

Our Baseball Column.

PLAGIARISED AND OTHERWISE.



TUESDAY'S GAME.

Maud Muller, on last Tuesday, went to see the B.I.S. play. But the way they booted and fumbled the ball. Around the lot, made Maud quite ill. She stood it awhile, then turned to the Judge. Who had paid for her seat, and remarked "Oh fudge! That's the way those youngsters pull it is a fright. If that's what you call baseball, GOOD NIGHT"

Before the smallest gathering of fans for the season, the Red Lions put it all over the B.I.S. by a score of 14 to 2.—8 of their runs being made in the first inning. For a while it looked as though the Lions would never be retired. Not alone were they hitting O'Leary freely, but they seemed to be placing them right where the fielders were not, and the way in which the Irish infield booted and fumbled the ball was heart-breaking to witness. In the third inning, Brazie, the Irish catcher, had the misfortune to dislocate and break his ankle in two places whilst stealing second. Dr. Grieve who happened to be present bound up his foot in temporary splints, and he was conveyed home in Billy Orr's car where he was further attended by Drs. McDonald and Campbell who subsequently ordered him to hospital for X-Ray. All the fans felt sorry for Brazie, particularly as this was his last game but one,—after which he intended to bid his fond adieu to baseball. This defeat puts the B.I.S. well out of the running.

TO-NIGHT'S CLASH.

The Wanderers and Cubs will compete to-night, when the Hartnett crew will make a desperate attempt to keep from becoming the lowly Lizards of the League for the 1919 season. The Cubs, of course, have not the

slightest intention of stepping off the second rung of the ladder as they are still in hopes that something will happen the Lions yet, in order to give them a chance for a play-off. The players will be:—

CUBS	WANDERERS.
Hall p	Smith c
Clouston 1b	Britt 2b
Murphy 2b	Hartnett 3b
Duggan ss	Smith ss
Canning ss	McCrimble ss
Manning ss	Burton ss
O'Driscoll ss	Dobbin ss
Goss ss	Brown ss
Phalen ss	Regan ss

THE WRECK.

It was the schooner "Trishman" That sailed the pennant sea. And the skipper had taken the colonel and cap To bear him company.

The skipper he stood beside the helm And made the old tub fly And got her a-sailing away in front With a favouring sea and sky.

But while he was winding the star-board watch The skipper, alas and alack, Felt the schooner wabble with such a jar That he stepped on a larboard tack.

"Oh! Skipper, I heard a crash," said the cap. "Oh! Say what may it be?" "Tis Brazie cracking his poor shin home." And the cap said, "Holy Gee!"

"Oh, Skipper, I hear an AWFUL sound. Oh, say, can that be land?" The manager answered, "It's me dyin' cuss. As me batters all get fanned."

"Oh, Skipper, I HEAR the sound of BONES. Oh say, what may that be?" "And all the fans are SEEN' them too." Our Douglas said, said he.

"OH! Skipper, I hear another bang," said the cap. "What could that be?" But the skipper, he was so doggone mad, That never a word said he.

Returning Soldiers.

Embarked at Liverpool Aug. 13th to Halifax.
Lieut. Greaves; 3050 Cpl. Walsh; 4246 Cpl. Calver; 4339 Cpl. Carter; 4800 L.C. O'Brien; 4209 L.C. Constantine; 5147 Pte. Tilley; 4155 Pte. Costello; 3883 Pte. Cooper; 1711 Pte. McFadden; 5027 Pte. Bailey; 5723 Pte. Rowe; 5602 Pte. Whiteway; 2921 Sgt. Kendall; 632 Pte. Leslie; 4537 Pte. Pilgrim.
Following discharged soldiers:— 493 Shirran; 3123 Cpl. Rice; 5200 Thornhill; 5577 Rose.

Shipping Notes.

S.S. Fiona has finished coaling at Harvey and Company's wharf and is expected to get away this evening for Labrador with a number of tourists on board.
The schr. Mariner is loading general cargo at Ayre and Son's wharf for Pogo.
The schooner Demerig is loading salt at Harvey and Company's wharf for Trinity.
The schooner Mattawa arrived at Sandy Point yesterday with a cargo of coal from North Sydney.
S. S. Cleveland sailed yesterday for Cardiff from Gander Bay with a cargo of pit props.
The schooner Russel Lake has left Fortune for Oporto with a cargo of codfish.
The Adolph is due here to-morrow from New York, direct.

Newfoundland Postage Stamps.

Used.—WANTED FOR CASH.—Used. We want to purchase for cash any quantity of Used Postage Stamps of Newfoundland, especially Caribou 1915 now in use, and will pay the following prices:—
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GEO. M. BARR.

To-day's Messages.

RENEWN AT HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, Wednesday.
H. M. S. Rensen arrived here this afternoon.

GREY'S DECISION EXPECTED SOON.

