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J. ALEX. ROBINSON,
Postmaster-General.
General Post Office,
St. John's, Nfld.,
May 19, 1917. je22,31

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An Unsolicited Testimonial

Black Thistle, Labrador.
August 15, 1916.
Mr. C. E. Russell.
Dear Sir.—It pleases me very much to be able to give praise to the 5 h.p. Imperial Engine which I bought from you this spring. It has given me the best of satisfaction, and I can honestly recommend them to any fisherman wanting a reliable Engine.
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(Boston Globe)
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Proclamation

GEORGE THE FIFTH,
by the Grace of GOD, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

Whereas We deem it expedient and necessary to appoint Terms or Sessions for the holding of Our Supreme Court on Circuit for the Northern District of Our Island of Newfoundland, at the several times and places hereinafter mentioned:

We do, therefore, declare to all our loving subjects in Our said Island that it is Our will and pleasure to direct and appoint that Our Supreme Court on Circuit for the Northern District of Our said Island, shall be open and holden—

At Bigus on Friday, the Sixteenth, and Saturday, the Seventeenth days of November next;

At Harbor Grace on Monday, the Nineteenth, Tuesday, the Twentieth, Wednesday, the Twenty-first, and Thursday, the Twenty-second days of November next.

At Carbonear on Friday, the Twenty-third, and Saturday, the Twenty-fourth days of November next.

And the said Court shall be kept open for the periods, hereinbefore prescribed at each of the respective places as aforesaid provided the presiding Judge shall have business to do therein; and, if necessary, such Judge may extend the term at any of the said places for a period not exceeding two days, and until the determination of the trial of any case then proceeding.

And We do, by these Presents, further order and direct that in the event of a Judge who may preside in the said Court in the Northern District of Our said Island being prevented by unforeseen circumstances from opening Our said Court on any of the days hereinbefore appointed, or if the said Judge should be absent at any of the places, hereinbefore named for holding Our said Court before the time stated for the opening thereof, and shall deem it proper to open the same without delay, the said Judge may, and he is hereby authorized to open and hold Our said Court on any other day or days than those hereinbefore specified; and to keep the same open for the respective periods hereinbefore stated, as aforesaid, if he should find it necessary for the despatch of business to do so.

And of these Presents all Magistrates, the Sheriff, Officers of the Constabulary Force, and all Bailiffs, Constables, Keepers of gaols, and all other officers in the execution of their offices about the premises, and all and singular other persons whom these Presents do, shall or may concern, are hereby required to take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under the Great Seal of Our aforesaid Island of Newfoundland.

Witness Our trusty and well-beloved Sir WALTER EDWARD DAVIDSON, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Our said Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies, at St. John's, in Our said Island, this 24th day of July, A. D., 1917, and in the Eighth year of Our Reign.

By His Excellency's Command,
R. A. SQUIRES,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

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Marine Engines Wanted

The British Shipping Controller would be glad to hear from any engineering firms in the United Kingdom not usually engaged in building marine engines, who would undertake this class of work. They should state their possibilities. Further, the Controller would be glad to hear of any schemes for establishing new ship-building yards in any parts of the country. Letters should be addressed to the Shipping Controller, St. James's Park, London.

It is officially announced that 8,805 artificial limbs have been made for soldiers by private firms in England at a cost of \$336,000, and that more than 7,000 additional men who have lost limbs are waiting to be supplied.

Is a Deserter

Chicago, Ill., July 27.—Daniel H. Wallace, author of "Shanghai'd in to war" who was arrested at Davenport, Iowa, early today on a charge of high treason, according to his statement, an ideal of fellow men, is a deserter from the British army. According to an official of the league the British Government has set a price upon Wallace's head.

Baked Brown Bread

Four cups sour milk, three cups fine corn meal, one half-cup molasses, one cup finely rolled brown crumbs, two and one-half teaspoons soda, one teaspoon salt. This just fills a five-pound lard pail or two-pound coffee can. Be sure the cover is tight and put into pail or kettle large enough to hold two quarts of water besides pail holding the batter. Use boiling water and bake in oven all day. To be wholesome corn meal should be cooked a long time. This may be cooked on stove one and a half hours and finished in fireless cooker.

New Steamer

A new steamer was recently launched at Wedgeport, N.S., for the Harbor Grace Shipbuilding Company, of which Mr. Christopher Hannaford is the head. This ship which is called the "Norge" will be used around the Newfoundland coast in connection with the shipbuilding yards and will be commanded by a Nova Scotian.

