

WEATHER FORECAST.

TORONTO (Midnight)—Heavy N. E. and W. gales with snow at first; strong winds and gales from N. and N.W., clearing and colder to-night.

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BUTTER—Finest P. E. I. . . . 35c. lb.

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Also a full line Choice Groceries at our usual low prices. Ask our prices on Jellies, Jams, Marmalade.

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M. A. Bastow & Sons, Limited.

Family Grocers, Back's Cove.

dec20,21

MIXARD'S LINIMENT USED BY PHYSICIANS.

In the Supreme Court of Newfoundland.

In the matter of the Companies' Act 1899 and amendments thereof, and

In the matter of the winding-up of H. Moulton, Limited.

TENDERS INVITED.

The Liquidators invite tenders for the valuable Business and Fishing Properties situated at Burgeo, Burnt Islands, Rose Blanche, Grand Bruit, Rencontre and Lark Harbour, in the District of Burgeo and LaPolle, Newfoundland, in which premises a large business has for many years been carried on.

The premises are advantageously situated for business and the winter fishing.

The following are approximate particulars, but full particulars will be supplied the prospective purchasers by Mr. George Moty, Agent of the Liquidator at Burgeo:—

Lot 1. BUILDING, SHOP AND RETAIL STORE AND OFFICE—2 stories and loft 66 x 42.

No. 2. Building, Fish Stores, Cooperage and Carpenters' Shed—2 stories and loft 60 x 125.

No. 3. Building, Fish Stores, Paint Shop, etc., 2 stories and loft 25 x 25.

No. 4. Building, Lumber, etc.—1 story and loft 20 x 15.

No. 5. Building, concrete basement used for cellar, 12 x 15, and one floor above.

Flake to spread 200 quintals. Flake to spread 100 quintals. Wharf 130 x 25.

Wharf 133 x 25.

The above premises are lighted by electricity generated by DeLce plant.

B.—Fishery Gear, Plant, Utensils and General Outfit of the Business.

Lot 2. BURNT ISLANDS.

No. 1. Building, Fish Store—4 stories 102 x 25.

No. 2. Building, Fish Store—1 story, 31 x 20.

No. 3. Building, Fish Store—1 story, 30 x 18.

No. 4. Building, Shop, and Retail Store, 92 x 84, 1 story.

No. 5. Building, Lumber, etc.—2 stories, 41 x 26.

No. 6. Building, Dwelling House.

No. 7. Building, Dwelling House.

B.—Fishery Gear, Plant, Utensils and General Outfit of the Business now at Burgeo.

Lot 3. ROSE BLANCHE.

A.—Premises.

No. 1. Building, Shop Retail and Salt Store, 2 stories, 60 x 25.

No. 2. Building, Oil Store, 1 story, 20 x 20.

No. 3. Building, Salt Bulk Fish Store, 1 story, 40 x 20.

No. 4. Building, Dry Fish Store, 1 story, 40 x 20.

No. 5. Building, Dry Fish Store, etc., 2 stories, 70 x 25.

No. 6. Building, Coal Store, 2 stories, 35 x 15.

No. 7. Building, Dwelling used by Agent, 2 stories 35 x 24.

No. 8. Building used by Royal Bank of Canada, 1 story, 25 x 20.

B.—Fishery Gear, Plant Utensils, and General Outfit of the Business now at Burgeo.

Lot 4. GRAND BRUIT.

A.—Premises.

No. 1. Building, Shop and Fish Store, 2 stories, 52 x 32.

No. 2. Building, Dwelling House, 2 stories, 29 x 27.

No. 3. Building, Coal Store, 2 stories, 26 x 12.

Northside—

No. 4. Building, Fish Store.

No. 5. Building, Shop, and Fish Store 2 Fish Flakes, 40 x 20, 55 x 20, 50 x 150.

Wharf, 50 feet long. Slip, 20 x 10.

B.—Fishery Gear, Plant Utensils, and General Outfit of the Business.

RENCONTRE.

A.—Premises.

1 Shop and Retail Store with Fish Store attached to same, 2 stories, 35 x 13 and 28 x 20.

1 Store—Fish, Coal, Salt, etc., 50 x 25. Wharf—50 x 16.

B.—Fishery Gear, Plant Utensils and General Outfit of the Business.

Lot 6. LARK HARBOUR.

A.—Premises.

Shop, Retail and Dry Fish Store, 60 x 60.

Two story Cod Oil Store, 12 x 15. Wharf, 200 feet long, 60 feet wide. Flakes to spread 300 qtls. dry fish. Dwelling House, two story, 18 x 24 ft.

Tenders for any one Lot, any number of Lots, or for the whole will be received up to Thursday, the 28th day of January, 1922, and should be addressed to SIR WILLIAM F. LLOYD, K.C., Court House, St. John's, Newfoundland, and marked on the outside "Tenders for Moulton's Premises."

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Purchasers will have the option of buying the Stocks in Trade, at a valuation.

WILLIAM F. LLOYD, for Liquidators.

dec24,25,31,Jan4,7,11,14

TENDERS.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT.

In the Estate of Larder Bros. Wrecking Company, Limited, New Ross, Lunenburg Co., Nova Scotia.

Pursuant to a resolution passed by a meeting of the creditors of this Estate, on the 20th day of December, 1921, the undersigned will receive sealed tenders for the following property belonging to the Estate.

A.—The Steamship "Amphitrite", now at Commercial Wharf, Halifax, N.S. Length 110', Beam 29' 6". Fore Hold 11' 8". Gross tonnage 252.22. Built at Malbone Bay, Nova Scotia, in 1903. Rebuilt at Liverpool, Nova Scotia, 1916. Engines 12 and 24' cylinders (fore and aft), stroke 18".

B.—Diving and wrecking gear, including pumps and fittings, boilers for pumps, diving outfit complete, hammers, mooring lines, etc.

C.—Certain wrecks under water along the coast of Newfoundland.

D.—Three 2400 light dynamos; one at Halifax, two at Montreal.

E.—Property on the Waterfront at Trepassay, Newfoundland, including a wharf and two-story frame warehouse, said lands being more fully described in a Conveyance to the Debtors.

Tenders may be submitted for the whole of the above assets or for separate parcels, and are to be lodged with the Authorized Trustee, 436 Barrington Street, Halifax, N.S., on or before the 9th day of January, 1922.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

THE CANADA PERMANENT TRUST COMPANY, (Authorized Trustee) 436 Barrington St., Halifax, N.S.

Dated at Halifax, N.S., this 22nd day of December, 1921. dec29,31

Just Arrived

Fresh Selected EGGS.

Choice Canadian Table Butter

EAST END FEED AND PRODUCE STORE.

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dec23,24

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Let Us Make Your Aspirations—REALITIES.

Wireless classes commence January 2nd—day and night tuition.

Enroll to-day and in the spring the world will be your playground.

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Xmas Dainties.

IMPORTANT TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

We can supply you with Raw Pastry by the pound. Orders taken for Pastry Strips, Mince and Oyster Patty Shells, Large Fruit and Mince Pies, Sponge Cakes and Ladies' Fingers, Pastry Fingers, Genuine French Sponge Cake by the pound, Meringues a specialty. Xmas Cakes prettily ornamented.

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CHOICE POULTRY

FOR THE NEW YEAR.

ELLIS & CO., Ltd.,

203 Water Street, GROCERS AND POULTERIERS.

Choice Turkeys, Choice Geese, Choice Ducks, Choice Plymouth Rock Chicken.

SPECIAL.

300 Choice Fat Geese

Must be sold during the week at cost.

Secure one while there is yet time. dec29,31

St. John's Meat Co., Ltd.

TURKEYS, GEESSE, DUCKS & CHICKEN

We are selling the balance of our Xmas stock at cost to clear. Place your order early.

SECURE A NICE JOINT OF Choice BEEF, MUTTON, LAMB or PORK FOR THE NEW YEAR.

SAUSAGES, PUDDINGS, BUTTER, EGGS and BACON.

NOTE THE ADDRESSES:

176 Water St. East. Phone 800.

429 Water St. West. Phone 801.

dec27,28

COAL!

In store, North Sydney Screened, American Soft Household Screened and Anthracite Coal. Also to arrive a small cargo North Sydney Screened.

S. A. DARBY, Bishop & Sons Cove. dec29,30,31

Postal Telegraphs.

Tenders will be received for the supply of telegraph poles as follows:—

Provision to Grandy's Point, 500'. On Merasheen Island, 523. On Long Island, 230. On Red Island, 60. Total 1318 poles.

The condemned poles are all marked and the new pole is to be placed at the foot of the condemned pole all along. Dimensions: To trim 18 feet long, five inches diameter at top, rhinded black spruce, juniper or fir, sound timber. Poles must be up to specification and will be counted, surveyed and taken over on March 31st, or earlier if the snow has left them uncovered.

All poles can be obtained along the line and on the islands named.

Tenders to be addressed to me at the General Post Office up to January 14th, 1922.

The department is not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

DAVID STOTT, Superintendent. dec31,31

STATUTORY NOTICE.

In the Estate of Donald John Bethune, late of St. George's, Medical Practitioner, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that, all persons claiming to be creditors of, or who have any claim or demand affecting the estate of Donald John Bethune, late of St. George's, Medical Practitioner, deceased, are required to send particulars of their claims in writing, duly attested, to Ada J. Bethune, St. George's, Executrix of the Will of said deceased, or to the undersigned Solicitors, on or before the 6th day of February, 1922.

St. John's, December 31st, 1921.

HIGGINS, HUNT & EMERSON, Solicitors for Executrix. Columbus Hall, Duckworth St., St. John's. dec31,31

NOTICE.

Next sailing steamship Sable L.—

From Halifax . . . Dec. 26th

From St. John's . . . Dec. 30th

HARVEY & CO., LTD., St. John's, Nfld.

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WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO-NIGHT?

I am going to the Newfoundland Auction Store where I can buy a good bargain. Where is that place? Oh, you can't make a mistake; just ask for 152 New Gower Street.

M. NIKOSEY, Auctioneer. dec27,28

FOR SALE.

Marine Compound Condensing Engine, complete with Air and Circular Pumps, Shafting, Propeller, etc.; cylinders 14" x 24", stroke 20"; working pressure 180 pounds per square inch; approximate horsepower 230.

For further particulars apply to SUPERINTENDENT DRY DOCK, dec20,21,22,23,24,25,26,27,28,29,30,31

The Wonderful Invention—"WEATHER COTTAGE."

The figures of man and woman in forestal weather conditions. The man will come out 5 to 24 hours ahead of rain; for fair weather the woman will appear, and for changeable weather both will remain at the doors.

Prices \$1.50 and \$1.75 each.

J. M. RYAN SUPPLY CO., 227 Theatre Hill. dec30,31

International Bible Students' Association.

Chapter Room, Victoria Hall. Subject of Discourse: "Manner of Our Lord's Return." Are you looking for a spectacular appearance? Then hear Scripture on the subject harmonized at 7 o'clock Sunday evening. Seats free. No collection. dec31,31

ATLANTIC LODGE, I. O. O. F., No. 1.

An Emergency Meeting of the above Lodge will take place at the Odd Fellows Hall on Sunday, January 1st, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, John Woolridge. GEO. P. BARNES, N. G. dec31,31

Reid Newfoundland Co.

FREIGHT NOTICE.

GREEN BAY STEAMSHIP SERVICE.

Owing to ice conditions, no more freight will be accepted for Point Leamington. But freight for all other points on the above route will be accepted to-day, Saturday, from 9 a.m.

PLACENTIA BAY STEAMSHIP SERVICE.

Freight for the Presque Route (West Run) will be accepted at the Freight Shed Tuesday, Jan. 3rd, from 9 a.m. dec30,31

REMOVAL NOTICE!

His Grace the Archbishop will receive visitors on Sunday (New Year's Day) from 12 to 1.30 in the Memorial House on Monday, January 2nd, between the hours of 3.30 and 5 p.m. Government House, St. John's, 30 Dec., 1921. dec30,31

AT HOME.

His Excellency the Governor will be glad to receive callers at Government House on Monday, January 2nd, between the hours of 3.30 and 5 p.m. Government House, St. John's, 30 Dec., 1921. dec30,31

Removal Notice!

Hudson's Bay Company Removed to New Royal Bank of Canada Building. dec31,31

LOST—Since Tuesday, Black Setter Male Pup, four months old. Reward to finder from J. J. LACEY, City Chambers, or inside Robinson's Hill, 3 Brownian St. dec31,31

FOR SALE—Boat and Engine, one year in use; length 25 feet, breadth 4 1/2 feet; apply DENIS KING, 3 Brownian St. dec31,31

OFFICE TO LET—Fine Office to let in Cabot Building; best location in city; opposite AYRS & Sons' new building; reasonable rent; apply BERT HAYWARD, Cabot Building. dec22,30,31

BOARD—Can accommodate three Gentlemen; terms reasonable; all modern conveniences; over Roberts and Warfield's Shop. F. ANDREWS, 303 Water St. dec31,31

TO LET—A Flat in central locality, suitable for office or club-room; supplied with

A half inch to the Shave—
MENNEN
SHAVING CREAM
 The economy of it is as easy on your pocket as the lather is easy on your face.

Sweet Eva!

CHAPTER VII.
 "There isn't anybody," said his son. The old man gave a gasp of relief and held out his hand.

"Then it's all right—it's all right, isn't it—eh?"
 "Quite all right," said Philip. He gripped his father's hand, then let it go, and walked out of the room.

Kitty was not at all loving; in fact heart quivered as he planted that fact firmly in his brain, but he took a hard grip of himself instantly. She was not worth loving—he had done with her.

He deliberately thought of Eva Dennison. She had treated him fairly and squarely ever since he first met her; he was glad now to remember her frankness with him the night when he found her looking at the moon.

She did not care for him, of course—he had no right to expect it when he did not care for her—but at least they would get on well together; in a vague sort of way it seemed to him that life with her would evolve itself into a sort of eternal tennis match in which she would capably partner him.

Anyhow, he meant to ask her to marry him. She might refuse, of course—for the smallest fraction of a second he hoped that she would—but he sternly brought himself to book again.

There would be married at once. There was nothing to wait for. He would let Kitty see that he . . . He pulled himself up sharply. Kitty. And yet . . . yet . . . those moments in the Dennisons' rose-garden had been very sweet; in a bruised imagination he could still feel the soft touch of her lips on his.

He wandered about the house and grounds all the morning. He deliberately tried to imagine how he would feel if he knew that to-morrow, or the next day, or the day after that, he had got to walk out of it and never return; how he would feel if he saw someone else living there. He knew he would feel pretty sick.

