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Evening Telegram

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SATURDAY, Nov. 3rd, 1917.

The German Retreat.

Despite the quiet and unobtrusive way in which it has been announced, and which should deceive no one, the German withdrawal on the Aisne front is the first item of importance in to-day's news. The German bulletin is simply the usual German bluff, confessing the retreat as if it were the abandoning of a few miles of difficult country. It is in fact a forced retreat from positions made untenable by the recent brilliant advance of the French, which gave them possession of the high ground commanding the valleys of the Ailette and Aisne Canal. It seems that the Germans have fallen back directly upon Laon, for months the greatest goal of the French. It is unlikely that they will be able to make it a purely local operation, for it is certain to compel a further readjustment on the right, towards St. Quentin, and may even, the message says, affect the line as far as Arras. The news is most heartening. The retreat would not be made if it were not imperative, and it is made to a point where further retreat will involve the whole German line in France. It is a most effective antidote to the Italian mishap, which now seems to be in a course of rapid redemption.

Kerensky's Statement.

We have a sneaking sympathy for the Washington Post. It has incurred the wrath of Mr. Lansing for putting on certain very injudicious words of Premier Kerensky an interpretation which, if not the exact truth, is a good deal nearer that part of it which is of practical importance than some of the things which Mr. Lansing himself says in rebuttal. Russia has not yet "quit" the war, it is true. She has a large army in the trenches which is constantly occupied in firing "fusillades." Behind it she has almost as large an army of politicians who are very much indeed at war—with one another. This is the state she has been in for nearly a year, and to all appearances will continue to be in for another. Kerensky's remarks, whatever government officials may say, have not a pleasant sound. They come very near to recrimination against Russia's allies and that sort of thing can do no good.



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We are clearing out a line of Women's Laced Boots of Black Kid Vamps, Champagne Tops, 8 inch, high laced. Regular \$6.00 value. Our price this week

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Casualty List.

(Received Nov. 3.)

At Fulham Military Hospital, Hammersmith, Synovits Left Knee.
3293—Private William J. Gooble, Old Pelican.
Still Seriously Ill Oct. 28th.
Captain Kevin J. Keegan, M.C. and Bar, St. John's.
2604—Corporal J. W. M. Tessler, Waterford Bridge Road.
At 59th General Hospital, St. Omer, Gunshot Wound Knee, Mild—Previously Reported Wounded Oct. 9.
9—Private Frederick LeGrow, 66 Spencer St.
At Fulham Military Hospital, Hammersmith—Previously Reported Gunshot Wound Right Arm Severe, Le Treport, Oct. 10.
2289—Private William Nottie, Blackhead, B. D. V.
At Fulham Military Hospital, Hammersmith—Previously Reported Gunshot Wounds Left Thigh and Hand, Severe, LeTreport, Oct. 10.
2694—Private Edgar Brett, Laurenceston, N.D.B.
R. A. SQUIRES,
Colonial Secretary.

Reid's Boats.

The Argyle left Gram Bank at 3 p.m. yesterday, outward.
The Clyde arrived at Lewisporte at 10.10 p.m. yesterday.
The Dundee arrived at Port Blandford at 3.30 a.m. yesterday.
The Ethie left Humbermouth at 4.40 p.m. yesterday.
The Glencoe left Burin at 3.05 p.m. yesterday, going west.
The Home arrived at Lewisporte at 5.15 p.m. yesterday.
The Wren left Hillview at 9.35 p.m. yesterday.
The Diana reached Spotted Island yesterday.

Rev. H. Royle.

Rev. H. Royle, Pastor of Wesley Church, will, beginning with the next Conference year, be stationed at Freshwater, B. D. V. Rev. Mr. Royle also had an invitation from a prominent Nova Scotia church, but preferred to remain in the work of the Newfoundland Conference. We extend to him our best wishes for a pleasant pastorate at Freshwater.

McMurdo's Store News

SATURDAY, Nov. 3, 1917.
Sabadilla Insect Powder is regarded by many as the best vermin destroyer of the lot and more and more are using it. Price 25c. a tin.
Fagin is highly appreciated as a genuine laxative especially for children. Very easily taken and pleasant to the taste it does its work gently but effectively and thoroughly. Two sizes 10 and 25c. a box.

Train Notes.

Thursday's outgoing express arrived at Port aux Basques at 9.10 p.m. yesterday.
The incoming express is due at 4 p.m. to-day.

Here and There.

When you want Steaks, Chops, Cutlets, try ELLIS'.
TOOK ONE HUNDRED BARRELS.—One hundred barrels of herring were taken in nets at Bonne Bay to-day.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is calm and dull, fine on the West Coast; temperature 32 to 45 above.

When you want Sausages, why—get ELLIS'; they're the best.

BOWRING'S SHIPS.—The S.S. Portia left Channel to-day, coming east. The S.S. Prospero left Trinity last night, going north.

