



Evening Telegram

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Friday, March 19, 1920.

The German Revolution.

Germany's military revolution and the life of the newly set up provisional government, appear to have been short-lived, the Ebert administration being apparently in a position of control, and possessing the ability to maintain its rule and authority. The recent uprising does not appear to have received popular support, and the abortive attempt to usurp the powers of the elected government of the Republic must have been made without any foreknowledge of how popular sentiment would accept it, though the conspirators must have assumed that some measure of public support would have been given their successful coup, otherwise, they would not have run their heads into a noose from which they will—unless a change speedily occurs—find extrication difficult. Popular sentiment is just as fickle in Germany as elsewhere, and the "nothing succeeds like success" axiom is not always to be counted upon. Dr. Kapp and his fellow plotters were highly successful in Berlin, but their regime was not looked upon approvingly by the rest of Germany, consequently their little brief power came to an abrupt end.

And yet the internal condition of Germany is anything but calm. The fires of discontent burn fiercely and dissatisfaction is rife. Clashes between soldiers and civilians in which considerable loss of life occurs, are being reported from central parts of the country, and many towns are in a state of unrest which bodes ill for a stable situation for some time to come. Bloodshed has taken place in twenty-four towns, the Spartacists have made another uprising in Dresden, the casualty list being a long one. Sanguinary fighting is announced as having been engaged in at Breslau, Hamburg and Kiel, and it is feared that outbreaks may occur at any time all over the country. The opportunity of a renewal of Spartacan activities is too strong for these hot heads to resist, and the possibility of a revival of their propaganda is causing much anxiety. A general strike has been proclaimed by the Communists and Socialists and notwithstanding the downfall of the Kapp movement, the Ebert Government does not seem to have matters well in hand. Chaos evidently reigns supreme, each party demanding allegiance only to itself, and damning the other. That Ebert is likely to hold on appears probable, and the outcome of the meeting of the National Assembly held at Stuttgart yesterday will be awaited expectantly and with interest. Following so shortly on the order for the arrest of General Director Kapp issued by Gustave Noske, Minister of Defence in the Ebert Cabinet, came the news of that gentleman's suicide, committed to escape the consequences of his conspiracy, he preferring

death at his own hand to the punishment awaiting him for complicity and leadership in the plot against the existing Government.

So far the military chiefs have made no sign or move. They are closely watching events and waiting for the psychological moment before showing their hand. That they are in entire sympathy with any movement for the restoration of the monarchy is evidenced by the satisfaction with which some three hundred and twenty army officers in Geneva received the news of the overthrow of the Berlin Government, giving vent to their enthusiasm in wild cheers for Emperor William. A deeper plot, with far more ramifications may underlie that of Von Kapp, and for some time to come Germany will be the centre of the world and the country toward which universal attention will be turned. The startling events of the past few days show that there is a seethe in certain circles, and developments may arise which will keep all Europe as much occupied as the continent was during the period of the war. The real revolution has yet to come.

C. of E. CATHEDRAL CHOIR.—There will be a practice to-night at 8.45 o'clock. A full attendance particularly requested.—li

Supreme Court.

BEFORE CHIEF JUSTICE AND JUSTICE JOHNSTON.

A. E. Hickman vs. W. H. Cave.
Mr. Mews continued his arguments this morning.

BEFORE JUSTICE KENT.

R. W. Linderup vs. Ship Fern.
Capt. Linderup was called and put in claims against the ship. Mr. Gibbs for plaintiff, Mr. Emerson for defendant.

Death of Well-Known Druggist.

Mr. H. C. Miller, for many years a druggist with McMurdo's, died at his home at twelve o'clock to-day. Mr. Miller, who was a young man, married was a son of Mr. Arthur W. Miller, of Marshall's. He was an old friend of the C.E.I. The Telegram tenders sincere sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

Improvised Engine Working Well.

"Delco doing fine, good results." This was the wording of a wireless message received to-day by Bowring Bros. from the Viking. When this ship arrived late from Sydney and immediately got ready to proceed to the icefields, it will be remembered, the regular wireless engine was broken down. In its place a small electrically generating engine, the Delco—for which Bowring Bros. are the local agents—was installed and the result is seen by the message given above.

Benefit Night, Prince's Rink.

To-night is Benefit Night at the Prince's Rink, and it is hoped there will be a large attendance. A match has been arranged between the City and the Royal Nfld. Regt. The line-up is:

CITY:	Goal	R. N. R.
Dr. Power	Goal	N. Hunt
Rendell	Defense	E. Munn
Robertson	Centre	Payne
Coke Cahill	Wings	Winter
Alderice	Wings	Canning
Ewing	Subs.	R. Herder
Trappell	Subs.	W. Callahan
M. Power		

EXPENSIVE SEED POTATOES.—The special seed potatoes (Canker proof) being imported by the Department of Agriculture from Scotland will cost about \$10.00 per barrel landed.

