

Evening Telegram

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TUESDAY, April 29, 1919.

for their purpose the same be relegated to a position far situation cannot be met by a the nations. few men gathering together at a talkfest and propounding theories which never get beyond the report in the newspapers. The crux of the whole matter is that no concerted action has been, so far, taken by our large of last evening. Some men with that the worker should interest himpurchasers and shippers of New- horses and rollers are to-day rolling self in the move. The co-operation has been deemed good enough pearance, arising with a gentle slope was needed, and that money could be for export, and the man who from east to west of a half mile or so saved by a proper system of housing. makes bad fish is put upon the in length. Mr. Reid thinks it would same basis of payment as he who turns out a No. 1 article of cure. Ill-advised competition ing over 33,000 fb. and moved by an men who came here and built houses has killed the proper cure of engine of 1600 horse power which was case on Labrador, were cargoes shipment is expected to leave Liver-pool to-morrow for here via St. John's have been hurriedly loaded and or possibly direct.—Hr. Grace sent to market without proper | Standard. supervision or care taken to see that the quality is in fit condition to ship. The rush to get away the first shipments and be the first in the European market has, in the past, been responsible for the inferior car- ing care for a few hours are recomgoes leaving our shores, cargoes which upon arrival across had been found absolutely unfit for food and ordered destroy- Rooms. Duckworth Street, to-morrow ed by port authorities. The race evening. There will be a Sale of to be first has been the means of causing the falling off in the cure of Newfoundland fish, and Card Party and Dance and as every the unfair practice of paying the price for the poorly made equally with the prime cured,

Competition from other fish producing countries has been entered into against Newfoundland in the overseas markets; and we are faced with a condition of things, which might Mary, Mr. C. Dahl, desires us to say tle forethought been used. Our while a slight injury to the Mary's adjournment was taken until four indiscretions and carelessness in paired, the latter boat was not towed curing our produce have to port but came in under her own brought us face to lace with the steam.

"picture" fish, has been the

chief sin of the trade, and that

sin has had its aftermath.

realisation that a quick change of method is immediately necessary. The present is no time to bewail our sins of omission in the past, and appeal to science to help us out. Dependent on the sun as we are for the cure of our fish, it is obvious that more care only is required to turn out the superior quality for which Newfoundland was held famous. But unless that care is recognized by the buyers, and the makers of ill-conditioned fish penalised in price, there will not be any visible improvement all round, and our foreign competitors will, with their superior cure, have an advantage over us which we will never sur-

The fish merchants must cooperate with each other and the Government to institute a standard of cure, which shall be observed and carried out, prices to be graded accordingly. Stand-THE CURE OF FISH. ard inspection must also be provided in order that the quality All the meetings and consul- of the fish exported will be betations that have been held in yond criticism. All our experi-St. John's during past years to ence has apparently gone for discuss methods for an improv- naught, as instead of improving ed cure of codfish have failed of our produce we are falling beaccomplishment, and the reason hind, so much so, that unless a is not far to seek. All the meet-decided change takes place both ferred on the suggestion of Hon. Mr. ings and deliberations that may in the quality and cure of our take place in the future having foreign fish shipments we shall worthy object are likewise fore- below that due to our import-

Preparing for Flight.

The work of fencing, clearing and grading the aeroplane ground at the be hard to find anywhere a more ideal

The Handley-Page machine, weighfish, and particularly is this the reported last week packed ready for

All persons wishing to forget carkmended to attend the combination function, under the auspices of the Ladies Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Society, which will be held in the Club Work, during which afternoon Teas will be served. The really pleasant hour will however be spent at the preparation has been made to make this combination the most enjoyable and a record breaker, those who avail of the opportunity to attend will not regret their decision.

Steamed to Port.

With reference to the item in yes- passed. terday's Telegram stating that the s.s. Mary was towed in by the s.s. Euphrates, the chief engineer of the

CAPT. J. H. CAMPBELL, A.D.C.

A Word of Farewell.

A Soldier? Yea, a soldier, one who fought In freedom's quarrel, 'gainst the sullen might Of Hunland battling against God and right: A Songster? One whose voice has often brought Tears to the eyes, or glory to the thought, Or happy looks, or tender memories bright, By its clear notes; a genial Friend? At sight Of him, smiles come to many lips unsought.

Yea, more than these: this Isle of Avalon Sees him depart with sorrows, for his fame Amongst us is-that he, in sympathy With those in need, and truest charity, Spent his best talents for their help alone: And fatherless and orphans bless his name. ROBERT GEAR MACDONALD.

S. U. F. Grand Lodge.

The annual session of the Grand

Lodge of the Society of United Fisher-

men opened at Burin on the 17th

April at 8 p.m. The Worthy Grand

Master and Brethren received a cor-

dial welcome from Burin Lodge, No.

