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**CARD**

To the Electors of the Municipality of St. John's, Gentlemen:  
I beg to offer my services as Councillor at the forthcoming general election.  
Having acted as Public Health Officer under the old Board of Works regime, and since having obtained a diploma in Sanitary Science from the Colleges of Edinburgh and Glasgow, I feel that in connection with public health matters there are various questions in which my knowledge and experience might be of value should the Municipality see fit to choose me as one of its representatives.

I elected I shall endeavour to do my utmost to initiate and carry forward any and all measures deemed expedient and necessary for the welfare and good government of the city generally.

Particularly shall I strive to have remedied many existing evils hitherto overlooked, and by careful inspection and general supervision have these neglected portions of the town made more sanitary and health-giving.

J. SINCLAIR TAIT,  
M.D., D.P.H.

**TO THE RATEPAYERS OF ST. JOHN'S**

At the request of a large number of my friends, both East and West, I have decided to place myself in nomination at the forthcoming Municipal Election. Owing to the limited time between now and Polling Day, and the possibility of not being able to call on every elector personally, I would kindly ask them to accept this card as a personal canvass. I promise, if elected, to use all my energies to see that the civic taxes are spent judiciously.

H. J. BROWNRIGG



**TO THE CITY RATEPAYERS**

At the request of a large number of my Friends and Supporters I have decided to place myself in nomination at the forthcoming election. I shall endeavor to make a call on all the Electors before Polling Day if time will permit. If I fail to make my visit to you I ask you to accept this Card as a canvass, and if honored with a seat on the Council Board I will do my utmost for the interest of my native city.

Yours truly,

N. J. VINICOMBE,

The S.S. Lyngfjord is now at Shea & Co.'s premises and the work of discharging her cargo goes on day and night. She will dock for repairs Thursday.

**Asks Why the Star Ignores McGrath**

Says the Organ of the Money Interests Omits His Name Because he Stands For the Interests of Our Laboring Men

(Editor Mail and Advocate)  
Dear Sir:—I notice that the organ of the money interests, "The Daily Star," purposely omits mentioning the name of James McGrath, the only real labor candidate. The reason of course is obvious. Certain employers of labor who dominate and control "The Daily Star" and who are noted for paying low wages do not want to see a representative type of the workman like McGrath elected City Councillor.

McGrath represents Unionism and the payment of a fair day's pay for a fair day's work. He does not create class prejudice, recognizes that employer and employed have rights and duties but insists that both parties adhere to them. No better illustration of McGrath's sincerity for the welfare of the workman can be shown than the attitude of "The Star" in relation to the cargo of grain now being discharged. It criticizes McGrath because he would not let the men work for low wages, and finds fault with him for not letting the work go on, but McGrath knew his men and knew that the work was worth more than was being offered. He insisted that the men be paid forty and fifty cents an hour. With what result? The men won and last week nearly eighty men engaged at the work of discharging grain earned thirty-four dollars each, \$2720.00.

This is what Jim McGrath does for the working man. This is what he has been doing for years. The result of getting the increased pay, not alone benefits the man who actually does the work, but benefits the man in trade, the shopkeeper, the man who has meat to sell, goods to sell, because the more the workman can earn, the more will he spend, and hence, everybody benefits through high wages.

If Union men be true to themselves, and true to their own interests, they will vote for McGrath, because in so doing greater weight will be added to his utterances, and his work when he speaks and acts on behalf of Union working men.

By inserting the above you will oblige,  
Yours truly,  
A UNION MAN.  
St. John's, June 26, '16.

**THE CRESCENT**

Go to the Crescent Picture Palace to-day and see 10,000 Canadian troops being reviewed by the Duke of Connaught; a sham battle by the 86th and 120th Battalions; Canadian gun squad, and other interesting and instructive items on the "Canadian Monthly." Topical, Henry B. Walthall and Blanche Sweet feature in "Death's Marathon," a powerful social drama; "Mind Over Motor," a comedy drama in two reels, and "Getting Rid of Aunt Kate," a lively Vitagraph comedy with Kate Price. Professor McCarthy plays a new and classy musical programme. To-day's show is a good one, don't miss seeing it.

