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Evening Telegram

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Rosebery's Appeal.

Rosebery's faith in the Englishman's love of a lord must be profound if he imagines that even the English electorate would return a party to power to set up a House of Lords which would be co-ordinate in authority and equal in power to the House of Commons.

Unfair as the House of Lords may at times be, it can be cured. If the membership of the House of Lords is to be determined by a Statute, which will deprive the Crown and Ministry of its present power of bringing the membership of that House into harmony with the will of the people, the British Constitution would be robbed of its distinctive virtue—its flexibility and adaptability to the needs of the day. It will become as inflexible and inadaptability as the American Constitution, and a powerful instrument to work the will of Trusts and Combinations.

Many English financiers have envied the American Constitution, and the way it has been worked by the coal, iron, oil and railway magnates of America to enrich themselves at the expense of consumer and labourer.

Better an hereditary House of Lords than a cast iron constitution to work the will of English Rockefeller, Carnegies, Goulds, Vanderbilts and Morgans.

Better for the English people to fight the backwoodsmen of the House of Lords than to fight a plutocracy entrenched by statute in a Constitution which cannot be changed except by the consent of Trusts.

The people of the United States have an infinitely harder task before them in breaking the control of trusts over their government administration and legislation than the people of the United Kingdom have in fighting the hereditary landlords in the House of Lords. The American task is a labour of Hercules, the English task is comparatively easy. Better far for the English to hear the lie they have than to succumb to the blandishments of our only "orator," embodying as he does the interests of landlords and Jewish banking and financing. Let the English people once allow the establishment by statute of an independent Senate of the American type, then the Roseberys of to-day will become the Rockefellers of to-morrow, who would sweat hundreds of millions out of them under legislative potency, and challenge the administration of the sycophants of the world for doing out a few of the millions in world-wide advertised schemes of charity.

CANT SELL TO THEM.—To-day Head Const. Peet is serving notices on the owners of the city licensed houses that they are not to sell liquor to Thos. Spire, who was convicted at Norris' Arm and Bishop's Falls of shebeening. The same applies to Richard Hayden, convicted of a similar offence at Harbor Grace.

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Halley's Comet Is Visible at Ottawa.

Ottawa, April 13.—Halley's comet was seen for the first time at 4.20 o'clock this morning by the Dominion Observatory astronomers, who have been watching for it through the Observatory telescope for the past two weeks. It was visible for about half an hour, and as yet is distinguishable from an ordinary star only by its size and disc-like shape. As yet it is not visible to the naked eye, and according to the Observatory men will not be within the range of vision by the general public for at least a week or so yet.

Schooner Ashore.

Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, the Asst. Collector of Customs, had a wire to-day from St. Mary's stating that the sch. Nicanor, Capt. Douglas Barnes, was ashore at Gull Island Cove, between St. Shott's and Peter's River. The vessel which is owned by James Baird, Ltd., was bound from this port to Channel with a full cargo of provisions and general supplies. Particulars as to how the accident occurred have not been received. The vessel is insured and there is a possibility of refloating her. She is a vessel of 70 tons.

The Mongolian Here.

The s.s. Mongolian arrived here from Liverpool to-day at 10.30. The ship left there on Saturday week, the 9th inst., and had fine weather until Monday, the 11th, when a gale from the northward was encountered, with heavy sea, and this weather lasted for several days. No fog was met, but the voyage all through was more or less boisterous and most of those on the large passenger list suffered from mal de mer. Last night the ship passed four large icebergs and some loose field ice, but this did not impede her in any way. She took the usual course across the "herring pond" and brought to this port 630 tons cargo and 200 tons in transit for Halifax. The ship has received a thorough renovating since she was last in port and two weeks ago was fitted with the most modern system of wireless telegraphy, and with it a few days ago signalled the s.s. Calcedonia, bound from New York to Glasgow and distant nearly 200 miles. The Mongolian has on board 722 emigrants, most of whom came from England and are bound to the Canadian Northwest. Of the number 120 came from Russia, Germany and Belgium, and all are about the city today taking in the sights. During the voyage a small paper called the Herald was issued on the ship, giving the "local" news. Capt. Guy Hamilton is now commander of the ship, replacing Capt. Williams, who has been transferred to the Hispania, plying from Glasgow to Montreal. Mr. W. A. Milne is chief officer, and Mr. Robert Brown is the chief engineer. Dr. Ferlie is the new ship's physician. She sails for Halifax at noon to-morrow. Her passengers for this port were Hon. Jno. Anderson, Murray Anderson, Eric S. Ayre, D. and Mrs. Baird, W. A. Ellis, Mrs. Macandla, Mr. M. Meyers, J. R. Whitaker, Eric Parnell, C. McNulty, J. McNulty, Miss M. Greenwood, Miss E. Greenwood, J. A. Green, J. D. Wilson, Jno. C. Chadwick, 9 second cabin and 13 steerage.

