

Look out for To-morrow's TELEGRAM with the Big Bargain Announcement of the Right House.



## Evening Telegram.

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## The Publication of Debates.

It looks as if the daily publication of the official report of the debates in the Legislature is going to lag considerably behind the time of the delivery of the speeches, the answering of questions and the other proceedings which it is the intention of the Internal Economy Committee to publish.

The proceedings opened on Wednesday of last week. In the Daily News of to-day appears the first instalment of the report, which covers the appointment of Mr. Goodson as Speaker on the first day and the part of Thursday's proceedings which relates to the Governor's notification to the House of Assembly of the resignation of Sir Robert Bond and the speeches of Sir Edward Morris and Mr. Kent expressing regret at Sir Robert's retirement and appreciation of the great services he had rendered the country and the distinguished part he had played in that House. The speeches of Mr. Currie and Mr. Higgins in moving and seconding the motion for a Committee to draft an Address in Reply to the Governor's Speech will form the next instalment, and this instalment is already 7 days behind the date of the delivery of the speeches. It must also be remembered that the Prime Minister has already assented to the request that the answers to the questions shall also be recorded. We presume this relates to correspondence and answers of a commendable character which can be published without unduly swelling the report and would not include copies of Board of Trade expenditures. Ever with this exception the report will be swelled considerably and must have a tendency to delay the up-to-date nature of the daily report. We mention this matter because we think it is a matter of regret that a week has already been lost in the publication of debates. Inasmuch, however, as there is no forecast in the Governor's Speech of any important legislation other than changes in the Tariff to make up the shortage on the revenue, it is likely that the session will not be prolonged by debates on many legislative measures.

Last year we recorded the fact that the reports of the debates for 1912 had been put in book form. We find that this applies also to the years immediately preceding, and beginning with 1909. This will make the records of speeches easier of reference, especially as the volumes are indexed. Moreover, it has also provided additional pickings for the Daily News and Evening Herald, and that is a consideration not to be overlooked.

## Had No Home.

At an early hour this morning, and while the snow storm was at its height, Constables Crocker and Conrad of the night watch, found a woman, sparsely clad, wandering about Duckworth Street and brought her to the police station for shelter. The poor woman only left the General Hospital yesterday. If she was not found by the police she might have smothered in the storm.

M. C. L.—Debate to-night: Should Newfoundland have an Educational Department with its head a Member of the Executive Government? Leaders: Mr. A. Soper and Rev. Dr. Curtis. Jan 22, 11.

## Citizens' Committee Meeting.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Citizens' Committee was held last evening at the Board of Trade rooms, at which seventeen members were present. Interim reports were received from the sub-committees on Housing, Lighting, Health, Street Repairing and Cleaning, Fire Protection and Systems of Government. It was obviously impossible for even a small portion of the information which is necessary to have been obtained since the last meeting. Still the reports that were submitted proved intensely interesting and caused much discussion. It was remarked that if the discussion could have been held in public, there is not a hall in the city which would contain the people who would wish to hear it.

It is the intention of the Executive Committee to hold public meetings as soon as possible at which will be presented such reports from Sub-Committees as may be ready. The report from the Sub-Committee on Systems of Government was referred to a special meeting of the Executive Committee to take place on next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Board of Trade Rooms.

## Crowds at Pantomime.

The attendance at Rossley's yesterday was a record one. In the afternoon the crowd was so great that many were accommodated with seats in the orchestra, while at night benches and chairs had to be brought in. There is a reason for such a confluence of people, and the reason is the latest and best show ever seen at Rossley's and that is saying a lot. The compliments and congratulations Mrs. Rossley receives for her training of our city children is not from those who have never seen a good show outside St. John's but from the highest in the land who have travelled and seen what New York, Boston, Chicago, San Francisco and the large theatres on the other side such as London, Liverpool and Glasgow have in the way of pantomime, and they are all delighted and say it is wonderful. Every night almost, there is something different introduced, and there is in preparation a great Scotch pantomime that will astonish and delight still further. Snow White will be produced again later as there are so many requests.