13, the brethren of that Lodge as-

sembling in good numbers for that

purpose. The general public of Burin

also made the visitors welcome and

did all possible for their comfort

and convenience during their stay.

Several lodges were represented at

the session and much useful legisla-

tion was adopted for the benefit of the

order. The fisheries were discussed

at length and a delegation of practi-

cal men was appointed to wait on

the Government relative to "Standard

Cull and Inspection of Codfish" and

other matters. The Society has made

good progress during the year, show-

ing a net increase of 141 members, 2

new Lodges have been instituted, one

at Rock Hr., Burin, and the other at

invitation from Burin Lodge, No. 13.

vice on Wednesday, 23rd inst., St.

received the Society at the church

and gave an excellent address on the

principles of the Order. The follow-

ing officers were duly elected and in-

Grand Chaplain, Bro. J. G. Hodder.

Grand Chief Officer, Bro. Jas. Ren-

Grand Second Officer. Bro. George

Grand Purser, Bro. Wm. Mugford.

Pass the Charter.

News I saw a reference in its editori-

al "That it isn't likely the Govern-

ment will recognize, and make law

The Charter of the Municipal Coun-

cil, framed three years ago, this ses

sion." This cannot be true, as the

Government pledged their word last

November to that body that they

would pass the measure at their next

sitting, and the public of St. John's

are watching that this promise be ad-

have been attended to, and passed

immediately on its representation.

'Tis a measure which will benefit the

the public of the city are wise and

take into consideration all that that

"Charter" means for them in days to

come, and for their children who are

c come after them, they will demand,

through the public "press" and by

tend to this matter during the present

sitting and carry out faithfully their

pledged promise to men who are

ing this city and its environments all

themselves and the inhabitants ex-

pect and look for it to be. Hoping

other citizens will take up this mat-

ter in time and press its adoption,

and believing that the Government

will pass this Charter before retiring

Yours truly,

From Cape Race.

Nothing in sight. Bar. 29.80; Ther.

When you want Sausages, hy—get ELLIS'; they're the

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPH-

CAPE RACE, To-day.

'twill benefit. I remain,

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other means, that the Government at-

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stalled for the ensuing year:

Bartlett.

Grand Look

Cheeseman.

Worthy Grand Master, Bro.

Legislative Council.

The Council met at 4 o'clock yes

Act was again deferred.

The committee stage of the Compensation to Workmen Bill for injuries suffered, was taken up, but de-

The Tenantcy Bill was read a second time, and Hon. Mr. Anderson, the introducer, explained that the Bill was not for the purpose of affecting doomed to failure, because the ance as the purveyor of fish to prespective builders or the owners of houses in course of erection but was for the protection of those living in houses now and unable to get any other tenement. The operation of the Bill would be for 3 years or until the housing problem was solved.

> East End of town has been completed, countries and said the Government and the men engaged in the work put should come forward and help, but Anything the ground. It presents a fine ap- of the Government and City Council Hon. Mr. Goodridge admitted that the housing problem was acute but thought the city labourers could protect themselves without a public for themselves

> > Hon. Mr. Harvey denied that he on previous occasion had said the bill was "far fetched." He considered, however, that if passed it should not continue in force longer than one year. It should not be forgotten that all commodities had gone up and consequently house rent. In St. John's Ladies' Auxiliary, many widows owned houses and were unable to make repairs, unless they not represent the rent paid, it was the actual value of the money that count-

> > > Mr. Harvey also stated that no restrictions should be placed on contractors for carrying of freight as it might hit the outport carrier; and he also referred to the neglect of the Government in not putting signal stations on the Southern Shore as suggested by the Florizel disaster

Hon. Mr. Ellis in reply said the Government was awaiting the approval of the Marconi system of announcing from buoyed places dangers to approaching ships.

Hon. Mr. McNamara referred to the hardship entailed on the widow and others who rented houses if the Bill as introduced by Mr. Anderson was

The bill was read a second time without opposition, and goes to committe next meeting

The other bills on the order paper have been anticipated had a lit- that though the Euphrates stood by were read a second time, and at 5.30 present and coming generation more than is seen on the surface. And if

Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Randell, of Cataregistered at the Crosbie. Mr. I. Levitz leaves by train to-

morrow for Placentia, to connect with S. S. Glencoe for the West Coast, handicapped and debarred from havon a business trip. Mr. Stephen Taylor of Bonne Bay,

s registered at the Crosbie. Mr. H. B. Thompson, Eye Specialist, leaves by to-night's train for the following towns, Hr. Grace, Brigus, Heart's Content and Avondale. He will spend a couple of days at each

R. N. R. Maurice Fitzgerald returned home by the S.S. Sagona after spending 4 years on active service. His many friends are delighted to see him back in the "pink" of condition.

