



## Public Notice!

### Government of Newfoundland 5 1-2 Per Cent. Loan.

Applications will be received at the Office of the undersigned, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m., for the purchase of Government of Newfoundland Bonds, amounting to ONE MILLION DOLLARS, bearing interest at the rate of FIVE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. per annum, payable on the first days of January and July in each year, and Principal repayable on the first day of July, 1939.

Such Principal sum and Interest are payable at the Office of the Minister of Finance and Customs, St. John's, Newfoundland; at the Bank of Montreal, St. John's, Montreal and Toronto, and at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York.

These Bonds will be free from all present and future taxes, including Income Tax, in Newfoundland.

H. J. BROWNRIGG,

Minister of Finance & Customs.

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### Fishermen's Weather Rhymes.

Quick rise after low  
Indicates a stronger blow,  
Long foretold—long last,  
Short notice—soon past.

When the glass falls low  
Stand by for a blow;  
When it slowly rises high  
All the light sails you may fly.

When clouds are gathering thick and fast,  
Keep sharp lookout for sail and mast;  
But if they slowly onward crawl,  
Out with dories, nets or trawl.

Mackerel sky and mares' tails  
Make lofty ships carry low sails;  
Wind which shifts against the sun,  
Trust it not, for back it will run.

When rain comes before the wind  
Doris, gear and vessel mind;  
When wind comes before the rain,  
Soon you'll make the set again.

Evening red and morning gray  
You're sure to get a fishing day;  
But evening gray and morning red,  
May bring a gale of wind instead.

### Obituary.

#### MRS. THOMAS J. JACKMAN.

We chronicle with deep regret to-day the passing of Mary A. (Minnie), wife of Thomas P. Jackman, of the Customs' Statistical Dept., which occurred at five o'clock yesterday morning at her residence, Brien St. She had been ailing the last few months, and only recently returned home from hospital where she underwent several operations, but without permanent benefit. Throughout her illness deceased bore her sufferings with patience and resignation to the Divine Will. The end came quietly. Deceased was widely known and esteemed being for many years soloist at St. Patrick's Church and will be missed by a very large circle of friends. One son, three daughters, four sisters and four brothers are left to mourn, to whom with the sorrowing husband, the Telegram extends sympathy.

#### Schr. Sordello Refloated.

Messrs. A. J. Harvey & Co. received a message Saturday evening from Capt. Stan Duder, at Carmanville, advising that the schooner Sordello which had driven ashore the previous Saturday night had shifted from her position for about 100 yards, and was then riding at her anchors. Capt. Duder asked that a steamer be sent to tow the vessel to this port. During Friday night's E.N.E. gale the ice became loose and conditions are favorable for getting the vessel clear.

There will be a meeting of supporters of the Old St. Bon's Hockey Team this Monday evening, at 7.30, at the office of J. G. Higgins, Renouf Building, Duckworth St.—dec29.1f

**MINER LEAVES.**—Capt. McKenzie, who sailed by the Rosalind, has been in hospital for a long time. It will be remembered that he came here some time in August in a five masted vessel the Jane Palmer, which met rough weather coming here, during which the Captain had his leg broken.

### Shipping Notes.

The S. S. Eagle has been chartered by the Government and will likely get away for the northward to-morrow.

Schooner Max Horton has sailed from Burin for Oporto with 5047 qts. codfish shipped by Patten and Forsey. Schooner Optimist, which sailed from Fogo for Gibraltar with 4400 qts. codfish is at Seldom being detained there by weather conditions.

S. S. Impoco, arrived from Halifax yesterday with a cargo of oil in bulk for the Imperial Oil Co.

It is thought that the S. S. Runa has left the Azores, and word to that effect is expected to-day.

S. S. Rosalind took a cargo from here equal to 14,000 barrels. The Curpello was expected to leave New York this forenoon, with a cargo of hard coal to A. J. Harvey & Co.

S. S. Sachem left Halifax Saturday afternoon for this port and is due to-night.

No word has been received from the S. S. Digby since she left Liverpool on Saturday 20th inst.

Every Saturday evening after 7 o'clock, Choice Ends of Beef, Mutton, Lamb, Pork will be sold at cost. ELLIS & CO., LTD., 293 Water Street.—nov29.1f

### Personal Mention.

Rev. T. (Major) Nangle takes passage by the Sachem to Liverpool, from whence he will go to Gallipoli to look after the graves of Our Soldiers there. Mr. Ted Ring is slightly improved at the General Hospital. It is not yet definitely known if he will have to undergo an operation.

