



**Evening Telegram**

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**Civic Elections.**

Several citizens have already given formal notice of their intention to offer themselves as candidates for election as Councillors at the forthcoming Municipal Elections.

We have not heard how many of the present Councillors have decided to offer themselves as candidates again.

As to the Mayoralty contest it is generally believed that the present Mayor, Hon. M. P. Gibbs, and the Deputy Mayor, Mr. W. J. Ellis, will be the candidates. We should not be surprised if another gentleman with considerable civic experience was prevailed upon to put himself in the field. We are of opinion that experience in the management of the affairs of the city is a valuable asset in any candidate, and is almost absolutely essential for the office of Mayor, and should not be disregarded. If the civic career of the candidate has been a successful one. For this reason the old style of the composition of Municipal bodies in England appeals strongly to us. Many of these bodies are composed of a Mayor, a bench of Aldermen and a body of Councillors. Every year one-third of the Councillors retire. After every election not more than one-third of the Councillors can be new men, one-third will have a year's experience at least, and the other third at least two years' experience. Aldermen are chosen from successful and experienced Councillors and the Mayor from the Aldermen. This insures always a Council of men well versed in the affairs of the Municipality. The majority are always veterans of some standing, and yet there is a constant accession of new blood.

Although the Constitution of our municipality does not provide automatically for the retention of a majority of experienced and successful members of the municipality, yet it does afford the public opportunity of returning successful and experienced members of the municipality back to office, and also of infusing what is desirable in the way of new blood.

**Ship Being Cleaned.**

The Florizel hauled up to the Dry Dock yesterday afternoon and will be thoroughly cleaned out and put in readiness for her summer service between this port, Halifax and New York. She will take up the route about the latter part of the month.

**FEEDS:**

- Hominy Feed, Yellow Corn, Bran, Horse Feed—Climax;
- Dairy Feed—Climax;
- Sucrose, Yellow Corn Meal, Corn, Oats, Barley—crushed;
- 500 bags Mixed Oats.

**California Fruits—selected:**

- 3-lb. tin Apricots, 16c.
- 3-lb. tin Peaches, 20c.
- 3-lb. tin Plums, 16c.

**FRESH COUNTRY EGGS,**

25 cents dozen.

**HUNTLEY & PALMER'S AFTER-NOON TEA BISCUITS—12**

kinds.

**NEW BARBADOS MOLASSES, 40**

cents gallon.

**BY RAIL TO-DAY:**

- 596 lbs. Fresh Halibut, Smoked Filets, Finnan Haddies, Smoked Caplin, 7c., 12c. and 20c. box.

**T. J. EDENS,**

Duckworth Street and Military Road.

**SEALING RECORD**

Of Capt. Abraham Kean and Capt. Geo. Barbour from 1897 to 1909, inclusive.

CAPT. A. KEAN.				
No.	tons	cwt	qrs	lbs
1898—25,633	510	4	3	6
1899—23,937	545	3	2	9
1900—32,727	692	17	0	8
1901—32,406	657	1	1	3
1902—24,504	518	6	0	7
1903—26,069	497	2	0	5
1904—34,849	690	0	2	25
1905—4,553	114	16	1	9
1906—16,627	372	4	1	3
1907—18,785	440	11	0	9
1908—13,965	313	5	1	0
1909—30,488	658	13	3	15

264,543 5920 8 1 15  
12 springs average, 22,045.

**CAPT. GEO. BARBOUR.**

No.	tons	cwt	qrs	lbs
1898—14,079	278	11	3	12
1899—22,619	516	3	1	8
1900—25,118	538	5	0	5
1901—26,525	389	18	2	19
1902—25,707	588	0	2	2
1903—24,238	438	14	0	2
1904—12,874	248	0	0	12
1905—21,320	584	15	3	9
1906—24,020	600	12	2	12
1907—30,985	727	12	0	1
1908—23,814	559	5	2	27
1909—34,837	627	11	0	13

286,136 6097 15 3 19  
12 springs average, 23,845.

