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BAY ROBERTS, Nfld., FRIDAY, JAN. 19, 1912.

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Laura C., 30 tons, well found in anchors, chains and running gear. Built in 1903. Apply to DONALD MERCER, Bay Roberts. 1912.

Notice.

The Agricultural Society's Thoroughbred

Yorkshire Boar

is at the Farm of
Mr. Thomas Sharp, Shearstown,
For Service. Fee, 50 Cents.
Jan 12, 1912.

POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

A Telegraph Office has been opened at Griquet.
Tariff: 20 cents for 10 words, and 2 cents for each additional word. Address and signature free.

DAVID STOTT, Superintendent

1912



Notice to Mariners.

(No. 14, 1911.)
NEWFOUNDLAND.

Point Verde. Plantentia Bay

Latitude 47° 14' 11" N.
Longitude 54° 00' 40" W.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a diaphone Fog Alarm operated by air compressed by oil engine has been installed in a flat roofed building erected 30 feet North of the Light House on Point Verde. It will be put in operation on January 15th, 1912, giving during thick or foggy weather, one blast of 4 seconds duration in every 94 seconds, thus,
Blast, 4 seconds; Silent, 90 seconds; Blast, 4 seconds; Silent, 94 seconds.

The building is 12 feet high. The horn projects from the Western end in a line with the roof. This building, together with the light tower and dwellings, will be coloured black and yellow horizontal bands next season.

A. W. PICCOTT,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries,
Dept. Marine and Fisheries,
St. John's, Nfld.
Dec. 18th, 1911. Jan 19, 1912.

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C. E. RUSSELL, Proprietor.
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CAMPAIGN OF SLANDER AND MISREPRESENTATION

Those who read the Opposition journals' criticism of the Government cannot but notice the sincerity of their every utterance in dealing with matters great and small. Fair criticism they evidently know nothing of, and honest presentation of public matters is foreign to them.

We make due allowance for the propensity of the Opposition Party and the Opposition Press to make the most of the mistakes of a government and magnify their opponents' shortcomings. This the public, regardless of party leanings, expect from an Opposition press and from the Opposition Party, and the electorate understand this and take it as a matter of course. They also understand that it is the province of an opposition press to find fault with a government and belittle its best efforts. But questions affecting the general welfare of the people should be

discussed and something other than indiscriminate fault-finding and palpable misrepresentation is expected from the organs which claim to be the mouthpiece of a party that hopes to retain the confidence of its followers and earn the respect of its opponents.

The present Opposition organs have earned for themselves an unenviable place in the arena of party journalism in this respect, and if the policy of the Bond Party is interpreted by their utterances on weighty public matters with which the prosperity of this country and its people are closely identified, then those who hope to see the affairs of the country again entrusted to that party are hugging a delusion and building their political castles on a sand foundation, and the organs, instead of wasting space to keep their courage up by aimless criticism of the present Government, should invite some friend to write their Party's epitaph.

Their low opinions of the fishermen's intelligence may be gauged by the nature of the appeals that they have been making to them during the past two years, and by their readiness to sacrifice the interest of the masses for party advantage by reckless efforts to

KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Ten Years—Relieved in Three Months Thanks to PER-URIN-A.



C. B. PIZER, Mt. Sterling, Ky., says: "I have suffered with kidney and bladder trouble for ten years past. Last March I commenced using Perurins and continued for three months. I have not used it since, nor have I felt a pain." Ask Your Druggist for a Free Perurins Almanac for 1912.

Guarding Against Wrong-Doing

The punishment meted out to W. T. Gilmour should serve as another warning to those who may at any time be tempted to commit the offence of which he was found guilty. This community cannot and will not tolerate such attacks, especially on females.

The evil of allowing ourselves to become the slaves of strong drink or passion should be vigilantly guarded against. If this is not done the chances are that these will sooner or later overtake us.

The question of strong drink and morality is one that two as citizens have to consider. Are we in Bay Roberts doing it? What provision for the young men and women at this town? Not a reading room, not a association of any kind is provided for a young man to spend an hour in day or night. Consequently, if they would spend a pleasant time, according to their own ideas of pleasure, some questionable or secret place is secured, and to some extent the first step in a downward course is begun. The responsibility of providing pleasure and recreation for our young people—clean, healthy and wholesome—rests with the citizens of Bay Roberts. What shall be done?

Opening of House and Petitions

The Legislature will meet for the despatch of business on Wednesday, the 14th day of February next. There is left, therefore, less than one week for the electors of Bay Roberts to prepare an agenda of business necessary for presentation.

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The Annual meeting of the Royal Scarlet Chapter was held in Victoria Hall on Monday evening, Jan. 15th, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:
Wor. Com. Wm. J. Mercer, re-elected.
Ex. Com., Stephen E. Mercer, re-elected.
Scribe, John Snow, re-elected.
Treasurer, Chas. Cave, re-elected.
Sir H. Knight at Arms, Arthur Snow, re-elected.
1st Conductor, Reuben A. Russell, elected.
2nd Conductor, John R. Caravan, elected.
1st Lecturer, Eli Mercer, elected.
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Committeemen: Henry Cave, John Mercer, Richard Bradbury, Aubrey Newell, Samuel Greenland, Henry Mercer, Nathan Russell.

Wedding Bells

The marriage took place on Thursday, Jan. 18th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Leamon, Brigus Gullies, of their daughter, Mary N., to Josiah Marshall, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, of this town. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. A. Whittemarsh. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride. The bride was the recipient of many valuable and useful presents, and the occasion was one of much felicitation. We wish the newly-wedded pair much happiness.

It is said that hay will be worth \$32 a ton within a month.

The Meth. Thanksgiving Service will be held (D.V.) on Sunday. It has been thought inadvisable to postpone them farther, and it is hoped that if the roads are open Rev. T. B. Darby, of Hr. Grace will be with us. Otherwise the pastor will conduct the evening service. Collections will be taken at both services.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Jan. 21st, 1912.

