"IN FREEDOM'S CAUSE."

Evening Telegram

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Aroused at Last.

There are several familiar proverbs, all in everyday use, which may be very appositely quoted to-day. Everybody will recognize their applicability, and will agree to their appropriateness under the circumstances. One is "constant dropping wears away the stone." Another "misfortunes like chickens come home to roost," and yet another "even the worm will turn." Abraham Lincoln's expresson that "you may fool half the people all the time, and all the people half the time, but you cannot fool all the people all the time" is as true to-day as it was on the occasion when it was uttered. The present Government worked and has been working with the fixed idea that it could fool all the people all the time. If proof is needed study carefully its doings and its legislation. All the experience gained in their three sessions of the Legislature has not given the leaders of the administration any wisdom. The rank and file does not need any. They blindly follow where the Executive lead. But, as in every case, where tyrannical and unjust laws are imposed on a free people, they rise in indignant protest and often in their might hurl Government from power, so to-day in St. John's—if not all over Newfoundland—the people have begun to slough their apathy, and are awakening from their slumbers. The leaders are aroused, and the sound of the tocsin of alarm will be heard throughout the land. The worm has turned. The weight of the burden placed on the shoulders of demos has been deliberately increased, year after year by those who professed to be apostles of economy in public expenditure. No longer can either the classes or the masses stagger under the load, and if something is not done quickly all will fall by the wayside and the lamp of trade, commerce and production will cease to burn.

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But a blow is about to be struck: is being struck in fact as these lines are passing through the hands of the printer. The Board of Trade, the highest commercial body in the land, is assembled in session, the object being to arouse public sentiment against the evils and iniquities of the Government. Having long groaned under an intolerable system of taxation, having been restricted in their business by Acts of Parliament, many being near brought to the verge of bankruptcy, some having dropped over the edge, the members of the Board find that they can no longer remain silent, if the best interests of Colony and population are to be served. Therefore they are now engaged in discussing the financial condition of the Colony having regard to (1) The Estimates for 1922-23 as submitted by the Minister of Finance, (2) The Tariff as it is, (3) Fishing Supplies past and to come, and (4) The Proposal of the Government to add further to the taxes already being collected. Other matters arising out of these four subjects will also be dealt with intelligently and squarely. The Board of Trade represents no political party, neither has it as an organization any political predilections. The personal views of its members on political matters do not come into the range of discussion. The benefit and advancement of Newfoundland is the prevailing idea, and the backing of the people, if not in St. John's then in the outports, should be given. The strength of the sixteen electoral districts outside St. John's East and West, should support the Board of Trade in the uphill work that they have to-day voluntarily undertaken. True they have been a long time making up their mind, but better late than never. With public opinion behind them, strengthening their determination and decision, it may be made possible for the bright light of prosperity to be made shine forth from the present darkness of depression. Public sentiment, public spirit, public opinion, needs to be aroused. All that is wanted are leaders. The **Telegram** backs the Board of Trade, in the present movement, and will do all in its power to place facts and particulars of to-day's meeting before the public of Newfoundland.

Twenty Years Ago To-Day.

(Evening Telegram, April 4th, 1902.)

Quite a number of schooners from the westward arrived in port to take supplies for the fishery.

Landsmen between Cat Harbor and Western Arm hauled 700 seals ashore.

A bill in reference to the Incorporation of the Electric Light Co. for Heart's Content, Carbonear and Harbor Grace was introduced in the Assembly.

Hadda Mullah, a fanatic with 5,000 armed followers, marched on Cabul. Afghanistan, to make trouble for the British.

Cecil Rhodes body taken to Rhodesia.

S. U. F. in Cape Breton.

OTHER LODGES TO BE ESTABLISHED.

