



Evening Telegram

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A German Pre-Vision

Will Germany attempt another war of aggression? The question is worth consideration by the Supreme Allied Council, for already France is suspicious that there is something in the wind, and is strenuously standing out against any mitigation of the price that Germany, by treaty, must pay in the way of reparation for wilful damage done to French territory during the war, and has practically won her points of debate over the German objections and Lloyd George's backing of same. French editors are already beginning to take stock of a new crop of war writers—Bernhardis—springing up in Germany, whose writings all converge on the point that the Hun is the natural selection of world ruler. The most conspicuous of these German war prophets is one Otto Autenrieth who has recently written and published a work entitled "Three Future Wars: Political Military Forecasts." In this publication, as a result of two of their wars mentioned, the writer predicts that ultimately the only independent states of the world will be the United States in the Western Hemisphere, Germany in Europe and the Empires of the Far East in Asia. The British Empire, according to his calculations will have disappeared. All other nations, now existent will be reduced to a condition of vassalage to the powers in control, named. After the two initial wars, the third and final conflict will be fought between the White and Yellow races, which will result in victory for the former.

Subsequent to this Armageddon Germany (first place please) and United States will rule the world, and to quote the author, "Germany will be just a little bit stronger than the United States by the superiority of her genius and intellect." The "kultur" imposition over again, coupled with the dearest wish of Germany, Republican or Imperial to dominate the whole world and fasten German ideals upon all mankind. A French Senator wonders whether the author of this la Bernhadi book is a reasonable being or a mad dreamer, but be that as it may there is a sentiment in Germany that is cultivated by such literature, and worked up by the publication of such opinions as Herr Autenrieth expresses. The writings of this author reveal the "dear hopes of all Germans," especially with regard to the utter annihilation of France and the ultimate subjugation of Britain, toward which all future efforts will be directed. In contention of this the latest German war prophet advances the theory that England has lost her influence in the Orient, has incurred great difficulties in India and has had to suffer the expansion of the naval and commercial fleets of Japan and United States, without ability to keep pace. England also, claims this German seer, owes United States a great sum of money, and from this he anticipates and earnest-

ly hopes trouble between the two great representatives of Anglo-Saxondom, while he further avers that the relations of France and Great Britain are becoming less and less cordial. Out of all this the German wizard deduces the conclusions at which he has arrived, and opines that the sun of Germany is in the ascendant, notwithstanding the reverses suffered by the war. It is just as well for Allied statesmen to take cognizance of such expressions and map out the course they intend to pursue without any deviation whatever from the terms laid down by the Treaty of Versailles. Otherwise they may have more on their hands than they can conveniently manage. Mistaken sympathy and lachrymose pity for Germany will show a weakening of which the Huns will not be slow to take advantage.

Men's Heather Mixture English Wool Socks have been hard to get, but now BISHOP'S have received a few dozen pairs, which are selling for only One Dollar. Pre-war prices were not nearly so low as this.

The Bank of Nova Scotia.

The 39th Annual Statement of The Bank of Nova Scotia which appears in today's issue is of considerable interest. The statement shows that the liquid position of the Bank is well maintained; Current Coin and Dominion Notes to the amount of \$34,128,360 are held, an increase of \$1,600,000 from last year and represent 16.2% of the Public Liabilities. In addition, \$12,750,000 is on deposit in the Central Gold Reserves; this amount increases the Bank's proportion of Cash Reserves to 22%. Readily available Assets total \$142,480,227, equivalent to 67.5% of Liabilities. In the other Assets headings, changes are noted as follows: Municipal and British and other Public Securities show a reduction of \$6,600,000 representing repayment of advances by the British Treasury. Current Loans in Canada and elsewhere have increased \$9,000,000, showing that the Bank's support of the country's business has been fully maintained and extended. On the Liabilities side, Total Deposits show an increase of \$4,500,000. Deposits not bearing interest have decreased \$14,500,000 during the year, due to the Government withdrawal of temporary Victory Loan balances. Interest bearing or savings deposits have increased \$19,000,000, or practically 15% during the year.

