ANNUAL REPORT OF FISHERIES BRANCH OF NAVAL SERVICE

Total Market Value of Fish Caught in New Brunswick for Year Was $5,656,859—Most Valuable Fishery Was the Sardine, Value of Catch Being $1,481,085.

The fiftieth annual report of the Fisheries Branch of the Naval Service just issued by the department, shows that for the fiscal year ending Mar. 1, 1917, the total market value of the fish caught in New Brunswick was $5,656,859. The most valuable fishery was the sardine, the value of that catch being $1,481,085; the sportive lobster comes next in line and accounts for $1,048,940; herring were valued at $728,086 and cod at $527,005; while the salmon catch for the year amounted to $268,744.

The quantity caught, and the market value as listed in the official report as follows:

Salmon—Caught, 17,794 cwt.; of this 17,772 cwt. was used fresh, 16 cwt. was canned and 6 cwt. was salted at a total market value of $268,744.

Lobsters—Caught, 99,455 cwt.; 43,725 cases were canned and 11,955 cwt. was shipped in the shell; total valeu, $1,048,940.

Cod—Caught, 200,560 cwt.; 12,085 cwt. was used fresh; 22,055 cwt. green salted and 48,121 cwt. dried. Total value, $527,005.

Haddock—Caught, 27,345 cwt.; used fresh, 10,982 cwt.; canned, 3,960 cases; dried, 3,338 cwt.; value, $79,174.

Hake and cusk—Caught 115,727 cwt.; used fresh, 1,863 cwt.; dried, 37,951 cwt.; value, $165,309.

Pollock—Caught, 47,295 cwt.; used fresh 9,270 cwt.; dried, 12,674 cwt.; value, $77,275.

Herring—Caught, 539,339 cwt.; used fresh, 85,903 cwt.; canned, 2,428 cases; smoked, 90,327 cwt.; pickled, 16,103 barrels; used as bait, 49,742 barrels; used as fertilizer, 61,542 barrels; value $728,086.

Mackerel—Caught, 11,407 cwt.; used fresh, 11,068 cwt.; salted, 113 barrels; value, $134,398.

Shad—Caught, 5,990 cwt.; used fresh 5,463 cwt.; salted, 193 cwt.; value, $47,017.

Alewives—Caught, 57,938 cwt.; used fresh, 7,683 cwt.; salted, 18,197 barrels, value, $90,796.

Sardines—Caught, 315,810 barrels; used fresh or salted, 285,074 barrels; canned, 153,680; value, $1,481,085.

Halibut—Caught, 158 cwt.; all used fresh; value, $1,580.

Flounders—Caught 2,123 cwt.; value $4,266.

Smelt—Caught, 55,085 cwt.; value, $715,112.

Trout—Caught, 1,412 cwt.; value, $16,688.

Oulachons—Caught, 34 cwt.; value, $51.

Sturgeon—74 cwt.; value, $1,010.

Bass—Caught, 1,266 cwt.; value, $15,345.

Eels—Caught, 1,479 cwt.; value, $11,624.

Tom-cod—Caught, 13,588 cwt.; value $40,764.

Whitefish—Caught, 51 cwt.; value, $765.

Pickerel—Caught, 199 cwt.; value, $1,990.

Perch—Caught, 15 cwt.; value, $60.

Mixed fish—Caught, 803 cwt.; value, $803.

Squid—Caught, 178 barrels; value, $562.

Oysters—Caught, 8,294 barrels; value, $58,058.

Clams and quahaugs—Caught, 28,132 barrels; of these 14,352 barrels, valued at $19,706 were used fresh and 13,780 cases valued at $68,900 were canned, making a total value of $88,606.

Scallops—Caught, 620 barrels; these when shelled made 1,240 gallons, valued at $3,100.

Dulse, cockles, etc.—3,304 cwt.; market value, $5,439.

Tongues and sounds—71 cwt.; value $355.

Hake sounds—433 cwt.; value, $11,075.

Caviare—175 lbs., value, $269.

Hair seals—Caught, 21; value, $63.

Fish oil—Marketed, 66,550 gallons; value, $31,521.

Seal oil—Marketed, 40 gallons; value, $24.

The number of vessels of all kinds including gasoline boats and carrying smacks was 10,454 and their value was $1,238,420.

