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Evening Telegram

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WEDNESDAY, August 18, 1915.

The Troopship Tragedy

The news of the sinking of the Royal Edward filled with soldiers came as a shock to those of us whom the success of twelve months of transporting troops had inspired with much confidence. This shocking catastrophe shows the peril which some three quarters of a million men have been passing through unscathed the past twelve months, and it makes clear the risk by transportation is a very serious one. It undoubtedly sets forth the good fortune which had previously attended the transportation of soldiers from this side of the water to Great Britain, from New Zealand and Australia and India to Egypt, and from Egypt to France and the Dardanelles, and the vast number of soldiers which have been carried across the Channel from England to France. Twelve months exemption from serious loss, however, has been succeeded by a frightful catastrophe in the Aegean Sea. The circumstances of the catastrophe have not been disclosed at the time of writing, but it is to be hoped that they are such as will show the possibility of insuring better protection against this risk.

The marvel is that so many hundreds of transport trips have been accomplished without other disasters of like magnitude. The catastrophe will serve some purpose if it leads to increased efforts for safety. The transportation of troops must go on, and it will continue to go on in the Aegean Sea, where more and more troops must be landed on the Gallipoli peninsula, and more and more troops will have to cross different danger zones in the Mediterranean Sea. Efforts must be redoubled to bring the Balkan States into line, for the sooner this is done the quicker will Turkey be brought down and such catastrophes be averted. The intervention of Greece alone would add to the safety of these trips, as Greece is a maritime nation, as fortifies of Greek destroyers and other patrols could be added to the existing patrols in the Aegean Sea.

EXAMINING HOP BEER.—Within the past few days Detectives Byrne and Tobin have been busily engaged going around the city and taking hop beer samples which are now being analysed. Any of the stuff that contains more than two per cent of alcohol, as allowed by law, will be taken possession of by the police authorities and the owners of it brought to task.

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Serious Accident.

Young Man's Face Fearfully Sealed

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Sidney Cox, aged 20 years, now lies at the General Hospital with his face much disfigured as a result of an accident he met with yesterday afternoon. He was engaged with a young man named Tulk repairing the latter's boat at the breastwork near Clouston's fish premises and was using pitch to do the work. He was carrying a bucket full of boiling hot pitch in his right hand when in some unaccountable way he stumbled and then fell. He dropped on his side and the contents of the receptacle spilled into his face which was badly charred as a result, pieces of flesh being removed from both cheeks. The burning liquid also saturated the poor fellow's hair, a large portion of which was burnt off completely. He must have suffered awful agony and his moans could be heard quite a distance away. Several workmen nearby rushed to Cox's assistance and hurried him to hospital where he is now undergoing treatment.

Foreign Fish Market.

Demand Good For British Cures.

The following is an extract of a letter received by the Board of Trade showing the condition of the fish market at Oporto.
"Since our last circular demand has been fairly good, but chiefly for British cures. Norwegian cures are very difficult to sell at the price now demanded, but there is a considerable quantity of insufficiently cured fish in store, which is suffering from heat, and which must be sold at moderate prices.
Stocks—British, 5,750; Norwegian, 4,350.
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To-Day's Baseball.

Considerable interest is evinced in this afternoon's baseball match between the Red Lions and Cubs. Should the latter win they will virtually be champions whilst a defeat will put the Red Lions, Wanderers and Cubs on equal footing. Supporters of the youngsters are sanguine of carrying off the honours and Red Lion backers are equally confident of victory. The players and officials will be:
Cubs. Red Lions.
Simms Cooney
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Tessier Jenkins
Ryall Buckingham
Edens I. field
P. V. Chesman Capt. Montgomerie
P. E. Outerbridge W. J. O'Neill
Scorers.

Last Night's Storm.

The storm last night was severely felt for two hours. It was the first storm of its kind here for a considerable time past. The thunder was heavy and the lightning very vivid. The storm began to the westward yesterday afternoon and along the railway line was felt last night, as well as in St. John's. Considerable damage is reported and one fatality.

TO-DAY'S EXCURSION.—The regular excursion train to the Garden Party is being held.

Hr. Grace Notes.

Mr. Stephen Bray received the sad news yesterday of the death at Sydney of his son Munden. The body arrived by this afternoon's train and the funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

Several Lunenburg and local bankers have been in this week to go on dock for painting, &c., before going again to the fishing banks.

Miss Maggie Gorman met with a painful accident early yesterday morning. While scrubbing the floor a needle was picked up by the cloth, and in wringing the needle was forced into the palm of the hand. Dr. Cron was called and had to cut the needle out.

Another of our old and very highly respected citizens passed away on Wednesday in the person of Mr. Ambrose Barrett of Kitchen's Hill. Mr. Barrett was a carpenter by trade and had reached the age of 90 years. His funeral took place on Friday and was attended by the Orange Society, of which he was a member.

Mr. George B. Coffin and Mrs. Coffin of St. John's arrived by Saturday's early train on a week end visit to friends. Their daughter, Miss Marguerite, has been here for some weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Noseworthy, and intends remaining to the last of her holidays.

Mr. Arch Munn, who had been down the shore on business, arrived in town yesterday morning and spent the day with his brother, Mr. Dugald Munn and family.

The schr. Studlands arrived this morning with a load of lumber for the Horwood Lumber Co.

The K. E. Brigade held their annual grave decoration yesterday. A large number of the lads were in attendance and the evening's programme was in the hands of Mr. Albert Rogers, whose very heart is in the boys and brigade matters generally. After service the lads took a turn about town, stopping at the home of one of their comrades, Mr. Frank Morris, who lately returned from hospital, where he had been treated for a serious wound from a gun accident some months ago. The lads lined up by the house and sang "Praise God from whom all blessings flow." Very appropriate, we think.

