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Evening Telegram

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SATURDAY, November 9, 1912.

Waiting For the Chance.

The last year of the Morris administration has dawned, and so far as human probability can gauge, the advent of another year will see the People's Party a defeated party.

It is already a discredited party and the electors are patiently awaiting to administer the happy despatch in order that they may come once more into possession of their own.

For the past three and a half years the sins of commission and omission of the Government have been accumulating until they are now so heavy that they are dragging down the Government to political perdition.

Never in the history of any government in Newfoundland has there been such a scramble for Crown Lands by brothers, relatives, business and professional partners of members of the Government. Never before have we seen a Minister of Justice interesting himself in the formation of a company to obtain grants of timber lands from the Government of which he is a member.

Never before have we seen such a company obtaining the right to cut timber over such an enormous area on the Labrador or elsewhere within our jurisdiction as 14,000 square miles.

Never before have we known a Minister of Justice to write in his private capacity (or even in any capacity) a letter suggesting that a license might obtain a good deal of lumber from adjoining Crown Lands.

Never before have we known a man in Mr. Morrison's position to plead ignorance of a law which he had as much to do as Mr. Morrison had.

Never before have we known a Prime Minister to back up such a plea in order to save the face of a Minister or for any other purpose.

There is no doubt that the Orange Bay letter staggered the community as much as it did the Governor. But we venture to assert that the plea was as bad as the original offence, and that the worst feature of all was the Prime Minister's endorsement of that plea of forgetfulness.

But the Prime Minister himself

suffers from strange lapses of memory. How otherwise can be explained the statement he made during the last session of the Legislature, when he asserted that he never at any time had held any interest in any timber property in Newfoundland.

On several occasions we drew his attention to this statement of his, and asked him how he could tolerate in his Ministry a man who had made a specialty of becoming interested to an extraordinary degree in timber deals.

Somewhat later we drew the Prime Minister's attention to a document on file in the Registry of Companies which shows himself (Sir E. P. Morris) holding a large interest in a lumber company.

We have directed the attention of the Prime Minister to this document on several occasions, and have asked him to reconcile it with his statement in the House. He has never done so so far as we know. Evidently he has forgotten.

What conclusion does the Prime Minister wish to be drawn from his silence?

He has not had the audacity to plead forgetfulness. He has not told us he forgot the holding of a \$40,000 interest in a lumber company which he avowed he had never held any interest in lumber property in this country.

Of course he might have put forward a plea of forgetfulness, and have obtained from the Attorney General an opinion that any other plea would have been perfectly ridiculous. But he has not done this. He has preferred silence, and perhaps it is the wisest course he could pursue.

For these political sins, and for many others, some of which we have commented on and others which we shall deal with at a future time, and which may shock the country as much as the Orange Bay letter, we have no hesitation in stating that the days of the Government are numbered and that electors are but biding their time.

NEW PICTURE Mouldings.—We have just opened a new line of neat and artistic Picture Mouldings. If you have pictures that require new frames, bring them here; you will see the finest variety of framing in the city to select from. We have also a good selection of Newfoundland Views framed, suitable for Xmas presents. S. H. PARSONS & SONS, corner of Water and Prescott Sts. nov9.11

BOWLING SHIPS.—The S.S. Portia left Trepassy this morning, going west. The S.S. Prospero is due here on Monday from the northward.

WHAT ATTENTION DO YOU PAY

to the TEA you drink?
Are you satisfied if it only "tastes" like tea?

For luncheon or the evening meal there's nothing so appetizing, so restful, so altogether satisfying as a table beverage as STAR TEA.

'Tis a mighty good everyday all round drink; besides the flavour is delightfully real.

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Gray's Jams, Tumblers.
10 lbs. Fancy Valencia Onions, 25c.
New Lemons.
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Jamaica Oranges.
Halifax Sausages.
Local Sausages.
Fresh Rabbits—daily.
Fry's Confectionery—1/4 lb. boxes, Mxd. bds. etc.
Lowney's Confectionery—1/4's, 1/2's, 1's.
Moir's Confectionery, 5c. up
Green Peas, 6c.
Brown Peas, 6c.

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, To-day.
The Saturday Review says the test of Wilson's character and statesmanship will come when he takes up the British protest against the Panama Canal Bill.

Special Evening Telegram.
CONSTANTINOPLE, To-day.
Symptoms resembling cholera have appeared among the wounded soldiers in the hospitals. Those suspected of having the disease are isolated in sheds. If the dread scourge should come to Constantinople, the sufferings would be too horrible to contemplate.

The head of the Islam hierarchy in Turkey has issued an appeal for a Holy War.

Narrow Escape.

