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Thursday, March 3, 1921. tator cannot, in the very nature up for the blackening of your charof things, be aware of, such as Where We Are and

Whither Tending. expenditures on Executive is that for ever and vindicate your good K.C., for insolvent.

Far-seeing people studying and must be very large, but the, one man and get you to split your ment until Saturday next. Howley, the present condition and fu- full amount of which it is not ture prospects of this country possible to estimate. For in- for your wants. are asking themselves where we stance, the amount paid to are and whither tending? They Messrs. Squires and Warren for are wondering what is to be the their trips to England, possibly split no votes, you will have before position of this country in the a sum to Mr. Coaker for his

is being preserved in regard to

it, but it is perfectly safe to es-

timate that a million dollars will

be thrown away in this fashion

On every hand, then, it is seen

of public rights. All the Surplus

Revenue which Sir Michael

Cashin left when he went out of

barely enough is being kept

come due on June 30th next.

That is the condition to-day

after fifteen months of the rule

which an Opposition commen-

common country.

land to-day.

office has, it is said, been com- will give the blow that will kill the

pletely dissipated, or if not ut- Fish Regulations, and you ought to

terly thrown to the winds, know what that means to Newfound-

If you elect Jones and Lewis, you

and Jones in 1919 because you were

If they give you snow to shovel

till Doom's Day, they can not make

acters. The stroke that you will

a man in the Government to look out

If you elect Jones and Lewis and

long a new Government and two good

men to look out for your wants.

your answer in the Ballot Box.

next few months, and how long present services in the European Coaker and Squires will go to pieces it can maintain its solvent ex- fish markets, to Dr. Campbell before next July, if you say that they istence with the present aggre- for his four months' trip to must be put out, and a new Governgation of incapables in charge, Canada last year, and for many ment formed to save this unfortunate and the present methods of other purposes, would all come Government being pursued. Ac- under that head and the details made by a Government in one year cording to reports, which we cannot be known until the Leg- and a few menths,, and you know

have reason to believe are re- islature meets and the Opposi- this as well as we do. liable, the Customs Revenue for tion forces the statements to be St. John's for the eight months, put on the table of the House. which ended February 28th, was But enough is shown in the fore- now if the country can be got out of about one million two hundred going list to prove that the the ruin and chaos into which they of the Government candidates were thousand dollars below that for bunch of incapables at present have brought it. They have taken broken after nomination, yesterday, the same period last year. This in control of this country have represents a shortage of one destroyed its financial standing, act they did was to raise their own

hundred and fifty thousand dol- just as they have also destroyed salaries in the House from \$200 to hundred and fifty thousand dol- just as they have also destroyed salaries in the House from size to the cold shoulder, yesterday, when the d for a dismissal, for want of the stability of the whole trade \$1,000. In the same breath they ad- crowd at the nomination of the Gov- more dismissal, for want of prosecution. His Honor, Judge Morris, months would mean a total drop of the Colony. Consequently ded a million dollars to the public crowd at the nomination of the Gov-in the Revenue for St. John's the question properly arises debt of the Colony in increases. in the Revenue for St. John's the question properly arises

alone of one million eight hun- what is going to happen the Coaker's policy has turned all our dred thousand dollars. If we country when the Surplus is markets for fish against us by his allow for the probable shortage exhausted, as it is bound to be, Fish Regulations, and thereby ruined done but the Government have not yet cerning the offence. Mr. Knight callallow for the probable shortage in the outports as well, we are intified in concluding that the interest to our foreign bond

Supreme Court. Last Straws. Men of Harbor Main, the whole Court met pursuant to adjournment country is watching you to-day, hop-Present: The Chief Justice. before the 30th of June next. ing that you will do the right thing. In the matter of the Companies Act.

