

The Evening Telegram.

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The "Old Reliable" S.U.F. Soiree
(Under the auspices of St. John's Lodge, No. 5)
Will be held at their Hall, Water Street,
ON TUESDAY, APRIL 10th.
Tickets: Gents' \$1.20; Ladies' 80c. Music by C.L.B. Orchestra.
Tickets may be had from members of Committee and the following stores: W. J. Ford, Water Street West; George Langmead, Water Street; J. Rendell, 16 King's Road and from H. Hynes, Chairman; S. Gardner, Secretary.
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NOTICE.

The Regular Monthly Meeting of Terra Nova Council No. 1452, Knights of Columbus, will be held in Columbus Hall, Duckworth Street, Tuesday, April 3rd, at 8 p.m.

J. J. MADDIGAN,
Fin. Secretary.
apr2,31

Gaelic League of Nfld.

There will be a Meeting of the League on Tuesday evening, April 3rd, at 8.30 o'clock in the Annex, L.S.P.U. Hall, Duckworth Street. Mrs. M. Walsh will deliver a reading on "Eva of the Nation."
J. J. ST. JOHN, Secretary.
apr2,31

NOTICE.

A Card Tournament for members of the L.S.P. Union, for Pipes kindly donated, will be held in their Hall, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights, April 3rd, 4th and 5th, at 8 o'clock. No members will be permitted to play without showing their Union Cards.—apr3,11

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	1, 2, 3	1, 2, 3
	Auditorium	4, 5, 6
	Balcony	
	Plt	

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WANTED—A General Maid; apply MRS. CYRIL FOX, 34 Queen's Road. apr2,31

WANTED—Immediately, a General Maid, references required; apply MRS. FRED L. BRADSHAW, 41 Military Road. apr2,31

WANTED — A General Maid, one who understands cooking; references required; apply to 1 Carnell Street. apr3,11

WANTED—A Good General Servant, must have references; apply MRS. J. C. PRATT, 133 LeMarchant Road. apr3,5

WANTED—By April 12th, a General Maid with knowledge of plain cooking, reference required; apply 80 LeMarchant Road. apr3,1f

WANTED—A Good General Servant, where another is kept, must understand plain cooking; also a Charwoman; apply 52 Circular Rd. apr3,1f

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LADY LAURAS' RELEASE

THE STORY OF A SPOILED BEAUTY.

CHAPTER XXXVII.

"Are you sure that he would not gain by it?" asked the nurse, earnestly. "Do you understand? This is a great and rich property, Miss Angela, and some say it is to be yours, all yours, some time, when my lady dies. Heaven send that that may be long yet! But you know that it will be yours, Miss Angela. I remember all that was said about it when Sir Charles died."

"I know it will be mine, nurse, if I survive my mother," said Angela; "but there is no way by which the captain could be benefited by it."

"That is what I wanted to know," returned the old nurse. "I am sure there is something at work. I cannot tell what, Miss Angela, will you forgive me if I ask you what will become of the property should you die? I hate to say the word, my dear, but I want to understand. What will become of it in that case?"

"I do not know," replied Angela, wondering. "I have never thought about it. I do not remember that the idea has ever occurred to me."

"You will marry, some day, Miss Angela, and perhaps have children of your own to inherit it; but, if you do not, then what will become of it?"

"I do not know. I should think my father's will has made arrangements for that," she replied.

"I should make some inquiries about it, Miss Angela. Ask your mamma."

"I hardly like to do so," she objected. "I have never talked to mamma about money matters, and I am afraid it would seem as though I were distrustful or selfish—and no one in the world cares less for money than I do."

"My lady would never think anything of that kind of you, Miss Angela. How could she? You take my advice, ask her what will become of all this property at your death. I cannot help thinking that the captain will have some hold on it."

"That is impossible," declared Angela. "My father made the will which settled all about the money, and he knew nothing of the captain. It is therefore impossible that the captain should have any interest in it in any way."

But the old nurse was not to be

convinced, having some stronger proof than her young mistress could give.

"I cannot see, and you cannot see," she continued, "but something tells me that the captain would gain by your death. Lose no time, Miss Angela, but ask my lady."

"Even if it should be so," said Angela, "you cannot really think the captain would wish for my death?"

"I should go further than that," the old nurse answered significantly. Angela held up her hand with a warning cry.

"I will not listen!" she cried, her face pale with emotion. "He could not be so wicked! Oh, nurse, your love for me makes you too suspicious! It could not possibly be!"

"I hope not, my dear. But talk to my lady, and find out all about it. I have my own thoughts about the captain. I do not want to make you uneasy, Miss Angela; but I am sorely afraid for you. You have been very near death twice; the third time might prove fatal."

"Hush—you must not say such things!" cried Angela, white with horror. "You surely do not mean to say that the captain had anything to do with those accidents?"

"I should not be surprised to learn that he had planned them," replied Mrs. Felspar, gravely.

"I will not listen! I will not think of it, Jane. You must not speak to me of such a thing again."

"Miss Angela," cried the nurse, "forewarned is forearmed! You speak to my lady. If you find that the captain has no interest in your death, has nothing to gain by it, I will own that I am too suspicious, and misjudge him; but, if you find that it is as I suspect—that he will gain by your death—then I say to you, Miss Angela, beware!"

"You frighten me, nurse!" said the girl. "I could not think so badly of the captain. He may have married my mother for her money, but it does not follow that he could be guilty of so black a crime as you impute to him."

"Speak to my lady, Miss Angela," repeated the nurse. "Ask her boldly what will become of the property at your death. I cannot help thinking her answer will solve the mystery."

But Angela would not be convinced—would not admit the horrible suspicion even to herself. She thought of it for some time, and tried to banish it; but the earnest tone and manner of the old nurse haunted her, and she could not overcome a slight fear which also troubled her.

A time came when Angela found her mother alone, and she determined to ask her the question that Jane Felspar had suggested.

CHAPTER XXXIX.

Lady Laura Wynyard walked one morning into the grounds in search of primroses, she being very fond of the pretty, simple flower, and Angela, thinking it a good opportunity to clear up the old nurse's suspicions followed her.

"I will go with you, mamma," she said. "I have a quick eye for primroses, I can always find them, no matter where they hide themselves. But do you think you could walk as far as the woods? There they are a picture to see—primroses everywhere."

So chatting pleasantly on the beauty of the spring morning, the fresh tints of the fair spring flowers, the merry song of the birds, the tender green of the young grass, and the opening buds, mother and daughter wandered on together.

"Mamma," said Angela, "do you remember those beautiful lines of Browning's called 'Home Thoughts from Abroad'? I will repeat them to

to you." And, in her clear, sweet voice, Angela began:

"Oh, to be in England,
Now that April's there!
And whoever wakes in England
Sees, some morning unaware,
That the lowest boughs—and the
brushwood that
Round the elm-tree bole are in tiny
leaf;

While the chaffinch sings on the orchard-bough
In England—now.
And after April, when May follows,
And the white-throat builds, and all the
swallows—
Hark, where my blossomed pear-tree
in the hedge
Leans to the field, and scatters on
the clover
Blossoms and dew-drops at the bent
sprays' edge!

That's the wise thrush. He sings
each song twice over.
Lest you should think he never could
recapture
The first fine careless rapture.
And, though the fields look rough
with hoary dew.
All will be gay when noontide wakes
anew—
The buttercups, the little children's
dower,
Far brighter than this gaudy melon-
flower."

Is not that beautiful, mamma?" asked Angela. "If I had been given my choice of all the great gifts bestowed by Heaven upon mortals, I should have chosen to be a poet."

"You have a poet's soul, Angela," said her mother.

"I can appreciate, but I cannot originate," remarked Angela. "That has pleased you, mamma," she added, abruptly; "your eyes look brighter."

And for the time being the girl forgot the horrible doubt and fear that haunted her—forgot why she had sought her mother, forgot everything except the sweet, fair beauty of the April day.

"I met with a charming little poem the other day," she continued. "You shall hear that too, mamma. It is by Leigh Hunt, one of your favorite writers, and nothing more sweet or simple was ever written. Listen! It is called 'Lilies':"

"We are lilies fair,
Flower of virgin light,
Nature held us forth, and said,
'Lo, my thoughts of white!'"

"Ever since, angels
Hold us in their hand;
You may see them where they take
In pictures their sweet stand."

"Take the garden's angels
Also do we seem to be,
And not the less for being crowned
With a golden dream."

"Could you see around us
The enamored air,
You would see it pale with bliss
To hold a thing so fair."

Is not that both beautiful and true?
There is no flower so lovely as a tall,
queeny, white lily. How fond my
father was of them!"

(To be continued.)

"WHAT YOUR HUSBAND NEEDS"

"One night my husband came home looking so ill and worn out that I thought he would faint. I knew there had been something wrong with him for some time, but I could not get him to tell me what it was. Finally he confessed he was tired and sore all over. I made him go to bed. Next morning he insisted upon going to work although he was anything but well. I knew that his trouble was partly due to worry because for some months before he had been out of work. This put us so heavily in debt that the grocer and butcher refused to give us more credit. It was being out of work that worried my husband. He wouldn't eat because he was afraid there would not be enough food for the children. We were so poor that we had to keep the children from school because they had no clothes. I knew that if I could only get my husband strong and well again everything would be all right. He is a carpenter by trade and when in good health earns good wages and he is always sober and industrious. But when I explained how we were situated he gladly offered to do all he could to help us, although he didn't like to interfere with the new doctor's practice. Finally he said, 'What your husband needs is a good tonic and I know of nothing better than Carnol.' I thought that if our old family doctor recommends Carnol it must be all right. On my way home I got a bottle and before the first bottle had been used, my husband was a changed man. After he had taken four bottles his appetite returned, he had more energy, that tired look in his eyes disappeared and what is most important his wages have been more than doubled and he is now superintendent of the wood-working shop in which he formerly worked as a carpenter. Thanks to Carnol our troubles are over and we are once more a happy and contented family."

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Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Cobourg, Ontario, for a free copy of Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Allments of Women." C.

Harbor Grace Notes.

In the account of the play "Lena Rivers" which appeared in Friday's issue, 23rd inst., a printer's error occurred which we would like to correct. The sentence: "This 'Henry Graham' proves to be 'Lena's' Father, etc." should have read as follows: "This 'Henry Graham' proves to be 'Lena's' Father, etc."

Mrs. Byles, nee Miss Ada Sheppard, arrived from New York recently on a visit to her parent, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sheppard. Her friends are pleased to see her at the home town once again.

Mr. Malcolm Parsons, representing the Nbd. Boot & Shoe Mfg. Co., St. John's, was in town last week.

Sunday next, April 1st., Easter Sunday, is being set apart as "Thanksgiving Day" for the Methodist Church here. Rev. Dr. Curtis and Fenwick, of St. John's, as well as other speakers, are expected here to take part in the services of the day. A special programme has been arranged by the Sunday School, which will be given in the afternoon at Coughlan Hall. The service at the church in the evening promises to be a good one. Special Easter Anthems will be rendered by the choir and as referred to at an earlier date, an unique event in the history of the church will be the unveiling of a photograph of the "Rev. Lawrence Coughlan"—the first Methodist Missionary to come to Newfoundland, and who was very closely identified with Methodism at Hr. Grace. This original photograph has been much sought after, but we believe it is now where it rightly belongs, and for this our Methodist folk have to thank a gentleman of the city, who so kindly placed the photograph of the "Rev. Lawrence Coughlan" in their possession.

Messrs. F. R. Ward and H. Fayne, of the Cable Office, Bay Roberts, are at present in town visiting friends.

Mr. Josiah Yetman, foreman of the Marine Railway Docks, has purchased the dwelling on Harvey Street, formerly owned by the late Mr. William Tobin, and occupied by him up to the time of his death, which occurred last week. Mr. Yetman and family will take up residence there early in April.

Mr. A. L. Collis, with the assistance of our best talent is giving a concert in St. Paul's Hall on Monday night next, Easter Monday. The Boy Scouts will make their first appearance before the public, and will give an exhibition of some Swedish drill. The programme will, without doubt, be an enjoyable one.

—COR.—
Harbour Grace, March 26th, 1923.

Just Folks.

By EDGAR A. GUEST.

