



Evening Telegram

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A CONTRAST.

For the past six or eight years, perhaps no man in the dominion has been subjected to such continuous attacks of vituperation as has Capt. A. Kean, a mariner who has sailed over more salt water and brought in more seals than any other in Newfoundland. That such a man as Capt. Kean possesses more than ordinary ability goes without saying, and that he has always treated his men kindly and considerately is well established by the fact that many of his sealing crew have been with him Spring after Spring for the past quarter of a century.

In choosing his crews Capt. Kean made no distinction as to their possessing similar ideas on certain matters that he holds himself, but has invariably selected his men for their capability and worth, either at the seal or codfisheries, or in the coastal steamship service. When it comes to the prosecution of our marine industries he is ever willing to lend a helping hand to any person who is honest, industrious and competent. Nor is he one to condemn a man because he may have made a slight slip. On the contrary he has ever advised him for his good, and if it proved absolutely necessary, in the interests of business or of the general public to part with such an one, Capt. Kean endeavored to find him employment, where a slight dereliction would injure no person but the man himself.

Capt. Kean has always been the friend of the fishermen, and it is to be regretted that Newfoundland has not more of the class of this sturdy type of independent mariners, who is what may be styled the via media between the merchant and the fisherman. How then can any genuine son of Terra Nova stand by and hear such a man maligned and vilified by such political rôtters as W. F. Coaker and his satellites and connections. What has the Wordy President ever done but to breed variance and distrust between supplier and supplied, until at the present moment there is almost a want of confidence among these two important features in our country's chief industries, that to say the least of it, materially damages the whole system of trade, and is the means of preventing many from getting the much needed supplies, which they otherwise would receive, were it not for the insidious and vicious doctrines enunciated and scattered broadcast by Coaker and his controlled organ The Evening Advocate.

To think that a political campaign can be fought without tissues of falsehoods and slanders being the chief weapons employed, is sufficient to disgust every right thinking person and, badly as we here in Newfoundland may look upon it, what must outsiders think of us, and above all what must the thousands of Newfoundlanders in the United States, Canada, and

elsewhere think of us, when they peruse those villainous tirades, which they know full well are nothing but a manufacture of falsehood, malice and spleen.

Newfoundlanders should judge for themselves, at the moment, and ask themselves the question seriously: Who has done the most toward keeping up the prosperity of the Colony? Is it such men as Capt. Abram Kean and William Winsor, or is it W. F. Coaker, R. A. Squires, Dr. Alex. Campbell and the rest of the Squires-Coaker combination? No difficulty will be met in arriving at the correct answer. The successful fish and seal killers, who have been already mentioned, have done more towards the building up of Newfoundland in one year, than all the seed, breed and generations of the Opposition factions of Coaker and Squires have done in a hundred years, or will do in a hundred more.

The same may be said with regard to Hon. A. B. Morine. He has been accused of attacking a certain portion of our population in years gone by, through the public press, an attack with which he had no more to do than the man in the moon, and those who credited the accusation for a time were eventually convinced that such was not the case, and regretted that such a charge had been made and circulated, and an innocent person made to suffer for the crimes of others. There are many to-day who are aware that Mr. Morine is neither small-minded nor vindictive, and has conferred favors where others had rendered the consolation of remarking "that they would bear them in mind." When any man or body of men in this community want capable counsel to plead before the Court, the first man they employ is Alfred B. Morine, and he takes the case of a political opponent as blithely and uses his forensic powers so earnestly as he would for his best friend: for a Jew as for a Christian; for a poor man or woman over a dollar cause, as he would for a brief involving thousands.

It is not for the denizens of the "Star" Chamber or for the scribes of the Advocate to dictate the policy to be pursued by the people of the North. They are fully qualified to submit the question as to whom they will render support during the forthcoming election (the most important in our history) to an analytical test, and abide by the result. That the result of their analysis will show Kean, Winsor, Forbes, Stone, Hickman, Crosbie to have a greater stake in the country: that they will see justice done and employment given there can be no doubt. Nor will they throw away their rights by entrusting the future government of Newfoundland to the hands of such men of straw as form the Coaker-Squires stagnation party, whose one object is to seize the reins of government for their own personal aggrandizement and love of power.

