

TO-DAY'S Messages.

10.00 A. M.

WAR SUMMARY.

LONDON, To-day.
The French troops north of Peronne are holding the salient they have driven into the German line eastward of the Bethune-Peronne road near Bouchavesnes. They hold intact the town of Bouchavesnes and other points along the line captured in the offensive which they started on Tuesday. In addition the powerfully organized German trench system south of Le Priez farm near Comblains has been captured, placing Comblains into further jeopardy. The fighting in the region of Bouchavesnes and other points along the line captured in the offensive which they started on Tuesday. In addition the powerfully organized German trench system south of Le Priez farm near Comblains has been captured, placing Comblains into further jeopardy. The fighting in the region of Bouchavesnes and other points along the line captured in the offensive which they started on Tuesday. In addition the powerfully organized German trench system south of Le Priez farm near Comblains has been captured, placing Comblains into further jeopardy.

A STRONG MINISTER.
ATHENS, To-day.
M. Dimitraopoulos, King Constantine to allow him forty-eight hours in which to consult his friends before deciding as to whether he will undertake the formation of a new Cabinet. The former Minister of Justice also wishes to sound the Ministers of the Entente before reaching a decision. M. Dimitraopoulos is known to have declared that his acceptance of the Premiership will only be made on the basis that he is given full power to control the National Policy. He will insist that his hands must be free to take whatever steps the present

T. J. Edens

- Preserving Plums,**
50 crates by Express.
200 baskets by s.s. Stephano.
- N. Y. Chickens,**
N. Y. Corned Beef,
Table Plums—Red,
Table Plums—Blue,
20 bunches Bananas,
20 boxes California Oranges,
2 boxes California Lemons,
50 brs. Gravenstein Apples,
30 half brs. Pears,
10 boxes Ripe Tomatoes.
- Green omatoes,**
for preserving.
- 20 cases Campbell's Soups,
500 lbs. Fidelity Bacon,
50 sides Irish Bacon,
Lemon Crystals by lb.
Surprise Jellies.
- Family Mess Pork,**
Small Rib Pieces.
- 16 oz. bot. Pickles, 15c.
Rangoon Rice, best, 2 lbs. for 9c.
Patna Rice, best, 10c. lb.
M.B. Evaporated, 12c. tin
Am. Gran. Sugar, 8 1/2c. lb.

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Duckworth Street and
Military Road.

HOME!

For everyone there is a place known home and it is the duty of someone to make it cheerful and attractive. Perhaps that someone is you.

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It can be bright, and clean, quiet, and restful, or it may be soiled and so old that the monotony of looking at the pattern for day after day gets on your nerves.

Room Papers of the Right Kind with Borderings to Match.

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Come & Inspect Them.

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HONOURING VERDUN.

PARIS, To-day.
President Poincare has decorated the City of Verdun with the Russian and St. George's Cross, the Military Cross, the Italian and Serbian gold medals for valor, the Belgian Cross of Leopold, the Montenegrin gold medal and the French Legion of Honor and war cross, which are awarded by the Allied Sovereigns in recognition of Verdun's heroic defence. The President has further announced that the Emperor of Japan had decided to give the city an award of honor.

1.00 P.M.

FRENCH TOOK GERMANS BY SURPRISE.

PARIS, To-day.
The speed of the French advance in Tuesday's battle on the Somme front took the Germans completely by surprise, according to a description of the fighting given by an eye witness. He said the attack began at 12.30 p.m. in perfect order. The officers had difficulty in holding their men, some of whom started even before the appointed time. In a few minutes the first objective was carried, and at 12.35 the news arrived that the trench was already occupied. Then information came in fast of further gains, and observers saw a stream of surrendering Germans running toward the French lines. Many of the Germans who surrendered were hit by the curtain of fire of their own artillery; most of them were troops who had recently arrived from the Verdun front. The prisoners declared that though they expected the attack, the rapidity with which it was delivered took them by surprise.

RUSSIA AND CONSTANTINOPLE.

