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### NEWS OF THE WORLD.

New York, Feb. 14.—Developed with dynamite and cannon to destroy icebergs in the North Atlantic shipping lanes, the ice patrol of the United States Coastguard is preparing to set out on its annual task of clearing away these menaces to navigation.

Dusseldorf, Feb. 13.—The Burgomaster and Chief of Police, Schwinke, were expelled from the town for refusing to obey the orders of occupation authorities.

Kingston, Feb. 14.—The Commandant and forty-one cadets of the Royal Military College are down with the flu.

Dusseldorf, Feb. 14.—Five hundred Dusseldorf telephone girls yesterday refused to work in the same room with a lone French soldier who walked out in a huff.

Dublin, Feb. 14.—Barron De Valera, in a statement in reply to the declaration of William Cosgrave that he (Cosgrave) was ready to agree with De Valera that the electors should decide the question of a Republic or Free State in Ireland, made his acceptance conditional on Great Britain's attitude. He said: "Great Britain remove the threat of war and pledge herself to abide by the result of the plebiscite on the straight question of a Republic or Free State and recognize the sovereignty of the Irish people in Ireland, then we will also abide by the result and there need be no more war, either in Ireland or between Ireland and Great Britain."

Dusseldorf, Feb. 15.—The German and German security police throughout the occupied regions are being disarmed by order of General Cosgrave. It is explained that the quarters taken by the police towns of occupation.

Seattle, Feb. 15.—Peril to the British steamer Tuscan Prince, 'somewhere in the North Pacific, is indicated this morning by a radio S. O. S. reading: "Tuscan Prince ashore; position." At this point the vessel's wireless apparently broke down.

Berlin, Feb. 15.—While interpreting Premier Bonar Law's speech at the opening of Parliament as reflecting opposition to the Franco-Belgian occupation of Ruhr, the Berlin press finds little other solace in it for Germany.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Mildred Whiteway arrived from St. John's by Tuesday morning's train on a visit to Mrs. W. C. Whiteway.

### Notice

DR. PRITCHARD is residing at Mrs. Ryan's Hotel, Cross Roads, for the present. All calls may be left there. Phone 19.

It is rumored that one of the big lumber camps at St. John's are turning out doors, window sashes, etc. in large quantities. These are to be on hand ready for shipment to the Humber at a moment's notice.

Mr. Jonas Barter, of St. John's, so well known by many here, met with a serious accident recently. He was standing near a horse on Harvey & Co's wharf, when one of the animals kicked out and struck him with both hoofs. The kick left him unconscious and in this condition he was rushed to the hospital. It will be remembered that Miss Mabel Barter, daughter of Mr. Jonas Barter, taught in the S. A. School here some years ago.

"He that negotiates between God and man As God's ambassador, the grand concerns Of judgment and mercy, should be ware Of Rightness in his speech. 'Tis pitiful to court a grin, when you would woo a soul; To break a jest when pity would inspire pathetic exhortation."

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### WESTERN UNION SMOKER

The employees of the Western Union Cable Company held their annual smoker on the evening of Wednesday 7th inst. in the Staff House. About 100 of the guests began to assemble. All fully prepared to spend an enjoyable evening. Not were they disappointed. From personal observation it can be said without fear of contradiction that there were more enjoyable evenings of smokers, etc. accompanied by some delightful musical items, designed to enhance the pleasure of the evening. Entertainment.

Mr. MacDonnell presided on the piano and accompanied the singers in every style, assisted by Mr. S. S. Smith, who sang Messrs. George and O'Leary did much towards the successful termination of a most successful and enjoyable programme.

and the committee is to be congratulated on the success which crowned their efforts. The following took part in the programme: Messrs. S. A. Smith, Arthur George, Capt. Wm. Parsons, John Bishop, Beth Mercer, E. Keefer, Dr. Pritchard and several others.

### WEDDING BELLS.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Central Meth. Church on Feb. 10th, when Rev. S. Baggs united in the bonds of matrimony Pearl Bowden Bradbury, daughter of Mrs. and the late Joshua Bradbury, of this town, to Mr. Robert Inkpen Hollett, of Great Burn. The bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her uncle, Mr. William Bradbury. She looked very beautiful—gowned in white satin, trimmed with sequin and seed pearls, with bridal veil, coronal of orange blossoms and bouquet of white carnations and maiden hair fern. She was attended by her sister, Miss Ruby Bradbury, and Miss Sussie Hollett, sister of the groom. They were dressed alike in fawn crepe de chine with hats to match, and carried bouquets of pink carnations and maiden hair fern. While the groom was supported by Mr. Robert Parsons.

After the ceremony the bridal party and guests drove to the home of the bride's mother, where a reception was held and a dainty repast was served.

During the afternoon numerous telegrams were received from friends assuring the newly-married pair of their good wishes.

They were also the recipients of many and costly gifts, which testified to their popularity. Following the toast list the wedding party went for a sleigh-drive, after which they accompanied the young couple to the station, when they took the train for St. John's amidst best wishes for a future of unalloyed happiness, in which the Guardian joins.

Those taking the chief parts in the play, 'A Poor Married Man,' staged in Cable Hall recently, were: Prof. John B. Wise, Mr. Jas. Dawe, Zoie Ford, Miss May Greenland; Mrs. Iona Ford, Miss Carrie Dawe; Rosmond Wilson, Miss Dorcas Barrett; Billy Blake, Mr. Wilfred Greenland; Juniper Jackson, Mr. John Barrett; June Graham, Miss Eleanor Greenland; Dr. Graham, Mr. H. Batten. The public hopes soon to see these talented players before them again.

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