



Evening Telegram

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Wednesday, June 2, 1920.

Birthday Greetings.

To-morrow loyal Britons, the world over, will acclaim the birthday of His Most Gracious Majesty, King George V., of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, Defender of the Faith and Emperor of India, and will offer to their beloved monarch most hearty congratulations and best wishes for many happy returns. King George has especially endeared himself to his millions of subjects, made up of the myriad races who enjoy the freedom and protection of British rule, and it can safely be said that no more popular sovereign has ever been exalted to the throne than our present King, whom God preserve. A worthy descendant of worthy ancestors, none more beloved and honored during their reigns than his illustrious father, Edward the Peacemaker and his still more illustrious royal grandmother Victoria of blessed memory, George V., Britain's democratic King, has added to the veneration and loyalty which were shown these predecessors on the Imperial throne, and has increased the prestige of the ruling family of the Empire. His action in adopting the name of Windsor for that of the royal house, replacing the German surname by which it was formerly known, showed that in all things he was truly British. A man, be he king or peasant, does not lightly discard his family name, but to the credit of King George, he hesitated not to throw off all connection with a country that gave him an ancestor, and in the repudiation of his German cognomen, he affiliated himself more closely with British sympathy and British traditions.

Equal to play the role of monarch as that of man, King George has, since his accession, ever been the most approachable of any of his line. No person has ever been needlessly turned away from an audience with him. Sympathetic and comprehending, he takes sterling interest in his people and all that affects them. In this he is backed by his royal consort the good Queen Mary, who is richly endowed with those graces of womanhood which endear her to all classes of His Majesty's loyal peoples. Unassuming, but with that quiet dignity which is an hereditary gift, Queen Mary is a woman above women. Her heart is wrapped up in her home life and her children, but amid all her domestic cares she finds time to participate in the affairs of state and entertainment, in the latter being a hostess unequalled. And so it is that in the family life of our rulers we have an idyll of domesticity that could be copied by many of lesser degree, all going to show that the human has not disappeared in the regal. George V., man and king, Mary, woman and queen. Only a few days ago the birthday of her Majesty was celebrated, but without any ostentatious outbursts. To-morrow in celebrating the anni-

versary of the birth of his Majesty, may his queen not be forgotten, and may all who take part in the ceremonies usually observed, include in their loyal felicitations the name of her, who is both helpmeet and consort, and as the strains of the National Anthem swell upwards in grand crescendo, and the welkin is ringing with the joyous shouts of congratulation and the less loud but no less fervent prayer that the King of Kings will grant to our earthly king a long life, and evermore defend him, let us couple with our acclamations the names of the royal pair and say, "God Save the King and Queen." Long may they both live to wield the sceptre of authority over their loyal and faithful subjects.

The A.N.D. Company

In another column to-day there is published copy of a letter addressed by Mr. M. S. Sullivan to the St. John's Daily Star, the subject matter concerning the business relationship of the former with the Anglo-Nfld. Development Company, Grand Falls, and a reply to certain criticisms made on Mr. Sullivan's connection with that corporation, in the leading article of the Star yesterday. So far as the relationship between the St. John's press and the Anglo-Nfld. Development Company, exists, we believe that it has been characterized by the greatest courtesy on the part of the former, the managers of which have never failed in affording a sufficient supply of news print to the daily and weekly papers during periods when they were hard put to it to fill orders for the English market. This, of course, in the way of business. But it must be admitted that with exceeding good grace the local officials never took advantage of the advance in the price of news print to excessively increase their rates to the local press, when the matter was entirely in their own hands and the newspapers of St. John's absolutely dependent upon them for stock. We make this explanation as a bare matter of justice.

The Mikado.

