

OCEAN SO COLD SNOW PILES ON SURFAC

Capt. Steele Sees Strange Sight on the Way Up the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Boston, Dec. 7.—Capt. John Steele, one of the best known fishing captains in the coast fisheries, arrived here today from Manitowoc, Wic., with the new steam trawler White Cap, built for the Bay State Fishing Co. of Boston, to help relieve the shortage of vessels and the scarcity of fish.

Capt. Steele brought the vessel down through the Welland and Lachine canals and St. Lawrence river, a total distance of 2,700 miles, and encountered something entirely new.

About a week ago he ran into a snow storm lasting 24 hours, with the temperature four below zero. The ocean was so cold that the snow did not melt immediately upon touching the water but slowly piled up on the surface as on land.

The only difference was that a gradual melting process was going on underneath, so that it did not pile up as high as it would on land, despite the heavy downfall.

The vessel ploughed through snow for 100 miles.

WAS ANAEMIC FOR OVER A YEAR

Anaemia, or blood turning to water, is caused by the heart becoming deranged, and if the heart becomes weakened it cannot pump the blood as it should.

As a result the blood becomes impoverished, and it loses its nourishing qualities. The face becomes pale and thin, and the lips bloodless. There is a weakness, tiredness and loss of weight.

When those suffering from thin or watery blood start taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, they can see a change from the outset.

Every dose introduces into the blood those vital elements necessary to make it rich and red. The pale cheeks take on the rosy hue of health, the weight increases, and the whole being thrills with a new life.

Mrs. R. J. Grey, Fredericton, N. B., writes: "When I was a girl working at general housework I overtaxed my strength and became completely run down. For over a year I was very bad with anaemia. A friend told me to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills so I got a box and when it was done I felt and looked so much better I decided to get six more. When I had taken them I had gained not only in strength, but in flesh and color, and best of all was good health."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c. a box; three boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

PERSONAL

Dr. C. R. Fletcher and Mr. L. C. Macnutt have returned from Halifax.

Miss Portia McKenzie has returned to her home in St. John after spending a few days with Mrs. Sturdee.

Miss Addie Robinson is visiting Mrs. Sturdee.

Miss Pauline McLeod has returned from a visit of three months spent with her brother in Winnipeg.

Miss Olive McIntosh, graduate nurse of the General Public Hospital, St. John, is registered at the Nurses' Register, 149 Carleton street. She is the daughter of Major Colin McIntosh, who is on the firing line in France.

RURAL NOTES

BURDEN.

Visitors Come and Go—Lumbering Has Begun.

Burden, Dec. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. John A. Courser, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. Carton, New Jersey, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Boddy have gone to Millinocket to spend the winter.

Miss Myrtle Jewett, of Fredericton, made a flying visit to her home last week.

Rev. C. N. Barton, our former pastor, spent a day of last week visiting in Kingsclear.

Ervin Rutledge, of Doaktown, is visiting his parents at the parsonage, and intends remaining till after Christmas.

We are glad to report that our teacher, Miss Grace Gunter, who has been suffering from a bad cold, is able to resume her duties. Her sister, Mrs. Le Baron Anderson and little daughter, of Four Falls, Victoria county, made her a visit on Monday.

Mr. LeBaron Ander.....

Mr. LeB. Crewdson, who has been visiting his brother, Mr. Robt. Crewdson, has gone to St. John.

The friends of Miss Amy Kitchen are glad to welcome her back from Meductic.

Mrs. Robt. Crewdson made a visit to the city last Monday.

Roy Jewett, who has been working in the lumber woods with Frank Saunders, was called to his home at McKee's Corner on account of the illness of his little son.

Mr. Nevers Kitchen has a crew in the lumber woods.

SCOTCH SETTLEMENT.

Successful Hunters—Resident Preparing to Remove to Maine.

Scotch Settlement, Dec. 5.—Mrs. T. Shaw is now confined to her bed by illness, but by the skillful nursing of Mrs. Celia Esty we hope she will soon be around again.

We regret to hear that Mr. Garfield Grant contemplates leaving this place in the near future. He intends to try his luck at farming at Caribou, Me.

Mr. Frank Pickard, Keswick, shot a fine deer here recently.

Mr. I. N. Bird, of Burt's Corner, also shot one last Monday.

Mr. Murray Hagerman, of Jacksonville, Carleton county, spent yesterday at Mr. Alfred Christie's.

Mr. Byron Jones and Miss Winnifred Ingraham, of Middle Hainesville, were visiting Mrs. Geo. Christie last Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Gordon is quite seriously ill at present.

MONTREAL COLONEL COURT MARTIALED

Montreal, Dec. 8.—The case of Lieut. Col. Pagnuelo, late commanding officer of the 206th French Canadian battalion who has had trial before a military court martial here, on charges of misconduct at Valcartier, was concluded this morning and the report of the board will be forwarded to the Governor General at Ottawa for decision.

He was found "not guilty" on nine charges, "not innocent" on one charge and he pleaded guilty to the charge that he had addressed his men in a speech of which the wording was not such as should be used by any officer.

Black's Christmas Guide

For the Thoughtful, Careful and - Prudent Holiday Shopper -

OUR STORE is overflowing with Useful, Serviceable and Pretty Gifts suitable for Ladies, Misses and Children. We have neither space to display the Pretty and Useful Articles, nor the time to tell you about them; but invite your inspection. If not as represented, money cheerfully refunded.

