

### Trying to Reach a Settlement.

Special Evening Telegram.  
 WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.  
 The Commissioners representing Canada, Newfoundland and the United States are at work trying to reach a basis of settlement regarding the enforcement of local regulations imposed on all fishermen in Newfoundland waters.

The first Conference to-day lasted about two hours, and was only sufficient to open up the far delayed consideration of the complex subjects covered by the Newfoundland regulations.

Chandler Anderson, councillor for the State Department, who leads the American delegation in the Fisheries Conference, is also one of the United States Commissioners.

It has been found necessary to have alternate hours of meeting, and consequently the second session of the Conference, held in the State Department, lasted until a late hour to-day. It is apparent that a number of sessions will be required to reach an agreement upon the issues pending.

The fact that the people of Newfoundland are reluctant to permit the special board of experts, created under the Hague Award, to fishery cases to pass upon the legality of the Acts of the Newfoundland Legislature, is, however, held as a basis for expectation that they are prepared to recognize a very liberal construction of

the existing laws concerning the American fishing rights in Canadian waters.

The questions to be settled at the outset is the application of the Fishery Vessels Act of 1906, which imposes on American fishing vessels certain restrictions, in addition to those that were imposed by the Act of 1905. There is also a question of the right of Newfoundlanders to board American vessels and bring them into port under certain conditions.

The Newfoundland law prohibits the shipment of Newfoundlanders as members of crews of American fishing vessels, giving their vocations in Newfoundland waters. It also prohibits Sunday fishing and the use of purse seines. All of these prohibitions are obnoxious to Gloucester fishermen, with possible exception of Sunday law. They are not now in effective operation, having been suspended by the Modus Vivendi reached last year between the British Foreign Office and Ambassador Roid as a preliminary to the adjustment of the fisheries disputes by the Hague. But the decision of that tribunal has now been rendered. The Modus Vivendi served its purpose, and old fishing regulations would apply in full force unless something is done by the present conference to reach a better understanding.

### Revolutionists' Success Another Nocturnal Thief Around.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
 PUERTO CORTEZ.  
 Honduras, Jan. 9.  
 Report says that the revolutionaries forced captured Tela, a port in the Gulf, on the coast of Honduras, and are marching on Coban. A confirmation of the report that the revolutionists occupied Kantana Island and proclaimed Manuel Bonilla President has been received.

### Rebels Surrender.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
 MEXICO, Jan. 9.  
 The rebels who figured in the taking of Batopilas have surrendered and turned over their weapons. The prisoners, with the exception of Rodriguez, the leader, were given their liberty.

### Want More Money.

Special Evening Telegram.  
 WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.  
 The appropriation of \$200,000 for raising the wrecked battleship Maine in Havana Harbor has proved insufficient. An additional grant will be required.

### Libertarian Loan.

Special Evening Telegram.  
 LONDON, Jan. 9.  
 The Times announces that the Librarian Minister has been authorized to sign the boundary treaty with France, clearing the way for the negotiations of a loan.

### McDonald Coming.

Mr. J. T. Meaney received a telegram from Dan McDonald, Moncton last night saying that he was leaving there for St. John's, Nfld., to be present at the wrestling match between Oppelt and Olson. He will arrive here next Thursday. McDonald will challenge the winner in the bout. He is a fine specimen of manhood and is a native of Judique, Cape Breton.

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### Harbor Grace Notes.

W. A. Munn, Esq., of St. John's, was in town yesterday visiting his mother and sister at Braebach. We understand Mr. Munn shortly goes to Montreal on a business trip.

Miss Fraser, of Bay Roberts, is in town, staying at Gordon Lodge.

Mr. James A. Peddie, of Bristol Hope, died there last week after a long illness. He leaves besides a mother and father, a wife and one child to mourn his death. He was only 26 years of age.

The S. S. Mary left for Bell Island yesterday evening with a number of workmen and other passengers.

