

NEWS OF THE CITY AND THE OUTPORTS.

'MONITOR' SAILS WITH 3,000 QTLS.

General Fishery Reports Have No Improvements To Relate

Schr. Monitor left Blanc Sablon yesterday with 3,000 qtls. of green codfish for the Gorton Pew Co., Gloucester.

Aug. 22.—From F. R. Denham, Eagle Point to Mall Bay.—The total catch is 7,735 qtls. but for the last week nil. No traps, dories or skiffs are fishing. Prospects are exceedingly poor and there is no sign of squid yet.

Aug. 22.—From H. R. Clinton, Boxey Point to Pt. Euragee: Ballebram and Point Enragee excluded—No traps are out but thirty dories are still fishing. Three bankers have arrived here. Prospects are fair and if bait could be obtained something might be done with cod by trawlers. There is fair fishing with nets. The total catch is 7,295 qtls. and for last week 1,650.

Aug. 22.—From W. Cunningham, Caplin John North to Indian Burying Place—Prospects are very poor, bait being scarce. Stormy weather and fog has hindered the fishermen and very little is being done along this shore. There is no squid yet. The total catch is 1,260 qtls. with 150 for last week. Eighteen traps and fifty boats are fishing.

WEEK END SHOWS WELL PATRONISED

The week-end performance at the Nickel Theatre last evening was witnessed by a large number of citizens.

The two two-reel films "The Death Song" and "Widow Mahoney's Faith" were splendid pictures and were watched with the greatest interest.

"The Price of Thoughtlessness," which was produced under the auspices of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Children Safety Crusade should be seen by everyone, particularly the children.

Bowling Park was reproduced. This evening the programme will be repeated.

Patriotic Fund

The Treasurer acknowledges the following amounts:

- Already acknowledged . . . \$5,000.00
- His Ex. the Governor . . . 500.00
- Messrs. Harvey & Co., Ltd., and A. J. Harvey & Co. (being first instalment of joint subscription of \$5,000, the balance to be paid within three months) . . . 2,500.00
- A. Sheard . . . 100.00
- The Hayward Family: Agnes P. Hayward, \$10.00; Harold C. Hayward, \$10.00; Isabella Hayward, \$10.00; Fred W. Hayward, \$10.00 . . . 40.00
- S. J. Tucker . . . 10.00

\$8,150.00

J. S. MUNX, Hon. Treas.

K. Winiarski, who hails from Galicia Germany, previously referred to, left for New York by the Florizel today.

Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Outerbridge, who were visiting the Old Country, have returned. They crossed to Botwood by the Parthenia.

Pleaded Guilty

A clerk in an up town office was arrested yesterday on a charge of having taken \$600. He pleaded guilty to-day and was remanded for eight days.

One Rejected

Fifty volunteers were examined by the medical men last night. Forty-one were accepted, eight were told to stand aside for further examination and only one was pronounced unfit for foreign service.

Quartermasters Met

The Quartermaster's Department of the Patriotic Committee met last night and opened the tenders for the supplying of provisions, clothing, etc. At 10 o'clock they adjourned. The Camp Officers' Committee then met until midnight.

LOST

On Thursday night, a Gold Chain Bracelet, with attached Locket, bearing initials "B.G.," containing two photos. Will the finder kindly return same to this office.

COMMISSIONERS HOLD SESSION

Peace Reigned For a While and Then Came a Sharp Conflict

The weekly meeting of the Civic Commissioners held their weekly meeting last night, Messrs. Gosling, Withers, Anderson, Morris, McGrath, Mullaly, Bradshaw, McNamara, Ayre and Harris.

It was a peaceful session until near the close when Com. Mullaly brought up the collection of the Nickel taxes and a warm but brief argument followed with the Secretary. The Chairman threw oil on the troubled waters, promising a report for next meeting.

It was agreed that the water and sewerage committee and the office committee meet on Monday and Tuesday nights of next week to discuss special business.

