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To-Day's News.

Special to Evening Telegram.
LONDON, To-day.
The Dock strike, conducted peacefully up to the present, assumed a disquieting aspect last night, by reason of the issuance of a manifesto on behalf of strikers, protesting against the use of police and soldiers in the employers' interests and warning the Government that such action will provoke extreme measures on the part of strikers and imperil the peaceful conduct of the dispute. This manifesto is due to the fact that throughout the day hundreds of tons of meat were unloaded by volunteers under police protection. It is reported that the strike committee in secret session decided if the Government resorted to the employment of troops, the strikers would retaliate by stopping the Royal Mail Service, which ran uninterruptedly throughout the strike of 1911. The probability of the strike becoming national is increased by the belief that the carmen's strike will be a partial failure and because of the Workers' Federation at Liverpool, Manchester, Glasgow, Southampton and other ports ordering men to refuse to handle the cargoes of such vessels.

Special Evening Telegram.
NEW YORK, To-day.
The New Jersey Primary election to-day practically close the spectacular campaign for Presidential nomination. South Dakota primaries are still in the future but it is believed the opening of the polls at New Jersey to-day will see the end of the personal appeals for primary votes that Taft and Roosevelt have voiced in many parts of the country.

Special to Evening Telegram:
OTTAWA, To-day.
John Hedges, States representative of the International Fisheries Commission, was at Ottawa conferring with Professor Prince, Canadian expert. Hedges comes with the object of smoothing over the difficulties arising out of the failure of the States to agree to the proposed food fishery regulations. Canada has taken the position that the present condition ought not to continue and has talked of withdrawing from the treaty. It is believed Hedges' mission will likely be successful.

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Evening Telegram
W. J. HERDER, - - Proprietor
W. F. LLOYD, - - Editor
TUESDAY, May 28, 1912.

Morris's Bombast.

It will be remembered that Sir Edward Morris, three years ago signalled his first visit to England as Prime Minister of Newfoundland by talking preposterous nonsense about the ability of Newfoundland to contribute largely to the manning of the Navy. He stated that Newfoundland was able to provide crews to man twenty battleships, holding himself and the Colony up to the ridicule of the people of England, and showing that he was utterly incapable of taking part in the serious conference on Defence to which he had been invited by the Home Government. The insincerity of that declaration has been shown by the history of the past three years. At the time he uttered this buncombe he had been in charge of the Government for a few months. Since he uttered it, he has been directing the affairs of Newfoundland for three years, and during that time not one effort has been made to increase in any way what was being done by Newfoundland towards the Navy before he came into power. During his administration extravagance has been rampant in every way and form. There has been picknicking without stint, new jobs created, great debts piled up, but nothing whatever done towards doing more for the Navy, or making good his boast. In spite of these facts, Sir Edward Morris marked his last advent into London by more gasconading. Here is the report which has been going the rounds of the Canadian press:—"London, May 21.—Sir Edward Morris, the Newfoundland Premier, who arrived here yesterday, said that Newfoundland had always been ready to do her share in a contribution to

the Imperial navy. She would not wait to be invited."
The Daily News headed this cutting with the statement: "Newfoundland Ready to Contribute."
Sir Edward Morris declares that Newfoundland is willing and has always been willing to contribute. In dealing with grave subjects when will Sir Edward begin to be serious, and begin to realize that in such matters deeds are wanted and not words. For years the Home Government has been constantly inviting assistance towards defence. Sir Edward Morris as Prime Minister has held four sessions of the Legislature, and he has not once invited the Legislature to consider such an appropriation he "talks through his hat" about in London.
The irony of the situation is that he makes this assertion after just closing his fourth Legislative session without doing anything, and when he is in London asking for a Loan to pay part for railway building which he contracted for in 1910, and to finish paying for which he or somebody else will have to raise a third loan.
It is time his colleagues called a halt to the ridiculous position in which puts his country when he takes a picnic abroad. A stop would have been put to it this fall, if the fishermen could have had their way and obtain the chance of voting at a General Election. But next year a period will be put to Morris and his doing when he is forced, against his will, to appeal to the country.

Coastal Boats.
REID'S STEAMERS.
The Argyle left Placentia at 5.30 p.m. yesterday.
The Clyde left Liverpool at 4 p.m. yesterday.
The Dundee left Musgrave at 11.15 a.m. yesterday.
The Ethie left Britannia Cove at 2.15 p.m. yesterday.
The Home arrived at Bay of Islands yesterday afternoon.
The Invermore left Port aux Basques at 11.40 p.m. yesterday.
The west bound express reached Port aux Basques at 11.10 p.m. yesterday.
BOWING SHIPS.
The S. S. Prospero left Sydney at 3 p.m. yesterday on her way to St. John's.
The S. S. Prospero left Burgeo at 10 a.m. to-day.
RED CROSS LINE.
The S. S. Stephano, Capt. Clarke, sails to-morrow at noon for Halifax and New York. She takes a small freight of fish and oil, and as additional passengers, ten in steerage.
The S. S. Florizel, which was being renovated at New York, leaves there on Saturday next for this port via Halifax.
GOES TO MONTREAL.—Mr. Leo O'Dea, late of the Evening Chronicle staff, leaves by the "City of Sydney" for Montreal where he has secured a good position.
MINARD'S LIMENT CURES GARDEN IN COWS.