Methodist.
BAY ROBERTS CENTRAL CHURCH—11 a.m., Mr. Edgar Mercer; 7 p.m., Rev. T. B. Darby, B. A.

Church of England.
3rd Sunday after Epiphany.
BAY ROBERTS—Evensong at Mercer's Cove 7 p.m., Evensong at Academy 7 p.m.

Salvation Army.
SALVATION ARMY CHAPEL—7 a.m., Prayer Meeting; 11 a.m., Holy Communion; 8 p.m., Free and Easy Meeting; 7 p.m., Salvation Meeting.

Agricultural Society

A meeting of the Bay Roberts Agricultural Society will be held in the Court House on Saturday evening, January 20th, at 7.30 o'clock.
Business: Election of officers, reports of committees, etc.
S. E. MERCER, Secretary.

Hockey Skates

A pair of first-class second hand Hockey Skates for sale. Apply at this office.

For Sale, an English Bicycle

up-to-date in every particular with mud guards, breaks, chain protectors, etc. Apply to C. E. Russell, Guardian Office.

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Reduction of Fifty per cent to Great Britain.
On and after January 1st, 1912, the Newfoundland Postal Telegraphs will transmit, subject to the conditions of acceptance, messages written in plain language at a reduction of 50 per cent from the charges for an ordinary message.

The message must be written in French, or in the language of the country of origin, or in the language of the country of destination. The sender must declare which of these languages is used. The sender must write before the address and pay the charge on one word for the letters LCF, LCG, or LCD, according to his declaration. This is a stipulation of the European Governments, and of the Postmaster General of Great Britain.

The message must have an address and a text; a signature is optional with the sender, but we will not be able to make unpaid enquiries about the senders of unsigned messages.

Under these provisions a cable message of four chargeable words may be sent for a minimum charge of fifty cents, eight words for one dollar and twelve words for one dollar and a half. Registered addresses admitted and recommended.

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You Can Have Quality, Value and Style in Men's, Youths and Boys' Tweed and Serge Suits
Over 500 Men's Suits
To Select from. Prices from \$4 to \$15.
I can suit you with any Style or Pattern.

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I have a larger stock than ever of Men's, Women's and Children's Boots and Shoes. My hundreds of satisfied customers is a proof that I deserve the name I have won for Cheapness, Quality and Satisfaction. This reputation I desire to maintain. Call and see my stock before buying elsewhere. It will pay you.

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To Pay Your Insurance Premium;
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Muir's Marble Works
Successors to late Alex Smith.
Under New Management.
This establishment is now under the Superintendence of Mr. A. L. Tremlett and a staff of expert workmen. All orders for Cemetery Decoration placed under his care will receive prompt attention and careful workmanship. Mail Orders have our special care. Yours respectfully solicited.

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The Best!
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Oats! Oats!
October 23rd, Now Landing
Ex schr. Evelyn and steamer Ronavista,
20,000 bushels
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Wholesale Grocer. **George Neal** St. John's, Nfld.

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When you lay Amatite on the roof you're through with it. You don't have to paint it every year to keep it from leaking. It has a real mineral surface which does not need painting. Most of the old-fashioned, 'smooth surfaced' or Rubber Roofing, which requires painting, costs more than Amatite and you have all the extra cost of paint. It looks tasy now to give your roof an occasional coating in the future. But do you realize that in 1913 you must paint it, and in 1915 you must paint it, and in 1917 you must paint it, and in 1919—that far-away year—you must still be painting that confounded old Rubber Roof. Why, a new Amatite Roof will cost less than the paint alone. Send us for free samples and booklet explaining all about it. Ask your dealer for Amatite Roofing.
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"More bread and better bread"

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Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Discomfort from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Distress, Nausea, Dizziness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.
SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature **Brewer's** REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

Events that Made History in 1911

(Continued.)
March 7.—President Taft orders troops to the Mexican border.
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March 13.—In a speech in the house of commons, Sir Edward Grey endorses President Taft's Anglo-American arbitration scheme.
March 10.—France adopts Greenwich time.
March 11.—The trial of the Camorra leaders begins at Viterbo, Italy.
March 13.—The United States supreme court upholds the constitutionality of the corporation tax law.
March 21.—The tercentenary of the authorized version of the Bible is celebrated throughout England.
March 24.—The members of the Mexican cabinet hand their resignations to President Diaz.
March 25.—A fire in a shirtwaist factory in New York causes the death of 145 persons.
March 28.—The Spanish cabinet approves the proposed measure regulating religious associations.
March 29.—The Japanese privy council ratifies the commercial treaty with the United States.
March 31.—The New York legislature after a deadlock of ten weeks, elects Justice James A. O'Gorman (Dem.) to succeed Chancellor M. Depew (Rep.) in the U.S. senate.
April 1.—The Spanish cabinet, under Premier Canalejas, resigns after a debate upon the Ferrer case, and Canalejas to form a new cabinet.
April 3.—The U.S. supreme court holds that under the Hepburn act the coal company's rates are subject to public utility regulation.
April 4.—The U.S. supreme court holds that the anti-home rule forces.
April 5.—A surplus of \$30,000,000 is shown at the close of the Canadian fiscal year.
April 11.—The passage by the French senate of a measure abolishing territorial delimitations for the production of champagne leads to serious riots of the wine-growers in the department of Marne and elsewhere.
April 14.—The resignation of David Jayne Hill as ambassador to Germany is announced at Washington.
April 15.—The \$50,000,000 loan to China, participated in by American, British, French and German bankers, is signed at Peking.
April 21.—The house passes the Canadian reciprocity bill by a vote of 238 to 89.
April 22.—The McNamara brothers and Orrie McManigal are arrested, charged with responsibility for the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building in October, 1910.
April 27.—A serious revolutionary outbreak occurs at Canton, China.
April 30.—Fire destroys about one-third of the city of Bangor, Me., rendering thousands homeless and causing a property loss of more than \$2,500,000.
(To be continued)