The people of St. John's owe a debt of gratitude to the conductor, troupe and orchestra of the two operas which have been presented at the Casino during the week. Opera would be a thing of the past were it not for the revival by Professor Hutten and the Christian Brothers pupils and ex-pupils within the last few years. It is rarely that we get the chance of hearing "wandering minstrels," and visiting troupes do not present opera. Historic talent we have, but not often have we the pleasure of hearing it and of paying the tribute of appreciation. The presentation of the Mikado last year and that of Dorothy last week, leaves no doubt regarding the musical ability in our midst. This talent should receive direction and training during youthful days, and an education cannot be complete and enlightened if the muses are not included. Last night the Mikado was once again presented. It is the Utopia in entertainment. The strongest upholder of the proverb that "youth should be seen, not heard," would find his doctrine engulfed in a flood of music as duet, glee and madrigal flowed from sonorous throats. The Mikado were the supercilious smile peculiar to his rank. All the high offices were well regulated by Pooh-Bah, who humiliated himself by being obliged to salute the trio just let loose from the school—Yum-Yum, Petti Sing and Peep Boo. The Lord High Executioner was there and included in "his list" some of our law-makers and law-breakers. Pish Tush was grand and gave the Wandering Minstrels the law in rhyme, as it should be applied to a "Jap" of the Nanky-Poo calibre. The Mikado is a great opera, without encroaching on the title "Grand." It will be repeated to-night.

Reids' Boats.

Argyle not reported.
Clyde on way to Lewisporte.
Glencoe arrived at Bonne Bay at 8 a.m. yesterday, going north.
Home on way to Lewisporte.
Meigle left St. John's yesterday for North Sydney.
Sagana left St. Lawrence at 10 a.m. yesterday.
Petrol left St. John's at 4 p.m. yesterday.

Mr. Sullivan and the Daily Star.

Editor Evening Telegram.
Dear Sir—Enclosed please find copy of a letter which I have asked the St. John's Daily Star to publish in their issue to-day. I would appreciate it very much if you would publish this letter also.
Yours very truly,
M. S. SULLIVAN.

June 2, 1920.

COPY.

St. John's, Nfld.,
June 2, 1920.

The Editor,
St. John's Daily Star,
City.

Dear Sir—In last evening's issue of your paper your editorial columns contain a very unfair attack upon the Anglo-Nfld. Development Company, and incidentally, upon myself. I am not so much concerned about any comments you may care to make regarding my political acts. Like all others in public life, I must be content to be judged by the electorate.

In justice, however, to the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company, I might say:—

- (1) I am not their Agent or representative in St. John's any more than any other Commission Merchant or Broker, who might be employed by them from time to time. I am simply paid a Brokerage for any sales I may make.
- (2) Since I resigned from the Company's regular staff in 1913, I have never received one cent in the way of what could be termed wages or salary.
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- (4) I never consulted the Anglo-Nfld. Development Company about my entering politics, nor have they ever either directly or indirectly discussed with me my political views, and, apparently, my opinions in that direction are of no concern to them.
- (5) So far as I have ever been able to understand, the Company's position regarding Newfoundland politics, it has been and will continue to be, one of absolute neutrality.
- (6) Mr. A. J. Harvey acts as the Company's Ship Agent in St. John's. Mr. Gillingham as their Export and Labour Agent, so it will be apparent there is nothing left in the way of an Agency for me.

Yours very truly,
M. S. SULLIVAN.

Kyle's Inward Passengers.

The following first class passengers arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.55 a.m. to-day: J. F. McKeran, F. W. Lake, J. Taylor, K. Bennett, L. Sheppard, Rev. E. W. Forbes, R. W. Monroe, Miss A. Porter, Mrs. W. Nauffts, E. F. Gillivray, A. J. Snow, T. Rosenberg, Dr. J. A. McDonald, K. B. Knopp, R. Hatcher, H. M. O'Byrne, P. and Mrs. Duff and daughter, W. Forsey, V. McDonald, Mrs. M. Glen-don, W. E. Long, H. F. Burke, S. B. Young, Miss Russell, Mrs. J. W. and Mrs. Squires, Miss N. Seelye, J. W. and Mrs. Butt and daughter, R. W. Higgs, J. W. Bartlett, Mrs. M. Maher, Miss M. Vatcher, Miss C. Kavanagh, J. W. and Mrs. Moore, Miss F. Hartley.

McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, June 2, '20.
A piece of genuine French Ivory makes a really acceptable gift, wedding or birthday, and many people take great pride in adding to their own or their friends' collection of toilet requisites in this elegant and beautiful substance, which some esteem beyond silver on their toilet tables. Well, we have just opened for the delectation of those who delight in these dainty pieces, a very fine lot of French Ivory goods—the real thing. We have made a tempting window display of these, and it strikes us that it would be worth your while to enter our store and see what appeals to you or is likely to appeal to your friends. And if you come in, we shall help you to choose what is most suitable for your purpose.

