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has just received the following from the well known firm of

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GROUND MEAT in 100 lb. bags, and on retail at 7c. lb.

CRYSTAL GRIT in 100 lb. bags, 10 lbs. for 27c.

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We have also a large shipment of

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450 sacks **PURINA SCRATCH FOOD**.

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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor
H. A. WINTER, B.A., - - - Editor

WEDNESDAY, September 5, 1917.

Separation Allowances.

There will be general satisfaction in the decision of the Government to treat the Newfoundland Regiment as all other Colonial soldiers are treated, and to grant, at long last, to the families of married soldiers a separation allowance. The allowances will be paid from September 1st last, will be made, of course, to the families of all married soldiers, whether on active service or new recruits, and will be of the amount of twenty dollars a month. It is a needed innovation and comes not more than three years later than it should have come. It will have a doubly beneficial effect. It will both be an act of justice to those whom it benefits, doing away with the wretched system of doling out monetary assistance from the Patriotic Fund to those who have been able to swallow their pride and ask for it, and substituting instead a regular payment as a matter of right; and it should have the effect of giving a much needed stimulus to recruiting. There are hundreds of young married men in the country who are not wanting in patriotism, but are rather placed by it in a most difficult position, being asked to make a cruel choice between country and family, between duty and affection. They are not to be blamed for questioning their duty to offer their lives for a country that will not even relieve them of anxiety for those they hold dear. This great wrong is now redressed and there is no need to dwell further on it. We trust we shall see the effect at once in the recruiting returns. The allowance will also be made automatically to the Foresters, since the Imperial Government has agreed to pay them on the same scale as the Regiment; but the whole expense in that regard will be borne by the British Treasury. It is necessary, however, to state that a married man will be accepted as a Forester who is eligible for service as a soldier. Finally, though it ought not to be any consideration on the other side however great it may be, the expense of the allowances to the country will not be great. As the News points out, 500 married men in the ranks would mean a total cost in that respect of \$120,000 annually. As a good part of that amount would be paid ordinarily under the old system of relief, the net additional cost to the country will be quite moderate.

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1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

HEADQUARTERS.
St. John's, Sept. 4, 1917.

Regimental Order.

By Colonel Sir W. E. Davidson, K.C., M.G., Commanding Officer.

Promotion:

To be Second Lieutenants from May 29/17:

926, Sergt. J. R. Steele,

406, C.S.M. R. Kershaw,

1295, Corporal J. LeMee.

Act of Courage:

The following letter from Lt. Col. Commanding 22nd General Hospital is published for information—

"I beg to bring to your notice, a noble act on the part of 2534, Pte. Gillespie, First Newfoundland Regiment, a patient in this Hospital, who voluntarily gave 450 cubic centimetres of his blood for transfusion to another patient (Lt. Col. Goddard, 5780, Queen's). The transfusion took place on the 26th June, and was entirely successful."

J. J. O'GRADY,

Captain and Adjt.

His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint F. J. Morris, Esq., K.C., J.P., to be Judge of the Central District Court, in place of A. W. Knight, Esq., J.P., deceased; C. H. Hutchings, Esq., K.C., J.P., to be Inspector General of Constabulary, in place of John Sullivan, Esq., J.P., retired; Sydney D. Blandford, Esq., to be Sheriff, in place of James Carter, Esq., retired; Patrick J. Summers, Esq., to be Deputy Minister of Justice, in place of C. H. Hutchings, Esq., K.C., J.P., transferred; Mr. S. R. Jeans, to be Pilot Commissioner for Lewisporte, in place of Mr. H. T. Moore, left the settlement; Mr. Joseph Whiffen, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Bonavista, in place of Mr. James Harris, retired; Mr. R. Stratford Olford, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Musgraveville, in place of Mr. Duncan Olford, retired; Mr. Alexander Geange, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Glovertown, in place of Mr. Edgar Howse, retired; Mr. Abel LeDrew, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Change Islands, in place of Mr. Archibald Elliott, retired; also Mr. Levi Loder, to be an additional member of the same Board; Mr. Merrill Tibbo, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Grand Bank, in place of Mr. George Tibbo, retired; Rev. William T. Eddy, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Bell Island, in place of the Rev. William Swann, left the District. Department of the Colonial Secretary, September 4th, 1917.

H.C. of L. Commission.

Sixth Report Dealing With Tinned Goods, Kero. Oil, Clothing and Footwear.

