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# THE NOTE OF PRESIDENT WILSON AS FRIENDLY

Optimism Over Final Outcome is Expressed on All Sides---Washington Will Insist on Change form to Principles of International Law Countries

প্রকৃতিক কর্মক বিশ্ব several trenches with about 100

Washington, June 12.—Optimism is ling on a change in the operations of more pronounced than it has been the blockade conducted by them so as since the diplomatic correspondence to conform with the principles of Inwith Germany over sea zones was be- ence with trade in non-contraband gun, manifest today in official quar- articles passing to and from belligerters here over the prospects of a ent country through a continuous peaceful outcome to pending contro- neutral country. This is generally versy between Germany and the Un-believed would be an important factited States. The American note to or in convincing the German Govern open to satisfactory solution with mentals of International law with rekonor to both sides. It is officially spect to the Allies as been the case stated to-day that a note would soon in the American correspondence with be sent to Britain and Allies insist Germany.

ternational law, forbidding interferdecidely friendly, leaving the way thes ame vigorous position on funda

### OFFICIAL

BRITISH.

London, June 11 .- The French Government report heavy German losses at Neuville: the enemy left about a thousand dead.

The Russian Government report a German attack on the Russian trenches at Moceska in Galicia, thrown machine guns. A later report says Giovanni di Ledua is untrue. about 6,700 prisoners.

The Italian Government report the a speed of 17 knots. occupation of the Citadel and heights dominating Monfalcone.

BONAR LAW

FRENCH.

Paris, June 11.—The French War Office issued the following to-day "There is nothing of importance to add to the announcement given out last night with the exception of further success in the Labyrinth, where To Claim Rights as Neutral We have continued to force the enemy back, and some progress to the East of the Labyrinth.

material captured by us. We found coived here, says: thus far in the ruins three 77 milleequipment

batch of 150 prisoners, among them a Lansing." major. In addition many German Wounded have been admitted to our British Subjects ambulance.

Bodies of dead Germans can be counted by hundreds. We have captured three more quick firers. We have bent the German line a length British Vice-Consul at Wash of one and one third miles and on a depth of two-thirds of a mile.

Paris, via St. Pierre, June 11.of Labyrinth, where we have taken a wounding of one British subjects at of Germany's forces on all fronts and German position near the big road of Tuxpan. and south of our front, and the taking Amassador at Washington.

prisoners and machine guns. In the Dardanelles we have strengthened our gains obtained in the fighting of the 4th of June. At the extreme right in Kereve Dere region, we have further progressed, and from inquiries to prisoners these show that the enemy's losses have been very

ITALIAN.

Rome, June 12 (Official toon the enemy resulted in the capture that a British warship of the Livof two thousand prisoners and eight erpool type had been sunk off San the Note there was a general rush for lost 17 guns and 7000 prisoners. In For some time Albania has been

crossed the left bank of the Dneister the Austrian statement participat- for comment in the evening editions. the river could have escaped. were driven back with heavy losses, ed with our flotilla in successful ed with them to our naval base at

**Americans Must** 

Says Berlin Paper if They Enter Proscribed Area

ON ANY SHIP

Subjects Must Observe Neutrality

Paris, June 12.—On Friday we for- Amsterdam, June 11.—A despatch By Paul Koenig That the tified positions in front of Neuville St. from the Berlin Kolnische Volks Zei-Vaast. We continue inventory of war tung, a copy of which has been re-

"Without doubt Lansing, in comparmetre field guns three bomb throwers ison with Bryan, is a man of very Jury investigation to determine He Would Demand Guar 15 quick firers, which were buried in sharp tone, but the German Press will whether there was a conspiracy to the ground or damaged. Thousands of do well not to enquire too anxiously defraud the United States in connecgrenades, one thousand rifles, eight whether he is a man of shaper peace- tion with affidavits submitted by the hundred thousand cartridge, incendi- ful tone. Our submarine war will not German Embassy to the State Deany implements, a number of 105 cease on this account. If American partment to prove that there were millemetre shells, very large number ships or Americans in British ships guns aboard the Lusitania, begun here of engineers' implements and tools as enter the war zone they must despite is specifically directed against Paul first speech since he assumed office. well as numerious cases containing Lansing and President Wilson, take Koenig, who, according to the au- The Premier explained the difference explosives and other articles of the risk involved on such a voyage. thorities, is head of a secret service of his policy to that of his predeces-In the region of Toutvent Farm, neutrals' rights only when herself burg-American steamship line. The that Venizelos was ready to have 80uth-west of Lebuterne, we have or- maintains neutrality. Such was not first result of the investigation was Greece enter the war without deteranized the positions captured by us the case under pacifist Bryan, and the arrest for perjury of Gustave mining thoroughly the conditions will probably be just as little the case Stahl, a German reserv'st, who made under which she took up arms. His

