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SATURDAY, April 29, 1911.

### Our Plea Endorsed by the News.

We thank the Daily News for its endorsement of our plea that the Board of Works should pay immediate attention to the roads connecting the city with the neighbouring settlements. Here is what the News says: "The Department of Public Works has a very obvious duty to perform, and the sooner it does it, the better for the public and all concerned. The Telegram's plea, for the clearing of the main roads, in the districts of St. John's East and West, is a reasonable one. No one asks that every lane be cleaned at the cost of the Government; but the highways, the mainlines, are the peculiar province of the Board of Works. Delay may result in an apparent saving, the kindly rays of Old Sol doing the work of the labourers, but the inconvenience to pedestrians and horses, is great; whilst the loss to farmers, directly and indirectly, is considerable. Just as the Council will act wisely, if it acts without delay; so will the Department of Public Works act with wisdom, if it starts now to make passable for wheels the mainlines leading to the extrem parts of the district. We don't ask for macadamized roadbeds, freed from adjacent banks of icy snow, but we do ask for a track from city to settlement, freed entirely from the winter's accumulations, and sufficiently wide to enable carts and carriages to meet and pass. The rest of the work will be well done in due course by the genial rays of May sunshine."

A good example of the timely cutting through the snow was that made by the Council men on Thursday morning on the Cove Road. This cutting with the aid of hot sunshine and soft winds has made a fairly passable road for carts and carriages at a place on the road that was almost impassable for slide and wholly impassable for carts.

### Examinations as Tests.

"A competitive examination," Mr. Hamar Greenwood, M. P., told the Commons recently, "is no more a test of the capacity of a man to lead in the field than it is a test of the capacity of a man to lead in the House of Commons," and he raised a laugh by adding: "Most of the distinguished members of our Universities still remain, and I hope will always remain, on the back benches of this House."

**NURSES' HOME.**—Messrs. M. & F. Kennedy started work on the Nurses' Home to-day. In a few days they will put on about 50 men and will push the job to completion as quickly as possible.

### Certainly!

You can expect strength from proper food.

Try

**Grape-Nuts**

"There's a Reason"

## Uncle Walt THE POET PHILOSOPHER.

The winter must leave us, it's now on the wing, so let's shoot the poet who warbles of spring! For bards cannot write of the leaf and the tree, without ringing in both the bees and the breeze, they're SPRING always referring to sweet woodland nooks in order to work IN COMING in some rot about brooks. They mangle their metre with sickening thuds, to give us some dope about blossoms and buds, they bring in the robly and bluebird and finch, the gaudy woodpecker—that's always a cliché. Let's shoot up the poets as soon as they sing, and thus do away with the terrors of spring! Too long have they bored us with murmuring strains, with stars and with moons and their second rate beams; too long have they chanted of roses and Junos to people who struggle for bacon and prunes; too long have they warbled of bees and of ants for men who have patches all over their pants. If poets must sing let them cut out the brooks, the meadows, the zephyrs, the picturesque nooks, and sing a few lines about onions and peas, and cabbage and turnips and doodads like these; then broken backed tollers in garden and yard will list and not throw any bricks at the bard.

### How He Was Drowned

The poor fellow Hay, steward of the Gaspe, was drowned on the 11th January at 4 in the morning. The ship was then in the Gulf stream, when the man was noticed to be acting in a queer way and speaking incoherently. He spoke to Capt. Scanlan, the mate, and seemed to be laboring under hallucinations. Going aft he met seaman Baily and said, "Good-bye, Baily; I'm going." He then jumped on the port rail and before a hand could be raised to prevent him, he dropped into the sea. A rope and life belt was thrown him, but he made no attempt to grasp them and sank quickly.

### A Nasty Accident.

This forenoon a horse which was left out grazing along the Battery Rd., in running along that thoroughfare ran over a little boy named Samuel Cahill, aged 5 years, and hurt him severely. The hoof of the beast hit him in the leg tearing the flesh terribly and severing an artery. Mrs. Tillyer picked the injured child up and brought him bleeding profusely to his home. A doctor was telephoned for but could not be procured, and the child lost much blood. His father procured the ambulance and the child was taken to hospital.

### Coastal Boats.

**REID'S BOATS.**  
The Argyle left Placentia at 6.10 p.m. yesterday on the Merasheen route.  
The Ethie arrived at Hermitage Cove at 7.35 p.m. yesterday going east. The Glencoe is due at Lousburg this morning.  
The Home left St. John's at 5.40 p.m. yesterday to relieve the Ethie on the south coast route.  
**BOWRING'S BOATS.**  
The Portia left St. Mary's at 5 a.m. to-day.  
The Prospero starts the northern service at 10 a.m. Wednesday.

### Train Notes.

The 8.45 train this morning took out Rt. Rev. Monsignor Veitch, Rev. W. P. Finn, Rev. J. J. St. John, Messrs. Jerrett, Sinnott, Crosbie, Lamb, Duff, Joy and 50 others.  
The west bound express left South Branch at 6.55 a.m. to-day.  
The incoming express left Port aux Basques at 8 a.m. yesterday and is due at St. John's at 9 p.m.  
The local arrived from Carbonear at 12.40 p.m. to-day bringing Messrs. F. McNamara, Thos. Harris, Burke, Cooper, E. Parsons.

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### PERCIE JOHNSON

Here and There.

**THE HUMBER CLEAR.**—Curling to-day reports the Humber River clear of ice.

**TOPSAIL ROAD.**—Topsail Road is at present in an almost impassable condition on account of snow, ice and gullies.

**CABLE BROKEN.**—The cable at Bay Roberts is broken. The S. S. Minnia is on the way here to repair it. Their cable men came to town by to-day's train.

Mr. Jno. F. Ryan, the popular agent for Sherwin Williams Paints, arrived here from Halifax, a couple of days ago on a business visit.

Mr. J. W. Kinsella is now able to go to work in the Post Office again.

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