



Evening Telegram

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Wednesday, March 16, 1921.

Sealing Prospects.

After being but a week out of port it is too early yet to attempt to forecast the probable results and success or non-success of the sealing fleet of 1921. The daily reports coming in from the ships this year appear to be almost identical with those of last, and show that the "track" has been followed as of yore, the course taken by the leading steamer being steered by all the others without exception. Comparing last year's reports of March 13th and 14th, with those of the corresponding dates this year, it will be found that all the ships held positions East and South of the Funk Islands. Viking, on the former date advised sight of some old harps, the only one of the fleet to do so, though all reported heavy ice and but slow progress being made. All vessels practically in sight of each other. On the 14th Terra Nova wireless owners that she was then 40 miles E.S.E. of Funks, jammed. The other ships made almost similar reports, varying only as to distance and ice conditions, the Ranger adding that some whitecoats were passed at noon. Obviously then the sealers took the same cut after leaving port on Thursday last as was followed in former years. Messages sent in indicate this.

Eagle, Terra Nova, Ranger and Neptune radioed their positions on the 13th as being between 45 and 60 miles distant from the Funks, the change in direction from last year at the same date being North of East, instead of South. The other ships were in company. Terra Nova advises good prospects, but other ships do not add anything to this, Neptune, on the contrary, telling that there was not any sign of seals. Monday night's radiograms do not amplify previous messages in any way. Weather and ice conditions were unchanged, all ships were in sight of each other, Eagle, Neptune and Sagona reporting the presence of old seals and bedlamers in the water. Evidently the main patch has not yet been located, but should weather conditions hold favorable news may be flashed through the air at any moment, that the harvest of the ice-floe is being gathered. The Viking, the only ship in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, has been able to make a more encouraging report than any of her sisters on the front. Capt. Bartlett, very plainly, steered for the Bird Rocks after getting clear of the ice off Cape Ray, justifying his course by striking the fat at a much earlier date than Gulf records have recently shown. His Saturday's communication registers good prospects with seals of medium size, the ship's position being then 30 miles East of Bird Rocks, a position from which she had not shifted on Sunday, nor yet on Monday, most demonstrable proof that the whitecoats were in the vicinity. Later wireless despatches confirm this, for with four thousand panned, ice in large sheets and the seals only five

miles distant from the ship, and weather fine and clear, there is nothing to prevent the Viking's crew from killing a load within a short time. Altogether then there is much cause for optimism, and everyone will be hoping for the best of news on Patrick's Day, from both Gulf and Front.

Last night's messages from the Northern ships, give their positions as formerly, with advice that the whole fleet is practically jammed in heavy sheet ice, which will need a strong wind and swell to break up. Viking adds to her previous report that another four thousand have been panned, the steamer's position being unchanged. With clean sheets of ice over which to haul the "tows," and a continuance of fair weather, Capt. Bartlett has good prospects of loading speedily. Good news from the front may only be a matter of hours.

St. Patrick's Day.

To-morrow being the anniversary of St. Patrick, Erin's patron saint, a general holiday is being observed, and no newspapers will be published. On another page to-day, we print a description of a B.I.S. parade sixty-nine years ago (1852), the reading of which will amply repay the time spent in its perusal. As a gem of diction and composition, its equal has yet to be found.

Irish Night.

In Methodist College Hall.

The music loving public is looking forward to the "Irish Night" concert which will be held on St. Patrick's night in the College Hall. This concert is an annual affair and is always awaited with pleasurable anticipation. Under the capable management of Mrs. C. J. Cahill, who is acting on behalf of the Columbus Ladies' Association, the Irish Night concert this year will be a notable event in the musical history of St. John's. Some of the best city talent have generously offered their services and the programme which is now complete comprises an array of artistic ability which ensures the success of the projected entertainments and concerts unfortunately have been few and far between of late years, and enterprising organizers have many difficulties to face when arranging affairs of this kind. It is very gratifying to find that Mrs. Cahill has been able to bring together such a number of our leading vocalists and provide what cannot fail to be an excellent feast of music and song for the St. John's public. Tickets are now on sale at the Royal Stationery Company's store, and can also be purchased at the Methodist College Hall ticket office.

The Prince of Wales and the Boy Scouts.

At the time of going to press the appeal being made by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales in aid of the funds of the Boy Scouts Association has realized a sum of no less than \$240,000. His Royal Highness now appeals to the Colonies and has asked the co-operation of every Colonial newspaper and every one of its readers. If each one who reads the appeal would send a shilling to the Prince, at St. James Palace, London, his wish would be gratified straight away. His Royal Highness is asking for \$200,000 for a movement that he is satisfied is of first importance to the Empire—will you help him to realize his ambition?