• WINTER.
Winter has beauty all her own.
An ermine mantle round her thrown.
Her trees with countless brilliants
garnished,
Her hedgerow glistening, silver-hammered.
Her fields a calm and peaceful sight
Beneath a counterpane of white.
The hills a crown of sugar wear
Flashing the silence that is there.
Wherever winter's tent's pitched
Something with beauty is enriched.
Upon the humblest twigs and stems
She pins her priceless diadems.
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VANISHED FRIENDS.

Where are the friends of other days? No more they seem to meet me; I walk the old familiar ways, but who is there to greet me? I miss them in the garish noon, I miss them when I'm feeding, I miss them underneath the moon—they've all been jalled for speeding. Oh, some are in for fifteen days, and some are in for thirty, and in their cells a row they raise, and say the law is dirty. I miss my comrades tried and true, their presence I am needing; I'll miss them for three weeks or two, for they've been jugged for speeding. My loneliness, day after day, grows longer, still, and wider; in vain I look for Hiram Jay, for James Adolphus Snider; no more they argue this and that, no more I hear them pleading, and life seems profitless and flat since they were pinched for speeding. "Oda Prines," you say, "and other friends, and be not broken-hearted;" but wearily an old man wends when old friends are departed; all desolate he moves along, men's blatant mirth unheeding, he reckons not of the passing throng, his friends are jalled for speeding. And other men may drive their boats from Hastings to Hoboken, and other men may keep their goats in custody unbroken; but from my heart that once was gay all comfort is receding, and mournfully I go my way, my friends in jail for speeding.

Fads and Fashions.

The new draped gowns cling closely to the figure.
There is an increasing vogue for bright-colored footwear.
The three piece suit has been suggested for sports wear.
The frock of printed crepe has supplanted last year's foulard.
Short jackets of white and beige ermine are favored for spring.
A frock of brown crepe satin is lished with almond-green crepe.
The three piece suit with its cape is in great favor for spring.
Pluffy tulle embroidery is used on a coat dress of black tulle.
Both the beaded shifon and the dyed lace track are in great favor.
Bows of narrow velvet ribbon are used on plain and printed silk frocks.

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German Fishermen Mobbed by Aberdonians.

Turkish National Assembly to Dissolve-- White Star Liner Pittsburgh Badly Buffeted.

TURKISH ASSEMBLY TO DISSOLVE. ANKARA, April 2. The Turkish National Assembly has voted to dissolve. New elections will be held in two months.

Rugby Fixture, England concludes her international engagements, having made clean sweep of all her four opponents.

FOOLS UNMASKED. PITTSBURGH, April 2. On Monday six members of a band of sixteen white hooded K.K.K. were shown their masks in a scrimmage after they had been ordered from the Bellevue Methodist Episcopal Church by the pastor, Dr. R. B. Urmy, yesterday.

LINE'S WEIRD EXPERIENCE. HALIFAX, April 2. The White Star liner Pittsburgh, with her bridge and officer's deck quarters a mass of wreckage and her telegraph system completely disorganized, docked here today reporting a most unusual experience.

DOCKYARD PASSES OVER. QUEENSTOWN, April 2. The well known Haul Bowline dockyard was handed over to the Free State authorities on Saturday. Two hundred National troops will be stationed at the dockyard.

CORONER'S VERDICT. MADRID, April 2. The body of Bishop elect Javier Vales Valde, which was found in his bedroom on Friday with his throat cut, was buried yesterday. The coroner's verdict into the death of the clergyman was that it was due to accident.

ABERDONIANS PROTEST HUN FISHERMEN. LONDON, April 2. One of the hottest receptions yet given by striking fishermen at Aberdeen to Germans arriving in the North Sea was that meted out to the crews of three German trawlers today. Three thousand strikers rallied the Aberdeen fish market and pelted the crews of the German vessels with lumps of ice.

NOT YET EXECUTED. MOSCOW, April 2. The death sentence imposed on Vicar General Butchavich has not yet been carried out, it was announced at noon today.

PRISONERS ESCAPE. DUBLIN, April 2. Thirty prisoners escaped from Limerick Jail on Saturday by means of a tunnel. Two were recaptured.

"Adam and Eva." SPLENDID PRODUCTION. Casino Stock Players Receive Warm Reception.

CANADIAN SENATOR PASSES. QUEBEC, April 2. Senator Joseph Gohout died at his residence here, aged 73, after two months illness. He is the first Liberal member of the Senate to die since the return of the Liberal administration to Ottawa. He was a member of the Senate for twenty-two years and had a previous record of fourteen years in the House of Commons.

CHILDREN DIE IN FIRE. REGINA, April 2. While their father was absent from home and their mother watering stock, three children, ranging from one to four years, were burned to death in a fire that destroyed the home of John Erickson, a farmer at Melton, near here, today. The mother made desperate efforts to save the children, but was driven back by the flames.

TORNADO'S DESTRUCTION. HUTCHINSON, Kansas, April 2. According to reports here a tornado struck the village of Partridge, in this County, today, blowing away half the buildings of the settlement.

A MEMPHIS MURDER. MEMPHIS, April 2. Jack Britton, Memphis, a middle-weight boxer, aged 33, was shot and killed today near White Station, a suburb of Memphis. George Jones was arrested charged with the shooting after Britton had warned him away from the Jones home which he visited because of a young woman there.

ENGLAND THE VICTOR. LONDON, April 2. By the victory of England over France today by a score of twelve points to three in the International

Corns Go



Blue-jay

"Voyage of Life."

CANTATA AT S. A. CITADEL.

The S. A. Citadel was filled last evening with people who gathered to witness the performance of a beautiful Cantata entitled the "Voyage of Life." In addition to the Cantata there were several recitations, songs and vocal numbers, all of which were well rendered and appreciated very much by those present.

Mr. C. Rodway performed the duties of Chairman and in his opening remarks spoke of the pleasure he felt at being present. He had the privilege last fall of being present while a part of the Cantata was being rendered and was most favourably impressed with it. He bespoke for the performers the earnest attention of everyone present.

The Cantata contained many beautiful lessons regarding Life's Voyage, which could not fail to impress the minds of those present, especially the young people and give them a clear vision of the importance of choosing carefully the pleasures and amusements which they indulge in; at the conclusion of the programme the chairman on behalf of the audience thanked those who took part in the performance given, and the pleasure derived therefrom. The meeting was then brought to a close with the singing of the Doxology and the Benediction.

Star Ladies Hold Enjoyable Entertainment

The Star Ladies' Association held a very enjoyable card tournament and dance in the Star Club Rooms last night. Upwards of 300 persons attended, and the tournament owing to the very valuable prizes that were offered created much interest. The handsome sewing cabinet, the gift of Mr. J. T. Martin, President of the Star of the Sea Society was won by Mr. John Byrne, who had the highest number of games. The second and third prizes were won by Misses Blackler and Parrell respectively. After the tournament dancing was indulged in till the early morning hours.

Placentia and St. Mary's

SOLID FOR BENNETT PARTY.

A resident of Riverhead, St. Mary's who has been travelling quite extensively in Placentia Bay and who arrived in the city a couple of days ago, travelling overland to Holyrood, informed us yesterday that Placentia and St. Mary's would return Walsh, Sullivan and Sinnott with greater majorities than ever. "Coakerism" he said "had practically ruined the district." In reviewing the political sentiment in St. Mary's Bay our informant said: "that the Riverhead which went against Walsh, Sullivan and Sinnott last election has now reversed its sentiments." "In 1919 out of 122 votes in the place the Cashin candidates received 19." "St. Joseph's which went solid last election for Walsh, Sullivan and Sinnott will vote the same this time." "Colinet Island does not want to see a Coaker-Squires candidate. Last year the Government cut out the ferry service at this place. The sending of S.S. Daisy to the district recently with a load of Daily Mail and Advocate papers is deeply resented in view of the fact that everywhere there is a shortage of provisions and large quantities of freight have been held at St. John's since January last. "The people," our informant says, are anxious about supplies for the fishery. They want to see the main industry of the country encouraged and they also want to see the Humber Deal carried through by the Bennett Party.

Senef Sails To-Morrow

TAKES FULL CARGO SUPPLIES. S.S. Senef, Capt. Norman, will be sailing for the Westward to-morrow morning. The ship takes a full cargo for points along the South West Coast, and will make her first stop at Fortune Hr., should weather and ice conditions permit.

Political Paragraphs.

Bennett's proposal of a bounty on fish has put new heart into the fishermen.

If the Humber Deal is such a good thing why not tell the people all about it?

Keeping this knowledge from the people is a plain indication that there is something about it that they are afraid to tell the public.

The answer to the question whether \$10 will buy a Conception Bay man will be given to Coaker in the ballot boxes of Bay de Verde, Carbonar, Harbor Grace, Port de Grave, and Harbor Main Districts.

Of all the political crimes that Coaker is guilty of we think the most damnable was taking over the Railway relieving the Reids of all responsibility and saddling the country with \$5,000,000. This alone ought to banish him from public life forever.

It is a soft proposition to lay down that no man is voting for this government without being well paid for doing so or with a promise of pay in the future.

An unpurchased man in his senses and with all his faculties of reasoning could not possibly vote for a continuance of what we have been suffering the past three years.

Bennett is vindicating every day the good opinion of his party and of his friends as a great leader. Cool, calm, good humored and dignified he gets about his work and inspires confidence in all whom he comes in contact with. His very demeanor presages Bennett and Better Times.

The Government party is in the unique position that they have no record of anything good done to benefit the country since they came to power. They have squandered money in millions and spent not only the current revenue and three millions left in the Treasury by the Cashin Government but they have borrowed twelve millions and spent all that. They have taxed the people to death. No wonder they are fleeing from the country every month.

The only two cries that they have left to stifle the people with are: "Bennett is not the real leader" and "We are going to give you the Humber Deal, and if we don't get it you'll never get it." Both these cries are as false as the promises in Squires' 1919 Manifesto and that is saying a great deal. The people know they are false and will not be gulled by Squires and Coaker a second time.

There will be no trips to London and the Continent and \$125 a day at the Savoy Hotel the coming summer.

Any man who says "Down with the Merchants" in the outposts during this election contest will be regarded as a fit subject for the Lunatic Asylum. The merchants have been done enough good by Squires and Coaker to last a lifetime.

There is one thing that the purchased voter should remember, and that is that all this "giving out" of money will stop as soon as the ballots are in the box. It will be a good thing then for one's own self-respect and judgment to be able to say, "Well, Squires or Coaker or Campbell, you did not fool me." Secure for four years more they will laugh at you and they may give you rock-breaking water to keep you alive to vote again in 1927.

Trinity Bay is gone from Coaker, and Fogo St. Barbe will return two Opposition Candidates. This is why Coaker in his Advocate is making such crazy and blasphemous appeals to the elements. He realizes that the game is up.

A business man who covered Conception Bay last week and returned to town yesterday, says that the Government will not get one man in Conception Bay. Nine for Bennett and Better Times.

Dr. Campbell is canvassing from

Supreme Court.

AFTER RECESS YESTERDAY. Mr. John Fenlon, bencher of the Law Society, asked leave that Mr. Richard Cramm be admitted and enrolled a solicitor of the Supreme Court. It is ordered accordingly.

Thereupon Mr. Cramm took the oath of allegiance to His Majesty the King and the oath of office as a solicitor and signed the role of solicitor. Mr. John Fenlon also asked leave that Andrew George King be admitted as a solicitor of the Supreme Court. After the formalities had been complied with Hon. Mr. Justice Kent took occasion to extend congratulations to the newly elected solicitors.

Rita M. Cluett Abandoned.

CREW RESCUED BY WEST BOUND STEAMER. During the past couple of years Newfoundland's foreign going fleet has been sadly depleted, and unless more tonnage is given and we get better times, the losses will scarcely be made good. The latest to go to Davey Jones' locker is the schooner Rita M. Cluett. The first intimation of the vessel's loss is given in the following message received this morning by Superintendent Collins of the Maroon Co. from Mr. J. W. Keston, the officer in charge of the Cape Race station: "Schr. Rita M. Cluett abandoned in latitude 49.55 N., long. 55.35 W. Crew to board S. S. President Filmore." A message giving further particulars is as follows: "At 10 o'clock this morning, in lat. 49.55 N., long. 55.35 W., took off crew of six from schr. Rita M. Cluett and set fire to hull. They are in a good state of health. Hope to be able to save his life. If opportunity offers, will transfer crew to west bound vessel. Steamer bound to Plymouth (Schr.) RANDALL." This forenoon another message from Capt. Randall stated the cutter Tampa has offered to take the shipwrecked crew into Halifax. We are steaming to intercept each other and hope to make transfer this afternoon.

