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NOTICE is hereby given that during the extensive repairs now being made at Pass Island Lighthouse, the upper White Light shown from the Tower will be replaced by a White Light shown from a Lens Lantern hoisted on a pole. The lower Red Light will be discontinued until further notice.

J. G. STONE,
Minister of Marine & Fisheries.
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Public Notice

The following Regulations, under the provisions of the Inspection of Foods Act, respecting the sale of condensed or evaporated milk, approved by His Excellency the Governor in Council, are published for general information:—

1. No person shall sell or offer or expose for sale any condensed or evaporated milk containing less than eight per cent of milk fat.

2. The Medical Health Officer, Government Analyst, or any Inspector appointed for the purpose of the Inspection of Foods Act may enter any store or any other place where any condensed or evaporated milk is kept or exposed for sale, and may take or purchase any reasonable sample of such condensed milk for the purpose of having the same analysed.

3. Any person who shall sell or offer for sale or expose for sale any condensed or evaporated milk which is found on analysis by the Government Analyst to contain less than eight per cent of milk-fat shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars, or in default of payment, to imprisonment for a period not exceeding thirty days.

4. These Regulations shall come into effect on the 1st January, 1918.

R. A. SQUIRES,
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, August 21, 1917.
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Public Notice

TRANSFER OF MONIES TO MEMBERS OF THE 1st NFLD. REGT.

Arrangements have been made with the Pay & Record Office, London, whereby persons wishing to transfer money by telegraph to relatives or friends in the 1st Nfld. Regiment may do so through the Pay and Record Office, St. John's. Full particulars may be obtained at the Department of Militia, Colonial Building.

J. R. BENNETT,
Minister of Militia.
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Notice to Seamen

1. The Masters of all sailing vessels clearing from Newfoundland ports for Portugal, Spain, and European ports, with cargoes of fish for the European fish markets, shall forward to the Colonial Secretary a statement giving the full names of each person upon the articles of said ship, with his age, place of birth, place of residence, and complete information as to his dependents and their residence. The statement shall be certified to be correct by the Customs authorities of the port of clearance before the ship is cleared for the voyage.

2. Upon the receipt of the said statement by the Colonial Secretary and upon his being satisfied as to the correctness thereof, he shall issue a certificate to the effect that the Newfoundland Government will be responsible to the seamen whose names are so listed that, in the event of any such seaman being taken as a prisoner of war, cast away, or injured as a result of any war operations, and in the event of any such seaman losing life as a result of any war operations, the said seaman and his dependents shall have the advantages of all allotments, pensions, emoluments and privileges as if the said seaman were at the date of the casualty a member of the Newfoundland Branch of the Royal Naval Reserve and the casualty had occurred in the discharge of duty.

3. Payments, if any, hereunder shall be made on certificate of the Colonial Secretary.

R. A. SQUIRES,
Colonial Secretary.
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Public Notice

St. John's General Hospital

The Artificial Limb Department of the General Hospital will re-open on the 5th instant and continue in operation for about one month. It will be as heretofore under the management of an expert limb fitter from the J. F. Rowley Company, Artificial Limb Manufacturers, Chicago, Illinois. Persons requiring new limbs can be measured and accurately fitted, and old limbs requiring adjustment and repairs will receive attention. Expert advice may at the same time be obtained on all matters pertaining to the artificial limb and its use.

For further particulars as to cost, etc., apply to the Superintendent.

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JAMES HARRIS,
Secretary.

Dept. Public Works,
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Pittsburg, Penn.—"Your medicine has helped me wonderfully. When I was a girl 18 years old I was always sickly and delicate and suffered from irregularities. Three doctors gave me up and said I would go into consumption. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and with the third bottle began to feel better. I soon became regular and I got strong and shortly after I was married. Now I have two nice stout healthy children and am able to work hard every day."—Mrs. CLEMENTINA DUERRING, 34 Gardner St., Troy Hill, Pittsburg, Penn.

All women are invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special advice,—it will be confidential.

The Sensation Of The Day

Paris, Sept. 5—The sensation of the day is the secret correspondence between the Kaiser and the Czar which Mr. Bernstein has divulged in the European edition of the New York Herald. Every newspaper in Paris reproduces the extracts and many comment on them, the consensus being that the correspondence shows Nicholas in a contemptible light and Wilhelm as one of the most unscrupulous ruffians in history. The Figaro says:

"It shows that so long as 1904 the kaiser was actively engaged in intrigues which could not fail to destroy the peace of Europe."

Jacques Bainville, in Excelsior, says:: "It proves that Germany was trying to separate Russia from her Allies defore the declaration of war. He nearly succeeded after the declaration, thanks to Sturmer and Protopopoff."

The Journal Des Debats finds the correspondence comforting "as it shows that Williams efforts in every direction and on every occasion were a complete flasco."

The Temps says that William's correspondence convicts him.

The Gaulers and the Libre Parole regret for Nicholas' sake that these telegrams have seen the light of day, as they besmirch the reputation of an ally who, in spite of his weakness, remained faithful personally toward France.

It is impossible to live without working. Even those who are supposed to know how are really engaged in working somebody.

The recently appointed purchasing agent for the Government, Mr. J. R. Goodison, arrived in town yesterday to take up the duties of his new office. For the present he will occupy the Speaker's room in the Colonial Building. It is said that the government have acquired a new property on Water Street East, which will be used as a controller's department and that suitable offices will be provided in that building for the purchasing agent.—Advocate.