1899, and amendments thereof, and in It has come to this now that you the matter of Willar & Co., Ltd., in there is the most shocking hold the weal or woe of Newfoundliquidation, under the supervision of waste of public funds and abuse land in your hands, and by your balthe Court. lots you will decide the fate of our This is a motion by the liquidator

and cleared for Malaga on Dec. 8th of the said company for an order that with 7,500 quintals of Labrador fish the Report of the Registrar, dated the had been ordered to Italy. This cargo 5th day of February, 1921, be confirmof fish is to be placed in the hands of ed, and that the company be dissolvbroker and sold on account of the Newfoundland Government.

Govt. Guaranteed

C. E. Hunt for liquidator is heard This message confirms the Governin support of motion. C. A. V. ment guarantee of Labrador fish last The Court adjourned until to-mor fall, when large purchases were made,

back to pay the interest charges . If you do the right thing and elect row at 11 a.m. on our Public Debt, which will Jones and Lewis, you will hurl the slander back in the teeth of your IN CHAMBERS. (Before the Chief Justice.) vilifiers "that you elected Woodford

9th, at 11 a.m.

7,500 quintal cargo will be in the In the matter of the petition of G. bribed." Amongst all the districts of Knowling, Ltd., of St. John's, merneighborhood of \$40,000. Newfoundland you alone were select- chant, praying that Samson 'Trask,

of the Liberal-Reform Party ed for this vile slander. Remember General Dealer, is insolvent and that West Coast Firm and, of course, the foregoing this on Polling Day and give them he may be so declared. J. A. Winter for petitioner. The further hearing is adjourned until Wednesday, March

IN DEFIANCE OF REGULATIONS. The fish exporters interested in the (Before Mr. Justice Johnson.)

Portuguese market held another meet-ing in the Board of Trade Rooms to-In re the alleged insolvency of Jude strike on Polling Day should settle Nash of McCallum, F.B., merchant. day. Hon. W. R. Warren, Minister of Justice, Mr. Collishaw and a large expenditures on Executive re- that for ever and vindicate your good Mr. Pinsent for petitioner; Howley, number of others were present. The everybody knows must be made. will try to induce you to give them Mr. Pinsent asks for a postponemeeting was called as a result of a

that the four "Generals" had enter-ed at Oporto and the cargoes handed over to the Importoradora de Bácal-hao, though the Coaker regulations stipulate that all sales must be made through the Coaker regulations the four "Generals" had "enter vote, and say that you will then have K.C., consents. It is ordered that the hearing be adjourned until Saturday next, at 10.30

through the Portuguese Mercantile Association. After a short review of the situation the meeting unanimously



Nominaton Day at Harbor Main vesterday, opened the eyes of the "Reformers."

A sign of the times was the numcountry from ruin. The present Govber of horses and sleighs following ernment holds the worst record ever the different parties.

The Government candidates had 80 They have increased the taxes to Lewis.

such an extent that it is questionable Some windows in the house of one good care to make jobs and fat in- as a protest against the present rotcreases for themselves, and the first ten Government.

Doctor Campbell was again given tiff was him speak.

age is over. Locally sold gasoline

was said to be the cause of the acci-

dent. A supply of special petrol is

on the way to Botwood and expected

Station Reports.

to arrive in a few days.

The snow shovelling has all been

vidence.

them.

Just

Street, twin girls. March 1st, a son Jackman.

DIED.



They have been on Oporto bar since some time in November and the demurrage must amount to a very large teams as a following and 220 followed the Opposition candidates Jones and teams as a compelled to disobey the regula-teams as a following and 220 followed the Opposition candidates Jones and tions in order to save something from the wreckage. Police Court. Driving on Sidewalk. -- Constable Curnew summoned a man for drivon the sidewalk. As the plainin reaching the Court.

