

TEN PAGES TO-DAY.
WEATHER FORECAST.

TORONTO, Noon.—Moderate winds,
fine to-day and on Wednesday; not
much change in temperature.
ROPER'S, Noon.—Bar. 29.70; Ther.
42.

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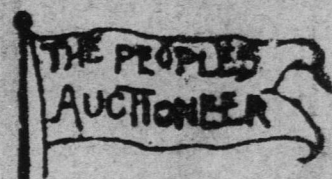
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By public Auction, on the premises, on

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all that piece or parcel of Land situate at Allan's Square, together with Dwelling House thereon, No. 13. The premises is held under lease for a period of 99 years from the 31st of October, 1892, and is subject to an annual rental of \$20.00. Water and sewerage connection have recently been installed in the dwelling house. Further particulars made known on application to M. P. GIBBS, K.C., Bank of Montreal Building, or

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april 10, 31, eod

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200 Sacks Cracked Corn,

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NOTICE!

The first Quarterly Meeting for 1913 of the Newfoundland Board of Trade will be held in their Rooms on Thursday, 17th inst., at 4 p.m.

ERNEST A. PAYN,
april 15, 21 Secretary.

FOR SALE — First-class Dwelling, No. 51 Duckworth Street, one door west Devon Row; also House, No. 65 Prescott Street; also Land on Circular Road, measuring 70 feet x 161 feet. Apply to R. J. COLLEMAN, McBride's Hill. mar11, tu, tf

FOR SALE — 1 Piece Freehold Ground on Freshwater Road, 26 feet frontage, 193 feet rearage. Apply 91 King's Rd. april 2, 6, 13, tu, th

FOR SALE — A MOTOR TRUCK, in first-class order; only three months in use. Apply to TASKER COOK, Water St. mar31, tf

FOR SALE — Houses on Bell Street, William Street and Merry-met Road; apply to GEO. W. B. AYRE, Solicitor, Renouf Building. apr5, tf

TO LET — From May 1st, furnished or unfurnished, the country house known as "Bella Vista," situated on the Torbay Road, within a few minutes' walk of the Golf Links. Apply to JOHN FENELON, Board of Trade Bldg., St. John's. mar22, s, tu, tf

TO LET — House and Shop on Freshwater Road, near LeMarchant Road; possession given May 31st. Also a House on LeMarchant Road. Apply at No. 2 LeMarchant Road. april 13, eod

Earn \$8 Weekly at Home during spare time Mailing Circulars. For particulars send 10c. silver, which we return when you begin work. DROSTE CO., 474A 87 Trumbull Ave., Detroit, Mich. apr10, 1m

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Matchless Paint.

You will be pleased, so will the painter, and so will we, because

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1 1/4 inch, 1-12 inch,
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RETAIL STORE.

CARD—Miss Oxtan wishes to inform the ladies that she has all the Spring Fashions and Designs for Dressmaking and Ladies' Tailoring at 87 LONG'S HILL. april 14, 31

LOST — Two Setter Dogs, White with Black Marks; bitch and dog. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to McGRATH BROS., 166 Water Street. april 10, tf

Help Wanted.

WANTED TO RENT—By a young married couple, a House on Gower Street or central locality; furnished or unfurnished. Apply at this office. april 15, 11

WANTED—A Man; also a Boy; apply to the STANDARD MFG. CO. april 15, 11

WANTED — An Expressman; apply to T. J. EDENS, 151 Duckworth Street. april 15, 31

WANTED—A Girl for light work in connection with Book Binding; apply to DICKS & CO. april 15, tf

WANTED—A Good, Sober, Reliable Bread Baker; good wages to a suitable person; apply at this office. april 15, 31

JUNIOR CLERK WANTED—Must have some knowledge of shorthand, typewriting and office work; apply by letter to "G," care this office. april 14, tf

WANTED—Young Lady to take charge of Shop. Must have had experience. Satisfactory salary to competent person. Apply by letter, stating previous experience and salary expected. PHOTO SUPPLY CO., 150 Water St., City. april 14, tf

WANTED — A Girl with some experience to assist in store; apply to MRS. SUMMERS, Military Road. april 14, 31

WANTED—A Good Housemaid; apply between the hours of 7 and 9 p.m. at 52 Circular Road. april 14, tf

WANTED—By 1st May, a Young Man with experience in general farm work and carriage driving. Apply at this office. april 12, tf

WANTED—A Plain Cook; apply to MRS. W. J. HERDER, Renouf's Mill Road. april 10, tf

WANTED—A Young Man for the Grocery department, must have good experience and be able to give good references. Apply by letter only to G. KNOWLING, stating age and where last employed. ap1, tf

MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR SALE EVERYWHERE.

HOUSE of ASSEMBLY

Mr. Kent Will Move for Address to Governor to Postpone Prorogation until Questions Asked Have Been Answered.

The House met at the usual hour yesterday when several petitions were presented. Mr. Kent put forward one from David Connors, Wm. Shea and others of Pouch Cove, asking for a road to farm lands. Mr. Kent deservedly raised the industry of the petitioners, who were doing all possible to improve their holdings and to whom this road is a vital matter in the successful prosecution of their work as fishermen farmers. Mr. Kent earnestly recommended the petition to the notice of the Government, and his colleague, Mr. Dwyer, gave it this hearty support.

In answer to the one question on the order paper propounded by Mr. Clift, the Colonial Secretary said that Mr. Rodger John Kennedy is now and has been in the employ of the Government as Government Railroad Inspector at a salary of \$1,000 per year.

The House now went into Committee on the Northern Electrical Bill. When the various sections of the Act were under deliberation, Mr. Kent said that he thought it was due to the Committee that the Minister in charge of the Bill should be in a position to inform the Committee as to what was the meaning of the granting of the use of the waters of Diamond Long Pond and the waters, rivers and streams running into it; what area they covered; how it affected other localities and other sections of the same District, and that provision should be made to enable others re-

quiring the use of these waters to work in harmony with the joint users thereof; that as the right given was only a similar right to one they could acquire under the Crown Lands Act; that the present grant should be made subject to the conditions of the Crown Lands Act. He also thought that when land was appropriated for the purpose of the Company that it should be a condition precedent that the owner the amount of the award before they took possession of and appropriated the land; also that the information required by the Companies' Act of 1899 to be filed with the Registrar of Companies should be required from the present Company. The Bill passed through the Committee amended as demanded by Mr. Kent and also with a new section inserted on motion of the Minister of Agriculture and Mines (Mr. Blandford) that operating machinery, &c., be admitted free of duty.

Mr. Kent then gave notice that he would move to-day for an Address to His Excellency the Governor that he be pleased to postpone prorogation of the present session of the Legislature until such time as the information asked for by members of the House from various departments of the Government be furnished the members by the Ministers in charge of the respective departments.

The House then adjourned until 3 p.m. to-day.

Old Folks Find New Remedy Relieves All Kidney And Bladder Miseries

Drives Rheumatic Pains Away, Relieves Backache and Bladder Disorders After a Few Doses Are Taken.

Sleep disturbing bladder weaknesses, backache, rheumatism, and the many other kindred ailments which so commonly come with declining years, need no longer be a source of dread and misery to those who are past the middle age of life.

The new discovery, Croxone, cures all such disorders because it removes the very cause of the trouble. It soaks right into the kidneys, through the walls and linings, cleans out the filtering glands and cells, and gives the kidneys new strength to do their work properly. It neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous uric acid substances that lodge in the joints and muscles, causing rheumatism; and makes the kidneys filter and sift out all the poisonous waste matter from the blood and drive it out of the system.

It matters not how old you are or how long you have suffered, Croxone is so prepared that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. You will find it different from all other remedies. There is nothing else on earth like it. It starts to work immediately and more than a few doses are seldom required to relieve even the most chronic, obstinate case.

It is the most wonderful remedy ever made for restoring the lifeless organs to health and strength and ridding the system of every particle of uric acid, and you can take it with the utmost confidence that nothing on earth will so quickly cure such conditions.

You can obtain an original package of Croxone at trifling cost from any first-class druggist. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price if Croxone should fail in a single case.

The Ambulance.

The ambulance, which has now been in use in the city for several years past, is highly appreciated by the public, but many believe, that situated where it is at the present time, in the Eastern Fire Station, it is out of the way and should be kept in a more central location. Another feature about the ambulance is that as matters stand at present, it interferes with the effective working of the Eastern fire fighters at any time they are called to an outbreak, while the ambulance is on duty. Generally three of the firemen, a driver and two others go in the ambulance when people are to be removed to hospital from trains and steamers, and reducing the force, if even only for an hour, by three men and might be a serious matter for property holders. As a matter of fact when these three men are absent on this duty, it means that four out of seven men are away from the station as each day a man in his turn is taking his weekly day off. Many believe that the ambulance should be in the hands of the hospital authorities and should not be allowed to interfere in the slightest manner with the working of such an important branch of the public service as our fire department. Apropos of this, and despite the fact that while refusing them a stiver as a raise in

their meagre wages, they have Sir Edward Morris's "sympathy"; it would seem strange that though our city has expanded greatly in 25 years, and the work of the firemen has grown more onerous and needs greater attention and application, there has been no corresponding increase in the department numerically and certainly not financially, as the men know to their grief. Most people believe as we do, that the ambulance should be transferred to other hands, not altogether for the sake of greater efficiency (because the men who now handle it do their work well), but so that it may not in the least impede the fire fighters in their work.

His Excellency Congratulates C.L.B.

