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A Great Game of Hockey at the Rink Last Night--'Nix' Hunt Gave Record Exhibition of Good Play.

THE TEAMS

Victorias	Goal	N. Hunt
C. Hunt	Point	F. Rendell
Morison	Cover	C. Strong
Parsons	Rover	Treble
Ford	Right	C. Rendell
Brien	Centre	Winter
Tobin	Left	Parnell
Shortall		

Referee—W. J. Higgins.
Timers—C. Ellis, W. J. Martin.
Penalty—N. Vinnicombe.

GOALS

1st Half	
Feildians (Winter)	5 min.
Victorias (Tobin)	23 min.
2nd Half	
Victorias (Brien)	9 min.
Feildians (Rendell)	13 min.
Feildians (Rendell)	23 min.
Victorias (Shortall)	26 min.

Overtime

Victorias (Shortall)	32 min.
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PENALTIES

1st Half	
Strong (Feildians)	2 min.
Ford (Victorias)	2 min.
Strong (Feildians)	4 min.
2nd Half (None)	
Overtime	
Winter (Feildians)	2 min.
Tobin (Victorias)	2 min.
Shortall (Victorias)	2 min.
Morison (Victorias)	2 min.

After grappling thirty-two minutes overtime for a winning goal, victory fell to the Victorias in their game with the Feildians last night, in what

may be called the very best exhibition of hockey ever seen in the Prince's Rink.

Handicapped

The Feildians went on the ice beaten, in the opinion of their supporters, for they were minus their captain, Pinsent and White, both of whom are able players, but the game was not long in progress before it was evident that they would give the Vics a run for their money. As time progressed it looked as if the Feildians would be winners, or to more correctly size up the situation, it seemed as if the Vics would not be winners, for they must have had nearly a hundred shots for goal before the winning notch was recorded, and that was due more to chance than good luck.

The Victoria's shooting was not erratic either; their being held at bay so long was due to the marvellous defence of the college boys, principally Hunt. All the other goalers in St. John's will we think, raise their hats to 'Nix' after last night. His display of goal tending was one of the most classical quality, and nothing like it had ever been seen here before.

Couldn't Get Past Him

No matter how the Vics tried, they could not get past him. They shot from the wings and centre, they tried long shots and also at close range; they rushed him and did everything else permitted by the rules, but to no purpose, and for forty-five minutes he kept his goal as secure as if a stonewall blocked it. But for his efforts the result would have been decided at the end of the second half.

Play did not start until 7.45. The Feildians took control of the puck and called on Cecil Hunt, the Victoria goaler, but were assily repulsed

and the next moment saw the puck at the other end. The Vics rushed but could not get past Strong.

First Goal

After five minutes hard work, Winter broke the first ice and landed the disc in the Vic's goal. Play waxed warm and somewhat reckless; Strong was sent to the box twice and Ford once. After 23 minutes hard play Tobin banged in the equalizer. No further scoring was done in this half.

The Feildians resumed play in an aggressive manner, but the Vics cleared and called on N. Hunt, but could not get past him. Once more the college boys called on Hunt Jr., and tried a couple of shots, they missed.

Second Score

The second Vic goal was notched up by Brien after a pretty display by the forwards. Shots were exchanged until C. Rendell dashed up the wing and balanced the score again. Five minutes later Rendell repeated the trick.

Although the Vics were behind in goals they were now playing the better game, and nothing but the splendid defence of the Feildians saved the boys in blue from a big defeat. The Vics tried all kinds of shots, which were either saved or missed the goal by a narrow margin.

Towards the end of the second period Shortall succeeded in getting past Hunt and when the gong sounded the score was 3 all.

Overtime

The game was continued and three ten minute periods followed. Shortly after commencing the fourth Shortall shot and was successful. The second ten minutes was a lively one and it saw Winter, Tobin, Shortall and Morison all on the fence.

The result of last night's game means that the Crescents and Vics will likely have to play off for the championship.

Puckering

Morison cover and Parsons on the left would be a good change.

They all worked hard and very little fault could be found with either. Parsons and Morison were very effective.

The Vics were deserving of victory in the second half, and had they not played against luck would have won by two or three goals.

The necessity of competent goal judges was apparent again last night as after 25 minutes overtime Morison found the net from a wing shot, but the goal judge did not give it.

The Lost Years

On the night of February 23rd, two years ago, Francis Washburn, a painter and glazier, of the American town of Allegheny, was sitting in his comfortable parlour by the fire. He had not been very well lately, having suffered from his liver. But now he was rapidly recovering, and he dozed by the fire, enjoying the genial warmth.

The lamp was not burning very well. Elsa, his nine-year-old daughter, got up to attend to it. She tried to move the chimney, burnt her fingers, and down went the glass with a sharp crash at her father's feet.

The result of this trifling accident was amazing. Washburn shot out of his chair, flinging up his hands. "My head!" he screamed, and fell flat upon the floor.

It was the following morning before he came to himself. His wife and a doctor named Small were in the room. "Am I much hurt? Are there many killed?" exclaimed Washburn anxiously.

"The others, thinking he was still wandering, tried to soothe him. But he would not be quiet. "What hospital is this?" he continued.

"You're in Washburn's hospital, and you're all right" replied Dr. Small smilingly. "Stop that foolery!" ordered the patient. "What right have you to make fun of a man who has been

Rendell, on the wing did splendidly. In fact the whole team were in trim, and considering that they were minus two of their regulars, their showing was all the more praiseworthy.

Rendell who was inclined to play forward too much last night kept his place. He is not a graceful player, but he is effective, and being young in the game we expect to see him do well in the future.

The most prominent feature was the goal tending of N. Hunt, who was a different player altogether from his exhibition against the Bell Islanders. The Feildian Point and Cover also played a good defence.

Many of the fans affirm that Morison should be on the city team, and we agree with them. He would make an ideal 'cover,' and his runs for which he has no superior here, would keep the forwards going.

hurt like me? Tell me about the accident."

The doctor looked bewildered. Mrs. Washburn came across to her husband and took his hand.

"Who are you?" demanded Washburn. "A Nurse?"

The poor woman recoiled. Dr. Small came to the bedside. "She's your wife, man. Don't you know her?"

Washburn stared, then laughed. "My wife! That's a good one. You'll be telling me next that I've got a family!"

"So you have, my friend. Four children."

This seemed to stagger Washburn. "What's it all mean?" he asked piteously.

The truth began to dawn upon the doctor. He asked questions, many of them. By degrees he found that Washburn's last memory was of a bad railway accident between Chicago and Denver, where he had gone to claim some property which had been left to him.

"How old were you then?" questioned the doctor.

"I'm twenty-four," was the reply.

Gradually the doctor broke it to Washburn that seventeen years had passed since that time, that during all those years which were now a blank to him he had been living the life of a sane, sober, and respectable citizen, that he had married, and followed his trade, and had four children.

It was the strangest situation. One man telling another the latter's life, or all he knew of it. For a time Washburn evidently believed that the doctor was hoaxing him. At last, putting his hand to his face, he felt his beard, and started. Then he asked for a looking-glass. The sight of his own face was plainly another severe shock, and he stared long and hard at himself.

"It's true, then, after all," he muttered at last.

Washburn's case was what medical men term amnesia, but it has features which make it almost unique. Many persons have lost their minds from injuries to the head and have had to be educated all over again, beginning, as it were, a second childhood. But Washburn's hurt had a different effect in that it left him perfectly sane, able to read, write, and behave himself exactly like any other responsible being, yet apparently started his per-

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The sensations of a man in such a position must have been strange beyond imagination. Washburn's own words may give some glimpse of their strangeness:

"I've got," he said to the reporter who interviewed him, "to get acquainted with my wife all over again, and I've got to learn to love my four little children all born in that other life which I have entirely forgotten. People tell me that I was like anybody else during all those seventeen years, that I saw skyscrapers built and rode on trolley cars, and saw incandescent lights, telephones and motor cars, but they're all new to me. They tell me I was a painter. I'm trying now to learn my trade all over again, but I have to begin as an apprentice. Yet my wife and friends say that I was one of the best painters and glaziers in the town."

