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Retreat Closes.

A large congregation attended the closing exercises of the men's retreat at St. Patrick's yesterday afternoon. Rev. Fr. Cox, S. J., in closing, congratulated the large gathering present on their attendance during the lectures, and exhorted them to continue faithfully in the discharge of their duties. He then gave the Papal Blessing, which as a Jesuit he was privileged to impart. The services closed with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament by Rev. Fr. Pippy.

Here and There.

THE PORTIA.—The S. S. Portia was at Placentia last midnight and is due to arrive here early to-morrow morning.

POLICE BUSY.—Saturday night the police had a busy time of it and made ten arrests, the offenders being drunks and disorderlies.

FORTY DAYS OUT.—The barque Attila and brig, Clutha are now due from Pernambuco. They are each forty days out and should soon put in an appearance.

INVESTIGATING VANDALISM.—The police are now on the hunt for a youth, supposed to have done considerable damage to electric globes, gas lamps and window panes.

RESUMES RUNNING.—The S. S. Norwenn, which has been engaged for a month running to West India ports from New York, will, we hear, resume running on the Red Cross Route about a fortnight hence.

POLICEMAN ASSAULTED.—Having been refused a passage on the outgoing train Saturday evening because of their incapable condition, two men assaulted Constable Forsey and then attempted to get away, but were captured and placed under arrest.

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British Auxiliary Sinks German Converted Cruiser

IN BATTLE OFF THE PLATTE.

A special cable from Valparaiso to the New York Herald says:

The British auxiliary cruiser Orama, which steamed to this port on Tuesday and the wounded from the German cruiser Dresden, sunk at Juan Fernandez on Sunday, brought the first news of a battle off the River Platte, on November 11, in which the German armed merchantman Navarra was sent to the bottom.

The Orama, taken over by the British Admiralty early in the war and fitted with a formidable battery, was proceeding early in November to join the British squadron at that time seeking the German Admiral Von Spee in the South Atlantic, when she sighted the Navarra off the mouth of the Platte. The Orama gave chase and the auxiliaries exchanged shots. The gunnery of the British vessel was more accurate and after a brief engagement the upper works of the German were seen to be afire. The Orama redoubled her efforts, but her guns were silenced when the crew of the Navarra took to the water. Four small boats remained undamaged, and in these the crew pulled away from their vessel just before an explosion sent her listing far to starboard.

The Navarra's crew scarcely had been taken aboard the Orama when the ship turned slowly over and disappeared. To prevent the possibility of her becoming a drift net the Orama before she sunk steamed as close as safety permitted and sent a few more shells into the burning hulk. The Orama escaped undamaged from the action and without a wounded man among the crew. The casualties aboard the Navarra were few.

From the narratives of the German prisoners the men of the Orama gathered that the Navarra, one of the big Hamburg-American line steamships,

was bound for South American ports when war was declared. She touched at Pernambuco early in September and stopped at Punta Arenas on October 10. She then was bound for the Pacific, where she got in touch with Admiral Von Spee's squadron near Juan Fernandez Island just before the battle off Coronel, in which the British ship the Good Hope and Monmouth. The men aboard the Orama are convinced it was not until the Navarra joined the German squadron that she received her armament and took her place as a commerce destroyer.

The foregoing special cable despatch is the first news to reach New York of the battle between the Orama and the Navarra, although the London Daily Mirror in its issue of February 24, published photographs of the sinking of the German ship. No date of the battle and no location was mentioned in the Mirror, and the British Admiralty has not announced the action. Accompanying its photograph the Daily Mirror said:

"All the romance of the great war at sea does not get published, but we should not forget that Britain is ruling the waves wherever she meets an enemy craft. Here are two dramatic sea incidents. When the armed German liner Navarra met the armed British liner Orama a sea duel took place, which resulted in the enemy's vessel being sunk."

The Orama, commanded by Captain John R. Segrave, of the royal navy, formerly was a merchant vessel of the Orient line. She is of 13,000 tons and was built at Clydebank by Messrs. John Brown & Co. She is a triple screw vessel, one of the latest additions to the Orient line fleet and the first turbine driven ship constructed for the Australian mail service. With the Kent and Glasgow she attacked and sank the German cruiser Dresden last Sunday at Juan Fernandez.

The Navarra was one of the Hamburg-American line vessels, engaged principally in South American trade. She was of 5,794 tons.

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From a Reservist.

Mrs. Corcoran, of Branch, who is now residing in the city, is in receipt of a letter from her son Alphonso, of the Royal Naval Reserve, who is doing duty on one of H. M. Ships in the North Sea. His letter is a cheery one, and contains remembrances to all his friends at Branch and St. Bride's. Reservist Corcoran is evidently not "downhearted" and is looking forward to a victorious return.

Cape Report

Special to Evening Telegram. **CAPE RACE, To-day.** Wind west, strong; weather fine; no field ice in sight; ten bergs all grounded. An unknown three-masted schooner passed in at 8:30 a.m. today. Bar, 28.94; ther, 50.

Here and There.

