



Evening Telegram

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Harbour Regulations

It is becoming more clear as the days pass by that the Harbour Regulations for the port of St. John's are more honored in the breach than in the observance. This cannot be through ignorance, because if there is one advertisement more than another that finds place in all the Christmas Numbers, and other journals published from time to time in this city, it is that having respect to the throwing of rubbish into the harbour waters. All these ads are of course paid for. In the present case the regulations covering offences against the Act, Chap. 39, Consolidated Statutes, are presented to our readers:-

No ballast, stone, gravel, earth or rubbish of any kind, shall be thrown overboard from any vessel in the harbour of St. John's, or at the entrance thereof (except in places, if any, set apart for that purpose by the Harbour Master) under a penalty of twenty dollars for every offence, to be paid by the owner, master or other person having charge of the said vessel. No person shall throw any ballast, stone, gravel, earth, or rubbish of any kind, into the waters of the said harbour, (St. John's) nor at the entrance thereof, nor deposit the same on the beach, or on the shore, or on the water mark, under a penalty of twenty dollars for every offence.

These regulations are perfectly clear, yet notwithstanding, violations of them occur daily. In the Telegram on Monday attention was directed to sundry breaches of the law, in this respect, and our representative held an interview with the Harbour Master, in which the latter admitted knowledge of these continued contraventions and confessed that he was powerless to prevent them. A more serious offence than that of dumping stone or gravel in the waters of the harbour, is committed by fishermen who after splitting their hauls, sound bones and entrails of the fish overboard. This practice is not mere-

ly confined to boat fishermen, but the shoremen as well are guilty of it. Nothing but pollution of the harbor waters can be the result of a continuance of this state of affairs and measures should be immediately taken to put a stop to it. There should be some means whereby the habit of forty years, but modern progressiveness should surely be able to cope with an evil, even of that age. The law prohibits and penalizes such acts. Why not carry it out? If the Harbour Master is powerless, the Fisheries department should take it up. The Board of Health must condemn strongly the throwing of fish entrails over stage heads and from fishing boats. It is a striking commentary on our hygienic and sanitary reforms of late years that a reprehensible practice, is winked at because it has been the custom of the city.

The suggestion that a harbor police be appointed to enforce the regulations is a sound one, but before organizing such a body, a few prosecutions against offenders as the law might have a beneficial effect. The law as it stands is being deliberately broken. If it is of no use why go to the expense of having it promulgated in the various journals? Either wipe it off the Statutes altogether or carry it out.

Camouflaging.

The Herald displays an unusual ability to camouflage that Customs scandal. It answers no questions whatever, but trots forward a precedent. It does not matter what the press had or had not to say about the Board of Works shortage, and the Herald was equally silent on that matter at the time of its occurrence. That is not being dealt with at present. A full report of all the circumstances surrounding the I. O. U. business and other irregularities in the Customs Department would be more acceptable to the public than the throwing out of extraneous issues. Was it the custom of all the officials to borrow money on I. O. U's, or was the habit formed by only a limited number. If the latter, then the men who were not implicated in these transactions, should be raised above the suspicion which attaches itself to the circumstances. And this one way to carry out that is to have a full and exhaustive investigation. The people have strong reasons for believing that such enquiry does not suit the book of the Administration, and verily it is beginning to present that appearance.

McMurdoo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, July 24, 1918.
There are many emulsions of Cod Liver Oil on the market, but the best Cod Liver Oil Emulsion we have seen is that put up under our own name. As an Emulsion it is physically perfect, the oil being so well blended with the emulsifying substance and so skillfully flavored that it is pleasant and quite easy taken. Large bottles 70c; trial size, 30c a bottle. Red Cross Oil is an ideal general household remedy, and has a wide range. It is useful wherever there is pain. Price 25c.



BAREFOOT SANDALS!

Our Barefoot Sandals give the little people all the pleasure of going barefoot without the bruises. Fine for hot weather, so open and so cool. Ideal for children's summer sport in the sand pile or on the beach. Let the little feet wear Barefoot Sandals this summer by all means. All children's sizes.

\$1.10 to \$2.50.

OUR SHOWING OF WHITE FOOT WEAR

for everybody is a display of the best makers.

Best White Shoes!

We have White Shoes for Women in Strapped, Laced and Pump effects, \$1.30, \$2.10, \$2.60, \$3.00. Children's 2-Strapped and Laced Shoes, \$1.40, \$1.50, \$1.60, \$1.90.

We'll be pleased to show you the season's Best in White Shoes.

