



"IN FREEDOM'S CAUSE."

## Evening Telegram

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### The German Coup D'etat.

The expected has happened in Germany, and a military revolutionary party has superseded the form of Government, which was supposed to be of a Republican nature. Bloodlessly, according to the despatches, the transformation was accomplished, which in itself is almost a guarantee that there was collusion between the late administration and the present one. For some time past it has been known that a movement was on foot, having as its object the restoration of the Imperial House of Hohenzollern. The chief military leaders were behind this, and apparently they have carried out the first part of their programme, and by a sudden, decisive exercise of power have subverted the existing Government, without the consent of the people by whose votes the members of the Reichstag were elected last year. A violence marked the change. The soldiers, who had revolted, marched suddenly into Berlin Saturday morning, and occupied the Wilhelmstrasse, the street in which the Prussian Houses of Parliament are situated, from which the announcement was made that the Government of the Empire (sic) had ceased to exist, its functions being usurped by a provisional Directory of which Von Kapp becomes the head, with General Von Luettwitz commander in chief of the military forces.

A peculiar feature in the Revolutionary proclamation is the mention that the Government of the Empire has ceased to exist. When Emperor William fled into Holland previous to the armistice of 1918, the Imperial Government then may be said to have ceased to exist. The Government, just now forcibly ejected from power was recognized as a popular one, in so far as it was elected by the votes of the people themselves, the franchise having been enlarged to a greater extent than under the Imperial regime. It had at its head a President, who was the de jure ruler of Germany, elected by the people, subsequent to the abdication of the Emperor, and without any successor to the throne being appointed, must have been at least quasi-republican in form if not in reality. But the new proclamation distinctly uses the words Government of the Empire. However that may be but a meaningless expression, so far as the revolutionaries are concerned. The world at large will be more interested in the coup d'etat itself rather than in any word splitting indulged in by the party in power. What the result of this sudden stroke of state will be is of more importance than a definition of the title of the former administration.

If it should be a prelude to the restoration of the Imperial family, then the Supreme Council will have some new work cut

out for them. Even should it be a military form of Government, with a dictator at its head, the Peace Council will be obliged to move quickly, for there may be a great deal more behind this new move than appears on the surface. The action of the Socialists Party in declaring a general strike is menacing. A political crisis, accompanied by all the industrial workers going out, is a danger to any country, but more so to Germany at the moment, when the bitter feeling of the vanquished in war has not yet died out. And the situation is not one to be treated lightly. It constitutes a serious menace to all Europe, and unless handled firmly and determinedly may break out into revolutionary flame in other parts of the continent. Russia has shown what Bolshevism could do when left alone, and absolutely free to run its course. Whether the Germans intend to adopt Bolshevik rule, or whether the present seizure of the Government is part of a monarchist plot, will be told in future despatches, but the gravity of the situation is not to be minimized. The successful plotters may be reactionaries, or they may be imperialists. In either case there is trouble ahead for the other powers.

### Sealing News.

**BOWRING BROS.**  
S.S. Terra Nova—Forty miles E.S. E. Funks; jammed.  
S.S. Eagle, March 13th, 7 p.m.—50 miles E. by S. Funks; everything O.K.  
S.S. Viking, March 13th—10 miles east Funks; company Sable I. and Ranger.  
S.S. Ranger, March 13th—Sable I. ten miles east; company Ranger, Viking, Terra Nova, Thetis, Seal 4 miles east of us; making good headway all well.  
S.S. Viking, March 14th—Bound east everything working well.  
S.S. Terra Nova, Sunday—Sixty miles east by south Funks, in heavy sheet ice; require a swell.  
S.S. Ranger, Sunday—Passed white-coats noon; making good headway; all well.  
**RAINE JOHNSTON & CO.**  
S.S. Seal—Making slow progress; all ships sighted except Diana.

### At the Majestic.

The William Fox artists, Albert Rae and Elinor Fair, are featured at the Majestic Theatre this evening in the fine picture, "Love is Love." This is a story in which is revealed woman's wonderful capacity for faith and sacrifice on behalf of one she loves, and a youth's grit in escaping from evil environment when inspired by a true heart. "Love is Love" is a picture which will appeal to young and old alike, for there is a broad vein of wit and humor running through it. There is, in addition, a Sunshine Comedy, full of laughs and chuckles. The Sunshine comedies, since coming to the Majestic, have found a safe place in the estimation of its patrons, and to-night's will measure up to the standard. On St. Patrick's Day, this week, the Select Picture, "At the Mercy of Men," featuring Alice Brady, will be presented. This is a story which sees Alice Brady at her best.

