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Evening Telegram

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MONDAY, March 20, 1916.

Russians Again Advancing.

The reports from Asia Minor are most encouraging. The report that both officers and men of the Turkish army are surrendering to the Russian army to the condition of the Turkish army and the demoralizing character of the German control is important if the numbers are large. It should, however, be remembered that the main operations have so far been in Armenia, where there is a Christian population, and where it is likely that a large number of the Turkish army includes Christians forced into the Turkish army, who are bitterly hostile to the Turks owing to the maltreatment, massacres and all kinds of atrocities, which have long been practiced against the Christians by the Turks. If, however, any considerable number of Turkish officers have voluntarily surrendered, it may point to a collapse of Turkish resistance. Whether there is any chance of this will become clearer as the Russians attempt to advance. Further west and southwest the Russian main line advances, the less chance there will be of any Turkish attack on Egypt as the Turks will need all their men to oppose the Russians and to bar them in the passes of the Caucasus from advancing south and cutting the communication at Konia, Kessel and Bagdad. The long siege of General Townshend's forces at Kut-el-Amara and the apparent inability of General Lake and General Aylmer to relieve these forces makes the success so far in holding out at Kut-el-Amara has outlasted the former, but as the days go by and without material progress by the British, anxiety naturally increases.

In Aid of the Red Cross

SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO.
On the evening of Wednesday, the 22nd, at the Grenfell Hall, Mr. H. C. Thompson, whose travels have been so many and varied, will give an illustrated lecture before the ravages of war brought devastation. The slides which will be put on the screen are mostly colored, giving a realistic portrait of the quaint streets and people. He will carry us from places to places over-run by the Austrians and Bulgarian hordes; we shall travel from heroic Belgrade before the bombardment, to Cattaro on the Adriatic. Besides this he will show us views of Mudros, that haven of safety, dear to the hearts of all Newfoundlanders, where the first place of rest reached by the 1st Nfld. Regiment after the famous evacuation of Serbia, and the place where the wounded were first cared for. We feel sure that all will be glad of this opportunity of seeing so realistically, a land so little known and yet so famous.

Smallpox at Port Rexton.

Dr. Brehm, City Health Officer, is apprised of an outbreak of smallpox at Port Rexton, Trinity Bay. However, only one case of the disease has yet shown itself, a woman being the patient, and she is being attended by Dr. Fitzgerald, who has taken steps to prevent a spread of the malady. The origin of the present case of smallpox referred to cannot be traced, though it is not of the virulent type.

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Stephano's Passengers

The following passengers sailed on the Stephano on Saturday night last:—
J. J. Tobin, D. Tobin, Mrs. Dixon, A. E. Vornell, J. M. and Mrs. Gibb, T. B. and Mrs. Carman and child, Miss L. Roberts, Mrs. G. Gardner, P. Laracy, Mrs. Burke, R. Butler, Miss M. Burke, G. Nicholls, Miss M. Ryan, Miss E. Burke, M. Caul, Miss Sinnott, Mr. and Mrs. Hodder, Corp. Ramsey, Miss F. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Watman, Miss E. Moore, Miss V. O'Dwyer, C. Cantwell, Miss A. Byrne, F. J. Connolly, Miss Hayward, Miss G. McCreary, Miss E. Patrick, Miss E. Hayward, S. F. Elliott, R. Young, J. P. Kiely, Miss Connell, F. B. Bond, E. W. Long, Miss F. Devine, J. McCarthy, H. Baird, Reg. Burke, Miss Stein, W. R. Goobie, D. Percy and about 100 in steerage.

McMurdo's Store News

MONDAY, March 20, 1916.
The Unbreakable Mirror is a most convenient thing both while in training and at the front. It is formed of tempered steel highly polished until it makes as good a mirror as glass. Each mirror put up in a khaki colored case. Price 50c. each.
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H. N. Society Elect Officers.

