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STUBBORN REAR GUARD ACTION ARMY GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS ENABLES RUSSIANS REFORM

Austro-Germans Across the Dniester--Big Battles Now Expected Along the Zlota Lipa River--Italians Enter Austrian Territory of South Riva.

London, June 29.—Berlin reports the fall of the Galician town of Halicz...

ports do not expect heavy fighting along that river. They express the opinion that the next serious battle...

for war purposes, one writer declaring the pronouns We and They as applied to distinguish the Government...

The River San now takes the place of the Dniester as the scene of sanguinary battle in the Russian effort to prevent the investment of Warsaw.

The reorganized Russian Cabinet have returned to Petrograd after a field conference with the Emperor and Grand Duke Nicholas.

Through passes of five thousand feet altitude, the Italians have entered the Austrian territory of South Riva, on the western side of Lake Garda.

Sir A. Markham Raises a Storm In British Commons

Asquith Assailed—Explanation Asked Certain Utterances

SPEECH AT NEWCASTLE

Respecting Supplies Ammunition For Britain and Allies

London, June 29.—Premier Asquith's authority for the statement in his speech at Newcastle on April 20th, that neither Britain nor her Allies was hampered by a lack of munitions...

His refusal to give any information on the subject was met with the assertion that his statement was absolutely without foundation.

Asquith's only reply was that Sir Arthur was raising just the sort of point which would be most desirable for both the interests of the army and the campaign to raise a larger output of munitions.

When the Premier refused to be drawn further, Sir Arthur blurted out, "Is it in the interests of the nation that the Prime Minister should make a statement which is absolutely without foundation?"

AMERICAN NOTE TO GERMANY

Respecting Claims of Owners and Capt. Wm. B. Frye--United States Claims Prize Court Proceedings Unnecessary and Unbinding--Germany No Right to Destroy Contraband and Ships of Neutrals.

Washington, June 29.—By agreement with the German Foreign Office the State Department made public tonight the text of the Note sent June 24, by the States, asking Germany to reconsider her refusal to settle by direct diplomatic negotiations...

Court proceedings are unnecessary and not binding upon the States. Aside from the question as to how indemnity should be paid, the Note brings out clearly the refusal of the States to accept the contention that Germany has a right to stop the carrying of contraband by American ships...

While no mention of submarine warfare is made, either in the last German Note, or the present reply, the occasion is taken to deny this right, because of the belief that admission of it now might in future be used as a justification for submarine attacks on American ships.

Germany Offers Favorable Reply American Note

Washington, June 29.—A favourable reply by Germany to the last American note regarding submarine warfare was indicated in to-day's State Department advices from Berlin. The advices came from Ambassador Gedard and were notable as, being the first of any definite nature received since the American note reached the German Foreign Office.

Respecting Mails From Holy See

Washington, June 29.—In a verbal Note presented to the State Department today the Italian Embassy asserted that Austrian-Hungarian postal authorities refused to receive or forward mails from the Holy See, even when bearing the official seal of the Cardinal Secretary of State.

Belgian Crops Reserved For Civilians

London, June 29.—Herbert C. Hoover, Chairman of the American Commission for the relief of Belgium, has concluded an agreement with General Von Bissing, the Military Governor of Belgium, providing that the wheat and rye crops in the zone occupied by the Germans shall be reserved for the civilian population.

FAVORABLE REPLY FROM GERMANY TO LAST U. S. NOTE

Foreshadowed by Official Despatch--Ambassador Gerard says that Berlin Atmosphere Favorable to Satisfactory Reply--Germany Will Not Make Any Concessions Affecting Use Submarines Against British Commerce.

Washington, June 29.—A favorable reply from Germany to the last Note from the States concerning submarine warfare and the sinking of the Lusitania was predicted in an official despatch from Ambassador Gerard, received at the State Department and transmitted to President Wilson at Cornish, New Hampshire.

The nature of the reply, was regarded as significant in official quarters here, where it was pointed out that the Ambassador's forecasts in the past had been conservative and consistent. Ambassador Gerard understands the German official purposes to be to make no concessions which will affect the use of the submarine as a means of warring on the commerce of Great Britain, but to propose some way by which American lives and legitimate interests will be safeguarded.

