



A NEW BOOK OF TALES OF THE SEA

"The Shack Locker—Yarns of the Deep Sea Fishing Fleets" by Frederick William Wallace, Montreal: Industrial and Educational Press Limited, \$1.50.

This book of fisherman's yarns, told in a manner that appeals to fishermen and landmen alike by reason of its vividness and accuracy, its stirring pathos and its irresistible humor, has by way of foreword or explanation of its title the following paragraph:

"When a Canadian or American fisherman of the genuine deep-sea breed, joins a Banker fitting out, the first questions he invariably asks are: 'Where's my bunk?' and 'Where's my shack locker?' The one is essential to rest and sleep and the other is an institution on all Bank fishing craft, and every man who has hauled trawl, seine or hand-line off-shore on the Atlantic Banks knows its importance in the scheme of existence at sea. To be brief, the 'shack locker' is a cupboard in the schooner's forecastle in which is to be found the leftover food of the daily meals. A fisherman is always ready to eat, and between meals he can appease his appetite by a mug of tea or coffee, and a rummage in the shack locker. The locker's contents are necessarily varied, consisting of the unvaried 'grub' from breakfast, dinner and supper, and it is always appreciated. The stories published in this volume are varied too, and the author hopes they will be relished by those who love the sea and the truthful depiction of the lives of the men who wear a heroic living from its depths."

The author's hopes are well-founded. In the "Shack Locker" he has collected together eleven of the most enjoyable fishing tales that have been our pleasure to read. The wide variety of subject goes from a wild and fearful fishing trip with wreck and disaster, to the working off of a fisherman's grudge against his Irish washerwoman, and to the marvellous fish in the shape of a submarine, which was securely hooked with the eight hundred pound anchor of a fishing vessel. Mr. Wallace's right to tell of a deep-sea fisherman's life can hardly be disputed. Every word in "The Shack Locker" proclaims an intimate first-hand knowledge of all the details of that life, be they pleasant, easy, and successful, or stern, awesome, and calamitous. His position as editor of the "Canadian Fisherman" has recently resigned in order to accept an appointment in the British Navy, in which capacity his usefulness will be undoubted, and for his safety therein he has the BEACON'S sincerest good wishes.

THE WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES

September 1.—St. Andrews. Pilgrims sailed in *Mayflower* from Plymouth, 1620; King Louis XIV of France died, 1715; Sir Richard Steele, English essayist and dramatist, died, 1729; Sir James A. Lough, Canadian Senator, born, 1854; Lord Clanricarde, great Irish landlord, born, 1856; Lord Devonport, born, 1858; Honorable East India Company, 1858; Laying of the corner stone of Parliament House at Ottawa by the Prince of Wales, 1860; Haiti proclaimed a Republic, 1863; James J. Corbett, American pugilist, born, 1866; Henri Bourassa, Quebec Nationalist leader, born, 1868; Alberta and Saskatchewan created Provinces of Canada, 1905.

September 2.—Sedan capitulated, 1870; Omdurman, 1898. Great Fire in London, 1666; Alice Lisle executed in England for sheltering a rebel, 1685; John Howard, English philanthropist, born, 1726; Massacre in Paris by the Jacobins, 1792; Henry George, American political economist, born, 1839; Eugene Field, American poet, born, 1850; Dr. Paul Bourget, French novelist, born, 1852.

September 3.—LABOR DAY. Dunbar, 1650; Sir Edward Coke, eminent English jurist, died, 1634; Oliver Cromwell, Lord Protector of Great Britain, died, 1658; Gregorian Calendar adopted in Great Britain, 1752; Prince Eugene de Beauharnois, step-son of Napoleon Bonaparte, born, 1781; Treaty of Paris, 1763; Rt. Hon. Sir George E. Foster, Canadian Minister of Trade and Commerce, born, 1847; Queen Olga, mother of ex-King Constantine of Greece, born, 1851; L. A. Thiers, former President of the French Republic, died, 1877; Benedict XV elected Pope, 1914.

September 4.—Hudson River, discovered, 1609; General Cadorna, Italian chief of staff, born, 1850; Edmund Gosse, English writer and Librarian of the House of Lords, born, 1859; France declared a Republic, 1870.

September 5.—Malta capitulated, 1805; Battle of the Marne, 1914; Robert Ferguson, Scottish poet, born, 1750; Dr. John Dalton, English chemist, born, 1766; First Congress met at Philadelphia, 1774; Rt. Hon. Sir John N. Jordan, British Minister at Peking, born, 1833; Great Britain paid the indemnity awarded to the United States in settlement of the *Alabama* claims, 1873; Accession of Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands, 1898; Peace

between Russia and Japan signed at Portsmouth, N. H., 1905.

September 6.—Columbus sailed from Canary Islands, 1492; Final sailing of *Mayflower* from Plymouth, 1620; Marquis de Lafayette, French soldier and statesman, born, 1757; Victorin Sardou, French dramatist, born, 1831; M. Yves Guyot, French economist, born, 1843; General Sir Archibald Hunter, British military commander, born, 1856; President McKinley shot, 1901.

