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The Granite Town Greetings

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White Duck Skirts, Cotton and Linen Shirtwaist Suits at a Discount.

A Few Shirtwaists in Silk and Lawn, we are Closing out Very Reasonable

White Cotton, Black Sateen and Heatherbloom Skirts. Ladies Underwear a Specialty. Mens, Ladies and Childrens Boots and Shoes.

Call Early and take Advantage of this Clearance Sale.

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St. George, N. B.

Montreal Hears of The Sale of Telegraph

Montreal, July 29.—It is said a syndicate of interests are about to take up the St. John Telegraph and Times with a view to improving them. The close proximity of the general elections, and reports that the liberals are trying to secure the papers have, it is said induced certain people to step in with a view to securing journalistic influence in present in Montreal. While he admits that negotiations are going on, he is reluctant to reveal any knowledge. It is asserted that an expert newspaper auditor will at once take charge of the property preparatory to a thorough reorganization. —Globe.

The footprints of Dracopis have been directly traced to the stomach nerves. When these "insane nerves" fall, indigestion and stomach distress must surely result. For this, druggists everywhere are supplying a prescription known as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. First, these, then inside Stomach, Heart, and Kidney nerves fall. Then gas belching, Heart palpitation, or feeling Kidney's follow. Don't drug the Stomach, or stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That is wrong. Succeeds these failing nerves, not the ones that are calling for help. Within 48 hours after starting the Restorative, you will feel the gain. A. D. Deane, St. John, N. B., Sole Agent.

Monster Whales Battle With Man-Eating Sharks

New York, August 4.—The course of a single battle between a whale and a shark, which was reported to have taken place off Cape Cod, is being followed by a number of the best fish story so far told this season, when the Amelia sailed up the East river. When two days out from Port Antonio, at about 6 o'clock in the evening the lookout reported a strange disturbance ahead, and as the Amelia approached four whales, about 40 feet each in length 15 feet long, were discovered in mortal combat. Fearing the Amelia would cut a gory path should the vessel steam ahead, Capt. Jameson was obliged to proceed slowly and at least six times brought the ship to a stop to avoid the monsters, who paid no attention to the Amelia.

K. of P. Excursion to Boston

Road trip tickets six dollars to the public. Good going August 1st direct and Aug. 3rd and 5th coastwise. Good to return leaving Boston up to and including August 17th. On payment of one dollar extra an extension of the return limited will be granted to Sept. 16th included. S. E. LARCHELIER, Agent. St. John, N. B. W. C. LEE, Asst. Agent.

Fish With Rubber Collar is Caught

Capt. Joe Silveira of the Gloucester fishing schooner Flora I. Sears, is trying to solve a knotty problem concerning the habits of the much despised dogfish. Out on Georges, the other day, one of the trawls brought up a "doggie" that, according to Capt. Joe, was either trying to clothe himself or had been in the hands of some crank with unusually strange notions. This particular dogfish wore a collar around its neck but it was not the leather kind with big brass spikes. It was a thick elastic band such as are used in a lawyer's office to bind papers together. The fish weighed about 20 pounds and was as frisky as might be expected of any fish that objected to going in out of the water. Some fishermen believe that the elastic collar is a part of the system of tagging an employed by the government in an effort to carry on a study of their movements. Frequently tagged fish are caught but the tags are not like the elastic band.

Notes of Interest to the Packerman and Fishermen

There is still but little movement in pickled herring, and the market will hardly become active before September. Scotch reports are to the effect that the shortage with which the month of June closed was not quite as large as anticipated. While the East Coast had fallen about 150,000 crans behind last year's enormous total, the deficiency had been considerably made up at Shelburne, so that the shortage over the whole coast remained about 60,000 crans on last year's catch to the end of June. The catch over the whole coast last week was not a heavy one. At the East Coast stations it is still falling behind that of last year, but at Lunenburg, owing to the very large fleet, and steady daily averages it is going ahead. All over there had just been a fair weeks catch of improving quality, which has created a steady rise in prices. When the totals are made up the deficiency on last year's total will probably run to about 80,000 crans. A recent report from Eastport stated that the total pack of domestic sardines to date is fully 200,000 cases less than that of the same date last year. In France and Portugal the run of fish is still exceedingly poor. Prices are still.

