

Evening Telegram

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WEDNESDAY, March 15, 1916.

The King's Call

The King is calling for men. The Empire needs them. Kitchener says he wants more men, and more men and still more men, and he knows. Two thousand more men are wanted for the Newfoundland Regiment, which gained such a fine reputation on the Gallipoli Peninsula. They are fighting for right and freedom and they are calling over the seas for their brothers to come over and help them. They know they have taken the higher course on the path of duty, for they know their country is right in fighting oppression and in maintaining the traditions of freedom, for which their forefathers gave their lives and limbs. This war is a war of righteousness, thrust upon Britain by the overweening ambition of the Kaiser and his Prussian Junkers. For a generation they had instilled into their mind the idea of World Domination, the feebleness of the British race, and their incapacity to hold on to their colonies or their wealth. The duty they have drilled into the German mind is that might is right, that they will take the wealth and the land of others, they are perfectly justified in taking it if they can. Germans have been taught that no moral code of honor, humanity, observance of treaty and international agreements and law must stand in the way of aggression. Whatever they can do is might in their eyes. This code of savagery impelled them to make a scrap of paper of their pledge of immunity of Belgium, martyr her priests, old men, women and children the Red Cross Nurses, Sister Cavell, violate Belgium and French churches, murder hundreds of innocent men, women and children on the Lusitania and other ships. It is against murder, violence and aggression hundreds of thousands of men of the British races have given their lives and limbs, and that millions of British men have elected voluntarily to fight and that hundreds of thousands of British women have come forward to support them in the field. Millions have determined to do her part. Thousands of Newfoundlanders have enlisted here or abroad, but thousands more are wanted. The King has called for them. The Empire needs them. Kitchener says so. Young men it is your duty to enlist, to encourage them to go. Every man counts. Who will dare to be a slacker?

Omitted From List.

From the list of Electoral Districts, Port de Grave and Placentia & St. Mary's were omitted. Kitchener in his publication of the relative response of electoral districts in recruiting. Port de Grave comes next in the list to St. George's and is the fourth in the list having contributed one fighter out of every 67 on the census. Placentia & St. Mary's comes next to Twillingate and is the sixth on the list, with a contribution of one man in 98.

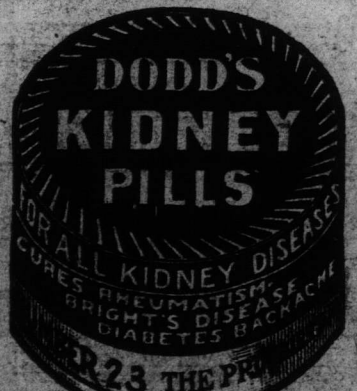
Facts About the Hudson

March 12.
In a letter to C. R. Wagner, who distributes Hudsons in Deadwood, South Dakota, George F. Baggeley speaks well of the Hudson. Baggeley is a special representative of the Standard Fire Insurance Company in Deadwood, South Dakota. His letter in part—
"We drove from one end of the State of South Dakota to the other, covering 244 miles, through a snow storm from start to finish and if you will recall, we did not have to add water to the cooling system at any time."
Another item I wish to mention is the low cost for the year. For repairs I paid out \$4.25 and none of the items covered was from any fault of the car. I have covered fifty-five hundred miles, which as you well know is a good year's mileage for this Black Hills country, and the engine works perfectly."

B. HAYWARD, Agent.
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Deserted Parents.

Two laborers, one 18, the other 15 years of age, of Bell Island, are now in police custody, charged with deserting their parents. It was on Saturday last that they ran away from home, joined an outgoing express train at Kellogg's and intended to go to North Sydney as they each held a second class ticket for there. The movements of the lads soon became known to their parents, who, by arrangements with the authorities had the two passengers in question taken off the train at Bay of Islands and were brought into the city by this morning's train. They were before court to-day and held over to be dealt with later, pending the arrival of their parents from Bell Island.



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Casualty List.

MARCH 14.
739—Private, Willis White, Comfort Cove, N.D.B. Jaundice, Calro. Nov. 13. Seriously ill 18th Stationary Hospital, Suez, March 11.

Sneezing Colds, Bad Coughs, Irritable Throat All Cured.

Just think of it, a cold cures in ten minutes—that's what happens when you use "Catastrophe." You inhale its soothing balsams and out goes the cold—sniffles are cured—headache is cured—symptoms of catarrh and grippe disappear at once. Its healing pine essences and powerful antiseptics in Catastrophe that enable it to act so quickly. In disease of the nose, for irritable throat, bronchitis, coughs and catarrh it's a marvel. Safe even for children. Beware of dangerous substitutes offered under misleading names and meant to deceive you for genuine Catastrophe which is sold everywhere, large sizes containing two months' treatment costs \$1.00; small size 50c; trial size, 25c.