Washburn has never yet recovered the memory of those lost years. But he has quite settled down again, and lives his life by no means unhappily.

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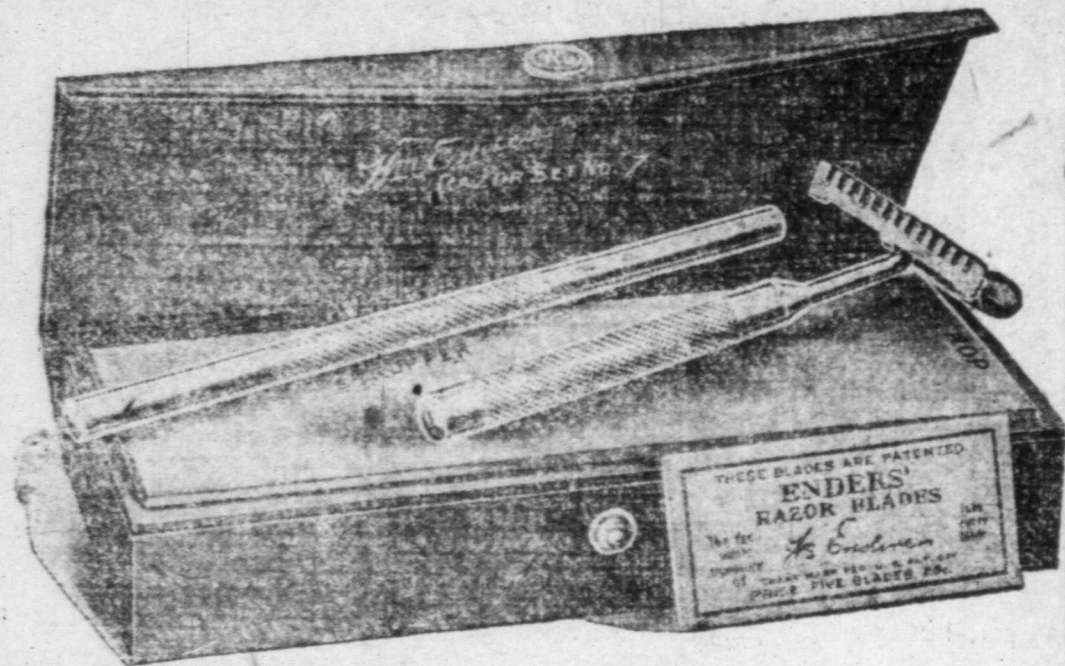
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To the Editor!

COAKER THE MAN.

(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—Allow me to congratulate President Coaker and his colleagues on their magnificent showing in the House of Assembly and on their straight, forward and manly utterances in defence of the toilers of Newfoundland.

No doubt when the House opened the Government thought they were in for a great show something like Barnum and Bailey's circus and that they had a crowd of clowns to deal with, but they have found out their mistake.

They now face men who (although from the masses) have the heart and courage to put Country and her interests before self and have already shown the people that neither they nor those from whom they sprang are either "ignorant" or "illiterate"—not one cullage among them, although Mr. Cashin would have us think differently.

Shame on the man (be he whom he may) who would thus wantonly insult those who give him the means to live in luxury and indulge in any and every pleasure that comes to tickle his fancy, while the poor toilers are out on the bounding wave braving storm and sea to wrest from the mysterious depths of old ocean the wherewithal by which they eke out a living.

But at last we have true representatives of the toilers in the House of Assembly, good men and true, who have the toilers' cause at heart—men who will never say as Cashin said that the 20,000 fishermen who supported the Union were "ignorant" and "illiterate."

They have spoken (during the past few weeks) both loud and long and the strangest part of all is, they have been listened to, have been applauded and their words have made a lasting impression and they will continue to speak and will be heard.

We heard that the spar-ring member of this district cut up rather wild a few days ago in the House. "No good, Johnny," you will never destroy the serenity of Coaker and his colleagues; they will talk to you and your cronies like the gentlemen that they are, and for goodness sake do try and follow their example.

—UNCLE.

Job's Cove, Feb. 5, '14.

CASHIN'S INSULT

(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—Like my friend, Daniel Devine, of King's Cove, I must say a few words concerning our famous Minister of Finance who termed us "ignorant," "illiterate" and "cullage."

Just think of our public servant calling his employers such names. We admire Mr. Cashin, we were ignorant until W. F. Coaker appeared on the scene and brought out The Advocate lamp, which showed us just where we were standing.

But we did not know this in its entirety until the Union members entered the House of Assembly and demanded the accounts of the expenditures of the past four years and now we are asking ourselves the question: how did we manage to get along as we have?

Lots of people asked when the Union candidates were selected to represent us on the floors of the Assembly—"Of what use are these men?" St. John's politicians will so tangle them up that the like of Stone, Targett, Bob Winsor and the others will not know what to say. They will become a laughing stock.

Mr. Editor, the representatives we had in the House before were first-rate fellows to talk, but we could not meet them in a Council of Fishermen and discuss public matters with them as we do in our District Councils. They had their supporters and heelers and to them went all the sops.

But we now have men in the House who were not put there by special grants, neither by promising jobs; they were sent there by the fishermen to find out how their money was expended and to make some very necessary reforms. They have proved anything but a crew of dummies.

—UNION VOTER.

New Bonaventure, Feb. 13, '14.

HICKMAN'S HR. PARADE.

(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—Our parade was held on the Jan. 31st and we had a good time. We did not parade on the 16th of Jan. because our men were away. It was a very cold day but we had a big turn out.

—UNIONIST.

Hickman's Hr., Feb. 27, '14.

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OUR CITY WATER SUPPLY

(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—Citizens generally, but especially the insurance agents in our midst, must be more than pleased after reading in Saturday's papers the report of the Municipal Council's meeting of the evening previous, particularly the Mayor's report, which he had obtained from Capt. Kane of the West End Fire Department, regarding the shortage of water at Cochrane Street, when the beautiful Methodist Church was razed to the ground by fire, which in the opinion of the hundreds present, would not have happened if our gallant firemen had had the necessary supply of water. For, instead of a full supply or head very little was available at the West End station.

Now, we are told by the new consulting engineer "Kane" that the cause of this state of affairs was owing to the following conditions of the weather on that night as compared to 48 hours after at College Square fire.

The Mayor stated that according to Capt. Kane the reason for the low pressure at the Colonial Street fire as compared with that at Cochrane Street fire was due to the difference in the temperatures.

This explanation, coming from such a "reliable" source, instead of from City Engineer Ryan, seemed to have "guffed" his associate councillors, for it seems there was no further comment on this very important matter, whereby the lives and property of the citizen were endangered.

I contend, sir, that the water department seriously blundered on this occasion as well as on several others, namely Baird's, Beards' and Vinnicombe's a short time ago, and the idea of Mayor Ellis consulting Sergt. Kane instead of the recognized City Engineer, I fail to understand.

Therefore, I don't wonder that our citizens are revolting, and are petitioning the Legislature "to cry halt" to the now deplorable existing conditions in our municipal affairs.

Certainly it is impossible to imagine that Premier Morris is not cognizant of the unfitness of our civic rulers, particularly in connection with the water supply. In "Anglo Saxon" words let me state publicly that the men we want to represent us should be intelligent and strong, and not "puneys" who certainly are no good except in catering for votes.

—TAXPAYER

Feb. 18, 1914.

CONCERT AND SOCIABLE

(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—A concert and Sociable was recently held in the F.P.U. Hall at Clarke's Beach. The concert was particularly a success and the building rang with applause throughout the whole performance.

The concert was led by Az. Boone, Arch. Snow and John Wells, our local comedians, and Misses Laura Butler, Irene Dawe, Flora Hussey and Minnie Reid, who helped us out with songs and dialogues in no mean way.

I was much surprised when told they met but once previous to staging their acts.

We have been visited by many travelling vaudeville troupes, but there was a much greater display of talent shown on that occasion, than any shown by our visitors.

