TUESDAY, Jan. 30th, 1917.

### Our Disabled Fighters.

General satisfaction is apparent over the adoption at long last of a definite pension scheme. and the report of the Pensions Committee has evoked some of the interest and attention to which its importance entitles it. Under one division of the subject the Committee were unbe taken as soon as possible. This was the very necessary task of fitting returned soldiers for employment, of which again the most important and those who have been disabled, but not ceive the attention of a special comendeavour in some way to get in touch with Canada, so as to share in the ganization for this purpose. Considering how satisfactory that organization and its work have already been and that we have taken a precedent treatment of pensions, the idea seems

Very thoroughly indeed the Canadian Government and civic authorities are tackling the problem of the rethoroughly than the treatment and training of those disabled. A Military Hospitals Commission has been formed, with branches in every section of the Dominion, of which the object is thus suggested in its latest Bulletin "The Commission will not rest content, nor should Canada be satisfied, until every soldier disabled in his utmost possible degree of power and energy for success in civilian life." A glance at the Pullotin distance of the pullotin distance at the Pullotin distance of the pullot glance at the Bulletin discloses the has been sunk. value of the work of these Military Hospitals and their associated technical and vocational training establish ment. Among other good results, it has made strikingly clear the truth that the great majority of crippled soldiers are not disabled but merely handicapped, and that their particular handicaps do not unfit them for any but a few vocations. On the contrary, it has already been found that the specialised and thorough training it has been possible to give them has in very many cases resulted in a greatly improved efficiency, enabling Charlebois, formerly Secretary of the lend them their own coats." them to command wider opportunities Government's Rivers Commission in

and higher salaries than before. We think an effort should be made here. The police said he is wanted in not only to study fully the work of Montreal on a charge of passing this Commission, but, if possible, to ex- \$20,000 on the Bank of Montreal. tend its scope to Newfoundland. We do not think political considerations should or need stand in the way, and if the thing could be done, its benefits to what may prove to be many Newfoundlanders will be obvious and in- Britain is preparing to arm merchant- nourish the body back to health by valuable. Failing this, it has been men with guns fore as well as aft, is pure wholesome blood. suggested that such of our men as untrue. would be helped by it might obtain this sort of training in Halifax, by agreement with the proper authorities. While this may be a good plan, it is open to the objection that most of ada, and thus be lost to Newfoundland. The last thing we want to do is

We trust the question will receive from the authorities the proper attention. It is a question, however, which affects everyone and in particular every employer. We cannot do better than quote the words of Sir Edmund Walker, President of the ors of which continued more than Canadian Bank of Commerce: "To-three hours, occurred during last ahled men, and thus do something needles of two of the four seismomore in carrying the burdens of the graphs at Georgetown University Ob- 13th last. These souvenirs were forwar. Many a machine-shop can use servatory were thrown off the scales. a certain number of one-armed and one-legged men with hardly any loss of efficiency. . . . peaceful communities at home mus bear in mind is that these men are

to lose such men.

not rendered unfit for useful work, but that they are handicapped or forced by the loss of one limb or sense to put more energy into their remaining abilities. All the ingenuity of this ingenious age should be employed, no matter at what cost, to enable the wounded soldier to earn his own living—which will not affect any

The Annual (and fire) Meeting of St. Bon's L. A. will be held o'clock. By order, FLORENCE O'DRISCOLL, Hon. Sec.—li

# Evening Telegram TO - DAY'S HAVE YOU?

# W. J. HERDER, --- Proprietor Messages.

## 1.00 P.M.

INTENSE COLD ON FRENCH FRONT British Headquarters in France

VIA LONDON, To-day. Bitter cold continues along the enen to a depth of several inches. Nine degrees above zero was registered by Sunday night, the coldest weather this section of France has known in several years. The cold is accompanied by clear days and starlight nights and able to do more than make a general the booming of the heavy guns is recommendation that practical steps heard on nearly every sector of the British lines. Despite the low temseriously enough entirely to unfit far below zero. One British aviator ther she had been sunk or not. them for any remunerative labour. We descended after a victorious duel in note that this matter will probably rethe air with the instruments of his airplane frozen and he so numbed that mittee, but the suggestion has been he had to be helped from his machine well made meanwhile that we should Nevertheless he was supremely happy. The men in the trenches are resisting benefit of that country's splendid or- them frankly say that they much pre- raider in the South Atlantic held as possible is being done for the comfort | Swedes ,three Dutchmen and of the men and warm food and warm Dane. from Canada for our whole scale and drinks are served to them every few hours. A diverting incident of the recent operations of the Somme in which more than 350 men were made prisoners was the fact that the British troops, in their anticipation of turned soldier, and no part of it more their complete success, had brought ficulties motor busses in which they gave the son camp

#### TWO NORWEGIANS GONE.

LONDON. To-day. The Norwegian steamer Arge, 1261 tons, was blown up and nine of the

AUSTRIAN DESTROYER SUNK.