**THE PROSPERO HERE**

The S.S. Prospero arrived here from the Northward at 5 p.m. yesterday. The ships went down as far as Quirpon and had fine weather on the run North, with dense fog at intervals coming South, especially the past couple of days. Her passengers were:—C. Kelly, A. Andrews, R. Joseph, T. Shaw, Rev. Tarrahan, Rev. Seelby, R. Parsons, A. Sapphire, W. Alcock, Dr. Howlett, T. Waldron, W. Peet, M. Mitchell, F. D. Scott, Master Scott, Dr. Carnell, J. Murphy, N. Guy, E. Maybill, W. Tibbs, J. Lockyer, A. Francis, Misses Palmer, Flynn, Stuckless, White, Barter, Colley, Hall, Mullett, Hoddinott, Gill, Gibbons, Gaden; Mesdames Pearce, Kean, Winter, Carnell, Collins, Hoddinott, Brown, Maybee, Kean, Ebsary and 25 in steerage.

A volunteer who has given much trouble of late and who twice escaped from the guards, but was caught, has again got away and the regimental picket is on the look-out for him.

**"SOIL HOPPERS" AFFIDAVIT FROM MR. M. J. JAMES**

(Editor Mail and Advocate)  
Dear Sir:—Will you kindly publish enclosed affidavit in the interests of truth and justice. When I read Mr. Gosling's denial of Mr. Kelly's statements in yesterday's papers I determined to make an investigation on my own account. Having spent the best years of my life in inculcating principles of truth and honesty into the minds of the children of this country I cannot sit idly by and see the citizens of this town deceived by the publication of a wholesale falsehood.

MICHAEL J. JAMES.  
**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.**  
This is to certify that between the hours of midnight and one this morning I followed one of the sanitary cars along its route. During the time I remained with the car—forty minutes—I counted sixty-six pairs of night soil which were thrown into the earthenware hoppers in the section visited. The men doing this work informed me they were acting under orders, and residents in the vicinity of the hoppers told me that this had been the custom for months past.

MICHAEL J. JAMES.  
Sworn at St. John's,  
This 27th day of June,  
A.D. 1916, before me,  
D. J. Kent,  
Commissioner, S.C.

**MORE FISHERY NEWS.**

The following encouraging report from J. Brit, dated June 24th and referring to the fishery between Blanc Sablon and Porteau, including Isle au Bois and Greenley Island, was received yesterday by the Board of Trade.—The total catch is 1200 qtls. Forty-one traps and 94 dories and skiffs are fishing. Prospects are very good and there is plenty of caplin. The lobster catch is poor to date. The ice has disappeared entirely and the oldest inhabitants never saw better weather. The prospects for a good fishery were never brighter.

June 24th. From J. Gosse (Spaniard's Bay to Upper Island Cove)—The catch to date is only 30 qtls. Eleven traps and 21 dories and skiffs are fishing. Prospects are not bright and very little is being done by hook and liners.  
June 24th. From M. J. White (Aquaforte to Caplin Bay)—Prospects are very good with plenty caplin for bait and very good fishing was done on trawls this week. The traps are not doing much as the cod holds off in deep water. The catch is 1758 qtls. with 1220 for last week. Four whale boats, 46 traps and 75 dories and skiffs are fishing.

The S.S. Erik which left here with copper slag for New York arrived Sunday after a good run.

**OUR VOLUNTEERS**

The Volunteers had Swedish and section drills and skirmishing near Nagle's Hill yesterday, making along the valley to Freshwater Road. A section visited the South Side range and had practice at the targets under Musketry Instructor Burns. There are now 3,908 on the roster with the following enlistments:  
Norris' Arm—Geo. Owens;  
Spaniard's Bay—Elisha Singleton;  
Belcoam—Vincent Cluett;  
Port Albert, N.D.B.—Kenneth Murgford;  
Southside, Fogo—Alfred Torrville;  
Lewisport—Walter Wareham;  
Carbonear—Chas. P. Penney,  
St. John's—Tasker Cook, Patk. Warren;  
Trinity—Arthur E. W. Maldment;  
Jackson's Arm, White Bay—Isaac Gillam;  
Burin—Jno. Moulton;  
Sandy Pt., Burin—Levi Marks,  
Burgeo—Chas. A. Strickland;

**CONFERENCE'S APPRECIATION FOR GLENCOE'S OFFICERS.**

The members of the Methodist Conference in approaching Grand Bank Saturday last in the Glencoe presented the following appreciation to Capt. Blandford, officers and crew:—  
Address,  
Dear Capt. Blandford:—  
We, the members of the Methodist Conference, desire to express to yourself and officers our appreciation of the kindness and courtesy with which we have been treated on the good ship Glencoe while on our voyage to Grand Bank. We have renewed interest in the skill and seamanship demanded of those who continually navigate our coast, and assure you we will ever follow you with our prayers and good wishes.

Signed on behalf of the Conference,  
CHAS. HOWSE, President,  
J. R. SAINT, Secretary.

