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THE banked oars fell an hundred strong. And backed and threshed and ground, But bitter was the rowers' song As they brought the war-boat round. They had no heart for the rally and roar, That makes the whale-bath smoke— When the great blades cleave and hold and leave As one on the racing stroke,

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They sang:—" What reckoning do ye keep And steer her by what star, And steer ner by what star,

If we come unscathed from the Southern deep

To be wrecked on a Baltic bar? Last night ye swere our voyage was done,

But seaward still we go; And ye tell us now of a secret vow-That we must lie off a lightless coast And haul and back and veer, t the will of the insed that have wr For a year and a year and a year! There was never a shame in Christendie

They laid not to our door—
And ye say we must take the winter sea And sail with them once more? Look South! The gale is scarce o'erpast When we stood forth but they stood fast

And prayed to see us drown. The dead they mocked are scarcely cold, Our wounds are bleeding yet— And ye tell us now that our strength is sold To help them press for a debt Neath all the flags of all mankind

That use upon the seas, Was there no other fleet to find Of evil times that men could choose On evil fate to fall,

And Jenny to her wheel.' Whilst thus the inhabitants of South Britain are settling down again quietly to work after the festivities of the Christmas season, their fellow-subjects in the northern division of the Island are only com- For we are bairns come out to play, mencing their annual saturnalia, which, Ger up and gie's our hogmanay!' till recently, bore, in the license and boisterous merriment which used to prevail, a most unmistakable resemblance to its ancient pagan namesake. The epithet of And deal your bread to them that's here: which characterised the period in question.
This exuberance of joyousness which, it must be admitted, sometimes led to great

My facts could my characterised the period in question.

The most favourite of all, however, is more to the point than any of the fore-going: excesses has now much declined, but Rew-year's Eve and New-year's Day constitute still the great national holiday in Scotland. Under the lst of January, we have already detailed the various revelvies the still feed agreement of the still feed agreement of the still feed agreement. Still of seem that the still of seems and person believing out before him stiffed full of cakes, and person believing out by which the New Year used to be usher-

land, Hogmanay.

This last term has puzzled antiquaries as his richer neighbours. ven more than the word Yule, and what In the primitive parish of Deerness, is is of still greater consequence, has never Orkney, it was customary, in the begin yet received a perfectly satisfactory ex- ning of the present century, for old and planation. Some suppose it to be derived from two Greek words, hagia mede (the assemble in a great band upon the even holy moon or month), and in reference to this theory it may be observed, that, in the north of England, the term used is district. At every house they knocked at Hagmena, which does not seem, however, the door, and on being admitted, compete to the 31st of December, but denotes generally the period immediately preceding the New Year. Another following is what may be termed a restored hypothesis combines the word with another sung along with it in chorus, and ing been called on to make up in sever additional conjectures seem much more plausible, and the reader may select for otice is derived from Hoggu-nott; Hoge-

tion of 'Homme est no-Trois Rois The 'Queen Mary' alluded to is evidently d' ('A Man is born-Three Kings are the Virgin; Saviour, and the visit to Bethlehem of the Wise Men, who were known in medieval times as the 'Three Kings' But two And that's before our Lady, plausible, and the reader may select for himself what he considers the most probnat, or Hogg-night, the ancient Scandin- Goodwife, gae to your butter-ark, not, or Hogg-night, the ancient Scandin-avian name for the night preceding the feast of Yule, and so called in reference Ten mark, ten pund, to the animals slaughtered on the occasion
for sacrificial and festal purposes—the
word hogg signifying to kill. The other

And fetch us here a skeel o' that. derivation of Hogmanay is from 'Au gni Gang to your awmrie, gin ye please, menez' ('To the mistletoe go'), or 'Au Gang to your awmrie, gin ye please, menez' ('To the mistletoe this New Year'), an allusion to the ancient Druidical ceremony of gathering that plant. In We'll sharp our whittles ilks ane. Year'), an allusion to the ancient Druidical ceremony of gathering that plant. In the patois of Touraine, in France, the word used is Aguilanneu; in Lower Normandy, and in Guernsey, poor persons and children used to solicit a contribution under the title of Hoguinanne or Oguinano; whilst in Spain the term, Aguinaldo, is employed to denote the presents made at the season of Christmas.

In country places in Scolland, and also Stilr up the fire to warm our feet.

On evil fact to fall.

What brooding Judgement let ye loose
To picht key youst of all?