The whole thing was well managed by the committee, comprised of Alex. Wells, William Winter, Abram Boone, Archibald Boone, and Samuel Wells, the local chairman. These men are taking a lively interest in all Union affairs, and they finished up by announcing total receipts of \$50.75 (Fifty Dollars and Seventy Cents).

—ONE PRESENT.

Clarke's Beach, Feb. 11, '14.

BAY DE VERDE PARADE.

(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—We held our second annual parade here on Jan. 28th. The morning selected turned out bright and fair, giving good prospects of a fine day, and early in the morning friends flocked from all parts of the Harbor being joined by friends from Red Head Cove.

Flags were flying in all directions. At the hall we had a few words from the officers and then marched through the harbor, cheering our President and the F.P.U.; the band playing all along the route of the parade and guns roared forth their loud praises all the time.

Returning to the hall we were 140 strong and all enjoyed the hot dinner and provided.

After dinner we had a further enjoyable time with speeches from different friends and also songs and recitations.

—CHAIRMAN F.P.U.

Bay de Verde, Feb. 2, '14.

APPALLING REVELATIONS.

(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—This district is astounded by your exposures published under the head of "Special Grants for 1913." The supporters of the Government are appalled and mortified at the reckless and wanton waste of public moneys revealed.

If the documents could be questioned there would be some hope that the statements published were an exaggeration of the facts, but there appears to be no grounds for doubting the truth of the published statements in their entirety.

The number of grants placed in the hands of equally numerous private individuals at Exploits is almost unbelievable were it not that the bald facts are staring one in the face. Those published facts with others of the same nature justify The Advocate and the Fishermen's Union and will undoubtedly arouse a revulsion in the ranks of supporters of the Government.

In the list there appear two items which especially concern this neighborhood—one of \$100 to Ezekiah Budden of Michael's Harbor and another of \$50 to Charles Hodder of Lewisporte.

Half of the amount to Budden and all of the amount to Hodder is still in their hands unaccounted for. If this can be taken as a criterion of what is happening all over the Country there must be thousands of dollars of the public funds in the hands of irresponsible individual which should be in the public treasury to-day and the Minister of Public Works should demand that all public moneys in the hands of private individuals and not accounted for should be promptly returned to the treasury.

The public conscience will not stand for this wanton waste of public moneys wrung from the taxpayers, and those published revelations should bring forth a crushing protest from all over the Country.

—LEWISPORTE.

Feb. 14, 1914.

HARD HITTING.

(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—Please allow me space in your valuable paper for a few remarks on a letter that appeared in a recent issue of The Plaindealer under the heading, "A Word to Western Fishermen," and signed by one calling himself "Fisherman."

I don't think I would be much out, if I would say, that anyone can see this so-called "Fisherman" sporting brass buttons often than you can see him in oil pants.

Anyway I would ask Mr. Fisherman when writing again to try and tell the truth, if he knows how to do it, and if he don't know how to do so, let him call on any of the Union friends and they will be only too glad to try and teach him.

I wonder why he wanted to let the West Coast fishermen know that he was born in Fogo, and his father and grandfather before him? Did he think that Mr. Coaker was going to tell the West Coast men that this wonderful individual was born at the North Pole?

He is trying hard to make the West Coast fishermen believe that the Union men of Fogo are a bad crowd, but I can tell Mr. Fisherman that some of the best men in Fogo are in the F.P.U., and the majority of them deal fair and square with their local merchants and are well trusted by them.

He also says that churches, schools and fraternal societies are not flourishing since the Union started. I wonder where he got his information.

I can only speak of the church of which I am a member and that is the Church of England, which is most certainly progressing all the time. As for fraternal societies they were never in better circumstances at Fogo than they are at present, and I ask "Fisherman" if he can prove the contrary.

Mr. Fisherman also says that law and order are not respected by the F.P.U., which is a direct lie, and I will again ask Mr. Fisherman how many times the F.P.U. have been up before the court for murder, highway robbery or any other crime, and to be sure to give his proofs.

I see by the last issue of The Plaindealer that quite a few have dropped out of the Union at Fogo; but Mr. Editor, if that paper man put "expelled" before a lot of their names and "double-expelled" before some more he would have been nearer the mark, and probably he will find Mr. Fisherman among that number.

—UNION MAN.

Fogo, Feb. 7, 1914.

OLD BONAVENTURE PARADE.

(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—We held our annual parade on Jan. 16th. As the weather of late has been very severe everybody expected the frost to effect the turnout but it did not and we had a good crowd.

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—A FRIEND.

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(Editor The Daily Mail.)

Dear Sir,—We held our annual parade to-day, Feb. 4th, as the weather did not allow us to do so at the appointed time, Jan. 20th.

After the assembly at the hall the roll was called and the names of those absent taken. We then headed for Birchy Cove with the Orange band in attendance.

On returning to the hall we found the Union ladies had a grand tea prepared.

After tea was over we had some selections from some of our young ladies and gentlemen and also by the band.

After the programme had been gone through cheers were given for Coaker, Abbott and Winsor.

—SECRETARY F.P.U.

Newman's Cove, Feb. 4, '14.



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ST. JOHN'S, N.F.L.D., FEB 19, 1914.

CORNERBOY CONDUCT.

But for the actions of that "terrible trio"—Crosbie, Woodford and Young—very little exception could have been taken to the tone of the various debates of the present session of the House. The Minister of Public Works gave the House an exhibition of "light headed" actions that has not raised him at all perceptibly in the esteem of the electors of this Country.

sarily abused and threatened and stormed because a section of the Coaker Sealing Bill did not suit his personal views and interests. The originator of the Bill came in for much of this abuse, but the erratic Executive Councillor also had the indecent effrontery to charge that the sealing owners who signed the Agreement with Mr. Coaker never intended to keep it.

There was absolutely no provocation given by Mr. Coaker; the attack on the Honor of the Sealing Owners was most indecent and was entirely unjustifiable. The conduct of the Minister can only be fittingly described by terming it "Clownish." It astonished the House, although members and auditors have come to look for some grave breach of decorum when Mr. Crosbie takes the floor.

We can arrive at but one conclusion as a result of yesterday's scene in the House and that is in manners, temperament and abilities John C. Crosbie is entirely unfitted for the dignified position he occupies and that he is an absolute disgrace to the Administration with which he is associated. It would not be at all surprising if public opinion took the concrete form of a petition to Governor and Prime Minister asking for his dismissal from the Cabinet.

Such a man is by no means essential to Sir Edward Morris's party. The Prime Minister would rise greatly in the estimation of the general public if he turned this persistent and ungentlemanly brawler down. Surely Sir Edward Morris has not placed him self in the unfortunate position which forces him to retain John C. Crosbie in his Cabinet—if so, then he is to be pitied above all men.

If the Prime Minister takes no action to repudiate the dishonoring conduct of Mr. Crosbie he must reckon on the unceasing opposition of the Union members to all his proposals which will be attacked both in the House and in the public press and the F.P.U. is quite capable of taking the strongest measures to show its resentment of the indecent and unprovoked attack made on President Coaker.

But we are of opinion that Sir Edward Morris is too much of a gentleman and cares too much for the esteem and respect of his Countrymen to retain such an undesirable in his Cabinet and so to forfeit that popular goodwill.

Besides, the F.P.U. members have a duty to perform as representatives of the People and this duty they intend unflinchingly to perform. But they object most emphatically to being subjected to the insulting and browbeating tactics of any upstart, incapable who happens to hold a seat in the House.

As to Mr. Crosbie's reference to The Daily Mail, we are rather pleased than otherwise that our comments on public affairs are making themselves felt.

JUST A SMILE OR TWO.

"I think you got the worst of that bargain you made in the subway." "I couldn't help it; they had me in a hole."

Mr. Npeck: "Is your mistress going out, Jane?" Maid: "Yes, Sir." Mr. Npeck: "Do you know if I have to go, too?"

Teacher: "Now, Willie, can you tell me what a bison is?" Willie: "Please, sir, a bison is wot we wash our faces in!"

