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Wants war to go on Until three principal sinners are punished

Vienna, via London Dec. 26—The "Neue Frie Presse" publishes an interview with the German Field Marshal von Hindenburg at his quarters which are described an "being in one of the most important points of the line of defence which Russia had established against Germany."

The Field Marshal began, in reply to a remark concerning his popularity and his eventual triumphal entry into Berlin, by saying laughingly:

"I am already frightened about it I do not like to be feted. Cincimatus, who returned to the plough, is a beautiful figure. However, my entry into Berlin will not come so quickly.

"At present the enemy won't make peace. They are not yet weakened enough. We must, therefore, keep it up further."

Field Marshal von Hindenburg criticized the French demamds, praticularly that relating to Alsace-Lorraine "If they want it," he said, "they should come and get it."

"The British," he continued, "appear also to have decided to continue the war. It is true that reports come from India that ought to dampen the British lust for war somewhat, but one must wait and see whether the reports are corroborated. Great Britain has her Achilles tendon, I am referring alone to India.

"In Russia also the Emperor and Government plainly desire the continuation of the war. The most remarkable thing is that all these nations do not see they are only sacrificing themselves for Great Britain. It does not look like peace. and so Germany cannot sheathe her sword."

The Field Marshal declared that every German would rejoice if an end were put to the terrible blood-letting, but that Germany must carry on the war which was forced on her.

Questioned concerning the military situation, the Field Marshal said:

"Our tactical position is excellent. Especially in the east the German army has reached the most favorable strategic position conceivable."

He asserted that the Russian human material was was much poorer than the first year of the war; that Russia could fill the gap witn the reserves now mustered, but could not form new armies The lack of officers was also a hindrance.

The Russian assertions that their defeats in July and August were due to lack of anuunition were only excuses, said the Field Marshal, who added;

"There are no signs thet the demoralization of the Russian army observed then has been overcome.

He said he did uot expect another Russian offensive, but was ready for one. The nature of the warfare had made the war one of ammunition, The extension of warfare all over Europe was a danger for Napoleon and the reason of his fall, said the German commander, but it played no role in the present conflict, in view of modern railway facilities. He concluded by saying:

"I should be especially pleased at the destructive defeat of the Italians. This war must not end without the three principal sinners, Great Britain, Serbia and Italy, receiving just punishment.

The Herald states that Miss Southcott, nursing Supt. at the General Hospital, will likely be retired at the beginning of the New Year.

The General Assembly has been further prorogued until February 15th, 1916.

No, No

An Old Country farmer lost his barn last year by fire They said at the time that he was insured for more than the building was worth, and that he was not sorry to see the old shed destroyed. Unfortunately for his hopes however, the insurance people took advantage of an option in their policy and replaced the barn instead of giving him the money—greatly to his disgust. Not long afterwards the traveling agent of a life insurance company came into the village, and, among others, solicited the old man to effect an insurance on his life "No, no!" said the farmer; "I should feel as if I were a-going to die to-morrow." "Well," said the agent, facetiously, "if that is the case, take the assurance on your wife.' "You don't catch me there. either," chuckled the old man: "I know the way of you insurance chaps; you would just go and give me another old jade even worse than the first."

Note of Thanks

The C. of E. W. A. of Bareneed wish to thank all those who patronized their Sale of Work, also the Port de-Grave bandsmen and the following young men who worked so hard to make the sale a success:—Clement Newell, Harry Greenland, Harry Bartlett, George Richards and Victor Newell. Proceeds of sale amounted to $122.20.

NEWS IN A LINE

The schr Issalt sailed for market Tuesday morning last.

The watch which was advertised as lost in last week's Guardian, was picked up by Joseph Brennan and returned to this office this week.

The Bay de Verde branch railway line is handling a very large amount of freight.

Hayward Norman and J. Dawe are the latest Bay Roberts boys to volunteer for services abroad The total is now 2699.

The Guardian wishes its patrons, subscribers and readers generally a PROSPEROUS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Sunday, January 9th, will be Thanksgiving Sunday in the Methodist churches at Bay Roberts and Coley's Pt. Rev. N. M. Guy, M. A., of George St., St. John's, will be the preacher.

Mrs. Azariah Dawe of Coley's Point, who has been ill for some time, is now rapidly recovering. It is expected that she will be fully recovered in the course of a little while.

Died

On Tuesday morning, December 21st, after a long illness, Thomas Mercer, son of Fanny and the late William Mercer, aged 53 years. Leaving a wife, mother, two brothers and one sister to mourn their sad loss. Funeral took place on Thursday, Dec. 23rd, to the Methodist Cemetery, Rev. W. Grimes officiating. Victoria Lodge, L. O., A Lilly of the Valley Royal Black Preceptory, accompanied by Victoria Lodge Band attended the funeral in a body, the deceased being a member of the above Association.

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Says 'Twas Legal

(Editor the Guardian).

Dear Sir,—Referring to the Road Board meeting at Coley's Point spoken of in your last issue, I beg to say the motion you referred to as being illegal and out of order, was strictly in accordance with the Local Affairs Act.

I am fully aware that an old Board can be re-elected if the people choose, but the majority present at the meeting decided to have a new board, composed of men who had never acted before. According to the Local Affairs Act, the electors of a place have a perfect right to elect whom they choose.

Further, sir, I contend that sec. 13 does not refer to the above matter, but treats of the period of time an elector must reside in a place before he can act on a road board.

Yours truly.
ALBERT MORGAN.

Coley's Point,
Dec. 30, 1915.

[We will defer comment on this letter until next issue.—Editor]

SUNDAY SERVICES.

January 2nd, 1916.

Church of England.

ST. MATTHEW'S PARISH CHURCH—Holy Communion 8 a.m. and noon on alternate Sundays.
Mattins 11 a.m.; Evensong 7 p.m.
1st Sunday in each month Service for United Sunday Schools 3 p.m.
On other Sundays, Intercession Service 3 p.m.
Friday 7.30 p.m.
Festivals according to notice.

Methodist.

BAY ROBERTS CENTRAL CHURCH.—11 a.m. Prayer and Praise Service.
7 p.m
Rev. W. Grimes.
Friday 7.30 p.m. Week-night Service.
COLEY'S POINT — 10.45 a.m.
Rev. W. Grimes
Thursday 7 p.m. Week night Service.
SPANIARD'S BAY— 3 p.m.
Rev. W. Grimes.
Tuesday 7 p.m. Week night Service.
SHEARSTON— 3 p.m.
Mr. John Bowring.
Wednesday 7 p.m. Week night Service.

Salvation Army.

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL—7 a.m. Prayer Meeting; 11 a.m., Holiness Meeting; 3 p.m. Free and Easy Meeting; 7 p.m., Salvation Meeting.

Seventh Day Adventists

The regular services at the Adventist Church will be as follows:—Sabbath (Saturday) Sabbath School 2 to 3 p.m., followed by a regular service 3.15 to 4.15.

General Post Office

BRITISH MAILS

Having been advised that mails for the United Kingdom will be despatched by the direct Canadian Service Steamers, sailing every Friday from Halifax or St. John, Mails for Great Britain will be despatched from St. John's by every Monday's Express, closing at the General Post Office Mondays at 4 p.m.

H. J. B. WOODS,
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