



Evening Telegram

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The Problem of the War Criminals

In addition to the demand of the Allies for the extradition of the ex-Kaiser of Germany from Holland, in which country he took refuge prior to the completion of the armistice in November, 1918, there was a further demand made on Germany for the surrender of all those guilty of criminal offences against the law of nations during the progress of the war, the list of names comprising these containing nearly nine hundred. But Germany was no more inclined to hand over these for trial by Allied courts any more than was Holland willing to extradite the arch-criminal, and so a compromise was arranged, Germany agreeing as a alternative to extradition that all persons accused by the Allies be tried at Leipzig, this being compatible with Article 228 of the Peace Treaty. The Allies have agreed to abstain from intervention during the trials.

During the conduct of the negotiations, ending in the above agreement, were being put through, the centre of the diplomatic stage was taken by the ex-Crown Prince, who offered his precious carcass as a substitute for the German murderers whose surrender was demanded. Such an offer from such a character was considered to be the most grotesque of all little Willie's grotesque performances, for Willie, if only he had the sense to know it, is one of the most insignificant and mean, if not the least criminal of the whole abominable gang. Hence his offer was rejected.

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10 Barrels.
No. 1 SALT HERRING.

No. 1 Salt Fish.
Fresh Codfish.
Smoked Bloater.
Fresh Caplin.
Halibut.
No. 1 Tinned Salmon.
No. 1 Tinned Lobster.
Skipper Sardines.
"My Lady" Sardine Sandwich, 10c. tin.
Tomato Soup.
Smoked Salmon.

20 Cases
CREAM OF WHEAT.

KEILLER'S
MARMALADE, 4 lb. and
2 lb. tins.

10 cases FRESH EGGS.

200 Brace
FRESH RABBITS.

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(Next to Custom House.)

with derision and contempt, for had it been accepted there is no doubt that W. Hohenzollern, junior, would have made a hasty escape to some far off place of his own selection, without waiting for those who would have been sent to fetch him. William the younger may be considered outside the pale of negotiations. As an example of criminality he is but what birth made him. There are others more badly wanted than he, and their trials in Leipzig will be closely watched, the personnel of the court carefully noted, and the sentences—if any—scrupulously weighed against their crimes.

It is better for all concerned, perhaps, that the Powers have accepted the offer of the German Government, though regrets have been expressed that there should have been a suspension of more severe steps. The black listed military scoundrels were, and are, both prominent and powerful, and any attempt to round them up might have precipitated reactionary disorders in Germany, and the overthrow of the present form of administration, with the letting in of anarchy which would have caused serious injury not only to Europe, but to countries without its boundaries. The trials have to be conducted openly and in accordance with conditions specified by the Allies. The evidence has to be accurately reported and made universally public. The Powers reserve to themselves the right of overruling and declaring void any unfairness or impropriety and of rendering null the actions of the court in the event of any such occurring. The meaning of it all is that the Germans are being given both time and opportunity to show whether or not they are capable under changed conditions, of acting in good faith. Any untrustworthiness displayed will bring proceedings to an abrupt conclusion and the original terms of the treaty will be invoked and enforced. Should there be any miscarriage of justice or a departure from honorable dealing, the Powers will be at liberty to exercise their ample and original treaty rights and to insist on the handing over of the German war criminals for proper trial and punishment.

St. George's Coal Fields.

Recent advices from the scene of operations on the St. George's Coal Fields, Ltd., reports that tunnelling work now in progress on the Howley Seam, located on the Robinson River, is giving highly satisfactory results. As the work advances the quality and quantity of coal improves considerably, in fact the Company feels that when testing work is finished on this seam it will be in no way inferior, either in quantity or quality, to the now celebrated Jukes Seam, which was opened up a year ago.

This welcome news should offer great encouragement to the investing public, who are given an opportunity to aid in the development of a local enterprise, which not only promises ample returns to investors, but much to the economic future of the country. The coal we are receiving from outside sources to-day is not to be compared to that which is laying dormant in the vicinity of Barachois, Robinson's and Fischel's Rivers, and it is now an established fact that there is coal in these localities superior to anything that has been imported into this country for the past number of years.

Shipping Notes.

The Gaspe has cleared for Bahia with 5,487 qts. codfish from James Baird, Ltd.