## Some Good Advice.

"Why do you go on suffering from the intolerable itching and general discomfort of that eczema you told me about; why don't you do as I did?"

"What did you do?"

"I went to my Druggist, and he recommended me to try Zylex, a new Ointment which he said had done remarkable work in the cure of Eczema. At any rate it cured me."

"I'll try Zylex, then."

Zylex is sold by all druggists at 50 cents a box. Zylex Soap, 25 cents a cake.—Jan 14, eod, 11

## Marine Notes.

The S. S. Adventure left last night for Sydney for another coal cargo.

The S. S. Copan which is now discharging a cargo of coal, will lay up for repairs.

The schr. George Ewart loaded with fish by Bowring Bros. left port yesterday for Brazil.

## This Date in History.

JANUARY 22.  
New Moon—26.

Days Past—21 To Come—343  
BATTLE OF ISANDULA: Rorke's Drift, 1879. Taken by the gallant defence by a small body of English soldiers, the Zulus were prevented from entering Natal, South Africa.

QUEEN VICTORIA died 1901, aged 82. Victoria the Good came to the throne of Great Britain in 1837, on the death of her uncle, William IV. She married Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha in 1840, and nine children were born of one of the happiest unions in history. Peace and prosperity evolved during her long and illustrious reign, and her statesmanship left an example that few men in a similar position can show.

BYRON born 1788. The poet who exercised the greatest influence upon European thought during the early part of the 19th century. His "Child Harold's Pilgrimage," at once placed him in the front rank of poets and his many poems are full of passion, charm and beauty.

The heart will break, yet brokenly live on.  
—Byron.

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## Here and There.

EXPRESS DUE AT 8 P.M.—The incoming express is expected to reach the city at 8 o'clock to-night.

STAFFORD'S LINIMENT is for sale everywhere. Over 12,000 bottles sold last year.—Jan 3, 11

REID SHIPS ON DOCK.—The s.s. Home, Dundee and Ethie are now on the Dry Dock receiving their usual overhaul and repairs.

LINTROSE PASSENGERS.—The s.s. Lintrose arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.50 a.m. to-day, with the following passengers: 1st. saloon: Miss M. Keating, Miss M. Livingston, W. Burke and J. P. Smith.

BUYERS LEAVE.—As the Mongolian will be the last boat to leave here this season for the Old Country a number of buyers for the respective Water Street firms, will take passage by her to purchase their Spring stock of goods.

SNOW CLEARING.—Gangs of men are engaged all the week by the Council clearing the snow from Water Street. The sidewalks are in a very bad condition in certain places and very dangerous at night time.

VESSELS DUE FROM BRAZIL.—The schooners Canada and Nellie Louise and barquentine Clutha are now due here from Brazil. The vessels must have received a bad drubbing from the coast during the recent storm.

THE EXPRESS.—Sunday's express was due at Port aux Basques at noon to-day after the arrival of which the s.s. Bruce was scheduled to leave for North Sydney. Monday's express will likely reach Port aux Basques at 8 p.m. to-day, and the s.s. Lintrose will get away about the usual time to-night.

ONLY ONE "Bromo Quinine" that is Laxative, Bromo Quinine Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

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PROPOSED BRIDGE TOURNA-

KENT.—The several brigades of the city are very enthusiastic over the game of bridge, and it is expected that an inter-club tournament will be arranged for next month. The popularity of the game will make the proposed tournament an interesting one.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

## SELLING OUT

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## Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.

PANAMA, To-day.  
The Panama Canal has reached such a condition of completion that large ocean steamers could now pass through according to the declaration made by Colonel Goethals.

SYDNEY, To-day.

Two arrests were made at New Waterford in connection with the mysterious death of Jack McDonald, found dead there after several weeks' disappearance. The men arrested are Angus and Wm. McKenzie, who, it is alleged, were with the deceased on the night of his disappearance.