Roland C. Kean is staying at the Croble on a business trip from Flower's Cove.

Come to Canon Wood Hall to-night. Encourage the Cartwright Mission Circle Girls in their good work.—dec29.1f

### Rosalind's Passengers.

The S. S. Rosalind took the following passengers to Halifax and New York:—Edward Lumsden, Miss A. Furlong, Messrs. A. and H. Leverman, Mr. C. N. Hall, L. Devine, Mrs. Powers and child, Mrs. Mark Kean, Mrs. Healey, Mr. C. Penny, P. Boden, Martin Cashin, L. J. Scott, W. P. Kenney, Capt. McKenzie, Mate Busheri, Capt. Bowers, D. Johnston, Louis Conroy, E. Poilguan and 30 second class.

### Well Known Captain.

The S. S. Messaba will likely get away to-day. Capt. Scott, who commands her was formerly on the S. S. Sicily and is well known to the trade here. The disabled ship Kamarina will haul to the dock pier to-morrow to have repairs effected. Messrs. Furness Withy are agents for both ships.

**MINARD'S LINIMENT.**—The Old Reliable. P. C. O'DRIS, COLL. LTD., Agents, St. John's, oct14.1f

## Terrible Marine Tragedy.

### S. S. "Anton Vandrel" Crashes on Rocks--Boats Upset and Most of Crew Drowned--Five Men Alive on Wreck.

A hurry message to the Anglo-American Telegraph Co. at 2.30 this afternoon, apprised them that the steamer Anton Vandrel had gone ashore on the Eastern Head of St. Shott's and become a total wreck. The news was brought to Trepassy by two men from St. Shott's, who said that nothing could be done in the way of rescuing the crew, as it was too rough to render any assistance from the land up to the time they left, and it was too dark to ascertain name of steamer, which was however subsequently determined. The boat struck at midnight, and the waves threw her in on the shore.

A late message states that a tremendous sea is running, sweeping hull from stem to stern. Crew endeavoured to leave the ship in the bridge deck boats, but these were upset and all in them drowned. Five men are still alive sheltering on the bridge, but there is no chance for rescue because of tempestuous sea. Two bodies have been washed ashore and picked up. The remainder are supposed to be in a nearby gulch, and may be recovered if not battered to fragments in the surf. A lifebuoy is to be seen in the vicinity but it cannot be said if there is a body attached to it.

S. S. Ingraham has been despatched with all speed and every appliance for assistance to the wrecked ship and crew.

### To-day's Messages.

#### WORLD'S RECORD CATCH.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27. Two million pounds of fish in eight weeks' cruising between New York and the Grand Bank, is the record yesterday of the East Coast Fishing Company's steam trawler Pelican, which was launched at Rockland, Maine, nine weeks ago. This eight weeks' catch is the world's record for a single vessel, officials of the concern said.

#### SPANISH RAILWAY COLLISION.

MADRID, Dec. 28. Twenty passengers and railway men were injured in a collision between a freight and passenger train to-day at Monovar station, twenty miles northwest of Alicante.

#### FOUR DECLINES.

PARIS, Dec. 26. Marshal Foch has informed the Republican committee of Ministers that he will decline the offer of being a candidate to the Senate, which was recently offered him, according to the Matin.

#### GOVERNMENT BY COMMITTEE.

PARIS, Dec. 27. Revolutionary Socialists have formed a committee government in Irkutsk, Siberia, where the all-Russian Government of Admiral Kolchak, established its headquarters after being driven from Omsk, according to news received in French official circles to-day. The revolutionists took possession of Irkutsk station on the trans-Siberian railway, the reports state.

#### WILLIE ON THE LIST.

LONDON, Dec. 27. Frederick William, former German Crown Prince, will be included in the list of persons, whose surrender for trial is demanded by the French, according to an unofficial report of the recent meeting between British law officers and the French Under Secretary for Military Justice.

#### SEVEN YEARS' FAMINE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29. The shortage of one million cattle in the year just closing, will cause high prices for beef and beef products for at least seven more years, it was declared by M. F. Morine, statistician for the Union Stock yards in his annual report to-day.

