



Evening Telegram

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Six Years Ago.

August, 1914, was a month of dark days for Britain and her Dominions. War had been officially declared by the Home Government on Germany on the fourth, and preparations were from then rapidly rushed in order to send an assisting force across the Channel to the aid of France and Belgium, through which latter country the Teutonic legions were pouring in their advance toward the French frontier. The famous fortress of Liege had fallen before the pounding of the German guns, on August 15th, and their course then unchecked, the Huns pushed through the breach thus made in the Belgian defences, leaving devastation and destruction in their conquering path, and the outlook was indeed gloomy. The day following the fall of Liege, the first divisions of the British Expeditionary Force, "The Old Contemptibles" landed in France, and were immediately sent up to the front lines to stiffen the French battalions. August 20th saw the German occupation of Brussels, so swiftly did the invaders move, and on the 24th Namur, another of Belgium's popularly supposed impregnable fortresses, capitulated. Meanwhile the British army had taken the field on the northwest French border and had advanced to the neighborhood of Mons, in Belgium, where they found themselves opposed to the flower of Germany's soldiers, in the first flush of their victories over the army of King Albert. Nobly they maintained the finest traditions of the British army and hurled back in the teeth of the Kaiser his taunt. The Contemptibles proved themselves the superiors of the Germans, and the sneer of the War Lord has come to be regarded as one of the highest compliments ever paid the British soldier. Faced by superior enemy forces, the British stood for 36 hours in contact with the invader, stubbornly resisting his progress and retreating only when position after position became untenable. Kitchener's congratulations after Mons were couched in simple yet glowing words.

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He instructed Sir John French to "congratulate troops on their splendid showing. We are proud of them."

August 25, 1914, records the sack of Louvain. To-day, 26th, the battle of Tannenberg, in which the Russians joined issue with the Germans. These were dark days indeed, but the Empire did not despair, but rather became more determined than ever to see the struggle through. Speed Up was the rallying cry. The Dominions, ever prompt to respond, were making ready to send men and supplies across the seas to help. The lion's whelps were answering the call of their sire. Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland and the lesser possessions, all were animated with the war spirit. In St. John's and in the outports patriotic meetings were being held and volunteers were being received in hundreds. The population of the Colony was stirred as never before, and from every principal town came messages of encouragement and support to the central committee. There was little holding back. Men realised that the fate of the Empire hung in the balance, and the need for their services was imminent. And they came by tens, by twenties, by fifties, by hundreds and ultimately by thousands. Nor was money wanting to help win. The sinews of war were quickly forthcoming and purse strings were ever loose. There was no hesitation. Each man and woman and child gave of that which they possessed most. The demand was insistent but the response was spontaneous. Everybody was keyed up to the peril of the situation. Had the British Expeditionary Force been smashed at Mons, Paris would have fallen, and with the French capital in their possession, the enemy would have dictated German terms to a vanquished world. But it was not to be. Britain had awakened: the storm had burst and though unprepared to meet it, there was no shirking the task set. Difficult and tough though it was, all hands were prepared to carry on. The Hun was all but thundering at the gates, his menace was upon the Channel, but the "Old Contemptibles" stood in the way. The vision of Mons was prophetic. It stimulated men with new-born courage and endurance and they stayed the lion in the way. To them be all honor and respect. The lesson of their unyielding and unflinching heroism will be borne throughout the ages and their names and deeds "liveth for evermore."

C. L. B. Sports.

A special feature of the C.L.B. Sports to be held on St. George's Field next Wednesday afternoon will be a relay race between the League football teams. Each team will have four men, and as our speediest runners are amongst the various teams, this event ought to prove of more than ordinary interest. The prizes are two sets of medals for 1st and 2nd place.

The Foreign Market

AND THE FISH REGULATIONS.

To The Secretary of the Board of Trade, for the information of fish exporters.

August 24.—Greece advises us that owing to the high rate of exchange, it is impossible to obtain the minimum price imposed by the Minister of Marine & Fisheries for New Labrador Codfish.

August 25.—Oporto wires us that receivers have a very poor opinion of the near future, and the situation is considered serious. 30,000 qts., perhaps 50,000, Norwegian expected in about a fortnight, also probably further large consignments of oil.

The above messages from Greece and Portugal have been handed us by publication. As a commentary on Coaker's Fish Regulations they are illuminating.

Canon Bolt Honored.

The numerous friends of Rev. Canon Geo. H. Bolt, M.A., Secretary-Treasurer of the Diocese of Newfoundland, which is to be conferred upon that gentleman by the University of King's College, Windsor, Nova Scotia. In making the announcement, Dr. T. Stannage Boyle, President and Vice-Chancellor, says:

"King's University at Windsor, Nova Scotia, has offered the degree of D.C.L. honoris causa, to Rev. Canon Bolt, who has accepted the honor. The degree will be duly conferred at the next convocation of the University to be held in the autumn. This is in recognition of Canon Bolt's work and position in the Anglican Church of Newfoundland. King's is the oldest university in the King's Overseas Dominions."

