



## Evening Telegram

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## Germany's New Peace Move.

To any who care to read the full text of the German Imperial Chancellor's, Prince Maximilian of Baden, peace address to the Reichstag, it will be noticeable that Germany in making fresh overtures is doing so in no penitential mood, and the arrogance of his Imperial Master in previous peace speeches, is repeated in the present, and though more heavily veiled does not conceal for a moment the true expression of the real meaning of the latest "made in Germany" peace offer. But Germany is not approaching the Powers of the Entente with a repentant heart. Rather is her Chancellor, glorying in past deeds, and holding them up to the world as a peg on which to hang the terms which Germany herself proposes. English and Canadian press comments express grave distrust and scepticism, styling the proposals as being not those of peace but of trickery, and the method of its approach, the method of people endeavouring to strike a bargain; in other words that the new move is only with the object of calling a halt in the Allied offensive, and giving Germany time to consolidate and strengthen her armies in the field. Canadian writers look askance on any cessation of hostilities until more substantial guarantees of the sincerity of the proposals are forthcoming. While admitting an improvement on previous feelers, there is an agreement that there is yet a considerable distance for Germany to travel before a satisfactory ground for negotiations can be reached. The French Journal, Le Temps, characterises the proposals as a "white flag trick," in which the belligerent United States is asked to play the part of mediator, as if that country were outside the Entente alliance, and invokes President Wilson's principles to make us drop our arms. The Journal des Debats says that "the suspension of hostilities will be acceptable only on conditions offering the same advantage as the continuous victorious advance of the Allied troops, the evacuation of territory occupied by Germany in Belgium, France, Luxembourg, Italy, Rumania, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro. We shall keep our programme of restitution, reparation and guarantees."

The eyes of the world are on President Wilson to-day, and people are wondering what his answer will be, all feeling that the Central Powers are making the greatest gamble of all times, and by risking all on the hazard of the diplomatic die, are attempting

by one cast to put an end to their losing game of war.

It will be well to remember that Kaiser Wilhelm ended his declaration of war with the savage phrase of Brennus the Gaul, who pillaged ancient Rome and when exacting ransom money from the conquered citizens, threw his sword into the weight side of the balances with the words, echoed in 1914 by the German Emperor, "Woe to the Vanquished." That threat has been more than fulfilled by the blonde beasts of Prussia, and the no less brutal soldiery of Germany's provinces and duchies. On every land invaded by the ruthless Huns; on every man, woman and child, fallen into their bloody hands, have descended the weight of that threat, and destruction and desolation have come upon them. With the avenger almost face to face, the Kaiser now, swifter of his tender heart, his desire to benefit humanity; to do the will of God, and of his good intentions toward mankind.

Having put a request for peace in the mouth of Austria, not so long ago, also addressed to Washington, which was utterly rejected, Germany now formulates her own ideas of the basis upon which peace should be established, declaring her willingness to accept her own terms. Any consideration of the German manufactured proposals by the Allies, including the United States, to whom the latest overtures are addressed, would be compromising with the enemy, and we have had it enumerated by the chief spokesmen of all Governments in arms against Germany that all hope of a compromise peace is vain. Also there can be no negotiated peace, and it will be as well to let both Teutonic rulers and Teutonic peoples know that there is no hope of peace, and that there is no end to the war short of complete victory for the Allies, who will then dictate their terms, which Germany and Austria must accept. No peace till victory. This war is with German militarism and German ambitions, German barbarism and German Kultur, and it is a fight in which all four must be utterly destroyed. No Allied statesmen will be so false to their soldier dead, to the just and righteous cause of the living or to the future interests of the world, to consider for a moment an unholy negotiation with the German, who by his acts has made himself the pariah of civilization, the hyena of the world. The Germans must be beaten to their knees, and their cities made as a heap. Nor should there be any shrinking or turning aside from the duty of the hour, no matter how great the cost. The Kaiser appealed to the sword; let the sword decide and let stern and unflinching justice to Germany be executed. With our armies converging upon German soil the present is no time to discuss peace terms. The fight must be continued until they who took the sword, perish with the sword.

