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Evening Telegram
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FRIDAY, July 16, 1915.

The Seizure of the Sayville Plant.

American newspapers just to hand, set forth in some details the reason why their Government has taken over the big wireless plant at Sayville. It appears that the Hague Conventions make it an unneutral act to permit the construction by belligerents of wireless stations on neutral territory after a declaration of war. This station is on neutral territory as it is in America, and America is at peace with all the belligerents. It is a station constructed by a belligerent, as it is held to be German owned and operated, and in part at least under the control of the German Government. The grounds for this decision are based on the advice of Mr. William C. Redfield, Secretary of Commerce, which were concurred in by Mr. Robert Lansing, Secretary of State, and a joint recommendation sent to President Wilson, who accepted it. The reasons for the recommendations are as follows:

1. The Company operating the station is the Atlantic Communication Company, of which Mr. H. A. Metz is President, and Dr. K. G. Franck is Secretary and Treasurer. The Company is owned by the Telefunken Company of Germany, which is in itself owned by Siemens and Halske Company and the Allgemeine Electricitatz Gesellschaft of Germany. These two last companies control all German electrical interests. Dr. Franck is the representative in New York of the Siemens Electrical Companies.

These German interests own the entire stock of the Atlantic Communication Company, save a few shares sufficient for Mr. Herman A. Metz to qualify as president. The latter is the representative in the United States of German dyestuff interests.

2. All German stations are managed by German Government departments. Each station is duplex; the military side being controlled by the military authorities and the commercial side by the German Imperial Post Office. The Sayville apparatus is made to communicate directly with German stations, so controlled.

3. Professor J. Zenneck is employed as a wireless electrician at Sayville. He is a captain of marines in the Ger-

pende largely on the efficient operation of the Sayville station.

"It therefore respectfully suggests for consideration whether equity to all concerned would not best be secured by having the Navy Department of the United States operate the Sayville station, turning over the fiscal proceeds of such operation to its owners and securing them and the government of the United States, alike, against all question of improper use while providing for both the valuable service which this station is fitted to render."

On this recommendation, President Wilson acted and the German Sayville station was taken over by the American Navy, and the danger of the station being used as a means of directing German submarines on this side of the Atlantic will be largely obviated.

Send your subscription to the Aeroplane Fund to Mr. J. A. Clift, Treasurer. \$25,000 wanted by August 4th. C. R. STEER, Sec. Mt. Cashel Baseball.

The Baseball League met last night and decided that the preliminary games in the Mount Cashel series will be played next week at the St. Bon's grounds on the knock-out system. The schedule is:

Monday—Wanderers vs. B.I.S.
Thursday—Red Lion vs. Shamrock.
Friday—Cubs vs. winners of first game.

The proceeds will go to the Garden Party funds.

Only 20 Ships Sunk in 20,000 Sailings.

Liverpool Steamship Man Points Out Remarkable Record Despite Submarines.

London, July 16.—Nearly 20,000 vessels have entered or left the port of Liverpool since the German submarine blockade began. This, said Sir A. Norman Hill, Secretary of the Liverpool Steamship Owners' Association, speaking at Liverpool, showed that the Germans had failed in their attempt to blockade British ports.

On these 20,000 voyages the Germans had captured or destroyed only twenty-nine ships, he continued. What did that represent? Ships which had sailed in and out of Liverpool had completed safely 998 out of every 1,000 voyages upon which they started. "That was a magnificent record, he held, of perils faced and overcome."

The Tragedy's Lesson.

London Daily Mail.—It is not a tragedy that the richest nation in the world, nearly a year after this and many other warnings, should have allowed its men to be so terribly handicapped as our soldiers have been? The blunder is being remedied at last now that the war is nearly a year old. Every man and every woman in every ammunition factory should be warned that a few seconds saved in the making of shell cylinders and machine-gun parts mean a life, perhaps the life of a friend. Every high-explosive shell and every machine gun that can be purchased from any neutral willing to supply us should be bought at once.

Prospero Off.

The s.s. Prospero sailed to-day for northern ports, taking a full freight and as passengers in saloon: M. Holt, W. Rockett, W. Adams, Rev. Wilkinson, Rev. Francis, M. Hilliard, W. Rowe, Dr. Smith, Rev. Eddy, Const. Blundon, A. Findlater, T. Noel, P. Mars, W. B. Griffin, H. Finlay, J. Burden, C. White, Dr. Johnson, F. Fancie, F. Bainer, Sergt. March, Sergt. White, A. Harvey, J. D. Havermale, W. S. Martin, Miss Howlett, Miss McElderry, Miss Millhouse, Miss Oke, Miss Smeeton, Miss Randell, Miss Torrie, Miss Goodridge, Miss Lawton, Miss McNeil, Miss Spencer, Miss Miles, Miss Godden (2), Miss Ball; Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. Oltman, Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Brett, Mrs. Blundon, Mrs. Havermale and 40 steerage.