### Retreat for Women.

It was announced at the R. C. Cathedral yesterday that a retreat for women would open during the week. The services will begin on Thursday and continue till Saturday. First mass will be celebrated at 7 o'clock in the morning and prayers will begin at 7.30 in the evening.

**REMOVED TO HOSPITAL.**—A boy residing on Military Road was removed to hospital on Saturday suffering from diphtheria.

### JUGS!

Just opened, one of the best lines we have had for some time: Pink Band and Gold, Green Band and Gold, Gold Band and Line; 3 sizes.

55c., 65c., 75c. each.  
**BROWN TEAPOTS,**  
50c., 55c., 60c.

**FANCY TEAPOTS,**  
65c., 70c., 80c., 90c.,  
\$1.10, \$1.25.

Milk Bottles, 1 quart, 25c. each  
Milk Bottle Stoppers, 65c. per M.  
**Job Lot Meat Dishes,**  
90c., \$1.25 each.

**G. KNOWLING, Ltd.**  
East, West & Central Stores.  
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### Viking Had Little Trouble.

Messages from the Viking on Saturday afternoon stated that she had experienced some trouble in her injection. However, later messages state that by Sunday morning she had effected temporary repairs and gone on her way.

### McMurdo's Store News.

**MONDAY, March 15.**  
Cold Sores are very annoying things, and sometimes difficult to treat, but our Old Sore Cure, if applied on the first signs of a cold sore appearing will usually stop the trouble promptly and cure it before it gets very far. It is well to keep a bottle of this remedy at hand for emergencies. Price 25c. a bottle.  
If your hair is inclined to come off or to be thin on the top of the head, now is the time to help it. Our Quinine Hair Tonic will do this if used as directed, and stimulate the scalp to produce a new crop of hair. Price 60c. a bottle.

### Coastal Boats.

**GOVERNMENT.**  
S. S. Prospero left Fortuna at 1.30 p.m. on Saturday.  
S. S. Fortia is in port.  
**REIDS'**  
Argyle arrived at Placentia at 8 p.m. yesterday.  
Clyde left Trinity at 8 a.m. Saturday, outward.  
Glencoe, Sagona not reported.  
Home, Petrel at St. John's.  
Kyle due at Port aux Basques at 11 a.m.  
Meigle at North Sydney.

### Weather and Ice Conditions.

La Scie—Light N.W. wind; young slob as far as can be seen.  
Port aux Basques—Wind N.W., moderate; foggy up to 3 p.m.; ice moving off land.  
Wesleyville—West wind, light breeze; thick snow.  
Greenspond—Wind west with fair breeze; slob ice moving out.  
Seal Cove—Wind N.W., fine and cold; bay full slob ice.  
Catalina—Westerly winds, with snow flurries; no ice to be seen in the bay.

The Annual Entertainment in aid of the Cowan Mission will be held in the Methodist College Hall on Wednesday, St. Patrick's Day. A delightful programme has been arranged, many of our best artists are taking part, so that the affair promises to be a huge success. Tea will be served after the performance for a small extra charge, and home-made candy will be for sale. Come and bring your friends.  
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### Shipping Notes.

The Kyle had not reached Port aux Basques up to last night; she is on the way to Sydney via that port.  
S. S. Rosalind will leave New York for here via Halifax on Friday, the 19th inst.

Schr. Harry and Verna arrived at Gibraltar, 20 days from here, fish laden from S. Elliott.

The auxiliary schooner Sordello is discharging her cargo of 500 tons of pulp at Harvey's premises. The vessel is not leaking badly but will go on dock for repairs in a day or two.  
S. S. Digby sails for Liverpool tomorrow. She is taking as cargo a large quantity of paper from the A. N. D. Co.

No word of the S. S. Sachem leaving Liverpool has been received by the Furness, Withy Co., though the ship is supposed to have left there on Saturday.  
S. S. Lake Fray left Louisbourg Saturday with a coal cargo for the S. S. Orion's bunkers.

Schr. General Horne entered at Lamaline to load fish for Europe by S. Harris, Ltd.  
Schr. Marjorie McGlashan has entered at Carbonear to load shore fish for Gibraltar.

### Essex Motors.

You hear much these days about the car of the future.  
But who describes it other than that it must be light in weight, fine in quality, enduring, reliable and of superior performance.  
The ESSEX has more than one economy appeal. In gasoline, oil, tires and repair cost, it is distinctly attractive. And of course, its performance is now recognized by all motorists. Not many question ESSEX ability to out-perform other cars that it meets.

