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A Self-styled Patriot

ment, but we know the invariable or neglect them. There is one paramount and almost sacred duty confronting the Government of this counend. It appears we were mistaken. He too busy at the time making loopholes, a fiddler plays upon his instrument,

some extent the fortunes of the Regi-

Our readers will not need to be re- needing to be dressed at once after various companies, and which have comparatively low prices. The marminded of the occasion on which he the journey from the firing line.

what has been done in the matter of recruiting, and who have done it, than Mr. Coaker does. We were a member of the Recruiting Committee before its functions were absorbed by the Ministry of Militia, and can bear willing and admiring testimony to the Mr. Coaker at one of its meetings. list as their self-advertisement has the singing of hymn 428, was in aid and when through the columns been behind his. They are men who of the choir fund. have given their sons to the cause, and some of those sons their lives, McMurdo's Store News and neither grudged it; who have worked together, as have the other worked together, as have the other committees, in perfect harmony and with one end alone in view; who have neglected their private work to do this public duty; and who have time and again, at all seasons of the year and in the face of considerable hardship, travelled into the most remote corners of the Island on what has often been a fruitless and too often a thankless errand. They minimise the much they have done; Mr. Coaker exalts his little. If now the Government should tle. If now the Government should at long last perform its neglected duty in this respect, we know who will get the credit of that also. We give our BROS., LTD., Hardware Dept. readers one guess. -

Act Again.

t-we knew it would. It is good enhe Act which proves the contrary and asks us under which methylated spirits comes. Under the first, dear Advocate. It is contained in the general category, "all. liquors containing two per cent, or upward of al-

through, in the Profits Tax.

we gave it up as hopeless. But

legislators' heedlessness. They were ceptibilities he has played upon like

big enough to drive a horse and cart those he has managed to fool and ca-

Government this, that if the Regiment | At this moment when praise of the has to be withdrawn from the line and magnificent deeds of our splendid lose its place in the Division, the re- sailors and soldiers is ringing in our ED THE DICTATES OF A FREE Pays to Advertise." to show them how much their glori- tire time to the business of the Fish-Meanwhile, we are not surprised ous self-sacrifice is appreciated at ermen that I am held responsible for." achieved by the players last night was ed by the Advocate, like every sub- -their words will not win the war, of the Fishermen's Union, Manager of and skill. ject on which it touches, to the one our words will not allay their suffer- the Union Trading Company, reprewhich the Advocate ap- ings, but deeds can and do. The sentative of the District of Twillinthat of super-patriot. We are glad fore I ever came out here I had doing! What a cowardly attempt to that he does not claim the credit of heard what had been done and was shift the responsibility for the wrong enlisting the whole Regiment, but is still being done by the Women's Pa- done on somebody else! Again, I ask, modest total of 70 triotic Association, and I know what These must be the "Coak- a great incentive you have lost in will"? Who shackled his will-Mor- Davis they kept the house in con-

For the first time we are really him, would have kept another silent. to foot, clothes rent and torn, wounds dollars invested by the fishermen in some lots that were purchas

spoke of German submarines, the Women of Newfoundland, I ask you Union, are faced with a plot to inenemy's most formidable weapon, as for what we pray and hope is a last spire distrust in these industries"; Steady advances have been influenced by vessels no larger than a fishing punt. big effort. We must have funds and that for "political ends, those who the high prices at which Newfound that for "political ends, those who have funds and beginning opened that the best prices at which Newfound that for "political ends, those who have funds and beginning opened by the high prices at which newfound that for "political ends, those who have funds and beginning opened by the high prices at which newfound that for "political ends, those who have funds and beginning opened by the high prices at which newfound that for "political ends, those who have funds and beginning opened by the high prices at which newfound that for "political ends, those who have been beginning opened by the high prices at which newfound that the beginning opened by the high prices at which newfound that the beginning opened by the high prices at which newfound the beginning opened by the beginning opened Later, being apparently converted to more funds to buy the necessary criticise, seek to destroy confidence in land Scotch cured herring opened patriotism, he dubbed with his own stuffs that willing hands are longing these Union Companies and jeopardname those volunteers who happened to make up. We must fill the work- ise the money that has been invested a few factors are selling at slightly to come from a certain part of the Is- rooms of the Women's Patriotic As- by comparatively poor men"; that lower prices. The first lots were pracland. We think they would choose to cockaion with materials and workers they are challenging the Union Com-tically sold out upon their arrival be considered as going from a sense of if vo are to show our splendid New-

M. ARMOREL HARRIS, Acting President W.P.A.

Last Night's Recital.

