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### Evening Telegram

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TUESDAY, September 27, 1911.

#### What Does It Matter?

No one was surprised at the publicity given in the Government press to the stunts performed by the Right Honourable leader of the Picnic Party through the bogs of Burin. There was something so human about the whole story that it readily caught the public fancy. Here was the Picnic-in-Chief wined and dined to repetition on the Coronation Picnic, rushing off to Placentia in a special train, barely giving himself time to get a square meal, and only waiting impatiently for an interview with Mr. Emerson, all anxiety to jump in the arena where doughy deeds were to be performed. Not his the soul to pant in vain for publicity, so long as a trusty press was there to chronicle deeds of derring-do. With actions so mete for the public eye, why should he or his press tire themselves or weary the public mind with a dispute about the building of a Spur Line at Trinity West?

Why should the people be jaded about a dry-as-dust Railway Contract when they can divert themselves with the spectacle of the Premier in a bog? Why should people harass their minds as to whether or not the Government survey the routes of the branch railroads, as to how they acquire the data, and what date it is, on which they decide the routes, and as to the wisdom or folly of giving a builder a contractual right of refusing to follow a route selected on the plea of its being impracticable? Why should the people care for any of these things when the Picnic Party permit them to read of a government survey for main roads in Burin District? Are they not provided with delectable reading matter of the Chief Picnicer's pedestrian feats over the surveyed routes, while the roads are still unbuilt and in their natural state of rock and bog?

In short, why should the Government take the risk of a brain storm in overworking their mental outfit and subject the people to brain strain in order to make plain what is better kept intricate, and in order to throw light on what is better kept dark? If the Picnic Party provides fun, why should it be called upon to explain what it does not wish to explain?

Having taken the People's name in vain in christening the party, why should it be expected to take the People into its confidence about reciprocity?

Have the people not got a circus? Being provided with spectacles in bog-trotting, picnicking, Government picknicks, why should the people expect rectitude? If the people get the sport, why should they expect principle?

And anyway, what does it matter? The Picnicers are making the grab, they are having a merry life, even if it be a short one.

## DEVINE'S Great REMOVAL Sale

Is Now in Full Swing.

EVERYTHING must go regardless of price. All profits will be completely eliminated. We are determined to carry no old stock into our New Store. We are unable to give a detailed list of all the Goods which we offer during this Great Event as such details would exhaust every square inch of space in this paper. Suffice it to say that every article in the Store is offered at prices that will at once appeal to the shrewd, sanguine, silver-saving shoppers. To expedite matters we have arranged the Goods so that you can enter, select what you require, wrap it yourself, pay the Cashier, and proceed on your way. Kindly tell your friends and your friends' friends that there are good things to be had for small money at DEVINE'S GREAT REMOVAL SALE.

THE PLUMS GO FIRST.  
Try and get in ahead of the Crowd.

J. M. DEVINE,  
302 Water Street.

#### Stole a Saw.

Yesterday a carpenter went into a Water Street saloon, while getting a drink left his saw worth \$1.50 on the counter. When he turned to get it, it was gone. There was another man in the shop when he entered and when the man described him to Inspector Collins he quickly effected an arrest, taking a sailor into custody. The man denied the theft when arrested but this morning admitted it, but as he was drunk when it occurred he could not remember to whom he sold the saw. When brought before the court he was fined \$10 or 30 days.

#### Schr. Springs a Leak.

The schr. Stella, Capt. H. Housell, arrived here yesterday from Pouch Cove, B.B., laden. She had a hard time of it making St. John's out in the Bay in the gale of E.N.E. wind which prevailed and was often washed in the sea which ran. In rolling about the vessel strained heavily and sprung a leak, and it took 20 spells at the pumps to keep the water from gaining on them. It is feared that much of her fish will be damaged by water.

#### Storm at Pouch Cove.

The storm of last night disconnected the telephone service to Pouch Cove. Repairs were effected by 1 p.m. and the line is again O.K. Rev. Fr. Curran 'phoned at 2 p.m. to his friends in the city that the entertainment set down for to-night in aid of the school repairing fund would be postponed till to-morrow night.

#### Invermore's Passengers.

The Invermore arrived at Port aux Basques at 9.20 a.m. to-day bringing in saloon D. P. Duff and Mrs. Duff, J. P. and Mrs. Connors, Mrs. J. Kelly, Mrs. J. Connors, J. and Mrs. Collishaw, W. G. Hudson, H. White, W. Willis, T. Lefevre, A. Martin, C. H. Hutchings, G. S. Harrington, E. Ward, L. Murphy, F. Elliott, Mrs. G. Langville, Miss E. Cutler, Miss B. Emberly and B. Bates.

#### A Very Sick Man.

A man named Gabriel Brestley, of Davis Island, P. B., who came off the Trepassey Branch Road yesterday, came to the lookout at 5 p.m. yesterday. The man was very ill and troubled mentally. He stated he had been in the Asylum a few years ago. Dr. Scully was called and ordered the man to hospital where he was taken in a cab.

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#### Coastal Boats.

