(SEXEXEXENSE)

The First

Colonies.

To Governor.

Fruits of the

Valour of

Our Lads!

No. 321.

Code Telegram from Sec-

retary of State for the

(recd. 8 July, 1916, 1 p.m.)

I desire to express the in-

tense admiration which I

feel for the gallant deeds

of the Newfoundland Con-

tingent, and my warmest

sympathy with the rela-

Sir Douglas Haig means

to telegraph to you direct :

his message of admiration.

Royal Belgian

Wayward Lads

time. Price 25c. a bottle.

Fishery News.

suffered in the fight.

Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor H. A. WINTER, B.A., - - Editor

SATURDAY, July 8, 1916.

Message From the Premier.

ALL WOUNDED DOING WELL. Sir W. E. Davidson, K.C.M.G.,

LONDON, July 7 We are profoundly affected by the heavy casualty list, particuars of which Captain Time-well has been sending you. My wife and I have seen most of the wounded in the London Hospitals; now reaching nearly 200. All are doing well and have every comfort. None are likely to die.

The superb daring and devotion of officers and men has maintained and added lustre to British arms. Their conduct and deeds will prove undying in the memory of the Empire.

The officers killed to date number nine; missing three; wounded seventeen. No complete lists have yet arrived of the number of men killed and wounded. The number to date notified is 230. All information as it comes

in will be forwarded. The London papers speak in highest terms of the action of the Newfoundland troops. Kindly convey my deepest sympathy, in this their hour of trial, to the relatives of our brave sons, who have died that we may live. E. P. MORRIS.

HIS EXCELLENCY'S REPLY.

I have received your affecting message of sympathy; it will be published in the Press forth-

All will deeply appreciate the care of the wounded by Lady Morris and yourself. Your praise of our lads' fine fighting is most opportune, as we have heard nothing beyond DAVIDSON.

The Growing Lists.



separable from the grad-ual and fragmentary an-nouncements of the some help to those most nearly concerned if we point out, as far as is possible, what we know for certain and what we may reasonably expect yet to learn. It would be idle to pretend that the list of casualties is yet complete, and we think none can be paradoxical, though natural enough, that the least anxiety is felt for those lads known to be wounded, except in the happily few cases where the wounds are pronounced to be serious. Of the great number of the wounded it can be said that their lives have been spared and that their lives have been spared and that their ultimate recovery is almost certain. It follows that the most acute anxiety is for those of whom—we have as yet heard nothing, lest they should be numbered among the killed. Of these we can confidently say that far the greater number have come through unscathed.

We believe also that it can be assured that he list of officers is come.

We pray that God may grant you gears, respectively, were arrested under warrant, charged with larceny. On Wednesday night last they visited there different stables in the East End of the city and stole a horse, a carriage and a set of harness, thence going to Bay Bulls on a joy ride. Yesterday the they should be numbered among the killed. Of these we can confidently say that far the greater number have come through unscathed.

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We shall miss you as our beloved there different stables in the East End of the city and stole a horse, a carriage and a set of harness, thence going to Bay Bulls on a joy ride. Yesterday the they should be numbered among the killed. Of these we can confidently say that far the greater number have come through unscathed.

We pray that God may grant you every success in your undertakings, every success in your undertakings, and the success of the city and stole a horse, a carriage and a set of harness, thence going to Bay Bulls on a joy ride. Yesterday the say they returned to town, having enjoyed their excursion trip and put back the outfit where they got it. They were made to answer for their conduct to-day before Judge Morris. As the stolen property was recovered and it was their first offence, the lads were let go on their parents signing bonds for their future good

surged that the list of officers is comete, or nearly so. In his message to the Governor, Sir Edward Morris states that the officers killed to date numbered nine and the missing three. These have all been enumerated now, the sad news of 2nd Lieut. Clifford Jupp bringing the number of the of-ficers killed up to nine. Unless our regiment has taken part in further and quite recent fighting (which is unlikely) there should be no further serious casualties reported among the

be nearly told by this time. All these cases are handled with the utmost thoroughness and marvellous despatch. Their names are immediately known and the nature of their infuries classified and announced very rapidly. It is unavoidable that the list of the killed should take longer to complete. Unfortunately, we must brace ourselves to hear shortly of the loss of some brave men in the rank and file. While this is certain, there is no reason to believe the list will be a large one, and certainly no justifica-tion for some of the wild and thoughtless rumors we have heard. Let us prepare ourselves to receive with courage what is yet to come. When we have heard it all, it will be a glorious roll of honour which will be the lasting pride of our land. The years will add to its lustre while they soften and remove its tragic pathos.

Cochrane St. Centennial Church.

