

In Store: 5,000 Brls. "Victory" Flour, 2,000 Brls. "Royal Gold" Flour. FRANKLIN'S AGENCIES, LTD. J. B. URQUHART, Manager

OUR THEATRES

The Nickel
The programme at the Nickel Theatre for the big matinee this afternoon is one that will afford the greatest pleasure to the little ones. The great comedian, Charlie Chaplin, will be present in one of the funniest comedies ever seen in this city, entitled "In the Bank."

The Crescent

The favorite cow boy actor G. M. Anderson features in "The Escaped of Broncho Billy" at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day. Louise Vale, Gritchen Hartman and Franklin Ritchie are presented in "Between Father and Son," a political drama in two acts.

NOTICE

AFTER four weeks from date hereof, application will be made to His Excellency the Governor in Council for Letters Patent, for a new Useful Invention and Improvement in Freight Transporters, to be granted to Ivan A. Bayley of North Sydney, in County of Cape Breton in the Dominion of Canada, Gentleman.

M. P. GIBBS, Solicitor for Applicant. aug12,4w,11w

REID'S STEAMER REPORT

The Argyle left Placentia at 3 a.m. to-day for Merasheen route. No report from the Clyde since leaving Lewisporte at 9 a.m. yesterday. The Dundee left King's Cove at 4.35 p.m. yesterday, outward. The Ethic left Port au Choix at 7.10 p.m. Thursday, going north. The Glencoe left Placentia at 11 p.m. yesterday. The Home left Fortune Harbor at 1.05 p.m. yesterday, outward. The Lady Sybil arrived at Port aux Basques at 6.50 a.m. to-day. The Kyle left Port aux Basques at 1 a.m. to-day. No report from the Wren since leaving Clarendville at 4.45 a.m. yesterday. The Meigle left Placentia at 11.05 a.m. yesterday for Louisburg. The Sagona is north of Twillingate.

OFFICIAL CASUALTY LIST

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

1235 Private Stanley Gordon Pike, 52 Duckworth Street. Died of wounds at King George Hospital, London, August 10th.

J. R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary.

Private Stanley Gordon Pike.—Son of Mrs. Fannie and the late William Pike. Former address, 50 Colonial Street. Accountant. Wounded at the battle of Beaumont Hamel. Fractured femur. Etretat Hospital, France, on July 5. After amputation of left leg was transferred to England July 24th, and cared for in King George Hospital, London.

MORE FISHERY NEWS

Aug. 5th. From F. Cox. (Anchor Point to Eddy's Point). The total catch is 5,204 qtls., with 35 for last week. Only 25 boats are fishing, and prospects are very poor.

Aug. 5th. From J. F. Williams. (Bay Bulls South Head to Long Point). Prospects are poor, and no squid is obtainable. All the traps are being landed as the fishery is over for them. Twenty-five dorics and skiffs and 22 motor boats are fishing. The catch is 7,705 qtls., and for last week 295.

Aug. 5th. From R. Furneaux. (Rose Blanche to Harbor LeCoul). No squid or other bait is obtainable, and prospects are poor. The catch to date is 13,050 qtls., and for last week 80.

The Secretary of the Municipal Council has an enquiry for information of Thomas Moffatt and Emma Frances (Heath) Moffatt, his wife. Mr. Slattery would be thankful if friends or relatives would communicate with him.

Carbonvoid gives increased mileage and more power.

TRAIN REPORT

Thursday's No. 1 express arrived at Port aux Basques at 12.40 a.m. to-day. Yesterday's No. 2 express is due at St. John's at 2 p.m. To-day's No. 2 express left Port aux Basques on time.

BANKERS AND THEIR FARES.

The following bankers have arrived at St. John's from the Banks—The Stella, 450; Eva Blanche, 650; Ontate, 700; Metamora, 750; Lizzie M. Stanley, 750; Utomana, 350.

