

## Evening Telegram

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## Mr. Kent's Speech.

We draw the attention of our readers to our copy of the official report of the speech of Mr. J. M. Kent, M. H. A., member for St. John's East, on the agricultural policy of the Government. It will be found a thoughtful and careful review of the deplorable abandonment of the Agricultural policy of Sir Robert Bond. This policy was based on the experience of Canada, Great Britain, Denmark and other countries, which are now leading in Agricultural policy. It has proved a success elsewhere, and everything pointed to similar success in Newfoundland. This policy has as its object the thorough scientific investigation of soil, climate and other natural conditions, the discovery by experience of the most suitable seeds and stocks, the dissemination of that knowledge and the providing of such seeds and stocks. Contrast this course of experimental farms, agricultural schools, scientific investigators, trained agricultural teachers, with the throwing away of money on such a commission as was appointed by the Government of men who can in no sense be regarded as scientific authorities. Canada has its Saunders, Robertsons and Zavitz, and Newfoundland its Seymours, Downes and Devereaux. What can Newfoundland expect under the circumstances?

## Leaving the Country.

We are informed on good authority that one of our prominent business men intends leaving the country, and has given his handsome residence in the hands of a broker to dispose of. We can ill afford to lose such people as the one spoken of. He is one of our most charitable citizens as well as a large shareholder in nearly, if not all of our local industries. It is deplorable enough to see so many young men leaving the country, but it is still more regrettable to hear of capital and labour givers forsaking it.

## Norwegian Fishery.

24th April, 1911.

Lofoten	10,500,000
All others	24,400,000
Total	34,900,000
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Lofoten	12,900,000
All others	25,300,000
Total	38,200,000

## The Durango Here.

The s.s. Durango, Capt. Chambers, arrived here at 11 a.m. to-day. She left Liverpool Thursday week at 4 p.m., and from the start had head winds from the S.W. and a very heavy sea, though she met no storms. To avoid ice she ran as far south as 43, and made Cape Race at 4 a.m. to-day. She brought 440 tons cargo and 18 bags and 4 baskets of mail matter. One passenger arrived by her—Mr. Rowe, a new chief engineer for the Bonaventure.

## Football Up North.

We are pleased to hear that Dr. Jamieson of Wesleyville, is taking a great interest in the young people of that place as well as the older folk, he has taught them the noble game of football, during the winter and they have had quite a pleasant time. Just before the sealers sailed, a match was played between the Wesleyville and Brookfield teams, resulting in a victory of three to one in favor of the former. Captain William Tiller is goal keeper and Captain Edward Bishop fullback for the Wesleyville sports.

## Personal.

Mr. A. J. Oake, special advertising manager for Cape Breton and Newfoundland for the E. W. Gillett Co., Ltd., Toronto, arrived by the Glencoe. Mr. Oake will remain all summer in Newfoundland.

T. T. Cartwright, general representative of E. W. Gillett Co., Ltd., Toronto, who has been in the city for several weeks in the interest of his company leaves by Tuesday's express for the West Coast.

Master Setton Willett, who has been studying for the past year at Bishop Fell's College, returned to his home at Grand Falls by last evening's express.

ANOTHER BEAR SEEN.—Saturday we learnt two residents of Petty Harbour, saw another polar bear about 200 yards further down the shore than where the last one was shot. This animal was about the same size and if the men had a gun they could have killed it. They intend organizing a hunt to destroy it.

## Councillor Martin Responsible.

In reference to an item contained in our paper last Tuesday about the Councils meeting we wish to make a correction to remove a wrong impression that seems to be abroad, viz., that Secretary Slattery had turned down Councillor Channing when he called there to let him know that a meeting would be held that night. When Councillor Channing said "We will have a meeting to-night," Mr. Slattery did not say "I don't think so," but he said, "I'd rather you'd put it off till to-morrow, as I have an important engagement to-night." Councillor Channing is not the kind of a man to let any official of the Council turn him down. He felt sure when speaking to Mr. Slattery that the meeting would be held, as he had a requisition signed by the majority of the Councillors in his pocket. He had sent the requisition to Councillor Martin to attend the meeting and felt sure that he would not ignore the request of the majority of the Council. But Councillor Martin did this, and on him rests the responsibility of the meeting not being held. Substantially the report we published was given our reporter by Councillor Mulally, except a few humorous touches, and the verbiage may be a little different in one or two places, including the reply "I don't think so," alleged to have been used by Secretary Slattery.

