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Our Milk Supply.

Police Court cases in which the defendant is a milk vendor are not often heard in St. John's. When such does happen, and the accused is found guilty of adulteration or supplying milk below the standard required by law, it attracts attention.

One dishonest milkman covering as he does a considerable section of the city in his round is a menace not only to his customers, but to those other vendors who take every precaution in the matter of cleanliness and who pride themselves upon the purity and the quality of their milk.

We have in the city a Child Welfare Association, a band of voluntary workers, who are trying in every way to improve the physique of our infant population, to assist those who are suffering from malnutrition and by their efforts they are succeeding in reducing the death rate among children.

However much good their efforts may achieve, a plentiful supply of pure wholesome milk can do more; further, their work of years can be undermined in a short time by an impure or adulterated substitution. The dishonest milkman is in the same category as the shopkeeper who sells his customer underweight, with this difference that his action affects for the most part defenceless children.

We are paying for milk at the rate of twenty cents a quart, a price which makes it prohibitive for the poor, and considerably reduces the consumption in the families who are in better circumstances.

In view of these circumstances, we call attention to the warning issued by the presiding Judge in the Magistrate's Court yesterday, and trust that it will have a salutary effect.

Much Ado About Nothing.

The Advocate asserts that the opinions of the Evening Telegram count for nothing. Nothing therefore was the cause of its wrath and violent language on Monday. Nothing prompted it to cover half of its Editorial page yesterday. In fact it wholly disproves the theory that out of nothing, nothing comes.

Dr. Hanson's Visit to the City.

Last night at the Presbyterian Hall the first of a series of services was held in preparation for Dr. Hanson's visit. The minister took as his study "Revelation in the Bible, their nature and manifestation." Special prayer was offered for Dr. Hanson, the people of the Kirk and community. Much interest has already been manifested in Dr. Hanson's visit which will increase as the days go by. October 14th will commence the week of special services, there will be teaching services each morning of the week and the evening services will be of a more general nature. We repeat there will be nothing denominational about these meetings to which all interested are invited.

Crepe de Chine Blouses, two for the price of one at Templeton's Clearance Sale.—Sept. 27.

Serious Shooting Accident.

As a result of a gunning accident which occurred shortly after 7 a.m. to-day, Mr. Archibald Wiseman, foreman at Bartlett's Tannery, had to have his left arm amputated. As far as can be learned Mr. Wiseman left his home Hayward Avenue at 7 a.m. to go shooting in a marsh near Horwood's Bridge. Proceeding along the old railway track he attempted to get through a barbed wire fence. In doing so the trigger of his gun caught in the wire, with the result that the weapon was discharged and the shot entered his left arm above the elbow, shattering the bone in three parts. His cries for assistance were heard by several people in the neighbourhood, including Mr. Frank Bugden of the Telegram and James Wiseman, of Aldershot. The former went to the police station and reported the matter whilst the latter rendered first aid. The injured man, suffering great pain, was taken in a box cart to Dr. Macpherson's, where he received further attention. The police in the meantime arrived on the scene in a motor car and had the patient removed to hospital. His many friends in the city will regret to learn of the accident to Mr. Wiseman, following so closely on his convalescence from an operation for appendicitis. This morning the hospital reported he was doing well after the operation but he was not out of danger.

Magistrate's Court.

A Danish sailor for vagrancy was remanded for eight days.

Two school boys of tender years were tried in the Juvenile Court charged with the larceny of five pkgs. cigarettes valued at \$1.00, the property of Wm. Dawe. The youths confessed their guilt and promised they would not offend again. Sentence in this case was suspended.

Seven fishermen residing at the Battery were summoned into court at the instance of Hon. G. Grimes, Minister of Marine and Fisheries for setting Bultows within 3 miles of the fishing grounds on 21st September, contrary to the Fishery Rules and Regulations. Judge Morris contended that the fishermen who made their own laws in connection with the above regulations, should have been first warned by the Inspector of Fisheries to keep the Bultows out of the water. The date set for Bultows does not come into effect until Oct. 1st, and it is up to the fishermen to change the date if they so desire. In this case they broke their own laws but the rights of the poor class of fishermen must be protected. They were each fined \$1.00 and costs. Mr. Barron, B.L., appeared for the Marine and Fisheries, Mr. W. J. Higgins, K.C., for the defence.

Rosalind Arrives.

S.S. Rosalind, Capt. James, arrived in port at 1 p.m. after a speedy run of 42 hours from Halifax. The ship brought a full general cargo and the following passengers:—

From Halifax—Misses Dorothy Blake, Elizabeth Scott, Carrie Spangier, Louise McIntyre, Margaret Hall, May O'Mara, Minnie Knight; Messrs. Charles Kench, H. Spangie, J. Welch, C. Cole, S. Marchie, C. Dover. From New York—Misses Frances Ryan, C. Clarke, R. Fawcett, Margaret Doyle, E. McClure, Lillian Perfelt, Ruth Wenface, May Malone, Beatrice Lillie; Messrs. H. Houghteling, N. Warrell, R. Innes, and J. Malone, beside five round trippers.