Officials here have no inkling as to the methods by which this object is to be attained, but from previous despatches from Berlin it is assumed that an arrangement will be suggested whereby German submarines would refrain entirely from attacks on ships of any nationality primarily used for passenger travel, while continuing to wage warfare on enemy ships devoted chiefly to transportation of contraband.

The fact that Ambassador Gerard took occasion to predict informally

Eye Witness With The German Army Describes the Scene

Of Awful Fight Between Neuville and Lovette Heights

HILL OF DEATH

Germans Call This Bloody Field Where Titan's Struggle

Paris, June 29.—An eye-witness with the German army in the region north of Arras, telegraphing a description of the fighting for Lorette Heights, every square foot of which is drenched with French and German blood, says that Germany's wall of iron and blood between Arras and Ypres is holding. It has bent a little, but has not broken nor even creaked under the terrific battering...

Today I looked into a veritable Hell of Death, as the little stretch of three or four miles between Neuville and the Heights of Lorette is called by the Germans. It deserves the name. In no other place in this war has there been such a merciless and desperate combat or has so much blood flowed to the square yard as in this spot.

Police Court

(C. H. Hutchings, K.C., J.P.) The girl Ryan from Turk's Cove, charged with attempted train wrecking at Woodfords, was remanded for 8 days.

A laborer of Baunerman St., drunk and disorderly in his own house, and threatening to hang himself, was also remanded for a week.

A 21-year-old laborer, of Casey St.—drunk—was fined one dollar or 3 days, and a drouthy fireman of Battery Road was discharged sober.

S.S. Meigle's Report

The S.S. Meigle arrived at Humbermouth at 6.45 p.m. yesterday, reporting as follows: "Made all ports of call to Battle Hr. Had E. winds and thick weather. Good fishing on both sides of the Straits, but great scarcity of salt." The Sagona arrived at Battle Hr. yesterday. She reports: "Arrived at Iron Bound Islands on the 25th; wind N.E., with thick weather all the trip north. Ice from 8 to 12 miles off Shore. Returning south from Domingo to Battle Hr. ice tight on land. Sign of fish and caplin at Snug Hr."

THE PATRIOT DEAD

ALL men must die, and short the day of each. Though miser-like a man may hoard his hours, Hugging his paltry pelf with all his powers, And clinging to existence like a leech, Ignoble he; his bones shall rot and bleach Like carrion—all his life he fears and cow'rs—Far different the soul that God-tick tows On Freedom's heights, where nothing base can reach! Sing the Patriot Dead, who, side by side, Fall on the field of honor, laying down The treasures of their lives in simple pride And meriting the martyrs' rubied crown. Sweet comes their death—the death that they defied—And, through the ages, glorious their renown. —Father James B. Dollard in Register-Extension.

RUSSIAN COURAGE STILL GLOWING

Loss of Lemberg and Other Galician Towns Are Matters of No Moment--Austro-German Losses Very Great, Russian Estimates Seven Hundred and Eighty Thousand.

London, June 29.—The Russian armies are neither beaten nor downhearted, according to a correspondent of the Times, in reviewing the six weeks Teutonic advance, after a visit to the Russian headquarters.

of Austrians they still encounter the same stubborn army as before, which is willing to keep fighting for years if necessary. The Germans must continue pouring in fresh troops in order to hold their positions or if they take them away to defend the other frontiers, the whole edifice of the Austrian defensive will collapse.

General Ivanoff, Commander of the Southern armies, shows no trace of despondency. In discussing the present situation, the correspondent says the view is held here that the capture of Lemberg and other Galician successes have brought the Austro-Germans no nearer a solution of the war. In spite of their enormous losses, which are estimated at 330,000 Germans, and probably an equal number

The Russian point of view is that they can retreat and advance again indefinitely, caring little for the moral effect of the loss of a town, as long as they are constantly weakening their adversaries and preventing a trench deadlock such as exists on the Western and Warsaw fronts.

German Diplomats Discuss at Vienna Balkan Question

Berlin, June 29.—The visit of Chancellor Von Bethmann Hollweg and Foreign Minister von Jagow to Vienna was not caused by any change in the political situation, according to the Frankfurter Zeitung, but was made merely for the purpose of discussing questions bearing upon the efforts of the Entente Powers to win over the Balkan States.

To Introduce Registration Bill In the Commons

London, June 29.—The Bill for National Register, which will be introduced in the Commons today will propose, according to the Times, that women be included in the register. This Bill, which is to be introduced into the House by Walter Hume Long, President of the Local Government Board, provides for the registration of National Resources.