G. KNOWLING, Limited,

SHOE STORES.

July 15, 18, 24, 27

Our Baseball Column.

PLAGIARISED AND OTHERWISE.

September is usually a fine warm month.

AN AMAZING EXPERIENCE.

We learn that the Editor of this column, who is at present trout fishing at Come-by-Chance, had a remarkable experience on Saturday. While trout-fishing from a boat near the mouth of the river, he got a bite and knew he had hooked a large fish. He was pretty sure it was no consumptive when it started towing him and the boat up stream, but alas, just as he thought he had the monster played out, and was on the point of reeling in, the trout took to the woods and he hasn't seen it since.

Well, of course it sounds rather fishy, but "there are stranger things in heaven and earth, Horatio, than even Pat McGinn could concoct."

Ovation to Royal Couple

London, July 11.—The visit of the King and Queen of the Belgians to England has been purely a private affair, with no public functions, although the British people would have been delighted to accord them any public honors. Yesterday's concert at Albert Hall, which was mostly a Belgian function, had not been advertised, but the ovation the Belgian monarchs received from several thousand of their own people was a scene of delirious enthusiasm.

The royal couple, King Albert in khaki and Queen Elizabeth, a stately figure, in white, stood in the front of the royal box, with the King and Queen of England in the background, while the Belgians sang their national hymn repeatedly, shouted and wept. The formal conferring of the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws, awarded to King Albert recently by Oxford University, was observed to-day under circumstances which never before attended the bestowal of an Oxford degree. The simple ceremony took place at the residence of Earl Curzon, Government leader in the House of Lords and Chancellor of Oxford University. A deputation from Oxford handed the diploma to King Albert, who responded with a few words of thanks.

After being entertained at a luncheon party by Earl Curzon, their majesties motored toward the coast.

No Ball Game This Afternoon.

We wish to correct the announcement in this morning's News regarding the baseball game for Mount Cashel, which is advertised for this afternoon at 3 o'clock. This game will take place at St. George's field on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, as officially arranged.

Here and There.

ARRIVED SAFELY.—Schr. Eva C. has arrived at her destination safely.

Knowing readers fully appreciate our Hair Brush, worth 45c; our price, 15c. W. R. GOOBIE is just opp. Post Office.—July 24.

FIFTY-EIGHT YEARS AGO.—On this date, 1860, H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, later King Edward, landed in St. John's.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.—This evening, St. George's Field, at 7.15. C. E. I. vs. Star. Admission 10c. Grand Stand 10c. extra.—July 24, 11.

VESSELS NEARLY FINISHED.—Three fine vessels, measuring from 250 to 300 tons, that are on the stocks at H. Grace, are nearly finished, and will soon come off.

BANKER HERE.—The banker Allcans arrived yesterday from the Southern Shore to get medical aid for one of her crew, who is suffering from heart trouble. The vessel is on her second trip to the banks, and hauls for 1,100 qts. for about three weeks' fishing. All the Lunenburg fleet are reported doing well.

IN STOCK.—PURE GOLD JELLIES, Raspberry, Strawberry, Lemon, Vanilla. Sold by the Gross only. P. E. OUTERBRIDGE, 266 Water Street, Telephone 60.—July 11, 14.

MT. CASHEL GARDEN PARTY.—The committee in charge of the sports programme for Mt. Cashel Garden Party, are making every effort to have this year's list of events the most interesting one on record. Judging from the number and records of the ponies entered, the pony race will be a most interesting one. The race for boys under 15 also promises to be interesting, and all those intending to participate should send in their names to Mr. C. J. Ellis, Water Street, as quickly as possible.

MINARD'S LINIMENT LUMBER-PRYING PLANS.

OLD BRITT.

For baseball brains, spirit and grit commend us to old grandpa Britt; He's as cute as a fox, and when he's in the box You've some eye if you get a safe hit.

A GOOD SCHEME. Tim and Ernie are of the opinion that if the Government were to send out a steamer to turn off the east wind, it might be possible to get a fine day for their game. All in favor of this please say!

NO MORE LINEUPS. We absolutely refuse to publish the lineups of the Cubs-Wanderers Mount Cashel game any more. There must be a jinker somewhere on one of the nines. We don't think it's Demon Duggan!

Concrete Freight Cars.

