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Evening Telegram

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TUESDAY, January 16th, 1917.

Handling Greece.



We shall continue to hear extreme rumours about Greece until the inevitable climax in her affairs determines the issue of the silent conflict that is going on. The prediction from Rome that Constantine is about to be deposed may be said to voice a quite common opinion, and that is all that need be said about it. What the ministerial conference decided is known only to the ministers themselves though the world can make shrewd guesses about much of it. We have every reason to believe that the most important of the military questions which they discussed were concerned with the East and primarily with Greece. The recent drastic ultimatum to King Constantine and sundry overt acts of the Allies indicate that a definite programme is in course of performance and that it will be carried out to a finish. If one of the items near the finish is the quiet removal of the troublesome Constantine, no one will be surprised, but such an apparently tyrannical proceeding is not likely to be attempted by the Allies until events lead logically up to it, until, that is, it is plain to everyone in Greece that the King is simply "asking for it."

The occupation of Cerigo may not mean much. It is another of many such acts of the Allies, and could easily be explained on the ground of the submarine peril—it lies right off the way to the Aegean. But it also lies just south of the Moraea peninsula, where the Royalist troops are, or are about to be, stowed for safe keeping. A convenient naval base here may be useful to the Allies.

It would be interesting to be admitted into the intimate thoughts of Constantine at this moment. The continuance of the German ultimatum to Romania is the clearest intimation to him that he has been abandoned. It states unambiguously that Germany has not the mood to attack Monastir and force a junction with his troops. And now, if she decides that she has, and leaving Roumanian despatches in their south, it will be to find there are no troops to make junction with: they will be in Morea, and Allied regiments and warships at the Constantinople Straits. This bid fair to be the end of it all. If Constantine stands in the way he must be removed. Better to the Allies the hostilities of the Greek people and the condemnation of a misunderstanding neutral world (we know now how easily possible this is) than irretrievable disaster to the Salonika enterprise.

Germany and Peace

The German Foreign Minister seems to be satisfied, albeit reluctantly, that there is no present hope of peace. His country will not state her terms and suffer the implication of weakness that the statement will contain. For once a German statesman has correctly sized up the situation. Not all the cleverness of her ministers and the magnificence of her first note available to dispel the same suspicion of weakness which its publication created. She will not grant the slightest of the Allies' demands. Yet the interesting feature of every responsible utterance of her leaders is the intense desire for peace that can be read between the lines. The Allies, she protests to heaven, reject the notion of peace, but the strength of her protestation reveals that it is she that desires it.

Why does she so desire it? The reason cannot be mistaken. Many argue plausibly that it is a mere trick of hers and what was to be expected of her diplomacy. She has attained everything that she can hope, and more than she has many times expected, to attain. The future can hardly add to her conquests and will almost certainly take from them. It is most natural, therefore, that she should want peace now, and to that end encourage in any way talk of peace within and without her dominions. This is convincing enough, except in one most important particular. If her military position and prospects were the only cause underlying her overtures, we should expect her to encourage peace discussions in secret, but not all of the kind which we hear. We should expect her to point insistently to her invincibility, the futility of attempts to crush her by arms, and so on. This is the tone that she would dictate to her press, and it is in fact the tone of her official pronouncements. But that which has most strongly impressed the Allies in the columns of her press and in the talk of her people which has percolated through to the outside is the very last that she would wish to

1st Nfld. REGIMENT.

Casualty List.

RECEIVED JANUARY 16th, 1917.
 2699—Private Clarence Stone, Smith Sound, previously reported dangerously ill at Amiens, Dec. 13. Now off dangerous list.

RECEIVED JANUARY 16th, 1917.
 1433—Private John M. Sullivan, St. George's. Admitted Wandsworth, N. H. 1916.

2085—Private Willis Spurrell, Badger's Quay. Transferred to 9th General Hospital, Rouen, January 14th. (Previously reported 8th General Hospital, Rouen, January 11th, suspect enteric).