Salt Fish Trade

The can-making factory of the Sea Coast Canning Co. at Eastport, which was built to replace the plant destroyed by fire last year, practically trying up business in key-opening cans for domestic sardines, will be in operation by August 1. It is reported that the Williams Packing Company, of Eastport, which has been getting its supply of fish from the union weirs, will erect two new factories. Leading houses report an improvement in trade, particularly in good mackerel. The spring fish are said to be well cared and move quickly at the moderate quotations prevailing. Herring are dull and featureless. Many arrivals of the Scotch have gone into cold storage pending the heated terms. Codfish is in demand. Foreign dried fish markets, according to reports, are still very flat. There is little doing in the export line. Halifax N. S., arrivals are about half of the spring cod catch is marketed, the last sale being at \$4. A very good article would probably bring more than this, say \$4.25 or better. St. John's reports that the opening prices on codfish will be \$5 for large merchantable, and \$4 for small, but conditions may alter considerably during the season. The opening figures, and rise or fall must depend on the size of the catch—actual or anticipatory—at the beginning of August. From present outlook the voyage on the Newfoundland coast will not be a large one, which will be all the better for the maintenance of the price.

Fish Kept His Gem a Year

William Edwards of the Neptune Club, of Montclair, while fishing with grasshoppers, in Greenwood Lake on Tuesday, landed a number of very large carp. On opening one of them to cook the next day Edwards found a gold watch charm in the shape of a grasshopper set with diamonds. Inquiry developed the fact that it was George Wilson's watch charm that a big fish stole from him last summer. Wilson had been fishing on the lake from a boat when the charm dropped into the water. As it did so he made a grab for it, but to his astonishment a large fish came up near the surface, grabbed the charm and made off with it. He and his companions fished in the locality for some time and opened a very large fish that they caught, but failed to find the costly piece of jewelry. He got his charm back yesterday. —New York World.

The Fishing Fraternity

For the second time we welcome the fishermen of this County to our town for their annual holiday. They captured our town a year ago, land forces and sea forces, bringing their wives and sweethearts and filling our town with so much youth and beauty that we surrendered, gladly and unconditionally. It is a far call to the days when the straggling herring were caught by torching and used for bait only, but many of the older generation who meet with us on this holiday will remember it. Instead of an annual holiday there was a reunion every night at the close of the day's work. Sports for the younger men and a crackling driftwood fire with smoke and yawns of yesteryear days for the older men. There was a kindliness born of the same pursuits, born of the love of the sea, born of the friendly rivalry of evening the latest boat, of catching the biggest haul of fish. It all made for policy, for comradeship, for all that goes to make up a real fraternity not gained by artificial laws and regulations but written on your hearts to the end of time. In the passing of the old ways the daily life became more isolated. Instead of the hearty good fellowship of the blinding driftwood fire at the fishing grounds, there is a lonely camp under the wings of some sheltering hill overlooking a sea where you watch for the coming of the herring. Stowing of heart were the cars who ran the shoreline sloops before there was a power boat to aid them. The boats were built for speed and they carried excessive crews. In raging storms and heavy seas the brave boatmen would take the chance of reaching the factories with their freight. Some of them.

Canada's Great Wheat Acreage

Ottawa, July 27.—The report of the standing committee of the commons on agriculture and colonization presented to parliament yesterday contains a succinct and illuminating summary of facts brought before the committee during the session in regard to practical agriculture in eastern Canada and areas available for agricultural settlement in Canada's great West land. Many very interesting facts advanced before the committee were not reported to public notice in press, the reports having been lost in a mass of political material turned out by the public accounts and other committees during the session.

Canada's Great Fisheries Modus Vivendi Extended

Washington, July 27.—A continuation of the present modus vivendi governing the Newfoundland fisheries and the rights of American fishermen and the rights of American fishermen therein has been agreed on between the State Department and the British Foreign Office. By this means friction will be avoided pending a settlement of the question before the Hague tribunal. The continuation at this time of last year's modus vivendi is anticipatory of the fishing season, which begins in August. Last year's modus was not ratified until Sept. 4, after a long correspondence between the State Department and the Foreign Office at London, and there was always fear that some clash would occur pending its ratification. It is understood that the modus extended by Mr. Reid and the British Foreign Office is in precisely the same terms as that of last year. That instrument worked apparently satisfactorily, and the season closed without any serious hitch between American fishermen and Newfoundland authorities. There have always been many difficulties to overcome to the fisheries, so long as such legislation did not in terms discriminate against Americans and their contention that they are not thereby infringing the treaty rights of Americans, a contention that the British Government in a measure, at least had to concede. Then there was the matter of the use of purse seines and the opposition by Newfoundland last year to the renewal of that paragraph of the modus vivendi of the previous year, so which legalized the enlistment of the Newfoundland fishermen as members of the crews of American fishing smacks. All the differences were satisfactorily adjusted, however, through mutual concessions. Prof. Alexander of the American Fish Commission, following his practice for several years, will soon go to the Bay of

