



Evening Telegram

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Verging on War.

That the escape of D'Annunzio, the fiery Italian poet-aviator-warrior, did not precipitate another war, must be credited to the patience of the Jugo-Slav peoples, who under great provocation remained passive and peaceful, even while the insurgent soldiery of the "expensive cigar" man were overrunning their territory, and occupying their cities, but should this armed aggression continue, and an attempt be made to seize the whole of Dalmatia, it will inevitably lead to hostilities. So far as the port of Fiume itself is concerned, it is not likely that the Jugo Slavs will enter into armed resistance against the holding of the town by D'Annunzio's troops, as Fiume really is not Jugo Slavian territorially, it being theirs merely by deed of gift of the Supreme Council of the Peace Conference. But the case of Dalmatia is different altogether and admits of no debate.

Discussing the situation created by the procession of events of the past few months, in this quarter of Europe, Colonel Frank H. Simonds, the famous military expert and critic of the Halifax Herald, says that of the 700,000 people who populate Dalmatia, less than 20,000 are Italians, and outside of the one town of Zara, (recently occupied by D'Annunzio), they are a hopeless and unpopular minority. The desire of the population of Dalmatia is overwhelmingly in favor of union with the new Jugo Slav State, and it is Simonds' opinion that the Dalmatians and Southern Slavs are bound to fight if any further attempt at Italian extension is made by D'Annunzio. A war between the Southern Slavs and Italians would not, in the opinion of Colonel Simonds, be terminated by a single swift campaign, nor would Italian occupa-

tion of a portion of Slav territory bring about a settlement. In support of this, the Colonel points out that the Serbs carried on their resistance to the Turks for four centuries, after the Battle of Kosovo, in which the Serbians, under John Hunyadi, defeated by the Turks on October 17th, 1448, enabled the latter nation to overrun Serbian territory.

In the event of a struggle, Italy relies upon Bulgarian and Roumanian assistance, and also upon a certain amount of separatist sentiment in Montenegro and in Croatia, this sentiment being the result of Italian intrigue. But despite all the handicaps under which the Serbs would labor, it is by no means certain, to quote the authority referred to, that the Italians would not be subjected to a long and costly campaign and to an indefinite period of guerilla warfare, for one thing is patent. All the Southern Slavs, Serbs, Slovenians and Croats would prefer a new war with all its sacrifices, to annexation by Italy, and in this spirit they will unitedly resist D'Annunzio, and the country on the eastern shore of the Adriatic Sea is admirably adapted to guerilla fighting. Nor, says Simonds, in his able recapitulation of the tense situation, is it by any means certain that the Southern Slavs might not ultimately derive aid from the Austrian-Germans, a portion of whose territory, together with a quarter of a million of German-speaking Tyrolese, have been included within Italy's frontiers against their will and protest.

Taken as a whole the Italian Government have to face an extremely delicate and difficult situation. Should D'Annunzio refuse to climb down from the stand he has taken, and let matters be settled by the Governments involved, Italy will be faced with a war, brought about by the misguided and misdirected patriotism of one man. And should such a war, be waged all Europe would be in a blaze in a moment, as the whole near East would rise to a man against Italian domination. Dalmatia, which was taken from Austria and added to Jugo Slavia by the Peace Council is a narrow strip of territory extending along the eastern side of the Adriatic Sea, having an area of 4,940 square miles. The coast is steep and rocky. The country is mountainous, Orjen, near the town of Cattaro attaining a height of 6,235 feet. Only one-ninth of the land is fit for cultivation, and that mainly on a strip of pasture and a third in wood. The numerous islands off the coast are not very fertile.

Cochrane Street Centennial Church.

THANKSGIVING SERVICES.
The annual Thanksgiving services will be held in Cochrane Street Methodist Church to-morrow, when special sermons will be preached both morning and evening. A special offering is to be taken up in aid of the Memorial Tablet to be erected to the memory of the boys of the congregation who were killed during the war. It is confidently expected the offering will reach last year's figures. Old and young are asked to contribute.

G. W. V. A.

ENQUIRY COLUMN.
The management of the Evening Telegram has kindly put at the disposal of the Great War Veterans' an Enquiry Column for men out of employment. Any men requiring work can communicate with the Association direct, and their request will be attended to.

(1) Sailor would like position as master of vessel; has second mate's certificate.

(2) Sailor would like position as master of vessel; has first mate's certificate.

All communications to be addressed to the Secretary of Great War Veterans' Association, Water Street.

Guild Sale Next Week.

