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Notice to Fishermen.

On the 13th June, 1922, the Government reduced the Export Tax on Fish, viz: Cod, Haddock, Hake, Ling, Pollack and Halibut, dried or otherwise preserved.

On the 17th November, 1922, the Government removed the export tax altogether from the above named fish, and the amount paid as export tax was to be paid the Exporters and they to repay the fishermen.

This was found impossible because the Exporters could not be sure of whose fish was exported and whose was not, so on the 22nd January, 1923, the Government decided to pay 10 cents per quintal to all fishermen who actually caught any of the above named fish, provided he produced a receipt or certificate where it could be proven that the fish was sold between the 13th day of June, 1922, and the 17th day of November, 1922, both days inclusive, and thereby was entitled to the 10 cents per quintal that the Government had decided to give.

The following Committee:—
H. V. HUTCHINGS, ESQ.,
Asst. Deputy Minister of Customs,
W. H. CAVE,
Minister of Shipping,
HON. W. W. HALFYARD,
Minister of Posts and Telegraphs,
HON. ELI DAWE,
A. W. PICCOTT, ESQ.,
ROBERT PIKE, ESQ.,

under the direction of H. W. LeMessurier, Esq., Deputy Minister of Customs, has been appointed to go into the payment of this refund. As this work represents the payment of 10 cents per quintal on somewhere near one million quintals of fish to about twenty or twenty-five thousand fishermen, it must be understood that the payment of such a sum to such a number will take time. Therefore, for the guidance of the fishermen, and to facilitate the work and quick payment, the following is requested of those who are entitled to receive payment:

1st—Have you sold any fish either for cash, barter or credit of your

account to anyone between the 13th day of June, 1922, and the 17th day of November, 1922, both days inclusive.

2nd—If you have the original receipt from the person to whom you sold fish, with the purchaser's address, forward it to the Secretary.

3rd—If you have no receipt, get a sworn statement from the person to whom you sold the fish, stating the date of sale and quantity sold, with the name and address of the purchaser.

4th—A Shareman applying for repayment must get an account of the total catch as landed and sold and in each case a record of the vessel, and the name and address of each man composing the crew, so that he may get the payment direct for himself.

Owing to the large number of fishermen involved, the first payment will not be made until March 10th, and it will be for receipts received up to February 25th.

Second payment will be made April 10th and will be for receipts received up to March 25th.

Third payment will be made May 10th, and will be for receipts received up to April 25th.

Fourth payment will be made June 10th, and will be for receipts received up to May 25th.

Fifth payment will be made July 10th, and will be for receipts received up to June 25th.

Sixth payment will be made August 10th, and will be for receipts received up to July 25th.

Last payment will be made September 10th, after which date the accounts will be closed and no further applicants will be considered.

Positively no payments will be made other than on dates named, and it is useless for anyone to bring receipts to the office and expect payment.

Save time and expense by NOT coming, but address all communications to

H. V. HUTCHINGS,
Asst Deputy Minister of Customs,
St. John's,
H. W. LeMessurier,
Deputy Minister of Customs.

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The Need and the Challenge

Editor The Guardian.

Dear Sir—Allow me space in your esteemed paper to state a few facts and ask a few questions about this country in which we live.

Long we have heard the slogan, "The people for the country!" and right it is. No place should be so dear as the land of one's birth—her hopes, aims, losses and failures should have a place in the heart of every patriot. Suppose we change that quotation and let it read not "the people for the country," but rather "the country for the people." And, in developing let us be foursquare, mentally, physically, socially and spiritually.

How many imports do we use which could be manufactured right here in the district of Hr. Grace? This would mean employment for our young men and women for they would be working in their native land and Newfoundland would profit by the money being earned and spent in the country.

What about agricultural resources lying stagnant? Great tracts of land are barren and bare when they should be laden with produce. How many thousands of dollars are sent from the country year after year when a little planning and expenditure might keep them in!

Look again to the mineral wealth which is so undeveloped! Note the success which has marked the work of the companies who have "kept at it" and finally made deals which has brought a living to thousands. But there are greater resources which have been left untouched. A country must go forward or backward—it cannot stand still. I have noticed that there are but seven ships going "to the ice" this spring and when has the Labrador fishery been operated on such a small scale?

We look for an answer to these difficulties which face us and inevitably turn to the heads of Government. And to these leaders of the country comes the challenge of looking for greater things than the past has ever known and making them possible! Let the slogan be: The country for the people—Newfoundland for Newfoundlanders.

Yours truly,
Terra Nova.
Ray Roberts,
Feb. 22nd, 1923.

A Japanese papermaker has produced a paper so durable that it may be used for the covering of umbrellas. A thousand other uses have been suggested. It can be crumpled up and washed in the tub same as fabric. It is not to be confused with oiled paper.

THE LAUGH LINE.

Obeying Orders

Porter: "Now my lad what are you walking about the platform for?"

Young Scout: "Please sir, that bill says 'LOOK OUT FOR PICK-POCKETS,' and I'm looking out!"