J. R. BENNETT,
 Colonial Secretary.

McMurdo's Store News

TUESDAY, Jan. 16th, 1917.
 After the Rink you will find it very convenient to drop in at the Ice Cream where they dispense hot drinks—tomato bouillon, beef extract, chicken bouillon, hot coffee and chocolate. You will find these drinks at exactly the right temperature, neither scalding hot, nor half cold, but just the proper degree of heat to give a pleasant glow to the system and prevent gripple, colds, and chills. Do not pass the door, but walk in with your friend. You will be delighted.
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Here and There.

CONFINED TO HIS HOME.—Mr. Geo. M. Barr is confined to his home suffering from a severe cold.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.—Empire Lodge, S.O.E., will install their officers for the ensuing year to-night.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is strong northwest wind and fine; snowing and drifting in places; temperature 10 to 25 above.

PROGRESSING FAVOURABLY.—2628, Anderson; 1977, Atwood; 2453, Angel; 457, Butler; 2381, Bursary; 851, Butt; 932, Boone; 1461, Boland; 1133, Bursary; 460, Butler; 1070, Belmont; 2590, Blake; 2563, Bragg; 2074, Chafe; 2368, Clarke; 2412, Crocker; 1545, Cahill; 2088, Crawford; 492, Coombe; 429, Cooney; 1513, Churchill; 1655, Clarke; 2795, Christianson; 1003, Clarke; 1986, Cook; 1518, Campbell; 2038, Colish; 1954, Cairns; 1472, Coombe; 2192, Connors; 1702, Dicks; 474, Dooley; 2157, Day; 877, Duncan; 2177, Doyle; 1472, Delaney; 45, Dewling; 2388, Ellis; 2007, Foley; 420, Pfield; 1985, Pennell; 694, Farrington; 2151, French; 573, Goodyear; 2447, Gosse; 1768, Harvey; 238, Humphrey; 1192, Hayter; 1843, Hawker; 1505, Haynes; 1558, Hillier; 237, Hogan; 1557, Hepditch; 1166, Heath; 2251, Hutchings; 2479, Humphries; 1777, Hensbury; 118, Jackman; 1011, Kelly; 490, Keel; 2646, King; 1713, Kilroy; 242, Kirby; 2430, King; 2075, Levine; 350, Luff; 1640, Lewis; 1837, Ledrew; 259, Lahey; 1498, Learning; 1936, LeDrew; 628, Maddick; 971, Mahoney; 659, McFarlane; 2069, Murphy; 1936, Grath; 2173, Murphy; 2165, Morrissey; 2022, Matthews; 401, Murphy; 272, Manuel; 529, Moore; 2490, Mercer; 2466, Muford; 1190, Martin; 623, Martin; 2656, Martin; 1425, Moyle; 1454, Northcott; 2397, Norris; 1098, Northcott; 1836, Newbury; 1193, O'Quinn; 1043, Peet; 2138, Penny; 1874, Payne; 1448, Penny; 559, Penny; 2218, Perry; 2389, Pearce; 72, Reardon; 1106, Riggs; 260, Ryan; 631, Robinson; 440, Roberts; 2266, Ryan; 1059, Riggs; 1501, Jones; 2472, Rodgers; 1344, Reid; 2100, Stone; 1318, Steele; 1052, Sparks; 2194, Stewart; 1263, Shelley; 1314, Saunders; 2744, Strickland; 1633, Short; 1036, Short; 1420, Sheppard; 2559, Barker; 2645, Skinner; 73, Sears; 2060, Snow; 1925, Thornhill; 21, Tilley; 864, Tracey; 2653, Turner; 1990, Ude; 2698, Moore; 773, Stone; 152, Volsey; 2071, Whelan; 1609, Walsh; 2095, Whelan; 1872, Walsh; 1968, Walsh; 1959, Walsh; 883, Walsh; 1029, White; 1084, White; 1792, Walsh; 1894, Wells; 2485, Wheeler; 1649, Warren; 1759, Williamson; 1951, Broderick; 1723, Roper; 1081, Gosse; 2620, Guller; 1704, Jones; 38, Ryan; 1262, Wiseman.

PRINCE OF WALES' RINK will be open to-night with an excellent sheet of ice. Entrance from Forest Road. Admission 20c.—Jan16,11

AUTHOR AND HUNTER KILLED.—London, Jan. 6.—Capt. Frederick Courtena Selous, author and hunter, who accompanied Theodor Roosevelt on his hunting expedition in East Africa, has been killed in action in East Africa.

