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## Evening Telegram

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TUESDAY, December 21, 1915.

### Need for More United Effort.

Lloyd George has given us a cold douche, and it is to be hoped it will prove exhilarating, and stimulate the country to the effort required. Just as it has been found necessary to make readjustment of fighting forces and transfer troops from Anzac and Suvla, so he points out the need of readjustment of workers to meet the demands for guns and explosives. The first call was for the Navy. The ultimate success of the Entente depends not only on an overwhelming superiority in ships and men, but in an overwhelming superiority in explosives.

Until last May, three quarters of the factories were working on naval munitions, the balance of effort went to supply land forces. At present there are 2,000 factories, employing 1,000,000 men under the control of his department, but the output is not equal to the demand. There is a need of more men; 80,000 skilled and from 200,000 to 300,000 unskilled men. Moreover, the main trouble is due to the fact that skilled men are employed on work which unskilled men can do. This he states is due to Union regulations, and he calls on the Union to modify their regulations so that the trouble may be surmounted. He distinctly states that the enemy still retain a superiority in the turning out of guns and munition, and hopes to bring that superiority to an end by the patriotic co-operation of the Unions. It is up to the Unions to rise to the occasion. Without a superiority of munitions, every offensive movement will entail a needless sacrifice of the life of soldiers at the front. The history of the past twelve months on the Eastern front is an object lesson that all who run may read. Russia has all along had a superiority over the Central Powers in mere men, but a lamentable inferiority in guns and explosives, and

we have been forced to watch with what fortitude we could, the immense drives which the Huns have effected against our allies. The shortage in munitions has forced our Russian allies to abandon some 70,000 square miles of territory. Lloyd George has exposed clearly the insufficiency of the output need by the munition department, and he has pointed out a way to supply that shortage and made a call upon the Union to co-operate in surmounting the difficulties to give us a distinct superiority on the mechanical side of war in order that the lives of the men we send to the front may not be unnecessarily sacrificed, and we may the earlier bring the war to a successful conclusion.

### McMurdo's Store News

TUESDAY, Dec. 21, 1915.  
Our line of Perfumes this year is as varied as usual, and includes extracts from the most noted French, British and American Perfumers, in styles and prices to suit all tastes and all purses. We shall be glad to have you look through our stock, confident that you will find among it something to suit your needs.  
We have also laid in a fresh stock of Willard's Forklift Chocolates for the Christmas season. Besides the regular styles, there are some handsome presentation packages, well worth your consideration. You can see them at any time. A wide list of prices.

### Bell Island Board.

Special to Evening Telegram.  
BELL ISLAND, Last Evening.—The result of election of the Bell Island County Council was declared at the Court House here this evening by Magistrate Power, the following being elected out of the twenty-six nominated, and are therefore the incoming Council: Andrew Murphy, 235 votes; Edward Bennett, 235 votes; John Connors, 219 votes; Peter Fitzgerald, 194 votes; Richard T. Kent, 187 votes; John Kennedy, 172 votes; David Jackman, 157 votes; William Bennett, sr., 156 votes; Charles F. Taylor, 153 votes.

Neck Chains make a very desirable Xmas Present for a lady. A new stock has just been opened at Trappell's. Prices from \$1.10 to \$8.00.  
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### Geo. Knowling

offers the following at his EAST, WEST & CENTRAL GROCERY STORES:

Lemon Crystals, Southwell's, 2 oz. for 9c. (Sufficient to make 2 gallons.)  
Choice Chester Grapes, 16c. lb.  
Lemon Peel, good, 16c. lb.  
Baltimore Chocolates, Cadbury's; very choice, only 40c. lb.  
King Edward Chocolates, the finest Chocolates made by Cadbury's, in 1/2 lb., 1 lb., 2 lb. boxes, 85c. lb.  
Peppermint Nobs, good, 12c. lb.  
Christmas Candles in boxes, 14c. lb.  
HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS.  
A large shipment just received, both plain and sweet.