Traveller's Trunks Loaded with Whiskey

Another Method of Bringing Liquor into Cobalt Discovered.
Cobalt, Jan. 3.—Another method of bringing liquor into Cobalt was discovered to-day when the Provincial Police seized two commercial travellers' trunks loaded with whiskey. The discovery was made owing to a bottle in one of the trunks being broken in transit, the whiskey dripping through the corners of the trunk and strongly perfuming the baggage car. The trunks were checked for Haileybury, but the police took them off at Cobalt and Magistrate Atkinson made an order this afternoon for the liquor to be destroyed. The owner appeared and wanted his property returned. It was shown that he was holding a commercial traveller's certificate, although not travelling for any firm, and brought the liquor from Montreal.
(To be continued)

Vaccinating Sealers

The Government, with commendable promptitude, are already arranging for the vaccination of the men who intend to go to the seal-fishery the coming spring. Last year it was stated that the order did not get around to the men time enough to permit of them laying off and getting cured in so as to be back to normal health by the time the vessels sailed for the ice. This year, there need be no such excuse, and we note that the steamer owners are just as anxious as the Government that the vaccination law be carried out. As a matter of fact, they will give no man a berth who has not complied with the vaccination law.—Trade Review.
All subscribers to the Guardian who have not paid their current year's subscription are requested to send remittance as early as possible. Remember—subscriptions are payable in advance.

Cupids Briefs

During the past winter, Cupids have been treated exceptionally well. The force of Cupids yielded to the force of Cupids on Friday morning and again showed its inability to withstand the force of Newfoundland wind. This time the tower itself was razed to the ground but we are glad to state that no one was hurt and no property injured.
Saturday's storm was a fierce one and much damage was done the shipping of this place. The Geranium, owned by Mr. Samuel Dawe, burst her moorings and was driven on shore but not damaged to any extent. The Oudit, owned by Morgan, of Port de Grave, also burst her moorings, and getting foul of another vessel, was cut down and sank. Several other schooners collided and had all their head gear smashed. It was the worst storm experienced here for many years.
Mr. Benjamin Smith, who went to the city by last Wednesday evening's train, returned home again by Thursday night's express.
Capt. A. Smith went to St. John's by Monday evening's train.
During the storm last night the roof was blown off a barn belonging to Mr. Az. Dawe of this place, but no serious damage was done.
CORRESPONDENT.
Cupids, Jan. 10, 1912.

Ulster's Resolve Not to Submit

Manifesto Declaring That a Provisional Government will be Established.
Belfast, Jan. 3.—The Unionist Council of Ulster issued this morning a manifesto declaring that a provisional Government will be constituted in Ulster immediately after the meeting of the British Parliament.
The manifesto states that the most extreme measures have been resorted to for the purpose of securing the loyalty of the Ulster people to the British Government.
The manifesto declares that the Ulster people will not submit to a decision of the anti-home rule forces.

General Post Office

Rates of Commission on Money Orders.
The rates of commission on Money Orders issued by any Money Order Office in Newfoundland to the United States of America, the Dominion of Canada and any part of Newfoundland, are as follows:
For sums not exceeding \$10 - 5 cts
Over \$10 but not exceeding \$20 - 10 cts
Over \$20 but not exceeding \$30 - 15 cts
Over \$30 but not exceeding \$40 - 20 cts
Over \$40 but not exceeding \$50 - 25 cts
Over \$50 but not exceeding \$60 - 30 cts
Over \$60 but not exceeding \$70 - 35 cts
Over \$70 but not exceeding \$80 - 40 cts
Over \$80 but not exceeding \$90 - 45 cts
Over \$90 but not exceeding \$100 - 50 cts
Maximum amount of a single Order to be of the above countries and at offices in Newfoundland, \$100, but as many may be obtained as the remitter requires.
H. J. B. WOODS, Postmaster General.
General Post Office, St. John's, Nfld., June, 1911.

School-Teachers Salaries in Canada

The School Teachers Association of Edmonton have made a demand on the school board of that city for salary increases. The minimum salary for the high school principal is \$2000 reached by yearly increases of \$100 to the initial salary. The new schedule demanded is \$2300 as a maximum and \$900 after eight years' service. The principals of public schools ask for a minimum of \$1800 instead of \$1400 as at present; grade teachers ask \$750 with a maximum of \$1000 for six years' service as compared with a minimum of \$600 and a maximum of \$800. Corresponding increases are asked for other grades of teachers. Others public school boards are also facing the demand for higher salaries for the teaching staff, and it is obvious that the pay of trained teachers has not kept pace with the increased cost of living.

Cornmeal

We have just received a large shipment of Yellow Cornmeal, which we are selling at our usual low price. Also a shipment of Black Oats, four-bushel sacks, 38 lbs. to the bushel.
Those Ladies' Winter Blouses are now selling at a marvel of cheapness. We have on hand a large quantity of Domet (new style Flannelette) in white, pink and cream, 5 to 8 yards in a piece, just the thing for an economical mother.
A full stock of Provisions and Groceries always on hand and selling at lowest prices.

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Self Measurement Form sent on Application.
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Which we are selling at Lowest Cash Prices.

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CUSTOM TAILOR.
HARBOUR GRACE.
Fit, Style and Workmanship guaranteed.
Large and varied stock of Suits and Trousers.
Overcoatings and Trousers made to order. Orders filled as soon as possible.
Measure cards supplied on application.

General Post Office

We make a charge of 50 cents for publishing "In Memoriam" verses. Verses must be properly written before being sent to us.—Editor.
NEWFOUNDLAND
POSTAL TELEGRAPH SERVICE.
POSTAL TELEGRAPH OFFICES are operated throughout the Colony at all the principal places. Messages of ten words, not including address or signature, are forwarded for twenty cents, and two cents for each additional word. A Government cable to Canso, Cape Breton, connects with the Commercial Cable Co.'s system to all parts of the world. There is no more efficient Telegraphic Service in existence.
A ten word message to Canada, exclusive of signature and address, costs from 85 cents to \$1.00.
A ten word message to the United States, exclusive of signature and address, costs from \$1.10 to \$1.50.
To Great Britain, France or Germany—25 cents per word.
Telegrams are transmitted by means of the Wireless Service during the summer season, and all the year round to Steamers equipped with the wireless apparatus, which are due to pass within the radii of the wireless stations at Cape Race and Cape Ray.
Telegraph messages may be obtained at all Post Offices and from Mail Clerks on Trains and Steamers, and if the sender wishes the message may be left with the P. M. to be forwarded by first mail to the nearest Telegraph Office free of postage.
H. J. B. WOODS, Postmaster General.
General Post Office, St. John's, Nfld., Nov., 1910.

