



Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
C. T. JAMES, Editor

Saturday, June 11, 1921.

Are All Being Treated Alike?

The time is rapidly approaching, has approached in fact, when everyone who can prosecute the codfishery this season should be busily engaged in plying that industry. The middle of June is all but with us, yet there are hundreds of men who have not received any supplies, without which they cannot possibly manage to continue their avocation. Labradormen have not yet got away for the coast, and with the short fishing season there, every day's delay now means possibly incalculable loss. Western districts are in the extraordinary position of not knowing where they stand with regard to the shore fishery, and merchant outfitters are in the same position, which is worse, because their financial condition precludes the continuance of issuing supplies on the old established credit basis. The Government apparently is the only source of fishing supplies to-day, and has already guaranteed certain sums to certain districts, a position which is unfair to other districts not similarly considered in the matter of outfits. There can be no choice in this matter of Government guarantee. One, two or more districts cannot be protected, whilst others are neglected. Favoritism, whether political or otherwise, must cease in the present circumstances.

A large firm of suppliers operating in the Districts of Burin, Fortune Bay and Fogo has solicited Government assistance in order to help supply four thousand fishermen, representing 20,000 of the population, the total catch of which number approximately at seventy-five quintals per man, the huge total of three hundred thousand quintals or practically one-fifth of the whole annual voyage. But the petition of this firm, operating on such a large scale at the Banks, Shore and Labrador fishery was denied most cavalierly by the Government. The representatives of the districts named are all on the administration side of the House, but the voice of not one of them was raised in favor or support of this most important request, and they, with one accord, remained silently in their places, and heard the declaration of the Speaker that "this petition be referred to the department to which it belongs." May we ask what department that is? Has there been created a Minister of Fishery Supplies? If so how come it that nothing more has been done in the matter of aiding Samuel Harris, Limited, Grand Bank, with subsidiary branches at Hermitage, Marystown, Change Islands and Lamaline? How does it happen that certain districts are being accorded every consideration, particularly districts which refused persistently to return Liberal-Reform candidates, whilst others are not even being courteously treated? The firm of Harris, Limited is too extensive, and has dependent upon it, too great a proportion of the population of Newfoundland to have its petition for assistance thrown lightly aside. The whole country is keenly watching the actions of the Government, and the administration thereof should be carried out—in the matter of fishery supplies—without discrimination.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind Southwest, light, weather fine, preceded by fog; a steamer passed West 9:30 a.m.; Bar, 29.85; Ther, 44.
INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS at A. E. HICKMAN CO., LTD., 1 Ton, 1½ Ton and 2 Ton.

Memorial Service To-Morrow

A Memorial Service to the men of St. Andrew's Presbyterian congregation and members of the Newfoundland Highlanders who fell in the Great War, will be held in the Kirk to-morrow (Sunday) morning, for which a special form of service has been drawn up. The address will be delivered by Professor H. A. Kent, D. D. of Halifax, Nova Scotia, who was a chaplain with the forces, but went over as a Captain in the fighting line. Later on, not of his own volition, but at the expressed wish of the Church, caused through an insufficiency of Chaplains, the Captain transferred to the C.F. Later he took active part in the work of the Khaki College behind the lines.

Anniversary Sunday.

Cochrane Street Sunday School holds its Anniversary Services in the Church to-morrow. At the morning service the Rev. D. B. Hommeson, B. A., will be the preacher, and in the evening the Rev. Dr. Bond. In the afternoon at 2:45 a public meeting will be held—short, bright programme. The speaker will be C. S. Watson, Esq., of the King George V. Institute. Everybody welcome, come and bring a friend. Collections in aid of school fund.

S. U. F. Sociable.

A MOST PLEASANT FUNCTION.
The rooms of the Society of United Fishermen presented an animated scene last evening when members of the Order, their wives, daughters and friends attended a sociable at the invitation of the Grand Lodge. The whole suite of apartments on three flats, including the Lodge Room, was thrown open to the guests and for a time some pleasant conversations were going on. Eventually a little dance was put on in the dining room, and other forms of amusement passed the time until 10 o'clock, when all sat down to a well served supper, the Lodge Room having, for the notice, been turned into a temporary banquet hall. Following the serving of refreshments by the capable committee of the Ladies' Association, a brief toast list was taken up, the following being honored:—
THE KING—Prop, The Chairman; resp., National Anthem.
GRAND LODGE—Prop, Bro. H. W. LeGrow; resp., R. W. Bro. J. Curnew, C.M.
S.U.F. LADIES' ASSN.—Prop, W. Bro. C. T. James; Resp., The Grand Master.
ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 5—Prop, Mrs. J. Rendell; resp., Bro. E. Burrage.

