

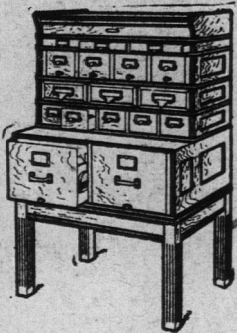


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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
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THURSDAY, December 11, 1913.

Municipal Matters.

Yesterday we remarked that some people would like to see some slight change in the election machinery of the Municipal Council, without going to the expense of employing at high salaries commissioners, who should be specialists in some particular class

of civics and devote their whole time to the benefit of the city. If such men, were available locally and if they could be obtained at a reasonable salary and there was a much larger revenue for them to utilize in improving the sanitation and beautifying of the city, there might be good ground to advocate the big change.

But while there is comparatively little money available, and little prospect of any very large increase in civic revenue, it would be absurd to introduce costly machinery to do what there is not money to do. It seems to us it would be better to try and increase the revenue to the extent people are willing to pay and then give our present system a chance. We have no doubt that the members of the Municipal Council during the past ten years would have done much better work had they had simpler means at their disposal. We should like to see Councillors have a chance with a larger revenue. We think they would do much better work. We think also they should not be condemned for making improvements beyond the means at their disposal and that the system should not be condemned wholesale for certain faults that are assignable not to the system but to inadequate revenues. We should however like to see a change in the system of electing councillors and the ward system reintroduced. It would give a greater measure of responsibility if a Councillor found himself held responsible for a definite portion of the city. It is no novelty. It would be but a reversion to the old system.

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Bargains
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his Date
in History.

DECEMBER 11.

First Quarter.

Days Past—344 To Come—20.

DEATH OF LLEWELYN. 1282.

Llewelyn was the last native "Prince of Wales." Up to the time of Edward I. the Welsh had maintained a kind of independence, and had defended themselves in their native fastnesses and defied the power of England. Edward I. however, marched an English army into Wales and finally defeated them and in the battle their Prince Llewelyn was slain. Edward's son, afterwards Edward II., was created the first English Prince of Wales.

Who overcame by force, Hath overcome but half his foe.

—Milton.

Loss of the Schr. Francess.

CREW SAFE.

Last evening Messrs. James Baird, Ltd., had the following message from Calais, France. It was sent by Capt. Moores of the ill-fated schooner Francess and read as follows:—

"Francess a total loss; all safe; coming home."

This will be welcome news for the friends of those on board.

The Francess left Fogo about twenty days ago for here, codfish laden. She put into Seldom Come Bay and since leaving the latter port was never heard of until the above message was received. It is conjectured that the vessel was driven off to sea by recent storms and blizzards, was abandoned in mid-ocean and that the crew were taken off by a passing steamer but the correct story of the voyage will not be known until the crew of the Francess arrives.

Capt. Moores and crew of five seamen are expected to reach home in about a fortnight hence. They journeyed from Calais, France, to London where it is expected they took passage by the Furness Liner Almerina which was set down to leave London on Tuesday for Liverpool and this port.

The Schr. Francess and her cargo was owned by Jas. Baird, Ltd. She was practically a new vessel, being launched six years ago in Nova Scotia.

Cape Report.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-day.

Wind east, light, weather dull. The S. S. Florizel passed in at 9.50 a.m. and S. S. Adventure at 10.20 a.m. and S. S. Wagona, 10.30 a.m. Bar. 29.68; ther. 34.

Here and There.

LEFT BURGOE.—The schr. Lelia has left Burgeo for Halifax with 1469 quintals of codfish.

WORST ON RECORD.—The whaling voyage for 1913, has been the poorest on record and every company without exception, will show a deficit.

CRAFTS BLOCKING HARBOR.—About three-score of crafts, which brought fish cargoes here, are now laying up for the winter. They are filling up the harbor and a source of annoyance to mariners.

TRAIN DERAILLED.—To-day's incoming express is not expected to reach the city before 2 a.m. to-morrow. The cause of the delay is that a west-bound freight train was derailed yesterday afternoon at Quarry.

FISHING IN PLACENTIA BAY.—There is a good sign of codfish in parts of Placentia Bay just now, and when the weather is favorable and men get on the grounds, good catches are made. Herring are also reported very plentiful in Placentia Bay.

ESPECIALLY AT XMAS there is nothing more pleasant to give, nothing more acceptable to receive than a photograph made at the Studio of S. H. Parsons & Sons, corner of Water and Prescott Streets. Sittings can be made day or night, and all orders for photographs received up to the 15th will be finished by Xmas Eve, but orders for enlargements, water colors, etc., should be placed as early as possible to avoid disappointment.—dec6,21

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIS-TEMPER.

Feast of Immaculate Conception

AT HARBOR GRACE.

On Dec. 8th, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception was celebrated with the solemn ceremonies of the Church at Harbor Grace Cathedral. His Lordship Bishop March pontificated with the Rt. Rev. Mons. McCarthy, as asst. Priest, while Rev. J. Thibault was Deacon, Rev. J. Scully, sub-Deacon, and the Rev. J. Walker, as Master of Ceremonies. The Revs. J. Donnelly, M. P. Dwyer and E. J. O'Brien were also in attendance and occupied seats within the sanctuary. The preacher of the day was the Rev. M. P. Dwyer, of Bonavista, who delivered a lucid and scholarly discourse on the subject of the feast. After a brief introduction the preacher explained the definition of the Church, and proceeded to prove the doctrine from Scripture and tradition, and concluded by showing what the world, more especially womanhood, owes to the Catholic idea of the Blessed Virgin. The argument of the sermon was strong and logical. The sequence good, whilst the delivery ranks the young priest among the preachers of the diocese. We congratulate the Rev. Father upon having preached one of the ablest sermons on the subject ever heard at the Cathedral. Amongst the Knights of Columbus present at the mass were some from Grand Falls, who were glad to exchange greetings with the preacher who was formerly their pastor.

Hr. Grace, Dec. 8th, 1913.

S.A. Xmas Appeal.

Brigadier Morehen, Divisional Commander of the Salvation Army, acknowledged, with thanks, the following subscriptions toward the Christmas Appeal:

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Coastal Boats.

REIDS' BOATS.

The Argyle left Epworth at 7.25 p.m. yesterday, going west.

The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 7 a.m. to-day.

The Clyde leaves Lewisporte to-day.

The Dundee arrived at Port Blandford at 1.45 p.m. yesterday.

The Elbie arrived at Clarendville at 12.30 a.m. to-day.

The Glencoe left Hermitage Cove at 7 p.m. yesterday, coming east.

The Home left Three Arms at 3.15 p.m. yesterday, going north.

The Lintrose left Port aux Basques at 11.55 p.m. yesterday.

The Meigs has not been reported since leaving Humbermouth at 6.40 p.m. Tuesday.

The Fogota arrived at Lewisporte at 6.50 p.m. yesterday.

Marine Notes.

The R.M.S. Carthaginian is due at the end of the week from Liverpool.

The barq. Atilla sailed yesterday for Pernambuco, fish laden from Baine, Johnston & Co.

The s.s. Florizel is due here this evening from Halifax.

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