He tried to picture himself trying to make an income for himself, perhaps chained to an office stool all day and coming home cross and tired every night of his life to a suburban home. It was not in the least probable that he would ever do such a thing—he was the kind of man to clear off abroad first and rough it there—but it helped somehow to conjure these pathetic pictures of what might happen to him if Eva Dennison refused to marry him.

He thought of his father and mother, left to eke out the rest of their lives on a small and insufficient income; of his mother with perhaps only one servant to help her; and to his inexperience that seemed a terrible thing. How could one possibly be even moderately happy without luxury and the thousand and one things to which she had been accustomed all her life?

He knew now what a fool he had been accustomed all her life?

He knew now what a fool he had been to imagine that a girl like Kitty would ever consent to marry him with such a prospect in store for her.

The Arringtons were poor, but only with comparative poverty, and the whole family threw every effort they possessed into the somewhat doubtful task of "keeping up appearances."

They might not pay their bills regularly, but they kept two or three smart maids; there might be whispers of moneylenders and other unpleasantnesses, but Kitty was always one of the best-dressed women wherever she went.

So Philip Winterdick argued with himself for the whole morning. He remembered grimly how once, during his "Varsity" days, he had stayed up all night with a friend, trying to dissuade him from marriage with a rich widow ten years his senior, but a woman whose fat money-bags would have helped that friend out of a horribly tight corner.

"You'll regret it for the rest of your life if you do it, old man," Philip had said over and over again. "Some day the right woman will come along, and then . . ."

Oh, he had been very eloquent! He smiled grimly now, remembering how at last he had gained his point. Fielding had not married the rich widow, and he had faced the music like a man, been sent down and had cleared off abroad.

Philip had heard from him only a week ago, telling him that the farm was paying at last, and that the best girl in the world had turned up and was going to put a shoulder to the wheel along with him. "And it's you I have to thank for it," so he wrote in happy eloquence. "Supposing I'd made a fool of myself five years ago . . ."

Young Winterdick wondered if he stood now in a similar position to that once occupied by Fielding. Eva was not a rich widow ten years his senior, certainly; she was a young girl and a charming one, so no doubt many men would say—but he did not love her, and did not want to marry her, and that was all there was to it.

On the other hand, there were his mother and father to be considered; they had been so thundering good to him, and he was their only son . . . And it wasn't as if Kitty cared! He drew a long breath. If she had, he would have risked everything and stalked out of the Highway House with his head in the air, a happy beggar; but as it was . . . Young Winterdick walked home to lunch.

"I'll ask her if she'll have me," he told himself. "I'll go over to-day and ask her if she'll have me . . ."

But it was nearly five o'clock in the afternoon before he could screw up his courage sufficiently to go to the Dennisons', and ever then he walked the whole way instead of taking the car.

There was no desperate hurry. He had got all the rest of his life to spend with her, so half an hour or so could make no difference.

"Why, of course," she said. "If there is anything I can do to help you . . ."

"I thought at first you could," he interrupted. "That's why I came here; but now—somehow . . . somehow things seem different, and—and it's just this, Miss Dennison—my father is a ruined man."

"Ruined!" She schooled the word with a world of dismay and sympathy in her voice; but Philip heard with gratitude that there was nothing of the angry incredulity with which Kitty had received his news. He blundered on.

"It's unlucky speculation. I don't know the whole truth myself yet. It seems extraordinary that a fortune like the Governor's can be lost in a few hours, so to speak. But there it is. We've got to leave the Highway House, unless . . ."

"He stopped—for the life of him he could not go on. "Oh, I am so sorry—so sorry," she said compassionately.

"In the drive he met Peter, who passed him hurriedly with a rather self-conscious nod.

"Bonnie's in the garden with the boys," he said. "Go round, will you? They're picking plums. I believe."

Philip walked on slowly; he knew quite well where Peter was going, and he could not quite control the spasm of jealousy in his heart. So many times he had made his way to Kitty with just the same joyous anticipation.

One of the younger Dennison boys overtook him as he crossed the lawn.

"Bonnie's up in the tree picking the plums," he said. "She's going to make jam. Mother's wild, because she says the cook ought to do it, but Bonnie won't let her. She always made it before we came here, you know."

"Did she?" A ghost of a smile crept into Philip's eyes; he liked Eva for her conservative determination. "Why do you call her Bonnie?" he asked.

"The boy laughed. "Don't know . . . we always have . . . there she is, look!"

They had reached the fruit garden now, and Philip saw a ladder planted against the trunk of one of the largest trees; saw, too, a pair of feet on the top rung and heard voices somewhere up above in the laden branches.

"He went forward a step. "Can I be of any assistance?" he asked.

There was a little laugh of consternation, then the dainty feet came down a couple of rungs and Eva peered at him from amongst the leaves.

"You! And I'm not fit to be seen. Look out, I'll come down."

She scrambled down quickly, jumping the last couple of feet, and landed beside Philip.

Her face was flushed and her hair disordered; the sleeves of her cotton frock were rolled up to the elbow and her hands were stained with the bark of the branches.

"We're gathering plums," she said. "I'm going to make jam."

"There was a note of defiance in her voice, though she laughed.

"I suppose he's thinking what a sight I look," she thought helplessly.

"Well, I suppose I can help, can't I?" he said. "Or does it take brains to pick plums?"

He took off his coat as he spoke and went up the ladder. He discovered the younger Dennison boy up amongst the branches.

"Want any help?" he asked cheerily. "He was beginning to enjoy himself; it was a long time since he had done anything like this. He picked away manfully till the tree was almost empty."

"I think you might come down now, you two," Eva said presently from the ground below. Philip Winterdick dropped out of the tree and landed beside her. He was rather grimy and there were bits of leaves sticking in his hair.

He phased a self-conscious hand over it. "We're a pair now, any way," he said whimsically.

The girl flushed a little; she was looking very happy and her eyes shone.

"I am sure you didn't come up with the intention of doing this," she said laughing.

He sobered suddenly. "No," he said; "I didn't." He paused looking away from her across the lawn where the setting sun was casting long shadows.

"I wonder if you will spare me a moment, so that I can tell you why I did come?" he said.

She looked surprised. "Of course. But don't you want a wash first?"

He shrugged his shoulders. "I don't mind if you don't." There was a gleam of amusement in his eyes. "I'm no more grubby than you are," he reminded her.

She laughed merrily. "Very well." She turned to the boys. "Take the baskets to the kitchen for me," she said. "I'm just going to the gate with Mr. Winterdick."

"Is that a hint for me to go?" Philip asked. "Because I warn you that I'm not going . . . at least, not until I've said what I came to say."

She looked at him in puzzled silence, and suddenly Philip found himself longing to tell her the truth; to do the square thing by her as he was sure she would have done it by him; to tell her about Kitty, and his father's proposal, and about Mr. Dennison's conditions, and almost before he was aware of it he had blurted out that he was in trouble—rotten trouble—that he felt he must tell someone, and might he tell her?

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FAREWELL, 1921!

MURPHY'S GOOD THINGS.

Farewell to 1921 profits. We are not looking for profits now, we are going to clean off all 1921 stock at any price to make room for New Goods now on the way. All old goods have to go, and go in a hurry; so come and get your share of Murphy's Good Things at greatly reduced prices while this Sale lasts.

Men's Blue Work Shirts
 Men's Work Shirts, made of Blue Gingham, fitted with pocket and collar. Worth \$1.50 each. Our price
Each, 99c

"Roughing It" Trousers
 "Over the fence and far away" is about all that you know of your boy during vacation. We carry this special line of Trousers for the active fun-loving boy. Materials will not show soil easily.
Each, 1.25 to 1.79

Men's Black Hose
 Men's Heavy Wool Black Hose, made of pure wool yarns, double heel and toe; real good serviceable Hose.
Per Pair, 75c

Gauntlet Wrist Gloves
 Made of leather, with stiffened cuffs and well stitched seams; Gloves that are low in price and lasting in quality—two things that make them popular with everybody.
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Boys' Overcoats
 A large stock of Boys' Overcoats to fit boys from 11 to 17 years, in dark patterns; all lined throughout with black sateen, fitted with pockets. Easily worth twice our price.
Each, 6.98

LADIES' WINTER HATS
 A few Ladies' Winter Hats, some real nice ones amongst them. Hats up to \$6.98. Your choice now for
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Cuticura Talcum Powder
 A general favorite on account of its delightful odor, put up in sifter cans of about 4 ozs.
Per Tin, 49c

Cuticura Soap
 Cuticura is a cleansing and purifying Soap for the toilet and bath; fragrant and refreshing.
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Palmolive Soap
 This is a very popular Soap.
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Cuticura Ointment
 Will soothe and heal all skin troubles, from pimples to eczema.
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 A popular outfit for a gift: 5 in. Swing Mirror, Porcelain Cup and metal handled Brush.
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HOW ONE CAPE BRETON ISLAND BECAME TWO

FACTS AND FICTION.

By REV. CANON LOCKYER.

LONG years ago what is now known as Morien Bay, Cape Breton, was a salt water lake, covering what long years before that was an area of marsh land. The barrier between the lake and the ocean was a narrow strip of land, which formed a curved coast-line stretching from, and to what are known to-day as the north and south headlands. For centuries the south-eastern storms sent the waters of the Atlantic in all its force and fury upon this strip of narrow, crumbling coast-line; and with a stretch of air and ocean behind those storms reaching to Newfoundland on the east, and Ireland on the south, the sea force was well calculated in due time, to sweep away such an obstacle to its further progress. Every year saw the barrier getting gradually less, and the time came when nothing was left but a part of it which had put up a sturdy fight from the first. This in geological formation was of a flinty nature, and as such it defied the storms to rob it of anything but the soft surface soil which it had shared in common with the rugged coast-line. Long after the last vestige of the main barrier had disappeared, and the sea had rolled without hindrance over the bottom of the lake, the flinty portion in one, long, solid, unbroken mass of rock, with sides rising straight up from the ocean, stood sentinel at the entrance of the newly formed bay, and the wildest storms were impotent to do other than to wash its sides, and temporarily disturb the gulls and puffins on its surface. For centuries this flinty, unbroken mass of rock—known to-day as Flint Island—was a well known landmark to coasters. It was also the home of the sea birds, which in their successive generations witnessed the coming and going of the Indians and the French, who in turn had taken up their transient abode on various parts of the permanent coast-line.

EARLY SETTLERS.

In the meantime, the boys of Nova Scotia to the East of Halifax had begun to be settled by the descendants of refugees from Europe. They were represented by the Hemlows, and the Schweinamers, the Conrads, the Hysons and the Boutilliers—names which indicated their common Fatherland, and guaranteed a sturdy and valuable addition to the country. They soon found that the soil, with careful treatment, was capable of yielding excellent cabbage, and in quantities more than sufficient for the providing of the ever necessary kraut. This, with the abundance of hardwood everywhere, suggested to one Davy Boutillier the advisability of export to Halifax, where the cabbage and the cordwood found such a ready sale, that a fleet of boats about twenty tons each, was built for, and engaged in the trade. Davy Boutillier's boat was named the Trafalgar, and she was affectionately known to and referred to by him as "the little Trafalgar." She was a marvel as a sea boat, and with her owner at the tiller and Johnnie Hemlaw at the jib sheet no wind or sea could stop her. This was sadly evident when the fleet got caught one November day in a terrific storm of Sambre, and according to Skipper Davy's own account "the little Trafalgar" was the only survivor, and she sailed proudly into Halifax without the loss of a single head of cabbage, or a stick of cordwood; but from Sambre to Chebucto "head the surface of the water was covered" (so Davy said) "with cabbage, cordwood, and drowned men."

ALWAYS ON SCHEDULE.

The same far-seeing vision which caused Davy Boutillier to become the pioneer in the cabbage and cordwood trade from St. Margaret's Bay to

Halifax, led him to be the first to discover a new and a further field of promising trade in Cape Breton. So, one fall, after having discharged his cargo of cabbage and cordwood, "the little Trafalgar" was loaded to the hatches with a general cargo for Sydney, C.B. So quickly and so carefully were the goods delivered, that the "Trafalgar" was always in demand for freight, and she became well known along the coast. Skipper Davy, too, liked the route, and soon every rock and headland from Devil's Island, Halifax, to Low Point, Sydney became familiar to him, and he would talk to them, as standing beside the tiller he passed by them. "Hal!" he would say, "there is the Jeddore, de Beaver Harbor, de Marie Joseph, de Isaac's Harbor, de Stag Rocks, Ah! you bad rock, I keep clear of you; 'Hal' de Cape Canso, de Gabarus, de 'Scattarie; Ah; de rough, bad place, 'I do not want to leave my bones wid 'you.' So Davy would talk as he passed down the coast. The one spot, however, that Davy thought most of, and was most pleased to see was "de Flint Island," and as he passed it he would run as close to it as he dared, and call Johnnie Hemlaw's attention to "de one, big, grand rock." There was only one thing in the world that, in Davy's estimation was bigger or grander than "de Flint Island," and that was "the little Trafalgar."

STUCK SOMETHING HARD.

One year in particular there was a rush call from Sydney for goods, and the last stick of cordwood was scarcely out of the hold of "the little Trafalgar" when a crate of china took its place, and other things followed so quickly that, in a short time Skipper Davy was ready for sea again. With a fair wind and a flowing tide "the little Trafalgar" sailed proudly out of Halifax, and down the coast of Nova Scotia. Then with a shift of wind from the south down came the fog, and so black and thick, that Skipper Davy and Johnnie Hemlaw continued to be aware of each other's existence, only by shouting to each other every now and then. A slight lifting of the fog showed them where they were, and long enough for Skipper Davy to set his course N.N.W. "Now she was all right," Johnnie Hemlaw shouted to Davy, as the fog came down again. "Now she will skim de Flint Island," and we will pass de time of day with 'him, and den we will soon see de 'Low Point.' The sheets were drawn in a bit, and "the little Trafalgar" raced along, to the great delight of Skipper Davy, who was heard to remark every now and then "by shime she was a racer." Suddenly something happened. "The little Trafalgar" shivered from stem to stern. Johnnie Hemlaw found himself on the broad of his back, the firkin of kraut in the forecastle was capsized, and Skipper Davy barely saved himself from following his own cap over the stern. It was only for a moment, however, and "the little Trafalgar" was bowling it off again on her course. When Johnnie Hemlaw recovered his senses he could give no explanation of what had happened, only that he thought "they had struck a vable, and by shorge 'the little Trafalgar' had given him one good fright."

SHE CERTAINLY WAS.

