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NEWFOUNDLAND. NOTICE TO MARINERS (No. 1 of 1923).

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W. F. COAKER,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries,
Department of Marine and Fisheries,
St. John's Newfoundland.
February 24th, 1923. mar8,31

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Turkey's Note to Allies Is Moderate in Tone.

British Traders Complain of Franco-Bel-
gian Strangling--French Levying Toll
on Germans--Russians Offer Grain for
Ruhr Workers.

TURKEY'S REPLY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, March 9.

The Turkish Government's reply to the Allied peace proposals arrived here by courier from Ankara to-day and was handed to the British, French and Italian High Commissioners. Copies will be delivered to the United States and Japanese representatives.

The whole note is couched in most moderate language and suggests a resumption of negotiations in some European town, preferably Constantinople. The note comprises one hundred and fifteen pages. The note says there are no fundamental modifications proposed in the political clauses of the draft treaty. Turkey, however, desires the sovereignty of Castoriza, of the Southern coast of Asia Minor and the small islands dependent upon Tenedos Island, off the coast of Asia Minor. She also suggests a change in the frontier of Thrace. Regarding the economic clauses, the note proposes that clauses seventy-one and one hundred and seventeen should be disjoined from the draft and subsequently discussed. Part four of the Treaty dealing with communications and sanitary questions is accepted with slight modifications. Part five, dealing with prisoners of war is integrally accepted. As regards the regime for foreigners in Turkey the note suggests that the title of this section should read "Convention of regulations between Turkey and the Allied Powers" and insists on the same prerogatives for Turkish subjects in the United States as for foreigners in Turkey. The note states that the text of the Draft Treaty, therefore, has been modified to avoid any disposition contrary to International practice.

RUSSIANS WOULD HELP GERMAN WORKERS.

MOSCOW, March 9.

Russian Trade Unionists have sent another message to Germany reiterating their offer of fifty thousand tons of grain for workers in Ruhr.

Why it is Hard to Get Men.

It needs no affidavit to convince the people that Sir Richard Squires is finding it a very hard problem to get men. Now why is this? There is food for reflection in the question. He has the government chest behind him and is in a position to promise some very fat jobs and lucrative offices. Still he is scouring the country every day and can't get men. He has offered the fine coveted position of Minister of Finance to at least five gentlemen, but not one has accepted. Surely nothing like this ever happened in Newfoundland before. Others may supply different reasons for this unique state of affairs, but these are ours. The opinion is too general and too strong that this government is exonerated all over the country. It is putridly moribund and will have to be buried out of sight the first opportunity the people get to do so. The prospectives that are invited to go to Districts know this, and there is no honor and no gain in going out to a district as a candidate for Squires, and coming back beaten badly down to the foot of the poll. They know that the Government is doomed to defeat, and no man desires the obloquy of having the attention of the whole country focussed on him by and bye as the man of bad judgement, who had not enough sense and foresight to keep off a wreck. If the government had a record even as good as the worst administration that we have ever had formerly in Newfoundland, Sir Richard Squires would even then get all the candidates he wanted. They would be rushing to his standard, instead of hiding away from him. But the record of extravagance and waste of borrowed millions is so great that no decent man wants to be associated with it. Candidates are offering every day for Bennett; they are running away from Squires, because they have vision enough to see that the people are waiting to punish him.

STRANGLING BRITISH TRADE TO DEATH.

LONDON, March 9.

The outcry of British merchants in Cologne against the Franco-Belgian customs barrier around the area gathers strength daily and the complaint is that British trade with Germany is being strangled to death.

PAYING ARMIES WITH REQUISITIONED MARKS.

DUSSELDORF, March 9.

The French and Belgian armies of occupation are paying their expenses by means of requisitioned marks, it was announced to-day by French headquarters. More than fourteen billion marks have been collected by occupation forces, all of which will be applied towards expenses incurred since the Ruhr troop movement began just two months ago.

TORPEDO EXPLODES ON CRUISER GIBRALTAR.

GIBRALTAR, March 9.

Two sailors were killed and four injured, probably fatally, as a result of a torpedo explosion on the British cruiser Coventry last night.

FAMOUS COOK DEAD.

MILFORD, New Hampshire, Mar. 9.

Mrs. Anna Fremlich whose ability to cut the tenderest sections from a side of beef and cook so satisfactorily when she became cook at the Porter House, North Cambridge, and introduced the famous Porter House steaks died here yesterday aged 87. She became cook at Porter House after the civil war and was a native of Lowell.

