

### Enjoyable Hallowe'en Sociable

The young Ladies Guild of St. Andrew's Church held a very enjoyable Hallowe'en sociable in the Presbyterial Hall last evening. The decorations were very pretty and appropriate to the occasion. It opened with a concert which all thoroughly enjoyed. Excellent vocal and instrumental selections were given by Mrs. King, Misses Mare, Strang, Shea, Hayward, Hanlon, Ryan; Pte. Green, L. Corp. J. Strang, Messrs. C. Trapnell, C. J. Fox, McIntosh, A. Bulley, J. Dewling, Williams and Young. The accompanists were Mrs. King and Miss Hayward, after which teas were served. A sale of work and candles was also held and the 'grab bag' was a great attraction and a good trade was done by the young ladies in charge. The proceeds go to the Church Fund and the fund for our disabled soldiers. Miss Robertson, the President of the Guild, and her associates are to be congratulated on the success of the sociable.

### 1ST. NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT HEADQUARTERS.

St. John's, Oct. 31st, 1916

**Regimental Order**  
By Colonel Sir W. E. Davidson, Commanding Officer.  
Extract from Daily Order, 11 Nfld. R. B. E. F., 16/9/16.  
(Received P. & R. Office, London, 6/10/16.)

592 Decoration: Extracts from Corps Routine Orders, 15/9/16.

III.—Under authority delegated by His Majesty the King, the General Officer Commanding-in-Chief has awarded the following Russian decoration:  
No. 1164. Pte. G. Phillips,  
First Bn. Nfld. Regiment, Medal of St. George, 3rd. Class.

J. J. O'GRADY,  
Captain and Adjutant.

### What's It All About?

(To the Editor.)

Dear Sir.—I notice in last night's "Telegram" a letter signed "P. J. K."—presumably Payson J. Kinsella.—referring to Water Street at night time. (Can anyone inform me, or the unfortunate readers of the "Telegram" what "P. J. K." is driving at. For ambiguity of expression, redundancy of cryptic utterances and profundity of idiotic reasoning this beats anything I've noticed in print in a generation.)  
If the policeman is a necessity at night, the fool-killer must be an indispensable when such as "P. J. K." is around.

LUMEN.

### FOUR RECRUITS COMING

The following message was received yesterday from Rev. Mr. Stenlake: EXPLOITS, Oct. 30.—"Held meeting Long Island Saturday night, four recruits. At Fogo to-morrow where Matthews joins us."

STENLAKE.

The volunteers yesterday had indoor drill, the weather being wet. They could not practice at the South Side range either, but a squad had practice in the Highlanders' armoury at night.

### OUR THEATRES

#### THE NICKEL

There is another big feature film at the Nickel theatre to-day, which is undoubtedly the finest story ever put on the screen here. Young and old will be pleased with the wonderful picture which is entitled "The Cave Man." It is a story of a coal heaver who comes under the influence of a beautiful woman who craves for excitement. The social beauty decides to amuse herself by attempting to win the uncouth cave man back to civilization and awaken a spark of mentality in his sleepy brain. Robert Edison plays the leading part as Hau-leck Smag, "The Cave Man," and he becomes a good tool in the hands of the girl. He profits by her instruction, his brain is awakened and he realizes his power. He learns to love her passionately and when he confesses it to her he is spurned. He invents a new process of manufacture and he becomes wealthy. Fate throws him in the path of the social beauty again, and there are some very cleverly acted scenes. Fay Wallace, Lillian Burns, George de Beck, Francis Connolly and John T. Kelly are also in the cast. All lovers of high-class pictures should make an effort to see this strange picture.

#### THE CRESCENT

Go to the Crescent Picture Palace to-day and see the big four reel Kalem star, and "A Safe Investment," a Vitagraph Drew comedy, featuring Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew. Professor McCarthy playing the latest and best music. Douglas J. Stewart, baritone, featuring the latest English song successes is coming to the Crescent in a few days.

#### MORE Nflds. WOUNDED

In the Canadian casualty lists published on Saturday last the names of two more Newfoundland soldiers are given. These are H. P. Grandy of Garnish and A. White of Victoria. It is likely that both young men enlisted at Sydney.