In good time Sydney was reached and the cargo was discharged. Neither Johnnie Hemlaw nor Skipper Davy, however, could forget that shock they got in the fog on the way down; nor could they account for the pieces of rock embedded in the little Trafalgar's bow, nor why the tar was scraped off her sides. After ballasting in Sydney "the little Trafalgar" was headed for home again. It was a beautiful morning when they passed de Flint Island, and to the utter

amazement of Johnnie and Davy, the island was no longer one, but two, with the sea racing between. Then Davy struck the leg of his bonnet with his swastika mit, and shouted: "By Shimey! Johnnie Hemlaw, dat was not a vable we struck last week, but de Flint Island himself; and 'de little Trafalgar,' by Gosh! she split him right 'in two. Now, by Gosh! I know 'where de rocks came from in de 'bow, and what scraped de tar from 'her sides, and if de Hemlows, and de Conrads, and de Hysons and de Boutilliers in St. Margaret's Bay do 'not believe it when we go back, den 'they can just come down and see for 'themselves. By Gosh! de little 'Trafalgar she vas one crackerjack."

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Exploring Mystery Planets.

TELESCOPE A QUARTER OF A MILE LONG.

One of the greatest difficulties encountered when erecting a big telescope is the problem of making its huge tube sufficiently rigid. Professor Todd has conceived a new way of tackling the problem: he proposes to use the shaft of a mine as the tube of the greatest telescope ever made. In 1924 the mysterious planet Mars will be nearer to us than it has been for a century. Here, if only we can sense it, is our best chance of discovering whether people like ourselves live upon its surface. Professor Todd's "mine-telescope" is to be more than a quarter of a mile in length, and fifty feet in diameter. It will bring Mars within one and a half miles of the observer's eyes.

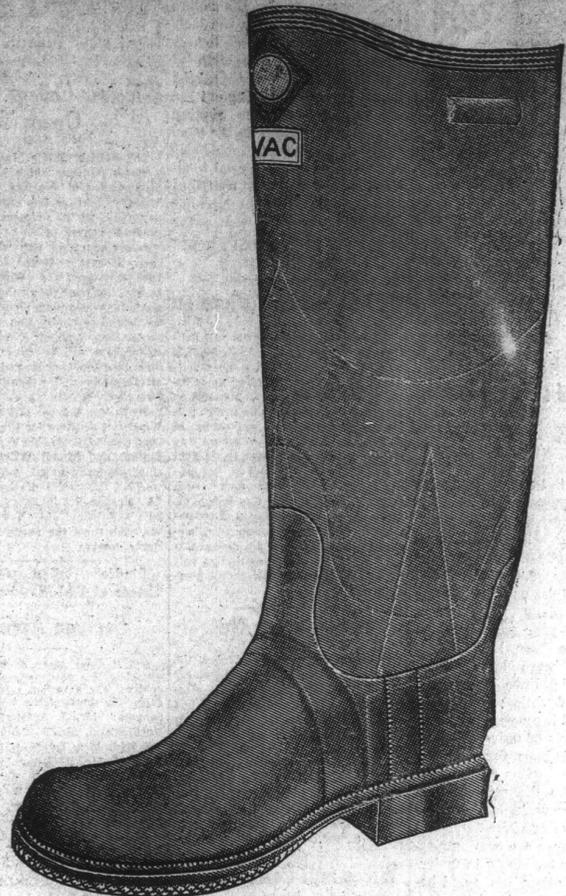
Mirrors That Amaze.

The magnifying mirrors used in great telescopes are difficult to make and very costly. What a fifty-foot mirror would cost no one can say—it might easily run into a quarter of a million pounds and take ten or fifteen years to make.

Professor Todd is not going to have a glass mirror at all. He proposes to have at the foot of his telescope a great bowl filled with quicksilver. The bowl will be rotated by means of a motor, and as it spins the mercury will assume the necessary concave shape. Once the proper speed has been found by experiment, a mirror will be obtained capable of magnifying twenty-five million times. With such a telescope, you could read the lettering on a penny four hundred miles away!

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Sherlock Holmes.

Sir Conan Doyle Tells How Name of Character Was Evolved.

Sir Conan Doyle gave an authoritative account of the origin of the name of "Sherlock Holmes" at the semi-annual convention dinner of the Stoll Film Company here this week. At the same time his "Speckled Band" was enjoying a hugely successful revival at the St. James Theatre. Simultaneously reports from Constantinople said the Turks were accusing the British Government of

sending its famous detective to the Turkish capital, where he is well known in the films, just in time to discover a plot against a score of high British officers there.

Sir Conan said many persons had strange reasons for his use of the name of "Sherlock Holmes," but the real reason was that he wanted to get away from Dicken's custom of calling every detective "Sharpe" or a similar name. "Holmes was homely," he said "and as for 'Sherlock'—well, years ago I made thirty runs against a bowler by the name of Sherlock, and I always had a kindly feeling for that name."

Sir Conan also gave to William Gillette all the credit for the dramatization of "Sherlock Holmes." He revealed that Mr. Gillette, while touring America in the part of Sherlock Holmes, cabled to him:

"May I marry Sherlock Holmes?" Sir Conan replied: "Marry him or murder him. Do anything you like."



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MIT AND JEFF.

THE SQUIRTVILLE GAZETTE IS QUITE NEWSY THIS WEEK.





Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
C. T. JAMES, Editor

Saturday, December 31, 1921.

**"Ring Out The Old,
Ring In The New!"**

ANOTHER year is slowly dying, it's time being numbered by hours, of which it has but twelve to live. At midnight the bells will ring out their merry peal welcoming the infant 1922. They will have already tolled out old 1921, whose scene in the drama of the world has been played, let us hope to some purpose. Many things were done in the year passed, which might have been left undone, and others were left undone, which might have been done. The same, doubtless will occur in 1922 and through all the succeeding years of universal time. Still there is hope, for the signs show that all of us are improving. In the daily intercourse there are more indications—we speak now of Newfoundland alone—that we are coming closer together, beginning to understand each other better and beginning to help each other more. If we do not all these things to what end are we striving?

THE year 1921 saw toil and sorrow, triumph and defeat, success and failure, disaster and destruction. It was a year of stress, and desolation came to many homes, but out of all the pain there comes a jubilant note. The desire to carry on is as intense as ever it was, and human nature cannot sit down and perpetually mourn under the stroke of misfortune. "I will arise" is the dominant declaration. The jubilation of that is in the action of arising and in the joy of working. The strength to endure, to give service for service, to arrange affairs so that they may be of benefit to all. Whatever has happened during the past twelve months is beyond recall. Yet any ill deeds done need not necessarily be repeated in either of the twelve months ahead. The good, however, can be renewed, and a determination to avoid the evil taken. All must strive for the common good, and the closing months of 1921 gave evidence that that spirit had sprung into existence with full strength. May it remain.

AND so we begin the New Year with new resolutions, with new hopes and new desires. "Let all the ends thou aim'st at be thy country's" should be a motto for every man, woman and child in Newfoundland. Carrying out that unitedly and the Ancient Colony will emerge from her present temporary state of depression and will quickly get back to more prosperous conditions. The men who control affairs have to be on the alert, in order to see that nothing detracts from or prevents or stands in the way of progress. Newfoundland can rise supreme over present difficulties. The spirit is there, the recuperative power is there, the will is there. But all must work together. There must be no simulation, no deception. The game of make-believe has to be discontinued, and a newer, more confidential, more mutual spirit

developed. Only in this way can future prosperity be assured. The time is ripe for action; 1922 is full of the promise of great possibilities. Our natural resources are going to be developed to a huge extent, and progress rather than retrogression appears to be the ruling idea. Therefore when the bells ring out from the church towers their message of the birth of the New Year, let the peal be heard as chimes, ringing out the old, ringing in the new, ringing out the false, ringing in the true. With this spirit of the advent of 1922, we wish to extend to all the readers, patrons, contributors and friends of the Evening Telegram our best wishes for A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

Of Interest to Fishermen

On Tuesday, the Telegram will publish a letter from Mr. A. B. Morine, written at Toronto, the subject matter of which is of exceeding great interest to all fishermen. Mr. Morine discusses the only possible future policy in the successful marketing of our codfish so that the producers may derive the greatest benefit in its final sale, and become sharers in the profits accruing. We have made such editorial comment on this communication as we deem fitting, and recommend the closest attention of fishermen to the arguments put forward in support of the most constructive policy of sale and share heretofore placed before them.

Power Gives Out.

Shortly after 9 p.m. yesterday, the city was suddenly plunged in darkness through the falling of the electric power due to a grounded line which caused a transformer to blow out. Shortly after 10 p.m. the power came on and remained until about 12.15 a.m. when it failed again for a similar reason. The trouble was somewhere between town and Petty Harbour. The power was shut off all through the early morning, but was finally turned on at 9.45.

Wires and Poles Down.

During last night there was a heavy "silver thaw" which did considerable damage to the telephone wires, electric lighting system and trees. On the Long Pond Road the telephone lines, of which there are some 20 wires, are all smashed down. From Carpasian Farm to Dwyers Hill a large amount of damage was done. In this section no less than 5 poles were smashed off by the weight of the ice coating. Gangs of line men were out early this morning effecting repairs.

Complaint of Negligence

Citizens coming to work this morning had a difficult time trying to get down the different inclines. Many complaints were heard of the negligence of the Council's inspectors in not having the hills sprinkled with ashes or sand. During the past 3 days the hills were in a dangerous condition and many citizens have received nasty falls. No efforts were made to improve conditions. Horses are engaged all day long carting ashes out in the country but it seems nobody's business to see that any of this is placed on dangerous inclines. The S.P.C.A. inspector was more interested in the welfare of the animals under his charge, than the Council's men are in the lives of citizens. During the week Mr. Byrter could be seen with a bucket of salt sprinkling the sidewalks from which horses were drawing heavy loads.

McMurdo's Store News.

NEW YEAR'S EVE, 1922. At this, the close of a year which was in Newfoundland and elsewhere, a year of "hard knocks," we might say a great deal, but so much has been said and written on the subject, that it would profit little enough. But we would remind our readers that Newfoundland has passed through worse times than this, and came through them; and she will come through this too. Already there are signs, slight but unmistakable of a break in the clouds, and the year 1922 may have some pleasant surprises in store for us. Meanwhile we wish all our friends who in these difficult days have stood by us so loyally, a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

STAR OF THE SEA ASSOCIATION.—A Special Meeting of the Star of the Sea Association will be held in the Armoury, T. A. Hall, on Sunday at 2.30 p.m. Committee on revision of rules will report and arrangements made for annual parade. By order, W. F. GRAHAM, Secy.

ON PROFESSIONAL BUSINESS.—Mr. G. W. B. Ayre leaves for Carbonear on Monday night where he will defend a woman who is charged with larceny before Judge Penney.

**Watch Night and
New Year Services.**

ST. MARY THE VIRGIN.
New Year's Eve.—Watch-night Service, commencing at 11 p.m. and ending soon after midnight. (Collection for the Orphanage.)
New Year's Day (Sunday Jan. 1).—8. Holy Communion; 11. Matins; 2.30. Sundry School and Bible Classes; 4. Holy Baptism; 6.30. Evensong.

**Wireless College
Opens Tuesday.**

The British Radio Institute, the wireless college, which has recently been started in this city, opens on Tuesday, January 3rd. There will be day and night classes. A post-graduate course will be given for wireless operators who wish to have their licenses endorsed for Continuous Wave Sets, and Wireless Telegraphy. A Home Study Course is given to enable young men throughout the island to study this fascinating profession. Amateur Wireless Classes for boys will be given to teach them how to construct and erect a set for themselves. Mr. Southgate, in an interview yesterday, stated that their purpose was not so much to train Wireless Operators for the Newfoundland Coastal boats, but rather for the English and Canadian Trans-Atlantic ships, that sail to all parts of the world. The motto of the college is "A Wireless Set in Every Town, Village and Island in Newfoundland." We wish them the success they so richly deserve.

Choice Italian Gorgonzola Cheese at ELLIS'—4c6c,tf

Sachem Arrives.

S.S. Sachem, eight days from Liverpool to this port, arrived at 10 a.m. to-day. The ship had a stormy passage. She brought the following passengers: Mr. J. Armstrong, Mr. F. Buckingham, Mr. F. Candow, Mr. E. Dunfield, Mrs. Dunfield, Miss D. H. Dunfield, Mr. H. Jones, Mrs. L. M. Kavanagh, Mrs. E. S. Marshall, Mrs. J. L. Murphy, Lt.-Col. T. Nangle, Mr. W. Penston, Capt. R. F. W. Strong, Mrs. Strong, Mr. H. Thornhill, Mr. S. C. Marshall, Mr. R. Nash, Mr. W. Butt, Mr. E. Babb, Mr. A. Wang, Mr. A. Uaing, Mr. J. Hickey, Mr. G. E. Penney, Mr. J. Butt, Mr. J. Doyle, Mr. H. W. Vere-Holloway.

**A Happy and Prosperous
New Year to All.**

The close of the year 1921 finds the Royal Stores with a deep sense of gratitude to the thousands of customers who have, by their patronage, helped to bridge over a trying period of trade depression. We are particularly grateful because we feel that this patronage is a recognition of our efforts to serve the community faithfully. We feel that this store owes, as a very good reason for its existence, much more to the community than just the buying and selling of certain articles which are required by the public. We feel that the function of a big store like this far exceeds that of being simply a trading house, and we feel that to do anything like its duty to the community, it must grow deeper and deeper into the hearts of people, being looked upon as a great necessity, a public centre, a meeting place where the public may gather for many and varied purposes.

No big store in Newfoundland has yet reached this standard of public service. It is no simple matter to decide upon the functions a big store should perform and then put them into practice immediately. It takes years for their complete development. Here at the Royal Stores we are trying each day to come nearer to our ideal. We have many departments and a great staff of members of the organization, and we are trying individually and collectively to fulfill the requirements expected of the business.

One of the always noticeable features of this store, and one which makes it agreeable to those who visit it every day, is the spirit of goodwill which permeates the building, not only at festive seasons like this, but throughout the year, and which is constantly evident in the manners and actions of those young men and women who are cheerfully carrying out their individual duties. It has been said that it is easier to see a smile at the Royal Stores than anywhere else in the country, and when one walks through the numerous departments, one discovers a great deal of truth in this agreeable little remark.

We look upon the smile, the happy face, the cheerful manner as contributions to the well being of the community. It goes without saying that we fully appreciate the friendly spirit shown by our customers throughout the past year, and hope that all our many friends will have a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

THE GLEANER.
MURDO'S LIVERY FOR GARIBOLDI IN COWS.

Wrecked Crew Arrive.