The Society of United Fishermen, of which two Lodges are already formed in Cape Breton, one at Sydney and one at North Sydney, is planning to broaden out by the establishment of three more Lodges in the district. The parent organization of the S.U.F., is in Newfoundland. Local members wish to obtain a district grand lodge by establishing the requisite number of branches, which is five. The Sydney and North Sydney branches are now in flourishing condition and rapidly gaining membership. Sydney Lodge paid a fraternal visit to their North Sydney brethren last Tuesday evening.—Sydney Post, March 24.

McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, April 4.

Have you that all gone feeling that invariably follows the grippy cold so prevalent of late. Do not neglect this feeling. It is a symptom that you are liable to a relapse, or to pick up anything in the way of disease that may be going. Get, instead, a bottle of our Nutritive Hypophosphites and take it faithfully, you will surely get results. So do not fail to avail yourself of this sure method of gaining strength. McMurdo's Nutritive Hypophosphites sells of $1 and 50 cents a bottle.

Grand Masquerade Dance, C. C. C. Hall, C. C. C. Band, St. George's Night, April 24th. Caterers: Ladies' Auxiliary G. W. V. A. Make a start on your costume to-day.—apr4,3i

Rotary Club.

WILL INITIATE NEW MEMBERS.

Three new members will be initiated at to-night's dinner of the Rotary Club. They are Inspector General Hutchings, who represents the Constabulary; Mr. Fred Angel, representing Consulting Engineers, and Mr. J. Meehan, representing Teas. These will be the first members to be admitted since the organization of the St. John's branch of the Rotary Club. Mr. H. E. Cowan will be chairman at to-night's meeting, which will start at 6 o'clock. The reason of the change of hour is that the discussion will occupy a longer time than could be obtained at the luncheon meetings. The subjects of discussion will be Boys' Welfare Work and the Report of the Secretary, Dr. V. P. Burke, on the convention at Moncton, which he attended.

Star of the Sea Forms Ladies' Association.

The lady friends of the Star of the Sea Association met in the spacious meeting room of the Star of the Sea Hall last evening. The meeting was largely attended. Several letters were received from lady friends regretting their non-attendance owing to previous engagements but expressing their sympathy with this deserving movement and their willingness to become associated with the project at the first opportunity. The Executive of the Association was present. Rev. Dr. Greene, President Martin and Treasurer T. Kelly made short addresses. Much enthusiasm was displayed and the ladies entered into the movement in a manner that assures success. The balloting for the different offices showed a keen interest in the selection, and the following were elected amid much enthusiasm: President, Mrs. D. Dempsey; Vice-Pres., Mrs. M. J. Leonard; Treasurer, Mrs. G. F. Trainor; Secretary, Miss Kitty Payne.

Seals Seen Off Pouch Cove.

TOO MUCH SEA FOR OPERATIONS.

The easterly wind prevailing the past couple of days has driven heavy ice in on the land and from Cape Spear around to Conception Bay the coast is now blocked. Seals were seen on the ice this morning by the men of Pouch Cove but a heavy sea prevented launching boats. Should the ice pack together it is not improbable that the landsmen in this vicinity will make a haul.

Transferring Stores.

H. M. S. Cambrian is still in the stream and the work of transferring the guns, ammunition and stores from the training ship Briton started this morning, the tug Hugh D. being engaged in the work. The Cambrian is under Admiralty orders and her destination is not announced. She is not, however, as previously stated, on the scrapping list.

Shipwrecked Fishermen Landed at Hermitage.

The following message has been received by the Assistant Collector of Customs from the Sub-Collector at Hermitage: "Schr. Bretwalda has arrived here from the winter fishery hailing for 120 qtls. The schooner also brought the crew and 320 qtls. codfish salved from the wrecked schooner Morning Bloom."

What's Up at G. P. O.?

As there is no express going out to-day, business people are wondering why a mail was not dispatched by S. S. Sable I. Replies to the mail which arrived yesterday must wait at the Post Office until Thursday, whereas had they been despatched by the Sable I. they would be in Halifax by that date.

Sagona's Turn-Out.

MARCH 31st, 1922.