A few days ago on Bell Island about 30 men had a very narrow escape from being killed as they came up in four cars out of the slopes of the N. S. Co.'s mine. The man "on deck," as it is technically called, or who had charge of the raising apparatus on the surface was intoxicated and brought the cars up at such a high rate of speed that they jumped the track. Two men on them saw that something was wrong and jumped clear in time to avoid being killed. Several of them were considerably bruised, one had his legs cut and another had his back hurt and was placed in hospital. Two bosses were on the cars and so incensed were they that on getting to the surface that they assaulted the man who thus jeopardized their lives. He was instantly dismissed by the management.

Sudden Death.

Mr. William MacDonald, the tinsmith, who was so well known and esteemed in this city, died very suddenly at his residence, British Square, last night. Mr. MacDonald who has worked at Diamond's establishment on Water Street for years, came home from work in apparently good health and spirits and retired at his usual hour. Later his family were shocked to find him dead in his bed. Heart disease was the cause of his demise. To his sorrowing wife and family the Telegram extends its sympathy.

The Dog Act.

Editor Evening Telegram
Dear Sir:—I beg to draw the attention of the authorities of the law in the city of St. John's to an open violation of an Act passed prohibiting the keeping of dogs in such districts, as proclamations have been issued prohibiting their being kept. Magistrate O'Toole had a dog in his possession. He gave it to a gentleman here at the beginning of the sporting season; but after a few fruitless attempts in pursuit of game the sagacity of the animal was proven worthless, and the animal was consequently sold and subsequently handed back to its owner, Mr. O'Toole. Now the animal is at large terrorizing the sheep which are not accustomed to such an unwelcome visitor. It roams from Conception Harbour to Harbour Main without a caretaker. What is Constable Devlin about? Why doesn't he do his duty in this matter and summon the law breaker? Constable Quinlan would not tolerate such a violation of Chapter 141, Consolidated Statutes. I wonder what will Inspector General Sullivan say when he hears of the police at Harbour Main suffering dogs to roam about without taking steps to enforce the law. Does the law legalise the Magistrate to keep a dog for sporting purposes, and penalize the poor man if he keeps one to haul out a stick of firewood. No! Well this is a case in point which the public, if the authorities fail to act, should take a hand in.

Yours,
PRESERVATION.

Harbour Main.

Here and There.

It is strong and powerful—durable and yet so simple that any ten year old boy can operate it.—nov9.11

Football is the only form of endeavor in which a goal can be scored by kicking.

Some talk of peace, of war, and some of stocks and shares, but a most interesting topic of conversation at the present moment, is the undoubted and entrancing value to be had in Pound Tweed at RODGER'S Store. nov9.11

We have given comfort to over thirteen thousand people by scientifically and carefully fitting them with glasses. If you are suffering from troubles emanating from the eyes call and see us. R. H. TRAPNELL, Eye-Sight Specialist.—oct23.11

Special Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind S. S. W., strong, weather dull, the S.S. Portia passed west at 5:45 a.m., three small schooners also passed west this a.m. Bar 29.60, ther 48.

15—For FIFTEEN CENTS you can have your Pant Pressed every week, with a good crease that will last almost the full week, with ordinary care; or 60c. per month. Try this system and have your trousers look like new every Sunday. SPIRELL BROS., 363 Water Street, next door to Parker & Monroe's. Phone 374.

DIED.
Suddenly, this morning, William MacDonald, son of the late Captain Peter MacDonald, from his late residence, 6 British Square; friends and acquaintances accept this, the only intimation.

Minard's Liniment Cures Rheumatism.

THE Best Bread IS Ayre's.

Supreme Court.

(Before Mr. Justice Johnson.)
Tessier & Co. vs. The Bonaventure Steamship Co., Ltd.

This action was continued this morning. All witnesses were examined and cross-examined yesterday, and this morning the Court heard the argument of the counsel.

Conundrum.

What is acknowledged by friend and rival and by all "who know a good thing" to be marvellous in its simplicity and yet strong, powerful, and durable as the South Side Hills? Answer: A Fraser Motor Engine. It is strong and powerful, durable and yet so simple that any ten-year-old boy can operate it.
FRANKLIN & CO., Agency Dept. nov9.11

Coastal Boats.

REIDS BOATS.
The Argyle left Placentia at 10:55 a.m., yesterday.
The Bruce left Port aux Basques at 12:25 a.m. to-day.
The Clyde arrived at Lewisporte at 10:50 a.m. yesterday.
The Dundee left Musgrave Harbor at 1:35 p.m. yesterday.
The Ethie left Hant's Harbour at 6:40 a.m. yesterday for Carbonate.
The Glenoe arrived at St. Lawrence at 5:20 p.m. yesterday bound west.
The Home left Bonne Bay at 5 a.m. yesterday bound north.
The Duchess of Marlborough left Cochrane's Cove at 8:40 a.m. yesterday bound north.