"JUNE" CAUGHT FIRE.
Capt. S. C. Marshall and crew of the schooner June, lost in the Mediterranean on 29th ult., arrived by a.s. Sachem from Liverpool this morning. Speaking to the captain and Robert Nash, chief engineer, the Telegram was informed that when about 20 miles E.N.E. of the Misora Islands, the engine room of the June caught fire. The flames spread quickly and the crew were obliged to take to the boats without getting a chance to save their belongings. Fortunately the weather was fine and the row to land was effected without accident. The shipwrecked men landed at Mahon, Misora. The burning ship was a spectacular sight and could be seen for a distance of thirty miles. Capt. Marshall was particularly unfortunate in losing all his nautical instruments, but all were glad to escape with their lives. The crew went to Barcelona by mail boat, thence they sailed for France by rail. The crew of the June speak in the highest terms of the kindness shown them on the passage out by Col. Nangle.

Left Over.

Owing to the suspension of the electric power last night, and not being turned on until late this morning, a considerable lot of matter, including contributions and communications, has to be left over until Tuesday, Monday being a general holiday.

Sir! the next pair of Boots you will buy will be "K's". SMALLWOOD'S has just received a new shipment—dec16,tf

A Matter for the Court.

To a correspondent from Harbor Grace (LeMarchant Street) we would suggest that the matter of which he complains should be ventilated through the Court. If fishermen on Labrador who shipped, taking a receipt for payment in St. John's, have not yet received their money from the purchasing companies, they should seek such compensation as the law allows. Might we further recommend that the members for the district be approached with a request to have the matter complained of adjusted.

Buy your Skating Boots at SMALLWOOD'S, and we will attach your skates, free of charge.—dec16,tf

Dress Rehearsal.

A full dress rehearsal of "The Quaker Girl" was held last evening, and those present were delighted at the manner in which all the details of the performance were carried out. The costumes were a revelation even to St. John's theatre goers, and those present predict a long run for the opera locally.

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Our Local Pepsys.

December 30th.—Up very betimes and to do some work that I had left over from last night. So to the office where among other things I hear that Mr. Coaker, the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, is like to be made a knight on the New Year. A strange thing, seeing how but a few years back he did rave and rant like any socialist, and did condemn all capitalists. This does only show that he is a man of changing mind, nor is there any knowing what those in politics will do. I to the office of Mr. Cook, the Mayor, and he tells me that he is not yet announced in his new position, but is like to be gazetted next evening. He gives me an article, out from a Toronto news sheet, which makes the most ridiculous fun of our knights, and was, I think, written by one that knows this country. And a more foolish thing I have never laid eyes on. So I send it to the editor of the Telegram news sheet and he to publish it in his issue of to-day, that all may see how strange are the minds of some men on the Canadian news sheets. On going to the office of the City, I meet Mayor Morris and he to talk of matters relating to the installation of a new Council. Thence to the Board of Trade, where meeting Mr. R. G. Rendell, he tells me of the War Memorial, and how the funds do daily increase, which is a good thing to see, being that the times are bad. Mr. Bradshaw also talks to me of the Memorial, and shows how there is great difficulty in choosing a site. Mr. Gosling, that was one time Mayor, tells of some of the matters which will require the attention of the new Council. And above all things, care must be given to the sanitary stables seeing how they are in a mighty bad state. Home and to the preparation of the first edition of my journal, which I will myself do the illustrations for. A hard task, and one that will take me some time, albeit that it is a labour of love, and one over which I shall take great care. In the afternoon to the Board of Trade, there to talk of many things. And Capt. Kean reads from the Advocate news sheet an item which pleases him not, nor the others either. It comes to my mind this night to set down how a grocer, here in the city, did receive an order over the telephone, to send divers articles to a certain house; and on his sending them, he finds that the order was naught but a joke, and is I think a most unkind piece of fooling as ever was. My tailor's man brings my breeches home and are gone at the right time, seeing how it has come to rain mightily hard; nor has there been a worse year than this for storms of all kinds. Being that I begin to suffer pains and ache I think from my smoking of too many cigarettes, so I resolve to make a vow that I will have no more of them from a month to-morrow. Even as I write, the electric power goes off, so to bed and with a lamp.

DIED.
Passed peacefully away after a short illness, on the 30th inst., Claude Wilson, darling child of Ethel and Ida Lilley, aged 73 three years. Interment on Sunday from his residence 2 Allan Square. "Gone to be with Jesus."
Burling child from us is gone. The voice we loved is still'd; A place is vacant in our home Which never can be filled."

IN LOVING MEMORY of Josephine (Josie) Bryan, who died 21. 1914. You are gone, but not forgotten. Never shall your memory fade; Loving thoughts will always linger Round the place where you are laid.
—Inserted by her Mother.

IN LOVING MEMORY of our dear father, Edgar Kelleway, who died January 1, 1921. In that great cloister's stillness and seclusion By guardian angels led; Safe from temptation, safe from sin's delusion He lives, whom we think dead.
—Inserted by the Family, Perry's Cove.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.—The Treasurer of the Methodist Orphanage Finance Committee gratefully acknowledges receipt from the Executors of the Estate of the late Hon. Walter Bains Grieve the sum of \$2500.00—adv't.

NOTE OF THANKS.—D. J. Green of Grand Falls, wishes to thank Drs. Keegan and Wilson, Sisters and Nurses of General Hospital for their kindness and attention shown to him while at that institution; also all those who visited him. Rev. Canon Field, Mrs. Green and family, Mrs. Sinden and family, Ady Sainsbury, Mrs. Veitman, Mrs. Keates, Mrs. James, Mrs. Dornay, Miss Myrick and Miss Walsh—adv't.

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We appreciate the friendly spirit you have shown us throughout the past year, and hope that your New Year may be filled with Good Fortune, Good Health and Good Cheer.

Your good will is one of our real assets, and we thankfully appreciate your help in carrying us over the trying period of trade depression into what we happily trust is the prosperity entrance of a new trade cycle, and so enabling us to maintain our staff without a single discharge.

It is our ambition to give you good service, to trade fairly, to profit not alone in dollars but in the good will of those with whom we deal, to correct our errors, to improve our opportunities and to reap from our daily work a result which shall be shown for all that is best in business.

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Libby's Ex. Cherries, per tin . . . 60c
Libby's Ex. Strawberries, tin . . . 60c
Libby's Ex. Raspberries, tin . . . 60c

Jacob's Fancy Biscuits, 60c & 90c lb.

Hazel Nuts, per lb. 28c
Walnuts, per lb. 45c
Almond Nuts, per lb. 32c
Peanuts, per lb. 25c
Shelled Almonds, per lb. 70c
Shelled Walnuts, per lb. 1.10
Shelled Peanuts, per lb. 70c
Ginger Chips, per lb. 1.00

Havana Cigars **English Cigars**

Puritans, 50's \$10.00
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Camelias, 25's \$ 5.50
House of Lords Especial, 50's . \$8.75
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Moirs' Syrups, Special per bottle 65c

Treasure, per lb. 90c
Boston Cream, per lb. 90c
Creamy Chocolate, per lb. . . . 90c
Shortcake, per lb. 90c
Currant Puff, per lb. 80c
Cinderella, per lb. 90c
Cream Crackers, per lb. . . . 60c
Thin Social, per lb. 60c

Fresh Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken

Sunkish Oranges, large, per doz. \$1.00
Sunkish Oranges, med., per doz. 70c
Tangerines, per doz. 75c
Grape Fruit, large, each 15c
Table Apples, per doz. . . . 50c
Grapes, per lb. 35c

**The Royal Stores, Ltd.,
Grocery Department.**

PADRE NANGLE ARRIVES.—Lt. Col. (Rev.) Nangle, arrived from England this morning on a.s. Sachem. He has been in the Old Country for several months in connection with the Imperial War Graves Committee. He will remain here two months and will then return to England to continue his work.

Real English Stilton Cheese at ELLIS'—4c6c,tf

Stafford's Ginger Wine for Christmas, 20c per bottle, at Stafford's Drug Store, Theatre Hill.—dec7,tf

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Best MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—oct18,6mo

OUR WISH

That the New Year may dawn for you and yours with an overflowing abundance of Peace, Happiness and Prosperity, and as the year

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gradually advances, may each succeeding month leave in its trail the

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for all

James Baird
LIMITED

THE OLD YEAR.

The gray old year is passing. It's dying in the snow, with sighing and alasings. I watch the old year go, a bright new year appearing, and all the boys are cheering, and by such noises they're queering the old year. It's his woe. For new things people clamor, or all new things look like gold; and we have got a hammer for anything that's old; we have a cordial greeting for all new things we're meeting, and older things, retreating, may perish in the cold. New customs and new manners we greet with loud hurroo, and send off to the canner's the ones our fathers knew; oh, anything that's hoary is but an old wives' story; the new things walk in glory, it what men say is true. And yet I shed some briny to see the old year sneak, his white dome bald and shiny, his footsteps slow and weak; how much of good he sent me; how much of joy he lent me; and if some burdens bent me, I raised no craven shriek. The old year lavished blessings upon us all, I wist; he gave us more careesings than left hooks with his fat; and while men turn politely to greet the new year sprightly, the old one, sad, unsightly, is fading in the mist.

Just in time for the New Year, a new supply of "The Master of Man" by Hall Caine, \$2.00. GARLAND'S BOOKSTORE. dec29,31

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CALIFORNIA ORANGES and LEMONS.
CALIF. GRAPE FRUIT, TABLE APPLES, ALMERIA GRAPES, FRESH PEARS.
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an article written by a chief of the Bureau of the French Naval Staff designed to "throw ridicule on those who criticized German methods in the late war." Lord Lee urged that the way of disavowal by the French of any intention of attacking their late comrades in arms lay in the adoption of Root resolution number two, banning submarine warfare against merchant vessels. Admiral De Bon for the French Naval Staff declared emphatically that "there is nothing more foreign to our minds than the idea of attacking a friend." Admiral De Bon formally repudiated the article in question declaring that it in no way represented the views of the French navy as to the use of submarines. M. S. Sarraout, Head of the French Delegation offered the French Government's formal repudiation of the methods of warfare of German submarines. He deplored the bitter press campaign of criticism of the motives of France, and denounced suggestions that France harboured imperialist designs, or plans of "aggression against those who have mingled their blood with ours in the greatest war of history."

CORK, Dec. 30.

Public feeling in Cork and South Ireland is hardening in favor of ratification of the Anglo-Irish Treaty. The Cork Incorporated Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, and Cork Chamber of Commerce have passed resolutions declaring the Treaty is earnestly desired by entire commercial community, and appealing to representatives of the city to support ratification.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.

A grey haired woman and a fourteen year old boy, last night, were added to the list of New York victims of poisonous holiday liquor, which now tolls nine dead and five blinded or seriously ill. The woman was found dying on the sidewalk.

TORONTO, Dec. 30.

The war against cancer has advanced another stage. New X-Ray equipment the feature of which is high voltage, has been installed in the Toronto General Hospital, and was yesterday used for the first time in Canada.

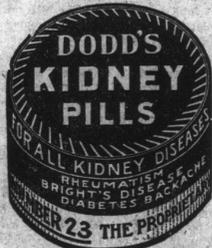
TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

DUBLIN, Dec. 30.

Resolutions favoring ratification of the Anglo-Irish Treaty were adopted to-day by the County Councils of Meath and Monaghan and by the Limerick Chamber of Commerce.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.

Agreements reached to-day by the Naval Committee of the Arms Conference, included the size and aggregate tonnage limitations of air craft carriers and, subject only to the French Government's confirmation, the size and armament of auxiliary craft. This cleared the Committee's decks pending replies from the French and Japanese Governments on the Root resolution to initiate the banning entirely of submarine warfare against commercial craft, and adjournment was taken until replies are received. Lord Lee said he felt there was a misunderstanding in the French group as the British attitude on the submarine question. Lord Lee then referred to



SYDNEY, N.S., Dec. 30.

Miners were advised to-day by the Executive Board of their Union to continue working after January 2, when the coal companies propose to make 33 1/2 per cent. reduction of wages, until an Arbitration Board, appointed by the Government brings in its report, and it is submitted to the district convention for action.

LONDON, Dec. 30.

Efforts at the Washington Conference to curb the use of the submarine as a weapon and France's claim for a large undersea fleet, occupies several columns of the morning newspapers, and lengthy editorials. The majority score the French attitude. The Daily News condemns France's decision as "a disastrous debasing of the standard of international morality," and the Daily Chronicle says France's behaviour cannot be regarded as other than unfriendly to Great Britain. The Morning Post, on the other hand, derides liberal newspaper criticisms, and adds, "it is foolish, because France refuses to fall in immediately with the British proposal, to threaten her with outlawry. The British nation is not yet prepared to place France outside the pale of civilization."

The Studio of S. H. PARSONS & SONS, Photographers, corner Water and Prescott Streets, will be open Monday from 10 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.—dec31,1

A WARNING!—Girls, keep close watch on your sweethearts when you go to the opera next week. Miss Louise Orr, as the "Quaker Girl" is a vision of beauty and grace, and will turn the strongest head. Tony Shute falls a helpless victim to her charms. But they have no big row.

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Kosy Felt Slippers in many styles, just opened up at SMALLWOOD'S.—dec16,1f

SERIOUSLY ILL.—We regret to learn that Mr. T. J. Kennedy, Marine Superintendent with the Furness Withy Co., is seriously ill at his home.

EXPRESS DERAILLED.—The incoming express was derailed East of Humbermouth at 8 p.m. yesterday. Three cars left the rails. The derailment was caused by a snow slide. The train will be delayed a considerable time.

Children's Tan Long Rubbers, at SMALLWOOD'S.—dec16,1f

Jap Deserter Deported to Nfld.

The Japanese sailor who, some time ago, deserted from the Norwegian steamer Karma, while taking care at the Scotia coal pier, and who after being at large several days was taken into custody by the immigration authorities here, was sent back to Newfoundland by the steamer Kyle Christie yesterday afternoon, says the North Sydney Herald of Dec. 27. The fellow had a pretty good time of it while a guest of Jailer Forsy; but he will have to pay dearly for it. Costs of his maintenance here as well as the costs of his transportation to St. John's will have to be borne by the owners of the steamer; but the Jap sailor will have to pay the cost in the end, which will keep him working without salary for some months to come. It was the intention of the owners of the steamer Karma to have her return here to load another cargo of coal, but while she was docking at St. John's she took bottom and sprang a leak, necessitating her going on the dry dock. As soon as the repairs are effected she will load a cargo of fish for the Mediterranean.

The Principals of J. J. LACEY & CO., LTD., sincerely extend to all their clients and friends best wishes for A Happy and Prosperous New Year. City Chambers, St. John's, Nfld.—dec31,1f

To the Municipal Electors.

I take this opportunity of thanking publicly all the people of St. John's for the many kindnesses extended to me during the Municipal contest. Although not favoured with a seat, nevertheless it is most gratifying to find that many hundreds of people of our city expressed through the ballot box their confidence in me. With these feelings of gratitude uppermost in my mind it is natural and reasonable that I should on this New Year's Eve express

1. A happy and bright New Year to all who honoured me with their votes and support.

2. A happy and bright New Year to those who did not see their way clear to vote or support me, but hoping some day they shall join the great crowd who marked the written cross for me.

