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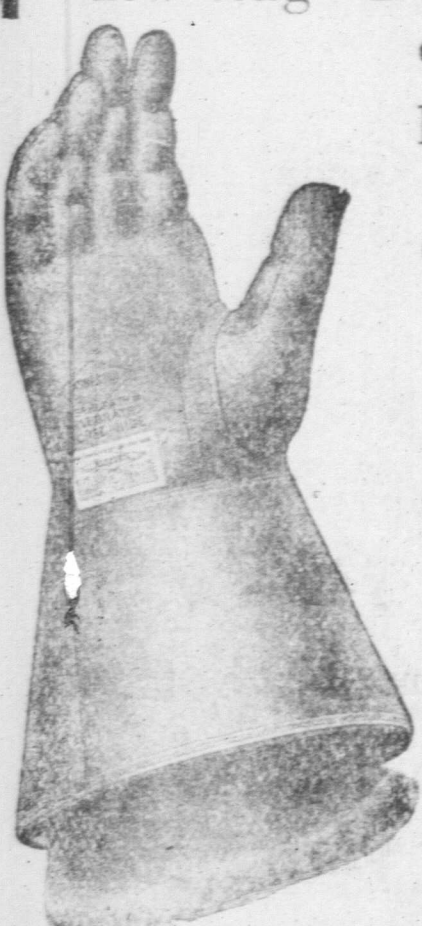
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## USELESS POLICY

(Editor The Daily Mail)

Dear Sir,—Will you kindly permit  
space in your columns for a few  
lines from this Council, in reference  
to a few words in the Daily News  
of February 21st. We read where  
the Prime Minister, in replying to  
Mr. Targett, the Hon. member for  
Trinity District, on agricultural  
societies, refers to letters sent from  
secretaries of agricultural societies  
in various parts of Trinity district,  
Port Rexton being one of the places  
mentioned. He says Port Rexton  
secretary states that the potato seeds  
sent down yielded from twelve to  
fifteen barrels to the barrel, and that  
cattle were considerably increased,  
and sheep and pigs were also con-  
siderably increased.

Now, Mr. Editor, this Council of  
the F.P.U. takes in the whole popu-  
lation of Port Rexton, except a very  
few, and we feel it our duty to con-  
tradict the statement sent from Port  
Rexton secretary of agricultural so-  
ciety. As for potato crops with the  
majority, this was a failure, as the  
frost cut them down in the early  
part of the season, so for that reason  
we had no chance to know what the  
seed were like. In a great many  
cases people didn't take out as much  
as was put in. Some of the seed sent  
here was of a very poor nature. There  
always has been plenty of potatoes  
in this place and a good quality with  
that. Its just about as bad at the  
present time as it has been in our  
remembrance.

As for cattle, we have nothing here  
but the same old race. The greater  
part of the sheep turned out to be  
rams; some perished, others fell over  
the cliffs and killed themselves, and  
the others left don't seem to know  
their duty.

There were two ponies sent here  
three years ago, and the both of  
them became meat for the worms. As  
for pigs, they are just about gone  
out of existence, as there are not  
two pigs here to the five there were  
formerly.

We are safe in saying the agricul-  
tural society haven't done any good  
in this place, for the public in gen-  
eral.

We congratulate the members of  
the Union party, and especially the  
Leader, W. F. Coaker, our esteemed  
President, for their ability shown in  
the House of Assembly.

This Council is still progressing  
and adding to its numbers, the young  
men all joining just as soon as their  
age permits.

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March 7, 1914. Port Rexton.

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## CONCERNING RANTS

(Editor The Daily Mail)

Dear Sir,—We the members of  
Pool's Island F.P.U. Local Council,  
wish to congratulate Mr. Coaker and  
his colleagues on the able manner  
they have conducted themselves at  
the House of Assembly, especially  
for the information of public expendi-  
ture in this locality. In the Marine  
Grants for Bonavista District from  
1909 to 1913, we notice some mistake  
or mis-print:

W. P. Rogerson, expenses . . \$ 11.85  
W. P. Rogerson, expenses . . 20.00  
Capt. W. Waigon, boat hire 10.00  
Wm. A. Mott . . . . . 10.39  
Wm. Wicks . . . . . 110.00

We know nothing of these men.  
Some people say that Rogerson was  
here to locate a place for the coastal  
wharf, but even so, the wharf is  
situated in Valleyfield. And then  
there is Wm. Wicks: we don't know  
of any man here so named.  
Then there are main line grants for  
1909:

Jesse and Wm Winsor, Pool's  
Island . . . . . \$ 209.20  
Capt. S. R. Winsor (1913) . . 300.00  
There is no main line on Pool's  
Island. The main line is at Bad-  
ger's Quay.