Labrador Men For the Coast

Suggestion to Move Hundreds of Hardy Fishermen to B.C. Waters—Dr. Grenfell's Idea.
Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 6.—To populate the fishing coast of British Columbia with fishermen of Devonshire stock, such is the proposal forward by H. H. Stevens, M. P., as expressed by him in a letter to the Vancouver Board of Trade, read at its meeting last evening.
"One of the most difficult problems on the Pacific Coast at the present time is that of the personnel of the fishing population," states Mr. Stevens. "They are, as you know, now largely Japanese, and it is difficult to get white fishermen."
"Dr. Grenfell of Labrador is anxious to transfer a number of Labrador fishermen to the Pacific Coast. In fact, I understand that there are several hundred, with their families, who could be so transferred if proper arrangements could be made at the Pacific Coast for their settlement. The proposition is that the province should take the question up along with the Dominion authorities and arrange to provide homesites for them along with a few acres of land contiguous to the fishing ground.
"These men are of the highest type morally and physically and come from Devonshire stock chiefly, are strictly temperate and will make good citizens. In my mind this would be a step towards the solution of the Asiatic problem on the Pacific Coast.
"I would like to have the Board of Trade of Vancouver give an expression of their opinion as to this move which is suggested by Dr. Grenfell, before any further steps are taken in the matter."
That the Board of Trade was pleased at this proposal of populating British Columbia's fishing region with Devonshire stock is putting it mildly. Steps were taken immediately by Mr. McCandless, the president, to test the feasibility of the plan by making a thorough investigation into the matter with a view of recommending favorable and speedy action to the provincial government.

Notice.

The attention of the public is directed to the following section of Cap. 36 of the Consolidated Statutes, dealing with "Nuisances and Municipal Regulations":
"Any person who shall throw any stone or ballast, or anything else hurtful or injurious, into any harbor or roadstead in this Colony or its dependencies shall, for every offence, be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars, or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding fifty days."
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Rubber Industry May be Established

We hear that during this year a factory for the making of rubber goods for this Colony is likely to be established in St. John's. One of the promoters will leave this month for Canada and America to make the necessary arrangements. The imports of these articles annually total about \$100,000, and the duty of 40 per cent. adds \$40,000 to it, so that a local concern would have a trade valued at \$150,000 a year to start with. It is to be hoped that the venture will succeed, as all these local industries mean labor for the people of the Colony.—Exchange.

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Nov 10, 1911

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7 Horsepower, Norwegian Type, Kero. Oil Engine (No batteries)

Substantially built, rough water boat, admirably suited for towing, ferrying or general service.

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Funeral Sermon

Delivered by Rev. H. V. Whitehouse, Rector of St. Matthew's Parish, on the Occasion of the Funeral of the late Capt. W. R. Mossell.

(Published by Request)

"So He bringeth them unto the haven where they would be." Ps. 107, 30. The text that I have chosen for the present solemn occasion seems to me to be a very appropriate one, for it is taken from the Psalm in which the writer speaks of those who "go down to the sea in ships and occupy their business in great waters;" and Captain William Mossell, whose funeral we attend to-day, followed the sea from his early youth. When twelve years old he began his career, then going to the ice-fields, and until he was twenty-two he followed his vocation on the "great waters" as fisherman and sailor. At that age he became master, and for thirty-six years more he was on the sea in charge of a vessel gaining his reputation for energy and ability. Our Psalmist tells us, "These men see the works of the Lord; and His wonders in the deep." And he says, "At His word the stormy wind ariseth, which lifteth up the waves thereof. They are carried up to the heavens, and down again to the deep. . . . They reel to and fro, and stagger like a drunken man, and are at their wit's end. So when they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, He delivereth them out of their distress. For He maketh the storm to cease, so that the waves thereof are still. There are they glad, because they are at rest; and so He bringeth them unto the haven where they would be." And our strong and capable friend, so lately gone from us, often weathered such a storm as is here described by the Psalmist, and in doing so his manhood was enabled and his character strengthened.

It has been generally observed that, among those who "go down to the sea in ships," a deep religious faith is found; and it is not difficult to understand how men, who battle with the forces of nature, form truer ideas of the glory and majesty of God. Who is there who has been on the ocean, when the moon and the stars have been giving their light, who has not found the silvery, shimmering waters speaking to his heart of the grandeur and omnipotence of the Creator? First of all the sun went down in red and yellow in the West, and darkness came on. Then the heavens were illuminated with the stars, and the moon, looking big and the color of blood, seemed to arise from the sea, and to tinge the waters "scarlet" and, as it gradually mounted the sky, it assumed its usual calm, silvery appearance. And we perhaps have then realized, that never before have we been so conscious that the mind of the Almighty Creator must be truly adorable in its sublimity and beauty. Books and men, we may then have felt, are powerless to do that which God, speaking through nature, doeth Himself. "As the heavens declare the glory of God, and the firmament sheweth His handiwork."

