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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDER, Proprietor
H. A. WINTER, B.A., Editor

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1917.

One Man and His Work.

These are days of national effort and sacrifice, uniting all in a common endeavour. Where everyone is on some committee, belongs to some association, or in some other way contributes his labour or his capital to the cause which is the cause of all, there is felt to be no need to draw particular attention to any of the work that is being done, or to give to come particular achievement praise which must be shared among so many. Occasionally, however, not only some certain achievement but some certain individual stands out conspicuous among all rivals and compels an especial admiration. Such an instance we have before us to-day.

Yesterday we were able to announce that the goal which Private Phil Jensen set himself last year, voluntarily and unaided, to attain has been reached and passed. Through his efforts more than the splendid sum of \$5,000 which was that goal has been subscribed to different Red Cross purposes. The idea was unique; its performance was unique; above all, the man himself was unique. He returned to this country wounded and broken in health from the horrors of Ypres, in which he played himself an heroic part. He had been ready to give his life to the cause; it was saved to him by the tender care of the Red Cross. The loyalty that underlay the one remained with him and grew stronger; gratitude for the other inspired him with the purpose that has been so finely fulfilled. He might have retired to enjoy an honourable rest and recuperation, conscious of having given greater service already than most; instead he chose to enhance it by devoting himself to the cause and support of the great organization which had saved his life and awakened in him an enthusiasm rare and unsurpassed.

The untiring, incessant labour which has accomplished this task would have been admirable in a sound man, trained to the vocation of travelling and lecturing. Private Jensen was inexperienced in such matters, and it is well known that his health, which constant rest, has suffered under the constant strain. It is the spirit that infected every audience which he addressed that has sustained him. Measured by merely material standards, the results of his lecturing have been a wonderful achievement for one man. He has won hundreds of dollars for the Red Cross Society and others for the Cot Fund, added nearly \$3,000 to the Red Cross Fund of the W.P.A., and built the camp for tubercular soldiers and sailors that bears his name. In doing so he has spoken on many platforms in many parts of the Island, to all kinds of audiences, with a manner of speaking that is always fresh and always appealing. Never consciously seeking it, he derives eloquence from his one true source, sincerity.

"Private Jensen's Lectures" have been for months regular topics of the

papers and an attraction looked forward to wherever they have been announced. They were the example that set on foot many other lectures that have done good in every branch of patriotic effort. They were not confined to the main purpose that inspired them, for Private Jensen won not merely money to the cause but many men to the ranks. He has been the most convincing and successful of all our recruiters. With the attainment of his goal he is now enjoying a long deferred rest, and it is less than his due that he should enjoy with it the thanks and admiration of his fellow-countrymen. They should be extended also to his indefatigable co-worker, Mrs. John Browning, than whom none can feel more gratification over his success. It is not generally known how far Mrs. Browning has made his object her own and how assiduously she has assisted him with her efforts, her sympathy and her counsel. Those who know it, however, will agree that she is equally to be congratulated with Private Jensen upon the success of his endeavour, which is such as few would have attempted and none could have more splendidly carried out.

1st Nfld. REGIMENT.

Casualty List.

Received January 24th, 1917.
The Following Admitted Wardsworth.
Capt. J. Weston March, M.C., Circular Road. Asthma, slight.
2085—Private Willis Spurrell, Badger's Quay. Tubercular lung. (Previously reported suspect enteric, Rouen.)
2219—Private Albert Moores, Pouch Cove. Rheumatic fever.
2153—Private Elmo Knight, Grand Falls. Corneal opacity.

2420—Private James Phelan, 77 Merrymeeting Road. Seriously ill, nephritis, 1st Australian General Hospital, Rouen, Jan. 20th.

J. R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary.

Denies False Report.

Editor Evening Telegram.
City.
Dear Sir,—A certain party being responsible for the report that has been circulated among the local trade that during my recent visit to Halifax I approached Messrs. Moirs, Ltd., with a view to getting their agency away from Mr. F. V. Chesman, I ask space to state that this report is absolutely false, and that I was not in Messrs. Moirs' offices while in Halifax, nor did I have any conversation of any sort with anyone connected with that firm.
Yours very truly,
P. E. OUTERBRIDGE.

