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TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

DISPOSITION DIFFERENCES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12. Differences over the disposition of former German cables, which have threatened to break up the International Communications Conference, in session here, were temporarily smoothed over to-day at a plenary session held at United States State Department. Negotiations between five Allied and Associated Powers represented in Conference will be continued.

MILITARY AMBUSHED.

FERMOY, Ireland, Dec. 12. A soldier was killed and two others were wounded, one of them seriously, when a military party was ambushed near here Friday by armed civilians. The casualties among the attacking party are not known.

ILLICIT BOMB PLANT RAIDED.

DUBLIN, Dec. 12. Dublin Castle's account of a raid on a plant on Saturday describes the factory as extensively and completely equipped with furnaces and machinery of a modern character. No workers were there at the time, but the moulds were still warm, as though bombs had been freshly cast. Two hundred bombs in various stages of manufacture were found.

DUBLIN SENDS ASSISTANCE.

BELFAST, Dec. 12. Scores of fires had burned themselves out in Cork by four o'clock this afternoon and the firemen were in possession of the ruins. This evening a special train left Dublin for Cork, carrying Captain Myers, Chief of the Dublin Brigade and a motor fire engine with crew.

CORK FIRE LOSSES.

DUBLIN, Dec. 12. Several large sections of Cork were devastated by fire on Saturday night and to-day. The conflagration followed the shooting from ambush of a military party Saturday. On the North bank of the River Lee, Carnegie Library, City Hall, Corn Exchange and other buildings were burned, while in the territory between the Northern and Southern branches of the River, much havoc was wrought by flames in the business section. Late this evening it was reported that the fire was under control, but it was said that the damage done by flames was estimated at between two and three million pounds sterling.

RAILROAD HOLOCAUST.

ARMENIERS, France, (Dec. 12. Twelve persons were killed and thirty injured, in a head on collision between a freight and a passenger train. The collision occurred outside the station here.

WIRELESS PHONE DEMONSTRATION.

GENEVA, Dec. 12. Wireless telephone messages from England were plainly heard in Geneva to-day, when William Marconi gave a demonstration. Newspaper correspondents attending the Assembly of League of Nations were especially invited to the demonstration, and understood quite clearly the messages spoken by Lord Burnham and Lord Riddell from Chelmsford, Essex, five hundred miles away.

HIGH NOTE TOO MUCH FOR HIM.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12. Enrico Caruso, the famous tenor,

burst a blood vessel in his throat, while singing at the Brooklyn Academy of Music last night, and the performance was stopped. The accident, which it is said, is not serious, occurred during the first act of Donizetti's "L'Elisir d'Amore," but the tenor did not stop until the end of the act.

NO WONDER WITH SUCH A NAME.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Dec. 12. Ill luck continues to follow the three masted schooner, Quaco Queen. Word has been received that the vessel, which loaded a cargo of lumber at Yarmouth, N.S., this fall for Cienfuegos, Cuba, has been in collision with the Japanese steamship Bainku Maru in the Gulf of Mexico. After unloading her cargo at Cienfuegos the schooner left for a port in Texas. The steamship struck the schooner forward carrying away all her headgear and otherwise damaging her. A tug took the Quaco Queen in tow, but ran into a heavy Southern storm and was obliged to abandon the vessel and hurry back to port. Captain McLeod and his men after a trying experience, were able to save their vessel and work her into port.

HAVING A TRYING TIME.

BOSTON, Dec. 13. The coastguard cutter, Ossipee, sent word by radio to-day that she had gone to the assistance of the steamer West Waunakee, which for a second time had broken adrift from the steamer East Indian. The West Waunakee ran out of fuel oil several days ago, and the East Indian was the second steamer to take a hand in towing her to port. The tow cable broke, on Friday, off Cape Able, but the East Indian picked up the helpless vessel again yesterday, in the heavy weather to-day the cable parted again.

A Government "Bull."

