



Evening Telegram

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Flacing The Blame.

In Germany just now, "scape-goating," as an American paper puts it, is a favorite pastime with the military, the press and the people, the object being to find the real person responsible for losing the war: but the scapegoats are notoriously active doggers and past masters in the art of evasion, and each one exercises considerable ingenuity in shoudering off the blame on the other. The question among the Allies, which was considerably discussed, and finally settled by mutual agreement, was "Who won the war?" With the Germans, the real controversy, bitterly carried on, is over the question, "Who lost the war?"

So far no answer satisfactory to the German people, or to the military and naval heads themselves has been forthcoming. No German leader is able to make a reply pleasing to any other German leader. Each one accuses somebody else, and is in turn blamed himself. And so the "scapegoating" goes merrily on. Von Tirpitz claims that if his policy of unrestricted warfare had been carried out, victory would have come to the Central Powers. But intrigue robbed him of the confidence of the Kaiser, the submarine campaign was, in consequence, held back and the war was lost. General Ludendorff holds that Von Bethmann Holweg, former Chancellor, and Admiral Holtzendorff, chief of the naval staff, were to blame, both of them having made faulty calculations in the submarine campaign, which led Ludendorff and Hindenburg to give their approval, the said approval making for national suicide.

Charge and countercharge follow each other in rapid succession and recriminations all round are the orders of the day. According to Ludendorff's contention, the chief of the naval staff, Holtzendorff, was at fault in underestimating the ability of the Allies to cope with the submarine menace: Bethmann Holweg was also at fault in misjudging the effect of ruthless submarine warfare upon neutral nations, especially the United States, which had not then entered the war. Had these errors not been made, Ludendorff's implication is that another policy would have been followed, the United States would not have come in and added its strength to that of the Allies, and thus victory, or a semblance of success might have been obtained by the Central Powers. Holweg, in self defence and to clear his official skirts of responsibility for the U-boat campaign, endeavours to make it appear that he was not vested with supreme control, and the direction of the nation's affairs did not rest with him, but actually with Hindenburg and Ludendorff who were able to override him and eventually drove him from the chancellorship. Going around in the circle Von Tirpitz blames court intrigues: Ludendorff

blames Von Bethmann Holweg, who in turn places the responsibility for losing the war on both Ludendorff and Hindenburg. The German people can take their choice. The war was lost but neither German leader knows exactly who lost it.

And meanwhile "Germany is exploiting her weakness, just as in the past she exploited her strength." In these words a writer in the Geneva Journal summarizes a warning against the "dangerous security" being now enjoyed by the Allied world. The same paper asserts that fearing a strangulation of trade in "a war after the war" Germany has established a number of depots along the Swiss border from which she can pour a veritable flood of manufactured commodities into Switzerland. Commenting on this the Montreal Star says that in a similar way German export trade is menacing the industries of Italy, Holland, Denmark, Sweden, and all the countries of Central Europe. She is willing and ready to do the world's producing while we and the other Allied nations are given over to dancing, joy-riding and strikes, but when it comes to buying from us, she pleads poverty, wants us to furnish the credit and plenty of it. According to the testimony of our own and U. S. commercial travellers, returning from Berlin, she proposes to take advantage of her cheap labor, and of our capital, to flood Allied countries with goods. Thus would the Germans capture foreign trade, while the period of labor unrest following the war keeps our factories from their full productivity, and in losing the war, the Germans gain more than winning would have given them.

The 1914-15 Star.

The medals for those of "Ours" who served in Gallipoli, Egypt, and the Aegean Sea in 1914-15, were issued yesterday at the Militia Department. The decoration is of bronze and is in the shape of a four-pointed star, surmounted by a crown. In the centre is a wreath of laurels with crossed swords. At the base is the letter G, enclosing the Roman numeral V. On the reverse side is stamped the name of the recipient and the legend, R. Newfoundland Regiment. The medal is suspended from a handsome red, white, and blue water wave silk ribbon.

Former Governor Macallum Dead.

The death of Colonel Sir Henry Macallum, a former Governor of this Dominion, is recorded in the Canadian press. Sir Henry was Governor of Newfoundland from 1898 to 1901, succeeding Sir Herbert Murray, and preceding Sir Cavendish Boyle. In 1901 he was appointed Governor of Natal, which post he held till 1907. He was 67 years old.

Express Passengers.