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Titanic Disaster.
Finding of Senate Committee—Blame Attached to Capt. Smith of the Titanic and Capt. Lord of the Californian.
Special to Evening Telegram.
WASHINGTON, To-day.
The blame of the Titanic disaster is chargeable directly to the failure of Capt. Smith to heed the repeated warnings of icebergs ahead, but the responsibility for unnecessary loss of lives must be shared by Capt. Lord of the s.s. Californian through disregard of distress signals. This is the finding of the Senate Committee which investigated the sinking of the s.s. Titanic.
A SNAP—Large assortment of Post Cards at 10 and 15 cts. per dozen, at Stafford's. —may24, 1w

A Pathetic Death
The Telegram extends its sincere sympathy with Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Brown of Hamilton Avenue in the death of their pretty little boy Willie. The family has been afflicted very much lately. Mrs. Brown is a daughter of the late Mrs. Fennessy, and only last winter she had her little girl scalded to death. The Brown and Fennessy people are most respectable and the afflicted father and mother are receiving the sympathy of a large circle of friends.
Fishery News.
The Fisheries Department has the following reports to-day from the northward:
Fogo—Good sign of fish with traps and on ground with hook and line.
Seidon—Traps are doing well.
Twillingate—Remarkable trap fishing; one trap yesterday secured 100 herrings; others 30, 65 and 40.
Bonavista—Fish scarce with jiggers; traps about 1/2 qt. each; salmon not plentiful.
Woman Suicides.
We learn to-day by arrivals from the Southern Shore that a woman named Scott suicided in the harbor of Witless Bay. She was an old woman and jumped over the public wharf. The body, as far as the Telegram can learn, has been recovered.

Capsized Schr. Picked Up.
The Marine and Fisheries Department received the appended message to-day from Bay de Verde concerning the schr. Adventure, which turned turtle, as noted in yesterday's Telegram:
"Picked up between Flambo Head and Bay de Verde this morning wrecked schooner Adventure, about 25 or 30 tons. She had no canvas, chains or anchors, sails and rigging in position."
"RICHARD FLEMING."

The Police Court.
A drunk who was conveyed to the station in a cab was released on payment of cab hire.
A deserter from the fishery service of Balne Johnston & Co. was sentenced to 30 days' hard labor.
About twelve civil cases were disposed of. The matters occupied the Court till one o'clock, when the Court rose to sit again at 3 o'clock.

Here and There.
The S. S. Mongolian was 70 miles west of Main Head at 10 o'clock this morning.
SALMON CHEAPER.—Salmon was sold in the city to-day by country people for 10c. per pound, and the vendors found ready sale.
FURNISHINGS FOR HOME.—The George B. Crett, Boston, last Wednesday with a full load of furnishings for the Fishermen's Home. In the cargo are two pianos.
REV. MR. CALDWELL.—Rev. Mr. Caldwell, the popular Anglican pastor of Kelligrews, arrived here by last night's train. Mr. Caldwell has an extensive parish to travel over, and despite his arduous duties he is well in health.

During Sleep Nature Repairs the Human Engine
If you are one of the "Sleepless Squad," let us suggest that you avoid coffee and tea, and have a cup of steaming hot **POSTUM** before retiring.
It has soothed the tired nerves and brought peaceful, refreshing sleep in many, many cases.
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Cambridge, Mass., May 15.—Science is planning a comparatively noiseless world, a world in which clamor and clangor are reduced to a minimum. Men of learning, such as Dr. Clarence John Blake, professor of otology at Harvard Medical School, declare that

there is absolutely no reason why there should not be such a world in existence. If the citizens of this and other supposedly civilized countries can be weaned away from the survivals of savagery: Noise, at least loud noise, is needless, Dr. Blake says.
It is contended that the hustle and bustle of city life, the tooting of whistles, the roar of trains and other noises, are taking its toll from the health of the community.

The ear is becoming abnormal and blunted, the sensitive mechanism of hearing in an effort to exclude the never-ending annoyance, is thickening.
Gradually the roar of the city works upon the nerves and brain, produces irritation and exhaustion. Nervous prostration, a disease of cities, is one result; deafness is another, and suffering to the weak and convalescent is still another.

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Every Chinese Leper Mission is dermanned, Says Worker.
An interesting account of her among lepers in Fukien province, China, was given yesterday by Jessie Wade, daughter of Rev. C. Wade, of Hamilton, at the meeting of the Toronto Auxiliary of the Mission of Lepers, held in theronto Bible College. "It does more good to visit those asylums work among the lepers than any mon," said Miss Wade. When ted to complain, the sight of suffering but patient Christian Gesc encouraged her. Every station had missionaries at all was unmanued, said Miss Wade, and were countless villages where missionaries were working. The treasurer's report showed \$152.40 received from the Toronto friends during the month, making a total of about \$600 since the beginning of 1912.
New York, May 17.—In the decade from 1901 to 1910, the death rate of tuberculosis in the United States declined from 196.9 for each 100 persons living to 160.3, a decrease of 18.7 per cent. while the general death rate, including all causes

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