

## White Bay Service

The S. S. EARL OF DEVON will leave the wharf of The Newfoundland Produce Company, Ltd., at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 8th, calling at usual ports of call.

Catalina, Twillingate, Exploits, La Scie, Hr. Round, Paquet, Baie Verte, Coachman's Cove, Fleur de Lys, Great Hr. Deep, Williams' Port, Hooping Hr., Canada Hr., Conche, Ireland's Bight, Goose Cove, St. Anthony, St. Leonard's, Griquet, Quirpon, Ship Cove, Raleigh, Cook's Hr., St. Julien's, Great Braha.

Freight received to-morrow (Thursday) at 9 a.m.

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PHONE 20.

## To-day's Messages.

### STRIKE WILL BE LONG ONE.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Nov. 4. Despite the spirit of hopefulness in official quarters that the end of the coal strike was near, spokesmen here for the miners and operators declared to-night that the country was in for a protracted industrial struggle in the bituminous fields. Labor leaders, a bit more specific than the operators, estimated that all union mines would remain closed at least four weeks. Other estimates cut that time in half, but officials, although without word of direct efforts to bring the two sides together, still held firmly to the view that the strike would not run that long.

### BIG BOLSHIEVSK SUCCESS.

OMSK, Nov. 4. The Bolshevik thrust against the left wing of the Siberian armies has developed to such an extent that the Siberians have been obliged to fall back south of the trans-Siberian railway to within 80 miles of Petropavlovsk, which appears to be the Bolshevik objective in this sector. A corresponding tactical retirement of from 12 to 25 miles miles has occurred along the whole Tobol river front.

### WANT I. W. W. PRISONERS RELEASED.

LONDON, Nov. 4. An active campaign has been started in England by George Hardy, of Chicago, to persuade English workmen to appeal direct to Washington for the release of all I. W. W. men imprisoned. The campaign includes propaganda showing alleged wrongs the "Industrial Workers of the World" have suffered at the hands of American capitalists. It is understood that a similar campaign will be carried on in all European countries wherever possible.

LABRADOR REPORT.—Grady and Domino, strong north wind, clear. Flat Islands, fresh north west wind, clear and very cold. Venison Island and Battle Hr., light north west wind, clear and very cold.

## THE DAILY DOPE

BY THE CUB-EDITOR

### WHO LOST DER WAR?

Being a Review of Books and Interviews by The Men Who Lost the War.

By Von Bethman-Hollweg

Who told us we was sure to win, Udt, venn der Allied troops came in Schkipperd out to save his worthless schin?

By General Ludendorff

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By Marshal Von Hindenburg

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By Admiral von Tirpitz

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By Frederick William

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have a hard life while they live together.

### TWO AT THE GAME.

"Angry!" exclaimed the young man. "Of course I'm angry. It seems to me that what we need in this world is some system of general thought transference or mind-reading. You know how hard I worked to get Margaret—gave all my waking thoughts to the subject, neglected my business, went off my food, wrote poetry, and made an ass of myself generally."

"But you succeeded."

"Oh, yes; we're engaged; and now that we have exchanged confidences, I find that she was working just as hard to get me as I was to get her, and when I think of the waste of effort I get tired."

### THE EASIEST WAY OUT.

A cannibal king had taken a great fancy to a missionary, and wishing to please him, and make him stand between him and the white governments who were inclined to punish him for certain atrocities, brought before him the 500 most lovely maidens in his kingdom.

"They are the loveliest flowers of my land," said the monarch, "pick one from among them for your wife."

The missionary, who already had a wife at home, was greatly embarrassed, but not wishing to hurt the feelings of his host, much less offend him, replied diplomatically:

"You honor me, but I dare not choose, lest the other 499 grow jealous."

"That's easily fixed," replied the monarch, "take them all!"

### HOW THE GERMANS MOVE.

Residents of Berlin don't worry about vans and express wagons when they want to move. They just stop a passing street car and load up the express trailer with their household belongings at so much per article. The goods are carried to the street nearest to their destination. The cars also deliver for stores and factories.

### TROUBLE FOR PA.

Johnny: "How old was Methuselah, auntie?"

Auntie: "Nine hundred years."

"And how old were you, auntie?"

"Thirty, my child."

"Then papa reckoned wrong by 870 years. He said you were as old as Methuselah."

Women barbers are quite numerous in Japan.

### CAUTIOUS HIRAM.

Two farmers met in a certain town a day or two after a cyclone had visited that particular neighborhood.