S.S. Thetis sailed north this morning to bring up a number of sealers. Schr. Evelyn has been loaded with 6,091 qts. codfish from Bowring Bros. Ltd. and is now ready to sail for Bahia.

Schr. Madeline Constance sailed yesterday for Bahia, fish laden by Job Bros. & Co.

S.S. Prospero hauled to Bowring's north side, premises to-day where she will load freight for the westward.

HAD TO PUT BACK.—The tug Ingraham, towing the schr. Bernard B. Conrad, had to put back to port yesterday owing to heavy seas running. The Bernard B. Conrad is loaded with coal for Carbonear and has been here this some time past.

Purim.

March 3, 4, 5, in the Jewish Calendar, mark the feasts of Esther, Purim and Shurban Purim, respectively, these being festivals of the late Jews celebrated in honor of the deliverance from the schemes of Haman, recorded in the Book of Esther. These feasts fall on the 13th, 14th and 15th of the month Adar, and are in accordance with Esther IX, 22 of a joyous character, but quite secular in tone, the only quasi-religious features being the reading in the Synagogue of the Book of Esther and the section about Amalek in Exodus XVII, 8 and following verses. The celebrations noted appear to have made way amongst the Jews but, gradually, though according to Josephus, they were generally observed in his day in all parts of the Jewish world.

Personal.

Mr. I. C. Morris returned yesterday, after an extended visit to the States. Mr. C. F. Board, representing the National Cash Register Co., arrived in town yesterday.

Mr. W. Jocelyn returned from a business trip to the States yesterday. Mr. P. Prunty and two daughters returned yesterday, after a visit to New York.

Mr. A. Ledingham was a passenger from New York by the Rosalind.

Capt. J. H. Snow returned yesterday by the Rosalind.

Mr. Percy Fearn, who had been on a business trip to the States, returned yesterday.

Sisters Phillipa, Bridget and Mercedes arrived by the Rosalind from New York.

Mr. W. J. Lawrence, chauffeur with Sir E. R. Bowring, arrived here yesterday by the Rosalind.

Mr. Rob Stick, who has been suffering from a severe attack of la grippe, is now improving and is expected to be about in a few days.

Miss Flossie Rowe of the Cable Staff, Heart's Content, arrived in the city yesterday on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. L. Rose, of Lime Street.

Capt. and Mrs. J. F. Campbell are leaving by the Rosalind for Halifax and after spending a few days in Canada, will take passage for their home in the Old Country.

Mr. Charles Fox, son of Mr. John Fox, of H. M. Customs, and brother of Mr. C. J. Fox, M.H.A., has passed his third year medical exams at McGill University, with brilliant success. His many friends here will be glad to hear of his success.

Mr. T. T. Cartwright, manager for G. W. Gillett & Co. Ltd., who was hurt, falling from an accident, received in Halifax and was confined to his hotel for several days, arrived by the Rosalind yesterday.

Capt. Christopher Riley, M.C., Coldstream Guards, who was A.D.C. to Sir Walter Davidson, and subsequently to Sir Geoffrey Fielding in France, intends visiting Newfoundland later in the year for some fishing and shooting.

Here and There.

DIANA AT LOUISBURG.—Baird's Diana arrived at Louisburg yesterday morning.

DR. A. F. PERKINS, Dentist, has resumed practice.

ROSALIND'S BIGGEST CARGO.—The cargo brought by the Rosalind yesterday was the biggest handled by her since taking up the service.

Large barrels of Norwegian Herring for only \$7.00 per barrel at BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.—Feb 25, 11

AT THE BALSAM.—The following are guests at Balsam Place: Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Norris, City; G. S. Penney and wife, Ramea.

Stafford's Phorator for all kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles. Price 35c. bot.

WORKING HOUR CHANGED.—Workmen along the waterfront turned out at 6 o'clock this morning; during the winter months work began at 7 a.m.

Tickets for to-night's performance of "The Wrong Mr. Wright" will be on sale this afternoon at the Casino.—mar 3, 11

OPORTO MESSAGE.—A message to the Board of Trade yesterday stated the schooner Lady St. John, Triton and Smuggler had entered at Oporto, and the Little Princess was outside the port.