The annual meeting of the Holy Name Society, St. Patrick's Branch, was held in the Holy Cross School yesterday morning. The reports of the Secretary and Treasurer, show the Society to be in good condition both financially and socially. President, J. Barron, and Spiritual Director, Rev. Fr. Pippy, addressed the members, both speakers referred to the need of a library, also of suitable room in which to hold meetings. The members were sorry to hear that they will be losing their beloved Spiritual Director as Fr. Pippy takes up his duties as pastor in the new Central Parish as soon as the school is completed. The election of officers for the ensuing year took place and were as follows:—President, J. Barron; Vice-President, M. Bambrick; Treasurer, Jas. Power; Secretary, T. Vavasour; Auditors, Jas. Ryan and J. Murphy. With the exception of the appointment of Mr. Vavasour as secretary, who takes the place of Mr. Jno. Flynn, the latter retiring because of ill health the other officers being re-elected. At the conclusion of the meeting votes of thanks were offered to Rev. Fr. Pippy, the Christian Brothers and the retiring Secretary, Mr. Flynn.

Boy Convicted of Theft.

On complaint of another boy named Heber Morgan, a lad named Rodgers was arrested yesterday by Constables Tobin and O'Neill, charged with larceny. Both the complaint and defendant had been boarding together in a house on George's Street, and on two occasions within the past three weeks it appears that Rodgers stole money from Morgan's valise, all amounting to \$6.00. The accused pleaded guilty to-day and was fined \$10 or 30 days and in addition give bonds in \$100 or 30 days.

Wreckage Picked Up.

The following message has just been received by Hon. M. P. Cashin:—"Fifty miles west of Sable Island, passed a lot of wreckage belonging to some vessel which was lost. Please report it in papers so that anyone going that way will be careful. We had bad passage; lots of storms."
CAPT. WM. CARROLL, "Passport."

LAD TO REST.—The funeral of the young man, Mr. M. J. Ricketts, who was killed at Johnston's Tannery, took place yesterday afternoon, and was largely attended. Interment was at Mount Carmel Cemetery. The father of the deceased young man died 15 months ago.

MINARD'S LINIMENT RELIEVES NEURALGIA.

SEALING REPORTS.

Official

Via Fogo.—The Erik, Florizel, Sable I., Terra Nova, Bloodhound, Eagle and Samuel Blandford, report crews aboard and well.

Cape Ray.—Viking, Ranger and Diana and Seal, all well, no men on ice.

Since Saturday evening, the following wireless messages were received from the front and Gulf steamers:—
From the North (Saturday Night).
S.S. Eagle.—Position 50 miles S.E. Northern Groins Island; ice very heavy; difficult to pick up pans; 7,000 stowed down; only ship in sight, Neptune; all well.

S.S. Terra Nova.—Prospects good; all well.
S.S. Florizel.—7,500 stowed down; 5,000 on deck; 100 pans flagged on ice; good getting around; all well.
From the Gulf (Saturday Night).
S.S. Ranger.—20 miles N.E. Bryon Island; tight ice as far as can be seen; ice very heavy; Viking, Diana and Seal in sight.

From the North (Sunday Night).
S.S. Neptune.—Have 6,000 on board. S.S. Samuel Blandford.—Expect to finish picking up pans this evening; no improvement in catch since reported 10,000 killed and panicked; ice breaking up.
S.S. Bloodhound.—Have 5,000 on board; struck a nice patch Saturday afternoon; ice very heavy; everything working well.

S.S. Florizel.—Stowed below 9,500, and 4,000 on deck; 115 flagged pans still out; all well.
S.S. Eagle.—Nothing new to report; ice in large sheets; difficult to get through; very hard getting around to pick up pans.

S.S. Terra Nova.—Killed 1,000 on Saturday; picked up pans to-day; expect to reach a good spot to-morrow; total on board 8,000.

