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\$10 first prize, \$5 second prize, \$2.00 third prize, and ten tins of "ARMADA" Tea will be given to those who send in the best two lines of missing poetry in the verse below describing the praises of this wonderful high grade tea.

THERE IS NOTHING TO DO BUT JUST FILL IN AND MAIL TO "CONTEST DEPT.," HARVEY & CO. LTD., ST. JOHN'S, THIS FORM.

The prizes will be awarded on December 15th, and the lucky winners' names announced in the daily press.

ARMADA
TEA FROM CEYLON'S SUNNY CLIME
RENOWNED FOR FLAVOR RARE,
MAKES THE SUBJECT OF THIS RHYME
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Ladies' Black Silk Hose.

Children's Tan Hose.

Gent's Black, Brown and Grey Socks.

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Bay Roberts W.

HUGE WHISKY SHIPMENT BY CANADIAN HARVESTER

Some 20,000 cases of whisky arrived by the Canadian Harvester from Montreal and are being stored at the Furness Wharf premises, preparatory to being transhipped.

ITEMS OF NEWS.

The schr. Muriel M. Young, Capt. Hounsell, arrived here from St. John's on Tuesday and left again for Western Arm, White Bay, on Thursday.

The schooners Ellen and Romano left here for St. John's Monday morning with a load of codfish, fish casks, etc.

Mr. Wilfred Dawe, who has been on an extended trip to England on business for the firm, Wm. Dawe & Sons, arrived by Thursday night's train.

Christmas Presents

When you are planning for Christmas Gifts to friends, think how suitable a subscription to THE GUARDIAN would be. They would be delighted to receive the

HOME PAPER.

It would be a reminder of the Giver 52 times a year.

Sent to the United States and Canada for \$1.50 a year. To all parts of Nfld. and Labrador for \$1.00 a year.

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Bay Roberts, Nfld.

NEWFOUNDLAND

Notice to Mariners

(No. 8 of 1923).

Grand Bank
FORTUNE BAY

Lat. 47° 08' 00" N.
Lon. 55° 42' 30" W.

CHANGE IN CHARACTER OF LIGHT

Notice is hereby given that the FIXED RED LIGHT now shown at GRAND BANK FORTUNE BAY will be changed on November 5th, 1923, to a WHITE FLASHING ACETYLENE GAS LIGHT giving

24 FLASHES PER MINUTE

G. F. GRIMES,

Minister of Marine and Fisheries

Dept. of Marine and Fisheries

St. John's, Nfld.

October 24th, 1923.

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Bonus on Codfish

From the Address of President Coaker delivered at the F. P. U. Convention recently, he placed himself on record as favoring the "payment of a State Bonus on Number One Shore and Labrador fish. His idea, as stated in his address, is that the bonus should cover a period of five years and should be, at least 60c for No. 1 Shore and 40c for No. 1 Labrador, payable direct to the fishermen by the State."

Other matters of interest to the country were dealt with in the Address.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Payne went to St. John's by Thursday morning's train.

Mr. Gerald Hurst, who spent his holidays here, returned to Canis, N. S., on Tuesday morning last.

Mrs. W. C. Whiteway, who has been visiting Mrs. T. W. Crossman, St. John's, returned home on Tuesday last.

Mr. Ray Cave, who has been in Everett, Mass., for some time, returned last week. Ray is looking well and all his old friends are glad to welcome him home once more.

We wish to correct a statement which we made in our last issue. In the death notice of the late Benjamin North, we stated that "interment was made in the C. of E. Cemetery." This should have read, "interment was made in the Methodist Cemetery."

Mr. Robert Mercer and son, Robert arrived from Grand Falls, recently, after an absence of eleven years. Mr. Mercer was glad to get back to his old home and renew acquaintances with old friends. We learn that he is starting a business in the "paper town" where he will continue to reside.

Miss Winnie Whiteway, left Harbor Grace Thursday morning en route to St. John's, where she takes the S. S. Digby for Boston, Mass. On Wednesday night a number of her friends gave a Farewell Party in her honor. At the close of the function, a presentation was made to her, accompanied by a very beautiful and touching address, in which they assured her that their kindest wishes would follow her to her new home in the land of the "Stars and Stripes."

LOST

On Tuesday, between the Railway Station and Post Office, one Necklace (purple shaded). Finder please leave same at Guardian Office.

THE C. of E. WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION OF FRENCH'S COVE

will hold their

ANNUAL

Sale of Work

in the

EAST SCHOOLROOM

DEC. 19th AND 20th.

PLEASE NOTE THE DATES

MAN KILLED

A T CORNER BROOK

The first accident of a very serious nature in connection with the development works at Corner Brook occurred on Friday morning when Vincent Gabriel, belonging to Stephenville had his head so badly crushed by a steel column that he died a few hours later. The man was a widower, 38 years of age, no children. The remains were taken to his old home for interment.

I. O. F. SOUVENIR

We have received from the Independent Order of Foresters, Toronto, a beautiful Historical Souvenir of the Order's Golden Jubilee, for which we thank them. It is a book of 32 pages with purple covers. Photographs of the founder of the organization, Col. Caldwell, and the builder, Dr. Oronhyatoha (whom the Editor of this journal knew while a resident of Toronto) is found on page 3. An early Court Charter is shown on page 5, and a photograph of the magnificent Temple Building in Toronto is shown on page 6. Numerous other photographs adorn its pages.