> Killed At Tuxpan By Villa Soldiers Germanic Hosts

ington Demands Reparation

Nothing further of importance to add El Paso, June 11.-C. Myles, the to yesterday's report except (1) new British Vice-Consul, to-day telegraph- moving against the Dneister line in assured. Progress in the Labyrinth, where we ed General Villa demanding punishhave continued to throw back the ment of Villa's soldiers responsible taneously from the south. enemy; (2) small advance to the east for the recent killing of four and

ITALIANS OCCUPY TOWN OF GRADISCA

Rome, June 12-It is officially announced that the Italians have occupied Gradisca, six miles Southwest of Gloriza, Austria-Hungary.

BRITISH CRUISER

London, June 12.—British Press Bureau commenting on the announcement in Vienna regarding the sinking of a British cruiser, said to-night, the ship presumably referred to was safe in harbor, not seriously damaged.

ITALIANS ADVANCE THROUGH PREDIL PASS

Udine, Italy, June 12-The Italian forces to-day are advancing through Predil Pass on a junction of Laibach railway to Travis, which lies six miles beyond the Austrian side of Italian border.

# And Right of Trade in Non-Contraband RUSSIANS SUCCESSFULLY Articles Between Belligerent and Neutral RUSSIANS SUCCESSFULLY COUNTER=ATTACK AUSTRO=

Military Experts Look For Repitition Last Winter's Coup Before Warsaw

Germans Suffer Heavy Losses---Serbians Active in Northern Albania, Imitate Italian Example --- Albania Overrun by Bands Organized by Austro-Turks to Harras the Serbians---Heavy Fighting on Italian Frontier

here as firm but pacific divided interest with the British public to-day with

ing newspapers announced receipt of suffered very heavy losses. They have north.

red before Warsaw last winter, when 2,000 prisoners, while near Mosciska, end of Albanian integrity.

ments arrived in time to force back a the Russians continue to fall back on stem the Italian advance.

London, June 12.—The American portion of General Von Lipsingens the Dneister under Austrian pressure. Note to Germany which is considered army, which crossed the Dneister Following the example of the Ital-River, near Zurawna, before it could ians who occupied Avlona, an Albanbe strengthened and entrenched. Ger- ian port on the Straits of Otranto. the and Austrian official reports make Serbians are marching across Norththe successful Russian counter trust mention of the fighting in this region, ern Albania towards the port of Dur- Ploeken Falls back with very heavy losses. On the -night).—The report contained in against the Austro-German lines in but from the account issued in Petro- azzo, while the Montenegrins are makright bank of the Dneister, pressure the Austrian official statement Galicia. When placards of the even-grad the Austro-Germans must have ing for Port Alession, still further

copies, as the text had been anxiously fact military men express the belief overrun by bands which it is alleged The British ship alluded to in awaited. It arrived too late, however, that very few of those who crossed were organized by Austrians and The Russian success naturally The Russians also claim that fur- these bands have more than once inthe Russians capturing seventeen operations against the coast in the caused gratification and relief. Now ther up the Dneister, directly south of vaded Serbian territory. The opinion guns, forty-nine machine guns and Gulf of Drina on 9th inst, return- military experts expect there will be Lemberg, they have pressed their op- is generally expressed here that these a repetition in Galicia of what occur- ponents back and have taken another occupations will probably spell the

the Germans suffered enormous losses east of Przemysl, they say the Ger- Heavy fighting continues along the in their efforts to brake the Russian mans suffered very severely, when Italian frontier, particularly on the front on the Bzura and Rawka rivers. they attacked the Russian position. Isonzo River, where the Austrians are Take the Risk On that occasion Russian reinforce- In Eastern Galicia and Bukowina, making a most determined effort to

