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Evening Telegram
W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
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SATURDAY, August 9, 1913.

Notes and Comments.

The States have a delicate situation to handle in Mexico, particularly as the Government there resent any interference. It will be strangely ironical if the first important act of Secretary Bryan, who has vaunted his peace treaties with all the world, finds himself mixed up with an armed intervention in Mexico.

If the Government should attempt to make any more pensioners, the latter would be wise if they took time by the forelock, and refused to be caught napping. They should decline to be a party to any overtures made to them of a pension on condition of willingness to retire. Of a surety the policy of the Liberal party will be to refuse to pay all pensions, granted by the Morris Government, without a legislative vote for them. It is a perverse policy to increase the pension list irregularly in order to create vacancies for political hangers and give them fat salaries in return for party services.

The Hearst journals are not angry with Great Britain for refusing to take part in the Panama Exposition, they are sorry merely. John Bull's action is characterized as petty and parochial. He will not play in Uncle Sam's back-yard, because Uncle Sam will not let him have his own way about the tolls on coastwise freight through the canal. John Bull says the game is not worth the candle. No trade is to be got out of any window dressing at San Francisco, and consequently Hearst has also been giving a bit of his mind to the same effect. One of the biggest firms in England, with a wide world's experience in advertising and exhibiting, found it necessary to ask for the indulgence of its shareholders and to extenuate the doubtful

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This Date in History.

AUGUST 9.
First Quarter.
Days Past—220 To Come—144.
12AAK WALTON born 1593. English biographer and angler. He published "The Compleat Angler" in 1653.
DRYDEN born 1631. English poet who marks the establishment of the classical school in his poetry. His greatness in literary theory and appreciation has won for him the title of the "father of English criticism."
KING EDWARD VII. crowned 1902. It will be remembered that a serious illness postponed the coronation to this date.
GREENWICH ROYAL OBSERVATORY founded 1675, which every day sends the correct time to the principal towns in the United Kingdom.
NEWFOUNDLAND RAILWAY construction commenced 1881. It is these flowery meads would bet These crystal streams would solace me; To whose harmonious babbling noise I with my angle would rejoice. —Isaac Walton.

AUGUST 10.
First Quarter.
Days Past—221 To Come—143.
12th Sunday after Trinity.
St. Lawrence.
RT. HON. G. J. GOSCHEN born 1831. English statesman, prominent in Gladstone's Cabinet until the former brought in his Home Rule Bill. He was raised to the peerage in 1900, resigning his post as First Lord of the Admiralty.
SAMUEL ARNOLD born 1740. One time organist at Westminster Abbey; better known as the compiler of an excellent collection of music by English composers, entitled "Cathedral Music" (1790).
There is not a moment without some duty. —Cicero.

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.
President MEXICO CITY, Aug. 8. President Huerta's prestige among Mexicans has been strengthened by what is regarded as his defiance of the States. Even those who had been lukewarm in their support of his administration profess admiration for the solidity of the President who dared talk back to Washington. Although not all of them agree as to the wisdom of his course, many of them consider he acted right in view of the officially defined intentions of Washington. Just what course he will take in the event of John Lind, President Wilson's representative, continuing his trip to Mexico City is a matter of speculation. Keen interest is being evidenced as to what action Washington will take in face of the Huerta defiance. Speculation is being made as to whether Lind will be recalled or permitted to continue as far as he can and thus force an issue upon Huerta. Mexicans of the Conservative class believe Huerta will not drive Lind from the country, but be content with ignoring him, except perhaps subjecting him to surveillance in order to see that he does nothing possible of being construed as mixing in the politics of the country. Unless a radical change is effected in the sentiment of the palace, Lind will not be given an opportunity to talk with Huerta, even though he is permitted to remain in the capital, nor will he be any more successful in meeting any officials of the Government.

Prospero Back.
The s.s. Prospero, Capt. A. Keen, arrived from northern ports at seven o'clock this morning. Splendid weather was experienced going to and returning from Battle Harbor. She brought a small freight and these passengers in saloon: Messrs. J. H. Biles, Capt. Spracklin, J. Morgan, G. Barnes, G. Winger, H. Miller, H. Gosse, T. Humphries, G. B. Ther, Dr. Brehm, N. Snelgrove, Rev. Fenwick, H. J. Burnell, J. T. O'Neill; Mesdames Serrick, Boyles, Gosse, Keen, Fitzgerald, Labey, Bursay, Misses Penney, Wiseman, Snow, Spracklin, Thistle, Pike (2), Patton, Bursay, McNeil, Field, and 30 steerage.