OKLAHOMA'S NEW GOVERNOR.

Martin E. Papp, has succeeded to the Governorship of Oklahoma in place of J. C. Walton, former governor, who has been impeached by the State Senate.

NOTE OF THANKS.

Mr. Thomas Bowering wishes to thank the many kind friends who sympathized with him at the time of the death of his dear son, Victor, and those who sent wreaths to adorn the casket. Also the many who visited him while in Belmont Sanatorium, Cambridge, Mass.

The Building Committee of the new Methodist School, Bereened, gratefully acknowledges the sum of \$93.00 from Mrs. Abram Batten, proceeds of a Garden Party held at Bereened on Aug. 20th.

Mrs. William Parsons, of Bay Roberts, wishes to thank the Matron, Sisters and Nurses of St. Clair's Hospital, St. John's, for their kind attention and medical treatment received while a patient at that institution. No words of praise can express appreciation of the care on the part of the nurses and the home like comforts afforded at the institution. Also to Dr. Roberts, whose unfailing attention was all that one could desire.

GIRL GUIDE NOTES

In the campaign on Nov. 10th, in aid of the G. W. V. A. Fund for distressed ex-service men, the amount raised by the Girl Guides was \$64.00.

Two new Companies have been formed up recently, in order that the work may be accomplished more thoroughly. The companies are in charge of two lieutenants, Misses Carrie Dawe and Emmie Morgan and Gertrude McLeod and Clarice Wells.

We understand that Miss Bertha Hull, A.A., has resigned her position as head teacher of the Methodist Superior School here. She leaves for Grand Falls at the end of the year, where she will take charge of a department in the public school. Miss Hull proved herself to be a very efficient and painstaking teacher since she came to Bay Roberts some years ago, and her going will be a distinct loss to this town, for she was active in every good work. As organist of Central Meth. Church, she filled that position with credit to herself and with much acceptance to the congregation. The Guardian wishes Miss Hull much success in her new sphere of labor.

R. AUGUSTUS PARSONS, B.C.L.

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FIRE AT CORNER BROOK

A small mill was burnt at the townsite at Corner Brook in the early hours of last Saturday morning. The watchman had left only a few minutes to attend other duties when the place was discovered on fire. Large numbers of men soon gathered and set to work to fight the flames. Two tractors recently purchased were stored there. These were saved but not before one of them had been somewhat damaged.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT DOCK

Michael Bulger, of Flatrock, was killed almost instantly at the Dry Dock, St. John's, at 10.30 on Wednesday night, Nov. 21st, where he was engaged discharging machinery for the Armstrong Whitworth Co. from the Canadian Navigator.

An engine had been landed on a flat car and blocked up for transshipment and Bulger was on the wharf unfastening the heavy slings when one of them slipped and hit him severely in the stomach. He was picked up and brought to the shed where he passed away ten minutes later.

The deceased was about 30 years of age and unmarried, and leaves a father, mother, one brother and two sisters. The remains were sent to Flatrock where interment took place.

A Grand Concert

will be held in the G. E. SCHOOLROOM COLEY'S POINT on Thursday, Dec. 20th.

PARTICULARS LATER

NEWFOUNDLAND

NOTICE TO MARINERS

(No. 7 of 1923).

Green Island—ROCKY BAY.

SIR CHARLES HAMILTON SOUND
Lat. 42° 26' 59" N.
Lon. 54° 13' 30" W.

POSITION: On GREEN ISLAND—GANDER BAY.

CHARACTER: A Flashing White Acetylene Gas Light, giving

12 FLASHES PER MINUTE

ELEVATION: Height of Light from high water to focal plane, 30 feet.

STRUCTURE: A square wood structure with sloping sides; painted White. Lantern Red.

REMARKS: This Light goes into operation on October 19th, 1923.

G. F. GRIMES,

Minister of Marine and Fisheries

Dept. of Marine and Fisheries

St. John's, Nfld.

October 19th, 1923.

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New Goods

Stanfield's Underwear.

Boys' Sweaters, asst colors and sizes, \$1.45 each.

Boys' Heavy Winter Caps, 98c each.

Men's double width Heavy Tweed, \$1.35 yard.

Gent's and Ladies' Heavy Coating, only \$1.20 per lb. Special.

Dress Cloth, 40-in. wide, in green, brown, maroon, navy and fawn, at 69c pr yard.

Black Wool, 10 and 13c knot.

Another lot of Scrim at 90c lb.

Boys' and Girls' Heavy Hose, all sizes, 28c pair.

Hearth Rugs, only \$2.78 each.

Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats

Ladies' and Children's Coats.

Boots, shoes, rubbers, etc., etc.

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BOWRING BROS., Distributors
A. A. FRENCH, LOCAL AGENT.