The work on the new shipbuilding plant at Ship Head, Mr. Grace, is now being rapidly rushed ahead and the work will be completed in a short while. The whaling factory which occupied the site has been demolished and the dock is now assuming shape. About 120 men are working at the construction work.

If the word "Death" had never been known to human thought or language, and some such term as "Passing to the New Life" had been adopted, crepe would have been a drug on the market, painful funeral discourses unheard of, and long, somber funeral processions unknown.

Thousands of human lives are blessed by negative goodness.

Note of Thanks

Mrs. Alice Maclellan wishes to thank those kind friends who assisted during the illness and death of her little grand-child, Myrtina Hussy, Mr. Samuel Norman and son and Mr. Robert Bishop.

Died

On Saturday, Aug. 11th, at Denver, Colorado, Kate Halliday (Kittie), beloved wife of Mr. Benj. Green, formerly of Briggs.

Fast and Dangerous Driving

It is certainly time that a check was put to the fast motor car driving which have frequently been witnessed on our streets here during the past few weeks.

The public expect that their rights of the use of the street in this respect will be looked after. They are particularly concerned with the safety of their children. The law should be strictly observed by auto and motor cycle drivers.

There are a few who would defy all law and run through our streets at their own sweet will to the danger of men, women and children on all sides. People living in the west and east ends of the town are constantly wondering why the local constables absent themselves so much from these sections.

A Correction

Our attention has been called to an error which appeared in the second paragraph of the article on the closing of the Legislature as published in our last issue. The Business Tax Bill specifies that a tax of 20 per cent. shall be imposed on all business profits over and above \$3,000.

Born

At Coley's Point on August 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Snow (Baggs), a son.

For Sale

A double-seated Carriage. Apply to James G. Baggs, carpenter, just west of Public Building, Bay Roberts.

'The Cadet'

A few copies of 'The Cadet,' the 'Nfld. Magazine' and the 'Nfld. Quarterly' are on hand and for sale at this office.

Mrs. W. Crosbie

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We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents. All advertisements subject to the approval of the management.

Birth and Marriage Notices 25 cents per insertion. Notes of Thanks and Lists of Presents, 50 cents.

We cannot guarantee to insert items of news or advertisements received later than Thursday morning.

All small and transient advertisements must be paid for at the time of insertion. The number of insertions must be specified.

BAY ROBERTS, FRIDAY, AUG. 17, 1917.

The Garden Party

On Wednesday the W. P. A. Garden Party, which was to have been held in Snows field, was, owing to the poor weather, held in the Public Building.

It was the intention of the W. P. A. to serve Teas again in the building on Thursday afternoon, but we are informed that when the President went to the building Thursday morning to arrange matters she met with rather poor treatment from an official from whom better should be expected.

That official must have known on Wednesday that Court was to have been held on Thursday, and he could easily have notified the W. P. A. to that effect, and then the building would have been cleaned up.

It is surely bad enough when men fail to be present and show that they have some interest, at least, in the noble work the ladies are doing for the soldiers and sailors. But when officials encourage the workers, would it be any wonder if they discontinue the good work altogether. Whose fault would it be?

The time is now ripe when a move should be made to place this building in the hands of a suitable committee residing in our own town who would have the self-control and to whom applications for its use for public purposes could be made.

The War

The war outlook this week is not so bad from our standpoint. A steady and persistent pressure by the British and French is being kept up in France and Belgium. The Canadian troops have just captured Hill 70, overlooking Lens, and it is believed Lens, which is an important French mining centre, cannot hold out much longer.

The Russo-Romanians seem to be regaining their steadfastness, and reports of an offensive from that quarter have been received.

An important peace move was announced by the Vatican this week, and certain suggestions have been made and questions asked by the Pope. But it is generally thought that nothing will be done with these proposals. To give back Germany her colonies and to simply require that occupied territory be relinquished is not good enough for those nations who have been fighting Prussian and Austrian Militarism for over three years. The Papal proposals will be given due consideration; but they will no doubt be rejected, as they bear the marks of being manufactured at Vienna or Berlin. Full and complete reparation and atonement (as far as this is possible) must be exacted from Germany and Austria.

Fewer ships have been sunk by submarines the past week, and it only remains for the British and French to advance a few more miles into western Belgian territory to compel Germany to retire altogether from the Belgian coast, where her chief submarine bases are.

Haig's Troops Take Another Bite

London, Aug. 15.—Field Marshal Haig's forces attacked the German positions along the west front early this morning from Lens to the north-east of Loos. The official statement says the British are making satisfactory progress, and have carried the German first line at all points of the front attacked.

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