



Evening Telegram

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FRIDAY, May 23, 1919.

REQUIESCANT.

"Hope springs eternal in the human breast," and because of this many people have had a lingering feeling that some news would be heard of the daring adventurers who swept out over the hills and into the great void beyond on last Sunday afternoon. They flew away then from mortal ken and from that fatal hour when the Sopwith areoplane disappeared over the horizon, not one gleam has come to lighten the fears which already have been expressed. What their end, or the manner of it, can but be conjectured. They may have fallen like a plummet, from dizzy heights into the unfathomable ocean, and met instant death; they may have successfully reached the surface by volplaning, and there perched on their frail craft, watched "the hell of waters howl and hiss," until overcome by exposure they perished and the ever greedy sea claimed their bodies for its own. Many causes might have contributed to the disaster which is so universally deplored. The perils of the air journey were real enough to daunt even the stoutest hearts, but Hawker and Grieve, courageous and gallant gentlemen, were not dismayed. They had made the most minute preparations and calculations for success. They were in no doubt concerning favourable meteorological conditions when they made up their minds to start on the supreme adventure, but the fact that they were heavily handicapped by the meagre service furnished them stands out too prominently clear. The British Air Ministry did not bestir itself and the Admiralty was not active in rendering assistance. In fact there was too much passivity in British official circles—a deliberate passivity which has been the cause of questions in the British Commons, some members even suggesting that it was through the negligence of both the Air Ministry and the Admiralty that two valuable lives have been lost. Whether they would have been saved or not had there been precautions taken and the line of the route patrolled by fast destroyers, is another question. There would have been, at least, a prospect of rendering aid, but as nothing of the sort was done as a measure of safety, the aviators who departed beyond the sky line on

Sunday took a sporting chance, and a desperate one at that. They went out into the unknown places of the air and whether or not they took their final plunge, one hundred or one thousand miles off our coast, detracts nothing from their courage. The risk was great, but not so great as their heroism in accepting it.

On Monday when the whole of North America was filled with enthusiasm over the bulletin flashed under the ocean that Hawker had been sighted off the Irish Coast, the Telegram offered congratulations to the intrepid fliers and their associates in the city. Alas! that these congratulations were premature and to-day we regretfully and mournfully twine a wreath to the memory of two of the bravest spirits that ever set out to accomplish great things. That they failed is to be deplored, but in their failure which cost them their lives they have won a glory and a fame that will never die and throughout the ages there will be a halo of immortality ever brightening and radiantly glorious, around the names of Hawker and Grieve, who sacrificed themselves in the interests of science and in a gallant attempt to effect the conquest of the air.

The "Telegram" Leads.

Since interest in the accomplishment of the Transatlantic flight has centered locally, the Telegram has published 27,000 words, written originally by the staff on the flight and published since February 15th. There were also 10,000 words of reprinted articles, copied from foreign newspapers and magazines. This does not include headlines or sub-headlines, but solely the reading matter of each article. This is a record that the Telegram has set, and one that certain papers, claiming to give the "fullest and most accurate" accounts of the great flight, will find hard to equal.

Prof. Shaw's Lecture.

Last night at the Presbyterian Hall, Professor Shaw who, arrived by the Digby from Halifax, delivered an address to the congregation of St. Andrew's on "The Church and the Forward Movement." Professor Shaw is Chairman of the Presbyterian Synod Committee on the Forward Movement for the Maritime Provinces, and is travelling through the provinces giving ideas of the church's work. Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A., presided and briefly introduced the speaker, who said the movement was really a national one and a call for a larger citizenship. We have passed a critical period in the history of the world, and the war has been brought to a victorious conclusion. It was a Lord's Victory, and we should concentrate all our efforts to him. Men have been given a new point of view, they have formed different relationships with each other. The Church has a part in this, said the speaker, and he laid particular stress on the need of having a proper outlook and knowledge of how to give. The larger movement is a financial one, and the Presbyterian Church of Canada is to give a Peace contribution of four million dollars which will probably be called for in the Autumn. At the close of the address these presents were introduced to Prof. Shaw, and refreshments were served by the ladies of the congregation. Prof. Shaw is enroute to Scotland and will return in the autumn to resume his work at the Halifax Theological College.