8804 young harps, 2935 cwts., 25 lbs.
104 old harps, 109 cwts., 2 qrs., 22 lbs.
Nett value, $12,013.97
Crew shared, $27.62.
Average weight of young harps, 39 lbs. Price $4.00. Old harps $3.00.

REMINDER! REMINDER!—Highlanders' Ladies' Association Sale, Presbyterian Hall, Thursday, 3.30.—apr4,1i

KNOWLING'S Grocery Stores,

Offer the following:

COD TONGUES and SOUNDS—Freshly salted, just received from West Coast, 7c. lb. only
HERRING—Fresh . . . . . .15c. doz.
HALIBUT—In tins, new pack, very fine, 23c. tin
LOBSTER—1 lb. tins, No. 1. . . . . .55c. tin
LOBSTER—½ lb. tins, No. 1 . . . . . .30c. tin
OYSTERS—In tins, choicest . . . .32c. & 57c. tin
SARDINES—Very finest, Norwegian Eagle brand . . . . . .30c. tin

G. KNOWLING, Ltd.

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The Budget.

HIGHER POSTAGE FORESHADOWED.

It is expected that the Budget Speech will be delivered in the House to-morrow afternoon. No material alterations are expected in the tariff. Higher postage on foreign letters is foreshadowed. This recommendation will be made by the Minister of Posts and will suggest that the postage on foreign letters should be raised to four cents, which is the rate now in force in England, Canada and many other countries. This might possibly mean a substantial increase in revenue. Other means whereby the Government hope to augment their revenue are the Income Tax and Business Profits Tax, both of which are now before the House in the Committee stage, and in the form of Resolutions. The Income Tax Resolutions will form an important point in the discussion which will taken place at to-day's meeting of the Board of Trade.

The Tariff Commission.

AN UNWIELDY COMMITTEE.

It is understood that the personnel of the Tariff Revision Committee will be announced in the House to-morrow afternoon. The Commission consists of nine members and Hon. H. J. Browning, Minister of Finance and Customs, will be the Chairman. Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, Assistant Collector of Customs will be a member, and other members are Messrs. J. V. O'Dea and Fred Angel. The latter is representing the Manufacturer's Association. The Commission will begin its activities as early as possible and from time to time will make recommendations to the Governor in Council. The whole tariff will be considered. The last tariff revision was that of 1898. Since then there have been occasional amendments, particularly with regard to classification. Several questions of policy will have to be decided by the Commission such as matters of protective tariff and kindred questions. These matters could be dealt with more easily by a smaller commission as it is doubtful whether the one to be appointed will have the right to decide them.

Obituary.

MRS. (CAPT.) STEPHEN PARSONS.

Yesterday morning there passed away to the Great Beyond an estimable lady in the person of Mary, wife of Capt. Stephen Parsons in her 63rd year. The deceased lady had been ailing for some time and despite all that medical skill and loving attention could do her spirit entered the other land, there to receive the reward of a life well spent.

During her illness she was attended by her daughters Effie and Kathleen whose loving care and devotion helped to ease the sufferings of a devoted and noble mother.

The deceased lady was the daughter of the late Capt. Az. Alcock, of Hr. Grace, and leaves to mourn besides her husband, 6 children, 3 daughters Effie and Kathleen at home and one married to Rev. Mr. Butler, of Port de Grave; three sons, Stephen, conducting a successful business at Quirpon; Baxter, pressman at the Daily Star, and William, chief engineer of the s.s. Clyde; she also leaves two sisters, Mrs. H. S. Butler and Mrs. R. B. Crocker, of this city, and two brothers at Griquet, Mark and William.

Having lived in St. John's over 20 years, Mrs. Parsons made hosts of friends and her passing is deeply regretted. The funeral takes place tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 from her late residence 10 cook Street.

The Telegram joins with other friends of the family in expressions of heartfelt sympathy in their sad bereavement.

West Coast Fishery.

SCHOONERS HAVE POOR FARES.

