

# THE EVENING TELEGRAM.

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## By Telegraph

### CLOSE OF FISHERIES COMMISSION.

### Particulars Not Yet Available.

### ASSENT OF THE SENATE DOUBTFUL.

### Increasing Revenue of the Dominion.

### DEBATE ON THE ADDRESS IN REPLY

HALIFAX, N.S., Feb. 16.

Last night the Fisheries Commissioners completed their labors by signing the treaty. All the commissioners gave their full concurrence. It relates exclusively to the fisheries, but the particulars are still secret.

The sanction of the Queen and the parliament of Canada and Newfoundland is expected, but the assent of the American Senate is doubtful. The treaty is regarded as a permanent settlement of difficulties.

The revenue of Canada shows a large increase over last year. The Province of Ontario gives a surplus of nearly half a million. The debate on the address in the British Parliament continues.

## FROM PLACENTIA.

### Loss of Two of the "Delight's" Crew.

(Special to the Evening Telegram.)

PLACENTIA, This Afternoon.

The schooner *Delight* arrived here on Tuesday to Mr. Sinnott. She reports, while off Cape Broyle, losing two men named Justin Hurley, of Carbonara, and McGrath, of St. John's. They were on the mainboom, when the helmman jibed the mastsail and threw them off. It was impossible to save them, as it was blowing a gale at the time.

## FROM CAPE RACE.

(Special to the Evening Telegram.)

CAPE RACE, This Evening.

A light breeze has been blowing from the westward all day, with fog and rain at intervals. The ice has now moved off.

## The Evening Telegram

ST. JOHN'S, FEBRUARY 16, 1888.

## OUR COASTAL STEAM SERVICE.

YESTERDAY we called attention to the ocean mail service and are glad to know we voiced the opinions of the general public. To-day we desire to express our surprise at the Executive making no stipulation in the new coastal contract as to when freight and passengers must embark on board the new steamers.

We believe a wharf is being erected by Messrs. Harvey & Co., at the bottom of the harbor. Now, in the interests of the outboard people and those in this city who require to ship goods or travel by coastal steamers, we have to emphatically protest against passengers and freight being compelled to go the length of Hoylestown before they can embark.

The outboard members are surely not going to allow so much inconvenience to be suffered by their constituents and those doing business with them here. Had the boats had their terminus at the present water-side premises of Messrs. Harvey & Co. no reasonable objection could be made; but the idea of these gentlemen supposing the public will stand such ridiculous conduct savors too much of the autocrat for us.

The House is now in session, and members have an opportunity of questioning the Government and at once demanding more convenient arrangements. We cannot realize how a firm of the high standing of Messrs. Harvey & Co. would so inconsiderately put the large numbers of persons who patronize the coastal boats to the trouble and expense of going to the very extreme end of the town before they can ship. Surely their late intercourse with the shuffling Government members has not corrupted them! Mr. Outerbridge got a pretty sharp lesson on Saturday night as to how his volunteer friends (?) could be relied upon, when several did not attend at all, and others who were in the room sneaked away when they saw how the wind began to blow.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Auction—beef, oranges, etc.....James Hynes  
Canadian peace.....Clift, Wood & Co  
Readings and music.....Athenæum Hall  
Smoked caplin.....Clift, Wood & Co  
Choice family flours.....Bothwell & Rowing  
B. I. S. meeting.....F. St. John  
Annapolis valley apples.....Clift, Wood & Co  
Cranberries and soap.....see advertisement  
Choice oleographs.....see advertisement  
Clearing sale notice.....John B. Curran & Co  
Patent notice.....see advertisement  
Onions, apples, &c.....Dryer & Greene  
Superior Is. 6d. tea.....at F. Parnell's

**TEA NOTICE! BE NOT DECEIVED!**  
OUR SHILLING TEA (1s. per pound) is the best Tea for the price this market affords. It can be had in chests of 60-lbs. for \$12 (twelve dollars) per chest. Better TEA at correspondingly low prices. The envy of all tea-men in Terra Nova. Caddies of 20-lbs. for \$6 (six dollars) per caddy. Address MURPHY'S HILL or BROOKING'S.  
jan24,fp,eod JAMES MURRAY.

## AUCTION SALES.

To-morrow, FRIDAY, at 11 o'clock,

By JAMES HYNES,

[At his Rooms, opposite Messrs. Job, Brothers & Co.]

25 qtrs. Prime Fresh Halifax Beef,  
5 BXS ORANGES, 10 BRLS APPLES, 50 TUBS  
butter, 5 barrels pigs' heads, 5 bris jowles, 50  
hams, 10 cheese, 25 bxs soap, 12 doz pickles, 2 bris fresh  
codfish, 1 boat sail, 1 anchor, 2 pieces chain. feb16

Valuable Freehold Residence & Grounds.

