

NEW VESSELS.

A List of all the new Vessels Registered at the Port of St. John, N. B., for the Year ending 31st Dec., 1898 showing the Rig, Tonnage, Register Dimensions, Place of Building and Builders' Names.

Table with columns: Name of Vessel, Rig, Tonnage, Register Dimensions (Length, Breadth, Depth), Where Built, Builders' Names.

SUMMARY.

Summary table with columns: No., Rig, 1898, Tons, No., Rig, 1897, Tons, No., Rig, 1896, Tons.

The following is a List of Old Vessels added to the Registry Books of the Port of St. John, N. B., for the year ending 31st Dec., 1898.

Table with columns: Name of vessel and rig, Tonnage, Where Built, When Built, Name and Address of Owners.

Vessels Wrecked, Broken Up, Sold to Foreigners, and Transferred to Other Ports During the Year 1898.

Schr Karelie, 124 tons, built at St. Martins, N. B., in 1884, by David D Long, master, Alexander Cole. Sailed from Dorchester, N. B., on the 5th Jan, 1898, for Salem, Mass., with a cargo of plank, went ashore at West Quaco Head, N. B., on the same day and became a total loss. Vessel owned by Edwin C Anderson, of Dorchester, N. B.

was there condemned and sold. Owned by C McL Troop, St John, N. B., and others. Schr A J, 45 tons, built at Noel, Hants Co, N. S., in 1879, by A J O'Brien. Was wrecked off Hantsport, N. S., on the 29th Dec, 1898. Vessel owned by George Newcomb, of Parrsboro, N. S.

By D Walden LeB Brown, of St. Martins, N. B., in 1875, by James Dwyer, his only tools being an axe, saw and auger. Schr A B, 62 tons, built at Southampton, York Co, N. B., in 1875, by James Dwyer, his only tools being an axe, saw and auger. Schr A B, 62 tons, built at Southampton, York Co, N. B., in 1875, by James Dwyer, his only tools being an axe, saw and auger.

"TWO CENT LETTER RATE."

HON. MR. MULOCK ADDS ANOTHER TO HIS MANY ACHIEVEMENTS.

OTTAWA, Dec. 29—The Christmas box of inter-imperial penny postage is to be followed by a New Year's gift of a two cent letter rate throughout Canada, beginning January 1.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29—The postmaster general issued an order today accepting as private mailing cards both the Canadian and United States postage stamps.

OTTAWA, Dec. 30—The proclamation which appears in tomorrow's Gazette announcing the two cent postage rate, will recall the statutory authority for the reduction, and that after January 1, 1899, postage rate payable on all letters originating in and transmitted by post for any distance in Canada.

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