At Cochrane Street Methodist Centennial Church to-morrow evening the Rev. Alfred Woods of East Saugas, Mass., will occupy the pulpit. Mr. Woods is visiting members of the family residing in this city, and we feel sure his numerous friends will be glad to have the opportunity of hearing him to-morrow evening at the above named church.

NOTICE—The regular monthy meeting of the St. John's Mehanics' Society will be held in b the Hall on Monday evening,
July 10th, at 8 o'clock. By order, J. A. LEAHY, Sec.—jly8,1i ELLIS'.

Mount St. Vincent, Halifax.

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J. A. LEAHY, Sec.—jly8,1i ELLIS'.

The Great Offensive.

Our men have played, and will continue to play, their part in the momentous drama which may be said to have begun with the Russian attack upon Austria and to have entered upon its second act on the fateful 1st of July; it should draw our attention more second act on the fateful 1st of July; it should draw our attention more closely than before to what is happening. For what is happening is rothing more nor less than the decision of the war. Two notable facts are recorded in to-day's messages—the resumption by the British of their terrific offensive, and the initiation of an entirely new attack by the Russians upon the very important German lines in Northern Russia.

The passing of the initiative from

The passing of the initiative from the Central Powers to the Allies, so frequently alluded to, is of great importance—the mere fact of it shows how fully the tide has turned. It means that Germany must now move her troops at the will of the Allies; she can no longer dispose them as suits her own purposes. The renewal of the British attack indicates the nature of the present campaign: it is one of methodical, unremitting pressure, giving the Germans no rest and wat sparing as for as possible the lives ret sparing as far as possible the lives of the attackers. We do not yet look for much progress, measured lineally, by the British (indeed that which they have achieved is surprisingly good): there is a better chance for the French south of them, who are evidently preparing for another vig-orous thrust. But the most welcome and surprising news of all is that of the marvellous Russian achievements, for it is nothing if not marvellous.
The crushing defeat inflicted upon the Austrians has been gratifying and vastly important, but there was always the danger of the Germans in the north, amounting possibly to a menace. We see now that there is no retire their line or not (and it seens to us inevitable in the long run), they are definitely on the defensive, and can give Von Bothmer no assistance in saving Lemberg.

Russia has several times been the shield of her Allies in this war; now she is their strong right hand, wield-ing the sword of vengeance. There is an enduring bond between all the parts of the confederacy of nations united against Germany: it binds great hearted Russia even to us in faraway Newfoundland. Her armies made possible the great offensive of last week; how far may they have saved our own regiment from even more grievous losses than they have sustained? We shall all look towards Russia as well as towards France. When her troops are across the Carpathians, when they have cleared Poland of the invader, and most of all, when they have set foot upon Eastern Prussia, we shall see, and Germany will see, the day of retri-

Address to Rev. C. A. McCarthy,

From the Boys of St. Patrick's School,

Rev. Father,-It is with mixed feelings of joy and regret that we address you to-day. We compliment you on your elevation as Parish Priest of Tor's Cove, but for your departure years, respectively, were arrested unsail; apply to RICHARD ROCHE

every success in your undertakings, and that He will shower on you his choicest blessings. We beg of you to accept the accompanying gift slight token of our esteem and affec-

Signed,—Raphael O'Neill, Gregory Carew, Thomas Whitten, Michael

"MEASLES."

Hundreds of children are suffering from "Measles" at the present time, and one has to be very careful in try-

and one has to be very careful in trying to avoid the complications that
often follow them.

A heavy "Cough" is very prevalent
during the present epidemic, and
"Pneumonia" is the great danger.
Avoid this by keeping a bottle of
"Stafford's Phoratone Cough Cure" on

The latest report received by the Board of Trade is:—
July 1.—From F. R. Dinham (Eagle Point to Mall Bay.)—The total catch is 5,030 qtls., with 290 for last week. The one trap in the water has about 30 qtls. to date and 20 dories and skiffs have landed about 100 qtls. Prospects are very good for nets, but poor for hook and liners. There is plenty of caplin, and the lobster fishery is still very good. The Warren M. Colp has arrived from the Grand Banks with about 250 qtls. She reports codfish plentiful, but had to return to port owing to the death of one of her crew. Stafford's Drug Store (Theatre Hill) is open every night from 7.30 to tured only by DR. F. STAFFORD & SON,

"3 Specialties":— St. John's, Nfid. "Stafford's Liniment." Stafford's Prescription "A." "Stafford's Phoratone Cough Cure.

ratulate the two Newfoundland publis, Miss Helen Power and Miss Mollie McNamara, both of Mount St. Vincent Academy, Halifax, for securing medals in different branches. Commercial work, Miss Helen Power, bronze medal, presented by Sir Isaac Fitman & Sons, England; Mount St. Vincent Diploma for commercial, Miss H. Power; the Degan Diploma for typewriting, Miss Helen Power; Underwood certificate for speed, Miss Helen Power; Underwood certificate for speed, Miss Helen Power; Miss Mollie McNamara, in which he made the dash to the beach was blown to pieces; several of his comrades were instantly killed, while he was fortunate in espansion of the beach was blown to pieces; several of his comrades were instantly killed, while he was fortunate in espansion. McNamara; Sewing, Silver Medal). Domestic Science, Miss M. McNamara; Sewing, Silver Medal, Miss M. McNamara; Sewing, Silver Medal, while he was fortunate in espansion of the beach was blown to pieces; several of his comrades were instantly killed, while he was fortunate in espansion of the beach was blown to be congratulated on their success at Mount St. Vincent, Halifax.