In a few weeks' time experiments will have determined the practicability of constructing railway freight cars of reinforced concrete, says Searle Hendee in the August Popular Mechanics Magazine. Stimulated by war conditions, which make the immediate provision of more carriers and the conservation of steel imperative, a prominent Chicago engineer, in association with some of the largest car-building companies, has turned his attention to the fabrication of concrete gondolas. A car is to be built at once in accordance with plans and specifications now in the final stage of completion. Contingent upon the showing made by this car, which is patented, is the immediate production of others on a wholesale scale.

It remains to be seen what the new gondola will do. But it has been designed to accomplish the same work and withstand the same severe usage as modern steel cars. In addition to costing probably not more than half as much as one of steel, the concrete car is capable of being more quickly built. Furthermore its adoption would release many skilled workmen for ship-building.

The question of practicability seems to be dependent on weight. Standard steel gondolas weigh from 38,000 to 52,000 lb. If it is found possible to construct a concrete car of 50 tons' capacity and consistently keep the weight at about 50,000 lb., engineers feel that success will be assured. In this connection it is interesting to know that for two years or more certain companies have been employing concrete in repairing freight cars, and have found it satisfactory. For this purpose a fine cement mortar, sprayed by a cement gun, is used.

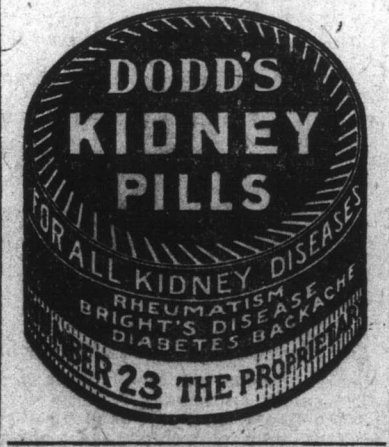
Don't forget Grand Dance in the Star Hall to-night, July 24th, at 9.30. Lady's single tickets, 30c; Gent's, 40c, and double tickets, 70c.—July 24, 11.

Milk Trees.

Now that milk is so scarce and dear some enterprising person ought to transplant from other countries certain trees which yield this precious fluid.

In British Guiana and the West Indies, particularly on the bank of the river Demerara, there grows a tree known to the natives as the "Hyahya," which yields a juice slightly richer and thicker than cow's milk from its bark and pith. The tree is about forty feet high and eighteen inches in circumference when full grown, and the natives use its juice as we use milk, it being perfectly harmless, and mixing well with water.

The Cingaleses have a tree—they call it "Kirigahuma"—which yields a fluid in all respects like milk; while the forests of Persia grow a tree called the "Massendendron," which gives a milk-like juice which can be kept for an indefinite time, and shows no tendency to become sour. On the other hand, certain trees in the valleys of Aragua and in Cauagua yield a similar fluid which, when exposed to the air, begins to form into a kind of cheese, which very soon becomes sour. In the Canary Islands there is a tree called "Tabaya Dolce," of which the milk, thickened into a jelly, is considered a delicacy.



MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY PHYSICIANS.

Address and Presentation

Address to Rev. J. Dwyer Savin, From the Women of St. Joseph's Parish. Dear Father Savin:—With feelings of joy and gladness we, the women of St. Joseph's Parish, respectfully tender our heartfelt congratulations on your ordination.

Oh Priest of God, how magnificent your prerogatives; how marvelous your possibilities; how grand, sublime and glorious your mission! We salute you to-day with hearts overflowing with pride and gratitude. We rejoice with you on the fulfillment of your most cherished aspiration, and we earnestly pray that "The Great High Priest" may grant you many years of fruitful labour in your sacred calling.

Oh God, let years stretch out before him. While Thy reward is hanging over him. Then Thou shalt say: O faithful, one—Come here and rest; thy work is done!

We ask your acceptance of the accompanying gift as a slight testimonial of our affectionate regard; when, as an Altar boy in our Parish Church, you endeared yourself to us by your lovely disposition, and won our respect by your lofty and virtuous life.

Your boyhood's faith, by grace shines out its knowledge in this hour. Christ's manhood now you have assumed. And use unto the full His power.

Assuring you of our continual interest in your welfare, we have the honour to be, dear Father Savin, your sincere friends.

Signed on behalf of the subscribers, ANNIE BROPHY, ANNIE CLOONEY.

St. John's, Nfld., July 22nd, 1918. The above address was read by Miss Rose Brophy and a suitable reply was made by Rev. Father Savin. Father Savin was educated in Holy Heart Seminary, Halifax, N.S., and was ordained in St. John's, on June 29th, of this year.