Just received an assortment of Climbing Plants and Evergreens, Honeysuckles, Climbing Roses, Cedars, Clematis, Aristolochia, Virginia Creepers and Laurel. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD. (Grocery Dept.) Phone 679.—may20,19

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Late Season North.

The furthest point reached in the north for this season yet is Change Islands. To the north of the Bays and Coast are blocked with ice, and in view of this it appears that it will be a late season for the northern people. Last year at this time there were thousands of barrels of herring caught, but this season, because of the ice conditions, there is practically nothing done in that locality in the way of fishing.

Football Team Practices

The C. E. I. football team will have its first practice on Monday night, in the field near Rennie's River Tannery. It is thought that the Institute will enter a strong eleven, mostly returned soldiers, in the coming league game.

City's Health.

During the week 8 cases of diphtheria and 8 of smallpox were reported in the city. At present 25 diphtheria, 1 scarlet and 21 smallpox patients are being treated in hospital.

Will Not Publish.

To-morrow being Empire Day and a general National holiday, the Telegram will not go to press.

Shipping Notes.

The schooner "Smuggler," Capt. R. F. Hollett, will sail this evening bound to Oporto with 2910 qtls. codfish, from the firm of Bowring Bros. and James Baird. We wish the genial captain a quick passage and safe return. The David C. Ritcey arrived at Cadiz yesterday, 50 days out from Bahia. The schooner Stella II finished loading codfish last evening at the wharf of James Baird Limited for Pernambuco. The S. S. Seal arrived here last evening from North Sydney, with a cargo of coal to Crosbie and Company. The schooner J. F. Morton is loading general cargo at Campbell and Mackay's wharf for Brigus. The schooner Herbert Warren left here last evening for Bahia with a cargo of codfish from Bowring Brothers Limited.

Personal Mention.

Right Rev. Mons. McDermott left by the Digby to-day on a visit to Ireland. Captain Campbell, late A. D. C. to His Excellency the Governor, left to-day by the Digby for England. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Ayre and Miss Dorothy Ayre arrived here yesterday by the Digby. Commander MacDermott, Senior Naval Officer on this station for the last five years, left to-day by the Digby for England. Mr. P. C. Mars, wife and children, left by the Digby this morning for England.

McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, May 23, 1919. Do you suffer from sore inflamed eyes. Do your eyes ache in the evening? Do you have styes? If your eyes give you trouble obtain a bottle of Gault's Eye Water, and use it according to directions, and if we are not greatly mistaken, the trouble will, after a few applications disappear. Price 35c. a bottle. Best American Cabbage Seeds to be had from us—Succession, Early Jersey, Wakefield, Early Summer, Charleston Wakefield, Flat Dutch, etc.

Reids' Boats.

Argyle arrived Placentia 5.30 p. m. yesterday. Clyde left Musgrave Hr. 2.45 p. m. yesterday, coming south. Dundee arrived Seldom 2 p. m. yesterday. Elsie left Lark Hr. 3 p. m. yesterday, going north. Glechoe left Burgeo 1.30 p. m. yesterday, coming to Placentia. Home at Seldom. Kyle arrived Port aux Basques 6.30 a. m. to-day. Sagona arrived North Sydney 3.30 a. m. to-day. Petrol to have left Clarendville this morning.

Here and There.

SCHOONERS ARRIVE—A number of schooners from Bonavista Bay arrived here yesterday for supplies for the fishery.

Play "Beauty and the Beast" will be repeated Saturday, May 24th, at 3 p. m., Canon Wood Hall. Admission—Adults, 20c.; Children, 10c.—may23,19

LUMBER ARRIVING—Two vessels with lumber from Bonavista Bay have just arrived for B. Bowring, contractor. This makes the first lumber to come by vessel so far this year.

Owing to Saturday being a Holiday, the Stores will remain open on Friday until 9.30 p. m. IMPORTERS' ASSOCIATION, R. A. Templeton, Hon. Secretary.—may23,19

SALT SCARCITY—There is a scarcity of salt at present in the city, and some of the fishermen are experiencing difficulty in securing enough for their supply.

Apron Sale in Parish Room, Synod Hall, next Tuesday afternoon. The Women's Association will supply your needs in the Apron line, well made and of good material; also Candy and pantry dainties and delicious afternoon teas served.—m23,21

Enthusiastic Farewell.