## The Portia Arrives.

The S. S. Portia, Capt. T. Fitzpatrick, arrived here from the westward at 6 p.m. yesterday. Leaving here on the 14th, she encountered a N.E. storm and she left Placentia on the 15th, at 6 p.m., and St. Lawrence at the same hour on the 16th. She made a very good run after to Port aux Basques arriving at 6 a.m. on the 19th. She left there at 8 a.m. and had a good run to Cape La Hune but after leaving there had a N.E. snow storm and harboured at Francois until daylight Thursday. The storm lasted all that day and she did not reach St. Jacques until dark. A very high sea ran and she did not reach Grand Bank until 5 a.m. Friday. After leaving there she met N.E. gales and high seas until she arrived here. She brought a small freight and these passengers:

Capt. Dyatt, Messrs. W. F. Kelly, A. Hollett, M. Gibbons, M. St. Croix, Rev. Fr. Walsh, J. Edstrom, M. Rendell, O'Leary, M. P. Cashin, Carey, Mesdames Costello, Chafe, Carey, Misses Wiseman, Badcock, Cashin, Muldowney, Kearney, Farrell; Masters Edstrom, Freebairn, Cashin (2) and 24 steerage.

## Child Badly Scalded.

By to-day's train we learn that yesterday a terrible accident occurred at Carbonear. A little boy named Grandy, aged 7 years, was in the kitchen of his home while a boiler filled with scalding water was on the stove. In turning about the floor he accidentally knocked it down, the scalding contents going over him, parboiling his stomach and legs, while his face and hands were also badly scalded. He suffered terrible agony and Dr. Stensford was called to attend him. It is feared he will not live as some of the vital organs are affected.

## Sermon by Mons. Roche

Rt. Rev. Monsignor Roche preached a very beautiful and eloquent sermon at the R. C. Cathedral at Vespers last night taking his text from the third chapter of St. Paul to the Colossians, first and second verses: "If ye be risen with Christ seek those things which are above where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. Set your affection on the things above and not on things of the earth." There was a large congregation. Rev. Dr. Greene afterwards imparted Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

## More Diphtheria.

To-day another case of diphtheria developed at the residence of No. 5, Cabot Street, the time a young woman aged 19, being stricken with it. She was sent to hospital. The other two children from the same house are doing well. A girl, a patient at the General Hospital aged 14, was removed to-day to the Fever Hospital for observation for diphtheria.

## Bellaventure's Turnout

The Bellaventure finished discharging her cargo of fat Saturday evening. She turned out 23,802 seals, which weighed gross 411 tons, net, 385 tons, 6 cwt., 10 lbs. Net value \$32,683.65. Her crew of 269 men shared \$40.35 and were paid off Saturday evening.

The schr. Damaraland, Dean, master, arrived at Bahia on Saturday last, 28 days on the passage; all well.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DANDRUFF.

## Here and There.

ARRIVED AT GREENSPOND.—The Stella Maria arrived at Greenspond at 10 a.m. to-day and left at 9.35 coming south.

"STAFFORD'S LINIMENT" cures rheumatism, Lumbago, Neuralgia, etc., only 10cts. a bottle. Postage 5cts. extra.

MEN LEFT AT MONTREAL.—Four of the men going to the whale fishery on the Pacific Coast with M. F. Carroll left him at Montreal on the way west.

Our grocery department is noted for its high class stock. We keep "Excellor" flour try a sack or barrel. Bowring Brothers Ltd.—april 21, 101.

