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Under the provisions of "The Prohibition Act, 1917," His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to approve the following Rules and Regulations, submitted by the Board of Liquor Control.

R. A. SQUIRES,
Colonial Secretary
Department of Colonial Secretary,
23rd of October, 1917.

Prohibition Act.

Rules and Regulations.

A.—The strength of Intoxicating Liquors supplied by the Controller to Licensed Druggists and Licensed Practitioners and dispensed by Controller, Licensed Druggist or Licensed Practitioner shall be 20 per cent, under proof for Brandy, Gin, Rum and Whiskey. The strength of Port Wine, Claret, Sherry, Porter, Stout, Benedictine, Vermouth, Champagne, Liqueur, Ale and Beer shall be as imported by Controller.

B.—All prescriptions for private patients for Intoxicating Liquors to be limited to one prescription at any one time or not more than 3 ozs. per patient, for all Districts supplied by Licensed Druggists and Licensed Practitioners; and outside the Electoral District of St. John's where not so supplied the amount to be limited to a 12 oz. prescription per patient, except as provided hereinafter. No person is to receive more than one prescription per week, and the Controller, Licensed Druggist and Licensed Practitioner shall refuse to fill more than one prescription for any one person from any other medical practitioner within the said period of one week.

C.—All prescriptions for Port Wine, Claret, Sherry and Champagne shall be limited to a 24 oz prescription per patient.

D.—All prescriptions for Stout, Porter, Ale and Beer shall be limited to 1 doz. pint bottles per two weeks.

E.—Medical Practitioners may prescribe under Section B. up to the aggregate amount of three gallons only per month each where Licensed Druggists and Licensed Practitioners are established, and 4½ gallons in Electoral Districts where not so supplied.

F.—Medical Practitioners may prescribe under Section C. up to the aggregate amount of five gallons only per month.

G.—The total amount may be exceeded by any Medical Practitioner at the discretion of the Controller up to five prescriptions per month, and any further amount by a special ruling of the Board.

H.—The unused amount which may be to the Doctor's credit any month will not be carried forward.

I.—The Controller shall notify each Medical Practitioner weekly as to the amount of any intoxicating liquor remaining subject to his prescriptions.

J.—When any Medical Practitioner reaches the limited amount at his disposal, the Controller shall notify by post all Licensed Druggists and Licensed Practitioners to refuse further prescriptions signed by that doctor for that month.

K.—Prescriptions shall be written only on printed forms numbered consecutively, supplied by the Controller. The forms to contain spaces for name and address of patient, character of liquor, prescribed dose, doctor's name and date.

L.—The controller, Licensed Druggist and Licensed Practitioner shall cause to be written on prescription the name of the messenger who procures the liquor.

M.—Gummed labels showing the name of the patient, character and strength of liquor, prescribed dose

doctor's name, date, and by whom supplied, shall be placed on each package when prescription is filled.

N.—All manufacturers who obtain intoxicating liquors for manufacturing purposes shall keep a record of the amount supplied by the Controller and report weekly the uses to which same were put, stating the amount of goods manufactured and the percentage of alcohol used. The Controller shall refuse to re-sell to any manufacturer until such returns are received.

O.—The Controller shall have the right to regulate the amount of intoxicating liquor to be supplied to Licensed Druggists and Licensed Practitioners, according to the probable number of prescriptions to be filled by each per month.

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The report for Licensed Druggists and Licensed Practitioners located outside the Electoral District of St. John's shall be made not more than one week later. The report shall also include an inventory of all stock on hand, stating character and strength. The strength of draught liquor to be certified to by H. M. Government Analyst by distillation.

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C. E. RUSSELL, Proprietor.

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We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents. All advertisements subject to the approval of the management.

Birth and Marriage Notices 25 cents per insertion. Notes of Thanks and Lists of Presents, 50 cents.

We cannot guarantee to insert items of news or advertisements received after Thursday morning.

All small and transient advertisements must be paid for at the time of insertion. The number of insertions must be specified.

BAY ROBERTS, FRIDAY, JAN. 11, 1917.

Recent Events

Charles Cave's Death
A great many stirring and important events have taken place since our last issue. The great explosion at Halifax resulted in over a thousand losing their lives and several thousand being injured. Millions of dollars' worth of property was also destroyed.

Maitland Mercer, son of Mr. Nathan Mercer, of Bay Roberts, perished in the mine. Charles Cave, son of Mr. Charles Cave, shoemaker, lost four children in the flames, while he and his wife were badly injured. Only one of their children escaped.

In the theatre of war we may note the capture by the British of Jerusalem and German East Africa. The great Russian revolution followed by the Bolshevik government. The defeat and retreat of the Italian Army and the British success at Cambrai were two other notable events.

Locally, the political situation has been the main topic, almost eclipsing the war. Premier Morris's resignation was followed by Dr. Lloyd assuming the Premiership. Dr. Lloyd formed a Ministry, although three of the members of the Executive, Messrs. Squires, Bennett and Gibbs, resigned. The Executive was then reduced to nine.

Rumors of important exposures followed the political upheaval and Mr. Coaker has taken liberal actions against the News, Telegram and Star.

A general election is impending, to take place, so rumor says, either in February or May. Testing times are ahead of us, and it behoves every fisherman to be on his guard. The result of the next election will determine, to a large extent, the future status of the fishermen of Newfoundland. The Guardian's advice briefly is, Let no man deceive you.