"She took things up pretty bad out at my place," said one, stroking his whiskers, meditatively.

"By the way, Hiram," he added, "that new barn o' yours got hurt any?"

"Waal," drawled the other, "I dunno, I haven't found it yet."

### A LECTURE ON OBSTINACY.

Obstinacy is the strength of the weak. Firmness founded upon principle, upon truth and right, order and law, duty and generosity, is the obstinacy of sages.—Lavater.

### MERELY AN OVERSIGHT.

An irate customer entered the

butcher's shop, threw down a piece of metal on the counter, and indignantly exclaimed:—

"What do you call that, sir?"

The man of pork examined it and replied:—

"It looks like a bit of brass."

"Bit of brass—of course it is; and do you know where I got it? Why, in one of your sausages."

The butcher put up his hand, rubbed his double chin, and said he thought he could explain it.

"Yes, and explain it you will before I leave this shop!" continued the excited one.

"Well," drawled the butcher, as he smacked his lips, "I must have forgotten to take the collar off!"

### WHO WON THE WAR?

Who won the war? The millions who lie sleeping in the soil of France; the millions who, dead or living, contributed their part to the conflict; Americans, French, British, Canadians, Italians, Belgians, Japanese, Serbs, Roumanians, Australians, patriotic Russians—all who gave their courage and strength to the cause of human liberty. History will generously give praise to the Allies and their associates. All "won the war."

—New York Herald.

### HE'D BEEN THERE!

On a pleasant Sunday afternoon an old man and his youngest son were seated in the village inn. The father had partaken liberally of the home brewed beer and was warning his son against the evils of intemperance.

"Never drink too much, my son. A gentleman stops when he has enough. To be drunk is a disgrace."

"Yes, father; but how can I tell when I have enough or am drunk?"

The old man pointed his finger. "Do you see those two men sitting in the corner? If you should see four men there you would be drunk."

The boy looked long and earnestly. "Yes, father, but—there is only one man in that corner."

To say an old thing in an old way is a platitude. To say an old thing in a new way is wit. To say a new thing in an old way is a blunder. To say a new thing in a new way is art.

OUR OWN SPECIAL DICTIONARY.

Engagement—In war, a battle. In love, the salubrious calm that precedes the real hostilities.

Love—A man's insane desire to become a woman's meal ticket.

Lent—A church fast that is slow to go; or something loaned which is slow to come back.

Obesity—A surplus gone to waist. Postscript—The only thing readable in a woman's letter.

Onion—The all-round strength champion of the vegetable kingdom. garlic and cabbage being close rivals.

To prevent the eyes from watering when peeling onions, let the tap drip on them," says an English paper. But fancy trying to peel onions with one's eyes under the tap.

### THAT'S THE ANSWER!

A man entered a drug store very hurriedly and asked for a dozen two-grain quinine pills.

"Do you want them put in a box, sir?" asked the chemist as he was counting them out.

"Oh, no certainly not!" replied the customer. "I was thinking of rolling them home."

—The Cub Editor.

### Published by Authority.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. Joseph C. Batten, Flower's Cove, to be a Justice of the Peace for the Colony.

His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Mr. Levi G. Chase to be Examining Officer, H. M. Customs; Mr. Thomas Ross to be a member of the Court of Revision of Appraisement of Property, Grade Water Company Act; Mr. Leonard Pike to be Secretary, and Superintendent of the Carboniferous Water Company, in place of Mr. Lemuel Taylor, deceased; Messrs. Jonas Rice, Pt. Leamington, and John Hopkins, Norris Point, Bonne Bay, to be Surveyors of Lumber.

Dept. of the Colonial Secretary, November 4th, 1919.

### Shipping Notes.

The Saddle A. McKee has cleared from Placentia for Oporto, with 2880 qts. codfish shipped by Kemp & Co. The S. S. Rock Island sailed this a.m. for Philadelphia. She put in here for bunker coal.

The S. S. Wren, Capt. Barbour arrived in port from Labrador this a.m.

The schooner Otello, 40 days from Carthage, in ballast, arrived to T. H. Carter & Co. this morning.

The Kyle sailing at Port aux Basques this morning.

