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NO REPORT TO-DAY

Owing to the storm interfering with the Postal Telegraph lines, no weather report was received to-day.

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SIR EDWARD INTRODUCES RESOLUTIONS.

Dealing With the Fishing Industries Of this Country

COMPREHENSIVE SET

Coaker Sealing Bill Again Debated In Committee

Harmony marks the progress of business in the House these days. The Government seems thoroughly subdued and chastened, and seems anxious to avoid any collision with the alert and keen Opposition.

A capacity audience attended the House yesterday afternoon.

Petitions were presented by Mr. Clift on the subject of representation from Badger Brook. This matter is included in the Bill already before the House.

Mr. Targett had a petition from Hunt's Harbor for a road.

Mr. Abbott presented a petition from Bonavista for a bridge; Mr. Devereaux wants the dredge at Rushoon in the very near future.

The order paper contained a fairly long list of questions from Mr. Clift: Why Mr. Emanuel Bragg has been removed from the list of Supernumerary Tidewaters at Channel, and how long he held the job and who is now performing the duties of the position? Too Expensive.

The Newfoundland Geography was also the subject of one of Mr. Clift's questions. A reply was given by the Colonial Secretary; but the Colonial Secretary and the Government ought to realize the very potent fact, that the latest Newfoundland Geography, is dear at any price—it is not a Geography of Newfoundland; and we understand that the school children are being charged 80 cents a copy therefor.

The question by the members to the right of the chair are very searching and are causing the Government no little uneasiness.

Acts respecting the storage and carrying of explosives; for the protection and growth of partridge berries, passed their third reading and were sent to the Upper House.

The Finance Committee moved the House of the Whole on supply. After which, on Notice of Motion, the House considered certain resolutions respecting the fisheries.

The Prime Minister, who had tried to clear the decks for Monday, Feb. 16th, talked to his resolution, on fishery matters. His speech occupied about two hours. To the uninitiated, it was a great effort; but to the practical fisherman, who were in the Assembly, it looked very much like a case of "brain picking."

When the House went into Committee of the Whole on Supply, the Minister of Finance read the story of Supplementary Supply, which means that in round numbers another quarter of a million must be added on to the deficit, whatever that may be.

He read his explanation from a carefully prepared typewritten document, which some honorable were uncharitable enough to say the Minister had never read before yesterday afternoon.

Finished His Speech.

Mr. Winsor finished his speech on the Sealing Bill. The member for Bonavista told the House some solid facts in connection with the seal fishery. He has a very happy way of saying things; but hits right from the shoulder when defending the fishermen's rights.

The Leader of the Opposition asked that the discussion on Supplementary Supply be held over for a day, as also the debate on the Prime Minister's resolutions.

The House adjourned at half past six to meet again this afternoon at three.

CHANGE ISLANDS PARADE

(Special to The Daily Mail) Change Islands Local Council is parading to-day, and it is expected that there will be a big number of Union men in attendance.

We send hearty and loyal greetings to the President and to Mr. Hallyard, the representative for the District.

LOCAL COUNCIL.

Feb. 16, 1914.

HOW THEY DO IT IN ENGLAND.

London, Feb. 16.—Sir Stuart Samuel, Radical M.P. for White chapel, has been ordered by Justice Rowlatt of the King's Bench, to pay penalties and costs, amounting to \$65,000, because he voted in the Commons, while his firm had a contract with the British Government.

THREW A SCARE INTO THIS TOWN.

Suffragettes Woke up Blackburn By Firing Off An Old Cannon

Blackburn, Feb. 16.—Suffragettes fired last night a cannon captured from the Russians in a Crimean battle, which stood as an ornament in the City Park.

The whole city was shaken, and it was some time before the cause of the explosion was discovered.

In the vicinity floated a banner with the words, "Wake up, Blackburn. The Labor Party, which claims to stand for justice, supports a government which tortures women."

NIAGARA RETURNING ALL'S WELL ON BOARD.

Crippling Back To France Under Her Own Steam

Havre, Feb. 16.—A wireless from the Niagara reports all well on board. The vessel is returning to Havre under her own steam.

The Niagara was obliged to turn back on her voyage from here to New York with 147 passengers on board, owing to her propellers being broken by the heavy seas.

STRIKE OF BUTCHERS CAUSES MEAT FAMINE.

Sydney, Feb. 16.—A strike of butchers and meat salesmen has caused an acute meat famine in the city.

TRITONIA PUTTING BACK IN LEAKING CONDITION.

Glasgow, Feb. 16.—The steamer Tritonia, which left on the 9th, for Mobile, is returning, leaking badly.

ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY MAIL

Another Fatal Accident Occurs at Bell Island.

Patrick Hanlon, Of St. Mary's. The Victim Of Very Painful Injuries.

Another fatal accident has occurred at Bell Island, the victim being Patrick Hanlon, a native of St. Mary's.

He was employed as a surface laborer and was injured by a lump of frozen ground rolling down in front of an electric shovel, stripping the surface east of No. 2 mine.

The injured man was taken to the hospital where the doctor made an examination and found him to be injured internally.

He suffered great pain, but everything possible was done for him. He lingered until Sunday forenoon, when death came to his relief.