Very Sad Death.

Mrs. Aspell, of Brien Street, died Saturday last at her residence. Her husband is at the sealfishery in the s.s. Adventure and there are six or seven children from a few months to twelve years old left with nobody to look after their needs.

Festival of Empire.

Dear Sir.—Will you kindly allow me through the medium of your journal to invite all those who are coming home to England for the Festival of Empire at the Crystal Palace this summer to send to this department their names and requirements in the matter of accommodation. While special arrangements are being made to receive the official delegates, we are desirous of assisting all others as far as lies in our power.

The central feature of the Festival of Empire will be the Pageant of London, presented by 15,000 London citizens with special contingent from each of the great Overseas States taking part in the final scene, symbolic of the children gathered round the Mother Country.

His Grace the Duke of Norfolk is President of the Hospitality Committee, and already innumerable offers of hospitality to Colonial guests have been received by the Committee. It is desirable that a complete register of names be obtained.

Yours faithfully,
THE SECRETARY OF THE
HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE.
81 Piccadilly, London, W., April 6.

The Autumn Fair.

Arrangements are already being made for the Industrial Exhibition to be held here at the Prince's Rink October next, in connection with the Agricultural Show. Agents coming here from Canadian and American business firms will be invited to send specimens of their goods. The teachers of the country will be asked to interest themselves in the matter when they come here to hold their annual convention in connection with the Association for Prevention of Consumption. A suggestion has been made that the Teachers Convention be deferred till October also so that they all would be able to attend the Exhibition. Mr. J. W. N. Johnstone, of the R. N. Co., is already working zealously to make known in Canada and the States that we are going to have a fair next autumn.

POLICE COURT NEWS.

To-day a drunk was discharged and a disorderly released on paying his cash fare.

A drunk who assaulted a wine dealer was discharged as the man would not prosecute, his aggressor being the only support of an aged mother and a blind brother.

Four drunks were fined \$1 or 3 days each, and two disorderlies were each fined \$2 or 7 days.

Labrador Has 3,700.

The s.s. Labrador, Capt. Baxter Barbour, arrived at Channel yesterday afternoon, hailing for 3,700 old hoods, the weight of 10,000 young harks. The ship saw the Kite away in the distance on the 27th March but could not give particulars as to her condition. The Labrador left Channel at 8 a.m. to-day and should arrive here Wednesday night.

The Quarantine Raised

The quarantine has been raised at St. George's and Grand River, and small pox is stamped out there. Constable Lawlor returned from there by the express to-day, and Constable Goodland went back to his station.

Coastal Boats.

REID NELD, CO.
The S. S. Argyle left Placentia to-day for the west.

The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.35 a.m. yesterday. The Glencoe left Burgeo at 7 p.m. yesterday.

BOWING SHIPS.
The Prospero left Channel for Sydney at 11 Saturday night.

Train Notes.

By the regular at 6 p.m. Saturday about 40 passengers left.

The local arrived at 9.45 Saturday night bringing W. Churchill, Capt. W. Bartlett, Miss Smith, W. H. Thompson, M. Butler, Mrs. Whelan and 20 others.

By the Bruce express at 6 p.m. yesterday there went Sir E. P. Morris, P. T. McGrath, Antonio Joseph, J. P. Powell, Mr. Dodd, Mr. Hall, the members of the Acker Co. and a number of others.

The west bound express left Grand Falls at 9.20 a.m. to-day.

The express from Port aux Basques arrived here at 1.30 p.m. to-day.

