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ONTARIO'S FISH CATCH.

Statistics From Report of Deputy Minister of Fisheries for Ontario.

Mr. S. T. Bastedo, Deputy Minister of Fisheries for Ontario, in his annual report, gives a comparative statement of the catch of the various fish of the Province. The total value of the catch for the year was \$1,313,676.88, being a decrease of \$114,401.70 from that of 1901. The various yields were in pounds as follows:

Whitefish, 2,860,670, a decrease of 100,770; salted whitefish, 48,500, a decrease of 206,700; herring, 5,225,654, a decrease of 2,567,784; salted herring, 864,400, an increase of 388,100; trout, 5,117,568, a decrease of 168,000; salted trout, 227,900, a decrease of 290,300; pickerel, 3,691,855, an increase of 637,300; pike, 1,720,830, a decrease of 135,425; sturgeon, 577,984, a decrease of 14,500; caviar, 47,296, an increase of 7,741; perch, 1,289,844, an increase of 223,777; catfish, 818,721, an increase of 115,900; coarse fish, 2,067,814, an increase of 326,800; eels, 73,238, a decrease of 1,952; tullibee, 58,708, an increase of 26,861.

Revenue of the Department.

The revenue from the department was \$40,140.70, an increase of \$4,253; the total expenditure for all purposes was \$33,514, an increase of \$953. The estimated value of the plant was \$816,392, an increase of \$67,321. There were 124 tugs with 589 men, as compared with 101 tugs and 489 men in 1901 engaged in the industry.

The boats numbered 1,295, with 2,296 men, against 1,299, with 2,313 men in 1901. Licenses were issued for 2,538,673 yards of gill net, 98 seines, 479 pond nets, 379 hoop nets, 122 dip nets, and 24,455 hooks as compared with 2,410,627 yards of gill net, 102 seines, 432 pond nets, 484 hoop nets, 3 dip nets and 34,315 hooks in 1901. Each year licenses were issued for 3 machines for winding up nets on the Niagara River.

There were 69 people fined for breaches of the law, as compared with 121 in 1901, which the Deputy Minister considers as a favorable sign that the fishermen are recognizing that it is to their own interests to observe the law. The amount obtained from fines was \$5.40, as compared with \$1,527 in 1901. There were seized 111 gill nets, 28 seines, 82 traps, 4 hoop nets, 12 spears, 2 boats and 27 night lights.

Dominion Government's Work.

The Dominion Government during the year deposited 101,896,000 fry in Ontario waters.

The Dominion station in the Georgian Bay, on Island 121, in Georgian Bay, for studying the habits of fish, began work last summer. A complete hydrographic survey of the vicinity is being made, and a survey of the islands and reefs lying between Station Island and Red Rock was finished. The classification of the fish from specimens taken is being made a feature of the work, and a study of the habits of the fish of the district, with special reference to those of commercial value, will be made. A collection is also being made of the classes of land and marsh birds and the plants and animals of the surrounding country. A hatch pond for bass has been prepared and has deposited therein. Their

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spawning will be carefully studied. Meteorological observations were also conducted and records kept.

There is a great variety of fish in the neighborhood of the station, and the members of it feel that if they were able to make thorough inquiry into the lives and habits of them all a vast quantity of valuable information could be obtained.

Canada Misunderstood.

Canada is the one colony which has been continually misunderstood in England. Just as the English people were awakening to its real character and were beginning to take an interest in its future Mr. Rudyard Kipling checked the movement with a phrase, Canada is My Lady of the Snows in the imagination of Englishmen. Any well informed Canadian will admit that, in his opinion, this phrase threatens to throw back the development of the colony by a decade. Canada has to live down this poetical liberty, behind which and supporting it is the prejudice of years. In the minds of nine out of ten persons in the old country Canada stands for the Siberia of the British Empire, a country in which residents suffer the most terrible hardships owing to the extreme cold, which is supposed to wrap the country around for seven or eight months together, bringing all industrial and social life to a standstill.—Fortnightly Review.

