

Evening Telegram

Proprietors.

The Mystery

given rise to much speculation thus ensuing caused the migra- fore finger on the trigger. The Cap- he had examined four or five of the waters by this fish which once were in these places for centur- and that a revolver was brandished, schooled in millions in the bays ies and centuries and all at once he went to his room and found that by Mr. Winter how he found the fish play to shoot a seine and make she can. a haul of a thousand barrels, and thus for days there would be employment for all in the curing and stowing away of these valuable and deliciously edible the Advocate for his good heartedfish Discussing Science and pedrida of Mr. Coaker, re the buying Herring fisheries, a recent issue and export of fish, as handed out to of the London Times advanced the "greatest ever" at Port Union last

quented for centuries. In the fif- culemteenth century the Baltic herring at Scania—the foundation of the wealth and naval power of the Battle of Falkland Hanseatic League-suddenly failed. A century later the Bohusian fishery in Sweden failed, and the enty years. From 1871 to 1873, and again early in this century, the shoals deserted Loch Fyne, and in 1890 and several successive years the winter shoals deserted the Hay of Fundy. The gunfire of the Battle of Copenhagen, was thought to tic In 1835 the decision of a Protestant-Irish rector to take tithe of the fishing was alleged to have renelled the fish from the coast of Catholic Ireland: in these modern days the Shetlanders have a theory that whaling stations drive off the herrings. But the problem is too problem for science to solve if she

the United Kingdom, it is none by Miss Ray Hampton and Mr. the less so in Newfoundland. It S. Tucker. Every member is ex- DUE FROM LAPLAND ON can be certain that neither gun pected to attend. Visitors cordially welcome.—dec9,11 fire, nor the decision of any rector had the effect of causing the Distinguished Preacher one time enormous schools of herring to forsake Labrador. and Placentia and Fortune Bays. Nor yet was it the hunting of Pennsylvania, U.S.A., has consented to whales by steamers, that drove preach at Wesley Church to-morrow off the herring from the coast night. The Doctor has preached here of Labrador, for these fish had on a previous visit when on vacation departed long before the whal- and is a very able speaker. Born at ing industry, pursued by steamers specially built in Norway, lander has acquired a high reputation had been introduced in New- as a writer on theological questions, foundland. Nor did these affect and filled the best pulpits of city Placentia and Fortune Bays.. From the year 1885, when the last great, herring voyage was killed on Labrador to the present time there has been a dearth of these fish. For two years fol frozen herring at Wood's Island for lowing 1885 they began to for Boston. sake the waters by degrees, une Schr. Geo. M. Cook, 4 days from til to day there is no such thing North Sydney, arrived yesterday with as a Labrador herring fishery Schr. LeBerge, 6 days from Sylney comparable to those preceding via Trepassey, and bout I to Twillinthat date. Who can account for sate with coal for Hodge Bros., harthis failure of the herring to re- boured here yesterday. turn? Who can account for a.m. yesterday, and she leaves for their leaving waters which were Halifax and this port at 2 p.m. to-without a particle of bed clothing covering their persons. Upon this turies their favorite spawning S.S. Manoa leaves this afternoon ground? It is now roughly about on a special trip to Charlettetown, twenty-five years since the great herring fisheries of Placentia and Fortune Bays failed, The Regular Monthly Meeting when the fish forsook these of the St. John Mechanics So waters also. Some attribute the ciety will be held in their Hall on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock

and neglect which prevailed, due to the pollution of the breeding grounds by the wholesale throwing of offal and fish that were spoiled by bad weather. That may have been, but some other and greater cause must be Allan Deale, the Chief Steward, befound. On Labrador there was longing to Boston, Mass., stood char- a.m. Mr. H. A. Winter for the plaintiff little if any pollution of the her- ged with threatening to do grievious called Mr. John Snelgrove a Governwere taken from the seine as herring were taken away in consequences would follow. The ac- dred drums packed. He saw a num-Saturday, December 9, 1922. bulk, frozen, and but few were cused then placed his hand in his ber of bulks of fish containing bebarrelled. The fish were exposed right hip pocket and drew out a re- tween them two or three thousand to the weather on scaffolds, but volver, but before he had time to quintals, Brazil fish. He inspected

Thanks!

Our sincere thanks to the editor of ness in republishing the verbal olla month. Mr. Coaker's loquacity is proverbial and the reproduction of his "The recent disastrous failure of ideas in cold type is no more clear the herring fishery is attributed to than his delivered word. The kindan alleged change in the currents ness of our journalistic brother is of the North Sea. There are many only exceeded by his gargantuan instances of a sudden desertion of physical proportions. Mentally-well, waters which herrings have fre- that's another matter. Ex pede Her-

land Islands at the outhreak of the stand that they must in future go

To celebrate the anniversary his Ex fine. had the honor of being invited.