A Real Surprise

"Where are you goin', ma?" asked the youngest of five children.

"I'm going to a surprise party, my dear," answered the mother.

"Are we all goin' too?"

"No, dear, you weren't invited."

After a few minutes deep thought: "Say ma, then don't you think they'd be lots more surprised if you did take us all?"—Pearsons Weekly.

A FELLOW FEELING

No more independent folk are to be found anywhere than the Yorkshire moorland dwellers. And drunkenness and fighting are considered excusable sins among them. A man brought before a local justice of the peace charged with drunkenness and assault was given the following sentence by the magistrate: "Noo then, for t' assault we'll find you a shilling and costs. As for t' drunkenness, we'll say nowt about it, as we get drunk 'oursels."

Something Different.

A boy had picked a bower in the botanical gardens in defiance of the rules of the society. His mother, a stately and somewhat pompous dame approached one of the keepers, leading the culprit with one hand and holding forth the flower in the other, and in solemn tones said: "This is the delinquent."
"No, beg your pardon, ma'am," replied the civil official, "that there's a polyanthus."

Sixty Thousand Drug Addicts in Canada

According to statistics presented at a council meeting of the Council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Manitoba, Canada has some 60,000 drug addicts. Bootlegging of narcotics is declared to be prevalent with drugs costing \$4 an ounce, retailing at from \$50 to \$100 an ounce.

Grafting of Pig's Eye Restores Sight

Dr. Edward B. Morgan, of Paterson, N. J. on January 23 grafted portions of a pig's eye to the eye of Alfred Lemanowicz, in an effort to restore the seventeen-year-old boy's sight. The operation has been pronounced a success, young Lemanowicz declaring that he can distinguish between light and darkness.

He Forgot.

"Where is the car?" demanded Mrs. Diggs.

"Dear me!" ejaculated Professor Diggs. "Did I take the car out?"

"You certainly did! You drove it to town."

"How odd! I remember now that after I got out I turned around to thank the gentleman who gave me the lift and wondered where he had gone."

An Ignorant Bunch.

A regular reader sends this one the origin unknown: The prosecuting attorney had encountered a somewhat difficult witness. Finally he asked the man if he was acquainted with any of the men of the jury. "Yes, sir," announced the witness, "more than half of them." "Are you willing to swear that you know more than half of them?" demanded the lawyer. "Why, if it comes to that, I'm willing to say that I know more than all of them put together."

TRADE NOTES.

Codfish.—The foreign markets showed no improvement last week in respect of prices. The export of codfish from several firms were sent from St. John's totalled 37,780 qtls.

Codliver Oil.—The exports this past week were 3,615 gallons to Boston. The market continues good and the highest price for the year are being paid in Boston. The immediate future of the market as regards the 1923 price holding to the present levels depends largely on the Norwegian catch of fish now in progress. The holdings of 1922 oil in Newfoundland are now very low.

Flour.—Caused by a bill passing in the U. S. A. Senate will likely mean an advance in the price of flour. The local wholesale price of flour, leading brands, remains at \$9.10.

Molasses.—The new season is opening at Barbados. Several Newfoundland schooners there awaiting cargoes have been ordered elsewhere. This is caused by the sudden jumping from 43 cents to 48 cents per wine gallon. As this fishery does not promise to demand large supplies the merchants have no wish to stock up at advanced prices.

Toes Went up in Smoke.

It was cold the other day when Mrs. Hugo Moats, of Harrisville, Va. sat down before an open gas fire to warm her feet. A few minutes later she was startled by an explosion, which, she says, tore off the tip of one of her shoes. Her toes were, so badly injured that amputation was necessary. Mrs. Moats has filed suit in Circuit Court for \$5,000 charging that the manufacturer used celluloid instead of leather in the inner lining of the shoe.

Easy to Explain.

"Did I understand you to say, sir, that you have a wife and six children living in Glasgow and had never seen one of them?"

"Yes, sir; I so stated it."

Another and longer pause of silence.

Then the interrogator again inquired:

"How can that be, sir, that you never saw one of them?"

"Why," was the response, "one of them was born after I left."

Nothing except a battle lost can be half so melancholy as a battle won.—Duke of Wellington.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Constantinople, Feb. 26.—Russia will come to the aid of Turkey if the latter is attacked by the Western Powers, it is declared by M. Orloff, Soviet representative here, in a published interview. The Turkish and Red Armies are watching, arms in hand, he said.