#### REID'S STEAMER REPORT

Argyle leaving Placentia to-day on Bay route.  
Clyde left Change Islands 10.20 a.m. yesterday outward.  
Dundee leaving Port Blandford to-day.  
Ethie leaving Humbermouth to-day.  
Glencoe left Port aux Basques 2.30 p.m. yesterday.  
Home arrived Lewisporte 5.30 p.m. yesterday.  
Neptune no report since leaving Smokey.  
Kyle due Port aux Basques this morning.  
Sagana north of Catalina.  
Meigs left Port aux Basques 10.45 p.m. yesterday.  
Wren no report since leaving Clarendville 30th.

#### TRAIN REPORT

Monday's No 1 arrived Port aux Basques 10.20 p.m. yesterday.  
Yesterday's No 1 left Millertown Junction 9.05 a.m.  
Yesterday's No 2 left Glenwood 7.30 a.m.  
To-day's No 2 leaving Port aux Basques after arrival of Kyle.

#### READ THE MAIL & ADVOCATE

### More Recruits Coming

Mr. W. B. Grieve, Chairman of the Recruiting Committee had the following message last evening from Lieut. Hicks:—

SELDOM COME BY, Oct. 30.—"I am sending 24 volunteers for army and navy by Prospero and others will follow shortly—Hynes, Connors, Connors, Starks, Elliott, Elliott, Spencer, Riggott, Moores, Simms, Decker, Norman, Decker, Batstone, Inder, Quiffin, Roberts, Cutler, Gillett, Nowhook, Gillespie, McLaughlan, Noble, Noble, Will hold meeting to-night Wesleyville. Captain Kean and Dr. Grenfell will also address the meeting. Prof. Edison going Newtown Tuesday night, Greenspond Wednesday night. Will report in person St. John's Nov. 4th."

HICKS.

#### POLICE COURT NEWS

Mr. Morris, K.C., J.P., presided to-day.  
A drunk in charge of a horse and a drunk and disorderly in another man's house were discharged, the case not being proven against the latter.  
A party who had no tail light to his motor car, alleged that he was told by a man whom he thought was a detective that he needed no such light. This was not taken as an excuse by the court who however under the circumstances wished to act leniently and the man was fined \$1 or 3 days.

#### WELL KNOWN WOMAN DEAD

The death occurred on Wednesday last at Wesleyville of Mrs. Bishop, mother of Mail Officer Bishop of the Prospero. Mrs. Bishop who had reached her 72nd year was a well known and respected resident of Wesleyville and leaves to mourn her 12 children—7 sons and 5 daughters. The youngest of the former, Jacob, has been in the naval service of the Empire since war broke out.

### OBITUARY

#### MR. JAMES HARVEY

There died yesterday at Bell Island a well known and esteemed resident of the place in the person of Mr. James Harvey, Mr. Harvey succumbed to an illness of short duration. The deceased was a trusted employee of the D.I. & S. Coy. on the island for many years acting as their mail officer. Mr. Harvey's wife had predeceased him some time as well as his brother, the late Mr. Peter Harvey. Left to mourn him are an aged mother, a brother, Mr. John Harvey, and several children to whom *The Mail and Advocate* expresses its sincere condolence.

#### WELL KNOWN HERE

Capt. Brown of the torpedoed S.S. Marina was well known in St. John's. He was here in the Tritonia when that ship was ice bound in this port and made many trips to Botwood and other places north. Many here will learn of the captain's death with great sorrow as he was a favorite with all who knew him.

#### TUG WAS HERE

The tug Vigilant which the public message reports lost at sea was in this port quite a while and left here for England at 9 p.m. on Sunday, the 22nd October, in company with a sister vessel, the Morain. Capt. Inch was her commander and she was owned by the Wiltensburg Coal Coy. of New York.

#### THE PORTIA SAILS

The Portia sailed west at 10 a.m. to-day, taking a full freight and those passengers:—J. Hicks, T. J. Murphy, J. Chafe, Rev. Elliott, G. P. Hann, Thos. Hann, A. Hellier, T. Bonnell, H. Hillier, Thos. Isaacs, O. Hickey, G. Lainer, R. Goff; Misses Baker, Jensen; Messdames Hicks, Lush, Elliott, Curtis and 25 steerage.