September 7.—St. Eustace, Montreal surrendered to the British under Lord Amherst, 1760. Copenhagen surrendered, 1807. Queen Elizabeth of England born, 1533; Buffon, French naturalist, born, 1707; Pietro Mascagni, Italian composer, born, 1859; John Greenleaf Whittier, American poet, died, 1892.

HONORS FOR COL. HAM

In honor of his seventieth birthday, Col. George Ham was entertained last night at an informal banquet by a number of his colleagues in the C. P. R. Mr. C. E. E. Usher, passenger traffic manager occupied the chair and in deference to the tastes of the evening the menu was composed of old-fashioned Canadian dishes.

The Colonel delighted his hosts with reminiscences of his early ambitions and experiences, and many of those present testified to the fine services Col. Ham had rendered, and to the character which had endeared him to so many friends throughout Canada.

Latter in the evening the company was joined by a party of officials from the Michigan Central Railway, who were visiting Montreal, and several speeches were made testifying to the friendly relations existing between Canada and the United States.—*Montreal Herald*, Aug. 24.

MARRIED

McCULLOUGH-FISHER. The residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Fisher was the scene of an interesting event on Thursday, July 26th, when their only daughter, Gladys M.L., was united in marriage to James Albert McCullough, of Bocabec.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. W. Blackall, of Oak Bay.

The bride was dressed in white satin and net with pearl trimmings, and carried a bouquet of maiden-hair fern and white geraniums.

Very many valuable gifts expressed the esteem in which she is so worthily held, among them a chest of silver from the groom's parents.

The bride was given away by her father, and was unattended.

The grooms present to the bride was a gold wrist watch.

The wedding was unusually quiet owing to the bride's father being in failing health.

ALLINGHAM-DOOR. St. Anne's, Anglican, Church was the scene of an interesting event on Monday, noon, when Miss Harriet Door, of Boston, Mass., and Mr. Archibald Allingham, were united in marriage, Rev. G. E. Tobin officiating. The church was tastefully and beautifully adorned with flowers.

The bride was becomingly attired in pale pink silk and crepe-de-chine, with picture hat of pale pink and green foliage. Miss Riefa Allingham, a sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, and was attired in dark blue tulle and white picture hat. Mr. Chelsea Allingham, a brother of the groom, acted as best man. The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Oliver Allingham.

A short but pleasant reception followed at the home of the groom, after which the happy couple, amidst a chorus of cheers and good wishes, departed for Detroit, where the groom does business. The bride's wedding suit was grey satin, with pink hat, and gloves and boots to match.

The presents were costly and beautiful, consisting of silver, cut-glass, linen, etc. A cash present of \$50 in gold was given to the bride.

CALDER-BATSON. Campobello, Aug. 27. A very pretty wedding took place in St. Anne's Church on Wednesday evening, Aug. 23, Rev. G. E. Tobin officiating, the contracting parties being Miss Annie Treacraft Batson and Edward Everett Calder. The bride was charmingly attired in white chiffon, and veil caught up in cap form with a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of white sweet peas. The bridesmaids were the Misses Dorothy Alexander and Rebecca North. They were tastefully decorated in shell-pink crepon with light blue trimmings, and pink hats. The church was profusely and beautifully decorated with field daisies, marguerites and flowering potted plants. White stars and Easter lilies decorated the altar. Miss Anna Mitchell, a cousin of the bride, presided at the organ. At the hour of eight o'clock the bridal party entered the church to the strains of Lohengrin; and departed with the chiming of the church

BILLY'S YARN

O o seen 'er off?
"Me," says the tide,
"I 'ad to, for why, there was no one beside;
For sailor folks' women, they're busy enough
'Thout 'angin' round pier 'oads to see their chaps off.
The gulls all about 'er they wrangled an' cried,
An' I seen 'er off," says the Liverpool tide,
"Oo waved 'er good-by?"
"Me," says ol' Tuskar,
"When the sun it went down an' the light it got dusker,
(With a sea gettin' up an' a wind blowin' keen),
An' 'er smoke of 'er funnels could 'ardly be seen,
An' the last of the sunset was red in the sky,
With the first o' my flashes I waved 'er good-bye."
"Oo seen 'er sunk?"
"Me," says the sun,
"At the top o' my climbin' I seen the thing done:
I seen 'er 'eave to, an' I seen 'er 'ull quiver,
Settle an' stumble an' tremble and shiver,
An' 'er stem it went up an' 'er bow it went down,
An' most o' 'er people, they 'ad to drown,
An' I 'adn't a cloud for to shut out the sight,
So I seen 'er sink," says the sun in 'is might.
"Oo seen the last of 'er?"
"Us," says the crew,
All that was left out o' twenty-an'-two,
"We seen the last of 'er (floatin' around
On a bottom-up boat among dead 'uns an' drowned).
We seen 'er waterways runnin' with blood,
We seen poor mates of ours shot where they stood.
But them chaps as done it, I tell you now true
They ain't seen the last of us yet," says the crew,
"No, you bet your sweet life," says what's left of the crew!