A recitation by Master N. Cowan, and songs by Brother J. Rendell and Miss Muriel Burrage, also added greatly to the social hour of enjoyment. Subsequently tables were removed and beer treated on dancing, when all so disposed indulged to their heart's content in renewing acquaintances with the goddess who presides over that art. At the close the Chairman, R. W. Bro. J. Curnew, thanked all for their presence and especially the ladies, whose excellent catering had been so appreciated by the company. An early hour this morning the singing of "God Save the King" terminated a very pleasant function, with assurances that this was only the beginning of many.

Fire in School.

A fire occurred in the Centenary Hall School, Gilbert Street, at about 4:15 p.m. yesterday and a considerable amount of damage was done. The fire, the cause of which is unknown, broke out in a corner of the building and on the outside. The Western and Central fire companies were summoned and quickly put in an appearance with the use of the chemical engine. The blaze was extinguished and by 4:45 p.m. the all-out signal was given.

Shipping Notes.

S.S. Rosalind left Halifax yesterday at noon for New York.
S.S. Sable I left North Sydney at 2:30 p.m. to-day for here.
S.S. Manoa, which had been detained on the other side, is now enroute to Montreal and will leave there on June 28th for this port, via Charlottetown. This will be the first passenger steamer from Montreal since the Black Diamond Line ceased running seven years ago.
S.S. Venus II has arrived in port, 7 days from New York, with a cargo of hard coal, consigned to Job Bros & Co.

Shipping Gov't Fish.

A large number of men are engaged at Job's premises to-day, packing the Government Labrador fish, which was purchased last fall. The fish is being loaded on Baine Johnson's schooner, June, and it is understood will be sent to Alicante, where it will be placed in cold storage until next fall. The cargo will consist of some 1800 casks.

\$2.15 Last Summer
is
\$1.50 This Summer.

It is high time for the men to have a change from present conditions. They are to great disadvantages and can not do justice to their work if still clad in heavy weight Underwear. BISHOP'S have received by S. S. "Rosalind" a shipment of Muslin and Raybriegan Shirts, Pants and Combinations. Underwear that was Two Dollars and Fifteen last Summer is One Dollar and Fifty this year.
Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—apr18.6mo

Obituary.

ARCHIBALD R. H. MACPHERSON.
The news of the passing away of Archibald R. H. Macpherson, in London, yesterday, which was announced by a cable message from Sir Edgar Bowring, came as a shock to his many friends in this city. For several months deceased had been in poor health, but had intended returning home by the next Digby. Archibald, the fifth son of the late Peter and Susannah Campbell Macpherson, was born in St. John's 57 years ago, and after a term of school here finished his education at Glasgow in his return he entered the business of his brother, the late Campbell Macpherson, and for many years held the position of buyer. In the year 1895, when the Borys were founded, he was elected a Director, holding the position of buyer for thirteen years, when on the death in 1908 of his brother, the founder, he succeeded as President, the business succeeding under his guidance, until it became a household word all over the country. Besides his interest in this business, Mr. Macpherson was closely identified with many local industries. He was a Director of the Nfld. Boot & Shoe Mfg. Co., President of the Riverside Woollen Mills, Ltd. In advancing education he took a prominent part, being a member of the Education School Board, Honorary Treasurer of the Methodist Educational Campaign, Governor Nfld. Methodist College. In Masonic circles he was a member of St. John's Lodge; charter member and Past Master of Whiteway Lodge. The late Mr. Macpherson is survived by a widow, nee Miss Margaret McNelly, daughter of Mrs. and the late I. R. McNelly, a son and three daughters to whom the sympathy of the community will be extended in their sudden bereavement and great sorrow. Miss Margaret Campbell Macpherson, the well known artist, long resident in Paris, is a sister; Dr. Cluny Macpherson and Mr. H. A. Macpherson, of the Royal Stores, are nephews, and the Rev. Dr. Bond, a brother-in-law. It is probable that the mortal remains of the deceased will be sent home by s.s. Digby for interment.

DR. GEO. F. BOWDEN.

