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FRIDAY, April 4th, 1919.

Financial Juggling.

Continuing our observations on the Speech from the Throne, we come sume, from past data, that whatever now to the financial condition of the is in view will be embodied in the Colony as discussed in the address, and it will be plainly discernible to worth while to devote as much space really come from the member for or time to the preparation of this Bonavista as the session advances. statement, which is the most vital and the plunging of the country into the and that was in the case of the genthroes of a general election at such ial Minister of Public Works. He was an unsuitable season as they propose. as cheerful as ever, and we hazard A bare paragraph suffices to acquaint the guess that perhaps he contemthe taxpayers that there was a sur- plates another turn if his expectations plus of revenue for the past fiscal of a permanency are not fulfilled. year. Good news indeed, if true, (for this is an age of paper balances), and we do not yet know just how many McMurdo's Store Newshundred thousand dollars were spent, on the authority of Minutes of Council, which the Auditor General refused to sanction, and which had to be carried along by the Bank with which the Government business is done, until the expenditure is legalised by Act of the Legislature, which will not be done at the present session, and is apparently one of the reasons why the party in power so anxiously desires a "snap" verdict from the electoral jury, in order that they may cover up the huge sums spent unauthorisedly, by legislation, as it would be fatal at present for the actual amount to become known When the monies so spent are deducted from the paper surplus which the speech announces, it will leave the actual surplus so microscopical as to be invisible to the human eye. The Country is further told that a surplus revenue for the current fiscal year, ending June 30th, may also be anticieight years months ending February 28th last, showing an increase of one million, four hundred and fifty four thousand, six hundred and twenty three dollars over the receipts for the same period, viz., July 1st, 1917 to February 28th, 1918, last fiscal year. This would be extremely gratifying if on the other hand the expenditure for the same two periods were given, and indeed, if it were, it is beyond the shadow of a doubt that the expenditure, authorised and unauthorised would show a corresponding increase for the last period therefore, the boasted surplus is purely fictitious. It is often urged in argument that figures do not lie, but-they may be so manipulated as to deceive even the expert, and to make a good preelection showing and to deceive the neonle into the belief that Newfoundland is pre-eminently sound, financially, the manipulators have been at work at their favorite pastime of juggling, to such good purpose that they make credit balances show where none really exist. This is known as high finance, and among its chief exponents are the members of the Na-

tional Government of this Dominion. Nothing could be further from the the real condition of the Dominion's affairs should be publicly known at the precise moment. It would kill the few, very few, chances its candidates have of winning. Hence they, or rather the Prime Minister, who on Wednesday declared in the House that | five men who were taken to the hos the official speech from the throne pital are improving. was his, have by a copious use of verbose language, concealed from the public the true facts, and have presented for consumption a statement filled with subterfuges and evasions, a statement which carries on its face popular discredit, and a statement which could only be expected from a Bolshevik administration, such as at present controls and strangles the promise of Newfoundland's future.

Reids' Boats.

Ethio arrived at Placentia at 12.30 Olencoe left Fortune at 4.30 p.m. Olencos left Fortune at, 4.30 p.m., yesterday, going to Port ann Basques. Kyle left Placentia at 12.30 p.m., yesterday, going to North Sydney. Meigle in port.
Sagona arrived at Port ann Basques at 5 a.m. to-day, and left at 6.45 going to North Sydney.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GER-

Observed at the House. Re-Establishment School

The late censor looked rather out of it yesterday, but perhaps he was even then mentally censoring some of were enrolled for various courses. the Opposition speeches, forgetting in his absentmindedness that he himself is to be censored at the polling booth in Carbonear.

