

Hi-Po Waterproof Dry Batteries

PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE, during recent years, has demonstrated that dry batteries, if properly constructed and protected, are ideal for ignition purposes.



These two essential qualities are combined in the HI-PO waterproof dry cells.

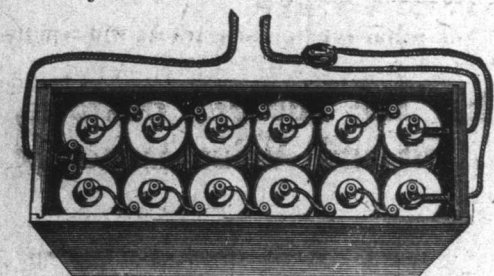
It is a well known fact that the old-type zinc-cells are short-lived when exposed to moisture. Water and dampness have not the least effect on the HI-PO waterproof dry batteries, which can even be left standing in salt water without risk of short current.



Owing to the new patent process under which they are manufactured, the HI-PO waterproof dry cells are protected against all outside influences, each individual cell being built up and sealed in an insulated case.

The HI-PO waterproof dry batteries are used with absolute safety on land, on water and in aerial navigation; they are suitable for any work in any climate.

The HI-PO waterproof dry cells have a much longer life and give more service, size for size, than any other battery made.



This cut illustrates the most practical method of using HI-PO Waterproof Dry Batteries, namely, in double series, thus, by means of a switch, one set is allowed to recuperate, while the other set is in use.

(Repair Dept.)



Big Strike Threatened In Germany.

Special to Evening Telegram. BERLIN, April 5. The prospect of the most extensive strike in the building trades which has ever occurred in Germany is held out by the decisive action of delegates, representing the Socialist Federation of Trades Unions, comprised of one

hundred thousand bricklayers, carpenters, masons, builders and laborers, at a meeting this evening, at which they unanimously rejected the proposed Wage Tariff which the master builders' union had drawn up. Such a strike would affect at least 350,000 men spread all over the country.

Trouble in South America

Special to Evening Telegram. GUAYAQUIL, April 5. In the face of the excitement and rioting, it is officially announced today that Ecuador and Peru propose to settle their boundary dispute directly at Washington. Ecuador's special Envoy will proceed to the American Capital. Calm may be restored this morning. During Monday groups of persons carrying Colombian and Chilean flags paraded the streets, crying Long Live Colombia and Chili. In the afternoon a

mob of five thousand persons seized four ferry boats on the River Guayas, with the intention of using them in the capture of the new Peruvian steamer, Haultaga. Approaching the steamer those on the ferry boats began to discharge their weapons; whereupon the Haultaga sailed out to sea. Throughout last night crowds paraded the streets firing small arms. It is assured that the relations between Colombia and Peru are strained and war at an early date is believed probable.

French Dreadnoughts.

Special to Evening Telegram. PARIS, April 5. The Senate to-day voted 32,000,000 francs for the immediate construction of two 23,500 ton battleships. One to be fitted with turbines.

Poets' Descendants Dine

Special to Evening Telegram. LONDON, April 5. A unique banquet at which Lord Coleridge presided was held in London to-night, the gathering being composed of two hundred descendants of British poets. The occasion was the anniversary of the birth of Algernon Charles Swinburne.

Russian Defence.

Editor Evening Telegram. ST. PETERSBURG, April 5. The Duma Committee for the defence of the Empire to-night adopted a bill providing for the recruiting of four hundred and fifty-six thousand and thirty-five soldiers in 1910. Curliana.

Revolutionary Outbreak.

Special to Evening Telegram. CONSTANTINOPLE, April 5. A revolutionary outbreak and severe fighting between troops and Albanians are reported in northeastern Albania. Strong forces of troops have been despatched.

Schooners Collide.

Special Evening Telegram. ST. PIERRE, M., To-Day. The schrs. Maple Leaf and Hazel B. Mosher collided in the Roadstead here to-day, causing considerable damage to both vessels. They were bound to the harbor for dockage.

CAPE REPORT.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-Day. Wind N.N.W., fresh, weather dull and cold. The s.s. Prospero passed in at 2.15 p.m. yesterday, followed by the bargt. Gaspe at 9.20 a.m. to-day. Several schooners also passed in this a.m. Bar, 29.45, ther. 30.

Littledale Results.

In the Easter examination held in St. John's Academy, Littledale, the first places in the various subjects were obtained by the pupils as follows:—

INTERMEDIATE GRADE.

Section A.

English, Mathematics, Languages and History—Miss Monnie Mansfield.

Section B.

1st Place in Class—Miss Laura Barnes.

2nd Place in Class—Misses Minnie Murphy and Stella Miffen, ex equo.

English Grammar—1st, Miss Stella Miffen; 2nd, Miss Laura Barnes.