3. I hope the elected Mayor and Councilors will have successful term of office, and may our city prosper under their control.

4. To those who like myself, were unsuccessful at the polls, I hope their prosperity will be unbounded during the year of 1922.

5. May the day soon arrive when our city will take its place among the progressive cities of the earth.

In conclusion, let me quote a few lines from the poem, "Whither" which eloquently portray my thoughts this New Year's Eve.

And present gratitude
Insures the future good
And for the things I see
I trust the things to be
Thanking you in anticipation
space, I remain,
Sincerely yours,
J. ROBINSON.
St. John's, Dec. 31, 1921.

Just arrived by mail for a New Year's Gift, "Helen of the Old House" by Harold Bell Wright, \$2.00. GARLAND'S BOOKSTORE.—dec29,31

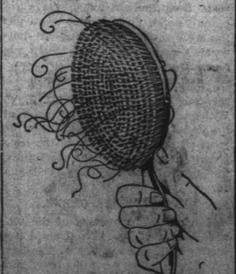
DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.—Captain Charteris, King's Messenger, is now in the city and will remain for about a fortnight. He is staying with Professor F. J. King. You will see him on Monday night at the Casino Theatre. A host of other interesting characters will also be present.

Try our Fresh Sausages—Tomato-Pork-Beef—Made daily at ELLIS.—dec3,1f

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., Dec. 30. Twenty-four million pounds of hail-balls have been handled here during 1921, the year's catch being the best in the history of the industry.

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35-cents buys a bottle of "Danderine" at any drug store. After one application you can not find a particle of dandruff or a falling hair. Besides, every hair shows new life, vigor, brightness, more color and abundance.

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"For ten years I dreaded to eat a hearty meal but I eat anything I want now, thanks to Tanlac," said Harry Wilson, Sunny Brae, a suburb of Moncton, N.B. "I had indigestion so bad the very sight of food became distasteful to me and I barely ate enough to keep going. "I don't know how Tanlac put my stomach in such first-class condition that no matter what I eat I never have the slightest distress afterwards. I sleep like top, too, and get up in the mornings feeling fine. I'm willing to go a long way to endorse Tanlac." Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

Stafford's Ginger Wine for sale at Knowling's Stores, East West and Central. Price 20c. per bottle.—dec7,1f

Wedding Bells.

HEWARDINE—THISTLE.

A very quiet and pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday, Dec. 28th, at 5.30 p.m. at St. Thomas's Church, by the Rev. A. Clayton, when

Mr. A. Thistle led to the altar Miss Annie Hewardine, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hewardine, of this city. After the ceremony the happy couple motored around Quidi Vidi Lake to the home of the bride's parents, 32 Bond Street, where a reception was held. The bride was neatly dressed in gaudine steel grey with hat to match and flowing veil with white fox fur and carried a bouquet of carnations. The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Mamie, who was neatly dressed in blue georgette with hat to match. The second matron of honor was Miss Beatrice Noseworthy, dressed in blue silk with black picture hat. The groom was supported by his brother Mr. Gordon Thistle and the bride's brother, Mr. Herbert Hewardine. The presents were numerous and costly, the groom's present to the bride being a gold piece and to the matrons of honor gold pendants; the best man received gold cuff links. After the reception the young couple drove to their future home 8 Colonial Street.

BUTT—WINSOR.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at Cochrane St. Church on Dec. 26th, when Mr. Stewart Winsor, of Wesleyville and Miss Lillian Butt were united in matrimony by the Rev. C. H. Johnson. The bride was given away by Capt. Chaytor; the bridesmaids were Miss Susie King and Miss Patience Butt, cousin of the bride, while Mr. John Winsor ably supported the groom. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Capt. Chaytor, Brazil Square. Mr. and Mrs. Winsor left by the Prospero for Wesleyville their future home. We extend congratulations.

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A new shipment of Australene Wools in the following shades: Pink, Cardinal, Gendarme, Copenhagen, Doe, Brown, Champagne and White. Special Price, 25c. per ball

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A heavy winter weight Vest of special mention. These are well finished and come in sizes 34 and 38 only. Extra special. Special Price, each ... \$1.15

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A GENERAL RESUME OF THE IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN THE HOUSE.

To compress into a small space the many happenings during the so aptly termed "Longest and Stormiest Session" of the House of Assembly, is a task of the utmost difficulty and this article cannot profess to be anything more than a brief general resume of what took place.

The Second Session of the Twenty-third General Assembly opened on March 31st, under weather conditions which were, indeed, an augury of the conditions under which the business of the House would be conducted, if such were necessary. Commencing in the early afternoon, a blinding snow storm raged for the remainder of the day but despite this, a large number of people were present for the opening.

The Speech from the Throne was an empty document and gave little flaking of the policy which the Government proposed to pursue during the session. As a consequence the Opposition, which was probably one of the strongest that ever sat in the House, exposed it and the actions of the Executive Government since the House had last prorogued, to a merciless criticism. The Address in Reply was actually debated for four weeks, and speeches of unusual and extraordinary length were made by members of the Opposition, who on the opening day had declared their intention of delaying the business of the House until such time as some definite policy should be tabled by the Government. It is not proposed to enter into the merits or demerits of this decision in the present article, but there is no doubt that a great deal of the criticism levelled at the Government was deserved, just as surely as the methods of criticism adopted by some members were not quite as courteous, and therefore less effective than they might otherwise have been. Amongst the best speeches were those of Sir Michael Cashin, Sir John Crosbie, Mr. J. R. Bennett and Mr. M. S. Sullivan. Each of these gentlemen made charges against the Government which were fully substantiated by either the Auditor General's Report, which was tabled shortly after the opening, or by evidence in their possession. Amongst the most serious scandals exposed by these members were the misappropriation of public funds for the purchase of Labrador fish and the further scandal attendant on that of the purchase of the cargo of the schooner "President Cooker"; the actions and extravagance of the Government Railway Commission; the control of Sugar; the vast expenditure on the refitting of condemned steam trawlers; and many others.

The Codfish Exportation Act was unmercifully condemned. It was proved beyond a doubt that the Regulations had been a complete failure and were the cause of incalculable harm to the country's export trade. An event unique in the Colony's legislative history was that which occurred during the speech by Sir Michael Cashin on the Address in Reply. Following a disturbance, and the election of a supporter of the Opposition, the speaker in the Gallery proceeded to hiss the Government, and refused to pay the slightest attention to the Speaker's persistent request for silence. Sir Michael Cashin defended the people, and took the Speaker to task for daring to abuse the privileges of the public by ordering the House to be cleared. When commanded to leave the House, he made an emphatic refusal, and as confusion was beginning to reign supreme, the Speaker vacated the chair. The crowd then entered the floor of the House and one man actually had the temerity to seat himself in the Speaker's Chair. Throughout the session there were many disturbances but none equal that just described.

The amazing part of the whole session was the inability of the Government to say "no" to their own defence with respect to the charges made against them. A Bill which met with popular approval was that which repealed the Codfish Exportation Act. This was debated at some length although all argument against it had been exhausted in the debate on the Address in Reply. The Regulations were defended by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to the last, but he was compelled to remove them.

The session drew slowly on from Bill to Bill and from winter to spring and then to summer, the proportion of business conducted being small in comparison to the amount of time wasted. The Budget Speech was delivered

THE SEALFISHERY.

THE steamer, the same number as last year, prosecuted this industry, all from Newfoundland, S.S. Sagona, which was not cleared last year taking the place of S.S. Sabie L. of Halifax, the owner of this ship having decided not to engage in the frozen paper trip. On March 10th under very favorable circumstances, eight steamers cleared port for the front, the other (Vikings) having previously left for Channel to clear for the Gulf. The ships from St. John's for the front were, Diana, outfitted by Messrs. James Baird, Ltd.; Eagle, Terra Nova and Ranger by Messrs. Bowring Brothers, Ltd.; Sagona by Messrs. Reid Newfoundland Company; Seal by Messrs. Baine Johnston & Co.; Thetis and Neptune by Messrs. Job Bro. & Co., Ltd. Messrs. Bowring Brothers also outfitted the Viking. The latter ship, with the Laurentian Gulf all to herself, struck the seals 50 miles North West of Cape Ray on March 12th, the ice being very heavy and in large sheets. Because of this Capt. Bartlett could not get to within five miles of the seals with the steamer, but the crew walked down the distance, killing and panning a full ton, being obliged to make hand tances between ship and kill. Subsequently stormy weather set in and several pans were lost. Arrival in port was made on April 19th, the turn-out being a total of 17,683, the crew sharing \$2.57 per man, the second highest wages for the spring. The front fleet found itself on March 12 in a position 40 to 60 miles North by West and N.E. from the Funk Islands, with that same distance of heavy ice in between the ships and the seals, which according to calculation bore S.E. by E. Fifteen days later Capt. John Parsons in the Diana struck the seals, 60 miles East by South of the Funks. All the ships were then in sight, Eagle, Thetis and Neptune being away to the North West. It is obvious from this that the same misconception of going too far to the Northward was made again by the skippers, the following-lead tactics again prevailing. This is proven by the Log records of the fleet, for whereas the Diana struck the northernmost end of the patch, the Neptune, Thetis, Eagle and Terra Nova steamed away on a North East course, and the latter two on the seals, and on turning to a South East course, they struck the herd, but the seals had taken to the water, and consequently not much could be done with them. To add to this misfortune a North East gale sprung up on the 29th March, which broke the sheets up and many pans of seals were lost. The Diana had every prospect of loading up, but constant butting through the heavy ice, in an endeavour to reach the misty patch, damaged her sheathing and bows to such an extent that the voyage had to be abandoned, the ship arriving on April 4th with but 7,282 pelts. S.S. Eagle was next to arrive on the 8th April with 7,270. Next came the Sagona and Seal on April 11th, the former with her crew of 123 men making the biggest wages of the fleet, by sharing \$73.06 each. The fifth arrival was Thetis (April 14) followed by Neptune (April 15), Viking and Terra Nova (April 19). The Ranger bringing the key on April 23. The total number of seals taken by the nine vessels was 101,452, the net weight being 2,131 tons, 5 cwt. 8 pounds, and the value \$171,242.75. Though the increase in weight over 1920 was about 127 1/2 tons, the increase in value was by no means proportionate, being but \$11,294.20. This because of the tremendous drop in price, for whereas in 1920 the price was \$11 for young, \$9.50 for bedlamers, and \$5 for old, the rates paid last spring were but \$4 for young, \$3.40 for bedlamers, and \$3 for old. The crews of Sagona and Seal, however, were paid an additional 30 cents per quintal, their seals being landed in Harbor Gies. A whole article could be written on the unprecedented drop in prices, as shown above, but a criticism does not come within the scope of such a review as this.

An innovation was introduced into the seal hunt, last spring, or at least was supposed to be, in the shape of a locating aeroplane, but for reasons which have already been shown in the Telegram, it did not prove satisfactory. The aviator in charge has announced that next spring there will be no doubt of the value of an aerial service in prosecuting the seal fishery, but so far we are from Missouri. In other words have to be shown. That Mr. Colton, however, will imply demonstrates in this direction is the success with all who are interested in the seal fishery. But our efforts to be severe, our elements so changeable at the time of year when the sealing venture take men and ships among the storms and icebergs of the Northern sea, that aerial flights over the frozen ocean will be extremely difficult if not absolutely impossible. Science cannot conquer the elements in equal combat, but science can accomplish wonders, and it may yet be that an

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HOKEY SEASON OPENS.

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BOARD OF TRADE MEETING.

Jan. 25—The annual meeting of the Board of Trade was held under the chairmanship of the President, Mr. H. R. Brookes. After several matters connected with the economic condition of the country had been discussed with the result that Mr. H. E. Cowan was elected President and Mr. A. E. Hickman, Vice-President.

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MEMORIAL DAY PARADE.

July 3—Memorial Day was celebrated by a huge parade in which veterans of the Great War, representatives of the various brigades and societies, and a large number of citizens participated. The Memorial erected by the Sergeants of the Royal Nfld. Regiment was unveiled by His Excellency the Governor. The ceremony was a most impressive one. Special services were held in all the city churches.

STRIKES RAID PREMISES.

July 3—Longshoremen on strike raided various premises along the waterfront on which clerks and others were engaged in loading or unloading vessels and steamers. All these found at work were roughly handled. The strike was finally settled on July 11th, when the strikers' demands were acceded to.

CORNER STONE LAID.

July 14—The corner stone of the Salvation Army Maternity Home was laid by His Excellency the Governor. Several prominent people were present for the ceremony. The Maternity Home will probably be completed early next spring.

NEW MAYOR APPOINTED.

July 23—Mr. I. C. Morris was appointed Chairman of the Civic Commission in succession to Mayor Gosling. The appointment was to stand until the election on Dec. 16th. Mr. Morris had for many years been Deputy Mayor.

REGATTA DAY.

Aug. 5—The Regatta, which was to have been held on August 4th, had to be postponed until the following day, owing to unfavorable weather conditions. The regatta was one of the most successful ever held and vast crowds of people were on the race course all day.

RAILWAY MANAGER.

UNIQUE LEGAL CASE.

June 7—The Prime Minister and other members of the Legislature were summoned as witnesses in the case of E. J. Whitty vs. The Municipal Council for arrears of pay. The case was dismissed.

DEATH OF MR. A. MACPHERSON.

June 10—News was received of the passing in England, of Archibald Macpherson, managing director of the Royal Stores, Ltd. Mr. Macpherson had been undergoing treatment in England.

METH. CONFERENCE OPENS.

June 23—The Methodist Conference opened in Gover St. Church, Rev. Dr. Fenwick being re-elected President. Several important matters were discussed whilst the Conference was in session.

SIR GEORGE BURY ARRIVES.

June 28—Sir George Bury, a former Vice-President of the C.P.R., arrived to confer with the Government on railway matters. His suggestions contained in the "Bury Report" were incorporated as a whole in the Government's Railway Bill.

TOURISTS ARRIVE.

June 28—S.S. Kaiser-i-Hind arrived in port with 400 presumably wealthy American tourists, who were going to Norway on a pleasure jaunt. Great crowds visited the ship whilst she was in port but the great amount of trade expected did not eventuate.

COUNCIL RESIGNS.

WORKMEN PASS RESOLUTIONS.

A meeting of unemployed labourers was held in the C.C. Hall to discuss labour conditions. There were several speakers, and a set of resolutions dealing with their case were drawn up. At meeting held later, these resolutions were presented in proper form, and were passed and ordered to be presented at the Bar of the House, by a special committee who carried the Union Jack.

ST. GEORGE'S DAY PARADE.