London, Feb. 26.—The various inter-Allied conferences held in London and Paris during December and January on reparations and inter-Allied debts, culminating in the disagreement of January 4, formed the subject of a blue book issued to-day. The report shows how the Allies unsuccessfully endeavoured to bridge the difference between Great Britain and France. The breaking point apparently was reached on January 3, says the book, when Prime Minister Bonar Law's reply to Premier Poincare said the difference between them was one fact, and he believed it was best to get the most money they could from Germany and not attempt to get as much as they would like. Bonar Law pointed out that the information in his possession showed Germany on the point of industrial collapse "and indeed in my opinion it would be contrary to the whole experience of history and the view of all economists if such terrible inflation as has been going on there is not followed by the biggest crisis seen in almost any country. I am afraid lest that crash be precipitated." After adjournments and resumption of negotiations the final break came on January fourth, when M. Poincare made it clear he was unable to modify his opinion, stating that the British proposals were tantamount to complete upsetting of the Treaty of Versailles, and the respective view points of the two Governments were absolutely irreconcilable. Bonar Law thereupon handed in a note asserting that if the French proposals were carried into effect, "they will not only fail of attaining the desired results, but are likely to have grave and even disastrous effect upon the economic situation of Europe." M. Poincare submitted a note expressing regret that France was unable to accept the British proposals, at the same time thanking the British Government for its friendly statements and expressing assurance of a continuance of friendly and cordial relations between the two countries.

Halifax, Feb. 26.—Germany for the first time on Saturday morning heard a program of music from the United States, transmitted by radio. The experimental station at Secof picked up the voice of Miss Bennett singing in a Newark, New Jersey, Department store.

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Halifax, Feb. 26.—It was the Lunenburg Outfitting Company's schooner, "Hilma" Pauline, 80 tons, from Turk's Island, with salt for Lunenburg, which was abandoned, and whose crew was rescued by the steamer Storvic, February 22, and not the steamer Helena Tooline as previously reported, according to corrective advice to-day to C. H. Harvey, Marine and Fisheries agent here. The Pauline was built at Mahone Bay in 1919.

New Battleships Called After Great Seamen.

The names selected for the two new British battleships which were laid down in December will be the Rodney and Nelson.

THE STARVATION POINT.

To the question, "If there were a siege, how long do you think the soldiers and civilians could live after the food supplies gave out?" an English paper answers: Science tells us that, if he can get drinking water, an ordinary man can exist for thirty days without food. At the end of that time, the machinery of the body will not be spoiled, and can be brought back to its former strength by careful feeding.

About a quarter of our body weight is fat, and it is mostly this fat that is absorbed as food during the period of starvation. We can absorb and burn up all our muscles until sixty per cent. of their weight is gone. We can do the same with from thirty to forty per cent. of our livers and digestive organs, and twenty per cent. of our lungs. Our hearts can lose ten per cent. and our brains and nervous systems can lose five per cent.

It will be seen that the more vital organs—heart and brain—yield least of their valuable substance for the life of the body, while the less essential substances—fat, muscle, fibre and so forth—are consumed first.

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Obituary

WM. A. OKE, HR. GRACE.

Great were the feelings of sadness on Saturday last, Feb. 24th, when word was received announcing the passing of William A. Oke, Judge of District Court, Hr. Grace.

His life has been one of upward climbing as we look over the record he has left behind. William Oke was born at Hr. Grace in 1858, and was the son of the late Mr. Edward Oke. He received his education at the Grammar School in his native town and from there entered the Standard Office as an apprentice. But after several years of faithful work there he was appointed foreman and afterward he became a partner of Mr. James D. Munn, and under the name of Munn and Oke the "Hr. Grace Standard" was published for years until taken over a few years ago by Edward Oke, son of the late judge.

Under the leadership of Sir William Whiteway he appealed to the electorate of the Hr. Grace District and was returned to the House of Assembly on three different occasions.

In 1909 he was appointed Judge which position he has held ever since. Judge Oke was a Past Master in the Masonic Society and an active member of the Conception Bay British Society, also the Sons of England. He was a hearty supporter of all athletic sports and was always chosen on the Cricket Team of his home town when they played outside teams.

His life has been one worthy of note and to his widow, (nee Miss Sophie Snow) son, Edward, the present Editor and proprietor of the Standard, and daughter Gladys, at home the sympathy of Newfoundland is expressed in this time of bereavement in which the "Guardian" joins.

MARGUERITE RYAN ABANDON-ED.

A story of rescue in mid-ocean of the crew of the foundering schooner Marguerite Ryan, returning to Trinity, Nfld., from Trapani, Sicily, in the steamer when they arrived in Boston on board the steamship San Gil from Cristobal. Encountering a fierce hurricane in January the schooner was stripped of sails and otherwise damaged. The six men aboard shovelled for days casting overboard the cargo of two hundred and seventy tons of salt, while for two weeks the schooner was beset by gales. The crew abandoned the vessel in lifeboats and were picked up by the steamship. A torch was applied to the hull of the vessel which was already awash. Reaching Cristobal the British Consul arranged for their passage aboard the San Gil for Boston.

HOUSEHOLD NOTES.

To prevent syrups and jams from fermenting, add a small piece of sulphate of potash.

An inexpensive baking powder can be made by mixing thoroughly equal quantities of powdered tartaric acid, carbonate of soda, and ground rice.

Before using a brass kettle which has been put away for any length of time, it should be cleaned out with salt and vinegar.