WILL SAIL THURSDAY.—The s.s. Euphrates, now undergoing repairs at the R. N. Co. dock, will be ready to sail for Bell Island Thursday. She will take a freight.

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POLICE COURT NEWS.—In the police court to-day a drunk was discharged. Another was fined \$1 or 2 days, and a third was fined \$5 or 14 days, being an old offender.

DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL.—A lad named Gus Murphy, who was a patient at the General Hospital and contracting diphtheria there, was sent to the Fever Hospital, was released from that institution yesterday, cured.

Kohler Pianos are in use the world over and their output numbers considerably over 100,000. We offer this make in our great clearance and change of business sale at greatly reduced prices. CHESLEY WOODS, Sole Nhd. Agent.—april 11

A QUIET NIGHT.—The streets were very orderly Saturday evening and night and only 3 persons were jailed. These were drunks, one of whom only was released a few days ago and who had done 9 months. Two were released yesterday and the other was held till to-day.

TO REMAIN CLOSED.—The Importers Association have decided to continue closing their places of business at 6 p.m. this week. Their Annual Meeting will be held on Wednesday afternoon when the hours of closing the stores holidays, etc., will be decided upon.

NEW PRESIDENT ELECTED.—Mr. Henry Cowan was elected President at the quarterly meeting of the Agricultural Society, held Saturday in the British Hall. Mr. S. Bowcock who had been president the past year, resigned. After the reports of the Executive Committee had been read and adopted, the meeting adjourned.

There will be a School Entertainment on Tuesday evening, April 25th. The most attractive feature of the evening will be the presence of the Methodist Guards Band which will play for promenadeing.—april 22, 11

LEFT WITH CREWS.—The S. S. Bellaventure which finished discharging her seals Saturday evening, sailed for Wesleyville, Greenspond, Pool's Island and other places North at 2 a.m. yesterday with her own and part of the crew of the Adventure.

AN EXPLANATION.—The boys Noseworthy and Tuff, who we stated stayed away on the Glencoe last week, say that they did not do so but paid their passage out of money which they had earned. Noseworthy states positively the money was earned and saved.

F. S. A.—PATRIOTIC CONCERT.—Monday, April 24th, at 8.30 p.m., in B. Fell's College. Patriotic Songs, etc. The Pierrots. His Excellency the Governor has kindly consented to give a Patriotic Address. Tickets, 50c. and 30c., at Gray and Goodland's.—april 22, 11

WEDDING TO-MORROW.—To-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock Miss Katie Blandford, daughter of Capt. Arch Blandford, will be married to Mr. Kenneth McDonald, chief engineer of the s.s. Adventure. Mr. McDonald is the eldest son of Dr. McDonald of Greenspond. The ceremony will take place at the residence of the bride's parents, 38 Circular Road.

TRoubles OF A SEALER.—Jack Seelgrove, of the C.L.B., was out in the Aurora this spring and while after a dog hood fell in, and but for his ability as a swimmer might have drowned. He was alone at the time but reached a pan of ice on which he clambered and waited until the steamer picked him off. Later in travelling over the ice he sprained his leg and was laid up for ten days.

MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.

## Hand Bitten by Dog.

Mr. Geo. LeMessurier, chief accountant of the General Post Office, will likely not allow strange dogs to come into his office any more. He has a dog of his own which would lie quiet under his desk in the office till the Torbay Road would be repaired if strange dogs would keep away. Last Saturday Dr. Macpherson, who has a belligerent dog, called there on business, his dog following him up to the chief accountant's office. As soon as the canines eyed each other war was declared. Mr. LeMessurier succeeded to part them in the first round, and for his interference one of the dogs bit him in the hand and tore the flesh terribly with his teeth. The wound was so serious that he had to go home and call in a doctor, fearing that blood poison would set in. He will not be able to take the bandage off for several days. "Cave canem" will be the motto in the G. P. O. for the next few weeks.

