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City Hall Opened By His Excellency Sir W. H. Horwood.

The new City Hall on Duckworth Street, formerly the Seamen's Home, was opened formally at 3 p.m. yesterday by the Deputy Governor Sir W. H. Horwood in presence of a large gathering of citizens. Amongst them were: Hon. Sir E. J. Morris, Hon. D. Merison, Hon. W. C. Job, Hon. R. Watson, Hon. D. J. Greene, Hon. J. D. Bean, Hon. M. G. Winter, Mrs. Chan-ning, Lady Horwood, Lady Morris, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Job, Mrs. J. M. Kent, Mrs. H. Y. Mott, Mrs. Chan-ning, Mrs. Mullaly, ex-Councillors M. Power, J. R. Bennett, John Cowan, S. G. Collier, T. M. White, J. M. Kent, H. Y. Mott, J. W. Withers, Secretary of the City, and Mayor Ellis and the sitting Councillors—J. T. Martin, J. F. Chan-ning, J. Coaker, M. Myrick, J. J. Mul- lally and C. W. Ryan.

Mayor Ellis addressed the gathering first and extended a welcome to all present. He dwelt on the advantages that the Council would now enjoy in having their own home in which to transact the business of the city. He believed that a city's prosperity and the intelligence and enterprise of its people were best advertised by the ex- istence of an up-to-date City Hall. He asked the good will of the people of St. John's and also their co-operation in civic affairs in order that the Council may be able to carry out its schemes for the improvement of the city.

Sir William Horwood, on being hand- led the key formally unlocked the door

of the building. He delivered a short but most interesting address, begin- ning by thanking the Council for the privilege of participating in such an important function. It is the first time in the history of the city that people could have a hall of their own for civic business. He felt that the work of the Council was not appreciated as it should be. The City Councillors laboured under great dif- ficulties and had really made great progress. The citizens of St. John's had not been brought up to exercise that interest in city affairs so neces- sary to the well-being of the Council. He could do much without the help of the people. In all new cities of the West the people quite willingly paid the taxes knowing that they would get back good value in improvements. He would like to see the most capable citizens taking part in civic govern- ment, men who would be all the time working for more improvements in municipal affairs. He hoped that the City of St. John's would now advance along the road to civic reform and would become a source of pride to all citizens.

Lady Horwood then unfolded the flag and hoisted it aloft while the gathering gave three cheers.

The Premier next addressed the as- semblage. The hall was a new de- parture in civic life. The Council would now be less cramped for space in the administration of affairs and better things could be looked for from the building. He delivered a short but most interesting address, begin- ning by thanking the Council for the privilege of participating in such an important function. It is the first time in the history of the city that people could have a hall of their own for civic business. He felt that the work of the Council was not appreciated as it should be. The City Councillors laboured under great dif- ficulties and had really made great progress. The citizens of St. John's had not been brought up to exercise that interest in city affairs so neces- sary to the well-being of the Council. He could do much without the help of the people. In all new cities of the West the people quite willingly paid the taxes knowing that they would get back good value in improvements. He would like to see the most capable citizens taking part in civic govern- ment, men who would be all the time working for more improvements in municipal affairs. He hoped that the City of St. John's would now advance along the road to civic reform and would become a source of pride to all citizens.

Uncle Walt THE POET PHILOSOPHER.

It is really rather funny how the man who's burning money finds a legion of admirers any place that he may stray. Everything he says is witty; all the Johnnies in the city gather round him to adore him while there's wealth to throw away. When he grows exceedingly frisky in his gliding home of whiskey, even the barkeeps make confession that he has a wealth of charm and the peepers, evidently, love him, for they treat him gently, when his feet become entangled and he falls into their arms. O, the world is soft and tender to the lavish money spender and he thinks that people love him for his merits and his face; but when all his wealth is melted, he is hustled, he is pelted, and the barkeeps calmly kick him from the portals of their place. And the people who were smacking when his money he was jerk- ing, call him names that hurt his feelings when he seeks a helping hand; and the haughty cops surround him, draw their little clubs and pound him, load him in the hurry wagon, and he's fined to beat the band. All the friends you gain by blowing money where the booze is flowing are not worth a cent a dozen—they're not worth the half of that; they will shake you when you're busted and turn away disgusted when, to buy a little fodder you attempt to pass the hat.