When piano keys become discoloured they may be whitened quite easily in this way: First of all rub the keys well with a paste made of finely powdered pumice-stone and lemon juice. Then, with a cloth, apply peroxide of hydrogen until the keys look white. Use old silk handkerchief to give the keys a final polish and they will then appear as they did when new.

An old fowl should be soaked in vinegar for a few hours before it is cooked. Steaming is the most satisfactory way of cooking it, and the rule is to allow an hour for each year of the fowl's age.

Save egg shells, tie them up in small bags, and place in your copper when you are boiling white clothes. The latter will emerge snowy white as the lime contained in the shells has a bleaching effect.

A great deal can be done to ward off colds and slight lung troubles by cultivating the habit of breathing through the nose and keeping the mouth closed, and by practising deep breathing. According to a health authority, the remote cells of the lungs are not brought into play by the ordinary way of chest-breathing through the mouth, and to maintain perfect health all the cells should be filled regularly with pure fresh air.

A LIFE BEYOND.

There is a life not far beyond this; and there is a reason to hope, there is a reason to believe, that the silver cords which are broken here shall be brought together again there; that the golden bowl shall be restored never to be broken again; that the pitcher shall never more be broken at the fountain, nor the wheel at the cistern; and that there shall be joy in the presence of God over a noble community of men made perfect and ransomed from the flesh. The experiences of this life are but so many lessons by which men learn of their nobler manhood and higher nature. Blessed things lie just before you.—Beecher.

APPRECIATES THE GUARDIAN.

In a letter received recently from Mr. Wm. J. Babcock, an old Bay Roberts boy now residing at North Adams, Mass., he expresses his appreciation of the "Guardian." "It is good," writes Mr. Babcock, "when one can get all the items of news from his old home town. No doubt there has been quite a change in Bay Roberts since I left and I believe if everybody would pull together there would be a great change in conditions there. I had an accident some time ago by striking my knee with a hammer and it has kept me laid up since October. My father is as smart as ever. He keeps up wonderfully for 78 years of age. Remember me to all enquiring friends and with best respects, I remain, Yours truly, WM. J. BABCOCK North Adams, Mass."

WHISTLING A MESSAGE.

The native inhabitants of the Canary Islands, who lived in caves on the mountain sides, perfected a whistling language with which they could signal across the valleys. They have been known to communicate with each other up to a distance of three miles by this means. No instrument was used and only two or three notes were employed, but by variations of these a sort of dot and dash code was arrived at.

MARY IN HISTORY.

Mary is a name which has been given to no fewer than seventeen daughters among twelve monarchs of England. The first nine so named were Mary and nothing else. George III. and Queen Victoria had each three daughters upon whom the name was bestowed, while two of Edward VII.'s three daughters were likewise Mary. King George's only daughter is the only one of those who, possessing the name in supplementary order, has chosen to give precedence over the others. In this way she has followed her royal mother, both being named Victoria first and Mary as a "follow" by Queen Victoria's wish. It took a long time to establish the name in the royal line of this country, for between the first Princess Mary and the second there is a gap of fully 300 years, and only eight times does it occur in twice 300 years.

An All-Around Citizen.

Gribble & Son, wholesalers, sold a bill of goods to J. B. West, a merchant at a small crossroads village in Missouri, and when the goods arrived at the village, Mr. West refused them. The wholesale firm prepared to institute suit for collection, and wrote to the railroad agent at the village for information about the arrival of the merchandise, to the president of the bank for information concerning the financial standing of their customer, to the mayor of the city asking him to recommend a good lawyer to handle their case, and to Mr. West, threatening suit, if he did not make payment at once. Mr. West answered:

"I received your letter telling me I had better pay up. I am the railroad agent at Crossings, and also received the letter you wrote to the agent. I am president and sole owner of the local bank, and can assure you as to my financial standing. As the mayor of the city, I hesitate to refer you to a lawyer, since I am the only member of the bar in this vicinity. If I were not also pastor of the Methodist church, I would tell you to go to h—l."

As hot air rises and heat causes fermentation, do not store jams and pickles on a top shelf.

LETTER FROM SIR R. BOND

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir,—In yesterday's issue of your paper you did me the honour to declare that "popular sentiment favors my recall to public life" that I am "being approached on the matter," and that "when the call comes the country can rely on me." As the kindly sentiments so generously expressed, in the article under reference, may be construed, by some people, as meaning that I am waiting a "recall to public life," and that they may expect compliance therewith, I cannot help thinking that it would be wrong, perhaps, of me to remain silent, for my silence too, may be misconstrued. Pray permit me then to say, that I voluntarily laid down the proud post of leader of the Liberal Party, and resigned my seat in the House of Assembly, on the 2nd of January, 1914 for reasons fully set forth in a letter over my own signature published in the Evening Telegram of date January 10th, 1914, that since that date I have rigidly maintained the attitude of private citizenship, that I have no immediate intention of re-entering the political arena, and that I have so advised the gentlemen who approached me on the subject.