The fishery report from Rose Blanche to Hr. LeCou for the week ending March 11th gives the total as 440 and altogether 4,300 qtls. The report states that there was good fishing on the offer banks, but nothing worth while on the usual fishing grounds. On Tuesday, March 7th the boats and schooners on the offer bank found fish plentiful, and many of the shore boats averaged 10 qtls. or 30 cwt. per day. The following Wednesday and Thursday drift ice was over the ground. On the Tuesday mentioned the schooners did well and one hailed for 120 qtls. for the day's work, others ranging from 50 to 100 qtls. On the whole the schooners are poorly fished for the length of time they have been prosecuting the voyage.

Norwegian Fishery.

APRIL, 1922.

Lofoden	9,800,000
All others	12,300,000
Total	22,100,000

APRIL, 1921.

Lofoden	14,900,000
All others	10,000,000
Total	24,900,000

The Boatman's Pay.

FIVE MEN DOING WORK OF SEVEN.

As the Estimates have been tabled it is noticed that in at least one department there has been a reduction. This department is the Boat House. The decrease in the alocation here has been made possible by making 5 men do the work formerly done by seven. Whilst this principle could be applied with benefit in many directions, it is not fair that those called upon to do the extra work should not receive better pay. The boatmen have a most responsible job. They work 12 hours per day 365 days in the year and receive $61.50 per month. Surely men holding positions where temptations are frequent are deserving of better renumeration.

SABLE I. SAILS—S. S. Sable I. sailed for Halifax at 10 a.m., taking the following assengers: J. H. McKinnon, John Dominy, Thos. Osbourne, Wm. Tapper, John Osbourne, W. P. Cummings, Miss M. Cummings, Master R. Cummings, J. L. McGregor, C. Lake, B. Linthorn, E. B. Ellis, Geo. E. Hanks.

Our Local Pepys

HIS DIARY.

April 3rd.—Mr. Jennings, that is Minister of Public Works, waits upon me in the morning and would have me represent to the editor of the **Telegram** news sheet how it did incorrectly report him about his discourse in the Parliament. Sat at the office all the morning, and there hear a mighty amusing tale, being of a man that did work at shovelling snow for relief and makes complaint that his overseer did dismiss him, being that he did no work A most strange thing, and hard to believe, although I think it to be true. The House all of the afternoon and some part of the night on the business of the Loan Resolutions. Some opposition there was to them. Great high words upon Sir R. Squires making a speech, but the Resolutions pass the House at long last. I meet Mr. Ashbourne, Mr. Cheeseman and others and we did fall to discourse of the situation of the country, which is indeed, ill and little like to recover for many months.

Dr. Facey Lectures.

THE WORK OF QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

A large audience listened with keen interest to Dr. Facey's lecture on Queen's College at the Synod Hall last night. His Lordship Bishop White was present and in a brief address explained the object of Dr. Facey's lecture. He referred to the shortage of clergy and the need of training men for the vacant missions. He congratulated Dr. Facey on his energy and initiative on behalf of Queen's College. Dr. Facey's address was a masterpiece. He first dealt with the history of the various Bishops and the part they had played in the building up of Queen's College and the Diocese. He referred in particular, to Bishop Feild, the great statesman Bishop. The lecturer pointed out the great necessity of endowing Queen's College as the best way to solve the difficult problems of the supply and training of men. The College had already given 140 priest to the diocese. The address was illustrated by 50 lantern slides. His Lordship proposed a vote of thanks to Dr. Facey for his excellent lecture. He then brought the proceedings to a close with the Benediction.

Weather and Ice Report.

Gander Bay—E. N. E. winds, mild; no change in ice conditions.

Little Bay Islds.—Light north wind, dull; bay full of drift ice.

Nipper's Harbour—Moderate N. E. wind, mild; bay clear this side.

Fogo—Light N. E. wind; bay full of ice.

Here and There.

Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—apr4,6mo

STILL ICEBOUND.—S.S. Prospero is still icebound at Safe Harbour, and will leave as soon as the ice moves off.

Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—apr4,6mo

EXPRESS DUE.—The incoming express which left Port aux Basques Sunday with the Kyle's mails and passengers, is due in town at 1.30 p.m.

Stafford's Liniment for all Aches and Pains, only 20c. per bottle.—mar2,tf

Pure Homemade Candy and Flowers can be bought at the Sale in aid of the Highlanders. apr1,3i

Fresh Cod Tongues (iced. not frozen) in to-day. W.E.BEARNS Haymarket and Rawlins' Cross. apr4,1i

TO-DAY—600 pounds Fresh Chilled Chicken Halibut. W. E. BEARNS, Haymarket and Rawlins' Cross.—apr4,1i

MALAKOFF DUE TO-MORROW.—Malakoff left Marystown yesterday afternoon, coming this way, and is due in port to-morrow. She is bringing freight, mails and passengers.

Hartley's Jams and Dill Pickles can be beaten a mile. Go to the Highlanders' Sale and stop at the Pantry Table.—apr1,3i

COMING OFF DOCK.—S.S. Portia will leave Dry Dock next week and will resume the Western Coastal Service early in May. She has undergone a complete overhauling.

SOCIABLE in aid of S. A. No. 1 Sunday School, Springdale St., April 6th, 1922, at 5 p.m. Price 50c. Ice Cream served.—apr4,2i

EXPRESS LEAVES THURSDAY.—An express leaves St. John's on Thursday with foreign mails and passengers, and will connect with the Kyle at Port aux Basques.

Now is the time to make your housemaid presentable. Remember the Plain and Fancy Work Tables at the Highlanders' Sale. apr1,3i

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.—There has been a slight improvement in Greek and Italian exchange lately. The lira is now quoted at 83 to the pound instead of 86, and the Greek drachma is quoted at 102 to the pound instead of the former price of 106. Portugese exchange is slightly worse, the escudo now being worth 4½d.

Don't forget the S. U. F. Raffle for Sweepstake Tickets at their Rooms, one door West General Post Office, to-night. Three hundred chances for ten cents. Eight more prizes yet to pay out. You also have a chance to win a Come and See Me, worth two dollars.—apr4,3i

NEW SHOES

SPECIALLY LOW PRICED SPOT CASH

Knowling's Shoe Stores

2.95

Will buy a pair of Ladies' Dainty Patent Leather Cleo Pumps, Colonial tab, with one button strap, Louis heels; a very smart Dressy Shoe, very suitable for Party or Evening wear. This Shoe sold last year for $9.50.

Specially Priced Now for 2.95

We have also assembled a lot of broken sizes of several lines of Ladies' high priced Shoes that we are putting on the Bargain Counter in sizes 2½ to 4, with a few pairs of 5 and 6 only. Values up to $8.50. **Sale Price $2.95.**

3.95

Will buy a pair of Ladies' Kid Shoes, Louis heels; a very suitable Dancing Shoe, light in weight and very flexible. A regular $10.00 Shoe. **Sale Price $3.95.**

We are also showing a complete range of Ladies' Shoes in all the popular makes and styles. Let us show you our Black and Brown Brogue effects at $5.80.

Men's & Women's FELT SOLE HOUSE SLIPPERS, only 35c. a pair.
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G. Knowling, Limited, Shoe Stores

OUTPORT ORDERS receive personal attention and shipped same day as received. Add 14c per pair for postage.

Floral Tributes to the Departed.

Nothing so nice as Flowers in time of sorrow. We can supply Wreaths and Crosses on short notice, and guarantee satisfaction. We will endeavour to meet the humblest purse. "Say it with Flowers."

VALLEY NURSERIES.
Tessier Brothers.
Phone 124. Box 994. St. John's.

BORN.

On the 2nd inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Cyril J. Cahill, a daughter.

DIED.