People brought up in inland towns sometimes find out that it is one thing to talk about the majesty and glory of God, and another to realize it; and that it is easy to speak about faith in God, and not so easy to rest in calm confidence on Him during a storm at sea. Others have found out that what they supposed to be faith when they were in comfortable and easy circumstances was too unreal to survive in painful difficulties. There is a comfortable, cosy sort of belief which adds to our enjoyment during a service, in a warm corner in a beautiful church, when the organ plays, and there are no draughts; but how do we know that this belief will support us when the grim reality, Death, confronts us with his appalling frown? This we do know, however, that the faith of those who go down to the sea in ships has been put to the test in perils and hardships, and that it needs no props to support it; nor does it matter when these devices of man are taken away to weak in its strength or cause it to collapse altogether. Even the Disciples lost their faith in a storm at sea, and, because they did so, doubtless they learned to pray that their faith might be real. Happy are they who have had such lessons on the ocean, for among grim realities the tendency is for the character to become genuine; and I think you will agree with me that the tone of a typical seaman rings true.

And so Captain William Mossell is described as a man, strong, hardy and brave, and as one most energetic in the pursuit of his calling. One well-qualified to judge writes, "He was a good servant and master, a loving husband, father and friend, and he tried to serve God to the best of his abilities." And we who were in attendance at his death bed know that apparently for him death had no terrors. He expressed himself as being delighted that his end was so near, and certainly for him in his last hours there were "dawning glories of the Eternal Day." We are glad to think that he was a member of the Church of England, and it was his wish, as he would not be

alive to see the new church opened, that his body should be laid to rest in the unfinished building. We are grateful to him for the example of faithfulness, and hope that others will profit by it. It is written, "Thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a Crown of Life."

And now, after his strenuous life, God has hidden him embarking on a boundless sea of Infinity, and what day to count the stars, we are assured that God Almighty makes no mistake, and Jesus will pilot him on that sea; and no doubt he rests in the sure and certain hope that the Saviour bringeth those who love Him "unto the haven where they would be." And, having seen "the works of the Lord and His wonders in the deep" on earth, doubtless our brother in Christ is now moved to transcendental wonder, the presence of true worship, as he experiences, in the company of his Redeemer, the ineffable glories of the works of the Lord, and His wonders in the infinite profound, silent ocean of Eternity. And while we can understand the language of farewell, "does not our Father Office breathe a noble comprehension of the Love of God in the words, 'Yes, we give Thee hearty thanks that in both paths Thee to deliver this, my brother, out of the miseries of this sinful world.'"

Here is true wisdom, to profit by the lessons of a strenuous life, lived in close relation to God; to open our eyes, and see that it is indeed something to live and die as a Christian, and to realize that every mishap occurring amongst us is a warning from God that we all have to die, and that our end will not be long in coming. Consciously guarding myself from insincerity and unreality, I can yet say that in the death of Captain William Mossell we could see plainly that faith in Christ does cheer and comfort the bed of the dying in a most wonderful way, and that the words, "Yes, we give Thee hearty thanks that in both paths Thee to deliver this, my brother, out of the miseries of this sinful world," are no mere sentiment.

In the midst of his work the messenger of death came to our friend, "prepare to meet thy God." He made ready to embark on the deep, silent sea. The bell rang out the Old Year, and rang in the New. The first day passed into the evening and night. Now all was ready, and early in the morning of the second day of the New Year—a good time for sailing—the last chain binding him to this earth was broken, and he launched forth on the Eternal Ocean. But the daylight is fair on the other side, where the waters of the sea are "like glass, clear as crystal." And the Light of God is over the City Celestial, and a rainbow, in sight like unto a general, "encompasses the throne of the High and Holy One that inhabiteth Eternity. It is the emblem of Divine Mercy, and Godless Jesus has brought him safely within its compass, and he experiences now the tender compassion and loving kindness of his Creator and his God. "So He, bringeth them unto the haven where they would be."

"Sunset and Evening Star, And one clear call for me! And may there be no moaning of the wailing, and no cry, When I put out to sea. But such a tide as moving seems asleep, Too full for sound or foam, When that which moves from out the boundless deep Turns again home."

"I've had my tonsils taken out, there is only the outer shell of my nose left. I've been operated on for appendicitis, and now—"
"What do they want to do to you now?"
"I wanted to sell my body to one of the medical colleges, and they asked me to give them a reduced price because there was so little of me left. I call that adding insult to injury."—Chicago Record Herald.

OPERATION HER ONLY CHANCE

Was Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Lindsay, Ont.—"I think it is no more than right for me to thank Mrs. Pinkham for what her kind advice and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. When I wrote to her some time ago I was a very sick woman, suffering from female troubles. I had inflammation of the female organs, and could not stand or walk any distance. At last I was confined to my bed, and the doctor said I would have to go through an operation, but this I refused to do. A friend advised Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and now, after using three bottles of it, I feel like a new woman. I most heartily recommend this medicine to all women who suffer with female troubles. I have also taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills and think they are fine."—Mrs. FRANK EMBLEY, Lindsay, Ontario.

We cannot understand why women will take chances with an operation of any kind, when they can get relief from Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration.

Sunset and Evening Bell, And after that the dark! And may there be no sadness of farewell When I embark. For, though from out the bourne of time and place The floods may bear me afar, I hope to see my pilot face to face, When I have crossed the bar."

Bareheaded Notes

Barheaded on Jan. 2nd was a time of great interest. Decorations and bunting were manifest in all directions while the Orange Lodge members held their annual Parade. The Coley's Point Band was at the head of the procession, which was one of the largest seen in the district some time. After parading through the district they all assembled for Divine Worship at the Methodist Church, which was crowded to the doors. The Rev. Samuel Sargeant, of Clarke's Beach delivered an interesting and helpful message concerning the emblems of the Order and also the beauty and power of a consecrated life. He emphasized the following point: That if individual feebleness be linked with divine power it becomes a mighty conquering force. And if men are united together by the cords of Christian love, and they take the Bible to be the standard rule of their life, then victory is inevitable and success is sure. The service closed with the singing of the National Anthem. The members then proceeded to their hall and spent a very enjoyable and profitable time together.

A Lonely Crop

A small farmer, who had gone to the land to pay his rent was complaining about the bad season, the poor crops, and the small prices he was getting for his grain, and hinting that a small reduction in the rent would be very acceptable. "But John," said the laird, "you were saying that all your crops had been poor this season, but I have been told that you had a very good crop of beans."