On MONDAY next, the 20th Feb., at 12 o'clock,

ON THE GROUNDS,

That eligible and commodious freehold

RESIDENCE & GROUNDS,

situate corner Military and Barnes' Roads, belonging to

the insolvent estate of H. M. Gibb.

The DWELLING HOUSE has been built regardless

of expense, and consists of two stories and basement.

The ground floor contains three large and handsome

rooms—Breakfast, Dining and Drawing Room, with

French windows opening upon the lawn, which entirely

surrounds the house. Spacious halls, with ornamental

glass in vestibule and porch. The whole building is

heated with hot water. The ground floor also contains

Kitchen, fitted with Kitchen, ample cupboards, &c.,

the arrangement being very convenient and labor-saving

for servants.

The second story contains Six Bedrooms, with fitted

Bathroom, and other necessary conveniences. The

principal Bedrooms have large and expensive ward-

robes, with fine light and open aspect.

The basement occupies the whole area of building, and

consists of frostproof cellars, surrounded by thick

stone walls. A very little expense would convert this

flat into kitchen, laundry and other servants' offices, if

desired to remove the domestic quarters below stairs.

The whole property is brand-new, having been occu-

pled only for a few months. And the opportunity is

now offered of purchasing a splendid residential prop-

erty, in the healthiest and most accessible part of the

town, well suited for a commercial or professional man.

To view, apply to the Trustees of the Insolvent

Estate. feb14,fp

Very Valuable Brick Dwelling House,

(FEE-SIMPLE),

On Duckworth Street, to be sold by Public Auction.

I AM AUTHORIZED TO OFFER FOR SALE BY

Public Auction, on THURSDAY, the 1st day of

March, at 12 o'clock, on the premises, All that Valuable

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, (Fee-

simple), situate on the South Side of Duck-

worth Street, adjoining the residence of J. R.

Collins, and yielding a yearly rental of

\$200. Supplied with water, sewerage and gas-fittings.

This dwelling house being a part of the Estate of the

late John Collins, is ordered to be sold by request of

Legatees. All particulars on application to

JAS. J. COLLINS, Notary Public

Office: 248 Duckworth St. And Real Estate Broker,

opp. Fishermen & Sailors' Home.

or, JAMES R. COLLINS, Executor,

189 Duckworth Street. feb14,fp

**NOTICE:**

THE CLEARING SALE

AT THE SHOP OF

MR. T. J. MURPHY,

(232 Water Street.)

Will be discontinued till MONDAY

next, so as to arrange stock. Particulars

of Monday's Sale will appear to-

morrow. feb16 JOHN B. CURRAN & Co., Auctioneers.

**SOCIABLE**

And Sale of Work.

THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY OF TRINITY

Church contemplate holding a Sociable in the Old

Temperance Hall on Friday evening next.

Tickets 20 cents each, to be obtained at the door and

at 155 1/2 Gower Street. At the close of the sociable there

will be a SALE OF WORK in aid of the funds of the

Church. feb14,fp

**TO BE LET.**

(With immediate possession.)

That comfortable & convenient

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE,

No 2 TASKER TERRACE, recently tenanted by the

French Consul, Monsieur G. Des Isles.

Also, with possession on 1st May next,

THE COMPACT DWELLING HOUSE,

in brick building, corner Duckworth Street and Beek's

Cove, over the shop of Messrs. Fullerton & Mott, re-

cently occupied by D. Patrick, Esq. For terms, etc.,

apply to

feb10,fp JAMES MURRAY.

**SMALL BUNDLES.**

For Sale by Jas. & Wm. Pitts,

**HAY**

in small bundles.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



## CRANBERRIES!

Only 50-Cents per gallon.

Have you seen our 3-cent Cake of SOAP? It is really the best value as yet. 100 Cakes in a Box, only \$2.40.

WATER STREET, NEAR JOB'S.

GEORGE E. BEARNS.

## AT PARNELL'S!

∴ We have ∴

A VERY ∴ CHOICE ∴ THREE-SHILLING ∴ TEA

We have also a very Superior Tea for 1s. 6d.

Our 2s. 6d. TEA is the best in the market!

F. PARNELL,

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131 WATER STREET.

## The London Guarantee & Accident Company,

OF LONDON, ENGLAND.

Authorized Capital - - - \$1,250,000.

HEAD OFFICE FOR NEWFOUNDLAND: 132 WATER STREET, ST. JOHN'S.

The Bonds of this Company are accepted as security by the Home, Australian, Canadian, Indian and Colonial Governments. Blank forms can be had, and rates and other particulars given, on application to

June 9

T. W. SPRY, Agent for Newfoundland.

## Metropolitan Club

[LIMITED.]