#### D'ANNUNZIO DEFIANT.

PIUME, Dec. 29. Armed resistance "to the last morsel of bread and the last drop of blood," is Gabriele D'Annunzio's latest decision in demanding further guarantees from the Italian Government to insure the annexation of Piume to Italy. The situation is at a stronger deadlock than ever, by reason of the soldier-poet's unshaken obstinacy to remain in Piume until his demands are met. The National Council has reserved its decision to accept the Government's proposal, and has voted to support D'Annunzio, who, with a large following of legions, still remains master of the situation inside the city.

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#### ALREADY HANDED OUT.

MONTREAL, Dec. 29. A despatch to the Gazette from Ottawa, says there will be no Canadian New Year Honors for 1920.

#### SEPARATED IN HOSPITAL.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29. Dr. Wm. Vermilye and Ruth Keeney, who came from Monson, Mass., Saturday, to learn why the physician had failed to appear on Christmas Day to wed her, are both patients in the Cumberland Street Hospital in Brooklyn. Miss Keeney fainted and was removed to the women's ward at the institution, when informed that Dr. Vermilye would not see her. Earlier in the day Dr. Vermilye stated that, "upon my return to the United States, I was met by an invitation to my own wedding." He added that he was not hiding from anyone and had nothing more to say.

#### A CANADIAN NAVY.

MONTREAL, Dec. 29. It is reported by Ottawa, unofficially, says a despatch to the Gazette from the capital, that Admiral Jellicoe will recommend in his report on a naval policy best suited to new conditions in Canada, a fleet of six cruisers, five destroyers, ten submarines and several seaplanes and a small fleet of torpedo boats.

#### BORN.

On December 28th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Donovan, 66 Banerman Street.

#### DIED.

On Sunday, at 1 a.m., after a long illness, John F. Hally, son of Michael and Minnie Hally, aged 21 years. Leaving a father, mother, sister, and brother, and a large circle of friends to mourn their sad loss. Funeral takes place to-morrow at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, 243 Water St. West.

Passed peacefully away on the 28th inst., at Bell Island, after a lingering illness, Selenia, wife of the late Charles Bugden, aged 62 years; left to mourn their loss are four sons, one on the island, two in this city, and one in Sydney; also one brother at Clarendville and a large circle of friends.

"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep, From which none ever wakes to weep."

At Newbridge, Salmonier, on the 13th inst., after a short illness, Ellen, beloved wife of John Allison; she leaves three sons, one daughter, and two sisters to mourn the loss of a kind sister and loving mother.—R.I.P.

Yesterday morning, after a long illness, Edward, aged 49 years, beloved husband of Josephine Forsyth, leaving a wife, three children and one brother to mourn their sad loss. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 30 Bond Street; friends and acquaintances please accept this the only intimation.

Passed peacefully away at 5 o'clock Sunday morning, Mary A. (Minnie), beloved wife of Thos. P. Jackman, leaving one son, three daughters, four sisters, four brothers to mourn their sad loss. Funeral from her late residence, 32 Brien Street, on Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m.—R.I.P.

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### From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-Day. Wind west, fresh, weather hazy. A three-masted schooner passed in at 11.30 a.m. Bar. 29.60, ther. 35.

School Children by the scores profit by getting their School Supplies at THE BEE-HIVE STORE, Charlton St.—tu,th,sa,fr

When you want Steaks, Chous, Cutlets and Collops, try ELLIS'.

### NOTE OF THANKS.—On behalf of

the S. A. No. 2 Band, Adj. Woolfrey Commanding Officer, I wish to express my sincere thanks to the kind friends who so nobly supported us on Christmas morning, especially His Excellency Governor and Lady Harris, Hon. Sir M. P. Cashin, J. C. Croble, Tasher Cook, W. W. Halfyard, W. J. Higgins, A. McPherson, Esq., J. R. Stick, Esq., Mrs. Adj. Woolfrey, Adj. Sainsbury, S. A. College, and a number of prominent citizens.

"In as much as ye have done it unto these, the least of my brethren, ye have done it unto me, Christ the Lord."

Again thanking you and yours for past favours, wishing all a very bright and prosperous New Year. Sincerely yours, F. MOORE, Bandmaster

A Dance will be held in Quidi Vidi School House on Wednesday, Dec. 31st, at 8.30 p.m. Tickets: Double, \$1.00; Single, 70c; Ladies, 50c. Tickets at door, dec29.2f

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### Passion Play, 1920

The next production of the Passion Play by the plot Oberammergau will be given in 1921. Of those who part in the play in 1910, the Anton Lang, who represented Christ, is dead, also those