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Evening Telegram

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FRIDAY, January 21, 1916.

Volunteering.

This morning we had the advantage of a chat with Mr. M. S. Sullivan, who has just returned from England, and he told us that the thing which struck him most in the old home-land was the number of soldiers in training. They were to be seen everywhere. No matter where he went there was crowds of men in khaki. The reports of the efforts under the Derby scheme show that nearly three million men have offered themselves as soldiers, and that of these, four of the forty-four classes into which the attested men were divided have been called to the colors during the present week. These are unmarried men from 19 to 22, the remaining eighteen classes of unmarried men will be called to the colors at a future day. The new recruiting effort, and the Military Service Bill if necessary, will be utilized to get in the six hundred thousand of unmarried men of military age, before the twenty-two classes of married men of military age, who have attested, are drawn upon. There is thus in sight in the homeland a large body of men who are available for the colors when called upon. The voluntary response to the call in the homeland, since the war begun is marvellous and must be in the neighborhood of six million men out of a population of 46 or 47 million. The Dominions are all a long way behind, although they have the advantage of large immigration of young men from home. But even in the Dominions, the response has far and away exceeded the wildest expectations at the time war began. Australia has taken an easy lead. In addition to her contribution to the Navy in the shape of the Australian Naval Squadron, she has sent forward nearly 250,000 men and has arranged to have forwarded another army of 50,000 men by June next, and in addition to all this, is sending drafts of 9,500 men a month as reinforcements of old units. All this has been done by volunteering for the front. The advantage she has had in gaining this lead is in the system of military training which was instituted in Australia by the Labor Ministry and after Lord Kitchener had approved of the scheme on his visit there a few years ago. This is good work for a Dominion with a population of 5,000,000. New Zealand, with a population of 1,000,000, some time ago had already sent 30,000 men to the front, and is making strides in supplementing this force largely. Canada comes after these Dominions in her efforts. She too, has the advantage of being able to enlist a very large number of immigrants. Indeed, twelve months ago we were inclined to look askance at Canadian effort and inclined to point out that Canadian success in enlisting did not come up to the efforts of Newfoundland in proportion to population, and was away behind as regards native born. We have, however, to admit that Canada has been giving Newfoundland a lead in the number of enlistments for months, and that the lead is becoming larger as the months go by. Newfoundland, of course, suffers from the emigration of very many of her young men, and this gives an advantage to Canada as there are many hundreds of Newfoundlanders who have enlisted and are now serving in Canadian battalions. It is up to the Government to bestir themselves in this matter and take a leaf out of the book of the Australian Government, which although her people have done so remarkably well, is still making great efforts. The Australian Government is appealing by the mail to every single man in Australia between the ages of eighteen and forty-four. In Newfoundland recruiting has now reached a low ebb and the Government is doing nothing.

M. C. L. I. Debate.

An interesting debate was held at the regular weekly session of the M. C.L.I. last night. The subject was: "Is it advisable that the principle of the Initiative and Referendum be adopted locally in relation to legislation on all great questions of public importance for which the Government has no mandate from the people?" The leaders were Mr. F. G. Bradley for the affirmative, and Mr. J. S. Currie for the negative. Mr. Bradley was supported by Messrs. W. H. Jones and Walter Joyce, while the arguments of Mr. Currie were sustained by Messrs. Hearder and Bradbury. For the affirmative it was argued that the referendum was the best course to adopt when a government was confronted with a doubt as to popular sentiment, as the issue could be put squarely before the people. For the negative, Mr. Currie said that the system would make mere puppets of legislators, and would tend to retard all progressive legislation. Prominent authorities on the matter were quoted. With regard to the question as it applies to Newfoundland it was argued that our geographical position made unanimity of interests impossible, as in the case of fishing regulations for Labrador, which would be absolutely impracticable for Placentia Bay. After the set speakers had finished, Capt. Kean, Messrs. White, Peters, Whiteway, and others took part in the debate and made some interesting contributions to the discourse. Upon the vote being taken the affirmative was sustained by a small majority.

L. C. A. S.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' College Aid Society, the following ladies were elected to office for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. John Leamon.
Vice-Presidents, Mrs. W. J. Herder, Mrs C. P. Ayre, Mrs. S. K. Bell.
Secretary, Mrs. Fenwick.
Asst. Secretary, Mrs. F. W. Smallwood.
Treasurer, Miss Cole.
Asst. Treasurer, Mrs. J. Peters.

Work Committee—Mrs. A. Soper, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. Levi Diamond, Mrs. F. Moore, Mrs. W. Soper, Mrs. A. Kean.

