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Evening Telegram

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THURSDAY, April 29th, 1915.

THE NEW REID DEAL!

We direct the attention of our readers to the report we make elsewhere in this issue to the speeches of Mr. Kent, K.C., and Mr. Morine, K.C., made in the House of Assembly, yesterday afternoon on the Contract of the Government with the Newfoundland Products Company. We direct attention to the fact that the promoters of the Deal are Directors of the Reid Newfoundland Company and its Directors are also Directors of that Company. Mr. Kent spoke of the new company as a Subsidiary Company to the Reid Newfoundland Company, and in that light it may be regarded as the Reid Newfoundland Products Company and as a means of exploiting the assets of the parent Reid Newfoundland Company by means of the extraordinary concessions now asked from the Legislature, which are to be obtained, according to the terms of the Contract, without any guarantee that the Subsidiary Company shall expend any material sum, not to mention Five Million Dollars on construction work in the way of electric furnaces, carbide plants and commerce works in the Island of Newfoundland. The concessions sought give them practical control of the drainage of almost all the water power in the Island, as well as control over some of the biggest water powers in the world, which are situated on the Labrador. It is proposed to barter these properties away for ever for practically nothing and in addition to give the Company a freedom from taxation for ever (except on coal imported into Newfoundland) in respect to all their business, no matter what business they enter upon. Mr. Morine expressed incredulity as to the Government realizing the magnitude of the concession proposed to be given away and as to the lack of safeguards about the expenditures of the Company on construction work, and Mr. Kent reminded members that they were the trustees of the people over the immense assets asked for and that those who were asking for them had already far too great a control over the Island of

Newfoundland, and its present development and future destiny. The debate will be resumed on Friday next, when the people are made alive to the potentialities and dangers of the Contract as it is now before the Legislature.

In its present form, without adequate guarantees of expenditures on construction work, and without adequate payment for the concessions sought, the confirmation of the contract would be the most outrageous action a Legislature could impose on a free people. It would be placing a millstone on the neck of the people of Newfoundland and tie up the free development of Newfoundland forever.

Fell on the Field of Honor!

Elsewhere in this issue will be found a message from the Rev. C. W. Hollands, of Carbonear, who states that he has received a cablegram from his brother in London, conveying the sad news that his son, John, was killed in the Battle last Friday near Ypres in the fierce engagement which took place between the Canadians and the Germans. So far as is at present known, he is the first of the Newfoundlanders with the Canadian contingent to have fallen on the field of honour in the battle-field of Belgium, and though his mortal career is over, he has gained an immortal place on the Roll of Honour. In their sad affliction, the sympathy of all will go out to the parents of the fallen soldier. The news came first from Private Jensen, of Hr. Breton, who was a comrade of Private Hollands, and who was himself wounded and saw his comrade killed. Private Jensen is himself in hospital, but it is hoped he will soon recover and be able to take his place in the ranks. His father is a well known merchant of Harbor Breton, an esteemed citizen and a long time subscriber to The Evening Telegram.

JUDGE KNIGHT!

We congratulate Judge Knight on his appointment as Judge of the Central District Court. He has satisfactorily filled the position as Acting Judge for some years past, and the satisfaction he has already given is a guarantee that he will continue to fulfill the duties of the office to the satisfaction of the public, and the

legal gentlemen who practice in that Court. We wish him, good health and a long term in the important office to which he has been appointed. We would also have liked to congratulate Mr. Maurice Devine on his appointment as Clerk of the District Court, as a fellow journalist, who has achieved reputation with a trenchant pen, directed by a sense of humor and with keen wit, we compliment him on the recognition his journalistic abilities have received from the Government, due largely no doubt to the political aid he afforded to the Government in the elections of 1909, when the Plaindealer posed as a non-partisan journal. But we think that the recognition might have been made in another and more suitable direction. Mr. Maurice Devine is not a legal man and hitherto it has been considered desirable that the office should be filled by a lawyer who could take the place of the Judge in his absence. But such considerations weigh lightly with the Government and a layman has been appointed to satisfy a party claim.

268th Day of the War.

LATEST

From the Front.

10.30 A. M.

GERMAN ADVANCE CHECKED ON THE YSER.