"I see the hotel at this resort advertises a beautiful gorge." "What of it?" "I wonder if that means a ravine or a lot to eat?"

"Do you see anything ridiculous in my wig?" said a judge to the famous Irish barrister John Curran. "Nothing but the head," flew back the retort.

Sims: "While in Paris I paid five pounds in tips alone." Walter (assisting him on with his coat): "You must have lived there a good many years, sir."

"This new murderer is a foxy one." "How so?" "Declares he's perfectly sane. Now, of course, everybody will have to go to work to prove he's insane."

Mrs. Casey: "An' phat did th' doctor say ailed ye?" Mr. Casey: "Appendicitis." Mrs. Casey: "Och, worra! Oi knew he'd say that if ye wore that new Sunday suit."

"That's Mrs. Marrimuch, the society leader," explained the man who knew.

"My, you don't say so?" replied the plebeian; "she's in half mourning, isn't she?" "Yes. You see, three of her husbands are dead."

'FAMILY GRANT' GRAFT IS SEVERELY CRITICED BY THE OPPOSITION.

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On Supplemental Supply Mr. Coaker hoped it would be the last time that this honorable House would be called upon to vote any such sum as \$244,000. In his opinion the amount ought not to exceed \$25,000, in normal years. Fully two-thirds of this vast sum we are now asked to vote could have been foreseen.

Under the head of Legislation we find \$2400.00 for the year 1913 spent for stationery to supply the requirements of this branch of the Legislature alone; he thought \$500.00 ought to be sufficient; all he could say there must be some one writing a great many letters.

Hospital Increases

At the General Hospital \$8,420.00 more are required to balance the accounts; a big increase has taken place in the salaries of the nurses. We haven't yet heard from the Prime Minister on the hospital enquiry; the public was expecting a report.

The Fiona and the dredge accounts were also heavily overdrawn and must now be provided for in Supplemental Supply.

The large amount under "Refunds" \$75,000, was no doubt caused by taking the duty off tea and sugar. Quite a large quantity of tea was exported to Halifax last year at the time the Government took off the duty. Tea merchants here in St. John's were able to avail of the privilege; but many outport people who had 10 or 15 packages got soaked. One Union store lost \$260.00 on the items of tea and sugar.

The Government should have been more considerate and waited until July 1st. In this way small storekeepers would have been given a chance to get rid of stocks on which duty had been paid, and they should not have been forced to lose the amounts which they did. He therefore hoped this would be the last time a Finance Minister would ask this House to vote any such Supplemental Supply.

A progressive Government, such as this one claimed to be, ought to turn over a new leaf.

That "Forget."

When he (Mr. Coaker) had asked the Government to dismiss Mr. Morison, he (Mr. Morison) replied that he had done wrong, but "Forgot" the law while doing it; the Governor's reply was that Mr. Morison had done wrong but that the (Governor) believed he forgot "he was doing it." "Go and sin no more" had been said to Mr. Morison and the same must be said to the Government this evening. You have spent those large sums of money with out the sanction of this Legislature and all that could be done now was to say to the Government "Go and sin no more."

The Finance Minister replied. There always was and always will be Supplemental Supply. The Fiona had done excellent service in preventing smuggling and violations of the Bait Act; the dredge was working at Fortune all last winter—hence the additional \$9000 over the estimate; he considered \$15,000 enough to vote for the dredge; the duties, which had to be refunded under the Revenue Act in consequence of the removal of duties last year could not have been estimated. Draw backs on gasoline used by the fishermen could not be estimated, as more was being used every year.

Mr. Coaker suggested that considerable "red tape" had to be used by fishermen before re-payment was made them on gasoline used at the fishery; he thought a license might be charged all parties using gasoline for other than fishery purposes. The Minister thought the present plan was working alright and was getting better every year.

No Reply Yet.

Mr. Halfyard would like to remind the Prime Minister that no reply to enquiries about the General Hospital had been tendered the House and one was expected.

The Prime Minister said there was no objection to a statement being made at the present time. Since the matter had been brought before the House by the honorable member for Bonavista, it has been a subject of correspondence between the Colonial Secretary and Dr. Keegan and still forms a subject of enquiry. Dr. Keegan claimed the right to use the articles referred to. No doubt by an early date the enquiry would be completed when he (the Premier) would be glad to communicate the finding to the House.

Mr. Halfyard also understood the Prime Minister to say that nothing new was being considered by the Gov-

ernment so that provision might be made for elective road boards North; if this was so, then there would be great dissatisfaction. The people were insisting that all local moneys be spent by boards of their own selection, and no other solution would be effective or acceptable.

Bush Beating.

The Premier then gave the history of our present system of road boards, but he will have to give the F.P.U. members a definite understanding on this matter. Sir Edward contended that for 30 years he had been in the House, there had been Supplemental Supply; sometimes greater and sometimes less than the amount now asked for, and there always would be Supplemental Supply required. The dredge was worked at Fortune, Fortune Bay, all last winter, in future it was the intention to have dredging done in fine weather, consequently the expenses of operation would be considerably less than last year.

Mr. Jennings before the vote, under the heading of Public Charities went through, would like to ask, if there are any laws to regulate the fees a doctor may charge. Wm. Lush, a poor man, cut his foot. He had it dressed locally, but had to send for Dr. Smith, who demanded \$35, as his fee. Lush told the doctor that was all the money he had in the world; but had to pay it. He then sent to Mr. Coaker and had arrangements made to come on here to St. John's to the hospital. He (Mr. Jennings) would like to be informed if there was any law to regulate charging extortionate fees?

The Regulations.

The Prime Minister replied that where district doctors were appointed by the Government, such doctors were supposed to attend all cases which came under the heading of Public Charities within their territory, without any further fee; but in some cases, where long journeys of 30 or 40 or 50 miles had to be undertaken other compensation had to be made. Persons who had been charged extortionate fees might bring their grievances to the notice of the medical society or get redress in a court of law.

Mr. Coaker knew of the \$35 charge by Dr. Smith. We had all read in the Bible that passage which says "It is as hard for a rich man to get to heaven as for a camel to get through the eye of a needle," and he thought if the Saviour were on earth to-day He would include some of the Newfoundland doctors.

Mr. Grimes hoped that the subject of Municipal Boards will be given some careful consideration at the hands of the Government. He had seen that public moneys had gone where it would not be possible for it to go, if the expenditure was in the hands of Municipal Boards. In the District of Port de Grave it had gone to certain party favorites for wells, slips, &c. which only affected the personal interest of 2 or 3 persons to the detriment of the whole locality.

A remedy has been suggested by Mr. Coaker and the F.P.U.—the people contend, that they are all contributors and that their contributions for public improvements must be expended by a representative body and not put in the hands of private individuals. When this latter is done, in many cases, there is indignation against the members, and with the Government rests the responsibility.

Easy to Remedy.

It is an easy matter to give the people of Brigus or Port de Grave or Bonavista, who want to spend their own public moneys, the right and facilities to do so; and by doing so you will do an infinite amount of good for the Country; those private family grants for roads and wells and other things have had a very bad effect and are looked upon by the people as so many bribes. If they have that opinion, which I believe they have, it must have a very bad effect on the Country as a whole.

Mr. Stone had received 89 letters from the District of Trinity, in all of which the people ask for elective road boards. The F.P.U. was going to try its best to give them what they want; our motto was we must make all things new by the F.P.U.

Sir Edward in reply to Mr. Stone said in 1890 an elective road board act was passed.

Mr. Halfyard pressed the Premier for a clear statement on elective boards, was it the intention of the Government to allow the people such boards, if that was the intention why not say so, in so many words, and be done with it. The honorable member for Bonavista had put the issue clearly and told the House what would and what would not be acceptable to the F.P.U.

We all know of scores of amounts of \$50 or \$25 for a well or some other personal convenience. It was time to give up arguing in a circle.