The S.S. Charles Beatty arrived here at 2.30 p.m. yesterday from the Montreal via Sydney and had a good run down. She brought a cargo of 15,000 barrels.

**RED CROSS DANCE**

C. C. C. Hall, TUESDAY, June 27th, Grand Dance by Gallipoli Veterans, C. C. C. Band. Tickets: Double, \$1.80; Gent's, \$1.00; Lady's, 80c. Tickets may be had at Grey & Goodland's, or the Atlantic Bookstore, and from the following:—Lieut. Harvey, Sgt. Major Belbin, Sergt. Major Long, Private Tobin and Private Green.—jnc24,3i

**COMMISSIONERS HOLD BIG MEETING AT SOUTH SIDE.**

Each Get a Good Hearing From Voters in That Section—Mr. Gosling Tells What Board Has Accomplished the Past Three Years

Mr. W. G. Gosling with Commissioners Withers, Ayre, McNamara, Bradshaw and Morris addressed a public meeting of Municipal voters at the Southside last night, in St. Mary's Hall, and if enthusiasm speaks, they were "well welcomed." Volleys of musketry announced their arrival, and before the opening hour the hall was well filled. Mr. Jas. L. Noonan was invited to the chair, and in a brief address in which he explained the absence of Mr. McGrath, who was attending an executive meeting of the L.S.P.U. he extolled the work of Mr. Gosling and the Commissioners who for two years had given their best service to improve conditions in this city.

The Chairman introduced Mr. Gosling who was given a splendid reception. In a speech that occupied fully one hour Mr. Gosling told of the work that had been done during the last two years and of the work in contemplation. As to conditions on the Southside he hoped and looked for improvements, and the intention of the Council was to take these matters in hand as they had taken other difficult problems, and reach a solution that would be as creditable to the city as it would be beneficial to the residents of the Southside. Mr. Gosling dealt a length with the water supply to the Southside and the whole city. A great deal of work had been done but a greater amount remained to be done in this connection and for those and other reasons, the commissioners were asking for a further lease of two years, wherein to finish their work. "We have no other interest," said Mr. Gosling, "than your interest, and what we have done and will do has and will be for the advancement of the city only, and to make it fit to live in, and at the lowest rates of taxation possible."

Before concluding the speaker enumerated the savings that had been made through the economy practiced by the commission during the last two years, and how a system had been created that would save for all time thousands of dollars to the tax payers.

Mr. Bradshaw followed and dealt largely with the matter of sanitation. He defended the work of the Board, and gave proof from medical experts that the system adversely criticized by others was about the best possible that could be done at present.

Mr. Morris in a rattling speech spoke of the work of the Commission and referred individually to his colleagues, and the time and service they had given in an earnest effort to improve conditions.

Mr. McNamara in practical terms, quoted figures of the savings the Commission had made the city. He referred to the system of purchasing as at present adopted by the city and of what could be done in the near future as regards cheaper lighting and better housing.

Mr. Ayre, who is probably one of the best speakers on the Board asked for the support of Mr. Gosling and colleagues on polling day. He gave a brief outline of what had been done during the last two years, and epitomized the unfinished work, which he believed would be better attended to by the Commissioners, than by those not in touch nor in sympathy with it. In conclusion he asked the voters present to use their franchise as their conscience dictated, and not be swayed by any catch cries, that from day to day were being introduced.

Mr. Withers, the oldest in years and experience was the last speaker, and was given a hearty reception. He compared conditions as they exist at present to those of two years ago, particularly as it referred to the water service and street building. Space forbids making lengthy reference to any of the speeches, suffice it to say that rarely have the people of the Southside heard civic matters so well discussed as at last night's meeting. The meeting closed at 10 o'clock with the singing of the National Anthem.

The Percy Roy yesterday cleared for Lisbon, yesterday taking 2,614 qtls codfish shipped by the Smith Co.

**Players are Hid In Mantle of Fog**

B.I.S. Defeat St. Bon's by 2 to 1—A Poor Game as Field Was Obscured by Fog Which "Buried" Players

Poor weather and bad luck seems to follow the St. Bon's this season. Last evening they again went down to defeat by a score of two to one, the Irish boys taking the points in a slow and uninteresting game which was played under a mantle of fog. Players were invisible for the whole period of play and the fans on the stand got poor value for their money. Play was a little late in starting as the St. Bon's again found themselves handicapped by being two men short; but after some hustling "Doc" Power secured the services of a substitute. This left them with only ten men, in spite of which fact they held the Irishmen down to a draw till shortly before full time when the Irish forwards "looming" up in the fog took a bang at "Rodger", they found him off his guard and secured their winning goal.