The profits for the year are \$2,327,423, as compared with \$1,925,478 for the previous year. The increase is due to the Bank having had the full use of the augmented capital of \$9,700,000 resulting from the amalgamation with the Bank of Ottawa as compared with an average capital of \$8,833,333 in 1919. The rate of interest earned on shareholders' funds (Capital, Reserve and Undivided Profits) is 8.2% in 1920 against 7.6% in 1919.

The profits have been distributed as follows: Dividends \$1,552,000, War Tax on Circulation \$97,000, Contribution to the Officers' Pension Fund \$100,000, and for writing off Bank Premises Account \$300,000. The balance carried forward is \$982,595, an increase of \$278,423 for the year.

Altogether the statement is a very creditable one and shows that this old established Bank's reputation for soundness and liquidity of position has been well maintained. The statement demonstrates further that the Bank is in good condition to meet any situation that may arise during the present period of declining values and deflation generally.

You can get Men's Good Overcoats now as low priced as Twenty-four Dollars at BISHOP'S, where all prices have been adjusted to a lower level than new goods to arrive during 1921.

The Winter Fishery.

Codfish is reported plentiful at Rose Blanche and those engaged in the catching are doing fairly well. The fish is being sold at 1 1/2 cents per pound with head and viscera removed. Six hundred boxes were brought along by the last Portia for the cold storage plant. Four bankers have sailed from Grand Bank for the fishing grounds and four others are getting in readiness, and it is anticipated that at least two more will be engaged in the winter fishery.

Exchange.

STERLING RATES.			
60 Days.	Sight.		
Buying	\$4.22	\$4.28	
Selling	4.28	4.34	
Yesterday.			
Buying	4.21%	4.27%	
Selling	4.27%	4.33%	
AMERICAN.			
Buying	11%		
Selling	10%		

NOT A LOTTERY.

When you buy a ticket for the Prince of Pilsen you take no chance whatever. It's a certainty you'll get your money's worth.

Police Court.

STOLE HIS OWN OVERCOAT.—A young man was charged with stealing a pair of boots and an overcoat to the value of \$38 from the shop of D. Furlong. He elected to be tried summarily. Mr. G. W. B. Ayre, who was present in court, offered himself as defendant's counsel. Accused stated that the overcoat was his own and that he was getting it repaired at Furlong's. He went in to pay for it and as there was no one there he left, taking his coat with him. He denied all knowledge of the boots. The Inspector General, who prosecuted, asked for a postponement. Mr. Ayre objected, but His Honor did not uphold the objection and granted a postponement until 10.30 a.m. to-morrow. The prisoner was remanded to the police station.

DRUNK IN CHARGE OF HORSE.—A man who was charged with being drunk and disorderly while in charge of a horse and sleigh pleaded guilty through his counsel, Mr. T. P. Halley, who stated that this was a first offence and asked for light sentence. His Honor imposed a fine of \$2.00.

DRUNK AND DISORDERLY AT HOME.—A man was given in charge by his wife for being drunk and disorderly in his own home. He said he only had a few drinks and couldn't remember being drunk. He was discharged.

Died at Sea.

News was received to-day that the wife of Mr. J. F. Richards, Assistant Superintendent of the Cable Co. at Heart's Content, had died at sea yesterday evening at 7.15 o'clock. Mrs. Richards, who with her daughter was accompanying her husband on a health trip, left on the S. S. Digby bound for Liverpool last week. She was suffering from pneumonia and yesterday evening she passed away. The late Mrs. Richards was formerly a Miss Bellamy. To her sorrowing relatives the Telegram extends its sympathy.

Foreign Fish Market.