Cape Report.

Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind west, light dense fog, motor boat A. J. Goodridge passed west at 9.15 a.m. Bar. 29.75; Ther 62.

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**Fancy Dinner Sets
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Beothic Solely to Blame.

Judgment of Chief Justice and Holding of Capt. MacLachlan, R.N., in Beothic-Bonaventure Collision Case.

This morning, the Chief Justice, Sir William Horwood, handed down the following judgment in the suit which arose out of the collision in the Narrows between the S. S. Beothic and the S. S. Bonaventure which occurred on the morning when the steamers left for the ice last spring.

THE JUDGMENT.
I hold that the Beothic was at fault in that being an overtaking ship she did not keep out of the way of the Bonaventure.
I have considered the question as to whether there was contributory negligence on the part of the Bonaventure and upon this question I have had the benefit of the services and assistance of Capt. MacLachlan, R.N., who has served as nautical assessor and who has advised that the Beothic was solely to blame.

The Governor's Guests

Visitors expected at Government House on or about August 9th:—
Mr. Eustace Hills and the Honourable Mrs. Hills and the Honourable Catherine Kay-Shuttleworth.
Mr. F. K. North and his son, (Mr. North is Chairman of Quarter Sessions for the County of Norfolk and Chancellor of the Diocese of Norfolk).
On August 23rd: Mr. Roland Wilkins, C. B., of the Treasury.

Proposed Tour by His Excellency the Governor and Mrs. Davidson.

Wed. Aug. 13.—Leave St. John's for Glenwood, 6 p.m.
Thurs. 14.—Arrive Glenwood 6 a.m. Fishing on the Gander River.
Friday, 15.—Fishing.
Sat. 16.—Fishing and to Grand Falls.
Sun. 17.—At Grand Falls.
Mon.—18.—Visit Bishop Falls.
Tues. 19.—To Grand Lake 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Wed. 20.—Fishing on Grand Lake.
Thurs. 21.—
Friday, 22.—
Sat. 23.—Humbermouth and Bay of Islands and to Harry's River.
Sun. 24.—At Harry's River.
Mon. 25.—At St. George's.
Tues. 26.—At Robinson's.
Wed. 27.—At South Branch.
Thurs. 28.—On Codroy and to Charley Board Point.
Friday, 29.—To Burgooy and to Pushtrough.
Sat. 30.—Bay De'Espoir and to Belleoram.
Sun. 31.—At Belleoram and up Fortune Bay and Grand Bank.
Mon. Sept. 1.—To St. Pierre.
Tues. 2.—At St. Pierre.
Wed. 3.—Leave St. Pierre for Burin.
Thurs. 4.—Along Placentia Bay.
Friday, 5.—Arrive at Placentia; by rail to St. John's, arriving at 9.15 p.m.
Sat. 6.—H.M.S. Cornwall arrives.

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Wedding Bells.

KENNEDY—COADY.
The Rev. J. J. Walker united in matrimony on Wednesday, at the residence of the bride's mother, Miss Madeline Coady and Mr. C. L. Kennedy. The bride was attired in a navy blue costume. Miss Mary Hanrahan was bridesmaid and wore a pretty dress of Saxe blue with hat to match. Mr. Henry Kennedy supported the groom. After the ceremony refreshments were served and the bride's health proposed by the Rev. J. J. Walker. The honeymoon is being spent at Avondale.
HEATH—MARTIN.
On Tuesday afternoon Miss Alice Heath was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mr. Harold Martin, by the Rev. J. Brinton at the Church of England Cathedral. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. Samuel Heath, M. M. C., and wore a charming costume of cream silk with bridal veil and a wreath of orange blossoms. Miss Bertha Martin and Miss Louise Herald were bridesmaids and Mr. Llewellyn Crane supported the groom. The health of the bride was drunk at a reception held in the home of the bride's parents and afterwards the happy couple left for Avondale to spend their honeymoon.

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