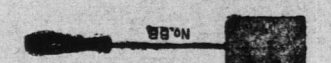


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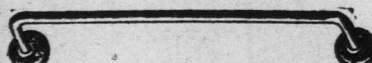
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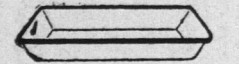
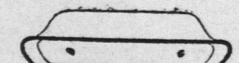
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**Washout on
Railway Line.**

The express which was to arrive in the city yesterday morning, as reported by us Saturday, was still further delayed, and did not reach town until 8.30 this morning. The second delay was caused by a washout which carried away the trestle bridge at Leech's Brook, about ten miles west of Grand Falls. The passengers, baggage and mails were transferred from the western to the east bound train, and vice versa. Temporary repairs were expected to be made by nine o'clock this morning. This will enable the express, which left Port aux Basques yesterday, to arrive here this evening.

Band Concert.

Yesterday the crew of the Manchester Commerce, now on the Dry Dock, held a concert on board and attracted a crowd of onlookers to the centre. The seamen who are as ingenious as they are jovial, afforded much fun and merriment to the small boy who would not miss the occasion for anything. The troupe of fun-makers formed themselves into a string band and with their imitation musical instruments, which included everything from a jawharp to a hose drum, rolled off a series of selections which seemed to amuse the audience very much.

Hr Grace Notes.

Miss Madge Oke, C. of E. Teacher at New Harbor, T. B. is spending her holidays here with her parents and other friends.

Mr. E. L. Oke of the Bank of Nova Scotia, St. John's, spent Christmas Day with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Oke, and returned to St. John's yesterday.

The Christmas season was very much saddened for our citizens by the sad death of the young workman on the railway on Christmas Eve. We take the opportunity of tendering our sympathy to the family in their bereavement.

Still another gentleman of St. John's, whose name we are requested to keep to ourselves, sent us an express parcel on Christmas Eve for distribution to our poor. These parcels were delivered by us personally, and we also took occasion to take our two little boys with us so as to endeavor to give them an object lesson on kindness to the poor. We are sorry to say that one gentleman in town, who seldom or ever gives anything but a harsh word to the poor, thought it was a pity to let the outside public know we had poor families here, and he also wondered what we were expecting for our interest in the matter. We would ease his small

soul by saying that we are expecting nothing in this world, and therefore we can't be disappointed. Whatever he may consider himself, we look upon that gentleman amongst the poorest in the town, and we would like to help him if we could, but he is too poor.

Work on the new public building is now being pushed ahead, and it will be opened in the street by and by. There is no doubt that the building will be a great benefit to our townspeople when completed.

A very enjoyable dance took place in St. Joseph's Hall last night. It was well patronized.

The members of the L. O. Association here held their annual church parade and attended Divine Service at Christ Church yesterday. Rev. H. McKay delivered a very suitable sermon on the occasion. After service the society continued its march down Water Street, the C.E.B. Society's hand playing suitable airs, and on to the hall by way of Harvey Street.

—COR.
Hr. Grace, Dec. 27, 1913.
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Cape Report.

Special to The Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind N. light, weather fine. The S. S. Lakona, passed west and the top-sail schooner Splaway, three-masted schooner Bessie A. Crooks, an unknown brig, an unknown three-masted schooner and several other schooners passed in yesterday; nothing today. Bar. 29.80; ther. 17.

Secure Your Tickets
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Tickets now on sale at Dicks & Co.—dec27,1f

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We have just received the following Vegetables:

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New Moon.

Days Past—362 To Come—2
GLADSTONE born 1809. The great Liberal Statesman of the latter part of the 19th century. He was elected to the House of Commons, as a Tory member when only 23. In 1852 he severed his connection with the Peel Party and on the death of Palmerston became leader of the House in 1859, being appointed Premier for the first time in 1868. In 1874 he was in temporary retirement for a short period, but stirred by the "Bulgarian Atrocities" he commenced a campaign of denunciation in which he carried the country with him being returned to power in 1880 with an overwhelming majority. He introduced "Home Rule" in 1886 and again in 1893, and in the second attempt succeeded in passing it through the House of Commons. Besides his fame as a Statesman, Gladstone has left behind him a great reputation as a writer, especially on Homeric studies and theological subjects.