Reids' Boats.

The Argyle sails from Placentia this afternoon on the Merashoon route. The Clyde left Botwood at 5.20 p.m. yesterday, outward.

The Dundee left Port Blandford at 2.50 a.m. to-day.

The Ethie left Clarendville at 4 a.m. to-day.

The Glencoe left Placentia at 11.40 p.m. yesterday.

The Home leaves Lewisporte to-day.

The Erik is north of Battle Harbor. The Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.10 a.m. to-day.

The Meigle left Humbermouth at 6 p.m. yesterday.

The Sagona is north of Battle Harbor.

MADE LANCE-CORPORAL.—James Thomas Huestis, son of George Huestis, Torbay, who enlisted in the Canadian Mounted Rifles, B. Squadron, which is in training at Valcartier, has been promoted to Lance-Corporal.

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Here and There.

PIT-PROP CARGO.—The s.s. Othello left Musgrave town yesterday for Cardiff with 2,800 cords of pit-props.

CLEARED FOR GIBRALTAR.—The s.s. Little Mystery has cleared from Rose Blanche for Gibraltar with 2,933 qts. of fish.

WEATHER.—A light N.E. wind prevails along the line of railway to-day, with the temperature ranging from 45 to 57 above.

Ask your Grocer for Mapleton's Peanut Butter. Made in England.—jly8, eod, tf

MATCH POSTPONED.—The St. Andrew's and C. E. I. Fiddians did not play last evening's football match owing to the disagreeable weather.

Stafford's Prescription "A" cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Catarrh of the Stomach and Nervous Dyspepsia.—jly12, tf

TO-DAY'S FISHERY REPORT.—King's Cove traps 3 to 10 fish. Yesterday, stormy to-day, no fishermen operating. Lamaline, no report of fish to-day.

SAFETY RAZOR.—We are Sole Nfd. Agent for the Giant Junior Safety Razors—50c. with 7 blades. CHESLEY WOODS, 283 Duckworth Street.—may28, tf

POLICE COURT.—Four drunks were discharged; two boys, aged 12 and 13, respectively, loose and disorderly persons, were remanded; a foreign seaman for indecent exposure, was fined \$10 or 30 days.

OUTPORT FRIENDS and Customers will please note our new address. No. 282, Duckworth Street. We have vacated our old premises 140 Water Street. CHESLEY WOODS.—may3, tf

FURTHER REMANDED.—Two laborers who were arrested, and remanded on a charge of breaking into and stealing from the post office at Clarendville, was before court again to-day and further remanded.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.—St. George's Field, 7 p.m., B. I. S. vs. Star. Admission 5 cents; ladies free; Grand Stand 5 cents extra.—jly16, li

OFFICERS RETURNING.—Sergts. White, of Catalina, and March, of Old Perlican, who brought inmates to the Penitentiary and Lunatic Asylum, respectively, left again by the Prospero to-day for their stations.

The Annual Garden Party in aid of R. C. Parish of Topsall will be held on Aug. 4th next, and will afford the people of St. John's a grand opportunity of enjoying Regatta Day.—jly16, li

YOUTHFUL VAGRANTS.—Two young lads were found sleeping in a packing case near the rear of the S. A. Citadel this morning. They were taken to the police station by the night watch as they had no home. They were before the magistrate to-day and were remanded, while the authorities are enquiring into their circumstances.

SAILS THIS EVENING.—The s.s. Fogota, Capt. Dalton, is expected to get away for the northward at six o'clock this evening. She taken a full freight and the following passengers: Mrs. A. B. Walker, Miss M. B. Way, Rev. J. T. Clarke, Mrs. Blundon, Mrs. P. Malone, Miss M. Sainsbury, Rev. George Wilkinson, Mrs. N. Walsh, Mrs. J. T. Walsh.



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DIED.
Yesterday at Signal Hill Hospital, Robert Stringer.

MARRIED.
On July 15th, at the Manse, Florence Marjorie Mackenzie, daughter of Mrs. Mackenzie, of this city, and the late Alexander Mackenzie, of Inverness, Scotland, to Donald Nicholson, Durness, Scotland.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

THE CIRCUS.

By **GEORGE FITCH.**
Author of "At Good Old St. John's"

A circus consists of two weeks of excitement on the billboards and two hours of thrill on a hard pine seat. Circuses are enormous in extent, covering many acres with canvas and making one night stands with their two thousand employees as easily as a European army of a million men canters across the country. Magazine writers used to spend a good deal of time describing the marvels of organization which enabled a circus company to eat its meals regularly in a tent, but since last August this hasn't astonished the world as much as it did formerly.

The circus consists of a "main top" a menagerie and a side show. The "main top" contains three rings in which athletes display new and startling feats and clothes. This tent which is as large as a Belgian farm, also contains two platforms and a hippodrome track, to say nothing of 3 bands, 76 clowns and 987 neopung sellers.