Red Cross and Got Funds

Amount transferred from Men's Patriotic Fund to Red Cross Fund \$27.00

Amounts collected from Members of Men's Patriotic Association at last meeting held—

D. G. Fraser	\$5.00
Dr. T. C. McLeod	5.00
E. Elliot	2.00
S. R. Dawe	2.00
Capt. A. Parsons	2.00
Walter Crosbie	2.50
Israel Marshall	1.00
James Norman, C. Point	1.00
Geo. W. Jardine	1.50
W. J. Mercer	1.00

Amount received from Mrs. Walter Crosbie for afternoon tea \$12.50

Geo. W. Jardine, Treas.
Men's Patriotic Association.

Telegram from Lady Davidson to the W.P.A.

New York, Dec. 31, 1917.

"Affectionate greetings to the Executive Committee and Committees and Members of the Women's Patriotic Association. My heart is with you in your work this coming year."

MARGARET DAVIDSON.

A reception to a number of returned Naval Reservists was given by the W. P. A. on Wednesday night last.

Dress Tweeds

TWEEDS are going to be very popular this Fall, largely on account of their good wearing qualities.

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Killed While Serving His Gun

No. 43768 Driver Harold A. Russell, of the 1st Brigade Canadian Field Artillery, son of Mr. Isaac Russell, Country Road, was killed in action while serving his gun at Loos, France, on August 15th, 1917, by shell explosion in the gun pit. He was buried with military honors on August 16th in the Noeux-Les-Mines Communal Cemetery. This is a recognized military burial ground in France. A wooden cross with particulars of the deceased inscribed thereon has been erected to his memory.

Governor's Christmas

Government House, St. John's.

On this, my first Christmas as His Majesty's Representative in His oldest Colony, I take the opportunity of sending to the People of Newfoundland a "Greeting".

We are living in a time of great stress and tribulation, and it behoves us more than ever to live in accord, and to give to each other such help and sympathy as opportunity affords.

It is in this spirit that I wish you all a Happy Christmas and a very Prosperous New Year.

C. ALEXANDER HARRIS
24th December, 1917.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

Notice to Mariners

No. 6 of 1917.

Pass Island, Hermitage Bay

Lat. 47° 29' 15" N.
Lon. 56° 12' 02" W.

Notice is hereby given that the repairs to Pass Island Light-house, advertised in Notice to Mariners, No. 3 of 1917, are completed.

The Upper White 4th Order Light heretofore shown from the roof of the dwelling, and the Red Duplex Light (14 feet below) from the same building, are now exhibited from an octagonal wooden tower with sloping sides.

The old two-storey dwelling house has been removed, and replaced by a one-storey flat-roofed dwelling connected to tower by a short, covered passage way.

Tower, covered way, and dwelling are painted White.

J. G. STONE,
Minister Marine and Fisheries,
Dept. Marine and Fisheries,
St. John's, Nfld.,
Nov. 9th, 1917. jan11,31

Receipt Books

With stub attached, 30c each. At Guardian Office, jan.11.21

Notes of Thanks

The family of the late Sarah Parsons wishes to thank all those who assisted them in any way in their sad bereavement also those who sent wreaths and sprays namely Mrs. R. S. Mercer, Mrs. William Goosney, Mrs. Susannah Curnew, Mrs. Samuel Tippet, Mrs. G. W. Thompson, Mr. James Thompson, Mrs. Joseph Bradbury, Mrs. Stephen French, Mrs. Abraham Squires, Miss Rowena Bishop, Miss Corrie Parsons, Miss Becky Parsons, Miss Sarah A. Parsons, Miss May French.

Bay Roberts, Dec. 28th, 1917.

Mr. Isaac K. Mercer Beachy Cove wishes to thank through the Guardian all the kind friends that have assisted him in any way in his recent illness also the sum of 70 odd dollars that was collected by Messrs James G. Baggs, Samuel E. Mercer and Harold Marshall, a committee appointed by Victoria I. O. O. F. No. 3 on the night of Dec. 17th 1917 also sincerely thank those who contributed to the same amount which Mr. Charles Parsons collected on the Gorton Pew Company's room St. John's on Nov 10th but sorry that space in the Guardian will not allow him to publish contributors names. The above Mr. Mercer has been laid aside through sickness since last February, during the summer months his health improved some little, since Sept. he has been getting worse and at the present time is very sick.

The White Cross.

MADAME MONTESORI is organizing in America a new piece of war work. This is known as the White Cross. The White Cross "is a body designed to treat the children of war; to gather up the new human generation and to save it by a special method of education." A free course of preparation is being established in which volunteers will be trained "in first aid, knowledge of nervous diseases, dietetics for infants and children, isolation, special psychology, domestic science, agriculture, language, and a theoretical and intensely practical course in applied to these children." Groups of trained workers will be sent out to the countries which have been devastated by war, and an attempt will be made to restore to normal activity and joy the minds of children who have been terrified and crushed by the horrors they have suffered. The work is worthy and we wish it success; the need will continue for some years after the way is over.

Sore Throat

The following will be found a useful and refreshing drink in cases of sore throat, and indeed of febrile colds generally. Take a tablespoonful of linseed and boil it for an hour in a pint of water. Strain it and add to it the juice of one lemon and a tablespoonful of sugar. The linseed should be examined before boiling, and any little black grains removed, as they spoil the flavour of the liquid. The mixture may be taken either hot or cold.

Postal Telegraphs

A Telegraph Office has been opened at Stanleyville. Tariff: 20 cents for 10 words or fraction thereof, and 2 cents for each additional word. Address and signature free. DAVID STOTT, Superintendent. jan.11.21

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