The sugar-saving cereal
Grape-Nuts
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"There's a Reason"

Sealing News.

BOWRING BROS.

March 18th, 1920.

S. S. Terra Nova.—Nothing new to report; all well.—KEAN.

S. S. Viking.—Large sheets, difficult to get through; nothing new to report; tight ice as far as can be seen.—BARTLETT.

S. S. Eagle.—Making slow progress in company with Diana and Neptune.—BISHOP.

S. S. Ranger.—Jammed; nothing new to report; all well.—WINSOR.

No messages were received to-day from the Seal and Diana.

JOE'S.

Thetis made fair progress yesterday; one whitecoat taken. Neptune 50 miles N.N.E. of Funk; in company with same ships as yesterday.

HARVEY & CO.

No report came from the Sable I. to-day.

Consortio Still Active.

The subjoined cable message has been received by the firm of W. A. Munn from its principal, Mr. W. A. Munn, who is now in Genoa, Italy. As its significance will show, the Consortio has not at all been put out of commission and is still doing business at the old stand. The message follows: Genoa, Italy, March 18th, 1920.

"Munn, St. John's.
Very doubtful Consortio disbanded this year; political question. Food and money conditions bad. Government reinforcing rations April.
W. A. MUNN."

Disease Not Serious.

Hon. Dr. Campbell who went to Conception Bay settlements last evening reports that the disease amongst the horses there is not of a serious nature, no animals having perished from it. The epidemic has been prevalent all the winter and the people feared it would spread to their horned cattle.

Obscure Entomological Pest.

It may not be generally known that the leaf curling caterpillar, the pupa of which does so much destruction here to cabbage and turnip crops is a new species of Tortrix. Specimens of the moth have been examined by Mr. Darrant of the Imperial Bureau, and he reports that he could not definitely associate them with any known species. The pest was also sent to Mr. August Busch, of the U. S. National Museum and he reports that the moth did not match any of the more than fifty European specimens exhibited there. A definite name Tortrix Oleceana has been given the species. Canadian entomologists have made a similar report.

Coastal Boats.

GOVERNMENT.

S.S. Prospero got away from Burgeo at 2.10 p.m. yesterday, having been sea-bound there.

S.S. Portia is in port and will likely be for another couple of months.

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S.S. Ingraham passed Cape Race at 7 a.m. to-day, going to Peter's River. She should therefore have arrived there by 12 or 1 o'clock, and is supposed to be leaving at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and should arrive back to port by four or five o'clock in the morning.

REIDS.

Aryle not reported.

Clyde, Petrel, Sagona, Home at St. John's.

Glencoe left Br. Breton 2 p.m. yesterday, for Placentia.

Kyle left North Sydney 10.30 a.m. yesterday for here.

Meigle arrived from North Sydney at 11 a.m. to-day. She brought freight but no passengers.

Wedding Bells.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at St. Joseph's Parish on March 17th, when ex-Private Isaac Kehoe, of Burin, was united in holy matrimony to Miss Helen Ronnan of this city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Kitchen. The bride was neatly attired in a suit of gray serge with hat to match, and was attended by Miss Jennie Hearn, who looked very pretty in a suit of navy serge with hat to match; while Mr. Gus Barron, cousin of the bride, supported the groom. After the ceremony the happy couple drove to the residence of the bride where dinner was served. Only the friends of both parties being present, owing to a recent death in the bride's family, Mr. and Mrs. Kehoe wished their wedding to be kept very quiet. Many pretty and useful presents were received. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Kehoe many happy years of wedded life.—COM.

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CROCKERY DEPT.
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Retirement of St. John's Harbor Master.

