



Evening Telegram

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THURSDAY, April 11, 1918.

Tonnage.

The Prime Minister, at the Patriotic meeting in the Casino Theatre last week, was very emphatic on the question of Tonnage, which he styled one of the most serious problems we have to solve, particularly in its bearing on the getting in and out of the country of food supplies.

The Food Control Board may be an acquisition, but apart from telling us occasionally that a certain "increase in butterine or other articles of local manufacture is justified, not many benefits have accrued to the Colony."

ENGLISH MANILA

Large Stock of all Sizes Now on Hand. Prospective Buyers Should Secure Their Requirements Before Price Advance Further.

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Owing to the collapse in Russia, which allowed Germany to remove the main part of her Army from the Eastern to the Western front, the Allies have been severely handicapped in meeting the greatest offensive of the war.

There is an urgent call to all parts of the Empire for men. In the United Kingdom steps are being taken to conscript all men up to the age of 51 years.

As a self-governing Dominion Newfoundland has been called upon to do her part in filling the gaps. We have been specially called upon by the Secretary of State for the Colonies to keep the Royal Newfoundland Regiment at its full war strength.

"April 9th.—Statement has been received from Army Council to the effect that the Newfoundland Regiment in France is now short of the authorized War Establishment by 170 men, and that the number of men under training in England is not sufficient to make up this deficit.

Conscription prevails throughout Canada and the United States, and Newfoundlanders in Canada are being conscripted.

That no unmarried man between the ages of twenty and thirty-five, who is eligible for the Army or Navy, shall be permitted to leave the Dominion.

On St. George's Day, the 23rd April, the Legislature will be convened, and immediate attention will be given to the consideration of the steps to be taken to maintain the Royal Newfoundland Regiment at full war strength.

Important. We offer no apologies for cutting down to-day's news despatch, and in view of the important announcement from the Colonial Secretary, published on this page, we are sure of receiving full pardon from our numerous readers because of its necessity.

Soldiers Day To-Morrow. Parents, relatives and friends of the soldiers of Our Regiment are requested to remember that the day of the important announcement from the Colonial Secretary, published on this page, we are sure of receiving full pardon from our numerous readers because of its necessity.

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Why George's Bombshell.

Dramatic Scenes in Imperial Commons. Man Power Bill Approved. New German Attack Opened.

10.00 P.M. Endorsed Again. Note From Dr. W. E. Jones.

MAN-POWER BILL APPROVED. LONDON, April 10. After the regular meeting of Lodge Diamond Jubilee No. 236, S.O.E.B.S., on Monday night last, a reception followed to welcome two returned hero members of the Society, Sergt. A. Webber and Pte. Thomas Noseworthy. It was proposed and carried unanimously that this body of men convey to the Government, through the Premier, its belief that the time is now ripe for Selective Conscription to be carried into effect for the honour of the Dominion as a whole, and in order that the glory of the Joyce Newfoundland Regiment be not tarnished.

NO DOUBT NOW. LONDON, April 10. American reinforcements have appeared in the British battle zone, says a despatch from the British headquarters in France, to Reuters' Ltd. Their presence in the fighting line, the correspondent adds, should soon be felt.

Cathedral Easter Meeting. The annual Easter meeting of the parishioners of the Cathedral Parish took place last night at the Synod Hall. His Lordship Bishop White presided, and Hon. S. D. Blandford acting as Secretary.

Reids Boats. The Argyle arrived at St. John's at 6.45 a.m. to-day. The Clyde is leaving Placentia after the arrival of to-day's mail.

Here and There. MORE SMALLPOX. — Two more cases of smallpox have been reported to the health authorities since Tuesday.

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WITH THE AUSTRALIANS. Mrs. J. Lahey, 32 Colonial Street, received a communication from the Hon. Secretary of War, London, dated Feb. 21 last, as follows: "I regret to inform you that No. 6319, Thomas Joseph Power, 2nd Battalion, A.I.F., was admitted to the Military Hospital, Sutton Velely, Wilt, on the 14th inst., suffering from gastric enteritis."

