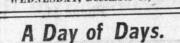


Evening Telegram W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor



On Saturday, December 7th, Britain-Day in the United States, a message

paying a tribute to Anglo-Saxon friendship and honoring Britain's glorious part in the Great War. All

places of public assembly, the people united in doing honor to the Mother sage, in praise of Britain and Britof the World, is an inspiring one.

the lesson of experience the American people have learned one thing, it is that obligations are paramount to right: and, in the light of this sentiment, Americans everywhere to-day are celebrating Britain's achievements for civilization, and publicly acknowledging their debt to the people of the Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the self-governing dominions overseas. To all of them-England, Australia, New Zealand, Newfoundland, British South Africa, Indiawe pay homage for splendid serduty done in a spirit of self-sacrifice, which forms one of the most

of the British Army and Navy, ranks and your men for their quick response to my call and their efficient work in chief. The venerable Chauncey M handling and extinguishing what Depew. President of the Society, pro might have been a very serious fire on Cochrane Street on Saturday last. posed the toast to the President of the United States and then to His Your brigade is a credit to the city and as a slight appreciation of thei Majesty King George, standing as he valuable services. I enclose you heredid so under the entwined colors of with cheque for fifty dollars.

the Union Jack and the Stars and Yours sincerely Strines Amid scenes of the greates GEO. SOMERVILLE. enthusiasm the toast was drunk by

St. John's, Dec. 18, '18. the five hundred pilgrims and thei Dear Sir .- On behalf of the memguests, and a repetition followed the

bers of the Fire Brigade Department reading of the cable sent by the Righ beg to thank you very sincerely for Hon. A. J. Balfour, conveying the yours of the 16th inst., with enclosure thanks of the British Government for of \$50.00, as an appreciation of the services rendered by them at the fire to quote the exac' words. "this cour

58 Cochrane St., City.

in the dwelling house adjoining your residence on Cochrane Street, on the teous expression of friendship." Mr. Depew in his address referred vening of Saturday last to the hundred years of peace which It is a great pleasure to me as Head had existed between Great Britain of the Department to know of your and the United States, and also to very high opinion of the Brigade, for

which we all are very grateful. the statesmen of both countries whose Yours sincerely. CHAS. H. HUTCHINGS. life work had been the consumma Inspector General Const'b'y tion of this happy state of affairs George Somerville, Esc.

Among other matters he said that one of the most difficult problems befor the Peace Conference will be the for mation of a League of Nations. "But, my friends," he declared in ringing tones, "there is a league of nations that belt the globe and one that is allpowerful. It is a league held togeth-

"A man who was visiting his lawyer er without formal treaties or allifor the purpose of making his will, inances. It is a league of common sisted that a final request be attachideals, the same apprehension and ed to the document. The request was practice of liberty and law, the same that his car be buried with him after determination to maintain and defend he died. The lawyer tried to poohhumanity, right and justice. It is a pooh the strange request, but all in league brought together as never bevain. 'Look here, old fellow,' he finfore by common sacrifices, common ally said, 'tell me why you want your sufferings, common victories. It is car buried with you?" 'Because I have the league of the English speaking the league of the English speaking peoples of the world." Five thous-and people assembled at the New and people assembled at the New reply."-dec18,1i

York Hippodrome on Sunday, the second and last day of the celebration the great auditorium being canopied with British and American flags. Messages from His Majesty, the Prime Minister, Mr. Asquith, Mr. Balfour, Field Marshal Haig, Admirals Beatty and Jellicoe and other prominent personages were read. Mr. Charles E. Hughes, New York's eminent lawyer, was the orator on this occasion, the theme of his address being "Our Debt to England." Other speakers included Hon. Alton B. Parker. The generous tribute accorded the Mother Country in the addresses of both these and the other speakers, and the response to the celebrations given by the American people, is at once gratifying and welcome. It is furthermore a pledge of continued friendship and good will. It is the reunion, spiritually and morally, of the nations speaking the English language, a reunion which has been brought about by comradeship in arms and service nanity, and in that happy rethere is the surest and most

Co. of New York.-Several witnesses were called, and after their evidence had been given, Mr. L. E. Emerson Counsel for the defendant asks for the dismissal of the action. The court took recess until 2.30 this afternoon.

Reids Boats.

Argyle left Baine Hr. 11 a.m. yes Clyde left Joe Batt's Arm 11.30 a.m. esterday. leaving Lewisporte to-day Dundee Ethie at Humbermouth.

Glencoe due at Port aux Basques o-day. Home left Lewisporte 4.20 p.m. yeserday.

.m. yesterday. Meigle at North Sydney. Sagona at St. John's. Petrel left Britannia 4.20 p.m. yes terday.

Fogota left Rose Blanche 2 p.m. esterday, coming east. Train Notes.

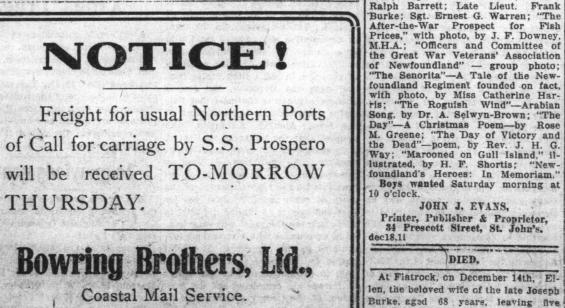
Monday's west bound express ar-rived at Port aux Basques at 7.55 a.m Yesterday's west bound express left lorris's Arm at 8.40 a.m.

Bury Me With My Buick." Yesterday's east bound left Alexan er Bay at 8.55 a.m. To-day's west bound express leaving Port aux Basques after arrival

of Glencoe.

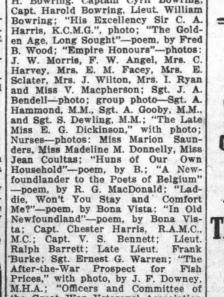
Shipping News.

The schr. Cambrai, 10 days out from Pictou, arrived here last night with a cargo of coal. The S.S. Adolph arrived from New smooth and uneventful trip.



The Nfld. Quarterly" Orange Bowls, 85c.; Berry Bowls, 26c.; Salvers, 45c. and 55c. CHRISTMAS NUMBER. Established 1901; 71st edition; the oldest general magazine published in the Dominion will be issued Satur-day, December 21, and for sale at all the Bookstores and Agents in the Outports at 20 cents per copy. Sub-scriptions, 80 cents per copy. Sub-scription, except Canada. Foreign Sub-scription, except Canada. 90 cents. CONTENTS: — Front Cover, "The Redeemer"; "The Story of the Crib," illustrated, by Rt. Rev. M. F. Power; "Dreamin' Chris'mus"—poem. by P. Florence Miller; "How the U-77 Strafed St. John's," with photo, by Rev. Dr. Bond; "A Triumphant Vic-tory," with photo, by Dr. Arthur Sel-wyn-Brown; "The Prime Minister of Newfoundland in France," illustra-tions; "Newfoundland's Part in the war," illustrated, by Dr. Arthur Sel-wyn-Brown; "The New High Commiskyle left Port aux Basques 11.30 Rev. Dr. Bond; "A Triumphant Vic no vesterday.

wyn-Brown; "The New High Commis-sioner-Hon. Sir Edgar Bowring." with photo; "Hon. D. A. Ryan," with "The Bowrings in the War, photo: with photos of the late Major Frank H. Bowring. Captain Cyril Bowring



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