#### ILL OF BLOOD POISONING

An officer of the S.S. Ledaah now at the dock pier, named Gabriel Gabrielsen, was sent to hospital to-day ill of blood poisoning in the left hand. On the run here he was accidentally hit with a maul, had his thumb broken and since then blood poisoning set in.

No report of the Neptune from Labrador has been received since the 28th. October.

The schr. Archie Crowell arrived here yesterday from Halifax with a general cargo to Harvey & Co. after a run of four days.

### MARINA SANK QUICKLY; 50 OF CREW DROWNED

Several of the Crew Were Killed While Attempting to Get Into Boats—Ship Was Struck on Starboard Side—Terrific Explosion Followed—Crew Took Torpedo at First For a Fish

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Capt. Browne and about fifty of the crew of the British steamer Marina are reported by the Press Association to have been drowned when the vessel was sunk off the Irish coast, after having been torpedoed by a submarine Saturday last.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—A telegram received to-day from Crookhaven by United States Consul General says that among the survivors of the Marina who landed at Crookhaven are 16 Americans. One of them is Frank Howard Smith, veterinary surgeon. According to the telegram received by Mr. Skinner the ship was first struck amidships on the starboard side and a terrific explosion followed. The second struck the bow and the steamer went down almost immediately. Seven men were killed while attempting to get into the boats. Some of the sailors saw the wake of the torpedo, according to the advice, and until the ship was struck thought it was a fish.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Globe says: "Germany in her now sub campaign apparently has thrown to the winds all consideration for neutrals and such pitiful shreds of international law as she still professes to maintain. The Pall Mall Gazette says: "If the facts bear any resemblance to the first versions it is clear President Wilson will be confronted by an awkward dilemma." Referring to President Wilson's "strict accountability" note and his election appeal of having kept Americans out of war, the Pall Mall Gazette says: "Even his firmest supporters may feel some anxiety as to the possibility of reconciling his diplomatic notes with his election posters in the view of such an incident as this. Whether America has any real protection to confer upon her subjects at all is a question which the Marina case may carry to a final answer."

### Conscriptionists Look For Victory

MELBOURNE, Oct. 31.—The position of the conscription referendum is virtually unchanged, but its friends declare themselves hopeful that the final result will show a majority in their favour. The political situation seems certain to become complicated but developments in this respect are not expected until Premier Hughes returns shortly from Sydney. Warrants are being issued for the arrest of single men between the ages of 21 and 31 who failed to report under the compulsory training scheme.

### Germans Violently Bombard Rheims

PARIS, Oct. 31.—A system of German trenches north-west of Sailly Sailly on the Somme front was carried by the French last night, the War Office announced today. The French advanced as far as the Sailly Church. South of the Somme the Germans made repeated attacks between Blaches and the region south of La Maisonette. By means of their last attempt they obtained a footing in some of the Maisonette farm buildings. On the Verdun front artillery fighting was less severe near Douaumont, and there was no infantry action in that locality. Rheims was bombarded violently by the enemy and some civilians were killed.

### On the British Front in France

LONDON, Oct. 31.—A bulletin from the British headquarters in France, issued to-night, reads:—Our artillery and trench mortars bombarded the enemy's lines to-day in the neighbourhood of Hohenzollern and La Basee Canal. There was considerable hostile shelling against our front at Ypres area and Hebuterne, south of the Ancre, especially around Stuff and Schwaben redoubts and Regina trench. Otherwise there is nothing to report.

### Reprisals Against Russian Prisoners

LONDON, Oct. 31.—A Berlin dispatch forwarded by way of Amsterdam quotes the Norddeutsche Zeitung as saying that a number of Russian officers from the elite regiments of the Russian army forces have been placed in special prison camps in Germany under severe treatment, as reprisal for alleged ill-treatment of German war prisoners in Russia.