Inter Club Bowling.

OPENING GAMES TO-NIGHT.

The official opening of the newly organized Inter-Club Bowling League takes place to-night in the Grenfell Institute at 7.30 p.m. The first game of the series will be played between the Feldians and B.I.S. teams. The players participating are as follows: FELDIANS—G. Reid, Fen Corrick, A. S. Newman, E. Cormick, W. Chafe, B.I.S.—C. McKay, T. Manning, W. Mamer, H. Power, D. J. French.

Three games will be played, the winners of each frame will be credited with one point. The second clash will be staged between the rival clubs T.A. and Star, and a most spirited game will no doubt be the outcome. Both clubs carry several dead on shots in their line-up. The bowlers of the respective clubs have been hard at practice for several weeks past, and a very closely contested series of games is being looked forward to.

Watchful at Trepassey.

S.S. Watchful on her way West managed to get inside of the ice and rounded Cape Race last night. She reached Trepassey early this morning. No word of the schooner having been port was received up to press hour.

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TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

DEFICITS WILL BE WIPED OUT. QUEBEC, April 3. "Be patient and I predict that in four years the deficits of Canadian National Railways will be wiped out," said Colonel C. B. Talbot, who was recently appointed to the Board of Directors of Canadian National Railways and who was speaking last night at a dinner tendered him by the Association of Civil Servants of Quebec.

VICAR GENERAL EXECUTED. MOSCOW, April 3. Vicar General Butchavich has been executed. The Pravda says execution occurred on March 31st. PROHIBITION AT CONSTANTINOPLE. CONSTANTINOPLE, April 3. Authorities put into effect to-day the illegal prohibition order in response to instructions from Ankara.

LORD CECIL'S VISIT CAUSES INTENSE INTEREST. NEW YORK, April 3. The visit of Lord Cecil has caused intense interest. Newspapers of all shades of opinion devote columns to his speeches and several editorially discuss his visit and its probable effect on the question of the United States and the League of Nations. The World, in an editorial, devoted to support of entrance of United States into League, says "no man can discuss League of Nations more authoritatively." The League is talking of it that which exists a League that is slowly finding itself and helping to establish the crumbling peace of the world.

The message that he brings is a message that the American people cannot ignore. It is a message that is shaking it into their ears. The people in the United States warns the "World" should face the facts and not allow the foreign policy of United States to be made "forever football of partizanship and passion."

Sealing News.

SHIPS TAKING SCATTERED SEALS. The sealing ships on the Northern front are meeting with poor luck today, and only a few scattered seals are being picked up. The Neptune is making good headway in a N.W. direction and saw a good sign of seals yesterday. The Viking in the Gulf is reported in a small patch of seals 75 miles S.E. of St. Paul's, but the weather conditions are unfavorable to putting men on the ice. Capt. Bob Bartlett says that the weather this spring is the worst in his many years experience. The following messages were received last night:--

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Range--Position, lat. 47.14, long. 46.63. Steering N.W. Loose ice as far as can be seen. Seal in company. Viking--75 miles S.E. of St. Paul's. Struck a small patch of whitecoats, prospects fair, if weather conditions suitable, hope better news later."

Wedding Bells.

FOUWLOW--KEOUGH. A very pretty wedding took place at the R.C. Cathedral yesterday in the presence of a large gathering of friends. The contracting parties were Miss Nellie Fowlow and Mr. Willie Keough. The ceremony was performed by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. McDermott. The bride dressed in cream satin with jet trimming with hat and veil match, looked charming. She was escorted by Miss Jennie Hayes, who the groom was supported by I. Cousin, Mr. Lawrence Keough. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to the residence of Mrs. P. Byrne, Bannerman Street, where a reception was held. The esteem in which the happy couple are held was evidenced by the large number of useful and costly presents received. Mr. and Mrs. Keough will reside on Bell St. The Telegram joins in wishing them many years of bliss.

Personal.

Rev. Dr. L. Curtis left for Halifax by the Sable I. yesterday. Mr. J. M. Forbes was a passenger by the Sable I. to Halifax yesterday. Mr. J. E. Yimcombe who has been slightly indisposed at his home during the past two weeks, was well enough to be out again yesterday.

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Big Liner Afire.

"CITY OF VICTORIA" SENDS S.O.S. SIGNALS. Messrs. Bowring Bros., Lloyd's Agents, received a radio message from Cape Race this morning, advising that S.S. "City of Victoria" was badly afire. Her position was given in latitude 50.10 North, longitude 18.50 West, which is well across the Atlantic. The "City of Victoria" is a twin screw ship of 5,698 tons gross, and was built in Victoria, B.C. in 1920. Her owners are the British Canadian Steamship Co., Ltd. It is presumed that her S.O.S. signals have been picked up at sea, and that some passing ships will render assistance.

Floral Tributes to the Departed.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of the late William Cranford will take place on tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 2.30 from his late residence 3 Gilbert Street. Friends and acquaintances please accept this the only intimation.

IN LOVING REMEMBRANCE

of a dear wife and mother Mary Parsons, who entered her eternal rest on April 3rd, 1923. "Peace, perfect peace with sorrow. On Jesus' bosom sought but calm is peace, perfect peace with loved ones far away. In Jesus' keeping we are safe and they." Inserted by her husband, Capt. S. Parsons and family.

IN SAD AND LOVING MEMORY

of Maurice Murray, who died April 3rd, 1918. "The Angel of Death amongst us came. And a bitter grief imparts, And took a loved one from our home. But never from our hearts." Inserted by his mother.

MINAR'S LINIMENT FOR ACHEs AND PAINS.

MINAR'S LINIMENT FOR FALLING OUT OF HAIR.

THE EVENING TELEGRAM

THE EVENING TELEGRAM, LIMITED, PROPRIETORS. St. John's, Newfoundland, Tuesday, April 3, 1923.

ODIOUS COMPARISONS AND BASE APPEALS.

The Mail and Advocate are unceasing in odious comparisons of Mr. J. R. Bennett with Sir Michael Cashin, representing the former as the inferior in ability and forcefulness, and a make-believe leader of the Opposition, to cover the actual leadership by Sir Michael.

The capacity and fitness of Sir Michael Cashin is so undeniable that it makes plausible this crafty propaganda, and yet if it were true that Mr. Bennett is inferior in any quality to Sir Michael, it would not logically follow that he is thereby unfit for leadership, or in any degree subordinate to his able colleague.

Suppose it to be true that in any cabinet or party the acknowledged leader is not the strongest man in it, in will or capacity, the most experienced, or in any other way the best qualified, is it, therefore, to be concluded that he is not suitable for high position? Lloyd-George, with Asquith, was the greater man, but Asquith was fit for his post.

To reason with the Mail and Advocate upon this point is, of course, not worth the effort, since they are not speaking conscientiously, but with wanton malice. In 1919 the Squires-Coaker Party waxed fat by appeals to sectarianism, on the ground that the leader of the Government was a Roman Catholic, and the success of that year from such base appeals, the same party seeks now to duplicate, by representing Sir Michael as the real, and Mr. Bennett as the nominal leader only, of the Opposition Party.

The News quotes a public message sent to the outports in which "Cashin is Leader" is actually said, and another in which a belief in his dominance is sought to be created by referring to the fact that his brilliant son-in-law is a candidate in one district, and his capable son in another, as though it were a crime that any member of the Cashin family should devote his ability to the good of his country.

In truth, it has come to this, that to keep the accused appeal to sectarianism out of a political contest in this Colony, while the Squires-Coaker Party exists, it seems to be essential that Sir Michael Cashin and his family and relatives to the uttermost degree, being Roman Catholics and virile men, shall forego their rights under the law as citizens and free men, and go into silence and oblivion.

We are persuaded that the Protestant people of this Colony will rebel and resent these most insulting and loathsome appeals to their supposed ignorant prejudices. There may be some persons so dull or so unfair that they can be played upon by such tactics, but they must be few and far between, and there are many more, even of the supporters ordinarily of the Government party, who will cry "An end to this inflammatory propaganda, pass on to the consideration of wider issues."

As for the Roman Catholic electors, they could hardly be forgiven if they failed to be indignant and resentful for the attack upon their faith which is implied in this scoundrelous campaign. The attacks upon Sir Michael Cashin and his colleagues to which we are referring, rightly construed, are attacks upon each and all of them, because they are what they are.

It would be safer, perhaps, and it would certainly be pleasanter, if these attacks and their significance could be ignored, and there will certainly be many to say of this protest, "what cannot be cured should be endured." Cannot it be cured? Are there no influences on either side, no men of light or leading, no voices that can thunder, "stop it," so voicing general public indignation and reprobation that it shall stop at once.

Vessel Reported.

OVER THE TOP MAKING FOR HALIFAX.

Yesterday a message was received from S.S. Brecon which reported speaking to the schooner "Over the Top," making for Halifax. The vessel has her sails damaged, but otherwise is O.K.

is bound here from Barbados has been unable to make the Newfoundland Coast owing to ice conditions. She is bringing a cargo of molasses for W. A. Munn.

AT THE BALSAM. The following are guests at Balsam Place:—Mrs. S. F. Parsons, Bay Roberts; Mrs. J. Gordon, Bay Roberts. Eat Mrs. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.

NEWARD'S LINIMENT USED BY PHYSICIANS.

HOPE AHEAD



The men of Newfoundland, weary of the bungling of their late skippers, Squires and Coaker, decide upon a new captain.

PROCLAMATION.

St. John's, S.S. To All Whom It May Concern: GREETING!

WHEREAS in the month of November of the year of Our Lord Nineteen hundred and nineteen a majority of the people of this Colony did by their votes elect Richard Anderson Squires, William Ford Coaker, and other self-announced reformers to the House of Assembly, and entrusted them with full and adequate power and authority to reform the laws which they had promised without reservation or condition;

AND WHEREAS after three years of opportunity, and exercise of unrestrained authority, none of the said promised reforms have been put in force, nor in manner whatsoever even attempted;

AND WHEREAS the good boon of Government by a representative and deliberative Assembly, and by an Executive Council responsible thereto, has in truth and in practice been wholly set aside, by highhanded disregard of the Assembly by this present Government, and by the presence in the Assembly of persons not freely elected by the body of the people, but chosen as delegates merely of self-regarding groups thereof.

AND WHEREAS by the imposition and enforcement of illegal rules and regulations, for the which no Mandate was ever given by the people of the polls, the present Government did violently lay hands upon the ancient trade and vested interests of the country, and by their evil contrivance did seriously damage the same, and go near to destroying it utterly, whereby the whole people of the Colony have been damaged in their affairs, and have been brought to destitution in many cases, and in not a few cases to the very verge of starvation;

AND WHEREAS contrary altogether to their pledges in this respect, the aforesaid persons have greatly increased expenditures upon useless and worthless public works and services, immensely expanded the Public Debt, and thereby the overburdening burden upon the people, and at the same time have grievously and unbearably increased the taxation upon food, clothing and all the bare necessities of life, as well as upon their comforts and luxuries;

AND WHEREAS by far the greater part of the earning power of the Colony comes from the fishery, which

therefore pays the taxation of the Colony, and governs the happiness and prosperity of merchant, fisherman and laborer alike, wherefore the whole people are bound together by a common cause, and should unitedly strive for the same great end.

AND WHEREAS without reform in the public service, and reduction in expenditure and taxation, the fishery business cannot longer be profitably pursued (so that the livelihood of the whole people is presently threatened), and no such reform or reduction can reasonably be expected from men who have grievously misgoverned for more than three years.

