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Gloucester Schooner Wins Trophy

Schr. 'Esperanto' Beat 'Delawana' Through Latter's Error--Wrangel Fighting a Rear Guard Action--Britain May Have Early General Election--Mexico Settles in Benton Case--Labrador Boundary Receiving Attention.

ESPERANTO WINS AGAIN.

HALIFAX, Nov. 1. The Esperanto's victory over the Delawana to-day was the one topic of discussion everywhere to-night. The Nova Scotia schooner lost the race by running past the fourth mark. She then had nearly a mile lead, but by the time she got around, the Esperanto had come up on her and then led to the finish crossing the line seven minutes and fifteen seconds ahead. Nova Scotians are greatly disappointed, but not so downhearted.

LOOKS BAD FOR WRANGLER.

SEBASTOPOL, Nov. 1. The Bolsheviks have broken General Wrangel's centre and the wings of his army apparently have been crushed. The town of Melipola and other points have been abandoned and the Reds are nearing Peropok. The Red wave is flooding the Taurida region. Wrangel is making a gallant defence. He is prepared to withdraw from Crimea across the Vivash Sea.

DISCUSSING GENERAL ELECTION.

LONDON, Nov. 1. Principal editors in half a dozen of the leading newspapers discuss today the possibility of a general election. When the coal strike was first booming up, common speculation was that Premier Lloyd George would make a dramatic appeal to the country, staking renewal of office on whether Parliament or Trade Unions should hold the reins of Government. This talk died down with the possibility of a settlement of the dispute. Present newspaper discussion started yesterday in the Sunday Observer, which is by no means unfriendly to the government, and now urges the Premier to call a general election in the spring. The Observer declares that the present House of Commons cannot pretend to represent the people.

MIXED IN DATES.

OTTAWA, Nov. 1. The Evening Citizen states that some communications have been exchanged between the Imperial and Dominion Governments relating to the next Imperial Conference, and that it is likely to be postponed until nineteen twenty (?). The plan was to hold Conference next summer.

OFF TO BUSINESS.

OTTAWA, Nov. 1. To-morrow afternoon Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, and Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of Justice, as Canadian delegates to the Assembly of League of Nations leave Ottawa for Geneva. They will be met in London by Hon. N. W. Rowell, former President of the Privy Council, who will be the third delegate to the League. Apart from the business of the Assembly, the Canadian delegates will, while in London, have important legislative. Among matters to be considered is the question of the Canadian-Nid.

boundary in Labrador, which arises over disputed stretch of territory, and affects Quebec more particularly. The Dominion government and Provincial government of Quebec have, it is understood, reached an agreement on points at issue. There now remains discussions with the Attorney General of Newfoundland (who is at present in London), over reference to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, the Tribunal which will give final judgment in the case.

CUTTING OUT CANADIAN OFFICES.

MONTREAL, Nov. 1. Before the end of the year three selling offices of Armour & Co. in Montreal will be closed. The big Chicago meat packing firm is getting out of the Canadian market entirely. There is a plant in Hamilton still in operation which will be completely closed shortly. Offices at St. John, N.B., and Ottawa have already been closed and that at Sydney will soon close also.

ONLY A FEW KILLED.

HAVANA, Nov. 1. The Cuban Presidential elections were held to-day with comparative quiet. No serious clashes were reported in any province up to time polls closed. Four persons were killed last night and two to-day in minor affrays and some were wounded.

THE BRUTAL TURK.

LONDON, Nov. 1. The Armenian town of Hadjin (Hajin) has been captured by Turkish Nationalists who have massacred the inhabitants, numbering ten thousand, according to a despatch to the Armenian Bureau in London. These Armenians had been holding out against attacking forces since March last.

SUGGESTS AIR SERVICE.

OTTAWA, Nov. 1. With airdromes marked out every fifty miles, and with wireless control of planes, there would be nothing to prevent a regular forty-hour air service between Halifax and Vancouver, according to General A. K. Tylee, Air Commodore, who reached Ottawa to-day on his return from the trans-Canada flight. General Tylee flew from Winnipeg to Vancouver as a passenger during the recent flight and returned to Ottawa impressed with the possibilities of developing a commercial cross-Canada service.

AGREES TO SETTLEMENT.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1. Great Britain has agreed to the settlement of the claim against Mexico growing out of the killing of Wm. S. Benton, British subject, near Juarez in 1914. Mexico is to pay ten thousand cash to Mrs. Benton and pension of two-fifty a day as long as Mrs. Benton remains unmarried.

NIGHT RIDERS CAUSE DESTRUCTION.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 1. Eleven negroes were in jail here to-day in connection with the burning

of cotton gins, dwelling houses and churches by unidentified persons, supposedly night riders. Officials, however, expressed the belief that the destruction had been directed by white men. Operations were started in this country by supposed night riders Saturday night, and up to noon to-day had resulted in the death of two negroes and the burning of four negro churches, two gin houses, one store, eight dwelling houses and several tons of cotton seed and ten bales of cotton.

