





General reductions on silk goods of folk and Western railroad station at Matewan, W. Va., according to a rewenty to twenty-five per cent. were port received at the office of Goverunounced by retailers in advertiseents published to-day.

nor John Cornwall here.

BOLSHEVIKI FORCES IN PERSIA. URNED DOWN PETITIONS FROM STRIKERS.

LONDON, May 19.

Bolsheviki forces landed from thir-CHICAGO, May 19. teen ships near Enzelli, in Persia, on The United States Railway Labor the Caspian Sea, yesterday, it was Board to-day flatly refused to hear learned here to-day. The officer in petitions for increased wages precharge at Enzelli was compelled to sented by John Grunau, President of accept the Bolsheviki terms owing to the Chicago Yardmen's Assolation, the superiority of the Bolsheviki and and officers of other organization which went on strike recently in de- the same night the British evacuated fiance of orders from the National Enzelli.

BANKS FORCE DOWN PRICES.

in the wholesale drygood and general

CARRANZA AGAIN CAPTURED. NEW YORK. May 19.

HOUSTON, Texas, May 19. Pursuant to their pledge to the Federal Reserve Board leading bank-General Carranza has been captured by revloutionary forces and has ing interests of this city to-day exbeen given safe conduct to Vera Cruz, provided he leaves Mexico at tended their campaign of deflation of credits and high commodities prices. once, according to unofficial messages In the financial district this policy received to-day by a local newspaper. already has been effective in reducing The report could not be confirmed. speculative loans against securities to the extent of hundreds of millioas of dollars in the last fortnight. Banks

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merchandise districts have been pro LONDON, May 19. General Brusiloil, former Comceeding along the same lines and the mander-in-Chief of the Russian army pressure exerted by those institutions under the Imperial Regime, has for is said to be directly responsible for the time being virtually assumed the the wave of price cutting in many upreme authority formerly wielded lines of the retail trade, especially n the Russian Soviet Government by by the large department stores. Down Nikolai Lenine and other peoples'

town banks which in a large measure control the operations of the uptown banks are reported to have advised drastic curtailment of loans to merchants who for any reason fail to mply with the government's deflation programme. A price slashing move ent appeared to have struck New

York to-day. The afternoon newspa pers carried advertisements inserted many leading department stores ding "reductions of twenty-three to seventy dollars in women's high class capes, wraps and wrap coats." "Fifty per cent. off our entire stock of children's and misses hats."

GOVERNMENT'S IRISH POLICY.

LONDON, May 19. The government's policy, whether the struggle be short or long, would be to employ the whole available ources of the Kingdom restore law and order in Ireland,

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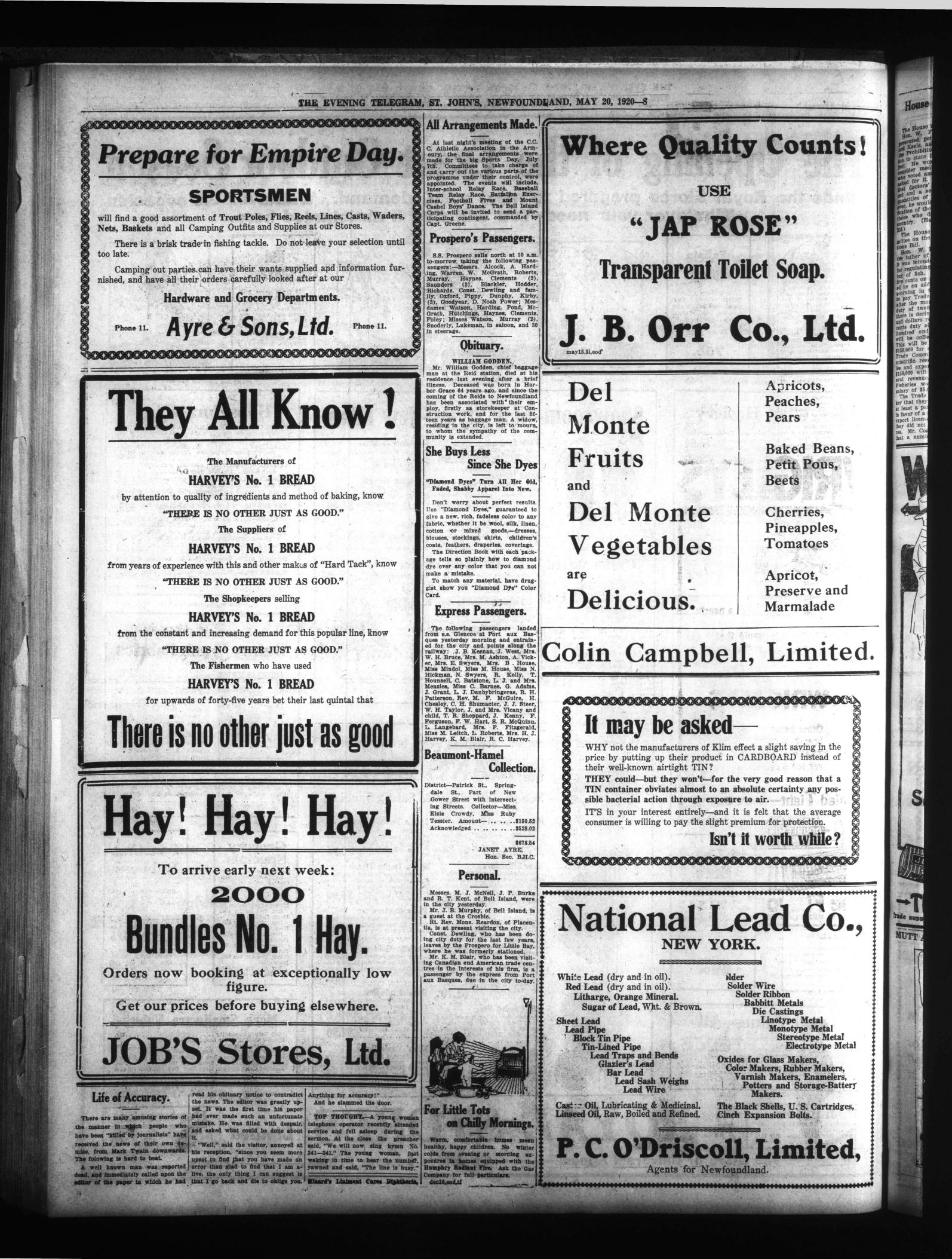