OUR MERCHANDISE IS HIGH CLASS, BUT MODERATELY PRICED.

Save this List and jot down the articles you wish to see; bring it to the store, and we will do the rest. Below will be found a few of the many useful things we will be pleased to show you, but their values are known only through inspection.

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WINTER COATS in all the popular styles, \$4.50 to \$40. Special prices on all Coats for the Holiday Season.

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FLANNELETTE NIGHT GOWNS, best values in Canada, 58c. to \$1.75.

HOUSE DRESSES in Gingham, Flannelette, etc., \$1.00 to \$1.75.

SERGE DRESSES in all the leading shades, \$5 to \$10.

SILK DRESSES in popular shades and styles, \$10 to \$22.

VELVET and CORDUROY DRESSES, in popular shades, \$10 to \$18.

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SILK WAISTS, pretty designs and shades, \$1.25 to \$3.50.

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We have Waists for every lady, for every occasion, at right prices. We are the WAIST people, you know.

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KID GLOVES (guaranteed) \$1.60 to \$1.75.

MOCHA WASHABLE GLOVES in White and Natural, \$1.25 to \$1.50.

CHAMOISETTE GLOVES, 90c. to \$1.25 per pair.

FLEECE-LINED GLOVES in White and Grey at 50c. pair.

WOOL GLOVES, 35c. to 60c. per pair.

WOOL MITTS, 35c. to 50c. per pair.

CASHMERETTE and FLEECE-LINED HOSE, 25c. pair.

CASHMERE HOSE, 30c. to 80c. per pair.

HEAVY WOOL HOSE, 35c. to 75c. per pair.

SILK HOSE, 50c. to \$1.00 per pair.

TIGHTS and OVER DRAWERS, 75c. to \$1.50 per pair.

HUG-ME-TIGHTS, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

UNDERVERSTS and DRAWERS in all qualities, 25c. to \$1.50 each.

COMBINATION SUITS, 50c. to \$2.75.

WOOL CAPS, 25c. to \$1.25.

GIFTS FOR LADIES

WOOL MUFFLERS, \$1.25 to \$1.50.

WOOL TAMS, \$1.75.

UMBRELLAS, neat and durable, \$1.00 to \$3.00.

RAINCOATS, \$5.00 to \$12.00.

RAIN HATS, \$1.00 each.

MUSLIN NIGHT DRESSES, 75c. to \$5.50.

EMBROIDERED UNDERSKIRTS, \$1.00 to \$4.00.

MUSLIN COMBINATIONS, 50c. to \$3.75.

DAINTY CORSET COVERS, 25c. to \$2.25.

BOUDOIR CAPS, 50c. to \$1.75.

TEA APRONS, 15c. to \$1.25.

WHITE APRONS, with or without bibs, 25c. to 75c.

DARK WORK APRONS, 25c. to \$1.25.

CORSETS, 50c. to \$1.75.

MIDDIES, in Serge, Flannel and Panama, etc., \$2.50 to \$3.75.

GIFTS FOR CHILDREN.

WINTER COATS in Bear Cloth, Tweed, Corduroy, ages 2 to 15 years, prices from \$2 to \$10. Special prices for Christmas shopping.

DRESSES in Serge, Panama, Velvet, etc., ages 8 to 14 years, \$3.75 to \$7.50.

DRESSES in Blue, Pink, and Red Cashmere, for smaller children, prices \$1.00 to \$1.50.

INFANTS' WHITE DRESSES, 75c. to \$3.00.

SWEATER COATS, 50c. to \$2.00.

BERLIN JACKETS, 50c. to \$1.50.

KNITTED ROMPER SUITS, \$1.25.

KNITTED THREE-PIECE SUITS, \$2.25 to \$6.00.

KNITTED OVERALL GAITERS, 50c. to \$2.50.

FLANNELETTE GOWNS, 50c. to 75c.

SLEEPING SUITS, 50c. to 80c.

TIGHTS, 25c. to 75c.

KIMONAS in Silk, Eiderdown, etc., \$1.00 to \$2.50.

MIDDIES in Serge, Flannel, Duck, etc., 75c. to \$3.75.

WOOL GLOVES, 25 cents to 50 cents.

WOOL MITTS, 15 cents to 50 cents.

WOOL CAPS and MUFFLERS, \$1.50 per sett.

WHITE and GREY THIBET FUR SETTS, \$5.00 to \$7.00.

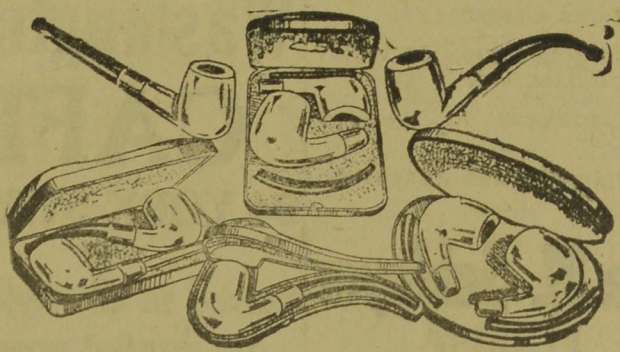
PLUSH SETTS, 50 cents to \$2.50.

CASHMERE HOSE, 25 cents to 50 cents per pair.

HEAVY RIBBED HOSE, 25 cents to 75 cents per pair.

CORSET WAIST, 25 cents to 75 cents.

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