Faithfully yours,
R. BOND.

The Grange,
Whitbourne,
February 20, 1923.

EVIL SPEAKING

Evil speaking has grown so much that to-day it is second nature, or first nature for some people to bring out their own perfections and condemn the shortcomings of "the other fellow."

How many pass on their way heedless of the fact that a kind word of encouragement will often drive away the clouds of discouragement and lighten a heavy heart. We are all human and in the book of our lives, mistakes and failures appear in every chapter. But so narrowed our vision has become we do not see ourselves but look on and despise another's failings. How necessary to forget these things and look for some good qualities in our fellow-men.

"Then speak no ill, but lenient be to others' failings as our own; If you're the first to a fault to see, Be you the last to make it known. For life is but a passing day, No tongue may tell how brief its span; Then all the little time we stay, Still let us speak the best we can."

ITEMS OF NEWS.

Miss Rose Pelly of Hr. Grace was in town Saturday and Sunday of last week, returning to Hr. Grace on the noon train on Monday.

The Canadian mail, so long on the way, reached this town on Tuesday last. There were about 18 bags in the lot, one of the largest mails to arrive at one time at this town.

Conductor and Mrs. Pushie and Gordon Yates of St. John's, Messrs. Frank and Harry Archibald of Hr. Grace, Messrs. T. C. Makinson, Wm. Jerret, Wm. Noseworthy, Fred Hussey and C. Filler of Clarke's Beach, Messrs. C. Dawe and H. Andrews, of Port-de-Grave and Mr. Bert Long of Carbonear, were here on Sunday, Feb. 25th, to attend the funeral of the late George Hierlihy.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Moscow, Feb. 24.—The fifth anniversary of the formation of the Red Army was celebrated throughout Russia yesterday. Minister of War Trotsky, sent the following message to the army: "We want peace, but nobody knows when the bad intentions of our enemies will compel us to get into the field. Let us, therefore, during the coming year, meet every month and every day as if it were the last month and the last of our preparedness."

Boston, Feb. 26th.—Two are dead and two overcome from illuminating gas in a South end boarding house. A man was found dead in his room with gas coming from an open jet and in the adjoining room a woman dead from the fumes that had come in under the door.

London, Feb. 26.—Probate of the will of the late Lord Northcliffe was granted to-day. The sworn statement gave the total estate at three million two hundred and fifty thousand pounds, on which a duty of one million, three hundred thousand pounds is payable to the Government.

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1923



Notice to Fishermen.

On the 13th June, 1922, the Government reduced the Export Tax on Fish, viz: Cod, Haddock, Hake, Ling, Pollack and Halibut, dried or otherwise preserved.

On the 17th November, 1922, the Government removed the export tax altogether from the above named fish, and the amount paid as export tax was to be paid the Exporters and they to repay the fishermen.

This was found impossible because the Exporters could not be sure of whose fish was exported and whose was not, so on the 22nd January, 1923, the Government decided to pay 10 cents per quintal to all fishermen who actually caught any of the above named fish, provided he produced a receipt or certificate where it could be proven that the fish was sold between the 13th day of June, 1922, and the 17th day of November, 1922, both days inclusive, and thereby was entitled to the 10 cents per quintal that the Government had decided to give.

The following Committee:—
H. V. HUTCHINGS, ESQ.,
Asst. Deputy Minister of Customs,
W. H. CAVE,
Minister of Shipping,
HON. W. W. HALFYARD,
Minister of Posts and Telegraphs,
HON. ELI DAWE,
A. W. PICCOTT, ESQ.,
ROBERT PIKE, ESQ.,

Under the direction of H. W. LeMessurier, Esq., Deputy Minister of Customs, has been appointed to go into the payment of this refund. As this work represents the payment of 10 cents per quintal on somewhere near one million quintals of fish to about twenty or twenty-five thousand fishermen, it must be understood that the payment of such a sum to such a number will take time. Therefore, for the guidance of the fishermen, and to facilitate the work and quick payment, the following is requested of those who are entitled to receive payment:

1st—Have you sold any fish either for cash, barter or credit of your

account to anyone between the 13th day of June, 1922, and the 17th day of November, 1922, both days inclusive.

2nd—If you have the original receipt from the person to whom you sold fish, with the purchaser's address, forward it to the Secretary.

3rd—If you have no receipt, get a sworn statement from the person to whom you sold the fish, stating the date of sale and quantity sold, with the name and the address of the purchaser.

4th—A Shareman applying for repayment must get an account of the total catch as landed and sold and in each case a record of the vessel, and the name and address of each man composing the crew, so that he may get the payment direct for himself.

Owing to the large number of fishermen involved, the first payment will not be made until March 10th, and it will be for receipts received up to February 25th.

Second payment will be made April 10th and will be for receipts received up to March 25th.

Third payment will be made May 10th, and will be for receipts received up to April 25th.

Fourth payment will be made June 10th, and will be for receipts received up to May 25th.

