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Friday, March 21, 1924.

The Commissioner's Report.

Owing to the late hour when the Report was received by the Telegram, it was found impossible to publish it in full. The Report will appear in to-morrow's issue. The findings of the Commissioner are at the head of the column containing the Re-

Accomplishment.

Gratulate our contemporary, Daily News on its accomplishment in placing this morning to-morrow the Commissioner. It is an advantage over an even-
ing paper, but it is none the less a feat of which it may well proud.

SEALING NEWS

The following messages are the latest received from the fleet—

BOWING BROS.
Bangor—Total stored 650 young hogs, 500 old. About the same number on ice. Jammed, north east gale.
Sagone—Weather still thick, very heavy ice, north east gale.
Eagle—Ten miles S.S.W. Gray Islands, jammed; north east gale.
Viking—Very thick, jammed; gale from north east direction, all well.

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Neptune—Strong breeze from N.E. jammed all day, weather very thick. Thetis—Jammed all day; position same as yesterday.

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Seal, (noon to-day)—Ship jammed in Shoe Cove. Heavy wind from northerly direction. Ice passing in bay at rate of 2 miles per hour.

Seals Plenty in St.raits

A message received yesterday by Mr. J. J. Norris states that the lands men between Conche and Her Deep have taken 5000 seals. East of Cape Baid no seals have been taken but more seals have been seen at Cape Baid than ever before. There are also plenty of seals in the Straits.

Magistrates Court

Two ordinary drunks were liberated. A few civil cases were disposed of. The preliminary enquiry into the Burnstein case was continued at 11.30 a.m. The court was occupied up to 1 p.m. in the cross-examination of Mr. M. J. O'Brien by Mr. Jas. O'Connell, and the evidence of George England by Supt. O'Neill. The further hearing was adjourned until 11 a.m. to-morrow.

The 1924 Chevrolts are now on display—see them at Bert Hayward's showroom, Water Street.
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Workman Seriously Injured

At the dry dock premises yesterday a boiler-maker named Newell whilst engaged in repair work on the S. S. Susa suffered severe injuries to his chest and abdomen as the result of a heavy plate falling across his body. Newell was rushed to hospital in a critical condition.

WEEK-END SPECIALS.
Stylish Caps, extra good value 75c. to \$2.50 each. Men's Negligee Shirts \$1.29.

THE WEST END BAZAAR.
mar21,11 51 Water St. West.

Many Schools Closing Early

FOR CHILDREN TO WITNESS PRINCE OF WALES' PICTURE.

The wonderful manner in which those in charge of the various denominational schools of St. John's have received Lieut. Rickard on behalf of his worthy work in assisting the destitute and needy families of returned men, will long be remembered with gratitude by the Lieutenant. Kindness and co-operation were given in every instance, and the success of the Prince of Wales' visit to St. John's (in motion pictures) is assured, for the schools will close at 2.30 so that the children can be in their seats by 3 o'clock when the pictures will start.

Owing to the number of school children in St. John's wishing to see this picture, no adults will be admitted during the three afternoon performances as every seat will be required for the children who will be accompanied by their teachers.

Then again owing to the number of children attending the Catholic school, a special performance will be given at 10.15 on Tuesday morning for the children of St. Patrick's and St. Joseph's while the other Catholic schools will attend on Tuesday afternoon.

The afternoon performances will be as follows: Monday afternoon, 3 o'clock, Methodist and Presbyterian schools; Tuesday afternoon Catholic schools; Wednesday afternoon, Anglican schools; the admission being 10 cents for all school children.

No children will be admitted to the evening performances during the engagement of this picture. Anyone wishing to secure tickets in advance for this picture to avoid the crowds can purchase same from the management of the Star Movie.

Lieut. Rickard will give his stirring address in the Star Movie on Sunday evening next at 8.30, entitled "The Fading Poppies of Flanders Field." Col. Nangle, President of the Dominion Command, will occupy the chair, and a splendid musical program will be supplied. There will be no admission charged, all seats being free, but a silver collection will be taken up to help the needy families of St. John's.

His Excellency Governor Allardice and Lady Allardice, and Premier Warren will be present, at the first performance of the pictures on Monday evening, as showing their deep interest in the cause for which this picture is exhibited.

See ad. in this paper regarding Sunday evening; also full ad on showings, etc., for Prince of Wales' pictures.

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Weather and Ice Conditions

The following messages were received at 9 a.m. by the Postal Telegraphs:

Nipper's Harbor—Wind, weather and ice conditions same as yesterday. THE Cove—Fresh northerly winds with sleet; no ice in sight; yesterday slob ice bearing off and young hoods was reported cutting Cape John. Ice running too fast for men to do anything.