Following the regular evening seruntiring, self-sacrificing and invaluuntiring, self-sacrificing and invaluable work done by many of those who
Church last night, a most delightful

per barrel for their stocks. Few importers purchased at this price, according to the reports, but a higher composed it. We never, however, saw organ recital was held. A number of is not my criticism of Mr. Coaker's price than \$21 is said to have been selections of an exceptional classical political conduct that "jeopardizes" The goods will probably not come to though he would have been welcomed variety were given by Miss Elsie Tait, the money "that has been invested by New York for a few weeks. there. If it were a matter, which it is Mr. C. Macpherson and Organist F. comparatively poor men," it is Mr. not, of giving to anyone but the man J. King. "Morning Hymn", by Capt. Coaker's political escapades. How himself the credit of a soldier's enlist- Campbell, and "Legend", by Mrs. F. can he hope to convert a business conment, there are many who would be as J. King, were well rendered. The cern into a political Battering Ram far ahead of Mr. Coaker on such a offertory, which was taken up during without injury to that business?

MONDAY, Jan. 21, 1918.

The Menace to the Country.

Editor Evening Telegram. cept our bet-we knew it | Sir,-Referring to my letter of yeswouldn't. But it tried to terday's date I would direct attention day after the late Premier Morris ancohol by volume." Now think it over ment with the Coakerites. It is sign- fish was weighed in before being put ed "W. F. Coaker, President," and is on Hiscock's schooner. Hiscock conand the "Spot on the Crackie" case, it therefore a formal and official docuis not our fault if the counsel for the ment. It is an apology to the Union defence did not examine the Act. The members for his part in the Coalition Advocate says in conclusion, "We scheme. It is a labored explanation think the Telegram might be better to the general public of a very repre employed in helping to close up these hensible and crooked transaction by a cock's own conduct would that he himself intended to loop-holes than endeavouring to throw member of the people's representatives in Parliament. It is the an- Hiscock's share nouncement of an unholy, unjustifi-To which we need merely reply that, able, unpatriotic, and apparently, so as the Advocate knows, we pointed far as the Fishermen's Union was conout these very defects and the several cerned, altogether unauthorised sale loopholes at the very time when the of Union forces to Sir Edward Morhas so affectionately named "underthere was an explanation of our wise dogs" and "toilers," those whose sus-

jole, until he has got them to sacri fice their freedom of action, and bind themselves to a political servitude derogatory to their manhood, and to fession of unfitness for any position of trust and responsibility that has ever appeared in our press. "IF I OBEY
There is nothing serious about "It to be a serious about " WILL I would prefer devoting my en-Words cannot help like deeds Thus wrote W. F. Coaker, President all the more a tribute to their talent a big part in the war already. Be- What an abject admission of wrong

and the general public to infer from, on their first or are likely to, of a man taking to uneasy about the funds of the W.P.A. his statement that his colleagues- Mann, as himself any share of the praise that is They are lower than they have ever Stone, Halfyard, Grimes, Jennings, ceptionally satisfactory presentations of his part. It was an admirable due the performance by others of been and the need for socks and Winsor, Abbott, Targett and Lloydthis greatest, noblest and holiest duty shirts and bandages and dressings is forced him against his will, against to consider what real claim he has necessarily greater, and at all costs ment? Such a charge would be abto the distinction which he boasts to ourselves we must not let our men surd, for Messrs. Lloyd, Stone, Half- Lois Perkins, Miss Lillian Worth with such execrable taste. Mr. Coak- go short of that little extra which we yard and Grimes were in his pay as Erville Anderson, Charles Newson can send them. We are all tired of President and Manager of the Union, and J. Francis Clark filled minor roles med up in one sentence—he has made, the war and the many calls it puts while the other Union members of the at the outside, three or four reruiting upon us, but if we cannot be so enspeeches, and those never by himself, thusiastic about the work now, we him by an Oath of allegiance. Who but always on some special occasion us through. Nursing in France in If he entered into Coalition with the from which it was impossible to elim- 1916 I had the opportunity of often Morris government against his "free inate the suggestion of politics, and unpacking the goods that came from will," then necessarily he must have always in conjunction with others. all over the world for use in hospit- been forced by some one. Who is Previously to that the only interest he al, and I do not know how we that some one? The Editor in Tues- this goods to New York cleaned appeared to exhibit in the war and should have got on without them. day's Advocate endeavours to break in first hands and a good demand in Length:-143 ft. this country's part in it took the form Every bit that we can send over there the force of the criticisms that Mr. evidence, the trade in this city has of peurile and semi-treasonable criti- is more than wanted, and every scrap Coaker has brought upon himself, by been waiting anxiously for further condition cism of prominent men among the of work done adds to the comfort of Allies, men whom his compatriots described and adds to the comfort of alleging, most untruthfully, that of the market, should bring prices as Depth:—13 ft. Allies, men whom his compatriots desome soldier and detracts from the such criticisms are "a campaign to fully as high as those noted on the lighted to honour. In so doing he did anxiety of the nurses and doctors injure the F. P. U., Mr. Coaker, and arrival of the first shipment. not hesitate to display an ignorance when the new convoys of wounded the associate organizations;" he tells S.S. Florizel, from St. John's, brings which, if no better motive influenced come in—mud-bespattered from head us that "hundreds of thousands of which sold at high prices, along with

