

Scout Concert a Splendid Success.

A large and appreciative audience greeted the Rover Scouts of Governor Street Troop in their display and concert at the Methodist College Hall last night.

What is Democracy?

Dear Sir—I read with some interest a criticism of my attitude on the "Bill" from the pen of Mr. J. R. Smallwood.

Express Passengers.

The following passengers arrived this afternoon on the express which left Port aux Basques early yesterday morning after the arrival of the "Ely"—R. Moore, Mrs. W. Colbert, Mrs. G. Hollett, Mrs. J. Chard, Col. G. H. Griley, A. T. Wainwright, Rev. J. Clement, D. Huest, S. Skeans, C. Burke, Mrs. J. Gurney, Sister M. Dolores, Sister M. Michael, Dr. Smith, A. G. Adams, H. Carmichael, J. Roberts, H. J. Benson and son, Miss C. Keating, W. Wills, D. Mansuet, Miss D. Bram, Mrs. R. W. Taylor, Mrs. M. Bennett, Mrs. N. Pike, W. Horwood, R. Marcell. The express also brought 120 packages of mail matter.

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Damaged Steamer Making for St. John's.

S.S. Seapool in Collision With Iceberg--Britain Insisting on Stern Measures--Manchester Guardian Censures Admiral Sims.

S.S. SEAPOOL STRUCK ICEBERG.

HALIFAX, June 8. The steamer Seapool struck an iceberg in 48.20 north latitude, 48.50 west longitude, and is making slowly for St. John's with her forefoot broken and her forepeak full of water, according to advices received here shortly after 11 o'clock this morning for St. John's with her forefoot broken and her forepeak full of water.

MAY SALVE ESPERANTO.

HALIFAX, June 8. The Herald, this morning, carries a front page interview with a Halifax Salvage Expert, whose name is not given, in which it is stated that salvaging of the Gloucester schooner Esperanto, which foundered on the morning of May 30, South of Sable Island, is quite feasible.

REPARATIONS PAYMENTS.

NEW YORK, June 8. The German Government made another payment yesterday of several million dollars towards the Allied Reparations account, reported to be approximately \$14,300,000. With yesterday's operations bringing the total payments to approximately \$50,000,000, it was said that an additional \$30,000,000 remained to be paid on this side by Germany in accordance with the schedule announced in Berlin.

BRITISH JUSTICE.

LONDON, June 8. The proposed meeting of the Allied Supreme Council has faded into the dim distance, as the result of French pressure for postponement until order has been restored in the Plebiscite region of Upper Silesia, officials here admit. Great Britain is willing to make this concession, but it is declared the British Government is insisting on stern measures in Upper Silesia, and absolute impartiality as between Germany and Poles, and is ready to employ force, if necessary, in

the creation of a neutral zone between the contending factions.

MANCHESTER PAPER CRITICIZES OUTSPOKE ADMIRAL.

MANCHESTER, June 8. Under the caption "Admiral Sims' outburst," the Manchester Guardian to-day published an editorial regarding "Indiscretions of his little outburst yesterday" in the Admiral's luncheon address before the English-speaking Union. "Among many points forgotten by the distinguished sailor," the editorial declares, "whom we all like," are the facts that the Sun Fun party and the murder gangs, who profess to be doing its work, are just about as distant from each other as the British Government and the other murder gangs which profess to be doing its work; that the most striking point in Ireland's relation to the Great War, was not the insane effort of a few wild extremists to help the Germans, but the great number and excellent quality of the Irish soldiers, who abandoned in the Irish, Australian, Canadian, English and Scotch Regiments. By ignoring such facts, while he stresses others, Admiral Sims, no doubt with the best intentions, assimilated himself to an intolerant English party man.

SENATOR ATTACKS ADMIRAL.

WASHINGTON, June 8. Senator McCormick, Republican, Illinois, complained formally to-day to President Harding and Secretary of Navy Denby, about the address in London yesterday, by Rear Admiral Sims. The Senator asked the Secretary to take disciplinary measures against the Admiral.

WAR WITH BRITAIN IMPOSSIBLE.

NEW YORK, June 8. Secretary of War Weeks, in an address to-day to the graduating class of New York University, declared that war between Great Britain and the U. S. was an impossibility. He opposed disarmament for the United States, on the ground that there "are active and feverish military preparations among those with whom the United States might possibly come in contact," but added that conflict with Great Britain would, in his opinion, "be the end of civilization."