Mr. H. E. Knight, for defendant, askto some statements made in The Fimes Trade Supplement of January to Mr. 15 by Mr. Coaker, Minister of Margranted a ten minutes postponement before he could accede to Mr. Knight's request, but the plaintiff ar-rived within that time. Constable Curnew, called, gave evidence conine and Fisheries in the Newfoundland Government, As Mr. Coaker blames the British Government generally, and the Colonial Office in particular, for not finding new markets for Newfoundland salted codfish, it justified in concluding that the interest to our foreign bond ders from Oporto that these Regula-for the money was made yesterday, not fit to drive over. Hon. John Browning who was in the sleigh at foundland Fisheries during his year or so of office. or so of office. "Upon his appointment as a minis-ter, Mr. Coaker's first act was to take measures to control the codish industry by means of regulations (which he has since had to remove) the time stated that it was absolutedangerous and reasonably impossible to pass over the centre of the

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Customs Revenue on the 30th of holders, and the taxpayers are tions must still be kept on. June next will be Two Million faced on the one side with an ruined the West Coast, but Warren, Dollars below last year's Rev- enormous expenditure and on Foote, Cheeseman and Small are enue. Besides that there are the other with a sadly difninishreports of Customs Bonds being ed Revenue, because our people out in quick time. overdue and having to be re- are unable to earn enough to newed, and it is said that these import commodities sufficient to represent about half a million provide a Revenue to meet this dollars more, a great part of Expenditure. Only one of two which amount may never be re- things can then happen, namely, for Jones and Lewis the F.C.B. dare covered for reasons not difficult bankruptcy, which will mean our reversion to a Crown Colony to determine.

with our affairs administered by \* \* But this by no means ex- a Board appointed from England hausts the list of probable loss- - or Confederation, which will es during the present year. The mean that we will have to go satisfied to pay 25 cents for sugar and parts are expected, however, at Hali-Government is understood to with our hats in our hands to it may go on for a year longer or fax from England and if they arrive

have spent three hundred thous- the Canadian authorities and and dollars on the purchase of beg them to admit us into their Labrador fish during the fall, at country at any terms possible. the time when the public meet-\* \* ings were held in St. John's, and This is at best what the rule when Mr. Coaker had to take of the present Government

of the people from the Northern put forward any other presentadistricts whom he had deceived tion of the case. Another side as to the state of the foreign of it may be that the British markets. All of that money, it Government will refuse to have is thought now, will be totally anything to do with us, and the lost to the country, although re- Canacian Government, burdenport has it that Mr.-Coaker's ed as it is with its own responreturn to Oporto last week, was sibilities, may take a similar for the purpose of trying to sell stand. Then there would be ELKS if possible this Government- nothing left for us but years of

owned fish in that market. Fish absolute "hard times." the sort Hunt ..... Gibb is not, however, the only specu- of times the country experi- R. Stick ..... Robertsen ment has lost money. It is said when all the public expenditures that on the buying of salt last were reduced to the barest ne-Clouston summer and reselling of it to cessaries, when Road grants and Ewing the fishermen, a loss of another Poor grants and all other exone hundred thousand dollars penses were dropped, when the Cahili .... has been sustained. The cut- School grant was cut in half.

ting of pit props, too, during Coastal and other services had this winter is expected to mean to be abandoned, and everything a heavy loss. According to re- proclaimed our poverty and desport the Government has au- titution. This is whither we thorized the cutting of fifty are drifting under the present thousand cords of wood at six incapable administration, and wild horses wouldn't drag Karl out dollars a cord, this transaction this is why it is the bounden this year, but evidently, sweet charity involving a guarantee of three duty of the people of Harbor hundred thousand dollars. Half Main on Saturday week to mark

hundred thousand dollars. Half Main on Saturday week to mark that money, it is now computed their ballots for the Opposition candidates, so that they may all be totally lost owing to un-'favorable conditions in regard to to power of men with brains and 'favorable conditions in regard to to power of men with brains and the source of the cutting. What the Government ability, who can put the counis losing on the Railway Com- try's affairs on a firm foundamission, and its work can only tion again.

be a matter of guessing, be-cause the most absolute secrecy Minard's Liniment For Diphtheria.