LaSelle—Strong N.E. winds, snowing; ice tight on land; no seals at Cape John. Some hoods seen passing in Green Bay.

Cochman's Cove—Strong N.E. winds; ice tight on land. Westport—Gale E.N.E.; ice tight; no seals.

Seal Cove—Strong N.E. winds with snow; ice still running in bay—too stormy for men to get on ice.

Hampden—Wind east, thick snow; ice conditions unchanged.

(Marine & Fisheries Department.) Twilligate Strong N.E. wind, foggy; bay full ice.

Catalina—Wind N.E.; with rain; heavy sea; no ice.

Wesleyville—Conditions unchanged. Nipper's Hr.—9 a.m. Wind, weather and ice conditions same as yesterday.

Greenspend—Wind N.E., strong breeze with rain; ice conditions unchanged.

Benavista—Strong N.E. wind, thick fog, heavy sea; no ice.

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St. Patrick's Day at Norris' Arm

A splendid time was held by the ladies of the Altar Society at Norris Arm on St. Patrick's night. It opened with the cap dance, which was most beautiful. The evening by Mrs. Davis, R. C. Teacher, and Mrs. H. Dwyer was also splendid. The belle of the cap dance was Miss Teresa Power, and the best Mr. Gerald Ryan. Miss Dwyer was dressed in pink satin with shoes, stockings, and cap to match. Teas and refreshments were served and both young and old spent a most enjoyable time—ONE WHO WAS THERE.

EARLY CABLES.

TRANSPORT STRIKE FEARED.

LONDON, Mar. 20. Londoners fear tramway, omnibus and underground railway services will be tied up Friday midnight owing to refusal of employers to grant tramwaymen's demands for higher wages.

ST. LAWRENCE ROUTE OPEN WITHIN 3 WEEKS.

QUEBEC, Mar. 20. It is being freely predicted in marine circles that the first ocean arrivals this year will be in a position to proceed through the Gulf of St. Lawrence, with little or no trouble from ice two or three weeks earlier than last season.

PRINCE RECOVERED.

LONDON, Mar. 20. The Prince of Wales, who was injured last week, returned to his London residence to-day from Aldershot by motor car. The Prince looked well and is reported to be progressing satisfactorily from the injury.

AUSTRALIAN POSITION.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Mar. 20. Australia is taking stock of the new situation created by the Imperial Government's abandonment of the Singapore naval base scheme. It is understood Australia's contribution to the proposed base was to have been £1,000,000, if necessary.

15 KILLED WHEN HOUSE COLLAPSES.

LISBON, Mar. 20. Fifteen persons were killed when a four storey house collapsed here to-day. Thirty persons were buried under the ruins.

CONVERSING FROM THE GATE OF DEATH.

TOKIO, Mar. 20. Graphic description of the emotion of 15 men facing slow death from suffocation are being received by underwater telephone from members of the crew trapped within the Japanese navy submarine V5 resting on the sea bottom off Sasebo Harbor, according to dispatches to the navy. One day to-day from the Sasebo Naval base through underwater telephone communication. It was determined that 24 men and two officers, one of them Commander Kuwasima, perished when the forward compartment was flooded as a result of the shattering of the conning tower in collision yesterday with the warship Tatsuta. Ten divers were striving to attach chains by which the sub. could be pulled up with heavy winches.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

TOKIO, Mar. 21. Divers engaged in rescue work on the sunken submarine V5 sunk off Sasebo reported to-day that signals from those inside had been suspended. Slender hopes are entertained that it will be possible to rescue the men imprisoned in the craft.

£4,000,000 NEWSPAPER TRANS-ACTION.

LONDON, Mar. 21. Sale of the Hulton Manchester publications to Sir Wm. Berry and J. G. Berry by Lord Rothmere will be mentioned in the next issue of the Sunday Times which is also the property of the Berry's purchase. The price is not specified, but it is understood that on completion of the purchase four million pounds sterling of debentures out of those issued by the Daily Mail Trust, the purchase from Hulton will be redeemed. The Berrys are forming a new company with a capital of five million pounds which will offer shares by public subscription.

COST OF GRAIN ENQUIRY COMMISSION.