In slabt of pesc—from the Nerrow Seas
O're hat the world to run—
With a cheated crew, to league anew
With a cheated crew, to league anew
With the Goth and the shameless Hun!'

NEW-YEAR'S EVE. OR HOGMANAY
In the more retired and-pringities, loows, as a strength of the more importance of the same part of the same part of the country, indeed, and more specially the same part of the country, indeed, and more specially in the more part of the country in faced you for the country in deed, and then shamely such parts in the United States. Indicating the more in part of the country in deed, and more part of the country in the country in deed, and more particularly in the more part of the country in the deed, and then tog along the arrests in deed along carries to compare to the world to run—
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the Daft [mad] Days, applied to the season | For the time will come when ye'll be dead, of the New Year in Scotland, indicates And then ye'll neither need ale nor bread. singing the Hagmend chorus, and obtainvery expressively the uproarious joviality The most favourite of all, however, is ing a dole of bread or cakes, prevails in

'My feet's cauld, my shoon's thin Gie's my cakes, and let me rin!' ed in, in Scotland. It now becomes our province to notice those ceremonies and load. Such a mass of oaten alms is no customs which are appropriate to the last day of the year, or, as it is styled in Scothim to enjoy the New-year season as much

nanay, trollolay!' to be a of the lines what was deficient in m

The very first thing which we do crave

And that's before our Lady.

Albert County

SAINT ANDREWS, NEW BRUNSWICK, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1916

THE ROWERS

The innets furnished a long table with all sorts of good wishes. The party would then proceed to the next house where a similar access where the second to take so many suppers in one evening heaven knows! No slight could be more keenly felt by a Deerness farmer than to have his house passed over unvisited by the New-year singers.

The doings of the gailsers or guitagers (that is, masquers or minimages) form a conspicuous feature in the New-year proceedings throughout Scotland. The favourite night for this exhibition is Hogmanay, though the evenings of Constructing that is, masquers or minimages) form a conspicuous feature in the New-year proceedings throughout Scotland. The favourite night for this exhibition is Hogmanay, though the evenings of Constructing that is, masquers or minimages) form a conspicuous feature in the New-year proceedings throughout Scotland. The favourite night for this exhibition is Hogmanay, though the evenings of Constructing that is, masquers or minimages) form a conspicuous feature in the New-year proceedings throughout Scotland. The favourite night for this exhibition is Hogmanay, though the evenings of constructing that is, masquers or minimages, form a conspicuous feature in the New-year proceedings throughout Scotland. The favourite night for this exhibition is Hogmanay, though the evenings of conspicuous feature in the New-year proceeding throughout Scotland. The favourite night for this exhibition is Hogmanay, though the evenings of the gailed form the favourite night for this exhibition is Hogmanay, though the evenings of the favourity of the proceeding throughout Scotland. The favourite night for this exhibition is Hogmanay, though the evenings of the favourity of the subject of the subject of the favourity of the subject of the favourity of t Monday, enjoy likewise a privilege in this respect. Such of the boys as can lay any claim to the possession of a voice have for week's before, been poring over the collection of 'excellent new songs,' which lies like a bunch of rags in the window-sill; and being now able to screech up Barbara Allan,' or the 'Wee cot-house and the wee kail-yardie,' they determine upon enacting the part of guisers. For this purpose they don old shirts belonging to their fathers, and mount mitre-shaped casques of brown pages. to their fathers, and mount mitre-shaped casques of brown paper, possibly borrowed from the Abbot of Unreason; attached to this is a sheet of the same paper, which, falling down in front. covers and conceals the whole face, except where holes are made to let through the point of the nose, and afford sight to the eyes and breath to the mouth. Bach vocal guiser is, like a knight of old attended by a sort of hum. knight of old, attended by a sort of hum-

rent, but evidently belonging to the old times, anterior to the Reformation, when Christmas was the great popular festival:

"Yule's come and Yule's gane,
And we hae feasted weel;

Trollolay.

Trollolay.

The tub is so arranged that generally contenting themselves with the baited hooks are kept separate from the baited hooks are kept separate from the trawl-line itself, thus keeping it clean, as well as keeping the hooks and gangings from becoming entangled with the line.

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Trollolay.