Executive Committee—Officers with Mesdames S. Woods, T. M. Simpson, (Dr.) Roberts, A. Mews, M. Drover, J. C. Crosbie, J. Joliffe, W. Campbell, C. Stevenson, A. Soper, J. McIntyre.

On Tuesday and Thursday afternoons of each week until May, work will be done for the Women's Patriotic Association. The directors for that work are Mrs. M. Drover, Mrs. A. Kean, Mrs. F. Moore.

M. H. FENWICK, Secretary.

WHAT THE LADIES' COLLEGE AID SOCIETY DID LAST YEAR FOR THE W. P. A.

6 Bed Jackets.
26 Night Shirts.
55 Suits Pyjamas.
239 Grey Shirts.
312 Pairs Mitts.
115 Rifle Covers.
44 Scarves.
1,057 Pairs Socks.
Cash $136.60.

WONDERFUL CONTEST AT ROSSLEY'S TO-NIGHT.

The contest at Rossley's to-night will be a dandy by the number of names sent in. The Pantomime: "Sleeping Beauty" will be run first then the contest which has some funny turns. On Saturday the matinee for children, their last chance to see the big production. Don't miss to-night's show if you want a night's real amusement.

COMING SOUTH.—The Fogota left Change Islands at 10.15 a.m. to-day, coming south.

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Casualty List.

JANUARY 21.

1066—Private George Simms, Pilley's Island. Killed in action, Dec. 30.

1141—Private Thomas Cook, Trinity East. Reported wounded.

967—Private Michael F. Lannon, Placentia, S.E. Reported wounded.

644—Lance-Corporal Lewis G. Bartlett, Brigus. Dangerously ill, Anthrax; 17th General Hospital, Alexandria; Jan. 19.

Naval Hero Married.

A Quiet Ceremony at Bishop Auckland.

The marriage was solemnised yesterday at the Church of St. Peter, Bishop Auckland, of Paymaster Kenneth Edgar Badcock, R.N., (of H.M.S. Arethusa), fourth son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Badcock, of Thornfield, Bishop Auckland, and Miss Frances Isabel Pinsent, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Charles S. Pinsent (Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod of the Newfoundland Parliament) and Mrs. Pinsent, of St. John's Newfoundland. The event was of a quiet character, owing to family bereavement—the death in action in France of Major Stanley E. Badcock, 6th Battalion, Durham Light Infantry. The bride, who was given away by the father of the bridegroom, looked charming in a white taffeta silk frock, and she was attended by little Miss Marjorie Bousfield (niece of the bridegroom), who was daintly attired in white. Lieut.-Commander Alex. McCullagh, R.N., and Lieutenant C. E. Badcock, R.A.M.C., acted as groomsmen, and they together with the bridegroom, wore unform. The Rev. Charles Grant (vicar) was the officiating clergyman. It is interesting to note Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Badcock have all their four sons serving in His Majesty's Forces. Paymaster Kenneth Badcock is Secretary to Commodore Reginald Y. Tyrwhitt, Light Cruiser Squadron, and was mentioned in the despatch with reference to the engagement with enemy ships at Heligoland. The gallant officer was also present at the Dogger Bank engagement when his ship H.M. S. Arethusa sank the Bleucher.—Darlington North Star, Friday, December 31, 1915.

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Prospero Off.

The S.S. Prospero sailed at noon today for northern ports, going as far as Tilt Cove and return, taking a full freight and these passengers in saloon:—A. Barbour, J. Gillett, Job. Kean, E. Jones, Jas. Gillett, N. Walsh, H. Clark, E. J. Ryan, D. Tuffin, R. Murcell, A. Scammell, T. Dawe, A. Roberts, J. Janes, E. Tuffin, N. Card, W. Snow, V. Torriville, R. Fowlow, W. Bulgin, F. Locks, J. Jenkins, A. King, P. Newell, W. Pippy, R. Gillett, H. Earle, P. Murphy, W. Blackmore, Capt. Roberts, F. Wiseman, J. Norris, Capt. J. Knee, W. Edney, W. A. Strong, A. Seviour, P. Knee, Capt. Batstone, J. Baker, E. Hull, J. Butcher, W. May, J. A. Strong, Capt. Harbin, H. Harbin, Sergt. Ryan, Capt. Geo. Barbour, P. Barbour, J. Greene; Mrs. Pippy and Strong; Miss Adams, Keating and Earle, and 30 in steerage.

McMurdo's Store News

FRIDAY, Jan. 21, 1916.

