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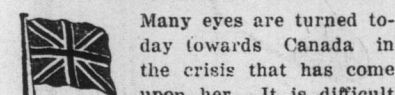
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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor
 H. A. WINNER, B.A., - - - Editor

MONDAY, May 28th, 1917.

The Issue in Canada



Many eyes are turned today towards Canada in the crisis that has come upon her. It is difficult to predict how she will emerge from it. If her newspapers provide any criterion, there is not another country in the world so cursed with politics. Hardly a question of public importance ever seems there to be discussed and settled on its own merits, but rather upon those of its champions and opponents and their political and personal records. The Government is proceeding perforce warily and without precipitation. The Constitution and Extension of Parliament measures are being framed carefully and have not yet been presented before the House. It is a pity that they do not come from a source which would have a better claim and be a better warrant for their immediate and whole-hearted acceptance. The Borden Government has not conducted itself during the war in a manner calculated to compel unqualified admiration, and from one cause or another the tide seems to be setting in strongly against it. The difficulties are very great at this time in the way of the formation of a coalition ministry, but that may well be the result of the struggle that is beginning. And as an accompaniment of the threatened conscription of person the demand is growing louder for some sort of conscription of wealth, a demand which the friends of those in power do not particularly relish. But the position and duty of Canada as a whole are perfectly plain, and she will have the fullest sympathy in her endeavour to measure up to them.

The same cannot be said of the spirit that is plainly agitating the greater part of the Province of Quebec. We hope we will be spared, in the messages at least, many more of the type of utterances which we have had to read to-day. They are rank treason, naked and unashamed and utterly contemptible. Lavorgne, an ex-member of Parliament, in a long rhapsody of fustian can prefer no concrete argument against conscription except that Canada's debt has increased enormously through the war. That is a new view of it all. Canadians will fight for liberty, he says, but not for England. And so we learn that it is for England that

all the Colonies and all the Allies are fighting. This valiant Cicerone speaks thousands of miles from the sound of the German guns, and he knows it. The proper treatment for persons of this ilk is free transportation to Vimy Ridge or passage into Belgium, where they could observe for themselves the blessings of German liberty. Mayor Martin of Montreal presides at another anti-conscription meeting a few days after he has welcomed Marshal Joffre to his city. Everywhere in the United States and elsewhere in the Dominion the hero of France was acclaimed with honor and enthusiasm. It is left to the French Canadians to be deaf to his appeals and to disgrace the lands of their descent and birth. They are evidently spoiling for a fight with the rest of Canada. So much the better, perhaps. It might help the rest of Canada to shift the contempt of spectators outside onto its proper objects.

Supreme Court.

(Before the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Kent.)

The American Mfg. Co. vs. Kennedy, et al.

This is an adjourned motion by Mr. Gibbs, K.C., of counsel for the Plaintiff, that judgment be entered for the plaintiff company that it is the owner of one undivided half interest in a mining claim situate at Briggs, C.B. The Attorney General, Mr. Squires, K.C., who appeared for the defendants, produced affidavits to the effect that there was a good ground of defence to the action. Counsel were afterwards heard in argument. The Court took time to consider. Mr. Gibbs, K.C., for the plaintiff, Mr. Squires, K.C., for the defendants.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before Mr. Justice Kent.)

In the matter of the will of Richard Hennebury, late of Bay Roberts, merchant, deceased. Between Mr. Chas. H. Emerson, Administrator of the estate of Richard Hennebury, and Mr. Simon Butler, Administrator of Jas. Hennebury, Richard Hennebury, Mark Hennebury, Mary O'Neil and others. This is an application on the part of the plaintiff for an order for the appointment of an administrator to the estate of Richard Hennebury, son of deceased, and for the determination of certain matters under order 50, Rule 14 of the Rules of the Supreme Court arising in the administration of the estate of Richard Hennebury. Mr. P. J. Summers appears for the plaintiff; Mr. C. E. Hunt for Mary O'Neil, and Mr. Pinson for Mark Hennebury. On motion of Mr. Hunt the matter is postponed until Thursday, May 31st.

NOTICE!

The S. S. "Portia"
 will sail for usual Western Ports on Wednesday, May 30th, at 10 a.m.

BOWRING BROTHERS, Ltd.,
 Coastal Mail Service.

Highlanders' Church Parade.

The Newfoundland Highlanders held their first Church Parade for the season yesterday morning, by attending Divine Service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Rev. Gordon Dickie, M.A., Chaplain of the Brigade, preached an eloquent and impressive sermon which was listened to with deep interest by the laity and other members of the congregation. The singing and music by the choir was rendered in a faultless manner. After service the Highlanders, together with the volunteers, paraded through the city, the pipes playing the latest martial airs.