Misses Flora and Annetta Makinson who had been spending their holidays with their parents at the Goulets, and who took a run to St. John's last week to see friends, returned by Saturday night's train. They visited Victoria Street school, which opens to-day.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Walsh, of Water Street West, last week.

The lads of the C. C. C. are going to have an "At Home" at the Academy Hall on Thursday evening next. It is not necessary to predict a good time, as that is a foregone conclusion.

Miss Flynn, of St. John's, is in town, the guest of Miss Cody.

Miss Grace Trappell, Methodist teacher at Glenwood, who spent the holidays here with her sister, Mrs. Robert S. Munn, leaves by to-morrow's train for the scene of her duties.

Mr. Austin Parsons whom we reported some time ago as being seriously bitten by dogs at Brig Bay, St. Barbe District, is now able to be about again. Mr. Parsons owes his life to the promptness with which H. D. Constable Sheppard and the owner of the dogs came to the rescue, when he called for help. Eight of the savage beasts were on him at the one time; and there were fifteen different wounds in his back where they attacked him.

Mr. Warren has just finished a beautiful race boat for the Orange Society. Those who have seen her claim her to be all, and a hard boat for the Magpie to beat.

We have lately received a calling down from several people for not reporting one or two semi-private gatherings and functions that have taken place. We would gladly report such, but as we cannot see through the side of a house or hear through stone wall, and being anxious to be accurate in all our remarks, we will have to be pardoned for not reporting things we get by hear-say. We just want to keep up the Telegram's reputation for reliability.

There passed away to the Great Beyond on Friday night last one of the oldest and most widely known men in this community, and we believe the oldest master mariner in this Bay, in the person of Capt. Henry Thomey. Capt. Thomey was born at Bristol's Hope in June 1822, and was therefore in his eighty-ninth year. He first took command of a schooner at the ice—his father's schooner—called the

### Budget of News FROM NEWTOWN and VICINITY.

The C. E. W. A. of Pinchard's Island held their annual sale of work on Dec. 21st, and 22nd. In spite of unpropitious weather, the sum of \$72 was raised, which will be utilized in resinsing church property.

Wedding bells are often heard ringing of late. Among the very large number of weddings celebrated since last budget, has been that of John Jefferson and Len Norris, two popular citizens of Newtown. At Pinchard's Island on Thursday of last week, Mr. Harold Blackmore and Miss Laura E. Gill were united in the sacrament of holy wedlock. In each case Rev. J. J. Hiscock officiated.

Mr. W. F. Coaker, founder and president of the Fishermen's Association, has visited the vicinity since last report, and has infused fresh life into the movement, organizing new branches, and reorganizing existing branches. At Greensend, where previously the movement had met with hostility over seventy members were initiated by Mr. Coaker at one meeting. At Badger's Quay he formed another branch. And he started yet another promising branch at Newtown.

We regret to announce the death of Pinchard's Island on December 28th, of William Howell, a venerable citizen, who had been an invalid for many years.

On Xmas Eve at Newtown a mid-night celebration of the Holy Nativity was held by the Rector in St. Luke's Church. A fair congregation occupied the church. The sermon opened with a procession, including the crucifer, bearing the processional cross, the robed choristers, and the celebrant in full Eucharistic vestments. The Rector preached forcibly on the Nativity. Precious to the service, the choir, supplied with torches and lanterns, paraded through the streets of the town, halting at the houses of the sick to sing a Xmas carol.

The new Church of England school at Newtown will be opened for use after the Xmas holidays. The day school is situated on the lower flat of the building, the upper flat being occupied by the Parish Hall. The school consists of two rooms, but only one will be opened at present, owing to pressure of circumstances.

CORRESPONDENT.  
 New Town, Dec. 28th.

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### Mary and the Doctors.

AUNT POLLY'S REMEDIES ARE MUCH CHEAPER AND MUCH EASIER TO SECURE.