INSULIN

We learn that this world famous discovery has for some months past been available for the relief of sufferers in Newfoundland. Arrangements were made with the Connaught Laboratory at Toronto by the General Hospital authorities for a supply of the preparation and several cases have been treated. Some have been cured, others improved, while in other cases but little improvement has been noticed. From the nature of the preparation it is necessary that this treatment generally speaking can only be administered at such an institution as the Hospital, and in availing of the means to deal with diabetes cases the authorities acted with commendable promptness.—Telegram

Mr. Stephen Kearley, who has been working in Boston, Mass., arrived home recently.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The attention of the public is called to the following provisions of Section 44, Chapter 129, Consolidated Statutes (Third Series):

"No person being the holder of any grant, lease or license of lands for timber or pulp purposes under an Act of the Legislature, or under any contract with the Government or as the assignee of such person, his servant or agents, contractors or sub-contractors, shall cut timber on any Crown lands other than defined in the said grant, lease or license, or shall purchase timber cut on such lands under a penalty of twenty dollars for every tree cut to be recovered by suit, in the name of the Minister of Agriculture and Mines in a summary manner before a Stipendiary Magistrate or Justice."

J. F. DOWNEY,

Minister of Agriculture & Mines.

Dept. of Agriculture and Mines,

St. John's, Newfoundland,

November 10th, 1923.

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Notice.

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

(Newfoundland)

PRIZE MONEY.

A supplementary distribution of naval prize money has been received and is now being paid at the Pay & Record Office. Where possible, applications should be made in person.

There are about one hundred amounts of the previous distribution not yet claimed. Those who have not received this former payment are requested to apply for same at the earliest possible opportunity.

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Don't Miss these Bargains Exceptional Values.

Men's Raglan and Waterproof Coats. Regular price \$9.00 to 15.00. Now \$6.00 to 12.00.

Men's Tweed and Serge Suits. Prices cut in two.

Men's Soft Collars, 15c to 25c each.

Boys' Overcoats, to fit ages from 10 to 17 years. Price from \$6.25 to \$8.00.

Boys' Suits, all sizes. Price from \$4.20 to \$13.00.

Ladies' Heavy Tweed and Serge Skirts. Regular price \$3.25 to 7.00. Now \$2.30 to 4.98.

Ladies' Winter Coats. A real snap. Price from \$4.98 to 12.00.

A full range of Children's ready-to-wear Felt Hats. A Bargain at \$1.25. Sale price 60c each.

Girls' Wool Caps and Scarfs at greatly reduced prices.

To guard against the cold nights take advantage of our offer in heavy WADED QUILTS. Regular price \$4.60 to 12.00. Now \$2.95 to 6.40.

Mattresses, Springs and Enamel Bedsteads at our usual cut prices.

Good strong Chairs at 98c each.

An exceptionally good line of Children's, Ladies' and Gent's Boots, just arrived, at amazingly low prices.

Also, arriving daily Dry Goods in pound and yard.

DON'T MISS THESE VALUES. MAKE EVERY CENT COUNT.

Provisions, Groceries and Cattle Feeds always on hand at low est market prices.

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For Sale

1 Sleigh.

8 Moving Picture Films.

1 Gaslight for machine for use where there are no electric lights.

1 Carbonating Machine.

1 Bottling Machine, for bottling aerated water—Lemonade, Root Beer, Ginger Ale, etc. Also a quantity of Extracts for making same.

1 Ford Motor Car/Engine, in good condition. This engine would be very suitable for a large motor boat. Engine can be fitted for boat with steering gear and pedals complete.

A quantity of logs suitable for wharf building, etc.

Apply at Guardian Office.

NEWFOUNDLAND

POSTAL TELEGRAPHS

A Wireless Telegraph office has been opened at Rencontre West. Local rate 25 cents for 10 words or less, and 2 cents for each additional word. Address and Signature free.

DAVID STOTT,

Superintendent.

Handwritten note: Has no more all advts. returned to date File 7

Handwritten note: old tea

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If you want a first-class Headstone or Monument, send to
Chislett's Marble Works
 We carry the LARGEST STOCK and BEST FINISHED WORK in the City.

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DAVID STOTT,
 Superintendent
 G. W. LEMESSURIER
 Deputy Min. Posts & Telegraph

April 19, 23



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LUCY GRAHAM'S SECRET

(Continued.)

"What can be the meaning of all this?" said Robert. "What could be his motive for leaving England in this manner, without a word to me, his most intimate friend—without even a change of clothes; for he has left everything at my chambers? It is the most extraordinary proceeding!"

"The old man looked very grave. 'Do you know, Mr. Audley,' he said tapping his forehead significantly, 'I sometimes fancy that Helen's death had a strange effect upon poor George.'

"Pshaw!" cried Robert contemptuously; "he felt the blow most cruelly, but his brain was as sound as yours or mine."

"Perhaps he will write you from Liverpool," said George's father in law. He seemed anxious to smooth over any indignation that Robert might feel at his friend's conduct.

"He ought," said Robert, gravely, "for we've been good friends together at the days when we were together at Elton. It isn't kind of George Talboys to treat me like this."

But even at the moment that he uttered the reproach a strange thrill of remorse shot through his heart. "It isn't like him," he said, "it isn't like George Talboys."

Little George caught at the sound. "That's my name," he said, "and my papa's name—the big gentleman's name."

"Yes, little George, and your papa came last night and kissed you in your sleep. Do you remember?"

"No," said the boy, shaking his curly little head.

"You must have been very fast asleep, little George, not to see poor papa."