Another foreign fish market interested in the sale of fish to Portugal will be held in the Board of Trade Rooms this evening. Regarding the Italian market, a message was received last night from Italy, stating that the Consolato had not made any new purchases of fish. The fifty thousand tons reported as bought, consisted of six cargoes disposed of while the regulations were in force, two of which belonged to Hickman and two to J. & F. Moore. The message also states that the market is stocked with fish, mostly of French cure.

Traffic Suspended.

The N.E. storm which started last night and continued with unabated fury till this afternoon, has practically tied up business. The street car service on the belt line had to be discontinued, and the efforts of the street car employees were directed to being operated. Very few horses were on the streets to-day, practically none from the country reaching the city.

Hockey Notes.

The Terra Nova and St. Bon's clash to-night in what is likely to be an exciting game.

Bob Stick will be in the Terra line-up. He has just recovered from an attack of tonsillitis.

The line-up to-night will be: ST. BON'S Goal. Rawlins Defence. Bob Stick Mullin Tobin Centre. Clouston Right. L. Stick Left. Canning The spars are: ST. BON'S—Joe Murphy, Power, Fred Brien, Gibbs. Terra—Jim Herder, Gosse, Fraser.

Coastal Boats.

S.S. Portia sails for Western ports at 10 a.m. to-morrow.

GOVT. RAILWAY COMMISSION.

Clyde left Marystown at 2.30 p.m. yesterday, enroute.

Kyle left Port aux Basques. Sagona left LaPorte at 11.30 a.m. yesterday, coming to Placentia.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

CONFIDENCE IN GOVT.—ROME, Feb. 4. The Chamber of Deputies yesterday voted confidence in the Government on its internal policy.

BIG GOLD SHIPMENT.—NEW YORK, Feb. 4. The Swedish American liner Gottingham, arrived here yesterday from Sweden, bringing approximately one million, two hundred and sixty thousand dollars in gold.

AIR PILOT KILLED.—MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 4. J. M. Stewart, Chicago pilot in Minneapolis-Chicago air mail service, was killed yesterday, when his plane fell, three miles south of Mendota. His mechanic was injured.

CONFERENCE POSTPONED.—PARIS, Feb. 4. The conference of experts, which was to have been held in Brussels, has been postponed. It was officially announced yesterday. This action was taken because Charles Bergman, German Under Secretary of State, chief of the German mission to reparation committee in Paris, informed the French Foreign Office that under changed circumstances the German Government would not send delegates to the conference.

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE.—JERSEY CITY, Feb. 4. Evidence, alleging manslaughter in connection with the fire in the Hotel Colonial, last Saturday, in which thirteen people lost their lives, will be submitted to the Hudson Grand Jury to-day, it is announced.

POLICE BARRELS ATTACKED.—DUBLIN, Feb. 3. Another big attack occurred Wednesday evening, when one hundred armed men attempted to rush Rathcorn Barracks, near Fermoy. The police, using rifles and bombs, beat off their assailants. No casualties have been reported.

REJECTED PROPOSAL.

Operatives in the building trades at a meeting to-day, rejected Government's proposal for reducing the building industry by the absorption of former service men to alleviate unemployment. The executive committee of the operatives said a ballot among different unions proved overwhelmingly against acceptance of the Government's plan. The ground was taken that workers now in the industry were fully able to meet housing needs by direct laboring through contracts with the building guilds.

PREPOSTEROUS CLAIM.

"Sinn Fein," a local publication, to-day printed a despatch, purporting to have been cabled from Dublin, that the British submarine K-5, which sank in the English Channel off Lands End two weeks ago, was destroyed by Irish seacraft. The destruction of the undersea craft, it is said, was brought about by an electrically controlled projectile, recently invented by an Irish engineer.

TWO CONSTABLES KILLED.

DUBLIN, Feb. 3. Dublin Castle announced to-night that another ambush took place this afternoon near Ballinacree, County Cork, a short distance southwest of Queenstown. Four constables were attacked. Two of them were shot dead and one was seriously wounded.