McMurdo's Store News

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 24, '17.
Parafornic Throat Lozenges (made in Canada) are one of the quickest cures for sore throat and tonsillitis. They bring to bear upon the inflamed tissues the virtues of Formaldehyde, one of the most powerful of germicides and antiseptics. This substance with other demulcent and healing drugs is combined in a pleasant lozenge, and this lozenge has proved one of the most effective available in throat troubles. Price 30c. a bottle.
The Excelsis Shaving Stick is par excellence the cold weather shaving soap. It is bland and pleasant to the face, and leaves no smarting, roughness or soreness in even the coldest weather. Price 35c. each.

Waiting to Load.

Herrings are scarce at North Arm, Bay of Islands, to-day but there is fair fishing outside Middle Arm, according to a message received by the Marine and Fisheries Department. Five vessels are at Bay of Islands herring laden awaiting a chance to sail and it is expected, if weather conditions permit fishing, that the whole fleet of vessels now there will finish loading and be ready to sail for market within the next few days.

Knitting Mills Wins Decision.

In the action of the Knitting Mills, Ltd., against the Red Cross Line for excessive freight charges, Mr. Justice Kent gave judgment in favour of the Knitting Mills for \$228.87 with costs. Hon. Mr. Gibbs, K.C., for plaintiff; Mr. McGrath for defendant.

From Cape Race.

CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind north west, light, weather fine. Bar, 29.50; ther. 19.
AND ALL OTHERS NOW IN STOCK
PRIMARY.

Citizens' Committee

Pass a Resolution of Sympathy to the Relatives of Two Prominent Citizens Now Dead.

Chairman Mr. A. Soper, who for several meetings past was unavoidably absent from the meetings of the Citizens' Committee, presided last night. The minutes of the previous meetings were read, and before proceeding with the regular business of the evening the Chairman drew the attention of the committeemen to the great loss the citizens of St. John's had sustained in the death of two of its prominent citizens in the persons of the late Mr. John Dwyer, M.H.A., for St. John's East, and Mr. M. J. Kennedy, M.F.A. for St. John's West. Vice-Chairman, Mr. W. A. O'D. Kelly, moved that the sympathy of the Citizens' Committee, representing as it does the people of St. John's, be tendered the relatives of the deceased. The late gentlemen took an active part in all things pertaining to the best interest of their native city, and in brief Mr. Kelly portrayed their many sterling qualities. Mr. Jonas Barber (architect) in a few well chosen words spoke of the loss to the community of such trusted representatives. Secretary, Mr. W. Smith spoke of the great loss to the Citizens' Committee, as both the departed gentlemen were the movers in calling that committee into being.

The Chairman in speaking on the motion indorsed the sentiments expressed by the previous speakers. On the motion being put to the meeting it was passed unanimously, and as a tribute of respect the committee stood in silent and respectful assent. The Secretary was directed to convey to the bereaved families the sympathy of the committee. A copy of the same to be sent to each of the daily papers. The Deputation to the Select Committee made their report, which was followed by a general discussion on various matters in connection with civic affairs. The Committee will strongly oppose the granting of certain powers to officials of the Council, which they consider should be only dealt with by the Council in session. Certain streets or playgrounds should be set aside for children to slide on. Sections 211 to 226 inclusive, were again gone over. One of the Committeemen suggested that a board of control be appointed to regulate rents, which was followed by a general discussion on the housing problem. This board would deal with houses renting under \$100 only. Several instances of the overcrowding of tenement houses was given and of exorbitant rents being charged. The one room tenement is on the increase in this city, and another instance was given where a man, his wife and ten children lived in a part of a shack consisting of two rooms, 12 x 12 and 10 by 12 for which the landlord demanded \$50 annual rent. This huddling together of all members of the family was responsible for the present high rate of mortality. The meeting adjourned and will meet again at the call of the chair.

Murder Charge.

A week ago, it will be remembered, William Gill gave himself up to the authorities. He was charged with having fired at, with a loaded gun, one Dalton, a rival of Gill's, at Conception Harbor, with intent to kill. The accused was remanded for eight days and is now at the Penitentiary. A preliminary enquiry into the case will begin in the early part of next week. The principal witness in the case will be Mrs. Gill, wife of the accused, who avers that she drove him to what he did.

REMOVE SNOW FROM SIDE-WALKS.

Six Water Street business people appeared in the Magistrate's Court this morning at the instance of Constable Day for neglecting to remove snow from the sidewalks. As the cases were the first breaches of the Council Regulations this winter, the defendants were let off on paying costs.

DIED.