The child did not answer, but presently, fixing his eyes upon Robert's face, he said abruptly:

"Where's the pretty lady?"

"What pretty lady?"

"The pretty lady that used to come a long while ago."

"He means his poor mamma," said the old man.

"No," cried the boy, "not mamma. Mamma was always crying. I didn't like mamma—"

"Hush, little George!"

"But I didn't, land she didn't like me. She was always crying. I mean the pretty lady; the lady that was dressed so fine, and that gave me my gold watch."

"He means the wife of my old captain—an excellent creature, who took a great fancy to George, and gave him some handsome presents."

"Where's my gold watch? Let me show the gentleman my gold watch," cried George.

"It's gone to be cleaned, George, answered his grandfather."

"It's always going to be cleaned," said the boy.

"The watch is perfectly safe, I assure you," Mr. Audley, murmured taking out a pawnbroker's duplicate he handed it to Robert.

It was made out in the name of Captain Mortimer; "Watch, set with diamonds, £11."

"I'm often hard pressed for a few shillings, Mr. Audley," said the old man. "My son in law has been very liberal to me; but there are others, there are others, Mr. Audley—and—and—I've not been treated well." He wiped away some

genuine tears as he said this in a pitiful, srying voice. "Come, George, it's time the brave little man was in bed. Come along with grand pa. Excuse me for a quarter of an hour, Mr. Audley."

The boy went very willingly. At the door of the room the old man looked back at his visitor, and said in the same peevish voice, "This is a poor place for me to pass my declining years in, Mr. Audley. I've made many sacrifices, and I make them still, but I've not been treated well."

(To be continued.)

JOURNAL OF REV. HENRY GORDON

CARTWRIGHT, LABRADOR

(Continued.)

Thursday, Mar. 20th.

A most perfect day. Clear sky and warm sun. A good night's frost had put a hard surface on the snow, so that we were able to make excellent time into Double Mer. I just went into the house to see Mr. Batten and exchange greetings, then went on across the portage to Rigolet. Coming down the hill our chain drag broke, and caused us some monetary excitement. A large number of visitors were in Rigolet. The water had gained very rapidly in the run. Evensong, 8.0.

Friday, March 21st.

A warm day with noticeable effect on the ice and snow. Dick harnessed up and started off for home. The poor dogs have had a hard time of it and are very cut up. Nigger, our leader, is crippled. I intend traveling on by means of hired teams. John Oliver is to take me as far as North West River, and we made a start by going up as far as Mulhouse, where we had dinner. Re turning to Rigolet we had dinner and then went over the portage to Double Mer. The going was very soft and our progress slow. John has only five dogs. It was nearly seven by the time we reached Pompey's Head. We saw many seals out on the ice sunning themselves. Prayers at 9.

Saturday, March 22.

Snowing slightly. Baptized a little baby, then set off up the bay to Big Brooks. Here I baptized another baby. How one rejoices to see the little children coming along, after so many deaths. Leaving here about 10.30 we rapidly overhauled a team that had started some time before us and brought up at New England for the night. Prayers 7.30.

Sunday, March 23.

Fine mild day. Had Mattins at John Blake's at 10.30, when I baptized two babies. After dinner I walked across the bay to Staves Point, getting hot and tired in the process. The walking was just wrong for anything. John came over late in the evening. Evensong and Holy Communion 7.30.

Monday, March 24.

We turned out long before day light this morning in view of a strenuous day's work. Pearl River is our next stopping place, and there are two ways of getting there. To follow the usual route along the shores of Double Mer and Groswater Bay means covering some 70 miles and taking two days at it. The other route lies straight through the country across a big 'neck,' but only measures some 25 miles. We were bent on tackling the latter route, and had got Will Blake to come with us as pilot. Got off at 5.30, and after a short call at the head of the bay, took to the land at 7. Much snow had fallen in the night, and it lay very deep on the land. Will and I put on our snow shoes and falked ahead of the dogs. To me it all seemed a mystery how we got along over bare marches and through thick woods. Will seemed to have a new sense, although he declared that he was following a fixed line. After five hours' steady tramp

THE GUARDIAN needs more subscribers. We want two or three hundred more in Bay Roberts and vicinity. We also want our friends in the United States and Canada to send us along additional subscriptions. Will you help—NOW?

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For a Good Spring Tonic, take

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Hard Work Means Success

There never was a goal worth getting but you must work to attain. You must suffer and bleed for it, cling to your creed for it. Fail and go at it again.

Success is no whim of the moment, no crown for the indolent brow. You must battle and try for it, offer to die for it. Lose it yet win it somehow.

The Pathway to glory is rugged, and many the heart-aches you'll know. He who seeks to be master must rise from disaster. Must take as he giveth the blow.

There's no royal highway to splendour, no short cut to fortune or fame. You must fearlessly fight for it, dare to be right for it. Failing, yet playing the game.

The test of man's merit is trouble, the proof of his work is distress. Much as you long for it, man must be strong for it. Work is the door to success.