Study the Right Side.

A photographer was asked the other day if there is any special reason why most photographs show the left side of the face and not the right.

"Yes, there is a reason," he answered. "In a majority of cases the left side is the good looking side, and photographers know this and take advantage of it. On the other hand, if you want to get at the real strength and character of a person's face, man or woman, study the right side of it—the ugly side, as some portrait painters call it. There you will find the lines bold and harsh, comparatively so at any rate, with every defect accentuated. On the left side, however, everything is softened down, and the face is at its best.

"Whenever you suspect a man of trickery or deceit, or a woman either, for that matter, stand on his right and closely watch his expression. There never was an actor skillful enough to cover up the marks of his real personality, as nature has stamped them on the right side of his face."

"Lunnon" Likes It—"Ot."

It may be that the quality of imagination was lacking in the Boston and Salem merchants who attempted in 1842 to introduce American ice into London. One of them tried to attain this end by demonstrating the merits of American iced drinks. He hired a hall, as the story goes, and trained a number of men to mix the cool beverages of his native land. The members of the Fishmongers' association, presumably as fond of turtle as aldermen themselves, were the guests. The waiters made an imposing entry, but, alas, the first sound that met the ear of the American "promoter," expecting a chorus of approval, was that of an English voice calling for hot water and saying, "I prefer it, all in all." The American completes the story, "I made a dead rush for the door, next day settled my bills in London, took train for Liverpool and the steamer for Boston and counted up a clear loss of \$1,200."—M. A. De Wolfe Howe in Atlantic.

The Charge at Marengo.

As an instance of magnificent blundering, sung by poets and treasured in story, no record is ever likely to come up to that of the Light brigade in the Crimean war. But, perhaps, most remarkable was Kellerman's charge at Marengo. From daybreak till late afternoon the Austrians had the best of it. Desaix said to Napoleon, "The battle is completely lost," adding, "but it is only 4 o'clock. There is time to gain another one." A little later Kellerman with 400 mounted sabers—carefully hidden by a vineyard till the fateful moment arrived—dashed out upon the flank of the Hungarian infantry. The onset was irresistible. Two thousand imperial soldiers surrendered with their general, and the French, inspired to a final effort, wrested a brilliant victory—unique, even in Napoleon's career—from their opponents.

In Doubt.

In one of Wilkie Collins' published letters he writes: For the last week while I was finishing the story I galloped along without feeling it, like the old post horses. Do you remember how the fore legs of those post horses quivered, and how their heads drooped when they came to the journey's end? That's me, my dear; that's me. Good gracious, is "me" grammar? Ought it to be "I"? My poor father paid £90 a year for my education, and I give you my sacred word of honor I am not sure whether it is "me" or "I."

The Modest Actor.

"Shakespeare took some great risks in his dramatic effects," said the literary analyst. "He did, indeed," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes, with the innocent egotism of genius. "For instance, when he wrote his plays he had no idea that I would be born to see that they were properly produced."

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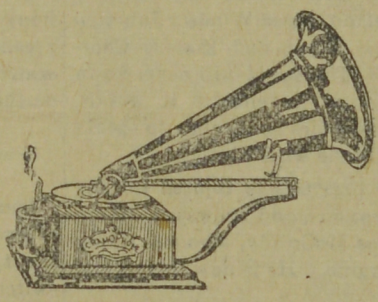
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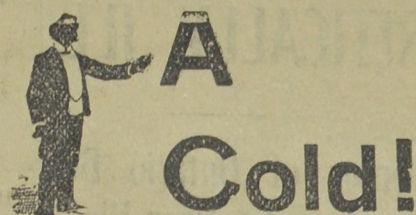
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For terms of sale and other particulars apply to plaintiff's solicitor.

Dated this fifth day of March, A. D. 1903.

HAVELOCK COY,

Referee in Equity for the County of York.

A. R. SLIPP,
Plaintiff's Solicitor.

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