On the 22nd inst., after a lingering illness, at his sister's residence, 23 Barron Street, Henry Ryan, aged 42 years, leaving a wife, 5 children, mother, two sisters and one brother to mourn the sad loss of a kind husband and loving father. Funerals took place from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Murphy, to Railway Station, interment at Aquaforte.—R. L. P.

Stafford's Drug Store (Theatre Hill) is open every night till 9.30.—Jan 24.

WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is strong N. W. wind and fine, temperature 8 below to 18 above. At Bishop's Falls the thermometer registered the lowest for this season.

KYLE'S PASSENGERS.

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MISTAKES COST MONEY,
But You make no mistake by buying space in
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Read the following SWORN statement for the past 12 months:

Date	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1—H	5875	5772	6364	5543	5675	6487	6294	6093	S	6351	5956	
2—S	5696	6000	S	5821	5978	S	H	6196	6119	6160	6474	
3—5651	5793	5966	6042	6092	H	6063	5844	S	6199	6483	S	
4—5648	5674	6149	5853	6043	S	6120	6264	6010	6082	6490	6190	
5—5616	5799	S	6128	6125	5725	H	6234	5866	6036	S	6478	
6—5438	S	6172	5989	6315	6046	6540	S	5425	5885	6304	6290	
7—5633	5445	6067	5971	6105	5760	6299	6324	5705	6082	6363	6359	
8—5778	5879	5739	6973	5940	5976	6394	6306	5569	S	6342	6262	
9—S	5442	6021	S	5977	6147	S	5998	5868	6131	6267	6266	
10—5730	5672	5902	6247	6002	6211	6393	6160	S	6068	6400	S	
11—5679	5462	5870	5888	5813	S	6214	6110	5832	6282	6408	6320	
12—5687	5678	S	5911	6002	5937	5584	6217	5962	6090	S	6270	
13—5760	S	6190	5902	6134	6097	6119	S	H	6261	6453	6200	
14—5696	5530	6240	6050	S	5752	6205	6242	5877	6555	6374	6373	
15—5680	5685	6201	6156	5882	5930	6113	6187	5973	S	6209	6063	
16—S	4759	5786	S	5962	5933	S	5797	6348	6321	6158	6163	
17—5767	5615	H	6130	5883	6467	6134	6132	S	6242	6138	S	
18—5490	5681	6224	6158	6017	S	5874	5546	5885	6346	6213	6335	
19—5637	5665	S	6355	6015	6008	5941	6056	6012	6185	S	6285	
20—5520	S	6130	5948	6142	5973	5988	S	5832	6060	6360	6223	
21—5629	5639	6180	H	5927	5972	6207	5362	6547	6444	6444	6493	
22—5702	5734	6015	6393	S	5817	6132	6080	6030	5651	S	6441	6252
23—S	5410	6180	S	5914	6089	S	H	5890	6619	6428	6578	
24—H	5976	6200	6184	H	6436	6076	5991	S	6389	6202	S	5982
25—5707	5923	6350	6295	5734	S	6026	6039	5841	6292	6479	H	
26—5853	5754	S	6146	5878	6053	5276	5990	5788	6275	S	5982	
27—5726	S	6473	6308	5978	5978	5709	S	6090	6142	6368	5991	
28—5664	5991	6288	6167	S	6101	5974	5769	5829	6516	6251	5974	
29—5837	5870	6027	6321	5780	6237	6053	5867	5872	S	6357	6471	
30—S	6167	S	5680	5778	S	5706	6180	6324	6266	5755		
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I, WILLIAM J. HERDER, of the City of St. John's, Newfoundland, Proprietor of The Evening Telegram Newspaper, being duly sworn do depose and say:
1.—That the average circulation per issue for the year ending December 30th, 1916, was 6,030 copies.
2.—That this statement of circulation does not include any spoiled sheets, destroyed papers, returned copies, or papers sold in any other way than day by day in the ordinary course of trade to news dealers, news vendors and subscribers, including "exchanges".
3.—That the above tabular statement is a correct report of the 302 issues of The Evening Telegram for the year ending December 30th, 1916.
—And I have signed, W. J. HERDER.
Sworn and acknowledged before me, at St. John's, this 13th day of January, A.D. 1917.
D. F. KENT,
Commissioner of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland.

THE EVENING TELEGRAM offers its patrons the utmost value for his dollar."

**Count the Returns,
NOT the Cost!**

Here and There.