WILL HOP OFF ON LONGEST DAY.

SEATTLE, March 9.

Captain Roald Amundsen, head of the expedition that left Seattle in June last in the schooner Maude, will hop off in an airplane on June 21 from Wainwright, Alaska, for a flight over

Kilbride Voter.

RESENTS INSULT TO PEOPLE OF THAT VILLAGE.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—When in town a few days ago I was told that a report has been spread around the city by Government heesters that the majority of Kilbride men are supporters of Coakerism and will vote for the candidates of that side. I cannot too strongly express the feelings of most voters out here in their resentment of that slanderous report, and I would like the Telegram to give publication to this letter as a protest against such an attempt to belittle us.

We all know right well that poor times in St. John's City means poor times for the farmers of Kilbride, because the city is our great market for the sale of all our produce. We know that Coakerism has already ruined many of our customers, and that if there is any more political monkeying carried on by the Coaker tribe it will be one long cold day for us all, for there would be no business in St. John's, no employment, no money in circulation, and consequently no outlet for any of the produce we raise. What I say about Kilbride, I might also say with truth about the Goulds, Petty Harbor, Maddox Cove and other nearby places. The number of Coakerites in all could be counted on one's fingers, with probably a few toes added; certain individuals are kept pickings out of the Government, but as for the hundreds of the voters around here there is nothing doing with them so far as Coakerism is concerned. The men who would ask us to vote for a "COAKER CANDIDATE" and expect us to do so, would only be asking us to lash our own backs, and to turn our smiling village into a waste and wilderness. There is enough of poverty and hard times in St. John's now without asking us to help increase it, and so I would ask our good friends and customers in the city not to believe those false stories about us. THE BENNETT GOVERNMENT and good times is what we want, and you may count the Kilbride men, and also the men of the Goulds, Petty Harbor and Maddox Cove, as on this popular side and so will vote when election day arrives.

Yours truly,
KILBRIDE VOTER.

Kilbride, March 9, 1923.

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The Family Medicine Chest.

TEMPERATURE.—The Thermometer at the Valley Nurseries registered 12 degrees of frost last night, while this morning's reading at nine o'clock showed 2 degrees.

MECHANICS' SOCIETY MEETING.—The Regular Monthly Meeting of the St. John's Mechanics' Society will be held in their Hall on Monday evening, March 12th, at 8 o'clock.

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The Great Crime.

To defraud a fisherman or workman of one cent of his earnings is a peculiarly atrocious crime. Yet that has been done to the West Coast through the insistence of the Mad Mullah of the North in putting through the infamous Fish Regulations! A prosperous coast, independent and flourishing, has been brought to its knees and is now with its neck bare and bent, waiting for the executioner's axe to fall if the Squires-Coaker party is brought back to power with its policy of the Nationalization of Fish. Nationalization means the final Demoralization of the whole island. Fearing such measures there left by the Silvia a party of thirty Burin fishermen en route to Boston, while each succeeding steamer will doubtless carry others. Let our public-spirited Newfoundlanders pause and consider for a moment the fact that over 10,000 persons have left our shores (most of them forever) since the Fish Regulations were made law, and now Coaker announces that the chief plank in his platform is the Nationalization of Fish. Would that we Newfoundlanders had the pluck and spirit to once and for all time do away with this menace known as Coakerism. Do we lack the necessary courage? Only the ballot boxes will tell.

At all public functions in the United States there is always one toast which is never forgotten. It is known as the Chairman's "honour." It is as follows:
"May our voters always have a standard to try their rulers by, and be quick to punish or reward lustily." Would that we could forget all prejudices and party feelings and be true patriots—letting the progress and prosperity of our country ever be foremost.

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SCHERS. SAIL FOR MARKET.

Yesterday, Capt. Mitchell, of S.S. Silvia, reported to Messrs. Job Bros. & Co. that the Arctic ice is well east of Cape Race and broken up. According to the report the Silvia passed through considerable slob ice with some growlers. Following the news that the ice had moved off the coast, the schr. Annie L. Warren, which has been held here the past two weeks,

sailed for Pernambuco. The schr. Cyril T., with a cargo of fish for Lisbon sailed during the evening.

Personal.

Mr. F. C. Archibald is at present in the city and is at the Crosbie. Mr. C. E. Russell of Bay Roberts, arrived in the city last evening and is registered at the Crosbie. Mr. W. Dawe arrived from Bay Roberts by last evening's train.

—By Bud Fisher