panies their right to exist" and "are built upon the savings of fishermen"

January 19th, 1918.

BAY BOATS TIED UP-The steam ers Dundee and Ethie are now tied up south of the Reid Nfid. Co.'s general stores and will go on dock for their) annual overhauling as soon as cen-

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

Important Fishery Case 9 IN THE SUPREME COURT.

(Before the Chief Justice.) Gibbs vs. Hiscock.

Work of Harkins Co.

The house which greeted the Har-kins players at the Lyceum on Monday evening when they pre the outset, with one or two bits of

Grayson," made her first appearance who robbed Mr. Coaker of his "free Peal," were both splendid. With Mis piece of acting and made the conservative, rather irascible, soap magnet

land Scotch cured herring received a fortnight ago in the first shipment of gone into an immense plant at Port ket in St. John's and at packing points along either coast has been firm, and here. The market here has been and duty rather than in answer to Mr. foundland Regiment our appreciation from home.

The show of the goods to come has already attempting to injure organizations that are built upon the savings of that are only slightly below the openfishermen." So far as I am concern- ing market in most cases. Some sale ed, the Editor's allegations are a tis-ed, the Editor's allegations are a tis-been made, the goods to come on this sue of falsehoods from beginning to end. I am protesting, in the interest of the fishermen and of the Country, against "a business which has been per barrel for their stocks. Few im-

Langour and Depression of Spirits.

Uncomfortable feeling about the Stomach and Bowels after eating, Headache, Nausea, Acid, and Bitter Eructations, Irritability of Temper, the Official Organ of the Fishermen's Union, the Advocate, it was announced that the Trading Company had Tenderness and even Pain over Pit of Stomach, Chilly Sensation, Slight Feverishness, Bad Taste, Loss of "been established" as a weapon of offense against other business men. of Water Street; and further, that this whole corporate concern shall control the Government of this Colony and sway the destinies of its people.

Yours truly.

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War Menus.

Menu for Tuesday, January 22, 1918. Breakfast. Codfish Balls Tea or coffee Dinner. Meat pie

Homeless Girl in Court.

Another pathetic scene was wit- the year. nessed in the Magistrate's Court this morning when a young woman appeared before Judge Morris, charged Tea.

Macaroni and cheese
Brown bread and butter Preserve
eating will relieve you of all these symptoms.

Prescription "A" is prepared only by

DR. F. STAFFORD & SON,
St. John's. NGA. with vagrancy. On being asked by one pint of any kind of left over meat, put in a dish with one cup of bread crumbs, one teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon pepper, one teaspoon minced parsley, one onion minced fine; mix all together. Take one cup of bolling stock or hot milk, put into it 2 tablespoons butter, turn the stock or milk over it, beat all together, pour over meat in the dish. Bake in slow oven one hour.

Brown Bread:—Two cups Graham flour, one cup white flour, 2 table-spoons baking powder, ½ cup molasses, 2 cups milk, salt. Bake one hour.

TRAIN MOVEMENTS.—Yesterday's outgoing express left Gaff Topsails at 8.55 a.m. to-day. The incoming express, 2 cups milk, salt. Bake one hour.