Masters and officers in the Atlantic trade will be interested to learn that Captain Edward English, harbour master for the port of St. John's, Newfoundland, and ship's husband for the Government of Newfoundland, is retiring from office after well nigh thirty years of faithful duty. Captain English, who is well known as the hon. agent of the Mercantile Marine Service Association, is a seaman of the old school, and his knowledge of nautical matters is of an exceptionally wide range. He enjoyed the esteem and confidence of all classes, and his ever-willing readiness to discharge his duties in a fair and impartial manner has won for him the respect of all those who had business relations with the department over which he presided. He now retires to enjoy the evening of his life secure in the knowledge that his services in the past are such as leave no room for criticism. Capt. English's connection with the association has extended over a long period, as he first joined it in 1896; retiring from the sea to accept the appointment ashore at St. John's, he resigned his membership, but continued to act as hon. agent, and he has often given a helping hand to members of that body who happened to be in the port. In 1906 he rendered signal service to the late Capt. A. W. Amey, a well-known master in the employ of Messrs. Lampert and Holt, whose steamer Titian met with an accident while entering St. John's, and the owners were so impressed by Capt. English's report on the case that they made Captain Amey a pecuniary award in recognition of his successful and skilful efforts in saving the ship and effecting temporary repairs at comparatively little cost. It is pleasing to note that his successor to the important office of ship's husband to H. M. Government and harbour master for the port of St. John's is his son, Captain Edward English, who recently made a name for himself by his heroic conduct when the S.S. Ethie was lost at Martin's Point on the 11th December. Captain "Ned," the son of an old salt, is one whose first thought was to those under his care, and his successful beaching of the Ethie, thereby saving the lives of the 90 old souls on board, is one of the most thrilling stories of local marine disasters as yet recorded. Captain "Ned," who plied round the south-west coast of Newfoundland for many years as master of the Government revenue cruiser Fiona, has intimated his willingness to take over his father's responsibilities as hon. agent of the association, and the council of that body express their profound pleasure and satisfaction, feeling sure that under his management all the interests so ably handled by his father for the past quarter of a century will continue to prosper in the future.—Journal of Commerce, Liverpool, Feb. 21.

California Sunkist Oranges, all sizes; California Apples, Lemons, Walnuts, Hazel Nuts, Brazilian Nuts, Almond Nuts, wholesale and retail at GLEESON'S, 108 Water St.—feb13,f,s,tt

McMurdo's Store News.
FRIDAY, March 19.
If it is skin trouble, you have not done all until you have tried the Zylex. This treatment consists of Treatment. This treatment consists of an Ointment and a Soap, which are used either separately or in combination. In some slight and recent cases, all that is needed to effect a cure is the regular use of the Soap, which is a medicinal toilet soap of real value. In other cases the Ointment alone, or when applicable the Soap and Ointment together are necessary for the purpose. In any case some obstinate cases of eczema, erythema, and other local skin troubles have been cured by this treatment, and numberless cases have at least received benefit from Zylex. Price, Ointment, 50c., a box. Soap, 30c. a cake. Box of three cakes 80c.

St. Patrick's Day Celebration

AT THE IRON ISLE.

Special to Evening Telegram.

EAST WABANA, Mar. 18.

St. Patrick's Day was celebrated at Ball Island in a most enthusiastic and fitting manner. The Star of the Sea Association and Catholic Cadet Corps, numbering over three hundred, paraded to St. Michael's Church, headed by the splendid drum and bugle band of the Catholic Cadet Corps, where High Mass was celebrated by the pastor, Very Rev. Fr. McGrath. A splendid oration on the life, work and faith of St. Patrick was eloquently delivered by Rev. Thomas Flynn, who came from St. John's especially for the occasion. After Mass the Societies called at the Presbytery where President J. M. Greene of the Star of the Sea Association tendered their respects to Fr. McGrath, the Parish Priest, who suitably replied. In the afternoon and night a re-union and sociable was held in the Star Hall, which was a great success, while the Irish Night concert was as usual held at the Wabana Nickel. Great enthusiasm prevailed and St. Patrick's Day 1920 was certainly honoured.—Cor.

New Business of Sun Life a Record.

Shows increase of 67.7 per cent. over previous year.—49th annual report is issued.

The 49th annual report of the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada, which has just been issued, shows that the total amount paid out during 1919 to policy-holders and their beneficiaries amounted to \$12,364,000, which brings the total of such payment since organization to the enormous sum of \$91,227,532.

New paid business during the year created a new high record and totalled \$86,548,850 or an increase of \$34,957,457 or 67.7 per cent. over the previous year. Another outstanding feature of the report is the fact that applications for new assurances during 1919 exceeded one hundred million dollars, which is the highest figure yet attained by any Canadian company in the insurance business. The enormous business done by this corporation will be realized when it is shown that business in force was increased by \$75,648,895 to the big total of \$416,358,462, which is a striking example of the manner in which policy-holders maintain their policies. Income for the year amounted to \$25,704,201, showing a net gain of \$4,053,101, while the assets of the company passed the hundred million mark and registered \$105,711,468, an increase of \$3,091,069 over the previous year. Profits paid and allotted to policy-holders amounted to \$1,606,503, while the undivided net surplus is marked down at \$5,037,440, affording a very substantial margin of safety for the policy-holders.

Tasker Installation.

In our report of the ceremony, in yesterday's issue, the name of Bro. H. T. Cornick, organist, was inadvertently omitted.

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NO. 1 LOBSTER.—Tins.

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MOIR'S CANDY, 1 lb. and ½ lb. boxes.

MOIR'S CAKE, 1 lb. cartons.

150 sacks AMERICAN GRANULATED SUGAR.

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SWIFT'S BACON.

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