SAN FRANCISCO, To-day.
That Constantinople has been promised to Russia by the Entente Allies should the Central Empires be defeated, was the statement made here yesterday by M. Itchas, member of the Duma and one of the Russian Parliamentary deputations sent by the Czar to England, France and Italy to confer with these Governments. The reason for the visits of the Duma deputations to England, France and Italy, said Mr. Itchas, was to convince ourselves of the military and economic resources of our Allies. Having seen, we are more than ever prepared to go on with the war, the more so as we now have all the munitions we require and can maintain a continuous offensive. Russia has the solemn promise of the other Allies that Constantinople and the Dardanelles will become Russian territory.

BULGARIANS IN POSSESSION OF KAVALLA.

ATHENS, To-day.
The British legation was informed to-day by the American Minister that the Greeks have surrendered to the Bulgarians the last of the forts defending the seaport of Kavalla in northeastern Greece. Several of the forts were occupied some time ago by the Bulgarians. Warships of the Entente Allies have removed 1500 Greek soldiers to Thasos. Rioting at Kavalla is reported and it is said that houses and shops have been pillaged. A number of Americans are endangered, as is the property of American tobacco companies to an amount of

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To-Night's Lecture

Private Phil Jensen lectures to-night at the T. A. Hall in aid of the Red Cross Fund. The popular demand which is responsible for his lecture should ensure a full attendance. Since Private Jensen first spoke some months ago at the Methodist College Hall, he has addressed meetings in many places in the island and his reputation as a soldier and lecturer has risen with each occasion. Those who go to hear him to-night will not merely be supporting the most worthy of causes but will be enjoying an opportunity rarely afforded. In addition to the interesting lecture, Miss Johnson will give a violin solo and Mr. T. H. O'Neill a recitation. Hon. J. R. Bennett will occupy the chair, and Mr. Justice Kent will move the vote of thanks to the lecturer. We trust that all who can will make it their business to attend, knowing that it will prove their pleasure as well. They could not ask a better cause or a better speaker to advocate it.

PACIFYING HUNGARY.

PARIS, To-day.
The Greek port of Kavalla was pillaged and the civilians massacred by Turkish Bashibazouks on the withdrawal of the Greek garrison, according to a Saloniki despatch to the Havas Agency. Barne wireless dispatches from Budapest announce that a compromise has been reached between Premier Tisza and leaders of the opposition. The Premier has consented not to adjourn Parliament before the end of the month, and the opposition leaders have agreed not to criticize the military authorities but only the administration of the nation and its foreign policies.

McMurdo's Store News

THURSDAY, Sept. 14, 1916.
We have a few bowls of Vinolia Bath Soap which we are selling at very low prices to clear, and are offering them at a great bargain. The quality of the Soap is of the best and it is put up in quaint wooden bowls with handles. These are the very thing for those who religiously take their morning tub, for there is an immense amount of using in one of these bowls, and no waste. Come in and see them. Just arrived: Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Tonic. Price 60c. a bottle.

Reids' Boats.

The Argyle left Epworth at 7.45 p.m. yesterday, inward.
The Clyde left Botwood at 7 p.m. yesterday, outward.
The Dundee arrived at Port Blandford at 4.30 p.m. yesterday.
The Ethie arrived at Humbermouth at 11.5 a.m. Tuesday.
The Glencoe arrived at Placentia at 9.10 p.m. yesterday.
The Home arrived at Lewisport at 4.15 p.m. yesterday.
The Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 8.30 p.m. yesterday.
The Meggie is due at Port aux Basques to-day.
The Sagons is on the Labrador.
The Neptune sails for Labrador at 6 p.m. to-day.

Here and There.

