacks, and is highly recommended for its strength-giving qualities to cattle. A full stock of Provisions and Groceries on hand and selling at lowest prices.

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COLEY'S POINT.

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NEWSPAPERS For Sale, good for wrapping purposes, 1 cent per lb. Also, sheets of plain wrapping paper 24 x 36, 4 and 5 cents per lb.

C. E. RUSSELL, Guardian Office

Fox-farming

A pamphlet giving full and detailed instructions which will enable any one to establish a fox farm on his own account, and giving details as to the management, breeding and raising of Foxes in captivity has been published by the Game and Inland Fisheries Board. For the purpose of affording information to those of our own people who may desire to take advantage of the great possibilities of this business, a copy will be mailed any one free of charge upon application to the Secretary, Game and Inland Fisheries Board, St. John's. Letters so addressed will require no stamp.

Secretary Game and Inland Fisheries Board
april18

Weights and Measures

The following sections of the Act Respecting Weights and Measures are published for general information:—

"Any person who shall use a beam scale, weight, or measure, in the sale or exchange of any commodity, not assayed and stamped, or who shall alter the same after being assayed and stamped, or who shall use steel-yard, except for the purpose of weighing hay or straw, or who shall use a beam made of wood, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty dollars."

"Salt may be sold by measure, or by weight; if sold by measure, there shall be eighteen gallons, to a tub (liquid measurement) and three tubs to a hoghead. Any person who shall sell or dispose of salt by measure, otherwise than according to the standard hereby established shall forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty dollars."

"The Chief Inspector, and Inspectors shall, when required, inspect and adjust all beams, weights and measures brought to the office of either of them, according to the said standard, and they shall stamp or mark thereon the initials of the reigning Sovereign, and their own proper initials."

M. J. O'MARA,
Chief Inspector.
Chief Inspector's Office,
Colonial Building,
April 30th, 1913.
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Mourning Paper and Envelopes on hand. Printing for funeral invitations neatly and promptly done at the Guardian Office.