HEALTH is the greatest blessing in the world

If you are HEALTHY you can work hard but not otherwise. HARD WORK means SUCCESS but you will NEVER be able to work very hard without HEALTH and STRENGTH If you require HEALTH and STRENGTH use

Brick's Tasteless Cod Liver Oil
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 St. John's, Newfoundland

NOTICE

To Owners and Masters of British Ships

The attention of Owners and Masters of British Ships is called to the 74th Section of the "Merchant Shipping Act, 1894."

75.—(1) A Ship belonging to a British Subject shall hoist her proper national colours—
 (a) on a signal made to her by one of His Majesty's ships, including any vessel under the command of an officer of His Majesty's navy or full pay, and
 (b) on entering or leaving any foreign port and
 (c) if of fifty tons gross tonnage or upwards, on entering or leaving any British Port.

(2) If default is made on board any ship in complying with this section the master of the ship shall for each offence be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds.

At time of war it is necessary for every British Ship to hoist the colours and heave to if signalled by a British Warship; if a vessel hoists no colours and runs away, it is liable to be fired upon.

H. W. LEMESSUELER,
 Registrar of Shipping

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VERBENA FLOUR

W. A. Munn, Wholesale Agent

RULES FOR Making Cod Liver Oil For the Guidance of Manufacturers

- 1st. The manager in charge of factory must see that the livers are fresh; that all brown or poor livers are thrown out; that there is no gall bladder attached to any livers.
 - 2nd. The good livers must then be washed in a tub of clean fresh water.
 - 3rd. The pan in which the livers are boiled must be perfectly clean inside, before any livers are placed in it.
 - 4th. Before you start to boil any livers you must have sufficient steam.
 - 5th. Turn on the steam, and use as much as you need to have for the quantity of livers you have in your pan. Boil until the white scum floats off (which will take about thirty minutes.) Don't forget to stir the livers, and see that those in the bottom and those around the sides are brought into direct contact with the steam all the time.
 - 6th. Turn the steam off, and allow all to settle, not exceeding five minutes, according to capacity of liver boiler.
 - 7th. Then you dip all the oil you can get, which is the finest white oil. Put this oil in a cooling tank made of galvanized iron, and let the oil remain there till next morning. Don't forget to put a straining cloth over the cooling tank before you put any oil in, so that it will catch any bits of blubber; allow to remain 12 or 14 hours or longer if possible, then dip from cooling tank and strain through double calico bag, inside bag to be one inch smaller all around; then strain into a tin shute under the bags, the cask to be at the end of the shute with a funnel, to lead oil into casks, which funnel to be covered with clean cloth.
 - 8th. When you have dipped the finest oil from the top of the liver boiler pan, take all the blubber from the pan while it is warm. The oil from this blubber is not fit for medicinal purposes.
 - 9th. Then clean your liver pan with warm water and washing powder. Have it bright and clean for the next boiling.
 - 10th. Every bag, cloth, tank, funnel and pan, must be washed only with warm water, soap and water. Soda must not be used.
- The best results for medicinal oil can only be obtained by the use of tin barrels. Wooden packages generally make the oil dark, and destroy its fine flavor. Keep all oil in barrels in a cool place, and covered from the sun.

DEPARTMENT OF MARINE AND FISHERIES
St. John's.



REGULATIONS For Salting Scotch Pack Herring

One barrel salt to five and a half barrels herring—Large Fulls
One barrel salt to six barrels herring—Medium Fulls.
One barrel salt to six and a half barrels herring—Matt Fulls.
This amount of salt is for dredging and laying on rows only. It does not take into account that put on the herring before gibbing.

All salt falling off herring in rousing tubs is put on rows as you pack unless very dirty or scaly; in that case, you have to make good the same amount, or otherwise you could not have any fixed rule on salt.

Matt Fulls 10 1/2 inches long Milt or roe
Medium Fulls 11 1/2 inches long Milt or roe
Large Fulls 12 1/2 inches long and upwards. Milt or roe

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BIG WORLD EVENTS: THEIR SIGNIFICANCE.

by William Banks.

It is part of the British Premier's new tariff and preference proposals to encourage the production in the Overseas Dominions and Colonies, of the raw materials that Britain must have. Cotton is one of the most important of these. It has an added importance at this time because of the prediction of the United States Government of a short crop in that country. Naturally, there was violent advance in prices and considerable excitement in the cotton exchanges. The great cotton industries of Lancashire with Manchester as their pivot will, therefore be more than usually interested in the proposals of Premier Baldwin. Of course, existing British cotton projects in India and Egypt have not been lost sight of and have, indeed, made steady progress. The acreage devoted to cotton in India will be largely increased when the Sukkur barrage is completed. This will involve two bridges a mile long across the River Andus and seven canals of goodly size with many branches, and other tremendous works. It is estimated that some six million acres of land now so arid as to be almost a waste, will be perennially watered, and a good deal of this will be devoted to cotton and grain. Great irrigation projects for cotton growing lands are under way in the Sudan also. One Manchester expert has declared that with proper attention the British Empire could in five years, grow all the cotton it requires.