In the W. T. & Co. Special No. 2 Hot Water Bottle, you have what is probably the finest rubber hot water bottle put out on this side of the Atlantic. It is certainly in shape, in general appearance, in toughness of fibre, in workmanship, and in durability, a really remarkable bottle. It is fitted with a non-losable stopper and is reinforced at all seams. This bottle is guaranteed against all defects of manufacture, and will give two years at least of honest wear, and any bottle not giving that amount of service will be cheerfully replaced by us. Price $3.25 each.

In this changeable weather the skin of the face and hands is likely to suffer unless you use something like Cream of Lilies to keep it soft and smooth. Cream of Lilies has a reputation that few other things of the kind have as a soothing and emollient for chaps, abrasions, spraying, and smarting, and can be depended upon to cure these conditions. Price 25c. a pot.

A RUNAWAY.—One of Knowling's express horses took fright by the Custom House Hill at noon to-day and bolted. The sled attached was immediately capsized and the driver thrown out. The horse was brought up by the East End cab stand where the sled collided with a telegraph pole and was badly wrecked.

THE STEPHANO.—The S.S. Stephano leaves New York this evening for Halifax and this port.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

We Know Him.

The village that raised him was proud of its son
The day that he marched to the war,
And prouder it grows as the messages come
With news of his deeds from afar.

As brave as the bravest that faceth the foe,
Through days of inferno he fights
With vigorous arm in the host that's arrayed,
For outraged Humanity's rights.

From Flanders to Suvla his name is renowned
For daring, for valor, for skill;
You'll find him dug-in in the trench that is found
Close up to the crest of the hill.

He fights, and he freezes—he rests, and he roasts,
With various vermin as foes;
He's deafened by thunders, he's dizzy with gas;
The thirst of the desert he knows.

He swears with a vim as he peels from his pants
The remains of his last cigarette;
He seeks in his knapsack for comfort and finds
Its contents sogged, mud-coated, wet.

Half-naked, half-covered with powder and grime
He slams the munitions about,
As he buries his shirt for the twentieth time
In the clay of the damp dug-out.

He falls to his rations with appetite keen,
Tho' flies are infesting his jam;
Yes, flies that have fed on the rottenest Turk
That e'er made a lowly Salaam.

But he's game, and in spite of discomforts and such,
He turns to his task with a grin;
He knows that the devil may hinder him much
But still he is there to win!

Jan. 20th, 1916. D. CARROLL.

Slight Blaze at Anglo-American Bakery

A fire, which might have resulted disastrously but for the promptness and systematic work of the Central and Western Fire Companies, occurred at the Anglo-American Bakery, Cuddihy Street, shortly before eight o'clock last evening. The blaze was evidently due to the igniting of the partition between the furnace and gas engine in the basement of the building by the flame from a gas jet and the subsequent explosion of the gas bag used to feed the engine. While the employees were busy working up the dough for the night's work, one of them noticed smoke issuing from the basement through the floor into the main building. An alarm was sent in from box 32 and the Central and Western firemen were on the scene promptly. In the meantime Mr. John Young, the foreman of the bakery, with great presence of mind, had shut off the supply of gas from the main pipe and so confined the area of the flame. On the arrival of the firemen two streams of water were directed on the blaze which was soon under control, much to the relief of the residents in the adjoining range of houses. The all-out signal sounded at 8.23 less than half an hour after the alarm was sent in. Very little damage was done except to the machinery, the principal loss being the burning of belting and the corroding of the engine due to the streams of water directed on the blaze, which was confined to that section where the engine stood. The estimated value of the bakery is $20,000, and the insurance carried on the machinery was $6,000. The houses in the adjacent range are valued at about $40,000 on which very little insurance was carried. The staff of the bakery are loud in their praise of Supts. Dunn, of the Fire Department and Grimes of the Constabulary for the capable manner in which they directed the work of the fire fighters, and thus saved the neighborhood from what might have been total destruction.

Supreme Court.

Court met at 11 a.m. to-day. Present: Mr. Justice Johnson.

Charles A. Stuart vs. O. C. Guild.—On motion this appeal is dismissed.

In the matter of the Companies' Act, 1899, and the Atlantic Fish and Transportation Co., Ltd., the motion is adjourned sine die.

Ryan Bros. vs. The Bonavista Bay Mutual Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.—The further hearing of the argument in this case was continued to-day. The court takes time to consider.

Adjournment was taken until the opening session in February next.