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## LATEST

### WITHOUT KNOWLEDGE OF TURKS

LONDON, To-day. Operations in other sections of the front in Gallipoli Peninsula than those from which the troops have been withdrawn are continued. It is intimated in the official statement issued last night. The withdrawal was effected without the knowledge of the movement on the part of the Turks. It is declared. Further details of the evacuation of Anzac and Suvla zones have been received, says the official statement. Without the Turks being aware of the movement, the great army has been withdrawn from one of the areas occupied on the Gallipoli Peninsula, although in closest contact with the enemy. By this contraction of the front, the operations at other points of the line will be more effectively carried out. Sir Charles Monro gives great credit for this skilfully conducted transfer of forces to the Generals commanding and the Royal Navy.

LONDON, To-day. With the problem, describing the steps taken to speed up the output, Lloyd George mentioned particularly the purchase of machinery in America and the acquisition by the Government of raw material for many months to come for its allies as well as for itself. He emphasized the unexpected success which has attended munitions work in England, thanks, he said, to the assistance of John Redmond. Turning to new national factories which, he said, now numbered 15, he declared they had been conspicuously successful, minimizing labor difficulties and enabling the Government to check prices. There were also hundreds of private factories under the co-operative scheme that previously had not been engaged in munition work. These factories alone, he said, were now making three times as many shells as the whole United Kingdom was making last May. Referring to American orders Lloyd George said, David A. Thomas comes speaking in the highest possible terms of the service rendered this country by J. P. Morgan & Co., not merely in the selection of firms for contracts, but as a fact they saved us many millions pounds by their efforts to reduce inflated prices prevailing before they took the matter in hands.

### BRITISH SALLIES ON THE TIGRIS.

LONDON, To-day. Parties of the British Mesopotamian army, that is holding positions on the Tigris River at Kutlamare, have been sallying forth to attack the Turkish advanced trenches, was announced officially last night as to the operations of this expeditionary force. The losses of the Turks since Dec. 1st are estimated to have been at least 2,500.

### 1.40 P.M.

LONDON, To-day. The Rotterdam correspondent of the Daily Mail telegraphs that the Germans got a bad beating in their gas attack near Ypres yesterday, their death roll was very heavy and their men were dismayed by the terrific British artillery and machine gun fire. The German attack on the British line at Ypres, which is officially declared to have been a complete failure, is believed to have been the beginning of a general German offensive in the west expected for some weeks, and is strongly indicated by the regrouping and reinforcing of the German lines.

C. C. C. DANCE.—Don't forget the C. C. C. Dance St. Stephen's Night, Monday next, Dec. 27th. C. C. C. New Hall, King's Beach. Tickets—Double, 70c.; Lady's, 40c. Music Full Cadet Band.—dec21,li

FOGOTA BACK.—The S.S. Fogota, Capt. Dalton, arrived in port from the Fogo Mail service at noon to-day, bringing a full freight and the following passengers in saloon:—Capt. E. Bishop, Adjt. Woodfrey (S.A.), E. Winsor, Jesse Hann, James Tiller, J. Simmonds, Mrs. W. Winsor, Mrs. W. Bishop, Mrs. J. Winsor, Miss M. Harnett, Miss E. Winsor and 14 in steerage.

## G. KNOWLING, Hardware Dept.

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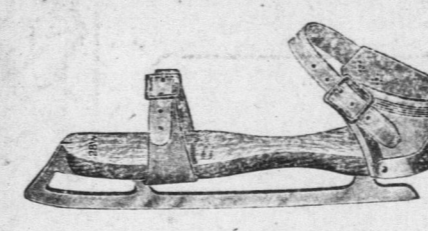
### Canadian Pattern Snowshoes, \$2.55 pr. up

### Steering Sleds,

From \$1.25.

Children's SLEDS, from 42 cts.

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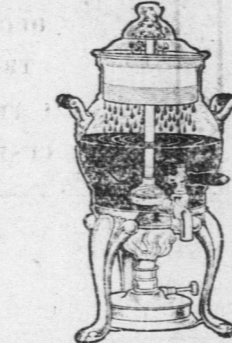
### Silverware, Suitable for Christmas Gifts.