ADVERTISE IN THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE

CHURCH SERVICES

Church of England Cathedral.—Holy Communion at 8 a.m., also on the first Sunday of the month at 7, and 11 (Choral). Other services at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

St. Michael's Mission Church (Casey Street).—Holy Communion at 8 and 11 on the 3rd Sunday of the month; and at 8 on other Sundays. Other services, 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

St. Thomas's—Men's Corporate Communion 8 a.m.; Morning prayer and sermon 11 a.m.; preacher, The Rev. J. R. Bennett. Evening Prayer and Sermon 6.30. Preacher, Rev. W. E. R. Cracknell.

Christ Church, Quidi Vidi.—Holy Communion, second Sunday at 8 a.m. Evening Prayer, third Sunday in each month at 7 p.m. Every other Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

Virginia School Chapel.—Evening Prayer every Sunday at 3.30 p.m. St. Mary the Virgin, St. John's West.—Holy Communion on the first Sunday in each month at noon; every other Sunday at 8 a.m. Other Services at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

METHODIST.

Gower St.—11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Rev. D. B. Hemmeon.

George St.—11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Rev. N. M. Guy.

Cochrane St.—11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Rev. James Wilson.

Wesley—11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Rev. H. Royle.

Presbyterian—11 and 6.30. Rev. W. J. Fowler.

Congregational—11 and 6.30. Rev. W. H. Thomas.

SALVATION ARMY.

S. A. Citadel, New Gower Street.—7.30 a.m. Pray meeting; 11.30 a.m. Holiness meeting; 2.30 p.m. Public Service; 7.30 p.m. Revival services. Night meeting will be conducted by Colonel Otway, Adit, and Mrs. Grace, Commanding Officers.

Livingstone St.—Adjutant White, who for the past eight years has been in charge of the Army's Shelter, George Street, will hold his farewell meeting at No. 11, S.A. Hall, Livingstone Street, to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock. Adjutant Sheard, his successor, will also be present, and take part in the meeting. The Adjutant is counted as one of the best singers in the Army ranks. His singing to-morrow evening will be a very interesting feature of the meeting. All are welcome.

COCHRANE STREET.—Members of the congregation are reminded that owing to the installation of the organ, the Sunday services will be held in the school building until further notice. The school room is large and commodious, bright and airy, and is capable of holding nearly 600 persons.

WESLEY.—The pastor will preach at the evening service. Subject: "Casting all your care upon Him." Everybody welcome.

ADVENTIST.—Subject: "The Way That Semeth Right." All welcome. Evangelist D. J. C. Barrett.

A GOOD JOB

The S.S. Lyngfjord came off the dry dock to-day after being on the stocks over six weeks. Over 60 new plates were put in her and the ship was put in thorough condition, the Reid Nid. Co. making a specially good job of the ship, which was overhauled from stem to stern. The S.S. Athos will dock Monday and will undergo extensive repairs. The excellent work done on these type of vessels of late must reflect great credit on the proficiency and skill of the Newfoundland artisan.

AN ENJOYABLE PICNIC

The members of the Gower St. Sunday School enjoyed their annual picnic at Mount Pearl yesterday, going there by special train. The weather was magnificent and to say that the youngsters enjoyed the sports, tea, &c., is to put it mildly. They returned to the city by train at 7.50 p.m.

BACK FROM CAMP

The C.L.B. boys who had been at camp at Topsail returned to the city last evening after spending one of the most enjoyable camping periods in the history of the Brigade. Their fine band as they crossed LeMarchant Road played some excellent patriotic music.

Fancy Fair is Big Success

Financial Returns Are Over \$4000 and all Concerned Are Justly Deserving of Congratulations—Thousands Attended Yesterday and Thoroughly Enjoyed Themselves

The Fancy Fair for the C. E. Orphanage occurring at the Government House grounds concluded yesterday evening with great eclat after recording a success which even surprised the most optimistic. The weather was delightful on each of the days the Fair was held and all the attractions of preceding day were, if possible, enjoyed with more zest than yesterday. The presence and performance of the recently returned Rossley troupe was an added feature which gave pleasure to all.