Trouble on Express Train

The express train which arrived here at 8 p.m. yesterday, was forced to abandon its schedule by some 150 loggers returning from Victoria Lake. The men had been at work all the winter and on boarding the train found that no dinner was attached. While at Lewisporte the conductor attempted to put his train off the main line in order to pick up some passengers. Those on board fearing that if there was any delay they would suffer from shortage of food, forced the trainmen to continue the passage to St. John's without delay.

House Opens March 30.

By a proclamation in the Royal Gazette the opening of the House of Assembly has been further postponed till Wednesday March 30th on which date the opening of the Legislature will take place, for the despatch of business.

NFLD. ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY—CARD PARTY and Dance, Club Rooms, Wednesday, March 16th. Cards 8.15 prompt. Tickets 75c. each, to be had from following members: W. B. Eadie, D. McIntosh, R. E. Innes, R. G. Ross.—mar16,21

To Help the Poor.

\$10,000 A WEEK SHRINKAGE IN WAGES.

It is due to the public and particularly to those who attended the meeting in the Presbyterian Hall for the purpose of finding means to relieve the prevalent distress that some statement of results be made. The committee appointed by that meeting consisted of representatives from the Churches, charitable organizations and labor organizations. This committee has had two meetings and has examined two aspects of the situation.

- (1) The probable need during the next six weeks.
- (2) The best way to relieve such need.

As to the first of these, it has been ascertained through the kindness of the managers of the factories, and others, that there is a shrinkage of about ten thousand dollars per week in wages this winter compared with last. Clergymen and others report a marked increase in the number of families helped, and a much greater increase in the amounts required to relieve distress.

The Committee after full investigation estimates that at least ten thousand dollars will be necessary to relieve the distressing conditions among the poor during the spring. As to the best method of relieving such need much thought has been given.

Through the generosity of the Curriers' Association, three thousand dollars is immediately available for distribution.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society is now making its annual collection.

These two aids will afford adequate assistance for the present.

Consequently, the Committee decided that for the present no effort will be undertaken. It is, however, convinced that the amounts now, or about to be secured, will fall very short of what will be required. It therefore further decided to continue its work and, when the time is opportune, to devise some adequate means of securing the necessary amounts. Meanwhile the Committee desires the sympathy and assistance of the public in whatever it undertakes in the near future for the help of the poor.

DELLAS HEMMEON, Chairman.
H. E. COWAN, Actg. Secretary.
March 15th, 1921.

B. I. S. Debate.

At the B.I.S. Club Rooms last night a very interesting debate was held, the subject under discussion being: "Resolved that St. John's is spending too much time in sport and amusement." Messrs. T. S. McGrath, J. M. Darcy, J. Callahan and R. Hennebury supported the affirmative. The negative was supported by Messrs. J. G. Muir, J. O'N. Conroy, J. Lee and H. Summers. The Vice-President of the Society, Mr. J. C. Pippy, presided. At the close of the debate a very instructive address was given by Rev. Bro. J. E. Ryan, of Mount St. Francis. A vote was taken and resulted in the negative side receiving the majority of support.

Gower Street A.B.C.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Gower St. Adult Bible Class took place at 6.30 last evening. After tea was served the business of the meeting was proceeded with. The Secretary's report showed the class had had a record year, while the Treasurer reported it in good financial standing. The election of officers resulted as follows:—President, C. Bowden; Vice-President, W. S. Moore; Secretary, W. J. Grouchy; Treasurer, H. Joyce; Organist, J. Coveyduck; Executive Committee, O. Sellers, H. Moore, A. Diamond.

Snaring Not Shooting.

A slight error occurred in the notes of our Whitebourne Correspondent, published yesterday, in which it was stated that the season for the snaring and shooting of Rabbits had been extended this year. We are asked to correct this by mentioning that the season has been extended for "snaring" only.

Where to Go To-Morrow

AFTERNOON.
Casino Theatre—Matinee of "A Daughter of Erin."
College Hall—Cowan Mission Concert.
EVENING.
6 p.m.—L.O.B.A. Concert and Tea.
8.15 p.m.—Performance of "A Daughter of Erin" at Casino Theatre.
8.15 p.m.—"Irish Night" Concert in College Hall.
9 p.m.—C.C.C. Dance.

Someone

Has said that "the eye is the window of the soul." Certainly the eyes can be expressive and indicative of character. Weak or inflamed eyes should have immediate attention. H. B. Thomson, Opt. D., Apotomist and Optician. Office hours: 10 to 12.30, 2 to 5, 7 to 8.