OTTAWA, March 21. The Royal Grain Inquiry Commission cost the Government \$105,596 up to March 1st, 1924. The statement tabled in the House to-day shows the Chairman, Hon. W. F. A. Turgeon receives no salary, but is allowed living and transportation expenses. The other three Commissioners, D. A. McGibson, W. J. Rutherford, and J. C. Scott, receive \$25 per day salary, and \$15 a day allowances plus transportation expenses. Darcy Scott, chief Counsel, received \$160 a day up till September 15 last, and \$50 a day from then till October 2, plus \$15 per day living allowance. S. B. Woods, senior Counsel, received \$75 a day from Oct. 4, and \$100 a day while the Commission was sitting, plus \$15 a day living expenses. Salaries of the four junior counsel are graded down to \$25 a day.

LADY ASTOR STINGS LABOUR MEMBERS.

LONDON, Mar. 21. There was a lively tilt in the House of Commons to-night during the debate on the admiralty when Lady Astor (Unionist) remarked she knew how difficult it was for Labor members to reconcile the question of defence with the Sermon on the Mount. She added that if the Labor members learned as much in the next six weeks as in the last six, even Singapore would be safe in their hands. She was only sorry some Labor back-benchers had not got jobs, as they could learn a bit. G. Lansbury (Labor): "That is a sample of good christian love and charity." Lady Astor: "I try to live christian-

ly, not to brag about it." Several Labor members protested against these "insulting remarks" to which her answer was that she said things that were true, and the Labor members did not like it.

AIRPLANES PREPARE FOR PACIFIC VOYAGE.

SEATTLE, March 21. Major Frederick L. Martin, commanding and the three other officers flying the four planes arrived here to-day and to-night settled down to 12 days' preparation on the Sand Point Aviation Field for the hardest test expected in the attempt of the United States Army to circumnavigate the globe through the air. The flight was halted here for adjustments to meet the difficulties of driving the machines from United States to Japan. This is reckoned the most severe part of the course, and led to the decision to equip the machines here with pontoons.

A NEW JEWEL TO THE CROWN.

LONDON, Mar. 21. A new jewel which has been added to the British Crown, at least so far as the Colonial Office is concerned, is Northern Rhodesia, which, with Southern Rhodesia, has since been granted responsible government at the option of its inhabitants, but the northern territory is not nearly so advanced and to-day it was announced it would have a constitution on the model of a colony of protectorate effective from April 1st.

NEW SYDNEY COUNCIL DISMISSES INCAPABLE OFFICIAL.

SYDNEY, Mar. 21. On the recommendation of the City Finance Committee, J. J. Curry, City Clerk, was formally dismissed from office by the unanimous vote of the City Council to-night on the grounds of inefficiency. The city showed cash shortages of \$500 and \$1,000 in the years 1922 and 1923 respectively.

McMurdo's Store News

KRUSCHEN SALTS.
Good health for a cent a day, if you get the Kruschen habit.
A small quantity in your breakfast cup of tea will enable the elimination organs to perform their duties actively, thoroughly cleansing the system of all impurities. Price 75c. a bottle.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

We have our usual weekly supply of fresh, delicious Candies: Chocolate Cherries & Pineapple, Chocolate Raisins and Small Brazil, Chocolate Almonds & Gingers, Spanish Bon Bons & Neapolitanes, Coconut and Cream Caramels, Red Seal Toffee and Tangerine, Oranges.

EXTRA SPECIAL:
Stuffed Dates40c. lb.
Italian Mixture35c. lb.
Chocolate Creams35c. lb.

Here and There.

EGG BEATERS — In Hotel and Household sizes. WM. J. CLOUSTON, LTD., Water St.
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ALUMINUM DINNER BOILERS—Sizes 2 3 and 4 gallon—\$2.88 \$3.18 and \$3.78. WM. J. CLOUSTON LTD., Water St.
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The scenes in the Mammoth time Prison, Rome; The Temple of the Vestals; the gorgeous grandeur of the Court; and the awe-inspiring Crucifixion tableau, in "Pilate's Daughter" are masterpieces of dramatic presentation. Casino Theatre, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings.—mar21,11

BE SOBER AND WATCH—Members of the T. A. & B. Society and Ladies' Auxiliary, are requested to meet at the Armory this Friday evening, immediately after Prayers, when a very interesting Lecture will be delivered by Mr. Thos. P. Halley, his subject being: "REM-INISCENCES." After the lecture there will also be a short musical programme. A large gathering is particularly requested. GEO. J. COUGHLIN, Secretary.—mar21,11

Kay's Compound Essence
SIX GENERATIONS have proved the supreme efficacy and rapid curative effect of this famous old English Home Remedy. In each bottle of Kay's Compound Essence is concentrated the essence of the most potent known remedies for Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, and all the ailments of the Throat and Lungs.
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Obituary