"A good crop," ejaculated the farmer. "Man, laird, if I like beans talk had been a peep, he wadna ha heard his next neiber playin'!"

Had Read the Sign

Mayor Geary, of Toronto, told this one at the Graphic Arts dinner: A sick Scotchman walked languidly into a doctor's ante-room to seek medical aid. On the wall he read a neat card which said: "First consultation, \$5; subsequent consultations, \$2."

When the doctor came in he found a beaming individual, who rushed forward with hand outstretched. "Well, doctor," he exclaimed, "I am again!"

GENERAL POST OFFICE

Foreign Parcel Post Packets

It is observed that parcels addressed to FOREIGN COUNTRIES from the Outposts are frequently mailed at the different post offices just as ordinary local parcels and prepaid often at the local parcel post rates.

All parcels for foreign despatch should have affixed to the wrapper a customs declaration form filled up with the following particulars: Description of contents; Weight of parcel; value of contents, and name of sender. The postage rates are as follows: For Canada, 15 cents per lb. or fraction thereof. For the United States, 12 cents per lb. or fraction thereof. For Great Britain, 3 lbs. or fraction thereof, 24 cents; over 3 and up to 7 lbs., 48 cents; over 7 and up to 11 lbs., 72 cents.

Forms for these particulars may be obtained at all post offices on application.
H. J. B. WOODS,
Postmaster General.

Sale of Grand Trunk Pacific Town Lots

in Rivers, Manitoba.

Lots sold direct by Land Commissioner of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company and not by speculators. Prices bound to double within the year.

Rivers is the divisional point on the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and lies about 20 miles north west of Brandon, and like Brandon is in the best wheat belt in Canada. The town is less than three years old; has a population of over 1,300, and growing rapidly. The payroll in the G. T. P. machine shops alone is \$31,000 a month.

There Never Was a Surer Investment.

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C. E. Russell

Local Agent,
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General Post Office

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Not exceeding 3 lbs.	55c.
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Not exceeding 5 lbs.	\$1.15
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Not exceeding 7 lbs.	\$1.55

H. J. B. WOODS,
Postmaster-General.

Brick Brick

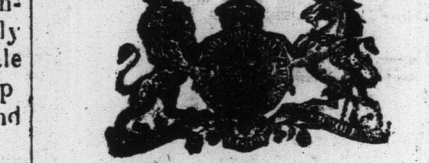
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Or any other article? If so, try an advertisement in the Guardian. Or if you call at or write to the Guardian office you can obtain particulars of our plan of selling.



Notice.

Birds, and Wild Rabbit or Hare

No person shall hunt, kill, purchase or have in his possession any Partridge or Willow Grouse, commonly called Partridge, or any Curlew, Plover, Snipe, or other Wild or Migratory Birds (except Wild Geese), or the eggs of any such birds; nor shall shoot any Wild Rabbit or Hare within this Colony between the 15th day of December in any year and the 20th day of September in the year succeeding, exceeding \$100, or imprisonment not exceeding three months. Provided he shall not be held unlawful to sell, purchase, or have in his possession any of such birds when the party shall prove that the said birds were killed between the 20th day of September and the 15th day of December in any year. No person shall trap or snare any Wild Rabbit or Hare between the 1st day of March and the 20th day of September in any year, under a penalty of not less than \$25 and not exceeding \$100, or imprisonment not exceeding three months.

It shall be unlawful for any person to export from this Colony for sale an article of commerce any Willow or Grouse or Partridge, under a penalty of five dollars for each bird so exported.

Any person, except a traveller on a journey, found on a Sunday carrying firearms shall be subject to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, and in default of payment, to imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month.

Any person, except a traveller on a journey, found on the shooting grounds, carrying firearms, with or without dogs, between the 15th day of December and the 20th day of September in succeeding year, where such game is known to frequent, shall be subject to a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, and in default of payment, to imprisonment for a period not exceeding one month.

Game and Inland Fisheries Board.

J. W. MERCER,
Secretary

Notice to Mariners

(No. 9, 1911.)
NEWFOUNDLAND.

St. Mien Bay, St. Anthony Hr.

LATITUDE 51° 22' NORTH
LONGITUDE 53° 38' WEST
Approx.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Circular Iron Tower has been erected near the position of the present hoisting frame at St. Anthony Harbor from which, on about the 20th November, (instant) a White Occulting Light will be exhibited showing equal alternate periods of 2 1/2 seconds Light and 2 1/2 seconds Dark. This Light will be visible at a distance of 10 miles seaward, where not obstructed by projecting points of land.

The Tower will be painted Red and White Vertical Stripes, the Lantern and Dome White.

The present Fixed White Light will, with its frame be discontinued and removed.

A. W. PICCOTT,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries,
Dept. Marine and Fisheries,
St. John's, Newfoundland,
Oct. 31st, 1911.

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Glimax Cane Molasses Feed Meal

The best and cheapest ordinary winter feed for cattle.

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A splendid Headstone or Monument can be obtained by calling or sending to two doors west of the Seaman's Home, Duckworth Street, St. John's. Designs sent on application. Outport orders will receive careful and prompt attention. Designs and price list can be seen and all information obtained by applying to Capt. Isaac Mercer, Agent, Bay Roberts.

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We study the requirements of each district—buy accordingly, and price to make quick sales. We want you to know our varieties, qualities, and low prices.

There is something in dry goods you never have—your customers need—but your merchant does not stock. Write and ask us for it today, and watch how quickly we can produce it. Remember, we are pleased to send samples and prices upon request.

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Public Notice

Under the provisions of Chapter 23, 2^d Edward VII, entitled "An Act to Amend the Post Office Act, 1891," and upon the recommendation of the Board appointed under Section 1 thereof, notice is hereby given that, three months after this date, a Proclamation will issue for the alteration of name, or renaming of places as under, that is to say:—

1. That New Harbour, Bonavista Bay, be re-named "Newport."
2. That Dark Tickle, Twillingate District, be re-named "Brighton."
3. That Western Cove, White Bay, St. Barbe, be re-named "Westport."
4. That Newtown, Sunday Cove Island, Twillingate District, be re-named "Port Anson."
5. That Northwest Arm, New Bay, Twillingate District, be re-named "Osmonton."