The following passengers landed at Port aux Basques yesterday from the S. S. Kyle and are on the incoming express:—P. O'Brien, P. Flynn, F. J. Doyle, J. St. John, H. King, J. Bishop, A. Greenland, A. Richards, J. Bathstone, C. Coggs, A. Lawlor, G. S. White, C. Dicks, T. Moulton, Mrs. C. Moulton, W. J. Barrett, G. Dawe, C. Hollands, M. Vidowsky, M. Jacobs, A. March, G. Fisher.

These are days when value counts most in clothing. Take nothing for granted about so-called "high prices," but investigate! This store's record for value stands on Kuppenheimer clothing. Kuppenheimer woollens stand on quality; the styles represent the creative styles of masters—the tailoring in a class all its own. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

Coming Home.

Editor Evening Telegram
Dear Sir,—I beg to advise you that word has been received from the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, to the effect that the following embarked per S. S. Sachem on December 2nd, for St. John's, Newfoundland:—Major (Rev.) Nangle, 3822 pte. Henry Snow, M.M., 3850 pte. Thos. Power, Ex-3912 pte. Chesley Reid, Ex-5335 pte. Albert Shave, Ex-5199 pte. V. Constantine, Ex-5247 pte. C. Ridout, 2200 X Seaman Carey; Nurses Mary Baird, Marion Bartlett.

Yours faithfully,
W. F. RENDELL,
Lieut. Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

Dec. 4, 1919.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES COLDS, Etc.

Police Court.

A Postmistress at Glovertown, charged with stealing a letter containing a cheque drawn on the Bank of Commerce, in July last, was remanded for 8 days till bonds are furnished. Bail was renewed in the case of the young man connected with the missing letters in the Post Office.

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, Dec. 4.
Antiseptic Throat Pastilles, prepared by Evans of Liverpool, from the celebrated recipe of Dr. Bark of the Liverpool Throat Hospital, are about the best known things of this kind, and certainly one of the best. During the war it was not always possible to obtain these pastilles, but we have lately gotten in a good stock, which are available for all users. Price 40c. a box.
Sunset Soap Dyes satisfy all users. A full variety of colors to be had from us. Price 15c a package.

Digby's Passengers.

The S. S. Digby arrived in port at 8.30 this morning bringing the following passengers:—Mrs. F. Kennedy, Miss H. Kennedy, Mrs. E. Lorne, W. Sheafe, J. W. Nicholls, Miss J. Wright, Miss L. Nichols. The Digby will sail again on Saturday morning.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram
CAPE RACE, "CAPE RACE" day.
Wind N. W., strong; weather dull. The S. S. Sable Island passed west yesterday and several schooners are in sight to-day, bound west. Bar. 30.05; Ther. 28.

Don't forget Dec. 17th. The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Society will hold a Sale of Work on that date, and have lots of suitable Christmas Gifts to offer you. Full particulars later.—dec3,31

G. KNOWLING, Ltd.

have just received the following:

- 20 Cases Cream of Wheat.
- 10 Cases Malt Breakfast Food.
- 5 Gross Pink Pills.
- 5 Gross Red Spruce Gum.
- 5 Gross Wilson's Cherry Balsam.
- 10 Gross Indian Root Pills
- 10 Gross Dodd's Kidney Pills.
- 2 Gross Pyny Balsam.
- 5 Cases Armour's Coffee Essence.
- 5 Cases Armour's Worcester Sauce.
- 10 Cases Shelled Walnuts.
- 4 Cases Morton's Citron, 58c. a pound.
- 6 Cases Morton's Lemon Peel, 40c. a pound.
- 10 Cases Herbine Bitters.
- 40 Cases Tinned Pears and Egg Plums.
- 2 Cases Powdered Carbonate Ammonia.
- 2 Cs. Fine White Tasteless Castor Oil.
- 1 Case Crushed Linseed.
- 5 Cases Concentrated Vinegar Essence.
- 3 Cases 1/2 pt. bils. Morton's Table Vinegar.
- 5 Cases Finest Tartaric Acid.
- 5 Kegs Saltpetre Crystals.
- 5 Cases lb. tins Chloride Lime.
- 6 Cases 1 lb. tins Neave's Food.
- 6 Cases Calvert's Carbolic Acid.
- 3 Cases Allenbury's Food
- 1 Case Crosse and Blackwell's Essence Vanilla and Lemon.
- 2 Cases Lazenby's Pickles
- 1 Case Lazenby's Potted Meats, Potted Bloaters and Potted Anchovy.
- 1 Case Chiver's Carpet Soap.
- 50 Kegs Ground Ginger.
- 5 Cases Brasso Brass Polish in tins.
- 3 Cases Chemical Food.
- 2 Cases Waterglass.
- 5 Cases Nutmegs.
- 20 Cases English Ground Spices: Pimento, Cinnamon, Mace, Mixed Spice, etc., etc.
- 2 Brls. Finest White Pepper.
- 2 Brls. Finest Black Pepper.
- 50 Cases Sugar Corn.
- 25 Cases Libby's Canned Peas.
- 50 Cs. John Knight's Toilet Bar & Quick Washer Soaps.