Pte. Gordon Green

Mrs. Wm. Green, Parade Street, is in receipt of a letter dated Dec. 26th from Miss A. F. Marsham, nurse at the 21st General Hospital at Alexandria, conveying the intelligence that her son, Private Gordon Green, of the 1st Newfoundland Regiment, is there undergoing treatment. Private Green is suffering from enteric fever and was admitted to hospital on Dec. 17th. At the time of writing the nurse said he was doing well and would shortly be able to write to his mother himself, adding that by the time her letter would be received the young soldier would be fit for duty again.

MISSING SCHRS. TURN UP.—The schooners Minnie J. Smith and Alexandria, about the safety of which grave fears were entertained, put into this port last night. They were supposed to be caught out in the last heavy storm and driven to sea, but happily, they managed to reach Seldom-Come-By and shelter there. Their safe arrival removes the anxiety felt.

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Net Laces,
English Shirting,
Horrocks's Shirting,
Flannelettes,
Cotton Blankets,

Pillow Cases,
Bolsters,
Table Linens,
Apron Hollands,
Fronting Linens,
Linen Table Cloths,
Linen Napkins,
Pillow Shams,
Bureau Cloths,
Piano Cloths,
Sheetings,
Victoria Lawns,
Lace Curtains,
Turkish Towels.

"Stop Thief" Draws Another Full House.

Another full house greeted the second performance of "Stop Thief" presented by the Klark-Urban Co., at the Casino Theatre last night. "Stop Thief" is one of the best farce comedies seen here for some time, and in last night's production the company was fully up to the standard already established. Harden Klark and Frank Urban as the kleptomaniacs, gave very fine impersonations, while Lillie Dean whose rich clear voice has already won for her so many admirers, was quite at home in a very difficult role. This lady has a very fine stage appearance and her clear enunciation, together with graceful carriage and gesture, has made a popular favorite. All the other characters were well sustained by the balance of the company, particularly Masie Cecil, Auralia Clarke, Thomas Brower and Billy Webb. Before the farce some vaudeville specialties were given by Messrs. Klark, Urban, Tenney, Webb, Auralia Klark and Marion Allen and were warmly applauded. The bill for to-night will be "The Little Lost Sister" which deals with a story that is full of human interest, and for which we bespeak another full house. At the matinee to-morrow, "Stop Thief" will be repeated.

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Personal.

Mr. M. S. Sullivan returned by last evening's express from England where he had been on a business trip.

Mr. A. F. Lawton, Barrington, N.S., who had been spending a brief holiday at his home, Bell Island, was a passenger by last evening's outgoing express for Halifax.

OIL CARGO.—The schr. Archie Crowell, 5 days from Halifax, reached port last evening with a cargo of oil to the Imperial Oil Co.

Square-Riggers Return

(From the New York Tribune.)

That privilege which the Jersey commuter may enjoy on pleasant mornings, of approaching this concentrated cosmopolis in a spirit of detachment while basking in the sunlit calm of mid-river and following with a sensuous eye the indolent gull wheeling against the classic background of sky-scraping masonry, has to-day a slightly heightened flavor. For the first time in heaven knows how many years there is outlined for him against the cliffs of architecture the slender tracery of square-rigged ships. Staten Island, South Brooklyn, Constable Hook are not yet considered entire strangers to these queens of the sea, and on rare occasions still one comes to rest in a South Street slip. But the North River front, it was supposed, had said good-by to them forever.

It is the hideous war, nothing less, which has reversed this edict of progress and has sent the Norwegian barques Valerie and Alexandria, the one to a berth at Pier A and the other to Pier 8. War-time ocean rates have persuaded cargoes into their ancient holds, have teased them into venturing forth again along steamer lanes and have posed them against that skyline which has formed the background for so many arrogant multi-funnelled leviathans of the deep. And to many of those privileged to gaze upon them in their present setting they represent not the least of the riches which the sufferings of Europe have vouchsafed us.

What a pity that peace must eventually forbid even such reversions to an unregenerate past!

"CAN YOU AFFORD TO TAKE CHANCES?"

A little cold may not seem a dangerous thing—you may feel inclined to let it go on hoping that to-morrow it will be better—but can you afford to take chances? Just as the little insignificant acorn grows if let alone, to the mighty giant oak, that cough if not stopped may grow to a very serious illness. When a cough starts there's no telling where it will end. You know no doubt, of cases right among people you have known where serious complications and fatal illnesses have had their start from a neglected cough or cold.

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MORE DIPHTHERIA.— Two more new cases of diphtheria have been discovered at Petty Harbor, making a total of four patients in the settlement now. They are all being nursed at home.

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