The value of the gear used was $3,249,181, and the men employed in the gathering of these fish was 15,672; while 6,127 persons found employment in the various canneries and fish curing establishments.

DEATH OF KATHARINA SCHRATT, FAVORITE OF FRANCIS JOSEPH

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amuse him with books. He caused to be published in the state paper of Vienna the following paragraph:

"The perfectly innocent character of the relations between the monarch and the actress are known to everyone here who has the slightest acquaintance with Austro-Hungarian court life."

Katherine Schratt, the actress, then became a participant in affairs of state, principally behind the scenes, but wielding an influence over the aging emperor, that made Austro-Hungarian statesmen eager to gain her counsel. In politics she was at first an opponent and then a partisan of the Hungarians who desired greater legislative privileges than the local monarchy permitted. It was the actress who persuaded Emperor Francis Joseph in 1908 to receive in audience Francis Kossuth, son of the great Hungarian patriot and radical leader.

St. Stephen, Jan. 11.—Julian Andrews of Milltown is in a serious condition at the Calais hospital. His skull was fractured by a broken bedt at the St. Croix Paper Mills at Woodland where he was employed.

THISTLE BONSPIEL TO BE CURLED TODAY

Seventeen Rinks Will Take Part — The Curling Will Commence About Three o'clock and Continue Into the Evening.

Seventeen rinks will take part in a bonspiel on the Thistle ice this afternoon and evening. The following is the make up of the different rinks:

R. Atchison	F. Elkin
I. F. Archibald	D. Currie
Major Weeks	A. J. Machum
G. S. Bishop	J. C. Chesley
R. McIlveen	R. Hayes
D. Cameron	W. E. Demings
R. E. Crawford	R. M. Fowler
J. W. Cameron	W. J. S. Myles
B. A. Ferguson	R. Finley
W. H. Mowatt	G. A. Stubbs
J. L. McAvity	J. M. Barnes
J. S. Malcolm	H. C. Olive
J. C. Mitchell	W. Millican
R. Reid	R. McKendrick
H. G. Barnes	A. P. Paterson
S. W. Palmer	D. R. Willett
H. Sullivan	J. E. McCarthy
J. Pendrigh	W. B. Robertson
W. J. Shaw	J. B. McPherson
J. A. Sinclair	D. McClelland
H. Vanwart	I. T. Tingley
H. Warwick	T. A. Armour
G. L. Warwick	L. A. Langstroth
J. W. Holly	W. A. Shaw
P. P. Jackson	A. Golding
W. H. Gamblin	A. W. Estey
E. P. Howard	H. M. McAlpine
W. J. Currie	A. D. Malcolm
T. P. Thayer	J. A. Likely
H. W. Stubbs	L. C. Ledingham
J. S. Gregory	F. F. Burpee
F. A. McAndrews	R. S. Orchard
W. L. Robson	
F. Shaw	
E. S. R. Murray	
F. W. Watson.	

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BOWLING

Y. M. C. I.

The Sparrows captured three points and the Crows one in their game on the Y. M. C. I. alleys last night. The teams and scores were as follows:

Sparrows—					
Harrington ..	87	105	91	293	94 1-3
Colgan	85	83	80	248	82 2-3
Cosgrove	88	105	78	271	90 1-3
Smith	91	100	74	265	88 1-3
Chisholm	78	79	92	249	93
	429	472	415	1360	
Crows—					
McBride	88	135	88	311	103 2-3
N. Jenkins....	85	91	70	246	82
Glynn	78	79	74	231	77
McCumber ...	78	79	83	240	80
T. Jenkins ...	84	78	119	281	93 2-3
	413	462	434	1309	

TWO CITY LEAGUE GAMES.

Two very intersting games were rolled last night in the City League on Black's alleys. The first game was between the Maples and Beavers, the second between the Specials and Maples. In the first the Beavers took three points and the Maples, one and in the second game the Specials took three and the Maples one. McCann of the Specials was the high man, having an average of 104. The individual scores follow:

First Game.

Maples—					
Stevens	106	106	92	304	101 1-3
Copp	76	86	100	262	87 1-3
Ward	92	84	78	254	84 2-3
Kelley	90	97	87	274	91 1-3
Hanlon	90	89	89	268	89 1-3
	454	462	446	1352	
Beavers—					
Cooper	95	90	81	266	88 2-3
Anthony	96	73	96	265	88 1-3
Scott	96	85	115	296	98 2-3
Lunney	100	95	87	282	94
Carleton	99	107	77	283	94 1-3
	486	450	456	1392	

Second Game.