April 24—St. George's Day was commemorated by a huge parade in which nearly all the city Societies and Brigades were represented. Divine Service was attended at the C. of E. Cathedral, and afterwards the parade lined up and proceeded to Government House, where they were addressed by the Governor. The parade was one of the largest ever held here.

DEATH OF CANON SMITH.

The death occurred at his home in the city of Rev. Canon Smith, one of the oldest of the local clergy and for many years incumbent of Portugal Cove. A memorial service was held at the Anglican Cathedral and interment took place at Portugal Cove.

SEALING VOYAGE CLOSED.

April 24—The Ranger arrived in port with the key of the sealing voyage. The total catch was 101,432 seals. The season was one of the worst on record.

PRINTERS STRIKE DECLARED.

May 2—A general strike was declared by the Typographical Union and all newspapers except the Telegram, which is an open shop, were forced to close down temporarily. The printers' demands were for a 44 hour week. After a while the papers at large were able to issue, but had to work under difficulties until the strike was finally settled. As a result of the strike the Daily Star was compelled to cease publication.

L.S.P.U. STRIKE.

LONGSHOREMEN ON STRIKE.

The longshoremen engaged on various mercantile premises refused to work on account of a disagreement over the wage scale. The employers had offered a stipulated sum but at a meeting of the Union held on the 27th ult., the offer was refused. Practically all labor in the city was tied up until May 10th, when a settlement was reached.

MUNICIPAL OFFICES INVADDED.

A mob of 150 men invaded the Municipal offices, demanding work. Some slight damage was done on the premises and the Mayor promised to relief 200 men who were then on relief work, whereupon the crowd dispersed. There was a further invasion by some 400 men only two days later.

STRIKE AT GRAND FALLS.

May 7—The pulp and paper plant at Grand Falls closed down owing to the refusal of our local Union to accept a wage reduction. As a result of the strike over 2,000 men, many of whom were non-union workers, were affected.

TERRIBLE SNOW STORM.

May 24—The worst snow storm experienced in the city for over thirty years, raged during the day. Snow began to fall at 1:30 a.m. and continued up to 3 p.m., the temperature falling to 23 degrees. Similar conditions prevailed all along the railway line and at Bishop's Falls the temperature fell to 30 degrees.

MODERATE PROHIBITIONISTS MEET.

May 25—The Moderate Prohibitionists held a large meeting in the Casino and a set of Resolutions asking for an amendment to the Prohibition Act were drawn up. These Resolu-

RODNEY SCHOLAR ELECTED.

LEADERS' EXCELLENCE.

Dec. 27—On the occasion of the Excellence of the term on unemployment, the eminent House of Representatives, attended by a large number of city, and resulted in a strong committee to the work in hand.

General Council of the Y.

Jan. 11—United States representatives of the Y. M. C. A. met in St. John's. The Y. M. C. A. is a non-sectarian organization, and its work is to help the young men of the world to lead better lives.

PRESENT WREATH.

Nov. 12—A wreath was placed on the tomb of the Unknown American Soldier on behalf of Newfoundland by representatives of the Newfoundland Regiment, who went to Washington especially for the purpose. They were Capt. R. B. Herder, Lieut. L. Field and Lieut. R. H. Herder.

CLB ANNIVERSARY.

Nov. 13—The CLB celebrated their thirtieth anniversary by holding a great Church Parade to St. Thomas's. This was the beginning of a week of celebrations which were an entire success. The final Church Parade, held on Nov. 20th, broke all records.

THREE HOUSES GUTTED.

Nov. 17—Three houses were gutted by fire on Pleasant Street this morning. In one, the body of an aged man was found. Upon examination, it was found that he had been dead for nearly a week.

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE.

REBEL COSSACKS.

Nov. 27—The long distance telephone between St. John's and various Conception Bay towns was opened. The first message was from Dr. Whelan.

ROTARY CLUB FORMED.

Nov. 29—The St. John's Rotary Club was organized at the Green Lantern Lodge. There were over twenty-two charter members. Mr. H. E. Cowan was elected president until the next general meeting.

STORM TAKES BIG TOLL.

Dec. 5—A blinding snow storm raged all day over many parts of the island. Two schooners amongst others were lost with their crews, a total of sixteen lives. The tug Inghram went ashore and the crew were only rescued with the greatest difficulty.

GREAT STORM.

Dec. 5—Beginning in the afternoon a blinding snow storm followed by a S.W. wind and rain which later chipped off to the N.W. visited the eastern section of the island, causing great destruction to shipping. It was during this gale that the tug Inghram and the schooner Jean and Mary were lost at the Penguin Islands. The crew of the Jean and Mary were lost with the vessel. Some fifteen vessels which left St. John's during the morning were caught in the gale and nearly all were lost. One of the number the schooner Passport, belonging to Greenspond, was dashed to pieces at Caplin Cove, Bay de Verde and the crew drowned.

AIR MAIL STARTS.

Dec. 10—Major Cotton and Capt. S. Bennett left Botwood at 10:30 a.m. by aeroplane, carrying a mail for Halifax. The trip, however, did not prove successful and the machine was forced to land at Deer Lake Beach, three hours after the start.

HOUSE PROROGUED.

Dec. 12—The House of Assembly adjourned from August 12th, opened at 3 p.m. and prorogued about half an hour afterwards until Jan. 20th next.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Dec. 15—The first Municipal Elections under the new Charter took place to-day. The Mayoralty was contested for by Mr. I. C. Morris and Hon. Fackler Cook. With six councillors needed, there were 25 contestants for the office.

LINER IN PORT.

Dec. 18—A large passenger steamer the Norwegian Live, Stavanger, arrived in port from Bergen, shortly after. The ship was bound to New York and met terrific weather on the passage.

ROBATH CLUB LUNCH.

Dec. 27—The Robath Club, having His Excellency the Governor as principal guest, entertained some fifty poor boys to a luncheon and Christmas dinner.

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General Chronology of the Year 1921.

INTERNATIONAL.

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Jan. 12--Victories of Turkish Nationalists over Greeks in Asia Minor announced.

Jan. 23--President Wilson asked that allies guarantee Russia from outside aggression preliminary to his undertaking mediation for Armenia.

Jan. 24--Supreme council met in Paris to discuss German disarmament and reparations. Germany given more time to disarm.

Jan. 25--Supreme council decided Latvia and Estonia should be recognized as sovereign states.

Jan. 29--Supreme council fixed German reparations at 225,000,000 gold marks, payable in annual installments, and 12 per cent tax on exports during the period of payment.

Feb. 5--France and Poland signed military agreement for aid against invasion by Germany and Russia.

Feb. 14--Red plot to overthrow governments of France, Italy and Spain on May 1 uncovered in Paris.

Feb. 19--Azerbaijan declared war on Georgia, and the Reds started attack, taking Tiflis.

The United States formally withdrew from the reparations commission.

Feb. 21--Supreme council in London opened Near East conference.

Feb. 24--Teheran, capital of Persia, taken by rebel Cossacks, and the Shah made prisoner.

Feb. 23--League of Nations council received protest of United States against inclusion of island of Yap in territories subjected to mandate of Japan, and demand for a voice in disposal of former German colonies.

Feb. 24--Panama enraged by invasion of its territory by Costa Rican forces.

Feb. 27--Panamanians defeated Costa Ricans in disputed territory of Coto.

March 2--League of Nations council replied to United States that it was not concerned with the allocation of Yap to Japan, and invited United States to take part in discussions on Turkish and African mandates.

March 3--German counter proposals on reparations rejected by allied supreme council as totally inadequate. Germany given until March 7 to accept terms laid down in Paris.

March 5--Occupation of German cities of Dusseldorf, Duisburg and Ruhr by French troops carried out as penalty for Germany's failure to meet reparations demands.

March 16--Trade agreement under which commercial relations will be resumed by Great Britain and Russia signed at London.

Allies' relations commission notified German government it must pay \$250,000,000 before March 23.

Russia and Turkey signed treaty; Armenia divided among Georgia, Turkey and Azerbaijan.

March 17--Allies agreed to postpone payment by Austria of sums to which they were entitled under peace treaty in order to avert starvation in Austria.

March 19--Peace signed at Riga by representatives of Russia, Ukraine and Poland.

March 23--Plebiscite held in Upper Silesia to determine the future national status of that region. Germany received 578,000 votes and Poland 339,000.

March 25--Germany in her reply to ultimatum of allied reparations commission refused to pay 1,000,000,000 gold marks due March 23 and disputed commission's figures showing balance of 12,000,000,000 marks due May 1.

March 25--Greeks began offensive against Turks in Asia Minor.

March 30--Turkey protested to allies against Greek offensive.

April 1--Greeks defeated by Turks at Eskişehir.

April 2--Washington government informed Germany United States would not countenance Germany's escaping full responsibility for the war or getting out of paying its obligations to the limit of her ability.

April 5--Secretary of State Hughes sent to allies a note, taking firm stand concerning island of Yap, and mandating in general.

British reply to Washington concerning equality of treatment for citizens of all nations in mandated territory, especially in matter of oil development, held American contentions inconsistent.

April 8--French government supported United States in Yap controversy.

April 18--Germany protested to the council of ambassadors against the new allied customs regime in occupied territory.

April 20--Japanese cabinet declined to yield on Yap mandate.

April 21--Germany asked President Harding to act as mediator of reparations dispute, but he refused.

April 25--New reparations offer from Germany received by United States government.

April 26--France found new German offer unsatisfactory and Berlin began to modify it.

April 27--Specific reparations bill of 132,000,000 gold marks presented to Germany by allied commission.

April 29--Italy endorsed United States position concerning Yap.

May 2--United States rejected German reparations proposals as inadequate.

France called out troops for occupation of the Ruhr.

May 4--Poles invade Upper Silesia and military law was proclaimed.

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German cabinet resigned as result of reparations dispute.

May 5--Supreme council handed Germany reparations ultimatum and protocol, granting six days for acceptance; German debt fixed at 135,000,000,000 gold marks.

May 6--President Harding resumed American representation in councils of allies.

May 8--German forces drove insurgent Poles from Kreisberg, Upper Silesia.

May 10--Dr. Wirth formed new ministry for Germany and the Reichstag voted, 221 to 175, to accept the allies ultimatum.

May 20--France warned Germany the sending of troops or munitions into Upper Silesia would be considered a warlike act.

May 22--Organized "volunteer" forces of Germans attacked Poles in Upper Silesia.

May 23--Trial of four German soldiers and officers for war crimes opened in Leipzig.

May 24--Germany reassumed France concerning Upper Silesia, and Premier Briand declared he would maintain the entente with Great Britain, Italy and the United States.

May 28--Truce made in Upper Silesia.

May 29--Truce in Upper Silesia broken, Germans attacking Poles and French.

June 1--Germans routed by French garrison of Beuthen, Upper Silesia.

June 4--Lieut. Neumann, who sank British hospital ship Dover Castle, acquitted because he obeyed orders.

June 7--Great Britain rejected Germany's offer of troops for Upper Silesia, and British troops began clearing Poles from disputed territory.

June 18--Allies ordered Greeks not to attack Turkish Nationalists at present.

June 24--Council of League of Nations awarded Aland islands to Finland.

June 25--Greece rejected mediation with Turks, offered by entente, and refused to defer offensive.

Poles agreed to allies' plan for Upper Silesia.

June 28--Germany paid 44,000,000 gold marks to reparations commission.

June 30--Greeks opened offensive against Turk Nationalists.

July 9--Poles and Russians fighting on old German-Russian front.

July 10--President Harding informed United States of German ultimatum to limit armaments and oil Far East.

July 11--Japan to conference on limitation of armaments and oil Far East.

July 12--Greeks occupied Eskişehir, Asia Minor.

July 24--Franco-British compromise reached on Silesian policy.

July 25--Japan accepted invitation to Washington conference, with certain reservations.

July 27--United States demanded release of American prisoners in Russia.

Kemal Pasha asked the Constantinople government to intervene to stop the Greek-Turk war.

July 29--Soviet Russia agreed to release all American prisoners in return for American famine relief.

Aug. 10--Supreme council decided on strict neutrality concerning the Greek-Turkish question.

Aug. 11--United States sent formal invitations to Washington conference on disarmament and Pacific question, to open November 11.

Aug. 12--Supreme council decided to refer the Upper Silesian question to the League of Nations and to send reinforcements to Silesia.

Aug. 19--Russian soviets and American Relief administration agreed on relief terms.

Aug. 21--United States government notified Panama the arbitration award ceding disputed territory of Costa Rica must be accepted, and sent battalion of marines to Panama.

Aug. 23--Panama agreed to let Costa Rica occupy Coto.

Aug. 25--United States signed peace treaty with Austria signed in Vienna.

Aug. 24--Japan formally accepted invitation to disarmament conference.

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Aug. 25--United States signed peace treaty with Germany in Berlin.

Aug. 27--Turks drove Greeks back across Sakaria river with heavy losses.

Aug. 29--Hostilities opened between Hungary and Austria concerning frontier.

United States peace treaty with Hungary signed in Budapest.

Aug. 30--Greeks resumed their advance on Angora.

Sept. 1--Agreement reached to divide Lithuania into two states, one independent and one controlled by Poland.

Sept. 2--American oil men signed agreement with Mexican government taxes.

Sept. 4--Soviet Russia and Afghanistan signed treaty.

Sept. 5--League of Nations assembly met in Geneva and elected H. A. Van Karnebeck, Holland, president.

Sept. 12--Ethiopia refused seat on bench of international court of justice.

Sept. 14--League of Nations assembly elected 11 judges of international court of justice, including John Bassett Moore of the United States.

Sept. 18--Hostilities broke out between Jugo-Slavia and Albania.

Sept. 21--Lithuania, Estonia and Latvia admitted to League of Nations.

Oct. 5--League of Nations assembly adjourned after re-electing Brazil, China, Belgium and Spain non-permanent members of council.

Oct. 10--Division of Silesia decided by League of Nations council.

Oct. 15--United States senate ratified treaties of peace with Germany, Austria and Hungary by vote of 65 to 20.

Oct. 28--Soviet government of Russia asked United States, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan to make peace with it, promising to pay nation's debts.

Nov. 1--American advisory committee and technical staff for arms conference announced.

Nov. 3--Treaty between France and Turkish Nationalists announced.

Nov. 7--Great Britain entered strong protest against Franco-Turkish accord.

Nov. 8--Council of ambassadors approved boundaries of Albania.

Nov. 9--Allied ambassadors ordered Jugo-Slavs to get out of Albania, but latter continued their invasion.

Nov. 10--Montenegro rebels proclaimed soviet republic, and Albanians checked advance of invading Serbs.

Nov. 12--Conference on limitation of armaments and Far East questions opened in Washington. Secretary of State Hughes announced the American plan—a naval holiday for ten years by Great Britain, Japan and the United States, and the scrapping of all building programs.