CICELY FOX-SMITH.

bell intermingling harmoniously with the strains of Mendelssohn's march. "Peace, Perfect Peace" and "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden" were effectively rendered by the choir. Miss Emma Davidson and Mr. G. M. Byron acted as ushers at the church. A very pleasant reception at "Green Gables," the summer home of Miss Harper, of New York, followed the ceremony. A large concourse of friends and relatives were present, and delicate refreshments were served. The wedding presents consisted of costly linen, cut glass, silver, wedding rings, etc. The bride's present from her home was \$50 in cash; and the lady at "Green Gables" presented her with a diamond bar-pin.

Born November 28, 1851. Albert Henry George, the fourth Earl Grey, married in 1877, Alice Holford, of Westons, England. One son, Vincent Howick, who succeeds to the title, two daughters, Lady Evelyn Grey and Lady Sybil Grey, were the result of the union. By profession Earl Grey was a lawyer.

GEORGE A. GOWAN. Many will learn with regret of the death of Geo. A. Gowan, of Stuart Town, Deer Island, which occurred suddenly on August 13, from heart trouble. On that morning he arose in his usual health and on going to the barn took ill, only living a few minutes. Mr. Gowan had been a lifelong resident of Stuart Town, and being of a kindly disposition had endeared himself to all the community—a good neighbor, a kind husband, always ready and willing to aid in and good cause—he will be greatly missed by a large circle of relatives and friends.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Lambert, of Eastport, who left many comforting thoughts with the surviving ones. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, bearing mute expression of the regard in which the deceased was held. Interment was in the family lot at Lord's Cove, the pall-bearers all being friends of the deceased. There are left to mourn besides his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Alva Ellis, of Mace's Bay, and a host of friends.

AUGUSTUS CAMERON. St. Stephen, N. B., Aug. 29. The Community was shocked on Wednesday morning to hear that Mr. Augustus Cameron was stricken with heart disease and suddenly passed away in the Maine Central Depot in Calais. Accompanied by Mrs. Cameron and his young son Douglas, he had gone to see an older son, Mr. Donald Cameron, leave in the States Army to train for overseas. The excitement proved too great, for without warning he fell to the floor and expired. Mr. Cameron has been a citizen of St. Stephen for many years. He came from Deer Island, where he was a cooper, and he had been in the States Army for several years. For several years he had conducted a dry goods business of his own, with great success. He was twice married, his first wife was Miss Isabel Harvey, of Calais, who passed away leaving two sons, Allan and Donald, who have resided for some time in the United States. Afterwards, he married Miss Daisy Hanson, of Fredericton, who with one son, Douglas, he leaves to mourn his loss. Mr. Cameron was a valued member of the Presbyterian Church, and was always ready to help in any good work. The funeral service will be held on Friday afternoon from his late residence on Union Street.

MRS. JOHN HARVEY. Died on Campobello, Aug. 24. Lenora Harvey, widow of the late John Harvey, aged 77 years. One daughter, Mrs. Everett Parker, and a son, Mr. George Harvey, of the Island, and two sons at Lubec, Me., survive. She lived a very retired and Christian life, and her end was peace.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY REGISTRY OF DEEDS. ST. ANDREWS, N. B. George F. Hibbard, Registrar. Office hours 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Daily. Sundays and Holidays excepted.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE ST. ANDREWS, N. B. R. A. STUART, High Sheriff. Time of Sittings of Courts in the County of Charlotte: Circuit Court: Tuesday, May 8, 1917. Chief Justice K. E. D. McGowan; Tuesday, October 2, 1917, Justice Chandler. COUNTY COURT: First Tuesday in February and June, and the Fourth Tuesday in October in each year. Justice Chandler.

MINIATURE ALMANAC

ATLANTIC STANDARD TIME

PHASES OF THE MOON

September

Full Moon, 1st, 8h. 29m. a.m.

Last Quarter, 8th, 3h. 05m. a.m.

New Moon, 16th, 6h. 28m. a.m.

First Quarter, 24th, 1h. 41m. a.m.

Full Moon, 30th, 4h. 31m. p.m.

Day of Week

Day of Month

Sun. Rises

Sun. Sets

H. Water a.m.

H. Water p.m.

L. Water a.m.

L. Water p.m.

September

1 Sat. 5:54 7:01 11:21 11:41 5:24 5:52

2 Sun. 5:56 7:00 10:20 12:08 6:13 6:38

3 Mon. 5:57 6:58 9:30 12:55 7:01 7:23

4 Tue. 5:58 6:56 1:20 1:43 7:49 8:10

5 Wed. 5:59 6:54 2:11 2:34 8:38 9:01

6 Thur. 6:01 6:52 3:05 3:28 9:28 9:56

7 Fri. 6:02 6:50 4:02 4:28 10:22 10:54

The Tide Tables given above are for the Port of St. Andrews. For the following places the time of tides can be found by applying the correction indicated, which is to be subtracted in each case:

H.W. L.W.

Grand Harbor, G. M., 18 min.

Seal Cove, 30 min.

Fish Head, 11 min.

Welshpool Camp, 6 min. 8 min.

Eastport, Me., 8 min. 10 min.

Etang Harbor, 7 min. 15 min.

Leprau Bay, 9 min. 15 min.

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PORT OF ST. ANDREWS

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