TRINKET BOXES, HAT PIN STANDS, FLOWER VASES, PHOTO FRAMES, SWEET TRAYS, BOOK MARKERS, CIGAR CUTTERS, SERVIETTE RINGS, BUTTON HOOKS, AND A NICE LOT OF TABLE WARE.

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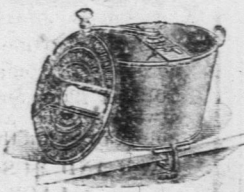
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## 1st Nfld. REGIMENT.

### Casualty List.

DECEMBER 21.  
2nd. Lieut. Richard J. Sheppard, St. John's; influenza, serious; Suvla, Nov. 26.  
930.—Private Gordon Clarence Bastow, 203 Pleasant Street; gunshot wound left side; Dec. 5.  
936.—Private Hugh Pierson Bowden, Westville; arrived Voluntary Aid Detachment Hospital, Perth, Scotland; Pyrexia.

Additional Information.  
60.—C.Q.M.S. Chas C. Oke, 114 Quill Vidl Road. (1) Dangerously ill Dysentery; (2) Out of danger. Alexandria; Arrived 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth; Dysentery.  
1218.—Private Thomas M. Hussey, South River, C.B.; Dysentery, severe, Alexandria; Arrived 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth; Dysentery.  
645.—L.C. Hamor Gardner, British Harbor, T.B.; Dysentery; Jaundice, severe, at 19th General Hospital, Alexandria.  
939.—Private James Vardy, Hickman's Harbor, T.B.; Dysentery, slight, Alexandria; Arrived at Voluntary Aid Detachment Hospital, Perth, Scotland; Dysentery.  
449.—Private Robert B. Martin, Manuels; Pyrexia, uncertain origin, slight; Arrived at Voluntary Aid Detachment Hospital, Perth, Scotland; Pyrexia.

### Reids' Boats.

The Argyle left Burin at 7.15 p.m. yesterday, going west.  
The Clyde leaves Lewisporte this afternoon.  
The Dundee arrived at Port Blandford at 1.45 a.m. to-day.  
The Ethie left Lewisporte at 9.15 p.m. yesterday.  
The Glencoe left Hermitage at 5 a.m. to-day, coming east.  
The Home left Humbermouth at 2.15 a.m. to-day.  
The Petrel left Britannia Cove at 6.10 p.m. yesterday, outward.  
The Kyle left Port aux Basques at 11.45 p.m. yesterday.  
The Meigs left here at 7 p.m. yesterday for North Sydney direct.  
The Sagona arrived at Port aux Basques at 10 a.m. to-day.

WARD'S LINIMENT USED BY PHYSICIANS.

### S. S. Anniversary.

Gower Street Sunday School celebrated its Anniversary Day on Sunday last. In the morning service was conducted by Rev. W. H. Thomas, Congregational Church Pastor, who also preached a sermon on the call of the child Samuel. During the service the Sunday School children sang and at the conclusion of the sermon Mr. Trappell sang "One Sweetly Solemn Thought." The afternoon service was delivered an interesting address and Miss Curtis recited. Gifts were handed in by the children to be distributed among the poor of the church. Young men of the A. B. C. also contributed sacks of flour. At night the Pastor of the Church conducted the service and preached an able sermon. Mrs. G. W. B. Ayre sang a pleasing solo.

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### LAMP CHIMNEYS

Just in: Chimneys and Globes purchased before the advance. Selling at Lowest Prices.

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### Vessels Overdue.

Grave fears are entertained for the safety of the English schooner Little Secret, Capt. Couch, which is now 80 days out from Santa Pola to Marys-town with a cargo of salt. However, hopes of her turning up are not yet abandoned as she is believed to have met with similar stormy weather as experienced on the Atlantic by other shipping that have arrived recently. The Little Secret was a well known fish carrier in the Newfoundland trade.

