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War News.

Messages Received Previous to 9 A.M.

OFFICIAL.

LONDON, Nov. 23. The Governor, Newfoundland: General French reports organized bombardment of hostile lines. A German aeroplane was captured, undamaged. No special news from Russia or Italy. Enemy advance in Serbia continues. BONAR LAW.

ASQUITH TO BE QUESTIONED.

LONDON, Nov. 23. The advisability of placing the French and British forces on the Western front under one commander, will be raised in the Commons tomorrow by Sir George Scott Robertson. Sir George has given notice that he will ask Asquith whether consideration has been given to the advantage which might be obtained by placing the land forces of the French and British under one supreme individual commander, as would be the case if the British and French Grand fleets were operating together.

LORD ST. DAVID'S ATTACK.

LONDON, Nov. 23. Strong denunciation is following upon Lord St. David's bitter attack in the Lords upon the general staff, several letters have appeared in the Times from such men as Lord Ruthven, Professor Morgan, Colonel Arthur Lee and Major-General Turner, remonstrating with indignation the serious charges made. The Daily Telegraph calls upon Lord St. David to retract his criticism, failing which the country will write him down as a calculator of a brave, hard-working body of officers.

FRENCH WAR OFFICE REPORT.

PARIS, Nov. 23. The French War Office, this afternoon, issued a report of the progress of hostilities as follows: There is nothing to add to our preceding communication. During Nov. 22, French aviators at various points on the front, took part in fights which resulted in our advantage. In Belgium

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two German aeroplanes were compelled by our aeroplanes to come to earth; in the region of Rheims two aviators pursued by us flew away. In the Champagne district and on the borders of the Argonne there have been five aerial engagements as a result of which three German aviators were compelled to come down suddenly within their own lines. A fourth was disabled and fell, and a fifth came down to the German lines in flames.

THE GREEK SITUATION.

LONDON, Nov. 23. No amplification of the Foreign Office statement is obtainable in official quarters. The universal deduction is that the Greek Government has satisfied the British demands as submitted by Kitchener. It is assumed that Greece has furnished guarantees of the safety of the Anglo-French expeditionary forces. It is believed the announcements from Athens concerning the commercial blockade of Greece were premature in that they presented the provisional intention of the Entente Allies as accomplished facts.

TALK OF RESIGNATION.

SALONIKA, Nov. 23. The resignation of Premier Skouloudis, of Greece, according to reports in circulation here, is expected momentarily on account of the difficulties between Greece and Great Britain.

NO BLOCKADE.

LONDON, Nov. 23. The Foreign Office states no Greek ships are being seized or held up in ports of the United Kingdom and that no blockade of Greek ports has been instituted or is in force.

WIPING THEM OUT.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23. A News Agency despatch from London says that ten thousand Bulgarians were killed and wounded in the fighting for Monastir. Bulgarian forces attacked the town on Saturday. Salonika's advisers say that it is learned here to-day for the first time, that the assault was repulsed. Repeated earlier reports were to the effect that the town had fallen.

BULGARIANS DEFEATED.

PARIS, Nov. 23. The defeat of the Bulgarians by the Serbians in a battle in Central Serbia was announced in the official communication given out by the Serbian Legation to-day. Five Bulgarian cannon were captured.

DANISH PROHIBITION.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 23. The Danish Government has prohibited the exportation of cotton goods and cases in the dry state.

HUNS AND PERSIANS.

BUSHIRE, Persia, Nov. 23. W. T. O'Connor, British Consul at Shirez, in the interior of Persia, about fifteen miles northeast of Bushire, and other members of the British Colony there, were arrested recently

at Shirez and taken to Borasjan, about twenty-five miles inland from Bushire, where they were detained. The women of the party, who have been released, have arrived at Bushire. They declared that gendarmes, alleged to be acting in collusion with Germans, deceived the Persian Government of the province, stating that war had been declared, and that they were acting under orders from Teheran.

OFFICIAL DENIAL.

LONDON, Nov. 23. Recently published despatches to the effect that in the fighting in Mesopotamia, a British monitor had been sunk in the Tigris River, were denied officially here to-day.