In the C. L. B. Armoury last night during drill Major Warren read a letter from His Excellency Governor Davidson congratulating the Battalion on the excellent appearance they made when His Excellency inspected them during the presentation of the Outerbridge Shield. Their marching, physical drill and other manoeuvres were of high order and their neatness and general efficiency was praised. L. G. Edgecombe in charge of the squad which won the shield was awarded the medal for his work, and the trophy won by No. 1 Section B. Co. under command of Corp. Samuelson was awarded the second in command as the former had to be at barracks and could not attend to drill. The annual sports will be held Thursday night.

Oporto Market.

	Pl. Wk.	Pl. Wk.
Stocks (Nfld.)	6,200	8,370
Consumption	2,000	2,640
Stocks (Norsk.)	7,100	9,160
Consumption	3,380	2,100
At Vienna	150	60

Baseball.

A meeting of the Baseball League took place last night. There was a large attendance and Mr. J. O. Havermale presided. A committee to look after the grounds where the games will come off was appointed. All the clubs have their outfits imported and just as soon as the weather permits practices will commence. Some of the enthusiasts have been practicing indoors for quite a period and they will be able to give a good account of themselves when the season opens. During the coming summer an inter-town competition will take place between teams from Grand Falls, Bell Island, St. John's for a prize offered by R. G. Reid, Esq., Honorary President of the Baseball League.

Here and There.

Campbell's Milk Shakes are delicious.—Jan 27, 11

History repeats itself time and again, and marvels of taste and style are now showing in all kinds of Hats at RODGER'S.—ap 15, 11

EXPRESS ARRIVES.—The Lintrose express arrived here at 8.30 last night after a very good run and brought several passengers.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.—The Regular Meeting of Terra Nova Council, No. 1422, will be held TO-NIGHT (Tuesday), at 8.30 o'clock, W. H. TOBIN, Recorder.—ap 15, 11

BILLIARD DINNERS.—The Star billiard dinner will take place in their Club Rooms to-night, and the B.I.S. on next Monday.

DINNA FORGET, St. Andrew's Society Concert in the Presbyterian Hall, TO-NIGHT. Doors open at 7.30. Concert at 8. Tickets 30 and 50 cts.—ap 15, 11

ORGAN RECITAL.—At 8.30 to-night, the organ recital takes place in Cochrane St. Church. The admission is free and a most enjoyable evening is promised all who attend, as most of the leading musicians in the city will take part.

The superior up-to-date invisible bifocal Kryptok Lens is the last word in double vision glasses, supplied by R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Specialist.—mar 25, 11

WHALING NEWS.—The crew of the whaler Cachet will arrive from Norway next week. The Cachet is now at Trinity where she has been since giving up operations last fall and will soon be provisioned for the whaling voyage.

We have a few Salvage Goods left at Job Prices. See them, THE NATIONAL STORES, Greaves & Sons, Limited, apr 14, 11

"SEAL" LANDS 12,417 SEALS.—The S. S. Seal finished landing her cargo of seals last night. She turned out—13,147 young harps; 5 bedlamers; 3 old harps; 6 old hoods. Total 12,161. Gross eight 256 tons, 3 cwt.; nett 277 tons, 5 cwt. 1 qr. 3 lbs. The young harps averaged 49 lbs.

HANDEL'S "MESSIAH."—The practice to-morrow (Wednesday) evening will, by kind permission, be held in the basement of Grover Street Church. apr 15, 11

RED CROSS LINE.—The s.s. City of Sydney sails from Halifax to-night for this port, bringing a full cargo of freight. This trip will complete her charter with the Red Cross Line. She will return to Montreal immediately and prepare for the Black Diamond route.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS.—OUR STORE will be open this week at night up to 9 o'clock, giving intending buyers a chance to select a bargain in a Piano, Organ, Sewing Machine or other goods. Store to be vacated at end of April. CHESLEY WOODS & CO.—ap 14, 11

YOU MAKE NO MISTAKE when you want your clothes Cleaned and Pressed, and otherwise attended to, in sending them to SPURRELL BROS. Catering to the best trade in the city—prompt service and faithful work have placed us a leader in the business. Phone 574 and we are at your service in ten minutes. SPURRELL BROS., 365 Water Street, next door to Parker & Monroe's.—ap 12, 11

Another of those enjoyable musical "At Home" for which the Ladies of the Presbyterian West End Aid are becoming famous, will be held at the residence of Mrs. H. Crawford, No. 179, LeMarchant Road, on Wednesday, April 16th. Commencing at 3 o'clock, there will be a Sale of Work, admission 10 cents. Afternoon teas to suit the most fastidious will be served for 20 cents. Quite a lot of dainty and useful articles will be offered for sale, and it is safe to say that purchasers will be delighted with the beautiful things to be displayed. At 8 o'clock the concert will commence, admission 30 cents. A splendid programme has been provided. Ice-Cream and Candies will be for sale. After the concert, tea and cake will be served to all free. All who go will certainly spend a most enjoyable evening, and will help along the good work which these ladies have undertaken.—ap 12, 11

Death of Mrs. Aide.

We take the following obituary notice from the St. John Globe, of the 9th inst.:

The death took place at St. John, N.B., on Wednesday, April 9th, at the Mater Misericordiae Home, of Mrs. Margaret Aide. She was the widow of Captain John Aide, and a native of St. John's, Newfoundland. The deceased was in the 82nd year of her age, and is survived by one son, Samuel, and two daughters, Mrs. McAuley and Mrs. Brown, all of St. John, N.B.

Capt. John Aide, whose death preceded that of his wife, the subject of this obituary, by several years, was a man who figured prominently in nautical circles in this city in the 'sixties and 'seventies. His intrepid and daring at sea earned for him amongst the soubriquet of "Skysail Jack." He traded as captain of old-time vessels between St. John's, the Mediterranean and West India ports in the fish carrying business and was a skillful and successful mariner. The Aides, before leaving for St. John, N.B., resided on what was then known as Play House Hill, now Theatre Hill, and will be remembered by many old timers.

A Good Investment.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—A lady of this place took out an insurance policy on her life in 1893, and January 23rd of this year drew out \$2,300, this being the amount of the policy with profits added. She was so pleased with the result that she immediately took out another policy and also insured her eldest daughter's life for \$2,000, and her youngest son for \$1,000. We congratulate the lady on her good judgment, and wish her many years in which to enjoy the fruits of her thrift. Yours truly,

NEWBRIDGE, Salmonier.

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RHEUMATISM, LUMBAGO, NEURALGIA and all aches and pains can be cured by using STAFFORD'S LINIMENT.

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Stafford's Liniment can be used internally as well as externally. Dose from 10 to 30 drops in either syrup, milk or molasses. Stafford's Liniment largely advertised and well established is now in good demand and bound to carry with it enquiries for their other 2 specialties, namely Stafford's Prescription "A" and Phosphate Cough Mixture. To-day there is not an outpost in Newfoundland where Stafford's Three Specialties are well known to everyone.

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STAFFORD'S PHARMACY, Duckworth Street, apr 11

Prospero Arrives.

The S. S. Prospero, Capt. Connors, returned from the westward last night after a fairly good run considering conditions. On the going passage good headway was made until reaching Belleoram where the steamer was lashed for two days and a half.

After getting clear she was not long steaming to Channel. She left to come east on Wednesday last and conditions were found more favourable than the week previous. From Placentia to St. John's dense fog was met. The ship brought a two-thirds cargo and as passengers—Messrs. J. G. Strain, A. M. Pratt, Dr. McDonald, G. R. Hodder, M. T. Flynn, P. J. Power, S. Gibbons, J. Nolan, J. T. Morcy, J. Tickman, Dr. Freshair, H. C. Winsor, Rev. Fr. Sheehan, Mesdames Way, Gorman, McDonald, Weeks, Daley, Walsh, Devine, Roche, Murphy, Master Murphy, Badcock, Sister Aloysius, Misses Hickey, Withers, Kearsey and 60 in steerage.

As soon as the Prospero is discharged she will lay up for her annual overhauling, after which she will resume the northern service.

Patients Arrives.

There arrived from the S.W. Coast points last night by the S. S. Prospero eleven, 9 for the general hospital suffering from different ailments, and 2 for the Lunatic Asylum. One man had to be taken to the hospital in the ambulance, being seriously ill. Six of the patients have been placed in boarding houses to wait their turn as there is no accommodation for them at the Hospital just now.



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The Yale Cylinder Night-latch No. 44 is a combination night-latch and deadlock, offering all the convenience of the spring lock, together with the most perfect security known. Come in and let us show you how it works.

We carry a carefully selected stock of Yale Locks of all kinds and for every purpose.

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Spring is opening upon us; now is the time to think about a general clean up. The doors and windows need a coat of paint, skirtings and stairs need varnishing, in fact you require a tin of paint or varnish to get the real Spring feeling.

We carry a full stock of Brandram & Henderson's Liquid Paints, etc., in all sizes. Use Brandram & Henderson's Paints and Varnish, they give you just the finish you want—and satisfaction.

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THEY KNOW WHICH IS BEST.

A little while ago we drew your attention to a clipping, showing that out of 13 Motor Cars in a Garage at Harrogate, 10 Cars were using

MICHELIN TYRES.

Would you infer from this that the owners of these ten cars are fools, or in other words that 77 per cent. of these motorists are devoid of sense while the other 23 per cent. are full of reason? Of course you would not—such a verdict would be absurd.

It simply means that 77 per cent. know MICHELINS are the BEST TYRES. The others will soon get to know.

A. H. MURRAY, Agent.

Statutory Notice!

In the matter of the Estate of Robert Scott, late of Fogo, Merchant, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons claiming to be creditors of, or who have any claim or demand upon or affecting the estate or assets of the said Robert Scott, of whose estate Administration cum testamento annexo was granted by the Honourable the Supreme Court to Elizabeth F. Scott, are required to send particulars of their claims, duly attested, to the said Elizabeth F. Scott at Fogo or to the undersigned Solicitor for said Administration, on or before the 20th day of May, A.D. 1913; and notice is hereby given that after the said 20th day of May, A.D. 1913 the said Administration will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.