Nfld. Highlanders Ladies' Association are having a Social afternoon in the Presbyterian Hall on Monday, October 1st, at 3.30 p.m. A very attractive musical programme has been arranged. Some nice work will be disposed of. Please come and bring a friend. Admission 30c. including tea.—Sept. 27, 28, 29, 30.

Bye Election Contest.

It is reported that in the coming bye elections, at least one seat will be contested by an independent candidate. As far as can be learned the Opposition party in the House of Assembly will not be placing anyone in the field.

Moir's Chocolates at the Blue Puttee. We have just received a large shipment of Moir's in great variety. Step in on your way home to-night and get a box for your wife. She'll appreciate them just as much as she did before you married her.—Sept. 27.

Personal.

Miss Margaret Doyle was a passenger by the Rosalind from New York. Mr. R. E. Innes, who has been in Canada on business for his firm returned by the Rosalind to-day.

Remember Templeton's clearance Sale. Buy your Arrow Brand Collars for 20c. each. Ties, Shirts, etc., in proportion. Sept. 27.

Board of Trade Favors Flour Mill Project.

After a debate lasting nearly one hour and a half and in which quite a number of speakers took part the Newfoundland Board of Trade at a meeting this forenoon expressed itself in favor of the proposed flour mill project. The Board of Trade in general meeting favors the project and the resolution was adopted stating that it was the general opinion of the meeting that St. John's would provide the most suitable site. The proposition was made by Capt. A. Kean and seconded by Hon. W. J. Ellis. Mr. Palmer the promoter of the flour mill was present by request and answered to the satisfaction of everyone the many questions put to him. Regarding the employment he stated that the mill would employ 90 employees in the mill with 80 to 85 coopers, and 3 to 400 men in the woods annually. The packages he said would be made from spruce fir and birch regarding the feasibility of the project he thought that was a matter for the promoters. They were asking no subsidy from the Government and will pay the usual sales tax. They, however, required that the proposition be ratified by the Government. The site he stated had not been decided upon. The plans called for a half million bushel elevator and the full plant would cost \$650,000. Port Union he said was not considered for a site nor had the Hon. W. P. Coaker anything to do with the proposal. The principal speaker at the meeting, Capt. A. Kean, replied at considerable length to all the objections raised at yesterday's meeting, quoting from the report in the Telegram of yesterday's meeting he demolished the arguments put forward by the opponents of the project. He thought it ridiculous to assume that if the duty on the flour was lost to the Government that the people would not have the money to spend otherwise. The loss to the truckmen would not be anything and they would benefit by cheaper mill flour. If the mill were located at St. John's its products would still have to be distributed in the city by the truckmen. Regarding light dues instead of a loss there would be a gain as the milling company was employing two ships to bring the wheat here. Regarding the number of men employed it was preposterous to argue that 65 men could run the mill and cut the lumber to be used in making packages, etc. As to the third grade flour which would be produced and which would have to be marketed abroad, he thought it was the only justification so far put forward for the establishment of a West India Service for with flour and feed to export, the prospect for the service looked good. Mr. J. R. Bennett took the position that the project by its far reaching effect on the country in general should be brought before the Legislature. Other speakers were Mr. G. R. Williams and Hon. Dr. Robinson. The latter expressed himself pleased with the frank manner in which Mr. Palmer answered all the questions put to him. The resolution passed was to be forwarded to the Executive Government this evening.

Fire on Rennie's Mill Road.

Shortly after 10 a.m., a still alarm brought the Central and East End Fire apparatus to the residence of Mr. E. Slanoff, M.H.A., where the roof was in a blaze. The fire, which originated by sparks from a chimney, was put out by use of the chemical engine. The roof was considerably burned but no damage was done to the interior of the building.

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Musical Marvel.

To-night at the No. 1 Citadel, Gower St., there will be a great musical treat given by Commandant and Mrs. Urquhart, who are clever musicians, and can bring music out of almost anything. Among the instruments he will play: Trombone, Clarinet, Sleigh Bells, Hand Bells, Wood Pipe, Musical Saw, Tomato Tin, Banjo, Guitar, Violin, and others.

What the Hesper News says about them: "A great musical treat was provided at the Methodist Church recently, and it is doubtful if two cleverer musicians than Commandant and Mrs. Urquhart ever appeared in Hesper. They are two stars. They played instruments of various kinds, and it seemed that they got music out of any article—ever a Saw and a Jam Tin. They gave very pleasing selections, and were obliged to respond to many encores, which were given without any hesitation."

Commandant Hard, who is leaving for Canada Saturday, will preside. This will be his last meeting. All are welcome.

A Specialist's Advice.