Special to Evening Telegram. LAMALINE, Yesterday. Father Maher left here by Cabot at noon for Lawn. He was given by all classes a grand send-off. Motor skiffs and motor dories accompanied him on board steamer manned by officers and men of the Hot Name Society. JOHN COADY, H. N. S.

At the Majestic.

Special Chef to Disguise Billie Burke's Prunes. When asked whether he experienced any serious trouble in filming Billie Burke's Paramount picture, "The Mysterious Miss Terry," director J. Searle Dawley told the following anecdote: "It seems that Billie Burke as Miss Terry is a resident of a boarding-house where, as everyone knows," said Mr. Dawley, "people eat prunes daily with relish. Billie Burke having just returned from the Biltmore where she had lunched, found it impossible to accomplish the feat, and it was necessary to find a substitute for the prunes that would appeal to her epicurean palate as well as resemble the prunes in appearance. It was necessary to give the required 'boarding-house atmosphere.' This was done by flavoring a dish of extra quality California peaches with chocolate—a process known only to a most expensive French chef who had to be hired for the purpose." Aside from this, Director Dawley said he had had no difficulty.

Boy Scout Tournament.

Following is the Programme of the Scout Tournament and Field Sports in St. George's Hall, to be given by St. Troop Boy Scouts to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock: 1. Knot-tying. 2. Junior Baseball Throw. 3. Senior Baseball Throw. 4. Junior 100 yds. Dash. 5. Senior 100 yds. Dash. 6. Junior Broad Jump. 7. Senior Broad Jump. 8. Junior High Jump. 9. Senior High Jump. 10. Junior Three-legged Race. 11. Senior Three-legged Race. 12. Junior 1/2 Mile Run. 13. Senior 1/2 Mile Run. 14. Junior Potato Race. 15. Senior Potato Race. 16. Junior Relay Race. 17. Senior Relay Race. 18. Fire-lighting Contest. 19. Baseball, "A" and "B" Company. 20. Football Pines. 21. Line-up by Patrols. 22. Awarding of Prizes, Scout Law, Scout Yell. 23. "God Save the King." There will be a good afternoon's entertainment. Don't miss seeing the two funny clowns.

Here and There.

STORES OPEN TO-NIGHT—The stores will be open until 9.30 to-night, owing to to-morrow being a holiday.

When you want Sausages, why—get ELLIS'; they're the best. SMALLPOX AT BLAKETOWN.—Two cases of smallpox have been reported from Blaketown, T.B. Laughing the best nerve tonic. "Eliza comes to stay"—a laugh a minute.—may22,31 SCARLET FEVER AT WHITBOURNE.—One case of scarlet fever has been reported at Whitbourne. "Eliza comes to stay" in Casino Theatre, Empire night. may21,31 SMALLPOX AT HOPEALL.—One case of smallpox has been reported from Hopeall, T.B. Mrs. Ern Maunder will receive, at the home of her parents, 25 Gower Street, from 4 to 6 on Monday and Tuesday afternoons.—may23,19 DIANA COMING SOUTH.—The S.S. Diana left Greensport at 2.30 p. m. yesterday, coming south to St. John's. Lest you forget T. A. Band Dance starts at 10.15 to-night, in C. C. C. Hall; as hand programmes will be distributed, please bring pencil.—may23,19 WILL APPEAR MONDAY.—The Annual Report of the Longshoremen's Protective Union, a copy of which has been received, will appear in our columns on Monday, there not being sufficient space available to permit of its publication to-day. Don't miss the T. A. Band's Grand Annual Dance, C. C. C. Hall, Friday, May 23rd. Tickets, Double, \$1.60; Gent's, \$1.20; Lady's, 60 cents. Teas included. may21,21,w,f

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Schr. "Effie H."— 33 1918  
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NOTE OF THANKS.

It was the wish of our son, that after his death we publicly thank all those who in any way helped to add a ray of sunshine to his dark hours, especially Dr. Rendell and the young lady nurses who visited him, and who did everything that was humanly possible. We also wish to add our thanks for the floral tributes (the loved flowers), that were received by us from his many friends, after his death. Respectfully, W. C. and Mrs. Mauser. adv.

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cus as to the culprit, and his lordship gave "distasteful" replies. "He has much service, sir."

"What sort of service?" inquired His Majesty. "Dinner service, my lord," was the prompt reply.

POLICE COURT.—A 45-year-old laborer was fined \$5 or 10 days' imprisonment for being drunk. He was discharged.

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