- All for sale at our usual small margin of profit, at our East, West and Central Stores.
- G. KNOWLING, Ltd.
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Here and There.

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

Prince Albert Tobacco, 23 cts. a tin, at THE BEE-HIVE STORE, Charlton St.—tu,th,s,tt

WEATHER ACROSS COUNTRY.—Wind west, light; fine; temperature 10 to 40 above.

Jessop's Pastry at THE BEE-HIVE STORE, Charlton St. tu,th,s,tt

PASSED ICEBERG.—The S. S. Mexico reported to the wireless station that she passed a small iceberg on Dec. 2nd in lat. 43.14 N. long. 49.06 W.

MINARD'S LINIMENT.—The Old Reliable. P. C. O'DRISCOLL, LTD., Agents, St. John's, oct14,3m

AT THE CROSBIE.—The following guests are registered at the Crobie: W. D. Sheafe, Jr., Portland; M. Powell, Victoria; Roy McLeod, Bay Roberts.

Picture Postcards, great variety, at THE BEE-HIVE STORE, Charlton St.—tu,th,s,tt

TRAIN MOVEMENTS.—Yesterday's west bound express arrived at Bishop's Falls at 8 a.m. Yesterday's east bound express left Benton at 8.55 a.m.

Families will find it greatly to their interest to deal at THE BEE-HIVE STORE, Charlton St. tu,th,s,tt

NO PARTICULARS OF LOSS.—There are no further particulars to hand as to how the schooner Minnie J. Dicks was lost. Messages of inquiry have been sent.

School Children by the scores profit by getting their School Supplies at THE BEE-HIVE STORE, Charlton St.—tu,th,s,tt

BREACH OF CUSTOMS REGULATIONS.—Stephen Martin of Miller's Passage was convicted and fined \$50.00 before Magistrate Parsons for not reporting.

The Running Match will take place on Monday, Dec. 8th, at 8.15 p.m. C.C.C. Band in attendance.—dec4,31

Every Saturday evening after 7 o'clock, Choice Ends of Beef, Mutton, Lamb, Pork will be sold at cost. ELLIS & CO., LTD., 293 Water Street.—nov22,tt

DECORATING SHOPS.—Xmas decorating in most of the Water Street stores has begun early and judging from the work already done, this Christmas season is to experience an unusual profusion of such display.

Never before in the history of our business have we gathered such a handsome and practical collection of quality and style-bearing gifts for men. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

BONDS FURNISHED.—Bonds of \$1000 for self and \$500 each in two securities were furnished by the Postmistress accused of stealing a registered letter. The case will come up for hearing next Thursday.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets.) It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. E. W. Grove's signature on each box. 30c.—oct18

PRISONER BROUGHT IN.—Contable Whelan came in by yesterday's train with a prisoner who was arrested under warrant at Northern Bight, T.B.

WANTED.—A Girl for Repairing Clothes and making alterations; also a Messenger Boy to learn his trade. SPURRELL the Tailor, 365 Water Street. sep17,ead,tt

Men's Furnishings that will instantly attract the man of fashionable instincts is now to be seen at our establishment. The most attractive array of Shirts in pleasing patterns. A fine lot of Half Hose, Stylish Neckwear, Silk Mufflers and Handkerchiefs, and many fine fancy Waistcoats that would make most suitable Xmas Gifts. BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

Through our good fortune in obtaining practically all our furs before recent unprecedented advances, we can sell at prices that will appeal to the keen buyer. Inspection will give one an idea of their exquisite beauty. Why not give Furs this Christmas? BISHOP, SONS & CO., LTD.

SALE OF WORK.—The St. Thomas' Women's Association are holding a sale of plain and fancy work. Christmas dainties, etc., in the Canon Wood Hall on Tuesday next.

OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT.—Ex-Sergt. Jack Robinson will open his new Grocery Store, New Gower Street, Saturday morning. Full announcement to-morrow.—dec4,11

For Chest Colds, Head Colds, Grip, Influenza and Pneumonia A few simple applications of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE BALVE will be found very helpful. It opens the pores and penetrates the skin. Its Stimulating and Healing Effect is very comforting. Price 35c. per box. If your Druggist hasn't any, send 35c. in postage stamps to Paris Medicine Co., 128 Spadina Ave., Toronto, and a fullsize box will be mailed to you promptly.

KNOWLING'S Dress Goods

Cheviots, Gaberdines, Serges.
Whipcords, Venetions.

CHEVIOT TWEEDS—54 inches wide.

Grey	\$3.50, \$5.10
Brown	\$3.50, \$6.00
Fawn	\$3.50, \$4.75, \$5.10
Navy	\$5.00
Purple	\$6.00
Saxe	\$6.00
Reseda	\$6.50
Bannockburn	\$8.00
Green & Black Stripe, \$2.10, 4.20, 4.90	

VENETIAN—50 inches wide.

Black, Navy, Brown, Saxe, Grey	\$5.10 per yd.
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GABERDINE—50 inches wide.

Black, Navy, Grey, Green, Saxe, Brown	\$6.50 per yd.
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WHIPCORD—54 inches wide.

Fawn	\$3.20 per yd.
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CHECK DRESS GOODS—54 ins. wide.

In Black and White, Black and White with Purple and Yellow Check, Black and White with Green and Yellow Check, Black and White with Green and Blue Check \$3.50 per yd.

FINE SERGE—54 and 56 ins. wide.

Navy	\$5.60, 6.00, 6.25, 6.75, 7.30 yd.
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FINE SERGE—54 and 56 ins. wide.

Black—\$1.70, 4.40, 5.10, 5.75, 6.25, 6.50, 7.30 per yard.	
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FINE SERGE—40 inches wide.

Black, 90c., \$1.50, 2.25, 3.75 per yard.	
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DIAGONAL SERGE—40 inches wide.

Black	\$2.60 per yd.
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BOATING SERGE—32 inches wide.

Black and Navy	45c. per yd.
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MELTON CLOTH—50 inches wide.

Brown and Green	\$2.75 per yd.
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Xmas Confectionery!

We have now ready for delivery:

- 3 tons MOIR'S CAKE—Bulk and 1 lb. pkgs.)
- 400 doz. MOIR'S HALVES. 200 doz. MOIR'S ONES.
- 800 5-lb. XXX BULK CHOCOLATES—Presentation boxes in grand variety.
- 200 pails. CHOCOLATES, MIXTURES, HARD CANDIES, KISSES, ETC.

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200 Water Street.

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A Dangerous Practice.

The close shave experienced by the boy on the street-car day before yesterday, as described in yesterday's issue, reminds us that there is a dangerous practice often indulged by people when the cars are full. This is in climbing onto the back and even front of the moving car. Some day a serious accident, if not a fatality, is going to occur. In most cases the conductor is blameless, being unaware of the presence of such persons. In the case of Tuesday the conductor was half way up the car, collecting fares, and as even standing room was at a premium he could not see the boy on the rear fender. But if a serious accident had occurred, the conductor, who was entirely blameless, would be called the guilty one. The habit should be stopped.

Personal.

Mr. Harvey Small, member for Burgeo & LaPole, has entered Harvey & Co's. employ as travelling representative.
Mr. Gus Green, foreman of the Civil Re-establishment Technical School, intends leaving for Scotland by the Digby. The Students of the school have made him a handsome present as an appreciation of his valuable services in the work.

LAST NIGHT'S DANCE.—A dance held last night in the C.C.C. Hall to help swell the funds of the St. Clare's Home Xmas tree fair, was largely attended. The C.C.C. Band furnished the music, which as usual was par excellent.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

ST. CLAIR'S HOME

(FOR WORKING GIRLS).

(Under the distinguished patronage of His Grace the Archbishop.)

A GRAND XMAS TREE

will be opened at ST. CLAIR'S HOME, LeMarchant Road, on the afternoon of

TUESDAY, December 9th.

Afternoon Teas served. A Grand Concert will be held at 8.30 o'clock. Admission to Xmas Tree: Adults, 20c.; Children, 10c. Concert and Tea, 50 cents. dec4,6,8

Apples, Oranges & Grapes in Stock

- 600 brls. APPLES—Winter keepers.
- 100 cases CALIFORNIA OR.—100 kegs GREEN GRAPES
- ANGES—252, 216, 176.
- 100 cases SILVERPEEL ON.—150 cases ORANGES— for Xmas trade.

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