The menagerie is a large collection of immigrant animals, most of them homesick. The menagerie is very educational and allows us to become intimately acquainted with the lion and the tiger without getting mixed up with them gastronomically.

The side show is a sort of vacuum cleaner which relieves the guest of any stray change which he may have overlooked.

About the time that the inhabitant of a small town is so tired of looking at the same old brick stores, tumble-down depot, sway backed elevator, bald-headed postmaster, underfed preacher and bare-bellied loafer that he is ready to jump into the cistern for a change, the circus comes along. It grows up like a Wall street rumor over night and shows him blue monkeys from Ceylon, ten-ton elephants from Africa, blonde bears from the north pole, interminable snakes from Borneo, beautiful bareback riders from Hungary, human flies from Japan, whirling dervishes from Egypt and bottle-nosed clowns from lands not yet discovered. And he shakes hands with the whole world for a day, and goes back to the dusty old main street satisfied to struggle on until better times and the interurban arrive.

The circus is not intellectual, but in some parts of the country it takes the place of a mountain feud as an excitement producer with marked success.

Personal.

Mrs. R. H. Parsons, of Trinity, who was visiting friends in the city, left by yesterday's train for Placentia to join the Glencoe for Burna where she will spend some time with friends.

INDECENT EXPOSURE.—Last evening, Constable Tobin arrested a Holland seaman, who had been working for the Municipal Council, excavating on Duckworth Street, charged with indecently exposing himself before a little girl. He was arraigned before the magistrates to-day, convicted and fined \$20 or 30 days imprisonment.

Embroidered muslins and cotton voiles, make the most simple and charming trilled skirts for summer wear.

This Date in History.

JULY 16.
New Moon—12th

Days Past—196 To Come—168

MARSHALL fled from Mecca to Medina 622 from which date the Mohammedan era opens. By his constant preaching of the one god he gathered round him a vast number of followers and was able to return to Mecca eight years later, an acknowledged conqueror.

SIR JOSHUA REYNOLDS' born 1723. The first President of the Royal Academy and the most eminent English painter of his time. He devoted the greater part of his talent to portrait painting.

JEAN DE BERANGER died 1857, aged 77. The eminent French poet and the most popular, song-writer that France has produced.

A man devoid of religion is like a horse without a bridle.
—From the Latin.

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Here and There.

\$6,530 NOTCH.—The Aeroplane Fund up to noon to-day reached \$6,530.

KYLE'S PASSENGERS.—The Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 7.10 a.m. to-day with the following passengers in saloon: Mrs. John Butt, S. T. Basha, A. J. McEachren, G. and Mrs. Shaw, H. Shaw, P. Kennedy, Mrs. Mary A. Balfour, Jas. D. Cook, Lieut. G. Woolley, P. J. and Mrs. Daigault, Rev. R. A. St. John, Mrs. J. Stratton, H. M. O'Brien, Miss F. Kennedy, J. J. Crowdis, D. K. and B. Debeisecan.

GLENCOE'S OUTWARD PASSENGERS.—The Glencoe sailed from Placentia at 11.40 p.m. yesterday, with the following passengers in saloon: Sr. Aloysius, Sr. Joseph, Rev. J. J. Whelan, Rev. D. O'Callaghan, Charlie Ryall, F. C. Chase, Mrs. Paul, Miss Brown, Miss N. Pincock, C. J. Cluett, Miss Greene, Miss K. Croucher, Miss E. Croucher and 1 second class.

Fads and Fashions.

Striped linen lawn decorated with lingerie flouncings is excellent for afternoon frocks.

There is nothing better for the bathing suit than a combination of navy and white.

Any pretty summer frock may be freshened and changed by the use of different sashes.

Some of the simpler muslin frocks with muslin and lace aprons are very youthful and quaint.

The modern version of the dark wash dresses is a very frivolous affair of checked voile.

The frock of muslin, lace or taffeta is the proper costume for the luncheon or garden party.

A coat of taffeta or chiffon is an appropriate accompaniment to the summer dress of voile.

There is a faint Italian tendency in fashions—evidenced in full peasant sleeves and tighter bodices.

The suspender frock is a good style for little girls, and it provides opportunity for making over.

Even though the skirts may be flounced upon flounces, the waists are almost severe in their simplicity.

So sheer are some of the blouses that their wearers require under them not only brassieres but camisoles.

Black plect edging to white muslin frills for the neck is a pretty idea seen in many white lingerie dresses.

A little girl's dress made with simple straight waist and skirt formed of narrow ruffles, is very attractive.

A rather small sailor-shaped hat, with a rounded crown, is fashionably trimmed with a single rose right in the front.

The flesh-colored blouse of organdie with a Puritan collar of white, is charming, and summery worn with a white skirt.

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