Then there is John Spurrell, or-  
dinary special (don't see) Pool's Island,  
\$80.00. We don't see why all this  
money should be entered Pool's Is-  
land, when it can't show a thing for  
it. We don't say this money is not  
spent, but not on Pool's Island sure.

Strangers would be led to believe  
that Pool's Island, for a small island  
like it, must be paved with stones.  
We don't wonder why its a job to get  
money now to repaid our public  
wharves, seeing that Pool's Island  
has had so much put against it.

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## PARADE AT BURYING PLACE.

(Editor The Daily Mail)

Dear Sir,—We held our first annual  
parade of the F.P.U. on Feb. 20th and  
it proved very successful, and as the  
day was bright and clear all the Union  
men gathered at Friend Kenneth  
Trowle's house and arranged the  
route.

We marched through the place with  
flags and mottoes, while many friends  
outside the Union ranks fired guns to  
cheer us along. Marching to a near-  
by place named Bobbie's Cove the peo-  
ple gave us a good welcome.

We then returned to the school  
house where cheers were given for the  
King and Royal Family, our President  
W. F. Coaker, The Advocate and also  
our members in the House of Assem-  
bly.

We then went into the little building  
where we enjoyed a splendid tea pre-  
pared by the ladies. After tea we held  
a Union meeting for over an hour and  
at nine o'clock a dance began which  
continued until daylight.

We thank the friends of Nipper's  
Harbor and Round Harbor who attend  
our parade and tea. It showed that  
they are still full of zeal for the cause.

JOHN F. ADAMS,  
Chairman.

Burying Place, Feb. 23, '14.

## UNION MEN NOT WANTED.

(Editor The Daily Mail)

Dear Sir,—Please allow me space  
in your much-read paper The Daily  
Mail for a few remarks concerning  
promise of a berth to the ice given me  
last Fall.

After coming from St. John's I went  
down to Pool's Island and got a berth  
to the ice with Capt. Sam Bob Winsor,  
and did not know but my berth was  
all right until two days ago I got a  
message from the Captain; here it is:  
"Cannot carry any Union men this  
Spring. By order, S. R. WINSOR."

Now, sir, if he was not a graball like  
that bluffer the spar seller my berth  
would have been alright, but, there,  
you cannot expect any other from a  
graball that would sell spars for  
\$2200.

Now, sir, the day is fast approach-  
ing when Union men will get fair  
play, or the ships will have to stay in  
port. Sam Bob might have given me  
time to try for a berth with some other  
captain, if he had sent the message in  
time, but it was the eleventh hour  
when he sent it so I have to stay on  
shore this Spring, as there is no time  
now to look for a berth with any one  
else.

Go ahead Mr. Coaker with your good  
work, you have given them a hard  
time of it in the House this session.  
Bring them to book and then all Union  
men will get fair play.

—JOHN HALLETT  
Flat Isld., B.B., Feb. 2, '14.

## LIVING IN 1870.

Some men are only a habit. New  
ideas hurt some minds as new shoes  
hurt some feet. Why suggest to  
these folk that modern methods would  
help them? The most conservative  
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## SUNDAY CONCERTS

(Editor The Daily Mail)

Dear Sir,—I notice in this morn-  
ing's edition of the Daily News, a  
letter signed by Rev. C. A. White-  
marsh, on the subject of Sunday con-  
certs.

I do not intend to be led into a  
discussion as to whether sacred con-  
certs on Sunday are the thing or not.  
I should, however, like to say a few  
words in reference thereto.

The primary object of these con-  
certs is not a commercial one, but  
to provide the people of St. John's  
with the highest class of sacred  
music known and performed through-  
out the great cities of the world on  
Sundays. We are not financially able  
to do this without making a charge,  
and we moreover feel that any sur-  
plus over and above is merely a  
small recompense to the conductor  
for months of extremely hard work.

I fail to see how it differs from  
the payment of ministers, organists,  
soloists, choirs, and the charge of  
pew rents in churches. We feel in  
these productions that we are doing  
as much in this respect to glorify  
God as any formal church service.

Last year we gave a concert in  
the Methodist College Hall on Sun-  
day, and suggested that as the au-  
thorities would not allow us to make  
a charge, the hall should be given us  
free, on payment of expenses. This,  
however, they would not agree to,  
and we were charged full rental for  
the hall. Finally we were allowed to  
take up a collection, which barely  
defrayed expenses. This year we  
felt that the financial responsibility  
was too great, and decided to trans-  
fer to the T. A. Hall, making a small  
charge for admission.

I will not trespass on your kind-  
ness, but leave the matter to the in-  
telligence and fair-mindedness of the  
St. John's public to judge for them-  
selves whether we are in any re-  
spect, to use the expression in the  
resolution of the Methodist Minis-  
ters, "making a convenience of the  
Christian Sabbath for pecuniary ad-  
vantage."