Horse Ran Cyclist Down.

Last evening a young man named Gabriel had a narrow escape from very serious injury, if not worse, when he was run over by a horse which was driven by a woman. The young man was riding a bicycle. His injuries were not serious.

Different are the ways of Paris for youthfully contrasting Taffeta with Georgette, taking new lines in Gowns for evening and day wear. BISHOP'S for the latest in French Dresses.

MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

Police Court.

A resident of the North Side of Torbay was before Justice McCarthy this morning, charged with assault on Head Constable Byrne on the 27th inst. He was fined \$20 or one month. The assault arose over the question of a warrant. Heads Byrne and O'Neill visited the defendant's place to make search for moonshine, and while in the cellar the defendant caught Byrne and threatened to break his face. A still, and material for the manufacture of brew was found on the premises but sufficient evidence to secure a conviction for illicit distilling could not be procured. Mr. W. J. Higgins acted on behalf of the accused.

Trouble About Trap Berths.

A number of trap men from Flat Rock visited the Marine and Fisheries Department to-day about their berths. It appears that as no notice was given that a drawing would be held for this place, a number of traps were set. Since then other trap men have made representations to the head of the Fisheries Department and a drawing was ordered. The men who have traps set are not willing to remove them. An officer will be sent to the settlement on Friday next to try and make some satisfactory arrangements.

Trial Demonstrations.

Yesterday the new combination chemical and hose truck belonging to the Central Fire Hall was given a good try-out, and this morning the apparatus from the West End Station was also given a trial. Both machines gave perfect satisfaction as far as their running capacities were concerned. A demonstration of their fire quenching properties will have to await a blaze, unless one is staged for the occasion.

To Lower Fire Insurance Premiums.

The Telegram learns that as a result of the Constabulary importing the two new motor fire trucks, fire insurance premiums will go down almost immediately. This is good news for business men.

Placentia Excursion Leaves To-Night.

The C.C.C. Old Comrades' Placentia excursion train leaves at 8 o'clock to-night, and accommodation for troutmen to Nine Mile Post and Villa Marie has been arranged for the same train. The Old Comrades will take part in the unveiling of the monument to Placentia's dead in the war. His Grace the Archbishop, Rt. Rev. Mons. McDermott and Very Rev. J. J. McGrath left by the private car "Quidi Vidi" this morning for the Ancient Capital. Some C.C.C. officers accompanied them.

Shipping Notes.

Schr. L. B. Haskell has cleared from Catalina for Sydney, in ballast.
Schr. Margaret Lake is loading at Fortune from Lake & Lake for Oporto.

Schr. Cecil Jr., which is now at Fr. Grace, will, when she arrives here, load freight for Bonne Bay; she is expected in port at the end of this week.

The auxiliary Government coastal schooner Dorothy, will be leaving Grand Bank for here on Friday, and will load return freight about Saturday.

S. S. Sioux Falls sails to-morrow for St. Anne's Bay, N.S., where she will load pulp for a United States port.

S. S. Rosalind is expected to get away on Friday, the work of discharging and loading being continued to-morrow.

S. S. Meigle sailed yesterday afternoon in ballast for Sydney.

Schooner Nina Lee with a cargo of fish from A. E. Hichman, sailed yesterday for Oporto.

Schooner Clintonia has cleared from Port Union for Lisbon with 2430 qtls. codfish shipped by the Union Trading Co.

Schooner Russell Lake and Cecil L. Beck arrived at Marytown from Halifax with general cargo to the Marytown Trading Co.

Schooner Lowell Parks is discharging cargo at Oporto.

The schooner Tommie G. has been sent to Lisbon.

S. S. Susu arrived at Catalina at 7 o'clock this morning where she is detained.

Weather and Ice Conditions.

LaSalle.—Moderate Northerly wind, dull; ice tight to land.
Greenspond.—Wind N. by E, strong breeze; no ice in sight.
Tilt Cove.—N. E. wind, moderate breeze; bay full ice.
West Port.—Wind N. E. weather fine; loose ice running in bay.

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