Eng. Literature—1st, Miss Laura Barnes; 2nd, Misses Sarah McDonald and Mary Leonard.

Christian Doctrine—1st, Misses Laura Barnes, Lizzie Shanahan and Mamie Hearn; 2nd, Miss Minnie Murphy.

Latin—1st, Miss Laura Barnes; 2nd, Miss A. Simon.

French—1st, Miss A. Simon; 2nd, Miss Minnie Murphy.

Arithmetic—1st, Miss Stella Miffen; 2nd, Miss Laura Barnes.

Algebra—1st, Miss Stella Miffen; 2nd, Miss Laura Barnes.

Geometry—1st, Miss Mary Hinchey; 2nd, Miss Laura Barnes.

Book-keeping—1st, Miss Mary Hinchey; 2nd, Miss Bertha Kennedy.

Shorthand—1st, Miss Minnie Murphy; 2nd, Miss Laura Barnes.

Type-Writing—1st, Misses Annie O'Brien and Minnie Murphy; 2nd, Miss Mamie Hearn.

Hygiene—1st, Misses Mary Hinchey and Sarah McDonald; 2nd, Miss Lucy Collins.

Music—1st, Miss Monnie Mansfield; 2nd, Misses Minnie Murphy and Mary Morris.

Pennmanship—1st, Miss Alice Byrne; 2nd, Misses Stella Miffen and Annie O'Brien.

School Management—1st, Miss S. McDonnell; 2nd, Miss A. Simon.

History—1st, Miss Mary Hinchey; 2nd, Miss Mary Morris.

Plain Needlework—1st, Miss Sarah McDonnell; 2nd, Misses Mary Leonard and Lucy Collins.

Fancy Needlework—1st, Miss Mary Leonard; 2nd, Miss Irene Crane.

Painting—1st, Miss Rose Gardner; 2nd, Miss Laura Barnes.

Drawing—1st, Miss Laura Barnes; 2nd, Miss Irene Crane.

Elocution—Misses Monnie Mansfield and Mary Morris, ex equo.

PRELIMINARY GRADE.

1st Place in Class—Misses Nellie Jackman and Bride O'Connor, ex equo.

2nd Place in Class—Misses Marie Smart and Kittie Quinn, ex equo.

English Grammar—1st, Miss Nellie Jackman; 2nd, Miss Bride O'Connor.

English Literature—1st, Miss Marie Smart; 2nd, Miss Bride O'Connor.

Christian Doctrine—1st, Misses Nellie Jackman and Kittie Quinn; 2nd, Misses Marie Smart and Bride O'Connor.

Latin—1st, Miss Kittie Quinn; 2nd, Miss Nellie Jackman.

French—1st, Miss Marie Smart; 2nd, Miss Fanny Rogerson.

Arithmetic—1st, Miss Bride O'Connor; 2nd, Miss Nellie Jackman.

Algebra—1st, Miss Marie Smart; 2nd, Miss Flora Lily.

History—1st, Miss B. O'Connor; 2nd, Misses Violet Conway and Kittie Quinn.

Shorthand—1st, Miss Minnie Shepard; 2nd, Miss Bride O'Connor.

Type-Writing—1st, Miss Carrie Crocker; 2nd, Misses Bessie Davey and V. Conway.

Hygiene—1st, Miss B. O'Connor; 2nd, Miss Carrie Crocker.

Music—1st, Miss K. Hanham; 2nd, Miss Fanny Rogerson.

Pennmanship—1st, Miss Carrie Crocker; 2nd, Misses Kittie Quinn and Nellie Jackman.

School Management—1st, Miss P. O'Connor; 2nd, Miss Violet Conway.

Plain Needlework—1st, Miss N. Jackman; 2nd, Miss B. O'Connor.

Fancy Needlework—1st, Miss Carrie Crocker; 2nd, Miss B. O'Connor.

Painting—1st, Miss Carrie Crocker; 2nd, Miss Kittie Quinn.

Drawing—1st, Miss Carrie Crocker; 2nd, Miss Kittie Quinn.

PREPARATORY CLASS.

1st Place in Class—Miss Gerlie Maidment.

2nd Place in Class—Miss Lily Carbage.

Algebra, Typewriting, Painting, Drawing and Needlework—Miss Gerlie Maidment.

Arithmetic and Christian Doctrine—Miss Lily Carbage.

English, Reading and Spelling—Miss Josie Quinn.

Geography and Needlework—Miss Kittie Summers.

ELEMENTARY CLASS.

1st Place in Class—Miss Grace Cowney.

Christian Doctrine—Miss M. A. O'Neill and Master Willie St. Croix.

Reading—Misses Muriel Rogerson and Isa Glendenning.

Spelling—Misses Helen Rogerson and Ella Glendenning.

Writing—Misses Grace Cowney and Mary A. O'Neill.