Enthusiastic Meeting Manufacturers' Ass'n.

Home Industries to Be Boosted.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Manufacturers' Association was held in the Board of Trade Rooms, yesterday afternoon, when very important questions were taken up for discussion. In view of slow sales, our factories have been compelled to run on very short hours and a number have had to suspend operations temporarily. A strong appeal was made for a concerted effort on the part of all manufacturers to boost local products through a campaign of intensive advertising. The co-operation of the merchant, the retailer, and the people generally, is absolutely necessary if our local industries are to continue to operate. It was pointed out that the loss of the weekly wage paid out by our local factories was a very serious matter for the whole city; the purchasing power of our citizens has been reduced considerably through this cause, and trade is suffering in proportion.

If our people would realize the seriousness of the present situation, it was felt that they would not hesitate to enter into the spirit of the Home Industry campaign which is being launched, and by purchasing home-made products, boosting and pushing the sale of home-made products, perform a patriotic duty for the community, and considerably improve present conditions.

Committees were arranged to make a report on each industry, and representatives from each industry will form an executive committee who will supervise the general policy to be pursued. Advertising and Finance Committees were also arranged. Other questions resulting from present conditions were discussed, and will be dealt with at a later date. It was decided to hold the next meeting on Thursday, March 24th, at which time the various reports of the committees will be submitted.

Briton's New Commander.

LT-COMMANDER PENN LEAVES BY ROSALIND.

Commander Kerr, R.N., arrived by S.S. Rosalind to succeed Lt-Com. Penn as Senior Naval Officer in Newfoundland, and in the command of the training ship "Briton." Whilst welcoming Commander Kerr, in common with all who know Commander Penn, we regret the expiry of his term of duty in this midst, with him a hearty God-speed. He has made many friends in Newfoundland, who when he leaves by the Rosalind will get an earnest "au revoir" to their equally earnest "adieu." From the officers and men of the Briton he has won both affection and esteem. Quiet and modest his services have always been willingly given to patriotic and charitable objects. On the local amateur stage his genial presence will be greatly missed. His kindness to the orphans will always be gratefully remembered. During each Christmas that he has spent in our midst he has been their generous host and by his generosity has brought happiness and cheer to the heart of many a fatherless and motherless child. Whenever duty may call him in the coming years, he will carry with him the best wishes of the citizens of St. John's for his happiness, success and prosperity.

Curling Association Thanks Press.

Dear Sir,—The President, Officers, and Members of the St. John's Curling Association sincerely thank the Press for valuable assistance in announcing their Grand Charity Day of February 23rd.

The total amount realized was a record one, amounting to \$3,156.25, and is to be divided among the various city denominations.

I would like to add my personal thanks and appreciation.

Believe me to remain,
Yours very truly,
A. H. SALTER,
Secretary-Treasurer.

March 15, 1921.

DIVISION OF PROCEEDS.

The distribution referred to is as follows:
R. C. 4 shares at \$143.71 \$574.84
C. E. 4 shares at \$143.71 \$574.84
Meth. 4 shares at \$143.71 \$574.84
S. A. 3 shares at \$143.71 \$431.13
Pres. 1 share at \$143.71
Cong. 1 share at \$143.71

Less Expenses \$138.18
Stamps 16 153.34
Total Amount Realized \$3,156.25

WELL DRESSED AT SMALL COST.

If you do not intend to get a Suit or Overcoat for the holiday season, you can at least be well dressed by having your clothes cleaned and pressed at SPURRELL the Tailor, 365 Water Street, and it will cost you about \$1.50. Do you need a new Velvet Collar on your Overcoat?—m.w.t.f.

Supreme Court.

Continuation of Hodder Trial—Counsel for Defence Begins His Address.

The trial of Augustus Hodder, William Noseworthy and Stewart Noseworthy indicted on several counts including "wounding with intent to murder, riot and assault" was continued yesterday afternoon and this morning in the Supreme Court before Mr. Justice Kent and a special jury. W. A. Higgins, K.C., Counsel for the defence, had not concluded his address up to the recess hour. After recess yesterday, John R. Bishop and William Russell, two other boarders who resided at the house on the night of the raid, were sworn and examined by L. E. Emerson, and cross-examined by Higgins, K.C. Mrs. Ellen Power was the next witness called. Mrs. Power, who owns the house where the affair took place, was examined by L. E. Emerson, and cross-examined by Higgins, K.C. Mrs. Power told of the visit to her home in the early morning of November 10th last and recognized the accused as the man in question. Alice O'Neil, a niece of Mrs. Power, who also resided at the house, was next sworn and on being examined by Mr. L. E. Emerson, and cross-examined by Higgins, K.C., gave evidence regarding happenings after the house had been entered by the accused. Head Constable Byrne was next sworn and examined by Mr. Higgins. For nearly an hour he gave his story of the happenings on the night in question and explained what led up to his entering the house of Mrs. Power. He was cross-examined by Mr. Emerson. Augustus Hodder was next sworn and examined by Mr. Higgins. For nearly an hour he gave his story of the happenings on the night in question and explained what led up to his entering the house of Mrs. Power. He was cross-examined by Mr. Emerson. Augustus Hodder was next sworn and examined by Mr. Higgins. For nearly an hour he gave his story of the happenings on the night in question and explained what led up to his entering the house of Mrs. Power. He was cross-examined by Mr. Emerson.

