



Evening Telegram

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Non-Production and Unemployment.

The only solution of the problem of unemployment is to find employment for those out of work. That this is a bald way of putting it is incontrovertible, but that it is the only means is equally undeniable. Find employment and the problem ceases to become vexatious or difficult. It is wiped off the slate at once and gives no further trouble to the mental capacity of those concerned. It ceases to exist. But the main difficulty appears to be to discover the panacea. Those who formerly employed many hands about and around their premises say they can no longer find labor. There is nothing to be done. Shipping men complain that they cannot man their vessels, because there are no charters offering for them, consequently the men who once made up the big list of merchant sailors have also to be numbered with the unemployed. The steam sailing fleet has dwindled down to a flotilla of vessels, taking but a fraction of the complement which formerly went to crew the large fleet. The sailing vessel has disappeared altogether from this fishery, and the thousands formerly carried by the hemp and cordage craft have been obliged to seek other avenues of employment. The fisheries, Bank, Shore and Labrador have not been using so many men as in other years. The manufacturing industries have curtailed their working staffs, and the great interior plants engaged in paper making and lumbering have been compelled to reduce the number of their employees. All this tends to release an army of men from regular toil, who are thus thrown back upon themselves, and who while perfectly willing to set their hands to any form of manual labor, cannot secure work, because—that is the pity of it—there is not any. What has caused this great, this unprecedented slump in the labor market, where hitherto the demand was usually in excess of the supply?

Can the answer be that the labor situation as it exists to-day—not alone in Newfoundland, but everywhere—is international, and requires international solution, as declared by the General Secretary of the National (British) Union of Railwaymen. That may be in countries where conditions are vastly different from that which they are in Newfoundland, for we are rather inclined to the belief that unemployment in this country is rather more local than general. We have always managed to worry along, more or less successfully, without impugning outside assistance or requesting that others come in and solve our own problems for us. Newfoundland has yet to solicit charity, though others come to our shores almost daily looking for financial aid in carrying on philanthropic work abroad in which we do not participate beyond contributing our donations. Therefore we are still going to

worry along and adjust our own internal affairs without having recourse to extraneous aid, or requiring of international arbitrators that they settle our labor troubles. Much good would their superficial knowledge turn in to us, and an appeal to them might plunge us into deeper waters. The time is not yet ripe nor the hour opportune for this country to require outside interference. We have paddled our own canoe and still hope to paddle it safely through the tide rips and rapids of the present labor depression. Our natural resources are still undeveloped. The interior of the country is rich in minerals and forests, which only need to be exploited to prove their immediate value. The untouched internal wealth of our island remains yet in almost virgin soil. Now then is the time to turn it into coined gold, thus giving unlimited employment not only to the present but to future generations. Develop and Produce: these should be the watchwords of the hour.

Well Done, Newfoundland!

The Halifax Sports are over and we have good reason to feel proud of the team which represented us, for their success has exceeded our wildest expectations. To gain one first place, by four seconds and three-thirds against the best runners of the Maritime Provinces is indeed an enviable record. It shows that our athletes compare favourably with Canada's best, and with more practice and experience, they will be able ultimately to excel them all. The Amateur Athletic Association may be still in its infancy, but it has fully justified its organization, whilst at the same time, it has risen triumphant over the sneers and doubts of all who looked upon its Halifax venture as a wild goose chase. Not only will our successes at the Halifax sports encourage our athletes to greater efforts, but it will also serve to make the A.A.A. under whose colors our team competed, more widely recognized. Who knows but before long we shall be sending a team to represent us at the Olympic games? That day may not be so far distant, and when it does come it will be mainly due to the efforts of the A.A.A. which, whilst still in an embryonic stage, has served to make Newfoundland better known than anything since the armistice. It is sport that has incited into the British nation that love of fair play for which it is famed, and the Newfoundland A.A.A. is doing a great part towards its encouragement in Newfoundland.

Physical Culture Article.

In consequence of our contributor being out of town, there will be no Physical Development article in today's issue. We hope, however, to have it for Wednesday and Friday, and thereafter regularly without a hitch until the completion of the series.

Shoe Repair Store Burglarized.

The shoe repair store of Mr. McGrath, on Catherine Street, was burglarized on Friday night last and a number of pairs of boots stolen. The thief gained entrance to the premises by breaking a pane of glass and removing a bar from the window. This is the second time the store was entered within the past month, and the goods stolen mean a heavy loss to Mr. McGrath, who will have to make good to the owners.

Dissatisfaction Over Appointments.

There is said to be considerable friction over the recent changes in the Customs Department, and it is rumored that certain changes were made during the absence of the Minister of Finance and Customs without his knowledge or consent. In the matter of new appointments there seems to be some dissatisfaction also, and recently two were made and ex-Servicemen who applied were not considered. It is hoped that the Government will keep these latter in mind when filling positions on N.P.S. Lobbia, as we understand there has been a large number of applicants who should receive first consideration.

Good Fishing.

At Torbay and other nearby settlements hook and line have been doing exceedingly well during the past two weeks. But is much more plentiful than it was, and nearly all the fishermen are making good catches. One man brought in nine quintals recently. All the fish caught are of a fine size and quality.