Want Services

Residents of Macklin Place applied for water and sewerage services. The engineer will report on street line, but in the meantime the Council will attend to the application.

W. Strong and other residents of Golf Avenue and Mundy Pond Rd., asked that the Council re-consider its decision re laying water service in the interest of the public health. There is nothing to re-consider in the matter.

W. Ring complained of damage caused through oil sprinkler to his home. He was offered an amount, and if not accepted he can take action.

M. Connolly, butcher, Duckworth St., asked permission to instal a refrigerator. Referred to the Engineer. Jas. Crowder offered to supply a small quantity of hay, at the market price. Tender accepted.

No Action.

The Solicitor reported on the application of the Furness Withy Co. to have refund of taxes made the S. S. Fairhaven. The matter, he said, rested with the Board. No action can be taken.

Some discussion arose as to the sanitary condition of Cuddihy Street, and Codner's Lane, and the Chairman suggested a public closet. The Engineer will report.

S. Goss, Sudbury St. submitted plans of proposed dwelling referred to the Engineer.

The Chairman informed the meeting that a copy of the present rules and bye-laws would be forwarded the members next week to be followed by a meeting to discuss them as to their amendment or otherwise.

The Engineer reported that he had finished the work of repairing the pipe on Cochrane Street at a cost of \$240. Tenders for the work, varying from \$340 to \$960 had been received. Com. Mullaly asked if the Nickel taxes were being collected daily as the rules order. A report will be made next meeting.

MRS. HUDSON'S FUNERAL HELD

The funeral of the late Mrs. Geo. T. Hudson took place yesterday afternoon, interment being at the General Protestant Cemetery.

Undertaker Collier had provided a pretty casket which was literally covered with beautiful flowers sent by loving friends. Many prominent citizens attended the funeral.

The service at the graveside was conducted by Revs. Dr. Curtis, Dr. Fenwick and Mr. Hemmeon, Pastor of Gower St. Church.

Pleasantville Camp

A score of tents have been erected at Pleasantville under the direction of Quartermaster Sergt.-Major Dicks. The volunteers who have passed the medical exams will attend the C.L.B. Armoury Monday night at 8 to be sworn in.

Many citizens intend visiting Pleasantville to-morrow.

Damaged Trestle

The trestle near the gas works was injured last evening by the express as it left. The train suffered no damage, however.

The incoming train last night stopped at the mill bridge where the passengers landed. Repairs have been made.

Consider Protest

The Football League met last evening to consider the Star protest re their match with the C.E.I. The point was debated for over two hours.

The Stars, B.I.S., St. Bon's, Collegians, C.E.I., Casuels and Pelicans were present. The captains of the teams and Referee Meehan were also present.

GIVES PRESENT TO VOLUNTEERS

Anglo-Nfld. Development Co. Supplies Pipes and Tobacco

Grand Falls, Aug. 29.—Lord Rothmere, President of the Anglo Newfoundland Development Co., cables asking that arrangements be made to supply each man of the five hundred Newfoundland Contingent with a pipe and tobacco, value two and a half dollars, as a gift from the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Co.

Case of Typhoid

Only one case of typhoid fever was reported during the week.

At present in hospital are four diphtheria patients, and the one of typhoid is being nursed at home. A case of typhoid was reported yesterday from a residence in Leslie St. The patient, a twelve year old girl, is being treated at home.

COMMITTEE ADOPT THE ROSS RIFLE

For Arming the Members of the Newfoundland Volunteer Regiment

The council of the Musketry Committee met at Mr. W. H. Rennie's office yesterday, and decided on the Ross rifle. His Excellency the Governor has approved of them and 500 have been ordered. They will be obtained through the courtesy of Lt. Col. Winter, the War Secretary of Canada, who visited here a few years ago with Earl Grey. They are the latest type of rifle and the same as to be used by the Canadian volunteers.

At last night's meeting a programme of training was arranged. The volunteers will be divided into three classes, viz.: those who are experienced in the use of the rifle; those who know a little of its use; and those who have had no training in shooting.