> **United States Suspects Conspiracy**

To Defraud the Government In Connection

WITH AFFIDAVITS

Lusitania Carried Guns

Still Undiminished

the hope of attacking the city simul-

He calls attention to the greatness

## Greek Premier **Delivers Speech** Large Audience This She Will Press to the

Explains How His Policy Differs From

HIS PREDECESSOR'S

antees National Integrity

Athens, June 12.-Premier Gournaris delivered to a large audience his America can claim the right to judge department maintained by the Ham- sor, M. Venizelos. He stated briefly This morning we captured another under the international law expert one of the affidavits submitted by the policy, Gournaris said, was to demand Weekly, one of the best known jour-Embassy, and who is alleged to be guarantees, which would insure the closely associated with Koenig. The integrity of the Kingdom and successwarrant alleges he committed per- ful outcome of its participation in the Cotton Spinners

On this account the Premier continued the Government is accused of being under the influence of the Ger-

Serbian Forces Occupy Tirana

Albanian seaport of Durazzo.

**Germans Possess Great Superiority** Of Ammunition

Fullest

AVERT DISASTER

Great Britain Must Support Munitions Minister

London, June 11.- "Where Germany once had a marked superiority in men, she now has superiority in ammunition, and this advantage she will press to its fullest. The only way for the Allies to avert disaster is to equip themselves, and to do this Great Britain must stand behind David Lloyd Zeppelin Airship Sinks Two George, as Minister of Munitions, as one man. Moreover, if he is not given

a free hand he may resign. Sir William Robertson Nicoll thus sums up the situation as he sees it in

In Lancashire Mills Threaten Lock Out

Manchester, June 12.—A group man viewpoint. He explained his pur- of trade union officials returned London, June 11.—The Daily Mail's pose was not to expose Greece to the here to-day from London, where correspondent at Petrograd tele- perils of war, unless interest required they were in conference with the graphs that in addition to one million it, success of the enterprise, including Government authorities. They German troops pressing toward Lem- the retention of any territory acquired made the statement the Governberg from the west, there are 300,000 and satisfaction and national rights ment explained to them plainly, there must be no stoppage of the Lancashire cotton industry.

Lancashire operatives are today demanding ten per cent. inmillion spindles.

# PILES OF GERMAN KILLED AND WOUNDED LIE BEFORE THE RUSSIAN POSITIONS

Russians Gain Important Successes---Obstinate Fighting on Left Bank of Dnjester, Where the Enemy Was Completely Defeated

tenth and the following day. The Ger- ment.

from Shaveliany to Beligola we as- chnuve, where we captured ten guns, ing of the tenth, and gained important oners.

between the Rivers Tysmenica and without fighting. automobiles, supported by infantry to- attack on the 9th.

London, June 12.-The Petrograd wards Stry and Millolaiow, but the correspondent of the "Morning Post" accurate fire of our guns compelled sends the following despatch. Addi- the train to beat a rapid retreat. In tional successes for Russian arms this action the head of our infantry with the capture of many prisoners column developed an energetic offenand guns are chronicled in an official) sive and made prisoners the entire 5th statement issued on the night of the company of the 79th Austrian Regi-

mans, after furious bombardment re- On the left bank of the Dneister, on newed determined attacks from the the front of Olchowice and Bukaszowest of Shavli on the front of Kouji- wice, the fighting has been obstinlice Rakievo and Einoraitzy. Several ate since the 10th, terminating in the times during the night they reached complete defeat of the enemy, who our barbed wire entanglements, but was thrown across the Dneister. The each time were thrown back, leaving enemy here suffered especially severe losses among a section of the Prus-On the left bank of the Dubysa, sian Guards, in the village of Wyssumed the offensive and on the morn- eighteen mitralleuses and many pris-

success, taking by a vigorous night Attacks by the enemy on the 9th on attack, over five hundred prisoners, the bridge head, near Halioz were rewith guns, mitraleuses and other pulsed. The development of our booty. The enemy continued his troops on the line of the Dneister. fruitless attacks in the region of above Halicz, rendered necessary a Mosoiska, on the right bank of the corresponding modification of the front of the troops occupying the We continued on the ninth and Pruth line. In executing this manoetenth to press the enemy in front uvre our troops evacuated Stanislau