BUSINESS AS USUAL

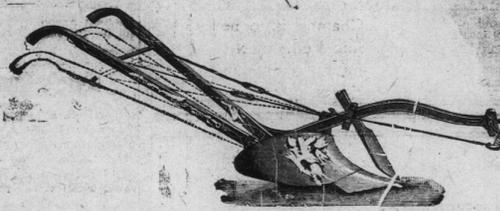
NEW CAPTAIN.—Capt. D. Stewart, of the S. S. Beatrice, plying in the coal trade from North Sydney to this port, has resigned his position as captain, and will be succeeded in command of that ship by Capt. John MacKenzie, of North Sydney.

GREGG'S SONATA IN E.—This great composition, which is acknowledged as the masterpiece of this famous composer, will be rendered by Miss Sybil Johnson, our talented young violinist, with Mr. F. J. King at the piano, at the Recital next Monday.

BOUGHT SHELTER.—A young man belonging to Conception Bay, applied for and was given shelter at the East End Fire Hall Saturday night. He had come to the city a few weeks ago and falling to procure a berth to the ice-fields went to Bell Island where he was again unsuccessful in getting employment. Saturday morning he walked back to town. He now intends to enlist.

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At the R. C. Cathedral.

Rev. Fr. Cox, S. J., occupied the pulpit at the R. C. Cathedral last evening and preached an impressive sermon on the Sacred Passion. In eloquent language the reverend Father reviewed the different stages of the Passion from the Agony in the Garden to the Crucifixion on Mount Calvary, dwelling particularly on the love of the Man-God who besides giving His humanity also sacrificed His divinity for the glorious work of our redemption. The meekness with which He suffered the cruel torments endured on the road to Calvary was described by the Jesuit in a manner that would move the most hardened sinner to tears of repentance. The sermon was followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Volunteers at Port Nelson.

According to a letter just received in the city from a St. John's man in Port Nelson, a gang of young men who were engaged railway building in that region for the Canadian Government, have given up work and gone to enlist with His Majesty's Forces. So much interested were they over the war situation and so keen was their desire to offer their services for the Empire, that they walked distances of from 115 to 120 miles, under the most adverse and trying conditions, to get to the nearest railroad point where they expected to connect with the Canadian Military headquarters.

Scotch Stoker Brutally Assaulted.

A disgraceful assault took place near the General Shipping Office on Water Street, Saturday afternoon. Because he failed to move out of the way with the speed of a sprinter, an aged Scotch stoker, of frail physique, was pushed violently by a big burly outport seaman, who would tip the scales at 14 stone. The victim's face came in contact with the ground and was badly battered. He was picked up with blood flowing from his face. Sergt. Mackey and two constables appeared on the scene and after watching for a while the caperings of the aggressor took him into custody. At first he inclined to show resentment but after getting put into a "half Nelson" became as quiet as a mouse and was marched off to the police station.

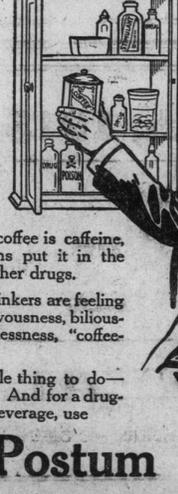
Current Events Club.

"Miss Dawson read an interesting paper on "Some Branches of Women's Work" at Saturday's meeting of the Current Events Club. A letter from an officer in Egypt, describing an engagement with the Turks was also read and proved of much interest. Mrs. J. Browning presided and Lady Outerbridge served teas at the close.

METAGAMA LEFT.—The new C. P. R. liner Metagama left Liverpool on Friday last for Halifax, amongst the passengers on board being Hon. R. K. Bishop. Word to that effect reached here Saturday.

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FIVE KRONPRINZ MEN HE SAYS

London, March 20.—Chronicle tells the story of adventures as a prisoner on board the German commerce raider Kronprinz Wilhelm, as a member of the crew, in the steamship Potaro, which was captured on the sailing of the Potaro for Montevideo. The Potaro left Liverpool on the 14th of the month, the crew sighted a cruiser, which they believed to be British. She came up and fired two shots across the bow. The crew then discovered Kronprinz. Time was wasted in which to get their own and then all of the crew aboard the raider were saluted with a hail of shot.

On Jan. 14th the Nebel and Brae was similarly captured and passengers, crew and passengers transferred and a prize put aboard. Later the same day the schooner Wilfred was captured and the crew were transferred to the raider. Kronprinz rammed her and was not sunk, and the crew with her after this time of Bremen came along. The raider was transferred to the Kronprinz, the Hemisphere, which on Dec. 28.

A week later the Nebel and Brae was captured and 2,400 tons of wheat were encountered. The raider was transferred and the crew were transferred to the Nebel and Brae at a distance of between six and eight miles. Allan said:

"They could not sink our gunfire, and they had to send a number of men to scuttle her. My opinion is that the Germans were playing with their guns. They were anything at point-blank range."

After being six weeks in the hands of the Germans, the crew were transferred to the Nebel and Brae, taken to Buenos Aires, and passengers from the Nebel and Brae were transferred to the Nebel and Brae.

"They gave us a captain seemed to be a man, but I know who he had been there before. Ever a ship came along, sent below. We did not what perils we were night, have been blown up while they were taken prisoner, who would never surrender the ship."

"There were sent and day, while they were continually searching for dum-dum bullets."

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