

VERY LATEST.

1 00 P.M.

GERMANS' DESPERATE EFFORTS FOILED.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE.—The Germans up to noon to-day had not renewed their attempts of yesterday to smash the British front south of Marcoing, but it seems improbable that the enemy will allow matters to remain as they are now. Therefore the situation is still one that cannot be dismissed lightly in view of the heavy concentration of guns and troops which Von Hindenburg has brought to bear on this line. There has been no change in the respective positions of the opposing forces since last night. Exhaustion and the necessity of reorganizing his depleted ranks have undoubtedly forced the enemy to pause for a breathing spell. The ground won by the Germans yesterday could not compensate for the shambles caused by Hindenburg's disregard for the lives of his men, but it must be borne in mind that he was playing for bigger stakes than have yet been won. In his latest attacks there was undoubtedly a tremendous effort to break through. The situation to-day was much easier for the British. Yesterday was admittedly a rather anxious one but abundant reinforcements arrived. The checking of the Germans' incessant massed attacks was due only to the gallantry of the dogged British soldiers, who did not yield before the fierce assaults by greatly superior numbers. In their stupendous efforts against Lavacquerie the Germans swept forward in dense waves with absolutely no concealment and were slaughtered. During the afternoon they delivered a very heavy attack also, west of Masieres, and succeeded in smashing through the British line but an immediate counter attack forced them to fall back.

JUST RECEIVED—22 Carat Best English Gold Leaf. G. KNOWLING, LTD.—d5,21,w,s

President Wilson Popular in England.

London, Nov. 27.—John Lane, publisher, writes to the Times "If the popularity of a public man may be gauged by the number of portraits of him displayed in shops, public buildings and indeed, in private houses, President Wilson is easily the first at the present moment in England. In the last two months I visited the following cities and towns—Bath, Bristol, Exeter, Leicester, Nottingham, Chippenham, Cirencester, Walmesbury, Brighton, Worthing, Barnstable, Bideford, Taunton, Plymouth and Torquay. I have been much struck by the number and the prominence of President Wilson's portraits. This should be very gratifying to our great ally."

McMurdo's Store News

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 5, 1917. Cream of Lilies becomes increasingly necessary as the weather becomes colder, and those who use it from the start of winter weather will get all the more benefit from the Cream. For all sores, abrasions, or chapped hands, face or lips, it will be found the right thing. Price 30c. a pot.

We suggest Mentholated Bronchial Lozenges for hoarseness, tickling cough, or bronchial irritation. A few of these lozenges used at the beginning of a cold will often prevent an attack which may become serious if neglected. Price 20c. a box.



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The OUTLET SUPPLY HOUSE,
192 DUCKWORTH STREET.
(opp. T. & M. Winter's.)

CLERGY RETURNING.—Rev. Geo. Robins, who was ordained Priest, and Revs. E. Meaden and H. Gosse, who were raised to the deaconate by the Archbishop of Nova Scotia on Sunday last in the Cathedral at Halifax, are passengers on the incoming express.

As a token of Remembrance a Portrait of the giver is long cherished and thought more of than the usual ordinary gift. J. C. PARSONS, Bank of Montreal Building.—nov17,tf

Imperial Tobacco Co.

WIN BEFORE PRIVY COUNCIL.

The famous tobacco case, in which the Imperial Tobacco Co. were plaintiffs against M. A. Duffy and which was before the Supreme Court here on two occasions, has at last been finally disposed of by the Privy Council. It was claimed by the Imperial Tobacco Co. that Mr. Duffy had imported an American tobacco bearing a mark which was an infringement of their registered brand "Clover." The matter was first decided in Mr. Duffy's favor by Mr. Justice Johnson. An appeal was taken to the full bench when the Chief Justice delivered a judgment sustaining Judge Johnson's decision. Application was then made to the Court for leave to appeal to the Privy Council but was refused. An application was then made direct to the Privy Council for special leave to appeal, which was granted, and its appeal was heard on Nov. 3rd, the Judicial Committee taking time to consider. Mr. Conroy, K.C., counsel for the Imperial Tobacco Co., received a message from London informing him that the Privy Council had allowed the appeal, with costs in all the Courts, and had granted an injunction restraining further infringement of the Company's trade mark.