Here and There.

WIRELESS MEN LEAVE.—Mesn Stansfield, Jeffreys and Sears, of a Mount Pearl wireless station, left yesterday's express for Halifax.

Grand Dance to-morrow night at Star Hall. Tickets—Ladies 30c.; Gent's, 50c.—jan21,1i

ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP.-Messrs. W. Angus Reid and F. Lun den have been elected members of a Board of Trade.

When you want Roast Bee Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roa Pork, try ELLIS'.

CARD TOURNAMENT—The first a series of card tournaments held during the winter by the T. ! Club will come off on Wednes

VOLUNTEERS INOCULATED. -Practically all the volunteers h been inoculated by the army doctor are suffering from sore arms.

Stafford's Liniment cure Rheumatism, Lumbago, Neur gia and all Aches and Pains.

BOWRING'S BOATS .- The Pro pero left Tilt Cove at 5 p.m. yeste day coming south. The Portia

St. Mary's early this morning and due here this afternoon.

RELEASED FROM QUARANTIN -Three houses, the inmates of white were suffering from smallpox, we

released from quarantine on day, the patients having fully reco REPAIR THE HAND RAIL-D

ttention of the Municipal Cou called to the dilapidated conditi the iron hand rail on Carter's which is a menace to public sall and should be immediately repaire

NFLD. HIGHLANDERS.—The M Highlanders will parade at hea ters this evening in full kit. The who have not kilts will parade

PUT ON BOARD.—A seaman longing to a ship in port who absent himself without the captain's author ity, was taken in by the police Sa day night and put on board his ves this morning.

FISH FROM THE WEST. stern schooners reached part terday morning with cargoes of The crafts are of very small ton and ran considerable risk in comsuch a long distance at this season

From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day ers; no vessels sighted to-day. 28.90; ther. 24.

long and tedious illness, Kathe beloved wife of Andrew Squires, daughter of the late Thomas and Bo get Power, of H. M. Customs; fun takes place from her late residen Flavin Street, at 2.30 p.m., on We

On Saturday, Jan. 19th,

To-Day's Cables.

PETROGRAD, To-day. Japan is the sincere friend of says Embassy statement, and whatever with the pr

KITCHENER'S NEPHEW WAS IN COMMAND.

LONDON, To-day orted lost in action at the entrance the Dardanelles on Sunday, was commanded by Viscount Broome, nepew of late Earl Kitchener. Nothing

EDDES WILL DISCUSS WITH REPRESENTATIVES.

LONDON, To-day l Service, having failed to have Society of Engineers and organiza ed to the Clyde, where the large engaged, in order to discuss with mated society in a statement to-day explains that from its view the military needs of business should not be ndrawn from it when others of itary age and fitness, who have enwar, remain in it. The society has the engineering business since the ning of the war being taken fo

IRST MONTH OF NEW YEAR THE MOST TRYING OF WHOLE WAR,

The first month of 1918 has been of the most trying of the who n seems to have weathered its and upon them for more men it: they insisted upon knowing were inclined to believe that ese demands have been ut with the Government fully and eely, with straight talking on both des, and the Government seems to ave carried the day. principally to Premier Lloyd rge and it strengthens his on and authority for the time being er disturbed by fusiliade of quesem out and out pacifists. ctive statement Lloyd George de was that the Government was ady to go into a peace conferenc osition to negotiate in equitable but he saw no disposition of hat kind now. There is still sharp riticism of the Government by the asses, the chief ground being the fire od problem. While apparently there the re enough supplies in the country to tain the population in comfort, complicated business of distribuhas not been successfully met. general election is expected as soon the the new register of voters can be Eight million new voters, six on of whom are women, will go the rolls under the reform bill stitute the House of Lords is now deating. The predictions are that the to t Government will be a Labor-Lib-Coalition with the Labor Party the ng the largest number of seats por any party in the House of Com-

WAR REVIEW.

ons and the strongest position in the sult

LONDON, To-Day. The Russian Constituent Assembly as short lived. It was convened on riday in Petrograd during street orning by the Bolsheviki, after a place and the bolsheviki, after a place and overnment headed by Lenine and many zky was greatly in the minority. garin delegates to the peace nference at Brest Litovsk are at factories and sevens and pourparlers end-

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