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Wm F. FREW

Return of Bank Fishery Eatal Explosion.

Appended is a comparative statement of the fishing voyage on the Grand Banks for season 1911-12, as compiled by the Board of Trade. The figures, which show an increase of 3,533 quintals over 1910-11, are:

	1910-11	1911-12
Carlish	300	880
Ramea	887	1,525
Marystown	4,590	1,525
St. Lawrence	1,308	1,211
Catalina	4,845	2,655
Burgoe	819	1,735
Stone's Cove	9,330	9,310
Fortune	7,895	8,155
Heart's Content	1,700	1,300
St. Jacques	5,706	8,278
Burin	31,962	29,148
Grand Bank	41,252	43,494
Belleoram	19,484	21,340
Harbour Breton	18,750	21,750
Pushthrough		809
Total	149,924	155,517

Herring Fishery Over.

Deputy Minister of Customs, Le-Messurier, had a message yesterday afternoon from Inspector O'Reilly, at Lark H., stating in effect that the herring fishery was practically over and that the people are deserting the Arms with their nets and gear. Seven vessels, five Gloucesters and two locals, are now at the Arms with part cargoes of herring. A few vessels recently sailed with cargoes. The weather continues stormy. The cruiser is awaiting the first chance for Port aux Basques.

Here and There.

Hot Bovril at Campbell's,
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FROM FOGO.—The schr. Little Gem, sailed from Fogo recently with 2,670 quintals fish for Lisbon, shipped by J. W. Hodge.

Stafford's Liniment for sale at
Steer Brothers' Grocery Department.—jan2,tf

DECORATING HALL.—The C.C.C. band members are now decorating the hall-room of the British Hall for their grand dance to be held there tomorrow night.

HERRING CARGO.—The schr. Atlanta sailed for Gloucester yesterday from Wood's Island, with 850 barrels of herring for the Gorton-Pew Coy.

Stafford's Liniment for sale at
The Royal Stores Grocery Department.—jan2,tf

A COAL CARGO.—The schr. Adriatic, which arrived recently at Halifax from Barbados, will call at Sydney to load coal for Mullaly & Co.

AMBULANCE CALL.—Last evening, the ambulance was called to Church Hill and removed a domestic named Brinstone, to hospital. The patient is suffering from acute pneumonia.

Stafford's Liniment, Prescription "A" and Phoradone Cough Cure for sale at
Knocking's Grocery Department.—jan2,tf

FOR HOSPITAL.—Mr. J. Rowe arrived here from Head's Content, by yesterday's train suffering from an affection of the eyes. He may lose the sight of one eye.

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CURLING RINK.—The Curling Rink is now in readiness for the roaring game, the ice being in good condition. Teams from abroad have been invited to come here to play a series of games, and our local enthusiasts anticipate a pleasant winter's sport.

BIG CARGO.—The s.s. Morwenna, which arrived here Sunday from Sydney, had a big cargo consisting of flour and hay, mostly. About 700 tons of the latter were for the Agricultural Society, here, and a quantity for the Societies of Clarke's Beach, Bay Roberts and Brigus.

The best value in town on our 5 cent Bargain Counter. Everyone says so. THE NATIONAL STORES, Greaves & Sons, Ltd.
dec23,tf

LT. COL. REES.—Lieut. Col. Rees, for several years leader of the Salvation Army in this city, and who has many friends here, is now in Toronto. He leaves that city on the 20th inst. for Vancouver on his inspection tour, and goes to Victoria, B.C. He is Secretary for the Men's Association work of the Army in Canada.

NURSE TRAINING AT NEW YORK.—Miss Elsie Doyle, niece of Hon. John Harris, and who left here a few months ago, has been accepted as an applicant by the King's County Hospital, Brooklyn, New York, to train as a nurse in that institution, she having passed her preliminary examination successfully.

HOCHELAGA COMES OFF DOCK.—The s.s. Hochelega, of the Furness Withy Line, which is undergoing general repairs at the Dry Dock, will be ready for sea Saturday next, when she will leave for Bell Island to continue in the coal and ore trade. The Hochelega is under charter to the Dominion Iron and Steel Company for seven years.

When polishing the stove, first rub the hands thoroughly with soap and allow it to dry. The polish will then wash off easily.

Special Evening Telegram.

TOULON, To-Day.
Seven men were killed in an explosion in the stockhold of the French battleship Massena. The Massena, accompanied by two cruisers, was proceeding to Bizerta. She was passing Hyer islands when the steam collector pipe of the boiler burst. The warship immediately stopped. The engine room staff rushed into the stockhold where they found a petty officer and six stokers lying on the floor dead.

Collision Off Kiel

KIEL, To-Day.
The German cruiser Strassburg and the Danish steamer Koenig Christian IX. collided last evening off Friedrichrich, at the entrance of Kiel harbor. The cruiser's compartments are badly damaged.