Sure Winners.

If any hope was uppermost in the breast of the Squires-Coaker combination that they could win in St. John's East, that hope was eternally dissipated last night, when the forces of real Liberalism arrayed themselves for the coming fight. There can be there is no doubt whatever that the old Liberal district of St. John's East will not be true to its traditions, and nothing that can be said or done by the masquerading reformers can save them from sure and certain defeat. The strength of Higgins, the popularity of Vinnicombe and the eloquence of Fox are factors which cannot be overcome by any combination of men or parties. In Mr. Fox, the Liberal Progressive Party have an orator, whose choice diction and

classic phraseology at once stamps him as a coming parliamentarian, and if there is anything in a name, then the mantle of that great English statesman, Charles James Fox, has surely been cast upon the shoulders of his namesake—also C. J. The voters of St. John's East proved their appreciation of this new entrant into the political arena, at the great meeting last night. That they will follow this appreciation by a solid support of the three popular candidates cannot be gainsaid, and the premier Liberal district of Newfoundland, the ever faithful constituency, whose motto "semper fidelis" has never been sullied—St. John's East—will again rally to the Liberal colors and by a record vote place Higgins, Vinnicombe and Fox at the head of the poll, thus repudiating and discountenancing the "unholy alliance."

A Double Game.

Foot and Warren are, it is said, playing a game to knife the Hon. R. A. Squires, and that is the reason why Warren has consented to go to Fortune Bay, and Foot has partly agreed to go to Burin. Both are hoping that Squires will be defeated in whatever district he contests, and in that event Warren (which he won't) will be made leader. With the Squires-Coaker combination double crossing each other in this way, how can any of them be trusted? Electors must be constantly on guard to protect themselves from being drawn into the maze of conspiracies which seem to be an outcrop of the "unholy alliance."

Police Court.

A drunk was fined \$2.
Another drunk, who had broken in a pane of glass in a Chinese laundry was fined \$5.
The preliminary enquiry into a case of arson, alleged to have been committed on April 19th, was begun this morning.

Winter is Coming.

Already the chilly days of Autumn are here, and you should not risk the chance of catching cold in a house where the fires die out, or where a great delay of time is necessary to start them on a frosty morning. A little Gas Heater, Gas Grate, or steam radiator will furnish you with just as much heat as you require, and just as little, by simply turning a tap. We have Radiant Fires, Chili-Chambers, Self-In-Grates, Steam Radiators, and appliances to suit all requirements of the Home.

ST. JOHN'S GAS LIGHT CO.
Sept 25, eod,tf

Glencoe's Passengers.

The following first-class passengers arrived at Port aux Basques this morning by Glencoe and are now en route to St. John's:—R. P. and Mrs. Kimick, Mrs. R. G. Sisk, Mrs. A. McNamara, Miss M. Farrell, P. and Mrs. Connors, Mrs. (Capt.) Halfyard, R. L. Rowe, N. Halfyard, Lady Reid, Capt. H. B. Reid, S. S. Jacobs, Rev. C. A. Moulton, W. P. Moulton, Miss T. Power, Miss Elsie Tait.

Coastal Boats.

CROSBIES.
S. S. Earl of Devon left St. Anthony at 8 p.m. yesterday going north.
FRED ELLIS & CO.
S. S. Susan sailed last night at 6 p.m.

GOVERNMENT.

Prospero arrived at Bonavista 8.50 a.m. and left 9.40 a.m.
Portia left St. Joseph's, Salmonier early this morning and is due tonight.
REIDS.
Argyle leaving Placentia for Bay route to-day.
Clyde arrived at Lewisporte 2.30 p.m. on 24th.
Dundee left Port Blandford at 2.10 p.m. on 24th.
Ethie left Port Saunders 4.40 on 24th, inward.
Glencoe arrived Port aux Basques 7.30 a.m.
Home left King's Point 2.40 p.m. Tuesday, inward.
Kyle left Port aux Basques 9.40 p.m. yesterday.
Meigle left Hermitage Cove early yesterday.
Sagana—No reports since leaving Battle Hr. on 18th.
Petrel arrived at Clarendville 5.30 p.m. on 24th.