TO OUR BOYS IN FRANCE.—No doubt our boys in France would appreciate a little pocket money. If any one is desirous of giving a gift of this nature the Canadian Bank of Commerce has on hand at the present time a limited number of 5 franc notes which may be procured on applying at their office, Water Street.

INCREASE IN TAILORS' WAGES.—We understand there will shortly be a meeting of the Tailors' Union for the purpose of considering the present rate of wages as compared with the high cost of living. We are also informed that a meeting of the employees of the Tailors' Union will be held on the matter of increased wages to employees will be finalized.

C. C. C. MONTHLY DANCE (in aid of New Hall)—Thursday next, Jan. 18th. Donations of Cakes, etc., will be gratefully received by the Band's Ladies' Committee any hour during the day (Thursday). Kindly attach name.—Jan16,11

W.P.A.—There have been some recent changes in the Executive Committee of the W.P.A. A new officer, that of the Red Cross Secretary, has been created to deal with the greatly increased amount of Red Cross work, and Mrs. John Harvey has consented to act in this capacity. Mrs. Cluny Macpherson, though remaining a member of the Executive, has resigned her position as Hon. Secretary to the Association, and Mrs. W. G. Gosling has undertaken the duties of this office. All correspondence intended for the Secretary, should be addressed to her, at 77 LeMarchant Road.

C. C. C. DANCE (in aid of New Hall)—The C. C. C. Monthly Dance takes place in the New Hall on Thursday next, January 18th, at 9 p.m. Full Band. Tickets: Gent's (single), \$1.00; Lady's, 50c. Tickets on sale today at Atlantic Bookstore, Smyth's, Wadden's Drug Store, Parker & Monroe's, East and West; J. Courtney's, J. P. Cash. Jan16,11

JACK AND MARIE ROSSLEY MAKE BIG HIT.

There was a large audience at Rossley's British Theatre last night when the Swanky Soldier was presented. The people were so much interested in it that they did not leave until it was late. The Swanky Soldier is one of the funniest sketches ever produced. The applause was loud and long when Jack Rossley appeared; Rossley's military uniform was a corker. The military songs and witty dialogue were very clever and was written by Mrs. Rossley. The pictures were splendid. The audience declared it was the finest show ever seen at the Rossley Theatre. Don't fail to see the Rossleys in the Swanky Soldier assisted by the clever pantomime Co.

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THE SMALL SALARIED MAN.

The small salaried man is a humble spectator who sits on the side lines and watches prices climb the greased pole.

Prior to the war in Europe the small salaried man was able to exchange his weekly pay check for enough rent, light, heat, graham flour and New Orleans molasses to last until the next Saturday night. Every once in a while some man on small salary would be able to save enough to buy a 1912 runabout and take his wife for a ride on Sunday, without fearing anything except a few blow-outs. Then the war cloud began to rise in jumps like a prize hurler and the price of everything from side pots to the baby's shoes began to jump with it. Many a small salaried man has invested the savings of a lifetime in an automobile troubled with chronic asthma and two strokes of paralysis, only to be overtaken by the high price of gasoline and cylinder oil and be forced to trade all four tires for candle eggs.

While they are making heroes over in Europe, we are also producing a few in this country. The small salaried man who manages to make ends meet on the same wage he drew in 1911 does not need to stand in the front line trenches in order to find out what trouble fees like. Thousands of men are supporting families on \$15 a week, but they are doing it with the aid of a wife who has as much courage under her dust cap as an army aviator who is plastered with iron crosses from the fetlocks up. The small salaried man with a wife knows how to prepare 11 cents' worth of food so it will look like a table d'hôte dinner has something in the house better than antique furniture or a string of foot-loose chambermaids.

If justice were done in this country the small salaried man would get the Carnegie medal instead of the hook.

To prepare a tub of bluing water have the water cool, and stir while you add the bluing.

In Milady's Boudoir.

MILADY'S TEETH.