EAGLE SAILS.—The s.s. Eagle sails this afternoon for Halifax to bring a cargo of flour here.
Stafford's Phorotone Cough Cure is the best preparation for all kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and various Lung Troubles. Price 25c. Postage 5c. extra.—July 22, 1916.
SALT BULK CARGOES.—The following vessels sailed to-day with cargoes of salt bulk codfish: The Acme from St. Jacques for Gloucester, with 358,000 pounds; the Crescendo from Bonne Bay for Cork, with 772,000 lbs.; the Selg from St. Jacques for Gloucester, with 337,456 lbs.
WIRES AGAIN WORKING.—The telegraph wires, which were blown down during the big storm on the West Coast, are again working.
FIYON ON DOCK.—The Fiona went on dock Tuesday evening and will undergo repairs to her keel which was slightly damaged by striking a rock on the Labrador coast, when cruising with the Governor.

Nfld. Highlanders.

ORDER O. C.
A. and B. Companies with pipes and drums will parade at the Armory on this Thursday evening, Sept. 14th, at 7.15 o'clock, preparatory to attending Private Jensen's lecture in Total Abstinence Hall.

C. U. HENDERSON, Capt. & Adjt. Full Kit—Kilts. sep14.11

FOR SALE! AT UPPER GULLIES.

1 House, 6 rooms, with Barn, Workshop, Cellar, Poultry House and Fruit Trees, with one and a half acres of land. This is a beautiful home, being situated near the water and railway. For further particulars apply to

J. R. Johnston,
Real Estate Office: 30 1/2 Prescott St., or Residence, 119 Barnes' Road.
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Commission in the Army.

THE MATTER OF REFUNDS.
Dept. of Colonial Secretary,
18th September, 1916.

Dear Sir,
I enclose herewith copy of telegram No. 471 of the 9th September from the Secretary of State addressed to His Excellency the Governor, giving instructions issued by the War Office in reference to refund which has been given to candidates for commissions in the Imperial Army, who proceeded to the United Kingdom at their own expense. While this matter does not immediately touch the people of this Colony, I have no doubt that it will have some local interest, and in accordance with the desire of the War Office, I shall be glad if you will kindly give it a place in your columns.

Yours truly,
J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.

The Editor,
Evening Telegram.

No. 471.
Code Telegram from Secretary of State.
(Recd. 9 Sept., 1916).

War Office requests following may be published widely—begins—The In the past refunds have been given to Candidates for Commissions in Imperial Army, who proceeded to United Kingdom at own expense and possessed military and other qualifications. Now Candidates for Commissions in Imperial Army except for Royal Army Medical Corps and Army Veterinary Corps and certain branches Royal Engineers must pass through ranks of cadet units and no refunds will be considered in case of any candidate passing through cadet unit embarking after September 30th, 1916. Cases of candidates with special military qualifications embarking on or before that date will be considered on their merits but no guarantee that refund can be given beforehand and to candidates passing through cadet units it will not exceed cost of Government second class passage. In no case is refund passage granted to those who are not given Commissions.

Candidates strongly advised to apply to local military authority or War Office before coming over. For candidates nominated under War Office instructions as to conveyance will continue to be provided.

Welch's Grape Juice

AND ITS COMPETITORS.

WELCH'S-GRAPE JUICE started in life in the year 1843 as an unfermented Sacramento Wine. In the year 1875 Dr. C. E. Welch, the son of the original manufacturer, commenced bottling WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE as a "nutritious, health giving and pleasant beverage." Hence all subsequent brands of Grape Juice are imitations of WELCH'S. The same Dr. Welch is to-day at the head of The Welch Grape Juice Company and while, in the ensuing years, new and up to date methods of pressing and bottling have been introduced, the same standard of purity has always been maintained and WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE has always been the highest grade of Grape Juice it is possible to buy. The Welch Grape Juice Company pay more for their Grapes, to be sure of getting the best, than any other Grape Juice manufacturer in the United States or Canada. WELCH'S is pure Grape Juice. There is no water, sugar or coloring matter added. Now listen to the written opinion of a first class New York analyst on the quality of three rival brands of Grape Juice which have lately appeared on the Newfoundland market:

"Is a private or 'house' brand put up by 'Grocery Jobbers of New York City. Just who is packing the goods for them we are unable to say. The usual method followed by these jobbers who have a brand of their own is to ask for prices from the small grape juice manufacturers that specialize in private brands and have practically no business in their own brand."