The passing of Dr. George F. Bowden, Medical Practitioner of Westleyville, which occurred on Thursday last at New York, where he had gone about two weeks ago for treatment, has come with a shock to his family and friends. Dr. Bowden leaves a wife and one daughter, who reside in Westleyville, another daughter, Mrs. Robert Morrison, living at Los Angeles, Cal. One son, Hugh Pierson Bowden, M.M., who went through the Gallipoli campaign, was killed at Cambrai, November 20th, 1917. Mr. W. H. Bowden, of Bowden & Co., printers, is a brother, and Mrs. H. Y. Mott and Miss Flora Bowden, of New York are sisters of the deceased, to whom the Telegram extends sympathy.

Stabbing Affray.

NEGRO SAVED BY POCKET BOOK.
To a pocket book which he carried in his breast pocket, a West African negro named Hynes, a member of the crew of S.S. Charlott, probably owes his life. In the Magistrate's Court this morning Hynes charged another member of the Charlott's crew, who was charged with attempting to stab him, according to the African's evidence, which was corroborated by others of the crew, he got into an argument with the wharf with the prisoner who threatened to cut his throat. Hynes said, "If you cut my throat off, the law will put your throat off." The prisoner then attacked the plaintiff with his knife and stabbed him in the side. Fortunately for Hynes he carried a thick, leather bound pocket-book and this was cut by the knife but not completely penetrated. Witness said he then ran to the ship followed by the defendant and there the third officer interfered. The third officer denied part of witness' story. He said Hynes picked up an axe to defend himself with against the prisoner's attacks. The prisoner denied possessing a knife. Upon being asked if he had any witnesses to call the defendant indicated a man in court who, upon going into the box, corroborated the plaintiff's story.
Judge: "I'm afraid you called the wrong witness."
Prisoner: "I'm afraid I did too."
A fine of \$100 or 3 months was inflicted on defendant.

Coastal Boats.

GOVERNMENT.
S.S. Prospero left Seldom at 6:30 a.m. and is due here to-morrow night.
S.S. Fortia left Fortune at 9:50 a.m. going west.
Govt. Railway Commission.
Argyle arrived at Lawn at 10 a.m. on the 9th, on way west; no later report.
Clyde left Twillingate at 6:45 p.m. yesterday outward.
Glencoe leaving Humbermouth to-day on N.W. coast service.
Kyle at North Sydney.
Moigte arrived at Hermitage Cove at 10 p.m. on the 9th, coming to Placentia.
Malakoff left Salvage at 6:05 p.m. yesterday inward.

Supreme Court.

(Before Mr. Justice Johnson.)
Daily Star vs. Newfoundland Conference of the Methodist Church.
This is an application on the part of plaintiff for an injunction that the Methodist Conference be restrained from distraining on the property of the plaintiff, a distraint already having been made and a replevin action commenced and at present set for trial. Mr. J. Barron is heard in support of application, Mr. I. B. Emerson, for defendant, opposes motion. Mr. Barron is heard in reply.—C.A.V.

INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS.

—A. E. HICKMAN CO., LTD., has Three International Trucks ex Lady of Gaspe.—jue11.21
TRAP FISHING GOOD.—Fish is reported plentiful at King's Cove and vicinity. During last week one trap took fifty quintals and most of the trans-out are doing fairly well.

Ordination Service.

At the C. of E. Cathedral this morning Mr. M. B. Way was made Deacon and Rev. R. Fowlow was ordained priest by His Lordship Bishop White. The service which was commenced with a procession of clergy and choir closed by the Bishop who was vested in cope and mitre and was attended by Rev. J. Britton as chaplain. In the ceremony of the laying on of hands Revs. Dr. Bolt, Dr. Facey, Hugh Facey, J. Britton, A. Clayton and W. R. J. Hight participated. The Gospel was read by the new deacon whilst Rev. Mr. Hight, Rector of St. George's, preached a sermon appropriate to the occasion. After the ordination service the Communion Service was proceeded with the newly ordained receiving in both kinds at the hands of the celebrant.

Proved an Alibi.

A medical man who was charged in Court to-day with driving a car on the wrong side of the road, proved an alibi for the case was dismissed. The constable who was responsible for the summons stated that he turned to look at two girls and when he glanced back at the car it was because they were behaving in a disorderly manner. His Honour: "That is a charitable explanation, but I shall assume it is correct."
The accused proved he had been in a different place at the time he was supposed to have been breaking the traffic regulations and the case was dismissed.