R. WATSON, Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Oct. 24, 1911.

Manufacturing

In another column is an item referring to the establishment of a rubber factory in St. John's. Another example of this is of the far-sightedness of the business man of St. John's. They are now manufacturing in St. John's ropes, tobacco, paints, nails, boots and shoes, biscuits, candies, syrups, mattresses, furniture, trunks, toolers, engines, railway cars, stoves and castings; concrete blocks, brooms, woolen goods, leather, etc. What are the people and business men of Bay Roberts doing to start some manufacturing going in this town?

News by Telegraph

Jan. 16.—Board of Trade meeting held yesterday was highly successful. The annual report showed conditions within the colony to be most satisfactory for the past year. The storm last night tied up the railroad service again. All trains and steamers held. Invermore is expected via Placentia before Friday. Twenty five American herring vessels held by ice off the West Coast; two United States revenue cruisers came to assistance. The downfall of the Chinese Empire now seems beyond question. The success of the Socialists in German elections indicates greater hopes for European peace.

Jan. 18.—Owing to an informality in the Board of Trade election on Monday, another election will likely be re-elected.

The City Council yesterday decided to accept Bowring Bros. offer of Rae Island farm. It will be called Bowring Park.

The Daily News advocates winter mail service between Placentia and North Sydney, the cross-country line being operated for local service only.

Prospect for the settlement of the British coal and cotton strikes is now favourable.

An attempt was made yesterday to assassinate Chinese Premier, Yuan. Prospect of peace between Italy and Turkey is improving.

The Arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Sparks

Rev. Joseph H. Sparks and wife arrived at Shearston on Jan. 5th after an absence of 23 years, to visit his father and mother. He has been engaged in evangelistic work in California for five years, preaching the full gospel. He started for Los Angeles about six months ago, visiting Oakland, San Francisco, Seattle, Tacoma, Spokane, Wash., Minneapolis, Minn., Chicago, Ill., Boston, Mass., and Portland, Maine. They also visited Mrs. Sparks' people at Grand Manan, N.B., Canada, for Xmas. Also met his brother, George, who is a Methodist minister. Left Grand Manan 1st of January, calling at St. John, N.B., where his brother, Isaac, resides. Arriving at Bay Roberts they found it too bad for a team to be out so they walked to Shearston thru the snow, and gave the old folks a surprise.—Com.

Note of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bradbury wish to express their sincere thanks to those who assisted them in any way in their recent bereavement; and to the kind ladies who sent wreaths to adorn the coffin of their beloved son.

Raymond Norman, of Coley's Point, arrived home from Brigus, where he had been visiting friends, on Saturday.

The following names were omitted from those who took part in the Tea Meeting at French's Cove School: Mesdames N. Earle, E. Earle; Misses L. Earle, S. Earle and M. J. Walsh.

Miss Emmie Dawe, of Coley's Point, arrived home from St. John's, where she had been visiting friends, on Tuesday of last week.

The train which left St. John's on Saturday evening did not reach here till 10 o'clock Sunday morning, owing to the bulks of snow on the track. Near the crossing at the west end of the town she got stuck, and several men were engaged to shovel her out. The train then proceeded on to Carbonepoint.

Cupids Briefs

The Storm King has been in charge of affairs during the greater part of last week. Trains have been blocked and roads made impassable at his pleasure. There was quite a change yesterday and all were in hopes that the strength of his might had been broken for a time, at least, but the indications this morning are that it won't be yet.

Capt. A. Smith returned from St. John's by Saturday morning's train, and Miss Louie Smith, who had been on a visit to friends in the city, returned by the same train.

Mr. Frank Rowe, Meth. Teacher at Lewisporte, who had been spending his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rowe, left for Lewisporte via St. John's by Saturday evening's train. Illness and snow blockades extended his vacation beyond the usual limit.

The Road Board had a gang of men at work yesterday shovelling the road to the station and also that to the crossing, both of which had been made impassable by snow storm.

A number of our men left by Monday evening's train for Brigus Junction and Mars Siding to cut wood, which they will freight out by train. Owing to the great quantity of snow through the woods we imagine that their task will be no easy one.

The Thanksgiving collection of our Meth. friends has reached to about \$50. Owing to the stormy weather the collection has not been closed. It will be kept open during this month. It is hoped that it will reach that of last year, \$62.

CORRESPONDENT. Cupids, Jan. 17, 1912.

NEWS IN A LINE

Several items of news, reluctantly omitted from last week's issue owing to lack of space, appears in to-day's issue.

The Provincial Orange Grand Lodge meets at Bonavista on Wednesday, February 14th.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Bay Roberts Agricultural Society will be held in the Courthouse on Saturday evening, Jan. 20th.

The hearing of the Butler case comes before the magistrate's court at St. John's on Saturday next.

We acknowledge, with thanks, a calendar for 1912 from Messrs. A. E. Mercer and Geo. Hierlihy.

No man ever raised himself by tearing down his fellow man. Get up yourself and lift up your fellow man with you.

The Road Board had a number of men out on Monday morning shovelling the roads, and they are now in better condition. The shovelling, though, should have been done long before it was.

Wanted, some live resident or ex-resident of Bay Roberts to volunteer to write an article on some live topic occasionally and send it to us for publication in The Guardian.

Mr. J. C. Pratt, of Bishop & Sons, had a letter this morning informing him of the great musical success with which Charles Lench is meeting in Toronto. Last week he sang in Massey Hall before over 4,000 people and scored an emphatic hit. He records much of his success to his early training while with Mr. Pratt in the M. G. B. Band.—Chronicle.

Chas. Lench, referred to above, is a son of Rev. Chas. Lench.—Editor.