The sale of work in the Methodist College Hall on Tuesday next promises to be a most successful one, exhaustive preparations having been made to this end. The Girls' Guild of the College is looking after the arrangements. Water color paintings, local crocheted work and home embroidery will be offered for sale. The most interesting of them, however, will be a quantity of genuine Japanese goods received direct from Japan. Afternoon teas and candy will be procurable.

Presented With Address.

From the London Morning Post we clip the following:-

"The Board of Management of the Royal National Hospital for Consumption, Ventnor, has presented an address of cordial appreciation to the chairman, Mr. P. B. Burgoyne, for his leadership in the affairs of the institution during the past eighteen years." Mr. Burgoyne above referred to, was known to many here during the sixties, but few however, of his then associates now remain, perhaps his warmest friend was Mr. George A. Hutchings, with whom, we understand, he still corresponds. Mr. Burgoyne now lives at Broadlands, Ascot, London, where he has a magnificent home and beautiful grounds. His son, Major A. N. Burgoyne, M. P., was, during the war, appointed Controller of the Priority Department, Ministry of Munitions.

Five-Day Express in To-Morrow.

Wednesday's east bound express, which left Port aux Basques on Wednesday morning and met bad and stormy weather right across, becoming eventually snowed-in in eight feet of snow near Clareville, has not arrived yet. A message from the nearest station states that it was hoped to have the unfortunate express "dug out" by four o'clock this afternoon and in this case she would reach the city to-morrow morning, probably early. Snow plows which were rushed to the assistance of the train ran off the track and thus added to the delay. At no time in the winter is a train-ride across country a joy-ride, but fire, or a little less, of it is surely a most unenviable experience. If food and fuel ran short the hardship, especially in the case of the women and children, must have been intense. The list of her passengers has not yet been received, on account of wire trouble. Running a railway in this country certainly is no child's play.

Removing Burning Cargo.

A gang of men was put to work this morning on the steamer Meridian engaged in removing the cargo from No. 2 hold, which is still on fire. The fire hose has been laid alongside in case of need and the Furness Withy Co.'s tug is standing by the steamer. So far there is no fire to be seen but the deck around the hatch is quite hot and an immense quantity of steam is escaping, making it difficult for men to work. Some hundreds of cases of California apples were the first of the cargo to be removed. These latter were stewed to mush. The ship has a general cargo, and in No. 2 hold are such articles as starch, automobiles, cotton, etc.

Police Court.

A well known milkman of the Goules was fined \$5 for being drunk and disorderly and using obscene language. Two firemen of the city were each fined \$100 for a breach of Prohibition Act—having alcoholic liquor in their possession. A thirteen year-old boy was fined costs for firing a gun within the city.

FEEL FINDING THIS EVENING.
The finding of the court in the Fern enquiry will be given this evening at the Magistrates Office.

Three-Master Ashore at St. Pierre.

WAS FISH LADEN AND IS TOTAL LOSS.

According to a message received by Bowring Bros., Lloyd's agents in this country, the Job Corp., N.Y., three-masted vessel Exidia, fish laden, went ashore at St. Pierre on Wednesday. The crew was saved.

Stormy Trip.

The S. S. Canadian Adventurer, arrived in port this morning from Charlottetown with a load of produce. The steamer met a hard time coming along and was coated with ice all over which put off men with their work removing to-day. She will discharge her cargo at Harvey & Co's pier.

Had 150 Quintals Fish on Board.

The 50-ton schooner Lapwlg, belonging to Bay Roberts, was taking fish to St. John's, P.E.I., for Hickman & Co. and had 150 qtls on board. Carbonar for shelter. She drove out of that port early yesterday morning and has gone to sea. The crew are ashore, and all their belongings are gone on the vessel.

Coastal Boats.

GOVERNMENT.
S. S. Portia left Hermitage at 5.30 p.m. yesterday, coming east.
CROSBIE & CO.
S. S. Earl of Devon left Concho at 7 p.m. on the 10th, coming south to this port.

F. H. ELLIS & CO.
S. S. Susu left Catalina early this morning and is due here at any moment, possibly making port before this paper goes to press.

REIDS'
Argyle to have left Placentia for Bay route when storm abated.
Cynde, Dundee, Ethie, Glenecoe, Home, Kyle, Petrel, Sagona not reported.
Meigs leaving for North Sydney as soon as weather permits.

McMurdo's Store News.