Ryan's Fine.

McGrath's Attack on Editor of Telegram Refuted by Fishermen.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—Yesterday's Herald contained an article stating a Cookerite of Catalina had been fined \$30. I considered the statement must be incorrect and wired for information and find that the fine was \$20 and was paid immediately by a collection made up then and there by friends who were indignant over Kean's inconsiderate proceedings, as the man involved is one of those harmless, inoffensive chaps, not at all responsible for his actions. Probably Kean will find out before the end of 1913 that such proceedings won't injure the F. P. U.

With regard to the Herald's personal attack upon you, Mr. Editor, it gives me much pleasure to inform you that the Port de Grave Local Council of the F. P. U. has written me intimating that at their recent meeting it was resolved to invite you to accompany me to Port de Grave on the 16th inst., and to address a public meeting there on the night of the 16th. The Port de Grave District Meeting of the F. P. U. will be held at Port de Grave on the 16th, and I have arranged to be present and to address a public meeting that night. The action of the Union men of Port de Grave in honouring you with an invitation to address their public meeting is an instance of the interest the toilers are taking in your efforts to aid the F. P. U. movement.

Yours truly,
W. F. COAKER.

Hard Experience

The schr. Jean, Capt. Kennedy, arrived to Crosbie & Co. this morning in ballast after a run of 23 days from Pernambuco. The ship had fairly fine weather after leaving Pernambuco until the Gulf Stream was reached, and on Christmas Day her troubles began. Since that time storm succeeded storm with varying winds, blowing at hurricane force, and on several occasions the ship was forced to heave to and had a terrible time of it. All her sails were badly torn and her decks were time and again swept by the sea. Sunday week, while hove to, one heavy sea struck her and carried away the fibboom. In all his experience Capt. Kennedy never saw a higher sea nor more noted such wind blowing off the shore. The ship was two miles off the Narrows Saturday night last, trying to hold the land with a hurricane of west wind blowing, and has since been reaching north and south until last evening, when she got a chance to stand in again for port. All her crew are well.

Ran Ashore.

The schr. British Empire, Capt. H. Bennett, from Burlin, laden with fish for G. C. Fearn and others, arrived in port this morning. The vessel left Burlin some time ago and in the recent storms she lashed at Browns and Farryland on the Southern Shore. In trying to enter the Narrows this morning in a baffling wind the vessel struck the rocks on the north side but immediately floated off and came to anchor. Two of the three men of a crew on board rowed to Fort Amherst and telephoned for assistance. The tug John Green took her in tow and brought her to port. The vessel is leaking considerably and the pumps are kept going on her.

Driven to Sea.

Capt. Kennedy of the Jean reports that Sunday morning in the storm, about 12 miles to the eastward of Cape Spear, he saw a schooner of about 60 tons and deeply laden, laying "hull up" and making very bad weather. Seas continually went over her and she was driven to sea. Her sails were all closely furled, but the jib, which was badly torn, hung over the bow. She was evidently bound for this port and was off the Narrows Saturday. If the vessel is afloat she must be by this time, with the prevailing winds, about 80 or 100 miles off the coast.

Supreme Court.

(Before the Full Bench.)
The argument in the Spracklin appeal was continued this morning. Morine, K.C., finished his argument and moved that the conviction be quashed. Howley, K.C., was heard in reply. Morine, K.C., was heard again. At 1 o'clock the matter was not concluded. The Court sits again at 11 o'clock to-morrow.

The Police Court.

A drunk and disorderly, who was also charged with assaulting a constable in the discharge of his duty, was remanded for eight days.

A vagrant was sent down for ten days.

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Becker's Denials.

Insists That He Does Not Even Know Convicted Gunmen.
Albany, N.Y., Jan. 2.—Chas. Becker, former lieutenant of police, now an occupant of Sing Sing prison under sentence of death for having instigated the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the New York City gambler, insists that he does not know the four gunmen who shot Rosenthal, according to Colonel Joseph F. Scott, superintendent of state prisons. The four men are occupants of cells near Becker in the death house.

"I have talked with Becker on several occasions since he was received at Sing Sing prison," said Colonel Scott to-day, "and he insists that his conviction was a frame-up. I do not care to undertake to say whether he knows the gunmen who are imprisoned in the cells near him, but the closest watch has failed to discover him engaging in conversation with them."

"I have enjoyed several visits I made to Becker and found him interesting. The insistence which characterizes his statements that he does not know the gunmen and that his conviction was obtained by what he calls a frame-up, would lead one to liken his case to that of Albert T. Patrick, who never wavered in his contention that he was innocent."

According to prison officials, Becker plainly shows the effect of his confinement in the death house.

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