To those whom it may concern: We beg to say that Mr. Wm. Jess Badoock did not send us the list of names of the ladies who took part in the tea meeting at Mercer's Cove School recently. Further, we wish to say that the suspicions and reflections cast on people who omit to include everybody and everything in sending an item of news to the Guardian are not creditable to a Christian community of people to say the least. Bad feelings and uncharitable thoughts are not in accord with the teachings of Christianity.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Acts directly and peculiarly on the blood; purifies, enriches and revitalizes it, and in this way builds up the whole system. Take it.

There is no "just-as-good" medicine. Insist on having Hood's. Get it today.

Another Letter in Reply to Lady Clerk

(Editor the Guardian).

Dear Sir,—Please permit me space in your paper to make a few remarks on the Lady Clerk's reply which appeared in your issue of Jan. 5th. In connection with the missing purse I am prepared to back all statements made by me, and positively declare the Lady Clerk's words were "I saw the purse lying on the counter." There was no one present at the time the accused ladies entered the said store but the woman who lost the purse and the clerk. No one applied for the purse the Lady Clerk means to say she saw on the counter. Who then did that purse belong to? Undoubtedly if that purse had been left there by mistake the owner would have returned for it on finding out their mistake. But we hear of no such occurrence, which leaves the statement made by the clerk on very flimsy footing.

The fact of the lady clerk being so anxious to find out who the two lady customers were would testify to a suspicion on her part concerning them. It was stated the purse could not walk through the door, neither could it go through the floor, and no one present but the two ladies referred to. We leave the public to judge what that meant.

With regard to reputation. We admit that when it struck the said clerk personally she felt the effects. But sorry to say she did not consider the reputation and humiliation of the two ladies concerned. Thanking you for space. Yours truly, ONE WHO WAS PRESENT

Obituary

Mr. Geo. King, a resident of Country Road, passed away on Monday evening last. He had been sick with Bright's disease for a long time. He leaves a wife and 7 children to mourn their loss. His funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at the Coley's Pt. Meth. Cemetery. Duke of Schomberg Lodge, of which deceased was a member, attended in a body.

After a protracted illness, Jessie, the beloved wife of Isaac Mercer, passed away at her mother's residence, Shearstown, on Monday last. The deceased, who had been residing in Boston for three years, returned from that place in August. She leaves a husband, one child, father and mother to mourn their loss. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon.

Gilmour Taken to St. John's

Operator Gilmour, who was found guilty of assault last week, was taken to St. John's by Constable Shepherd on Monday evening last. We understand that no appeal will be made from Judge Oke's decision, and Gilmour will be confined in the penitentiary until the fine imposed is paid. The fine and costs amount to about \$100, and we learn this amount is being raised by friends of the man.

Mr. E. Parsons, M. H. A., in the absence of Mr. A. W. Piccott, visited this section of the District on Thursday in connection chiefly with the snow blockade, having previously made a visit to St. John's and obtained some money.

In the case of Jas. Ryan vs. Michael Aspell, judgment was given by Judge Oke on Thursday in favour of the plaintiff. This action was taken by Ryan to recover \$15, the balance due him by Aspell for the hire of a trap.

Dr. and Mrs. Richards (nee Miss May Brown of Bonavista), who spent their honeymoon in town, left by Prosperous Greenpond on Tuesday. Dr. Richards is doing duty at Greenpond for Dr. Roberts, who has gone to England to take a post graduate course.—Enterprise.

Extra. Extra.

We have on hand an EXTRA good stock of Groceries, Dry Goods and Provisions.

Included in this stock are the following Goods—Sugar, Tea, Soap, Raisins, Currants, Beans, Peas, Rice, Biscuits, Dress Goods, Flannellette, Curtaine, Ladies' Motor Caps, Wool Squares, Men's and Women's Underclothing; Flour, Pork, Beef, Bread, Molasses, Butter, Cornmeal, Bran, Corn, Kerosene Oil, etc.

Boots. Boots.

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Women's New Fall Coats

In grey, brown, blue, green and black, neat tailored styles.

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Notice to Mariners

(No. 11, 1911) NEWFOUNDLAND.

Ragged Harbor, Trinity Bay,

renamed Melrose, under the Nomenclature Act of Newfoundland as per Notice published in the Royal Gazette, St. John's, dated June 18th, 1906.

Latitude 48° 27' N. Longitude 53° 05' W.

Approx.

Notice is hereby given that two Fixed White Lantern Lights are shown in line, from hoisting frames, painted white, erected in the settlement of Melrose for the guidance of fishing boats.

A. W. PICCOTT, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Department Marine and Fisheries, St. John's, Newfoundland, Nov. 27th, 1911. decl5,31

Notice to Mariners

(No. 12, 1911) NEWFOUNDLAND.

Flat Islands, Placentia Bay.

Latitude 47° 15' 27" N. Longitude 54° 53' 00" W.

Approx.

Notice is hereby given that a wood tower, square in plan, with sloping sides, has been erected at an elevation of 67 feet above high water mark on the Southern side of Davis' Island, from which an occulting white 6th order Dioptric Light with periods of 2 1/2 seconds light and 1 1/2 seconds dark, alternately, will be shown. This light will be put in operation during January, 1912.

The tower is 25 feet high from sill to focal plane, painted red and white horizontally; dome red, drum white, two red and one white bands under gallery.

N.B.—This light is established in the interests of fishing craft of the locality.

A. W. PICCOTT, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Department Marine and Fisheries, St. John's, Newfoundland, Dec. 2nd, 1911. decl5,31

Notice to Mariners

(No. 13, 1911) NEWFOUNDLAND.

Fortune, Fortune Bay

Latitude 47° 04' 30" N. Longitude 55° 50' 00" W.

Approx.

Notice is hereby given that a square wood tower painted white has been erected on the eastern pier of the Harbor of Fortune, at an elevation of 20 feet from which an occulting white 6th order Dioptric Light with periods of 2 1/2 seconds alternate light and dark will be shown.

This light will be put in operation about the end of Dec., 1911.

A. W. PICCOTT, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Department Marine and Fisheries, St. John's, Newfoundland, Dec. 2nd, 1911. decl5,31