Our unusual success in the production of Children's Portraits has been very favourably commented on. Come in and see them. J. C. PARSONS, Bank of Montreal Building.—nov17,tf

There Came to King's Beach

There came to King's Beach a stout man from Bell Island, the dew on his whisker was heavy and chill; he took a good drink from the tank and, then smiling he looked at the top of "Dear old Southside Hill." Ah, sad was my heart, said this stout, sturdy miner, when the "foxy three-quarters and bluchers I wore"; but now I wear Hi-press no rubbers are finer, I bought them from "Natty" at Bowring's grand store. Cold, cold were my feet 'ere those rubbers I bought them, bunsions and corns made a martyr of me; I now bless the hour and the day that I sought them, they're the best rubbers goin' you can take it from me. I used them in water, in mud, and when toiling deep down in the mine where I oft "gave them fits," and they are, said he, as he looked on them smiling, as tough as the gads round the Outer Cove splits. And then he went off for to buy some tobacco, on rubbers it was the last words he let fall; "they may talk how they like of their 'spots on the crackle," but the Hi-press the Hi-press I love best of all."—advtd.

The Christian Brothers beg to return sincere thanks to their many friends who contributed to the success of last Sunday's Collection. Amount received to date, \$5,992.00.—dec5,li

New Theatre Projected

We hear that a new local company has been formed and is negotiating for the building of an up-to-date theatrical house. The site selected for it is centrally located and said to be very suitable. The new concern, promoted by two of our well-known citizens and substantially capitalized, is, we are informed, taking practical shape, and plans of the proposed structure are being drawn.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind N.W., strong, weather fine. Three fore and aft schooners passed in this a.m. Bar. 29.35; Ther. 36.

MINIARD'S LINIMENT CURES RHEUMATISM.

We have a large stock of Seasonable Goods

Marked at Lowest Prices, as the following list will convince you, viz:

Ladies' Mackintoshes	\$5.00	Men's Rubbers (Goodyear Brand)	\$1.25
Ladies' Winter Coats	\$4.50	Men's Sweater Coats (Navy)	\$3.55
Ladies' Felt Hats	\$1.10	Men's Winter Caps	\$1.25
Ladies' Cloth Skirts	\$2.95	Men's Fleece Lined Underwear	85c.
Ladies' Blouses	35c.	Men's Working Shirts	75c.
Ladies' Overall Aprons	65c.	Men's Laundered Shirts	85c.
Ladies' Corsets	65c.	Men's Tweed Suits	\$7.50
Ladies' Camisoles	30c.	Men's Pants	\$2.55
Ladies' Coloured Underskirts	\$1.10	Men's Overalls	\$1.25
Ladies' Underwear	65c.	Men's Suspenders	45c.

Also:
Blankets, \$2.50 pr. Wadded Quilts \$4.95 ea. and White Counterpanes, \$3.50.
Also a lot of White and Cream Curtain SCRIM, selling by the pound.
Also a few MEN'S SUITS, slightly soiled selling at cost.

The C. L. MARCH CO., Ltd.,

Corner Water and Springdale Streets, St. John's.

Outlawry to the End.

(From the New York World.)

The policy of frank war reports doubly commends itself in the Washington story of the capture of a German submarine by United States destroyers. It tells of an action daring and brilliant after the manner of our Navy from of old. It casts a strong light also upon the dishonorable methods of the adversary whom we face. Disabled by a depth bomb but not sunk, the U-boat lay helpless upon the surface while its crew, ranged on deck, held up their hands in surrender. From that moment, by the laws of war, the submarine was the prize of the two destroyers to which surrender was made. It is stated officially that she "soon sank." It is stated unofficially, of course with the tacit approval of the censorship, that even while part of the crew were surrendering, others were below scuttling their craft. This was outlawry. But the keel of that submarine was laid for outlawry. She was launched for outlawry. Short or long, bloody or unsuccessful, her cruises were undertaken for outlawry, predetermined and preannounced to the world. Her end was in keeping with her history and the history of her sneaking kind. American pride will be gratified by the gallantry of the destroyer crews and their swift rescue of beaten foes. American determination should be strengthened by the treachery with which mercy was so ill requited by men who meant to show no mercy.

Supreme Court.

Davis vs. Smith Co., Ltd.

His Hon. Justice Kent dismissed the motion for non-suit and the defendant will have to be heard. Mr. McNelly, K.C., for defendant; Mr. Emerson for plaintiff.

What the War Costs.

It has been estimated that the total cost of the war to all the belligerents engaged in it is certainly not less than one thousand million pounds a month. A thousand millions pounds! The words slip glibly off the tongue. But just try for a moment to realise what they mean.