Shore's Fisheries used by Physicians

Rally Sunday at Kirk.

Yesterday was a memorable day at St. Andrew's, a day of "rally." At both services large congregations were present. At the morning service the pastor gave a beautiful illustration of the Lord's keeping Sunday, contrasting the stand as taken by our Lord, with the doings of the present age, when man regards Sunday as a day of pleasures and personal pleasure. He laid stress on the fact that Sunday was given to humanity as "a day of rest," when help and peace should come from worship in God's House. Mrs. Chamberlain sang sweetly, "Oh Rest in The Lord." The Sunday school service was largely attended. The scholars were greeted by a visit from the Rev. Mr. Holden of the Congregational Church, and his address to the children was one with which every boy or girl present could not be other than impressed. In the young lives of the scholars what tends to make life worth while is the good impression made by their helpers in the Sunday School. The sermon at night was certainly a masterpiece. The Pastor, Rev. Mr. Power, took as his text "The Building of a Church on a Rock," illustrating what is required of a congregation to help in "winning a church," believing in the fundamental, being militant, interested in the problems of life and lastly in the individual. Space prevents further remarks on the services, but one and all present could not but feel that it was good to have had the opportunity of taking part in the services and listening to the Pastor's impressive words. Special praise is due the Choir for their help, and all encomiums are due Professor Mawer for his selection of anthems. Miss Mitchell sang to great advantage "There is a Green Hill," by Gounod.—COM.

The City's Health.

A case of diphtheria was reported to the Health authorities on Saturday, and also one of typhoid fever from Angel Beach. Both patients were removed to hospital. The city is at present in a good state, as far as infectious diseases are concerned, there being only 24 cases all told, 13 of diphtheria and 5 of typhoid.

McMurdo's Store News.

MONDAY, Sept. 26.
Hudnut's toilet goods have the reputation of being among the most "cheer" goods of their kind in America, and the establishment of a local agent in the person of Mr. Gerald Doyle is certain to result in the making of these goods better known and their more extensive sale in this territory. One of their outstanding specialties is Hudnut's Dentalux Tooth Paste, which years ago, had a certain vogue among a small but appreciative clientele in St. John's, but later dropped rather out of sight. A small stock of this dentifrice has again been placed with us, and we bespeak for it a trial on the part of the discriminating. Price 45 cents a tube.

Cheap Crockery Knowling's

Tea Sets, decorated, 21 pieces, \$4.50.
White Toilet Sets, 4 pieces, \$4.75, \$4.15.
White Chambers, \$1.15, \$1.30.
White Toilet Jugs, 20c, \$1.05, \$1.15.
Blue Bowls, 5 sizes, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c.
White Toilet Basins, \$1.25, \$1.35.

A SNAP

In Jelly Tumblers, half pint, with tin cover.
\$1.00 dozen.
Best White Cups and Saucers, 7c.
Fancy Milk Jugs—
1/2 pint 14c.
1/4 pint 18c.
1/2 pint 20c.
White Mugs, second, 25c.
White Mugs, best 30c.

A Bargain

Cups and Saucers, medium size, decorated, good and strong; clearing at 80c. each.
Dinner Plates, large white, 27c.
Dinner Plates, small white, 20c.
Tea Plates, large white 17c.

Brown Teapots, 45c.

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Cochrane Street Centennial Church.

The services at Cochrane St. Methodist Centennial Church were splendidly attended yesterday, quite a number of visiting friends being present. Rev. C. H. Johnson, B.D., occupied the pulpit at both the morning and evening worship. The Rev. gentleman has given during the last two Sundays, three short well thought out, practical and helpful sermons on the Benediction, which certainly must have given the members of his flock new and choice thoughts of the closing words of all the church services. The Benediction was taken up under three divisions: "The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ," "The Love of God," and "The Communion of the Holy Ghost." A well balanced choir rendered two anthems, one of which "God is a Spirit," was given unaccompanied. At the evening service special reference was made on the passing of Miss Bessie Taylor, who for very many years was a most faithful and devoted worker in every department of the Church's activities, especially as a Class Leader, Sunday School teacher, and choir. The pastor spoke most touchingly of his visits to the home and paid a loving tribute to the memory of this good woman, at the close of which while the congregation was in the attitude of prayer the choir rendered several verses of the following hymn:—
"Now the labourer's task is o'er;
Now the battle day is past;
Now upon the farther shore
Lands the voyager at last.
Father in Thy gracious keeping
Leave we now Thy servant sleeping."

Police Court.

(Before Judge Morris.)
Several drunks were discharged.
A drunk and disorderly whose language was not quite that which would be permissible in a drawing room, was fined \$3 or 7 days.
A prohibition case which had been postponed for the preparation of the defence, the Crown having previously concluded its case, was, at the request of Mr. W. J. Higgins, K.C., for the accused, further postponed until Wednesday.
Another prohibition case in which the defendant is a native of Holyrood, was postponed sine die.

Held on Remand.