British criticisms of Lloyd George's tour of Canada and the United States have been marked by some speculation as to his real purpose. Indeed, some of his critics, both in the press and on the platform, have accused him of interfering in international politics, and of arranging the tour with the idea of indirectly influencing British opinion. Whatever degree of cleverness may be attributed to Lloyd George, he is not superman enough to have pre-arranged for such tremendous demonstrations as were accorded him wherever he visited on the American continent. It is significant, however, that British politicians and political parties waited with the keenest interest for his return to the Old Land, where on landing he was greeted with honor and acclaim, in order that they might know what his stand is to be on the issues raised by Premier Baldwin's protective tariff and the Imperial preference proposals. Al ready there is a remarkable cleavage among British politicians. Former Premier Asquith is bitterly opposing the protection proposals. Winston Churchill also is out with a declaration in support of free trade, and will, it is expected be a candidate in one of the divisions of Manchester where the British Free Trade policy has been an object of worship almost for generations. It is not improbable that Mr. Lloyd George has had time in his short tour of America to gain some new impressions and new figures on trade matters. The opinion in Britain is that an election will be held early in the new year. (The election referred to will take place Dec. 6th.—Editor.) It is obvious that it will line up the country into two main camps with protection and free trade as the chief issues.

There has been a remarkable turn about among the allied powers in respect to the question of reparations and its discussion at the proposed inter-allied conference. Not so very long ago Britain was all alone, with France and Belgium most strongly opposed to any but their own principles in dealing with Germany, while Italy was apparently neutral. Now, Italy and Belgium are, in accord with the United States and Britain in favor of an unrestricted inquiry into Germany's ability to pay. British diplomacy is often charged with painful blunders and lack of decisive ness. It is surprising how often it wins out in the long run. She has steadily gained prestige and goodwill during a trying period in which for months her attitude has been misrepresented in the French press, and

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by French politicians. While it is too early to say that France can be persuaded that the fullest inquiry can not do any harm to her cause, it is not too early to assert that the plodding British methods promise better results for the Allies and the world in general, than has so far been attained by the employment of force alone. Secretary of States Hughes, of the United States, who proposed the new conference, seems to have the support of the majority of his countrymen.

One hesitates to unquestioningly accept the declaration of a geologist that the greatest oil field in the world is now in progress of development in Southern Alberta, Canada. Every Canadian and everyone in the British Empire will hope that this prediction may be crystallized into truth. It is promised that this will be an accomplished fact within the next few months. The drilling of a number of wells in the district by large companies is reported as meeting with gratifying success. At the same time, a big oil gusher has been struck in Kent County, Ontario, and the opening up of a new field is promised there. Britain has gone far afield for her oil, and has been the subject of allegations that her only interest in Mesopotamia was on that account. Large supplies of oil in Canada would be a tremendous asset for the Dominion itself and for the Empire at large.

There are strange happenings in Greece where the King is now represented as being virtually a prisoner in his palace at Athens. Some leading men of the country have gone so far as to sound the British Government on the question of establishing a republic, though, of course, such inquiries were made only in an unofficial manner through the British representative in Athens. Naturally, Britain has advised against any further revolutionary movements in a country already in a sad state, and whose energies should be devoted to rehabilitation rather than to creating more turmoil. Former Premier Venizelos of Greece, one of the foremost of European statesmen, and now resident in London, urges his people not to make any changes in Government by violent means. He suggests a plebiscite on the question, while at the same time expressing doubt as to whether the majority of Greeks favor a Republic.

Reaction against prohibition manifested in British Columbia and Manitoba found an echo in the Province of Alberta where, as readers know, government sale of liquor was strongly approved after seven years of prohibition. This comes as the result of the one fair way of making the change, namely, a vote of the people. A democracy may sometimes be wrong, but on the whole the will of the people governs, and there is no more complete democracy than that which exists in Canada, although it is part of an empire which owns allegiance to a monarchy. A referendum on the liquor question will probably be held in Ontario before another year passes, and probably also in Saskatchewan.

A number of elections in the United States which were closely watched in the hope that they might give an indication of the Presidential elections of next year, did not make any radical changes in the standing of the parties. A Republican candidate who had the backing of the Anti-Saloon League was elected to the Federal Senate for the State of Vermont, a bye election there for the House of Representatives also resulted in the return of a candidate of the same political persuasion. The State which returns President Coolidge therefore remains true to its allegiance. Generally speaking, the Republicans will have a small majority in both the House and the Senate in their next session. To peoples in British countries the United States system of government and its elections are cumbersome and incongruous. But it is all a matter of getting used to it, and they probably work out as well as the systems of most other countries.

Jugo Slavia recently followed the example of Italy in ignoring the League of Nations, when making demands upon another country for satisfaction for assault upon a representative from its own. In this case, Bulgaria was the offending country. Jugo-Slavia puts itself in a somewhat delicate position in demanding an exacting satisfaction without a reference to the League, because it

is appealing to that body to adjudicate the claims of itself and Italy in respect to Fiume and other border points. There is much powder lying around loose in Europe, and the hasty actions of a number of nationalities which have reached larger proportions as the result of the peace treaty and the aid of the great powers is liable to explode some of it. A speedy settlement of a number of disputed points would be of immense benefit at this time, but many of these disputes cannot get the attention they deserve until the major question of German reparations is out of the way.

NOT GUILTY OF MURDER OR MANSLAUGHTER

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life, and jumped into the sea off the wharf at Crocker's Cove, with her baby strapped to her body. She got out of the sea again, however, and later buried the child in the hills, where, under her direction, the body was afterwards found.