C. C. C.

SILVER JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS.
The C.C.C. will celebrate their Silver Jubilee this year and arrangements are being made to hold their annual sports. St. George's Field will witness one of the greatest sports contests ever held on the afternoon of July 20th. A very fine programme has been drawn up and the medals, numbering nearly forty, are being made at home this year by Mr. A. McNamara, so that there will be no delay and winners will receive their prizes on the day of the sports. Among the prizes will be a Silver Cup, gold and silver medals of very neat design, a suitably inscribed pin, a hammer throw is another popular item and is sure to cause great enthusiasm among the followers of this game. The complete programme will be advertised shortly, but in the meantime sports who intend to contest the open events would do well by getting down to practice. As soon as they are ready the medals, etc. will be on exhibition on Water Street.

Preliminary Survey of S. S. Charlott.

Yesterday afternoon Diver Squires made a preliminary examination of s.s. Charlott, to ascertain the extent of the damage done the ship below the water line. A fuller survey will take place when the cargo is discharged and the ship placed on dock. Work on discharging the oil cargo began this morning. There are 27 feet of water in No. 1 hold and 20 feet in No. 2. The ship's pumps are kept going and an extra pump was placed in position yesterday by the Reid Nfld. Co. The repairs will give considerable employment to the dock hands, who are at present out of work.

Successful Examination.

Nurse Joan Mann, of the General Hospital staff, has just passed a fourth most successful examination, this time averaging 98½ per cent, and finishing her course six months in advance of the time limit. Nurse N. Dwyer, in the same examination, followed next in the record of Miss Mann. Both young ladies belong to Harbor Grace. They are receiving the congratulations of their friends.

Personal.

Rev. Canon Jeeves, Rector of the C. of E. Cathedral, is at present confined to his home with a cold.

Cook and Serve in the Same Dish. **On the Stove, in the Oven, on the Table.**

Guernsey Fireproof Casserole
White Porcelain lined, Brown and Green outside.
2 sizes in oval shape \$2.40 and \$2.75 each
3 sizes in round shape \$2.30, \$2.40, \$3.25 each

See them at
G. KNOWLING, Limited,
CHINA and GLASS DEPARTMENT.

WEEK END SPECIALS At Scott's.

Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention.

COTTONS. Striped and Fancy Printed Cottons, fully 36 inches wide. These are just half the price of that of last year. New goods at only 35c. yard.	VOILES. A sample assortment of Fancy Voiles, up-to-date patterns. Special values, 75c. & \$1.00 yard.	CHILDREN'S HATS. Made of Silk Poplin, in White, Pink, Rose and Sage shades. Present wear Hats for small children. Worth \$1.60 each. 98c. each.
NAINSOOK. Beautiful White Nainsook. Special for infants' wear. Good width extra special value. Note the price. 30c. yard.	GLOVES. Ladies' Gloves in Brown, Fawn, Cream and White colors. Only about 10 dozen left. Don't fail to get yours before these are all gone. 69c. pair.	INFANTS' SOCKS. White, Pink and Black Socks for infants' and children's wear; 4, 5 and 6 inch paws, only 20c. pair.
TOWELS. 30 dozen White Turkish Towels of medium size, now on sale at only 35c. each.	LADIES' HOSE. Ladies' Black Cotton Stockings at a low figure, only 27c. pair.	CHILDREN'S HOSE. Children's Black Cotton Hose in sizes to fit 7 years to 14. Only a few dozen left; splendid value, 23c. pair.
WHITE BLOUSES. Ladies' White Muslin Blouses. Big assortment of styles and sizes, \$1.70 each.	MEN'S CAPS. Men's Tweed Caps at a clearing out price. These Caps are valued up to \$2.00 each. All quartered crowns. \$1.10 each.	WHITE SHOES. Children's White Strap and Lace Shoes; sizes 6, 7, 8 and 9. A closing out line. Worth \$2.50 pair. \$1.69 pair.

ALEX SCOTT, 18 New Gower St. OPEN EVERY NIGHT.

"K" BOOTS FOR MEN.

BOOTS BOOTS

We are now showing these Celebrated English Boots. Double Wear in Each Pair.

F. Smallwood,
The Home of Good Shoes. 218 & 220 Water St.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. Howard and daughters thank all those who helped them in their hour of bereavement, especially the following: Sir Michael and Master Jas. Leahy; and all the kind friends who sent letters and telegrams of sympathy.—adv.

Let us put a smile on your countenance. Try a bottle of Brick's Tasteless at Stafford's Drug Store. Price \$1.00; postage 20c. extra.—apr26.11

G. KNOWLING, Ltd.