Saint John's, April 7th, 1913.

JAS. P. BLACKWOOD,
Solicitor for Administration.
Address: Temple Building, Duckworth Street, St. John's, N.F.
apr 10, 11

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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - Proprietor
W. F. LLOYD, - - - Editor

TUESDAY, April 15, 1913.

An Outrage on Parliament!

If there is one function of Parliament better established than another, it is the right of Parliament to full information as to the financial operations of the country and the doings of the various departments.

It is the very foundation on which Parliament rests, for if a Government could refuse such information then all control by the people over a Government by the representatives of the people would vanish, and the responsibility of Ministers be a principle of the past.

So well established is this principle, that such information has been in the past supplied as a matter of course, whenever a member has given notice of a question in the usual way.

How the House of Commons deals with such questions may be gathered from the extract we give from May's Parliamentary Practice: "If parties neglect to make returns in reasonable time, they are ordered to make them forthwith; or so much of the return as has not been made. If they continue to withhold them, they are ordered to attend at the bar of the House; and unless they satisfactorily explain the cause of their neglect, and comply with the order of the House, they will be censured or punished according to the circumstances of the case."

Many of the Ministers this session have displayed in this matter an arrogance that is not in keeping with parliamentary Government, and can be likened only to the arbitrary conduct of Russian bureaucrats. If the Newfoundland House of Assembly was a Russian Duma, its members could not have been treated with less consideration and its fundamental right to information could not have been

flouted more than has been done by certain Ministers of the Crown.

The most glaring example of all is in connection with the payments under the Railway Construction Contract, 1910. This Contract is the outstanding feature of the Morris Administration. It was boomed as the great Master-piece of Morris. It has been shown to be a botch by Sir Robert Bond and Mr. Kent in the House of Assembly, and by the Evening Telegram outside the House.

The financial obligations were entered into by the Morris Government with a light heart. They did not count the cost. They talked airily of satisfying the contractor and completing the Railway for four million dollars. Six million dollars have already been borrowed and it is well known that more money will have to be borrowed to satisfy the contractual obligations under this contract.

Under the circumstances, it was the duty of the Minister of Finance to keep the House of Assembly well posted with the amounts that had been paid to the contractor and what the payments had been for. Even if it had not been asked for, such information should have been voluntarily supplied either before the Budget Speech or in the Budget Speech. But it was asked for and had not been supplied up to yesterday, two days before the day announced for the close of the session.

MR. KENT, ON THE SECOND DAY OF THE SESSION, ASKED THE HON. THE MINISTER OF FINANCE TO LAY ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE A FULLY DETAILED STATEMENT OF ALL PAYMENTS MADE TO OR ON ACCOUNT OF THE RAILWAY CONTRACTOR, UNDER THE RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT, 1910, TO DATE, FOR CONSTRUCTION OR OTHER PURPOSES, GIVING THE DATE, AMOUNT AND PURPOSE OF EVERY SUCH PAYMENT, WHETHER ON ACCOUNT OF CONTRACT, PRICE OR EXTRAS, OR UNDER ANY SECTION OF THE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT, AND IF SO, WHICH.

Altogether there are THIRTY QUESTIONS UNANSWERED. The offending Ministers are Mr. Cashin, Minister of Finance and Customs; Mr. Woodford, Minister of Public Works; Mr. Blandford, Minister of Agriculture and Mines, and Mr. Piccott, Minister of Marine and Fisheries. The Leader of the House is the Prime Minister. It is the duty of Sir Edward Morris, as Leader of the House to

guard its privileges jealously, and as Prime Minister it is his duty to exercise his influence on the Ministers who have been recalcitrant to their duty, and to insist on the answers asked for being furnished. He has promised often that the information would be furnished; but he has not kept his promise. For instance, he promised on Friday that the information, so long delayed should be sent to the houses of members on Saturday. The information was not sent as promised nor was it furnished in the House of Assembly yesterday.

With these thirty questions still unanswered, the Colonial Secretary sent out the following letter:—

April 14th, 1913.
Sir,—I have the honor to acquaint you that His Excellency the Governor will close the Fifth Session of the Twenty-second General Assembly on Wednesday afternoon, the 16th inst., at 3 o'clock, in the Legislative Council Chamber.
I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
R. WATSON,
Col. Secretary.

Is it any wonder then that Mr. Kent gave notice in the House yesterday that he would "move an address to His Excellency the Governor respectfully requesting that His Excellency will be pleased to postpone the prorogation of the present Session of the Legislature until all returns asked for by members of this House from the various Departments of the Government shall have been laid on the table of the House for the information of its members, by the Ministers in charge of the Departments to which such enquiries are directed?"

This Date in History.

APRIL 15.
Days Past—104. To Come—260.

TITANIC DISASTER, 1912. Largest passenger ship afloat, was wrecked by an iceberg, and owing to inadequate means of taking passengers off, 1,500 people went down.

W. T. STEAD drowned in Titanic wreck, 1912, aged 62. Foremost English journalist, editor of Review of Reviews. Was the first to introduce the interview into the English press.

MATTHEW ARNOLD, died 1888, aged 66. English poet, critic and educationist. In the '60s he attacked the social and educational conditions, voicing his dissatisfaction with the corrupt ideals of the day.

CARDINAL VAUGHAN born 1832, was Roman Catholic Archbishop of Westminster.

FATHER DAMIEN died 1889, aged 48. At 32 he went to the Islands of Hawaii and devoted the rest of his life to the lepers, dying himself of leprosy.

BISHOP O'DONNELL, first Roman Catholic Bishop of Nfld., died in Waterford, 1811.

"To be face to face with facts, that is the real thing—with real, live human facts. He who is face to face with real facts is not far from the secret of God."

—W. T. Stead.

In Memoriam.

W. T. STEAD DROWNED IN THE WRECK OF THE TITANIC, APRIL 15th, 1912.

Just a year ago to-day, the Titanic, steaming along in the arrogance of a false security, suddenly became the scene of an assemblage of horrors, when a tangled mass of fifteen hundred men, women and children were struggling in the ice-cold water, and sending up to Heaven vain cries for help, their shouts and groans blending in a long-drawn chorus of anguish that slowly sank into the silence of Death!

In W. T. Stead the world has lost one of her great men. Journalism has lost a leader and an example. When he founded his Review of Reviews, he concluded his foreword with this desire: "To establish a periodical, read as men used to read their Bibles, not to waste an idle hour, but to discover the Will of God and their duty to man," and after twenty-one years he was able to say: "Nor can anyone discover in these forty-two volumes a page which does not ring true to the key-note sounded in the first number of the Review."

He was taken from school at the age of fourteen and for seven years remained in a merchant's office at Newcastle, leaving it to accept an editorship, and from that time giving his life to journalism. To him the Press was a sword to cut down the foes of righteousness, a platform from which to hearten and inspire the armies of the Lord, a desk at which he could expound his policy for making a new heaven and a new earth. In 1877 he said: "I see more clearly than ever that the moral sense of the nation is the measure of its power, and all that lowers its morality saps its empire. I must be a preacher of righteousness if I would do my country any service." In him, like Lincoln, the enthusiasm of humanity was incarnate. Men and women who had lost faith in themselves regained it as they felt the throbs of his sympathy. Certainly women had never a braver knight. No movement that gave promise of help to woman called in vain for his cavalry, and devotion. He was one of the first editors to engage a woman on his staff at the same terms as to work and wages as men, and his views on the equality of the sexes were shown by his refusal to attend any meeting or club to which he could not bring his wife as well.

Perhaps the last letter written by him from the Titanic, contained this remarkable paragraph: "I am going to America to deliver one speech. But I feel as if that were the same as which Saul went forth to seek when

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Impossible

he was crowned King of Israel. What else I am to do I do not know. Something is awaiting me, some important work the nature of which will be disclosed to me in good time. But what it is, whether journalistic, spiritual, social or political, I know not. I await my marching orders, being assured that He who has called me will make known His good will and pleasure in due season. And as the Japanese believe that a man only begins to live when he ceases to live, so W. T. Stead, called so suddenly to that Spirit World in which he believed, and without any of the limitations of human flesh, continues as a force, inspiring and strengthening generations to come.

What's Doing?

During the past fortnight we have been in receipt of communications from people in different parts of the country, complaining that they are unable to purchase a copy of the Evening Telegram on the train, although plenty of the other papers are available. We append extracts from a couple of letters received recently:

"MANUELS,
"April 14, '13.

"Dear Sir,—Do you put any Telegrams on the trains now to be sold? We cannot get a newspaper now except the 'Herald' and 'News,' and this is the cry all along the line."

"KELLOGG,
"April 2, 1913.

"Dear Sir,—I wrote you some time ago, stating that the people here could not obtain the Evening Telegram on the train which arrives here at 7 o'clock, and we regret to see the matter is even worse now for the newsboy absolutely refuses to sell anything but the 'Herald.' The motive is so obvious that we intend to defeat it."

We will make no comment on the matter at the present time, but leave it to our readers to figure it out and ask themselves—what does it mean?

Fine Picture at Rossley's.

Last night at Rossley's Star Theatre there was one of the best bills seen for a long time. Shadrick and Juliette Talbot in a new sketch were very good, while Juliette Talbot in her Irish and Scotch songs delighted all. The picture of General Booth's funeral was one of the best films ever seen at the Star. The procession through the streets of London and the thousands who attended it is a splendid piece of photography. There is a quartette at the back of the screen singing "Nearer my God to Thee," arranged by Prof. Ryall, which makes it more realistic. All should see this fine programme. Jack Rossley is on the Mongolian.

More Light.