AND WHEREAS it has been announced and declared by the said William Ford Coaker, then an actual member of the Government, and now its Overlord and Master, that the ancient trade in the purchase and export of fish, if he and his colleagues be returned to power, is to be taken out of the control of those persons in the Colony who in manners whereof the memory of men runneth not to the contrary, now carry it on, and placed under the sole charge and control of a committee appointed by him and his colleagues;

AND WHEREAS the mere threat from such a quarter of such an interference with the methods of doing business, and with vested interests, has already paralyzed enterprise, and suspended supplying until the threatened danger is overpast; and the change itself, if put into force, would completely and permanently destroy all existing business enterprises, and result in the complete destruction of the prosperity of the Colony and the wholesale emigration of its people.

Now Know Ye,

- 1. That all good and loyal people are hereby urged to take due and serious notice thereof.
2. That no considerable or general outfitting or supplying for the fishery can or will take place until the dangers now threatening have been safely past.
3. That the danger can be avoided in no other way than by the complete and signal defeat at the polls in the approaching elections of all Government candidates.
4. That in no other way can reasonable hope be entertained for reduced expenditures, or for other essential reforms.

WHEREFORE we earnestly and in all good faith and kindly spirit urge and beseech you to join with us, and for the common good of all people of this Colony, in one great effort to return to power and authority an administration that will drastically reduce public expenditure, will lower

the tariff of customs duties so that the fishery may be remuneratively carried on, and will give a guarantee by its composition that the vested interests and good practices of the business of the country will not be violently interfered with, and to drive from place and power a Government that has violated all pledges, that has pursued all bad practices, that has squandered and mismanaged the public money, and the continued existence of which would be a tragedy for the Colony.

Of which all persons concerned are requested to take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under our hands and seals, in the Colony of Newfoundland, this day of March, 1923, by

The Supplying and other Merchants engaged in the Export, Import and Manufacturing trades of the Colony, and all other good men and true, lovers of their country, who allow their intellects and consciences to govern their conduct.

- WILLIAM KENNEDY.
AARON HUTCHINGS.
AMBROSE HUTCHINGS.
ISAAC REID.
PETER WESTPAS.
E. CHIPMAN.
JOSEPH CLARKE.
JOHN GUSHUE.
ARCH DROVER.
R. HUTCHINGS.

McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, April 3. McKesson's Compound Stretcher of Zinc should not be confused with Talcum Powders, though it is used for somewhat the same kind of purpose—that of preventing chafing and soreness of the skin, and for sore and abraded surfaces. Compound Stretcher Zinc has much greater absorbent qualities than talcum powders, and for infants, and adults who perspire freely it will be found of the highest value as a means of keeping the skin dry and cool, and prevent rubbing and rawness. Price 45 cents a tin.
Gail's Digestive Syrup is of great value in constipation and liver trouble. It strengthens the digestive organs. Price 50 cents a bottle.

Overdue Vessel Reported

"ADMIRAL DRAKE" SPOKE TO. The glad tidings that the schooner Admiral Drake has been spoken to, was conveyed in the following message received this forenoon by Messrs. A. B. Rendell:—"S. Avant Jards reports vessel Admiral Drake in Lat. 44.30; Lon. 53.18 West." The Admiral Drake is 62 days out from New York with a cargo oil for this port.

Now Isn't This so, Friend Voter?

Listen, fellow ordinary man! Can you recollect any previous Government which has ever paid so little attention to the representatives and the needs of the people as has the Squires, Campbell and Coaker Government.

There has never in all the history of Newfoundland politics been an administration, the members of which, barricaded themselves from the general public. No previous Government ever lost touch with the people and displayed a lack of interest in their requirements and needs, as that which has been in charge of the country's affairs for the past three and one half years.

This after all, is only as it should be expected. The people might easily know that Squires would like to spend about six out of every twelve months away from his office, and that he had a mania for touring the American continent and living in England at swell hotels, running up huge bills as the expense of the overburdened and groaning tax payers of his native land. Now isn't that so, friend voters? Yet he tells us he literally was on the job, day and night and "ever ready to hear the common man as patiently and as courteously as if he ranked amongst the most prominent on the land."

The common man I thank you, fancy the Prime Minister condescending to have an interview with the common man. Possibly he is talking of his 1919 campaign, at that time he secured some common votes, but after that no more heart to heart chats for Sir R.A.S. Why, even the chosen few only knew he was in the land of the living by the post cards, and daily mirrors that from time to time he sent from over the water. Verily it is to laugh, when we read that he was always "at home to the common man." Then we are told how Doctor Campbell bothered himself with the people's problems and the people's needs. This man, I thank you, the genial organizer of the Squires' Campaign in 1919 and defeated candidate appointed to the Dumping Chamber "as Coaker was wont to term the Legislative Assembly) and given a seat by Squires and Coaker in the Executive Government actually tells the country he bothered with the people's problems and the people's needs. What an act of charity for a highly paid Minister of the Crown to do his duty. Don't worry, Doc, you will never be bothered with the people's troubles, problems, and needs after a few more weeks. St. John's West has your measure, they all know what you said on the day of the Bay de Verde Bye-Election and if they don't there are men on your committee today who can tell them. If they are men, they will do it. What did Campbell say? Who didn't vote for him? Why was he not elected in 1919? Well, Polling Day will tell the tale, after that no more bother for Doc Campbell, isn't that so, gentlemen electors of St. John's West?

Listen, Fellow Ordinary Man, another member of the Government that was conspicuous by his absence for long periods from his office was none other than Mr. Coaker. It is common knowledge that this man Coaker travelled extensively in Canada, West Indies, England, and the Continent of Europe, and his impressions abroad, written in his diaries will go down in history side by side in the same book and on the same pages, as will be written his Fishery Regulations which ruined the trade and commerce of Newfoundland. If Coaker had been in Newfoundland and particularly in his departmental office full time, there is no doubt but we would be exporting grass out from the principal streets in St. John's.

Fellow ordinary citizen, you know I have stated facts. You have had your uncomfortable experience with Squires, Coaker, and Campbell. You know you have been treated rotten, reduced to poverty, and many of our fellow countrymen have been compelled to leave this Dominion by Premier Squires and his Colleagues. Now, isn't that so, friend voters? Don't depend on the Government promises, Squires and Coaker are past masters at that art. Don't be bluffed by them. Heed the warning of the Opposition. Judge the Government by their record and vote for the Bennett Candidates.

BENNETT & BETTER TIMES.

New Appointments.

It is understood that Mr. H. J. Brownrigg, late Minister of Finance and Customs, has been appointed to the office of Commissioner of Public Charities in succession to the late R. H. O'Dwyer. He took up his new duties yesterday. It is also reported that Mr. A. W. Piccoli, who is now a Squires Candidate for Harbor Grace and who has been recently employed in the Shipping Office, succeeds Mr. W. B. Jennings as Minister of Public Works.

Weather and Ice Report.

Wesleyville—Wind South. Bonaville—S.S.W. wind; lakes of water in bay. St. John's—S.W. Breeze; no ice in sight. Port aux Basques—Snowing; ice close to land.

The Main Issue.

Desperate attempts are being made by the leaders of the Government and by their press to blind the people as to the issue of this election. Their main efforts are in boosting the Humber Deal. They find that these efforts are unavailing, because the Opposition leader has stated clearly and definitely that his party will support the measure, if its terms are fair to the Colony. The refusal of the Government to tell the people the terms of the contract has led many to believe that there is something that they dare not let the people know. The Humber Deal is not the issue.

The attempt to lead people to believe that Mr. Bennett is not the leader of the Opposition but that Sir M. P. Cashin is the leader, is as cowardly as it is unfair. It is in keeping with the tactics of the leader of the Government, whose promises in 1919 were broken in every instance. The object in raising this cry is obvious. It is an appeal to all that is lowest in nature. For that reason alone it will fail, as a people crushed by taxation and misrule will not allow their intelligence to be insulted. Mr. Bennett is the real leader of the Opposition and he will lead his party to victory. The leadership of the Opposition is not the issue.

The issue is whether or not the people are to return to power a Government that has brought the country to the verge of disaster and bankruptcy. Sir Richard Squires and Mr. Coaker cannot point to any one act passed during their term of office that has been to the benefit of the country. Promises made in 1919 have been totally disregarded. Mr. Coaker's interference with the fisheries and his management of the Regulations brought poverty and distress to thousands. The Government's railway policy has meant the wasting of millions of dollars. Their financial policy has been to borrow millions on disastrous terms and to squander this money.

It has been a one man Government. Eager to appear to have the semblance of power, Sir Richard Squires has allowed Mr. Coaker to be the dominant man in the Government. The results are to be seen in the present condition of the country. Both the Prime Minister and Mr. Coaker are responsible, and the coalition of their factions has made for misgovernment such as the country has never seen.

The main issue, therefore, is whether the people will be prepared to submit to another four years of this misrule, or will they return to power the party led by Mr. Bennett, a party comprised of men who will give the country safe and sane government. The answer is in the air, because from all parts of the country come assurances that there must be a change, and that voters are waiting for polling day to vote for BENNETT AND BETTER TIMES.

How Squires Put the Reids in Their Places.

The Squires' organ pretends to be pleased with the article which we copied from its columns the last election containing a bitter and abusive attack upon the Reids, and asserts that Premier Squires made good his promise at the last election to put the Reids in their places.

As proof of this it asserts that in the negotiations for the Humber Deal Squires insisted (1) that the Reids should be paid nothing for their lands and (2) that the Armstrong-Whitworth Company should have control. As to these two statements it will require something more than the mere assertion of Squires' Man Friday "Doc" Modell to satisfy the public. Nothing has become apparent so far to justify anybody in supposing that the Reids are not in full control of this enterprise. The work is being carried on by Reid officials and the Reid organization is in full charge. The engineering chief, as far as can be seen, is Mr. John Powell of the Reid Company. Messrs. Cobb and Graham of the Reid Company are in charge of the labor gangs. Everything around the enterprise bears the stamp of Reids, and the Reids and the representatives of the Company are the most intimate people in the history of St. John's.

So much, then, for the claims of Squires and Modell in this respect. But how about the Squires promise to put the Reids in their place in relation to the Railroad and to make them carry out their contractual obligations. That was Squires' promise to the electors in the fall of 1919 when he was denouncing the Reids from every platform in the country. What steps has he taken since to make that promise good. He has given the Reids millions of dollars to help them to work the Railroad along when they refused to operate it any longer and threatened to throw the road on his hands unless the money done, then it's just as well for the Reids of the taxpayers was found to carry the system on. He promised to put

the machinery of the law into force and compel the Reids to carry out their contracts and disgorge the lands and other properties which he charged they had dishonestly become possessed of. But what has he taken from the Reids for the three and a half years he has been in power. Has he forced them to do anything they were not willing to do? Has he deprived them of any of their properties? Has he brought them before the courts? Has he inflicted any punishment whatever upon them?

Why, one has only to ask these questions to provoke a laugh of scorn from every member of the country. Everybody knows that Squires has done nothing. There was a time when he was bitter enough to do many things if he dared, but the Reids had squared Coaker, and Coaker would not allow Squires to move a finger against the Reids. In the early days of the present Government when Squires was denouncing the Reids in the House of Assembly, Coaker had every man in his party except himself and two others, lined up against him, and Squires had to do what Coaker wanted or else lose the Government.

If the public are asked to accept the present state of relations between the Reids and the Government as proof that Squires has put the Reids in their place and made them carry out their obligations, then every man who reads these lines will agree with us in saying that it was the best day the Reids ever saw when Squires and Coaker took office, and when Squires and Coaker to continue in control took millions of the money of the taxpayers and used it to help Reids out of their difficulties and put them on "Easy Street," as they are to-day. It is for that reason that the people all over the country are making up their mind now to vote for BENNETT AND BETTER TIMES.

Trepassey has Slogan.

"BENNETT & BETTER TIMES" TREPASSEY, April 2nd. From Cape Race to St. Shott's Walsh, Sullivan and Sinnott will receive ninety per cent vote. This section of the district polled a large majority against Walsh and his colleagues in 1919, but we are now glad of the opportunity to right the wrong done, then. It's just as well for the Coaker trip to remain home and put their campaign fund to their bank accounts. Come on Walsh, Sullivan and Sinnott, Trepassey Bay is with you. We want a change of Government! The whole country says BENNETT AND BETTER TIMES. CAPE MUTTON.