THE GIANT JUNIOR SAFETY RAZOR, 50 cents with 7 blades; a great favorite. For cheapness, simplicity, and despatch, beats all others. Sold at the National Stores, The Central Pharmacy, J. M. Devine's and Geo. Langmead's. Outport orders add 5 cents for mailing. CHESLEY WOODS, 232 Duckworth Street, Sole Distributor.—nov20,tf

BOWRING'S SHIPS.—The Portia left Burin at 9.10 a.m. to-day, going West. The Prospero left Tilt Cove at 7 p.m. yesterday, going North.

### Here and There.

SHORTEST DAY.—This is the anniversary of St. Thomas's Day, known as the shortest day of the year.

The C. C. C. Band will meet for practice to-night; all must attend.—dec21,li

SALT CARGO.—The Danish ship, Lief reached Marytown this morning from Cadiz with a cargo of salt.

The C. C. C. Dance Committee are requested to meet to-night at 8.30, C. C. C. New Hall.—li

HERRING SHIPMENTS.—The American schooners W. M. Gardner and Hiram Loud left Bonne Bay to-day with 1,316 and 1,550 barrels of herrings respectively.

HOLLY LEAVES for sale to-day at the Bookstores. Price 10 cents.—dec21,li

CARBIDE WILSON DEAD.—\$2 Edward Morris received this morning a message, stating that Mr. Thomas Wilson died suddenly in New York last night. It will be remembered that he was a promoter of the Wilson contract which caused much discussion in the House last session.

STOP THAT cough right now by taking a few doses of the old reliable "Call's Safe and Sure Cough Cure." Contains no harmful drugs. Post paid, 30c. G. J. BROCKLEHURST, Carbonara.—nov23,15li

POLICE COURT.—(Before Mr. Hutchings, J.P.)—A seaman drunk and refusing to do duty on board the scho. Catherine V. Willis, was remanded. Two drunks were fined \$1 or 3 days. One drunk and disorderly was fined \$5 or 14 days and another fined \$2 or 7 days. A laborer for malicious damage to property was fined \$2 or 7 days.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.—The regular semi-monthly meeting of Terra Nova Council, No. 1432, Knights of Columbus, will be held this Tuesday evening at 9 o'clock. JAMES A. MACKENZIE, Recorder.—dec21,li

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind northwest, fresh, weather dull. The s.s. Rotterdam passed west at 5 p.m. yesterday; seven schooners passed west this morning. Bar. 29.60; Ther. 35.

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We are offering in exchange for coupons Bead Necklaces manufactured from real flowers.

These Beads are made from the fresh Petals of flowers grown in California. When dry they are very hard, and retain all the natural fragrance of the flowers.

The finished Bead is hand carved, forming a small rose bud, and can be obtained in a variety of different colors.

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### CHOOSING

## Christmas GIFTS!

The real pleasure of Gift choosing falls to the early buyer. Now, before the rush is at its height, our stock is also at its best. Possibly some of these suggestions may help you.

Fendants from . . . . .	\$2.50- \$27.00	Fobs from . . . . .	\$1.40- \$10.00
Neck Chains from . . . . .	\$1.00- \$9.00	Links from . . . . .	\$2.00- \$8.00
Diamond Rings from \$10.00- \$100.00		Watch Chains from . . . . .	\$2.50- \$14.00
Wristlets from . . . . .	\$6.50- \$30.00	Tie Pins from . . . . .	\$1.20- \$7.50
Gold Brooches from \$2.00- \$14.00		Tie Clips from . . . . .	50c.- \$4.50
Bracelets from . . . . .	\$4.50- \$16.00	Fountain Pens (Parker Lucky Curve) . . . . .	\$2.00- \$6.50
Hat Pins from . . . . .	25c.- \$1.00	Signet Rings from . . . . .	\$4.00- \$9.00
Watches from . . . . .	\$5.00- \$21.00	Gent's Wristlet from . . . . .	\$7.50- \$22.00
Locket from . . . . .	\$2.00- \$15.00		

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