Sir,—The undersigned, the Commissioners appointed to investigate the high cost of living, beg respectfully to present their sixth and closing report, dealing with tinned foods, kerosene oil, etc., as follows:

TINNED GOODS.

With respect to the last class of what may be called staple foodstuffs, that is to say, tinned meats and such like, we find that, contrary to common belief, the prices of these goods in stock have not been unduly advanced from time to time, but that, in the main, the rates charged have been the normal ones proper for the successive shipments of these goods, advances not being made except such as warranted by the increasing prices of the goods actually purchased abroad.

This is true also of tinned fruit, and similar articles which are also imported extensively. As a matter of fact, the prices of all these articles have advanced several times since the war began, and are now very considerably higher than three years ago. Dealers in the Colony have, as these advances have occurred, had to pay the increased rate, and then have naturally had to advance their price in order to secure their fair profit.

KEROSENE OIL.

We find that the prices charged for kerosene oil in this Colony to-day, owing to competition between the two large Companies which handle most of this article, are much less than would otherwise be possible, and that the public can have no cause for complaint in regard to what they are at present paying for this commodity.

CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR.

With regard to clothing and footwear, we would explain that, as the Government, before we were able to reach this stage in our inquiries, decided to appoint a Food Control Board, we felt that it would be preferable to leave that phase of the subject to the proposed Board, as inquiries into these articles are embraced within its authority.

In the course of the present enquiry, fifty-four witnesses have been examined in relation to the various subjects we have dealt with, and we cheerfully testify to the readiness with which all of these gentlemen responded to our request for information, and to the frankness with which they supplied the same. Signed copies of the evidence given by these witnesses have been secured and we respectfully suggest that the same be forwarded to the proposed Food Control Board, for use in the conduct of its work. The Commission appointing us is returned herewith.

We have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servants,

P. T. McGRATH,

H. W. LEMESSURIER,

C. H. HUTCHINGS,

W. J. ELLIS,

T. A. HALL,

Fishery Returns by Districts.

Appended are the returns of the codfishery as compiled by the Board of Trade, up to August 25th. Bay de Verde, where the catch is said to be one of the highest on record, is not reported in figures:—

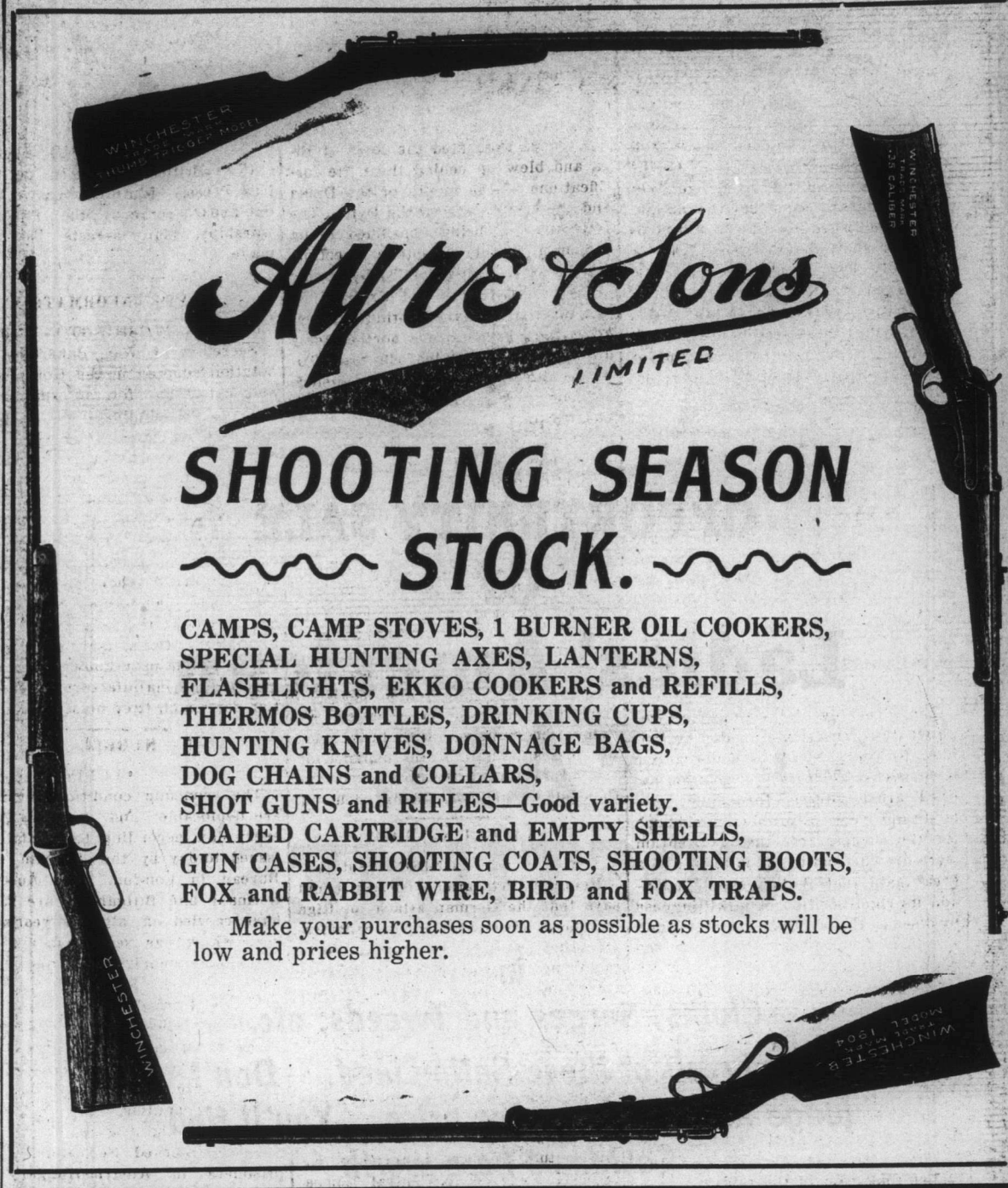
District	1917	1916
Ferryland	27,995	19,830
Placentia and St. Mary's	58,625	36,895
Burin	177,730	114,415
Fortune Bay	95,540	49,895
Burgeo & LaPole	40,580	40,705
St. George's	12,940	7,130
Trinity	39,000	20,275
Twillingate	23,240	8,770
Bonavista	71,845	26,400
Fogo	25,850	6,630
Trinity	17,730	27,410
Carbon	1,120	1,510
Hr. Grace	3,335	4,430
Port de Grave	800	2,810
Hr. Main	300	1,520
Straits	31,120	15,900
	627,800	392,525