LONDON, To-day. Our operations in conjunction with the French have definitely stopped the German attack. In these words the Field Marshal in Chief of the British forces on the Continent announces the conclusion of another German attempt to break through the Allied lines around Ypres and along the Yser Canal, which brought about one of the most sanguinary battles of the war. This, however, only brings to an end the first phase of the battle, for the Allies have yet to win back the ground which they lost in the great German sweep. For this purpose, they are now delivering counter attacks against the German lines. In only one place, Steestraete, have the Germans managed to keep their footing on the Western bank of the Canal, while north of Ypres positions remain much as they were, the Allies making no claims to an advance there, and the Germans reporting that all British attacks have been repulsed. To hold these lines the Germans have brought up further reinforcements, Belgium, behind them, has been denuded of troops, the towns and villages of Belgium being guarded by only a handful of sentries. Fighting also continues in the Champagne where the Germans make claim to the capture of a French position in the Argonne and Woerwe, where the French say they are progressing and in the Vosges both sides claim they are in possession of Hartmann Wellerkopf. It is probable that this mountain which commands the plains in Alsace, has changed hands several times, which would account for the contradictory reports. The Russians and Austro-Germans are heavily engaged in the Carpathians, and in the direction of Stry where an attempt is being made to strike the Russian communications.

BRITISH FIGHTING IN GALLIOLI PENINSULA.

LONDON, To-day. The following Athens despatch has been received by the Exchange Telegraph Company. The British force, landed on the European Coast of the Dardanelles, has been entrusted solely with the mission of occupying the Gallipoli Peninsula which is defended by 60,000 Turkish troops. The French force has been landed on the Asiatic Coast with the object of advancing along the coast to keep pace with the progress made by the British on the opposite coast. The bombardment of the Straits was resumed on Tuesday and lasted 12 hours. It was directed particularly at Kilid Bahr forts.

further has been heard of the German fleet in the North Sea, and it is contended in official quarters here that they never left the mine fields of Heligoland. In the Baltic, however, German warships are busy and have stopped a number of Swedish steamers carrying coal from English ports to Sweden.

SUCCESSFUL LAND OPERATIONS ON GALLIOLI PENINSULA.

LONDON, To-day. The British War Office issued the following announcement last night about the Dardanelles operations: In face of continued opposition the Allied troops have now established themselves across the end of the Gallipoli Peninsula from a point northeast of Hisarlik to the mouth of the stream on the opposite side. They have also beaten off all attacks at Sari Bahr and are steadily advancing. The Turks had made considerable preparations to hamper any landings by wire entanglements under the sea as well as on land. Deep pits with spikes at the bottom were among the obstacles overcome by the troops.

1.00 P. M.

GERMANS ADMIT THEIR FAILURE AT YPRES.

LONDON, To-day. A correspondent to the London Daily Express on the Belgian frontier telegraphs that the Germans admit the failure of their costly attempt to take Ypres by storm and crumple up the British left wing. There are several significant signs of this. Their retirement from positions Northeast of Ypres is being steadily accelerated. The incessant attacks have been much feebler in the last two days and their artillery fire has slackened. The British are giving them no rest. Detachments of exhausted infantry from Paschendele have been sleeping by the roadside near Bruges while waiting their turn in the congested traffic which fills all roads of Western Flanders. No doubt the Germans are still trying to hold their ground with grim determination, but the enthusiasm evoked by their first successes near Ypres has vanished. There has been a great delay in the railway service in Northern Flanders since Tuesday morning and many trains of wounded from the front have been held up. The Germans are using new troops lavishly in this battle. Many who are under fire for the first time are said to have been badly demoralized by the unprecedented shell fire.

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Fire at Southside.

Yesterday afternoon a fire occurred on the Southside Hill and while it lasted caused much alarm as a number of dwelling houses and mercantile premises were only a short distance away. Some old rubbish was being burned when suddenly the fire which was fanned by a strong wind spread, igniting the woods around and quite a blaze followed. Three men fought the blaze first but their efforts were in vain and when matters began to look serious they gave an alarm and soon a gang of about a hundred men from the mercantile premises were on the scene though they did not succeed in subduing the flames and put an end to the fire until after they were two hours fighting.

Note of Thanks.

The Star of the Sea Association Committee takes this opportunity to thank the following kind gentlemen who helped with free prizes, cash donations, special help and many other ways during the tournament and lecture season: Messrs. J. J. Mullaly, Geo. R. Williams, G. M. Barr, H. J. Brownrigg, M. Morey & Co., Fred'k Callahan, A. D. Rankin & Co., F. McNamara, Hon. John Harris, M. A. Bastow, Geo. Neal, W. E. Bearn's (2), W. J. Higgins, M.H.A., George Trainor, P. J. Raynes, M. Connolly, Tobias Jackman, Wm. Greene, Thos. Walsh, Capt. T. Bona, Leo Kennedy, Andrew U. Duffy, J. J. O'Sullivan, Hudson James, Reid Nfd. Co. Electrical Dept., Jack Rossley and staff, and for kind offer of hand from the T. A. Band Committee.—adv.11

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