A man was charged in the Police Court this morning with the larceny of a carriage rug, a pair of pants and three dishes. The accused, who is being defended by Mr. G. W. B. Ayre, was remanded until to-morrow, when Inspector General Hutchings will be prepared to proceed with the case. At present there are a large number of prisoners held on remand and the Supreme Court will have a busy time when the Fall Criminal Sessions open, as it is probable that several will be committed for trial.

Case Postponed.

A man was charged before Judge Morris this morning with obtaining money under false pretences. He secured endorsement of a note for \$350 on declaring that he was in business with his father. The Crown consented to have the case tried summarily and it was then temporarily postponed. Mr. W. J. Higgins represents the endorser of the note and Mr. Ayre is acting for the defence.

Along the Waterfront.

There is very little doing yet on the fish wharves, and so far but few schooners have arrived in port with cargoes. Hickman's appears to be about the most busy premises. Here there are four or five schooners discharging and several loading. The aux. French barque Omega hauled there to-day for that purpose. The Russell Zink has finished and will sail this evening or to-morrow morning. The schooner Optimist is loading and will be ready in a day or two. The Danish schooner N.E. Schmidt is at the firm Southside premises loading from several schooners. There is a little activity at Barra and several schooners are discharging. Three Western schooners are discharging at Barra premises, and others are due during the week. Last week was a busy one on these premises, most of the fish however coming in by pony and truck from nearby settlements. The price of Shore fish remains unchanged at 95 for No. 1, 85 for 2nd and 75 for 3rd. Labrador fish has declined 50 cents from the opening price and is now fetching \$4.50 per quintal.

Sable I. in Port.

S.S. Sable I. arrived in port at 11 a.m. from North Sydney, bringing a full freight and the following passengers: A. A. Chisholm, B. Nossworthy, W. D. Morton. The ship is expected to get away to-morrow, and is taking a considerable outward freight consisting mostly of partridge berries.

TO-NIGHT—C. C. C. Band Promenade Concert, Prince's Park, at 8.15. Hear the new waltzes "Mello Cells" and "Take It from Me." Admission 20c.
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Coastal Boats.

Government.
S.S. Prospero in port.
S.S. Portia left Lamaline this morning, coming this way.
Relds.
Argyle leaving Placentia to-day for west.
Clyde arrived at Lewisporte at 2.30 p.m. yesterday.
Glencoe left Placentia at 2 a.m. yesterday.
Home left Brig Bay at 2.40 p.m. on Friday.
Kyle at Port aux Basques.
Malakoff at Port Union yesterday.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Light variable wind, weather dull and hazy; S.S. Isanti passed West afternoon yesterday; S.S. Valemore West 11.40 a.m. to-day; the schooner Margie Wilson is also off the Cape bound in; Bar. 30.30; Ther. 48.

NOTE OF THANKS.—The husband and parents of the late Florence Hardy wish to express their sincere thanks to all kind friends who in any way assisted them during their recent bereavement, especially Mr. Mark Chipman, Mr. and Mrs. William Post, Mrs. William Chard, Miss Sparks, Miss Kester, Mr. and Mrs. William Barie, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Aday, Mr. and Mrs. John House, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Selby Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper, Miss Marion Gaudin, Mrs. Chas. Pendergast, Miss Winnie Lamb, Mrs. E. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. William, Mrs. Leonard Daley, Miss Daisy Hussey, Mrs. Alex. Cook, Mrs. Samuel Gortner, Mrs. Norman Zebary, Mr. and Mrs. James Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. Robert R.N.C. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Birch, Mrs. Patrick Hennessy, Mrs. James Garland, who sent wreaths and flowers to adorn the casket of their beloved one.—adv.

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On Sept. 24th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. O. Sillars.
On Saturday, Sept. 24th, a daughter to Constable John and Mrs. McHugh.

DIED.

On Sept. 24th, 1921, Mary Ellen King, aged 41 years, leaving to mourn a husband and 4 children. Funeral to-morrow, Tuesday, from her late residence, 43 Duckworth St. Halifax papers please copy.
At Everett, Mass., on September 17th, Kate Eketon (Kirk), beloved wife of J. T. Coffin, late of King's Cove, B.D., leaving a husband, four sons and one daughter to mourn their sad loss. The funeral took place at Woodlawn Cemetery, Everett.
Passed peacefully away, Sunday afternoon, John O'Reilly, son of the late John and Bridget O'Reilly, of Kilbride, and relict of the late Annie O'Reilly, aged 58 years. Left to mourn their sad loss are 5 sons, 7 daughters, and 4 sisters. Funeral from his late residence, 17 Fleming Street at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow, Tuesday. R.I.P.

IN FOND MEMORY of a loving husband and father, Martin R. Malone, who died Sept. 22nd, 1920. There will be an anniversary Requiem High Mass celebrated at St. Patrick's Church, Cambridge, Mass., for the repose of his soul.—R.I.P.
"Dearest father how we miss you, never shall thy memory fade; Happy thoughts shall ever linger Around the spot where thou art laid." Gone but not forgotten by his wife and family.

Notice!

Nfld. Government Coastal Mail Service.

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