An Agricultural Bull brought in from Brigus, was sold at auction to-day. It was rumored that the animal was one of the recent purchases of the Agricultural Department, but on enquiry from the Minister, we were informed that the animal was a grade Jersey bull inherited by the present Government, and in pursuance with its policy of allowing only pure bred animals, this one was ordered sold, as well as all others in the possession of the Government. We enquired if the animal was replaced with a better one and were informed that it had not been, but that when the young stock at the proposed Model Farm grows, a selected animal will be sent to the district.

The St. Mary's Women's Association will hold a Sale of Plain Work in the Parish Hall to-morrow, Tuesday, at 3.30. Candy and refreshments for sale. Teas 50c.; admission 10c. —dec13,11

Our Fickle Climate.

A proof of the ingenuity of our climate could be seen on Water Street to-day, where vehicles of every description were in use. Amongst them could be seen motors, sleighs, carriages, long carria and calamarans. It is a pity that some amphibious vehicle cannot be invented for use in this country.

Fish Carrier Lost at Sea.

CREW SAFE AT FLORES, AZORES.

Messrs. Fred H. Ellis & Co., received a cable on Saturday night from Captain John Doody of their schooner Emma Belliveau intimating that he had abandoned his vessel on November 24th and that he and his crew were safe at Flores, Azores. The Emma Belliveau was a three masted schooner of 263 tons gross and 223 tons nett measurement, and was built in 1916 at Belliveau's Cove, N.S., by Benjamin Belliveau for his West Indian lumber trade. She was an exceptionally strongly built vessel as the owners built her for their own use. In August 1918 she was bought by the Emma Belliveau Shipping Company, Limited, Fred H. Ellis & Co., Managers, and was used mostly in the foreign trade. During June of this year she loaded a cargo of Pitch Pine at Jacksonville for Corunna, Spain. On July 9th she arrived here where a party new crew were shipped and Captain Doody, who was formerly mate, became master in place of Captain Edgar Burke, who was promoted to the Cape Pine. Captain Doody left here on July 17th and arrived at Corunna in 15 days where, owing to a strike great delay was met with. She left Corunna for Setubal to load salt for here and on October 12th left that port, and was abandoned as stated above in mid-ocean. The crew whom the message reports as being all safe are John Doody, Carbonear, Master; Robert Slater, St. Andrew's, N. B., mate; William Jerrett, St. John's, bosun; W. Harvey, St. John's, (a veteran) cook; Harvey Green, Trinity, seaman; A. S. Green, Wales, seaman, and R. Buckler, St. John's, seaman. Captain Doody has been on the Belliveau ever since his repatriation from Germany, whence he was taken after being captured from Cheshire & Co's schooner Jean, and is well known here as he has sailed from this port for years.

Grand Dance and Supper, C.C.C. Hall, Dec. 27th. All latest hits by Dominion Orchestra.—dec13,31

Supreme Court.

(Saturday Afternoon.)

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE KENT.
Jas. A. McKenzie, Plaintiff, vs. W. D. Carter, Defendant.

After recess H. A. Winter addressed the jury on behalf of the defendant. Howley, K.C., addressed the jury on behalf of the plaintiff. After the jury had been directed by Justice Kent they retired at 5.35 p.m., and returned back at 6.15 p.m., and through their foreman informed the Court, that they had found both parties equally guilty. Mr. Justice Kent thereupon dismissed the case.

(To-day.)
BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSON.
Foram Bannikin, trading under the name of the North American Scrap and Metal Co., vs. The Newfoundland Furniture and Bedding Co., Ltd., defendant.

Mr. L. E. Emerson appears for the plaintiff and asks leave to amend the defence. Mr. Fox appears for the plaintiff and objects to certain portions of the defence as embarrassing and moves for particulars. The defendant furnishes the particulars asked for. Several notes are put in evidence when the Court took recess.

IN CHAMBERS.

Before Mr. Justice Kent.
John Ryan vs. Herbert Baird.
This is a motion for assessment of damages. It is ordered that final judgment be entered for the plaintiff in \$500 and costs.