LANDING ON ALBANIAN TERRITORY.

LONDON, Nov. 23. Italian troops have begun landing on Albanian territory, according to a despatch to the Journal Suisse, forwarded by the Central News correspondent at Zurich.

KAISER'S PEACE OFFER.

LONDON, Nov. 23. A despatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Bern, says that there is declared to be undoubted foundation for the report that Emperor William will make an offer of peace through President Wilson, after the Emperor's state entry into Constantinople.

IN FEAR OF BOMB PLOTTERS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23. A Herald despatch from Washington says: In fear that bomb plotters may try to destroy railroad communication through Washington from the south to New York City, apparently to stop shipments of ammunition, a large force of guards are on duty in tunnels leading into Union Station and under the city.

GERMAN BAIT.

LONDON, Nov. 23. Restoration of temporal power to the Papacy, is the latest bait offered by the Germans to enlist sympathy for their cause. According to the Swiss correspondent of the Standard, Prince Von Buelow's recent visit to Switzerland was connected with a scheme for the restoration of the Papal sovereignty after the war. This would serve both as revenge upon Italy for her so-called "perfidy" to her former allies of the Triple Alliance, and would conciliate Catholics throughout the world.

Little Things.

Little horns of whiskey, little cups of beer, makes a gent feel frisky as a tall roan steer. For a little season he feels passing well, and he sees no reason why he shouldn't yell, then the peeler cart him to the village jail, and the judge will part him from his bunch of kale. If he has no money says the jurist, then, "Break some bonders, sonny, with the other men." There a while he'll languish young man in the hole, while green streaks of anguish sizzle through his soul. Little drops of bitters lend amusement brief, then will land poor critters in some kind of grief. If it isn't falling it is something worse; ask the woman wailing round that pauper hearse. Little steaming tod



Kidney Trouble?

The waste material which the Kidneys are intended to remove from the blood, if allowed to accumulate in the system, poison the blood and thus produce deleterious effects. If from over-work, exposure to cold, or some local injury, the kidneys become congested or inflamed and cannot perform their functions, the system becomes filled with uric poisons. Whenever a dull, heavy pain is felt over the region of the kidneys for any length of time, accompanied by a sallow complexion, loss of appetite, decrease of weight, and a puffy condition under the eyes and in the ankles, a chronic inflammation of the kidneys must be suspected, and if not relieved promptly chronic Bright's Disease will certainly develop. Abbey's Effervescent Salt, sold everywhere at 25c and 50c which is a Diuretic as well as an Aperient, will carry out of the system the poisonous material which the kidneys cannot get rid of, and will relieve the congestion of the kidneys. Sold Everywhere.

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"THE VANISHING JEWELS" is the third stirring instalment of the "EXPLOITS OF ELAINE"—WONDERFUL—THRILLING—SENSATIONAL.

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"The Return of Maurice Donnelly."

This powerful Vitaphone production affords the last word in thrills. Edgar Allan Poe never excelled the gripping, awe-inspiring power of the scenes during which Maurice Donnelly is electrocuted and then brought back to life. Leo Delaney, Leah Baird, Mary Maurice, are the principals.

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1ST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT HEADQUARTERS.

St. John's, Nov. 23, 1915.

Regimental Order.

By Lieut.-Col. Sir W. E. Davidson, K.C.M.G., Officer Commanding.

The Lieut.-Col. Commanding has approved the following promotions:

To be Captain—Lieut. Charles Wighton, to date from 17th October, 1915.

To be Second Lieuts.—Company Quartermaster Sergt. Act. Co. S.M., Leo C. Murphy; Sergeant, Act. Co. S.M., James Irvine; Sergeant Kenneth G. Goodyear, dating from 30th October, 1915.

Capt. A. Montgomerie to command "G" Company until December 15th.

GERALD W. AYRE, 2nd Lieut. and Act. Adjutant.

Under the provisions of Chapter 132 of the Consolidated Statutes of Newfoundland (Second Series), entitled, "Of the Solemnization of Marriage," His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to issue a License to Celebrate Marriage, at Cow Head and vicinity to Mr. Francis S. Skanes, J.P.

