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# Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, - - - Proprietor
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FRIDAY, March 16, 1917.


## Will Not Be Published.

**To-morrow being a Public Holiday, "The Evening Telegram" will not issue.**

## VOX POPULI.

The wires will be hot for some time with news of the truly amazing events that have occurred and are occuring in Russia. The events themselves we may call more momentous than surprising, for the causes from which they spring have been common knowledge for a long time; but that they should have taken place and effected such results with so little bloodshed and disorder is little short of miraculous. The fact is eloquent proof how deep-seated and widespread they are. A revolution has come which has in a few days, almost in a few hours, transformed the face of Russia and affected, nobody knows to what extent, the fate of nations. It was expected to come some time, but by none in the midst of war. Yet it is the war that is at the bottom of it, and has educated the people by bitter trial up to a realisation of their position. The revolution is a victory for the Duma in the contest that first assumed serious proportions last summer, but much more is it a victory for the people.

For days past there has been ominous silence from the Russian capital, which the food disturbances were plainly inadequate to explain, though they seem to have been the match that lit the train long since laid. The flame, once lighted, spread with great rapidity, and already the nation seems to be recovering itself. The German influences, suspected to be too strong to be eradicated, have been swept away at a blow in the persons of all the infected ministers. Report says that the hated Sturmer and Protopopoff have both been killed; if not, they must be in prison. The Czar has abdicated, and the German-born Empress is under guard; the vacated throne is occupied by the popular and anglophile Grand Duke. The new ministers are all popular and close to the people. There does not seem to be the slightest ground for misgiving. No comment from any capital has yet reached us, and it will be impossible to make any until the situation is quite clear. When it does come, that which is dated from Berlin will be perhaps the most valuable. They will know there exactly what it means, and whatever they may say it will be easy to read between the lines. Despite the present dangers that are certain to exist, it looks as if a great victory for the Allies had been won, a victory which will soon translate itself into military terms. Ivan is in the war to win it, and he now has leaders whom he can trust. His enormous power will be able to assert itself. Probably the world has no conception how far the might of Russia has been paralysed by German intrigue, or what, freed and unfettered, it will yet achieve. It is necessary in these times to speak cautiously of everything, but to us the news looks almost too good to be true.

## St. Thomas's M.B.C.

There was another large gathering of men at St. Thomas's Men's Bible Class last night to hear the address by Rev. Dr. Jones on the subject: "Some things we are proud of in the Church." The reverend lecturer began at the signing of the Magna Charta, and showed how proud we all are of it, the foundation really of all our liberties, religious as well as political, and pointed out that notwithstanding what is said sometimes, the Church of England has always been on the side of the people; he showed that the Church of England was always independent and was proud of the fact; and of the stand the Bishops had taken all during the Reformation; was proud of the breadth of the Church, the only condition demanded of those who wished to associate themselves with her was the acceptance of the Apostles' Creed. There were no set rules, only those based on the Bible and the Ten Commandments; everyone is allowed liberty of conscience, and he was proud of the loyalty of the Church to the Throne of England at the present time, and stated that 46 per cent. of the enlisted men in Canada are members of the Church of England, and this notwithstanding that denominationally the Church of England in Canada takes fourth place; it is stated, too, that 70 per cent. of England's new army from all parts of the Empire, the majority of which are now fighting in France and Flanders, are members of the Church of England. These addresses are proving highly interesting and instructive. Next Thursday evening the subject will be "Some things we regret in the Church."—Com.


# NOTICE!

**The "PROSPERO" will sail for usual Western Ports on SATURDAY, March 17th, at 6 p.m.**

**Bowring Brothers, Ltd.**
**Coastal Mail Service.**


## 1st Nfld. REGIMENT.

### Casualty List.

**Received March 15th, 1917.**

2719—Corporal Ernest Toope, Ireland's Eye, T. B. At 12th General Hospital, Rouen, March 7, gunshot wounds mutiple, severe.