Editor Evening Telegram.  
 Dear Sir—  
 Well, my laws, I have been amused lately, reading the accounts of the doctors' doings at St. John's and the letters commenting on the same. It is the people themselves who are to blame for this state of affairs. The people in my opinion are living above their means in many cases, trying to get too many luxuries, not the least among the latter being that of having a doctor's automobile stop at the door, and have a gentleman with gold-rimmed eye glasses, walk in over the door step to see little Tommy, who is complaining of a pain in the stomach. But, my folks alive, when I was a youngster, and later still when I was a young woman, the only doctor we knew was a common dinner plate. The one and only remedy for a pain in the stomach was a plate applied as hot as possible and repeated until the pain could stand the heat no longer and would leave. There was a good old woman in the neighborhood we called Aunt Polly, and when it was a burn or a scald, a cut or a bruise, a death or an arrival to the household, Aunt Polly was always at hand and her charges were so low that she never could afford to even get a dog sleigh in winter, not to speak of an automobile. But to go back to the doctors and their unior rates, Tom says he

### Newfoundland Society of Montreal

The re-organized Newfoundland Society of Montreal, held their second meeting on Tuesday last. Sir Edward Morris, Prime Minister of Newfoundland, was elected the first honorary member. Dr. Roddick and E. W. Mudge were elected life members and the latter was also elected a member of the board of governors. A concert was given by the Bennett family, a band of musicians famous in St. John's for generations. Lieut. Col. Rhoads presided. Rev. F. Holland, of St. Ann's parish, occupying a seat by his side.—Montreal Star.

### Several Larcenies.

The police are now looking up several petty larcenies of recent occurrence and these are of a nature to give them serious trouble in trying to detect them on the slightest and in some cases no clues whatever. The last to be reported to-day was that of a woman who said that her grandson had entered her house and had stolen therefrom \$6. The boy will be arrested this afternoon.

### Will Carry More Freight.

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### OLD COMMON SENSE

Change Food When You Feel Out of Sorts.  
 "A great deal depends upon yourself and the kind of food you eat," the wise old doctor said to a man who came to him sick with stomach trouble and sick headache once or twice a week, and who had been taking pills and different medicines for three or four years.

### CAPE REPORT.

Special Evening Telegram.  
 CAPE RACE, To-Day.  
 Wind south, blowing a gale with rain; the steamer Lake Erie passed east; steamers Beothic and Minia in yesterday afternoon; nothing sighted to-day. Bar: 29.29. Ther: 34.

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### Orphan Boys Remembered.

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Bridget Kelly, of Kilbride Road, is missing, and though her friends have been searching for her the past 12 hours they have heard no tidings of her. She came to town yesterday morning, with her horse and carriage to sell her milk. She was last seen at 1 p.m. yesterday on New Gower St. When the police were informed that she was missing two men were sent out on the search. Late in the night they found the horse and carriage at J. B. Ayre's stable on New Gower St., but though they made a careful enquiry at all the resorts of the city where she was accustomed to frequent they could get no tidings of her. She is about 60 years of age, and lives on a farm by herself at Kilbride.

Mr. Dan Kidney met with an accident about a month ago in the Glacie Dockyard in Cleveland, which resulted in his death. It is not known how the accident occurred. He died before his wife reached his bedside at the hospital.

Mr. W. Sinnott, who went up to Sydney as a passenger on the Beothic, could not return in the ship and is indisposed at Sydney from a cold contracted during the voyage.

Mr. Donald Trappell, son of Trappell, Esq., who is just Sackville College, has taken a position at Bell Island with the D. I. S. Co.

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### Editor Evening Telegram

Dear Sir—Allow me to share with you a valuable paper I feel a true story about an iron baron called the Fish Island, on a voyage from the Johnston's to Penamallow with a cargo of fish in drums. The captain's name was Olsen, a Swede, one of the most experienced sea captains sailing out of Newfoundland, and the baron was one of the largest. We had men all told, there being several different nationalities on board. I had a pleasant passage and had charged our cargo, and then put ballast for Sydney, Cape Breton, put on board a cargo of coal and a number of quarters of beef in the hold and left for home. Our little scuttle had no sliding hatch, the doors; it was all open. All went well until the second night out, about the bells in the morning watch, the