**REID YIELD CO.**  
The Argyle arrived at Burin at 6.15 p.m. yesterday going west.  
The Solway is north of Twillagat. The Clyde left Herring Neck at 6.53 p.m. yesterday.  
The Dundee left Greenspond at 6.20 p.m. yesterday.  
The Ethle arrived at Carbonear at 4.25 p.m. yesterday.  
The Glencoe arrived at Placentia at 3 p.m. yesterday.  
The Invermore arrived at Port aux Basques at 9.20 a.m. to-day.

#### Train Notes.

The west bound express left Norris Arm at 9.35 a.m. to-day.  
The local arrived from Carbonear at 12.20 p.m. to-day.  
The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 9.15 a.m. to-day.  
The Carbonear train arrived here at 12.30 p.m. to-day bringing Mrs. H. H. Archibald, Miss Hayse, A. Peddle, Mr. Moore and 10 second class.

#### Romance of Self-Help.

The romantic career of Sir William Hall-Jones—who is retiring from the High Commissionership of New Zealand—is an example of what hard work can do. He was born in Folkestone, where his father was a carver and turner in quite a small way. When he left school he was apprenticed to a cabinet-maker in London, but his health broke down, and the doctors advised him to emigrate to New Zealand to save his life. There he worked as a carpenter, and eventually entered Parliament, where he greatly distinguished himself as a member of the late "Dick" Seddon's Cabinet.

**KILLED & PARTRIDGE.**—Mr. S. Barnes who was shooting over the Blackhead Barrens yesterday got a fine partridge.

#### Here and There.

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**WEATHER UP COUNTRY.**—The weather along the line to-day is N. E. and dull and raining; 42 to 50 above.

Mr. J. P. Cash left for Montreal by the express last evening in connection with a big tobacco deal going on there next week.

The famous Autopiano. This splendid Player Piano is one of the wonders of the age. CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Nfld. Agent.—aug 28, 11.

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**S. S. OTHAR HELD UP.**—The mail and passenger steamer Othar did not get across to Bell Island this forenoon on account of the storm. She may get over to-night.

**STORMY ALL AROUND.**—The fishery news received to-day at the Marine & Fisheries Department indicates that the north-east storm prevailing here is evident all over the country and the boats cannot get out on the grounds owing to it.

**C.L.B. W. & N. C. O's. Mess Dance in Armoury, Harvey Road, Wednesday, October 4th.** Tickets—Gents, 60c.; Ladies, 40c. Tickets may be had from N. C. O's. W. BEEVES, Chairman; W. MOTT, Secretary. sept 16, 20, 27, 30.

**WILL BE LIBERATED.**—We learn to-day that Frank Leary who is held for assaulting Supt. Butt last week will be given bail this afternoon and will be released from custody to-day. Butt, we learn, is improving, and will recover.

Ask your Druggist for **SERRAVALLO'S TONIC** (Bark and Iron Wine).

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**PURSE STOLEN.**—A young woman of the city after having placed a stamp on a letter near the main window of the General Post Office last evening, sought her purse which she rested on the window ledge, but was surprised to find that it had mysteriously disappeared. A young girl is suspected.

#### CAPE REPORT.

**Special Evening Telegram**  
**CAPE RACE, To-Day.**  
Wind E.N.E. blowing a gale, weather rainy and hazy. Nothing sighted. Bar. 29.20, ther. 46.  
The Kite will now lay up here and will get an overhaul preparatory to going to the sealfishery.  
The Boathie, Capt. Cross, sails tonight for Sydney to load coal for Job Bros. & Co.  
The Stephano left Halifax at 1 p.m. yesterday and is due here to-morrow evening.

#### DIED.

On the 27th inst. Genevieve Mary, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Spratt, New Gower St., aged 8 months.  
On the 26th inst. Elizabeth Ann, beloved wife of Edward Skinner. Funeral will take place on Friday, at 3 p.m., from her late residence, 5 Knight St. Friends and acquaintance please accept this, the only intimation.

August 31st, 1911.  
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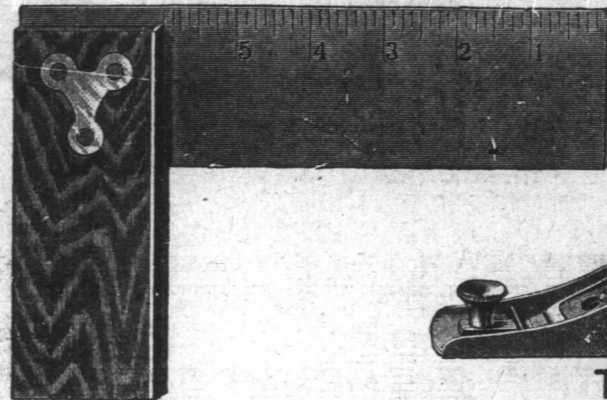
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#### New Pastor for St. Jacques.

A Canadian Exchange recently to hand has the following complimentary notice of the new Pastor of St. Jacques:—  
"The Rev. P. W. Browne, who was Professor of History at Ottawa University last year, will not be attached to the University this year. He is returning to his native island of Newfoundland, where he has been named rector of a parish in the diocese of St. George's by His Lordship Bishop Power. Father Browne is a writer and speaker of much more than ordinary distinction, and his contributions to Catholic and secular newspapers on controversial subjects

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