55—C. Q. M. S. Ralph M. Andrews, 18 Hamilton Street. Reported wounded, degree unknown, March 3.

2168—Private Francis J. Christian, Grand Falls. Do.

**The Following Admitted Wandsworth.**

2345—Private Albert Andrews, 249 Water St. W. Trenchfoot.

2194—Private David Peddle, Spaniard's Bay, C. B. Inflammation kidneys.

2210—Private Roy Bailey, 4 Temperance St. Water on right knee.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

**The Following Admitted Wandsworth.**

1667—Private Plemon Pollard, Botwood, wounded, March 2, degree unknown. Gunshot wound right arm and head.

2932—Private John S. Brenton, Bull Cove, Burin, wounded, March 2, degree unknown. Do.

2192 — Private Samuel Edwards, Catalina, wounded, March 2, degree unknown. Gunshot wound right leg and head.

1733—Private Thomas A. Pittman, Little Bay East, F. B., wounded, Mar. 2, degree unknown. Gunshot wound left shoulder.

2977—Private Eli Hodder, Horwood, N. D. B., seriously ill, pneumonia, Rouen, February 15th, improving March 4. Removed from seriously ill list.

**Received March 16th.**

2520—Private Samuel Butt, Hickman's Hr. Admitted Wandsworth; bronchitis.

1701—Private John J. Oliphant, 1½ Maxse St. Admitted Casualty Clearing Station, March 3rd; muscular rheumatism.

**Previously Reported.**

1782—Private Thomas W. Ford, Jackson's Arm, White Bay. Dangerously ill pneumonia, transferred to base, March 7. Admitted Wandsworth.

55—C.Q.M.S. Ralph M. Andrews, 18 Hamilton Street. Wounded March 8, degree unknown; Admitted Wandsworth; gunshot wound left thigh.

270—Private William W. Bartlett, Brigus. Wounded March 2, degree unknown. Admitted 1st Australian General Hospital, Rouen, March 5; gunshot wounds right thigh, scalp, left leg, buttock, left ankle, compound fracture of fibula; severe.

2168—Private Francis J. Christian, Grand Falls. Wounded March 3, degree unknown. Admitted 10th General Hospital, Rouen, March 8; gunshot wound jaw; severe.

J. R. BENNETT.
Colonial Secretary.

## Had Fourteen Fits in One Afternoon.

**BUT IS MADE WELL AND STRONG BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.**

**Mr. R. J. Thompson, of Uxbridge, Tells the Story of His Terrible Trouble and Almost Miraculous Cure.**

Uxbridge, Ont., Mar. 15. (Special.) Mr. R. J. Thompson, living near here, had fourteen convulsions in one afternoon. The doctors did not think he could live. To-day he is well and strong. He says Dodd's Kidney Pills did it. But let him tell his own story:

"I am delighted with Dodd's Kidney Pills," Mr. Thompson states. "I have only taken eleven boxes and I feel like myself again.

"I was taken ill very suddenly. I ate my dinner and went to take a man home. I just got about three-quarters of a mile when I was taken with a convulsion fit. I had fourteen that afternoon and the third day I had nine more.

"The doctors said I could not live and if I did I would never be able to do anything again as I had chronic Bright's Disease. But, thank God, I am doing my own work once again, by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Bright's Disease is the most advanced stage of kidney disease. It can be avoided if the earlier stages of kidney trouble are remedied by the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

## At Cochrane St. Church

At Cochrane Street Centennial Church on Sunday, the Pastor, Rev. Dr. Bond, will preach at both services. The subject for the morning is, "Who is on the Lord's side?" In the evening a memorial service will be held in memory of the late Mr. Henry Maunder, who for many years was an active worker and an official of this Church. Subject of the sermon will be "A good man." The choir will render "Vital Spark of Heavenly Flame" and the "Dead March in Saul" will be heard for the first time on the new organ. Visitors especially welcome.

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHTHERIA.