When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS'.

GREENFELL HALL SERVICE.—Rev. L. G. Hudson will be the speaker at the service held to-morrow evening at the Greenfell Hall, Seamen's Institute. An interesting address is assured and all are welcome.

ZYLEX has extraordinary healing power in cases of Burns. Price 50c. at McMURDO'S.—li

FLOR IMPORTS.—The flour importations from the beginning of this year to date are 220,874 as compared with 213,366 for the same period last year, or an increase of 7,508 barrels. Ten thousand barrels were landed here during the past week.

From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind north-east, light; raining; nothing sighted. Bar 29.50; ther. 45.

GLADYS KLARK and ASSOCIATE PLAYERS.

Friday and Saturday present: "FINE FEATHERS,"

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SATURDAY MATINEE—"THE ROSARY."

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Further Exploits of Our Regiment.

Thrilling Stories From The Wounded of the Action of October 9th.

"ADVANCE, NEWFOUNDLAND!"

In another thoroughly successful advance amid the antagonistic floods and rain and Flanders mud, the Newfoundland Regiment has very honorably sustained its battle honors. Our officers and men on leave, and our wounded from the front, are aglow with the victories that have crowned their efforts, and although the attack of August 16th through swamp and morass was a remarkable test of physical endurance and stubborn resistance against overpowering odds, the affair on Oct. 9th is reckoned the most thoroughly satisfactory battle of the lot.

Our two years of active service have served to harden the will and solidify the soldierly qualities of the remnants of the brave Battalion that faced the storm at Suvla Bay, and participated in the subtle evacuation of Cape Helles, and the example of these hardened veterans—coupled with the enthusiasm of the newly-joined reinforcements—has produced a combination of loyalty and bearing that is worthy of the famous 29th Division.

CONCRETE STRONG-POINTS.

We are told of the advance through water-soaked, shell-torn ground which formed the "No Man's Land" in front of our Regiment on Oct. 9th, and the wounded speak, in amusing terms, of the fighting against the line of concrete strong-points, or "pill-boxes," which spat bullets through narrow slits against our men, and when bombed and beaten, discharged numbers of Huns crying for mercy. In this advance our Regiment cleared easily all their objectives and for a period—in their enthusiasm and fighting—held the most advanced positions.

A GALLANT N. C. O.

Working side by side with the Battalion, I am told, were the "Guards"—these famous examples of discipline who had frequently been associated with us on other occasions—notably in the operations on the Somme. In the present instance our flanks often touched, and one thrilling story is current regarding the

gallantry shown by Sergt. Purcell, of "C" Company. A battery from the Boche artillery was in the line of advance, and although most of the Huns fled on the approach of the British forces, some remained, and made a desperate resistance. Sergt. Purcell, with a corporal of the Guards, and one or two infantry men, carried on to the position and their combined attack killed the defenders and captured the point.

"GENTLEMEN ALL"

In a series of inspiring heroic incidents it is really difficult to attempt the recital of the tales that reach us. On this side we hear unchanging words of praise for officers, non-commissioned officers and men, and they are all alike creditable. The wounded have real admiration for Capt. J. A. Ledingham, who was in charge of "A" Co., Capt. Nunn, in charge of "B" Co., Keegan, M. C., in charge of "C" Co., and Second Lieut. Hicks who took over "D" Company as Lieut. Harvey had been wounded prior to the advance. Unfortunately, the casualty lists bear the names of these many fine men—all of them intimate friends, most of whom we knew in the good old days of peace—when we had paid the price of Empire! But should one mourn?

"Your son, my lord, has paid a soldier's debt."
He only lived but till he was a man; The which no sooner had his prowess confirmed
In the unshrinking station where he fought,
But like a man he died!"
Had I as many sons as I have hairs I would not wish them to a fairer death.
And so his knell is knell'd!"

OCT. 12th—OCT. 9th.

Oct. 12th, 1916—Oct. 9th, 1917; barely a year, and yet a continuation of the anniversary of progress against German domination. May the crusade of satisfaction taken up by our Battalion on the Somme in July, 1916, continue with unerring success until every sacrifice is avenged—every wound satisfied, and every object of the Battle for Existence fully attained!

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Police Neglect.

Carbonear, Oct. 31, 1917.
Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—Please allow me space in your valuable paper to let the Government and the public know how we fishermen-farmers are treated in this place.

I arrived home a few days ago and the first news my neighbors had for me was that the dogs killed a number of goats, sheep, hens and young cattle, to the value of a hundred dollars or more. Now, Sir, we have got four policemen in this town, and they were told about these dogs killing people's cattle, also they were told who owned the dogs. But not one of these dogs are killed by the policemen. People that stay home all the summer tell me that the policemen spend their time selling cabbage, potatoes, rabbits and eggs.