### Prospero Here From the North

The S.S. Prospero arrived here at 12.30 p.m. to-day from the North. The ship had fair weather on the run North and coming South except for yesterday when she had it stormy, with rain and a high sea. The ship was delayed 3 days at LaSole owing to the ship giving assistance to the stranded schooner "Bessie R." The freight was taken out of her by the Prospero and brought up to the bottom of White Bay. The Prospero brought a large cargo of fish oil, etc. There were among the passengers 25 Volunteers, who came from Nipper's, H. Fortune H. and Twillingate. Her passengers were:—

Messrs. J. Field, H. Maddock, C. Guy, H. Howell, C. Decker, J. Richards, T. Ricketts, H. Pearce, P. Brooks, N. Bishop, G. Bishop, J. Tiller, W. Tiller, S. Green, P. Hines, Capt. Hann, G. Gent, A. Rendell, T. Moore, J. Compton; Miss Simms, Brothors, Tremills, George, Roberts, Shea, Clark, Vincent, Burt, King, Tavenor, Grant (3), Batstone; Messdame Maddock, Richards, Olerhead, Simms, Brothors, Shea, Cave, Waterman, Bishop, Burt, Green, Bragg, Barry, Tavenor, Barts, Blunden and 117 steerage.

#### THE KYLE'S PASSENGERS.

The Kyle arrived at Basques at 7 this a.m. bringing H. J. McDougall, A. Payne, W. Ryan, C. and Mrs. Burton, C. Felroch, J. Hillman, Miss F. Curtis, Miss J. Halliburton, Miss A. Halliburton, Mrs. J. Waterfield, A. Steele, Mrs. W. H. Parsons, Mrs. Stanhope, Geo. Turner, W. C. Clarke, Mrs. M. Pike, A. and Mrs. Mews, P. McMullen, P. J. Hickey.

#### WONT MEET FIREMEN.

As far as we can hear from men of the Firemen's Union to-day they cannot arrange for a meeting with the owners of the steamboats. Repeated efforts have been made to arrange a meeting, but all have failed.

#### SHOWING AT LABRADOR.

Capt. Parsons wired the Reid Nfld. Co. to-day from Fishing Ships' Hr., saying that the wind yesterday was S. E. with thick snow.

### LOCAL ITEMS

The Florizel left New York for this port via Halifax at 1 p.m. yesterday with a full cargo.

Mr. Jno. Brien, who was saloon steward on the Stephano when she was sunk by a German submarine, has secured a position in a light ship at New York and is a steward on her.

The Pro Patria was expected to leave North Sydney to-day with a flour cargo for Tesser & Co. and this will be the last trip of the ship here for the season likely until the spring. She will run coal from Sydney to St. Pierre during the winter.

#### R. C. CHURCH NOTES

Shutters are being placed over the windows of the aisles in the Cathedral. To-day—All Saints Day—masses were said at the same hour as on Sunday.

At the 10 o'clock mass which was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Conway the Catholic volunteers, including some recruits, were present under Capt. O'Grady.

Candles for the altar will be received at the sacristy to-day and during the week.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock Vespers will be sung, followed by benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

To-morrow at 8.30 a.m. a High Mass of Requiem will be sung for the repose of the souls of all the faithful departed. On Friday morning a similar mass will be said for the deceased Bishops and Priests of the Archdiocese and Saturday morning for the benefactors of the Cathedral and St. Patrick's.

#### DEATHS.

LUSCOMBE—Killed in action Oct. 12th "somewhere in France", Corporal Herbert George, eldest son of Andrew and Emily Luscombe, 9 British Square, aged 21 years.

Not now but in the coming years, it may be in a better land, We'll read the memory of our tears And then some day we'll understand.

### OFFICIAL CASUALTY LIST FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Received 6 p.m. October 31st.

1647 Private Martin Williams, Springfield, Hall's Bay.—Previously reported by War Office, killed in action. Now reported admitted Wandsworth; gunshot wound in neck.

J. R. BENNETT,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### WILL IMPROVE LIGHTING

Yesterday evening some of the police were about the city informing storekeepers that in future instead of keeping their blinds down completely after dark they will be allowed to keep them up half way. Certain street lights are also to be lit and people in future will be able to get about at night with less danger of accident to themselves.

The schr. Nellie M. left here yesterday for Pernam with 4374 qtls. codfish from Job Bros. & Co.

### JUST ARRIVED

and selling at same price  
3,000 lbs.—14s.  
2,100 "—11s.

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### M. A. DUFFY,

Sole Agent.

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