LONDON, Aug. 13. Viscount Grey, it is learned, has not decided when he will go to Washington, although announcement of his plans are expected soon. His poor eyesight, which has given him much trouble, caused him to consent to only a short term as ambassador. A year ago it was said he might become blind, but since then his eyes have improved, although he still does but little reading or writing.

"TAY PAYS" QUESTION.

LONDON, Aug. 13. T. P. O'Connor, Nationalist, of the Scotland division of Liverpool, and Editor of "T. P.'s," asked what instructions would be given Viscount Grey to improve relations between Great Britain and America, by the settlement and conciliation of the Irish question. Bonar Law replied that he was sure Lord Grey would do all in his power to improve, in every respect, where improvement was necessary, the relations between Great Britain and America.

LOOKS LIKE PROFITING MUST.

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS, this evening, after heated debate, adopted an amendment to the Profiteering Bill, empowering the Board of Trade, after an investigation, to fix wholesale and retail prices. The vote was 132 to 92. The amendment was denounced among others, by Lord Robert Cecil, former Minister of War Trade, who expressed amazement that the Government should accept "an amendment which would give the basis of the bill and revolutionizing the trade of the country." Sir Donald Maclean, a Liberal member, also denounced the amendment, characterizing it as "socialism of the rankiest kind."

BACK FROM NEWFOUNDLAND.

SYDNEY, Aug. 13. President D. H. McDougall, of Nova Scotia, arrived here from Wabana yesterday, after spending a few weeks inspecting the Scotia Works in the ancient colony.

BIG DIAMOND FIND.

LONDON, Aug. 13. (Via Reuters Ottawa Agency).—An interesting find of diamonds has been made on the gold coast. The stones occur in shallow quartz and gravel, near the village of Abomson, sixty-five miles northwest of Accra. The stones found are small, averaging, approximately, thirty to the carat and are mostly of good quality, being clear and colorless. Many perfect crystals, in value they vary from ten to twelve shillings per carat. Some of the larger stones are worth from seventy to eighty shillings per carat. Upwards of 600 diamonds have been found simply by panning. Sufficient work has not yet been done to prove the economic value of the discovery.

SEELY DENIES EXTRAVAGANCE CHARGES.

LONDON, Aug. 13. In the House of Commons, Under Secretary of State for Air, Seely, in rebutting charges of Government extravagance, in connection with the Air Force, stated that at the signing of the Armistice arrangements had been made to produce fifty thousand aeroplanes annually since November 11th, 20,000 of which, valued at 30,000,000 out of 284,000 other ranks, have been demobilized. Out of 386 aerodromes, 210 have been given up, while 1,927 out of 4,438 hangers have been surrendered. He maintained that the Air Force was worth maintaining, as it had saved many million pounds sterling, as well as a large number of lives.

SUPREME COUNCIL SUMMONED.

PARIS, Wednesday, Aug. 13. The Inter-Allied Supreme Council was summoned hastily today to consider the Hungarian situation.

A BOLSHIEVIK DEFEAT.

VIENNA, Wednesday, Aug. 13. The fortress of Dubno, in South Eastern Volhynia, has been captured from the Bolshievik forces by the Ukrainian army.

GREY ACCEPTS POSITION.

LONDON, Aug. 14. Viscount Grey, former Secretary of State for foreign affairs, has agreed to represent the British Govt. at Washington, pending the appointment of a permanent Ambassador.

THE AUSTRIAN EXPLANATION.

BUCHAREST, Sunday, Aug. 10. The only thought of the Rumanian Govt. in ordering its troops to enter Budapest, Premier Batino explained to the Associated Press correspondent to-day, was to help the Allied armies to suppress Bolshevism and to restore order.

MAMMOTH STRIKE ENDS.

LONDON, Wednesday, Aug. 13. Coal miners of Yorkshire, where more than two hundred thousand men have been on strike since July 21st, decided to-day to resume work. This action was taken at a mass meeting at Barnsley.

REPUBLICAN SENATORS GIVEN ASSURANCE.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 13. The trend toward peace treaty reservations in the peace treaty reached the stage to-day, where the group of Republican Senators advocating reservations received assurances, which they accepted, as guaranteeing democratic assent to their programme.

ROUMANIAN TROOPS LEAVING BUDAPEST.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 14. Rumanian troops are about to

leave Budapest in consequence of the Note sent to Rumania by the Peace Conference, according to a wireless despatch received here from Vienna, quoting newspapers of that city.

EXPLOSION TAKES LIFE.

COLOGNA, Aug. 14. A British munition dump at Kalk, eastern suburb of this city, exploded this morning, killing fourteen workmen and injuring many in the vicinity.

AMENDMENTS TO TRANSPORT BILL.

LONDON, Aug. 14. After disposing of the Profiteering Bill, by which the Government will be empowered to take drastic action in lowering the high cost of living, the House of Commons, which met all night took up the House of Lords amendments to the transport bill this morning. Some of these amendments were not accepted by the Lower House of Parliament. After being in continuous session for 17 hours, the House rose shortly after 9 o'clock this morning.