CORRESPONDENT.

Harbor Grace, Aug. 16th, 1915.

Here and There.

LOADING SALT BULK.—The schr. Ramona is now at Bonne Bay loading salt bulk fish for Gloucester.

GOOD SIGN THIS MORNING.—There was a good sign of fish at Logy Bay and Outer Cove this morning and some small boats and liners at both got good fares, the fish being of a large size.

BELLAVENTURE TOWING BARGE.—The S. S. Bellaventure is on her way to Sydney from Port Nelson with a large in tow, making good progress, according to a wireless message received by Mr. A. J. Harvey from Capt. Taylor of that ship.

BASEBALL, WEDNESDAY, CUBS and RED LIONS, 3 P.M. ADMISSION 5c.

TORRABAY GARDEN PARTY.—The annual Garden Party in aid of the R. C. Church fund at Torrabay will take place this afternoon. Teas, ices and refreshments will be served by the youngsters in charge, and those who attend are assured an enjoyable time.

MEIGLE BACK.—The S. S. Meigle, Capt. Goobie, arrived at Harbor Grace at 3 p.m. yesterday having made all ports of call to Battle Harbor going and returning. Fine weather was experienced during the trip, and in a message to the Reid Nfld. Co. Capt. Goobie says there is nothing new to report.

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NO ROOM AT HOSPITAL.—At present there is no room at the General Hospital, especially for male patients, as one of the men's wards is now undergoing renovation. Unless it is an extremely urgent case will admittance to the institution be allowed. Therefore, intending outport patients should exercise their discretion accordingly before coming to St. John's.

DIED.

On July 27th, at 26 St. John's Park, N. London, Kate Agnes, aged 69 years widow of the late Aynsley Cook, of the Carl Rosa Opera Co., etc., and eldest daughter of the late Edward and Ellen Walsh and sister of Mr. P. A. Walsh (Locker H. M. Customs) and R. D. Walsh, of Bell Island.—R. I. P.

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OFFICIAL.

LONDON, Aug. 17. The Governor, Newfoundland, The British transport Royal Edward was sunk last Saturday by a submarine. Full particulars are not yet received, but known that about 600 were on board. The transport carried about 600 troops, and crew of 30. A German submarine shelled Haven and Cumberland coasts yesterday. No material damage was done, and there were no casualties.

The Russian Government has the enemy driven back in the Caucasus and the continued bombardment of Kovno.

The Italian Government has fresh progress in the Sistine in Carnia, and in the Montefalco district.

BONAR

ANOTHER LINER SUNK

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 17. Reports were brought over to the American Liner Merion, mentioned by the British Admiralty, troopship, sank by fire of German batteries at Dardanelles. The ship took out from Liverpool for the Indies a general cargo of foodstuffs and many soldiers, being totally a troopship.

NO NOTIFICATION ABOUT DIANS.

OTTAWA, Aug. 17. No notification so far has been received by the Militia Department from the Imperial Authorities of the capture of any Canadians on the Dardanelles. While it is generally believed detachments of Canadian being sent to the Dardanelles, known that several other troops are being sent.

THE FIGHTING IN FRANCE

PARIS, Aug. 17. A fairly spirited cannonading is going on in the front, notably Boesinghe and at Quenneville in Lorraine in the vicinity of court and Leingrey. There was fighting with hand grenades in the morning at Fontaine Auxcharmes at Haute Chaveuse. At this place the Germans came out of their trenches yesterday evening to deliver an attack but our troops drove them back to their lines.

PLEA FOR CONSCRIPTION

LONDON, Aug. 17. Colonel Arthur Lee, member of parliament, at home on short leave, told his constituents, when he was in the House of Commons this afternoon, that nothing so compulsory service would solve difficulties which Britain is now facing. This conviction he said was born in by his experience in front and was shared by many who had been in contact with realities of the war. He urged compulsory national service, he said, because nothing else could solve our difficulties, with regard to money, munitions and exports. He said that to hear our soldiers fighting abroad. The present front shirk and stay at home, while they give their lives to defend us, turn a deaf ear to the urgent one's country, is not what we stand by British freedom.

GERMAN SUCCESSES IN THE

BERLIN, Aug. 17. One of the outstanding features between the Niemen River and to the south of the main front has been captured by the German Three forts at Novo Georgievka have been captured.

RETURN FROM BERMUDA

HALIFAX, N.S., Aug. 17. The steamship Calcutta, here from Bermuda with the Canadian Regiment on board, have been reported as being the 28th battalion, and will be here and remain for some time before being sent abroad.

CROWN PRINCE'S PROPHET

GENEVA, Aug. 17. A correspondent of the Journal Suisse de Geneve on the Vosges states that an army order, issued by the German Crown Prince, was found on prisoners taken French, in which occurs the phrase: "We shall take, we take Verdun; then the war will be finished by December at the latest."

TO BE DECLARED CONTRA

LONDON, Aug. 17. It is believed in official circles the Cabinet at its meeting today will make a final decision on cotton contraband of war. It is longer denied that the Government intended to take this step. It is attributed to its desire to do formal consent of Britain's to this nation intends that the burden of responsibility for making declaration shall not fall on shoulders, which is felt to have been compelled to carry their share of blame for failure with neutral shipping. It is not the informal consent of European powers allied with has been secured. Another indication of the decision coming, was the postponement of a meeting set for to-day on the Government to make contraband.

RUSSIA STILL POWER

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 17. Warning was telegraphed to