Swica, capturing many prisoners, Nearth Podlougie we repelled Gerquick firers and other booty. In this man attacks. Further south in the region the enemy, to cover his retreat, direction of Olynia we captured eleven despatched a train of five armored hundred prisoners during a counter

To Victorious Italy

Innsbuck, June 11.—Italian forces have captured Ploeken in Austria, close to the frontier. The possession of this location is important, as it endangers the Austrian communications. Ploeken is 15 miles south to the main

An announcement has been made here by the Austrians that one of their submarine yesterday sunk a British cruiser of the Liverpool type at a point 40 miles off St. Jean Medua in

Masquerading As Com. Thierichens Of Interned Cruiser

Paris, June 11.-A despatch from Algeciras, Spain, gives details of the arrest there of the man who professed to be the Commander of the German converted cruiser Prinz Eitel Freder- Italians Batter ich. He shipped as cook aboard an Italian steamer bound for Genoa, intending to go from there to Germany. He was interned at Gibraltar mas- night and day bombardment of the querading under the name of Commander Thierichens.

German Submarine **Gets Five Victims** In One Day

Smacks—All Crews Saved

steamer Strathcanon, Russian steam- of the ship's boats for 21 hours wither Dania, Russian bark Thomasina, out food. and Swedish steamer Octago were sunk by German submarines yester- Russian Success day, while the British fishing smacks Welfare and Laurestina fell victims to a Zeppelin.

The crews of all were saved.

**Progress Reported** In Dardanelles

Paris, June 11.—An official

"In the Dardanelles we have consolidated results obtained by us in the

### Turkish Railroad **Delays Traffic**

Bulgaria Kicks

London, June 11 -The Bulgarian Government, says a Bucharest despatch to the Times, has sent a strongly worded protest to Turkey because of the continued indifference highway between Laibach and Inns- of that country regarding traffic on the Dedeagatch railway and detention of passengers and freight.

> **Austrians Retire** And Blow Up Forts Of Pozzacchio

> Milan, June 11.-The Austrian are reported to have evacuated Pozzacchio after blowing up the fortress. Pozzacchio is east of the Adige river, 15 The Italians already hold Vallarsa,

a mile from Pozzacchio.

**Tolmino Forts** 

Geneva, June 11.-A tremendous Austrian forts of Santa Lucia and Santa Maria defending Tolmino, is being carried on by the Italians with 0.016

**Submarine Gets** Trawler "Intripid" In the North Sea

London, June 12th-The trawler Intrepid was sunk by a German submarine in the North Sea. The crew London, June 11.—The Glasgow landed at Lowestoft, they were in one

South of Lemberg

Petrograd, June 11.—Suddenly assuming the offensive, the Russian forces in Galicia, south of Lemberg. have defeated the Austro-German forces upon the Dneister River, capturing 6,500 men, 188 officers, 17 cannon and 49 maxim guns.

nouncement concerning the Dardan- Announcement Pleases German Press

fighting of June 4th. At the right end Amsterdam, June 12.—The German of the Ravine of Kereve Dere we were press express satisfaction over the crease in wages. Spinners are successful with minor engagements in announcement that hereafter prisonsays that nowhere upon the Galician London, June 11.—A despatch from prepared to issue lockout notices making some progress. Prisoners ers taken from German submarines Arras to Lille; (3) in Herbuterne reg- The message was sent on instruc- frontier or in Poland do the German Rome says that the Serbians have at the end of this week, which who fell into our hands confirmed by the British will be accorded the ion, the widening of our gains north tions of Sir Cecil Spring Rice, British appear to be short of men or ammuni- occupied Tirana, a town east of the would tie up no less than forty previous reports that the losses of same treatment as other prisoners of the enemy have been considerable. war.