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ENQUIRY CLOSED.—In the enquiry into the death of Thomas Smith, of Carbonear, held yesterday before Justice McCarthy, the evidence of Mr. Murphy, boatswain of the s.s. Ranger, was taken. The enquiry is now closed, all the evidence being submitted.

For Colds, Grip or Influenza and as a Preventative, take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Look for E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.—Feb 12, 11

Successful Repetition.

Another capacity house greeted the second performance of "The Wrong Mr. Wright" at the Casino last night and judging from the applause given was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The presentation is without doubt one of the best ever staged by our local amateurs. The acting of the different members of the cast was, if anything, better than on the first night. The play will be repeated to-night and to-morrow night and we would advise those who have not seen this excellent production to secure their tickets as quickly as possible. The curtain will rise to-night at 8.45 but on to-morrow night at the usual time 8.15. A special feature of to-night's performance will be a dance by the Mount Cashel boys.

To-Night's Reception to S. A. Officers.

A public welcome will be extended Colonel and Mrs. Martin, the new Salvation Army Territorial Commanders of Newfoundland, who arrived yesterday from England via Halifax by the Rosalind. At 8 o'clock the Governor will take the chair and on the platform will be prominent citizens of Church and State.

Missionary Society Meeting.

The St. Thomas's Women's Home Missionary Society held its weekly Intercession Service at 10.30 this morning. This afternoon at 3 o'clock the regular monthly meeting will be held when Mrs. Eugene Lindsay will address the meeting on the work and aims of the Society.

English Church Notes.

The Rev. S. S. Skene, who recently resigned the vicarage of Langham, Bedford, has no less than eight sons in the ministry of the Church.

The Lower House of the Convocation of Canterbury decided not to allow women to take a more active part in the public services of the Church.

The Vicar of St. Mark's, Lewisham, the Rev. E. Noel Mellish, V.C., who was the first clergyman to win the V.C. in the war, has been awarded the Military Cross in addition to his V.C.

"L'Archeveque Canterbury Londres," eventually reached the Archbishop of Canterbury with the words inscribed on it, "Not known at the Canterbury Music Hall."

The Bishop of Gloucester has appointed the Rev. C. H. Riddale, Canon Missioner of the Diocese from 1909 to 1916, to be Archdeacon of Gloucester in the place of Ven. W. Hobhouse, who has resigned.

The Very Rev. Dean Swayne was consecrated Bishop of Lincoln in Westminster Abbey on the Feast of the Epiphany. The Archbishop of Canterbury was assisted by eleven Bishops. Prebendary Cronshaw, Rector of St. James, Piccadilly, preached the sermon.

The Rev. Prebendary F. S. Webster, Rector of All Souls', Langham Place, London, was recently knocked down by a motor car and killed in the streets of London. At the funeral service the Rev. S. A. Selwyn, late Rector of the Church of the Messiah, Toronto, gave a brief address.

McMurdo's Store News.

WEDNESDAY, March 3, 1920.
Does your scalp begin to be "wear-in" thin and bare? In that case 'tis well worth while to procure a bottle of McMurdo's Quinine Hair Tonic, and try what that will do for you. Unless the hair follicles are destroyed this tonic will stimulate the growth of new hair, revitalize it, and make it smooth and shiny. For this hair tonic is a good dressing as well. Price 60c. a bottle.

We have a few dainty little mirrors with celluloid or French Ivory backs, that make an attractive gift for a lady friend. Many people prefer these mirrors to any other kind of hand or toilet mirrors. Reasonable prices.

Inter-Collegiate Game Postponed.

The management of the Rink decided yesterday that it would be best not to have any game played until the City vs. Visitor games should take place, consequently the inter-collegiate game between the St. Bon's and Collegians, which was scheduled for yesterday morning, was postponed.

NOTE OF THANKS.—The Managing Committee of the C. C. C. wish to express their thanks publicly to the Ladies' Committee, the performers at the Concert and to the generous donors of Cake, Ice Cream, etc., all of whom contributed so materially to make the "At Home" of 1920 such a financial as well as a social success.—mar 3, 11

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HENRY BLAIR

POLICE COURT.—For not stopping his team while passengers were getting on board the street car at Adelaide Street, a young man was fined \$5, or ten days; two boys for disorderly conduct on the street, were fined \$5 each or 10 days in gaol.

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