Proceedings opened this morning with the calling of the docket. Noseworthy. He said that they had had several drinks and afterwards went into the country. They heard shots and some lead whistled over their heads. Hodder discharged his revolver five times. They met Hickey who when asked who he was firing at, said he was shooting at rabbits. He then told in detail the story of what led to the raid and what occurred in the house. L. E. Emerson for the Crown, cross-examined, William Noseworthy was next called. He said he came to town from Manuels to see his father, and after having several drinks on the night of the 9th had gone off with Hodder and the others. Hodder told him to call on Detective Byrne.

Witness described what happened in the house. Hodder and Stewart Noseworthy entered the room of Alice O'Neil but he did not know what happened there. Noseworthy's evidence was given in a very straight-forward manner. He was cross-examined by L. E. Emerson. Higgins, K.C., then rose to address the Court on behalf of the accused. The Crown, he said, was forced to make serious things out of nothing. He dealt with each charge, ridiculing in particular, that of "wounding with intent to murder." He said that Hickey, whom counsel termed a savage, had not got the mad idea of going out shooting rabbits and dogs early in the morning. The accused would never have been arraigned. The address occupied the time of the Court until 12.15 at which hour recess was taken until 2.30 p.m.

IN CHAMBERS.

Before Mr. Justice Johnson.

Henry Blach, vs. John Dempsey. Mr. Curtis for plaintiff. Mr. Fox for defendant. Mr. Fox for defendant moves that the service of the writ be declared null and void with costs.—L.A.V.

In the matter of the insolvency of Walter Gosse, Grocer, it is ordered that proceedings be discontinued, assignment to be executed and to be registered.

Police Court.

Iturum Atque Iterum.—The case of receiving stolen property already postponed several times was again postponed at the request of Mr. T. P. Fidler, who is acting for the accused. It will be heard on Monday.

Drunk and Disorderly.—An employer charged one of his employees with being drunk and disorderly on his premises; as the plaintiff did not wish to prosecute the case was dismissed.

Warrant Issued.—A case brought against a woman for malicious injury to property valued at \$20.00, was postponed till this afternoon as accused did not appear. Plaintiff's warrant will be issued. Mr. J. Higgins appeared for the plaintiff.

Several Assault Cases.—A man summoned another for assault. Plaintiff gave evidence and said the accused said to him, "men up the bay are no good." Witness replied, "you're no good." Accused then hit him. A fine of \$2.00 was imposed.

Another assault case was postponed for want of prosecution. A further assault case was withdrawn.

"Lowell Parks" at Barbados.

A message has been received by S. S. Rendell & Co., saying that schooner Lowell Parks had put into Barbados and was being detained by a woman for malicious injury to property valued at \$20.00, was postponed till this afternoon as accused did not appear. Plaintiff's warrant will be issued. Mr. J. Higgins appeared for the plaintiff.

Shipping Notes.

S.S. Rosalind is due here to-morrow. S.S. Manola will sail to-morrow for St. John, N.B.
S.S. Canadian Beaver sails to-morrow morning for Halifax.
S.S. Canadian Sapper will leave Halifax shortly for this port.
SPURRELL the Tailor, 365 Water Street, and it will cost you about \$1.50. Do you need a new Velvet Collar on your Overcoat?—m.w.t.f.

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Lectures To-Night.

Dr. J. Sinclair Tait will deliver his promised lecture to the public in the Greenfell Hall, to-night. This lecture—the subject being—"Science," its progress and promise," has already delighted those who had the opportunity of hearing it when delivered before Llewellyn Club, and none interested in such an important discourse should miss attending to-night. Admission is free; there will be no collection, and all are welcome.

The C. C. C. Band will meet for practice to-night at 8 o'clock sharp.—mar16,21

St. Patrick's Prayer.