His Excellency the Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint Charles O'Neill Conroy, Esq., K.C., and Arthur Hiscock, Esq., to be a Court of Revision under Section 109, Cap. 6, 2 Edward VII., entitled "The St. John's Municipal Act, 1902," for the purpose of revising the Appraisalment of Property made under Section 107 of the said Chapter. Charles O'Neill Conroy, Esq., K.C., and Arthur Hiscock, Esq., to be a Court of Revision under Section 123 Cap. 6, 2 Edward VII., entitled "The St. John's Municipal Act, 1902," for the purpose of revising the Appraisalment of Vacant Lands made under Section 122 of the said Chapter; J. Alex. Winter, Esq., to be a Notary Public for the Colony; Mr. Joseph H. Moss (Salvage Bay), to be a Surveyor of Lumber; Messrs. Allan Hudson (Biscayan Cove), and William King (Bauline), to be members of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Pouch Cove, in place of Messrs. Allan Northworthy and Isaac King, retired; Mr. Charles F. Taylor, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Bell Island, in place of Mr. James L. Mews, retired; Mr. William J. Buryse, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Old Perlican, in place of Mr. Elias Strong, retired; Mr. John Pugh, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Heart's Content, in place of Mr. Robert J. Matthews, resigned; Mr. James Saint, to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Musgrave town, in place of Mr. Alfred Saint, retired; Rev. John T. Clarke (Cat Harbour), to be a member of the Methodist Board of Education for the District of Newtown, in place of Mr. Jonathan Parsons, retired.

Department of the Colonial Secretary, November 23, 1915.

She thrills to see you where these perils are. Oh, let her message be not least your pride—Her heart is warm for you this Christmastide. —H.W.

The Treasurer of the Christmas Gift Fund wishes to make it clearly understood through the press that it is quite impossible to enclose individual cards in each gift to men at the Dardanelles, R.N.R. men, or men at Ayr, as the gifts have been ordered by cable and will be forwarded direct from wholesale houses in London, but suggests that those wishing their contributions to go to special men, should convey their message and Christmas Greetings by letter direct to that man.

Look at a Child's Tongue When Cross, Feverish and Sick

Take no chances! Move poisons from liver and bowels at once.

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, and they become tightly packed, liver gets sluggish and stomach disordered. When cross, feverish, restless, see if tongue is coated, then give this delicious "fruit laxative." Children love it, and it can not cause injury. No difference what ails your little one— if full of cold, or a sore throat, diarrhoea, stomach-ache, bad breath, remember, a gentle "fruit" cleaning should always be the first treatment given. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are printed on each bottle. Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." We make no smaller size. Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

Here and There.

CANDY. — Delicious Home-Made Candy will be on sale at the Poultry Show on the 24th, 25th and 26th. Proceeds in aid of the W. P. A.

PRIZE DAY AT THE POULTRY SHOW, Friday, Nov. 26. Last chance to see this great Show, don't miss it. nov22,31,m,w,f

LEFT FOR OPORTO. — The schr. Wantanga, fish laden by Tessier & Co., sailed yesterday afternoon for Oporto.

BEOTHIC REPORTED. — The S.S. Beothic left North Sydney yesterday on her way to New York, thence proceeding to Archangel, Russia.

AMUSEMENTS.

CRESCENT PICTURE PALACE.

Mr. Dan Delmar sings a laughing song at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day, "I didn't know 'ill Afterwards" is a great comedy number. The Kaleem Company presents a two-act mining drama, "The Tragedy of Bear Mountain," all the scenes for this great picture are in the wild and woolly West, Edward Earle and Mabel Trumell features in an Edison drama "For the Man She Loved." A strong portrayal of Chinese cunning and intrigue is "The Mission of Mr. Foo." Lillian Walker features in a vivacious comedy, "The Captivation of the Mayor," this a great mid-week show don't miss seeing it.

EXPLOITS OF ELAINE AT NICKEL.