## Lieut. Howard Reid.

**Enthusiastic Welcome to our First Flyer.**

Special to Evening Telegram.

HUMBERMOUTH, To-day.

A very enthusiastic welcome home is being given Lieut. Howard Reid, our Nfld. aeroplane hero, along the railway line to-day. He is on the express arriving at St. John's at noon to-morrow, St. Patrick's Day. At every station bunting is displayed. A light west wind and a most beautiful day. Eight brave lads of our Naval Reserve and some volunteers also on the train are receiving an equal share of hearty welcome from crowds assembled at the stations. The cars and engines are decorated and the public at large as well as the employees of the railway are one in extending to our first aero hero the honor so rightly his and so manfully won. Newfoundlanders will always proudly claim him as their premier flyer, and hope that he may long live to represent us in the air as others represent us on land and sea.

D. F. MEANEY.

## Naval Heroes Returning.

The following Royal Naval Reservists are pasengers on the incoming express due to-morrow afternoon:—W. J. Davis, Albert Cran, W. Smith, Mallow, C. J. White, S. Ford, C. Somerton, O. Stanley, M. Clark. On reaching the city the boys in blue will be given a right royal reception and the day being a holiday it is expected that thousands of citizens will turn out to show their appreciation of the brave lads that stand between us and the barabaric Huns. Included in the list of returning heroes is Reservist Chas. Somerton, third son of Mr. Richard Somerton, of Portugal Cove, who enlisted at the very beginning of the war. During his two and a half years service he has had some trying experiences, but in all cases luck was with him. He was for some time attached to the Lucania but received a transfer to another port a few hours before the ship sailed on her fatal voyage. He was also on two other ships that glided down to Davey Jones' locker shortly after he was transferred from them to other ships. Private W. J. Somerton, a badly wounded Gallipoli and France veteran now at home, and Private Peter Somerton, now in hospital in England suffering from shell shock, are brothers of Charlie.

## Thanksgiving Service at Gower St. Church.

Sunday, March 18th, will be a memorable day with the congregation of Gower Street Methodist Church. Instead of the regular Preaching Service in the evening, a Thanksgiving Service will be held to commemorate the wiping out of the debt on the church. Rev. Dr. Cowperthwaite will deliver an address on "Reminiscences of the Old and New Gower Street Churches." The Hon. R. K. Bishop will give an address dealing with the debt on the church and its extinction. J. E. P. Peters will preside. Several ladies of the congregation will be in attendance Saturday morning to receive any flowers or plants which the friends of the congregation may be willing to lend or contribute for the occasion. Visiting friends will be welcomed and provided with seats by the ushers.

## McMurdo's Store News

FRIDAY, March 16, '17.

If you want a box of Chocolates for to-morrow, you can secure what you need at either of our stores. At the Water Street Store there is a fair selection of Willard's Chocolates; at the Military Road Branch, Moir's in considerable variety; at the Ice Cream Centre, the dainty and distinctive Samoset. Any of these Chocolates will help you to enjoy St. Patrick's Day.

You will need a Tonic after the winter. You can scarcely get anything better for this purpose than our Nutritive Hypophosphites, which has had several seasons' trial in Newfoundland, and which is becoming recognized as a tonic of peculiar value for the Spring. Price 50c. and $1.00 a bottle.

## The Mallard Fund

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| Amount acknowledged .. .. | $19 00 |
| J. T. Lamb .. .. .. .. .. | 5 00 |
| Mrs. P. Ellard, Torbay Rd. .. | 1 00 |
| The I. C. Morris Sailworks .. | 2 00 |
| Employees Telephone Office .. | 9 00 |
| | $36 00 |

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY AT ROSSLEY'S**

There will be an unusual big show at Rossley's British Theatre on St. Patrick's Day—afternoon and night. The beautiful Irish play, "Come Back to Erin," with Fox and Carr; the Pantomime Troupe, Miss Bonnie Rossley and last but not least, our favourite comedian, Mr. Jack Rossley, after his long and serious illness of ten weeks, will once again appear on the stage and give some of his Irish songs and dances. He is rightly named the man with the educated feet. All know the ability of Mr. Edmund Fox and dainty Miss Carr. Miss Bonnie Rossley and the Pontomime Troupe in all new Irish songs and dances. The pictures are all new and the best of their kind. The children's Country Store was a huge success, over one hundred beautiful articles—flour, cut glass, groceries, dry goods, toys—given away to the great delight of all.