IN COLD BLOOD.

BELFAST, Feb. 3. Major Carew, an auxiliary policeman, dressed in civilian clothes, was followed into a restaurant in Dame Street, Dublin, this afternoon, and shot in the arm by a man armed with a revolver. Carew was sent to hospital.

EXCESS PROFITS TAX WITHDRAWN.

BIRMINGHAM, Feb. 3. J. Austin Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in a speech here to-day, announced that excess profits tax in Great Britain would be withdrawn. Not only would this tax be abolished, he added, but no new tax would be proposed for the coming financial year. There might be a new duty in connection with dumped goods or depreciated exchange, but there would be no new taxes on business, the Chancellor declared. Mr. Chamberlain, who was speaking to his constituents, denied that the Government had any intention to promote and rush an election on a popular budget. None of the Ministers had any such idea, he said, and if the Government should wish to appeal to the country, it would not be on finance that they would find an opportunity for the means of gratifying that wish. With reference to abolishing the excess profits tax, Mr. Chamberlain said that all businesses except those begun since the war, will pay a tax for a period of seven years, dating from their first commencement period, but for all new businesses, the tax ceases from December 31 last. Before making this announcement the Chancellor explained that he was taking an unusual course in announcing budget intentions in advance, and nothing but present abnormal

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Pale Blue Band with Gold Lines.
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Best White, in three sizes.
22c., 25c., 30c.
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Tea Cups, 25c.
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Best White Soup Plates, large 25c.
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conditions would justify such a course. The war had left Britain a debtor nation, but the country had made progress and transformed a deficit into a balance on the right side, and had even begun to redeem its obligations toward Foreign Nations. The excess profits tax, he said, had many defects. It tended to encourage extravagance and discourage enterprise, but conditions which made it necessary, had changed, and its renewal was no longer necessary.

WILL FULFIL CONDITIONS.

BOSTON, Feb. 3. Boston men, who are interested in the construction of schooner Mayflower, as a contender for International Cup for fishing vessel next fall said to-night that they had received word from the Committee at Halifax, N.S., that the Mayflower would be eligible to compete, if she were completed in time to start her for the fishing banks by spring. The Gloucester Board of Trade recently received a communication from Halifax to the effect that the Mayflower would be barred under a section of the cup agreement, which provided that in order to be eligible, a vessel must have been engaged in deep sea fishing for at least one season. It was explained to-night that the fishing season in Nova Scotia began in April and that it would be impossible to complete construction of Mayflower by April, and the Halifax Committee had agreed to permit her entry, if she were on the way to fishing ground by April 30. The Boston Syndicate has been assured by builders at Essex, Mass., that this condition will be fulfilled.

The Blizzard!

No, this is not a novel. This is just a warning that the worst of the winter is at hand. Why not economize and have your old Suit or Overcoat Cleaned, Pressed, Dyed and Repaired? Our French Dry Cleaning machine is the most up-to-date in this country. Special attention given Mail Orders. Ask for our prices on monthly contracts.

J. J. DOOLEY,
Over J. J. McKinley,
Lime Street.

Here and There.

WEATHER ALONG THE LINE.—It was snowing and drifting along the line last night, and strong N.E. winds were blowing. At Clarendville the glass stood at 5.

ROSALIND DELAYED.—Up to noon hour Messrs. Harvey & Co. had no word from the Rosalind. The ship was due here under ordinary conditions at 1 p.m., and it is supposed she is now keeping off till the storm abates.

UNPUBLISHED HISTORY.—To-morrow's installment of the official record of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment of Fencible Infantry will comprise the official despatch announcing the capture of Ogdensburg in which the Fencibles played an important part.

KYLE'S PASSENGERS.—S.S. Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 10 a.m. from Louisburg, after the long run of 22 hours. She brought the following passengers who are on the incoming express: E. Poliquin, F. F. and Mrs. Peach, G. Broderick, J. G. Lanin, Dr. Hy. Warren, Capt. J. Edgecombe, R. House, Rev. House, S. Sheal, K. Reid, G. House, and 18 second class.