Italy Will Participate in Dardanelles Struggle

Berlin, June 29.—The Italian newspapers are jubilant, says the Overseas News Agency, over the announcement that Italy is to participate in the operations against the Dardanelles by sending her fleet, under the Duke of Abruzzi, to release the larger British warships for important work elsewhere.

Allan Liner Bringing Troops Arrives in England

Montreal, June 29.—The Allan liner Corsican which left here June 19th, arrived in England yesterday afternoon. She carried the 36th Battalion and reinforcements for the 55th which was recruited about Sussex, N.B. and Prince Edward Island and from the 34th of London.

Trawlers Seen Towing Submarine

Montreal, June 29.—The Allan liner Grampan, which arrived here this morning, reported that when off the Irish Coast she passed three British trawlers making their way to port, towing a German submarine which was floating keel up. The undersea craft was floating too low for her number to be made out. Where the submarine was captured or under what circumstances, no one had any idea.

Submarine Gets French Barque

London, June 29.—The French barque Dumfriesshire, which sailed from San Francisco on January 22nd, for Dublin, with a cargo of barley, was sunk today by a German submarine. The crew landed at Milford Haven.

WEATHER REPORT

Toronto (noon) — Fresh winds, shower. Cape Race (9.30 a.m.) — Wind East North East, strong; nothing passed in this morning. Roper's (noon) — Bar 29.30; Ther. 44.

The Carranza Dog Has the Bone

Washington, June 28.—An official announcement of the occupation of Mexico City by Carranza troops under General Gonzale, reached the State Department to-day.

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## PROSPECTS OF WAR WITH MEXICO CAUSE OF BRYAN'S RESIGNATION

Intervention of States Before Christmas is Expected in  
Washington Circles

INCURABLE OPTIMISM PREVAILS THAT  
GERMAN REPLY WILL BE SATISFACTORY

Winner of Decisive Battle Between the Factional Leaders  
in Mexico is Likely To Be Given Sixty Days  
To Establish Stable Government

Washington, D.C., June 14.—Is the United States Government resolved to intervene in Mexico? It must not be forgotten that Mr. Bryan, on accepting office as Secretary of State, pledged himself that there would be no war during his administration. Both he and the President display an incurable and inexplicable optimism concerning the differences with Germany. They would be utterly confounded if the Kaiser should return a sharp or an insolent answer to the Lusitania Note, and compel military action. It is clear, in view of this amazing confidence in the good faith of a Hohenzollern, that Mr. Bryan did not fear war from this quarter. Mexico is a different case. It is believed by well-informed men that the United States will be in Mexico—for good or ill—before Christmas. Little hope is drawn from the issue of the Note of warning sent to Carranza and Villa recently. The United States Consul in Mexico is credited with the prophecy that the replies of both generals will be conciliatory in tone but evasive in phraseology. Carranza will ask that he be not required to answer until his military campaign against the Villista armies is completed. Meantime he believes he ought to be "recognized" by the United States. Each of the parties is sending special envoys to Washington.

**Mr. Bryan's Discovery.**

Meanwhile a new cause of trouble has arisen. Two Americans, charged with making and circulating counterfeit money, have been arrested by Villa and sentenced to death. The State Department, under Mr.

Lansing's direction, has announced to Villa that summary action must not be taken. The consul at Juarez and at Chihuahua are commissioned to demand a stay of execution until because of the European war, Canadians have lost sight of the fact that the Mexican situation is worse than it has even been, and that it is complicated by the existence of famine in the district surrounding Mexico City. Red Cross officials from the United States are conducting relief work—but under difficulties. Neither Carranza nor Villa is willing to give assurance that relief supplies will not be seized for military purposes. Some weeks ago President Wilson sent Mr. Duval West to Mexico as a special commissioner to investigate and report. This interim report was telegraphed here last week, and Mr. West is expected to arrive in Washington soon. It is believed that the facts had such a grave complexion that Mr. Bryan saw an imminent danger of intervention and discovered that the time for his departure was at hand.

**Probable Procedure.**

The procedure is likely to be somewhat as follows: A decisive battle is imminent between Carranza and Villa. The winner will be instructed by President Wilson that he will be allowed 60 days in which to establish a stable Government and put an end to factious disturbance. If he fails—which is altogether likely, the United States will send in troops to reorganize the Government.

