Evening Telegram

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Kitchener's Men Prove Their Mettle

The most interesting news of the week is the baptism of fire of a portion of Kitchener's Army. Major Civerieux, writing to the Matin, says these British volunteers made a historic entry into the firing line, winning the battle in which they were engaged. The Secretary of the Colonies says the situation between Armentieres and La Basse was materially altered by the success at Neuve Chapelle, where the Fourth and the Indian Corps advanced three quarters of a mile on a four thousand yards front, and trenches and taking over 700 prisoners. In the counter-attacks the Germans were repulsed and more prisoners taken. General French speaks of the movement as a successful initiative and that the losses incurred by our men were not great. It is most pleasing and satisfactory intelligence to learn that Kitchener's new soldiers are living up to the reputation established by the highly trained and efficient soldiers of the First Expeditionary Army sent to France. They were in the Kaiser's eyes but a contemptible little army, which the Germans could and would walk over. But they soon showed that they were better man for man, battalion for battalion,and brigade for brigade, than the soldiers the Kaiser could put up against them. They were trained, organized and equipped as a result of the experience gained by Kitchener's officers in Egypt, Soudan and South Africa, and they soon proved their mettle. They soon belied the anticipations of the German critics who avowed they would be unable to stand up before continental armies. The same military authorities said that Kitchener's hastily raised and quickly trained troops, which had been enlisted after the outbreak of the war would fall like chaff before the German armies. Kitchener however, bided his time, kept on steadily training them, and refused to allow them to go to the front before he considered them ready, fully equipped and well supported with all supplies and service corps, and now we have before us an example of what can be done by a Kitchener corps. We may rest assured that this corps is but a sample of the rest of the Kitchener army and before many months have elapsed, it is by no means improbable that a far different complexion will be put on the face of the Western front. But the fighting will likely be heavy, and heavy casualties must be expected.

A Conspicuous Success

We are asked by His Excellency the Governor to say that he learns that it is reported about town that the British Armies have sustained a reverse in France and that he is aware of the facts. He desires, however, to say that he has no such information, nor does he believe that any such reverse has occurred. On the contrary he considers that the British arms have won a conspicuous success at Neuve Chapelle and knows no reason for supposing that there has been any set-back whatever.

Boys Charged with Series of Thefts.

Detectives Byrne and Tobin arrested under warrant last night two boys named Hollett and Cox, belonging to the East End, aged 17 and 15 years, respectively, on suspicion of complicity with a number of thefts that occurred recently. To-day they appeared before Judge Knight, charged with the following larcenies:—(1) 1 pair of rubbers, the property of B. Murray; (2) $4.00 from the office of Hynes & Co., Jan. 24th; (3) $5 from Hynes & Co. on Feb. 1st; (4) $7.50 from Hynes and Co. on Feb. 11th; (5) 75 cents and a quantity of tobacco and cigarettes from the office of Stabb & Co., on March 1st.; (6) $20; and also 30 packages of cigarettes, property of T. J. Edens, on March 3rd.; (7) quantity of lead pipe, the property of Percie Johnson, on Jan. 10th; and (8) an overcoat, revolver and glass cutter, owned by Jas. Crotty. Accused were only asked to plead to the first charge. They answered guilty and were remanded till Monday ending enquiry by the police.

Sealing Reports.

Change Islands.—Calm, mild, foggy; ice on land; two old hoods killed here yesterday.

Catalina.—Calm and dull; loose ice in with shore; two steamers reported seen from Melrose yesterday.

Bonavista.—Centre of Bay appears clear of ice as far as can be seen; two old harps got yesterday near the Cape, possibly steamers could get north across the Bay.

Twillingate.—Bay still full of ice; old hoods seen yesterday in water; reports from Cape Shore old and young harps plentiful.

Terra Nova Making Good Progress

Messrs. Bowring Bros., Ltd., have received a wireless message from Capt. Wm. Bartlett, sr., saying that the s.s. Terra Nova passed Cape Ray at seven o'clock this morning on her way to the Gulf. The Terra Nova made excellent progress since her previous report here and certainly "put it all over" the Viking, Erik and Diana, which ships were in her company up to yesterday morning. A wireless from the Viking was received last night. Then the steamer was 20 miles N.E. of Cape Race. The Terra Nova cleared from Bay Bulls and therefore will not call at Channel.

LATEST From the Front.

NOON.