The brevity and wit of the junior School and three assistants who have sufficiently and three assistants who have sufficient to the men assembled. There were also present Mr. A. H. Whitman, Principal of the School and three assistants who have sufficiently controlled to various course.

time in writing, and maybe he was an earnest crowd, bent on getting the best value possible out of the School with a view of increasing their chances of promotion in their their chances of promotion in their several walks of life. It is the intention of the Civil Re-

be worth. But boy, no more plumb-Mr. Currie, in his remarks yester-day, reiterated the words of the Pre-school—as it endeavours to make the Evening Telegram

day, resterated the words of the Premier that "the people know the Government." It could be said with more truth that the Government know the chest better, in fact the latter is what the work is of an intensive character. chest better, in fact the latter is what the character is what the

When Mr. Currie's questions on expenditure are answered, the people are used in the Day School will likewill be more eager than ever to give wise be used in the Night School and the Staff will be increased from time to time as occasion demands, so that voice to their opinion in getting clear the noted travellers.

The Premier and others of the Govwith as little waste of time as possiernment spoke of the need of better-

In addition to fundamental subjects special facilities will be afforded for nmercial and industrial subjects. It is planned to organize a class for mechanical drawing for the good of mechanics of every kind as well as Mr. Morine, as usual, spoke in his and it will be plainly discernible we are recovery reader that, in the estimation of racy style, and we assert that the a class for the generation and conthe Government, it was not deemed Government are fearful of what may trol and application to industries, of electricity. This class will be par-ticularly useful to men who are engaged in motor engines of every kind There was one exception to be notthat depends upon the electric spark interesting of all, as was found necessary to excuse the Government for seen on the Governmental features, and to all who are employing electricity in connection with power and motion. The Night School wil be open on Monday, Tuesdays, Thursday and Friday of each week until further

> It is planned to open a work shop in the course of the next few days where the Internal Comubston Engine will be made a speciality. As soon as the arrangements for the opening of this work shop are completed, public notice will be isued. In con-nection with the Re-Establishment Day School a wood work shop is to be opened. The Department has hap-pily been able to secure the Manual Training School controlled by the Superintendent of Education dist). Every class attending the Re-Establishment Day School will have an opportunity of taking a course in woodworking during the afternoons. The mornings will be devoted in the woodwork shop to the men who are to be placed in the Orthopaedic Hospital attached to the Empire Barracks. It is hoped by means of this work shop and by the use of suitable exer-

Train Movements.

Yesterday's west bound express arived at Clarenville at 8.10 a.m. The train with the Kyle's passen gers was due at 4 o'clock this after-

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Here and There.

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s.s. Trevanion, will close this afternoon at 6 o'clock. When you want Roast Beef.

Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS'. WEATHER ACROSS COUNTRY.

Wind N.W., light, fine; snowing and drifting at Topsails; 18 to 30 above. SHIPPING.—The schr. Marjorie McGlashen has arrived at Burin from the Azores, the Deputy Minister of oms was informed to-day.

Wanted Boys at 10 o'clock tonorrow morning at the News Office to sell the Cadet.—apr4,1i

DIPHTHERIA.-One case of diphtheria was reported yesterday from a residence on Church Hill; the sufwas removed to the hospital.

POLICE COURT.-Four boys were charged with stealing the sum of \$12.50 from St. Mary's (Southside School), and also of a mission box containing a sum of money. They

CONSCIENCE MONEY.— Received for J. Summers twenpurpose of the Government than that ty dollars, will remit.-D.A.S.

S.S. DIANA.—The s.s. Diana will finish discharging her seals at Jobs' Southside premises to-day. Yesterday 1,464 were landed. No new cases 30c. per box. Stafford's Drug of influenza have occurred and the Store—mar11.tf

Quinine That Does Not Affect Head LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tab- She will undergo repairs at the forlets) can be taken by anyone v causing nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.

SMALLPOX .- Mr. W. J. Walsh, M.H.A., for Placentia, received a message yesterday stating smallpox dedoctor was sent out to investigate.

"SEEING THINGS"—Believe what you see, but see things as others do. If you have eye troubles to-day what can you expect ten years hence, if neglected. What do you value if not your eye sight? H. B. THOMSON, Catomorrist. Office and residence. Optometrist. Office and residence, No. 4 Kimberly Row, opp. Star Hall.

nember for Ferryland, was extreme-y remarkable yesterday. We note, however, that he spent considerable the spent

The same intensive methods that

Friday, April 4, 1919. Our Nursery Hair Lotion is a sure cleanser for children's heads and has it has been used. It is not in any way messy or likely to soil the clothes or bedding, while it is non-poisonous in use, and will give no trouble while cidedly one of the nicest toilet pow-ders, and has a host of satisfied users. lightful toilet powder, try a tin next time. Price 30c. a tin. cises, specially prescribed by the doc-tors, to restore strength and usefulness to many an injured limb.