Specials—					
McIntyre	86	122	95	303	101
McCann	123	78	111	312	104
Fitzgerald....	84	84	83	251	83 2-3
White	105	88	87	280	93 1-3
Wilson	95	108	88	291	97
	493	483	461	1437	
Maples—					
Stevens	89	108	86	283	94 1-3
Copp	92	99	74	265	88 1-3
Ward	85	89	81	255	85
Kelly	112	89	97	298	99 1-3
Hanlon	116	93	90	299	99 2-3
	494	478	438	1400	

Keeping The Quality Up.

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE, the World-Famous Cure for Colds and Grip, is now 30c. per box. On account of the advance in the price of the six different Medicinal, Concentrated Extracts and Chemicals contained in LAXATIVE BROMO QUININ, it was necessary to increase the price to the Druggist. It has stood the test for a Quarter of a Century. It is used by every Civilized Nation.

HERTLING TO TALK

London, Jan. 11—It is reported in Berlin that the German chancellor, Count Von Hertling, probably will address the Reichstag main committee on Monday in reply to the war aims speeches of President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George, an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen says.

TWENTY-EIGHT MEN ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Nine of the Number Are St. John Heroes — Military Medal Man Among the List —Men Have Been Through Hard Experience.

A party of twenty-eight returned men arrived in the city yesterday morning and of this number nine were St. John boys.

Pte. Johnson, the winner of a military medal, and whose home is at Deer Island, passed through on his way home. The complete list included: P. J. Adams, A. Arsenault, F. H. Barton, Wm. H. Bickerton, W. Bowering, C. E. Brooks, C. Burlock, Davis, W. F. Dawes, G. D. Drew, J. H. Fowler, R. Hinds, B. Johnson, H. E. Jones, C. S. Lawson, A. Luke, C. Martin, R. B. McKay, W. Patterson, S. Russel, E. H. Sabin, P. Smylie, J. Wicks, G. Wiggins, C. Donovan, J. J. Haines, H. C. Dohaney.

Pte. George Drew, 311 Brussels St., has been returned home on account of shock received while carrying on with the 257th Railway Construction Corps in France.

Gordon Lawson, Fairville, P.P.C.L.I., when seen, was carrying his left arm in a sling as the result of injuries received at Vimy Ridge, April 9th, when an explosive bullet blew away part of his shoulder blade and sinews of his arm.

Cte. H. T. Jones, 10 City Road, No. 2 Construction Corps, crossed overseas in 1916, and sa wservice in France as a member of a forestry unit. A log fell on his left shouder, May 28th, 1917, paralyzing his arm.

Walter P. Dawes, who was connected with the city market prior to enlisting in the 6th C.M.R., returned home yesterday. He received his wounds in the vicinity of Messines, which necessitated his removal to England, where he was engaged in clerical work for some time. Mr. Dawes also participated in the Boer war.

Pte. Charles Martin of 86 Main St., Fairville, another member of the party enlisted in St. John with the 2nd Divisional Train, and proceeded to France in that unit. He was shell shocked on the battle of the Somme in February, 1917.

Pte. J. M. Fowler, Fredericton, wears a military medal, won by gallantry at Lens in August last, where he was hit by shell in an attack on a front line trench.

Pte. J. J. Haines, Fredericton, P.P. C.L.I., with his left leg missing above the knee, was in a cheerful humor when seen, and turned aside with a joke any inquiries as to how he sustained the injuries the loss of his limb, other than to say that something struck him at Avion, July 8th, 1917, tearing away part of his leg and that stretcher bearers were right on the job and carried him from the trench.

Pte R. Johnson, Deer Island, who displayed great gallantry while on outpost duty at Vimy Ridge, May 9th, 1917. The young soldier, as the result of his experiences on that day, suffered frightful injury and is doubtless the most seriously injured of all the brave men who returned this morning

Pte. R. B. McKay, Moncton, suffered severe injuries to his left hand at Vimy Ridge, April 10th. He enlisted at Montreal, October, 1918, in the 73rd Battalion.