LOSS OF THE BAYANO.

LONDON, To-day.

In a statement of the disaster, the Admiralty says:—On the 11th of March wreckage of the Bayano and bodies were discovered under circumstances which point to her having been sunk by an enemy torpedo. Eight officers and eighteen men were rescued. It is feared the remainder of the crew were lost. The captain of the Belfast steamer, Castle Reagh, reports passing on Thursday morning a quantity of wreckage and dead bodies floating with life belts. He attempted to search for possible survivors but was prevented by the appearance of an enemy submarine, which gave chase for twenty minutes. The Bayano was 3,500 tons, and was 416 feet long. The Belfast correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says the Bayano was torpedoed on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock off Corewall Point, Wigtonshire, Scotland, that nearly 200 lives were lost as the cruiser sank immediately. The vessel had a crew of about 216 men. Wigtonshire is the southwesternmost county of Scotland and lies in the North Channel which leads into the Irish Sea from the Atlantic. Eighteen survivors of the Bayano were rescued by the Belfast steamer Balmerino. They were afloat on a raft. Another steamer picked up one of the Bayano's life boats which was adrift and also two of her rafts. The survivors landed at Ayr.

COTTON STEAMER SUNK.

GALVESTON, To-day.

The British steamer Indian City from Galveston for Havre has been sunk, according to a cablegram received here by her agents, with a cargo of cotton. The cablegram came from Liverpool.

FRENCH STEAMER SUNK.

BUENOS AYRES, To-day.

The British steamer Churchill arrived at Pernambuco with a crew of 145 passengers from the French steamer Guadelope, sunk near the island of Fernando de Noronha in the South Atlantic by the German auxiliary cruiser, Kron Prinz William. The Guadelope is from Buenos Ayres for Bordeaux.

ST. PIERRE BULLETIN.

March 12.—Attack made by the British yesterday resulted in the capture of 2,500 metres of trenches in front of Neuve Chapelle and of the near-by villages. The British troops advanced in the direction of Aubers as far as Mill of Pietre and towards the south to the frontier of Dubiez Wood, that is a distance of about two kilometres beyond Neuve Chapelle. The German artillery fired but a few cannon shots. On the rest of the front there is nothing to add to yesterday's communique. Thick fog hindered operations on several points of front. An English flotilla succeeded in bombarding Westende. On the Ypres section we have repulsed two attacks near Measnojorde. In the region of Neuve Chapelle the British Army repulsed counter attacks. The losses of the enemy was considerable. In Champagne we have last night made important progress west of Perthes les Hurlus, in the Wood where we took footing five days ago.

1.30 P.M.

THE GERMAN REVERSE.

LONDON, To-day.

An Express despatch from the Belgian frontier says: Germans in Belgium admit of the seriousness of their reverse at the hands of the British in the region of Lebasse. The despatch to that district yesterday of additional infantry, just arrived from Germany, it is estimated amounts to three divisions and shows it is not their intention to accept defeat without further sacrifices. More howitzers also have been sent to the front from the artillery park at Ghent, and the entire area from Knocke to Westende is full of infantry awaiting orders to attempt to overwhelm the Allies below the Great Dune by an avalanche of troops. The Germans are trying in every way possible to prevent details of the Lebasse reverse reaching Holland through civilians, three of whom were shot last night at various frontier posts while trying to cross with messages. German fears of a landing of the enemy's troops north of Ostend is again apparent as they are massing several divisions around Bruges. It appears to be accepted as conclusive by the Germans that the Allies will invade Flanders between Knocke and Ostend, and some of their best troops are held in readiness to repel such a movement.

BEFORE EASTER.

PARIS, To-day.

Admiral Carden, commanding the British fleet operating against the Dardanelles, has expressed the opinion that the Allies will be able to hammer their way through the Straits before Easter, according to an Athens despatch to the Journal.

DRESDEN SINKS BARK.

VALPARAISO, To-Day.

The crew of the British bark Conway Castle, sunk by the German cruiser Dresden off Correl, a seaport of Chili, on her way to Liverpool with a cargo of barley, was landed here yesterday by the Peruvian ship Larlon. The sinking of the Conway Castle is the first exploit of the Dresden reported since the naval battle of Falkland Island, in which she took part.

1.45 P.M.

600,000 BRITISH TROOPS IN FRANCE.

PARIS, To-Day.