The Government candidates will be waiting for your verdict. If you say snowed under on the 12th March when

"No Regulations" they will be wiped the ballots are marked for Jones and Lewis. Sealing Aeroplane The way you can say this is by

marking your ballot for Jones and **Meets** Accident. Lewis. The whole country is looking to you for cheap Sugar. If you vote

The aeroplane at Botwood, which not go on robbing the people by makwas intended to be used in locating

ing them pay 25 cents per pound for the main body of seals, met with an sugar, when it should be but 10 or accident on Monday while flying over 12 cents per lb. If you return Gov- Botwood. As there are no duplicate ernment men they will be in a posiparts, it is probable that this project tion to say that the country is quite will now have to be abandoned. Spare

in time to connect with the S. S. Sable I. it may be possible to have the 'plane ready before the sealing voy-

Hockey Notes. BIG GAME TO-NIGHT.

Quite a lot of interest is being manifested in to-night's game between some steps to appease the anger means, and no truthful man can the Elks and a City team for charity.

Goal.

Elks.

The line-up is:-

The game does not start until 9.30 p.m. so that everyone will be able to

Newfoundland. Nipper's Hr .-- Moderate S.W. wind,

Jack Tobin is captaining the City dull; no seals seen in this vicinity team and Bert Tait is leading the since the first part of February. Bonavista-Wind N.N.W. to N. ice outside: weather dull.

Canadian. CITY Anticesti-Foggy, calm; heavy close packed ice everywhere. Magdalen Islands and Groals Isle-

Befence. Heavy open ice, moving easterly. West Point-Heavy close packed ice everywhere. Centre. Pleasant Bay-Same conditions. ..... Payr ......

Left. S.W. wind: heavy open ice moving .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. S.W.; no seals sighted. Right. Grindstone Islands-Light ····· Winte wind with snow flurries. SPARES.

Money Point-Cloudy and raining Elgs.-Trapnell, Murphy. ice off shore. City.-Higgins, Field. Cape Ray-Light fall of show;

east wind; no ice in sight. Karl Trapnell will make his firs Flat Point-Cloudy and raising: and only appearance for the season light S.W. winds heavy close packed in to-night's game. It was thought that ice, distant, moving S.E.

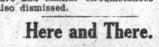
MECHANICS' A N N I V E R-SARY.—The 94th Annual Meet-ing of the Mechanics' Society will be held on March 3rd, after

S. S. Sable I. is supposed to leave You'll always find Reliable Dry Batteries and Flashlights Halifax to-day. ely and las

MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES dec24.27.28.feb1.2.3.mar2.3 OLDS. Bee

street. "Anyone who forced his horse industry by means of regulations (which he has since had to remove) to go through these gulches was savage," said Mr. Browning in his prohibitng export except under li-

cense from the Government. The li-censes were granted on the condition that the shippers would not sell their fish below a certain price. The chief Cross-examined by Supt. Grimes, Mr. Browning said there was no danger caused to pedestrians by horses riving on the sidewalk. His Honor, markets for Newfoundland codfish after a lengthy summing up, dismissare in Spain, Portugal, Italy, and d the case. other Mediterranean countries, and the effect of Mr. Coaker's regulations Four other cases of a similar nature and similar circumstances were has been to jeopardize the long-stand-ing, highly profitable and friendly re-lationship that we have enjoyed with



Coaker wants new markets, having Old England forever again and by his regulations antagonized the again. Soldiers, sailors, states-Italians and through misdirected energy lost to Newfoundland a marmen, the best the world has ever ket with which she has been trading produced. How proud we are of

hese countries.