Deceased had been employed on the island for some time and was a faithful worker. He was well known to the men and his untimely end caused great sorrow.

The remains were confined and brought to town yesterday, via Portugal Cove, in charge of a couple of friends, who had a difficult time coming along. Part of the way a sled was used and then was met open water and they had to take a boat.

The corpse was put on board the Prospero to-day and will be taken home for interment.

GREAT BRITAIN LANDS MARINERS AT MEXICO CITY.

They Will Protect The British Legation And British Subjects

CONSULTED THE U.S.A.

Americans Were Agreeable To The Taking Of This Precaution

Washington, Feb. 16.—Britain consulted the States before landing a guard of mariners for their legation in Mexico city. The step is not regarded as contrary to any principle held by the States in the present situation.

ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY MAIL.

MANY HOMELESS IN NEW YORK CITY.

One Hundred Thousand to be Provided For.—Crowd the Shelters and Saloons.

New York, Feb. 16.—In New York City there are between 60,000 and 100,000 homeless men and women who find shelter on winter nights either in the rear rooms of saloons or in lodging houses where liquors are sold, according to a report on the conditions for the care of the homeless in this city that has just been made public by State Excise Commissioner Farley.

Whether the accommodations provided by public charity or by private enterprise is sufficient for the purpose is a matter of speculation, says the report, but when there is an unusually bitter night in winter, actual conditions confront theory with the fact that the homeless overflow the places of refuge provided and crowd the saloons of the congested districts.

AN ACT OF HONOR.

Washington, Feb. 16.—As the result of the conferences between the Senate leaders, President Wilson is confident that the exemption provision in the Panama Canal Act, will be repealed promptly.

POST OFFICE ALTERATIONS

Messrs. M. & E. Kennedy's men are now making some alterations to the interior of the General Post Office. The present circular windows where stamps are sold will be taken out and the front made flush.

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TWO CASES OF DIPHTHERIA

Two cases of diphtheria were reported from the Portugal Cove Road yesterday. One was removed to hospital, but the other is being nursed at home.

NEWFOUNDLANDERS IN SHIPDECKED CREW.

Halifax, Feb. 16.—The cable ship *Munia* arrived to-night with the crew of the abandoned Gloucester schooner *Cynthia*. Among them are the following Newfoundlanders: Captain Graham, Ryan, Slaney, J. Cusick, C. Cusick, Kieley, Walsh, W. Kippen, J. Kippen.

SUPPLEMENTAL SUPPLY TOTALS OVER \$244,000.

Makes Total Supply Over Four Million Dollars.

BIG AMOUNT FOR CIVIL GOVERNMENT

Fifty-One Thousand Extra Asked For For Public Charities

Civil Government, \$29,386.50.

Premier's Office, contingencies, \$1,500.00

Colonial Secretary's Office: Census, births, marriages and deaths, 2,700.00

Marine and Fisheries: Salaries and contingencies, 3,900.00

Public Works: Salaries, Contingencies, fuel and light, insurance, keepers and repairs, 19,526.50

Government Engineer's Office Contingencies, 1,960.00

\$29,586.50

Administration of Justice, \$8,369.38.

Colonial Secretary's Office: Supreme Court, 57.20

Court Houses and Jails, 20.00

Police Annuities, 1,017.18

Registration of Jurors, 300.00

\$1,394.38

Finance Department: Supreme Court Contingencies, 1,000.00

Magistrates' Contingencies, 2,000.00

\$3,000.00

Public Works: Supreme Court, 150.00

Penitentiary, 3,825.00

\$3,975.00

\$8,369.38

Legislation, \$9,919.99.

Finance Department, 1,036.50

House of Assembly, 5,224.29

General Legislation, 3,409.20

\$9,669.99

Public Works: Fuel and Light, 250.00

\$9,919.99

Education, \$1,400.00.

Colonial Secretary's Office: Assistant Supts. Education two at \$100 each, 200.00

Travelling expenses Supts. Education, four at \$200 each, 800.00

Travelling expenses Assistant Supt., two at \$200 each, 400.00

\$1,400.00

Public Charities, \$51,592.00.

Public Charities: Salaries, Medical Attendance, Pauper Lunatics, Conveyance, Orphanages, Smallpox, etc., etc., 30,000.00

Public Works: Salaries, etc., Lunatic Asylum, 4,280.00

Salaries, etc., General Hospital, 8,420.00

Salaries, etc., Poor Asylum, 2,492.00

Maintenance, Lazaretto, 4,800.00

Maintenance, Fever Hospital, 1,900.00

\$21,892.00

\$51,592.00

Light Houses, \$18,240.00

Marine and Fisheries: (Continued on page 6.)

Advertisement for The Daily Mail with text: 'A WORD TO THE WISE!', 'To the Reader!', 'Keep Posted', 'To the Advertiser!', 'The DAILY MAIL St. John's, Newfoundland.'

Advertisement with text: 'IMPORTANT NOTICE! On Saturday's The Daily Mail and The Fishermen's Advocate are issued together at One Cent for the two papers.'

Large advertisement for M A Y O, S T O B A C with text: 'Good all the Time'.