**PRELIMINARY NOTICE. — Reserve Easter Wednesday night, April 12th, for the Concert and Sociable to be held in George Street Basement, under the auspices of the Adult Bible Class. Part proceeds in aid of Jensen Red Cross Fund, Particulars later.—mar16,30**


# Some Snaps!

**Job Lines Remarkably Cheap Goods just opened**

*SPECIAL:--36 only Ladies' New York Costumes, up-to-date styles.*

*SILK LINED COATS, mostly Navy and Sax.*

*A few Black and Shepherd Checks. Price: $15.00, worth $20.00 to $30.00.*

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White Embroidered Voile and Muslin Dresses. This is a very smart lot, $4.00 to $7.00.

About 100 other Summer Dresses, silk and laced trimmed; various styles and materials, half price, $3.00 each.

A lot Children's White Embroidered and Coloured Gingham Dresses, very cheap.

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White Voile & Organdie,
Fancy Coloured Muslin,
Plaid Silk,
Mercerized Ninon,
Striped Zephyrs,
And quite a nice selection of Middy Blouses,
**75c. to $2.00.**

*SKIRTS: Costume Skirts in Serge and Shepherd Check, $4.50 to $6.00.*

*A Lot of 50 Serge Skirts, mostly Navy and Black, at $2.00 and $3.00, worth double the price.*

*UNDERSKIRTS: About 6 dozen of these, White Embroidered Cambric, only 75c. each.*

VARIOUS OTHER LINES THAT WE HAVE NOT SPACE TO DESCRIBE.

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—Also—

**20 Barrels Cranberries**

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**Grove Hill Bulletin**
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'Phone 247. Terms: Cash.

**J. McNEIL,**
Waterford Bridge Road.


## Prohibition Case Dismissed.

Henry Snow, a steward of the s.s. Florizel, was before Judge Penney in the Magistrate's Court to-day, charged with bringing liquor ashore and consuming it in the city. The charge was based on Sergeant Furlong and Constables Day and Vail finding the defendant drunk on the street late on the night of Jan. 27th last. He was taken into custody, owing to his helpless condition, and in reply to a question from Sergt. Furlong stated that he brought the liquor from the steamer. It was shown to-day to the satisfaction of His Honor that the man was so insensible and incapable at that time that he was not responsible for making the statement. The evidence was also submitted that the defendant got the liquor and drank it at the home of his brother in the city. The case was dismissed. Messrs Hunt and Dunfield appeared for the prosecution and Mr. Higgins for the defendant.

NOTICE.—J. C. PARSONS' Studio, Bank of Montreal Building, will be open to-morrow, St. Patrick's Day.—mar16,1i

MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DISTEMPER.

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10.30 A.M

CRIPPLING THE COUN
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THE REVOLUTIO

PETROGRAD
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dent of the Duma; Minister
culture, M. Yohingareff, deputy
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ister of Justice, deputy Kerensk
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V. Nekressoff; Vice-President
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REPORTED STURMER AND
POPOFF KILLED

COPENHAGEN
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EMPRESS UNDER GUARD.

LONDON
A Petrograd despatch t
Chronicle dated Wednesda
the Empress of Russia
placed under guard.

THE REGENT.

LONDON
The Grand Duke Michael
new Regent of Russia is
and only brother of Emper
with whom he has been
many years. Until the bi
Grand Duke Alexis Nichola
of the Emperor Nicholas,
was the first in succession
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THE RUSSIAN REVOL

LONDON
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