Our new 40 candle power lamp can supply more light at less cost than any other system of Artificial Lighting. This lamp is especially designed for use with our new ten-cent Slot Meter. Drop ten cents in the slot, and the lamp will run for 32 hours, giving a light of 40 candle power.

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Obituary.

L. JERRETT.
Yesterday the Colonial Secretary had a wire from Mr. A. Reid, of Heart's Delight, T.B., acquainting him with the death of Mr. Llewellyn Jerrett and which sad event occurred on Saturday. Deceased was a well known contractor and builder. He was a prominent member of the C. L. B. and an active church worker. To the bereaved family at Heart's Delight sincere sympathy will be extended.

Fishery News.

By the Prospero we learn that good fishing is being had recently along the South West Coast. The ice, which was the continual setback to the fishermen has moved off the coast. Last week banking vessels got daily with their trawls an average of 80 tubs; boats got from 5 to 12 qts. Fish are abundantly plentiful.

WANTED—Girls to learn Pants and Vest making. Neat sewers make good wages to start. C. M. HALL, Genuine Tailor and Renovator, 243 Theatre Hill.—apr12,ed,tf

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NEW AMERICAN CABBAGE—Crates,
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Also,—100 Barrels Boneless Flank Beef,
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All the following will be ready May 1st: **PLANTS**—Daisies, 25c. a doz.; Pansies, Sweet Williams, Everlasting Peas, Perennial Phlox, each 50c. a dozen; Carnations, Perennial Popples, Holly Hock, Canterbury Bells, Dianthus, Polyanthus, each \$1 a dozen; Flowering Roses.

FLOWERING ROOTS—Lily of the Valley, Clumps, 20c. each; Peonies, 20c. each.

CABBAGE PLANTS, 80c. a hundred.

Cauliflower, Brussels Sprouts, Kale, and Celery Plants, each \$1 a hundred.

Cash must accompany order. We pay the carriage on all orders of \$1 and over.

For quotations on larger lots of Cabbage Plants, apply at GROVE HILL, Phone 247.

J. McNEIL,
RAWLIN'S CROSS.

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<p>HEINZ'S RED KIDNEY BEANS, 50 boxes</p> <p>BONNIE BELLE BAKING POWDER, 2 1/2 oz., 3/4 lb., 1/2 lb. and 1 lb. tins.</p> <p>Kellogg's TOASTED CORN FLAKES, \$1.40 doz.</p> <p>BLUE BELLE'S METAL POLISH, CHIVER'S CARPET SOAP.</p> <p>LIQUID VENEER, 25c. and 50c. bottle.</p>	<p>200 bags BRAN.</p> <p>IRISH POTATOES, 20 brls. N. Y. BALDWIN'S.</p> <p>10 brls. SPARE RIBS.</p> <p>200 bags BLACK OATS.</p> <p>200 bags CORN.</p> <p>200 bags CORN MEAL.</p> <p>200 bags HOMINY.</p> <p>10 cases FRESH EGGS.</p>
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Newest
Summer
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WASH FABRICS.

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of High Grade Wash Fabrics, representing every new weave and color that fashion has favoured for the coming season. Included are

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| POPLINS. | LINENS. | GINGHAMS. | CHAMBRAYS. |
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The shades are so varied that it would be impossible to name them all here, but the fact that these goods were made expressly for summer 1913 shows that the shades are new and up-to-date. SPECIAL PRICES.

15c. and 20c. yard.

Most of them values for 30 cents to 50 cents yard.



Poultry Association.

The members of the Newfoundland Poultry Association held their monthly meeting last evening in their rooms (Beck's Cove). The President, Mr. Gushue, was in the chair and a large and enthusiastic meeting afforded visible proof that the Association is a live one and has come to stay. One of the attractions promised for the meeting was a discourse by Mr. Walter Read, who, a short while back paid a visit to the New York Poultry Show and afterwards spent a considerable time on one of the best known poultry plants in the United States. Mr. Firchell is the well known owner of this plant and he has 120 acres devoted almost entirely to the breeding of White Plymouth Rocks. After some interesting remarks on the exhibits and other attractions of the Madison Square Show, Mr. Read passed on to the more important and more practical part of his visit to the U. S. A., namely his experiences of life on a great poultry plant.

We were all glad to learn that our 'Ambassador' was treated with the utmost kindness and good comradeship; that Mr. Firchell's influence obtained for him the full run of whatever shows he attended and that he has brought back with him the most pleasant recollections of American Poultry breeders.

Mr. Read's own experience as a poultry keeper enabled him to pick out the right things to bring forward in his lecture and it goes without saying that he and all who heard him have profited by his experience. It may surprise many who regard the hen as a very humble bird indeed that her value is rated as highly as \$10,000 sometimes, while Mr. Firchell possesses birds at from \$5,000 to \$3 (his lowest price). But he also has birds which no money could buy, unless he were selling his entire plant. At the close of his address Mr. Read passed round some interesting mementoes of his visit and questions were asked and readily answered.

Mr. Barker, in a few well chosen words, then proposed a hearty vote of thanks to the speaker which motion on being seconded by Mr. Brown was carried with acclamation.

A discussion then followed as to ways and means of increasing the membership of the Association. Mr. P. R. Butler eventually proposing that a prize be offered for that member who shall bring in the greatest number of new members by July. Mr. Butler himself offered a sitting of eggs from any one of his prize strains for the member who shall bring in the greatest number of new members by the next meeting. After some interesting details had been given as to the success of the incubating scheme, the meeting closed.

The Pope's Illness.

ROME, To-day. The Pope has rallied in a wonderful manner from the serious attack from which he suffered on Sunday and appeared to be on the point of death on Sunday night. The Physician's report last night indicates that the danger point for the present at least is past. Dr. Amici paid a visit shortly before midnight, although the Pope's temperature increased slightly, he found the general condition satisfactory, administered a stimulant, and shortly after the Pope fell asleep. In addition the Pope was able to take some nourishment, he showed much interest in what was happening about him. After his afternoon sleep it was observed that the Pontiff looked very bright, and happy, although he was advised not to talk, he insisted on explaining how he had just awakened from a most wonderful dream. He seemed, he said, to have returned to his beloved Venice that he was in his Patriarchal gondola on the Grand Canal. Everything was blazing with sunlight, when suddenly above St. Mark's, the sky opened and he saw a vision of his dead sister Rosa, who, descending towards him took his hand saying, "The moment has not yet come for you to join me, your work is not yet finished."

The Police Court.

An elderly man, who has only recently been discharged from the Hospital, and who has no home and is without employment, was taken in for safekeeping last night. He was discharged this morning.

Marine Notes.

The S. S. Thyra Menier left at daylight this morning for Louisburg. She is chartered by the Dominion Coal Co.
The R. M. S. Mongolian is due here on Thursday from Liverpool.
The R. M. S. Sardinian leaves Liverpool on Saturday next for this port.
The bark, Attila is now on her way to Barbadoes from Pernambuco to load molasses for this port.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills
A reliable French regulator; never fails. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Reduce all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at 25c. per bottle. Write to any address. The Scofield Drug Co., St. Catharines, O. Can.

LADIES--ATTENTION!

After you have finished your Spring's house-cleaning, wouldn't it be very nice to have a new and pretty set of Curtains to hang to every window?

HUDSON'S

Have just opened a splendid lot of CREAM and WHITE LACE CURTAINS. They are the full length and are selling at a remarkably low price per pound.

See our windows and then call inside and inspect our stock, which we shall be very pleased to show you.

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White Lawn Blouses,

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In the ordinary way these would be from
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2,500 bags Black Oats,
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Why is the Govt. Suppressing Public Information?

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—Please allow me space in your valuable paper to make a few remarks by way of approval of the manner in which the Opposition are performing their duties in the House of Assembly. I feel proud of them and proud of the country that have produced such men.
Why do the Government refrain from giving the information asked for by the Opposition? Are they afraid to show up their doings in proper style so that the electorate may see it and judge them accordingly?
Just a word before I close, re the P.P.U. I think Mr. Coaker is making a big mistake in putting up candidates in the coming election. As far as I can see a lot of them are inexperienced and uneducated men, and although honest enough in their own way, are not fit men to sit in the House of Assembly.

Thanking you for space,
I am,
Yours truly,
NOTRE DAME BAY,
April 10th, 1913.

Boy Missing.

Richard Hutchings, a twelve-year-old orphan, living with his uncle at 14 New Gower Street, left home on Sunday and has not since been heard of. The boy's friends, who are anxious about him, have enquired everywhere they could think of but cannot get tidings of the missing lad. The police, too, despite a diligent search, have failed to locate him. There is a theory that he is gone to Whitehorse, where his grand people are living.

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| Ladies' Camisoles, trimmed with lace and tucks, only 25c. each. | A lot of Black Taffeta Gloves, worth 35c. and 40c. pair. Now 20c. pair. | Kid Gloves, genuine bargain, 60c. pair. |
| Ladies' White, Pale Blue and Pink Silk Blouses, from \$1.50 up. | Children's Tan Kid Gloves, 50 and 60c. Now offered at 40c. pair. | |

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LATEST SHADES---Cotton and Woolen Plaids, Venetian and Amazon Cloths, etc.
 A Splendid assortment of Trimmings to match.

Muslins and Cotton Suitings for Holiday Wear---Comprising Plain and Fancy Poplins, Oxford Suitings, Chester Cloths, Gingham, Check Organdies, Sovereign Silk, American Silk, Striped Silk, Voile, etc.
 Call early and you will surely find some-thing to suit you.

We are showing this week several New Styles in WARNER'S CORSETS that have the extremely Low Bust with the Long Corset Skirts.

Marshall Bros.

See Our Line of Ladies' American Neckwear, 10 and 15 cents each.

