

The Evening Telegram THE EVENING TELEGRAM, LTD.,

Wednesday, January 14, 1925.

The City Light

We publish to-day a Contract with the St. John's Light and Telegram dated May 15th, 1922, a reference was made in the Rearrangement had been made in this connection, but so far as we can ascertain the actual terms Methodist Missionary of the Contract have not previously been given to the public

In Saturday's issue of The Evening Telegram the light and power rates which apply in New York, Montreal, St. John, N.B., and in Sydney, N.S., were pubthe Municipal Council in order that a comparison might be Anniversary of Missionary endeavour in Canada and Newfoundland, which is now reached, will be fittingly celebrated and committees were appointmade with the rates which obtain in St. John's at the present time. Both in the article men- place some time before Easter. tioned and in previous references to this question it has been siderably in excess of those in towns outside of Newfoundland, Benchers Supreme and as yet no reason has been given to account for our high rates, particularly in connection with the electricity used for lighting purposes.

Not long ago the hopes of householders in St. John's ran K.C., John Fenelon, William R. Howhigh when it was learned that a power plant was being established at Seal Cove, and the citi-Towns Electric Company and the St. John's Light and Power Company would be competitors in the business. Those hopes, Bonaventure's College however, were dashed to the themselves last night by their presentation of "The Double Triumph" were ground when the former disposed of its surplus power to the latter, and the Nfld. Light and tation of "The Double Triumph" were but to utter a half-truth, for their efforts were nothing less than a distinct achievement, and afforded two hours and a half of intense pleasure Power Company having been to a capacity house. We are glad to know that the performance is to be

may be granted in the form of reduced rates, the city must rely on the generosity of the Corporation. Such bodies, however, seldom allow sentiment to interfere with business. Here, they are without a rival in the field, and there is no authorized Board to decide what rates shall or shall not be charged in connection with public utilities. In consequence there seems to be little likelihood of any material reand for any concessions that tle likelihood of any material re- won.

The object is, in itself, so worthy

sequence there seems to be it the likelihood of any material reduction being made in the prices charged householders for light.

Whenever this subject has been discussed, the possibility of developing the water power at Mobile, which is owned by the City, has been mentioned as the solution of the difficulty. Even if money were available for this purpose, it is questionable, in view of the existing Contract, whether such an undertaking would be regarded as a good investment. The Company has been given the right for twenty years to supply power for electric street lighting purposes.

When the Contract was made, there were 221 large and 45 contract was made, the contract was made, there were 221 large and 45 contract was ma there were 221 large and 45 small street lights, and the rates knows.—Jan14,tf agreed upon were \$64.80 a year for each of the former, and \$24.00 for the latter subject to revision at the expiry of each five year local train arrived at 12.25 p.m.

period. Previous to the date of the Contract, we understand the cost of the lights was \$70.00 a year for the large and \$30.00 for the small, and the Council was enabled to install an additional twenty of the former and fifteen of the latter without extra cost. The original figure agreed.

-The Chief Justice reads judgment in which Mr. Justice Johnson and Mr. Justice Kent concur. It is ordered that the conviction stand.

Courage who was out on ball and cost. The original figure agreed upon was \$15,400.80 a year based on the service in operation at that time. Since then 70 large

It is not our intention in this article to consider the merits or emerits of the terms of this Mobile River being used by the

While it may be contended that the street lighting is not the chief consideration, it is nevertheless a very important part of the city's business, and would the chief consideration in the hands of the Magistrate. And Power Rates theless a very important part of be a big factor in deciding which was made in 1922 by the Municipal Council of St. John's power should be developed. If to cash for \$82.70. Mr. Foote, K.C., for Plaintiff, opens the case for the case fo Power Co., Ltd., whereby the latter undertook to supply elec-house lighting and driving ma-action is for \$1,289.00 for goods sold tric power to light the streets chinery would in all probability and delivered. Recess and 3 o'clock. of the City. In the issue of the have to be shared with the rival concern, but the City would still be obliged to continue paying port of the Weekly Meeting of out a considerable sum to the the Council to the fact that an Nfld. Light and Power Co. under the terms of the contract.

A meeting of the Missionary Com-Church Parlor last night, when it was definitely decided that the Centennial

Ladies' College Aid Society will shown that the charges imposed take place Thursday afternoon, by the local Company are con- at 4 o'clock.—jan14.11

ed Benchers of the Law Society of Newfoundland at a meeting of Barristers, held on Monday:-James P. Blackwood, K.C., Charles O'N. Conroy,

TO-MOBROW NIGHT AT THE CASINO.