The local train arrived here from Carbonear at 12.10 bringing some 50 passengers:—W. R. Howley, Mr. Hawker, J. P. J. Andrews, Rev. C. Lench, Geo. Parsons, Joseph Curran, W. Woodford, T. Henderson, Miss Newell, Mrs. W. Godden, Mrs. Crosbie, J. Fendon, F. Noseworthy, T. Dwyer and 30 others.

MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

Robbery at Torbay.

On the 10th inst. Mr. E. Cantwell, butcher at Torbay, proceeded to a wedding, taking his two children and locking up his house and premises for the night. Returning the next day, he was surprised to find two panes of glass broken in the windows, two carriage lamps also smashed and rendered worthless and on further investigation he found the cellar door forced open and that two barrels of potatoes had been stolen, his new pants was also taken from his house.

More About "Nicanor."

The Mutual Marine Insurance Co. received a telegram this morning from Capt. Barnes of the sch. Nicanor saying that he had to beach the schooner near Cape English to save the lives of himself and the crew. It was a choice between this and abandoning the schooner. She left St. John's Saturday evening and it is believed that she sprung a leak in the storm of Sunday morning.

St. Bon's Football Club

A large number of ex-pupils were present at the College yesterday morning when the St. Bon's Football Club held a meeting to make arrangements for the coming season. The President, Mr. Cullane, acted as chairman of the meeting. The officers elected for 1910 are: Mr. W. Hearn, Captain; Mr. J. O'Flaherty, Sub-Captain; Mr. Jas. Foley, League Delegate; Mr. C. J. Cahill, Sec. Treas. Mr. P. F. Collins generously presented a gold medal to be awarded the player who, in the opinion of his team mates at the end of the season, had done the best work for his team.

Good Veterinary Work

It will be remembered that two months ago a fine young horse owned by Capt. Neilson in running away broke the off foreleg at the fetlock. Vet. Donnelly took charge of the animal, put it in slings in his infirmary and covered the broken limb with plaster of Paris. As a result of the treatment the bone knitted. The horse was taken from the slings to-day and can use the leg perfectly. It will be out in a week or so.

Personal Notes.

Hon. Jno. Anderson returned by the Mongolian.

Mr. W. Ellis returned by the Mongolian this morning.

Mr. David Baird and wife returned by the Mongolian to-day.

Mrs. Macandla arrived by the s.s. Mongolian this morning.

Miss Coveyduck, who had been ill the past few days at her residence near the West End Fire Hall, is now out of danger.

Here and There.

FINE HORSE PERISHED.—Mr. J. Dooley, the well known cabman of King's Bridge, lost a fine horse worth \$160 yesterday. The beast died of heart disease.

TOOK OVER BUSINESS.—Mr. Jas. Bassett, formerly of Mr. H. V. Tuff's tonorial parlors, has taken over the premises on Duckworth Street formerly occupied by Wm. Kenny.

The regular monthly meeting of the St. John's Typographical Union will be held in the British Hall on to-morrow (Tuesday) evening at eight o'clock. By order, W. SKANES Secretary.

SCARLET FEVER CASES.—A little girl aged 10 years developed scarlet fever at the C. E. Orphanage Saturday and was removed to hospital. Another case was reported from John Street a few days ago.

CHINA CUPS and Saucers, Plates, Dishes, etc. Glass Preserve Dishes, Tumblers, Wine Glasses, Decanters, Vases, etc. We are always fully stocked with the above lines. At LAR-ACY'S, 345 and 347 Water Street, opposite Post Office.—Jan. 3.1f.

GRAND SOCIABLE.—Come along and bring your friends on Wednesday April 20th at 7.45 o'clock, Where! To the Wesley Young Ladies' Guild sociable at Wesley Church basement. Tickets only 25 cents each, may be had from all members of the Guild or at the door. A good time is assured all those who attend. 2ms

HORSE RAN AWAY.—While a spirited horse attached to a long cart was being driven up Water Street at 11.30 to-day by a boy, the back band broke and the animal took fright and ran with great speed up town. The boy pluckily held the reins and drove the horse to the sidewalk when men near secured the animal. The cart was overturned and the lad narrowly escaped serious injury.

BORN.
On the 13th inst., a son to Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Knight, Southside.

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Rewards Fire Fighters.

St. John's, April 15th, 1910.
Inspector General Sullivan.