Narrow Escape.

As Mr. Jas. Andrews, shipwright with Mr. John Taylor, was passing up Water Street on his way to dinner, today, he narrowly escaped serious if not fatal injury. Just as he reached the corner of Connors' Drug Store, a cab rapidly driven, turned into Water Street, collided with the man and threw him several yards. He was cut about the hands, was filled with clay and would have been killed had not the driver, just before the collision occurred, checked the horse's speed somewhat. If this were an old and infirm man or a child, a fatality must have occurred. Time and again the Telegram has alluded to the practice of drivers speeding around street corners, especially at night. The police should stop it, for it is becoming a menace to the public who have just as much right to the streets as drivers of vehicles.

McMurdo's Store News.

TUESDAY, April 15, '13.
 To-day we are able to announce the opening of Chase's goods—Kidney-Liver Pills, Ointment, Nerve Food, and Linsseed and Turpentine, which had been out of stock for some little time, and that we now have again a full stock of Cream of Lilies Soap on hand. Our full stock of Sutton's Seeds will arrive by the Mongolian on Thursday, and we shall have them open and on sale at the earliest possible moment. Our seed catalogues will be ready in the course of a day or two, and one will be sent to any address in the Colony post free.

Cable News.

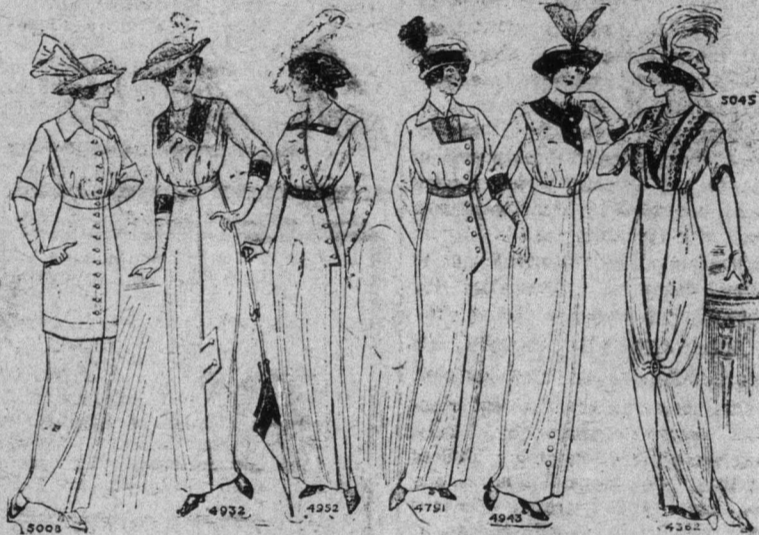
Special to Evening Telegram.
 BOSTON, Mass., To-day.
 A fire in the hold of the British steamer Karema threatened heavy damage yesterday. The vessel arrived on Saturday from Calcutta and Colombo with a cargo valued at a million. The blaze was discovered on Friday, 300 miles out, but was not known to the harbor authorities until yesterday. The steamer was taken from the pier to an anchorage and steam forced into the hold.

BRUSSELS, To-day.
 The great strike of workmen in Belgium to force the Government to grant them the suffrage began quietly yesterday at nightfall. It is estimated 200,000 men throughout the country quit work. This number is at least 100,000 short of the Socialist predictions. The Clerical Press is beginning to call the movement a "pitiable fiasco." Nevertheless the strike has shown greater strength than was expected by impartial observers, because in fact the numbers increased as the day advanced. Gas, water, electric, street cleaning services, street cars, railroads are in operation as usual, but Brussels merchants say trade is at a standstill. The city is full of children of provincial strikers who are being cared for by the families of Liberals. The only big act of sabotage occurred in the suburbs where three big machines in a leather factory were damaged.

Highlanders' Chinesella Dance on Thursday, 17th inst. Gents, 80c., Ladies, 60c. Tickets can be obtained at the Stores of Jas. Balch, Ltd., Photo Supply Co., and Geo. Langmead, Jeweller. Admission by ticket ONLY. ap15,21

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 HEINZ'S MUSTARD KETCHUP is an especially nice condiment.
TEA. We were going to say something about our TEAS, but as a whole page of this paper wouldn't afford us half space enough to say the good things in its favour, we just request you to buy a sample lot. Try 1/2 lb. of our 40c.

J. J. ST. JOHN.

Floor CANVAS,

2 yards wide.
 Usual Price 55c.
Our price, 47c.
ROBERT TEMPLETON.

NEW BUSINESS.—Mr. A. Mills, plumber, late of Gear & Co's., is going into business for himself, having purchased the premises of Williams & Moore, on New Gower Street. Mr. Mills is a Corporal in the Mid. Highlanders, an enterprising and popular young man, and we bespeak for him a good share of public patronage.

Thursday night another of these enjoyable soirees which have become so popular, will be held in the basement of the Wesley Church. It will be under the auspices of the Epworth League and the best programme yet has been prepared. None should miss this very enjoyable affair.

Florizel Back.

The s.s. Florizel, Capt. Jos. Kean, arrived from the icefields at 6 o'clock this morning, reporting for 23,000 prime young harps. The Florizel struck the whitecoats the day after leaving port and got 11,000 out of that patch. On St. Patrick's Day the ship, in company with the Nascope, steamed into the main body of seals. A storm then came on, loosening the ice and the seals took to the water. However, before the patch was cleaned up the Florizel got 11,000, making a total of 22,000. During the latter part of the voyage Capt. Kean shaped his course further north and succeeded in getting 1,000 more seals. About a fortnight ago the ship encountered very heavy ice and was jammed for eight days about 60 miles southeast of Quirpon. After getting clear she again became jammed about 6 miles north of Twillingate. One man named Wakely, belonging to Twillingate, was very ill during the spring. He was attended by Dr. Johnston on board. The Florizel also brought in a stoker from the s.s. Kite named Furlong. He fell on the ice and broke his leg, which was attended to by the Florizel's physician.

A Talented Son of Old St. John's.

The following clipping is taken from the Boston Post of the 9th inst., and the artist in question is Mr. Jas. J. McAuliffe, formerly of this city. Forty-five years ago Mr. McAuliffe went to Boston, and there found an outlet for his genius, and has since made a name for himself. About fifteen years ago he visited his native city and exhibited his copy of the great picture "Ecce Homo," which copy now hangs in the Cathedral. Mr. McAuliffe may visit us again this summer.

"For many years a painting has hung on the wall of the Everett Public Library without causing any special comment. Within the last two weeks, however, since a prominent citizen has shown much regard for the work, it has been viewed by hundreds. The painting is a large one, depicting the United States frigate Constitution (Old Ironsides) chased by an entire English squadron, with a stiff breeze blowing. The spray is dashing over the sides of the hull and the sails are full set. In the distance a fleet of English vessels are scampering along, being far outclassed by the skilful sailing of the old frigate. The fervor of the chase soon grips the onlooker. The event there pictured occurred in July, 1812, while the Constitution was manoeuvring to draw away one of the English squadrons and then attack it. John Paul Jones was in command at the time. The artist was J. J. McAuliffe."

Coastal Boats.

REID'S SHIPS.
 The Argyle leaves Placentia for the west to-day.
 The Glencoe leaves Placentia after the arrival of the train from St. John's.
 The Lintrose left Port aux Basques at 8:15 p.m. yesterday.
 The S. S. Tobacco sailed to-day for Liverpool taking an outward cargo of codfish.

Newfoundlander's Abroad, Read This!

Editors Evening Telegram.
 Dear Sir.—Please publish in your widely read paper that the young men of the Newfoundland Catholic Association of Imperial Hall, Whitney Pier, C.B., wish to invite correspondence at this address with their countrymen in various U. S. A. or Canadian cities, with a view to having such cooperation for the Old Home Week Excursion of this summer as may lead to its numerical and general success. All Newfoundlanders in Eastern Canada are full of the subject and will cordially co-operate in any processions or similar demonstrations arranged by citizens of St. John's. Get ye ready quick and soon. X.

Here and There.

A great many of the new dress trimmings are of net with brightly colored embroidery in silk.

SEAL SALES.—The s.s. Seal sails this afternoon for Halifax, taking 290 barrels of beef. She will call at Channel on the way along and pay off the men who were in the Gulf. They made a bill of \$58.10.

TO GET REPAIRS.—The S. S. City of Sydney which will be here from New York next week will go up on the dry dock to get repairs. The Solway and Ethie will also take the stocks for a clean up and repairs.

TROUBLE ON NEWFOUNDLAND.—To-day trouble, which for a while, threatened to be of a serious nature, occurred on board the steamer Newfoundland. Some of the men who had liquor in them, gave trouble and impeded the other men in their work. Consts. Furlong, Tucker and others went to the scene and marched the ringleader over to the lockup on this side.

ST. THOMAS'S ANNUAL.—To-morrow evening, in Canon Wood Hall, commencing at 7 o'clock, the St. Thomas's Men's Bible Class will hold their annual tea, followed by a concert, to which the following will contribute: Miss Marion Winter and Miss Dunfield; W. W. Blackall, Rev. A. Clayton, H. W. Stirling, F. Emerson, C. Clift, A. Crocker, J. Chaplin, H. Chaplin, W. Gaulton, C. Williams, W. Udle, C. Noonan, S. Willis and J. Wheeler.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

A meeting of the Creditors of F. J. Hann, Confectioner, will be held in the office of the undersigned on Wednesday afternoon, at 3.30.

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DUE TO-MORROW.—The Bruce express, which left Port aux Basques at 10 a.m. to-day, is due here at 8 p.m. to-morrow.

JOINED THE FORCE.—A young man named Forsy, of Grand Bank, joined the police force yesterday and will be attached to the Western Station.