We were furnished this morning with the statement above. It will be noticed that it does not and cannot take in the catch of the captains this season, as Capt. Barbour has not yet brought in his catch. If, however, we add the 49,969 seals just landed to Capt. A. Kean's record as given above, it gives him 313,512 for the last thirteen years, and if we add the 28,000 reported in the Beothic to Capt. G. Barbour's record, it gives him 314,136 for the same period. This is as near a tight match as one could think of.

**POLICE COURT NEWS.**

In the police court to-day 2 drunks were released on paying cab hire, and two others were unconditionally discharged.

A saloon keeper summoned by Head Constable Peet for opening before the legal hour was fined \$20 or 30 days.

The case against a chauffeur for reckless and negligent driving on the 5th inst. was postponed till Monday for the obtaining of certain evidence.

Head Dawe summoned two persons for having defective chimneys in their houses. They will be repaired.

Two men were summoned by Constable Lee for loose and disorderly conduct on the 6th inst. One was fined \$1 or 3 days and the other was dismissed.

An old man, a resident of Kellergrews, summoned three others of the place for damaging his property and throwing stones at his residence. The case was set for hearing at 1 p.m.

**Aspirant for Civic Honors.**

We draw the attention of our readers to the card issued by Mr. Jas. Channing, Druggist, and which appears in another column. Mr. Channing is the latest candidate for the suffrages of citizens in the coming Municipal Election. His friends both east and west are many and he is well and favorably known in all sections of the City. He is possessed of sound common sense, coupled with energy and ability and would certainly make an ideal representative. Mr. Channing is the Proprietor of a flourishing Drug business, reared as a result of integrity and strict application to duty, and he will bring before the attention of the City those traits of character which enabled him to achieve the success which is his in trade.

**OBITUARY.**

**MRS. GEO. LEMESSURIER.**  
The death occurred yesterday at noon of Mrs. George Lemessurier, at her residence, Topsail Road. The deceased lady who was in her 88th year was well and favourably known in the city and suburbs. Her husband, the late George Lemessurier, predeceased her by several years. Mrs. Lemessurier only celebrated her birthday on Sunday last. There are surviving her four sons—Mr. J. W. Lemessurier, Manager of Bowring Bros. hardware and grocery stores; Geo. W., accountant at the Post Office; Alexander, of the Customs Department; and Peter, farmer, of Topsail Road.

**REID NFLD. CO.**

The a.s. Argyle arrived at Placentia at 8 p.m. yesterday.

The Bruce left Port aux Basques at 11.40 p.m. yesterday.

The Glencoe arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.30 p.m. yesterday.

**LOWEST FOR 20 YEARS.**—The water at Mundy's Pond is at present lower than at any time at mid-summer during the past 20 years.

**Bishop Cameron's Funeral Wednesday.**

The funeral obsequies of the late lamented Bishop Cameron will take place at Antigonish on Wednesday next. After Requiem High Mass in St. Vivian's Cathedral, where the body has been lying in state since Thursday last. His Grace Archbishop Howley, accompanied by Rev. Fr. St. John, will leave by the express to-morrow evening to attend the funeral. His Grace Archbishop McCarthy of Halifax, Archbishop MacDonald of Pictou, and the Bishop of Charlottetown will arrive at Antigonish on Monday also to be present at the funeral. His Grace Archbishop McNeill of Vancouver, who will be leaving St. George's by the express on Monday evening for Vancouver to attend the funeral also. He and the late Bishop Cameron were life-long friends. It is expected that His Grace Archbishop MacDonald, late of Harbor Grace, will preach the funeral panegyric. The whole community of Antigonish is in deep mourning for the death of their beloved Bishop.

**Coast Weather Report.**

LaSalle.—Moderate E. wind, weather dull and foggy; ice 6 miles off shore. Two young seals killed yesterday.

Sound Island.—Wind E., moderate and dull.

Port aux Basques.—Owing to weather conditions no boats fishing yesterday.

Nippers Harbour.—Calm, dull.

Herring Neck.—Wind E. to S. E., light; slack ice along coast. Four seals killed yesterday.

Birchy Cove.—Calm and mild.

Lark Harbour.—Herring struck here yesterday; good sign this morning. Boats average 3 to 5 barrels; wind E. and fine.