To say that the students of St formed, became sole distributors.

To all intents and purposes this Company has a monopoly, such an array of youthful talent. The costumes, being Roman of the early centuries, are most attractive, be-

Supreme Court

Contract, but simply to show that for twenty years at any task and is self-contained—rete there is little chance of the summarily. Section 9 has now been summarily. Section 9 has now been summarily. Section 9 has now been summarily. Mobile River being used by the determined to refer to the two Sub-Sections of Section 7. The effect of this decision is that the Magistrate may sentence on conviction a person

Thomas B. Clift and James A. Kel such were undertaken, the power plaintiff. Thomas B. Clift was called

PEPYS BEHIND THE SCENES.

January 13th.—Wake this day with a great ake of my shoulder and do at first take it to be my rheumaticks returned, but being minded that I was curling last night, I believe it must be a stiffness of the shoulder muscles from too much exercise. mittees of the four Methodist Church- Povey, he tries to interest me in some es in the city was held in Gower St. industrial investments that he makes, but with poor success since I am reolved never to gamble in stocks no matter how tempting they may be. will be this yeare, and like to be in all, some 4 million people to visit ments. The celebration will take that city. Mr. Shortis do believe that this will have a beneficial effect upon the price of fish, being that it will be in greater demand even than last yeare. Being come to the subject of fish, he talks also of our great fish-ing trade that we had with the United Kingdom more than a century ago, and he offers to show me records of the ships that did clear from St. John's for Poole between 1805 and

Court Elected This night, the weather and such milde, comes a great wind and such rain falls, so the walking made worse rain falls, so the walking made worse than ever I have seen it, and the hardest taske possible to keep one's

Guest Relief Fund

	Amount acknowledged \$
	Michael Bennett
	Richard Harvey
	Edward Warren
æ	Minnie Warren
	G. B. Whitten
	Mrs. Chas. Whitten
550	

(Per Rev. A. B. S. Stirling.) Acknowledged \$190.00 Alfred Samuelson 2.00 Jas. Gullage 2.00 Kenneth Pearce 3.00

Clothing, Etc.-Mrs. K. Pearce, Morey & Co., Ltd., (coal), Mrs. R. G. Reid, Mrs. Laing, Mrs. Pardy, Sym-pathizer, Miss Ruby, Mrs. A. H. Shears.

Judgment for Defendant

Schr. Nancy Lee, Wiltshire, master;

Magistrates Court

A drunk was discharged.

A drunk and disorderly was fined

\$1.00 the cost of conveyance.

A man given in charge by his moth-

a man given in charge by his motiliar and advantages are last night apparently insane, was later examined by a doctor and removed to the Lunatic Asylum.

The Minister of Finance and Customs summoned into Court this morning, the master of a local vessel, charging him with making false recovers to the Customs which is sine die. A case for assault was postponed

To-Night's Hockey

Newfoundland Amateur Hockey Lea-gue takes place at the Prince's Rink o-night between the Feildians and

Terra Novas.

The mild weather which prevailed over the city last night and early this morning threatened a postponement, but we are glad to state that the ice at the Rink has not softened any, and the opposing captains with a goodly number of the players who visited the Rink at one o'clock to-day decided that the game should go on. Indications not to a cooler atmosphere during point to a cooler atmosphere during the afternoon. With this in view arrangements were made with the Man-agement of the Rink to keep the ice surface open to the weather as long as possible. The match has been adver-

tised for eight o'clock. Both teams will enter the arena tonight with strong and formidable ag-gregation, and a battle royal for the honors is predicted. The Feildians, last years champions, will be minus the services of Duke Winter, who has gone into retirement, and their clever centre forward. Despite the loss of such valuable players their manager has added new material to the teams strength, and they will enter the fray to-night ready to defend their laurels. The Terra Novas on the other hand have a well balanced team which looks good for the champion ship. Jack Canning the playing man-ager has rounded out a fast and snappy aggregation of players, who are said to be in the pink of condition, and they are determined to do their utmost to win the points to-night.

Referee Tohin will call the players together at 7.55. The reserved seat ickets are all sold out, and it looks like another bumper house to gree the players to-night.

Feildians Terra Novas
Goal.
N. Hunt G. Field
Left Defence.
H. Rendell G. Gillies
Right Defence.
A. Bayly W. Peters
Centre.
A. Lloyd J. Field
Left.
E. Ewing J. Canning
Right.
E. Reid W. Clarke
Spares (Feildians)—E. Jerret, J. Al-
derdice, F. Rendell. (Terra Novas)-
W. Barrett, M. Power, F. Martin.