George Street Adult Bible Class will open at 2.45 p.m. to-If the question is complex in morrow. Solos will be rendered

at Wesley Church.

Methodist churches in the United Stone's Cove, Fortune Bay states that States.

Shipping.

Schr. Lavender is loading a cargo

calling at Sydney en route

Mechanics Society Meeting

Magistrate's Court.

STEWARD OF SENECA FINED \$50. The disturbance which occurred on coard S.S. Seneca yesterday afternoon was aired before court this morning. point the weapon, the cook, who is a few of the drums that had been and had never caused any trouble. The defendant had no question to ask the plaintiff and witnesses, but upon being placed in the box himself stated know. He remembered that Mr. that the cook on several occasions Coaker came into the store on Satthreatened to beat him. He admitted urday and said that the fish was good, having the revolver, loaded, in his to which he replied "yes, it is compossession, but did not intend to car- ing very good now." Mr. Coaker then ry out any threats, as when he pulled left, but returned in an hour and orthe pistol from his pocket, he intended to lay it on the table near by, when On Monday they began preparing a his man closed with him. Asked why cargo for the President Coaker, and he had the sheath knife on his per- on Tuesday he received a telegram son, he stated that he had used it from St. John's from the Minister of sometimes previously in cutting twine | Marine and Fisheries to return to the off a shipme of supplies, which was city. He accordingly came to St. placed on board, and unmindful of John's and reported himself. He was

CROSS EXAMINATION.

anything, put it in his hip pocket. The not told any reason why he was

Judge on summing up said that the knocked off.

accused was very fortunate in not

Santa Claus

THURSDAY, Dec. 14th.

Xmas Fair. He hopes that all the

children in town will make an

effort to be present, so that he

may renew acquaintanceship.

MAN DROWNED IN POND.

A message to the Assistant Collec-

tor of Custom's from F. R. Dinham,

John Hatch of that place was drown-

ed there yesterday morning in a pond.

The body was later recovered. No

particulars as to the cause have been

received. The message states that de-

Police Issue Warning.

Last night District Inspector Nose

worthy, accompanied by Sergeant Nugent, visited the hut used by the

Walsh family. The five little child-ren, three girls and two boys, ages

being made known to police head-quarters. Walsh was notified that if

his children were not properly sheltered and comfortably looked after

by Monday next he would be confined

to the Penitentiary, while the authori-ties would become interested and care for the children.

A Shooting Gallery will be mong the attractions at the

for the children.

a wife and a large family.

dered the men to knock of packing.

being charged with manslaughter or The witness was cross examined at being charged with manslaughter or wilful murder. The act was no doubt premeditated, but luckily for him the some length by Mr. Mews for the defence, and in answer to various questions and manslaughter or the witness was cross examined at some length by Mr. Mews for the defence, and in answer to various questions.

The witness was cross examined at some length by Mr. Mews for the defence, and in answer to various questions. GOVERNOR FELICITATES ADMIRrevolver did not go off, although the tions said he could not remember the fore-finger of his hand was resting date of the message ordering him to Road, a son. We have been led to understand that on the trigger. A fine of \$50 or 30 knock off. He remembered that the Road, a son.

On December 8th, a daughter to it has been the practice of His Exceldays was imposed. The Judge gave lency, who was Governor of the Falk-the plaintiff and defendant to under-ready for sea, when he arrived at Landsdowne Avenue, Toronto. Great War in 1914, to send, since the about their work with no iil-feelings the fish in the drums that were not above action, a cable to Vice-Admiral against each other; and any orders put under the press, nor did he have Sir Doveton Sturdee, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., given in future by the Chief Steward any mark to put on the fish he in- Street, on December 4th, by the Rev. conveying his felicitations on the an- to the cook must be carried out. The spected. It was stored in a separate J. niversary (8th December) of the bat- captain was asked to see that the bulk. During the first night he was tle, and in accordance with this cus- principal involved in this occurrence at Port Union they packed about 200 tom a message was despatched on the would behave properly on board ship drums, and out of this he threw out in the future. The captain paid the between 15 and 20 quintals of sunburnt and damp and the cullers threw cellency gave a small dinner party at A 74 year old resident of Broad out the balance to a total of 50 qtls. Government House to which the Chief Cove, without a home, was taken in The fish, he said, was too bad for his Justice and Lady Horwood and the for safe keeping last night. He was liking, and he instructed the cullers Acting Prime Minister and Mrs. Shea remanded until such time as arrange- as to the quality of fish to throw out. ments can be made to send him to the Questioned by Mr. Mews as to anybody saying to him that he was throwing out a lot of fish, the witness replied "Yes. One man, I think his name was Hicks, said that he (witness) was stricter than any of the other inspectors. Mr. Coaker did not say so, but said on Saturday that the fish was only) intimation. good." The rest of the cross examin-Word has been received from ation was in reference to the witness-Santa Claus that he will arrive in St. John's on Thursday next and the qualities suitable for the dif- neral notice later. and will be present at The Kirk