The first mentioned will receive theoretical training at Pleasantville, and then be taken to the Southside range for three days practice under Sergt.-Instructor Moore and other officers.

The squads will consist of sixty-four members and each will visit the range in turn, returning to Pleasantville to complete their training. Before the close of the meeting the members of the Rifle Association who have offered their services as instructors were given instructions by Mr. Moore.

SHIPPING

S.S. George Pyman has sailed from Botwood for Montreal in ballast.

S.S. Nicosian has left Botwood with 5,500 tons paper and pulp for Browhead, for orders.

Sails To-day

S.S. Gloria de Larrinaga which arrived Thursday with her cargo of grain shifted, resumes her voyage this evening.

'Morwenna' Sails

S.S. Morwenna left at 1 p.m. taking Miss J. Herder, Miss E. Herder, Miss L. Thompson, A. C. Fitzpatrick, Miss Welhelm, Miss Rennie, Miss Rudolph, Miss Duprez, Mr. Fortune, Mr. O'Driscoll, Miss Carroll and 6 steerage.

'Strathcona' Clears

The Strathcona cleared yesterday from Sandy Point for Halifax with 1,017 brls. of herring, 87 qtls. of codfish, 9 brls. of salmon, and 3 casks of cod-oil from various ship pers.

'Florizel' Sails

Florizel leaves at 3 p.m. taking in saloon: Miss Flynn, Mrs. Fury, Mr. Barter, W. L. Holmow, J. J. Ferguson, N. Kean, A. F. Buddington, Miss Kenny, Miss May Baddock, Miss K. Devine, Miss G. Landrigan, Sister Samuel, Sister Thomas, Miss F. Dunphy and 23 steerage.

PERSISTENT!

Ha! That's the kind of Advertising that bring you Results, providing, of course, you have it accomplished through the right medium. The Mail and Advocate has the largest circulation and is a sure result getter.

SIXTY MORE MEN VOLUNTEER FOR SERVICE ABROAD

Bring the Present Total Strength of Nfld. Force Up to 395

The enlisting of volunteers for active service abroad continues most satisfactory. Last night sixty signed the roll, bringing the total up to 395.

One of the applicants last night was only sixteen years of age. He was very sorry when he learned that because of his youth he could not enlist. He was promised a place on the Home Defence Squadron.

Those who entered last night were: Wm. S. Anderson, Fred C. Mellor, Jas. T. Mahon, Wm. Geo. Coish, James Drover, Jno. S. Cleary, John J. Morrissey, Walter Thomas, Ed. G. Wyatt, Jno. E. Fox, Jas. P. Houlihan, Allan A. Sellars, Leon J. Barrett, Chas. P. Martin, Fred. Curran, Jas. Reid, Art. Tucker, Peter Barron, Robt. H. Tait, Harold Macpherson, Jno. F. Chaplin, Chas. Curran, Jos. F. Mahoney, Sydney W. Evans, Jno. Thompson, Walter Thompson, Jno. Cliff, Cecil B. Chit, Wm. Haggood, Gordon C. Bastow, Eric McKenzie Robertson, Park, J. English, Jas. Sears, Wm. V. Knight, Jno. Lewis, Fred. Hallett, Jas. J. Hynes, Jas. Pittman Watts, Ashton J. Joliffe, Wm. P. Evans, Peter J. Halleran, Albert J. Myer, A. Leo Summers, Jno. Fogers, Thos. J. Smyth, Jno. J. Kelly, Jno. J. Johnson, P. J. Grace, Harris C. Hill, Wm. C. Sheppard, Hy. Duffett, Hubert Randle, Leonard Evans, S. Constantine, Arch. Gooby, Herb. Taylor, Ed. C. Saunders, Ron. Curtis, Hy. C. Noonan, Stan. J. Squires.