Just a word to mothers to say that we opened this week a splendid line of good warm Overalls for boys and youths. These overalls are very reasonable in price; they are very made and in nice designs, both in material and cut. In all our years' experience in the Boys' Clothing Trade we were never so well stocked in good fashionable Overalls. All alterations made at special prices. JACK DAN THE TAILOR, Ltd.—nov7.31

Here and There.

ALLAN LINE.—The R. M. S. Carthaginian leaves Liverpool to-morrow for this port.

INVERMORE'S PASSENGERS.—The S. S. Invermore arrived at Port aux Basques at 7:20 a.m. to-day with one passenger, Miss Hannah Morgan.

THE NASCOPIE.—The S. S. Nascope arrived at Port aux Basques from Sydney at 10:30 a.m. to-day with considerable freight and will fill up there and will come here with it.

BLACK DIAMOND LINE.—The S. S. Cacoon, Hardi, sails to-night for Charlottetown direct and will come here again with a full cargo of produce.

HEAD BEING DRESSED.—The head of the Moose, which was killed at Gander Lake, is now in the hands of Taxidermist Ewing to be mounted. The skin of the animal is also being preserved.

ORGANS.—The famous Needham Organ—sold in tens of thousands of homes. Eight styles to select from. Call and see them. CHESLEY WOODS, Sold Agent for Nfld.—June 2.

ANSAULTING A BOY.—Yesterday on Cudding Street a man, who lives in that section severely beat a boy and rolled him about in the mud. The lad's parents will summon their son's aggressor.

HUNTING DEER.—Quite a number of men who had been to the Labrador the past season are now up country hunting deer to get a supply of fresh meat for the winter. The animals are very plentiful.

Stafford's Liniment. Prescription "A" and Phoratorine Cough Cure for sale at Knowling's Grocery Department. oct24.11

ON THE ALERT.—Mr. Bastow, the Agent for the S. P. C. A., is daily on the alert now. He is especially active in connection with those who are seen to sit on cars heavily laden and will promptly prosecute. The public are with him and will inform him when such acts of cruelty are committed.

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Don't forget
Alley's
Safflower
Salt
2 Sizes, 25c. & 60c.
10 lbs. 1.00

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ARCTIC HARES, 70c. each.
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WOMEN'S EXTENSION HEEL LOW RUBBERS, 70c.

GIRLS' EXTENSION HEEL STORM RUBBERS, 50c. to 74c.

WOMEN'S EXTENSION HEEL STORM RUBBERS, 80c.

WOMEN'S LOW RUBBERS, 47c., 60c., 70c., 90c., 95c.

WOMEN'S STORM RUBBERS, 53c., 70c., 80c., 95c., \$1.15.

WOMEN'S HIGH HEEL LOW RUBBERS, 90c.

WOMEN'S STORM RUBBERS, 53c., 70c., 80c., 95c., \$1.15.

WOMEN'S TAN RUBBERS, Low, 80c.; Storm, 85c.

GIRLS' TAN RUBBERS, 58c., 60c., 62c., 64c. to 80c.

Women's Buttoned and Buckled Gaiters.

Women's and Children's Long Rubbers.

Men's Buckled and Strapped Gaiters.

Men's & Boys' Long Rubbers.

ALL AT LOWEST PRICES.

MEN'S EXTENSION HEEL STORM RUBBERS (as cut), \$1.10 and \$1.20.

MEN'S LOW RUBBERS, 70c., 90c. to \$1.30.

MEN'S STORM RUBBERS, 75c., 95c., \$1.10, \$1.20 to \$1.65.

BOYS' LOW RUBBERS, 54c., 56c., 58c., 60c. to 95c.

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BOYS' STORM RUBBERS, 60c., 62c., 64c., 66c. to \$1.00.

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COAL.
500 Tons
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Now being landed ex ss Wasie. Send along your orders while steamer is discharging.
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"My 7 1/2 H. P. FERRO isfaction the past season better. I am at every way."

CAPT. JOS.
"The 15 H. P. FERRO as regularly as a steam gave no trouble of operate it a child."

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"I say from my he would not sell my 7 1/2 what it cost. I know engine when I bought instruction book I g do anything with it dently recommend purposes. My FERRO this summer."

CAPT. DA
"I want nothing b My 5 1/2 H. P. FERRO an hour, and can tly. I had no trou FERRO all summer."

CAPT. GE
"I cannot say too mu FERRO. It gives m recommending FE"

CAPT. V
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CAPT. RICH
"We took our 7 1/2 this summer, and w ble with it. It towed ton schooner 5 hours miles an hour."

CAPT. BAXT
"The 11 H. P. FERRO spring ran 5,000 miles perfect satisfaction al man who used the Eng"

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"I cannot speak too gine. The wheel was m mer that she did not go for the whole season. kerosene with perfect"

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Cable News.
Special Evening Telegram.
CINCINNATI, Nov
Congressman Longworth, vail's son-in-law, has been d by Stanley Bowdle, Democrat, votes according to an unofficial vas of the first Ohio district.