In the opening half the Irish scored first after some fifteen minutes of play. On the ball being centred Callahan got up full speed and running without any "head lights" took his course for the Eastern goal, where he reached without a feather out of him, and banged in the equalizer to the delight of the St. Bon's supporters. Try as they would the Irish boys could make no headway during the remainder of this half. The fog was so thick that neither ball or players could be seen and it was dangerous proceeding for players to put "to sea." Half time sounded with each team one goal each.

The second half was no better as regards play. The Irish made several attempts to score but the St. Bon's backs were there and repulsed all the onslaughts of the enemy. Towards the close of the game the Irish managed to secure an opening when they took advantage of it and like Mike O'Leary, they charged the enemy ranks, who had become scattered in the fog, and secured their winning goal.

The players were:  
St. BON'S—Hearn, goal; Power, Knight, full backs; Rawlins, McGrath and Golden, halves; St. John, Callahan, Freebrain, Ryan, forwards.

B.I.S.—H. Phalen, goal; Walsh, Duggan, full backs; Brien, Woods, Hart, halves; Phalen, McGrath, O'Reilly, Smith and Morgan, forwards.

**How The Teams Stand**

	Pld	Won	Lost	Drawn	Pts
Terra Novas	2	1	0	1	3
B. I. S.	2	1	0	1	3
Saints	1	1	0	0	2
Collegians	1	0	1	0	0
St. Don's	2	0	2	0	0

will be given the person saving the most for 1916.

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**MR. KELLY HOLDS LARGE MEETINGS.**

Mr. Kelly is Accorded a Good Hearing on Higher Levels—Was Given Great Reception on Flower Hill—Is Followed by Some 1200 Citizens to His Committee Rooms

The meetings held by Mr. W. A. O'D. Kelly last evening on Cookstown Road and Flower Hill were a great success. At the former place Mr. Kelly spoke for over an hour and dealt with city matters in a manner that won from his hearers their hearty applause. The question of sanitation which is one of Mr. Kelly's principal planks was outlined, and judging from the enthusiastic manner in which his remarks were cheered to the echo by the voters present, this question is one that citizens generally are giving close attention to those days. The speaker left no doubt in the minds of his listeners that he stands for a clean city.

The question as to the ill effect of the earthenware pots as erected by the commissions was dealt with also and Mr. Kelly reiterated his statements made by him in the press that these pots were the cause of the various outbreaks of measles and diphtheria so prevalent in the city the past few months.

After speaking at Cookstown Road Mr. Kelly followed by his committee and friends went to Flower Hill, where a gathering of citizens were awaiting his arrival. On arrival he was greeted with loud cheers. On raising to speak Mr. Kelly was forced to wait several moments till the cheering ceased. In the course of a telling speech, of some forty minutes, in which he drove home many truths, Mr. Kelly was continually interrupted by cheering and other outbursts of approval.

The reception given him last evening by the residents of the higher levels was what one might expect in a big political canvass. On leaving Flower Hill he was followed by some twelve hundred people who escorted him to the Star Hall, where he again addressed the people. The hall was packed and several hundred had to remain outside. Here again Mr. Kelly outlined the policy which he stands for, and from the manner in which his remarks were greeted it cannot be otherwise stated but that the people are with him in his fight for a clean city.

Coming along New Gower Street "KELLY for MAYOR" was the cry heard on all sides. Mr. Kelly has now completed his canvass of the West End and will to-night commence work in the East End. He holds a public meeting to-night on the Beach.

**READ THE MAIL & ADVOCATE**

**W.P.A.**

King's Cove—50 prs. socks.  
Spaniard's Bay—80 prs. socks.  
Port Blandford—37 prs. socks, 5 prs. mitts.  
Greenspond—12 prs. socks.  
Mrs. J. Norris, Three Arms—2 pl-lows, 1 pr. socks, 10 pkgs. cigarettes, tobacco, candy, 3 pillow cases, 2 sheets, linen.

ANNIE HAYWARD, Convener of Packing and Shipping Committee.

**NOTICE**

A Special Meeting of the Saint Bonaventure's Ladies' Association will be held in the Aule Maxima on TUESDAY, June 27th, at 4 p.m., to make final arrangements for "Sports Day."  
Refreshments will be sold by the Ladies on "Sports Day," for the W.P.A., and the Patriotic Funds.

FLORENCE O'DRISCOLL, Honorary Secretary.

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