Nov. 14--President Harding formally proclaimed peace between United States and Germany.

Nov. 15--Great Britain, Japan, France and Italy accepted American naval limitation plan in principle.

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Nov. 16--China, in the Washington conference, asked recognition as an independent nation, respect for territorial rights, restitution of seized provinces and regions, abandonment of special foreign privileges, withdrawal of foreign troops, permission to govern her own internal affairs, and the open door.

League of Nations council met in Paris; Bourgeois of France elected President.

Nov. 18--Jugo-Slavia accepted the Albanian boundaries.

Nov. 21--Premier Briand presented to armament conference France's reasons for maintaining large army, setting forth her fears of aggression by Germany, and delegates of other powers pledged France their continued support.

Conference committee on Far East adopted "bill of rights" for China.

Nov. 25--Powers in Washington conference agreed in principle to abolition of extra territorial rights in China.

Early formation of an association of nations suggested by American administration.

Nov. 26--Anti-French demonstrations in Italian cities.

FOREIGN.

Jan. 9--British unearthed Irish plot to blow up the houses of parliament.

Jan. 12--Lagayss military overthrow by French Chamber of Deputies.

Jan. 13--Gen. Murguia started revolution in Mexico.

Jan. 15--Briand made premier of France.

Jan. 17--Winston Churchill changed from British war minister to colonial secretary.

Jan. 22--Irish leaders opened "major offensive" against British forces.

Feb. 4--Greek cabinet headed by Rhallis resigned.

Feb. 5--Sultan of Turkey deposed as head of Mohammedan religion by Islamic congress at Sivas and Emir Feisal appointed.

Feb. 20--British killed 13 Irish in battle near Cork.

Feb. 27--Widespread revolt against Soviet rule in parts of Russia.

March 8--During bombardment of workingmen's quarters in Moscow by Bolshevik artillery several hundred persons were killed or wounded.

Eduardo Dato, premier and minister of marine, assassinated at Madrid, Spain.

March 14--Six Sinn Fein prisoners convicted of complicity in killing of British soldiers in Ireland hanged in Mount Joy prison.

Feb. 4--Faisal Pasha, former grand vizier and Turkish minister of finance, assassinated by an Armenian in Berlin.

March 17--Andrew Bonar Law, lord privy seal, resigned from British cabinet.

Kronstadt captured from Russian rebels by Bolsheviks.

March 24--Fifty communists and policemen killed in Red revolt in industrial regions of central Germany.

March 27--Former Emperor Charles made attempt to regain throne of Hungary, but Regent Horthy refused to yield.

March 28--Communist outbreaks in Saxony.

Minsk, western Russia, captured by revolutionaries.

March 30--Czech-Slovakia, Jugo-

Slavia and Rumania mobilized to prevent restoration of Charles.

March 31--German authorities released Neat and Zimmer, Americans sentenced to jail for trying to kidnap Grover Bergdoll.

April 1--Allies' council of ambassadors warned Hungary the restoration of the Hapsburgs would not be tolerated, and Hungarian national assembly condemned attempted coup of Charles.

Lord Talbot, leading British Roman Catholic, appointed first lieutenant of Ireland.

Coal miners of Great Britain struck.

April 8--Former Emperor Charles left Hungary for Switzerland.

April 7--Dr. Sun Yat Sen elected President of Republic of South China.

April 5--British rail and transport workers decided to strike in sympathy with miners, and government declared state of emergency and called out the reserves.

Gounaris made premier of Greece.

April 9--National Bank of Cuba suspended.

April 12--British miners rejected government proposals for settling strike.

April 14--British transport workers and railway men decided not to join in strike.

April 15--General Gonzalez started a new revolution in Mexico.

April 17--U.S. government decided Dr. Alfredo Zayas was elected President of Cuba in November.

April 18--Province of Ontario, Canada, voted "bone dry."

April 21--President Leguia ruling Peru is dictator.

April 22--Alfredo Zayas proclaimed President-elect of Cuba.

British coal strikes negotiations abandoned.

May 10--Dr. Wirth became German Chancellor.

May 22--Serious anti-British outbreak in Alexandria, Egypt.

May 25--Dublin custom house burned by Sinn Feiners.

Vladivostok seized by anti-Bolsheviks.

June 2--New parliament of Northern Ireland organized in Belfast.

June 20--British imperial conference opened.

De Valera re-elected President of "Irish Republic."

June 22--King George formally opened the Ulster parliament.

June 25--Lloyd George invited De Valera to a conference on Ireland.

July 4--All-Ireland conference opened in Dublin; Ulster not represented.

July 9--De Valera agreed to conference in London and cessation of all hostilities in Ireland was announced.

July 21--De Valera received Irish troubles offer for settlement of Irish troubles and took it to Dublin.

July 23--Spain announced rebellious Moroccans had defeated Spanish troops.

Aug. 8--Imprisoned members of Dail Eireann all released.

Aug. 9--Soviet Russian government abandoned state ownership of all but a few of the largest industries.

Aug. 11--Baron Byng of Vimy Ridge inaugurated governor general of Canada.

Aug. 12--De Valera rejected British's offer to Ireland.

Aug. 21--Alexander proclaimed King of the Serbians, Croats and Slovenes.

Aug. 22--Emir Feisal became King of the Iraq region, the new Arab state of Mesopotamia.

Aug. 26--The Irish refused British's offer and Lloyd George warned them against delaying settlement.

Mathias Erbsberger, German statesman, assassinated.

Aug. 27--Malabar district of British India put under military rule because of serious rioting by Moghals.

Sept. 7--British cabinet, in answer to Sinn Fein note, asked De Valera to send delegates to another conference on Sept. 20, imposing condition that Ireland must remain within the empire.

Sept. 8--Great battle between armies of north and south China at Ichang.

Sept. 13--Revolutionary plot at Constantinople discovered.

Sept. 14--Norway prohibited importation of liquors and wines containing more than 18 per cent alcohol.

Lloyd George received reply from

De Valera insisting on Ireland's right to secede, and thereupon cancelled the proposed conference.

Sept. 30--Ponikowski formed new Polish cabinet.

Sept. 30--Lloyd George again invited Sinn Fein to conference in London on Oct. 11.

Oct. 2--Spanish troops killed a thousand rebellious Moros in battle.

Oct. 10--Central American Union, comprising Salvador, Honduras and Nicaragua, established.

Oct. 13--British-Irish conference opened in London.

Oct. 15--Portuguese military overthrow by military coup and several cabinet members killed. New ministry formed by Manuel Cesillo.

Oct. 31--Premier Lenin of Russia admitted economic defeat of communists.

Ex-Emperor Charles and his wife went to Hungary by airplane and Charles was proclaimed King. Little entente began preparations to attack.

Oct. 22--Chancellor Wirth and German cabinet resigned.

Demitroff, Bulgarian war minister, assassinated.

Oct. 24--Regent Horthy's army defeated the Carlists near Budapest.

Charles, King of Austria, and other leaders taken prisoner.

Oct. 26--Dr. Wirth formed new ministry for Germany.

French chamber says Premier Briand vote of confidence after bitter debate.

Oct. 29--Council of ambassadors ordered little entente to cease war threats against Hungary, and demanded that Hungary surrender Charles.

Oct. 30--President Condra of Paraguay resigned owing to revolutionary movement.

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Dec. 1--Serious bread riots in Vienna; many Americans attacked.

DISASTERS.

Jan. 18--Pachuca, Mexico, inundated by breaking of dam; many killed or injured.

Jan. 26--British submarine crew of 56 lost.

Jan. 24--Four-million-dollar fire in business section of Athens, Ga.

Feb. 26--United States destroyer Woolsey sunk in collision off Panama; 16 lost.

Feb. 27--Thirty-seven killed and many injured in railway collision at Porter, Ind.

March 19--Armour grain elevator in Chicago, largest in world, destroyed by explosion and fire; six men killed; \$6,000,000 loss.

March 26--Thousand houses destroyed by fire in Tokyo, Japan.

April 1--Fire in Manila rendered 15,000 homeless; damage \$3,000,000.

April 14--Four thousand buildings destroyed by fire in Hakodate, Japan.

April 15--Hundreds killed by tornado in southern states.

May 19--United States ambulance plane wrecked in storm at Indian Head, near Washington; Lieut. Col Archie Miller, former Congressman Maurice Connolly, H. A. Batthelider and four army officers killed.

June 2--Terrible floods in eastern Colorado killed hundreds of persons in Pueblo and elsewhere and caused vast property losses.

Aug. 8--Steamer Alaska wrecked near Eureka, Cal. 48 lives lost.

Aug. 24--Zr-2, giant dirigible built in England for United States, broke in two and exploded over Hull on trial trip; 46 killed, including 16 members of American crew.

Sept. 16--Disastrous flood in San Antonio, Tex., and vicinity; several hundred lives lost.

Sept. 21--About 1,500 killed, thousands injured and town of Oppau, Germany, destroyed by explosion in nitrate plant.

Sept. 27--Typhoon in Japan killed hundreds of persons.

Oct. 25--West coast of Florida ravaged by great storm.

Oct. 29--Several towns near Vancouver, B.C., destroyed and 35 lives lost by cloudburst.

Nov. 27--Tidal wave in Philippines destroyed several towns and drowned many natives.—Copyright, 1922, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate.

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Salvage Notes.

On Monday night, Dec. 19th, the C. E.W.A. held a soup supper and sale of work in their hall. The success of the sale was not nearly as great as last year, but considering the conditions of to-day, the proceeds were considered to be pretty nearly up to expectations by the ladies in charge.

On Wednesday night, Dec. 21st, the children of St. Stephen's school held a concert in the school room. The stage had been nicely decorated, and the children were eager to get their annual taste of stage life. Unfortunately the weather was not at all ideal for a big attendance, and in view of the peculiar conditions existing here many people missed the pleasant spectacle of juvenile actors and actresses. All things pertaining to education should be greatly appreciated and upheld by the parents of to-day. We fear that in many respects besides that of compulsory and inter-denominational education, we—especially the parents, want more than an awakening. Nothing educates so deeply as dramatic movements, and nothing encourages more than parental interests. We want more of each in our educational programme. Reverting again to the concert may we add that most of the drills, songs, dialogues, etc., were exceedingly well done, and earned well merited applause.

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Day. After the parade they intend dining on a good old-fashioned "Pork and Cabbage" dinner, etc. We wish them pleasant weather.

Mr. Maxwell Lane, student at Bp. Field College, St. John's, arrived home Wednesday to spend his Xmas vacation with his parents. Mr. Lane is attempting the A.A. Examination, and in this we wish him every success.

Messrs. A. Lane and Jas. Hiscock, also students of Field College this year are spending their vacation at home Plat Islands.

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A PARTING WORD FROM MAYOR MORRIS.

Having put in seven years of service at the City Hall as a Councillor, and five months as Mayor, and now coming to the close of my term of office, it may not be out of place to pass a few words on to the public. My service at the City Hall has been somewhat difficult, and from the day the Commission first set until the present moment it has been a problem of finance. It is pleasing, however, to be able to state that amidst all the drawbacks which the Council and the Commission have had, which were due largely to War conditions, the Municipal Ship has been fairly well maintained, and the budget now to be entering upon calmer seas and more favoured ports. True it is that the coming year will have some difficult problems, and the first half of it may be especially so; but, given an improvement in trade, which we all hope for, and due economy, there is much in favour of the new Council, and it is not too much to expect that by judicious administration and cautious expenditure, the pathway will be smoother and the burdens easier. We feel that there is a possibility of these conditions prevailing, and that the incoming Council can encourage themselves, and that, after they have gotten into their work a little, they will realize what some of us had hoped and wished—that is, that they can do something more than collect taxes, pass paycheets and conduct the correspondence. There truly is a bigger field than this before the Councils, and when once they get their forces in order, they should be able to advance, and assume a wider policy than has been hitherto possible.

CO-OPERATION THE KEY NOTE.

We feel assured that the Mayor-elect and his Councillors earnestly wish to improve the City, and they will certainly do their part as diligent officials; but, if they are to accomplish anything worth while, they must have the co-operation of the public. This is my reason for writing these few parting words, and to bespeak for my successors every possible assistance that can be given them. The Mayor and Councillors very often get blamed for what they do, as well as

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for what they do not do, but so much blame is not the best thing. There is need and room for more mutual understanding between the public and the Council, because all are equal partners in the welfare of the community, and every step in advance is as much for the City as for the Council. It is quite natural for citizens to oppose taxation, and to resist the demands of the collectors, and to think that the rates are too high; but, whether these things be so or not, the Council and their representatives are but agents in the situation, and all they can do is to administer the laws placed in their hands and collect the taxes according to the rates as based upon the Appraisal and ratified by the Court of Revision. The collection of taxes has a great many unpleasant features about it, and the question of arrears has been one of the principal burdens of the Council in the past. These are the duties which make Council life unpleasant, and

which intensify the responsibility of the office. Considering these conditions, we again ask that every assistance be given the incoming Council, and that the public bear in mind that, while the Council may seem exact and sometimes pressing, and apparently severe, what is being done is not for the benefit of the Council—from an individual standpoint—but is for the good of the Municipality, and, therefore, for the common good of the City.

A STRENUOUS LIFE.

From my years of experience at the City Hall, I have learned that Councillors—both officially and personally—have too much expected of them, and that the reason for this is because there is much misunderstanding as to the duties and privileges of the members and a meagre understanding as to their rights. A Mayor or Councillor, as I have learned it, can hardly call himself his own. He is interviewed at his home, he is interviewed on the street, and it is the same at the City Hall daily. I have started out the situation, so that I might know what hours would suit the public for interviews at the Mayor's Office, and, having been there in the forenoon and afternoon and all hours, I have come to the conclusion that St. John's should have a Mayor who should give all his time to the office. But this cannot be for a while at least, and so I wish to say that the hours which seem to suit the public best for interviews are noon hours and late afternoon.

COMPLIMENTARY.

As already stated, the burden of the Council is that of finances; hence it is gratifying to note that the gentlemen who compose the new Board are all successful men from a business standpoint. The Mayor-elect has been successful, and his Board have the same proud distinction. This speaks well for the personnel of the new Council, and it is only natural to suppose that the men who were successful in business and who successfully competed in the industrial and commercial world will be equally successful in their official capacity as guardians of the Municipality. We feel assured that they will do their best, so that such improvements as are demanding immediate attention; and, while they cannot hope to carry out all the recom-

mendations of their predecessors, as published in the last report of the Council, they will, no doubt, see their way clear to deal with those which are essential and necessary.

A FEW ESSENTIAL THINGS ACCOMPLISHED DURING MY TERM OF OFFICE.

