

News of the City and the Outports

Mongolian Here; Was 10 Days Out

Had a Good Time Across Until Ice Was Encountered on the Coast

The Allan steamer Mongolian, Capt. J. W. Hatherly, 10 days from Liverpool, arrived at 10 a.m. As the Sardinian was at the pier she anchored in the stream and did not berth until noon.

The Mongolian left Liverpool on Saturday week and had pleasant weather until she met the ice. For three days she was dodging the floe and had to run well South to avoid it.

She brought 600 tons general cargo, 17 bags mail matter and the following passengers:—W. T. Hodge, Hon. S. Milley, W. Frew, Mrs. Frew, G. Carter, Misses G. and K. Carter, D. A. Ryan, Mrs. Ryan, Miss Ryan, Dr. J. P. McLoughlan, G. M. Barr, Mrs. Barr, and 2 children, D. MacLean, J. Burgess, P. Padley, Miss M. Burke, Mr. McCafferty, Capt. Amundsen and 11 steerage.

NOTE OF THANKS

Mrs. William Hibbs and family, Portugal Cove, wish to thank all the kind friends who sent letters of sympathy at the death of her late husband and loving father.

OPORTO MARKET

	May 12, May 5
Stocks (Nfld.)	4110 7110
Consumption (Nfld.)	2955 2940
Stocks (Norg.)	4290 7460
Consumption (Norg.)	3170 2995

LOCAL FISHERMEN READY

The local fishermen of the Battery are now ready for their summer's work. In the course of a week or so if the weather holds fine, all will be on the grounds.

HOSPITAL ENQUIRY

The Hospital Enquiry was opened at the General Hospital yesterday afternoon when an inspection of the hospital was made. The enquiry will be continued this afternoon.

ST. BON'S CRICKETERS

The Cricket Association of St. Bon's College was held yesterday afternoon when the following officers were elected: Captain, H. S. Knight; Sub-Captain, F. Hogan; Secretary, J. A. Miller. There will not be a college cricket league this year, but St. Bon's will play among themselves.

JOHN WISEMAN AT HALIFAX

The report that John Wiseman, tailor of this city, is missing is apparently incorrect. His sister informed The Mail and Advocate this morning that last week his wife had a letter from him from Halifax. He states he is working there and requests her to go to that city.

He left St. John's without informing friends, and it is believed went to Halifax by the S.S. Seal.

NEW FENCE FOR PARK

The new iron railing to be erected around Bannerman Park, was deposited within the grounds yesterday. In size, style and material with the exception of the gates it is similar to the fence erected around the Parade Ground.

It is certainly a splendid improvement on the old paling fence. We certainly congratulate the members of the Council on their decision in this respect.

THE NICKEL

There was large attendance at the Nickel Theatre last evening. The programme opened with a Pathe Weekly showing a number of leading events including the New York and Boston Baseball Teams.

"The Artist's Great Madonna" is a striking story. It tells of an artist who wished to paint a great Madonna, better than all others, and the difficulty he realizes in procuring a model.

"The Ex-convict" is a touching drama by the Selig players, illustrating the lives of two ex-convicts.

"Magic Shoes" and "Angel Cake and Axle Grease" are comedy pictures which tickled the audiences.

The singing last night was of a high order. Mr. McCarthy sang "Mother Carey" and Miss Gardner "Where Did You Get That Girl." Both received well merited applause.

This evening's programme will be repeated, and to-morrow a Biograph feature in two reels. "The Little Tease" will be given.

Schr. Margaret S. Sighted Wreckage

Saw a Piece of Ship's Rail, a Ship's Boat and Pieces of Plank

Yesterday we noted that the schr. Margaret S., Capt. Hann, which arrived Sunday from Ramea, passed a quantity of wreckage.

Capt. Hann informs us that it consisted of a piece of rail (black), about 3 inches thick and 12 feet long, a black boat full of water and about 50 pieces of plank.

The position was 8 miles south of Cape Pine. At 8 a.m. Saturday the Margaret passed it. The captain hoped to be able to pick some of it up, but there was no wind at the time, and she could not get round for it.

EXPRESS TO-MORROW MORNING

The express is due at 6 a.m. Wednesday.

BARGE ASHORE

Bowring's barge went ashore at Flat Rock yesterday. It was towed off without damage.

SUPREME COURT

Dr. Tait was arraigned in court this morning, and pleaded not guilty. Mr. Higgins moved for a day and special jury. The case was set down for Friday, 15th.