Up to Thursday night when the total was 335, they were made up as follows:

C.L.B.	85
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Guards	37
Highlanders	39
Legion Frontiersmen	41
No Training	64
Training Abroad	20

LIVE NEWS FROM CHANGE ISLANDS

Change Islands, August 17.—Things are looking pretty dull around here now. The hook and line fishery to date is the worst known for years, the average catch being from five to ten quintals, but the report from little Fogo Islands the past week is a little better.

Friday and Saturday were two very stormy days and the men could do nothing the way of fishing.

Thursday, Aug. 20.—Two boats arrived from the French Shore—Capts. Joseph Peckford and Henry J. Ginn in command—with about 100 qtls. each. They report a bad fishery on the French Shore. They are our first two schooners to arrive from the Northern fishing grounds. We are glad to see friends Peckford and Ginn and their crews arrive safely.

Friday, Aug. 21.—The F.P.U. flag went up again on the S. U. F. Hall. Some of our merchants are wondering what is up now, but we want to let them know that we have a President at St. John's who is looking out for fishermen's affairs.

Called a meeting and read letters from President Coaker, whose actions are the daily topic of interest. People here are furious over the actions of Governor Davidson and Morris and are ready for the first call to petition for his recall.

If Governor Davidson and Premier Morris had been in the hall here on Friday night they would have discovered just how the tollers take their actions at St. John's.

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SAMPLE COATS.

In our Show Rooms in the Upper Building we are showing some exquisite models of the New Styles for Fall

The designs are entirely different to anything we have hitherto shown, and are striking examples of the style tendencies of the season.

Owing to the war, later shipments of such goods are problematical, and it would be wise for our patrons to secure what they want in these garments NOW.

SEE WINDOW!

Full Line of NEW COATINGS and SUITINGS in our Dry Goods Store



NFLD. MAN NOW WITH THE ARMY

Lieut. A. W. Jackson In Belgium With the Royal Engineers

There is at least one Newfoundland man now at the front, and his many friends are confident that he is keeping up his end of the plank.

We refer to Second Lieut. A. M. Jackson, son of John Jackson, Esq., Lieut. Jackson is with the Royal Engineers in the 12th Division, having proceeded to the front from Chatham with the expeditionary force.

He left England for Belgium and his party is known to be at the front, but his exact position is of course unknown.

We hope he will come through all right.

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BERLIN IS HIT HARD BY WAR

Many Are Out of Employment and Some Are in Actual Distress

London, Aug. 26.—The German newspapers to hand, although evidently under an iron censorship, make interesting reading. They indicate, for one thing, that the economic disturbance in the Fatherland is already having disastrous effects.

The pinch of scarcity is being felt acutely in Berlin and other large towns. The police have had to intervene in some places between provision dealers and the customers.

Not only is Germany practically cut off from postal communication with the rest of the world, but various parts of the German Empire are suffering from an entire dislocation of the railroads. Even between the most important centres only one mail train is possible in forty-eight hours.

No goods are forwarded from Berlin to Stettin or any western centre without a special permit, and in the Rhenish provinces businesses in a number of cases have had to close owing to a lack of supplies.

In Berlin the labor bureaus are unable to find employment for the

crowds of women who besiege them. Right and left people are dismissing their domestic servants, and crowds of girls are now offering their services in exchange for bare board and lodging.

Efforts were made to ridicule the Czar's historic proclamation promising autonomy for Poland, and Professor Ernst Haackel, the well known Darwinian, who not long ago celebrated his eightieth birthday, has written an angry fulmination against England's "blood guiltiness."

The Elite Tonsorial Parlor,

Prescott Street, near Rawlins' Cross, F. ROBERTS, Proprietor,

Mr. F. Roberts, of the Elite Tonsorial Parlors, begs to announce to his many patrons, that he has installed the very latest Massage machines for face and hair; also that he will carry full assortment Choice Cigars, Cigarettes and Tobacco.

On and after to-day the Parlors will be open each weekday from 8 a.m. until 11 p.m.