S. A. Materniay Hospital

A representative meeting of the Maternity Hospital Committee, consisting of ladies and gentlemen, was held in the Board of Trade Rooms this forenoon. The meeting was most enthusiastic over the work almost encountries of the committee of the state of th ready accomplished and important plans were decided upon, and as a he Prime Minister and Executive Committee by apointment to-morrow, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in with the Hospital move-

Personal Mention.

Mr. Frank Pike, of Port aux Basues, is in the city and registered at Mrs. Margaret Dowden, 15 Howe Place, received a message from Otta-wa, stating that her son, No. 2075615

from hospital on March 12th. From the Sealers.

Pte. William Dowden, was discharged

The sealing news for the past few ays has been scanty, and it is safe to fer that little is being done by the teamers now out. The Thetis managed to pick up 300 esterday and the Neptune 100. There was no report from the others except that the Ranger had pick-

Oporto Stocks.

This Week Last Week .) .. 6,932 17,095 Stocks (Nfid.) .. 6,932 Consumption . . . 10,163 Entered: Winifred Lee. 10.045

Here and There.

Just received large shipment Nyal's Throat Pastilles. Price, Store.—mar11,tf

S.S. PROSPERO.—The s.s. Prospero has arrived at Newcastle-on-Because if its tonic and laxative effect, Tyne after 8 days' run from Gibraltar.

> "Stafford's Pheratone" for all kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles .- feb14,tf

S. A. ENTERTAINMENT.-The Life veloped at Red Island, P. Bay. Upon Saving Guards of the Salvation Army receipt of same Mr. Walsh arranged No. 1 Corps under guard leader Capt. with the Health authorities, and a J. Barter, gave an entertainment last night in favor of the Maternity Hospital which was well patronized.

> Coughs, Celds, Sere Threat, Brenchial Troubles Croup, Loss of Voice.—feb14,tf B.L.S. BILLIARDS.—The "plains"

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FANCY CORD STRIPE TWEED, 56 ins. wide, \$2.10 vard MELTON DARK GREY, 56 inches wide \$3.00 yard TWEED, GREY, fancy stripe, all wool, 56 inches wide, SERGE, Navy Cheviot 58 inches wide\$5.00 yard SERGE, Light Navy, 50 inches wide\$2.20 yard TWEED, Grey mixed, 40 inches wide\$1.25 yard

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Grey, Brown etc. Prices range from **60c to \$6.50**

CRAVENETTE-PROOFED NAVY GABARDINE, 56 inches wide\$5.35 BLACK JACQUARD CLOTH, 54 inches wide\$2.00 FANCY CHECK GOODS, Black and White,

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FANCY CHECK CLOTH, assorted mixtures, \$3.50 per yd. PLAIDS, in tartan, fancy, large selection and designs,

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-	gold			
	CREPE DE CHINE, Navy	, \$2.00	yd.	

CREPON, Grey\$1.25 yd. CREPON, Dove and Fawn, \$2.00 yd. MARQUISETTE, Paris, Mole, Reseda \$1.80 yd. EOLIENNE, light and dark brown, EOLIENNE, wine \$2.50 yd. ROSARIO, maize \$1.60 yd. TAFFETA PINK \$1.50 SILK SAQUE \$2.00 ART SILK GREY NILE\$1.25 POPLIN, Fawn, Rose, .. \$1.50, \$2.00 **LAWNSDOWN**\$1.75 CREAM MOUSELINE\$1.25

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100 brls. Libby's Special Plate Beef.

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100 brls. Nice Red Ham Butt Pork.

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100 tierces Spare Ribs.

Women Workers.