Paid Last Respect.

The funeral of the late Capt. Patrick Christopher took place yesterday, and was largely attended by all classes of the community. Prayers in the Cathedral were conducted by Rev. Father Deo, and the remains were interred in Belvidere. Undertaker Myrick had charge of the funeral arrangements.

"Briton" Boys Entering Sports Circle.

The sailors of H. M. Trainingship Briton, have decided to enter the local sports circle, and next summer will enter teams for soccer, rugby, cricket and possibly baseball. On the coming Saturday they will play a preliminary game with the C. E. I., which will be mainly for the purpose of trying out and seeing just how they stand. The game will be contested at St. George's Field. All of sporting instincts will be pleased to hear that the Briton will take part in next year's sports, as it ought to result in more enthusiasm and exciting contests.

New Steamship Line.

The Canadian Merchant Marine Steamship Line, for which Messrs. Furness Withy Co. are the Newfoundland agent, announce that the first steamer to leave Montreal on the new service will be the Canadian Volunteer, sailing on Tuesday next, Sept. 30th, the next one to be the Canadian Adventurer leaving Montreal about Oct. 22nd.

A Policeman Needed.

Residents of that portion of Governor Street extending from King's Rd. to Cochrane Street, are complaining of the conduct of a number of boys who make the nights hideous there with their noise and disturbance. The presence of a police officer for a few nights, would, no doubt, effect a much desired change.

Shipping Notes.

Schr. Agnes P. Duff has left Fleetwood for Newport where she will load coal.
The auxiliary schr. Blanca left for the Labrador where she will load fish for the European market.
The schr. Senator arrived to the Gorton Ferry Co. yesterday with a cargo of salt from Gloucester.
The Kristina, a Norwegian schr., is now on dock undergoing repairs.

Personal Mention.

Lady Reid is a passenger by the express from Port aux Basques, due to-morrow.
Mr. A. B. Harding of Bonne Bay is in town on business and is staying at the Crosbie.

Here and There.

WEATHER ACROSS COUNTRY.—Light north east wind; raining.

EXPRESS DUE.—The express with Kyles passengers is due at 4 p.m. to-day.

POSTPONED.—The Victory Cup Football, advertised for this evening at St. George's Field, has been postponed.—sep25,11

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—Messrs. Parker & Monroe, Ltd., wish to acknowledge the receipt of \$2.00 Conscience Money.—sep25,11

CHAMPIONSHIP FOOTBALL.—If the weather clears the championship match between the Collegians and Cadets will be played this evening. An exciting game is expected by the supporters of both sides.

Civil Re-Establishment Educational Announcement.

1. Any returned sailor or soldier is entitled to admission to the Re-establishment Day School.
2. Any returned sailor or soldier is entitled to admission to the Re-establishment Night School which is conducted from 7.30 to 9.30 on the following evenings of every week, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.
Applications for permission to take advantage of the opportunities indicated above and for further information should be made to the Vocational Officer, 17 Militia Building.—may1,th,tf

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500 Tons
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They give life to your boots by their enormous wearing power and will outwear any four pairs of leather soles.

MEN'S \$1.60 and \$2.00 per set
WOMEN'S \$1.10 set

Also in stock a full line of MEN'S, WOMEN'S and BOYS' ECONOMY FIBRE SOLES.



For use on old and new boots and shoes. They save your shoes and your money.

MEN'S, only 40c. a pair
WOMEN'S and BOYS 35c. a pair

Very easily attached by anybody, and with the present extremely high prices on repairing in force, many people will appreciate the saving offered in these taps.

G. KNOWLING, Ltd., Shoe Stores.

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A List of Fresh Supplies Just Received.

ELLIS & CO.

Limited.

Family Grocers and
Delicatessen Market,
203 Water Street.

Choice
Fresh Turkeys.
Choice
Fresh Chicken.

Gravenstein Apples.
Jonathan Apples.
Bartlett Pears.
Red Plums.
California Grapes.
Grape Fruit.
Palermo Lemons.
California Oranges.
Bananas.