Italians suffered no loss.

### SWINDLER ARRESTED.

CHICAGO, To-day. A man believed to be L. Henri Montreal, Canada, is under arrest If All Played Out,

### ONLY FOR DEFENCE.

LONDON, To-day.

### SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

AMSTERDAM, To-day. According to Berlin, the President them would almost invariably be en- of the Food Regulation Board clearly couraged to seek employment in Can- indicated in a recent speech that the very scanty and would require the

### SEVERE EARTHQUAKE IN AMERI-

WASHINGTON, To-day. A very severe earthquake, the trem day, every employer of labor, manu- night, centered about 5,000 miles from | war trophies to reach the city are the facturer, merchant, banker, or what- Washington. So severe were the machine guns, which were taken from how he can employ a few partly dis- imum intensity that the recording

GERMAN ATTACK REPULSED. PARIS. To-day. The Germans last night made another offensive movement in the re- occasion; suffice it to say that they gion of Hill 304, northwest of Ver- won the highest praise possible from dun, attacking the French trenches. the Commander of the British Forces, The attack, says to-day's War Office Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig. Af-

ENCOUNTER WITH SUBMARINE.

PERNAMBUCO, To-day. mazon, which arrived here from Europe, say that she was attacked in the oven. by a submarine in the neighborhood of Vigo, Spain. The submarine fired apart when not in use, is an excellent a torpedo which passed close under investment.

ble itching, that burning pain; to

ointments, lotions and powders. Put them aside now and give Nature a chance as represented by Zam-Buk. Zam-Buk is made from herbal es-sences; is a natural healer. Is not something you have to send to the end of the world for, and pay a LCavy price! Every druggist will sell you Zam-Buk and for 50c. only.

perature, especially in the upper air, passengers, several shots were fired airplanes are exceedingly active in at the submarine by the Amazon and co-operation with the artillery. This a French steamer which was in the activity entails much fighting at al- neighborhood. The submarine distitudes where the mercury registers appeared and it was not learned whe-

COPENHAGEN, To-day. The Ekstrabladet quotes a Swedish seaman as saying taht the crews from the cold wonderfully well. Many of armed ships sunk by the German fer the ice and frost to the water and war prisoners in Germany, include mud of milder weather. Everything between 200 and 300 Americans, four

#### MEANS NEW COMPLICATION.

LONDON, To-day. An extension of sea warfare with Germany because of her threat to sink on sight all British ships armed with three guns promises to bring new diftheir complete success, had brought ficulties between belligerents and up a large number of old London neutrals, including the United States. It is learned from a high diplomatic attitude toward protective armamen in the near future.

#### GERMANY WITHDRAWING TROOPS FROM ROUMANIA. LONDON, To-Day.

the present. All the enemy efforts during the last two weeks have been o-Roumanian armies, which are hold ROME, To-day.

The Austrian destroyer Huzar was Trotus and Sereth. The line is at put out of action in a naval engagepresent so strong that the enemy
seems unable to strike another blow. ment in the Adriatic a few days ago. The enemy realizes that this is the case and appears to have decided to Austrian flotilla and the Huzar was withdraw part of his forces from this hit several times and set on fire. The front, where only four or five German divisions remain. The rest of the German forces have been relieved by Turkish and Austrian troops. On the front south of Galatz and in the Trotus Valley, no Bulgarian unit is left except some artillery. The Roumanian soldiers who escorted them often

# Try This Prescription.

When that overpowering weariness and a never-rested feeling comes over you, it shows some serious disorder The Times says that it is authorized is undermining your health. The cure to state that the allegation that Great is simple. Build up the system and

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#### Hun Macbine **Guns Here**

WAR SOUVENIRS. The most important and striking

ever his calling, should be considering shocks when they reached their max- the Germans by the Newfoundland Regiment in the triumphant charge at Guendecourt on October 12th and warded to St. John's, by order of the British Government and at the request of His Excellency the Governor, Hon. Lieut.-Col. of "Ours." It is hardly necessary + retell what our gallant soldiers achieved on that memorable announcement, was stopped by gun ter the battle there was not a Newfoundlander's bayonet but was rec the brave-paid the Supreme penalty erishable fame as long as New oundland is Newfoundland.