In thus adding to its Roll of Honor, historic King's has honored itself no less than the recipient, and the Anglican Church in Newfoundland. The new D.C.L. has ever been a capable worker in the Diocese. His duties as Secretary-Treasurer of the Synod have been performed with care and attention, and no less has he been earnest in the other work of the church. The Telegram desires to congratulate Rev. Geo. H. Bolt, M.A., D.C.L., upon the distinction to be conferred, and expresses the hope that he may long live to wear an honor so worthily won, and also to continue in that sphere of ecclesiastical activity to which his accomplishments entitle him.

Runaway Accident at Avondale.

Women Injured When Horse Bolted.

Whilst Mrs. A. S. Wadden and Mrs. Chas. Power were being driven from Avondale Station to Harbor Main on Monday last they with two children had a narrow escape from being killed. The party was being driven by a boy who had occasion to absent himself from the carriage for a few minutes to visit a house, during which time the horse took fright and bolted. Each of the women had a child and jumped clear of the vehicle and it was well that they did, as a few seconds afterwards it was demolished by collision with a telephone pole. Mrs. Wadden had her ankle fractured, and Mrs. Power, her arm dislocated, but the children escaped unhurt. The injured women were assisted to the rooms, at the station, of Mrs. Wade, where Dr. Dwyer summoned from Holyrood, attended to their injuries. On Tuesday morning Messrs. Wadden and Power went out and returned by the noon train with their wives who were conveyed to hospital. Mrs. Power has since returned home but Mrs. Wadden will likely be confined to the institution some weeks.

Portugal Cove Garden Party.

The first Garden Party held by the Church of England people of Portugal Cove, given yesterday afternoon, proved a great success and was attended by a large number of city folks. The C.L.B. Band under Staff-Sergeant Ivamy was present and discoursed lively music during the evening. Various games and pastimes were indulged in and helped to make the event enjoyable. Tea, ice cream and refreshments were served by the ladies of the parish, some lady friends from the city assisting. At the close of the Garden Party a dance, in which over 100 couples participated, was held in the L. O. A. Hall, music being furnished by the Brigade Band. The proceeds of the affair were fully up to expectations and will be devoted to the funds of the new church, now in course of erection.

B. of T. Meeting.

The adjourned meeting of the Newfoundland Board of Trade will take place at 4 o'clock this afternoon, when the debate on the Fish Regulations will be continued. An interesting session is expected as some developments have occurred since the last meeting.

MINARD'S LINDBERT CURES COLDS, Etc.

Police Court.

Two youths were charged with the larceny of \$2.40 cash and 3 packages of cigarettes from a King's Road grocery store. They pleaded guilty and one was fined \$10 and the other was allowed out on suspended sentence.

A boilermaker, who is an old hand at being drunk, excused himself to His Honor for being caught, and promising that it was his last time, was allowed to go.

A fisherman charged with the larceny of a quantity of crockeryware from a crate at Knowling's wharf, pleaded not guilty. A fisherman gave evidence to seeing the accused take the dishes from the crate, and informing the watchman of the occurrence. The accused gave a satisfactory explanation and the case was dismissed.

A Naval Reservist, who is married to an English girl, was charged with being drunk and disorderly at his home. He was given in charge by his wife, who testified to his good behavior when sober. He was placed under \$200 bonds to keep sober in future. Some money which he had in his possession was ordered to be shared with his better half.

A domestic for obtaining goods under false pretences pleaded guilty, and a companion in the same transaction pleaded guilty also. They were placed on remand pending some person giving them employment. The domestics, who are out of employment, obtained goods on their previous master's account and held a picnic on the South-side yesterday. Boiled ham, lunch tongue, green peas and string beans were amongst the goods obtained. One of the girls was arrested early this morning while sleeping in a church doorway.

An unfortunate girl charged with being a loose and disorderly person was remanded for 8 days.

A motorist charged with a breach of the traffic regulations pleaded not guilty. The case was dismissed.

In an assault case the defendant was fined \$5.00.

Masters and Mates.

An advertisement elsewhere in today's Telegram, calls the attention of certificated Masters and Mates to the fact that their attendance is desired at a meeting to be held in the Seamen's Institute at 8 o'clock, sharp, this evening, when very important business will be discussed.

Obituary.

WILLIAM SQUIRES.

An old landmark of Quidi Vidi died suddenly at his home yesterday afternoon. The deceased lived to the advanced age of eighty years, and throughout his long career never had any serious illness. In his younger days he took an active part in the Regatta, being himself a good oarsman. Two sons, Frank and William, the latter living at Boston, and also one brother, Patrick, at King's Bridge, survive him, to whom the Telegram extends sympathy.

McMurdo's Store News.