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### COMMANDER TOUCHED BY BIG LOSSES

Member of Princess Pats Tells of Praise Given Regiment by Field Marshal Sir John French

One of the Princess Pats who went letter dated May 21st says: "We have had a very tough time since I last wrote to you and we have lost nearly our whole battalion. We have only three officers left. We had a speech the commander-in-chief vesterday. He gave us great praise, but go down. I wish you could have heard General French yester-They call our Brigade (80th) the Stone Wall Brigade. It consists of the 3rd and 4th Battalions of the King's Royal Rifles, the King's Shrop shire Light Infantry, the 4th Battalion of the Rifles Brigade, the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, and of course, the good old Princess Pats.

"The last time we went into the trenches we had to go in with the 4th King's Royal Rifles, the two regiments only made a half battalion, so you can guess how strong we are We are now resting. They are bombarding away in front of us and any odd shell now and then goes over us to a town about three kilometers They are trying to set it

"I met the Scotch Greys last night. used to know quite a few of the will ever have. Gen. French says that we stood the worst bombardment, shelling and heaviest artillery fire that has ever been known. You will see that, what I am sorry to say, is only too true when you see our casualty list. Gen. French spoke with feeling and seemed to be deeply touched when he spoke of our gallant officers and men who fell in the second battle of- We lost nearly all of our signallers, only six of us left. We started with thirty-two from Ottawa. All of our Sergt-Majors were killed but you will see all their names in the paper. Gen, French told us vesterday that Italy had entered the war on the side of the Allies. hope the Germans will get properly smashed up and the sooner the better but no peace till she is properly brok-

### THREATENED TO BLOW UP **CUNARD LINERS**

Letter Writer Arrested By New York Police

New York, June 4th. Detectives stationed at a mail drop in the gen-Frederick A. Stillwagon, a resident of Long Island and charged him with sending fourteen threatening letters to the officials of the Cunard Line demanding sums of from \$20,000 to \$25,000. Stillwagon was arrested af ter, acording to the police, he had mailed another letter to the Cunard Line. The police declare that the prisoner admitted mailing the letters. In several of the letter Stillwagon s alleged to have threatened to blow up vessels of the Cunard Line un less his demands were compelled with Immediately after the destruction of the Lusitania, the police charge, the writer of a letter receive at the Cunard offices stated that one of his bombs placed in the ship before she sailed from New York was responsible for the disaster. The police had been hunting for the writer of the letters for a month and a half.

### Coal in the Philippine Islands in 1913

No coal was produced commercially the Philippine Islands in 1913. On Cebu exploration work has been carried on under the direction of the division of mines of the Bureau of Science. During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, 459,583 metric tons was imported with a value of \$1,196,-959. About 65 per cent of this came from Japan and the balance, except in insignificant quantities, came from China and Australia. The importa ticn of coke amounted to 11,572 metric tens, worth \$43,017. The Manila Gas Co. manufactures about a thousand metric tons of coke and has a by product plant using Australia coal. Coal retails at from \$6.00 to \$7.50 a ton. The Manila gas-house coke sells for \$15.00 per ton while the best Connellsville coke brings \$30.00. -Colliery, Eng.

Velvet pencils for commercial

### FOOD PRICES HIGHER ON ACCOUNT OF WAR

Letter to Ottawa Man On British Conditions

The following letter was received by Mr. Jas. E. Driskell, 60 Bell street, from his sister in London. Eng. It contains some very interest ing facts regarding the prices of foodstuffs in England. The letter is as follows:

at first thought, but it has its bright side. I am sending you your favorite weekly paper, as it wil interest you. There is a good account of the Canadians who have won a great victory for us and I am sure you would like to read it, as England thinks about it. We are all proud of them. Well the war seems to be going on, sometimes it seems as if it will never end. But I really think we are gaining. little by little, but sure in the end: It will not be without a struggle.

"I went to a meeting last evening and the speaker spoke of the necessity of keeping the line unbroken. In other words, having others to fill the gaps. He said that that will be the only way we shall win. Once the line is broken we shall go steadily back. We are not allowed to know any of the soldiers' whereabouts and sometimes get worried at not hearing from men. We just received a line from Mr .---. of the Army Medical Corps. He seems jolly enough and so do all those I have the best of things and some of them are making good sport of it.