Give us of your white bread, and none of who delighted to keep up old customs, and could condescend to simple things without losing genuine dignity, invariably had a set of guisers to perform this play had a set of guisers to perform the line and gangings, thereby suit here will be rejected. Stamps obtund from Salomika to Montreal, in ballocation the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple things at from the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple things at from the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple things at from the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple things at from the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple things and could condescend to simple things at from the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple the tub or to separt the view will be rejected. Stamps obtuint the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple the tub or box separts and could condescend to simple the tub o a close resemblance, with sundry modifications, to that performed by the mummers be kept in perfect condition; whereas at To the Editor of The Beacon, in various parts of England.

in various parts of England.
Such are the leading features of the Hogmanay festivities in Scotland. A similar trawl has to be stripped and rebaited, a lar custom to that above detailed of children going about from house to house, Yorkshire and the north of England; but, as we have already mentioned, the last

RECRUITING IN NEW BRUNSWICK The official report of the result of recruiting in the Province of New Brunswick, home and overseas service, for the week ending Dec. 23, is as follows:

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tigouche County-12th Artillery Draft 236th Battalion Home service

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process which no fisherman enjoys, to say nothing of loss of time and bait. In this draw the attention of the Post Office Maersk, 1,037 tons gross, and Gerda 755

as we have already mentioned, the last amined the model, are enthusiastic over the best of the ability of the management of the Grand Manan Steamship Company. day of the year is not in the latter country, for the most part, invested with much peculiar distinction.—Chambers' Book of peculiar distinction.—Chambers' Book of the Grand Manan Steamship Company.

The steamer touches at Cummings' Cove to have been sunk. The steamer touches at

supply of provisions when the Aurora is given as 120 broke away in a blizzard twenty-one

-New York, Dec. 25-The New York the steamer Mureta is believed to have Times this morning says.
"It is understood that under the new

Dec. 25, 1916.

writer to enter into a controversy regardmatter alone, Mr. Potier's patent will Department to a few of the conditions as matter alone, Mr. Potier's patent will pepartment to a rew of the condition of the performed by the S. S. Grand Manan to steamer Liverpool has been sunk.

The steamer Liverpool has been sunk. The steamer Bayhall, according to another the ability of the management. them with additional tubs fitted with his patient.

Mr. Potier informed the Times that he has been offered \$25,000 for the use of ite steamer does not touch at the only suitable port-of-call on Deer Island. For patent in Canada and the United States. The offer comes from Yarmouth and New York parties, but the sale has not yet been completed. — Yarmouth Times, Déc. 22.

LET THE PEOPLE TRY IT

A Gananoque man says that in hotels in Clayton, on the American side of the St. Lawrence, margarine is used in the left Chocolate Cove for Lord's Cove.

The Propose are listed in the marine records. All are small vessels and records. All are small vessels but the arise records. All are small vessels of less than 1,000 tons, two being British and one French. The British steamer Bayhall, of 2,534 tons net, has not had her movements reported in the marine records since September 22, whan she arrived at Marseilles and the United States. Andrews, to do some Christmas shopping, but were doomed to disappointment, as the boat had been notified that there would be no mail that day. Again, the mail leaves the Island on Mondays per Grand Manan. On whe afternoon of the above named day, 23rd instant, the mail left Chocolate Cove for Lord's Cove.

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——Rome, Dec. 26—A naval engagement between French, Italian and Austrian warships in the Strait of Otranto is announced in a nofficial statement is sued by the admiralty, which saives.

——Nantucket, Mass., Dec. 20. – American between French, Italian and Austrian warships in the Strait of Otranto is announced in a nofficial statement is sued by the admirance of the coast on Saturday, had boats mashed, decks damaged, and the

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News of the Sea

-Pais, Dec. 21.-The sinking of an

sailed to-day for Port Chalmers on board his auxiliary ship, the Aurora, in an effort to rescue the members of his Antarctic expedition marooned near the Ross reported in a dispatch from Marseiller. The steamship in a collision with the French armored cruiser Ernest Renan, is reported in a dispatch from Marseiller. Barrier. There are ten men in the party which the explorer will attempt to reach.

Capt. Mackintosh and nine of the crew of Capt. Mackintosh and nine of the crew of the Aurora. They had only a scanty were drowned. The number of survivors

-London, Dec. 22-Lloyd's shipping months ago, leaving them stranded, and agency announces that the Norwegian nothing has been heard from them since, steamer Avona has been sunk, and that

The Avona of 2,896 tons gross, was last

report to the state department to-day from the American consul at Malta said that the British horse ship St. Ursula, the six Americans, were landed at Malta six hours afterwards. Four men are still

missing. The state department has or--London, Dec. 21,-Lloyd's reports

other Lloyd's announcement, is believed

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