

Here and There.

The Susu is due at Placentia from St. Pierre.

The Fogota left Fogo at 8 a.m. today and arrived at Trillingate this afternoon.

LARGE ENGLISH MAIL.—The English mail that came by the Venango to-day is the largest for the whole year.

BITTEY BY A DOG.—A young man named Andrews was bitten by a dog in the Rank of Nova Scotia yesterday. He was obliged to get the services of a doctor.

EXPLOITS FROZEN OVER.—Lewisporte and the river up to Botwoodville are now frozen over solid enough to bear a horse. Only powerful steamers can cut in there.

HORSE TREADS ON FOOT.—John Williams, who runs Vadden's delivery wagon, was made lame this morning by the horse treading on his foot on LeMarchant Road.

DOING WELL.—Mr. T. W. Spry, formerly of this city, is now doing well at real estate and stock exchange business at Troy, New York. He wishes to be remembered to all his friends.

WOOL FACTORY PRODUCT.—The first goods made at the new Woollen Factory was exhibited at several stores on Water Street yesterday by the manager. It is said to be of excellent quality.

Mr. Joseph Murphy and the other Syrians residing at Bell Island have presented Rev. Fr. McGrath with a bell for the church. It was imported from New York and taken over to-day in the S. S. Mary.

LOST BAR OF COPPER.—A bar of copper, six feet long, valued at \$20, that was being hauled from the R. N. Co. station to G. M. Barr's, on Tuesday, was lost from the slide. The finder will get a reward by returning it to Mr. Barr's office.

A patient named Carrigan is coming by the Portia to go in Hospital. A female patient is coming by the Prospero from Catalina.

Ambrose Halleran is coming in by to-night's train.

Herb Driscoll, who has liver complaint, is expected in from Conception Harbor.

Mr. Wm. Ledrew, son of Mr. John Ledrew, left a few days ago for the United States and will remain there for some time. He will enter a large motor factory to study the business. His father has been appointed agent for the firm in which the son works for Conception Bay.

A very enjoyable sociable was held at the Goules in the school house, last night, in order to raise funds for the church. Besides the visitors from Kildare there were twenty from town. Miss Ruby and the Misses Chafe deserve great credit for the success of the affair. Refreshments were served and dancing was kept up till a late hour.

At the Concert on next Sunday afternoon (Dec. 31) in the T. A. Hall, at 8 p.m., the following will appear on the programme: Misses M. Keegan, G. Strang, A. Butler, J. Strang, M. Doyle and R. Storry; Messrs. M. McCarthy, F. Ruzles, P. J. McCarthy and A. News; also the members of St. Patrick's Choir. Tickets on sale at the Atlantic Bookstore. Prices 50, 40, 30, 20 cents.—Dec 28, 31.

DIED.

On Dec. 28, at Rockley Farm, Lox Bay Road, Charlottetown, aged 8 years, darling daughter of Henry R. and Jessie Cook; funeral on Saturday, at 10.45 a.m.

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Wishes his Friends and Patrons
A Happy and Prosperous New Year.
Studio open on New Year's Day, from 8.30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
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JAS. STOTT

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Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram: TRENTON, Ohio, Dec. 28. The village of Frankfort was almost wiped out by fire last night.

Special Evening Telegram: HALIFAX, Dec. 28. Morgan Hann, of Port aux Basques, Breman, is reported lost with the steamer Renwick.

Special Evening Telegram: LONDON, Dec. 28.

A telegram from Tien Tsin to the Exchange Telegram Company says that the Imperial family has decided to leave Peking.

Special Evening Telegram: BERLIN, Dec. 28. The Imperial Post Office announces the establishment of a deferred cable service at half rates, to become effective on January 1st.

Special to Evening Telegram: NEW YORK, Dec. 28.

A despatch from Calcutta to-day says that news from King George's shooting camp in Nepal states that His Majesty shot 30 tigers and 13 rhinoceros.

Special to Evening Telegram: PEKING, Dec. 28.

The Throne has agreed to Premier.

CHEAP Turkeys
For New Year.
To clear our stock of Poultry we offer about
50 Choice Turkeys,
20c. lb.
All Drawn and in Excellent Prime Condition.
C. P. EAGAN,
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Sidewalk Sketches.

By H. L. RANN.

THE CARTOONIST.



The cartoonist is a moulder of public opinion who sticks on the front page whence all but him have fled. The only thing that can drive a cartoonist away from top of column next to reading matter is a war scare or an attack of writer's cramp. In order to become a successful cartoonist one needs a daily thought and the muscular development of the village blacksmith. In some cases the thought is furnished by the managing editor, who usually can't tell a zinc etching from a crayon portrait of Brother Henry in a new hair cut, and this accounts for some very depressing displays of the pictorial art. All of our leading cartoonists carry a card in the Sign Painters' Union, and a few of them are slowly backing into it. There is a great demand for durable cartoonists who can make a United States Senator look like a blubulous barkeeper without subjecting the paper to a suit for libel, but these are harder to find than the humorous page in the Popular Science Monthly. Whenever a cartoonist runs out of thought, he falls back on the Wall Street interests and the beef trust, which are generally portrayed in a silk tie and a full dress suit, busily engaged in assaulting the ultimate consumer. Some cartoonists earn a large salary and avoid the surface cars, while others have to double in the press room and read proof. The supply of cartoonists who are not obliged to furnish a libretto containing both words and music with their cartoons is not equal to the demand, and there are several promising vacancies for young artists who have a sense of humor which is visible to the naked eye.