—J. W. PATTEN.

Hon. Secretary St. John's Orchestral  
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## CITIZEN WRITES.

(Editor The Daily Mail)

Dear Sir,—Referring to a recent  
article in the Evening Telegram from  
Belleoram, re the civil service, I wish  
to say that I quite agree (as do many  
others) with "Propatria" in every  
particular, except where he says,  
"there is no need of a Custom house  
'East of Harbor Breton besides  
'Belleoram.'" Of course, we must ad-  
mit there is not much shipping out-  
side that place; also that Belleoram  
being a terminus for the steamers,  
is of most importance.

Still, in view of the probability  
of English Harbor being made a port  
of call, I think it right to make it a  
port of entry also. There is a great  
deal more business done in English  
Harbor than at St. Jacques.

The firm of Petite does a fairly  
large import trade, a fact which  
would detract considerably from the  
Customs at St. Jacques, where, I un-  
derstand, a great quantity of Mr.  
Petite's goods are landed.

It is therefore natural, that having  
a large staff to maintain at the latter  
place, some of the inhabitants would  
be opposed to such a calamitous  
thing occurring.

It is interesting to read the ac-  
counts of special grants which were  
dealt out to the Northern districts  
during the last five years. There is  
certainly no occasion to be thirsty,  
as I notice "wells" to be the pre-  
dominant feature. But perhaps they  
are similar to the wells we have  
here—"no wells at all."

An attempt was made last year to  
secure a supply of water by the dig-  
ging of a number of these so-called  
wells, in addition to those we had  
before, but they must have struck  
"rock" in every case, for the supply  
is much less this winter than was  
ever known. Of course the money  
was worked out alright, alright. Oh,  
yes.

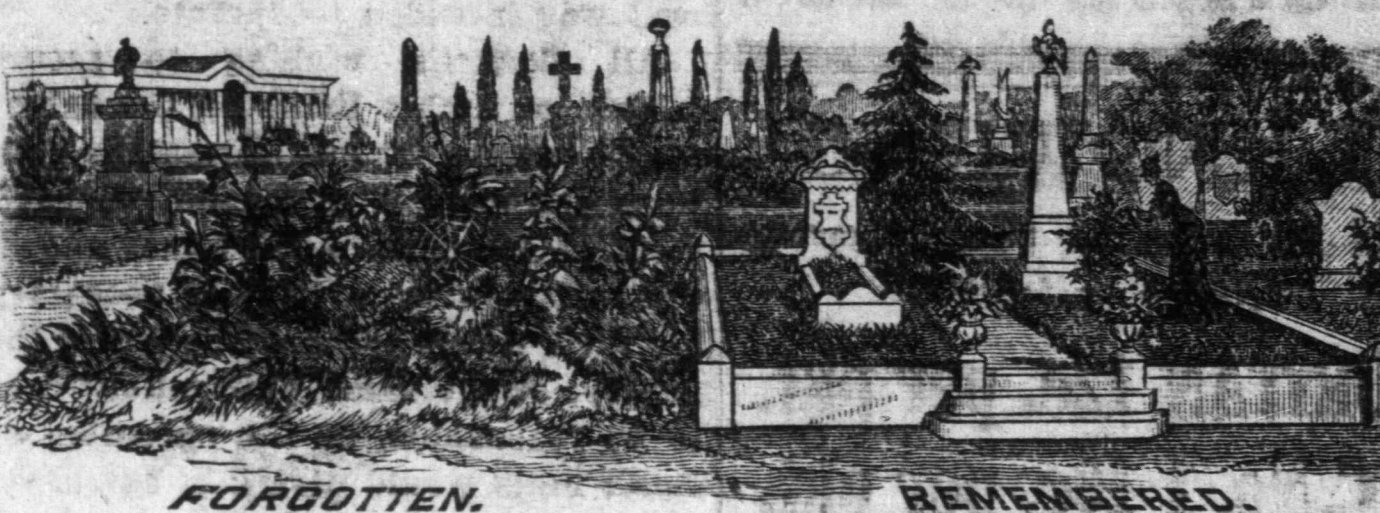
We would like to have seen the ex-  
penditure of the Southern districts  
tabled, especially our own. I am  
sure it would prove interesting read-  
ing, making up a fund of information  
which we require, but do not now  
possess.

The additional tax proposed by the  
Government is the climax to the acts  
of a party that will go down in his-  
tory as the party which have done  
the most successful bluffing, and  
should have for its name, in place  
of People's Party, "Disaster Party."

—CITIZEN.

Belleoram, March 5, 14.

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