Grand Dance and Lecture will be held in Hillside Hall, Wednesday, April 4th, in aid of the Church of the Holy Spirit. Tickets are on sale at 8 o'clock—april 3.

Long at Fogo

GETS WONDERFUL RECEPTION—FOGO WILL GIVE BENNETT'S STANDARD BEARER SOLD VOTE ON POLLING DAY. Special to Evening Telegram. FOGO, To-day. Mr. Long held a meeting in the S.U.F. Hall last night to a crowded audience, and outlined the policy of the Bennett Party; also showed up the waste and extravagance of the Coaker-Squires administration. Meeting wonderful success, and was closed by singing the National Anthem and ringing cheers for our future representative. Fogo Long will vote practically solid for Long on polling day. AMBROSE PATNE, Chairman.

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Dear Sir—Please your esteemed p interesting lines of important settle ment of changes in anything of inter your columns from nothing of impor fished since the gates, Capt. R. which account News. Although wrote to the Ad little it in every is bound to start I can assure you ing referred to ever held here, fence with the signing the resu ing the determin reforms for the whole country, country where upon us unexpes wishes of those terests of the sa ple, here, Mr. surprised three was announced our Daughter Squires, had de House, and was election upon to place sometime Since that time stirred as never ever they met, er in the busin homep, it is the conversation. ly in dissolving time of the yes ple's representa and doing the be ent districts; wh ple of the coun sed that the N November last, February? Why Island to suc springing an el this time? Why such an enorm ing in power th when the coun have gone on o When the U.F. on their camp country in the and met with s people in the N gladly welcomed their Resolu trio began to that such a mov place in the taken place and They knew the the fishermen poverty chiefly were governed millions had be ing of importan knew it was th to meet at St. J March when the would be then fields. They kn prepared. Com well armed with manding that coded to; also have wasted th ple and the m well. The lead er rather than have their black country in dar depriving the pe country indar doings during d record, Mr. Edg red; it will sh end to end. Th they closed the to have their r over the island and whatever c

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Trinity Will Elect Stone and Colleagues.

Editor Evening Telegram

Dear Sir.—Please give me space in your esteemed paper for a few interesting lines from this large and important settlement. Quite a number of changes have taken place since anything of interest has appeared in your columns from here, but although nothing of importance has been published since the visit of U.F. Delegates, Capt. Roberts' and Bragg's News. Although one individual here writes to the Advocate, trying to belittle it in every way, but the truth is bound to stand in every case, and I can assure your readers the meeting referred to was one of the best ever held here, and the whole audience with the exception of a dozen signing the resolution simply showing the determination of our men in their efforts to try and bring about reforms for the betterment of the whole country. We are living in a country where changes are brought upon us unexpectedly and against the wishes of those who have the best interests of the same at heart. Our people here, Mr. Editor, were greatly surprised three weeks ago when it was announced in "public news" that our Doughty Knight, Sir Richard Squires, had dissolved the people's House, and was springing a general election upon the country, to take place sometime during the Spring. Since that time our men have been stirred as never before and wherever they meet, either on the street or in the business stores, or the home, it is the important topic of conversation. Why be so cowardly in dissolving the House at this time of the year, deterring the people's representatives from meeting, and doing the business of their different districts; why disappoint the people of the country after being promised that the House would open in November last, and also again in February? Why put the voters of the island to such inconvenience by springing an election upon them at such an enormous expense, after being in power three and one-half years when the country's business could have gone on until November next? When the U.F. Delegates started out on their campaign to canvass the country in the beginning of winter, and met with such success from the people in the Northern Districts who gladly welcomed them as if supported their Resolutions, the Government trio began to shiver; they realized that such a movement had never taken place in the country's history. They saw the great change that had taken place among the men since 1919. They knew that during their term the fishermen had been brought to poverty chiefly owing to the way they were governed. They knew thirty millions had been expended and nothing of importance to show for it. They knew it was the intention of the U.F.D. to meet at St. John's about the 1st of March when their brother fishermen would be then preparing for the ice-fields. They knew they would be well prepared. Coming from the people, well armed with monster petitions demanding that their requests be accorded to; also that the reckless way they have wasted the money of the people, and the millions borrowed as well. The leader and dictator decided rather than open the House to have their black deeds exposed to the country in darkness as to their own depriving the U.F. Delegates of their duty to the people and keeping the country in darkness as to their own doings during the past year. What a record, Mr. Editor, when all the doings are brought to light and exposed; it will shock the country from end to end. The people can see why they closed the House—simply afraid to have their deeds set broadcast over the island and outside world, and whatever chance they may have

at the general elections, they knew if all they had done were put into print it would cause such a feeling to be stored in the hearts of the electorate that their chances of support would be nil. Now that the political battle is to be fought, the people are determined as never before in their history to elect a clean Government. What do you hear from them daily? If we hear had any person to tell us what had taken place we never read a newspaper our own circumstances are quite sufficient, being reduced from comfortable circumstances to the Government dole. Wait a change in three and a half years. Well may the people of dear old Terra Nova rejoice when the news was sent out that the Hon. J. R. Bennett was selected to lead the Opposition forces at the coming election. Our people wish to extend their hearty congratulations to him and assure him of their support to his candidacy. The late Hon. Chas. Fox Bennett saved the country from Confederation in the days of our fathers, and the Hon. J. R. Bennett is going to save her now from bankruptcy and ruin, and put her in a position so that her people will be able to live here and get a comfortable living. Knowing the disgraceful condition she is in, men of brains, influence, and position are coming forward and offering themselves as his candidates to contest the different districts and when his team is completed it will be the very strongest that ever appealed to the electorate of the Dominion; every District will rally to their support and elect them with overwhelming majorities. W. F. Coaker's Humber Deal, and Gull Pond Copper Mine, ten thousand that are going to get their support from the former and the three thousand from the latter, and the latest lad, two new sealing steamers which will take six hundred men to the icefields next spring will not influence the voters this time. They have had enough of these kind of promises in the past and if Coaker or Squires think they can fool them again this time, they will be very much mistaken. They know what you are capable of doing, William; you got over town once, they rallied around your banner they believed in you, thought for sure you were the second Moses come to deliver them from slavery and bondage, and plant them, as it were, in a land flowing with milk and honey. They took in all your beautiful promises, they believed in you, they honored you, they were so sincere; many thought they would never want any more and they were going to get their living without working for it. You formed your Unions in the Northern Districts and men from Harbors and Cores came forward and joined up; they believed all you promised would be done through the Unions, life for them and their families would be made easier in every way. Fishermen who were members of your Unions were promised if they met with an accident of any kind while engaged at the fisheries would get a pension. The country was going to be transferred into a veritable paradise. All the hardships and sufferings they had undergone in the past were at an end; life for them would be a Heaven, compared with the way you pictured their fathers lived. Those promises were kept up yearly. Hundreds still having faith and believing in them. During the prosperous years when every person was contented and happy. You had your agents canvassing the Districts inducing the fishermen who had a few dollars saved, to invest in the U. F. Co. where they could get ten per cent. Through the showing after they invested all their savings which went to build up the business at Port Union they were induced to part with their hard earned money believing their investments would be profitable. Now

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In each new style and color, each model is very swaggy indeed and practical as well.

Nearly all these Coats are made of high grade Gabardines, and are smartly trimmed with Braids, Buttons and Tassels. Prices very moderate for such well-made garments.

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New models, delightful garments in assorted colors and in all sizes.

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Emphasize the Newer Ideas for the Spring and Summer season. A visit to this section will convince you that Dame Fashion exerted unlimited skill in designing these Costumes in order to captivate the desires of all lovers of the new.

Tailored and semi-tailored Costumes made of high grade Serges, Gabardines, Heather Tweeds, etc. Every model is splendidly cut and finished, and you can see how moderate they are in price.

Prices from

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The Royal Stores, Limited

It has turned out that the ten per cent promised them, yearly has not been received. Then they grew angry, they saw they were duped. Times changed, they needed their money to provide for their families, but could not get it; certain persons took the amount invested in provisions from Union Stores, others who wanted to get it in the same way were not as fortunate thus they were being deprived of their money or the ten per cent, causing their families to suffer and caused words of wrath and indignation to be poured out upon you. With the poor fishermen's hard earned money and your own grants from the Government during these years of control has kept your own business going and yet according to Sir John Crobble it could not be carried on then, as that was one thing he had done he regretted in giving his money to get you and others out of trouble by financing it. The same Sir John your mouth piece is vilifying with abuse daily. During these years our fishermen have lost a lesson, William; they will never forget, the scale has been removed as it were from their eyes, a great change has taken place, the men who composed the Unions as well as non-Unions have got to know you well, you pulled the wool over their eyes years past when you started your tour of the Northern Bays to organize the F.P.U. Through your deceit, false promises, and the low degrading language, you descended to and was published time and again had its desired effect on my brother fishermen and through the seeds you sowed among them, created such a feeling with Union and non-Union men in Church and Society that its effects have only been doing out during the past two years. You were lauded to the skies by these men at the time but I and thousands of others they are sick and from hearing our names, it is become nauseous to them, and you know it too. No demonstrations in your honor now, no stars flying or fishermen rushing to the water front to welcome you, as in the days of yore. Why this great change? Because they have found you out, they know that you are not reliable and cannot be trusted. There is your language in trying to stir up the ill-humored fishermen against the Holy men of the different religious bodies. They are all your enemies. That is the kind of degrading language you used to these days and you haven't reformed since. Yet, your sheet is always sounding your praise. What a great man you are, you are great for deceit and false promises in fooling the fishermen, and people of this country have no respect for you and never will. They are sick and from hearing our names, it is become nauseous to them, and you know it too. No demonstrations in your honor now, no stars flying or fishermen rushing to the water front to welcome you, as in the days of yore. Why this great change? 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With Mane Comb 35 and 50c. ea.

Sole Leather.

Trimmed Selected Backs,
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New Club Cartridges.

12 Gage No. 4, 2, and B.E. Shot;
also 12 Gage Paper Shells
and Brass Shells.

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Bottles \$1.50 doz.
Cans \$2.70 doz.

Enamelware.

Just opened English Saucepans,
Basins, Mugs, Piepans, Jugs,
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Lines,
All sizes.

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ELKAY'S STRAW HAT DYE.

Makes your hat look like new.
Is permanent and waterproof.
Easy to apply. Dries quickly to
a lasting lustrous finish. Good
brush and directions with every
bottle. All the popular colors.

35c. bottle.

PETER O'MARA,
THE DRUGGIST,
The Rexall Store.



NOTICE.

REVISION OF THE LIST OF
ELECTORS FOR THE DISTRICT
OF ST. JOHN'S, EASTERN AND WESTERN
DIVISIONS.

Notice is hereby given that a
Court of Revision of the List of
Electors for the Electoral District
of St. John's, Eastern and
Western Divisions, will be held
in the Central District Court
Room on Tuesday next, the 3rd
day of April and shall be con-
tinued each day thereafter until
including Saturday, the 7th
day of April, from 2 o'clock p.m.
until 5 o'clock p.m.

Dated at St. John's this 31st
day of March, 1923.

F. J. MORRIS,
Revising Justice.



The Memory of Mother's Cookies

is still a strong home tie.
Never have you tasted bet-
ter cookies. Modern Mo-
thers can give their child-
ren the most delicious cookies
if they used Crisco—the
delicious shortening that is
used by good cooks—in-
stead of expensive butter.

You can get Crisco from
your grocer, he has it or
can get it from his jobber.

GERALD S. DOYLE,
Distributor,
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An Intimate Appeal.

TO THE UNBOUGHT VOTER.