Sun Life of Canada

Has Most Prosperous Year. Showing of Assets Particularly Strong.

The Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, closed the year 1915 with the strongest statement in its history and one fully in harmony with the improving conditions prevailing in general business circles.
The Company maintained its position of leadership among Canadian Life Companies in amount of new assurances issued, total assurances in force, assets, surplus and income. Its assets now exceed \$74,000,000, an increase of over \$10,000,000 for the year and the largest annual increase ever registered by a Canadian life company. The assets of the Sun Life of Canada have nearly doubled in the past five years, and have more than trebled in the past nine years, a record growth clearly indicative of financial stability. Above the assets shown in its statement, the Company holds Contingent Fund Securities to a total par value of over \$13,000,000 for the further protection and profit of its policyholders. Assurances issued during the year totalled over \$34,000,000—the largest amount ever written by any Canadian assurance company. Assurances in force now total over \$267,000,000.
The cash income for the year amounted to nearly \$18,000,000, an increase over the preceding year of more than \$200,000. Surplus over all liabilities and capital now stands at over \$7,500,000, an increase for the year of more than one million dollars. Payments to policyholders totalled \$7,129,479, bringing total payments to policyholders since organization to \$62,676,000.
Altogether, the record of Canada's largest assurance company during the past year is striking proof of the essential soundness of the principles of the assurance business on the one hand, and of the conservatism and ability of the Company's executive officers on the other.

Brought Back

Mr. C. A. Jerrett, one of the principal Crown witnesses in the Henry M. Stanley barrially case, who disappeared from town rather suddenly on Sunday evening last, was brought back by this morning's train, accompanied by an officer. We understand that as the witness had not been subpoenaed for his appearance, he could not be held for contempt of Court. Mr. Jerrett gave his evidence at the Stanley inquiry.

Why not consider the SUPER SIX proposition to-day?—m15,31

SEALING REPORTS.

Allowed to Kill To-Day

No sealing news of any account is yet to hand. Last night and this morning wireless messages were received from all the northern ships telling what the ice and weather conditions were like, that good progress was being made by all ships and that prospects were good; also mentioning that some old seals were taken and that the main patch was now being sought. Messages from the Gulf steamers stated that the ice was closely packed everywhere and that poor headway was being made. To-day, March 15th, according to law, the killing of seals is allowed. It is hoped that before the next 24 hours has expired that the ships will be in the main body of seals.

From the Ships via Marconi Station.

Copies of Messages Received from Sealing Steamers by Messrs. Bowring Bros., March 15th, 1916:
Bowring, St. John's.
March 14th, 1916.
Fifteen miles S.W. Bird Rocks. Ice very heavy all day; got about five miles; sign whitecoats. All well. (Sgd.) RANQER.

Bowring Bros., St. John's.
March 14th, 1916.
Position 50 miles S.E. by E. Northern Groins Islands, prospects good; struck small patch whitecoats. The following ships are in sight: Neptune. (Sgd.) Eagle, BISHOP.

Bowring, St. John's.
March 14th, 1916.
Position 50 miles N.N.E. Funks, in loose ice, making good headway. Prospects good. East 'Bloodhound', company all well. (Sgd.) Terra Nova, WINSON.

Bowring Bros., St. John's.
March 14th, 1916.
Ice very heavy all day; got about five miles; sign whitecoats. All well. (Sgd.) Florizel, A. KEAN.

CAN'T FIND DANDRUFF

Every bit of dandruff disappears after one or two applications of Danderine rubbed well into the scalp with the finger tips. Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store and save your hair. After a few applications you can't find a particle of dandruff or any falling hair, and the scalp will never itch.

Here and There.

The SUPER SIX is a \$3,000.00 Car for \$1,375.00—mar15,31

DUE TO-MORROW NIGHT.—The S.S. Prospero left St. John's at 10 a.m. to-day, due to-morrow night.

The proof of Hudson efficiency is its satisfied users.—mar15,31

ALCONDA AT LONDON.—The S.S. Alconda, which loaded pulp and paper here a short time ago, reached London this morning.

Fancy Carnival, Parade Rink, to-morrow night. Admission 20c. General skating from 9 to 10.30 p.m. Terra Nova Band. mar15,21

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. Ernest Maumder wishes to thank Drs. Keegan, Chaytor and Roberts, the Sisters and Nurses of the General Hospital, for their skillful care and attention accorded him during his stay at that institution.—adv11

GEORGE KNOWLING offers for sale One Hundred Sacks of Choice Eating Potatoes. Very best quality. Prices right. Also Seventy-five Sacks Good Turnips. Price 1c per lb. by the sack.—mar14,21,tu,th

COCHRANE ST. CHURCH.—Service in the morning and evening will be held in the new Sunday School building next Sunday. The members of the choir will please meet at 7.30 on Thursday evening in the said building for practice. Entrance from Bannerman Street.