During my term of office as Mayor, I endeavored to accomplish a few small things in the line of direct civic improvements. I had given two years to the preparation of the Charter, and had waited another five years for it to be adopted, and ex-Mayor Goelling had devoted much time to direct Charter work. On my assumption of office, I decided that the Charter had received attention enough, and that the City, which, in my estimation, is greater than the Charter, should receive more direct and immediate attention. I, therefore, laid the following matters before the new Commission, and they gave me a free hand to carry them out; and I did so. I did not even have a Committee. My experience for long years in societies and churches has taught me that, while I had to wait for a committee to meet and finally report, and then for the main body to adopt the change to accomplish the object in view was lost; so I learned to do things and not waste too much time in what is commonly called "Red Tape."

CIVIC IMPROVEMENTS.

Thus on taking office we at once decided to build Mullins' Bridge in the West End of the City, and it is agreed that it was a useful and much needed improvement. We also laid concrete sidewalk in front of the City Hall, and are pleased to say that property holders in the vicinity co-operated with us and had their sidewalks done also, and it is hoped that others will follow. As our readers are aware, the Council pays half the expense of concrete sidewalks, curbs and gutters. We at once interviewed the Government in the matter of removing the Fire Hall at the Southside, and we have succeeded, and the Department of Public Works will dispose of the building at public auction at an early date. I tried to get this building removed seven years ago, but, at the time, we were too busy on the Board to give it attention. We immediately had the shed at the east of the G.P.O. demolished, which, for three years, was a standing reproach to Water Street. We also widened Lime Street, a measure which should have been adopted ten years ago. We improved the City offices, and renovated the Hall, and brought it up to date for the convenience of the public and the health of the staff. We succeeded in getting the Government to improve the entry to the gate of the General Hospital, and are negotiating with St. Thomas' Parish to have Military Road widened in that locality. We also installed a large number of lights, and have opened up correspondence to have Newman's shed on Water Street removed, as well as removing the so-called Fish Market at Baird's Cove, thereby greatly improving that splendid square, to the satisfaction of the public and trade generally. These are a few of the small things that I undertook with the permission of the Board, and personally carried out, and gave my time to. Of the larger work of road widening and improvements we shall not speak, but we have tried to do our best. These are minor improvements it is true, and there are many more to be adopted, and it is hoped that our successors will follow, but these things, and if they cannot accomplish great things they will be able to accomplish the lesser. In addition to the above, it may be fairly stated that I was largely instrumental in averting the longshoremen's strike.

A BUSY TIME DURING MY TERM OF OFFICE.

Our term of office at the City Hall was a very busy one, and one which taxed the energies to the utmost. This was due to the fact that, in the year of the Triennial Appraisal, and also of the Election; and the Court of Revision—both of Voters' Lists and Property—was being held at the City Hall. This was all intensified by the fact that the Charter was late in passing, and that the election had to be held not later than the 15th day of December. Seeing the possibility of confusion, I interviewed the Premier, as to the advisability of postponing the election until March, but found that it could not be done, as it would require an Act of Parliament to alter the date. We therefore consulted with Mr. Doyle, who was afterwards commissioned by the Colonial Secretary as Returning Officer, as to the enumeration and the possibility of carrying out the election. He at once stated it was almost impossible to do so, as there were but two months and a half to prepare the lists, and that they would require at least twice that time. The Election, however, had to take place, and Mr. Doyle undertook the work, as he had so often done before. We gave him every help, and, by mutual consent, we agreed that, by working until midnight for some three months, the election could be arranged. This will explain to the public the cause of some of the confusion which arose. Seeing the possibility of irregularities, the Secretary, Mr. Mahony, had prepared at the office seven hundred certificates, all of which were issued, with an additional hundred and fifty, which, with the certificates, would increase the list to 7,000, but,

owing to the miserable booth system which prevails at our elections, and owing to weather conditions which arose, and also owing to the lack of interest taken by the public in the inspection of the Voters' Lists, we had an election, which, while quite legal, is lamentably non-representative. That our Election Act should be so antiquated and so inefficient is indeed regrettable, and it is hoped that the legislature will give this matter immediate attention at the next session. The Council has no power in the election; it can only follow the General Election Act.

GAVE EXTRA SERVICE.

With the staff at the office so busy, I did my best to relieve the situation, and lighten the burden upon the Secretary's hands. Personally, I did not approve—or do I—of so much night work, as I have paid the toll myself during fifty years in the industrial world. I consulted with the Secretary as to the possibility of additional help, but he informed me that it would be of no benefit, as the work was largely statistical, and could only be done by the staff in charge, and that while a new official would be getting into the work, the time would be gone. I, therefore, undertook the correspondence of the Council, and endeavored to ease the burden of those who were being overworked. Hence it is that all the major correspondence has borne my signature instead of that of the Secretary. I did this to relieve matters, and, as I felt assured that I would be in office for a full term, I did not mind giving my time and doing so much work; but, had I expected a change, of course I could not have done it. To have done so would be not only an injustice to myself, but an injustice to my successor. But of course these special duties are now past, and the election apparatus and revision are over, and there will not be so much correspondence necessary. At the same time, I wish here to state that the matter of correspondence in the City Council is one of the most important of the office, and requires great care and much good judgment. In all my correspondence I have endeavored to manifest the spirit of courteousness, and to impart dignity to my office in every aspect of its duties.

PERSONNEL OF NEW COUNCIL EXCELLENT, BUT DENOMINATIONALY NOT FULLY REPRESENTATIVE.

While the public generally express satisfaction at the personnel of the new Council, there is, at the same time, a feeling of disappointment that, from a denominational standpoint, there is not a fuller representation. It may, or it may not, be a desirable aspect from which we in Newfoundland view these things, but, of course, we are all conscious that, more or less, in all matters of Government, both civic and state, the denominational element plays a big part. This may, or may not be, a commendable feature, but still it is a fact. I suppose that, while communities are divided into sects and factions, there will be this spirit manifested. St. John's may be denominationaly divided into three great bodies; the Episcopal, the Roman Catholic, and the Non-Conformist. Representatives of these bodies occupy prominent places in trade and commerce and in social life, and they each have large interests in property, and educational institutions. It can be fairly claimed that each body has large representations in every phase of life. It is therefore only fair to admit that there is a feeling of disappointment inasmuch as the great Non-Conformist body of the city is unrepresented at the Board. In a manner, it does not make a great difference, as everyone has entire confidence in the Board, and the question of denominationalism never comes up there, but the feeling of the public is that there should be representation of all classes upon it. However, the matter was decided by the electorate, and, whether intentionally or unintentionally, the result is that the Non-Conformist body of the city are without representation in civic matters.

SALARY.

There has been some little comment at different times as to the salary of the Mayor and Councillors, and some perhaps have misunderstood the situation. As to the Mayor's salary, it must be understood that such an official is duly called upon, and that he must give his salary pay often away before dinner. Mayor Goelling liberally donated his salary to the Child Welfare Movement. I have donated mine to similar movements, although in a different manner, and when I had given the salary, and more, I had daily to refuse two or three calls. The dignity of the office is the best payment one can have, and the sense of service to the city is more than monetary returns. No one assumes the office for its salary—so he would be mercenary and mean and unworthy any who may occupy the position. These are all the points upon which I wish to speak, and I think that the public will accept them in the broad spirit in which they are written. They are not meant to be narrow, nor to convey anything like a petty spirit; but they are rather meant for the common good of the public.

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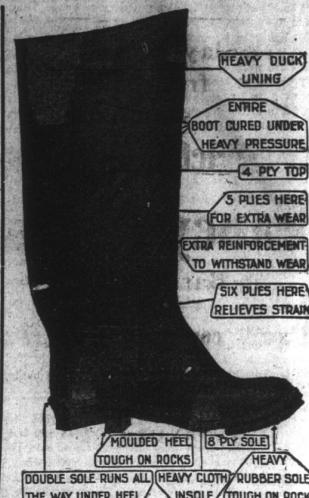
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LEST WE FORGET.

A NEW YEAR'S DETERMINATION.
"If I knew you and you knew me—
If both of us could clearly see,
And with an inner sight divine,
The meaning of your heart and mine—
I'm sure that we would differ less
And clasp our hands in friendship;
Our thoughts would pleasantly agree,
If I knew you and you knew me."

How is that for a New Year's thought? I found it in The Sunshine Bulletin, but the author's name I have forgotten. The older I grow (and it is being borne in upon me that every New Year I am growing a bit older if we count age by the number of times the world has revolved around the sun since we arrived, instead of by the way we feel), the more I am impressed by the difficulty of knowing very much about any human being, especially the difficulty of knowing enough to criticize.

Take a husband and wife who have lived together 50 years. You would say that each must know the other like a book. But when you come right down to it, whereas each may have many thoughts and emotions and motives that the other is familiar with, it is not unquestionably true that each has more thoughts and emotions and motives than the other is absolutely ignorant of!

There they sit, side by side in their living room, so close that they need

only reach out their hands to touch, and yet they may be thousands of miles away in thought.

Yet this intimacy is as close as any can be. How, then, can we think to know those with whom our intimacy is but the comparatively casual one of friendship?

Knowledge, we have often been told, brings power. It also brings tolerance. The more we know, the more we understand, the more we realize what foolish things blame and criticism are.

Over and over again I have had the experience of wondering how people could take certain stands in certain situations and then of passing through those same situations and finding out. Nothing weakens the instinct to friendly feeling more than the habit of perpetual blame and criticism. We may find out later why people do certain things under certain conditions but if, in the meanwhile, we have killed the kindly feeling between us by criticism and an attitude of superiority, we have lost something it will be hard to get back.

Of course we ought to go and tell the person involved that we understand now, but that is very hard to do. Better to withhold judgment, not to criticize so much, not to be so sure we know—for, after all, there aren't many things more worth while in life than friendship and love, are there?

To be able to feel tenderly toward those about one, to have a few hands one loves to clasp in friendliness, is to have kept one's hold on the virtues of life. Why not make it a New Year determination (I am a bit afraid of the word resolution) to strengthen that hold this coming year?

Finally may I say that my only resolution is that there will be very few My Columns next year, and that these will be far between. (Overwhelming. —Editor)

MY COLUMN

REFLECTIONS ON THE NEW YEAR.

"Ring out the old, ring in the new" wrote Tennyson. If the poet had lived in the 20th Century, he would have altered that line to "Pay off the old, run up the new." Of course, I am referring to bills. After all, that's the great thing about the end of the year for it is then that the tradesmen start to deluge the poor unfortunate household-er with his unpaid accounts for the year that has past. But bills aren't the only thing the new year is novel for. There are also resolutions. About a week before the end of the year one usually begins an analysis of one's character with a view to discovering all one's bad points and making resolutions to correct them. It is really surprising how few people can be brought to realize the many failings "which flesh is heir to." But even the best of us find some faults which need correcting and we make the necessary resolutions which we propose to put into force after midnight on December 31st. The average man may keep his resolutions for a day or a week. It all depends on the nature of his vow. For instance, a fellow can keep off smokes for a day, but it will probably take him a week to break his resolution against keeping on the water wagon. The strong willed man may keep all his resolutions for a month but finally he forgets all about them and they drop into oblivion.

A favourite New Year custom which is rapidly dying out is that of visiting. In pre-prohibition days this was a very popular pastime. Then, one could go from house to house, taking a wee drop here and a wee drop there so that finally the man, who left his own home sober, returned a few hours later in a condition which led him to suppose that there were half a dozen key-holes, since they were all making faces at him. Now that the land is cursed with prohibition, this good old game is falling from favour. After all, what's the use of going out and getting only an occasional drink? If you can't come home completely drunk, then it's not worth while going out at all. The one thing I detest about the New Year is having to change the date on one's letters. I know that, as before, I shall continue to write 1921 for at least the first month of 1922. It really is an awful nuisance. During the past few days I have been drawing up a set of resolutions for Horace and if he doesn't keep them, it's going to cost him his job. Here are a few of them.

I RESOLVE:—
To wash my hands once a day and my neck at least, once a week.
To get down to the office every morning at 8.30 a.m.
Not to touch the boss' cigarette supply.

To wipe my feet before placing them on the boss' desk when I mind the office for him.

Not to wink at every girl that comes into the office.

Not to call the stenographer "outie."

Not to allow the office cat to go to sleep on the boss' chair.

But I might go on 'ad infinitum'. The above will cover the dear Horace's principal faults. Well here's wishing all my readers a happy New Year, and

RIMES OF THE TIMES.

NEW YEAR SPECIAL.

Percival Augustus Booth
Was a most untidy youth,
Sandy haired and long of limb,
Mental powers very dim.
Percy never brushed his hair
And he never seemed to care,
If his clothes were full of holes
Or his features black as coals.
Polish never touched his shoes,
'Twas a thing he would not use,
And the trousers that he wore
Must have been years, two score,
If you looked you'd always find
That his neckwear lay behind
His collar, and without a doubt
You'd see one sock was inside out.
Percy's mother was distressed
At the way her son was dressed
But in spite of all she said
Percy did his old way tread.

When the year was near its end
Percy went out with a friend
To a dance and there he met
A dainty maiden named Babetta.
Percy, stupefied, stood still
And he felt a sudden thrill
Striking at his very heart.
He was fairly in the cart.
Picture then just how he felt,
What an awful blow was dealt,
How she did his ardour damp
When she asked "Who is that tramp?"

At her words poor Percy sighed,
Even thought of suicide.
Till it flashed upon his mind
That his clothes were ill designed
To attract a fair coquette
Like that dainty maid, Babetta.

So he made a resolution
That there'd be a revolution
In the manner that he dressed.
He'd in future look his best.
So to please that awful 'pash'
Percy gathered all his cash
To a barber first he went
And while there much money spent
On shampoos and on a shave,
They did his hair up in a wave.
He bought new suits and shirts galore
From Kearney's gent's outfitting store
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Was there a finer gentleman.

So Percy went to press his suit
And Babetta told him he looked cute
But when he told her of his love
And called her little turtle dove
She slowly looked at him and said
"I'm sure you are quite off your head."
And then she swept out from the room
Leaving poor Percy to his gloom.

If you want to know the truth
Percival Augustus Booth
Tore off all his new made clothes
Even to his fancy hose
And he rushed out upon the street
And there two constables did meet
Who took him quickly to the Station
Much to Percy's indignation.
They did not put him in the pen
And now he's dwelling in two-ten.

So if perchance you lose your heart
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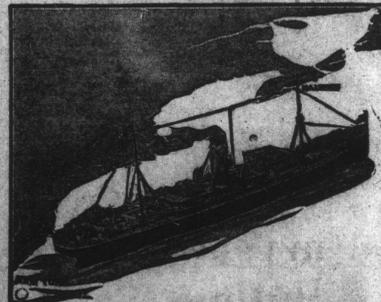
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