Big Muster of Peers.

Special Evening Telegram.
LONDON, To-Day.
The Parliament Bill, bereft of the trills added by the peers when it was last in their hands, reappeared in the House of Lords yesterday, but whether it is to be a farewell or only a penultimate appearance cannot be foretold with certainty. The counting of heads of the different factions of "die hards," "surrenderers" and "min- isterialists," has shown the possibility of a vote so close that people hesitate to say whether the Government bill will be defeated. Should the bill be thrown out, its next coming into the upper chamber would be accompanied by a battalion of new barons, strong enough to swamp any combination of Unionists. The House was crowded with the biggest muster of peers since the rejection of the Home Rule Bill in 1883. Lord Morley is supported by the largest force of radical peers ever gathered together in the memory of the oldest member. The debate will be continued till to-day.

Peace Treaties Under Fire.

Special Evening Telegram.
WASHINGTON, To-Day.
The arbitration treaties with Britain and France are being earnestly defended by Secretary of State Knox before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. He undertook to show especially that the agreements have robbed the Senate of none of its constitutional privileges. The opposition to the treaties, based on the contention that the Monroe doctrine would be virtually abrogated, so far as Britain and France are concerned, is not taken seriously by President Taft and Secretary Knox.

Mine Strike Over.

Special Evening Telegram.
CHICAGO, To-Day.
Two thousand workers in the In- diana coal mines, who have been on strike for the past two months, have now resumed work after a settlement of the disputes.

Crops Suffer.

Special to Evening Telegram.
WASHINGTON, To-Day.
A tremendous decline in the condition of the crops is general through- out the country. It is due to the drought and heat which have prevail- ed during last month.

Schrs. Doing Well.

Special Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-Day.
Wind light and variable, weather dull. The s.s. Florizel passed in from St. John's, from Christ- ianias for Newport News, at 9 a.m. Several schooners are fishing in this vicinity and are doing well when bait is obtainable. Bar. 29.65, ther. 59.

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The kind that require no heating or tying. Can be simply and securely sealed.

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Dwellings in Danger.

Special to Evening Telegram.
ST. GEORGE'S, Aug. 9.
There are at least five ragging east and west of St. George's; several houses are in danger and people are moving out their household effects.

Prowse's Guide Book.

Although the second edition of this book was prepared at the request of the Government for the Festival of Empire, a third edition is now issued for the use of tourists and visitors to the Colony. We presume that the second edition was taken over bodily by the Government. As is well known it is edited by Judge Prowse, and contains contributions from I. G. Mil- lers, H. Hesketh Pritchard, F. C. S. Lous, Admiral Sir W. R. Kennedy, K.C. B., Sir Bryan Leighton, Dr. Grenfell, C.M.G., H. W. LeMesurier, J. P. Howley, J. W. N. Johnstone and others. It contains much useful information and is particularly well illustrated. Read- ers will be pleased to find in it a fine picture of the Premier, a faithful record of his energy, and a hopeful view of the two branch lines of rail- way now under construction.

At the next session of the Assembly the public will no doubt learn how far they have been able to participate financially in the success of the second edition of this Guide Book. Messrs. Whitehead, Morris & Co. Ltd., of London, are the publishers.

McMurdos's Store News.

THURSDAY, Aug. 10, '11.
For a breath-sweetener which is more than a mere sweetener, those who suffer from bad taste in the mouth or bad odor from the breath, the result of catarrhal or stomach troubles or decayed teeth, we recom- mend as the best local remedy En- thynol Tablets. These, besides being very pleasant, exert a mild antiseptic influence over the mouth, and induce over the whole mucous tract. Bad breath generally needs more radical treatment, but as a temporary and local measure, Enthynol Tablets are useful, neutralizing as they do the fever for the time being. Price 20c. a box.

We know nothing more refreshing on a hot day like this than a glass of Ice Cream Soda, with Strawberry, Raspberry, Vanilla or Partridge Berry. Don't pass our store without calling in for a glass. Price 10c.

Rifle Club Shoot.

The members of the Rifle Club com- peted yesterday for the T. M. McNeil prize and the Club Junior prize. The former was won by Mr. P. W. Norman with a score of 95, and the latter by Mr. G. Nickerson with a total of 72. The leading scores were:

P. W. Norman	200	500	600	Tot.
J. F. Murphy	33	24	28	85
E. M. Macnab	32	30	29	91
J. W. Morris	32	30	29	91
J. W. Morris	30	28	29	87

Married To-Day.

