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## Making Ready For Fishing

(Daily Mail, May 14)

Now that the elections are over, preparations for the fishery have started in the outposts and schools are being made ready to come to St. John's to take their fishing supplies, according to the Trade Review, which discusses the situation editorially.

In Trinity Bay and Bonavista Bay, most of the schooners this week are taking on board cargoes of lumber for St. John's market, including coopers stock, house framing and fire wood. The first of the fleet from Trinity Bay will be along next week and the Bonavista Bay schooners a few days later.

The number of Notre Dame Bay schooners that come for fishery outfit is very few, as the owners deal with the local merchants of that Bay and get their salt and their fishery requirements on the spot at Twillingate, Fogo, Change Islands, Herring Neck and Little Bay Islands. This saves them ten days to two weeks in time and enables them to get away to the Straits and the French Shore for an early trip. They were thirty-seven schooners that were laid up in St. John's all the winter and most of these were taken in charge by the sealers after their return from the fishery and taken home with fishery supplies.

The only thing that will interfere with an early start at the fishery is the coming of ice on the coast. There was some in Notre Dame Bay this week but it is slack and in strings and unless a succession of N.E. and E. winds prevail it will not stop navigation.

### OPENING PRICE GOOD

The lobster fishery this year, Mr. Templeton says, opens with good prospects. The price in the local market is not yet fixed, but he believed it would be around \$25.00 per case.

The fishery was to have begun in Placentia Bay, April 26th, but ice prevented early operations. No report has yet been received from any of the packers, but he believes they have been doing good work since the 4th of May as the weather was suitable and the ice has moved off.

A Canadian Company is starting to pack salmon on the Labrador the coming summer and instead of sending out the summer's catch pickled in tins as heretofore, they will now pack nearly all their catch in tins and by this change they estimate to make an additional \$50,000 on their summer's catch of salmon. The small experiment the company made in this direction last year justified them in arriving at this conclusion.

Dr. Edgar Jones, of Newark, N. J., paid a visit to Halifax recently and preached in Trinity church.

Fresh salmon and herring were plentiful in this section this week. The price of salmon started at 20c a lb.; herring 12c a dozen. Salmon was sold later in the week at 12c lb.

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## MORE SUBSCRIBERS WANTED

We were hoping to issue The Guardian on time (Saturday morning) this week, but an accident occurred to our typesetting machine, which caused considerable delay. We hope our readers will be indulgent until we get our machine in proper working order. Meanwhile we are looking for more subscribers so that we may be in a position to carry out our original intention to make the Guardian a worth while weekly newspaper. We need a great deal more support than we are now getting in order that we may be able to accomplish our purpose. The value of a local newspaper cannot be estimated, and it is to the people, every family, we are looking for support. Two cents a week or \$1.00 per year will bring the weekly visitor to your home. It may contain an item of news about employment or some other matter which may be worth hundreds and probably thousands of dollars to you.

A number of men and women left by Tuesday's and Thursday's express en route to Canada and the United States.

## NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS

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lot of Children's Summer Vests, slightly soiled, high class goods, selling cheap.

**A. A. KEEFE, Coley's Pt.**

## News in Brief

On Thursday evening, May 10th, a Sacred Concert was held in the Methodist School at French's Cove. A very enjoyable programme was given by the members of the Sunday School after which tea was served. The proceeds of the evening will be devoted to the purchasing of a new Library.

Mr. M. J. Kean, of St. John's, representing some well known lines of groceries and confectionery, was in Bay Roberts this week soliciting business. Mr. Kean, who was connected with the leading St. John's newspapers for some time, paid a visit to our office, and expressed his pleasure when he witnessed our up-to-date printing plant.

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## Personals

Mr. B. Parkins of St. John's, spent a few days here and was the guest of Dr. T. C. McLeod.

Mrs. James Dawson and children, of Halifax, N.S., arrived here recently to spend the summer months.

Messrs. A. M. Calpin, John C. Snow and Jas. G. Baggs left by Friday morning's train for St. John's.