Do the Government intend giving the people the power to spend all local moneys through municipal boards elected by the people? Those "Family Grants" are only a pretence and are for the purpose of fooling those whom you pretend to satisfy, and were one of the chief factors in defeating Government candidates in northern districts. \$50.00 to dig a well; the money is received and the well dug by some one who probably owed the "commissioner" a bill; when the hole is dug a house is required over it, sent on to the representative again for another \$50, which is forthcoming, and so the graft goes on.

Caused Merriment

An instance which caused considerable merriment was then related to the Committee. A well had been dug at a northern outport, and some time after the representative came round to make a tour of inspection; the well in question was of the dry variety and the interested party got salt water and threw into the hole, which filled the bill.

Mr. Halfyard said this patronage is the curse of our politics. We are going to make statements here and back them up by facts. This ground swell of public opinion is rising North, South, East and West, and will make the Premier act. If he defends the "Family Grants" then he must assume responsibility for them.

Mr. Stone referred to an expenditure at St. Lawrence, in Burin District, where there was an elective road board, but the board had no control over the expenditure. He could tell Sir Edward Morris of a place where a well had been filled with salt water; but would not give the man's name as he did not want to injure the man.

Mr. Jennings drew the attention of the Committee to several cases of grants for \$50.00 for wells and a "road to the main road" for which no returns had been furnished. The sums were allocated last April, and until now nobody even knew that the party had the money. This was the thing that he wanted to knock out.

Mr. Currie, the member for Burin, favored a commissioner to spend the local grants.

Mr. Coaker showed to the House the veridancy of the ideas of the junior member for Burin, and drew the attention of the House to a few more "Family Grants," at Lewisport and Exploits.

Causing Big Stir

The Advocate exposures of the "Family Grant" were causing a big stir, and the sooner the Government decided to change their plans the better; but he could assure the Right Hon. the Premier that there was no use spending down money to Bonavista district on the recommendation of defeated candidates.

At six o'clock the debate on Supply was adjourned for the day, and the House went into Committee on the Coaker Sealing Bill.

The Hon. J. C. Crosbie agreed to disagree on two of the vital sections of the Bill. The Hon. John's main objection was to that section of the proposed Bill which prevents the cooks from engaging in any other kind of work than cooking. When it is remembered that the food of 270 men has to be looked after every day and three times a day, there can be no reasonable argument in favor of the captain's contention that to limit his power from taking cooks from the galley is a serious interference with the discipline of the ship.

Those fantastic arguments ought not to influence the Legislature. The men who tread the frozen pans should be the first consideration. Only spleen against Mr. Coaker and the F.P.U. can prevent any member of the Legislature from voting for the Bill in its present form.

Capt. Wm. Bartlett and Capt. Geo. Clark have wired the Hon. J. C. that they intend to work their cooks putting seals on board this spring, or as long as they command. But will they? Why has the Hon. member for Bay de Verde picked out two Southern captains for an opinion, while Capt. Abraham Kean, the commodore of the fleet, is here in port to tender all kinds of advice free gratis from day to day?

Mr. Hickman was not present when Mr. Crosbie took exception to his remarks made on Tuesday.

Cooks on Foreign Ships

Mr. Hickman had said that cooks on foreign going vessels were not obliged to do other work. We also thought, and still think, that such are the rules of the road, and Mr. Crosbie was talking to his hat when he stated otherwise. They sometimes lend a hand voluntarily, but are not compelled to do so.

What will Daily Mail readers say when they learn that this "honorable member" of Sir Edward Morris's Executive thinks that "people who live in glass houses should not throw stones."

The most remarkable and serious charges were preferred against the other steamer owners, Job Bros., Bowring Bros., Baine Johnston and Harvey & Co. by the Hon. John. He stated that the agreement not to shoot old seals had been signed by the owners in bad faith, because when

signing it they had no intention of carrying out the regulations. This is a very damaging statement and should be dealt with by the gentlemen concerned, whose honor and integrity have been thus assailed. The House adjourned at 6.30 o'clock to meet again this afternoon at three.

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MAIN LINE GRANTS; DISTRICT OF BONAVIDA

FOR 1909-1913.

(Continued.)

\$10,000	Hy. Miles, Open Hall.	16.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	15.00
	Jacob Quinton, Red Cliff.	10.00
	Adam Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	35.00
	Hy. Miles, Open Hall.	35.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	35.00
	Jacob Quinton, Red Cliff.	35.00
	1910—	
	Adam Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	32.00
	Hy. Miles, Open Hall.	32.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	32.00
	Adam Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	35.00
	Hy. Miles, Open Hall.	35.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	35.00
	Jacob Quinton, Red Cliff.	35.00
	1911—	
	Hy. Miles, Open Hall.	15.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	15.00
	A. Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	15.00
	Jacob Quinton, Red Cliff.	15.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	35.00
	Hy. Miles, Open Hall.	35.00
	A. Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	35.00
	1912—	
	A. Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	35.00
	Hy. Miles, Open Hall.	35.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	35.00
	Jacob Quinton, Red Cliff.	35.00
	1913—	
	Arch Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	15.00
	Hy. Miles, Open Hall.	15.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	15.00
	Jacob Quinton, Red Cliff.	15.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	35.00
	Hy. Miles, Open Hall.	35.00
	A. Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	35.00
	Trinity to King's Cove.	
	1909—	
	Andrew White, King's Cove.	35.00
	Andrew White, King's Cove.	100.00
	Saml. Brown, Jr., King's Cove.	205.00
	1910—	
	John Walsh, Bonavista.	50.00
	Saml. Brown, Jr., King's Cove.	85.00
	Saml. Brown, Jr., King's Cove.	270.00
	1911—	
	Saml. Brown, Jr., King's Cove.	130.00
	Saml. Brown, Jr., King's Cove.	270.00
	1912—	
	Saml. Brown, Jr., King's Cove.	130.00
	Saml. Brown, Jr., King's Cove.	270.00
	1913—	
	Saml. Brown, Jr., King's Cove.	130.00
	Saml. Brown, Jr., King's Cove.	270.00
	Plate Cove to Brown's Marsh.	
	1909—	
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	45.00
	Andrew Tracey, Plate Cove.	80.00
	1910—	
	Andrew Tracey, Plate Cove.	45.00
	Andrew Tracey, Plate Cove.	80.00
	1911—	
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	45.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	80.00
	1912—	
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	45.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	80.00
	1913—	
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	45.00
	Andrew Keough, Plate Cove.	80.00
	Tickle Cove to Plate Cove.	
	1909—	
	Adam Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	16.00

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1909—	1909—	1913—	
Adam Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	Jas. Ricketts, Knight's Cove.	Thomas House, Bonavista.	70.00
Lawrence Carew, Broad Cove.	Wm. Brown, Upper Amherst Cove.	Thomas House, Bonavista.	135.00
Richard Mesh, Keels.	Cove.		
Adam Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	Jas. S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
Abraham Hobbs, Keels.	Robert Skiffington, Newman's Cove.		
1910—	Cove.		
Lawrence Carew, Broad Cove.	Jas. S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
Adam Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	Jas. Ricketts, Knight's Cove.		
Abraham Hobbs, Keels.	1910—		
1911—	Jas. Ricketts, Knight's Cove.		
Lawrence Carew, Broad Cove.	John S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
Abraham Hobbs, Keels.	Robert Skiffington, Newman's Cove.		
1912—	Cove.		
Lawrence Carew, Broad Cove.	J. S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
Arch. Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	R. Skiffington, Newman's Cove.		
Abraham Hobbs, Keels.	James Ricketts, Knight's Cove.		
1913—	1911—		
Lawrence Carew, Broad Cove.	James Ricketts, Knight's Cove.		
Arch. Skiffington, Tickle Cove.	R. Skiffington, Newman's Cove.		
Abraham Hobbs, Keels.	J. S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
Lawrence Carew, Broad Cove.	J. S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
Lawrence got only \$20 after the elections but he expected a lot more.	J. S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
	R. Skiffington, Newman's Cove.		
	1912—		
	J. S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
	Jas. Ricketts, Knight's Cove.		
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	J. S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
	Jas. Ricketts, Knight's Cove.		
	1914—		
	J. S. Rowsell, Bonavista.		
	Jas. Ricketts, Knight's Cove.		
	Amherst Cove to Catalina.		
	1909—		
	Robert Skiffington, Newman's Cove.		
	Albt. Elliott, Newman's Cove.		
	1910—		
	Albt. Elliott, Newman's Cove.		
	Albt. Elliott, Newman's Cove.		
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	Albt. Elliott, Amherst Cove.		
	1914—		
	Albt. Elliott, Amherst Cove.		