Ye Olde Inn, prettily designed, had been erected on the lawn and there many a visitor found his warmest welcome, as it was really the home of good cheer. Houses of the old English type looked charming among the trees and at each a number of ladies sold goods of various kinds. Through the kindness of Rev. Bro. Ennis, whose interest in such an affair as the aid of an orphanage is easily understood, the Mount Cashel boys were present again and pleased all by their dancing. At 5 o'clock the articles remaining from the sale were auctioned off by Mr. J. Rossley and fetched good prices. During the evening the orchestra of the Florizel rendered excellent music and the committee in charge wish to thank them for their services.

His Excellency and Lady Davidson were again present yesterday and after supper had been served there was dancing on the lawn till 10 p.m. The affair should easily net over \$4,000 and we heartily congratulate the promoters, the orphans and church authorities on such a satisfactory outcome.

THE FLORIZEL SAILS.

The Florizel sailed at 3 p.m., taking Messrs. Donfold, Mould, Chardley, J. Murphy, T. Short, J. J. Dolg, Miss M. Clouston, Mrs. Montgomerie, W. J. Mowe and 20 second class.

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With Our Naval Lads

Dear Mother.—Just a few lines to let you know that I am well and hoping this will find you the same. I am enjoying myself and having a good time. I did not have time to write to you before. Well, I am at sea now and don't worry about me because I am alright. I was glad to get the tobacco, but I had to pay five shillings before I could get it. I was speaking to Charlie Stanley, he gave me some tobacco and fags and I was very pleased to get them. There are three of my comrades here so you see I am not lonely. I suppose Will is fine, tell him to write soon and send me some fags and tobacco. How is Sandy? Tell him to write soon and don't forget some papers, as I would like to get some news, also send me Auntie's address, so I can write to her. I guess father is well and working away the same as ever. I hope Flossie is getting better by this time. Tell Harry Harvey that I have written, but have got no answer yet. Well, I think this is all I have to tell you for this time; only, when you write, don't forget to tell me all the news, especially about the sealing ships.

I remain, Your ever loving son, CHARLIE SHAWNER.

H. M. S. Avoca, June 29th, 1916.

[The above letter was written to Mrs. D. Shawner from her sailor boy. Mrs. Shawner sent some tobacco to her son and enquired at the General Post Office for the charges. She put the necessary stamps as directed by the Postal clerk, but judge her surprise when she learnt from her son that he had to pay five shillings before getting the packet, owing to its being underpaid.]

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V. C. and British Colonel

Dark, Mixed IS GREAT.

TRY IT

At the Royal Cigar Store, Bank Square, Water Street.

LOCAL ITEMS

The Prospero left Tilt Cove at 8 a.m. going north.

The Portia was delayed at St. Mary's all night by fog, left at 7.45 a.m., and is due here to-night.

The F.P.U. schr. "Heckman" is hourly expected with a load of herring from Northern Ports.

The schooner "Janet" is loading supplies for the Union Store at Port-de-Grave.

The S.S. Helopolis sailed from Botwood this morning for Manchester with 4,600 tons pulp and paper shipped by the A.N.D. Co.

The Convent at St. Patrick's will shortly, we hear, get extensive repairs and will be raised two stories.

It is very warm, in parts of the country to-day 65-70 in the shade but the record. It is raining on the West Coast.

His Grace Archbishop Roche will go to Placentia Bay next week where he will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Carbonvoid saves 25% your fuel cost.

Schooner "Alameda," Capt. Pico, arrived yesterday from Oporto with a cargo of salt and cork wood consigned to Joseph Miller.

The Union trader "Paragon" is expected to leave Cadiz for here to-day with a cargo of salt for the Union Stores.

Wesley Bible Class will have the regular session at 2.30 p.m. to-morrow, with Bible study for half an hour. A treat is in store for those who attend and all are welcome.

Last night a horse owned by Mr. T. Kent, and ridden by a boy barback was being driven along York St. when it stumbled, broke its leg, and the boy was heavily thrown, but not seriously hurt. Mr. Barlow had to shoot the animal at 11 p.m.

Mr. H. Frazer, of the Reid Audit Office who has been over the line on business is returning by to-day's express.

The S.S. Susu is making an other quick round trip this time and left Change Islands at 6.10 p.m. yesterday so that she is due here to-morrow evening.

Mr. E. St. J. Howley, accompanied by wife and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Waugh, of New York, left by train this morning on a short pleasure trip to Placentia.