Seizure Made at Deer Lake

We learn that within the past couple of days a seizure of liquor and other goods has been made at Deer Lake by Customs Detective Greene. It is understood that Sub-Collector Scevious is transferring the case to the city for

Personal.

Mr. P. White, of Biscay Bay, Tre-passey, who has been for the past three months in hospital undergoing electrical treatment, left for home to-In the matter of Walsh vs. Bann-khin, which occupied the attention of Justice Johnson for several days, judgment in favor of the defendant in a coasting accident, will be pleased to learn that she is making rapid representations. covery and early next week, it is hoped, she will be sufficiently recovered to leave hospital.

Here and There.

BODY INTERRED.—The body the infant which was brought in from Trinity Bay for post mortem examina-tion was taken from the morgue to-day

Ask Grandma - She knows.—jan14,tf

TRAP BERTH DRAWINGS. - Mr. Geo. Badcock, Secretary of the Mar-ine and Fisheries Department, left for down the shore this morning to superintend the drawing of trap berths at Flat Rock, Torbay and

DANCE—An Old Time Dance will be held on Friday night, Jan. 16th, in Quidi Vidi C. of E. School House. Tickets: Double, \$1.00; Single, 50c. Teas served,

STREET LIGHT OUT.—Residents of Quidi Vidi complain that the street light at the junction of King's Bridge and Circular Roads has not been in commission since Saturday night last and request that the matter be attend-

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

The King upon the complaint of John Walsh vs. John R. Courage, J.P.

—The Chief Justice reads judgment in which Mr. Justice Johnson and Mr. Justice Kent concur. It is ordered that the conviction stand.

Courage who was out on bail and who was sentenced to 12 months imprisonment, has been removed to the Penitentiary to serve out his term. Mr. W. J. Browne, who appeared for the Crown, continued his argument on points of law, which had not concluded when adjournment was taken at 5 p.m. yesterday. He held that the magistrate had the power to impose sentence of 12 months' imprisonment.

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A trunk was fined \$200.00 and costs of the St. John's Gas Light Company versus Richard G. Silverlock, a motor mechanic, came up before Judge Morris this morning. All the powers represented in the inter-Allied Financial Conference to-day signed the agreement regarding at St. John's unlawfully connect a gas the distribution of the Dawes' annuities. Rumania and Italy signed with reservations. The various delegates were called upon to sign the Belgium, France, Great Britain, Japan, United States, Greece, Portugal, Rumania, Jugo Slavia, Czecho-Slovakia, The signing of the Financial Convention by the day signed the agreement regarding at Street with the gas main of the St. John's unlawfully connect a gas the distribution of the Dawes' annuities. Rumania and Italy signed with reservations. The various delegates with reservations. The various delegates with the gas main of the St. John's Gas Light Company and steal therefrom gas, the property of the said company to the value of \$250.00 or the following order:—Belgium, France, Great Britain, Japan, United States, Greece, Portugal, Rumania, Jugo Slavia, Czecho-Slovakia, The signing of the Financial Convention brings to a fitting close what has successful Inter-Allied meeting since the Armistice. The British Chancellor of the Exchequer returns home with assurances that the French Governsire to settle the debt question, and is disposed to afford its creditors the

KOREAN FAMINE REPORTS EX-

AGGERATED.
TOKIO, Seoul Korea, Jan. 14.
The reports that have been circulated to the effect that 3,000,000 persons are famine stricken are greatly exaggerated, according to an announcement yesterday in government circles. While admitting the existence of famine conditions in Korea due to the failure of the rice crop, government officials are inclined to minimize the reports of suffering. Adequate relief measures have ben taken it was said.

MAJESTIC UNDERGOING REPAIRS. NEW YORK, Jan. 14. The White Star Liner Majestic will be out of commission until the end of April while repairs are being made, the International Mercantile Marine Co. announced to-day. President Franklin said nothing serious was the matter with the ship.

CRAZED PARENT WIPES OUT FAMILY.

SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 14 result of excessive drinking during the last few months, Anthony Tierney, 45, of West Scranton, yesterday killed a third, and his wife and then ended

A K. OF C. HEAD APPOINTED.