Miss Florence Mercer, who paid a visit to St. John's recently returned by Saturday night's train.

Mr. Fred Homer, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, who has been spending his holidays at Carbonar, returned on Wednesday.

Mr. H. Bowden, representing the Bowden Confectionery Co., was in town on Friday on business for his firm.

Miss Isabel Stevenson, of Hr. Grace, who was training as a nurse in Montreal passed away recently. Typhoid fever was the cause of her death.

Messrs. A. George and Geo. Butt, who went to St. John's by Tuesday morning's train returned home on Saturday night.

Mrs. Wilfred Whiteway, of St. John's, who spent a few days here, returned by Friday morning's train.

Mr. Bert Long, of Carbonar, and W. Bindon, of St. John's, spent Sunday with friends here.

Rev. Fr. Casey, of Fortune Harbor, arrived at Hr. Grace on Saturday on a two weeks' visit and came to Bay Roberts on Thursday morning to visit some friends.

Mr. McGrath representing A. T. Wood's Candy Co., St. John's, was in town recently and reports business good in sections visited.

Mr. Edward E. Ulph, of the Western Union Cable staff here, left by Thursday morning's train en route to England, where he will spend three months' holidays.

Messrs. Payne and Jones, of Heart's Content, have been recently transferred, and are now working in the Western Union Office here.

Mr. Frank Powell, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, left here by Thursday's morning's train for Bonne Bay, where he will take up duties in the bank there. Since coming here some years ago Mr. Powell has been very popular and his many friends hope that it will not be long when he will be back again.

Messrs. W. T. and E. Bowering have completed a number of boats for the Hudson Bay Co. for shipment to the Company's stations in the far north. They are also building a number of houses, to be taken down later on and shipped in sections. This firm is also constructing the splendid Meth Church at Grand Falls. Rev. S. Bennett formerly of Bay Roberts, is in pastor there and with Mrs. Bennett is working very hard to raise the funds necessary for its completion.

## Farmers, Attention

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JOS. M. CURRAY,  
Gabo. May 18, 31

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## News in Brief

Thirty stone masons are wanted immediately to proceed to Bermuda. Three to four months employment is guaranteed.

The Bay Roberts Road Board should get busy and rebuild the public wharf opposite Cable Hall. The money has been in the Board's hands we learn, since last fall, and the timber for the wharf has arrived. Now is the time to make a start. Attention should also be paid to the public wharf in the West end, near A. E. Mercer's.

Capt Anonsen, late of the Hr. Grace Shipbuilding Co., intends operating two whaling plants the coming season. One of the stations will be at Hawke's Hr. and the other at Beaverton. Mr. Geo. Webber, of Hr. Grace, prominent in football circles, has accepted a position as book-keeper with him.

It is time the various road boards of this section got down to business and repaired the roads and bridges now requiring attention. Every year it so happens that several months of the driving season elapses before any thing is done to the roads. The result is that wheels, springs and other parts of carriages, carts and automobiles are damaged or broken causing annoyance and expense to the owners. Come, gentlemen, make the roads in and about Bay Roberts as good as the best.

## Notice to Mariners Green Island, Catalina

### Alteration in Character of Light

Lat. 48 30 15 N.  
Lon. 53. 02 20 W.

Notice is hereby given that the 4th Order White Light now exhibited at Green Island, Catalina, will be changed to a Group Flashing White Light giving a Triple Flash every 15 seconds.

This change will go into effect about the 15th June 1923.

### W. W. HALFYARD,

Minister of Marine and Fisheries  
Dept. of Marine and Fisheries  
St. John's, N. W. 12th Mo. 1923.

## NEW ARRIVALS

Fines: Poplins in Black, Navy and Brown at \$1.45 per yd.  
Tweeds \$1.25 per yd.

The following Pound goods: Tweeds, Cotton Tweeds, Denims, Scrim, Sheetings, Flannelettes, Sateens. All at lowest cash prices.

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|-------------|------------------|----------------|-------------------|
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| Rope Mats   | \$2.85           | Canvas Mats    | \$1.20            |

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|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|-------------------|
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