Turkeys, Ducks, Geese and Chicken at ELLIS.

BOWINGS' SHIPS.—The Prospero left Tilt Cove yesterday, going north. The Portia left Gaultois this morning, going west.

HAULING ICE.—The first ice for this season was taken from Kent's Pond on Monday and measured from 14 to 18 inches in depth.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT CURES DIPHThERIA.

No Mail From Bell Island.

The mail steamer from Bell Island, having on board fifty passengers and some important mail, arrived at Portugal Cove at the usual hour this morning, but owing to there being a slight sea the captain refused to expose his ship to danger and therefore would not haul into the short landing place. Do the Government intend doing anything in the matter or are they waiting until the eve of the coming election when they may find it necessary to vote a few hundred dollars for worthless repairs? Some fifteen times within the past twelve months the mail steamer has not been able to tie on to this wharf, while on several occasions passengers were known to fall in the water when getting ashore on planks. Will the Government explain the reason why?

LLEWELLYN MYSTERIES.—The Llewellyn Mysteries held their first practice in Canon Wood Hall last night under the direction of Mr. H. Stirling. Judging by the success of their first practice the Mysteries will eclipse any of their performances held last winter.

Train Notes.

Monday's mail and freight reached Port aux Basques at 1.10 a.m. to-day. The incoming mail is due at 3 a.m. to-morrow.

The incoming express with Kyle's passengers left Port aux Basques at noon to-day.

The local from Carboneau reached the city at 1 p.m. to-day.

Reids' Boats.

The Argyle leaves Placentia to-day. The Gloucester left Placentia at 4 p.m. yesterday.

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The Sagona left Port aux Basques at 1.55 a.m. to-day.

UNSIGHTLY SCENE.—At the request of several residents of Forest Road we beg to draw the attention of the Municipal Council to the unsightly scene in the field between the C. of E. Cemetery and the Penitentiary, where there is piled up in the southeast corner and clinging around the pillars of the fence about one quarter of a ton of fish paper blown from the refuse dumps a short distance away.

Here and There.

FIRST INEBRIATE.—Since the enforcement of Prohibition the first case of drunkenness was witnessed at the police station last night. The new-comer was a fisherman of Bay-de-Verde. He came here to visit friends, who entertained him, but he celebrated too far and was found on Water Street by Constables Day and Vall "gloriously" fall. He appeared before Mr. Morris, K.C., J.P., who gave him a cold reception and discharged him.

FUNERAL OF M. J. KENNEDY.—The funeral of the late M. J. Kennedy, M.H.A., took place yesterday afternoon and was attended by a large gathering of citizens. Guards of honor from the B.S., T.A. & B. Society and the Knights of Columbus were present. His Excellency the Governor was represented by Capt. C. Riley, M.C., A.D.C., and Hon. R. Watson. The members of the Legislative Council and the House of Assembly walked in a body. The prayers for the dead were recited by Rt. Rev. Mons. McDermott and interment was at Belvidere cemetery.

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Annual Nfld.

Annual Report of the Board of Trade and Commerce. President for 1916, Mr. R. B. Job, the R. F. Horwood, the Secretary in the last year confirmed, the annual report was read and Mr. G. C. Fearn, seconding their views, showed in the Board.

The annual report printed and circulated. Mr. W. G. its adoption, commencing on the 1st of the year, items it contained, amounting to 000,000, were a view of the difficulties, glad to see that insurance, had been so well handled, the efforts of the needed weights and had been passed. Winter seconded the report.

A short general address by Mr. G. C. clear-cut speech of sober warning. The neutral country and we really had, as a result we see appreciation of the struggle. There would trade in the with the clamour over us. We had a cost, the consumption, been remarkable, that before the Italy for fifty cent. The rates were advanced still further was serious. It has been a true day of suffering to particular report, he hoped the would be extended of the industry, an erment over its usual conditions of the vice. He hoped the ment there and the able and unaided Government's hand which was already results.

Mr. W. A. Munn, audience against the war to the prosperity. He thought step was the in schools, in which scientifically trained bers from their care of the great movement, England, which advantage of special bank, which had special purpose of commercial enterprise, have a branch here. Hon. John A. ally of the fine He hoped to see taking all our feet the United States and thought we Spain and Italy. cent scarcity of the issue of small and \$2, would be thought the expable good and was now correctly stated. Mr. F. Moore, Munn's suggestion of thought instructed fish more important getting hard currency one, and there established around.

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