ville.	50.00	Leonard Hart, King's Cove.	25.00
Robert Stanfield, Loo Cove.	20.00	Henry Hobbs, Keels.	60.00
Hugh White, Loo Cove.	100.00	John Hollahan, Long Beach.	100.00
George Parsons, Loo Cove.	10.00	Adam James, Safe Harbor.	30.00
Ethelred Carter, Greenspond.	120.00	Henry Brown of Jas., Bishop's Harbor.	20.00
J. S. Brown, Salvage.	80.00	Joseph H. T. Moss, Salvage Bay.	15.00
J. S. Brown, Salvage.	40.00	Abraham Stratten, Vellyfield.	250.00
Stanley Powell, Happy Adventure.	25.00	John Moss, Happy Adventure.	20.00
Road Board, care Wm. Ryan, S. Brendan's.	30.00	Samuel Quinton, Sandy Cove.	50.00
Nathaniel Brown, Upper Amherst Cove.	60.00	Elias Brown, Sr., Musgrave Town.	30.00
George B. Milfen, Middle Amherst Cove.	50.00	Francis T. Parsons, Alexander Bay.	10.00
1909—		George Fitzgerald, Openhall.	8.00
Samuel Fry, care Richard Brennan, Indian Arm.	100.00	Thomas Wornell, Greenspond.	40.00
John Humby, Indian Arm.	100.00	John Humby, Indian Arm.	200.00
Tobias Brown (S. W. Arm) Pool's Island.	80.00	Thomas Wornell, Greenspond.	10.00
Jesse Spurrell, Pool's Island.	30.00	Frederick Oldford, Red Cliffe.	70.00
Edward Brennan, Stock Cove.	70.00	It would be interesting to know why such grants as \$10 and \$8 were allocated, and for what purpose.	
Robert Skiffington, Newman's Cove.	60.00		

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1910—	John Walsh, Bonavista.	\$ 100.00
	Capt. George Hann, Wesleyville.	100.00
	Capt. George Hann, Wesleyville.	1,000.00
	Capt. George Hann, Wesleyville.	25.00
	Lawrence Carew, Broad Cove.	40.00
	Darius Hall, Newtown.	4.05
	John S. Rowsell, Bonavista.	60.00
	Charles Norris, Outer Pinchard's Island.	31.50
	Daniel Burton, Glovertown.	25.00
	Avalon House, Gooseberry Islands.	5.90
	Charles Hounsell, Pound Cove.	50.00
	Isaac G. Brown, King's Cove.	10.00
	John S. Rowsell, Bonavista.	50.00
	Edward Candow, Tickle Cove.	40.00
	The Road Board, Charlotte-town.	100.00
	John S. Brown, Salvage.	150.00
	Edmund Oldford, Squid Tickle.	40.00
	Edmund Oldford, Squid Tickle.	50.00
	Robert Skiffington, Newman's Cove.	400.00
	John Hollahan, Long Beach.	100.00
	Louis Briffett, Rosedale.	100.00
	Henry Melindy, Fox Cove.	20.00
	Thomas Howell, Newtown.	30.00
	Charles Norris, Outer Pinchard's Island.	50.00
	Edward Humby of Hy., Indian Arm.	40.00
	Henry Granten, Safe Harbor.	100.00
	Thomas Carew, Sr., Broad Cove.	100.00
	Burge Roberts, Brookfield.	15.00
	John Simmonds, Canning's Cove.	50.00
	Daniel Dooley, Sweet Bay.	50.00
	Samuel Tiller of Jas., Wesleyville.	10.00
	Abraham Stratten, Valleyfield.	175.00
	William Hayward, Happy Adventure.	50.00
	Road Board, Knight's Cove.	20.00
	Hugh White, Loo Cove.	60.00
	Eleanor Blackwood, Loo Cove.	25.00
	Thomas Holloway, New Hr.	120.00
	Jacob Blackmore, Pinchard's Island.	20.00
	Jacob Quinton, Red Cliff Isld.	50.00
	Arth. Vivian, Shambler's Cove.	100.00
	Maurice Walsh, Stock Cove.	75.00
	(To be continued.)	

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"Used to have my hands all crippled up—
"Everlastingly peelin' my knuckles—always scratching my hands on the edge of metal plates—
"But now I wear gloves; and say, it's far better than nursing hurt hands. These are

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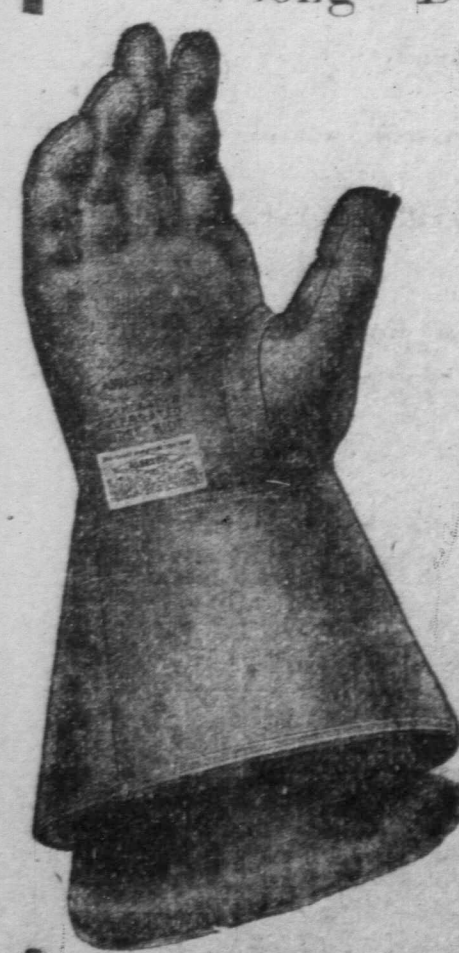
"I've worn 'em every day for Lord knows how long—Don't look like they'd ever wear out, do they? Not a sign of a rip any place.

"I'm just as nimble-fingered as can be, and they fit well too.

"Wash like cloth—dry soft as new

"Never get hard or stiff, sweat, oil, grease, or water don't injure them.

"You certainly get splendid value every time in these "Asbestol" gloves. Look for that "Asbestol" trademark—it's the only way you can be sure of the genuine. The prices are low. See them today.



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Is the Best CEYLON TEA that can be bought, and is only procurable at two seasons in the year.

In 1lb. Tins From All Grocers.

News of the City and the Outports

WEDDING BELLS AT CLARKE'S BEACH

Jerrett-Forbes

A well known young couple, Miss Minnie Jerrett, and Mr. Arch Forbes, of Messrs. Bowring Bros. dry goods, were united in matrimony at Clarke's Beach yesterday afternoon.

The ceremony was performed in the Methodist Church, Rev. Mr. Davies, of Cupids, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Jackson.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of ivory white satin trimmed with pearls. The gown had a full train. She also wore a veil and wreath of orange blossoms.

The bridesmaids were Miss Ethel Jerrett, cousin of the bride, and Miss Helen Leslie, cousin of the groom, both of whom were prettily attired; while little Miss Jerrett, niece of the bride, was flower girl. The groom was supported by Mr. E. Harvey, of this city.

The bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her father, W. H. Jerrett, Esq., and on reaching the church, Miss Pincock, who presided at the organ, played an appropriate march.

The church was filled with guests and friends, as the contracting parties are both popular and their acquaintances wished to see the ceremony performed which made the young couple one. Near the entrance an arch had been erected and the bride and groom passed under it.

The bride having been prominent in church circles, the choir was present and the wedding hymn "The voice that breathed o'er Eden" was sung during the service.