McMord's Store News

MONDAY, May 28, 1917.

Ideal After Shave is the preparation par excellence for use after shaving and the most tender skin will soon be freed from all soreness and smarting. The use of this lotion goes far to prevent wind and sunburn, and will be found delightfully soothing is used at night after a day in sun or wind. Price 25c. a bottle.

Strictly Prime Hayseed is the highest grade of Timothy obtainable. It yields larger crops in proportion to the amount of seed used than any other, and the hay is believed to be finer and more nourishing. We sell only Strictly Prime Hayseed—the best.

The L.S.P.U. Meeting

Mr. McGrath Answers "Union Man."

St. John's, May 28th, 1917.

Editor Evening Telegram.
 Dear Sir:—My attention has been called to a letter in your issue of the 23rd inst., signed "Union Man" in which several statements are made which are entirely out of variance with the facts. As I was out of town the greater part of the week and did not arrive back until Saturday, I was unable to reply to this letter until now.

With respect to the statement that the meeting was a small one, and that men had to be brought up from the club rooms to discuss the subject, I would say that nothing of the kind occurred, and that the writer must have either deliberately made up the falsehood, or (as I suspect) been misinformed by some one present at the meeting. The meeting in question was very largely attended, probably one of the largest in the history of the Union. A few minutes before the meeting started, as there were subjects of vital importance to be discussed, I sent down to members, who were in the club rooms smoking, to tell them that there was likely to be an important discussion upstairs. If any further proof is needed as to the attendance, it is furnished by the fact that at the meeting we collected in the neighborhood of \$180 in membership fees. When it is remembered that the membership fee is twenty-five cents per month it will be readily seen that the meeting was a large one.

With respect to the sneer at the want of education on the part of members of our Union, I would remark that such a statement is hardly in good taste, and certainly not in keeping with the facts. Even if the members of our Union were not born with the silver spoon in their mouths, but were forced from early youth to earn their livelihood by honest toil, we yet number, in our ranks, men who have received the highest degrees of the Council of Education, and who, had they the opportunity, would take a prominent part in the industrial and commercial life of this Colony. Unfortunately the education of our members runs along conventional and old-fashioned lines; we acknowledge that unlike the merchants, and other such "Patriots" our education does not lead us to food profiteering at the expense of the public, or to squeezing from the poor, in outrageous profits the few dollars they have so laboriously earned.

As to the sentiment of the L. S. P. U. I would say that the Union to a man is against conscription selective or otherwise in any shape or form. As to our Patriotism, the fact that the Union resolved that all members enlisting for Overseas Service should be kept in good standing, and that the Union has paid over \$2,000 in mortality benefits to relatives of members who have made the Supreme Sacrifice, show that we have made as good a showing in this respect as any body of men in this city.

As you, Mr. Editor, have seen fit to give prominence to this letter and to make the assertions of your anonymous correspondent the subject of an editorial, I trust that you will give to this contradiction the same prominence.

Yours truly,
 JAMES McGRATH,
 Pres. L. S. P. U. NION.

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Marine Tragedy.

Deputy Minister of Customs LeMessurier is in receipt of information intimating that the schooner Rita M. Cluett, S. W. Cluett, master, which arrived at Belleoram this morning reports a vessel bottom up 13 miles outside Ramen. Two bodies found lashed to the rigging were taken on board the Rita. The derelict is of the semi-knockabout type of about 100 tons. No marks of identification have been found on the bodies.

Confers Degrees on Newfoundlanders.

The following degrees and distinctions have been conferred by Mount Allison University: B.A., Miss Laura Wood Darby, St. John's; Mus. B., Miss Mary Elshore Tait, St. John's; M.A., in course, Rev. T. B. Darby, (B. A., '92); LL.D., Honoris Causa, Hon. J. Alex. Robinson. The prize winners include Ira Curtis, St. John's, who tied for first place in the Essay prize; E. R. Anthony, Fogo, who won the Hebrew H. (1st year) prize of \$10; W. G. Guy, Carbonear, who obtained a \$15 prize for Chemistry; and Miss Ellen Hemmion, St. John's, who carried off the Sophomore English prize—a set of Temple Shakespeare.

Reids' Boats.

The Argyle leaving Placentia to-day for the west.

The Clyde left Lewisporte at 8.15 a.m. to-day.

The Dundee leaving Port Blandford to-day.

The Ethie north of Port aux Choix.

The Glencoe arrived at Port aux Basques at 6.30 a.m. to-day.