Mr. Joseph Murphy, of Beverly, Mass., who has been spending a holiday with his relatives in the City left for home by the Florizel this afternoon.

The Treasurer of St. Vincent de Paul's Society (mens) gratefully acknowledges the sum of \$250.00, bequest of the late Hon John Harris, per the executors, T. Harris, Esq., and Mrs. A. Tobin.

Cochrane Street congregation for the present will hold their Sunday services in the school building adjoining the church owing to the installation of the new organ which arrived by the "Tabasco."

The grating at the foot of Prescott Street immediately next the Atlantic Bookstore requires attention by the Council. People passing this way of late are forced to inhale a none too pleasant odour. Clean it up, please.

The E. S. Hocken, molasses laden, reached St. John's last night from Barbados to Harvey & Co. She came up in 23 days but would have made a quicker run but for head winds after negotiating Cape Race.

Mr. Fisherman, to save nine-tenths of your Engine trouble, use CARBONVOID.

The retreat at St. Bon's College for the Catholic priests, about fifty being present from the dioceses of St. John's, Harbor Grace and St. George's, closed yesterday. Many of the visiting priests return to their parishes to-day.

READ THE MAIL & ADVOCATE.

Tenders for the Supply of North Sydney Coal.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of 150 Tons of North Sydney Coal to H.M. Ship "Briton" also 200 Tons for Mount Pearl Wireless Telegraph Station. Conveyance of coal to Mount Pearl will be arranged. Further particulars on application. Sealed tenders addressed to the Commanding Officer H.M.S. "Briton" will be received up to noon on Saturday, the 12th August, 1916. "Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted."

A. MacDERMOTT, Acting commander, aug11,2i

LODGE DUDLEY NO. 227

MEMBERS of Lodge Dudley, No. 227 are requested to meet in the General Protestant Cemetery on Sunday, Aug. 13, at 2.15 p.m., when the service of "Decorating Graves of deceased brethren" will be held. Transient brethren are invited to attend. By order, CHAS. W. UDLE, Secretary, aug11,2i

WANTED!—Experienced Male Teacher for Methodist School, Springdale. Associate Grade preferred. Salary \$170.00. Apply Chairman Methodist Board, Springdale.—aug3,12i

CHRISTIAN'S BORAX SOAP

Best to be Had

SAVE THE WRAPPERS \$10.00 in Gold will be given the person saving the most for 1916.

M. A. DUFFY, AGENT.

FOR SALE—One Square Body Wagon, complete. 2 Square Body Wagons, second hand; 2 Buggys, one Rubber Tyred, one Steel Tyred. Apply to T. CARNELL, George Street.—aug9,10,12

PICKEL up near Bell Island. A Trap Boat, painted white top sides with red bottom. For further particulars apply to F. F. FOWLER, The Mines, Bell Island.—aug9,3i

LOST—On August 1st, at Red Head Cove, the walls of ONE COD TRAP, 48 fathoms round and 8 fathoms deep, double St. Peter's lines on foot, three buoys and two kegs attached bearing the initials "J.C." the property of a poor man. Apply to COLBERT, Red Head Cove, Bay de-Verde.—aug10,3i,cood

LOST—At Bay de Verde August 1st, walls of COD TRAP, moorings and kegs attached, corks and kegs marked "M. K." 60 fathoms round, 10 1/2 fathoms deep. If picked up inform MICHAEL KEASE, Bay de-Verde, or notify "The Mail and Advocate" as soon as possible.—aug10,6i

WANTED! First Class Cutter. Constant employment; good salary. Also Machineist. Apply BRITISH CLOTHING CO., Sinnott's Building, Duckworth Street.—jue24,tf

WANTED—At once, experienced Pants Makers to work in factory and outside. Constant work and high prices for making. Apply to BRITISH CLOTHING CO., Duckworth St.—jue27,tf

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HATS! Ladies' Summer Hats, all selling at HALF PRICE to clear. Also 6 Dozen LADIES' BLOUSES, Job 30c. and 50c. Nicholle, Inkpen & Chafe Limited. 315 WATER STREET 315 Agents for Ungars Laundry & Dye Works.