Pte. Wicks, Moncton, 25th Battalion, enlisted at Halifax, and had been in France eleven months when buried by a shell and wounded in the right knee at Courcellette.

COMMANDER OF ITALIAN CAVALRY

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CONTE DI TORINO

BURGLAR CHASE IN NEW GLASGOW

Matheson's Foundry Broken Into and Robbed and Thief Captured.

Special to The Standard.

New Glasgow, N. S., Jan. 11.—Policemen Hayden and Lewis did a good stroke of work tonight. They were in the vicinity of Matheson's foundry and became suspicious of a man whom they saw carrying away some belting, oil in cans, etc. He dropped his load and hit up a clip that would make a mile-runner go his limit. The cops followed after him, Hayden shedding his coat so as to move along more speedily. They noticed the house he entered and he was still there on the arrival of the police.

The goods in question were taken from the storehouse at I. Matheson & Co.'s. He had gained an entrance by getting under the shed and going through a hole in the floor. He then forced the lock of the stateroom. He will be brought before the court here tomorrow morning.

AUSTRALIAN VOTE NOW COMPLETE

Melbourne, Jan. 11—The complete returns from the referendum show the following figures:

For conscription 1,013,000; against 1,178,000.

There were majorities against conscription in New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland and South Australia. Western Australia, Tasmania, the fedral territories and the Australian military forces gave majorities for conscription.

FOREIGNERS NOT COMPELLED TO SERVE IN ARMY

Those Who Object May File Appea Throulgh Their Diplomatic Representatives.

Washington, Jan. 11—Citizens or subjects of European neutral countries, regardless of whether they have taken out first papers, for American citizenship will be freed from liability to military service in the United States if they appeal through their diplomatic representatives here.

Minister Sulzer, of Switzerland, today reached an agreement with the state department whereby Swiss already drafted, and in some instances actually serving in the American army, shall be discharge if they desire upon proof of their Swiss citizenship.

HEROIC DEEDS OF CANADIANS

London, Jan. 11—The heroic deeds of Canadians in the recent fighting on the western front was described during the King's award of Victoria Crosses to seven Canadians out of eighteen decorated today.

The names of the seven follow: Captain J. O'Kelly, Corporal Colin Barron, Sergeant George H. Mullin, Captain George R. Pearkes, Privates Thomas W. Holmes, Cecil J. Kinross and James P. Robertson.

ON THE ETERNAL HILLS

PRAISE FOR CHRONICLE'S SUGGESTION

Public Men of Quebec Hope Good Results Will Follow Effort to Bring Races Closer Together.

Quebec, Jan. 11.—The following statements were made here today in connection with the suggestion of the Quebec Chronicle for a solution of the racial problems which are now dividing the people of Canada:

Sir Lomer Gouin—"I am in favor of anything that will bring good results."

Hon. Adelard Turgeon, Speaker of the Legislative Council—"I read the article hastily, but I question its practicability in view of the fact that the commission would require the sanction of the different provinces to make its findings legal. The inspiration of the article is everything that is most prasieworthy. A commssion such as you suggest, composed of eminent men belonging to different churches, rectors or professors of universities and legal men could certainly find a basis of understanding."

TWO FREDERICTON GIRLS ARRESTED

Miss Gladys Veno Charged with Passing Phoney Check Her Companion Released.

Special to The Standard.

Moncton, Jan. 11.—Sergt. Ross Webb today located and arrested two girls for whom the Fredericton police have been looking for in connection with a cheque forgery. The girls are Gladys Veno and Matilda Jardine. They were found working in the Atlantic underwear factory under assumed names. The Jardine girl later was released upon instructions from Fredericton as the charge only affects the Veno girl, who, it is alleged, by forgery cashed a $40 cheque. J. J. Weddall at Fredericton furnished the money. The prisoner is being held for Fredericton officers. A portion of the money ha sbeen recovered.

New York, Jan. 11—John Purroy Mitchel, who retired on January 1 as mayor of New York, was today appointed a major in the aviation corps of the United States army.

PRICES DROP

Some bargains "as potent as sunlight," and they shine for all the bright ones who come early.

We say now because this is no "price slaughter of a thousand coats" but a genuine price cutting on all broken lots of ready tailored overcoats.