Mr. Editor, we want policemen here that will look after the interests of the people and not give all their time doing their own farming. I do not think it is right for us poor people to be taxed so heavy to pay these policemen large salaries and have them looking for cows and doing other work for themselves and not giving their time for the interest of the public. I think it would be wise to have them taken back to St. John's and have them newly done up, and give some new ones.

Twenty years and over is too long to have the same policeman in one place. We did have policemen here one time that would not allow unlicensed dogs to run at large without a log of wood on their necks, or a muzzle on them. We had hundreds of sheep on our hills, then times, when we had policemen that could shoot a dog.

Yours faithfully,

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The Sparing of Metz.

(From the Chicago Evening Post.)

The other night German aeroplanes dropped a ton or two of bombs on the City of Nancy. Ten civilians were killed and forty were wounded. Nancy is an open town, and no military advantage possibly could be gained by the bombardment. It was just the Teuton's way of frightfulness.

Metz, the capital of German Lorraine, a fortified town, crowded a large part of the time with soldiers, lies only about twenty-five miles from Nancy. French aviators can reach it from their lines in fifteen minutes, but thus far no bombs have been dropped on Metz. It is true that the French, in retaliation for the brutality of bombing some of their defenceless towns, have let fall on some German cities well back of the line some bombs which, exploding, have voiced French indignation and perhaps a suggestion of French revenge in heavier blows yet to come, but Metz, fortified and crammed with soldiers and munitions, thus far has been allowed to go free. There are military men who say that the French will never bombard the City of Metz, if they can avoid it and yet win the war. Metz only forty-seven years ago was a French city to-day as the French themselves view it. Its church towers form an easy mark for the long range guns of the republice enplaced in the Valley of the Moselle at Pont-a-Mousson. There are fourteen German forts guarding Metz. They may be reduced one by one and the city finally isolated, but Metz will be spared if there is any way to spare it without jeopardizing the success of the final grand campaign.

Here and There.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sheehan wish to sincerely thank Mrs. Keegan and Giovannetti, Miss Taylor, Miss Scott, Sisters Oakley and Scott, Nurses Williams, Cooper, Scott, Adams, Jones, Synyard and all the other nurses for their kindness and care of their daughter Agnes during her three months' stay in the institution.

A black velvet hat may be trimmed with gold colored satin ribbon. The latest form of the chemise frock is belted closely at the waist.

Here and There.

TO GIVE PERFORMANCE.—An amateur theatrical troupe consisting of 15 members under direction of Mr. P. F. Moore leave by special car attached to Monday's outgoing train for Witless Bay, where they will give a performance in aid of the new school.

Nyal's Face Cream at Stafford's Drug Stores, Duckworth St. and Theatre Hill.—sep7,1f

PRISONER OF WAR SENDS CARD.—Mrs. Hallett of 26 Balsam Place received a post card from her son Pte. J. Hallett, who was captured by the Germans at Monchy, April 14th, and is now a prisoner of war in Germany. Another brother who served with the Canadians in France and was badly wounded is now at home.

PREPARED FOR THE HERRING FISHERY.—We learn from good authority that over fifteen herring packing establishments will be operating in Green Bay this season at different points from Moreton's Harbor to Cape John. Some thousands of empty barrels are stored ready for use and should the fish be plentiful fishermen stand to make big wages.

CIGARETTES REACH THE FRONT.—Private Charles Ellis, who collected \$22 for cigarettes for the boys at the front and despatched them through the Overseas Club, has received a postcard from Sergeant J. A. Taylor, acknowledging their arrival and stating that they were greatly appreciated by the men. They came, he said, on the "anniversary," October 4th. Those who subscribed to the donation will be pleased to learn that it reached its destination.

C.M.R.C.—The Class will meet to-morrow afternoon in the Synod Building at 3 o'clock. The address will be given by the Chairman of the Class, who, continuing the line of thought begun last Sunday, "All speak of the 'Social Side of Christ's Kingdom.'"

N.I.W.A.—At last night's meeting of the Industrial Workers, a communication was read from the Boot & Shoe Workers now on strike, thanking the Association for the financial assistance offered, but stated they were not in need at present, but, however, they appreciated their moral support. Arrangements are being made to hold lectures, debates and entertainments during the fall and winter months, and if possible will have routine business matters confined to one meeting a month.

DIED.

On November the 2nd, at the General Hospital, after a brief illness, Mary Joseph, beloved wife of Thomas Brand, aged 65 years; she leaves a husband and one daughter to mourn their sad loss; funeral at 2.30 p.m., on Sunday, from her late residence, Walsh's Lane, off Water Street, West. Friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice.

Passed peacefully away on November 1st, William Vokey, aged 77 years, leaving a wife, four daughters and two sons to mourn their sad loss; funeral to-day (Saturday), at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 28 Carter's Hill.

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