SATURDAY, Dec. 13, '19.
Zylax Ointment has been used with phenomenal success in cases of eczema and psoriasis and like forms of skin disease—indeed we know no other ointment which has so many successes in these troubles to its credit. Its value as a healing and soothing ointment in skin troubles is greatly enhanced by the use, in connection with the ointment of Zylax Soap, which latter, however, is not only a good medicinal but a first class general toilet soap. Price (Zylax) 50c. box; (Zylax Soap) 30c. a cake. Use Cream of Cucumbers after shaving. You'll appreciate it. Price 30c. a bottle.

At the Majestic.

Characterized by those who saw it as "the best picture in which Charles Roy has ever appeared," the "Paris mount picture," "The Girl Dodger," proved very acceptable at the Majestic Theatre last evening. Certainly Roy was never seen to better advantage and in the part of "the girl dodger," or "dreamy dub," he was just fine. Rooming with a rather "fast" companion, the "dreamy dub" detailed by the latter to receive and entertain a girl, whom his mother wished him to marry but whom he had never seen nor desired to. The Paris portrait of the evening, "The comedy-drama," "The Real Estate," was full of laughs and chuckles, and the co-star comedians were watched with boundless amusement. To-night the same show will be repeated.

Obituary.

With regret we chronicle the passing of Mr. T. Broderick, who was knocked down by a horse on Thursday, Mr. Broderick was a cooper by trade and had been in the employ of the Customs Examining Rooms for the past 30 years. We learn that Mr. Broderick attached no blame to the driver, as he stated, after the accident, that he was crossing the street and had let one horse pass, and, thinking that he could get between this one and one following, started across. The horse struck him and knocked him to the ground. The driver states that the horse tried to jump over the prostrate man and in doing so struck him with its hoofs, causing a fracture of the skull, from which he died. The authorities have investigated the matter and so far find that the driver was blameless. Mr. Broderick leaves a widow, one son and a daughter, to whom the Telegram extends sympathy.

Here and There.

When you want Sausages, why get ELLIS'; they're the best.

SACHEN DUE AT DAYLIGHT.
The S. S. Sachem will not make port before daylight to-morrow.

When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS'.

AT THE CROSSBIE.—The following guests have registered at the Crossbie: J. F. Cantwell, Briggs; Rev. J. Walker, St. Brendan's; H. B. Gillis, Sydney; D. A. Flynn, Grand Falls.

MINARD'S LINIMENT.—The Old Reliable, P. C. ODDIS-COLL, LTD., Agents, St. John's, Oct. 14, 1919.

POTAL WRECK.—The schooner Edith Parry, owned by Geo. Rodway, with a load of produce from P. E. Island, and which went aground on a shoal at Haystack, P.E., early yesterday, has become a total wreck.

G. KNOWLING, Limited. CHRISTMAS GOODS.

Perfumes.

Single Bottle in Box—25c., 50c., 70c., 90c., 95c., \$1.20, \$1.50 each.
Single Bottles .30c., 65c., 70c., \$1.25 each

Ladies' Collars.

Ladies' Collars—In Muslin, Silk and Crepe de Chine, 30c. to \$1.50 each.

Hand Mirrors.

Ladies' Hand Mirrors—Celluloid back, \$3.75, \$1.85, \$4.00 each.
Ladies' Hand Mirrors—Metal back, \$3.80, \$4.00.

Ladies' Celluloid Soap Boxes, \$1.30 each.
Ladies' Silver Thimbles—In case, 35c., 60c.
Ladies' Blouse Sets, 40c., 60c., 80c. set.
Ladies' Brooches, 20c., 25c., 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c. each.

Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, \$2.00, \$2.40, \$2.80 each.
Ladies' Fancy Silk Handkerchief Sachets, 55c.

Ladies' Needle Cases, 20c. each.
Ladies' Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, 50c. set.

Ladies' Writing Cases, 70c. each.
Post Card Albums, 90c., \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.20, \$2.60.

Pencil Cases, 35c., 45c., 70c., 75c., 90c., \$1.20, \$1.40.
Music Cases, 35c., \$3.45, \$4.90 each.
Ladies' Tea Aprons, 40c., 80c., \$1.00, \$1.50 each.

Teapot Cosy Covers—White, \$1.60; Coloured, \$1.25.
Sideboard Clo.—White, 45c., 80c., \$1.15, \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.50; Brown, 85c., 95c., \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.50 each.

Tea Cloths—White, 75c., \$1.20, \$1.40, \$1.90, \$2.30, \$3.00.
Duchesse Sets, 55c., 75c. and \$1.60.
Manicure Sets, \$4.00, \$5.85, \$6.30.

Toilet Sets, \$17.80, \$13.80, \$10.50.
(Composed Brush, Comb, Mirror and Manicure Set.)

Brush, Comb and Manicure Sets, \$7.50, \$4.00, \$3.60.
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Here and There.