Open wide your eyes for here is something worth reading: 48 doz. Men's Dress Shirts, worth \$1.25, all sizes and one price, 75c each. W. R. GOOBIE is just opp. Post Office.—July 24.

House Destroyed.

The house and barn owned by Mr. Walter Crobie, at Bay Roberts, were totally destroyed by fire, said a message received in town yesterday. Mrs. Crobie and children barely escaped in their night clothes, but no personal or other effects were saved. Mr. Crobie is at present on Labrador. No information as to the origin of the fire has yet been learned.

Nurse McGrath Home.

Nursing Sister McGrath, sister of the late Pte. White McGrath, M.M., and Rev. Dr. McGrath, is at present in the city on a brief furlough. Miss McGrath came home to see her father. Mr. Thomas McGrath, who died recently. At the close of her furlough she returns to duty.

Not Responsible.

The brand of "Port Wine" which has made its appearance on the market during the past week is not of our manufacture and we know nothing of it.

It is impossible to imitate or copy our brands. In regard to our competitors, in the words of Kipling, "We have left them sweating and toiling a year and a half behind!"

When we charge you a dollar a bottle for our wine, which is the retail price throughout Canada, we are not going to sell you a syrup. Ours has the "warm feeling" and just as much "kick" as the prohibition law will allow.

The carload comprising the under-mentioned brands has left Toronto and should be due here about the middle of next month. "Rozalo Vineyard" Port Wine. "London Dock" Sherry. Black Cherry Brandy. Ginger Brandy. "Lazare et Fils" Creme de Menthe Sloe Gin.

THE GORDON WINE COMPANY, P. E. Outerbridge, Sole Agent for Nfld. July 23, 1w.

Is It Infanticide.

On Monday evening, in the river near King's Bridge, the decomposed body of a female child was found, and the finder rang up Supt. Grimes, who despatched two policemen to the scene. Yesterday a post mortem was held, proving that the infant was healthy and alive when born, and has been dead a week or longer. It was buried yesterday afternoon in the General Protestant Cemetery.

IN STOCK:—WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE, Half Gallon Size. P. E. OUTERBRIDGE, 266 Water Street, Telephone 60.—July 11, 14.

10c. Crescent Theatre To-Day. 10c.

"The Eagle's Eye,"

3rd Episode:

"THE PLOT AGAINST THE FLEET."

Franklyn Farnum and Brownie Vernon in a 6 act Bluebird drama,

"A STORMY KNIGHT."

PROF. MCCARTHY at the Piano—Drums and Effects.

Here and There.

When you want Steaks, Chops, Cutlets and Collops, try ELLIS.

GOLF COMPETITION.—The usual W. P. A. Golf competition will be played this afternoon.

When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS.

THIRTY NEW AUTOS.—Thirty new automobiles for parties in the city, arrived here yesterday.

When you want Sausages, why—get ELLIS; they're the best.

PERSONAL.—Mr. F. F. Harris, of the Martin-Royal Stores Hardware Co., left yesterday on a business trip to the U. S. A.

BALL GAME TO-MORROW.—The regular baseball fixtures will be resumed to-morrow night, when the Cubs and Wanderers will contest.

Moir's Chocolates for sale at Stafford's Drug Stores, Duckworth Street and Theatre Hill, July 13.

TO BE OPERATED ON.—A young man named Jacobs reached the city yesterday, from Heart's Content, to enter the General Hospital, where he will undergo an operation.

MOUNT CASHEL GARDEN PARTY.—Entries for Pony Race will be received at Mt. Cashel up to 30th inst.—July 20, 24, 27.

BISHOP POWER RETURNS.—His Lordship Bishop Power who was visiting the city last yesterday, accompanied by Rev. Dr. Grene, for St. George's. The latter will spend a brief holiday on the West Coast.

THE ACID TEST OF COMPARISON.—Our goods and prices have stood it for 12 years. See our Men's Suits, only \$16.50. W. R. GOOBIE is just opp. Post Office.—July 24.

NAUTICAL AWARDS.—Messrs. Clark and Watts, who have served as mate and bosun on the English barquentine owned by Baine Johnston & Co., have been awarded second mates' certificates for competency.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY. THERAPION NO. 1 THERAPION NO. 2 THERAPION NO. 3 No. 1 for Bladder Complaints. No. 2 for Blood & Skin Diseases. No. 3 for Chronic Weaknesses. SOLD BY LEADING CHEMISTS. PRICE IN ENGLAND, 2/6. IN CANADA, 2/6. IN NEWFOUNDLAND, 2/6. DRUG GOVT. STAMP APPLIED TO GENUINE PACKETS.