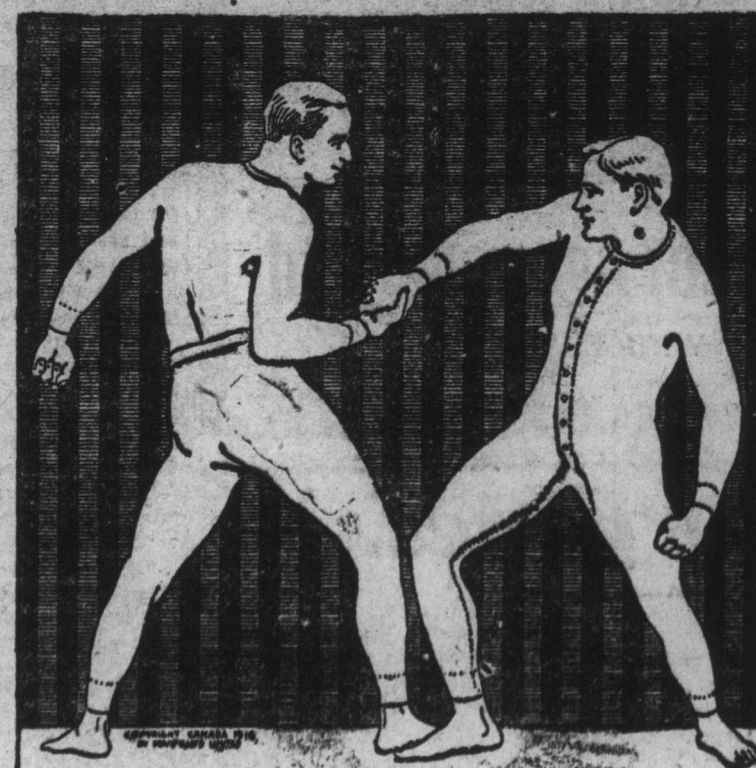
The Nevis has arrived at Bay Roberts from Labrador with a cargo of fish. She goes to Gibraltar.

The Dutch steamer Lroyson reports passing an ice berg, 46.08 N. 47.37 W.

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## Japan's Verdict on American Christianity.

Missionary Societies especially and church people of all creeds and denominations in America "can find material for thought," says the Detroit "Free Press," in a statement by Bishop Tucker, of Kio, that Japan sent a special commission to the United States to study the influence of Christianity on the lives of the American people. Their report on their return was that "while education, commerce and industry have been developed to a wonderful degree, there is little evidence that the Christian religion is regarded as important by most of the people." The "Free Press," giving the laymen's man's view of the matter, adds some reflections of its own:

"This is a judgment by a presumably honest and thoughtful body of outside observers. And it would be a courageous man who would undertake to prove that the Japanese investigators were profoundly in error in their conclusions."

"The verdict reached by the commission from Tokio is important quite aside from the immediate comment on religious conditions in the United States because it probably throws light on certain recent developments in Japanese domestic policy hitherto not easy to understand."

"Presumably the Mikado's Government in making its investigation desired to arrive at an accurate estimate of the influence of Christianity in America in order to reach some conclusion as to its probable permanent value to Japan and Japan's dependencies as against the value of the native cults and religions, particular-

ly Buddhism. Such a proceeding would at least be in harmony with the Japanese habit and turn of mind as we of the Continent know them."

"If the report of the commission had been favorable to Christianity, mission work would probably have received material official encouragement, not because of any new appreciation among Japanese government officials of the ethical truths of the religion—the merits of the Biblical teachings are fully understood and valued in Tokio—but because of a feeling that as a piece of practical statecraft the spread of the Christian religion might be good for the people of Nippon and good for the general national situation."

"But a contrary decision having been arrived at, there is not very much difficulty in detecting a connection between the report of the commission and the trend toward less toleration for and encouragement of mission work which has been springing up of late in some sections of the Mikado's Empire, notably in Korea, where missionaries are complaining loudly of the attitude of the Japanese officials toward them and their converts; and are protesting against the final submersion of the country because of the threat to the further spread of Christianity that submersion involves."

### DIED.

This morning, Betty Gwendolyn, darling and only daughter of George H. and Mrs. Press, aged 8 months. "For of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Yesterday morning after a long illness, Richard Byrne, aged 81 years, leaving a wife, 2 sons, 2 daughters and 1 brother to mourn their sad loss. Funeral to-morrow at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 16 Power Street.—B.L.P.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

### Revision of Jury Lists.

Persons claiming exemption from service on juries, persons who claim to be qualified to serve on a panel different from that on which they are entered, and all persons who have objections to offer to the panels or either of them, are hereby notified that a COURT OF REVISION of the jury lists for St. John's will be held in the Magistrate's Office from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday of next week, and on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of the week following.

Police Court, Oct. 30th, 1919.

F. J. MORRIS,

Stipendiary Magistrate.

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