Fifth payment will be made July 10th, and will be for receipts received up to June 25th.

Sixth payment will be made August 10th, and will be for receipts received up to July 25th.

Last payment will be made September 10th, after which date the accounts will be closed and no further applicants will be considered.

Positively no payments will be made other than on dates named, and it is useless for anyone to bring receipts to the office and expect payment.

Save time and expense by NOT coming, but address all communications to
H. V. HUTCHINGS,
Asst. Deputy Minister of Customs,
St. John's.
H. W. LeMessurier,
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Bay Roberts, Friday, March 2, 1923

POLITICAL.

The political pot is boiling slowly, but nevertheless it is boiling. The Government has been gradually announcing its candidates, while at this writing Hon. J. R. Bennett, Leader of the Opposition, has not made any official announcement regarding his slate.

Rumors are numerous among those who may become candidates for either side. Sir Richard Squires has made the following announcements for some of the electoral districts:

Fogo: Mr. George F. Grimes,
Trinity: Hon. W. W. Halfyard, Mr. Richard Hibbs, and Capt. Robt. Randall.

Bay de Verde: Mr. William H. Cave,
St. Georges: Mr. J. F. Downey.

Burns: Samuel J. Foote and John Cheeseman.

St. John's West: Sir Richard A. Squires, Dr. Campbell and Joseph Fitzgibbon.

It is said that Hon. W. R. Warren wanted Sir Richard to promise him the High Commissioner for Newfoundland, but that the Prime Minister demanded he go back to his district—Fortune.

Another report, which seems to be well-founded, is that Dr. Barnes will be sent to the District of Twillingate on the Government ticket. Mr. Coaker had Dr. Barnes announced as the Liberal-Reform candidate for that District in August, 1919, but something happened and he came to this District instead.

While Hon. J. R. Bennett has made no announcement re the candidates for his Party, such names as Messrs. Walter Monroe, James Ayre, Charles E. Hunt, P. E. Outerbridge, L. Edward Emerson, W. F. Linegar, Samuel Harris and J. C. Paddester, in addition to the present members of the Opposition, have been mentioned.

The public are awaiting with deep interest the complete list, as well as some official pronouncement as to their Policy by both Leaders. It appears that those in each political camp are marking time and watching each other's movements.

The Guardian feels that it is simply doing its duty to the electors of this District in particular by issuing a warning regarding certain things that are already being worked for the purpose of turning the minds of the electorate in directions that are not in their best interests, or that have no bearing in fact on the state of affairs existing at present in this country.

We would suggest to the thousands of electors throughout the District of Harbor Grace who are chiefly concerned with the more serious aspects of life—chiefly with the bread and butter problem—to be on their guard lest the things they have been hoping for and wishing to see accomplished be fished from them.

We shall deal with some of these questions in a future issue. Meanwhile let every man consider well the issues at stake in a sane, rational and practical manner.

UNITED FISHERMEN

WITH OPPOSITION

The following letter, which has been received by the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. John R. Bennett, shows that the United Fishermen have decided to give their support to the party which will lead to the polls in the forthcoming general election:—

St. John's, Feb. 27, 1923

Mr. John R. Bennett,
Leader of the Opposition Party,
St. John's.

Dear Mr. Bennett:

We the United Fishermen and Laborers of Newfoundland held a meeting this morning, after the discussion at last night's meeting which we had with you and other members of your party, and we have decided to give you our unqualified support and to help in every possible way to bring Newfoundland back to her normal position and make it a country that we can live in and make homes for our children.

After our tour of the districts, we found ourselves without a Government, and now we, the United Fishermen and laborers, whose approach to the Government for a consideration of the disabilities under which the country labours, were fouted in a most shameful way, and who finally finding ourselves with no Government in the land to whom we can address our wrongs to, are determined that a clean Government shall succeed the men who treated us with such disdain.

For this reason we offer our support to the party led by the Hon. J. R. Bennett.

We beg to suggest that in the selection of a name for the new party, one be selected that will acknowledge the association of our movement with your party.

Signed, on behalf of the United Fishermen's movement.

JESSE WINSOR, Chairman,
J. S. Hill, Secretary,
W. D. Sainsbury,
Walter Carter,
A. Stanford,
Stewart Winsor,
John White,
Joshua Winsor,
Mark Bragg,
Samuel Roberts,
Peter Roberts.

OBITUARY

GEORGE HIERLIHY.

Once again a cloud of gloom has overshadowed Bay Roberts, caused by the passing of one of its most prominent citizens, in the person of Mr. George Hierlihy.

In June last the deceased entered the General Hospital, St. John's, when an operation for appendicitis was performed. This seemed to have been successful, for during the summer Mr. Hierlihy engaged in business the same as usual. But on January 5th he was stricken again, and entered the Hospital for further treatment. As the days passed and reports of his condition seemed encouraging it was hoped that he might recover in the course of time. But medical skill was to no avail, and on Friday, February 23rd, at one p. m. he passed away.