This course of action, of course, presupposes that Germany will be pliant and will give no cause for the severance of diplomatic relations.

es were 100,000 and the Germans 750,000. We had to keep moving back very quickly, as their cavalry followed us up so closely.

**For 72 Hours**

"We marched and fought for about 72 hours with hardly anything to eat or drink. On the morning of the 25th, about 2 o'clock, we gave our horses a feed and tumbled down ourselves, too tired to eat. About 4 o'clock our scouts came in to say the Germans were almost on us in very strong force. We got into action again about 5 a.m. outside a village called La Chat-eau. The sights I saw that day I will never forget as long as I live. We opened fire on them and mowed them down in hundreds, but they still kept coming on. About 11 a.m. we were surprised to see our cavalry come flying back, then the stretchers began coming in with our poor fellows. At this point I don't know how any of our artillery escaped. I did not think any of us would get through.

## Open Exposition To Help Temperance

An unique exposition, held with the object of illustrating to parishioners and especially to school children, the deadly results of intemperance, was opened yesterday by His Grace Archbishop Bruchesi in the hall of the School of St. Jean de la Croix, 21 St. Zoticque street.

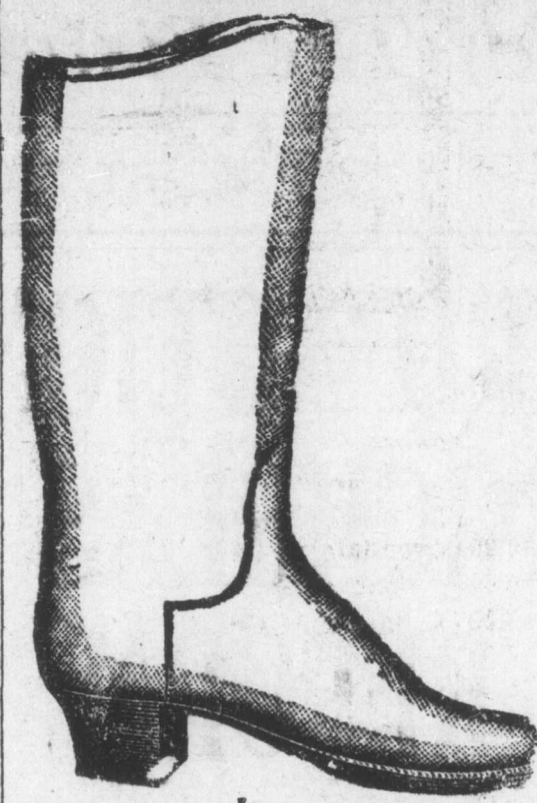
His Grace said that a special committee had been organized with the idea of showing in all schools and parishes of the diocese, charts, diagrams, pictures, etc. to impress clearly on all—young and old—the danger of intoxicating liquors on the human system. "Alcohol is the great enemy of our race, of our parishes, of our societies," declared his Grace; and the sordidly zoophilic Grace; and his words have been reproduced on banners stretched across the hall where the exposition is being held.

The exposition is open until Tuesday next, and each day lectures will be delivered on various phases of the liquor question by the temperance leaders of the city.

The special organizing committee is composed as follows: Judge Lafontaine, the Rev. Abbe A. J. Prefontaine, the Rev. J. Drainville, the Rev. E. Brodeur, the Rev. Abbe H. Papineau, and the Rev. J. L. Beau-soliel.

We are getting square with the Germans by rounding them up.

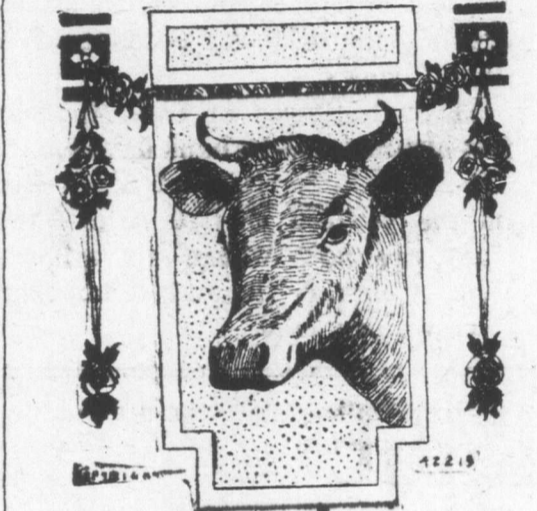
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## German Attitude Towards Belgium

London, June 16.—A "neutral observer," who has been visiting Germany has written a series of articles today declares that it is the almost universal belief of German people that Belgium will remain German and that the Belgian Congo will become a German possession.