## Beyrout.

The capture of Beyrout (Beirut) by a French naval division, operating off the coast of Syria, is another serious loss to the Turks, giving the Allies an extra sea base for the landing of men and supplies to rout the enemy from their fortified places in the Holy Land. Beyrout is situated on a bay at the foot of a prolongation of Mount Lebanon, and is 55 miles W. N. W. of Damascus by rail, it being the seaport for that town. Beyrout is the healthiest place on the Syrian Coast, having temperate summers and plentiful rains during the winter seasons. The town is the seat of a Greek and a Maronite Bishop, and is the centre of several foreign missions. It possesses a University, an astronomical observatory and a Society of Oriental languages. The manufac-

tures of Beyrout are silk stuffs, gold and silver threads, porous earthenware, etc., and is the shipping port for all Syria, the exports consisting of silk, wool, oils, soap and fruits. The imports comprise ironware, cotton goods, fancy goods, coffee. Half the value of the imports come from the United Kingdom and more than three fourths of the exports go to France. Beyrout is the ancient Berytus, and was a port of the Phoenicians. Later it came under the power of Egypt and was taken from that nation by Antiochus the Great, becoming part of Syria. Agrippa conquered it for the Romans, and it was made a military colony by Augustus, who gave it the name of Colonia Julia Augusta Berytus. During the Wars of the Crusades it belonged alternately to the Christians and Saracens. The Turks took it in the year 1768, from whom it was retaken by the reviving Egyptians under Ibrahim Pacha in 1831. It played an important part in the Eastern question in 1840, when it was bombarded by allied English, Austrian and Turkish fleets, until the Egyptians were obliged to evacuate their forts. Its modern growth dates from 1843 when steam navigation was introduced. Population (1900) 140,000, over one fourth of the number being Mohammedans.

## VICTORY BONDS FREE.

We have added to our great list of Prizes to be given away free in December of this year, Two Fifty Dollar Victory Bonds. Men, Boys and Youths who buy Buddy Boots have a chance for one of these Bonds. They pay 6 1/2 per cent. interest. Buy Buddy Boots and get a Victory Bond. See that your dealer gives you no other brand. Have your dealer register your name or send to us.

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List of Prize Winners will be published in this paper first week in December.

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166 Water Street,  
St. John's, Newfoundland.  
Jul'y 15, 1918.

## Rowed to Port.

The dismasting of their vessel, the schooner M. E. Kendall, of Bay d'Espoir, Nfld., while en route from that port to Sydney for coal, was the cause of a twenty-four hours' row on the part of the crew, the members of which arrived in Port Morien at four o'clock yesterday afternoon. The dismasting occurred when 21 miles from Flint Island at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Vessels have been sent to the assistance of the distressed schooner.—Sydney Post.

## Skipper's Body Recovered.

The funeral of Thos. Barrow, who with two others, was drowned early last season during one of the terrific storms, took place in North Sydney on the advice of relatives in Newfoundland. The body was discovered only this week by two soldiers. On being informed of the discovery, Joseph Salter of North Sydney kindly communicated with the family in Newfoundland.—Sydney Record, Oct. 3.

## W.P.A Xmas Gift Fund.

FOR OUR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS. In yesterday's list, of subscriptions to this fund, Bowring Brothers, Ltd., subscription should have read \$50.00. A representative of the W. P. A. will be at Messrs. Ayre & Sons, Ltd., all this week from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. to receive donations.

## Trophy Presentation.

Tuesday night next, at eight o'clock, has been definitely set down for the presentation of the Football and Baseball trophies. It will be the greatest gathering of Sports ever held in Newfoundland; representatives of Football, Baseball, Hockey, Curling and Golf being present. It will be held in the British Hall which will be tastefully decorated for the occasion. Admission will be by ticket only which will be furnished to those entitled to attend by the Secretaries of the various Athletic Associations.

## Taken Ill.

This morning while standing on what was formerly G. C. Pearn's wharf, a man became weak and dropped to the planking, falling but a few feet of going overboard. A couple of men who were near went to his assistance, while one ran for a doctor. However, before the doctor could arrive the man had recovered sufficiently to walk home.

POLICE COURT.—A drunk who, possibly, had filled up on a new beverage, was before the Court this morning, and fined \$1. A number of civil cases were heard.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES GARTER IN COWS.