OTTAWA, To-day.

The Parliament of Canada, both in the Commons and the Senate yesterday paid a tribute to the memory of the late Lord Strathcona. One point touched upon particularly in the Commons was the great work accomplished by Strathcona when plain Donald Smith in bringing about the transfer of the North West territories to the crown and his later splendid self-sacrificing effort in bringing to a successful completion the C. P. R. On motion of Premier Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the House stood adjourned till to-day as a tribute to his memory.

LONDON, To-day.

The darkened house on Grosvenor Square where the body of Lord Strathcona lies still in death is the place towards which the thoughts of thousands of men and women prominent in the nation's public life are turning. Hundreds of messages of condolence were received from all parts of the world, but particularly from Canada. The King and Queen have been especially solicitous since the illness took a dangerous form, and received almost hourly messages. It was thought probable that Strathcona had expressed a desire to be buried in the same grave as his wife. Seeing however Strathcona's devoted services to the Empire, the suggestion may be made that the family permit burial in Westminster Abbey. High honours will be paid to the memory of the financier and statesman. During the funeral service the King and Queen will either attend in person or will send a personal representative from the Royal family. The Queen Mother, Alexandra, is expected to attend.

## Social Evening at George St.

The Sociable held in George Street last evening in aid of the Sunday School and Adult Bible Class (Libraries) proved a most enjoyable event, and reflected credit on the Librarians, Miss Jessie White and William Walter Joyce, who, with their assistants, were undying in their efforts to make it a grand success. The programme was well selected, and the rendition of all the members displayed talent and careful training. It was as follows:—

Male Quartette.—Messrs. Stan Green, L. C. Mews, A. S. Butler and W. Tucker.

Whistling Solo.—Mrs. C. Stranger.

Solo.—Miss LeMessurier.

Pianoforte Solo.—Mrs. G. Christion.

Solo.—Miss Trappell.

Recitation.—Mrs. R. A. Squires.

Solo.—Miss Starey.

Solo.—Miss Herder.

Violin Solo.—Mr. Fred Emerson.

Solo.—Mr. Hy. Courtenay.

The audience showed keen appreciation by their continuous applause and the demand for encores was incessant.

The pleasing feature of the programme was the playing of popular songs by members of the Guards' band. This added greatly to the entertainment during the interval when candies and ice cream were offered for sale and also while tea was being served.

Financially and in every other way the affair proved most successful, which must have been gratifying to all concerned.

## Cape Report.

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CAPE RACE, Yesterday.

Wind N.N.W., fresh, weather fine. Nothing sighted since last report.

Bar. 29.26; Ther. 20.

Special to Evening Telegram.

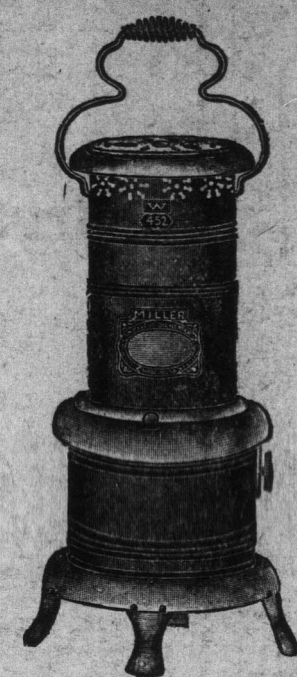
CAPE RACE, To-day.

Wind W.S.W. gale, weather showery preceded by a heavy snow storm last night. The S. S. Beatrice passed west at 2.30 p.m., Kinial in at 5 p.m. and Florizel west at 9 p.m. yesterday.

Boothie passed in at 8.30 a.m. to-day. Bar. 28.42; Ther. 22.

If you want your Overcoat cleaned, pressed and repaired, or a new collar on it, bring it to LEO F. GOODLAND, 24 Gower Street, 2 doors east Cochrane Street.—Nov 5, eod.

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