Tables—Miss Elsie Dempster and Master Willie St. Croix.

Drawing—Miss Isa Glendenning.

Well Done, Capt. Barbour.

LABRADOR HAS 15,000 HOODS

There was a deal of pleasure manifested by citizens yesterday afternoon when it became known that a wire had been received by James Baird, Ltd., saying that the S. S. Labrador, Capt. Baxter Barbour, hailed for 15,000 seals.

Capt. Baxter is a very popular man and deserves the success he has achieved this spring. The message came via Quebec and read as follows: "FORTEAU BAY.

"Sealer Labrador called here this morning; 15,000 hoods; all well."

The message was prepaid and it looks as if Capt. Barbour sent some of his crew ashore to wire the information. It is likely that the ship will have a full load, for no doubt a goodly portion of these seals are old fat.

It will be remembered that Capt. Bartlett, of the Viking, expressed the belief that both the Labrador and Kite forced down through the Straits after the hoods, and unless the latter ship has become jammed or met with an accident it is not at all unlikely but that she also will have a good trip of seals.

This is one of the best springs in Gulf ever reported. Forteau, in the Straits of Belle Isle, is on the Canadian side, opposite Flower's Cove, and on the Labrador Peninsula.

Lame Back

Just the Sort of Case That Proves to the World that the Best Liniment Ever Made

IS NERVINE

When it comes to determining the real merit of a medicine, no weight of evidence is more convincing than the straightforward statement of some reliable and well-known person that has been cured. For this reason we print the verbatim statement of Juan E. Powell, written from his home in Carleton. "I am a strong, powerful man, six feet tall, and weigh nearly two hundred. I have been accustomed

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all my life to lift great weight, but one day I overdid it, and wrenched my back badly. Every tendon and muscle was sore. To stoop or bend was agony. I had a whole bottle of Nervine rubbed on in one day, and by night I was well again. I know of no liniment possessing one half the penetration and pain-subduing properties of Nervine. I urge its use strongly as an invaluable liniment and household cure for all minor ailments, such as strains, sprains, swellings, neuralgia, sciatica, lumbago, rheumatism, and muscular pain."

No better medicine for curing pain was ever put in a bottle than Nervine—over one million bottles used every year—better try it yourself. 25c. or five for \$1. At all dealers or The Catarthzone Company, Kingston, Ont.

Improvements at Bowring's.

Messrs. Bowring Bros. are having a new vault erected on their premises at the rear of their offices. It will run from the basement of their hardware and grocery stores to the office flat, a distance of 30 feet, and will be of solid concrete fitted with steel doors. In it will be kept the firm's books, valuable papers and cash, and it will be fire and burglar proof. They are also erecting a new office on the wharf for the convenience of Mr. Hayward in paying the sealers and employees of the premises.

New Banking Vessel.

A new schooner, the Edith Pardy, was bought recently by Patten and Forsay, of Grand Bank, at Lockport, N.S. She is a new schooner not long off the stocks, and cost \$6,500. She is a vessel of 100 tons, a splendid model and will carry 9 dories. She is also a capital sailer. Two fine banking schooners were recently finished at Grand Bank for Tibbo & Sons and S. Harris. One is of 60 tons burden and the other 117 tons. They are very pretty vessels and are well equipped for the work. The schrs. Mary Whalen, of Boston, was recently bought by John Patten, and will soon arrive with a cargo of "notions" for Burgeo and Grand Bank. She is 130 tons, and will be used as a banker.

MINDARD'S LINIMENT CURES DAN-DRUFF.

LACE CURTAINS

LACE CURTAIN SALE!

Our Lace Curtain Sale is an event looked forward to by numberless housekeepers in St. John's. In the past it has been noted for high quality and remarkably low prices. This year we have secured an extra fine lot and think

We Can Eclipse Any Previous Efforts.

Quality has been considered first, then prices have been marked to the **Lowest Figure**. We bought immense quantities at big discounts, and can sell correspondingly low.

120 PAIRS, ASSORTED, from 45 cts. to \$1.00
95 PAIRS, ASSORTED, from \$1.20 to \$2.00
240 PAIRS, ASSORTED, from \$2.10 to \$2.60
198 PAIRS, ASSORTED, from \$2.90 to \$3.80

REGULAR CURTAINS and NETS!

We would call particular attention to our wonderful stock of **Curtains, Curtain Nets, Curtain Muslins and Sash Curtain Nets**—frilled and plain.

Everything that is new and desirable in these lines can be found in our Housefurnishing Department.

MARSHALL BROS.