"How are you for food prices? of the firms are allowing so much more a week on the wages until the war ends, as food is so dear. Bread is going up to ninepence this week (18 cents), compared with fourpence before the war (8 cents). Just fancy, for a small family eighteen pence for bread (36 cents.) Other things are in like proportion. Well I suppose we shall get over it, every cloud has a silver lining and we shall understand later why these things have been allowed and so much sorrow and suffering permitted. God has a wise purpose in view. I dare say Canada is getting fine weather now, and I hope things will change for the better over here, especially

### COAL RESOURCES OF CANADA

While Canada contains abundant supplies of coal, the coal beds are chiefly in more or less inaccessible regions. Investigations in connection with the meeting of the International Geological Congress, 1913, show less than 1 per cent, of the coal resources of the Dominion are situated in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, while 87 per cent, lie in Alberta, much of this coal being in very remote districts of these provinces.

The coal seams now being worked are those which contain the coal of the best quality and in the most ac cessible regions and those which are nearest to what are and always will be the greatest centres of population in the Dominion. They are, therefore speaking generally, the deposits from which coal can be delivered most cheaply. When coal can no longer be obtained from these districts, or if for any reason it becomes more difficult to extract coal, the

price will tend to rise. In a coal bearing district, the measures usually contain several distinct coal beds, often differing more or less in thickness and quality. Selection of the most easily worked bed for mining may make impossible the recovery of coal from other beds, with the final result that a very small perecentage of the coal in the area is won.

Again, there are beds of coal in Canada which are so thick that it is difficult, in fact in some cases impossible, to work the whole thickness.

### DROVE ENEMY AT THE POINT OF BAYONET

Canadians Took Eight Hundred Yards of Trenches, Repulsing the Bavarian Guards-Losses Heavy

London, June 5.-News was received here to-day that the Canadians had recently captured eight hundred yards of trenches at the point of the bayonet in a position where the British had met with no success since October. The Bavarian Guards made a counter attack, which was repulsed, but with serious losses to the Canadians. The Canadians have driven the enemy back nearly five miles.

### Beothic Strikes

A Growler

Of what ocurred on Saturday night in the Mouth of Trinity Bay. The good ship Beothic she had se sail, from Heart's Content she

round the Island of Newfoundland and to reach the Labrador.

'en knots or more were no delay on that dark night to thread, a pan of ice soon had her "still" and

drooping by the head With nigh four hundred souls board, a gloomy tide did wave. Some thinking that another step would mean a watery grave,

We bore away for Grate's Cove, where sympathy is strong, And soon the awed gathering the

water side did throng. Willing help was rendered the ladies first to land them on the slip. All boats were lowered with the cry Get from the sinking ship."

The water then was nine feet up; all pumps or barrels could do. Her cargo floating in the hold, "We'll free her says the crew.'

All with hearts uplifted did to their work attend To keep the ship from sinking, their best endeavours lend.

The S.U.F. hall was opened, likewise The buildings soon were crowded

with a fine and hearty crew, While some were called to dwelling homes, nearby the ocean strand, All hearts were happy on Sunday morn to see them safe on land.

Now where is our great Government strolling round at Grate's Cove waiting their delay.

With loved ones home heartbroken, seeing that nothing can be found To take those planters to Labrador, the place that they were bound

We thank the god Jehoviah for H Almighty care In bringing them to safety, may Him

they always fear. Ill honour to the Grate's Cove people who roam the ocean foam,

May they always find a shelter whereever they may roam. J. STANSFORD.

## Time To Stop Gambling

Are you a gambler? Perhaps you may not know the ace of spades from the knave of clubs, and yet be a gambler. You gamble when you risk more than you can afford to lose. Now, if you are an average man, to whom every dollar is of importance, you risk more than you can afford-you gamble-when you pay a high price for a pair of rubber boots of whose quality you are ignorant, ( and which may go to pieces after a few days' wear, leaving you to the loss of your boots and your

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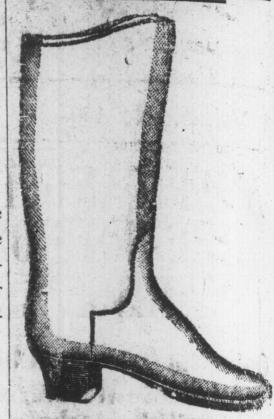
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# COL. CANTLEY BACK FROM ZONE OF FIRE