In the majority of cases, the teeth are sufficiently far apart for small particles of food to lodge between them. If these particles are not promptly removed the heat and moisture of the mouth, acting upon them, promote their decomposition and set up an acid fermentation that causes the decay of the enamel and finally of the teeth themselves.

When the teeth are decayed this danger is even greater and the result is offensive gasses, fetor of the breath, poisons of the blood and grave injuries to the digestive and nervous system. When possible dental floss should be used after every meal. Toothpicks are to be tabooed for several reasons. The wooden toothpick is especially undesirable since tiny particles of wood are sometimes left in the gums.

When the teeth are of irregular formation it often happens that the toothbrush does not reach all of the surfaces. In that event they should have treatment once or twice a week with a soft orange wood stick which, dipped in tooth powder, is used as a cleanser and polisher. This little attention not only keeps the teeth from becoming yellow but it discourages the growth and development of bacteria and prevents the catarrhal irritation that

sometimes sets up about the margin of the gums which leads in time to their recession and exposure of the teeth where they are not protected with enamel.

In addition to this treatment the mouth should be rinsed every night with some mild antiseptic solution. Tincture of orris, rose water and alcohol in equal parts, flavored with a drop of oil of bitter almond make a very agreeable mouth wash.

Everyday Etiquette.

"Should I leave a card when calling on a friend and she opens the door for me herself?" asked Jack.

"If you are making a first call or calling in return for some hospitality shown you, you should leave a card. Do not make the mistake of handing them to your hostess, but leave them on the table as you depart," answered his father.

Unfortunate Vagrant.

Edward Scott, an unfortunate man, who has frequented the lockup and Penitentiary for several years past, not having any home or friends, was again taken in at the police station last night for shelter. The poor fellow's mind is somewhat unbalanced and he is very sick as well. He appeared before Mr. Hutchings, K.C., this morning, charged with vagrancy, and was sent down for ten days. In the meantime Mr. Hutchings, who had already interested himself in the man's case, is arranging with the Poor Commissioner to have him admitted to the Poor Asylum.

AN IMPORTANT EVENT.—A very important address and presentation to a very popular person, who is shortly to leave for the Old Country, will be made on behalf of a number of patriotic workers at the naval lecture and entertainment at Botwood Hall, Hutchings' Street, to-morrow night. An enjoyable time is assured.

BORN.

Yesterday morning, twins (daughter and son), to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Peach.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away at the General Hospital, on the 14th inst., after a long and painful illness, Mr. William Reid, eldest son of the late Maria and John Reid, aged 31 years and 10 months, leaving a wife, one child, father, two sisters and one brother to mourn their sad loss; funeral on Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 21 Rossiter's Lane; friends and acquaintances please attend without further notice.

At Sydney, N.S., on the 14th inst., after a brief illness, Catherine Jordan, wife of Edmund Kelly, both of this city. May her soul rest in peace. Passed peacefully away yesterday morning, Emma, widow of the late William Hamner. Funeral on Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m., from the residence of Mr. Wallace, No. 3 Devon Row; friends will please accept this, the only intimation.

On the 16th inst. of whooping cough, Carrie L. B. S., seventh and youngest child of W. J. and Carrie Lowe, aged 1 and 4 months. Safe in the arms of Jesus. Boston papers please copy.

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ALLIES OCCUPY

ATHENS, via London. The Allies occupied Cerigo on Wednesday south of the principal Islands belonging to the Mediterranean on the extremity of Morea.

Other Greek Islands have been occupied by the Allies on account of the bases for hostile submarines.

KING CONSTANTINE

POSED

NEW YORK

The Tribune this morning the following special Rome, Jan. 15.—It is King Constantine of Greece deposed and an Italian relative of King Victor Emmanuel placed on the Greek throne. The decision had been reached at a conference of the powers. This action, according to reports, has the approval of the Allies and will be under the leadership of Premier. The Duke of Salaparuta, the Italian King's brother-in-law, but has accepted.

NO PEACE PRO

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Dr. Alfred Zimmermann, Foreign Minister, indicated Press to-day that the Entente reply to Wilson's peace note is that the peace conference is not a step to bring about a particular he said it is a direct announcement of peace conditions in the terms set forth in the note. Dr. Zimmermann, however, that the answer

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