Fresh Butter and Eggs for Sale by J. W. CAMPBELL, Ltd.—feb21,13

BRUCE PASSENGERS.—The Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 9:10 a.m. to-day bringing Sir Robert Bond, Rev. J. J. Coady, C. R. Wagner, J. Strickland, D. A. Burke and several second class.

Toric Lenses are best for the eyes because their deep curve corresponds with the curve of rotation of the eyeballs. Ground and fitted in short notice by R. H. TRAPNELL, Eyesight Specialist.—mar25,13

GOING HOME.—Constable Martin, formerly of the Western Station, who had been in hospital six months, ill of throat trouble, came out yesterday. He is still very ill and will go to his home in Grate's Cove, to recuperate.

For Whooping Cough, Pneumonia, Asthma, Chronic Pulmonary affections, Tightness of the Chest have equal parts of Stafford's Liniment and sweet oil and apply to chest every 3 hours. Coyer with Linnell. For sale by H. Coder, Henry Street.—ap9,13

A HANDSOME SHIP.—The s.s. Morwenna, after being repaired, overhauled and painted, will come off the dry dock to-morrow. The ship is one of the most handsome ever seen on the dock, and connoisseurs in marine architecture greatly admire her.

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SAGONA GOES NORTH.—The work of cleaning up the s.s. Sagona, is now being rushed, and the ship will be in position to take up her work Thursday. The ship, we learn, has been chartered by Bowring Bros., to make the trip north and will sail on Thursday with mails, passengers and freight.

Buy your Umbrella and Waterproof from us. Good value. Also your Long Wide End Scarf, in the newest colourings. THE NATIONAL STORES, Greaves & Sons, Limited.—ap14,13

THE C.C.C.—The lads of the C.C.C. are now busy preparing for the coming season's events such as football, rowing and other competitions, and they as usual will put good teams forward. The new Reserve Company now numbers 100, and they are putting their rooms in fine shape. The first Church Parade will likely take place early in May.

MINAPD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

An Outrage.

Mud Scattering Motor Cars. Editor Evening Telegram.
 Sir.—Yesterday afternoon three neatly dressed young ladies were taking a walk in Waterford Bridge Road, and when near Avalon were passed by a motor car. After the passage of the car their costumes were found to be pitifully bespattered with mud. The car, it is true, was not going at an excessive rate of speed, but it was so carelessly driven on such a narrow stretch of road, that it was impossible for pedestrians to avoid being sprinkled with the filth of the streets. The young ladies were justly indignant at the practical ruin of their dresses.

They ought not, in justice to themselves allow the outrage to go unpunished. They have a remedy at hand in the courts and if all those who suffer, or have suffered from similar outrages, would adopt this remedy motor car owners and their chauffeurs would drive more carefully. Touch them in their pockets, make them pay for the damage and discomfort and more care will be exercised.

Another instance came under my notice this morning. A ponderous limousine drove rapidly through certain of the streets of the city throwing a stream of liquid mud when it rushed through the puddles for 30 or more feet at either side of the big car. In this case no one, even if he passed close to the houses could escape free of all mud. If this should meet the eyes of any of the injured parties I shall be glad to offer my testimony to change the opinions of this domineering driver.

Yours truly,
 April 14. AN UNDERDOG.

Another Gulf Arrival.

The s.s. Southern Cross, Captain Clarke, arrived at Harbor Grace from the Gulf, seals hereby this morning. Word to this effect was received by the owners of the vessel, but the catch was not mentioned in the message received. It is thought she has 16,000 seals. The 'Cross' will discharge her cargo and her crew paid off in the Bay metropolis.

Cape Report.

Special to Evening Telegram.
 CAPE RACE, To-day.
 Wind E. N. E. fresh, weather dull preceded by fog and sleet. The S. G. Portis passed in at 1 p.m. and an unknown steamer at 9 p.m. yesterday, steamer supposed to be a Bell Island boat passed in at 8:30 to-day; French fishing barque, Immaculate Conception, as reported by wireless, boat in lat. 44.42; long. 48.04, wishing to be reported, all well. Bar. 29.60; ther. 34.

The regular Monthly Meeting of the International Boot & Shoe Workers' Union, Local 482, will be held in the Mechanics' Hall, this TUESDAY evening, April 15th, at 8 o'clock. By order, F. W. KAVANAGH, Rec. Sec. ap15,13

DIED.

At the Mater Misericordiae Home, St. John, N.B., on the 9th inst. Margaret, widow of Captain John Auld, in the 82nd year of her age, leaving one son and two daughters to mourn.

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Majority Rule in Conversation.

BY RUTH CAMERON.



I am sure our great president would have said the same and more about majority rule in conversation.

What is majority rule in conversation? Why, don't you know? That's queer, for you have probably seen the victim or the perpetrator of it many times. Since illustrations are usually the best definitions, I'll define it that way.

A group of five people had chanced to come together at the home of one of their number and are holding an evening conversation. Of the five, four attended a certain college, and one did not. The talk turns to college reminiscences and the four become animated and enthusiastic. Such expressions as "Do you remember the time we—" "My dear, HAVE you heard about Professor X? He—" "I'll never forget that night we—" fly thick as hailstones about the head

of the poor unfortunate who did not attend that particular Alma Mater. Occasionally someone addresses a remark to him, but for the most part he is ignored and sits with a fixed smile of simulated interest on his face like a wallflower at a dance, until the conversation comes back to interests in which he has a share.

That's what I mean by majority rule in conversation. Selfishness and discourtesy, even when perpetrated with perfectly good company, are never excusable. When by the mere force of numbers a majority completely deprives a minority of any share in the conversation, the majority are acting in a rude, or at least a very thoughtless way, and should be ashamed of themselves. No good hostess will permit majority rule in conversation. When she sees that a part of the company is being left out she will quickly give the conversation some twist which will take them in.

There are almost always plenty of subjects which will interest all the gathering. Even if you do not have the responsibility of hostess, when you see that the majority is exceeding its rights in conversation, you will prove yourself truly courteous by trying to drop the exclusive subject and introduce one of broader interest.

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Fashions and Fads.

Entire dresses are made of crepe printed in small or floral patterns on light or dark grounds.

Ratine with a woven or flet border is one of the favored novelty fabrics of the season.

Printed bengaline silks, trimmed or plain, are much used as leading on spring tailored suits.

Black silk matelasse is one of the best materials for the matronly woman's afternoon coat.

The broad belts—usually crushed—are one of the afternoon gowns of the new afternoon gowns.

A few Greek effects in gowns are used as an intense contrast to the present wave of orientalism.

Dancing frocks escape the ground by two inches. Other evening gowns are made with slight trains.

Brown with rose which has the faintest hint in it of the same color is one of the new combinations.

The new small poke hats and bonnets turn up in the back in a way that suggests the shepherdess style.

At present there is a fancy for painted stockings. Other new stockings are copied from the new willings.

Oriental effects in jewelry are being much copied. Huge rings of curious design are worn on the forefinger.

Terra cotta, Chinese blue, bluff and green form one of the new Cubist color combinations in printed silk.

Much of the charm of the new silk crepes is due to the unusual color schemes, often borrowed from the orient.

In some of the best styles of afternoon gowns the blouse is made rather loose to emphasize the uncorseted figure.

A novel military trimming is bright-colored ribbon pleated very tightly and then twisted together to form stiff bows.

Some of the eponge novelty coats have a long, detached plastron down their back, a feature that oddly suggests the Japanese.

Even the smart cotton blouses are now made in combinations of plain and fancy weaves. White crepe and colored voile are often seen.

Sleeves stitched in at the armhole are seen only in severely tailored coats. Everything in the least degree dressy has the loose sleeve.

Many of the new evening sashes are of the Egyptian knapt type, draped round the hips and knotted to fall with long straight ends in front.

No evening costume is too simple to be completed by a turban made from folds of metal brocade or gauze and trimmed with jeweled ornaments and paradise.

GAINING STRENGTH.

Special Evening Telegram.

LONDON, April 14.

A bulletin issued late last night, from Clarence House, says that H.R.H. the Duchess of Connaught was gaining strength, but would not be able to leave her bed for three weeks.

When sufficiently recovered, she will go to a warmer climate. It is definitely settled that she will not accompany the Duke to Canada next month.

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Pistols.

BY H. L. RANK.



Pistols are a polite form of sudden death which are used to deprive people of their jewelry, breath and other valuables. There are six shots in every pistol, any one of which will prevent the deceased from testifying at the trial of the accused.

Pistols are bought in large quantities by timid husbands, who take them home in order to discourage burglars from entering and carrying off the hall clock. The pistol is then hidden in the lower right hand drawer of the library table, where the husband can get at it without attracting the burglar with his bare hands. This is done so that the children can't get hold of it and allow it to explode in the general direction of the cuttle.

Pistols are called concealed weapons because the contents are usually concealed in somebody else. Owing to some very stringent laws against this practice, it is getting almost as dangerous for a man to go out and buy a bulldog revolver for the purpose of committing a few homicides as it is to round up an honest electorate with campaign cigars.

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The toy pistol is a playful form of spontaneous combustion which generally manages to combust on the Fourth of July, leaving bandages, splints and other mementos in its wake. Some toy pistols explode with so much zeal that people who look down their throat just before pulling the trigger can hardly tell them from the sudden uprising of a keg of giant powder.

The horse pistol is a murderous weapon which lets go of a bullet as large as a billiard ball. After a midnight marauder has received three or four of these bullets into his system, it will begin to dawn upon him that he has been struck by something and he will retire hastily for repairs. The repeating revolver has the largest vocabulary of any of the pistol family, and its conversation consists of sharp emphatic monosyllables. There would be fewer burglars in this country if it was generally understood that there was a repeating revolver in every home and a plain undaunted female immediately behind it.