After the ceremony the guests repaired to the residence of the bride's parents where a reception was held. Mr. George Mackinson, of the Goules, was master of ceremonies, and filled the office to advantage.

The health of the bride and groom was enthusiastically toasted.

The officiating clergyman in well chosen words proposed the health of the happy couple, to which the groom replied. He also proposed the health of the bridesmaids, and Mr. Harvey responded. The health of the bride's parents and the groom's mother was also proposed.

The groom's present to the bride was a cheque; to the bridesmaids gold earrings and a ring; to the flower girl a pendant, and to the best man a tie pin.

By the shore train last night the bride and groom arrived in the city, and were met by a number of friends. They drove to their home, Hamilton Avenue, where they will reside in future. The bride received a large number of presents.

The Daily Mail joins with other friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Forbes a long and prosperous journey through life.

STILL AT PLACENTIA

The remains of the late Mrs. Garrett Hickey, of St. Kyran's, which left for home by train last week for interment, are still at Placentia, as owing to the ice blockade the steamer cannot leave.

Mrs. Hickey is also at Placentia. Mrs. Hickey had been married only a fortnight when she was obliged to come to St. John's for treatment, and she was called to her rest.



Up Against It!

That's what the man is who meets with an Accident this slippery weather and who hasn't yet handed me his Five Spot for that

Accident Policy.

DON'T ALLOW ME TO BE IN A POSITION TO SAY: "I TOLD YOU SO!" "A FIVE Spot and it's worth it."

P. E. OUTERBRIDGE,
137 Water Street
TELEPHONE 60.

S.U.F. MEMBERS HOLD BANQUET.

Commemorated Bro. Jas. Rendell's 25th Year in Blue Degree.

On Tuesday night, 17th inst., after Lodge meeting, P. M. Bro. James Rendell gave the members of St. John's Lodge, No. 5, a banquet to commemorate his 25th year as a blue degree member.

The chair was ably occupied by the W.M. Bro. S. Gardner. The following toast list was proposed by the Chairman:

The King; resp., God Save the King.

A very pleasing event then took place. P. M. Bro. W. H. Goodland then presented the host, P. M. Bro. Jas. Rendell with an ebony walking stick suitably engraved, as a slight token of the esteem in which he is held by the members.

P. M. Bro. Rendell though taken by surprise, ably responded thanking the members for their appreciation.

References were now made by the following brethren to Bro. Rendell's good fellowship and long service to the Order, P. Masters McGilvary, J. T. Phillips, A. Edgecombe, Geo. House, Geo. Reid, Bros. W. Spurrell and W. Mugford.

Songs were then sung by Bros. T. Voisey, Noseworthy and House.

Toasts were then proposed by P. M. Bro. Goodland to P. M. Bro. J. T. Phillips being the oldest P. M. of St. John's Lodge present.

S. U. F. Ode then sung, Newfoundland, the Gem of the Ocean; responded to by P. M. Bro. J. T. Phillips.

Reading by P. M. Bro. Curnew: "The Bald Headed Man."

Toast by P. M. A. Edgecombe to P. M. Bro. Goodland for his active work in connection with the S. U. F. Responded to by P. M. Bro. W. H. Goodland.

Song, P. M. Bro. Goodland: "The Englishman."

Toast proposed by Bro. W. Mugford to Mrs. James Rendell; resp., P. M. Bros. Jas. Rendell.

Song by Chairman W. M. Bro. S. Gardner.

Song by Bro. Bartlett.

Reading by P. M. Bro. House.

Song by P. M. Bro. Jas. Rendell: "The Hat My Father Wore."

Toast by P. M. Bro. Goodland to Members of St. John's Lodge; resp., Bro. W. Mugford.

Song by P. M. Bro. Goodland: "Soldiers of the King."

Toast by Bro. W. Mugford to Officers of St. John's Lodge; resp. W. M. S. Gardner; Secretary A. Withycombe; Purser, W. R. Smith.

Toast by P. M. Curnew: Sweet hearts and Wives; resp. For they are jolly companions.

The happy gathering then came to a close at 3 a.m. by singing Auld Lang Syne and best wishes to P. M. Bro. James Rendell.

GOD SAVE THE KING

The catering was well looked after by Bros. Bridden, Lilly and Perchard.

The New International Whittaker's Almanac just received for 1914. Covers practically all information required by business and professional men in the British Colonies. It is indeed a veritable mine. Price only 65c.; by mail 69c. GARLAND'S BOOKSTORES, 177 and 353 Water St., St. John's. 31, Feb. 17, 1914

EQUAL TO 40 BELOW

The thermometer last night registered 1 below zero.

A gentleman who is an authority on such matters informs us that owing to the high wind it was as cold as 40 below without wind.

Water pipes in many parts of the city were frozen and the plumbers are busy to-day.

THE EXPRESSES

The Bruce's express left Basques at 7 a.m.

The express with the curlers on board is still at Kitty's Brook.

ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY MAIL

CHILDREN'S CARNIVAL.

A Carnival for Children under 15 years of age will be held in the PRINCE'S RINK on

Saturday, February 21.

at 3 p.m. Admission, adults 20c., children 10c. Season tickets will admit.

FOUND--A Valuable Buffalo Rug.

Information may be had by applying at the office of the 'Daily Mail.'

BRIGADE OFFICERS ACCEPT DECISION.

Governor's Ruling Accepted.—The Shoot For 1913 Called Off.

Monday Lt. Col. Rendell, C.L.B., Lt. Col. Conroy (C.C.C.) and Capt. McKay (Highlanders) met to consider the Governor's letter relative to the protest entered against Pte. Leo Kennedy of the C.C.C. shooting team.

It was unanimously agreed to accept His Excellency's decision which disqualified Pte. Kennedy.

In the order of events the cup should go to the C.L.B., that team being the next highest scorers and it was proposed to hand the cup to that corps.

Lt. Col. Rendell, however, considering the protest, preferred not to accept it, and it was then decided not to accept it, and it was agreed between the three officers to call off the shoot for last year.

SHIPPING

NASCOPIE AT HALIFAX

S.S. Nascopeie reached Halifax Tuesday evening.

She will discharge her salt there and then proceed to Louisburg for coal.

RED CROSS

S.S. Morwenna leaves for New York at noon, Saturday.

COASTAL BOATS.

REIDS.

Bruce arrived at Basques at 10.55 a.m. yesterday.

Lintrose is at Basques.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Haliburton of St. George's, arrived by the express this morning.

Miss L. King and Mr. James Pike, engineer, will be united in matrimony next Wednesday.

Mr. J. M. Isbister, asst. supt. engineer of the Donaldson line, who is here in connection with the Parthenia's repairs, is a brother of the Mr. Isbister who came out as guarantee engineer of the S.S. Bellaventure.

OBITUARY.

Leonard Little.

Mr. Leonard Little, died at his home here on Friday, Jan. 23rd at the age of forty-one years, and after an illness of several weeks. Consumption was the cause of death.

The deceased was a loyal Unionist, and a faithful member of the L.O.A.

He was buried on Saturday in the Methodist cemetery. He is survived by his mother, three brothers and five sisters.

-FRIEND.

Bonavista, Feb. 2, 14.

Robert E. Horwood.

Mr. Robert E. Horwood, formerly of Carbonar, died at his residence, 58 Lime Street, yesterday.

The remains will be taken to Carbonar to-morrow morning for interment.

NOTE OF THANKS

Mr. Albert Whitten desires to thank all the kind friends who so kindly rendered assistance during the illness of his dear wife, and also all those who sent notes of sympathy, and wreaths to adorn the casket.

HORSE BOLTS

Cabman J. Crotty's horse bolted from Coronation Street last evening and dashed to the stable in the East End. The occupants of the sleigh were thrown out but were not injured. Mr. Crotty lost a valuable buffalo robe which was picked up by a young man living on the higher levels.

A HARD TIME

The train hands have had a hard time during the last fortnight, as the conditions across country have been fearful. Passengers by this morning's express say there is not a great quantity of snow, but the frost has been intense.