It was a woman of Italy who first devised the special kind of gas mask which was officially adopted by the Italian government and distributed to the soldiers of that country and the New York recently, and mentioned trophy for annual competition in or- ice is about three miles wide and Allied countries. Women committees casually that Willard is anxious to nanufactured hundreds of thousands

of these masks. Women's divisions of the United the council of national defence in

placing woman war workers. Clarendon, Va., boasts of being the to 1, birthplace of the first woman's fire department. An economic battle is being waged

n London, England over the 1,500,000 unitions workers during the war. Some English newspapers and commentors are asking if a sex war is one of the sinister possibilities. They point out that the situation is more langerous than when the Suffragettos smashed windows and terriorized tha Lendon police because the women did not then know the full measure of their power.

Since the armistice was signed it has become more and more apparent that the 1.500.000 women workers would have to return to private life to give employment for returning coldiers. But they have answered tho challenge of the economic condition by strong organizations to protect weman's position in industry.

Famous Plate.

The famous Marlborough plate was "Stafferd's Phuratone" for Earl Spencer at Northampton to local volunteer officers and members of the Territorial Force Association. The plate includes two gold ice pails, reported to be the largest pieces of gold plate in the country, whilst the silver ncludes a wine cistern weighing 2,000

ing the King's visit to Althrop in

Willard to Get \$10,000.

make a side bet of \$10,000 with States employment service, depart- since if he bets Willard it must be an United States. The trophy, to be ment of labor, are receiving aid from even money proposition, and if he known as the Ace of Aces Trophy, will

Wanted Boys at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at the News memployed women of the country as Office to sell the Cadet.-apr4,1i Blue serge frocks over black satin lips are quite charming.

Ace of Ace's Trophy.

liam A. Bishop, premier British airman, to-day offered, through the Aero Archer, Willard's manager, was in Club of America, an International is against the land from here Dempsey, but Dempsey would be aerial navigation and to stimulate is working through at 3, the foolish to accept such a proposition, aerial sport between Canada and the three-masted schooner puts his money into the open market be awarded in 1919 to the aviator who he may be able to get as high as 21/2 makes the quickest flight from Toronto, Ontario, to Atlantic City during the second Pan-American Aeronautic Exposition, to be held from May 1 to 31.

The knitted sweater dress is for tennis on cool days. Pussywillow taffeta is much used line capes and coats.

From Cape Race.

New York, March 21.—Colonel Wil-Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-d Wind west, fresh, weather shore clear from here inward, the ward and extends away eastward; heavy. A steamer supposed to Adolph got through at 8, the n. Bar. 29.55; Ther. 38.

On March 31st, a daughter to and Mrs. J. J. Mullowney,

DIED.

On April 3rd, Olive, darling of Charles and Mande Cane, 6 siter's Lane, aged 3 months. in Jesus." Michael A., son of the late J

and Ellen Shea, beloved brother Anne M. Kelly, James, Edward Patrick Shea, fond uncle of George William J., Helen Mary and the Frank Edward James and Lydia Ke Funeral took place from his late dence, 6224 S. Michigan Av., on Ti day, Jan. 28th at 9.30 a.m. to St. selm's Church where High Mass celebrated, thence by auto to Me Olivet Cemetery.

Last night, after a short ill Joseph Coleman of Trinity, age years, leaving a wife, 1 daughter sons to mourn their sad loss. Ful this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Passed peacefully away at forte on March 31, 1919, Mary, Wil of the late James Ryan, aged 79 78 leaving two daughters and one to mourn their sad loss.

Weep not that her tolls are often weep not that her race is run. God grant we may rest as calm? When our work, like her's is done till then we yield with gladness. Our loved one to him to keep. And rejoice in the sweet assume "He giveth His beloved sleep."—R.I.P.

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to armpits completes an asy

belt of self-material. Reg. \$1.10 collar and front closing. Tucke for middle-aged and elderly wor each. Friday and Saturday ...

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urday MISSES' VICI KID BOOTS-Butte with heavy sole, wide toe, low h ated self tip; sizes 111/2 to 2. \$3.85 pair. Friday and Saturday DENT'S FABRIC GLOVES-Fine Li silk stitched backs and 2 dome ors: White, Black, Grey and B Reg. \$1.50 pr. Friday & Satur

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