The programme at the Nickel Theatre to-day is a splendid one, even bet-

ter than last night's, and that is saying something. Nickel shows are always good, but to-day's is in a class by itself and everyone should make an effort to see it. The great attraction is of course "The Exploits of Elaine" which is the most attractive serial ever shown in this city, all lovers of the 'movies' are interested in this story and all pronounce it the best they have ever seen. To-night will be shown the Vanishing Jewels. The "Return of Maurice Donnelly" is the last word in thrills. Maurice is electrocuted and brought back to life. This is a wonderful film and none should miss it.

BRITISH THEATRE.

The mid-week programme at the popular British is well up to the usual standard of excellence. The Tray O' Hearts is being shown as an extra, and will be so continued until completion. The two-reel drama "For the People" is just what the name implies, showing the struggle that is everywhere going on between labor and capital. Other comedy pictures complete the remainder of this well balanced show. On Thursday night Mrs. Ayre will sing "For You Alone" Monday and Tuesday of next week will see the production of that great four-reel feature, Richellen. This great prelate and statesman ranked as the leading master mind of his day, and some of the most stirring scenes in the history of the French nation were enacted by him. A great subject and beautifully staged.

W. P. A.

Lady Davidson would like it to be understood that she is not at home on Wednesdays or Saturdays, and that positively no work will be received or given out on these two days.

Arrangements have now been made by cable to England for the W.P.A. Christmas Gift to our Soldiers in the Dardanelles and in Hospitals, for the men of the Newfoundland Royal Naval Reserve and for the Regiment at the Depot at Ayr. As far as we know at present the selection is as follows:

For the Dardanelles—A Plum Pudding, Chocolates, Raisins and Gingerbread.

For the Sailors—A Pouch in which he can put his letters, photographs or tobacco, with silver shield inscribed: "From Newfoundland, Christmas 1915."

For the men at Ayr—A rich fruit cake and a pound of chocolates.

A specially prepared Christmas card will be enclosed with each gift, and will have the following wording: Motto, "He serves me most who serves his country best"—A Gift from your Home Folk, Newfoundland, Christmas, 1915. Also the following poem, which was written for the card by special request: "True sons of your old Mother! When through all Her land the trumpet sounded, you gave heed Unto her summons and the higher call Of Empire and the great Imperial need. Across the deep she hails you! Well she knows You play her part. Herself removed far From shock of arms and fierce invading foes.

A Frightful Death! Suffocated In Asthma Attack

Every sufferer from asthma knows the terror, the abject remedies that overcomes them when struggling for breath. The old fashioned remedies may relieve, but never cure. Best results come from **Catarrhazone**, which cures asthma after hope is abandoned. It's because Catarrhazone kills the asthma germ that it cures. Choking spells and labored breathing are

relieved, suffocating sensations and loss of breath are cured. Every trace of asthma is driven from the system, and even old chronics experience immediate relief and lasting cure. Equally good for bronchitis, throat trouble and catarrh. The large one dollar outfit includes the inhaler and lasts two months, sold by all dealers or from the Catarrhazone Co., Kingston, Canada.

Here and There.

BRIDGE DESTROYED. — Inspector General Sullivan received a message from Sgt. Ryan, Trinity, last night, which read as follows: "Bridge at Hillview destroyed; am proceeding to investigate." Up to the present writing no further particulars have been received.

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POULTRY SHOW.—His Excellency the Governor will open the Poultry Show in the Prince's Rink at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The event promises to be a greater success than ever before, as there are more exhibits. The show will remain open for three days closing Friday night.

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CHARGED WITH MORE THEFTS. —As a result of the investigations of the police detectives, other charges of theft are preferred against the man O'Connell, who was arrested a few days ago on four different charges of larceny and is now on remand. He will be arraigned before the Magistrate on Saturday next.

Fads and Fashions.

Turbans take fantastic shapes; some of them are of velvet, so folded and turned as to resemble a huge bird. A very rich brocade or gold tissue is sometimes used for simple corselet bodices fashioned with plain tulle skirts. Broad silk and narrow soutache braids both play their respective roles on cloth suits and one-piece serge. Pockets are so fashionable, and so convenient for the little girl that her dresses should not be designed without them. There are so many pretty little soft hats for children any of which can be made by the mother who is apt with the needle.