The writer says that since the occupation of Belgium by the Germans it is estimated that Germany has taken \$1,250,000,000 worth of property of all kinds, including raw materials and manufactured products, as war indemnities out of Belgium.

"Revolvers made in Belgium," the writer continues, "are now a part of the regular German equipment. The bayonets and swords now used in the German armies are almost exclusively of Belgian manufacture, while it is intended, when the need arises, to take the overhead wiring in Belgium to make good the copper shortage in Germany."

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Victoria	50.00
Victoria Cove	20.00
Walton's Cove	10.00
Ward's Harbor	15.00
Waterford Bridge	10.00
Wellman's Cove	15.00
West Bay Port au Port	10.00
Western Bay	45.00
Western Bay North	10.00
Western Point, LaPoile	15.00
Western Head	10.00
Westport	30.00
Whale's Brook	10.00
Whitbourne	50.00
White Bay	10.00
White Rock	24.00
Wild Bight	18.00
Wild Cove	10.00
Williamsport	10.00
Winter Brook	10.00
Winter Houses	10.00
Winterton	40.00
Witless Bay	120.00
Wood's Island	24.00
Wood's Island Harbor	15.00
Woody Head Cove, St. George's	10.00
Woody Island	24.00
York Harbor	15.00
New Offices and Increase	1,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$28,354.00</b>

LABRADOR—Salaries	
Mail Agent, S.S. Kyle	\$300.00
Mail Agent, S.S. Invermore	300.00
Mail Agent, Labrador, S.S. Stella Maris	200.00
Batteau	10.00
Battle Harbor	100.00
Black Island	10.00
Black Tickle	10.00
Blanc Sablon	90.00
Bolster's Rock	10.00
Cape Charles	10.00
Cape Harrison	10.00
Cape North	10.00
Carwright	20.00
Chateau	12.00
Chimney Tickle	10.00
Conduct Bight	10.00
Davis's Inlet	10.00
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Domino	12.00
Lou'le Island	10.00
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Baie Verte and Tilt Cove	465.00
Baie Hr. Fox Cove, Bay L'Argent	170.00
Bank Head and Railway	60.00
Barr'd Island, Joe Batt's	80.00
Bartlett's Hr. and New Ferrole	104.00
Battle Harbor and Blanc Sablon	150.00
Battle Harbor and Lond Pond, Seal Islands	160.00
Bauline and Pouch Cove	75.00
Bay Bulls and Railway	60.00
Bay de Verde and Old Perlican	300.00
Bay du Nord and Bay D'Est	45.00
Bay Roberts and Railway	220.00
Bear Cove, Westport	100.00
Belburns and Daniel's Hr.	50.00
Bell Island and Bell Island Mines and Beach	300.00
Bell Island and Lance Cove	200.00
Birchy Head and Woody Point	60.00
Bishop's Falls and Railway	280.00
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Black Island, Kir's Cove and Exploits	104.00
Black River, Swift Current and Sound Island	78.00
Blaketown and Railway	30.00
Blanc Sablon and St. Modeste	120.00
Bloomfield and Musgrave	52.70
Boat Harbor, Parker's Cove and Baine Harbor	100.00
Bona and Presque	40.00
Bonavista and Cape Shore	96.00
Bonavista and Catalina	50.00
Bonavista and Elliston	250.00
Bonavista and Railway	100.00
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### By Wireless

Domino—Fresh, East, foggy; loose ice.

Grady—Fresh, North East, cloudy; no ice in sight.

Battle Hr.—Fresh, North East, cloudy, light open ice everywhere.

Venison Island—Fresh N. E., cloudy; open ice everywhere moving to the Southwest.

American Tickle—Light, North, cloudy; heavy open ice distant.

### Fishery News

Lamalaine—Wind N.E., fresh; no fish.

Catalina—Strong N.E. winds; loose ice passing South; all traps taken up; caplin enough for bait and good sign of fish.

St. Mary's—Traps one to ten; caplin plentiful.