If Adam, the first man, had started to earn and save a sovereign a day from the beginning of recorded time he would not have come anywhere to accumulating a thousand million pounds. He would have to continue, indeed, until A.D. 664,571 before doing so.

If a bank cashier, endowed with perpetual youth, attempted to pay out this colossal sum, he would never finish his job through all eternity, for the accumulated interest would accumulate faster than his hands could move in counting out the money.

Reckoned in terms of time, a thousand and million years is twenty times as long as the earth's age, which is fixed approximately at fifty million years. It is even longer, probably, than the sun's age. In fact, about the only thing older than a thousand million years is eternity itself—Pearson's Weekly.

Stafford's Prescription "A"—
Cure for diseases of the Stomach: Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Catarrh, Gastritis and Nervous Dyspepsia.—nov6,tf

39 Submarines

SUNK BY BRITISH IN FIFTEEN DAYS.

New York, Nov. 28.—Thirty-nine German submarines were sunk between Nov. 1 and 15th, Counsellor Hohler, of the British embassy, told an audience at the Hero Land Bazaar last night.

BETTER LEFT UNSAID.

His aunt was rich and elderly. She had called unexpectedly when he was out, and his wife was trying to entertain her by such methods, as she thought best conducive to their future welfare.

The old lady had recently added a photograph to her establishment, and when she heard that early that morning her loving nephew had made for her a record of her favorite violin solo she was delighted.

"How nice of him!" she said. "Can I hear it?"

"Well," said her niece, "we haven't tried it yet, but I'll put it on."

It was a pronounced success, and the old lady was charmed.

But her feeling changed when after the solo was finished the instrument brought out these words with fatal clearness:

"Phew! If that isn't good for an extra hundred in the old girl's will, I'm a Dutchman!"

NOTICE.—A meeting of the Newfoundland Nurses' Association will take place at the residence of Hon. Chas. Emerson, Winter Avenue, on Thursday, at 4 p.m. EVELYN CAVE HIS-COCK, Sec.-Treas.—dec5,li

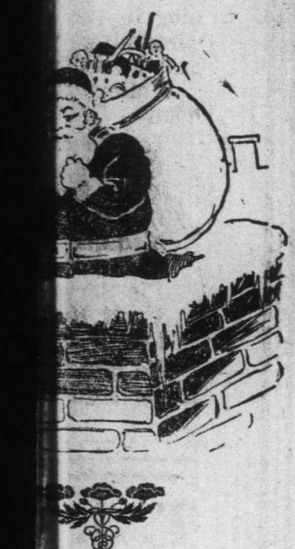
Many steps may be saved if when preparing a meal you pin a small clean hand-towel to the apron belt on one side and a similar tea towel on the other side.

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BY WALT McDUGALL

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Enter's Message.

WIFIC FIGHTING ENDS IN OUR FAVOR.

British Headquarters in France, Nov. 27.—As a result of yesterday's German effort, Lavacquerie has been lost to him and our line bent back on a mile front. West of Lavacquerie, where we have a strong position, the German line is slightly bent, but it is not a serious loss. The German line now includes the whole of the position of that name, this is practically the sum total of the German recovery of territory effected at a truly amazing price. His effort was advanced to recover the fifteen miles between the Hindenburg line and free Cambrai on the present stage. The situation in the Wood, which dominates the area, is unchanged. The Germans are making preparations for a new effort, bringing train loads of troops from the eastern front. The attack throughout has been perfect, our gunners and riflemen are making the best possible marksmanship. It is computed that no fewer than twelve divisions had been sent into the oncoming English line across the rolling country. Our advantageously posted field batteries caught the Germans at short range with devastating effect, yet at one moment a weight of numbers carried them through our lines. South of Lavacquerie a splendidly spirited counter attack sent them reeling back. After winning the clash in our own lines, we advanced to meet them in hand-to-hand conflict. Our airmen did magnificently. They spotted a large concentration of German guns and directed contributed to the destruction of many. Whether the Germans will renew the colossal costly attempt remains to be seen. Personally, the correspondent does not believe the rumor that they have cavalry ready to break through. We still retain the high ground north of Lavacquerie, which considerably minimized any tactical advantage to the Germans in the occupation of the ruins of the village. Methodical activity prevails in the year of our battlefront, where the exceptional dryness of the roads is facilitating transport and other operations. The correspondent thinks it can safely be said we are quite ready to deal with any further projects of the enemy has in mind. MACLEOD.

MILLIONS DIE

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