There is no necessity to get into
hysterics and to exaggerate in order
to give you reasons, Mr. Voter, why
you should help to turn out this Gov-
ernment. If we put down their record
in cold figures and tall calmly and
dispassionately what they have left
undone the past three years. You can
not possibly do anything else but
vote to turn them out. If a candidate
for Squires and Coaker were your
own brother, if you are an honest
man, a patriotic man who wants to
continue living in this country you
would hurry to the polling booth to
help by your vote to turn them out.
It looks to me that their political
crimes are so great that so many that
their very number and their very
magnitude are too much to take in,
and that being so we are disarmed
of the power of showing commensurate
indignation. There is something
of a twist like kink in human nature
that draws a kind of admiration for a
man of overwhelming gall and im-
pudence. His very brazenness is apt to
sweep us off our feet and substitute
a silent timid admiration instead of a
red-blood wild indignation. For this
reason the more acts of open brazen
injustice a man does in public life the
better chance he has of escaping public
denunciation and merited punish-
ment, especially if he can legalize his
speculations and his misuse of public
monies. If the Squires-Coaker
gang had committed only one bad act
against the people and the country it
seems to me that they would be sub-
ject to more denunciation on the part
of the public, but they have done so
many and they now make such an im-
pudent, hardy attempt to brazen them
out and induce the people to forget
them by focussing their attention on
some red herring issue like the Hum-
ber Deal that I must admit they suc-
ceeded to a very great extent in making
the public forget that they are the
greatest political rascals that ever
created a country. In other countries
I am certain they would be impeached
and punished for half of what they
have done. Here we have to endure it
all and allow the idea of the high
places they occupy to disarm our
proper indignation and the acts that
naturally follow such indignation.
Half the country is reduced to-day to
starvation and there are hungry chil-
dren without bread and clothing, all
brought about by the acts of this gov-
ernment. The times were never so bad
since the sixties, and if they get in
again they will be worse. In the sixties
there was meal and molasses, but
there is not even this in many parts
of the country. They tell you it is the
result of the war and that all coun-
tries are suffering from the same de-
pression. This might apply to Euro-
pean countries that were actually en-
gaged in the war, but it should not
and does not apply to this side of the
Atlantic. The States and Canada and
South America are all prosperous.
To-day Newfoundland in its poverty
because our rulers the past three
years by their bungling have made
her so. They handled money enough
to make all hands prosperous, but
they only aimed at making them-
selves and their near friends so.
Their ability seemed to be limited to
having a good flush time themselves
and making a lot of quick money. The
people could go to Hades till voting
time when they reasoned that they
could easily buy them up. The laws
can't reach them. Communism can't
find them guilty. Governors must look
on and be advised by them, the only
power that can get at them to punish
them for their deeds comes only once
in four years. This time three and a
half years. That power is in the bal-
lot and is exercised by the people.
Now if you believe all the above is
true, and I dare you to deny it, give
them the shot that will put them out
in this country and get a living. If you
don't do so and a majority do as you
do then you will have to get out
within the year or starve, that is if
you can get your passage money.

Obituary.

There passed peacefully away on
Good Friday, March 30, a well known
resident in the person of Mary A.
Pomeroy, widow of the late John
Pomeroy (cooper) and daughter of
the late John and Johanna Hackett.
Born in Co. Killenny, Ireland, she
was brought here when only a child.
The deceased taught school for a
number of years under the late Most
Rev. Bishop Power, and after her
husband's death kept a private school.
She was well and favorably known
and loved by all, being of a kind and
charitable disposition. The death of
Mrs. Pomeroy removes the last mem-
ber of the Hackett family. She
leaves to mourn two sons, Joseph in
the U.S.A., and Albert of this city;
also four grandchildren and a large
circle of friends to mourn the loss of
a loving mother and grandmother.
Her funeral took place Easter Sun-
day from 12 New Gower Street, inter-
ment being at Belvedere.
"How sweet, O Lord, is death to me
Since death will bring my soul to
Thee."
May her soul rest in peace.

A charming afternoon gown of
chiffon introduces tiers of petaloid
panels.

SNAP SHOTS.

By ZIF.

Day by day
In every way
The people say
Coaker and Squires
Are finished
Forever and forever.
Bennett the man of the hour.
Squires says "The soldiers were
paid to fight."
Coaker says: "That Conception Bay
men could be bought for a ten dollar
bill."
What a splendid combination.

Dr. Campbell must also be of the
same opinion when he thinks he can
buy some of the East and West votes.

Mr. Squires thinks because he is
able to purchase candidates to fill the
districts that everyone is paid to fight.

What will the Premier do for Bonia,
Piccott and Downey after the poll is
declared?

The news from the Northern Dis-
tricts is driving Coaker desperate.

He now finds it impossible to leave
Bonavista.

The voters in Ferryland and Pla-
centia are awaiting that promised
visit of the Prime Minister.

Sir Richard is going to reply to the
challenge of the West End Candidates
in his Manifesto.

One hundred to one he will refuse
to accept.

He tried to get M. P. G. to take up
the challenge but he as usual gibly
replied "nothing doing."

It will soon be time for Mr. Coaker
to write another secret circular.

The last one was a real clouter.

"What about some more letters to
"Dear Jim."

"Paid to Fight" would sound all
right in the Mail and Advocate office.

Like the poor we will always have
M. P. Gibbs in sight.

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"Joscin" Candidates Resented by Voters.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir—There is a very expres-
sive word in the old country applied
to a certain class of individuals who
have the arrogance and vanity to put
themselves forward where they are
not wanted, and to unload themselves
into places for which by all the laws
of nature they were never intended.
The word applied to any such is that
of a "Joscin", the very sound of which,
without the aid of any dictionary,
typifies the class of individual alluded
to. More than one of these have
already been unloaded on the people
as Government Candidates, but in the
name of mercy let us have no more
of them. The worst sample of the
genus homo is the prime number one
"Joscin" that has been put into posi-
tion of which he has less understand-
ing than a six year old school-boy.
What a lamentable admission of the
paucity of material in the Squires-
Coaker party. True, apart from the
reflection on our intelligence which
the thrusting forward of these "Jo-
scins" imply, there would not appear,
openly, to be any great cost to us in
their occasional rising and submerge-
nce as in the case of one such
"repeater," but when the taxpayers
are called upon to plank out their
hard earned dollars for an extremely
costly type of "Joscin" it becomes, to
say the least, unbeatiable, and will
be rightly resented by an outraged
public on polling day.

Yours truly,
CITIZEN.

St. John's, April 2nd, 1923.

From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind W.S.W., fresh with snow
squalls. Ice everywhere; no vessels
in sight. Bar. 30.22; Ther. 36.

Prince's Dance Orchestra con-
sisting of 7 pieces. They're great
to "listen to" and also to "sway
to." Hire them for your next
dance. For terms, etc., apply to
W. J. DARCY, phone 568.

Passing of Prominent Figure.

JAMES COLLINS, (Placentia),
Placentia, April 2nd.—There passed
away here to-day at the venerable
age of 86, one of the old guard, in
the person of James Collins. The
death of Mr. Collins removes the
last member of one of Placentia's
oldest families. The deceased was
widely known throughout Newfound-
land and held in high esteem in his
native town. A man of rare intelli-
gence and very learned, he was con-
sidered one of the pioneer education-
alists. In his younger years he was
principal of the high school here;
later he became extensively connected
with the commercial life of Pla-
centia Bay. He represented the Dis-
trict for three sessions in the House
of Assembly. He was one of the
founders of the Star of the Sea So-
ciety, holding the office of Secretary
for 40 years. He was also president
with his wife a few years ago. The only
surviving relatives are of the second
and third generation. Rev. Dr. Ryan
of Toronto and A. J. Ryan of Placentia
are nephews.
CORRESPONDENT.

War Veterans Dance.

ENJOYABLE AFFAIR AT GREN-
FELL HALL.

Over 150 people attended the G.W.
V.A. dance at the Grenfell Hall last
night.

VICE REGAL PARTY PRESENT.
At 8.30 his Excellency the Govern-
or and Lady Allardye, accompan-
ied by Miss Viti Allardye, Major Wil-
berforce-Bell and Captain Goodfellow,
arrived, and were met by the recep-
tion committee, Mrs. MacKeen, Mrs.
Cook, Mrs. Higgins, Mrs. Outerbridge,
Miss Herder and a bouquet of flow-
ers, tied with claret and white rib-
bons, pinned with the Regimental
Crest, was presented to Lady Allardye.

His Excellency then addressed
the large assembly and spoke of the
pleasure it gave him to attend a
function which was organized by the
G.W.V.A., to whom we owe so much.
He referred to the splendid record of
the Regiment and quoted an adaptation
of some unsigned verses he found in
an old paper. At the conclusion of
his Excellency's remarks, which were
warmly applauded, Mr. Karl Trapnell
sang the "Song of the 29th Division"
in a stirring manner. A Grand March
led by his Excellency opened a splen-
did programme of modern dances,
which was thoroughly enjoyed. At
11 o'clock a delightful supper was
served by Mrs. H. Outerbridge, Miss
M. Purling and Miss Elsie Herder.
The Governor and Suite were enter-
tained at supper by Mrs. MacKeen.
Amongst the visitors present were
Sir Richard Squires, Hon. J. R. Ben-
nett, Mayor and Mrs. Cook, Rev.
Padre Nangle, Rev. G. O. Lightbourn
as well as many distinguished officers
of the Regiment. The music for the
occasion was supplied by the Prince's
Orchestra. In addition to the receipts
of the dance, Mrs. MacKeen has re-
ceived contributions amounting to
over \$50.00, and the G.W.V.A. are
deeply grateful to the donors.

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Grand Easter Attraction at the Nickel!

MARGUERITE CLARKE PRODUCTIONS Presents
MARGUERITE CLARK
in the famous Broadway Stage Success
'Scrambled Wives'
She couldn't make her ideas behave. They started her off on an elope-
ment—butted her into a divorce—and then nearly staged another elopement
with Hubby No. 1, while Hubby No. 2 looked on. A GREAT PICTURE.
THURSDAY—JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD'S greatest story "THE GOLD-
EN SNARE"—7 BIG ACTS 7—



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leaf is used in the
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The "Utmost"
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The Captain and the Crew

are equally liable to the effects of exposure, and provision should
be made, on every vessel, for the proper care of such cases.
There are "Vaseline" preparations designed to relieve all the
common ailments of the seaman. These preparations deserve a
prominent place in the medicine chest, or better—a separate chest
for "Vaseline" preparations alone.

Vaseline Capsicum Petroleum Jelly

is a counter irritant which
effectively relieves pains in
the chest and stomach, cramps,
neuritic and neuralgic complaints.

Start a Medicine Chest
with a liberal supply of "Vaseline" Capsicum Jelly and the other
"Vaseline" preparations shown here on the lid of the chest.

Sold at all drug and general stores.
Chesebrough Manufacturing Company, New York City.
W. G. M. Shephard, Distributor,
137 McGill St., Montreal, Canada.

THEATRICAL TROUPE NOW PLAYING IN THE
CASINO.
Novel shoes of red glass kid have
openwork straps up to the front and
inserts of silver.
Most of the fashion displays stress
straight lines, vivid fabrics and hor-
ser-trimmed hats.

Solder.

Selling at
Lowest
Market Rates.

The Direct Agencies, Limited.

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S. S. Kyle Coming.
DUE TO-MORROW EVENING.
S.S. Kyle, Capt. Cross, with a full
cargo of freight, foreign mail matter
and passengers left Louisburg for St.
John's direct at 3 p.m. yesterday. The
Kyle is expected to arrive in port early
to-morrow afternoon. The ship is
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WATCH FOR THE GRAND OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT OF OUR BARGAIN BASEMENT

15 Sales Ladies Wanted

BROADWAY HOUSE OF FASHION, 331-Water St.-331

Vital Statistics.

CITY OF ST. JOHN'S—WITHIN THE LIMITS.

Total number of Births for month of March	129
Total number of Deaths for month of March	59
Deaths under one month	5

CAUSE:

Convulsions	1
Broncho-Pneumonia	1
Prematurity	1
Constitutional Debility	2

Deaths under one year 9

CAUSE:

Meningitis	1
Convulsions	3
Broncho-Pneumonia	4
Neocollitis	1

Deaths from one to five years 9

CAUSE:

Tuberculous Peritonitis	1
Meningitis	1
Convulsions	1
Lobar Pneumonia	1
Broncho-Pneumonia	2
Pneumonia	1
Accidental Poisoning	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

Years	1910	1920	1921	1922	1923
Total number of Births for month of March	101	127	130	128	129
Total number of Deaths for month of March	76	97	46	73	59
Deaths under one month	5	10	2	3	5
Deaths under one year	13	6	9	10	9
Deaths from one to five years	10	17	3	5	9
Deaths from five years and over	48	64	32	65	36

W. J. MARTIN,
Registrar General.

A New Commission Business.