### 'Kyle's' Passengers

The S.S. Kyle arrived at Basques at 7 this a.m., bringing A. A. Burgess, H. M. Bristol, Jas. Richards, A. Brazil, A. A. King, B. King and Miss M. Whiteford.

### Florizel Arrives

The S.S. Florizel, 2 days from Charlottetown, arrived this morning to Harvey & Co. with a full cargo and the following passengers:—W. J. Ellis, Percie Johnson, Dr. Perkins, Hon. Jas. Angel, John Angel, W. A. Ellis, H. Ellis, John Cooney, P. F. Molloy, Misses O'Reilly (2), Cooney, Charles and McQuillan.

### Celebration Notes

At 1 p.m., to-day His Excellency Monsignor Stagni, His Grace Archbishop Roche, the visiting Bishops and Priests had luncheon at the Presentation Convent, Cathedral Square.

The girl pupils of the city Convents at 4 p.m. will give a concert in the Casino Theatre at which dignitaries above mentioned will be present.

There will be a dinner in the Episcopal Library at 7 p.m. and at 8 p.m., weather permitting, the citizens and societies demonstration through the city will occur.

### Train Notes

Sunday's west bound express arrived on time at Basque yesterday.

Yesterday's left Glenwood at 8.25 a.m.

The incoming express left Basque at 8.35 a.m.

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### Man Drowned

Deputy Minister of Justice Hutchings had a message from Magistrate Cook at Fogo reading:—"James Ellsworth's boat from Carmanville capsized off Brimstone Head this morning. Out of a crew of four men Esau Shelley was drowned, others saved."

### VOLUNTEERS

The following names were added to the Roll yesterday bringing the number up to 2003:

Jan Vall, St. John's  
Jas. A. Kyall, St. John's  
Wm. Eagan St. John's  
Bernard Martin, St. John's  
M. J. Tobin, St. John's  
Jno. S. Dunn, Grand Falls  
Alfred White, St. Joseph's  
Edgar Boone, Botwood  
Hy. O'Reilly, St. George's  
Albert A. Corbin, Bay of Islands

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**CURRENT PRICE OF GODFISH**

**Lorenzo Noseworthy vs William A. Munn**  
Supreme Court

(George Noseworthy, continued)

I can get Winter's receipt now, that is the receipt given me by Delaney when I delivered the fish. It is for 40 odd qtls fish. The receipt is now at Steer's. It is the same receipt given me by Delaney for the fish on Labrador. Steer's are holding it. I am not settled up with Winter for that fish yet. I went there last fall. This action was then pending and I went to Winters to get settled up. I asked what they were getting to give me on settling up and they told me \$3.60. I said I would not take that. They said that is all they would give. So I took the receipt back. I gave it to Steer to hold over until I wanted it. I have not paid it over to Steer. The exact amount I turned into Winter was 44 qtls I think. I don't rightly remember; it is on the receipt. I don't know if there is anything on the receipt with regard to the price per qtl. The paper given me by Delaney was not an order on Winter to pay me so much money; it was a receipt. I had no other dealings with Winter except this particular sale of fish, and the receipt at Steer's is the receipt for the fish I delivered to Winters' Agent at Bateau. I will produce the receipt this forenoon.

Re-examined by Mr. Mews on behalf of the plaintiff, the witness said as follows:

I do not remember the price of fish first mentioned in 1913. The year before last the price for fish was \$4.80. There was a bonus given that year, and the bonus and all went in together at the settling up time, and everyone got paid alike. Mr. Templeman gave that bonus in the beginning. \$4.30 was the price and the bonus was 40 cents, that is \$4.70. When bonuses were given I got them as well as other fishermen. I never knew but every fisherman on the Labrador got the one price for the Labrador fish, so far as my experience goes; every fisherman would be dissatisfied if he did not. When I was paid off by Lorenzo Noseworthy I was paid at the rate of \$3.60. As to whether I was satisfied with that or not, I had to be satisfied as it was all we could get. We took the money, I left money to pay law expenses. We were not satisfied but we had to take it as we could then get no more.

Cross-examined by Mr. Howley on behalf of the defendant the witness said as follows:

If one man got a bonus every man got it. I never got a bonus which some of my neighbors did not get, so far as I know. I never knew of any of my neighbors getting a bonus which I did not get. All the people in the locality were selling to the same people on the same terms. It may be that men in my harbour were selling at a bonus which men in a harbour 10 miles away were selling without a bonus.