At the close of her evidence the Jury were addressed by Mr. Higgins K.C., for the accused, who occupied the space of forty minutes and made an able plea on her behalf. He was followed by Mr. Winter who addressed the Jury for twenty five minutes, outlining the facts of the case very clearly. The Chief Justice, summing up, explained the different points of law in the case, showing the difference between murder and manslaughter. He instructed the Jury that first consider whether or not she was guilty of murder. If they were satisfied that she was not, they must consider whether she was guilty of manslaughter; and if satisfactory that she was guilty of neither, they must determine whether she was guilty of wilful neglect.

The Jury retired at 5.30 and returned at 6.30 when through their foreman, Mr. Ira Kennedy, they informed the court that they found the prisoner not guilty of murder or manslaughter, and that they could not agree on a verdict of wilful neglect.

The accused was released pending any further action.—Daily News.

Peace!

"Were half the power, that fills the world with terror,
Were half the wealth, bestowed on camps and courts,
Given to redeem the human mind from error,
There were no need of arsenals nor forts."

"The warrior's name would be a name abhorred!
And every nation, that should lift again
Its hand against a brother, on its forehead
Would wear forever the curse of Cain!"

"Down the dark future, through long generations,
The echoing sounds grow fainter, and then cease;
And like a bell with solemn, sweet vibration,
I hear once more the voice of Christ say, 'Peace!'"

"Peace! and no longer from its brazen portals
The blast of War's great organ shakes the skies!
But beautiful as songs of the immortals,
The holy melodies of love arise."

Nov. 11th of this year marked the fifth anniversary of the cessation of hostilities occasioned by the great World War of 1914-1918. On Nov. 11th, 1918, the welcome news was flashed all over the world, and it came to all as a great and glorious message, for who, then, had not had enough of war? more especially those whom it had touched the hardest!

The grey-haired general heard it and heaved a sigh of relief, for the tremendous strain and weight of care which his command involved was playing fearful havoc with his once robust physique. Down the trench it came passing from man to man, lighting up the features of each in turn. The worn and broken soldier heard it gladly as he lay in his cot in some hospital. The silver-haired mother heard it—she who had kept her sunfailing vigil throughout the long and terrible years. How often had she pictured the boy coming proudly up the street! How long she had waited for the never to be forgotten football on the threshold of the door; and as she felt that her nights of
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Lat. 49° 30' 45" N.
POSITION: At entrance of DOG BAY.
CHARACTER: A Flashing Red Acetylene Gas Light giving 20 FLASHES PER MINUTE
ELEVATION: Height from high water to focal plane, 38 feet.
STRUCTURE: Square wood structure with sloping sides painted White; lantern Red.
REMARKS: This Light goes into operation Oct. 15, 1923
G. F. GRIMES,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries,
Dept. of Marine and Fisheries,
St. John's, Newfoundland,
October 12th, 1923.

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Bay Roberts, Friday, Nov. 23, 1923

THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER AND OTHER MATTERS

A newspaper can be of service to a community only in so far as the citizens generally respond with support and encouragement. We are not as a people playing our part as we should in building up our home town. We are not helping one another as we should. We are not supporting one another in every laudable object as we should. Money that should be kept in the place for circulation locally is sometimes sent elsewhere never to return.

Sentiment is all very well in its place, but we need to be practical as well. It is of no avail if in talking with a hungry man you tell him to be fed if you give him nothing to eat, or if you tell him to be clothed and give him nothing to wear. Sentiment never filled a barrel with flour nor a cellar with coal.

The trouble with too many is that they are endeavoring to SAVE HIMSELF; but in the very process of saving himself he is practically losing himself.

A young man was once asked if his father was a Christian? His reply was: "Yes, father is a Christian alright but he is not working at it."

We fear that in connection with our lives as citizens and taxpayers of Newfoundland, and more particularly as citizens of various communities, the majority of us are very much like that young man's father. We are citizens alright, but we are not working at it.

If there was more of the spirit of cooperation and the seeking of each other's good instead of trying to encompass each other's downfall, we would as Newfoundlanders and citizens make better progress than we are making.

There are far too many engaged in the miserable business of "digging pits for others." The digger of the pit usually falls into it himself.

Nearly all of us will remember well what occurred in Bay Roberts about 12 or 13 years ago when the people rallied and cooperated in the movement inaugurated for the purpose of getting the Western Union Telegraph Co. to land their cables and erect their office in Bay Roberts. Success attended these efforts. But since that time we have lapsed into a state of indifference, with the result that no progress is being made. We are simply spectators of the activities of other people in other sections of Newfoundland. We merely mark time and wait for some thing to develop elsewhere for our people to be compelled to leave their homes—some for ever—and send back the money earned elsewhere.

MEIGLE RETURNS FROM LABRADOR
S.S. Meigle, Capt. Burgess, arrived from Northern Labrador at 12.40 on Tues., Nov. 13, after a good run of 16 days. The ship made all ports of call and went as far North as Rigolet. Capt. Burgess reports that no snow has made its appearance as yet. The whole Labrador coast is clear, and all the inhabitants are well provided for and settled away for the winter. Messrs. Snow and Wm. Bradbury, the Lighthouse keepers at Double Island and Indian Tickle, arrived with their wives; also Mr. Wm. Lahey the marconi operator at Domino.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Russell, of Bay Roberts West, returned home from Bangor, Maine, on Thursday night, Nov. 8th, after spending about a year in that State.