Victims of Train Wreck

NOW IN HOSPITAL.

Engineer W. Stone and Fireman Maidment, victims of yesterday morning's train wreck on the Bonavista branch railway, reached the city by special train at 2 a.m. to-day. The injured men were accompanied by Dr. Chisholm and on arrival were removed to the General Hospital, where everything possible is being done to ease their pain. Stone's injuries are mostly confined to his face and hands, while Maidment, who at the time had little clothing on, is badly scalded on his body, neck, face and hands. Both men are suffering from shock but are doing as well as could be expected.

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CAMPS, CAMP STOVES, 1 BURNER OIL COOKERS, SPECIAL HUNTING AXES, LANTERNS, FLASHLIGHTS, EKKO COOKERS and REFILLS, THERMOS BOTTLES, DRINKING CUPS, HUNTING KNIVES, DONNAGE BAGS, DOG CHAINS and COLLARS, SHOT GUNS and RIFLES—Good variety. LOADED CARTRIDGE and EMPTY SHELLS, GUN CASES, SHOOTING COATS, SHOOTING BOOTS, FOX and RABBIT WIRE, BIRD and FOX TRAPS.

Make your purchases soon as possible as stocks will be low and prices higher.

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"Every little bit added to what you got just makes a little bit more."

You'll Save a Little Bit More

by getting your COAL now while cargo is being landed from the Schooner.

MY PRICE for COAL IS LOWER.

COLIN CAMPBELL.

Your Boys and Girls.

Just now mothers all over the land have the school lunch box problem to solve each day. The child naturally craves sweets and they should be given in moderate amounts, as they are necessary to furnish fuel. Sweets should be given at the close of the meal so that they may not clog the taste for the substantial things.

Eggs cooked hard and well seasoned make a most satisfactory sandwich filling. The sandwich is an important factor and should have first place in the lunch box. Bottles now may be bought at a small price which will hold a hot drink of soup, cocoa, milk, these being drinks best for a child. A handful of nuts and raisins or a few figs or dates will add to the enjoyment of a lunch as well as to its nutritive value.

Fresh fruit, an apple or an orange, a cake of sweet chocolate or a few pieces of good candy make a well enjoyed finish to a meal.