**CAPE REPORT.**

Special Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-Day.

Wind E.N.E., light, weather foggy; nothing heard passing to-day. Bar, 29.90; ther, 36.



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Grape Fruit, Naval Oranges, Bartlett Pears, Dessert Apples, Tangerines, Bananas, Palermo Lemons.

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**Supreme Court.**

The case of Liberius Brown vs. T. L. Murphy was continued to-day. Mr. Pitman stated the defendant's case. Defendant is called, sworn and examined by Mr. Pitman and cross-examined by Mr. Clapp and per Curiam. Mr. Pitman is sworn and gives his evidence. This closed the defendant's case. Mr. Clapp asked leave to call the plaintiff, who is examined by him and cross-examined by Mr. Pitman. The Court took time to consider.

**In Chambers.**

In the matter of the Nfld. Whaling Co., application is made on the part of the Liquidators for order that they be allowed to sell the property of the company and do all acts necessary to wind up the estate without the sanction of the Court. Furlong, K.C., is heard in support of the application. It is ordered accordingly.

**Won't Try it Again.**

A young man who was walking with his girl along LeMarchant Road Thursday night last had the mortification of being obliged to put up with not only a gross verbal insult to himself but to the young woman who was with him. He realized that he was only one against three roughs and that it would be acting wisely not to enter into an encounter with them. He told his friends about the incident, and one of them, being an athlete, volunteered to accompany him next night dressed up in women's clothing. When they reached Buckmaster's meadow last night the three roughs were in the same place. The insulting conduct was resumed, and one of the roughs went so far as to roughly handle the supposed young woman. He received a solar plexus that he will remember all his life. Throwing off the hat and motor veil the athlete laid on the three assailants and laid them low one after the other.

**Here and There.**

**WEATHER UP THE LINE.**—Along the line to-day the wind is light and fine; temperature 40 to 70 above. Summer weather at Bishop's Falls.

**M. G. B. COMPETITION.**—The Methodist Guards boys had a competition for the Pitts Shield last night. The presentation will take place on the 21st.

**AT THE DOCK.**—The whaler Port Saunders and four schooners that have been on the R. N. Co. Dock the past three days will come off this evening.

**OFFICERS WILL COLLECT.**—The T. A. officers will take up the offertory collection at the R. C. Cathedral and St. Patrick's at the masses to-morrow.

**The tail of the Comet appearing here early next week is not so very long, but interesting. It still has the two distinct spots, as seen in 1876.** ap9,11

**BELLAVENTURE'S SEALS.**—From noon on Thursday, when she began discharging, until 6 p.m. yesterday, the Bellaventure turned out 14,500 seals. They average 49½ lbs. She will finish Tuesday next.

**HAY FROM CODROY.**—Several carloads of pressed hay arrived by the freight train from Codroy this week. The shippers expect to send 160 tons here next year.

**GOING TO VANCOUVER.**—A Wells a young machinist, who served his time at the R. N. Co. machine shops will leave for Vancouver by the express to-morrow to work with his uncle who is five years there.

**SEALERS RETURN HOME.**—The S. S. Newfoundland sailed this forenoon taking the crew of the Florizel as well as her own. The men go to their homes at Trinity, Catalina and Wesleyville.

**SEALERS GIVE DONATIONS.**—When the sealers of the Florizel were being paid off last night they donated some money to Frank Sawyer of the city and Jacob Hoyle of Brookfield, B.B., both of whom have lost their legs and will if possible secure artificial legs. Mr. Flske, the Marconi operator also received a donation.

**FOUND A WATCH.**—Almost every day the Telegram is finding lost and missing articles for its patrons, and they represent the whole public. Thursday we advertised the loss of a watch owned by a resident of Hutchings' Street, and yesterday it was returned to the owner. Verily Telegram ads. pay.

On three or four occasions of late the premises of Weeks, Bay Bulls, has been broken into at night and considerable goods and about \$20 in cash stolen. Const. Fahey has been quietly at work on the matter and today wired Inspector General Sullivan that he had captured the thieves and is bringing them here to stand their trial. Mr. Sullivan had intended to send Sergt. Byrne to the place when he got Fahey's message.