Dear Sir,—I desire to thank the Fire Brigade under your command for their promptness in responding to the fire call at my residence, Rennie's Mill Road, on Wednesday evening last, and beg to hand you the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) towards their fund as a slight appreciation of their valuable services which please convey to them.

Yours very truly,
GEO. J. CARTER.

Inspector General's Office,
April 15th, 1910.

My Dear Mr. Carter,—On behalf of the Fire Brigade, let me thank you for your very nice present towards their fund, of the sum of Twenty Dollars, in appreciation of their promptness in responding to a call occasioned by a slight fire at your residence, Rennie's Mill Road, on the evening of Wednesday last. The amount has been handed to the Brigade, and as well as your kindly words of encouragement is appreciated.

I am, sir, yours sincerely,
JOHN SULLIVAN,
Insp. Gen. Constabulary.
Geo. J. Carter, Esq.,
City.

Is the World to End?

Is our Mother Earth going to be swept by a strange tall? We say No! This may be the end of the beginning; but it is certainly not the beginning of the end. So you can still get your clothing, dry goods and furniture, for Cash or Credit at B. FRIEDMAN, 301 Water Street. P. O. Box 5; Phone 546.

Hambourg has no Equal

Eminent English Musicians High Estimation of Mark Hambourg.

G. W. L. Marshall-Hall, Composer and Director of the University and Conservatoire of Melbourne, after attending one of the recitals given recently in that city by Mark Hambourg, the great Russian pianist, says, in the course of a very eloquent article:—"I do not know who there is in the old world to equal Mark Hambourg, to surpass him there is no one. We had the privilege to hear him first as a youth, then as a young man and now we have among us as a thoroughly ripened artist in his full manhood. I do not know if I have ever heard this beautiful work (Waldstein Sonata of Beethoven) quite so perfectly interpreted: I am sure it has never made an impression on my mind. MR. HAMBOURG'S tenderness is the tenderness of a powerful, energetic nature, not of a timid, gentle spirit. It is this manly breadth which distinguishes MR. HAMBOURG. He is never petty, never weakly sentimental, never tentative, but always masterful, noble, dignified and impressive." advt.11

The Log Cabin.

Mr. Dodd, proprietor of the Log Cabin that was destroyed by fire at Spruce Brook last summer, went out by train last evening. He intends to rebuild the cabin at an early date so as to be ready for the summer tourists.

ROLLER RINK.—The attendances at the Prince's Rink for roller skating are so small that the management are thinking of closing down till August. They evidently opened too early.

Here and There.

FESTIVAL OF EMPIRE.—The Committee of the Festival of Empire will meet Tuesday evening next.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—oct25m

ACKER CO. GONE.—The Acker Vandeville Co. went out by the express last evening. They will stop at Grand Falls for a few days.

INTER-BRIGADE SHOOT.—The C. C. C. have decided to take a part in the inter-brigade shooting matches the coming season.

AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION.—A meeting of the St. John Ambulance Association will take place on Wednesday in the Board of Trade rooms.

Sewing Machines.—We sell one make only equal to any in the world. Call and see them. Terms arranged to suit. CHESLEY WOODS, The White Piano & Organ Store.—mar26.

SERIOUSLY ILL.—Mrs. Carroll, wife of Capt. W. Carroll of the s.s. Kite, is now seriously ill and there are slight hopes of her recovery.

DIED AT KILBRIDE.—Mr. Martin Murphy, a well-known resident of Kilbride, died there yesterday in his 75th year. The funeral will take place Wednesday.

A LARGE FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late Master Gus Kelly took place last evening from his father's residence, Pennywell Road. There was a large attendance. Mr. J. Nash, the undertaker, provided a pretty white casket.

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FOR THIS WEEK!

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AMERICAN POUND LAWNS,

A very fine quality that costs about

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Remnants of Madras Cottons,

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COLLINS' PRICE, 11c. and 12c. Yard

White Shirting, 36 inches wide,

COLLINS' PRICE, 7 1/2c. Yard.

WHITE CORSET COVERS,

worth 50 cents each,

COLLINS' PRICE, 30 and 35 cents.

AMERICAN LAWNS,

a splendid fine quality, worth 18 and 20c.

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Remnants of White Sheetting,

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