ferent markets. Mr. D. White of Port Union was recalled and gave evidence as to the quantity of fish thrown out at. Port Union during the time in question. No further witnesses were called and Mr. Mews began his argument at 12.30, Tragedy at Stone's Cove but had not finished up to recess hour.

Shipping.

Schr. General Ironsides with 3,630 qtls. shore and 1,000 qtls Labrador fish has cleared from Change Islands for Oporto.

Schr. E. D. Bailey has entered a Carbonear to load shore fish for Gibraltar for orders by W. & J. ceased was married, and is survived by Moores. Schr. General Allenby has sailed

from Marystown for Oporto with 4,556 qtls. codfish shipped by Marystown Trading Co. Schr. Carl S. has arrived at Gaultois from North Sydney with 500 barrels

flour and 41 tons coal. S.S. Ilford sailed to-day for Rotterdam with 6.700 tons iron ore from Bell Island and the S.S. Wascana sailed for Sydney with 5,560 tons. S.S. Silvia leaves New York to-day at 2 p.m., for Halifax and this port.

S.S. Mapledawn is due in port this

afternoon with a general cargo. S.S. Sable I. arrived at St. Pierre at 9 p.m. yesterday.

Santa Claus left Toronto on Thursday afternoon and will arrive in Newirk Christmas Fair .- dec9,21,s,tu Tuesday afternoon at 4.30.

Newfoundlander

(Before Mr. Justice Kent.) (Continued from yesterday.)

Supreme Court.

Trading Co. On resumption of the hearing at 11 Special to Evening Telegram ring habitat, because the fish bodfly harm to Albert Palice, the ment Inspector under the Fish Re-years, of 3846 East 4th Street, Decook, a colored man, by attempting to gulations. The witness, after being froit, mechanical foreman in the emuse a loaded revolver and cooking sworn, stated that he had been a la- ploy of the Henry Ford Motor Comfast as they could be handled, knife on him. The Plaintiff in his borer and sworn fish culter for the pany, River Rouge Plant, was instantand if the seine owner, found evidence stated that the steward vis- past 17 years and worked principally by killed yesterday afternoon, after that he had hauled more than ited him in the galley and ordered at Job's premises. In the fall of 1920 being struck by a heavy crane. He he could put away, the order him to carry out some duties in conwent forth for all who could to nection with his work, which he (the Power of Baird's to proceed to the children, also his mother, Mrs. Anawent forth for all who could to cook) refused to do. The steward become and clear away the take. came angry and after a few words calling there Mr. Badcock ordered foundland. John, the brother of the In thus acting few fish were left had been exchanged between the two, him on to Port Union. He left St. deceased, was there when the accident to decompose on the bottom. In the Chief left the quarters. A few min- John's on Tuesday and on Wednes- occurred. The remains are to be for-The Evening Telegram, Ltd., the bays mentioned during the utes had elapsed when he made a secwinter season, many cargoes of were not done as ordered, serious they had between six and seven hunshould a low temperature set in well known as a boxer of repute, felled packed the night before he arrived, are being served at the Kirk of the Herring. or rain fall, thousands and thou- his man with a stinging blow and but not screwed and he found some Christmas Fair.—dec9,2i,s,tu The departure of the herring many of their former habitats along the Newfound-land and Labrador coasts has be that the fouling of the waters given rise to much speculation thus ensuing caused the migraand conjecture, and many and tion which has never been scien- tain stated that he was not on board packages and found their contents remind the lady of the house that now varied are the reasons advanced tifically accounted for. Only the for the forsaking of home fact remains that the herring for the forsaking of home fact remains that the herring soon as he heard there was trouble, stay he saw packed, and inspected, iety of Jelly Moulds in assorted shapes.

waters by this fish which once were in these places for centurant that a revolver was brandshed between 500 and 600 drums. Asked of the Colony and in the deep disappeared. It is, as the Lonidentified the revolver as his in court. a poor run, with a lot of damp and T. A. Ladies' Auxiliary sale of work arms and bights of Labrador don Times remarks, a complex It was a 38. The captain did not know sunburnt, and as they had six pack—was drawn last night and resulted It was a 38. The captain did not know sunburnt, and as they had six pack—was drawn last night and resulted in Mr. Ken. Tobin of I. F. Perlin & In these days it was only child's problem for science to solve if of any former quarrelling between ers and not enough cullers, he in Mr. Ken. Tobin of I. F. Perlin &

inspector, the witness said he did not

DIED.

Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock Margaret, relict of the late Captain Richard Meally. Funeral from her

Passed peacefully away this morn-

Killed at Detroit.

Mendez Lima & Co., vs. The Union MR, P. HUGHES OF NORTH RIVER STRUCK BY CRANE.

William Patrick Hughes, aged forty

Here and There.

Delicious Partridge Suppers

the two, and stated that the accused asked for two more. These Co.'s employ being awarded the prize. was always a conscientious worker two men were given to him without The lucky ticket was No. 151. Mrs. complaint the witness stated. Ques- H. Pedigrew and Mr. Geo. Coughlin tioned why he was knocked off as were in charge of the drawing.

DEVON POTTERY .- There is large stock of this ware, lettered with quaint sayings, now on display at STEELE'S Crockery Store. Every

Rubber Co., Montreal, is in the city arranging for their future business. through J. B. Orr Co., Ltd., who will occupy the entire buildings, 166 and 168 Water Street The Columbus Rubber Co. are manufacturers of high class Rubbers, and the well known

Winterton, T.B., to Mr. Frank Moore

2.30 o'clock.

ing, after a long illness, Mary Peckam, aged 69 years, widow of the late George Peckham; leaving 4 sons their sad loss. Funeral on Monday,

es experience in judging bulks of fish, Wilkie Rendell, aged 89 years. Fuduring their stay.

ber. Call and see them.

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UNMATCHABLE VALUES



CREW TAKEN OFF STEAMER.

The Marconi Wireless Telegraph ompany received a message last night from Cape Race stating that the S.S. in Washington, D.C., as late as the August Le Blonde sank at 2 p.m. on Spring of 1921. the 7th in latitude 49.15 North; and longitude 45.25 West. "All of crew late residence, 344 Water Street West taken off by S.S. Niels Nielsen, which

proceeding on her voyage

Personal

The Halifax runnecs, Jainte and at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, Stanton Jackson, are leaving for Hali-97 Bond Street . Friends and ac- fax by tomorrow's express. Both enquaintances please accept this (the joyed their trips immensely, and are This morning, at the residence of saying farewell with pleasant rem his niece, Mrs. W. Piercey, "River-brances of the hospitality and treat-dale", Waterford Bridge Road, James ment accorded them by the city sports

We have been on the way back to normalcy more than a year and a half. Special to Evening Telegram. Three years ago the Turks were put out of business forever.

Rudyard Kipling is five feet six inches tall and squints. Joseph P. Tumulty was prominent

J. P. Morgan never has written

testimonfal for a hair restorer.

CAPE RACE TO Wind Southwest, light, sno

From Cape Race

steamer passed in at 8 am 29.60: Ther 48 Delicious Afternoon Tea

be served by the Young la Guild at the Kirk Chris Fair.—dec9,21,s,tu

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> > LIST OF USEFUL

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at his hands w

Belated

Evening Telegra Sir:-In your er 28th, there app "A Boy from ference was ma tive, Mr. R. G. hat Mr. Winsor ng to town and igh to come whe In justice to say, that fr our movemen us and offer he could pos general intere During one of publicly stated to render an called upon, a his political po of the fisherm would sacrifice be obliged if n justice to Yours truly

sse Winsor Bishop, J. B. vs Jabez Winso homas Winsor. lliam Winson W. D. Sainsb December 1 ove, though handed in to It is rather b publication, as

WARDS COMPA WINNER.

ight at the Cast audience greete ain on the play the performance of the Mae Ed celled all prev the opening one he same name. sung by an " overture by th of Irish airsthe house from itself is a dandy wane from sta wards again demo rsatility. She y, and as the affection of eve nce. Her exp as perfect, wheth the kitchen or iss Marie Fischer with heart set o rich husband. mificently, and she wanted in least she secu th the good office trude Riggs took eil, the proprietr ling house, with the fond mother er to the limit in quest. Jack Wer rd Hastings, in didn't know it laurels to his re of note. Carleto aron" Grey, one up a character, tion, but mair ughout with gre Malcolm Murra

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