The Florizel Here

The S. S. Florizel, Capt. Smith, arrived in port at 2 a.m. to-day making the run from Halifax in 47 hours. She made a good run from New York to Halifax, but coming here she had rough weather and encountered a heavy S. E. gale with high sea yesterday. The ship brought a full cargo and had the following passengers in saloon: Messrs. R. G. Ash, G. Ruby, J. Murphy and J. Goss and several in steerage.

Christmas Donations

For Methodist Orphanage, Xmas, 1911. The Deacons of the Methodist Orphanage desire to thank the many kind donors who helped to make Christmas brighter for their girls:— The following is a list of the gifts received:— Steer Bros., 60 yards gingham; Jean and Joyce Currie, 3 doz. chocolate blocks; Geo. Neal, 1 case oranges; Capt. Saunders, \$5. 1 box chocolates; Ayre & Sons, 1 pall candy; W. D. Reid, Esq., 8 turkeys; Bishop & Sons, 2 geese; Misses Main and Jost, Halifax, 2 barrels apples; Mrs. Herder, 1 barrel apples; Browning & Co., 2 bags biscuit; Mr. F. Connors, beef; Mr. J. B. Foote, 2 boxes biscuit; Anonymous, 1 barrel apples, 1 case oranges; C. P. Eagan, 1 barrel apples; Mr. A. Gobbie, 1 box biscuits; Mr. J. J. Mullaly, 1 box biscuits; Capt. Diamond, 1 goose; Miss Jessie Diamond, \$5.66, 40 needle books, Xmas decorations; Standard Mfg. Co., 1 box soap; Mr. J. Morey, \$5.00; S. G. Collier, 1 quarter beef, 1 box biscuits; Browning Bros., 1 pall candy; J. E. P. Peters, 14 pairs children's underwear; Mayor Ellis, 1 barrel apples; Mrs. Chesley Ayre, 4 boxes Xmas crackers, 2 tins tongue; Anonymous, per J. E. P. Peters, 1 barrel grapes, 1 case oranges, 1 box chocolates; Mr. R. Cross, candy; Hon. J. D. Ryan, 1 box biscuits; Sir E. P. Morris, 1 barrel apples; Mr. J. Leamon, 1 barrel apples; Mr. A. Soper, 6 pairs children's underwear; F. B. Wood Co., 1 box confectionary, 10 dozen bottles lemonade; J. R. Bennett, 1 barrel apples; Mrs. N. Lidstone, 3 dozen oranges; Marjorie Smith, candy; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pratt, 1 bottle candy; Dr. Macpherson, candy; Presbyterian Church, per Mr. A. Robinson, fruit, toys, books, cake; Mr. T. Soper, 1 barrel apples; Mrs. C. P. Ayre, 1 barrel apples; Messrs. J. and F. Moore, \$10; Cochrane St. Girls' Club, per Miss Board, toys, candies; W. M. S. Lowville, Ont., underclothing; M. and E. Kennedy, \$5.00.

I was cured of Rheumatic Gout by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Halifax. ANDREW KING. I was cured of Acute Bronchitis by MINARD'S LINIMENT. LT.-COL. C. CREWE READ. Sussex. I was cured of Acute Rheumatism by MINARD'S LINIMENT. Markham, Ont. C. S. BILLING. Lakeside, Que., Oct. 9, 1907.

New Year's Night

Theatre goes will be pleased to learn that Mr. T. M. White's Dramatic Co. will on the above-named night stage that beautiful Southern drama in 4 acts, "A Woman's Honor" or "The Gipsy Waif," at the T. A. Hall. The play is of a high order, replete with startling incidents, balanced by a strong comedy vein, which will be done justice to by Mr. T. J. Rolla and our old friend, Frank Walsh, who will also favor the audience with some of his clever step dances. The leads are in the hands of Messrs. T. M. White, J. O'Grady, G. White, J. Prowse, L. Murphy; the Misses Carroll and Murphy. There is no doubt of a packed house greeting the company.

The lad to whom we referred yesterday, and who was arrested for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, is Thomas Peddie, of the West End. He is a minor, and last night the police questioned some of his friends as to where the lad got the liquor. The police received the necessary information and it is likely that the party who gave the lad the liquor will be summoned.

Seasonable Groceries.

Geese, Turkeys, Chicken, Ducks, Hares, Rabbits, N. Y. Sausages, Halifax Sausages,	New Crackers. DAINTY ISHES for DAILY DINERS.	Table Apples, Oranges, Pears, Bananas, Pineapples, Grapes, Celery, Nuts.
FISH—Kippers, Bloaters, Smelts, Smoked Salmon, Turbot.	New Stock of HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS.	Dates, Figs, Table Raisins, Reputation Chocolates.
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It is meeting with great favour, and it should, for it is certainly a beauty.

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