The Home left Lewisporte at 8.20 a.m. to-day.

The Wren leaving Clarenville to-day.

Here and There.

Turkeys, Ducks and Chicken at ELLIS.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is light north-west wind and fine, temperature 38 to 48 above.

Don't miss the Girls' Guild Sociable in St. Michael's Lecture Hall, Casey St., on Wednesday, May 30th, at 8 p.m. Candy for sale. Admission 30c.—may28,31

PROHIBITION CASE.—The case in which a city medical man is charged with a breach of the Prohibition Law, adjourned from May 8th, was set down for this morning and was further postponed.

GEORGE KNOWLING has just received a shipment of **CHICE FRESH HALIBUT**, which he is selling cheap to-day.—may28,31

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE.—The Citizens' Committee will meet at 8 o'clock to-night in the Board of Trade Rooms, when it is hoped the Secretary's Report to the Joint Select Committee of the Legislature will be concluded.

Don't forget to be present at the Grand Dance in the T. A. Armoury, Tuesday, May 29th. Music by T. A. Band. Tickets—Double, 70c.; Lady's, 40c. Teas, 20c.—may28,31

INTERESTING LECTURE.—Mr. W. H. Jones lectured to a large audience at Grenfell Hall last night on "Scenes in many lands." Historical scenes of France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Sweden, Spain, Moscow and Tunis were graphically depicted. The lecture, which was strikingly illustrated, was of absorbing interest and especially to the members of the regiment and forestry battalion who were present.

FOR SALE.—That Freehold Property in the Freshwater Valley, consisting of House, Garage, Out-house and Garden, apply to R. MORRIS, P. O. Box 293, St. John's. mar27,17

The Ladies' Committee for the White Elephant Sale will be at the British Hall Monday and Tuesday to receive goods for their Sale which takes place on Wednesday and Thursday, 30th and 31st May.—may26,21

DIED.

At Spokane, Washington Territory, U. S. A., George Askwith, of Manchester, England, and formerly of this city.

Passed away this morning, at his late residence 240½ Water St., Mr. Benjamin French, of Briggs, leaving to mourn him 2 sons, Wm. R. of the R. N. Co., and Kenneth, of Philadelphia shipyard, and 2 daughters, Mrs. P. Byrne, of Placentia, and Mrs. Nosworthy, of this city. One son, Private J. J. of the 1st Nfld. Regiment, made the supreme sacrifice on July 1st, 1916. Interment at Briggs on Wednesday.—R.I.P.

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DON'T NEGLECT YOUR HAIR.

Even the healthiest head sheds hair all the time, but from such heads the only hairs that fall are the old worn-out ones which have done their work and outlived their usefulness and drop in order that new and vigorous hair may sprout from the follicles they leave.

There never has been a time in the history of the human race when the possession of luxurious tresses was not an enviable condition. Not every woman can have beautiful, long, wavy hair, but if what she has is not glossy and healthy and well cared for, it is her own fault.

To begin with the head should be shampooed just as often as it needs cleaning. The healthy head is the clean head, and just as much dirt and dust and germs settle on our heads as on our faces. There is nothing better for a shampoo than an egg and an ounce of water beaten together and rubbed into the scalp with the pads of the fingers. There is iron and sulphur in the yolk of an egg which feeds the hair roots.

After rubbing in the egg wash it all out with warm water, till there is not a particle left. Then give it a final rinse in cold water. Dry with warm towels, sunlight, massage and air. If there is a dry condition of the scalp, dip the tips of the fingers in olive oil,

and parting the hair, rub it well into the scalp.

The hair is so exquisite and so valuable a part of feminine beauty it should be treated with kindly consideration. As a matter of fact, it is often most woefully neglected and abused, covered as it is with hair from other heads and unventilated hats and being burned and scuffed and twisted and raked with harsh brushes in heavy hands and genuine hair splitting combs.

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War

Messages Previous

DISPATCH

Town on the Friday, May 27, airplane raiding Germans on late this afternoon were crowded workers returning. The raiders dropped bombs against fashion from a town, killing children, and more. The leader of the flying at night could not be seen sunlight, which fled sky, and workers with good eyes by the other of lower elevations line across the bombs coming down streets learned that they heard the around them. The bombs were dropped across the city in the shop sections. The large size, demolishing houses and struck. Several escaped injured were dropped over all over the damage was centre, but many streets were

THAT

Heavy fighting Carso where yesterday carried off enemy prisoners and intense artillery until four o'clock the infantry of Corps vigorously tried a network of mouth of Tiber east of Janina of the heights of Medrezza. The hard fight, over the labyrinthine broken and village, taken