From the Gulf (Sunday Night).
S.S. Viking.—20 miles N. by W. of Bryon Island; tight ice as far as can be seen; first sign of old harps; the following ships in sight: Diana, Seal and Ranger.

SABLE I. DOING WELL.
The Hon. John Harvey received the following message this morning from Capt. Jacob Kean, of the Sable I.:—"Struck small patch, but seven thousand on board. Ice very tight; seeking for another patch." This is the first news from the Sable I. The amount of seals she has on board is practically a half load for her.

The Erik is the only northern ship unreported in previous messages and it is thought that she was in company with the Sable I. We understand a message as received from Erik Saturday night and that it was satisfactory to her owners. The catch now accounted for the northern fleet, that is, stowed down and panicked, is:—
Eagle 35,000
Neptune 26,000
Florizel 22,000
Samuel Blandford 10,000
Terra Nova 8,000
Bloodhound 5,000
Sable I. 7,000
Total 113,000

Here and There.

B.I.S. CARD TOURNEY.—There will be a card tournament in the B.I.S. club rooms to-night; this is the second for the season.

REACHES PERAMBUCO.—The Annie-L. Warren, Capt. Belliveau, arrived at Pernambuco after a run of 33 days.

ENTERS HOSPITAL.—A man named Vardy, came in on to-day's express from Claverville to enter hospital. Mr. Eli Whiteway had the ambulance at the station to meet him.

ON TRAIN TO-DAY.—The following passengers from the Kyle are on the train to-day: S. Milley, Mrs. D. Munn, Miss B. Aylward, Capt. Joffe, Mr. and Mrs. H. Burns, A. B. Harding, F. W. Bradshaw, Ensign Bagges.

GENERAL HUGHES IN ENGLAND.
LONDON, To-day.
Sir Sam Hughes, Canadian Minister of Militia, arrived at Falmouth, yesterday, where he received the freedom of the city.

ST. PATRICK'S CHOIR ENTERTAINED.—Yesterday morning the St. Patrick's Choir were the guests of Rev. Frs. Sheehan and Renouf for a light luncheon at the Deanery; an enjoyable hour was spent.

WILL ATTEND GRAND LODGE.—The Rev. W. J. Wilson of Lewisport, came in by train midnight Saturday and resting over Sunday he proceeds to Ray Roberts to attend the annual session of the Grand Lodge, L.O.A.

KYLE OFF LOW POINT.—The despatching office of the R. N. Co. received a message from the Kyle to-day giving her position at 8 a.m. as 20 miles east Low Point, in heavy loose ice; N.E. leg with thick snow.

BROKE HIS LEG.—Mr. Eli Whiteway was at the station this morning to meet Mr. Moly, St. John's, St. Mary's Bay, who came in on the Trepassey train to enter the hospital, having met with an accident while returning to his home one night last week, slipping on the ice and breaking his right leg below the knee. The man suffered great pain and had to be placed in the ambulance on reaching the city.

Enough Tonnage For Salt Requirements

We understand that a meeting of the Salt Committee was held at the Board of Trade Rooms to-day, at which the Prime Minister presided. We understand that the British Government who were requested through His Excellency the Governor for a transport to freight a cargo of salt from Cadiz, in addition to what Lord Rothermere's steamers the Alconda and Cranley will bring, have offered a large ship called the Bo Lizzie Anna to bring a load of salt here. The salt merchants decided that they had enough tonnage to handle the salt Saturday and that the Bo Lizzie Anna would not be required.

Train Notes.

The express which left yesterday arrived at Badger Brook at noon to-day.
The incoming express left Arnold's Cove at 8.45 a.m. and reached town at 2 p.m.

The train from Carbonear reached town at 1 p.m. to-day.

The Trepassey train arrived at 12 p.m. to-day.

Reids' Boats.

The Argyle left Placentia on Saturday at 6 p.m. on the Red Island route.

The Kyle left Sydney at 7 a.m. to-day and is due at Port aux Basques this evening.