Although the selective draft affected business our overcoat sales have been larger than a year ago so that there are many broken lines. These are marked at greatly reduced prices to clear. $10.50, $12.50, $13.50, $15.50 for overcoats that were priced $16.50 to $25.

Gilmour's, 68 King St.

HALIFAX SUIT FOR $2,000,000

Owners of Mont Blanc Bring Action Against Norwegian Steamer Imo Which Caused Explosion.

Special to The Standard.

Moncton, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Richard Wade, a Halifax woman apprehended here some days ago by Chief Rideout acting upon instructions from the Halifax authorities, was taken back to Halifax today. Mrs. Wade was arrested on a charge of procuring money under false pretences. The application was made by her attorney for a writ of habeas corpus, but after the hearing Judge Chandler today dismissed the application. The difficulty arose over furniture sold by Mrs. Wade which later was taken for unpaid rent.

HUGHES 245 AHEAD.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Jan. 11—Official election returns for Kings county give majority of 245 for Hughes —Laurierite.

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Please remember that a man is not one day older than he actually feels, and therefore no matter what your age, if you are young or elderly, married or single, large or small, if I can show you, reader, how you, yourself, may actually add to your system, nerves and blood the very nerve force or vigor which may have been drained away, and which is necessary to make you strong, vigorous and capable again, then I have shown you the real secret of perpetual strength, and how you can again be filled with vigor, and again be just as powerful in your influence and just as thoroughly manly in your capacity as the biggest, fullest blooded, most successful fellow of your acquaintance.

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THE ENEMY WITHDR OFFER BECAUSE ACCEPTA

Winston Churchill Wants Br Effort to Crush Enemy--E Her Resources, He Says, a Work Nearer to Firing L Manual Labor to Relieve Ranks of the Army.

The Only Way to Shorten th ment, Minister Asserts, is —Austro-German Forces Some Trench Sections on Suffering Considerably.

Amsterdam, Jan. 11—That the drawn their peace terms made public ence on December 25, was announced foreign secretary, in a speech at the Br the Russians yesterday.

Owing to the non-acceptance of powers, Dr. Von Kuehlmann said that and void."

Dr. Von Kuehlmann said the firs to resume negotiations at the point wh the time of the Christmas adjournment.

Referring to the fixed determinatio to accede to the Russian suggestion of tions to neutral territory, he said Germ in a position to conduct elsewhere the Litovsk, although they were willing to h carried on and the signatures to the pre at some place to be agreed upon after th

Much Has Happ

"As for the conduct of the negotia which they take place is extremely imp ed that since the conclusion of the exc temporary interruption of the negotiati which appeared calculated to create do of the Russian government to arrive at ers of the quadruple alliance. I may rel official declarations of the Russian gov Powers, especially the declaration of th cy, which is regarded abroad as the sem reproduced in detail a reply M. Joffe delegation), is alleged to have made which as the protocol shows, originated its author. This entirely unfounded re confusing judgment in regard to the co in endangering their results."

Why Huns Refu

In explaining why the Central Pow transfer the negotiations to neutral terri Austrian foreign minister, said both pa communications with their respective could forego without interminably prolo rendering them difficult. He continued

"The second motive is more impo vited us to take part in general peace the invitation and came to an agreemen eral peace. On this basis you presented your allies, who have not answered, an question of negotiations of a general p ate peace between Russia and the quad

The count asserted that the transfe tral territory would give the Entente an and endeavor to prevent a separate pe fuse to give the western powers this op to conduct the final negotiations and sig to be fixed.

All Four Agree

"Regarding the questions on whic been reached, we came to a binding ag session to submit them to a commission. All the four members of the quadruple a to conducting the negotiations to the en Dr. Von Kuehlmann and myself and agr If the Russian delegaiton is animated by shall attain a result satisfactory to all. If a necessary course, but responsibility for the Russian delegation."

The Turkish and Bulgarian represe selves with these remarks.

In the name of the German chief co protested most strongly against wireless n sian military stations containing abuse of tutions and appeals of a revolutionary ch troops. This, the General said, transgres tice. Representatives of the armies of the protest.

At the proposal of Leon Trotzky, h tion, the sitting was adjourned.

OBITUARY

Rev. Dr. Sutherland.

Philadelphia, Jan. 11—Rev. Dr. John Ross Sutherland, associate secretary of the missionary

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