THOMAS A. BECKETT murdered 1171. As Archbishop of Canterbury, he quarrelled with Henry II. over the question of the government of the clergy by the State, which led the King to express the wish that he could get rid of "this turbulent priest." Some Knights, taking the King at his word, rode into Canterbury and slew Becket in the Cathedral.

As every thread of gold is valuable, so is every minute of time.

—Mason.

The Pantomime Scores

Have you been to Rossley's? That's the cry heard on every side. To see the merry perform one can only marvel. The pantomimes and time given them for their work is no like the work of children new to the business. A prominent citizen asked Mrs. Rossley the night of the first show, how she got the tiny ones to understand what she meant them to do. She smiled one of her good natured smiles and said:

"Oh, I just go over and over again what I want them to do without taking any notice of them, only ask them to pay attention and watch. By and by I see the first little move, I just laugh and play with them until they lose their shyness and feel at home with me; then we get right down to business. The St. John's children are very quick to learn and my little ballet dancers are good enough to appear in New York. They are all beautiful, and I have taught them to be graceful, something they will never forget."

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W. F. LLOYD, Editor

MONDAY, December 29, 1913.

New Year's Eve

Wednesday next being New Year's Eve, The Evening Telegram will go to press at 11 o'clock a.m. Will our advertising patrons kindly remember this and send their copy to this office Tuesday afternoon or as early as possible Wednesday morning?

Municipal Matters.

As will be seen by the letter of Mr. Gosling, President of the Board of Trade, an invitation is being extended to all citizens who are desirous of assisting in the formation of a Citizens' Committee for Civic Improvements, to meet in the Board of Trade Rooms at eight o'clock to-night. The object of the meeting is by no means hostile to the powers that be. On the contrary, it is a movement to line up all who are desirous of seeing improvements in the city. As we have already pointed out, no one is better fitted by experience and knowledge to assist such a movement than those who have been through a term or more on the Municipal Board. They know from actual experience the problems they have been up against, and they are best fitted to tell what to their mind is a good way of solving such problems and surmounting them.

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er difficulties they have come across. The Mayor himself, Mr. Ellis, attended the preliminary meeting last week and gave his experience of the problems he considered most pressing, and the means of solving them. He pointed out that what is needed is money. He advocated a loan of half a million dollars in order that certain improvements could be carried out on capital account. In the past city loans have been obtained from the Government. The Council has no power to raise loans without the sanction of the Legislature, and so far as we know no such sanction has been given. The course pursued in the past in regard to loans, will probably be the best for the immediate future. Colonial cities cannot raise money as easily or as cheaply as Colonial Governments, and at the present time it is difficult for Colonial Governments to raise money, and they cannot do it as cheaply as they have done in the past. If the city can get half a million dollars at an annual charge of \$25,000, through the Government, it will do well, and we have no doubt that the improvements such as outlined by Mayor Ellis, would be well worth an annual charge of \$25,000. The suggestion of the Mayor that the improvements shall be undertaken on capital account, is in accord with the custom that has prevailed here in the past, and it is also in accord with the English custom. For instance, we find that in the year 1909-10 that about \$45,000,000 was raised in the United Kingdom by loan to be spent by the different Local Government authorities. There can be no doubt that the chief handicap of the Municipal authorities in the past has been lack of means to make necessary civic improvements. People now-a-days are calling for healthier surroundings, better public facilities generally, and they have to pay for them. Much of the revenue for local government purposes is raised by direct taxation of rent values. This taxation is known as rates. The Daily Mail Year Book for 1913, shows how civic improvements are raising the rates. We quote a paragraph:

"To show the increase of rates, it may be mentioned that the amount received in 1901-2 was \$246,438,764, as contrasted with \$263,280,940 in 1909-10. This marked an increase of \$16,842,175 over the previous year 1908-1909. The borough councils were responsible for \$554,651 of this increase."

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A brilliant part of half a Federal Police weeks of perusal watched trailing end yesterday a fitting scheme framed up by a turn, before a American bank been found in the be placed in the engraved, and the named the manu- dually perfect surrounded in a Juliette P. Q. by Parkinson of the of Provincial Det kill, and four or under orders from Every piece of ved in the photo printing, etc. sized, in fact, state that never such a complete American money

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