THE EVENING TELEGRAM, ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND, MAY 20, 1920-9

House of Assembly.

May 19.

The House met at 3 p.m. Hon. W. F. Coaker (Bonavista), esented petitions from Open Hall d Keels, asking for Modification of e Prohibition Act. He took occasto state his position on the sub-He would not be prepared to ider modification unless those voted and worked against liquor ked for it. Personally, he thought at doctors' scripts should be cut and a sort of license for small ntities of alcohol granted. Hower, he would not agree to any modi-ation of the Act unless asked for by who drove liquor out of the (Has it been driven out?-

House then went into Com on the Codfish Export Regula-Bill

ion. W. F. Coaker (Bonavista), father of the Bill, explained that intended to provide machinery egulating the export and market of fish. Ten cents on dry and ents on green fish will be chargadditional tax, the revenue in this manner being used Trade Commissioners to look markets. From the export

twenty cents now collected erived three hundred thousrevenue and from the ten duty above noted, another one ed and fifty thousand dollars be collected; total \$450,000,000. less men at the fishery and better prices for them. Sir M. P. Cashin ill be expended as follows:) for salaries and expenses of Opposition), asked that further con-

sideration of the Bill be deferred un-Commissioners, \$150,000 för ic research, inspector's salartil to-day. and expenses, etc., and the other ,000 will be devoted to the gen-

The next Bill for consideration was the Income Wartax Act. This provides that the Act shall remain in force for al revenue. A Superintendent of another year with this amendment, would be appointed at a a taxpayer shall be allowed two hun-\$5,000.00 per annum. ade had informed Mr. Coa-child he has under eighteen years of Part of the pill ary of \$5,000.00 per annum. The Trade had informed Mr. Coa-that they didn't want the Bill, or least a part of it. They would be favor of a nominal fee of \$50, as an into Committee on the "Business Pro-bort license fee, but told him that y did not want regulation of pri-the favor of a nominal fee of \$50, as an into Committee on the "Business Pro-fit's Tax, 1917." This Act is extended for another year. Only one amend-Mr. Coaker welcomed the news ment is made, that of compelling the number of young men were Banks to pay their assessment on the



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Pond, North Hr., Branch, Point Lance, St. Bride's, Cutlet, Angel's Cove, Patrick's Cove, Ship's Cove, Barachoix, Point Verde and Placentia Railway. Reply-No service will be considered this year. giving up fishing and going to work. That would mean that there would be Mr. Walsh asked the Hon. the Prime Minister if it is the intention

of the Government to continue the motor mail and passenger service be-(Leader of the tween Sound Island, Barron Island, Woody Island and the eastern end of Merasheen to Long Island and Ar-nold's Cove to connect with railway.

quito, Salmonier North, St. Joseph's, Haricot, Tickles, Colinet, John's

leposits in the Bank at the end

OUESTIONS.