The late Mr. Hierlihy was born in this town in 1884 and was the son of the late A. R. and Mary Hierlihy. Beginning business at the age of 18, he spent 22 years have been years of hard climbing, for the road to success is not one of ease. A number of years ago he purchased the Iron-bound Island and Long Tickle fishing property on the Labrador, previously owned by the late Capt. Isaac Mercer, at which points he conducted a successful business.

The deceased was a prominent member of the Orange, Masonic and Forester Societies, and on Saturday on the arrival of the noon train the body was met by a Guard of Honor from the above societies and a number of citizens, who conveyed the remains to his home.

The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon, when the Orange, Masonic and Forester Societies and a large concourse of friends followed a beloved citizen to his last resting-place. Rev. S. Baggs conducted the service and left a text with the congregation for consideration, with which he dealt briefly. It was taken from Isaiah, Chapter 38 verse 1, "Set thine house in order, for thou shalt die and not live."

At the close of the service the "Dead March in Saul" was rendered by the Organist. The remains were then taken to Coley's Point Cemetery for interment.

At the graveside the burial service of the Methodist Church was read by the Rev. S. Baggs. This ended, the Masonic Society formed an oblong square around the graveside, when Rev. E. M. Bishop, Chaplain of MacKay Lodge, read the Masonic burial service. The Masonic grand honors were then given, and the sprig of acacia dropped in the grave. Then the members of the Royal Black Preceptory formed a triangle, when the beautiful burial service of that organization was read by Bro. R. A. Russell, assisted by Bro. W. J. Mercer. This was in turn followed by the Orange burial service, which was conducted by the Master of Victoria Lodge, Bro. H. N. Mercer, assisted by Bro. T. F. Mercer, Chaplain.

The ceremony concluded by the members of that Society dropping in-

to the grave an emblem of that Association as a token of their last respects to their late brother. Thus was laid to rest the remains of George Hierlihy, a citizen and friend who will be greatly missed.

He leaves to mourn, beside a large circle of friends, his wife, (nee Nellie M. Spence) daughter of the late Capt. John Spence, of Harbour Grace, also four children, Muriel, Clifford, Oscar and Marjorie, also mother, two sisters and one brother. He was also a brother-in-law of Conductor W. Pushie of the Reid Newfoundland Company, to all of whom the sympathy of all is extended in their hour of bereavement.

The late Mr. Hierlihy possessed a philanthropic mind and was always ready to assist in any movement for the betterment of his community. His fellowman and often gave brotherly assistance to one less fortunate than himself. And at this time, when men of his ability are needed so much, his loss will be keenly felt.

As a tribute to his memory, by those who knew him best in his private and business life, no greater words can form his epitaph than this: "He was a Man!"

JESSIE CARAVAN

There passed away on Monday, Feb. 26th, after a brief illness, Jessie, beloved wife of John R. Caravan. The deceased had been ill but three weeks, and until the end it was hoped that recovery was possible. But on Monday, the news of her passing came as a shock to her many friends.

The funeral, which was attended by a large concourse of citizens, took place from her late residence to St. Matthew's Church, where Rev. E. M. Bishop conducted the service. He chose for his text from St. John's Gospel, chapter 11, verse 25, "I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die." He delivered a beautiful and hopeful message from the above text, after which the remains were laid to rest in God's Acre.

The remains were enclosed in a very beautiful oak casket, and Mr. James G. Baggs was the undertaker. The late Mrs. Caravan possessed a winning personality, and was a friend to all who knew her. In her home her loss will be felt keenly, for she was always a loving wife and affectionate mother.

She leaves to mourn a husband, four children, Max, Daisy, Dorothy and Allan, also three sisters, Mrs. Isaac Mercer, Coley's Point, Mrs. J. T. Tamplin, Spokane, Wash., and Mrs. Arthur Holloway, Musgrave Town, and a large circle of friends to whom the sympathy of the community is extended, in which the Guardian joins.

MRS. ELIZABETH BRADBURY

We regret to record the passing of Mrs. Elizabeth Bradbury, wife of Mr. Isaac Bradbury of Coley's Point. The deceased had been ill a long time and will be missed by many relatives and friends. She is survived by her husband, an adopted daughter, Lizzie, mother and two sisters, to whom the sympathy of the community is extended.

ITEMS OF NEWS.

Owing to the power being off Friday night and Saturday certain political matter will have to be held over until next week.

Mr. Bert Hillyard, of the Western Union Staff, returned from Carbonar on Wednesday, where he had been spending his month's vacation with his parents.

Mr. Harry Dawe, of the Western Union Staff, Hearts Content, has returned to that place, after spending his holidays with his parents.

Mr. P. Grace of St. John's arrived by Thursday's train, on a business trip.

Mrs. W. Pushie returned to St. John's by Thursday morning's train.

Rev. Dr. Whelan, Parish Priest of North River and Bay Roberts, went to New York recently.