In matters of investment you should always seek the advice of one whose knowledge and experience qualify him to advise you. Your income from savings properly invested should be as large as is consistent with safety. I specialize in safe investments yielding from 7 per cent to 10 per cent. If you have funds invested at lower yield, it will pay you to consult me. RICHARD C. POWER, Investment Specialist, Bishop Building, St. John's.—Sept. 27.

MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR DAN. DRUFF.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

JAPAN AGAIN VISITED BY SEVERE EARTHQUAKE.

TOKIO, Sept. 27. Another severe earthquake occurred in Japan Monday in Hiroshima district. The extent of the damage is not yet determined as communications are disrupted. Floods have followed a typhoon in the Fukagada and Honja, wards of Tokio. Many have suffered as thousands of refugees were encamped in rude shacks in the wards. The storm damaged rice and other crops in many prefectures.

EXPLOSION IN OIL PLANT HAS SERIOUS RESULTS.

BAYONNE, N.J., Sept. 27. One workman was killed and several badly injured in an explosion in an oil plant of Dodge and Olcott Linsed Oil Company yesterday. Six persons all badly burned were at Bayonne hospital and officials said their recovery is extremely uncertain.

GERMANY'S FOREIGN TROUBLES ARE NOT YET OVER.

BERLIN, Sept. 27. Germany's foreign troubles are just about to commence and the time to speak of "capitalism" has not exactly arrived for the fate of Ruhr is intimately interlocked with the impending resumption of the reparations problem. This is the gist of a candid statement by a Government leader to a private audience of Berlin editors who were frankly told that the Government contemplated the immediate resumption of the reparations problem and that it is not deluding itself into the belief that daylight and future with profound scepticism it not freedom await Germany now that she has relinquished passive resistance. Our troubles are only beginning, he continued, and we have yet to learn of the attitude towards our abandonment of passive resistance and whether the occupying Powers are really desirous of co-operating with us in the complex task of restoring order.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS IN GERMANY FIXED BY PRESIDENTIAL DECREE.

BERLIN, Sept. 27. A Presidential decree has been issued curtailing the number of constitutional rights in Germany and conferring executive power in the Minister of Defence. Among the rights restored are the freedom of the press and right of meeting.

REVOLUTION IN BULGARIA OVER.

SOFIA, Sept. 27. A semi-official statement says that the revolutionary movement in Bulgaria may be considered as approaching the end. The statement adds that the leaders are surrendering in parties saying they were involved in the movement.

130 KILLED BY EARTHQUAKE.

TEHRAN, Sept. 27. One hundred and twenty persons were killed in an earthquake at Khorasan yesterday, according to a despatch.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK ON ADRIATIC COAST.

ROME, Sept. 27. A slight earthquake shock was felt in Delmista yesterday.

Coastal Boats.

GOVERNMENT.
Argyle arrived at Argentia at 9.30 p.m. yesterday.
Clyde arrived at Lewisporte at 1.15 a.m. yesterday.
Glencoe left Grand Bank at 1.15 a.m. to-day.
Home left Flower's Cove at 2 p.m. yesterday, outward.
Kyle left Port aux Basques at 9.45 p.m. yesterday.
Meigle, no report since Monday.
Sagana at St. John's.
Malakoff arrived at Port Union at 5.10 p.m. yesterday.
Prospero left Nipper's Hr. at 9.30 a.m. to-day, coming South.
Watchful was at Catalina yesterday.

Majic Dye Flakes clean and dye. For Blouses, Curtains, Children's wearables, Sweaters of Silk, Cotton or Wool. Easy to use. Clearing at 3 for 25c. Templeton's Sale.—Sept. 27, 28.

Susu Sails.

S.S. Susu, Capt. Roberts, sailed North at 10 a.m., taking a full freight besides the following passengers:—Messdames Brett, E. P. Parsons, E. Hann; Misses J. Young, M. Ralph, G. Head; Messrs. M. Brett, G. W. Snow, E. P. Parsons, P. Coleridge and Snow Oakley.

PET MILK.

TORONTO, Noon.—Moderate W. and S. W. winds, fine and moderately warm to-day and on Friday.
ROPER & THOMPSON'S, To-Day.—Bar. 30.18, ther. 54.

M. G. Band Concert, Bannerman Park, 8.15 to-night. Last concert this season.

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MARRIED.

At Boston, on Sept. 22nd, Miss May Pike, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pike, to Mr. Allan Moore, both of this city.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away, at 12 o'clock (noon) to-day, at General Hospital, John Hoskins, Mason and Contractor, aged 57 years. Funeral notice later.

NOTICE!

TO THE PUBLIC OF NEWFOUNDLAND!

Kindly take notice that the Store, No. 290 Water Street, formerly occupied by Simon Levitz, has been purchased with Stock and Fixtures by D. WILANSKY, and will be reopened for business on

Saturday, Sept. 29th, or Monday, Oct. 1st, showing a Big Assortment of the Newest Fall Goods; also please notice that the present owner will in no way be responsible for any debts contracted by the former owner, S. Levitz.

(Sgd.) D. WILANSKY.

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