Why does Germany use the letter "K" in the word "culture"? Because Britain controls the C' (seas).

Evading the Subs.

Ten of our fish carriers have recently arrived safely at foreign markets including three at Oporto in Portugal. Not one of our fish vessels has been lost during the past month going to Spain and Portugal. It is believed that as far as small sailing vessels are concerned the submarine and torpedo menace in the Mediterranean is not so great as is generally believed at the present time.

Working Manganese Mine

We learn that the manganese mine near Brigus, C.B. has been reopened and is being worked with every prospects of success. A vessel is now being loaded with the ore and other cargoes will follow. Mr. Whitmore, a gentleman from St. John, N. B., is looking after the claims and is hopeful of shipping upwards of 50,000 tons of ore before the end of the year. Should his expectations materialize, the work of mining the manganese will afford considerable employment to the people of Brigus and other places in Conception Bay.—Herald.

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House of Assembly 1917

Official Synopsis of Debate

FRIDAY, Aug. 3rd.

The House met at 5.40 p. m., and considered amendments from the Legislative Council, passed a contract for Steam Service on the West Coast, without debate, and rose until Monday at 3 p. m.

MONDAY, Aug. 6th.

The House met at 5.30 p. m. pursuant to adjournment.

Council's amendments to the Cold Storage of Fish Bill were read twice and passed.

The House adjourned to-morrow at 3 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, August 8th.

The House met at 3 p. m., pursuant to adjournment.

RIGHT HON. PRIME MINISTER—One of the most important measures passed by this House, namely a Tax on Business Profits, was thrown out yesterday by the Legislative Council. I exceedingly regret the action of the Members of the Council in this respect. There are gentlemen in that Chamber from whom I had hoped and expected better things. The measure was a War measure, designed in the interests of the Empire, a measure to obtain the funds to pay our soldiers, their wives and children and dependents, while they are defending our King and Country; to keep the home fires burning while they are away fighting for us in the trenches and on the seas. Nothing could be fairer or more just than the principles of the Bill. In effect it provided that every business carried on in Newfoundland, where the annual profits were over $3,000, should pay into the Revenue one-fifth of the excess profits, after the owner had first charged all the cost and expenses and salaries of running the business. That is to say, if a firm made and cleared, say, $23,000 over and above all expenses, the owner would pay one-fifth of $20,000, into the revenue, or a tax of $4,000. I think it will be admitted that no fairer tax was ever conceived or proposed. I repeat that I am sorry that the Members of the Legislative Council did not rise to the occasion of this great war which is devastating the Empire, robbing the homes, even in far-off Newfoundland, of their most prized treasures, and write themselves down in history forever as a band of patriotic citizens, thinking only of King and Country. How can any of us, after this declaration by the monied interests of Newfoundland, ask a father for his son to go forth to fight for us, while those at home who are in a position to do so, refuse to contribute a reasonable allowance towards the sinews of war. Must there be only a conscription of blood and no conscription of wealth? Is one section of the country to do all and sacrifice all whilst the other stands idly by fattening on the misfortunes of their neighbours, growing rich by profiteering, and in a position to avail of the certain profits born of the war? Fighting the German Emperor by proxy? Most certainly not. No tax, no assessment, nor even a complete confiscation of property would be equal to or equivalent to the tax we have levied on the blood and manhood of this country. The richest man in Newfoundland has not treasure enough to pay the value of one of the Newfoundlanders who have died for their country. The true test would be to ask any parent what he would give to have his boy restored, the light, the life, who has gone out of his home for ever. The loss is common to the entire community. In my own district I have many such cases. One woman has given four sons to the cause, three of whom have been killed and one is still fighting. What share of his profits and his wealth should the well-to-do man give to measure up to the toll paid by this woman?

But there is another, and an important principle involved in the actions of the Legislative Council and that is the constitutional one. The power of taxation, as well as its remission, rests with this Chamber and with this Chamber alone. Technically, the Legislative Council may have the power to throw out the Bill as they have done. But they are living in a fool's paradise if they imagine for a moment that public opinion throughout the country will tamely submit to a body such as, they are, irresponsible to the people, throwing out a measure calculated to provide the means of carrying on the war. Such a right as that now claimed by the Legislative Council to refuse to pass money bills proposed by the representatives of the people must be settled once and for ever, and the Legislative Council will learn in good time that the powers they exercise under the Constitution are clearly defined and that any attempt on their part to overstep the boundary will be prevented. They in no way represent the opinion of the country and their action is a deliberate challenge to the people outside of this House. The safety and independence of the constitutional principles upon which representation is based are involved in their action. There present action, at most, will only prove a temporary satisfaction, the ultimate outcome is as certain as that to-morrow's sun will rise. This Chamber is the place where the will of the people is expressed and assumes form and life by legislation, and any attempt to interfere with these supreme and unchangeable prerogatives will only serve to add another to those constitutional wrecks which strew

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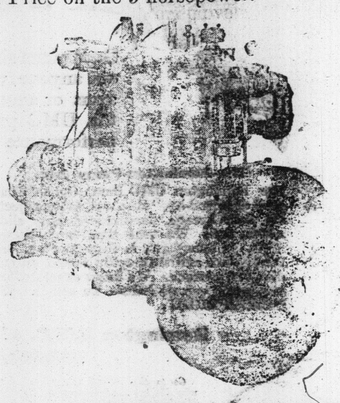

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