Mount St. Vincent, Halifax.

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DIED.

Yesterday, July 7th, after a long libratic price of the late Joseph Day, of Champneys, T. B., leaving of the late Joseph Day, of Champneys, T. B., leaving of the

Counting the Ballots.

Six Councillors were elected, And though the hearts of five

Feel sad for being neglected, Yet "there's many a slip 'twixt cur and lip"

For the winning ones may bow, single the dame fortune's fickle whip About two years from now, sir.

Tis of the count I'll speak to-day, The style is antiquated; But Mr. Doyle, I wish to say He should not be berated; He did the very best he could,
I don't think he need worry,
Nor neither of his helpmates should,
"Pat" Grace and "Billy" Laurie.

or Jonas is a peach, you know, Part of his heart's affections re wound around such work, I tro As counting at elections.

A merry joke and jest were heard Among the victors six, sir,
And one looked happy as a bird
It was the sportive "Nix," sir;
The victors in the counting room Were willing and were able To pass along cigars in bloom To each man at the table.

Train Notes.

Thursday's outgoing express reach Port aux Basques at 12.30 a.m. to

at 1.45 p.m. to-day The local from Carbonear reached tives of those who have town at noon to-day The Trepassey train reached tow at 9.30 a.m. to-day.

Dust and Flies.

lies are in the air and watching their chance to alight on your bread and bring dirt and disease to your child-ren. Guard against them by buying Lynch's Pan-Dandy Bread, white, and Lynch's Pan-Dandy Bread, white, and brown, wrapped and sealed by machinery in a dust and germ proof wrapper; it is the only bread in Newfoundland that is made, wrapped and sealed by machinery. Ask your grocer for it. Did you get any of Lynch's Beauty Cake, yet? Oh, what a beauty cake! the best in the land. Ask your grocer for it. june22,tf **Concert Company** Owing to the postponement of the Relgian Royal Concert Co., to the 25th 27th and 28th inst., the sale of tickets is being withheld for the present. Announcement will be made in a day or

Here and There.

REACHED HALIFAX. - The s.s. morning from this port.

Up for Larceny. sail; apply to RICHARD ROCHE. Blacksmith.

> REPAIRS AT MONTREAL .- The amaged grain steamer Arachne will WEATHER REPORT. - The wea-

ther across country is light S.W. wind and fine, with the temperature 45 to FOR PERNAMBUCO.—The schr

Emily Anderson, Capt. Haughn, sails

this afternoon for Pernambuco, fish McMurdo's Store News HERE FROM ICELAND-The Dan sh schooner Star. 28 days from Ice-and, arrived here this morning in SATURDAY, July 8th, 1916.
Tar, Oil, and Pennyroyal is one of
the most effective preventives of mosquito bites and should be in the knap-

sack or trunk of everybody who goes on a trouting excursion to the country or seaside. Price 25 cents a bottle.

For "Colds out of the heat"—summer colds—sometimes more serious than people imagine, keep a bottle of White Pine and Tar at hand, and use if on the first symptoms of trouble in EARL OF DEVON SAILED .- The Earl of Devon sailed for the White Bay service at 10 a.m. to-day, taking a large freight and the following passengers: Mr. Waterman, W. D. Clark and S. W. McK. Downs.

allast. She will load fish for foreign

it on the first symptoms of trouble in chest or throat. We are sure the cough will not persist long if taken in MEIGLE SAILED .- The s.s. Meigle sailed for the Labrador at noon to-day, having on board a large freight and the following first class passengers: Mrs. Crocker, Rev. Mr. Barton, and four gentlemen for the

> HEARD IN CAMERA.-A case preferred against a young man of West End on complaint of a young woman, was held in camera at the Magistrate's Court this forencon. The defendant had to sign bonds for his appearance when called upon.

SLIGHT FIRE. Mr. Michael Walsh was manufacturing snuff in the basement at the rear of his house on Duckworth Street, when a slight blaze occurred, caused by some brin bags and papers igniting. An alarm was sent in from box 22 and the Central and East End companies responded and quenched the fire without dam-

For King and Country.