Galvanized and Black Sheet Iron to be had at BOWRING BROS., Ltd., Hardware Dept. may 25, 1917.

A box of skinned sardines, broken and mixed with a can of shrimps and served on a bed of shredded heart leaves of lettuce, with French dressing, to which has been added a tablespoonful of onion juice, make a delicious salad.

In broiling steak or chops the fire sometimes dies down too quickly. When this happens sprinkle a little granulated sugar over the coals. This intensifies the heat and the smoke from the sugar imparts a delicious flavor to the meat.

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PAINTS and ROOFINGS

Guaranteed the best obtainable

GEO. M. BARR, Agt.

Prospero Off.

The s.s. Prospero, Capt. A. Keen, sailed to-day for northern ports, taking a full freight and these passengers in saloon: Pte. Randell; Messrs. T. E. Wells, W. Livingstone, J. Peyton, J. Dewling, D. Clatney, J. Winsor, F. Lewis, J. Long, N. Hiscock, G. Head, J. Davis, W. Rowsell, J. Vincent, Rev. Fr. O'Dwyer, A. Michael, D. A. Ryan, C. Norris, Rev. Barrett, H. Tessier; Misses Bond, Redmond, Miller (2), Curtis, Clarke, Gullage, Coole, Seely, Parsons, Thistle, Young, Cheratte, Barter, Brown, Scott, McNell, Flynn, Field, Parsons; Mesdames Bond, Yetman, Parsons, Clarke (2), Hayward, Stone, Hull, Hall, Ryan, Sexton, Hann, Young, Belbin, Field, Vincent, Clarke, Whitehorn and 50 in steerage.

In Memoriam.

JAMES CARROLL.

Within the past month the Reaper whose name is Death has been busy in carrying to the Great Beyond some of our best citizens. This is particularly true of James Carroll, who up to a year ago had been Treasurer of the Star of the Sea Association for a number of years as well as one of the founders and Vice-Presidents thereof. The subject of this note was born at Holyrood in 1860, and died there on the 30th of August, 1917, aged 57 years. In early life he pursued the avocation of fisherman-farmer. Later he emigrated to the U. S. A. where he engaged at carpentering on State work in the city of Boston. In later years he returned to Newfoundland and entered on a career of mercantile business which he pursued with great activity and success almost to the day of his death, building up quite a large trade and leaving a going concern to be developed still further by his two active and energetic sons. Mr. Carroll took a prominent part in the public life of our town, and was always the leading spirit and central figure in societies, clubs, schools and church organizations. Up to January last he possessed good health, but alarming symptoms compelled him then to seek treatment in the hospital, and he returned incurable from that institution. He had also the treatment of some of the best medical skill of the city; but all efforts proved fruitless to arrest the progress of the fatal malady. Rev. W. P. Finn was in constant attendance on the sick man, and fortunately happened along at the moment when the angel of death was hovering over the bed, and administered the last Sacraments. The funeral appointments were in charge of Undertaker Dunphy who had the remains enclosed in a handsome polished oak casket. The funeral took place on Saturday morning from his late home to Holy Cross Church where High Mass of Requiem for the repose of his soul was sung by Rev. W. P. Finn. The Star of the Sea Association, of which he was one of the founders, attended in processional order, and together with a number of other citizens made up a large procession. When the last solemn and sad rites of the burial service were pronounced, the funeral procession reformed and proceeded on its way to the south side cemetery where under the shadow of the cross the body of a good man, a respected citizen, and an honored brother member was laid to rest, the deep yawning grave surrounded by grief stricken sons and daughter and sympathizing friends. To the bereaved widow, sons and daughter we offer our heartfelt sympathy and pray that Almighty God have mercy on the soul of their dear departed friend.—R. I. P.

"To an Unknown Canadian"

The Times: But what most engaged the King's attention were the scattered graves with which Vimy Ridge is dotted. Wherever a cross marked the resting-place of one of his soldiers the King always went to inspect it. Before one grave, "To an Unknown Canadian," especially, he stood for a while, a grave well tended and with cornflowers rising to wreath the broken trench helmet with which the cross was surmounted. "It is hard that any one of these brave fellows should be unknown," he said; "the world ought to know every one of them." More than once he expressed his appreciation of the careful and reverent way in which our dead are buried, and in which all possible data are collected and preserved.

Here and There.

MORE SALVED GOODS.—The wrecking tug Amphitrite having on board a cargo of salvaged goods from the ill-fated Kristianstad reached port yesterday.

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