## Casualty List.

(Received October 8th, 1918.)

Killed in Action September 29th.  
Capt. Herbert Rendell, Duckworth Street.

2nd Lieut. Lionel F. Duley, 51 Ren-  
nie's Mill Road.

Died at 3rd Australian Casualty Clear-  
ing Station, September 29th.  
83—Pte. Edward George Nottall,  
Rocky Lane; appendicitis.

At 3rd London General Hospital,  
Wandsworth.

1209—Pte. Michael Fowler, Port Res-  
ton, T.B. Gunshot wound left hand.  
2529—Pte. Benjamin Warren, Tack's  
Beach, P.B. Gunshot wound left hand.  
2336—Pte. Redmond J. Power, Cor-  
ner Brook, Bay of Islands. Gunshot  
wound right hand.

3877—Pte. Samuel Hollett, Hermit-  
age Cove. Gunshot wound right hand.  
3901—Sergeant. Malcolme Bishop,  
Greenspond. Gunshot wound right  
thigh.

3215—Pte. James McGrath, 7 Bam-  
brick Street. Gunshot wound left hip  
and left arm.

4308—Pte. John Ellsworth, Rocky  
Harbour, Bonne Bay. Gunshot wound  
left foot.

4060—Pte. John Cunningham, 9  
Job's Street. Gunshot wound left  
knee.

3132—Pte. George Carr, Bonavista.  
Gunshot wound right foot.

3827—Pte. Jabez Bradley, Squid  
Tackle, B.B. Gunshot wound left  
thigh.

3971—Pte. Albert Ryall, 13 1/2 James  
Street. Gunshot wound left leg.

4092—Pte. John Fleming, Spillar's  
Cove, T.B. Gunshot wound left leg.  
2395—Pte. Thomas E. Gardner, British  
Harbour, T.B. Gunshot wound  
right leg.

4001—Pte. Max Pate, Fortune, Bur-  
rin. Gunshot wound legs.

1299—Pte. Edward Doyle, 49 Casey  
Street. Gunshot wound head.

3340—Pte. Michael P. L. Head,  
Fleur-de-Lys, St. Barbe. Gunshot  
wound hand and back strained.

2377—Corpl. Ernest P. Woodman,  
New Harbour T.B. Dysentery.

4199—Pte. Yves Kergant, Cape St.  
George. Fracture fever.

At 3rd Australian Casualty Clearing  
Station, Oct. 4th, dangerously ill.  
3557—Pte. Joseph Dewey, Greens-  
pond. Gunshot wound chest.

Seriously ill, October 7th.  
3567—Pte. Josiah Prince, Princeton,  
B.B. Previously reported.

At 8th Stationary Hospital, Wim-  
pey, September 30th.  
3763—Pte. Stanley Gilliam, Crabby's,  
St. George. Gunshot wound left thigh,  
fracture severe.

At 2nd Canadian Stationary Hospital,  
Ottawa, September 30th.  
3638—Pte. Daniel Norrington, Sunday  
Cove Islands, N.D.B. Gunshot wound  
shoulder, severe.

4223—Pte. Stephen King, 59 Cook's  
Street. Gunshot wound left foot, se-  
vere.

3341—Pte. Samuel Morris, Goose  
Cove, T.B. Gunshot wound left leg.

At 2nd Australian General Hospital,  
Boulogne, September 29th.  
3925—Pte. Frank White, Greens-  
pond. Gunshot wound head.

3636—Pte. Madrice Gillingham,  
Glenwood. Gunshot wound head.

3262—Pte. Lewis Ivany, Bonavista.  
T.B. Gunshot wound head, mild.

3477—Pte. Samuel Miles, Bonavista.  
Gunshot wound head, mild.

2457—Pte. Archibald James Ball,  
Northern Arm, Botwood. Gunshot  
wound legs.

At 7th Stationary Hospital, Boulogne,  
September 27th.  
1105—Pte. Edward Malt, 31 Cud-  
dily Street. Gas Poisoning, severe.

2774—Pte. Frederick Curtis, King's  
Cove, B.B. Gas Poisoning, severe.