Reply-Service will be operated. Mr. Walsh asked the Hon. the Prime Minister if it is the intention of the Government to place an addiional coastal steamer on Placentia Bav. Reply-Service won't be considered

this year. Sir M. P. Cashin asked the Minis-

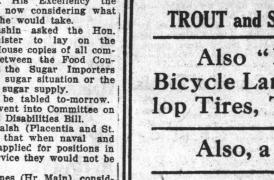
ter of Justice to table a copy of the Commission issued to the Commis-sioners appointed to inquire into the Woodford Affidavit." Reply-The Commission issued was abortive, because, while the Judges were satisfied to take the evidence,

and conduct the enquiry, they were not prepared to come to any findings on the matter. His Excellency the Governor was now considering what further steps he would take. Sir M. P. Cashin asked the Hon.

the Prime Minister to lay on the Table of the House copies of all com-munications between the Food Control Board and the Sugar Importers relative to the sugar situation or the control of the sugar supply. Reply-Will be tabled to-morrow.

The House went into Committee on the Legislative Disabilities Bill. Mr. W. J. Walsh (Placentia and St. Mary's) hoped that when naval and military men applied for positions in the coastal service they would not be blocked.

Dr. W. E. Jones (Hr. Main), considered that the state of affairs as re-vealed by recent statements in the House did not reflect much credit on the Ministry of Shipping. We have a coal famine and we have a salt famine. This session would go down in history as one of erratic and freak





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each year instead of on the profits. An alternative was in force enabling the Banks to choose between these two. Now it must be on deposits and the rate is ½ of one per cent. After some short comments, this amend-ment was agreed to and the Commit-tee rose and reported the Bill passed. C J Sir J. C. Crosbie asked that all correspondence be tabled in connec-tion with the dissatisfaction express-ed by the Minister of Posts and Tele-graphs over the Post Office at Broad graphs over the Post Office at Broad Cove, Bay de Verde. Reply—Will be tabled to-morrow. Mr. Walsh asked the Hon. the Prime Minister if it is the intention of the Government to place a coastal boat on that isolated section of the coast between Trepassey and Placen-tia, taking in the following settle-ments: Trepassey, St. Shott's, Peter's River, St. Vincent, Gaskier, Point LaHaye, St. Mary's Riverhead, Mall Bay, Regina, Admiral's Beach, Mos-quito, Salmonier North, St. Joseph's,



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Messages POLES GIVE GROUND.

WARSAW, May 19. The Bolsheviki have launched an attack on the Northern front, between the river Dvina and Beresoff, and the Poles have been completed to surren-der ground in the face of superior forces, says an official communication issued to-day.

PIN-PRICKING TACTICS.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19. PHILADELPHIA, May 19. Sir Anckland Geddes, British Am-bassador came here to-day to receive from the Franklin Institue, for Sir Charles Parsons of England, the Franklin medal awarded him. A party of Irish sympathisers appeared in front of the building, carrying ban-ners bearing inscriptions demanding freedom for Ireland. The police kept them moving and gave them no op-portunity to tackle the visitor."

BAILWAY OFFICIAL ARRESTED.

PARIS, May 19, M. Momousson, Secretary of the Federation of Railway Workers, was arrested this evening, when leaving a meeting of the Federal Council.

SUCCESSFULLY LAUNCHED.

Stockssfruint LAUNCHED. SYDNEY, N.S., May 19. Watched by many hundreds of spec-tatora, the Canadian Concrete Ship-building Company's new steamer, Permanenca, the only ocean going vessel of her kind built in Canada, took the water to-day at North Syd-ney. The launching has been pro-nounced a great success by her own-ers and Lloyd's special representa-tive, who was present. The ship floated in the waters of North Sydney Harbor in as correct a position and as buoyantly as any vessel of steel or wooden construction. The launch-ing was in charge of 2. Gillard, mas-ter shipbuilder of Newfoundland, un-der whose supervision the ship was built. Three seconds after the blocks were knocked from launchway rollers, the ship was in the water, not a hitch of any kind being encountered. In six weeks time she is expected to be ready for a Sydney to Newfoundland which she is to-be placed. SYDNEY, N.S., May 19.

Three Hundred Barrels Nfld. Herring Spoiled.

No Cold Storage Space Available. (Montreal Daily Star.)

Seventeen tons of pickled herrings, cured in Newfoundland and Nova Scotia in the Scotch method, formed one of the last consignments sent to the Montreal Abattoirs for conversion into fertiliser before the new rendering plant commences operations shortly. They were packed into barrels last September, according to the stamps on them, and shipped to Montreal for the tables of the Jewish community, who are the chief consumers of this kind of pickled herring. But they were not stored in a cold storage warehouse, but in the old Donnelly ice house, a tall wooden building divided into five sheds where ice used to be stored, but which are no longer used for this purpose, and which are now empty, shortly to be pulled down along with other houses Manufacturers street to make