A WIFE BEATER

At 6.30 last evening Const. Forsey arrested a stoker who was charged with beating his wife. He was before Judge Knight this morning and had to sign bonds for his future good conduct.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT

A 24 year old freeman, Brennan St., charged with assaulting and beating his wife, has to sign bonds. Four other minor cases were disposed of.

PRICE OF MEAT SOARING

The price of meat is soaring so high that none but the wealthy will be able to enjoy it.

Last Saturday 35 cents per lb. was paid for fresh steak, while veal fetched 30 cents per lb.

The supply in the market at present is very limited.

BELVEDERE CEMETERY COMMITTEE MEETS

The Belvedere Cemetery Committee held their annual meeting last evening and elected the following gentlemen: Hon. J. D. Ryan, president; M. W. Myrick, Esq., treasurer; W. S. Dunphy, Esq., secretary; M. Power, Esq., J. Cormac, Esq., auditors.

AT THE GOLF LINKS

Although the warm weather is backward, members of the Golf Club are getting busy.

There is considerable snow among the trees but fifteen of the holes are dry and in good condition.

Several members have already enjoyed a game, and with a little more fine weather the club will become as popular as ever.

VALUABLE FAMILY INCREASES

This is the season when fox farmers watch their possessions in fear and trembling and with anticipations that too often are not realised.

For just about this time Mrs. Fox presents her lord and master with hopeful families of youngsters.

Accommodation on some of the local fox farms has already been somewhat crowded by the arrival of litters of valuable little animals, and the owners are beginning to figure just how many of them are going to be worth their weight in gold in the near future.

At Cherry Hill Mr. W. Thompson has a couple of litters on his fox farm and expects the new arrivals to be of more than ordinary value seeing that the parents are valuable crosses.

OBITUARY

Miss Stella Mifflin.

Miss Stella Mifflin, eldest daughter of Magistrate Mifflin, Greenspond, who was undergoing treatment at the consumption camp, died yesterday morning.

The remains will be sent home by this afternoon's train for interment. Deceased was 21 years of age.

"Hawk" To Start Coastal Service

Leaves To-morrow to Take Up the Service to Bell Island For the Summer.

The little coaster Hawk which last fall was engaged on the Bell Island coastal service leaves for the island again to-morrow morning and will continue in that service during the summer months.

During the last few weeks she has undergone a complete renovation and her engines have been completely overhauled and she has been painted inside and out.

As she is a fast steamer, being able to make nearly 12 knots, she is very popular with the Islanders.

CYCLE CLUB MEETS

The Cycle Club meets shortly and will make arrangements for their summer's work.

COASTAL BOATS.

BOWRINGS.

Prospero arrived at Catalina at 8.30 a.m., and left at 0.15 a.m.

CROSBIE'S

Sagona left Tilt Cove at 9.30 a.m. for the north; weather bad.

Fogota arrived at Cat. Hr. at 4.35 p.m. yesterday and left at 5.15 p.m.

REID'S

Bruce is under inspection at North Sydney.

Kyle arrived at Basques at 8 a.m. Leaves for Sydney to-night.

Lintrose leaves North Sydney to-night.

WANTED—Seventy Bonus Shovelers for Bell Island. Apply this week to Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Co. Ltd., West Waana, Bell Island—may 12, 31

LAST NIGHT'S DANCE

Just as we anticipated, the spacious ballroom of the British Hall was filled with a joyous crowd of the youth and beauty of the city last evening.

The picture presented was delightful, the varied colored costumes worn by the ladies, gliding side by side with their partners in evening dress, being charming to the eye.

The officers of the Corps together with representatives of the sister brigades in uniform, added a dash of color to the picture.

The music was all that could be desired as was shown by the thunderous applause given by the one hundred and twenty couples present.

The floor directors, Messrs. Brophy, Perez and Browning performed their duties in a pleasing manner, while Messrs. Oakley, Norris and Tobin attended to the financial side.

Last but by no means least was the sumptuous supper tables presided over by a bevy of lady friends of the bandmen, who carried out this part of the programme to the entire satisfaction of the large assembly present.

Lieut. Bulley and his associates must certainly be pleased with results both from a social as well as from a financial standpoint.