H. W. Dickinson vs. Franklins Agencies
This is an action for \$560 for commission upon the sale of \$4,000 bris. of flour. C. E. Hunt for plaintiff. H. A. Winter for defendant. H. W. Dickinson and Wm. Campbell were examined by both counsels after which the Court took recess.

Phorotone Cough Cure at Stafford's Drug Store, Theatre Hill. Price: 35c. bottle; Postage 10c. extra.—nov17,11

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Buy Now Before the Christmas Rush!

CUTLERY!

Cases of Cutlery, 26 pieces, consisting of 1/2 dozen Knives, 1/2 dozen Forks, 1/2 dozen Spoons, 1/2 dozen Dessert Spoons, 1 Butter Knife, 1 Sugar Shell, \$16.50, \$17.00, \$20.00, \$35.00.

35-Piece Set for \$47.75

1/2 dozen Dessert Knives, par plate for \$3.75

1/2 dozen Dessert Forks, par plate for \$3.75

Universal Dessert Knives, \$9.25 dozen.

Dessert Forks \$3.50, \$3.80, 4.25

Teaspoons, \$2.00, \$2.30, \$2.40, \$2.50, \$2.70, \$3.75, \$4.80, \$5.50, \$9.50 dozen.

Dessert Spoons, \$3.00, \$3.80, \$6.75, \$10.00, \$17.00 per dozen.

Table Spoons, \$5.50, \$6.25, \$7.00 dozen.

Lady's Scissors, 55c., 70c., 75c. each.

Drapers' Scissors 50c. 55c.

Pocket Knives, 1 blade, assorted handles 30c., 55c., 70c., 1.25 each.

2-blade buckhorn handle, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.50 each.

3-blade \$2.60, \$2.70

4-blade \$3.00

2-blade pearl handle \$2.50

3-blade pearl handle, \$3.00, \$3.50

1-blade scout with ring \$1.75

4-blade scout with ring \$3.00

Blade Razors (job) 75c., 95c. each.

Duchess, \$1.25; IXL, \$1.60

Bengal, \$2.10; Torrey, \$2.75

Hair Clippers \$5.00, \$5.50

SAFETY RAZORS.



Gillette in cedar cases \$5.00

Gillette in nickel \$5.00

Gillette, Celluloid \$6.00

Nickle Combination \$7.50

Leather Combination \$8.00

Gillette Blades \$1.00 dozen

Stropers for Gillette \$2.50

Pike Stropers \$1.50 ea.

Enders Razors \$1.20 and \$1.75

Blades 45c. pkg.

Star Razors \$2.50; Blades \$1.20

Mark X and Sanitary Razor, 50c.; Blades 75c. dozen.

Clemax Razors \$1.85 ea.

Clemax Combination \$3.75 ea.

Blades, \$1.10 per dozen; Strops, \$1.10

Ever Ready Blades 90c. per doz.

Razor Strops, 27c., 60c., 85c., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.30, \$1.60, \$2.75, \$5.00

Razor Strops, 25c., 35c., 50c., 85c.

Razor Homes (Special Line); 12c., 15c., 17c., 25c. each.

Pike's Best, 60c., 70c., 85c., \$1.20

Shaving Brushes, 14c., 17c., 20c., 28c., 35c., 55c., 65c., 90c., \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.25.

Hair Brushes, 25c., 30c. and 35c.

Tooth Brushes, 15c., 20c., 25c., 30c., 35c., 45c.

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St. Thomas' Sale!

The St. Thomas' Women Association are holding a

SALE OF WORK

on Wednesday next, December 15th,

in Canon Wood Hall. Come and do your Xmas shopping. We have Plain Work, Fancy Work, Xmas Novelties and Xmas Dainties at our Home Cookery Table and Candy Table—something to suit all. Afternoon Teas, 80c.; 9 p.m., Meat Teas, \$1.00.

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