I don't know if that man selling without a bonus, would get the bonus when settling up; all I know is what I did myself, and what I know about after 40 years experience. I don't know of any man who did not contract for a bonus ever getting it. Certainly the people who got the bonus were the people who sold at a bonus. The people who sold for a bonus got it, and if they sold without any mention of a bonus they got it, because the bonus was all thrown in as last season. I do not know that last season was the only year in which the price was levelled up to the price plus bonus. So far as I know that did not happen before.

I do not remember the conditions that existed in 1901 with regard to the fishery, I have no learning. I do not remember what that price was. I don't remember what happened that year. I don't know that Kennedy fixed his price at \$3.50 in 1901 or 1902. I don't remember what the current price was in 1901. I don't remember if Kennedy bought fish at a fixed price of \$3.50 in 1901, that was higher than the current price. The current price was always the highest price. If it ever happened that the current price was not the highest price I may not remember it. I might not have the memory to remember it. I will say I always got the highest price given on the Labrador and we call that the current price, unless as is sometimes given 10 or 15 cents bonus on fish to send a vessel away in a hurry; perhaps I did not get that. I never in any year sold some fish with a bonus and some without. To my knowledge I don't think I ever did. I always sold on the same terms. If I had a bonus on one lot I had it on all. I don't know that I ever sold some fish with a bonus and some without. I never got two prices on my fish.

Cross-examined by Mr. Howley:—  
I now produce the receipt given me by Delaney which I have obtained from Steer. I am not at liberty to put the original in evidence. This is the receipt for the fish delivered by my son William to T. & M. Winter. I have now no control of that receipt. The receipt reads as follows:—"Bateau, Labrador; October 10th., 1914. Received from William Noseworthy 43 quintals Labrador codfish at current price. Signed T. & M. Winter, per P. J. Boehan." On the back is written in red ink "Deduct from this receipt cash order for \$5.00. Signed P. J. Boehan."

My son William is about 30 years old. He was fishing with me last summer, and all his lifetime. He is with me as a partner. The fish put off to Winter in his name is my fish the same as the fish put off to Munn. I went myself to Winter's agent with this fish. The fish was delivered to Winter by me. My son William took the fish to Winter's agent at Bateau and shipped it; I was there. My son made the arrangement with Winter's agent as to taking that fish and as to what was to be paid for it. My son shipped the fish and got the receipt. I sent the fish in the vessel and my son shipped it off.

Re-examined by Mr. Mews on behalf of the plaintiff the witness said:  
I have not settled up with Winter yet because I was not satisfied with \$3.60. I went there to settle up and when they told me they would give only \$3.60 I took the receipt back again.

The above examination was taken before me at St. John's on the 12th day of May, 1915, the witness having been first duly sworn, and the said evidence was read over by me to him, and signed by him.

June 4, 1915.

William Gosse, examined by A. B. Morine, K.C. on behalf of the plaintiff, said as follows:—

I live in Spaniard's Bay. I have a fishing establishment at Horse Hr., Labrador. I have been connected with the Labrador fishery for 25 years. I am on the Labrador every year. I shipped my fish last year to G. & M. Goss. I have done that for several years. I have always shipped my fish to them, but I have shipped some to C. & A. Dawe. G. & M. Goss have been doing business for a long while, but I don't know whether they have done it for 25 years or not. In the receipts given me by G. & M. Goss the term "current price" has never been used, but at the end of the season I would get the current price; that was the understanding. During the time I have shipped to G. & M. Goss I have also shipped some to C. & A. Dawe. In the receipts from C. & A. Dawe the term "current price" was used. For those receipts, when I came to settle up at the end of the season, I always got whatever was given on any part of the Labrador shore; I mean I always got the highest price. The highest price exclusively of bonus given for a steamer cargo price. It would include any other bonus given on the shore. No longer than two years ago, on coming from the Labrador C. & M. Goss paid us off at two payments, so as to reach up to the highest price given. That year there was a 40c bonus given—I think by Templeman. Goss first gave us what other people had been giving, and afterwards he gave us the 40c bonus; that made the price \$4.70.