Mr. W. E. Percival, Auctioneer, Real Estate, and Commission Agent, whose announcement appears elsewhere in this issue, has taken an office in Bon Marché Building, where any commissions left will be attended with utmost despatch. Mr. Percival, who is a hustler, needs hardly any introduction to the people of the city, as for a long number of years he has been in the employ of George Knowling, Ltd., and Ayre & Sons, Ltd. The attention and courtesy shown to customers then, will no doubt be continued in his new sphere. Mr. Percival has been fortunate in securing several important agencies via the Metal Shingle and Siding Co. Ont., and the Shaw Correspondence School, Toronto. The S.C.S. is known everywhere and has provided training for many of our own people and put them on the road to success. Mr. Percival will be only too pleased to explain any of the courses which the school offers. As representative of the Shingle & Siding Co., Mr. Percival has plans of fireproof buildings, such as barns, summer houses and garages. The latter should be of particular interest to city motorists, as the buildings are practically indestructible by fire or weather. Should you be interested in farm lands, a dwelling house, or even Labrador gold, a call at Room 5, Bon Marché Building, would be to your advantage.

Magnificent Production Coming to the Nickel.

WILL BE SHOWN HERE NEXT WEEK.

This is the year of the production extraordinary. The public is clamoring for something unusual—something really entertaining—something spectacular. Being fully aware of this fact, and desiring to give its patrons the very best obtainable the management of the Nickel has booked that really wonderful production entitled, "The Love Slave," a picture that cost more money than we dare tell you.

Last year the big rural drama caught the public fancy—and the people hollered "GIVE US MORE." So all the big producers saw their companies out on the farms—trying to supply the demand. Then along came "The Shiek" and "One Arabian Night" and some unusual European pictures—now the public is hollering "MORE!" and the result is the picture, "The Love Slave." It's big Eastern scenes were filmed in the East. A great dramatic story by George Ohnet, who wrote "The Iron Master"—a masterpiece—a stage classic. Words cannot possibly describe the excellence of "The Love Slave," as all will agree when they see it screened at the Nickel next week.

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The East End Committee.

HAS ENTHUSIASTIC WORKERS.

The C.C.C. rooms in the Mechanics Building, headquarters of the Bennett Party in the East End, was crowded with enthusiastic supporters last week. Mr. James Gould, the Chairman of Committee, Secretary W. Brophy and the East End Candidates spent a busy time allotting "their bit" to an eager crowd of workers. Candidates Cards were distributed and as the bearers moved out of the hall they were cheered to the echo. Before the close of the meeting, short addresses were given by the Candidates. The loyal old Liberal District of St. John's East, which in 1919 renounced Coakerism in no uncertain manner has greater reasons to-day to speak in an even more forcible manner against the great menace that has brought Newfoundland to the state she is in at the present time and on polling day MESSRS. HIGGIN'S, FOX AND VINCOMBE will be returned with overwhelming majorities.

Court of Revision.

SEE THAT YOU ARE REGISTERED.

The Court of Revision of the list of electors of St. John's East and West, opens in the Central District Court at 3 p.m. to-day, and will continue each afternoon until Saturday next. The taking of the voters list for both districts as completed on Saturday last, with the arrival of the Bell Island list. It is understood that to date these are the only districts where the voter's lists have been completed, ice and weather conditions impeding the work throughout the country.



Necklines are decidedly more formal in effect, especially for the theatre gown.

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The Leader

The Advocate for reasons best known to itself is greatly perturbed over the leadership of the Opposition party. Why this should disturb the Advocate is of complications in which Fuller's more or less of a pathological mystery, and could be properly diagnosed by a mental specialist. The public has a rough and ready way for determining such unhealthy cerebral conditions, it says—crazy. Crazy is the word and furthermore it is criminal insanity. It is diabolical in meaning and purpose, and those guilty should be hounded from public life. Any weapon no matter how foul and filthy will satisfy the ghoul for his work is nefarious, any foul appeal to prejudice or passion will suit the campaign now being waged by the outlaws who have disgraced every canon of public decency in their desperate attempt to regain control of the country, a control they have sacrificed through glaring misdeeds. Let the Advocate know that the people of this country are not very much concerned about leadership though the people are well pleased to find a clean and decent citizen of the type of John R. Bennett willing to assume the onerous position. Let the Advocate further know that the intelligent citizen who acclaimed the leadership of Mr. Bennett are not the class of men to tamely submit to any aspersion of their honor or intelligence. The people acknowledge Mr. Bennett as leader. The vital business of the country is to set up clean and honest government in place of the cabal that for four years has disgraced our legislature. Any leader were better than that we submit the destinies of our native land to the whims of Squires and Coaker.

COOPERATION.
It's not the guns of armament Or the money they can pay, It's the close co-operation That makes 'em win the day. It is not the individual Or the army as a whole, But the ever lasting teamwork Of every bloomin' soul. —Kipling.

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"Mrs. Temple's Telegram."

A RIOT OF FUN AT MAJESTIC. Mrs. Temple's Telegram, a three-act Comedy, presented last night at the Majestic Theatre by Mr. A. E. Holmes, a talented caste, provided a continuous round of mirth for a very large audience, which gave expressions of approval by very frequent applause. The action of the play is supposed to take place at Curzon Street, Mayfair, England. The scenes are set in the home of Mr. Jack Temple. The latter is prevented from returning home at night through an accident to the machinery of a ferris wheel. He tells his young wife when he arrives in the morning the truth about his delay. Wife did not believe the story so Jack invented another story about spending the night with a fictitious friend. Mrs. Temple doubts the second story and sends a telegram to the "friend" asking him to come at once to her home. The telegram was kept a secret from Jack but through his butler, Wiggin, he learns of it. Jack's friend Fuller arrives on the scene, and is told of the telegram sent to the fictitious address. He agreed with Jack to impersonate Mr. Brown and settle matters with Mrs. Temple. It happens however, that a Mr. Brown received the telegram. Mr. Brown's wife learns of the message from an unknown lady to her spouse. She forthwith makes her appearance at the Temple home. Her arrival is the signal for no end of complications in which Fuller's wife, who happened to be with Jack the night he was out, plays a prominent part. Endless lies are told by Jack and Fuller to get themselves out of the tangle, and the audience, although enjoying the fun, is kept in wonderment how the troubles can be smoothed over. It would spoil the play to tell all the story, but if you want to have a good laugh and come home from the Theatre in a very pleasant mood, secure your tickets for Mrs. Temple's Telegram.

Miss Hilda Krentalin, as Mrs. Temple, played the part in a very pleasing manner and added to her many laurels. Miss Violet Crocker as Dorothy, youngest sister of Temple, is engaged to Captain Sharpe, proved a revelation and her performance justified her selection. Mrs. Wallis made her first appearance on the local stage in the part of Mrs. Fuller, and she is a decided addition to amateur theatricals. Mrs. Holmes, as Martha, wife of the real John Brown, was a scream. Mr. A. E. Holmes, the indimitable, was at his best in the role of Fuller. Mr. T. Payne as Temple ably sustained his reputation as an actor. Mr. Jack Hickey in the character of Captain Sharpe was an ideal lover and he played and looked the part to perfection. Mr. H. F. Glass, as Wiggin, the butler, scored a great hit with his expression "Just what I was about to do." Lastly, but by no means least, Mr. W. E. Stirling as the "umbel" dresser, John Brown, displayed a vein of comedy out of the ordinary and he should be seen more frequently. The specialties alone were worth the price of admission and proved a satisfactory entertainment. Mr. A. E. Holmes was seen in juggling feats and balancing acts that are astounding. In addition Mr. Karl Trapnell sang two excellent songs and Mr. T. H. O'Neill gave a splendid recitation. The performance will be repeated tonight and to-morrow night, and as the prices are very reasonable don't let it be said that you missed the best comedy presented yet on the local stage.

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Our Dumb Animals.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF AGENT FOR WEEK ENDING, MAR. 31st.

Answered a call to humanely destroy a dog belonging to Mr. Judge and also one belonging to Mr. Kennedy, LeMarchant Road. A lady of Duggan Street asked to have two cats destroyed. She objected to having them shot and wanted to have them humanely put to sleep. I advised her to get a vet. She did so and her directions were carried out. During the storm of Thursday night a very valuable horse owned by Windsor & Wardell dropped dead on Springdale Street. Earlier in the week, I had to destroy a horse for a farmer of the West End. Owing to the weather has been severe on both express and track horses, but owners

are doing all possible for the comfort of their charges. I am very thankful to the people who, during the week purchased the picture of "The Horses' Prayer." Amongst the orders received was one from the C. of E. School teacher at Whitbourne, and one from a lady in town for the Holy Cross School. Capt. Tilley purchased 2 pictures for the S.A. College. The Society would be very thankful if some ladies and gentlemen would purchase others and present them to the different schools in the city.

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Some Other Things That Coaker Said About St. John's.

"St. John's is now in the throes of the game of forty-fives."

"Some of the ablest and finest looking men you'll meet in St. John's lost the best years of their lives seeking interviews with a view to getting something soft. They have got the tired feeling and some give up good trades. Better they had gone in the woods rindling, they would be able to give an account at the last day that they spent their time at something, if they did so. Now they have nothing to their credit."

"In the Post Office several of the officers give more attention to the whiskey bottle than they do to their duties. This department is staffed with heeled who do little but draw their salaries."

"Cargoes of alcohol have been slept off in the General Post Office Department."

"The Government have decided to throw away another twenty or thirty

thousand dollars of the fishermen's money by purchasing the Rae Island farm to be used as a picnic ground for the people of St. John's."

"The Nickels, those pleasure gatherings of a sport-mad people, must be regulated in St. John's if the standard of morality is to be maintained as in the past. The F.P.U. members of the House of Assembly will stand no nonsense respecting such matters, and if St. John's won't rise to the occasion, it will have to be saved against its wishes. The outport man can discern the evils very quickly, and he is appalled at proceedings which delight the city man's heart. The future has in store many troubles for the city, one of the greatest will be bequeathed by the frivolities and degenerate tendencies caused by the attendance of the people at sports and Nickel shows."

"The sport and pleasure craze of the people of St. John's will bring disaster on the town."

Loafers! Slackers! Drunkards!

Is What Coaker Called the L. S. P. U. Men--Scoffed at the Idea of Paying Them \$1.50 a Day.

THE FOLLOWING ARE ONLY SAMPLES OF MR. COAKER'S WRITINGS, WHICH WE CLIPPED FROM THE ADVOCATE:

"The Longshoremen's Union recently asked for an increase of twenty per cent. in wages or two cents per hour, and the employers have granted the increase, which means an extra \$60,000 per annum. The fishermen will have to provide \$50,000 of this. The St. John's laborer will get \$1.50 a day, WHILE LAST FALL WE REPEATEDLY WITNESSED FIGHTING ALONG THE WATERSIDE PREMISES DURING WORKING HOURS BY HANDS ENGAGED ON THE PREMISES, CAUSED BY MEN DRINKING IN WORK HOURS."

"When a man loafs his time away and is not interested in his work, outport laborers can handle fish at \$1 per day. An extra tax of ten cents will be placed on coal and this

is about all the St. John's men will have to pay towards the \$60,000. WE HAVE OBSERVED CONSIDERABLE LOAFING AND SLACKNESS, AND CONSIDERABLE DRUNKENNESS AMONGST THE ST. JOHN'S LABORERS. The poor man must be forced to pay for this indifference and this slackness."

"The St. John's people should not put up the price of their goods when the outport men are around, which they actually do, and then think the payment nothing. Only for the outports, St. John's would starve."

"A sport mad city and pleasure crazy community like St. John's must sooner or later be overwhelmed with ruin and disaster. St. John's is travelling at a fast pace towards something. It has already slaughtered many business men. It is robbing the outport fishermen this year fifty cents on each quintal of fish. Where will it end? God knows."

Principle and Interest.

"Captain Bonia is acting on principle in supporting Squires," rhapsodized the organ which squawks from Prescott Street.

Principal of course was in the mind of the organist, but he dared not write it that way.

Capt. Bonia is now Minister of Finance, or is it Bonia's.