"I bind to myself to-day
the power of God to pilot me,
the wisdom of God to teach me,
the ear of God to hear me,
the eye of God to watch me,
the hand of God to uphold me,
the shield of God to hide me,
May Christ be with me,
Christ be within me,
Christ before me,
Christ behind me,
Christ beneath me,
Christ above me,
Christ at my right hand,
Christ at my left hand,
May Christ be
in every heart that thinks of me,
in every eye that sees me,
in every mouth that speaks to me,
in every ear that hears me,
Salvation is of the Lord,
Salvation is of Christ!
Let thy salvation, O God, be with us
always.—Amen.
—Presbyterian Church Calendar

The Studio of S. H. PARSONS & SONS, Photographers, corner of Water and Prescott Streets, will be open St. Patrick's day.—21

Sailing Detention Lifted.

It is likely that the schr. Eileen Lake, held in port for over a week, will sail for Porto in a day or so. Her clearances at the Customs here were fixed up to-day and permission to sail granted. Schr. Max Horton will also sail at the first opportunity, there being only a slight difference about her port charges detaining her. With the complete lifting of all regulations for the European markets, vessels may now sail as in normal times.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

C. L. B. Cadets W. & N. C. O's Mess Annual "At Home" to be held in the C. C. C. Hall on Friday, April 2nd, 1921. Remember the date: Eve of St. George's Day. Particulars later.—mar16,21

Coastal Boats.

GOVERNMENT.
S.S. Portia left Cape Broyle at 6.15 p.m. yesterday.
GOVT. RAILWAY COMMISSION.
Clyde unable to reach Placentia on count of ice.

Kyle left St. John's at 2.30 p.m. yesterday, going to Lewisburg direct. Meigle left St. John's at 2.30 p.m. yesterday, going on S. W. Cowart.

M. C. L. L.—Owing to to-morrow being a whole holiday, the Institute will meet to-night at the usual hour and place. Debate: "Resolved, that the Business Profits Tax should be abolished." Leaders: Messrs. W. Drover and L. R. Curtis.—mar16,21

Norwegian Fishery.

March 15 March 16
Lofoten 1392 1290
All others 5,500,000 5,000,000
13,700,000 8,500,000

For your health's sake we offer Nature's answer to Constipation, "LES FRUITS." EL-LISS.—dec11,21

Exchange.

STERLING RATES.
To-day.
Buying 60 days 4.37% 4.45%
Selling 4.37% 4.45%
Yesterday.
Buying 4.35% 4.41%
Selling 4.41% 4.47%
AMERICAN.
Buying 15%
Selling 14%

McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, March 16.
For your next tin of Talcum, try Acme. You will, we feel sure, like it. In smoothness, in soothing qualities, in perfume, it is really one of the nicest, and we predict, as it is better known, that it will become more and more popular. Price 40c. a tin.

You will want a box of Candies for to-morrow. We have a good selection of Page and Shaw's Chocolates, as well as the delicious Havinden line. All of these candies are of good quality, and will be appreciated by yourself and your friend. Come in and get a box.

Floral Tributes to the Departed.

Nothing so nice as Flowers in time of sorrow. We can supply Wreaths and Crosses on short notice, and guarantee satisfaction. We will endeavor to meet the humblest desire. "Say it with Flowers."

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Laundry Kitchen Scrubbing Bath Disinfecting
20 ounce package, 10c.
WYANDOTTE Cleaner & Cleanser.
washing Clothes Dishes Glassware Enamelware
Floors, Carpets & Rugs, Milk & Cooking Utensils
with no harmful effects.
24 oz. Carton, 20c.

Vimco Banana Fig. A pure fruit food and confection, 15c. pk. Fig Cake (Fig and Almond Nut) 40c.
PICKLES. 10oz. Btl. 26c. Chow. 10oz. Btl. 26c.
Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuits, 22c. package.

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Some full-length spring coats with bloused backs, straight fronts, full sleeves and pointed shawl collars.

Terras Win

CHAMPIONS BADLY

The Terra Nova was not only the fastest ship in the fleet, but it was also the most successful. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 13th, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 14th. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 15th, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 16th. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 17th, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 18th. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 19th, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 20th. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 21st, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 22nd. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 23rd, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 24th. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 25th, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 26th. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 27th, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 28th. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 29th, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 30th. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 31st, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 1st of April. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 2nd of April, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 3rd of April. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 4th of April, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 5th of April. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 6th of April, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 7th of April. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 8th of April, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 9th of April. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 10th of April, and it was the only ship to land a seal on the 11th of April. It was the only ship to land a seal on the 12th