G. G. PHILLIPS,  
Distributor,  
Phone 507. c/o E. Colishaw's Office.  
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Irish Night in aid of St. Joseph's Church. Teas served in afternoon and night at St. Joseph's Hall, Plymouth Road, Concert begins at 8 p.m. with Irish Songs and Dances and a Sketch entitled "Sham's Farewell." Admission 30 and 40c.—mar15,21

### Supreme Court.

Before Justice Johnston and the Chief Justice.

A. E. Hickman vs. W. H. Cave.

Mr. McNelly calls Richard J. Crummy who is sworn and examined by Mr. Mewa, and cross examined by Mr. McNelly. Samuel H. Casey sworn and examined by Mr. Mewa, examined by Mr. McNelly and re-examined by Mr. Mewa. Recess was taken until 3 p.m.

### Coal Goes Up in Price.

The price of coal in the city has gone up from \$15.00 to \$17.50, and at present there are very little stocks held here. The Telegram was informed that the freight rates by the last steamer—the Coban—had enormously increased, and the fact was not made known to the importers until a couple of days ago.

### Died at Sea.

A seaman who joined the Beulah Mae, took sick three days after the vessel left Gibraltar for here and died on March 12th. He was an American citizen named Wm. Mish, and had been on the beach for some time. The man's system was run down and he died from natural causes. He was buried at sea.

### Here and There.

**POLICE COURT.**—A drunk was discharged.

For Colds, Grip or Influenza and as a Preventative, take LAXATIVE BROMO GUININE Tablets. Look for E. W. GROVES signature on the box. 30c.—feb12,21

**ST. ANDREW'S TOURNAMENT TO-NIGHT.**—A card tournament will be held in St. Andrew's Club Rooms to-night. A handsome pipe will be played for.

Stafford's Liniment for Neuralgia, Lumbago, Rheumatism and all kinds of Aches and Pains. Price 20c. bot. For sale everywhere.—feb2,21

**TO CONNECT WITH ARGYLE.**—A train leaves here to-morrow morning, taking passengers, who will connect with the Argyle at Placentia, for points on the Western route.

The Cathedral Girls' Club will meet this Monday evening in the Parish Room at 7.30 sharp. All members are requested to attend.—mar15,21

**TRAIN DELAYED.**—Yesterday afternoon and last night it was snowing along the railway line. The West going express was held up this side of Badger in consequence.

**GROCERS.**—We have some GOOD FISH for retailing in five quintal casks. Get our price before you buy. COWAN & CO., LTD.—mar12,31

**NOTE OF THANKS.**—Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Chafe, Brigus, desire to express their grateful thanks to the Doctors and Nurses at the General Hospital for the attention shown to their son, George, during his illness, and also to thank the kind friends who called to see him.—adv.

The Cowan Mission Entertainment on St. Patrick's Day includes a charming Musical Sketch; also a Duologue, in which Miss Keegan and Lieut. Com. Fenn are acting.—mar10,31,ead

**PICKED UP.**—The sum of money advertised in this paper on Saturday, was picked up by Master Ronald Snow, to 37 Bambrick Street, and returned to the owner who handsomely rewarded him for his honesty. "The Telegram always gets there."

**NOTE OF THANKS.**—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Curlew wish to thank the friends who assisted them in any way while their little boy was suffering, especially Mrs. Jacob Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Calob Robins, Mr. Daniel Davis and also Mr. Andrew Carnell, who took the burden from me as I was ill at the time.

"Where are you going, my pretty maid?"  
"To the Aula Maxima, sir," she said.

Yes, to the Aula Maxima on St. Patrick's Day, where there will be a feast of music, song and dance by the leading artists of the city.—mar13,31

Come to the "At Home" of the Mission Circle and Young Ladies' Bible Class of Cochrane Street Church, St. Patrick's Night, at 8 o'clock, in the Lecture Room. Programme, Games, Refreshments. Admission 25 cents. Fancy Work and Candy for sale.  
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An amusing Musical Sketch of a distinctly novel character, will be given at the Cowan Mission Entertainment on St. Patrick's Day. Also a Duologue, charmingly acted by Miss Mary Keegan and Lieut.-Commander Fenn, R.N. Make your plans for the day to include this Entertainment.—mar15,21

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### Grove Hill Bulletin

#### POT FLOWERS.

Cinerarias, Primulas,  
Daffodils, Tulips,  
Calla Lilies.

#### CUT FLOWERS.

Hyacinths, Daffodils,  
Tulips and Carnations.  
Prices on application.