THE postponed Annual Meeting of the Metropolitan Club will be held in the Club Rooms, Duckworth Street, THURSDAY NIGHT, 16th inst., at 8 o'clock. (By order.)

E. J. O'FLAHERTY, Secretary.

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Just Received,

per "Curlew," and for sale,

## FRESH - FISH

—AND—

Venison.

JOHN STEER.

feb15,2fp

New Meadow Grass Hay!

Now Landing, ex "Viola" from Halifax,

1111 SMALLISH BUNDLES

New, Sweet, Meadow Grass Hay,

Last season's growth, free from weeds, and just the

thing for Horses and other cattle of superior breed.

Only 6s. 6d. per hundred weight, or 26 10s. per ton,

at BROOKING'S. feb9,fp

JAMES MURRAY.

FOR SALE,

## By HEARN & Co.'s,

100 Brls. White Sugar,

50 Brls. Cut Loaf Sugar,

JUST RECEIVED PER "PORTIA"

feb9,6fp,eod

## REAL Canada BUTTER.

50 tubs Selected Townships } FRESH

100 tubs Selected Kamouraska } : CANADA

100 tubs Choice Morrisburg } BUTTER:

of exquisite flavor, for sale by

jan24 JAMES MURRAY.

## CANADA -:- BEEF.

Ex S.S. "Newfoundland," and for sale by

JAS. & WM. PITTS,

30 qrs. Fat Canadian Heifer Beef.

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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## AYRSHIRE ROSE.

Just received ex "Ariel," via New York,  
625 brls Family FLOUR, Ayrshire Rose,  
250 BRLS FAMILY FLOUR, Zeta.

## ROTHWELL & BOWRING

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## ATHENÆUM - READINGS.

Music -:- Vocal -:- and -:- Instrumental,

—will be given in the—

Athenæum Hall, on Monday, Feb. 20.

Doors open at a quarter past 7. Chair to be taken at

eight o'clock. Numbered reserved seats twenty

cents, to be had at the Library. General admission ten

cents. (By order.)

feb16,11 J. J. FLANNERY, Sec'y.

## SMOKED CAPLIN

ON SALE BY CLIFT, WOOD & Co.,

Choice Smoked Caplin,

In boxes of 5, 10, 15 and 20-lbs. each. A Cheap and

delicious article of food. feb16

## Benevolent Irish Society

THE EIGHTY-SECOND ANNIVERSARY MEET-

ing of the Benevolent Irish Society will take place

in St. Patrick's Hall, TO-MORROW, (FRIDAY),

EVENING, at 7 o'clock, sharp. (By order.)

feb16,2fp F. ST. JOHN, Secretary of Schools.

## ANNAPOLIS VALLEY APPLES.

FOR SALE BY

CLIFT, WOOD & CO.,

50 barrels selected

## Choice Winter APPLES.

These apples are of very superior quality, barrels

being marked A. S. Harris. feb16

## TWO LARGE OLEOGRAPHS

Full of Thrilling Detail,

ENTITLED:

"RAMSGATE LIFEBOAT," The Bradford,

—TO THE—

Rescue of the Crew of the "Indian Chief"

AND THE RETURN OF THE LIFEBOAT.

On exhibition at the PHOTO COPYING HOUSE

one door west of Furniture Show Rooms, Duck-

worth Street. feb16,2fp

## NOTICE!

AFTER FOUR WEEKS, APPLICATION

will be made to His Excellency the Govern-

or-in-Council for LETTERS PATENT, for a

NEW AND IMPROVED ANCHOR, and meth-

od of lifting and handling same, to be grant-

ed to WILLIAM H. RHODES, of Saint John's.

St. John's, January 16th, 1888.

## D. MORISON,

Solicitor for applicant.

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## Just Received,

per "Portia" from New York, and for sale by

## HEARN & Co.

350 Barrels New Mess PORK. [King's

100 Barrels Family Mess PORK, Figge's &

75 Barrels Small JOWLS, Figge's & King's.

75 Barrels New HEADS, Figge's & King's.

50 Barrels Halstead's Packet BEEF;

—AND—

10 BOXES CHOICE HAMS.

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## FOR SALE,

## By Dryer & Greene

30 cases SWEET ORANGES,

30 cases SILVERPEEL ONIONS,

49 barrels APPLES,

300 bundles Timothy Hay,

80 quarters prime Fresh Beef.

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## CANADIAN -:- ROUND -:- PEASE.

WE OFFER 100 BARRELS

Choice - Canadian - Round - Pease,

feb16 CLIFT, WOOD & Co.

**WANTED:**

about 200 more EMPY MOLASSES