933—Corpl. Walter P. Miles, Bonavista.  
Gas Poisoning, severe.

1314—Pte. James J. Saunders,  
George Street. Gas Poisoning, severe.

2519—Pte. Edward S. Brodie, 21  
Maxine Street. Gas Poisoning, se-  
vere.

2194—Pte. David Peddie, Spaniard's  
Bay, C.B. Gas Poisoning, severe.

At 7th Stationary Hospital, Boulogne,  
September 30th.  
3861—Corpl. Chesley Rendell, Rat-  
tling Brook, N.D.B. Gunshot wound,  
multiple, severe.

3613—Pte. Martin Foran, Grand  
Falls. Gunshot wound, multiple, se-  
vere.

J. R. BENNETT,  
Minister of Militia.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather  
across country is light N. W. wind  
and fine; temperature 24 to 40 above.

BORN.

On October 5th, a son to Capt. J. and  
Mrs. Barnes.

DIED.

On the 7th inst., after a long ill-  
ness, James Rodgers, leaving a wife,  
two daughters and three sons (one  
son serving in H. M. S. Royal Naval  
Reserve); funeral on Thursday, at 2.  
30 p.m., from his late residence, 24  
Brine St.—Boston papers please copy.  
John Goodison Hill, 60th Battery,  
C.F.A., B.E.F., son of Rev. Anthony  
Hill, died of wounds at Casualty  
Clearing Station, France, September  
19th, 1918.

At Boston, Mass., on Sept. 23rd., of  
Spanish gripe, Garrett, aged 26 years,  
son of Bridget and the late John  
Christopher, leaving a mother and one  
sister to mourn their loss.—R. I. P.

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of shades. Good fitting style  
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Good quality wool materials,  
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White, all sizes,

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In heavy Coating, Blanket  
Cloth and Naps. Colors: Navy,  
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### Ladies' Tweed Skirts.

With slit and patch pockets.

Prices, \$1.70, \$2.15  
\$2.40, \$2.50,

Colors: Grey, Fawn, and Green.

### Ladies' Sports Coats.

Made of heavy Coating and  
Blanket Cloth. Colors: Saxe,  
Rose, Tan, Brown, Grey.

Prices from \$3.60

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## Here and There.

When you want Steaks, Chops,  
Cutlets and Collops, try ELLIS'.

COLLECTING CHURCH DUES.—  
The R. C. clergy in the city began the  
collection of the regular church dues  
from their parishioners yesterday.

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

THEATRICAL TROUPE COMING.—  
The Harden-Klarke theatrical com-  
pany, which performs here next  
month, are now at St. John, N.B.

Stafford's Drug Store, Theat-  
re Hill, open every night till  
9.30.—sep7,tf

ENGAGEMENT.—The wedding of  
Miss Rosie Garrett to Pte. Tucker,  
of the Royal Nfld. Regiment, will take  
place shortly.

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

PERSONAL.—Mr. A. T. Rowley,  
representative of the J. F. Rowley  
Company, Expert Limb Fitter, ar-  
rived in the city yesterday.

Nyal's Face Cream at Staf-  
ford's Drug Store, Theatre Hill  
Open till 9.30 every night—87,tf

PERSONAL.—Nurse B. A. Crotty,  
daughter of D. J. Crotty, of H. M.  
Penitentiary, who was here on a va-  
cation, returned to New York by Sun-  
day's express.

When you want something in  
a hurry for tea, go to ELLIS'—  
Head Cheese, Ox Tongue, Boiled  
Ham, Cooked Corned Beef, Be-  
logas Sausage.

FISHERY CREWS ARRIVE.—Sev-  
eral fishery crews that were operating  
in the Straits the past summer re-  
turned to the city by yesterday's ex-  
press.

SNOW THIS MORNING.—Some  
snow fell this morning, making the  
first fall in St. John for the season.  
We hope that this does not presage  
an early or violent winter, especially  
now that Spanish Influenza has made  
its advent amongst us.

REIDS' BOATS.

The Argyle is leaving Placentia to-  
day on the Bay route.

The Clyde left Lewisport at 2.25  
p.m. yesterday.

The Dundee left Port Union at 6  
a.m. yesterday.

The Ethie is at Humbermouth.

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