"We consider as one of the poorest brands on the market. Our laboratory tests would indicate that it is heavily watered and it is a matter of astonishment to us that they can find any sale for it at all. It is barely heard of except in and around New York. According to our tests, all of the foregoing brands are sugared, that is, granulated sugar has been added. While we do not say that this is always done to hide the use of inferior grapes, it is a practice that has been used to accomplish that purpose."

Right here, in our own home town, one of our best known and most popular doctors says: "I recommend WELCH'S GRAPE JUICE because I know it to be nothing but the pure juice of the finest Concord Grapes. I do not recommend other brands because I know nothing of them. WELCH'S contains all the sustaining qualities of good port wine without any of the alcoholic disadvantages. I drink it and my household drinks it. Can you need any better testimony than the above why you should stipulate WELCH'S when you order Grape Juice."
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Special Evening Telegram.
CAPE HACE, To-day.
Wind N. N. E., blowing strong; weather fine. The vessel reported yesterday are laying in Trepassey Bay waiting a change of wind. The S. S. Stephanus passed in at 8.35 a.m. to-day. Bar. 29.25; ther. 56.



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We have recently purchased
18 Hogsheads of this CELEBRATED PORT WINE,
Equalling nearly
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or 450 Cases of 1 doz. each,
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WINES—Sparkling and Still.

Whiskies, Brandies, Gins, Ales, Stouts and Liqueurs.

have all to be disposed of during the next
4 Months.

Don't Neglect Ordering Now,
and not leave till too late.

Newfoundland Poultry Association!

Sale of Pure Breed Cockerels—1916.
Under an arrangement with the Newfoundland Agricultural Board the above Association is offering for sale, during November next, a limited number of Pure Breed Cockerels at the nominal price of One Dollar (\$1.00) each.
Every Bird will be guaranteed to equal, if not excel, imported Birds costing Five Dollars (\$5.00) each.
This offer is only open to those persons in Newfoundland who raise poultry and eggs for sale.
Purchasers of these Birds must agree to keep his Birds for two years.
Applicants under the above conditions must send their applications—enclosing \$1.00 with each, and stating the breed required to
JOHN F. CALVER,
Hon. Sec'y Nfld. Poultry Association,
St. John's.
All applications must be sent in by October 1st, 1916.
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Clover Leaf Tobacco,

Registered 1876,
5 and
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The only tobacco not advanced, and further, will not advance, as our Company is prepared to cut the profits to enable them to sell Clover Leaf in Newfoundland at the above price. It is a Union Tobacco, made in the United States, and well made. Be wise—5 or 10c. is enough to pay for any tobacco. Why pay more?

M. A. DUFFY,
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Another lot of dainty linen Pillow Shams, creased and hemstitched, these are beauties for 35c. Friday, Saturday and Monday

Pillow Cushion
Handsome Art Embroidered American Pillow Cotton scalloped and embroidered 3 dozen of these available Saturday and Monday each

Cushion
4 dozen of White Tops, nice braided d. led edging, full size; handsome covers for sofas. Reg. 35c. each day, Saturday and Monday

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hard wearing brush curved back. Special

BEL-BON COLD CREAM
ly perfumed, comes in pure white porcelain tins. Reg. 35c. each day

In the DRESS

We are clearing shades of Lavender the ordinary; low priced, trimmed tastefully 34 to 40 inch. Val day and Monday

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Ladies' American tastefully trimmed half sleeves, embroidered, others lace med. made in full cents. Friday, Saturday and Monday

Ruffles
Ruffles are made we offer a line of ed Chiffon and Silk ribbon ruffles. Tan, Saxe, Navy, White. Reg. 35c. line Friday, Saturday and Monday

Children's
The very latest for the children, plain shades of Gold; others in Tan, Saxe and White. White. Reg. 35c. day, Saturday &

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