### Canadian Shell Expert Visited General Alderson's Headquarters---Were Evacuated Under Fire

who has just returned from a tour of the fact that the owner's wife was was in Montreal recently, and gave near future, the line begin on the to one of the local newspapers, The Yser, about a mile back. Gazette, a graphic account of the conditions under which the forces are "The situation, however, was now

under special orders from the British which, as a matter of fact, was done War Office. He was the first member during that night. The boom of the of the Canadian shell committee, and guns here was magnificent-like the was detailed to visit the battle-fields roar of a half dozen thunderstorms in in order to see definitely what the progress at one time. Back of this Canadian shells were doing, and gain was the quick bark of the French information which might lead to 'soixante-quinzes' and the Canadian

During his tour of the trenches, Col: Cantley met General Alderson and many Canadian officers, some of whom have since paid the last penalty of their gallantry. He also, while visiting General Alderson at his headquarters, had the experience of being under hot shell fire, which necessitated a hasty evacuation while several men were killed and

wounded around them. Col. Cantley met Lord Kitchener and many other leading British officers, who not only spoke highly of the Canadian troops, but declared that the Canadian shells, both shrapnel and high explosive, were the best of any that had been furnished outside regular British armament firms, while Canada had done better than all Great Britain in the supply of munitions, outside of the regular

### At Canadian Headquarters.

Describing a visit to General Alderson's headquarters, in a fine moatbags near Vpres, Col. Cantley says:

"While here German shells thrown from the left bank of the Yser canal were falling at various points on the headquarters grounds. At the same time a threatening thunderstorm broke, but the artillery sound far outdid the thunder. While talking to Cantley, "is that as yet the war has one of the staff officers a shell landed only well started. If it can be over which some pots were simmer- no shadow of doubt as to our ultithat the chateau grounds were re- years of this century, at least, she dently sparing the building, why they many changes in the map of Europe.'

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Col. T. Cantley, New Glasgow, N.S., did not know, unless it was due to

Col. Cantley was sent to the front advisable to move the headquarters eighteen and sixty-pounders.

### For Emergency Use.

"One shell bursting in the hedge nearby the staff officer suggested that we go and see the retiring dugout, which had ben prepared for use in case of an emergency. Should they be shelled out of the chateau, the staff could retire by a communicating trench from the rear of the chateau to the dugout and in this way to the trench in the rear. This dugout was simply an enlarged trench with right angle chambers. roofed over first with round timber covered with sandbags, this in turn covered with earth, on which was placed sods and trees. The place was fairly comfortable and capable of defence against everything heavy howitzer fire.

### Canadian Guns Busy.

"A little later we left the chateau, reaching our car at the junction of the road. To do this we passed in front of a whole battery of Canadian surrounded chateau, fortified by sand guns screened behind a hedge. These were so skilfully masked by the hedge in front, and by the straw stacks in the rear, that they were

### War Will be Long.

"My present conviction," said Col ing. The shell exploded near this mately bringing the war to a sucgroup, in full view of where we stood, cessful conclusion, which of neceskilled one outright and wounded sity means the complete crushing of several others. We were informed Germany, so that for the remaining peatedly shelled within the few prev- cannot be in any degree a military ious days-the Germans had the cor- power in Europe. Following the surrect range of the place but were evi- render of Germany there must be

### Cause of Explosion Remains Mystery

Seattle. Wash., June 5.-Police and private detectives employed by the Russian government to guard vessels loading munitions of war for Russia were busy today endeavoring to learn the cause of the explosion S'unday morning of 15 tons of dynamite aboard a scow enchored in the bay. Except for the statement of CHARLES CALLES C

private detectives that for two weeks they have been watching for two men who it is alleged were coming to Puget Sound to destroy ammunition carriers, there was little for the police to work on

The scow was blown into fragments and no trace has been found of a watchman employed Saturday to guard the dynamite over-night.

While detectives were engaged in seeking to determine the cause of the explosion, many workmen began replacing 350 plate glass windows in the Seattle business district shattered by the explosion. The damage from this source was estimated at \$40,000, while damage to several wooden buildings on the waterfront nearest the explosion, added \$10,000 to the loss.