THE NEW GERMAN CONSTITUTION.

BERLIN, Aug. 13. The new German constitution was promulgated to-day. Presiding Emperor appointed Premier Bauer, Imperial Chancellor, and issued a decree that all public officials and all members of defence forces shall immediately take oath under the new constitution. The National Assembly will henceforth bear the title of "Reichstag" while the Federal Council, the Bundesrat, will place the Federal Committee.

AMERICAN STEAMER STRIKES MINE.

DOVER, Aug. 13. The American steamer Englewood struck a mine in the North Sea, off Thames River, this morning, and sent out a wireless message for help. The steamer, however, is in no imminent danger of sinking, and tugs are standing by. The Englewood is making for the Thames under her own steam.

MINISTERIAL CRISIS IN SPAIN.

MADRID, Aug. 13. A ministerial crisis is impending in Spain, and the Government has summoned all absent deputies to Madrid.

AND A FOOD CRISIS IN MOSCOW.

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 13. A serious food crisis has occurred in Moscow, and there is general discontent there with the Soviet Government, a despatch from Helsingfors says.

MERCHANTILE FLEET FOR GERMAN.

BERLIN, Aug. 13. "We must proceed immediately to create a merchantile fleet and help Germans abroad with state advances," said Mathias Erberger, speaking before the National Assembly at Weimar, yesterday. He promised the Assembly that a bill carrying out these projects would be presented in a few weeks.

RUMANIAN REPLIES RECEIVED.

PARIS, Wednesday. The replies of Premier Gratiot, of Rumania, to notes of the Supreme Council of the Peace Conference, concerning activities of Rumanian troops in Hungary, have been received. They were being decided to-day by Rumanian Delegation. While the exact text of notes are not available, members of Rumanian Delegation say that they are of a conciliatory nature.

PARIS, Wednesday.

Disturbances at Central Markets, to-day, which resulted in the closing of most of the stalls, caused much congestion at food stations in Paris, where foodstuffs are received.

BOLSHIEVIKI ABANDONS CITY.

LONDON, Wednesday, Aug. 13. The city of Vinnitsa, in Ukraine, has been abandoned by the Bolshievik, according to a wireless message from Moscow. In Volhynia anti-Bolshievik forces have occupied the railway centre of Lutsk, South East of Kiev.

NO MONARCHY FOR HUNGARY.

BERLIN, Tuesday, Aug. 12. Archduke Joseph, head of the new Hungarian Government, has issued a proclamation in which he affirms that there will be no return to the monarchy system, according to the Budapest correspondent of "Tagblatt."

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, August 14. We are now prepared to supply wholesale or retail Beyer's Genuine Aspirin in Tablets, which are now being so extensively advertised in the local press. Aspirin has a wide and well deserved reputation in neuralgic and rheumatic troubles, and this is the original product sold under the trade mark, and now under auspices that are entirely American. You will get the genuine Aspirin Tablets at either of our stores.
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Civil Re-Establishment Educational Announcement.

- Any returned sailor or soldier is entitled to admission to the Re-establishment Day School.
- Any returned sailor or soldier is entitled to admission to the Re-establishment Night School which is conducted from 7.30 to 9.30 on the following evenings of every week, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.
- Arrangements have been made with the Bishop Field College and the Methodist College for a laboratory course in Physics and Chemistry for students who propose to enter a University in the Fall of the year. The lectures will commence on Monday, May 5th, and continue until end of June.

Applications for permission to take advantage of the opportunities indicated above and for further information should be made to the Vocational Officer, 17 Militia Building.—may1,th,tf

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Under the provisions of Chapter 23, 2 Edward VII, entitled "An Act to amend the Post Office Act, 1891," and upon the recommendation of the Board appointed under Section 1 thereof, notice is hereby given that, Three Months after this date, a Proclamation will issue for the alteration of name, or re-naming of places as under, that is to say:—

- That Turk's Gut, District of Harbor Main, to be re-named MARYS-VALE.
- That Seal Cove, near Stephenville Crossing, District of St. George, to be re-named ROTH-ESAY.

J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary.
Dept. of the Colonial Sec'y, August 6th, 1919. aug7,191,th

White Bay Service

The S. S. EARL OF DEVON will leave the wharf of The Newfoundland Produce Company, Ltd., at 6 p.m. Friday, August 15th, calling at the following Ports of Call:—

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Pacquet, Baie Verte,	St. Leonard's, Griquet,
Coachman's Cove,	Quirpon,
Fleur de Lys,	Ship Cove, Cook's Hr.,
Great Hr. Deep,	St. Julien's, Great Braha,
Williams' Port,	

Freight now being received.

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BRIGADE SPORTS ON IRON ISLE.

The C.C.C. of Bell Island will hold a big Garden Party at that place in August. The affair will likely be held on the Star Field, and the full band will be present. A varied programme of sports will also be gone through, gold and silver medals being up for the winners.

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