The two greatest armies ever gathered together in any war in the world's history is now facing each other in the western theatre of war. A steady stream of British troops has been pouring into France all the week and French reservists, who have been under training for the past three months, are now being moved to the front. It is estimated that there are 600,000 British soldiers upon French soil at the present time. The important task of holding the Germans back from the coast has fallen to the British, whose lines extend from a point north of Ypres in Belgium to Arras. This line forms a barrier through which Germans would have to cut before they could reach Calais, Dunkirk or Boulogne. The British in the north are conducting a strong offensive movement, and it is evident that they hope to force the Germans to evacuate Lille by exerting vigorous pressure against the German line near Armentieres and Labasse. Activity is increasing in Belgium, east of Lombartzyde; on the north seacoast the Belgians have driven the Germans from the field. A fierce artillery duel is in progress all along the line in Belgium. Near Middlekerke the Germans have placed several 42 centimetre guns, it is reported, in order to destroy the locks of the canal near Palingsbrug, so that the country in that region can be flooded.

TO THE PUBLIC.—On behalf of the City Poor, kindly keep Thursday night, April 8th, free of engagements, when, under the patronage of their Excellencies the Governor and Lady Davidson, St. Thomas's Glee Singers will render a Concert in the Methodist College Hall. Local talent. Proceeds for the above laudable object. Particulars later.—feb25,eod,tf

Supreme Court.

(Before the Chief Justice.)

Court met at 11 a.m. pursuant to adjournment.

Abram Temple, et al vs. The Reid Nfld. Co.—This is an action for compensation of $1,404 arising out of the death of Herbert Temple, who died from injuries received while in the employ of the Reid Co., while at work upon the Trepassey Branch railway in August, 1902. The following special jury are in attendance and are sworn: James Callahan, Wiliam Butler, Frank Parsons, James Stevenson, Patrick Wallace, Fenwick Crane, Martin Spearns, Edward Cahill and Archibald Willar.

Kent, K.C., for Plaintiffs; Furlong, K.C., for Defendants.

Kent, K.C., states the plaintiff's case.

The forenoon was taken up with the examination of witnesses.

The Court takes recess at 1 p.m. until 2.30 p.m.

(Before Mr. Justice Emerson.)

M. Morey & Co., vs. J. J. Murphy and Philip Templeman.—This is an action for injunction restraining the defendants from a continuance of a certain obstruction, the s.s. Stella Maris, and enjoining them to cause the removal of the same obstruction and a claim for $5,000 damages.

H. E. Knight and J. Fenelon, for Plaintiffs; J. P. Blackwood and J. W. McNeily for Defendants.

Several witnesses were examined.

At 1 p.m. recess was taken till 2.30 p.m.

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The hour of sailing, as permitted by law, is eight o'clock but long before this thousands of people, young and old, rich and poor, assembled at every vantage point along the waterfront to bid farewell to our hardy toilers who were embarking on their hazardous voyage to the frozen north. A regrettable feature was the prevalence of the thick fog which enveloped the port and which detracted much from the scene. A noticeable matter also was the absence of the tooting of siren whistles and no bunting was displayed. In fact there was nothing whatever to indicate the departure of our hardy toilers, like the old custom beyond the cheering of crews and the waving of handkerchiefs from the shore.

Precisely as the clock struck eight the five ships steamed out through the harbour quietly in the order mentioned. The **Telegram** takes this occasion in extending to one and all God speed, a safe return and big trips of seals.

Mrs. Outerbridge, Mrs. Colville, Miss Mary Rendell and Miss Florence Clift are taking part in "His Majesty's Mail" in the Methodist College Hall on St. Patrick's afternoon. Don't fail to come and see it.—m13,2i,s,tu

The Rossley Theatre.

ST PATRICK'S DAY.

On St. Patrick's Day there will be specially arranged programs at both the Rossley Theatres. The East End Theatre has been beautifully painted and decorated and the improvements are entensive, wit hthe latest thing in opera chairs, the Rossley Theatre (East End) being the only place in St. John's with this new opera chair, rack under the seat to place a hat or parcel. The color scheme of the theatre being terra cotta white and gold. With all the improvements it will be the safest and best equipped theatre in town. There is a splendid Irish Comedy for St. Patrick's Day, written entirely by Mrs. Rossley, and we know by the pantomimes produced by are extensive, with the latest thing that talented lady it will be all right.

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