**Alabastine.**

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**New Alarm Box.** Value in Every Way. Here and There.

The annual concert in aid of the Mount Cashel Industrial School, which takes place at the British Hall on Wednesday evening next, promises to even outdo the previous success in this connection. A particular interest is attached to this year's performance by reason of the fact that the building of the new wing and the other improvements being effected at Mount Cashel, will necessarily mean a large increase in the numbers under the Brothers care at that institution, and a large corresponding increasing expense account. There are at present over one hundred boys provided with homes there, and the manner in which they will be equipped to carve out their life's destiny is too well known to need comment.

The entertainment of Wednesday itself will include items from our leading performers, and those who attend may feel assured that besides assisting a great cause they will get full value for the admission fee in the way of a musical feast.

Miss Lillian Cowan is prepared to give Music Lessons. Special attention to beginners. Address: 37 Queen's Road.—ap5,31,tu,th,s

The local arrived at 10 last night bringing Jas. Hearn, Mr. Benning, Rev. J. J. St. John, Capt. A. Dawe, J. Dawe and 10 others.

Torrence in his recent long aeroplane flight had an interesting chat with people in Halley's Comet. They have a sweet message for the people down here. Watch and heed.—ap9,11

**FOR INSANE ASYLUM.**—I. G. Sullivan, had a wire from the Police Constable at Little Bay last evening, saying that he was coming along with a man for the Lunatic Asylum.

C. L. B.—7th annual sports, at the Armoury, Harvey Road, Tuesday, April 12th at 8 p.m. Music by the band. Doors open at 7.15, admission 25 and 10 cents.—ap9,11

**ORDERED HIM HOME.**—Last night, Sergeant Byrne found a horse owned by a resident of Horse Cove, wandering on Water Street East, while the owner was partaking of sundry liquid refreshments. The animal was there for several hours and when the owner appeared he was told to drive home or spend the night in the cells. He will likely be summoned for cruelty.

**A Peculiar Happening.**

A choir of a prominent church in New York recently determined to serenade their pastor. At sunrise on a certain morning they got together and marched off to what they thought was the home of the spiritual adviser. They stood under the window, and sang for a considerable time; but not getting any response from the house they concluded that the minister knew they had other hymns to sing. They (entered two hymns; and were just lifting the soft and low part of the bird when a man's voice inquired rather loudly, in language more too forcible than polite, what they were doing there? The choir received a rude jolt and were stricken with amazement. The member with the bass voice was the first to recover and informed the others that it was a profane servant who was speaking and they thereupon resumed their song. Again the man interfered and told the choristers to get along or he would be after them with a ball bat. Not to be intimidated the first tenor shouted back that he "would have the man discharged for this." After a few more words "a man in blue" appeared on the scene and arrested the whole choir and marched them off to the police station. Then they discovered they had been lifting their voices under the window of the chief of police. They were subsequently released on making clear that they had made the mistake in good faith. But the best part of the joke came to light when it was learned that the minister had been informed of the intended visit of the choir, and had waited for the impending serenaders in vain. The choir will likely secure the right address before they go serenading again.

**DIED.**

At Upper Gullies, on April 8th, after a short illness, Mary Dawe, aged 27 years, leaving a father, mother and one brother to mourn their sad loss.

This morning, after a short illness, Mary Ann, beloved wife of the late Captain Solomon Bowden, aged 86 years, passed peacefully away to her heavenly rest, yesterday, April 8th, at noon, Elizabeth, relict of the late George Lemessurier, aged 88 years. Funeral on Monday morning, at 11 o'clock, from her late residence, Topsail Road. Friends will please accept this intimation.

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**WILLIAM FREW, Water St., Nearly opp. Court Hs us 3**

**Star of the Sea Association LECTURE.**

MEMBERS of the Star of the Sea Association are requested to meet at their Hall on Monday Night, at 8 o'clock, when REV. CANON WHITE will deliver a Lecture. Subject: "Sparks From an Old Anvil."

By order, WM. F. GRAHAM, ap9,21 Secretary S. S. A.