At 4 a.m. this morning, after a short illness, William Keough, aged 72 years, leaving one daughter and three sons to mourn. Funeral on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 14 Chapel Street. Friends please take notice.

NOTE OF THANKS. — Mr. Patrick Browne and family wish to thank their many friends for their numerous acts of kindness and messages of sympathy during his late wife's illness and death, especially Rev. Drs. Carter and Greene, Rev. Frs. Leamey and Mc. Grath, Drs. Grieve and Rendell, Sister Oakley and Nurses of the Sanatorium, W. J. Walsh, M.H.A., W. J. Higgins, M.H.A., Thos. Kelly, P. F. Collins, Philip Brown, P. Dray, Mr. and Mrs. Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. and Miss Hennessey, Mr. Tucker, Misses Emmie and Virginia Wadden, Mrs. Ellen Brown, Mr. Seaward, Miss L. Crewe, Mrs. Hackett, Mrs. Spurrell, Mrs. Ryan, Mrs. J. Williams, Mrs. McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. C. Picco, Geo. Picco, Miss Brown, Mrs. Peter Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brown, Miss L. Aspell, Miss M. Oke, Mrs. N. Withers, Miss L. Ryan, Thos. Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Burke, S. J. Congdon, J. Dunphy, M. Ryall, C. Reid, P. Whiffin, J. Reddy, Red Island, Mr. and Mrs. Denis Ryan, Little Paradise, and Mrs. Mahon; also employees Reid Nfld. Co. Car Shop for beautiful wreath.—advt.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr and Mrs. William Mifflin and family of Bonavista wish to thank the following for wreaths and flowers sent to adorn the casket of their daughter, Ethel Mifflin who died at the Fever Hospital, Sunday, March 26th. Sisters and Nurses of the General Hospital, and Fever Hospital, Miss. E. Reid, Matron; Dr. L. E. Keegan, Mrs. (Capt.) John Field, Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Skinner, Miss Blanche Rowe, Miss Edna Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. J. Brown, St. Margarets Guild, Mr. F. A. Kennedy, Gordon Oake, Alex Oake, William Stevenson; and to all those kind friends who sent telegrams and letters of sympathy, and for press notice kindly inserted by Mr. T. Walsh of the Daily News office.—advt.

Shipping Notes.

S.S. Rosalind arrived at Halifax at 9 o'clock last night. The ship was probably delayed by the storm reported along the New England coast. The Rosalind leaves Halifax at 6 p.m. for here.

S.S. Mapledawn leaves St. John, N.B., to-day for this port.

Don't fail to attend N. B. S. Sweepstake Raffle from 4 to 6 p.m. at G. W. V. A. Bldg. 35 tickets for 10c. Two chances on a ticket.—apr3,2i

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-day.

Wind E.N.E., blowing strong, weather dull, scattered ice in sight east drifting west; a schooner was sighted at 8 a.m. bound west; Bar. 29.70; Ther. 40.

This Will Rack Your Brains.

Four missionaries and three cannibals come to the same side of a river. One boat, which holds only two, is available. All the missionaries cannot row but only one cannibal is able to do so. How do they get across, remembering that if you leave more cannibals than missionaries on either side of the stream they will devour them? Work it out with matches. It can be done. It may assist you to specially distinguish the one cannibal who can row. This comparatively simple problem will rack your brains for a while but you can repair your wasted tissues by attending "Hazel Kirke" during Easter Week. If you can't go Easter Monday Night, reserve tickets for Tuesday or Wednesday.

Stafford's Phoratone will cure Coughs and Colds. For sale everywhere.—mar2,tf

Automobiles for Sale.

1 "Overland" Model 90.
First class condition; a snap.

1 "Arrol Johnson".
Fine English Car; just the Car for taxi work.

—ALSO—

1 "Overland" Model 4 Touring.
New, 5 Passenger.

1 "Overland" Model 4 Coupe—New.
All the above Cars will be sold at very low prices to clear.

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