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Albert Hutchings, Bay Bulls Arm.
T. B.
F. Sheppard, Bay Bulls Arm, T.B.

Council.

Further Discuss Proposed Tax on Theatre-goers.

A special meeting of the Civic Board was held last night to discuss further the resolution, submitted by Mayor Gosling, relative to the proposed tax on lovers of the moving picture theatres and other such forms of social amusement. After much debate the matter was deferred until tomorrow night, at the regular weekly session of the Board, when it will be finally discussed. The proposed new tax will not come into effect until after the passing of the new City Charter.

Case Postponed.

The further hearing of the case of Patrick Duggan vs. James Hutchings occupied the attention of the Supreme Court yesterday afternoon from 3 to 5.30 when the case was postponed sine die.

During the taking of the evidence several old wills and land grants were handed in to the Court, as were also some of the records of Mr. Hearn, land surveyor at Brigus.

SPRING DAYS.

The farmer wields his plow, the milk man milks the cow; the lambskins play, the horses neigh, and all is joyous now. Though there be talk of scraps, and changing of the maps, the world is fine, the air like wine, and life's the best of snares. Though war clouds gather near, we need not yield to fear; enjoy the spring, and smile and sing—no carnage yet is here. We pack our trusty grips, and go on joyous trips, to scenes afar, in our good car, which o'er the highway skips. When Mars begins his stunt, and shows his wrinkled front, we'll grab with glee the snickersnee, and for the foemen hunt. When comes the martial fuss, there are no flies on us, we'll slay and slay, ten hours a day, and whoop around and cuss. But, till our captains all stand up and cry "Play ball," we'll dance and sing, for gentle spring sends forth her gentle call. Oh, friends, don't borrow woe! Be happy here below! Why groan and beef o'er some punk grief that you may never know?



WALTER MASON

Local Fishery

Backward.

The weather has been a material impediment to the local fishermen, as up to the present not a single "cod's tail" has been taken out of the water. While by this time last season hundreds of quintals of fish were ashore. However, with the plentiful supply of fog we have had of late, accompanied by N. and E. winds, a good voyage is anticipated.

Labrador Sailings.

A number of Conception Bay planters, who fish on the Labrador, foresaw the difficulty of securing men this spring and so engaged their hands late last winter. It is expected that all the Conception Bay fleet will leave within the next two weeks. Owing to the high cost of supplies and the big increase in wages a great number of fishermen who own floaters have decided to abandon the northern voyage, and will fish off the shore close to their own homes.

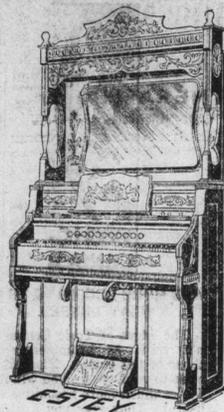
Personal.

Miss M. Duncan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Duncan, who had been attending school in Canada, returned yesterday.

Mrs. Prunty, wife of the representative of the Standard Oil Company here, arrived with her children from New York yesterday to take up residence in St. John's.

Miss Lynch, daughter of Mr. F. Lynch, of the R. N. Co. leaves in a day or two for New York on a visit to her aunt.

TRAPS DO WELL.—The Marine and Fisheries Department are in receipt of this message from Bonne Bay: "Weather dull with E. wind. Traps at Trout River averaged 8 qts. of codfish yesterday and one here had 5 quintals to-day."



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Fads and Fashions.

A great many checks and spots are seen in the spring fabrics.

Green satin in the lighter tones is a favorite for evening wear. Crepe de chine nightgowns cut on Empire lines continue popular.

Many high button boots are made of fabrics which resemble leather. Rose-and-gold or green-and-silver tissues are chosen for evening robes.