American Xmas Novelties and Hand-painted China at the SCHURIG STUDIO, 1 Devon Row.—dec13,21

HOCKEY LEAGUE TO MEET.—The Hockey League will meet on Thursday, Dec. 18th, for the purpose of arranging for the season's games, fixtures, etc. This year's hockey series promises to be the most enthusiastic since 1914, and many a hot clash is looked forward to.

VESSEL DIDN'T GO ASHORE.—Contrary to thought the vessel Donnie McC., which was driven out of Carbonar by the storm, did not go ashore. The crew escaped safely, but nobody knows where the schooner went. It is known, however, that she did not go ashore.

Every member of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment knows that all British Troops were supplied with pure wool. Millions, therefore have proved that the use of pure wool is Safest and Best for the good health of the nation. "Alpha," the brand of Men's Pure Wool Underwear stocked by BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD., is made from the pick of pure wool and is put up in sizes to fit all. A huge stock now open.

Ladies' Fancy Handkerchiefs.

Ladies' Lisse Handkerchiefs—With colored border, 35c. each.

Ladies' White Lawn Handkerchiefs—Edged with Saxony Lace, 50c., 80c., \$1.50 and \$1.70 each.

Ladies' White Hemstitched Lawn Handkerchiefs, 12c., 15c., 18c., 20c. to 55c. each.

Ladies' White Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, \$1.00 and \$1.10 each.
Ladies' Hemstitched Colored Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs, 35c. each.

Ladies' White Silk Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 50c. and 75c. each.
Ladies' White Silk Handkerchiefs—Colored border, 55c. each.

Ladies' Wool Clouds—White, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.25, \$3.00.
Ladies' Wool Clouds—Black, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.25.

Ladies' Wool Squares—White, 40c., 65c., 80c., 90c.
Ladies' Wool Squares—Black, \$1.80, \$2.00.

Ladies' Gloves and Mitts.

Ladies' Tan Kid Gloves—Unlined, \$2.60, \$2.90, \$3.50, \$3.90 per pair.
Ladies' Tan Napper Kid Gloves—Unlined, \$3.50, \$4.10 a pair.

Ladies' Navy Kid Gloves—Unlined, \$3.50 a pair.
Ladies' Black Kid Gloves—Unlined, \$2.90, \$3.25 a pair.

Ladies' Grey Suede Gloves—Unlined, \$3.25 a pair.
Ladies' Black Suede Gloves—Unlined, \$2.50, \$3.50 a pair.

Ladies' Brown Kid Gloves—Lined, \$6.25 a pair.
Ladies' Tan Doeskin Gloves—Lined, \$2.90, \$5.50 a pair.

Ladies' White Wool Gauntlet Gloves, \$1.50 a pair.
Ladies' Astrachan Back Gauntlet Mitts—Grey, \$2.95; Black, \$2.40.

Children's Astrachan Back Gauntlet Mitts—Black and Grey, \$1.75 to \$2.25 a pair.
Ladies' Sleeping Socks—White, \$1.30 a pair.

Ladies' Silk Hose—Black, \$1.25, \$2.50, \$3.70 a pair; Navy, Brown, White, Grey, Sky, 75c. to \$2.70 pair.



The Prince of Wales and the Old Liberty Bell.

Interesting Historic Event.
from South Bergen Eagle, Nov. 7, 1919, North Arlington, N.J.)

The visit of the Prince of Wales on the side of the Atlantic has been the scene of a pleasing incident and a rival of a historic event of which the King of North Arlington is a party to. The following correspondence is undoubtedly the most noteworthy brief record of fact in regard to the famous Liberty Bell. Nothing short of high appreciation historic worth could have provoked the future English king to have publicly expressed personal observations, in compliment and rebuke, that immediately resented the object of nation-wide American affection, which was well nigh forgotten through native indifference in home and scenes of its earliest and most distinguished service.

The Prince of Wales, who later as King Edward Seventh, during his visit to Philadelphia in 1890, rescued the Liberty Bell from a dire fate and raised it to the position which it now occupies in the hearts of the American people. Some front citizen conceived the idea of taking the Prince to Independence Hall to view the treasures which are the most treasured reminder of America's gift to her mother country. The Prince saw portraits of the men who were at the revolution, and did not gaze listlessly at them, but made compliments upon them. He looked with interest on the manuscript of the Declaration of Independence.

Knowing that the incident would arrest you because of your royal grandfather's expressed esteem for the object, I have the honor to bring your attention to his distinguished compliment and praise for our Liberty Bell as he found it.

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