Maybe he can estimate what \$100,000 principal would amount to at compound interest, say for your years.

Would it build a Road de Luxe, finance a salt scandal, buy back our lost markets, pay Squires' and Warren's Lonsdon picnic account, Coaker's Private Car bills, determine the Labrador Boundary, or administer the affairs of Stag Bay when the gold rush is on?

Would \$100,000 buy splits enough to purchase Doc, Campbell's election?

Would \$100,000 buy lime enough to whitewash Coaker or disinfect the public departments after such a three years and a half of debauchery as we have just passed through?

Who gave St. George's Coal Fields the black eye? Coaker and Squires.

Who are now claiming credit from the fact that the mines have been sold? Coaker and Squires.

Who are the men the people want to retire from public life? Coaker and Squires.

Who is the man of the hour? Hon. J. R. Bennett.

Who leads the Victory team? John R. Bennett.

What do the people want? BENNETT & BETTER TIMES.

The Menace of Coakerism.

ARTICLE XVIII.

Mr. Coaker, in his personal organ, the Evening Advocate, has, of late been sending out appeals to the fishermen of the North to remain within the Union ranks and stand by him in his various enterprises. This has been Mr. Coaker's game ever since he launched his Union. Men in public life who dare differ from him on public questions were subjected to the vilest abuse that ever disgraced the columns of a newspaper claiming a shred of respectability.

Fish buyers, when they purchased cargoes of fish that Mr. Coaker had on hands belonging to Union men, and which he could not handle himself, were fine fellows when they "came across" with the goods, but when they refused to buy at his bidding, were branded "fish shysters, cheats and blood suckers." Ever since the inception of the Coaker enterprises, abuse has been the chief weapon on which Mr. Coaker has met solid and honest argument.

It is indeed gratifying to know that the Northern fishermen now see through his game, and that they are not slow in letting him understand that they are wise to his tricks and are determined not to be hoodwinked again by such a political adventurer as the "man from the back woods of Green Bay."

Seeing that he is daily losing ground in what were heretofore solid Union districts, and fearful of the end which is now in sight, Mr. Coaker has issued instructions to the Advocate staff to get down to business and boost him for all they are worth. This is an old trick of the Union Dictator's. The fishermen must be fooled, no matter what contemptible methods are resorted to. There are but few of the many cases of how Mr. Coaker has exploited the fishermen of the North for his own selfish purposes. His whole public record is one continuous chapter of bluff and deceit. It is not surprising, therefore, to learn that the fishermen are cutting clear of such rotten timber and turning from the false man they have adored for several years past.

It is sufficient to know that even many of Mr. Coaker's followers from the North are dissatisfied with his ruling and dictatorial attitude towards them, and are determined with the rest of the country to rid the colony of Coaker rule and control for all time. They realize like every other sane minded person that the menace of Coakerism is a something that must come to a sudden stop or the years of depression and despair which have been so much in evidence during the past three and a half years will be continued.

FOR RHEUMATISM.



AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

Bonia's Plot

FELL FLAT AS A PANCAKE IN GOOD OLD TREPASSEY.

Dear Sir.—We are glad to hear the good news from everywhere that we are to have a clean new government in place of the miserable misfits who have ruined the fisheries.

No cry of "Down with the Merchants" will work here, which has no use at all for Coakerism: Not even Bonia's name, big a man as he thinks he is, will poll a vote for Coaker here. The news of his flop into the Coaker side fell as flat as a pancake in good old Trepassey.

Then keep out of it, boy, I would say to Bonia, or any of his tribe of heeled.

Yours truly, PLANTER. Trepassey, March 29, 1923.

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EVA, EVA, EVA OLIVOTTI.
The girl who last Easter infected the city with the "jazzy" fever. LOOK OUT FOR "THE STORM"—IT'S A REGULAR WHIRLWIND.

The Wet Blanket.

TOO HEAVY TO THROW OFF.

Though orders have gone out to the Government touters and the Daily Mail scribblers to disown Coakerism; and all and sundry connected with the cause of the worst Government that ever held the reins of power in Newfoundland, and to suppress it, as much as possible, they cannot throw off the wet blanket which Coaker, and the crazy policies he is likely to enforce, inspires.

It is saturated so much with all that is repulsive and repugnant to the voters that the Squiresites know right well that day by day it is weighing them down and will smother them entirely when the polls are opened.

It terrifies like unto a nightmare and is causing such consternation in their ranks that pressure is being brought to bear to cut this wet blanket adrift altogether and to let Coaker sink or swim on his own hook alone.

As long as they carry the wet blanket at all, hide it from the public sight as much as they may, it still bears upon them oppressively and loud are the lamentations over the certain danger that it is going to do to their cause. Coaker enthusiasts on the other hand are openly yelling that if any attempt is made to knife their leader, the call will be issued to their supporters to fire out every Squires candidate who is seeking to get in under the Coaker wing.

Coaker Slates School Inspectors.

What Excuse Will He Now Give for Endorsing Educational Department, Entering an Extra One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

"We send St. John's friends ever ready to fleece the outport sellers of hoops and coeprage stock." "Do the people of the outports receive their own when they are forced to pay taxes of \$3,000 a year in order to maintain three institutions at St. John's to instruct college boys to cut up pieces of pine wood? Do they receive their own when they are forced to pay thousands of dollars to keep up agricultural stables at St. John's, principally for the benefit of St. John's farmers? Do the fishermen receive their own when they pay taxes to keep up five splendid colleges at St. John's, and eight of the flying kites called school inspectors? A fisherman sends \$20 to St. John's to one of the large stores. He asks for certain goods. His order is filled with sheltf-worn material which has been refused by hundreds. He must grin and bear it, for it is too much trouble to return the trash sent to him."—From Evening Advocate.

Seal Skinners Notice.—Just arrived a new lot of skinning knives and steels. Good knives mean more money. These are the best yet. G. KNOWLING, LTD. mar29.31.eod

How They Loved Each Other!

Coaker Hoped For Squires' Defeat.

"I would sooner have Warren, but he hadn't a newspaper; that is why I had to accept Squires."—W. F. Coaker.

What do the strong supporters think of Mr. Coaker now. Coaker always distrusted Squires and Squires always distrusted Coaker, but they amalgamated to defeat Cashin, the man who befriended both Squires and Coaker.

Seventy-five thousand dollars campaign money and two newspapers were the inducements that Squires held out to Coaker for his support. In other words, Squires bought Coaker, the F.P.U. and its candidates. The big price meant the finish of the F.P.U. political party, but the time is coming when Coaker will throw down

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WELL, THEY'RE IN EGYPT ANYWAY.

—By Bud Fisher

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SIDE TALKS.

By Ruth Cameron.

THE BLESSED MIDDLE CLASS.

I wonder if there was ever a child who didn't dream of the someday when he would be rich? Probably not.

Why is it? Do we want the power that comes with wealth? Is it because we want to do good? Is it because we want the distinction?

In some vague way we want all these things but the main reason we want riches is because we seem to have had bred in our bones the idea that riches and happiness are synonymous.

Ten thousand philosophers have asserted that they are not. But we talk that just a way of talking, a way to keep the mass of people who don't win riches, from being discontented with their lot.

I suppose the only way to really be satisfied in one's heart is to get more money and to find that one has gotten a corresponding increase in happiness after the first excitement has faded away.

The Best Chance for Happiness. The older I grow the more I become convinced that the people who have the best chance for happiness are the middle class, the people who do not have to endure the grind of a monotonous poverty nor the dizzying temptations of a large income.

Take a family of this kind, with an income somewhere between \$2,500 and \$5,000 a year, children, reasonably essential work, and reasonable pleasures.

Neither is there the deadly grind of poverty, the terrible anxiety about how to make both ends meet, the bitterness for the children of having to go without the things that most of their companions have.

Where there is too much or too little money it must always be the dominant thing in life. It is those who come in between those two extremes who are most free from the money obsession.

I think I have quoted before what

the wisest man of his day said about the middle class of his time, but it is worth quoting again.

"Give me neither poverty nor riches lest I be full and deny thee and say Who is the Lord? Or lest I be poor and steal and take the name of my God in vain."

Worth His Weight in Gold. A writer in the Advocate says "Dr. Campbell is worth his weight in gold." Well, gentle reader, he ought to be by this time. For the past three years he has been the big noise in the Coaker-Squires camp, and he's not averse to picking up a dollar when he sees one lying around. We shall, therefore, not be surprised if history repeats itself when like the famous Machiavre described in Prowse's history he packs his grip and books his ticket for Cowslip Isle, saying as he departs:—"Good-bye, you poor fools of Newfoundlanders."

No Time To Be Bored. A letter came to me recently from the mother of such a family. It described their Christmas, a Christmas full of tender self-sacrifices and jolly little surprises and candles and garlands and love. You could just feel the happiness and tenderness of that Christmas, even across the gap of time and space. That family is typical of the kind of life I mean. Both father and mother work hard, he is at his profession, she at keeping the home pleasant, sewing, companioning the children and taking her share (as the modern woman does) in community and political life.

The children are happy, healthy children, mischievous and difficult at times like all normal children, but very good children in the larger sense. Life doesn't always go smoothly for that family more than for any family in any rank of life; but it is always interesting and absorbing, there is no time for anyone to get bored or to stop and wonder whether there is any particular use in life after all; no time for father or mother to develop ailments; no chance for the children to get the vices that come with too much pocket money.

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Spaniard's Bay for Bennett.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir.—Please give me space to contradict a statement which appeared in the Evening Advocate on Monday, March 26th, under the heading "Spaniard's Bay reviews the situation," and signed A Well-known Friend of Spaniard's Bay. He says that Mr. Bennett and Hickman are not wanted here. Nonsense. I can guarantee him that ninety per cent. of Spaniard's Bay, Bishop's Cove, Island Cove and Tilton are Bennett men.

Do they think we are foolish to turn down such men as Bennett and Hickman to support a man that has been in potato trade for some years. No, Sir, nothing doing. Mr. Advocate, Spaniard's Bay like the rest of the country has had enough of Squires and Coaker rule since 1919, with our people reduced to pauperism through no fault of their own but through the incapables who are running the affairs of his country. Who would support Squires and his party here

when a man has to apply to the Relieving Officer and get some flour per week with molasses and a quarter tea.

I may say, Mr. Well-known Friend of Spaniard's Bay, that the boys who offered their services in the Great War right well know him (J. R. Bennett) and are patiently waiting for Polling Day to come along that they will back him to a man and to show Squires that they are still in the fight and not getting much pay, and he can mark it down that Bennett and party are duly bound to win. Come on Bennett and Hickman and you can reckon on a solid vote here. We intend to vote for Bennett and Better Times.

A BENNETT MAN.
Spaniard's Bay, March 28, 1923.

Wants Patrol Ship.

Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Sir.—It is about time some steps were taken concerning our foreign-going vessels now from sixty to eighty days out from foreign ports, battling with the terrific storms, frost and ice of the present winter. It is most likely that the greater number are now short of food, fuel, canvas and other necessities.

In my opinion it is a deplorable condition of affairs to have the bone and sinew of our Island home left to the mercy of storms and ice without some direct means being taken to assist them.

I now suggest that the Government send out a patrol ship to their assistance, bringing them the necessary requirements before it may be too late. True, the S.S. "Rosalia" and S.S. "Silvia" gave good assistance to those they found out there in distress, and the captain, officers and crew of each of these ships deserve the highest praise for their prompt and valuable aid, and also for the encouraging news their reports contained, which was greatly appreciated by the friends of those on board.

But these steamers, carrying as they do, large numbers of passengers, take the best possible course to avoid ice, and it may be weeks again before they come this course, where our feet are now supposed to be jammed.

And, Mr. Editor, after the gales of the past week, who knows the condition of these vessels? Some may be leaky, others perhaps have rudders gone, canvas gone, or life-boats broken. It is only those who have experienced such can realize the hardship and danger of coming on our coast this time of year, particularly this spring.

Once again I strongly suggest, and trust the Government will take the matter (which is a serious one) into consideration, and send out a ship fully equipped to render assistance to those hardy sons of ours who are suffering untold hardships keeping

the trade of our country going, while we at home are comfortably resting near the fireside.

Thanking you in anticipation for space, Mr. Editor, I am,

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