INJURED HIS LEG.—Mr. L. G. Chafe, who injured his foot a few days ago while kicking football with some of the boys at his country residence, has been forced to remain indoors for a few days.

NOTICE.—Correspondents are requested to accompany contributions with their REAL NAMES, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. The editor refuses to accept any matter unless this rule is adhered to.

LARGE FUNERAL.—The late Mr. P. C. O'Driscoll had a very large funeral yesterday, and many distinguished citizens attended. The funeral services in the Cathedral were conducted by His Grace the Archbishop, and interment was at Belvedere.

FOR SALE.—That well built residence owned and at present occupied by R. H. Trapnell on Waterford Bridge Road, choice situation; Hot and Cold Water, Hot Water Heating, and all modern conveniences; pretty lawns and hedges, fruit and vegetable gardens, and fine protected tennis court; motor coach house and stable, poultry house with screened run. All well fenced and in perfect order. Apply to R. H. TRAPNELL, Water Street—July 13, 14.

WANTED.—Two Young Men with experience in groceries; two boys for general work in store or shop; one Expressman, with good knowledge of horses. J. J. ST. JOHN, July 24, 31, w. 15.

LOST.—Between Queen's Road and the General Hospital, by way of Military Road, a Small Gold Fraternity Pin, set with pearls; initials on back, L. A. E. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to 33 Queen's Road. July 24, 14.

Cable News.

GERMAN LOSSES.

PARIS, July 23. L'Homme Libre, Premier Clemenceau's newspaper in a review of the military situation, says that the German losses since March 21st are approximately 1,000,000 men.

ARTILLERY ACTIVITY.

PARIS, July 23. Artillery activity along the battle-front during the course of the night is all that is reported officially today from the French War Office. A brilliant French operation north of Mont Didier, the statement says, resulted in the occupation of the villages of Sully, Rainval, Souville and Ambelle and the capture of 360 German prisoners.

TOWNS CAPTURED.

LONDON, July 23. The town of Jaulgonne on the Meuse has been captured by the Americans who are continuing their advance. Three hundred prisoners were taken. The Americans on the front south of Soissons captured the town of Buzancy. The French captured Oulchy-le-Chateau on a front between the Marne and Rheims. The British captured Pote Champ Wood taking 200 prisoners and 14 machine guns. According to advices received in London the French this morning began a new attack in the region northwest of Mont Didier. The Germans are attempting their resistance between the Ourcq and the Aisne and bringing up their heavy guns.

FRENCH ATTACK PROGRESSES.

LONDON, July 23. The French attack near Mont Didier has progressed to the west edge of the wood north of Sauvillers-Mongiville, which means a total advance of two miles. This point is about 2,000 yards east of Mailly-Rainval and gives the French control of the heights dominating the Valley of the Aisne. Twelve hundred Germans were made prisoners.

AVIATORS' WORK.

PARIS, July 23. One hundred and thirty-seven German airplanes were brought down or put out of action by French and British airmen yesterday. Four captive balloons were burned and many tons of bombs were dropped on German concentration points. This announcement is made in the official statement issued by the war office to-night.

STILL RETREATING.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE MARNE FRONT. (By the Associated Press.)—Information reaching the Intelligence Department of the American Army to-night indicates that the Germans were still continuing their retreat. Far behind their lines they are subject to a heavy fire by both French and American guns, which continues to hamper the movement of their enormous supplies.

HEAVY FIGHTING.

LONDON, July 23. South of the River Ourcq on the Aisne-Marne front the advancing French forces are reported to have had very heavy fighting to-day. Nevertheless they have succeeded in reaching many places on the railway between Arrmentieres and Coucy.

RAIN HINDERS OPERATIONS.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY IN FRANCE, July 23. The drenching down-pour of rain over the greater part of the southern battlefront hindered the operations of both Allies and Germans last night and to-day. Further north French troops executed a remarkably brilliant minor operation between Moreuil and Mont Didier, attacking and capturing three villages around which some heavy fighting took place in March and April. They are Mailly, Rainval, Sauvillers and Ambillois, all situated on the heights overlooking the Aisne River. Their possession is of great importance.

FISHING SCHOONER TORPEDOED.

PORTLAND, Me., July 23. A telephone message from Cape Porpoise just outside this harbor, said a dory containing three men from the Gloucester fishing schooner "Robert and Richard" had landed here, bringing word that their ship had been torpedoed by a German submarine. The



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