Shipping Notes.

Schooner Swan arrived at Marytown yesterday from P.E.I. with a cargo of produce.

Schooner Rita M. Cluett has sailed from Burin for Oporto with 2882 qts. of fish from Ephraim-Inkpen.

Schooner Marion R. Mason arrived from Sydney yesterday evening with a cargo of coal to Baine Johnston & Co.

Schooner Marie has sailed from Fogo from Malaga, taking 3,000 qts. of fish from Messrs. Earle, Sons & Co.

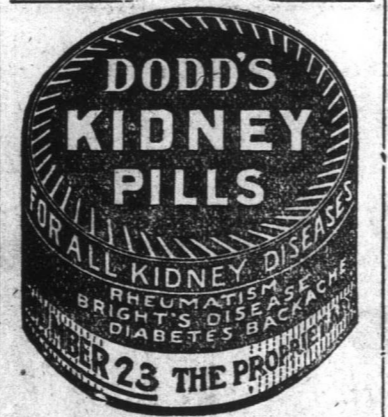
S.S. Stanmore, 11 days from Liverpool, arrived in port yesterday evening to the Furness Withy Co. The ship has 700 tons of cargo for this port.

S.S. Utsire sailed from Botwood yesterday for Baltimore taking 2,000 tons of pulp and paper from the A. E. Reed Co.

S.S. Clyde arrived in port last night from Port Union and will load freight to-day at the dock premises. The ship brought along the Union Trading Co's, auxiliary coaster F.P.U. which has her crank shaft broken and was forced to come to this port for repairs.

Inter-Collegiate Football

A very poor exhibition of school football was witnessed yesterday afternoon on St. George's Field when the M.C. beat the Feildians in the first game of the final round by 2-0. A slippery field, a soggy ball, and far too many fouls and hands all combined to spoil what should have been a very good game. With the wind in their favour in the first half, the Feildians managed to keep the ball in their opponents territory but owing to poor shooting and passing, were unable to score. In the second half the M.C. had things pretty well all their own way, and the Feildians being handicapped by the absence of Smith, their regular goalie, who was sick, were unable to prevent them from scoring two goals, one from a long shot by Johnston and the other through a penalty kick. Mr. E. Churchill was referee. On Wednesday the Feildians and St. Bon's will meet in the second last game of the series. It is hoped that this game will be an improvement on yesterday's.



A Royal Welcome.

(From the Chicago Tribune.)
Never in the memory of man for years has there been such a reception to returning royalty as was accorded the Prince of Wales when he reached the imperial capital after his journey through Australasia. Not only was the homecoming a magnificent spectacle, but it was most significant of the popularity of the heir-apparent in these days when royalty is supposedly unfashionable, if not positively wicked. From the moment the destroyers sighted the battle-cruiser Renown off Eddystone until dark fell, with the young prince dining quietly in the midst of the royal family circle at Buckingham Palace, wireless, wires, rails, the air, human legs, eyes and throats paid tribute to the heir to the throne. Perhaps the explanation of the remarkable testimonial of loyalty is that all the abuse and complaint rising from the dissatisfaction of the British people is being aimed at a little man with long grey hair, who greeted the prince among many other notables on the platform at Victoria station at noon. Many newspapers are bitterly attacking Mr. Lloyd George. Everyone made the most special display of its welcome to the Prince of Wales.

Volunteer Workers.

Some men of St. Mary's Parish with Mr. Arthur Ebsary as leader, are now busily engaged each night painting the interior of the Parish Hall. The intention is to have the work completed in time for the annual Sanctuary Guild Sale, which takes place towards the end of the month. The voluntary workers are determined that the old hall with its new and attractive dress shall present a bright appearance and be made generally comfortable.

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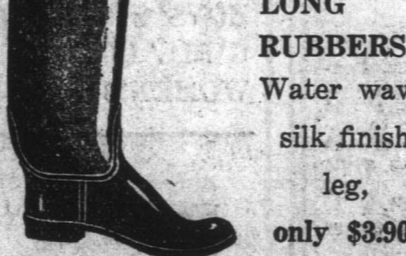
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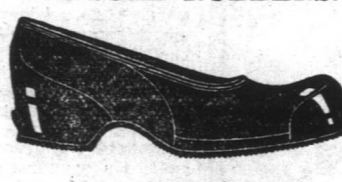


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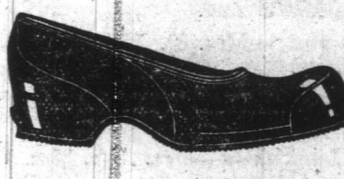


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