## Neptune's Patients.

The names of the Neptune's typhoid patients are:—Lawrence Hearn, Cove Road; Robert Tuik, Nathan Goodchild, of Newtown; Z. Drew, Elliston; Nathan Andrews, Cape Freels; and F. Kennedy, St. John's. The first named are all in hospital, and the latter who has a mild form of the disease is being treated at his home.

The Neptune's crew are to-day discharging the ship's seals, and the ship has been disinfected.

## Banker Drowned.

By the Portia we learn that a man belonging to the schooner Gordon Hollett was drowned in Connaigre Bay, Thursday night last. Those on the ship cannot remember his name. He with a companion were on board another schooner and remained after dark; when returning to their own vessel they overturned their dory. One clung to the boat until rescued but the other was drowned.

## MARINE NOTES.

The Carthaginian arrived at Halifax at 6 p.m. Saturday.

The Corinthian leaves Liverpool for this port to-morrow.

The Amethyst, the first boat from Montreal, was to have left there for this port Saturday.

The Rosalind sails at 6 p.m. for Montreal, taking a small cargo and one saloon passenger, Mr. J. J. Muldoon, and 20 steerage passengers, mostly from Harbor Grace and Trinity.

## Coastal Boats.

## REID'S BOATS.

The Argyle left Placentia at 11.55 a.m. Saturday on the Red Island route.

The Dundee is at St. John's.

The Ethie arrived at Placentia at 3.30 p.m. yesterday and sailed again this p.m.

The Glencoe arrived at St. John's at 5.15 p.m. Saturday and sailed for Louisbourg at 4 a.m. yesterday.

BOWRING'S BOATS.—The Portia sails west at 10 a.m. Friday next.

The Prospero sails west on Wednesday next.

## Train Notes.

The west-bound express left Norris at 8.50 a.m. to-day.

The incoming express left Port aux Basques on time and is due here at 2.30.

The local via Brigus arrived at St. John's at 12.20 p.m. to-day bringing 150 passengers including A. Barnes, Rev. J. St. John, Rev. Canon Noel, J. Norris, J. R. Goodison, T. P. Connors, O. Emerson, Const. Morrissey, Rev. Fr. Donnelly, F. H. Hue, Mr. Sapp, Mrs. Jerrett, Mr. Goff, Mrs. Goff, Mr. Curtis and Mr. Martin. Fifty came in from Bell Island.

The 8.45 train took out W. J. Higgins, D. Kent, O. Emerson, W. McNelly, Capt. Connolly, R. Alsop, W. J. Carroll, Mr. Burke, Mr. Cole, Mr. Walsh and Mr. Blackie.

FOR POOR ASYLUM.—John Baggs, an old man, of Bay de Verde, came in by train to-day and was taken to the Poor Asylum by Mr. Eli Whiteway.

## DIED.

On Sunday, 23rd April, after a long and tedious illness, William, youngest son of Michael J. and Margaret McDonald, aged 34 years. Funeral to-morrow, Tuesday, at 3 p.m., of appendicitis, Patrick, eldest son of the late John and Amelia O'Neil, aged 15 years. Funeral will take place from his grandmother's residence, 273, Water Street, west, to-morrow, Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m.

On Saturday evening, Sarah A., widow of the late Henry Warren Seymour, aged 81 years. Funeral to-morrow, Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, No. 94 Barnes Road. Friends and acquaintances please accept this, the only, intimation.

At Brooklyn, N.Y., March 28th, Kathleen J. Behan, daughter of Mary Anne and the late J. Behan. Miss Behan was granddaughter of the late Joseph English who carried on an extensive tailoring business on Water Street, opposite Scott's, about 35 years ago.

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### More Halibut Here.

The Portia this trip brought down 4,000 lbs. of halibut from the West Coast, and this will likely be the last shipment this season, as the fishery is now about over. We learn that if at least 5 cents per pound is not secured here this shipment will be sent on to Sydney by the S. S. Rosalind.

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FISHING PROPERTY DESTROYED.—The people of Petty Harbor estimate that \$14,000 worth of property including stages, flakes and fishing gear, was destroyed in the recent storm there. There was never like happened there before.