Peace!

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longing and loneliness will soon end she lifts up her heart in deep thankfulness to the great merciful Father of mankind. The friend of "the lad who came not back" also heard the news on that memorable day, but what pen can picture or what mind can conceive all that that devoted heart experienced? For that dear mother there was no discharge from the silent ache—other lads she would see marching proudly home, but not her own.

For her, as well as for the "battered soldier," November 11th, 1918, was a reality. It brought them its cup of sadness, but not all, for the consciousness was theirs of a part in a great cause, (if wars ever be termed as such), that they had played.

Five years have passed away since the great guns ceased to thunder their grim sound of death and destruction. The hands of the farmer and others have converted much of the shell-torn areas into more peaceful appearances. Many and tender have been the offices performed in remembrance of the sacred dead. What substantial gains have come to the world during the period which has elapsed since the stopping of actual warfare? When we think of such gains, let us not think in terms of money—the wealth of the nations should be measured in terms of righteousness, and in no other, as all others are secondary. The writer feels sure, though his ability to judge is small, that the great doctrine of the brotherhood of man has come more into prominence during the past few years than ever before. If we look only upon many of the petty things which surround our own lives we may be disappointed in this; but what of the League of Nations, the Lausanne Conference, and the many other assemblies which have been convened so that Peace may be firmly established and the claims of each and all more truly recognized.

Some seem to claim that only by preparation for War can safety and peace be maintained, and when we consider past history it seems almost impossible to arrive at any other conclusion. Did the great Peace-Maker of all the earth leave us such a code? No; but rather when each and every man realized and practiced that he was his brother's keeper. The peace of 1918 can only be sustained when this has gripped the heart of men with a power mightier than ever before. If we look only upon many of the powers of evil; and there is only one Power can do this, and this Power allows no substitute.

"Lead, once again, that holy song a tongue Which the glad angels of the Ad vent sung. Their cradle-anthem for the Saviour's birth, Glory to God, and Peace unto the earth! Through the mad discord send that calming word Which wind and wave on wild Gen essareth heard, Lift in Christ's name His Cross against the Sword!"

The period since the war has brought to mankind its battles just as surely as did the War. We, here in our little Island, have felt the blows of the enemy in lack of work, lower wages for the laboring man, smaller opportunities for marketing of produce, etc. Many an heroic fight has been fought in some of the little isolated hamlets of our Island home against the dreaded enemy—poverty. And the fact remains if we are still to play our part of the world's ills. It may be said: "well we are not to blame for the state of things, and why should the innocent suffer with the guilty?" To this the reply is—such has al-

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ways been the process, and so will it be to the end of time because it is Heaven's decree.

May the Peace which was established in 1918 never again be broken, but rather may the Great Nations of the world be drawn together by that force which is mightier than the sword. Is this possible? The pessimist says "no" but the optimist who sees with the eye of faith in the Unseen says "yes".

Great events on the pages of History are such because of great endeavors and great sacrifices—universal and permanent.

Peace must come when individuals and Nations meet the demands—but not before.

"Ah, when shall all men's good Be each man's rule, and Universal Peace Lie like a shaft of light across the land, And like a lane of beams across the sea, Thro' all the circle of the golden year!"

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One who was present.

(We would be glad to hear of the doings of any Newfoundlanders, who, though in other lands, still owe allegiance to "Terra Nova."—Editor)

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Nov. 19.—J. C. Walcott was removed from office by the State Senate Court of Impeachment this afternoon. The verdict was unanimous. The conviction was on article nineteen charging abuse of pardon and parole authority. Conviction on one count was necessary for removal. The vote was forty-one to nothing.

Rome, Nov. 19.—King Alfonso and Queen Victoria of Spain arrived at Rome today to pay a visit to the Royal Court of Italy, and were received by the King and Queen amid scenes of extraordinary splendor. They were given an audience by Pope Pius at 1.30 this afternoon.

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G. F. GRIMES,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries,

Dept. of Marine and Fisheries,
St. John's, Newfoundland,
September 26th, 1923.

Oct 26, 31

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

London, Nov. 16.—King George, acting upon the advice of his Cabinet, this morning dissolved Parliament, in preparation for a general election to be held December 6th. Parliament reassembles December 20.

It is predicted that the coming election will bring one of the fiercest political fights seen in Great Britain in modern times. Baldwin's supporters warmly defend his honesty of purpose. Labor admits itself short of funds—shorter than ever before and attributes this poverty to the fact that underpay and unemployment have emptied the pockets of the workers.

Work was started on the new siding at the Railway Station here Thursday morning. The veteran Mr. Connors, Road Master, is in charge of the work.

A valued subscriber, Mr. John Elms, 115 Aldwych Ave., Toronto, writes, "We are receiving the Guardian O.K. and we want to subscribe for another year. We are finding the Queen City (Toronto) and the people very nice. There are many Newfoundlanders here and we are always glad to see them. We certainly look forward to the "Guardian" coming, and Mrs. Elms joins with me in wishing you abundant prosperity."

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