McMurdo's Store News. THURSDAY, April 11, 1918. We would say to those who have been waiting for our Catalogue of Sutton's Seeds, that the Catalogue is now in the printers' hands and will soon be ready for distribution.

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Editor Evening Telegram. Dear Mr. Editor,—In reference to the rumour published in the Press that I intended taking up practice in Harbor Grace in succession to the late Dr. Strapp, allow me to say that it is not correct.

When you want Steaks, Chops, Cutlets and Collops, try ELLIS'. WEATHER REPORT.—The weather across country is strong N.E. wind, snowing and drifting; temperature at Bishop's Falls is 30 above.

When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS'. GUESTS AT BALSAM PLACE.—C. F. Bishop and wife, H. C. Bishop, Burin; A. G. Moore, Miss Winsor, Glovertown.

When you want Sausages, buy—get ELLIS'; they're the best. PUPILS' CONCERT.—The pupils of the Methodist College will put on a variety entertainment in the Methodist College Hall to-night.

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ENTERTAINMENT!

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Here and There. NEPTUNE'S TURF OUT.—The Neptune finished discharging yesterday afternoon, her turn out being young harps, 2,299 young hoods, 102 old harps, and 1,200 hoods, a total of 14,428 seals.

Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, and various Lung Troubles can be cured by taking Stafford's Phorator Cough and Cold Cure. Price 30c. btl. Postage 5c. extra.—apr5,1f

MAGISTRATE'S COURT.—An elderly woman, who declined to give her name, was brought before the Magistrate in the Magistrate's Court this morning, charged with being cruel, and everything connected with her husband's health.

NOTICE. READY FOR THE JOB. Anything in the carpentering, roofing, or specialty, nothing too far for our notice; prices reasonable.

DID FINE.—The proceeds of an auction at the Currier's Trophy in aid of the W. P. A. Fund was \$600, including a donation of \$100 by Mr. H. D. Reid, President of the Nfld. Co.

PERSONAL.—Yesterday a cable was received from Mr. C. H. Hutchings, K.C., that his daughter, Margery, who has been attending college at Seckville, was taken suddenly ill, it was feared, with appendicitis.

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CAMBRIC CORSET COVERS. Trimmings of torchon lace, ribbons, sleeves, and ribbon-run bonnets. Friday and Saturday.

WHITE CAMBRIC NIGHTGOWNS. Square shaped yoke of Cambric, ribbed with ribbon in Pink, Pale Blue, and White. Friday and Saturday.

CAMBRIC KNICKERS.—Extra fine Cambric Knickers with their own fancy stitching. Extra quality and fancy stitching. The special day and Saturday.

NIGHTDRESSES.—A special selection of Nightdresses, made with round neck, and fancy stitching. Special for Friday and Saturday.

Seasonable Underwear for Women & Misses'. WOMEN'S MID-SEASON SILK AND NEW KILT BRAND in a variety of necks and short or long sleeves; edging and silk braid drawing garment. Friday and Saturday.

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR.—A desirable elastic rib; V neck style with fancy drawing. Reg. 60c. each. Friday and Saturday.

MISSIES' AND CHILDREN'S. Elastic, close-fitted cut in sizes 4 to 16 years. Regular 50c. and Saturday.

INFANTS' RIBBED VESTS.—On cotton Kurzon make; medium weight in infants; open front with elastic. 35c. each. Friday and Saturday.

A Good Collection. DENT'S KID GLOVES.—Of superior quality with silk stitched back and wrist. A perfect fitting glove. Only Reg. \$2.75 per pair. Friday and Saturday.

LESLIE AND CASHMERE. Some of these are worth a pair. Regular 25c. pair. Friday and Saturday.

CHILDREN'S 3/4 SOCKS.—In White, Tan and Black. Regular 25c. pair. Friday and Saturday.

BLACK LISLE GLOVES.—Made with two dome fasteners. Regular 75c. Reg. 90c. pr. Friday and Saturday.

Women's and Long Rubbers. Assorted qualities with rubber felt lining. Exceptional values. WOMEN'S in sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20. Special, per pair, Friday and Saturday.