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To All Our Readers We Extend Our Season's Greetings With Best Wishes For A Happy Christmas And A Brighter New Year

A NAVAL FUNNY-PARTY

THERE will be a meeting of the Concert Party in the Forwards Distributing Station on Wednesday at 6 p. m. Any one wishing to join up, please attend and bring their songs with them. So ran the notice on the ship's board...

JUST FORE CHRISTMAS

FATHER calls me William, sister calls me Will. Mother calls me Willie, but the fellows call me Bill! Without them saucy girls, I'd things that's worn by Paunt'ery!

NEWS OF THE SEA

London, Dec. 17.—Two neutral merchant vessels and a trawler were sunk off the Tyne on Dec. 12 by German destroyers. Another trawler was damaged and eight men were killed on the trawler.

ELECTION RETURNS FOR CHARLOTTE COUNTY

Table with 3 columns: Name, Votes, and Party. Includes candidates like Milltown, St. Andrew, St. Stephen, St. George, Dufferin, Scotch Ridge, Baillie, St. David (Oak Bay), Tower Hill, Flame Ridge, Rollingdam, St. Croix, St. Patrick, Second Falls, Letete, Back Bay, Beaver Harbor, Penfield, Lepreux, Mac's Bay, Lord's Cove, Chocolate Cove, Wilson's Beach, Welshpool, North Head, White Head, Seal Cove, Grand Harbor, Clarendon, and Non Resident.

CANADIAN TROOPS IN ENGLAND

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—It is officially announced that the following troops have arrived safely in England: Dragoons-Forresty and Railway Construction from Windsor, London, Ont., Brockville, Winnipeg, Forestry-From Vancouver, Regina, Brandon, Quebec, and St. John's, N. B.; Royal Canadian Garrison Artillery from Montreal, Quebec, and Halifax; Heavy and Siege Artillery from Charlottetown, and Infantry from British Columbia and Nova Scotia; Army Medical Corps from Halifax; and Imperial and United States Details.

POLITICAL ORGAN SEIZED

Hamilton, December 15.—An election plan, The Grid, that has been issued in support of the anti-conscription campaign, was seized last night and the issue, just as it was going to press, suppressed.

CO-OPERATION IN CHINA

Shanghai, China, Monday, Dec. 10.—At a banquet given the American Association in China and the American Chamber of Commerce by the British Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai, John Johnston, chairman of the British Chamber, urged cooperation in Anglo-American enterprises and commerce, as well as on the battlefield.

PRESIDENT BANISHED

Lisbon, Dec. 15.—Banishment of former President Machado, of Portugal, until the end of his presidential term, was formally decreed in a proclamation issued by the new regime to-day.

ELECTION IN HALIFAX JAN. 28

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—Polling in Halifax will be held on January 28, the same day as polling in the Yukon, because of the great distance.

SIR GEORGE E. FOSTER HAD A CLOSE CALL

Toronto, Dec. 14.—Suffering from a fractured collar bone, a scalp wound and several minor abrasions to his body, Sir George E. Foster is confined in the General Public Hospital. He was struck down by an engine while walking to his private car in the Union Station yards to-night.

ELECTED PRESIDENT OF SWITZERLAND

Berne, Switzerland, Dec. 13.—Felix Calander, Vice-President of the Republic, and head of the Department of the Interior, to-day was elected President of Switzerland for 1918. He received 176 votes. Dr. Eduard Miller was elected Vice-President by a vote of 155 to 49 for Gustave Ador, president of the International Red Cross.

ST. GEORGE'S

St. George's, Dec. 17.—The British vessel which was in ballast and was under charter to the White Star Line, was just ahead of the American steamer when struck by a torpedo. This was at a point five days from Plymouth, Eng., the master of the American vessel reported. After the City of Naples was struck, the destroyers dropped four bombs over the spot where the submarine was believed to have been.

ST. PATRICK'S

St. Patrick's, Dec. 17.—The American schooner Hereward, with a cargo of horses, sprang a leak and sank at sea last Sunday while en route from Cuba. Her master, who was rescued with crew, arrived here to-day.

ST. DAVID'S

St. David's, Dec. 17.—The Austrian battleship Wien was torpedoed and sunk on Sunday night according to a Vienna official statement received in Amsterdam and forwarded by the Central News. Most of the crew were saved. The battleship Wien displaced 5,512 tons and was laid down in 1893. She had a complement of 441 men. Her largest guns were four 9.4 inch and six 5.3 inch and she had four torpedo tubes above the water.

ST. ANDREW'S

St. Andrew's, Dec. 17.—The steamer Karland has been sunk in a collision, according to an announcement made by Lloyd's. According to available shipping records, there are three steamships named Karland, one Belgian and two Russian. The Belgian steamship Karland, of 1,964 tons, arrived in an American port on November 10. The Russian steamship named Karland are 886 and 512 tons, respectively.

ST. GEORGE'S

St. George's, Dec. 17.—The torpedoing by a submarine of a Spanish steamship, November, 3,654 tons gross is reported in a dispatch from Barris to the Echo. The ship was sunk in the inner harbor at Trieste Sunday night, December 9, and torpedoed two Austrian battleships, one of which was sunk.

ST. PATRICK'S

St. Patrick's, Dec. 17.—The loss to the French shipping by mine or submarine for the week ending Dec. 15, were exceedingly light. Only one vessel under 1,600 tons was sunk, and none over 1,600 tons. One ship was attacked but escaped. No fishing craft was sunk.

ST. ANDREW'S

St. Andrew's, Dec. 17.—Fourteen British merchantmen of more than 1,600 tons each, three of which tonnage were sunk by mine or submarine during the past week according to the admiralty statement to-