C. M. B. C.

You can enjoy a pleasant time at the British Hall this evening. It is the Annual Tea and Entertainment of the Cathedral Men's Bible Class. Admission 40 cents.—Feb. 19, 14

FURS!

Mark Gibbons, Agent, St. John's. Boying Light and Dark SILVER FOXES; also RAW FURS. Highest Prices Paid. Wanted Two Pairs LIVE MARTEN, Mated.—Feb. 14, 14

ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY MAIL.

METHODIST GUARDS HOLD SOCIABLE.

Big Audience Attended.—Event Was Most Successful.

The Methodist Guards sociable in the College Hall last night was attended by a very large audience. The programme was:

Quartette, the Band; song, J. Strang song, G. Summers; song, Miss E. Herder; quartette, the Band; whistling solo, Mrs. Stranger; song, C. Hatcher; club swinging, Mr. Mould; song, Jas. Pike.

The principal item of the programme was the court martial which was splendidly staged. The scene represented a camp at night. The sentry is killed by spies of the enemy; who are captured on the alarm being raised by the officer of the guard, court martialled and shot.

Refreshments were then served by the lady friends of the corps.

The receipts were more than up to expectations; the money goes to the new armoury building fund.

CAPTAIN CORKUM'S VERY HARD LUCK.

Loses Two Vessels Within a Month—His Crew Has Just Been Picked Up by Steamer.

Capt. Paul Corkum, of Nova Scotia, is certainly up against it. On December 5th last he lost his vessel Juanita, while bound from Cadiz to this port with salt. Reaching home he was given command of the schr. Carrie W. Wamback, which is also known in our fish trade, and sailed from Halifax Dec. 27th for Demarara. Word has just been received that this vessel has also been wrecked and the crew picked up by an Italian steamer and landed at Senora.

SCHOONER 'SUCCESS' IS AT BARBADOS.

Was Damaged and Had to Jettison 800 Packages of Fish.

The schr. Success which left here Jan. 14th for Brazil with a cargo of fish from A. Goodridge & Sons is now at Barbados in a damaged condition. She made Barbados after 20 days from St. John's. The vessel encountered terrific weather, her jibboom and head sails were carried away; the vessel is leaking.

To prevent her foundering the captain was obliged to throw overboard 800 packages of fish.

Capt. John Churchill is making his first trip as commander of the Success.

BOYS ENTERTAINED

A large number of boys who attend the R. C. Cathedral confirmation classes, were entertained to a concert and refreshments at the Star of the Sea Hall yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Greene was present and delivered an address. Those present are very grateful to those responsible for the pleasant time.

BELETED EXPRESS ARRIVES.

The beleted express arrived at 4.30 a.m. with mail and passengers.

ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY MAIL

TWO MONTHS IN JAIL FOR STEALING FROM BLIND

The lad of the East End—who was arrested a fortnight ago for stealing money from Ssau Andrews, a blind man, at the railway station, was fined \$30 or 2 months in jail to-day.

Season 1914.

High Grade English Wall Paper.

PATTERN BOOKS from which we take Special import orders are now on exhibit.

The designs of these papers comprise the "last word" in Artistic Wall Coverings, and come in a great variety of beautiful effects.

Parties who desire to have something very exclusive can have any special designs reserved to their order, and no other orders will be taken for those particular numbers.

Orders sent by next English Mail. See window for a few styles.

We have just opened a few bales of Papers at a remarkably low price. The patterns are good, and the quality worth far more than marked price. A roll. 8c.



Reichstag Is Defiant.

Adopts Resolution Favoring Supremacy of Civil Over Military Authorities

Berlin, Feb. 16.—The German Imperial Reichstag or Parliament, in order to demonstrate its indignation over the recent violent incidents between the military and civilians at Zabern, Alsace, has adopted by a large majority a resolution demanding government action to prevent the use of troops against citizens unless a requisition be first made by the civil authorities.

The House thereafter itself took the first step toward the adoption of a law to prohibit such occurrences in case the government should fail to act. A bill was introduced prohibiting absolutely the intervention of troops without a requisition and forbidding the use of arms by the military except in self-defence, to overcome actual resistance, to force the disarmament of armed persons or in the arrest of fugitives. The bill was referred to a special committee.

Another bill, drafted by the socialists, for subjecting the members of the army and navy to the jurisdiction of the civil courts, also was referred to a committee.

AMERICAN MANAGER CALLED 'UNDESIRABLE.'

London, Feb. 18.—That Henry W. Thornton, the new American General Manager for the Great Eastern Railway Company, be deported as an undesirable alien, was the proposition advanced to-day in the House of Commons by Will Crooks, the Labor member for Woolwich.

Members of the Liberal party have been greatly incensed by the demand put forward by Unionists for legislation to prevent such "alien desperadoes" as the labor leaders deported from South Africa after the recent general strike there, from being "dumped" into England.

A stormy protest filled the House, in the midst of which the burly member for Woolwich shouted out, "What about Thornton, the new manager for the Great Eastern? Is he an undesirable alien?"

SURVIVORS SUFFER FROM LONG EXPOSURE

Boston, Feb. 18.—Eight survivors of the Italian barque Castagna, wrecked at Cape Cod yesterday, were brought to the hospital here, all severely frostbitten and some probably maimed for life, as the result of five hours exposure in the rigging.

CLOUDBURST CREATES HAVOC IN SPAIN

Ovido, Spain, Feb. 18.—A cloudburst wrought havoc in the city of Ovido and the surrounding country. The lower part of the town was flooded and the residents were obliged to take refuge on the roofs of the houses.

In the country districts hundreds of cattle were swept away, houses collapsed, roads were inundated, and the tracks of both the Northern and East Uria railroad were washed away for a considerable distance.

The authorities have sent our urgent appeals for food, as many persons are destitute.

Will Disallow Immigration Act

Washington, Feb. 18.—The information that President Wilson would veto the Immigration Bill if it is sent him from Congress with the literacy test provision, amazed the members of the Senate and the Immigration Committee, and may of them confessed they were bewildered inasmuch as they are determined to retain the literacy test.

Their draft of the immigration measures as it passed the House was made under the impression that the President would accept the Bill if it passed the Senate.

The Durrett Immigration Bill provides a literacy test as the basis of admission of all aliens to the United States and under its terms immigrants must prove to the satisfaction of the authorities that they can read their own language.

William B. Wilson, the Secretary of Labor, has also recommended that the Bill be amended so as to compel all immigrants to submit to the physical test required of recruits in the United States Army.

An interesting session of the Committee is looked for to-day.

Strikes in 600 B.C.

Unique Record of Industrial Unrest Twenty-five Hundred Years Ago

New York, Feb. 17.—Howard C. Butler, professor of art and archaeology at Princeton University, who has been conducting exploratory excavations at the ancient city of Sardis, in Asia Minor, reports having made some very interesting discoveries.

The party literally unearthed what is supposed to be evidence of the world's first industrial strike.

The record was an inscription in Greek, and was an agreement between the strikers and their employers, whereby the strikers went back to work under new conditions.

PACIFIC DOMINIONS PREPARED FOR DANGER

London, Feb. 18.—The Sydney, N.S. W., correspondent of the Telegraph reports the warning utterances of Sir Ian Hamilton, who is visiting that part of the Empire on a tour inspecting the legal defence system.

Sir Ian, speaking at a banquet, referred to the ever-present and formidable danger threatening the country by reason of its exposed position in the open Pacific.

This being the case, he said it was important for the people of Britain, South Africa and Canada to know that the peoples of the Pacific portions of the Empire were not waiting until danger actually arrived, but by their system of local defence were taking time by the forelock.

FLAGPOLE BLEW DOWN

The big flagpole at Mr. R. G. Reid's residence, Forest Road, blew down in Tuesday night's gale. It fell across Forest Road.

SCHOONER PURCHASED

The Lunenburg banker Hiawatha has been purchased by parties in Newfoundland.

WALEGWOLVIC LEAVES FAYAL

The chr. Waegwoltic which loaded fish at Baird's, and put into the Azores damaged, left Fayal Jan. 29th, for Bahia.