THURSDAY, Aug. 27.
We can speak from experience as to the good qualities of Duggett and Ramsdell's Shaving Cream, when it comes to making an abundant, thick, creamy lather that enables shaving to be done more easily than by most other shaving preparations, Creams, Powders, and Soaps. We have used most of them, and can honestly say that Duggett and Ramsdell's Shaving Cream appears to surpass them all. The manufacturers say that the reason is incorporation of a certain amount of their famous Cold Cream in the preparation. Whatever the reason, the fact admits of no doubt. We recommend a trial. Price 55c. a tube.

Coastal Boats.

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GOVERNMENT.
S.S. Portia arrived at LaPoile at 3 p.m. yesterday, and left again an hour afterwards, proceeding West. No report has been received from the Prospero to-day.

REIDS.
Argyle leaving Placentia to-day, on Western route.
Clyde arrived Port Union 5.30 p.m. on 24th.
Home left Lewisporte 8.05 a.m. yesterday.
Melgie left Bradore 7.15 p.m. Monday.
Sagana arrived Smokey 9 p.m. Monday.
Petrel arrived Clarendville 6.15 p.m. yesterday.
Watchful arrived at Lewisporte 11.35 p.m. on the 24th.

Labrador Report.

Macovic.—Poor fishing.
Holtan.—Good fishing.
Smokey.—Poor fishing.
Grady.—Good fishing.
Flat Island and Domino.—Fish slack.
Venison Island and Battle Harbor.—High winds, fair fishing.

BAND CONCERT POSTPONED

The Concert to be given in Victoria Park to-night by the C. L. B. Band is unavoidably cancelled owing to the sudden illness of Bandmaster Morris, but every member is requested to meet at the Armoury for practice at 8 o'clock. By order,

G. IVAMY,
Staff-Sergt. C. L. B. Band.
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Wedding Bells.

KEAN-KNIGHT.

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Knight, 27 William Street, on Monday night, at 8.30, when their son, Ex-Pte. Frank Scott Knight, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Evelyn Barbour Kean, daughter of Capt. Jacob and Mrs. Kean. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Wilson in the presence of many friends and admirers. The bride entered the room leaning on the arm of her brother-in-law, Capt. Dalton, who acted as father giver in the absence of her father, and looked very pretty, being gowned in blue silk with a wreath of maiden hair ferns and carried a beautiful bouquet of white carnations. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Capt. Dalton, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Gus. Hodder, sister of the groom. Miss Dorcas Hodder and Miss Fanny Coady were flower girls and maid of honor respectively. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Stephen Knight. After the nuptials had been performed the guests were entertained and the health of the bride and groom duly honored.

The Rev. Mr. Wilson, in his usual felicitous way, proposed the health of the happy couple, which was responded to by the groom, Capt. Dalton, of the S.S. Edmund Donald, proposed the toast to the bridesmaids, which brought forth a very humorous response from Mr. Stephen Knight. Mr. W. F. Coady proposed the health of the parents, and also the Rev. Mr. Wilson, which was responded to by the entire company. The bride received a valuable assortment of presents, including a substantial cheque from her brother, Capt. Ray Kean, of New York, showing the esteem in which she has been held. During the evening Mr. Stephen Knight presided at the piano in his usual masterly manner and songs, music, recitations were rendered and greatly enjoyed. At midnight the happy couple left for Manuels, where the honeymoon will be spent. Their many friends, including the Evening Telegram, wishes them many years of wedded happiness.

BYRNE-CHANCEY.

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized on August 23rd, at the Church of St. Mary's the Virgin, Southside, when Beatrice Maud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Byrne, was united in the holy bonds of Matrimony to George Wilbur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Chancey. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Ed. Byrne, looked charming in a dress of white Georgette over white silk, with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of carnations and maiden hair fern and was attended by her sister, Miss Ethel B. Byrne, who was prettily attired in sage blue Georgette with picture hat. Mr. James Chancey ably supported the groom. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. Coffin, Circular Road, and the health of the bride and groom duly honored, after which the happy young couple amid showers of confetti and the best wishes of the assembled guests, left by auto for Petty Harbor, where the honeymoon will be spent. The groom's present to the bride was a cheque, to the bridesmaid a gold pendant, and to the best man a fountain pen. The presents received were numerous and costly, testifying to the esteem in which the bride was held.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.
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TASKER CELEBRATION PICNIC

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Children will assemble at Masonic Temple. Motor cars to leave at 2 o'clock sharp.

Children's Tickets, each \$1.25
Adults Tickets for Dance (double) \$2.00
Adults Tickets, Single Ladies \$1.00

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H. E. COWAN, Chairman of Committee.
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CONTRABANDISTS FINED.—The Bay, and George Beck, of St. Lawrence, Justice Dept. received word from Rencon, had each been fined \$100 and Magistrate Benning on Tuesday, that costs for a violation of the Prohibition Adam Mullins, of Rencon, Fortune Act.