The Angel of Death visited us on Monday, Feb. 25th and called to its eternal reward the soul of John Fur-long, one of our oldest and most honoured citizens. The deceased had reached the ripe old age of 80 years and was hale and hearty till within three or four days of his death. Skipper John, as he was familiarly known, was in his time one of our master builders, and some of our finest sailing craft were designed and built by him. He presided both the Labrador and Bank fisheries for many years with good success. A few years ago he emigrated to the United States, where he lived for a time with his son, but not getting his health there he returned to his native home. Skipper John was of an affable and kindly disposition with a strong personality, and many around can bear testimony to his generosity and business of heart. An eminently practical man, he always found something to do, and never overlooked even the smallest detail of his work. A few hours before his death he received the last rites of his church from our respected Parish Priest, Rev. J. Scully of King's Cove, and his end was a peaceful and happy one. Left to mourn him are his aged widow, 4 brothers, 2 sisters, in his native town; also 3 daughters and one son in Boston, U.S.A., to whom heartfelt sympathy is extended. May he rest in peace.
W.A.M.

Plate Cove, March 14, 1924.

Government Boats

Argyle left Epworth 2.35 p.m. yesterday.
Glencoe left St. Joseph's 2.50 p.m. yesterday.

Kyle at North Sydney.

Here and There.

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THE TRAINS.—The incoming express left Humbermouth at 8 a.m. and is due early to-morrow morning. The West bound train left Benton 8.15 a.m.

Exquisite costumes, realistic acting and thrilling tableaux—"Pilate's Daughter." Casino, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings.—mar21,11

One of the most strikingly original productions ever attempted in St. John's—"Pilate's Daughter." Casino, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings.—mar21,11

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.—The preliminary enquiry into the Morphine charge preferred against Chas. Taylor—terminated before the Magistrate yesterday, when the accused was committed for trial in the Supreme Court.

WEEK-END SPECIALS.
Another lot of Ladies Hats just opened. Hats your friends will admire; also washable Gloves, at reasonable prices. THE WEST END BAZAAR, mar21,11 51 Water St. West.

DROWNING FATALITY.—A message from Thomas Devine, King's Cove to the Department of Justice, states that William Quinton (Sr.) of Red Cliff, lost his life while out in the ice with three others on the 7th inst. The body has not been recovered.

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DIED.

This morning, at 11.15, Viola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hawkins, leaving father, mother, four sisters and two brothers to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on to-morrow, Saturday, at 4 p.m. from 6 Bond St. Passed peacefully away, this morning, in his 77th year, Joseph Wheeler, son of the late Jas. and Jane Wheeler, Torbay Road, leaving a wife, two sisters, three sons and six daughters to mourn their loss. Funeral on Saturday at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 36 Power's Ave., off Signal Hill Road.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
The funeral of the late Thomas Hartley will take place to-morrow, Saturday, at 2.30 p.m. from N. J. Murphy's Mortuary Rooms.

IN LOVING MEMORY
of my dear husband, George Shea, who died March 21, 1922, R.I.P. Two years have passed you're not forgotten. Never shall your memory fade; Sweetest thoughts will always linger Round the grave where you are laid.

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FOR CASH—NO APPROBATION!
We are clearing to make room for New Spring Shipments.

Men's and Youths' Leatherette Coats—Just the thing for knockabout wear ..	5.75
Men's Waterproof Coats—In Fawn, Navy and Black. All sizes to clear ..	5.95 TO 19.95
Men's Raglans—In Fawn and Grey. If your size is here, you can get them from ..	17.50 TO 21.25
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These 4 ITEMS Marked at Special Prices for Friday and Saturday only

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GOLF HOSE—Roll top1.75 pr.
KNITTED TIES—Full length19c. ea.

KHAKI TWEED PANTS—all sizes3.00 pr.
KHAKI TWEED PANTS—all sizes4.00 pr.
GREY FLANNEL PANTS3.00 pr.
KHAKI BREECHES—with strapping5.60 pr.
KHAKI BREECHES—with Buckskin strapping6.30 pr.
PUTTEES—regulation style1.30 pr.
SPATS—Light and Dark Fawn2.60 pr.
LEGGINGS—Black and Tan Leather3.60 pr.
GROUND SHEETS and CAPE Combined, waterproof—regulation, army style1.80 ea.

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MUNICIPAL COUNCIL WEEKLY MEETING.—A deputation from the be approached with a view to diverting some of the men employed at the Animals called on the Council yesterday at the regular weekly meeting streets. The request is being com-

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