Mr. Gordon French, of this town who has been very ill at Bell Island, where he has worked for some, is greatly improved.

Mr. William Dawe, of the firm of W. Dawe & Sons, Ltd., is confined to his home this week seriously ill.

Mr. John C. Snow who is at the General Hospital, is recovered, and will be home in a day or two.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

London, Feb. 27—Rainfalls following heavy snows in the northern sections of England are causing floods. The Yorkshire Rivers have risen ten feet. Strong gales are raging on the coast and fishermen are finding their life hazardous, several having been rescued from imminent peril by Scarborough life boats.

London, Feb. 27—Lord Curzon, speaking at a luncheon at the Aldwych Club to-day, expressed opinion that the Turks would accept the Lausanne peace treaty. He could not believe it possible that any people in the long run would reject a treaty so generous and conciliatory and one which would enable Turkey to recover sway in Europe and Asia.

Approval from Placentia

Placentia, Feb. 22.—Placentia strongly approves of the Opposition's wisdom in selecting J. R. Bennett for leader of the Opposition in the coming election. We offer him and candidate a loyal support, and will do our best to upset a Government of wasters, and bootlers.

PLANE GOING BY "NEPTUNE."

The recently imported aeroplane was given a test in St. John's on March 1st, which proved highly satisfactory. The plane is being used at the seal fishery and will be taken out by the Neptune, a special plane being prepared on the deck of that ship for storing it. Special appliances are also being put aboard the Eagle for use on the plane, which will make these two ships her headquarters during the voyage. This is a new departure and it is believed should prove of great advantage to the fleet.

Miss Rose Fitzpatrick, who spent a few days in the city recently, returned home on Saturday night.

The Hon. Donald Morison, K. C. of Los Angeles, has been very seriously ill. His many friends in Newfoundland will rejoice to hear, though not in robust health, he is now rapidly convalescing.

CHICKEN.

The minister and his bride were preparing to eat a bite at a luncheonette. They were busily engaged with a bill of fare when the waitress, who was a much calmed and peroxidized young Miss, came up to take their order. Suddenly the young minister looked up from the bill of fare, smiled sweetly at the waitress and said: "How is the chicken to-day?" "Pretty good, kid," she retorted, "how are you?"

COMPLICATED ANATOMY

The teacher asked the class to write a composition about frogs. Waldo Wendell did his best. "What wonderful bird the frog are! When he stand he sit, almost. When he hop he fly, almost. He ain't got no sense hardly. He ain't got no tail, hardly, either. When he sit, he sit on what he ain't got, almost."

MISSING SOMETHING

One of Sir Thomas Lipton's favorite stories concerns an old Scotchman, who went to a horse race for the first time and was induced to stake a sixpence in a third race on a forty to one shot. By some miracle this horse won, and when the bookmaker handed the old man his winnings he could hardly believe his eyes. "Dae ye mean to tell me I get all this for ma sixpence?" he exclaimed. "You do," replied the bookmaker. "Ma conscience," muttered the Scotchman. "Tell me, mon, how long has this thing been going on?"

"We can save money by not advertising," "Yes," replied the advertising man, "and you can also save money by not eating."

Sorrows are like thunder-clouds; in the distance they look black; over our heads, hardly grey.—John Paul Richter.

Ability to discern that what is true is true, and that what is false is false is the characteristic of intelligence.—Emmanuel Swedenborg.

Popularity is more often a reward for not displeasing people than for pleasing them.

GOING TO THE GULF.

The S. S. Viking, the first of the fleet to sail for the fishery is expected to get away to-day, but this will depend upon ice and weather conditions, yesterday's gale having packed the ice along the shore. The Viking is again going to the Gulf, and will be the only ship of the fleet to operate there this spring. Captain Wm. Bartlett, the veteran sealing master, is in charge, while his son, Captain Robert Bartlett, of Polar fame, is also making the trip. Last season the Viking had a full load and Skipper Bill's many friends wish him and his hardy crew a bumper trip and safe return.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. Arthur Wilson, of the Western Union Staff, accompanied by his wife and daughter, has gone to St. John's on an extended visit.

The silver mine at Argenta is turning out to be a great success, and high hopes are held by the shareholders for its ultimate success.

If you put a little lovin' into all the work you do,
And a little bit of gladness and a little bit of joy,
And a little bit of sweetness and a little bit of song,
Not a day will seem too toilsome, not a day will seem too long;
And your work will be attractive, and the world will stop to look,
And the world will see a sweetness, like the tinklin' of a brook,
In the finished job; and then the world will turn to look at you
With a world's appreciation of the thing you've found to do.

Hoping for the best won't bring the best. Only a careful study of every detail that figures in the result will bring success.

A cat is a most indifferent animal but may always be interested if properly approached. Many people are like cats.

One might recite Tennyson to a Chinaman for an hour and get but one response, "Your laundry no ready."

A MISPLACED FOOT

Here lies the body of poor Jim Lake, Treed softly, all who pass. He thought his foot was on the brake But it was on the gas.

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