Alderman, has received notice of his appointment as head of the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus for Canada and Newfoundland. This high position is purely honorary and caries with it the title of Vice Supreme Master for Canada of the Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus. The appointment is for four years. The post was previously held by Dr. J. W. Mc-Millan, of Prince Edward Island. Mr. McCaffrey will move district head-quarters from Charlottetown to

Stock Market News

Furnished by Johnston & Ward, Board of Trade Building, Water Street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.
TO-DAY'S OPENING.
American Smelters 98%
Butte 225%
Anaconda 4712
C. P. R 15014
Cuban Cane Sugar Pfd 56%
Cosden 311/2
Fiske 13
General Motors 721/8
Ind. Alcohol 8514
Great Northern 701/8
Inter Nickel
Inter Petroleum 24%
Kelly Springfield 16%
Marine Pfd 471/8
Marland 421/2
D 18 011
Philadelphia
Pan American "B" 661/4
Punta Sugar 42%
Pressed Steel Car 64 1/2
Ray Copper 15%
Sinc'air
Simms 2514
Southern Pacific 106%
Studebaker 45%
Shell Union 24%
Tobacco Products 76%
Union Pacific 151%
United Railways Invest. Pfd 58
U.S. Steel 1241/4

MONTREAL OPENING. Montreal Power 1594

Spanish River Pfd. 1221/2 Can. Steel 84 IMPERIAL TOBACCO DIVIDENDS. A final dividend (No. 60) of one per

cent for the year ended 30th September, 1924, and an interim dividend (No. 61) of one and one-half per cent. for friends please attend.—R.I.P. (Bos-61) of one and one-half per cent. for the current year, on the ordinary shares of the Imperial Tobacco Company of Canada have been declared; both dividends payable on December 30th, 1924.

HOERNER & CO. MOVED. R. G. Hoerner & Co., Montreal investment house, have moved their offices from 87 to 57 St. Francis Xavier Street. Montreal.

Presentation Made

BY OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF EDITH CAVELL LODGE.

An enjoyable evening was spent by the officers and members of Edith Cavell Lodge, at the residence of Mrs. Noonam, Carter's Hill. Worthy Mist-Noonam, Carter's Hill. Worthy Mistress, Mrs. Janes, Deputy Mistress, Mrs. Rodgers gave short addresses and Past Mistress, Miss Taylor presented Mrs. Noonam, on behaif of the Lodge with a pair of slippers. Mrs. Noonam then expressed her thanks to the members and officers for their handsome present. After a light lunch was partaken of a very pleasant evening was brought to a close by the singing of "God be with you tilt we meet again."—S.J.

A most wonderful display of youthful talent, gorgeous costumes and finished acting by the St. Bon's boys, at the Casino Thursday, 8.15 p.m. Admission:

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Ight at the junction of King's Bridge and again."—S.J.

BOLD THIEVES AT WORK.—Sometime last night thieves entered Eambrick's slaughter house on Palk's Hill and stole a large quantity of meat. The vandals nacked up a splendid carcase of beef in their efforts to cut it in small neces.

COMPLETE CHANGE OF PROGRAM STAR MOVIE To-Night!

The Colored Artists in new Instrumental and Vocal Selections

Jack Dempsey in "FIGHTAND WIN"

Jack Pickford in " HILL BILLY"

A United Artists Production in Seven parts

FRIDAY --- "Cytherea." A First National Attraction, in Ten parts

Tom Mix in a Thriller at the Majestic

"Eyes Of The Forest" A Sensational Feature.

Readers are invited to read the this issue wherein it will be seen that

of the week. Tom Mix's latest starring picture, "Eyes of the Forest," which opens a 3 days' run at the Majestic Theatre, is a romantic story of that picturesque body of daring men, the Forest Air Patrol, of whim little is ever heard. In "Eyes of the Forest" Mix, as Bruce Thornton, an army flier, is assigned to forest patrol service. On his first trip over the woodland, watching for fires and timber thieves, he spots an outlaw lumber plant Landing in a clearance several miles from the spot, he crashes into a hut,

ed by Pauline Stark, whom he recognizes as being wanted on the charge of killing her step-father. Bruce is convinced the girl is innocent. He sets about to prove his contention and encounters Hogan, a member of the lumber stealing band, to whom Ruth was married against her will. Hogan comes after Ruth to take her away from her Uncle, with whom she was hiding from her huscounter and Hogan is beaten

however, he meets Ruth Meiler, play-

Hogan decides to take the girl by force and recruits his band to storm the cabin. An attempt is made to kill Bruce by blowing up the roadway. He escapes unhurt and, racing for his life from the band of mauraders, he leaps from his horse to an airplane. Thril follows thrill until Hogan is caught

and proven to be the real murderer and the leaders of the lumber thiev-ing gang get their due. Saturday a special matinee for the children, when two extra comedie (Fox) will be added to the Tom Mix Don't forget the arrival of Jacobson and Evans, a high class nusical act.