First Entertainment Ever Held Here.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir,—On Easter Monday and Tuesday nights a concert or entertainment was held here. It being a fact that this is the first entertainment ever held here in this somewhat isolated place, is, my excuse for troubling you. Some time ago some of the young married folk of this place organized themselves under the direction of Mr. J. Boone, the teacher and lay-leader, of this place and prepared a programme consisting of choruses, songs, recitations, dialogues, etc. Most of these taking part were quite new to the work, never having seen an entertainment, much less taken part in one. It would, Mr. Editor, take too much time and too much of your valuable space to speak of each performer and their work, suffice it to say, that one and all performed their several parts in a manner that would be a credit to performers more used to the work. The concert opened with a chorus: "Shamrock, Thistle and Rose," and after over two hours of pleasant enjoyment closed with God Save the King. After the concert ended dancing was indulged in till early morning. At the close of the concert it was announced that \$32.00 had been realized, and hearty votes of thanks were given by the people of Rock Harbor to Mr. Boone and his good lady, Mrs. Boone, the company on the stage, and to Mr. S. Hussey, of Burin, who very kindly presided at the organ. Yours very truly, FISHERMAN.

Rock Harbor, March 31st, 1910.

Concert for Blind Man.

On Friday evening there will be a concert in the People's Theatre, T. A. Hall, for the benefit of the blind man. Some of the best local talent have kindly consented to take part, and Brother Ennis at Mount Cashel has given the services of the Mount Cashel dancers for the occasion. It is expected, so that a first class entertainment is assured. The tickets will be on sale at the Atlantic Bookstore early to-morrow morning, and fuller particulars of the programme will appear later. As the entertainment is for a worthy object, it goes without saying that our people will respond liberally, and that a packed house will be present on the occasion.

Canada and the United States.

The gratifying announcement has just been made that the two great powers have settled their differences in a most amicable, friendly way. A reduction on thirteen articles is made by Canada in return for the minimum tariff and the President's offer to open negotiations for Reciprocity between the two countries. If Reciprocity is concluded between Canada and America we should also come in.—D. W. P.

MINDARD'S LINIMENT FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.

Prospero Arrives.

The s.s. Prospero, Capt. Fitzpatrick, arrived here at 11 o'clock last night from the westward. The ship, which is in fine condition, made the best run on record on the western route. She left here at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, March 30th, and made a very quick passage to Port aux Basques, arriving there at 1 a.m. Sunday. Leaving there at 3.45 a.m. that day she reached Placentia at 10.30 Monday night, and made the run thence to St. John's in the remarkably quick time of 23 hours. Capt. Fitzpatrick has broken all records this trip by several hours on the western run and we congratulate him. The ship had a small freight and these passengers: Messrs. Doyle, J. O'Brien, J. Kehoe, Dr. Thompson; Misses Doyle, Smith, Sullivan, Farrell, Parmiter, Mrs. O'Brien, Sister Mary and 20 saloon.

Hurt by Auto.

At 6 p.m. yesterday an auto passing along Water Street, at the foot of Waldegrave Street, hit a boy named Stanley Taylor, of McParlane St., and knocked him down. It might have gone over the lad and killed or seriously injured him but that the driver brought the machine up in a hurry. Const. Lee who was passing ran to the lad's aid, and getting a cab had him driven home. Here Dr. Tait was summoned and found that he suffered from a few cuts and bruises, and that he had sustained no serious injury.

BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIP—The B. I. S. Billiard Committee met last night to make arrangements in connection with the Inter-Club championship match. After considerable discussion it was decided to leave the date unsettled till next meeting.

B. I. S. Billiard Match.

Mr. G. McGuire won the final handicap contest in the senior division at the B. I. S. Rooms last night, defeating Mr. T. Ryan. The conditions were that Mr. Ryan was to make 600 points against Mr. McGuire's 450. The latter made the requisite number, 58 points ahead and therefore won the senior prize. Ryan's best break was 40. The game was witnessed by a crowd with great interest.

Times May Change

But our quality never does. We always stock high grade clothing and pay the best prices for them. Every article bought in our establishment means the finest quality. So if you are looking for an up-to-date ready-made suit to give you satisfaction, try B. FRIEDMAN, 301 Water Street, Water Side. P. O. Box, 5. Phone 546.—ap5,tf

Festival of Empire.

The General Committee of the Festival of Empire held a meeting at the Board of Trade Rooms last evening. The reports were received from the various sub-committees in reference to the exhibits that will be sent to London. There was a large gathering and much enthusiasm was manifested. After making considerable progress the meeting adjourned at 10 o'clock. The programme is well advanced.

The annual report of the Yorkshire Penny Banks reveals the fact that seventy-five thousand pounds has been saved by child depositors in five years and remains in the hands of the bank.

Miss Lilian Cowan is prepared to give Music Lessons. Special attention to beginners. Address: 37 Queen's Road.—ap5,3tu,th,s

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Yes you'll have to hurry to get your choice n

American HATS and CAPS,

For Men, Boys and Girls.

1-3 Off the Regular Price.

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