E.P.U. DISASTER FUND

Am't previously acknowledged	\$325.05
F.P.U. Council, Cupids	10.00
F.P.U. Council, Norman's Cove	2.00
F.P.U. Council, Broad Cove	7.25
B. Bay	7.25
Mrs. Mourin, Rhode Island	5.00
F.P.U. Council, Burin	25.00
High Beach, Lamaline, per Miss Mary Pittman	10.50
F.P.U. Council, Lamaline	10.00
F.P.U. Council, Northern Bay	6.50
W. R. Hobbs, Elliston	5.00
F.P.U. Council, Horwood	13.55
F.P.U. Council, Gander Bay	46.45
F.P.U. Council, Seidom	26.00
F.P.U. Council, Keels	23.60
F.P.U. Council, Shambler's Cove	7.50
F.P.U. Council, Paul's Is., B.B.	36.00
F.P.U. Council, Caplin Cove	15.75
F.P.U. Council, Fogo	52.00
F.P.U. Council, Clarendville	10.65
F.P.U. Council, British Hr.	15.50
F.P.U. Council, Old Perlican	15.00
William Dunphy, Dunnville	1.00
	\$3,624.80

PERSONAL.

Hon. P. Templeman left for Bonavista last evening.

Capt. M. Young, M.H.A., is at present in the city.

Miss Warrillow left by the Sardinian for the Old Country.

Mr. W. T. Hodge returned from England by the Mongolian.

Rev. T. B. Darby is visiting the city at present.

Prof. Dahl, who has been visiting Placentia Bay on professional duties, returns to England by the Sardinian.

Mr. T. T. Cartwright is a passenger by the incoming express from Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. R. J. Bonnell and Miss Alice Bonnell, of Lamaline, are at present visiting the city.

Messrs. D. MacLean, J. Burgess and P. Padley, chauffeurs, arrived by the Mongolian.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Frew returned from the Old Country by the Mongolian; they had a pleasant trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fred returned from the Old Country by the Mongolian.

Mr. G. Carter and the Misses Carter (2) who were visiting friends in England, return to-day.

Hon. S. Milley, who was visiting the States and England on business, returned by the Mongolian.

Mr. P. H. Cowan leaves for New York and other American cities on the 27th. He will be absent about three weeks.

Mrs. McCafferty and Miss M. Burke who were visiting friends in Scotland, returned by the Allan steamer to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Barr and two children arrived by the Mongolian. Mr. Barr brought out a new chauffeur with him.

Dr. J. P. McLoughlan returned from Scotland to-day. He was very ill during the winter, but we are pleased to be able to say that he is now considerably improved.

Capt. Hatherly, Purser Mitchell and the other officers of the Mongolian are all well known in St. John's. Their many friends will be delighted to see them.

SHIPPING

CACHELOT'S CREW ARRIVE

Capt. Amundsen and crew of the whaler Cachelot, arrived from Norway to-day.

LINTROSE PASSENGERS

The Lintrose, which arrived at Port au Basques at 11.30 a.m. yesterday landed the following passengers:—H. W. Moulton, J. A. Day, G. B. Cross, Miss Furneaux, H. L. Fairbanks, L. M. Trask, W. H. Tucker, H. L. Goodman, T. T. Cartwright, A. B. Harding.

S.S. Sardinian sailed for Glasgow at 11 a.m.

S.S. Beatrice leaves North Sydney to-day with a cargo of coal.

Goodridge's Clementine left Cadiz on Saturday for St. John's with salt.

S.S. Adventure leaves Philadelphia on the 29th inst. for this port.

S.S. Bonaventure sailed for North Sydney yesterday afternoon.

The brig, Olimpia is now undergoing repairs at Mullaly's wharf by Mr. J. Taylor.

Baine Johnston's Attila intended leaving for Hr. Grace to-day to load seal oil. Owing to the high wind and heavy sea she did not sail.

THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE.

The weekly edition of The Mail and Advocate will be sent to any address in Newfoundland and Canada for the balance of 1914 for the small sum of 30c, and the daily for the balance of 1914 for the sum of \$1.00. Send along your names and stamps to cover.

READ THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE



Announce

The arrival of a more than interesting purchase of the latest ideas in the following:

Evening Dresses

From a leading London West End firm. Beautiful styles and no two alike.

Silk Coats

The Ultra-Fashionable Styles.

Ladies' Costumes

Tailor-Made and Perfect Fitting.

Sports Coats

Our Second Shipment of these very popular Coats.

Children's Coats

Some very Smart Styles.

Third Floor, Upper Building.