Floral Tributes

Nothing so nice as Flowers in time of sorrow. We can supply Wreaths and Crosses on short notice, and guarantee satisfaction. We will endeavour to meet the humblest purse. "Say it with Flowers."

MARRIED.

At the Cochrane St. Parsonage, by the Rev. Dr. Bond, Bessie McKenney to Arthur Nottal, both of this city.

DIED.

On the 4th inst., Laurence Harding, aged 28 years, leaving father, mother, sister and brother to mourn their sad loss. Funeral on Sunday at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, No. 12 Hagerly Street.

At the Fever Hospital this morning, at 7 o'clock, of typhoid fever, Archibald Woodridge, aged 47 years, leaving a wife, 4 sons, 4 daughters, father and mother and a large circle of relations to mourn their sad loss. Funeral to-morrow, Saturday, Feb. 5th, at 11 a.m. from the Fever Hospital. Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend without further notice.

At the General Hospital, Thursday, at noon, John E. Steer, aged 83 years. Funeral on Saturday, at 3 o'clock from "The Maples," Hamilton Street.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
The funeral of the late Elizabeth O'Driscoll has been postponed until to-morrow, Saturday, at the usual time, 2.30 p.m.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
Owing to today's storm, the funeral of the late Catherine Power will take place on Sunday at 2.30 p.m. from her late residence, 38 Convent Square.

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C. J. O'KEEFE, Clothes Doctor.
June 10. eod. tf



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DENTIST,
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BUTTER—Local Creamery 46 lb.
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ROLLED OATS—New 7 lbs. for 53c.
TOMATOES—Good quality, 2's 16c. tin
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Rabbits, Frozen Herring, Bloaters, Kippers, Cod Tongues, Caplin, Smoked Fish, Frozen Codfish, Fillets, Salmon, Boneless Codfish, Flaked Codfish.

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NOTICE!

Department of Controller.

Commencing on MONDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 7th, the following advance in prices of Spirits, Ales and Stouts dispensed by this department will come into effect.

WHISKIES—FIFTEEN PER CENT. ADVANCE ON PRESENT PRICES.

BRANDIES—TEN PER CENT. ADVANCE ON PRESENT PRICES.

ALD AND STOUT—TEN PER CENT. ADVANCE ON PRESENT PRICES.

Druggists dispensing Spirits within the city limits will continue their present scale of prices and shall not advance same without obtaining the sanction of the Controller.

Doctors and Druggists dispensing in the outports will continue their present prices pending the issuing of regulations fixing a maximum price for Spirits, Wines, Ale and Stout, which shall be published for the information of the public.

J. T. MEANEY,
Acting Controller.

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Obituary

JOHN E. STEER.
It is our sad duty to announce the death of John Steer, who died at his residence, 38 Convent Square, on Thursday, Feb. 3, 1921, at the age of 83 years. Mr. Steer was a native of the County of Kerry, Ireland, and came to this country in 1870. He was a member of the St. John's Church, and a member of the St. John's Lodge, No. 1, Hamilton Street. He was a man of high character and a devoted family man. He is survived by a wife, four sons, and four daughters. The funeral will take place on Saturday, Feb. 5, at 3 o'clock, from his late residence, 38 Convent Square.

McMurdo's Store

FRIDAY
We have had ever since the late for Jorie seemed in several parcels for indignation, liver and constipation. The now fully stocked and will be in a position. Price 30 cents. Tastes different, certainly of throat and cough. One of most other persons like a highly. Several good formulas. Customer that likes a. We can supply. We believe will. Price 35 cents a.

From Cape

Wind North, blowing strong storm raging and; nothing heard; Ther. 14.

It may come to the of the Gallery and stock in such numbers. Plaster, more seats served.