**J. McNeil,**  
Waterford Bridge Road.

### Viking Disabled.

The following radio message was received from S. S. Seal by the Marine and Fisheries Department to-day:—"S. S. Viking is disabled; has main injection broken; water coming in, but under full control. Ranger and Sable I. have gone to her assistance."

Big Irish Dance to be held by the Green Sprig Amusement Club, St. Patrick's Night, at Blue Puttee Hall. Dancing commences at 7.45.—mar15,21

#### BORN.

On February 10th, by the Rev. A. A. Holmes, Pouch Cove District, Miss Ethel Wiltshire, of St. John's, to Mr. Isaac Whalen, of Bauline.

#### DIED.

Passed peacefully away, on Saturday, March 13th, Mary, widow of the late William Ryan, Placentia. Funeral this Monday morning from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Carroll, to the train. Interment at Placentia.

Safe in the arms of Jesus  
Safe on His gentle breast;  
There by His love o'er shaded  
Sweetly my soul shall rest.  
Passed peacefully away, after a very brief illness, on Sunday, at 5 a.m., Elizabeth, beloved wife of the late Richard Eddy, aged 80 years. Leaving one sister, one brother, three daughters, three sons, and a large circle of friends. Funeral on Tuesday, 16th, at 2.30 p.m. from her sons residence, 3 Murray Street.  
We shall sleep, but not forever  
There will be a glorious dawn;  
We shall meet to part no, never  
On the resurrection morn.

On the 14th, after a lingering illness, Abraham Anthony, age 68 years, leaving to mourn him a wife, two sons and three daughters. Funeral on Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 20 Stephen St.

### Timely Books.

Ludendorff's Own Story—  
2 vols. . . . . \$10.00  
Aug. 1914-Nov. 1918.

The great war from the siege of Liege to the signing of the Armistice as viewed from Grand Headquarters of the German Army.

#### The Peace Conference—

Dr. E. J. Dillon . . . \$7.35  
A critical, wise and witty study by one of the actual observers and most brilliant writers in Europe.

#### John Redmond's Last Years—

S. Gwynn . . . . . \$5.50  
An historical document of unusual importance. A great man is made familiar with the reader.

#### The French Revolution—

Nesta H. Webster . . . \$7.35  
A study of Democracy which could not have appeared in a more opportune time.

### Dicks & Co., Ltd.,

The Booksellers.

### NOTICE.

The Clothes Hospital is always ready to receive your silk suit, overcoat, trench coat or raglan. We don't care how dirty your clothes are. We don't worry how much repairing they need, we can make old clothes look new. Give us a trial if you want real French Dry Cleaning, Washing, Repairing, Altering and Pressing, but no scripts. Send your clothes to the

**The Clothes Hospital,**  
200 Duckworth St. East (opp. T. & M. Winter's).  
Outport orders promptly attended to.

**O'KEEFE BROTHERS.**

### Calling for Repairs.

The following message was received this morning by the Shipping Intelligence Department:—"Schr. Amy B. Silver, which sailed for Oporto from Hr. Buffett, on the 11th inst., with 3,518 qtls. codfish from Wakeley & Sons, is calling at St. John's for repairs."

**MINARD'S LINIMENT**  
CURES DISTEMPER.

### TRY THIS RECIPE

#### GRAPELAD SOUFFLE.

1 Apple  
Welch's Grapelande  
1 cup Milk  
3/4 teaspoonful Vanilla  
Juice of 1/2 Lemon  
3 tablespoonfuls Butter  
2 tablespoonfuls Sugar  
8 tablespoonfuls Flour  
2 Eggs.  
Peel and dice apple, sprinkle with lemon juice and let stand. Melt butter in a saucepan, remove from fire and cool. Then add very slowly balance of milk. When smooth add sugar, vanilla and beaten yolks. Mix thoroughly and fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Place apple in baking dish; put spoonfuls of grapelade roughly over apple and pour over this the soufflé mixture. Bake in a hot oven from 35 to 40 minutes. Serve hot with cream or plain. May also be served cold with whipped cream.

If your grocer has not got Welch's Grapelande, tell him he can get it from

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#### Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil.

A sure relief for that low-down, deep-seated cough.  
Don't take our word for it, try it and be convinced. Generous size bottle, 50c.

**PETER O'MARA,**  
The Druggist,  
46-48 WATER ST. WEST.

### From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
CAPE RACE, To-day  
Wind W.S.W., light weather, preceded by fog and rain; no vessel sighted; Bar. 29.45; Ther. 28.

Stafford's Phoratorne for kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles. Price 35c. bot.