"It is not surprising that Mr.

misdirected

for over a generation. For the year ended June 30, 1919, 212,000 cwt. of salted codfish were shipped to Italy Arrived at W. E. from Newfoundland: during the past season, nothing at all. The position at the present moment is that New-BEARNS' 1,100 lbs. HALIBUT, Fresh, "Not Frozen"; also Fresh coundland is on the brink of a disas-COD TONGUES, from West ter the like of which she has never

Coast.-feb28,m2,3 seen before. There are to-day in Portugal from twenty to thirty sailing vessels loaded with codfish for which there appears to be little de-mand. Owing to the fishery regula-April the twenty-third. St. George's Day, is a whole holiday. Let us keep that day in a fitting

mand. Owing to the inshery regula-tions, these perishable cargoes of great value, many of which should have been consumed long ago, are deteriorating and may have to be sacrificed to the great detriment of Newfoundland. The adverse exchange manner. We might have a concert, dance or dinner, or all three. M. C. L. I.-To-night at 7.45. Dehate :- "Resolved, that the Conservaonditions in the consuming countries tion of Child Life by Community have been such as to render it im-Nursing is the first duty of the Munipossible for them to pay the prices demanded under the regulations. cipality." Leaders: Messrs. W. H.

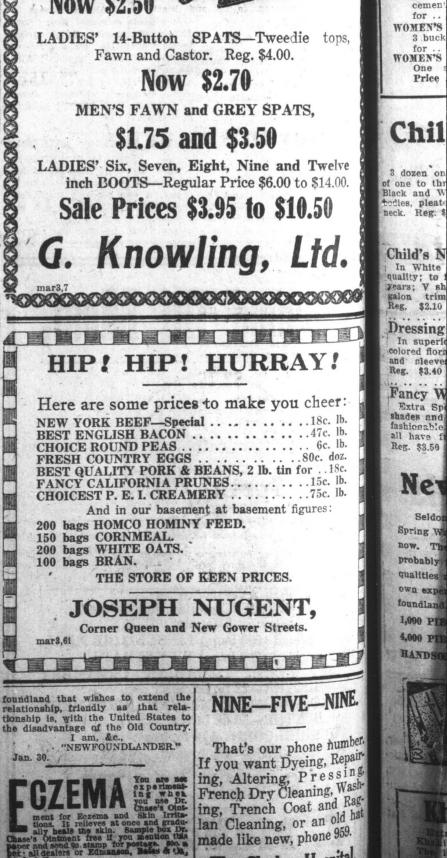
"Mr. Coaker speaks of a reciprocal arrangement between Newfoundland and the United States. The truth is that the United States does not want Peters and T. Soper.-mar3,1i Men and women of English delewfoundland codfish; it has large scent, and proud of it, should not hesitate to intimate their intenfisheries of its own, to protect which is imposes an import duty. The Eng-lish market is free and open to all, but the reason why the trade between the United Kingdom and Newfoundtion of immediately joining the St. Paul's Island-Sleeting, light St. George's Society, the only representative association em-

land is so small is that the United Kingdom is not a salt-codfish eating bracing both sexes. country any more than the United States; moreover, statistics show that Great Britain itself has a thriv-ing salt-codfish industry, and its ex-ports of a similar commodity to that BORN. On Wednesday, Feb. 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hayward, 159 Casey

ports of a similar commodity to that which the Minister of Fisheries sug-gests should be purchased from New-foundland have increased to 400,000 "What Mr. Coaker does not appea

**DIED.** What Mr. Coaker does not appear to realize is that trade relationships are regulated by the laws of supply and demand. "During the years of war New-foundiand enjoyed great prosperity, and i brother. Funeral from her daughter's residence, 37 Goodriew St. Interment at Topsail on Friday. May her soul rest in peace. On Monday morning, Feb. 23, there passed away, at Colinet, after a short lilness, Bernard, ared 52 years, eldest son of the late Patrick and Mary bowney, leaving to mourn wife, two sons, two daughters, heside a large cir-cle of friends. May his soul rest in

Just Arrived at W. E. EARNS' 1,100 lbs. HALIBUT, held its own. "The "ancient colony" yields to none in loyalty and devotion to the United Kingdom, and there is not now, and never has been, any con body of opinion in New Fresh, "Not Frozen"; also Fresh COD TONGUES,



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