A kitchen stool, which can be taken

# Christmas at the Foont 2000000000

Dec. 30th, 1916: "Well, on Christmas Day we had for dinner, roast turkey, vegetables, and pudding. We made a fine meal of it. At tea hour had our own egetables, pudding, fruit, raisins and uts, coffee, and had a beautiful meal, fter which we invited in our French olk and spent a social evening, sing ing songs, etc. in French and English. New Year's Day we are having a reetition of this, and to-morrow I shall be quite busy preparing for it. I had

# Here and There.

ou were thinking of me on Xmas

Day, and thought I had nothing. You

vill know now that I had plenty.

Last year I spent a much worse time

on the boat, asd next Xmas I hope to

Turkeys, Geese and Chicken at

MORE PENSIONS IN SIGHT.—It is reported in Government circles that a few long service officials in the Post Office. Custom House and other branches of the public service are prevails on the eve of a general election. It will be interesting to know whether the vacant offices will be filled by promotion or by outsiders.

#### NICE Clean FISH Sounds at WHELAN'S .- jan30,1i

SHIPPING REPORTS MISSED BY MANY.—Since the publication of the novements of all foreign going ships has been discontinued, relatives of pended on the daily papers for information concerning their whereabouts have now to call at the various shipping offices to get the latest report. The number of callers are now ten to one on former occasions.

CHOIR PRACTICE. — Members of Cochrane Street Choir will please attend the Practice in the League Room to-night at 8 o'clock.—jan30,1i

### NEW THEATRICALS MAKE BIG

Last night there was a good crowd at Rossleys British Theatre to witness the farce comedy presented by Mr. Edmund Fox and Miss Carolyn Carr. "The Lunatics" is only intended for laughing purposes. The two visitors to the Lunatic Asylum each mistake the other for a patient and of course try to humor the other. It is capable little farce comedy. The clever work of Fox and Carr show them to be artists of great dramatic ability. On Thursday their next change will be "The Habitant," a great French-Canadian act and a positive novelty. The three reel feature "The Expiation" is one of the best pictures seen in a long while. The comedy picture "A Fatal Bean' had the audience in roars of laugh-

#### ter. A splendid show. Minard's Liniment Co., Limited. Sirs,-I have used your MINARD'S LINIMENT for the past 25 years and liniments I can safely say that I have If rubbed between the hands and

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January 30th, 1917, after a lingering illness, Thomas O'Brien, aged 78 years, leaving one son and one sister This morning, Beatrice, aged 15 selves "above that kind of thing." months, darling child of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Janes.

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# Portia's Stormy Trip.

rived back from Channel and intermediate ports this morning, after one of the stormiest trips on 'record. Strong winds, heavy seas and intense frost is a summary of the experiences of the voyage, which occupied 15 days. The ship brought a full freight and as passengers in saloon:-Capt. J. Gilam, P. Jensen, J. Jensen, Wm. Garand, H. P. Power, Corporal Reid, J. Cashin and 10 in steerage. The winter fishery on the Western Banks is still interrupted by con-

nuously stormy weather. None of he bankers have yet begun opera-

CULTURED LIGHT FINGERING. -A couple of weeks ago a suburban esident missed a fine prize bird from his hennery and looked far and near for it, but could discover no trace of t. On Saturday afternoon one of the family noticed the missing Richard in a neighboring yard and after the necessary explanation took the strayaway back. The prize ring which is in Boston and one brother, James, always attached to this kind of poulof Topsail. Funeral on Thursday, at try was, however, missing. The 2.30 p.m., from the residence of Mrs. party in whose possession the missing James Power, 12 Moore Street .- R.I.P. bird was discovered declared them-

### Everyday Etiquette.

ollows, require a gift?" asked Edith. "No a present is not necessary as wedding gifts are never obligatory in iny case," said her mother.

The wise cook stuffs even the legs of the chicken to be sure there is nough stuffing. The ticking of a watch in the sick coom can be softened by turning

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