OUTPORT HEALTH REPORT-Dr. McDonald, of Marystown, reports a few cases of smallpox at Baine Hr. Dr. Chisholm wired the Health Dept. yesterday that there was no infec tious disease at George's Brook, T.B. 40. Smallpox was previously reported

7 large factories with two and one half million of floor space are monu ents of Chevrolet success thr

ENTERED HOSPITAL-Mr. Aiden

Here and There.

O'Driscoll, of Bay Bulls, entered hospital yesterday for surgical treat-

INFECTIOUS DISEASES—One case of diphtheria and one case of smallpox were reported in the city yesterday. Both sufferers were removed to

STAR OF THE SEA ASSOCI-CIATION. — A Special Meeting of the Star of the Sea Association will be held on Tuesday night, at 7.30 o'clock. By order, WM. F. GRAHAM, Sec'y.

I. O. O. F. CELEBRATION. - The Odd Fellows are holding a tea, concert and dance at the C. C. C. Hall tonight. Many leading artists will perform and a most enjoyable time is assured. The C. C. C. band furnishes

You will be sorry if you miss seeing the amusing Sketch "That Blonde Person" given by the Young Ladies' Guild in the Presbyterian Hall on Tuesday, 29th inst., at 8.15. Tickets 50c.

GOOD SAILING.—Capt. Gushue, in the Little Stephano arrived from Lisbon vesterday with a cargo of salt. He made the run to port in 12 days, and was only 10 days from here to Gibraltar on the eastern voyage. The Little Stephano is owned by Capt. A.

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guests are at the Balsam:-Stewart Pike, Carbonear: W. S. Moore, Freshwater: F. Dawe, Bay Roberts: H. H. Blanchet, Toronto: Wm. Smith, Catalina; both these Lodges have ex- Cupids; S. S. Williams, Moncton, N.B.; cellent prospects before them. On J. F. Palfrey, Bay Roberts; S. D. Cook, Curling; C. Way, Hr. Breton; the Grand Lodge attended Divine Ser- Mrs. R. Dawe, Bay Roberts; Thos. A. Lench, Bonavista; Frank Pike, Car-George's Day. The Rev. A. T. Tulk bonear.

> The Sketch, "That Blonde Person," Plantation Melodies Quartette, Duets and Solos comprise the programme of the Young Ladies' Guild in the Presbyterian Hall to-night (Tuesday) at 8.15. Don't miss it. Admission 50c .- apr29,1i

EXPRESS PASSENGERS. - The following passengers are on the incoming express: Mrs. J. T. Hudson, Grand Quartermaster-Bro. William Miss A. Barron, Mrs. S. B. Fullerton. P. J. Greene, J. Heath, P. Morrissey, G. Heath, J. Farrell, P. Hughes, A. Grand Secretary, Bro. J. C. Phillips. Nicholas, J. Butler, Pte. J. Jackman. The Worthy Grand Master ap- A. J. McCarthy, J. Walsh, W. Young, Lieut, Max Jeffrey, Capt. E. Tulley, pointed Bro. George Langmead as his F. Renouf, A. J. Warren, J. Delaney, W. O'Brien, W. Donahue, R. W. Ritcey, M. G. Gillis, C. W. Sheehan, W. J. Wall, W. E. Thorpe, H. R. Harringir, A. Moulton, J. P. Hickey, P. J. Cleary, M. E. Blackman, Master S. White, Dear Sir,-In yesterday morning's H. Williams, G. H. Rennie, G. W. Mc-Manus, J. Denning, Miss Linton, G. Mills, Mrs. J. LeBlanc, T. Basha.

WEDNESDAY! WEDNESDAY!

WEDNESDAY! The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Society will hold their first Sale of Work in the Club Rooms, Smallwood Building. Duckworth St. (opp. Bell St.), hered to. 'Tis a measure that should on Wednesday afternoon, from 3.30 to 6 o'clock. We have the daintiest of Nightdresses and Underwear for ladies. Dresses, Rompers and Underwear for children. Our Fancy Work and Handkerchief Stalls will charm you. Afternoon Teas unsurpassed. At 8 p.m. the Card Party and Dance commences. You have heard of those combined Card Parties and Dances we get up occasionally, well this one is going to break all records. Come on along.-apr28,31

At 53 Gower St., on April 28th, a laughter to Mrs. and Chas. F. J.

MARRIED.

On April 21st, at St. Phillips, - by this session, and thereby gain the Rev. A. E. Legge, Mr. Garland goodwill of the thousands whom Steele, R.N.R., to Miss Delilah Tucker, daughter of Mr. Angelo Tucker. (Mr. and Mrs. Steele will reside in St John's.)

DIED.

At Cappahayden, on April 24th James Vincent, darling boy of Mary and James Murphy, aged 7 years and Wind east, fresh breeze, rainy. Suddenly, on April 28th, Elizabeth

> beloved wife of Michael Keels, leaving a husband, one son, one daughter and one sister, to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 18 Murphy's Square; frier's and relatives please attend.—R. P. (Sydney pa-

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