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Mr. Clapp's Speech

On Third Reading of Bill "An Act Respecting the Preservation of Beavers."

MR. CLAPP.—Mr. Speaker before the third reading of this Bill, goes through I wish to make one or two remarks in connection with it. I regret very much that I was called away when the Committee stage was before the House. Two years ago I wrote a letter to Hon. Dr. Skilton, the introducer of the Bill, giving my reasons for placing myself in opposition to any further extension of the close season for the killing of Beavers had already been in force ten years. With your permission I shall read the letter:—
"I observe that you have given notice of a Bill to extend the close season of twelve years for beavers, which will expire next October. I would call your attention to the fact that trappers of the District of St. Barbe consider that the close season has already been extended too far; and that beavers at present are very numerous. Others have pointed out to me that Indians have been in the habit of coming across from Canada and completely killing out the animals, whilst the trappers (Mr. Clapp's) are losing absolutely the benefit of the close season. At Deadman's Cove I met a trapper, who told me that he had had a visit from several colonies of beavers far in the country, and discovered that all the beavers had disappeared, presumably killed and taken away by the Canadian Indians. Under these circumstances, it may be worth your while to consider whether it is desirable to persevere with the Bill for which you have given notice."
As I said before when the Bill was brought down here I opposed it, and I now wish to record myself as opposing it a second time. My friend, Mr. Earle, told the House yesterday that he had heard that numbers of beaver had been killed north and that the slaughter was still going on. Hon. Mr. Templeman also stated in the Upper Chamber that the same thing was taking place on the West Coast of the island. Some years ago when in St. Barbe District I was credibly informed that Canadian trappers were in the habit of coming every year to the Northwest Coast and killing out these animals. As St. Barbe has a coast line of some six or seven hundred miles an effective carrying out of the law is almost an impossibility—it seems unfair that whilst strangers can defy the law with impunity, our own people are debarred from sharing in the profits of the chase. An open season at least for two years might be allowed in order to give our fishermen a chance to supplement a scanty subsistence snatched with difficulty from a laborious and

hazardous calling, i.e., the sea with its many perils. There seems to be a little too much sentiment in the desire for the preservation of a comparatively insignificant rodent such as beaver. Why not have a close season for the different species of whales which once swarmed about our bays and shores and are now rapidly nearing extinction? The answer is very plain upon the face of it, as such a law would affect the pockets of certain individuals who occupy seats in both branches of the Legislature. However, anything I might further say as to the justice of giving the people of St. Barbe District an open season for the killing of beaver would only be a mere waste of words; and as far as an amendment is concerned that must inevitably share the fate of the one I proposed when the Game Law was before the Assembly, asking for an extension of the Deer Laws in St. Barbe. For other reasons, Mr. Speaker, I again give my strenuous opposition to the Bill and once more I reiterate my regret that I was not here to move its rejection at an earlier stage of the proceedings.

Cable News.

Special to The Evening Telegram.
NEW YORK, April 14.
The funeral service of J. Pierpont Morgan, was held to-day at St. George's Protestant Episcopal Church, where he worshipped for half a century. Afterwards a special train conveyed the funeral party to Hartford Conn., for the final service. The mausoleum in the Carhill cemetery was blanketed by 5,000 red roses, Morgan's favorite flower. The coffin left the Morgan Library, where the body had lain in state since Friday shortly before 7 a.m. A surpliced choir of 250 voices preceded the party into St. George's Church. There were 1,500 present, forming one of the most notable gatherings ever witnessed in New York.

ROME, April 14.
The bulletin issued by the Papal physicians early to-day, reads: "His Holiness passed a tranquil night. The bronchial symptoms are reassuring. Temperature, 99. General condition good."

NEW YORK, April 14.
Expert appraisers appointed by executors under the will of the late John Jacob Astor, to determine the real and personal value of the estate for the purpose of the transfer tax, show a total value of \$87,216,681.

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How Morris Encourages Local Industry.

Last week, the Revenue Bill was before the Legislature and in the course of the deliberation on it, the following discussion took place:
HON. MR. KNOWLING.—The Bill which we have before us now being a money bill, of course we are not in a position to offer or make amendments. I do not suppose that if we suggest it it would be accepted, but I would like to draw attention to the following section: "By adding to item 215, the words, 'and dyed woollen yarns, when imported by the proprietors of Woollen Mills, to be used in connection with the manufacture of woollen goods.' Now all along for a series of years, the avowed object of the Government has been the encouragement of Agriculture, the breeding of cattle and sheep and the production of woollen goods in our own Colony, and this clause 215 was put in for that very reason. Now this amendment will do away with the benefits of that item. If we introduced the raw wool in this country, there would be a large amount of work in it. If we raised the sheep, first there would be the care of the sheep in bringing them to a fit condition for shearing; the carding and spinning of the wool, and then the dyeing before it is brought to the state which this clause provides for. If this clause passes, which I have no doubt it will, the manufacturers will be able to import the wool ready for knitting and about two-thirds of the money which would be spent on labor will be sent away to pay for the manufactured article. Instead of getting it manufactured in this Colony and giving employment to our own people, I am at a loss to see how this clause has been inserted; there is no necessity for it. The labor that will be given in weaving and manufacturing the dyed yarns will be next to nothing. The machinery will be worked almost automatically. All that will be needed will be a girl with a very little knowledge to stand on one side to watch the machinery. Such a girl, if she is not trained in the course of the spinning, if we raised the sheep it would be a very different matter; and there would be a whole series of operations the wool would have to go through before it comes to the weaving process. It does not seem consistent with the policy that has been proclaimed so loudly by the present Government, in fact almost every Government.
HON. MR. BISHOP.—I do not wish to interrupt the hon. gentleman in his remarks, but he is entirely mistaken, and I can explain this whole matter in a very few words if he will allow me to do so.
HON. MR. KNOWLING.—I shall be very glad.
HON. MR. BISHOP.—He seems to fear that Woollen Mills will be importing yarns ready for knitting. Such is not the intention of this clause which relates to a small quantity of dyed wools to be used in the colored margins of blankets. They do not say they cannot do the work in this country; they cannot get the right coloring, so they ask to have this placed on the free list. It will not affect any manufacturing concern to import yarn in the sense the hon. gentleman suggests. Not only has the company a bounty upon all wool manufactured, but they will now afford to pay the profits for spinning in other countries and import the yarns instead of manufacturing the raw wool. The section only relates to colored yarns which the importer cannot get dyed here.
HON. MR. KNOWLING.—I do not question the veracity of the statement made by the hon. gentleman, but we have only to deal with the Bill as we find it. The Bill says, "dyed yarns." It does not say for what purpose or in what quantity. As I take it the Bill means any kind of yarn, although the intention might be to import the wool for the purpose referred to by the hon. gentleman, it would leave them open to import any kind of yarn which any company may think well to manufacture garments out of. The second part of the amendment was to admit caps and labels for tea packages free of duty. This, Mr. Knowling contended, would take the employment from the tinsmiths and printers.
HON. MR. GIBBS claimed that the labels could not be printed in the country.
HON. MR. McGRATH said they could.

An Excellent Lecture.

In Cochrane Street Church Sunday school room, last night, Rev. C. A. Whitmarsh, M.A., B.D., delivered a lecture under the auspices of the Epworth League, on the Bible. There was a very large attendance and the Rev. gentleman gave a history of the different versions of the Good Book, showing how in ancient times the various books of scripture were brought together and became the Canon of Holy Scripture. He referred to the great men whose lives had been associated with Biblical study, and gave an illuminating history of the Vulgate and Douay versions of the Bible, telling how they had come into existence and of the scholars and pious men who wrote them. The Rev. gentleman was introduced by Mr. N. Burt, and a hearty vote of thanks was accorded the lecturer at the close of his discourse.

The Sordid Life.



To gather chink to eat and drink, still grasping, seldom giving; to get more rocks and bonds and stocks—we call this process living! And when we brag about the flag, and warble "Yankee Doodle," and when we talk of Plymouth Rock, our thoughts are still of boodle. We want our lyres and sing our sires, this mighty nation's builders; but as we raise our song of praise, our thoughts are all of guilders. We think him great who has a crate of bullion in his attic; with bow and bend the neck to all things mercantile. To nail the dust we strive and bust our galluses and collars; to swell a roll we'd soak a soul, our one delight is dollars. And so we miss a lot of bliss, and life is far from funny; we dream of plunks when in our banks and waking rare of money. We talk of art but in our heart it has no place abiding; the money wight, by days and night, upon our back is riding. Man talks of books and, talking looks around, as in a pickle; he fears he'll fail, perhaps, to nail another dime or nickel. To yearn and dream, to plan and scheme for dollars in the distance, to get more rocks, more bonds and stocks—we call this thing existence!

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Smallpox.

An outbreak of smallpox has occurred in the West End. Dr. O'Connell was called to a residence on Pleasant Street last night and on examining a boy who was ill, became suspicious and reported the matter to Dr. Brehm, who diagnosed the case as smallpox. The patient has been removed to hospital. Eight other members of the family have been vaccinated and the house quarantined.