Green Tomatoes.
Spanish Onions.

Sweet Potatoes.
Garlic.
New Cabbage.
New Potatoes.
New Carrots.
Ripe Tomatoes.
Cucumbers.
Vegetable Marrows.
Fresh Green Peas.

ARRIVED AT LAST.
Fresh Shipment
"SAVORY'S"

Celebrated
CIGARETTES.
Special Straight Cuts,
in boxes 100's, 50's, 25's.
No. 3 Turkish Plain,
in boxes 100's, 50's, 25's.
No. 1 York Brand Egyptian,
in boxes 100's, 50's, 25's.

Stafford's Drug Store, Theatre Hill, open every night till 9.30.
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MARRIED.

On Sept. 11th, at St. John's Church, Philadelphia, by the Rev. Fr. Marley, Mary, eldest daughter of Michael F. Mahoney, Burlin, to John J. Baker, eldest son of Joseph Baker, Seattle, Wash.

On Wednesday, Sept. 17th, by Rev. W. B. Bugden, Violet, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Halfyard, to S. Q. M. S. William Newbury, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Newbury.

Hay and Oats.

To-day ex Lake Cannonsberg from Montreal

1000 Bales of Prime
Quebec Hay,

Good, Strong and Bright.

1000 Sacks No. 1
Canadian Feed Oats.

Get your requirements while we are delivering those goods at cut prices froms ship Side.

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of the West End Candidates
of the Liberal - Progressive
Party are open to the friends
and supporters of the Party
every day, except Sunday.

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JEWISH NEW YEAR.

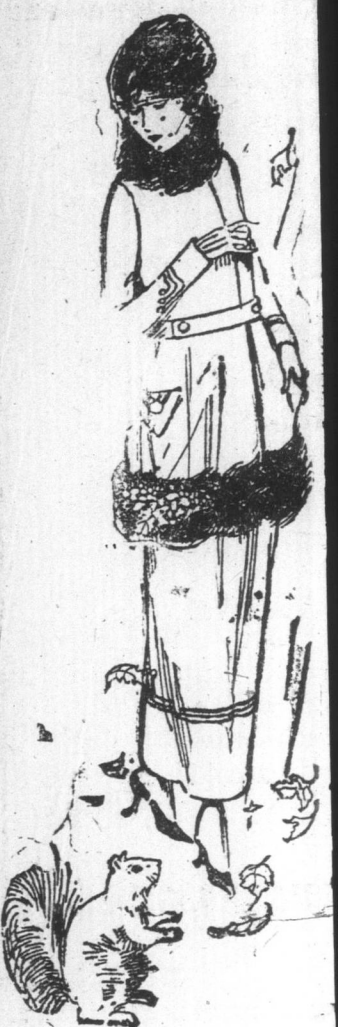
Sept. 25th, the Jewish New Year, 5680 begins, and is being observed as a holiday by the members of that Congregation in St. John's.

Special Evening Telegram

CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind east, fresh, weather hazy and rainy. The S. S. Maskinonge passed in yesterday afternoon. Nothing sighted to-day. Bar. 28.50; Ther. 54.

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DOWN QUILTS—Covered with ventilated. Every quilt is finished throughout. Des. sprig and scroll; size 60 x 80 and Saturday
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FANCY LINEN TOWELLING—designs; especially desirable Reg. 90c. yard. Friday and S

FLAIN HUCKABACK TOWELLING pure linens; 15 inches wide Friday and Saturday

White Wax From Coal.

Take a piece of hard, black shale dug from one of the Pumpherson pits in Scotland, and lay it beside a glowing white paraffin wax candle. The more you look at the two, the more difficult it is to credit the fact that the candle can be made from the coal.
Yet this is only one of the many miracles which applied science accomplishes with comparative ease, and this is how it is done:
Shale is distilled—that is, heated in closed retorts—until it gives off oil. At the second distillation, this into a cooler and becomes a thick sticky liquid on top of which float solid crystals of wax.
The oil is run off and the wax is left behind.
But the wax is ugly, yellowish stuff, and in this condition is called par-