Far from their Island home they sleep Under a foreign sun, Their only thought their country's

And now-Their life's work dor And now—Their life's work done. O'er them we lay no mournful pall, No requiem mass we sing; In soldier's cloak our heroes lie, Serving, till death, their king. No organ peals their funeral march, But bugle, drum and gun; And lo, we hear a heavenly voice: "Well done, dear boys, well done!"

Poor Fishery North

The S.S. Prospero, Capt. A. Kean, returned from the Northward this morning. The codfishery at the prin-

cipal centres north thus far is almos

complete failure. Traps have don

practically nothing in some places and hook and liners have also me

with poor success. The following saloon passengers came on the ship: Messrs. G. Ford, G. Turtle, P. Parsons A. Michael, J. Dicksen, H. Hallett, J. Brown, H. House, S. Blackler, T. This.

tle, J. Spencer, A. Lacey, D. Feder T. Dawe, E. Moss, Rev. Way, C. Snel

grove, M. Roper, S. Hussey and J Rowe; Misses Mercer, Carlson, Craw

er, Lamb, Keating, French, Howlett, Bursey, Strong, Jones, Fitzgerald, Parsons, Harbin, Reader, Snelgrove, Piercey, Hiscock, Ash; Mesdames Til-

ley, Edwards, Earle, Reader, Hunt

Morris, Heater, Erickson, Hussey and Lockyer, and 34 in steerage.

Prospero Reports

Critics all may criticize,
It could be done no smarter
Than by Mr. Doyle and his "two boys
Helped on by Jonas Barter.

Now here's a word for one and all And for Levi Chafe, also, sir For figuring if you'll on him call You'll find he is not slow, sir; And here's a wish and one sincere To the Aldermanic seven, Since they got into the Council here July 6th, 1916.

Reids' Boats.

The Argyle left Placentia at 2 a.m. The Clyde left Botwood at 3.50 p.m esterday, outward.

The Dundee left Musgrave at 7.46 a.m. yesterday outward. The Ethie is due at Flower's Cove o-day from the Straits. The Glencoe left Burin at 8.20 a.n sterday, going west. The Home has not been reported since leaving Lewisporte at 9.15 a.m.

The Lady Sybil arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.30 a.m. to-day. The Kyle left Port aux Basques at The Petrel left Heart's Content at

3.30 p.m. yesterday, outward.
The Meigle left St. John's at noon o-day for the Labrador. The Sagona is north of Twillingate

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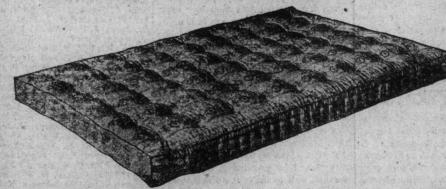
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Mattresses on sale to-day are made specially for us by factory in our building. These Mattresses are all built by machinery and not stufied by hand. The meaning of this is: Mattresses stufied will have more filling in some places than in others, hence you will sleep very uncomfortable. Mattresses built more filling in some places than in others, hence you will sleep very uncomfortable. Mattresses built will have the same proportion of filling all through the mattress—each mattress will have an even surface. All tickings are selected by us, and every-mattress must be made to our high standard of quality and excellence. All mattresses on sale to-day are backed by our guarantee of satisfaction. Prices from \$1.00 up to \$20.00. from \$1.00 up to \$20.00.

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"Well, it's just O.K

You've put me w struck.'

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Messages Receive Previous to

BRITISH LOSSES IN

AND MEN HEAVY

BRITISH HEADQU The obstacles which troops, particularly in it north of the Ancre from to LaBoiselle, have had have been prodigious. and tenacity have been because of these their cers and men have nothing is to be gained by this fact. Many units ha dire losses on this north the attacking line. There ments, in some cases on of regiments now, whose ring throughout Britain time arrives for the full hattle to be told. Some of Own Scottish Borderers. forth Highlanders, Mid lins, Warwicks, Royal Irisl

GERMAN TRENCHES C

LONDON, The capture by the Brit man trenches on a front of east of LaBoiselle in the gion, was announced offic

FIGHTING RESUME

The British resumed the on certain sectors east of dawn to-day. At the same Germans launched a heavy the British trenches near and violent fighting is no gress. In the vicinity of O Contalmaison as well as Boiselle the British have gress. In the region of Th Germans regained a section

KING CONGRATULATES

LONDO The following message v King George to General I mander of the British tro French and Belgian front convey to the troops under trol my sincere congrat result achieved in fighting. I am proud of None could have fought i General Haig in ly." General Haig in r ontinue to deserve younglebraise.

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MEN'S STRONG T MEN'S NEGLIGE MEN'S MERCERI Tan and Black GENT'S HARD FI BOYS' FLEECED LADIES' WHITE Line"

LADIES' D. & A.