COAL SITUATION BRIGHTER.

LONDON, June 8. The best news which has come to the public for many weeks is that the Miners' Executive will recommend that the Convention of District delegates of miners, which assembles here on Friday, order a ballot of Miners' Unions on the question of accepting the amended proposals of the coal owners. It is understood that the owners have offered something like twenty per cent. on the wages of 1914, plus additions made since, and have also guaranteed a proper wage for lower ratings among the mine workers.

BARRING OUT EMIGRANTS.

NEW YORK, June 8. Nearly 1,500 Italian immigrants last night were marooned on steamers here, because their country's June quota, under the new restrictive immigration law, had been exhausted. About 1,400 Italian and Portuguese immigrants are detained at Boston for the same reason.

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The Eastern Trust Company St. John's (Nfld.) Branch. W. A. TUCKER, Manager. mar24.6m.th.11

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind West, light; weather fine; foggy off shore; the steamers Rosalind and Portia passed West and Lady of Gaspe inward yesterday afternoon, nothing sighted to-day; Bar, 30.95; Ther, 44.

Question Tabled.

The following question was tabled in the House yesterday by Sir Michael Cashin: To ask the Prime Minister if he is aware that Mr. J. M. Devine has been sending communications to business people in this Colony on the official paper of his office in New York, reading as follows:—

New York, May 12th, 1921. Dear Sir,—I have established a buying and selling service here which covers the entire United States. If you have anything to sell get in touch with me. If you are wanting to buy goods of any kind in this country, please let me hear from you. I am in a close touch with the various manufacturers, jobbers and retailers, and feel that I can do a lot of good for you. If you are needing to be introduced to reputable business houses, I am at your service. Your success in business largely depends on your buying right. Failure often comes through lack of profit and trying to match up with a competitor who has bought at lower price. All my 25 years experience in Newfoundland business coupled with many years of buying knowledge in American markets now lies open before you. Take advantage of it. Write me for information. Ask me for prices of anything you are needing. Put your proposition before me. You must pay at a lower price if you want a better profit. Yours very truly, (Sgd.) J. M. DEVINE.

And to say if the Government in appointing Mr. Devine to his present position in New York understood that he was to run a private business as well, and to use this office for private gain, and if the Government proposes to permit him continue to operate the Canadian Trade Commissioner's office in New York on that basis and if so what guarantees the Colony that he will give any attention to business and will not devote himself exclusively to his own; and will the Government take measures to instruct Mr. Devine to do the work for which he is paid, and abandon all private business, as is the practice with Trade Commissioners of other countries, as for instance, the Canadian Trade Commissioner during the period he was established in St. John's.

Those Roumanian Bonds

In the House of Assembly yesterday afternoon during the discussion on the report of the War Measures Act, Hon. Mr. Halfyard suggested that Sir John Crosbie, favored, in 1918, that the country guarantee \$1,250,000 worth of Roumanian Bonds held by our Water Street merchants in payment for fish they had shipped to that country. Sir John Crosbie met the indictment in his usual frank and many fashion. He admitted that at that time he did favor this policy, but realized soon after that he was mistaken, and was now ready to admit and then turning to Sir Michael Cashin, he said, "Here is the man who saved me and you and everybody else from the consequences of such a step and saved the country from the burden of another million and a quarter dollars being added to the public debt, without anything to show for it. Like you on the Government side today have added millions of dollars to the public debt because you have no idea of the consequences of such a step. Sir John went on to point out that the great weakness of the present Government was that it had nobody in the ranks with any knowledge of business matters, that apart from the three lawyers, the rest of the members were men who had never been concerned in any large business undertaking except Mr. Coaker, and everybody knew now where he had landed himself, and not alone himself and his organization, but the whole country as well. This frank facing of the situation completely took the wind out of Mr. Halfyard's sails, and left him helpless, so that he attempted no reply whatever.

Struck an Iceberg.

DISABLED SHIP COMING HERE. A radio message to Sir Michael Cashin, yesterday stated that S.S. Seapool was proceeding to this port in a badly damaged condition, and asked that the necessary steps be made to permit her going on dry dock immediately, so that there would be no delay in effecting the necessary repairs. S.S. Inglebee, which picked up a wireless from the Seapool, was reported as being on her way to that ship's assistance, and it is probable that her wireless will be picked up during the afternoon. It is presumed that the Seapool struck an iceberg.

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