Coughs and Bronchial Attacks are Dangerous. Keep up your strength and weight with D.L. Emulsion.

Narrow lace borders are promised for the jackets and skirts of tailored suits.

BORN.

On Saturday, March 11th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Malone, New Gower Street.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away on Tuesday evening, March 14th, Alfred Northfield, of Stockholm, Sweden; funeral on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, No. 12 Bell Street; friends will please accept this, the only intimation.

A Fine Programme for the Mid-Week at THE NICKEL.

"VENGEANCE OF WU FANG"—A thrilling episode of that greatest of all serials, "THE EXPLOITS OF ELAINE."
"NERVES OF STEEL"—A powerful melodrama.
"FOR BETTER—BUT WORSE"—A sure-fire Keystone comedy.
"THE GREATER COURAGE."
A beautiful three-part social drama by the Essanay players, featuring Edna Mayo and Bryant Washburn.
FRIDAY—WHO PAYS? and THE WAR OF DREAMS—in three parts.

PERFORMANCES THROUGHOUT THE LENTEN SEASON FOR THE CITY RELIEF FUND.

BRITISH THEATRE, on Wednesday and Thursday.

GRACE CUNARD—winner of the Universal popularity contest in the prize photo-play.

"The Girl of The Secret Service," in two Gripping Acts

"THE SHIP OF HORROR"—Tenth episode of the gigantic serial.

"THE BLACK BOX." Two great and thrilling reels of this famous film.

MURDOCK MacQUARRIE IN "THE STAR GAZER."

MATINEES THIS WEEK—ST. PATRICK'S DAY & SATURDAY.

An Unique Case.

Arrested for Enlisting.

RELEASED AND CONGRATULATED BY MAGISTRATE.

A unique case was heard in the Magistrate's Court to-day. The principals in the case were two young men, James Watson and John Booth, aged 22 and 25 years respectively, of Peterhead, Scotland. It appears that both young men had been engaged by the Scotch Herring Packing Company in Notre Dame Bay and had entered into an agreement to serve three years in the employ. They had served only but six months of that period and then decided to quit work and come on to St. John's to enlist, fearing that they would be conscripted, as they were registered in Scotland last August. They quit the job of herring packing, travelled over seventy miles through the interior of the country and came to St. John's by rail from Millertown Junction. On Sunday they arrived and on Monday offered their services at the Armoury, telling of the agreement under which they had forfeited £5 sterling to enlist. The accepting of them was delayed pending negotiations. Meanwhile they were medically examined and passed as fit, and they began drilling, their attestation being delayed with a view to a friendly arrangement as to the agreement. Meanwhile, on March 8th a warrant was taken out before a northern J.P. and the police here asked to arrest them under it. This was unknown to those conducting the negotiations. Yesterday they were arrested and the matter came before court to-day and charged with deserting their employment. Dr. Lloyd appeared for them and questioned the propriety of the warrant under the circumstances, explained that the young men considered that their duty was to join the forces, as they were registered men, and feared that if they did not do so they would be arrested and taken back to Scotland under the Compulsion Act and forced into the Army as Conscripts. They preferred to volunteer and came to St. John's to enlist. Dr. Lloyd asked for their release and that the matter be treated as a civil case, which could probably be settled amicably.

Mr. F. J. Morris, K.C., who presided, intimated that whilst desertion was reprehensible, he was to congratulate the defendants in this case on their patriotism. Thereupon the volunteers were released.

DUET AND SOLO.—At last night's Stock Society, referred to in another column, Mr. Fred. Emerson and Miss Anderson sang a duet called "Secrecy." Mr. Emerson also gave a solo, the "Marsellaise."

TO RE-FLOAT SCHOONER.—Mr. S. Butler, son of Oliver Butler, with a number of ships' carpenters leaves by the tug Ingham to refloat a schooner, which recently met with an accident at Rose Blanche. Steam pumps and all necessary equipment are on board and the tug will get away this afternoon.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.—Be patriotic and help swell the funds of the W. P. A. Teas served from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. Candy for sale during afternoon of St. Patrick's Day, at the residence of MRS. W. E. THORNE, 9 Monroë St.—mar15,11

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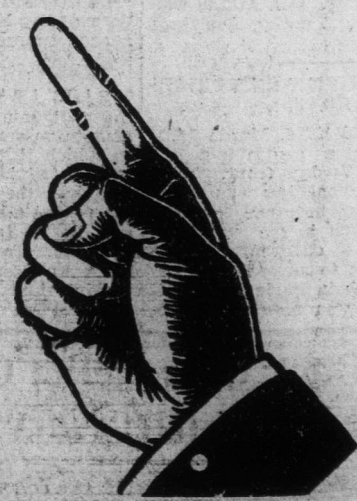
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