From Cape Race

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind west, strong, weather dull preceded by a southwest gale with fog and rain last night. The steamer Watuka passed west and a three-masted schooner was in sight also bound west afternoon yesterday; nothing in sight to-day. Bar. 29.32;

HAS BEEN POSTED.—A letter addressed to Mrs. Ireland, Grand Falls, has been picked up and posted.

This morning, after a short illness, rederick James, aged 14 months, arling son of Joseph and Mary King. Suddenly, on Tuesday night, Sam-Frederick James, aged iel Ryall, aged 76 years, leaving ton papers please copy).

In fond and loving memory of my husband, Thomas White, who was lost at sea from on board of the bargtn. Lake Simcoe, January, 1915. May the Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy on -Inserted by his wife and children.

IN LOVING MEMORY of our dear husband and father, Samuel G. Stanley, who died Jan. 14th,

To-day brings back sad memories,
Of that sad and bitter blow;
That was cast upon our homestead
Just two years ago. In our hearts we mourn the loss,

Of him we loved so dear;
What would we give to clasp his hand
His gentle voice to hear. His loving smile and welcome voice, That were so dear to us; He's resting now in Heaven above In God alone we trust.

Friends may think we have forgotten

When at times they see us smile; But they little know the sorrow That our smile hides all the while. No pen can write, no tongue can tell.
Our sad and bitter loss;
But God alone has helped us well
To bear our bitter cross.
—Inserted by his wife and children.

NOTE OF THANKS.—I desire to sincerely thank Mrs. Coefield, No. 3 Cumming Street, for the recovery of my watch which I advertised for in the Evening Telegram. MISS JEAN

Notice to Patrons of Hockey.

1. In order to cope with the increasing demand for Reserved Seats, all front row seats in Gallery "D" will for the future be reserved "till you come" at One Dollar per seat. Same may be booked at Gray & Goodland's by the single game or by the season upon application

to the undersigned. 2. A booth to sell RESERVED SEATS ONLY will be opened at the main entrance to the Rink immediately opposite the main Ticket Booth. This booth will be open from 6.30 o'clock onwards. No Reserved Seats for the future will be sold at the General Admission

3. Holders of Reserved Seat Tickets, Book Tickets and Season Passes may obtain admission to the Rink on Hockey nights by the Side Door on the Curling Club side. Positively no money will be accepted at

4. Save your time and ours by not ringing us up while a game is on to know "what the score is." "Information" will be informed of the score at the end of each period and we cannot undertake to answer the 'phone during the progress of a match.

St. John's Skating Rink Co., Ltd. P. E. OUTERBRIDGE, Sec'y.-Treas.

FEILDIAN WINTER SPORTS

PRINCE'S RINK, FEBRUARY 4th. Inter-League Team Re Inter-College Relay—1 Mencantile Ice Rega Ladies' ¼ Mile—½ 1/4 Mile Backward-Entries received at W. & G. Re-

ASK YOUR GROCER FOR "Queen Maud" or "Polar Crosspacked" Norwegian Smoked Brisling Sardines "THE BEST IN THE WORLD."

Manufactured by UNITED SARDINE FACTORIES, NORWAY.

Norwegian Products Co., Distributors for Newfoundland.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

Cochrane Street Women's Association will hold a Valentine Sociable and Entertainment on Wednesday, February 11th.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY CARD PARTY, SUPPER AND DANCE WILL BE HELD IN THE

CLUB ROOM THURSDAY, the 15th JANUARY.

Cards commence at 8.15 p.m. prompt. Music for the Dance will be supplied by the 8-Piece St. Andrew's Orchestra. Tickets: Gents' \$1.00, Ladies' 50c. These Card Parties and Dances in the Club Rooms are open to all friends of the Society. St. Andrew's Orchestra. Tickets: se Card Parties and Dances in the riends of the Society. jan10,4i

PRELIMINARY NOTICE! JRNS' NICHT CELEBRATION WILL BE HELD IN THE GAIETY-C.C.C. HALL-THIS YEAR ON MONDAY, JANUARY 26th.

The Haggis for the Supper has been specially imported for the

TICKETS CAN NOW BE RESERVED—PRICE: \$2.00

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The Company aintain lights amely (a) treet lights of use in St. called "large the smaller lights of the use in St. called "small The City shall pany during t Sixty-four de cents (\$64.80) each large ligh Twenty-four annum for Provided, how end of the fifth teenth year of Agreement eit shall be entitl vision of th charges, which onducted in rovisions of paragraph her Either party nonths' notice term of this a piring before require the ra lights supplie to the City un of this agree and in default to such rates ame shall on either party t arbitrators, c nce, or by an pointed by the and such arbi conducted in a provisions of

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