Islands on the west coast of Newfoundland to advise American fishermen of their rights, so as to obviate any clash or friction with local Newfoundland officials.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. WALKING, KINNAS & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

LITTLE LEPRAU

John Boyne his mother and sister had escaped from drowning Tuesday in a small dory owned by Joseph Haggerty only supposed to carry one man in safety. The three got in going some distance from shore when the boat filled. By the skilled management of Mr. Boyne they reached the shore none the worse of their fright. There is lots of fish in the Harbor they get from 42 to 39 hogheads a day. Mrs. Gillis Slooman is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Rogers. Herbie Hope expects to move in to his new house Monday. Mrs. Robert Nugent and family of Boston, are spending the summer months here. Miss Ella Mawhinney and Mr. Fred Thompson of Chance Harbor, spent Sunday last with Mrs. Boyne and family.

IN MEMORIAM

This lovely but so young so fair, Passed hence by early doom; Just came to show how sweet a flower In Paradise would bloom. No sin could harm or sorrow fade; Death came with friendly care; The opening bud 't heaven conveyed And bade it blossom there.

Langboat's Collapse

A Canadian Associated Press despatch referring to Tom Longboat's collapse in the Marathon race at London says— "Langboat arrived at the Stadium in a motor car, the announcement to that effect being received with laughter and cheers from the crowd. Manager Flanagan stated that Longboat overhauled the field in fine style between the fifteenth and eighteenth mile. He had passed the Italian and overtaking Heffernon, the only man in front. Flanagan was just thinking that victory was a certainty when the collapse came. The Indian spun round suddenly and fell heavily, bleeding from the nose. Probably it was due to the intense heat. "I still think that Longboat is the finest runner in the world," said Flanagan. "Langboat after the race said he could not explain his collapse. He was running strong and was in a good position when he says he fell like a log. Flanagan said it was incomprehensible, as the other Canadians were all quite fit."

The school board are considering a number of applications for position of principal of the schools.

A lot of interesting correspondence is crowded out of this issue and will appear next week.

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BEAVER HARBOR

Fishermen report good catches of line fish, but sardines are so far a failure. While Willie Barry of the Beaver Harbor Trawling Co., was working on the wharf, he missed his footing and fell to the beach below, a distance of twenty-five feet. It was thought at first that he had been seriously injured and Dr. Alexander was immediately summoned. It is now hoped that his injuries are not serious, that he has been fortunate to escape with bruises and a severe shaking, from what might have been a fatal fall. Miss Bessie Perry has returned to her home in St. George, after spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Fred Eldridge. Mrs. Sarah Bennett is quite ill. Mrs. Fred Eldridge has been seriously ill, but is slightly recovering. Dr. Taylor is in attendance. Mr. Johnson Barry is still seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Adams Kerigan, visited Mrs. Elizabeth Barry on Sunday. Barpee Bates of the Canadian Fur-banks Co. has returned to his duties in St. John, after a pleasant vacation spent here. Melvin Mawhinney Macas Day, made a flying trip here on Saturday. Miss Pettie Parker and Mrs. Fred Paul went to Eastport by Star. "Viking" on Saturday. Ella Barry made a short visit in Macas Bay recently. Dr. Stone of Boston, is the guest of Miss Pettie Parker. Mrs. George Hutton and little daughter Rena, are spending a few days with friends in St. Andrews. Mildred Holmes Eastport, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Holmes. Mrs. Watts and Miss Ada Carpenter, of Boston, are guests of Mrs. M. S. Widdling. A little daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Harvie on Saturday, August 1st congratulations. Mrs. Walter Wadlin has gone to Macas Bay, where she will visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Snider. Mrs. Moore, St. John, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Barry. Mrs. James Mawhinney and Mrs. Herbert Wright, are on the sick list. Mrs. G. W. McKay and Mrs. Frank Cross were recent visitors to St. John. Mr. Fred Kelson and family, have returned to their home in Boston, after spending a few weeks with Mr. Kelson's mother here. Mr. Vangin of St. Martin's arrived here last week and was taken by boat to the Wolves, to look after his lumbering interests there. Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Hawkins, visited St. George, one day last week. Mrs. Sparks has returned from Lube, Me. where she has been receiving medical treatment from Dr. Bennett of that place. Mr. Charles Cross, got his hand caught between the anchor and rigging of Schr. "Happy Home" and the nail was severed from the finger. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnson, and daughter Jessie, have returned to Lube, after spending several weeks here.

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