At that time the general price given was \$4.30 and we got that price first. Then when the 40c bonus was given we also got paid that, which made the price \$4.70. I have known two kinds of bonuses to be given on Labrador, one, a general bonus; and the other a special bonus for a steamer. On settling up the general bonus was added to the common price, but the special bonus was not added. I have received 10c on a steamer from C. & A. Dawe to rush that steamer. That 10 cents being over the general price paid, but I have always got for my fish (and I have always known as far as my knowledge goes) whatever price was given over the shore; the highest price was the highest price given for Labrador fish with the exception of a private bonus of 10c or 20c on a steamer. In the case of sailing vessels, in my experience the same thing followed on right through; the highest price was exclusive of bonus. Some that doubted it had it marked on their receipts; others trusted to the man who promised the bonus and would not have it marked on their receipts, but they received it just the same.

As far as I am concerned myself, and as far as my knowledge goes about anyone else in the vicinity where I fished, the highest price given, on Labrador, bonus included, with exception of steamer, or sailing vessel bonus, always became current price. I have received it myself and every one else I have been acquainted with received it.

Cross-examined by Howley K.C. on behalf of the defendant, the witness said as follows:—  
I have been fishing on the Labrador for 25 years; fishing all my lifetime. To my knowledge I have never known of a fixed price being paid on

**T. H. Steele Tells of the Trip on the Saxonia**

Landing Camp, Eng. May 31st, 1915.

Dear Mother.—I wrote you on our departure from Halifax. We had a great send-off from the people of that place and I think they are worthy of all the praise we can give them. As we steamed down the Harbour crowds cheered us from every ship and pier. And so our journey to helmet land began. We enjoyed life on board the Cunard liner "Saxonia". The weather was ideal and only a few of the twenty-three hundred of us were sick. Of course, I was not one of them. That would scarcely do for an old Tar like me. There were two battalions of us on board, ours and the 22nd, a French-Canadian battalion from Amherst, N.S. We had boxing and rope-climbing tournaments and plenty of good reading matter was given us to pass the time, which went all too quickly. We arrived at Plymouth on Saturday morning and were escorted into the Harbour by two torpedo boats which met us off the Irish coast. Plymouth is a very important naval base and one of the prettiest places I ever saw.

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We had a glimpse of Windsor Castle as we went along. As we passed the various stations, the people cheered us and everybody shouted "Hurrah for Canada." We arrived at our depot at 10 o'clock that night, donned our packs and marched to camp, a distance of four and a half miles. On our arrival there lunch awaited us, having been provided by the 24th battalion. There are many things to tell you about this place, but I must not prolong my letter unduly. I shall write again soon.

Give my kindest regards to all the family and my friends.

From you affectionately,  
T. H. STEELE.

[The writer of the above is a son of Mrs. Albert Dale, of Northern Bay, Bay de Verde. He is serving with the Canadians at Landing Camp, near Hythe, England. Another son is with the Newfoundland Regiment.]

**OBITUARY**

**JOSEPH BURT.**  
There passed peacefully away at Elliston on June 17th, Joseph Burt, a devoted member of the Good Templars Association. We, the members of the I.O.G.T. wish to express our sincerest sympathy with the mourning relatives in their bereavement.

SAMSON G. A. COLES, Secretary.

**JOSEPH SQUIRES**  
We regret to chronicle the death of Friend Squires at the ripe age of 78 years. He enjoyed good health up to about a week before his death. He was a good Unionist and universally respected. To his bereaved wife we tender our sympathy.

HERRING NECK L. C.  
June 18, 1915.


**ANTIDOTE TO GASES.**

The use by the Germans of poisonous gases have caused some experiments to be made with antidotes and demonstrations are to take place this week at Bartsfeld. Prof. Carl Harless, courtesy of the Royal Military College, has the matter in hand.

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the Labrador that exceeded the current price. I have no knowledge of a year in which the current price was \$4.30 and a bonus of 30 cents was paid, it was not down on the part of the shore where I fished. I have known fishermen to get two different prices for fish in the one season. I have been paid two different prices myself before I was finally settled. I have never sold my fish and got paid for some at one price and some more at a different price. I have never heard of that being done; that is down where I fished. There have been cases where some fish was brought at a bonus and some without a bonus, but that has been in the case of steamer's fish, not on other fish to my knowledge. I am speaking of my own knowledge and the knowledge of cases in the vicinity where I fished. What I said to Mr. Morine was spoken with the limit of that knowledge also. I have always fished in the same place, Horse Cove. I was fishing there last year.

(To be continued)



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