The wedding of Dr. G. N. Murphy, the eye and ear specialist, and Miss David Bennett, the charming and accomplished eldest daughter of Mr. F. Purteau, Auditor General, takes place this afternoon at 3 o'clock at St. Thomas's Church. Bunting was fly- ing to-day from the residence of the bride and the flags of the houses in the vicinity were hoisted in honour of the event.

A PURSE OF GOLD.—On Tuesday afternoon a deputation from the Women's Missionary Society (Methodist) waited upon Mrs. R. J. Piment and presented her with a purse of gold, together with warm wishes for her health and happiness in the impor- tant work which she is soon to take up in far off Japan.

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Women's Black and Tan Plain Cotton Hose, guaranteed fast, only 13c. and 20c. pair.
Children's Black Rib Cotton Hose, sizes: 5 inch to 9½ inch, only 10 to 14c. pair.
Children's Tan Rib Cotton Hose, sizes: 5 inch to 9½ inch, only 11c. to 15c. pair. These Children's Hose are guaranteed to be fast colours, as their thousands of wearers can prove. The Tan Hose are first quality and the Blacks are seconds.
Women's Short Sleeve White Cotton Vests, assorted styles, all good fitting garments, at 12c., 18c., 20c., 25c. and 27 each.
Women's Long Sleeve White Cotton Vests, Buttoned Fronts, only 30c. and 37c. each.
Children's Short Sleeve White Cotton Vests, 20 inch to 28 inch, 11c. to 13c. each.
Boys' Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 24 to 32 inch, 32c. to 40c. garment.
Women's Short Sleeve and Long Sleeve White Woven Cotton Corset Covers, at 22c., 27c., 35c., 38c. and 40c.
Women's Plain Black Cashmere Hose, Job, at 25c. pair.
Women's Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, short legs, in good wool cashmeres. Regular 35c. to 40c. pair, only 22c. pair. Magnificent assortment to choose from in Women's Black, Tan, Vieux Rose and Myrtle, Lisle Thread and Cashmere Hose, assorted prices.
Women's Coloured Striped Cashmere Hose in the very newest styles.

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TO-DAY WE BEGIN THE ABS Merchandise. Our Clearance Sale life. In this August Clearance Sale are determined to close out Summer goods by no means over, our heavy Fall no summer goods left, as we need the Clearance Sale.

Ladies' White Cotton and Jersey Summer Vests, sleeveless, and wing sleeves. Worth 30c. Closing out at 12c.
Ladies' White Cambric Camisoles, trimmed, some with puff sleeves. Worth 55c. Closing out at 32c.
Ladies' Tan Summer Hose, plain and fancy; 25c. goods for 15c.
Ladies' D. & A. Directoire Corsets, latest style. White, with four corners attached. ed. \$1.40 Corset for \$1.00
Ladies' White Muslin Aprons, neatly made with embroidery and insertion, with- out bibs. Worth 20c. Closing out at 19c.

THE BIG WEST END STORE.

EXTRA SPECIAL.

Baby Carriages, latest American styles, in assorted colors, very close high. Regular values from \$12.00 to \$40.00. Closing out at from \$8.00 to \$22.50

Harbor Grace Notes.

Quite a number of trawlers and other pleasure seekers left by this morning's train for different points along the line to spend the weekly holiday. In the country.
It is said the new boat built by Mr. S. Tetford for the C. B. L. A. W. is likely to be named the Shamrock. Mr. Tetford may be a keen competitor to the other boats in the forthcoming contests.
At last night's meeting of the Yacht Committee it was finally decided to hold the races on Wednesday, Aug. 23rd. This will be the day of the Shamrock excursion from St. John's to Carbonear. A good opportunity for city folk to drop off here and taken in our Harbor Grace races.
W. J. James, Esq., manager of the flourishing concern which is doing much to build up this town, the G. B. and S. Factory, arrived from Boston by Saturday's train after a business trip to that city.
Among the many excursionists who arrived from Bell Island this morning was Miss Madge Oke, C. of E. member. The school to

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Ex "Florizel" Thursday: Can. POTATOES, Can. CABBAGE, NEW APPLES.

C. P. EAGAN.