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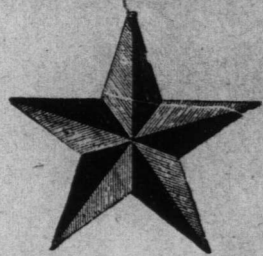
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Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir—It is regrettable that a question of so much vital importance as this one of coal cannot be conducted in a fair and broad-minded manner. Snobbishness runs riot through every effort of those against whom I am contending. It is high time that the iconoclastic hatchet be applied to the poisonous growth which has too long kept the genius of this country in check. Where snobbery is permitted to usurp the place of healthy and sturdy worth, there exists an atmosphere in which genius cannot thrive, and a country dominated by snobs cannot advance, but is retarded by the chilliness of the reception given to the honest efforts of her sons, who are not of the caste of snobs. We are expending large sums of money in this country in the cause of education, and our ears are assailed by the cries of those who would still further advance the cause. We hear it all around us, give us more education. Give our young men and young women a chance to train themselves for the higher walks of life. Why do we want to educate them? Is it that we may torture them later on, when their trained minds will venture to express the fruits of the education we have given them? Is it that the caste of snobs may have sport with them? Is it that we may wound them by shafts of snobbish contempt? Last year, it will be remembered, we had an exhibition of this nasty spirit when McGrath put me up against Mr. Howley and in derision asked his readers whom they would have, English the cook, or Howley the scientist?—the scientist he referred to as Professor Howley, which is snobbishness refined. He also stated that English had been with Mr. Howley as cook, and the following day convicted himself by saying, English was not the cook, but the cook's helper. Both of those assertions are his, as I had never been with Mr. Howley in any capacity. Now, while I am on the subject of education, permit me to refer to an example of how technical education is encouraged in this country. There is a young man on Water Street who has set up an assay office in the hope of getting some work in that line. He is well qualified to do the work, but

comes his way. It goes to Mr. D. James Davies, B.Sc., F.C.S., who seven years ago graduated from a foreign college. I wonder if snobbishness has any part in it. Now I make no pretence to scholastic attainments, but I think that my years of patient labor in the field of geological science should entitle me to more consideration than has been shown me by Messrs. Howley, Davies and Robinson of the "News." Leaving Mr. Robinson out of the question, for he possibly knows but little of the science and therefore is not competent to judge, but takes the side of the big guns, where he thinks safety lies. Neither Mr. Howley nor Mr. Davies can tell my arguments, for they are based on solid scientific facts. Mr. Howley in his ultra snobbish letter, very condescendingly implies the point I have raised relative to the position of our coal seams in the carboniferous system. Mr. Howley says: "It is only a waste of time and of your space to discuss whether we have the true coal measures here or not, whether fossil calamities belong to Devonian, Carboniferous, Permian or any other series of rocks." Now as to the first part of that very odd sentence, I think it strange that a man undertaking to lecture on the coal seams, should think it not worthy of notice whether we had the true coal measures or not. It is a matter of the utmost importance, and one which the scientific man is bound to begin his investigations with. As to the latter part of the sentence it is just ridiculous.

Nothing More Recent Origin than the middle or barren measures. Mr. Howley's lecture on the coal seams has several remarkable features, chief among which—has mentioned the amount of information it falls to give, and next the amount of misstatements it contains. As to the former, it is, in my opinion, a pretty fair example. We cannot be sure whether the rocks are Devonian or Carboniferous. Mr. Howley says they are of the Carboniferous system. Maybe they are, but fossil evidence fails to prove it, and Mr. Howley neglects to adduce other proofs. It is not, in my opinion, his sense of duty? Mr. Howley's lecture was so utterly void of information, that it might be more justly called a harangue. All that he told us about the coal seams, he has told us before, for that little report of his in 1909 contains the whole substance of his lecture. As to the mistakes, they are many and will be dealt with as they come to us, as we scan the lecture. Messrs. Howley, Davies and Robinson may not be willing to acknowledge me as a contravertist, but that will not turn me aside nor prevent me making myself heard. I feel bound to defend scientific principles, and if Messrs. Howley, Davies and Robinson do not feel the same desire, well, it speaks but poorly for their love of the science. If they permit snobbishness or childish jealousy to actuate them, they will not be able to correct their teaching, their science has not given them that broadmindedness which is supposed to develop in those who worship at her shrine. Of course Mr. Robinson takes no part in the discourse, and for very good reason, other than to give his support to the very vague utterances of Mr. Davies and Mr. Howley, altogether ignoring what I have said, although supported by scientific facts. A scientist is supposed to be exact and particular in what he says when dealing with scientific matters, and slips and inaccuracies, that on the part of the layman, would be trifling to notice, become when promulgated by him.

Very Great Mistakes.
Mr. Howley undertook to tell us what coal is and what it is like, and made his first mistake in that, the beginning of his discourse. If it was considered worthy while to describe the common substance at all, it was worth while to be exact about it. "What is worth doing is worth doing well." Mr. Howley describes coal as "that dirty, black substance." Dirty, black substance does not describe coal—it may describe some of it—for instance there is anthracite coal, which does not soil the fingers and often has a beautiful display of colors. Then there is cannel coal which possesses a rich brownish color and takes a high polish. It may be noted that in their sections under the microscope all coal possesses a deep brown color, and that this powdered coal is always a beautiful brown color, and not black as is generally supposed. In describing the climate that pertained to the carboniferous period, the lecturer says that "the air was surcharged with carbonic acid gas." That statement is not in accordance with the accepted teaching of to-day, at any rate it is not accepted as a truth, for men are beginning to think that animal life could not have existed in an atmosphere surcharged with carbon dioxide or as Mr. Howley wrongly calls it "carbonic acid gas." The lecturer next tells us that coal "is composed of

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Under My Observation.
but as it is not a lecture I am giving but a criticism of a lecture, I must confine myself solely to that purpose. According to Mr. Howley it is estimated that during the carboniferous period such common trees and shrubs as the fir, spruce, pine, larch, birch, alder, etc., had no existence. The only plants of our time at all resembling those of the above period are certain trees of Australia and some bamboo or cane, but they are not the same. All that is in the main true, but it is not true enough, when coming from a lecturer on scientific matters. He could have told his listeners that during the carboniferous period that flourished as far back as the Upper Devonian period. Comes resembling those of our spruce and fir, as well as the woods are not uncommon among the carboniferous flora. Next Mr. Howley tells us that cannel coal is soft. Cannel coal is so hard that it can be cut and highly polished and used for various ornamental purposes. By a peculiar gradient or sort of sliding scale Mr. Howley leads up from the most valued coal containing small amounts of carbon, through various stages of increasing carbon and lessening volatile matter to the cannel coal, and he can pretend to bridge the gap between coal and the diamond is a marvel. It does not follow that because coal contains carbon that it is related to the diamond which is of course pure crystallized carbon. It would be just as logical to string a line of sequences from blood to the steel rail is iron refined. It is notable that in his lecture Mr. Howley devotes a great deal of attention to graphite and the diamond. We have now come to that most interesting part of the lecture, namely, a short discourse on the geology of the carboniferous rocks of this country and leave generalities alone? Next Mr. Howley makes a grievous error in his use of the word basic for basal. He speaks of "basic conglomerate," when basal conglomerate is meant. Mr. Howley makes the same mistake in several places. In describing Bell Island in that report of 1909 he speaks of "basic members stretching along the shore." The word basic is used in chemistry to denote an oxide or hydrate of a metal, or a group of elements equivalent to a metal capable of replacing the hydrogen of an acid when the two are placed in contact. When we have reference to a basement or foundation we say basal and not basic. Three different times in the course of his lecture Mr. Howley makes the same wrongful application of the word. Again, Mr. Howley is quite in error when he speaks of the

thickness of the coal measures of Cape Breton. The geology of Canada gives a total thickness below the productive measures of 8,500 feet (estimated). Mr. Howley tells us there are between 1,800 and 2,000 feet which

leaves quite a hiatus. The total thickness of the carboniferous strata of Cape Breton is estimated at 13,000 feet, which would leave a thickness of 4,500 feet of Coal Measures. Then the lecturer goes on to say that "some few workable coal beds do occur in Scotland, low down in the carboniferous series, even beneath the millstone grit formation," and still no reference to the position of the local coal seams in the series. He might have mentioned that thin seams of coal occur in Devonian rocks of Gaspe, and elsewhere. Next the lecturer tells us that "coal has only been in general use for heating purposes for a little over a century." He might have gone further in that direction and told us when coal first began to be mined in Cape Breton, over 200 years ago. Further on the lecturer remarks, "as regards the existence of coal in this country, I would ask the question, Why should there not be coal here?" and then goes on to assert that we have "the same series of rocks which contain the chief coal deposits of the world are found here." That statement is not true, for as I have long ago pointed out we have

only the Basal Members of the series and they are the least valuable. Even if we had the whole system developed, which may be of the carboniferous limestone to the top of the Permian system, it would not follow that we had valuable coal measures, not by any means, though it would be quite probable. In the Western part of America there are no productive coal measures in the Carboniferous system. As proof that we had the same series of rocks that produce the valuable coal seams of Cape Breton, the lecturer exhibited a suite of three or four tests, but it is not to every one acquainted with geology that we have only the lowest part of the series. And as I have remarked before one cannot be sure from such fossil evidence if we have carboniferous rocks at all. They may be Devonian fossils. The remainder of Mr. Howley's lecture is devoted to pointing out the location of the different coal outcrops and their respective measurements and offers no ground for criticism, except saying that Mr. Howley does not seem to have the faculty of conveying to others the knowledge which he doubtless possesses. If I have dealt rather roughly with him, I wish it to be borne in mind that my country's interest alone urges me to the course. We have much to be grateful to Mr. Howley for, notably his great optimism, and I may say this much that although differing with him so greatly on many points, I would be willing to put my small sayings into any plan that might be formulated for the prospecting of those coal seams in Bay St. George. Why could not a company be formed here for their development. Shares might be sold at a rate to admit even the poorest holding a few. Before anything is done in that direction, it would be the duty of the Government to have an examination made of the area. For the sake of our country we should be willing to take a little risk, but it will not be a blind one if the Government will have a survey made before hand. It is not demanded of the Government that they count the number of tons contained in the measures. A thorough geological survey is all that is required. Money has failed to do anything. Well, we will see what change of Government will do for us, next year.

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