The Meigs left Fortune at 6.30 p.m. yesterday, coming east.

LARGE ENGLISH MAIL.—A large English mail arrived on the express to-day.

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Dedication of New Organ.

The service of dedication of the new organ at the Kirk took place yesterday morning at which Mr. F. J. King gave a voluntary on the new organ. In the evening the usual services were held, the soloist being Miss Mitchell. Organist King gave a voluntary and the Pastor, Rev. Mr. Sutherland preached the last of his series of sermons on the wars of nations. Mr. King then gave a short recital on the new organ, which was shown to great advantage. A recital of sacred music is being given to-night at the Presbyterian Church by Organist King to mark the formal opening of the new organ. The organist will be assisted by an augmented choir who will render Parry's "Ode to Music." Mrs. P. J. King will be the soloist.

Amusements.

AT THE CRESCENT PICTURE PALACE.

The Crescent Picture Palace opens this week with a splendid programme. The subjects comprise drama, novelty, comedy and juvenile comedy and each subject features some famous actor or actress. Among those who will be seen to-night are Etienne Girard, Violet Mersereau, William Welsh, Murdoch Macquarrie, Peggy Pierce, Rube Miller and Little Billie James. These names alone are a guarantee of the excellence of the pictures which will no doubt, be greeted by crowded houses. The hosts of admirers of the great comedian Billie Ritchie, will be delighted to know that he will be seen again at this theatre on Wednesday when the eleventh episode of "The Black Box" will also be shown.

THE BRITISH THEATRE.

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MASS FOR MEN ALSO.—Men can attend 3.30 a.m. mass at the Cathedral during the Women's Mission.

Parade Rink open to-night;

ice in good condition; Terra Nova Band.—mar20,11

POLICE COURT.—(Before Mr. Morris, K.C.)—Three drunks were discharged. The defendant in an assault case was let go. A boy, convicted of larceny was fined \$10 and ordered to give bonds.

LOOSE ICE CROSSING GULF.—Capt. Stevenson, of the Kyle, while crossing from Sydney to Port aux Basques the last trip reports small ice and open with large lakes to within a few miles of Channel Head.

REACHED GIBRALTAR.—Schooner Winnifred, Capt. Geo. Ramsey, has arrived at Gibraltar, after a passage of 26 days from this port. She loaded fish here for A. H. Murray, and is the first of a fleet of vessels which left here a month ago with fish cargoes to reach Gibraltar.

SECTION MAN INJURED.—A man named John Ward, a section man at Placentia Junction who met with an accident at that place by cutting his knee severely as the result of a heavy fall, came to the city by train Saturday night and was attended by Dr. Patterson.

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The mother, sisters and brothers of the late James Ricketts wishes to thank all kind friends who helped to make his funeral so comfortable, and acts and words of sympathy, especially the following:—Mr. Fred Canning, Mr. and Mrs. Johnstone, Mr. Condon, Mr. Charles McCarthy, Miss Hall, Mr. and Mrs. E. Norris, Miss Josie Hudson, Miss Lizzie Norris, and Mrs. O'Rourke.—adv.

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BORN.

At their residence, LeMarchant Road, last night, March 19th, a son to Anthony and Mrs. Tooton.

DIED.

Last night, Willie, beloved son of Michael and Bridget Tobin, aged 14 years; funeral to-morrow, Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m., from Outer Cove.

On Saturday, at 12 o'clock, in his 80th year, Mr. Andrew Gowans, a native of Greenock, Scotland; funeral at 2.30 p.m., to-day (Monday), from the residence of Mrs. H. A. Bishop, 199 Le Marchant Road.

On Sunday morning, at 2 o'clock, after a illness of a year's duration, with peaceful resignation to the Divine Will, James Fewer, aged 67 years, leaving a wife and one son to mourn their loss; funeral to-morrow, Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence, 47 Lime Street; friends and relatives will be asked to attend without further notice.—R. L. P.

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