PROPOSED SEALING RULES

With the idea of suggesting regulations which will obviate some of the risks to life at the Seal Fishery, the Valleyfield Local Council recently passed the following set of resolutions which they recommend to the notice of the authorities:

1. No sealing captain should, at any time, send his men further than three miles away from the ship.
2. No captain should send his crew out on the ice before daylight and the whistle should be blown at noon to call the men to their dinner. No man should be left on the ice after dark.
3. All sealing steamers should carry wireless apparatus.
4. Certain wooden ships should not be allowed to prosecute the seal fishery again.
5. All seals killed during each day should be taken on board the same day and there should be no property right for panned seals.
6. Should any captain violate clauses one, two and five, he should be required to pay a fine of not less than \$500 and not more than \$1000, and if convicted, he should be debarred for two years from clearing for the seal fishery.
7. In the case of a sealer dying on the icefield from exposure or afterwards from the effects of exposure, the owners shall be required to pay \$1000 in each case to the next of kin.
8. A policeman should be placed on board every steamer to see that the sealing laws are carried out and to report any breaches of these laws to the authorities. It should also be his duty to see that the food is supplied to the crew according to regulations.

The other Local Councils are requested to take these proposals into consideration and to suggest improvements.

Suggestions should be forwarded to President Coaker as soon as possible.

The Time—June 1, 2 and 3. The Place—Methodist College Hall. The Attraction—Mme. Scotney, assisted by artists of the Boston Opera House. The Price—\$5.00 for three evenings. The subscription list now open at the Atlantic Bookstore, is being filled up rapidly. Don't delay in having your name entered, so as to secure choice seats.

LAST NIGHT'S FIRE

At 7 last evening the Central and Eastern firemen were called to the residence of Mr. Charles Udle, 144 Gower Street, the chimney being on fire. A few buckets of water quenched the fire. Very little damage was done.

DID YOU KNOW WE PAY BIG prices for cancelled Newfoundland Postage Stamps? An illustrated list showing prices we pay, FREE. We especially desire to buy from merchants. A. C. ROESSLER, Newark, N.J., U.S.A.

S.S. General Gordon left Cadiz yesterday with a cargo of salt for Messrs. A. Goodridge & Sons.

S.S. Digby arrived at Halifax at 11 a.m. yesterday after a run of 47 hours. She leaves again on Saturday.

Schr. Karera sails to-day for Catalina and Bonavista with cargo for P. Templeman.

PREPARE FOR THE WORST.

Are you prepared for a fire? Most folk are not! One of my liberal policies will make the calamity easier to bear. It will cost you nothing to ask for a low rate and very little to be perfectly secure with Percie Johnson's insurance agency.

WE ARE PREPARED TO FILL Orders for Cooperage Stock and Shingles. No order too big or none too small. Prices on application to the Alexander Bay Cooperage & Mill Co., Alexander Bay, N.F.

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Schooner's sails. Mainsail, two years' old, canvas in good condition; also rigging and blocks, suitable for schooner about 40 tons.

JOSEPH SNOW, Bay Roberts, may 11, 14

ST. BRENDAN'S SYMPATHIZES

At a meeting of St. Brendan's Local Council of the F.P.U., held April 23, the following resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, the members of this Council having heard of the awful disaster which has overtaken so many of our heroic sealers while engaged at their hazardous calling at the icefields;

RESOLVED, that this Council tenders its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved ones of the sealers who died at the icefields and it is the fervent prayer of the members that He who rules the storm may bring succor and consolation to the homes made desolate;

AND FINALLY RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the President of the Fishermen's Union and also to The Mail and Advocate for publication.

JOHN FENNELLS, Chairman.
HERBERT HYNES, Secretary.

NEWFOUNDLANDERS

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Hundreds have received a benefit from this wonderful remedy and we hope to extend the same to others. As the spring is opening we can get our herbs and roots to manufacture this great remedy, and in a few weeks time we shall be in a position to supply one agent in every harbor around the island; that is our plan so that every sufferer may be able to reach this great remedy without any inconvenience.

We have agents in Conception, Bay, Trinity Bay, Bonavista Bay and St. John's, and anyone outside of these places wanting to handle our medicine, might write us for information.

You will note we advertised in our own vicinity. We have sold hundreds of dollars worth in Bay Roberts, and have cured scores of cases suffering from different complaints.

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Read next week's papers and notice testimonials from people who have suffered from the worst kind of cases.

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