### Effect of War

The statement is made by Dr. C. Schroedter, in Stahl und Eisen, that the Germans now hold control of about 40 per cent, of the aggregate industrial activity of France. These figures are based upon the percentage of steam plants under German control. It is claimed that Germany controls 68.8 per cent. of the coal, 78.3 per Then shines the birch in silver rest, cent. of the coke, 90 per cent. of the iron ore, 85.7 per cent. of the and the beech in glistening leaves is pig iron, and 76 per cent. of the And dark between shows the oak's steel ingots.

when chieftain's frowning tower. . BEAD THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE,

# Music of Shell Fire

The first time, doubtless, that a become dull, while, on the other hand, keenly sensitive musical ear was ever the shrill shell was invariably herfound to be of practical service in alded by a flash from one of our battle was when Fritz Kreisler, the guns, now far in the rear. What had Austrian violinist, discovered that he happened was this: Every shell decould place the enemy's guns by the scribes in its course a parabolic line. varying tones of the shells as they with the first half of the curve being screeched over his head. His attention ascending and the second one descenwas first attracted by the difference ding. Apparently in the first half of between the sounds of the Austrian its curve, that is, its course while asand the Russian shells passing above cending, the shell produced a dull him. He then found out that a shell whine accompanied by a falling cadon the first, or ascending, half of its ence, which changes to a rising shrill curving flight made a dull whine with as soon as the acme has been reacha falling cadence, which changed to a ed and the curve points downward shrill sounding with a rising cadence again. The acme for both kinds of on the descending curve. Finally he shells naturally was exactly the half found he could locate by the sound distance between the Russian and the higest point in the curve of flight, Austrian artillery, and this was the With this knowledge the expert Aus- point where I had noticed that the trian artillerymen were enabled to difference was the least marked. A locate the Russian batteries. Kreisler few days later, in talking over my himself tells the story in his recently observation with an artillery officer, published book, "Four Weeks in the I was told the fact was known that Thenches: the War-Story of a Violin- the shells sounded different going up than when coming down, but this

"My ear, accustomed to differentiate knowledge was not used for practical sounds of all kinds, had some time purposes. When I told him that I ago, while we still advanced, noted a could actually determine by the sound remarkable decrepancy in the pecu- the exact place where a shell coming liar whine produced by the different from opposing batteries was reaching shells in their flight through the air its acme, he thought this would be as they passed over our heads, some of great value in a case where the sounding shrill, with a rising tenden- position of the opposing battery was cy, and the others rather dull, with a hidden and thus could be located. falling cadence. A short observation He apparently spoke to his commandrevealed the fact that the passing of a er about me, for a few days later I was dull-sounding shell was invariably sent on reconnoitering tour, with preceded by a flash from one of our the object of marking on the map the own cannon in the rear on the hill, exact spot where I thought the hostile which conclusively proved it to be an shells were reaching their acme, and Austrian shell. It must be under- it was later on reported to me that I stood that as we were advancing be- had succeeded in giving to our battween the positions of the Austrian teries the almost exact range of the and Russian artillery, both kinds of Russian guns. I have gone into this shells were passing over our heads. matter at some length, because it is As we advanced, the difference in the only instance where my musical creased again more and more until, on ear was of value during my service."

sian guns on the opposite heights and, proaching source is always raised by timing flash and actual passing slightly, while that of one from a of the shell, found to my astonishment receding source is flatted. The pitch it approaches earth again, the tone is 2, 5 and 10 gallon tins, also in barthat now the Russian missiles had of a locomotive-whistle flats appreci- sharpened.-Literary Digest.

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counted for on the general principle ably as the locomotive passes the Everybody's doin' it now. I could make out the flash of the Rus- that the pitch of a sound from an ap- listener. So, as a shell rises away What? Selling Elastic Cement from the earth, its tone rises, and as Paint. Your dealer sells it in 1, lky has swallowed a dime.

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### Agricultural

HE News yesterday morning published an article on the use of potatoes as an augumentation to flour in the making of bread, and refers to it editorially, directing the attention of housewives and others to the sug- ed Experimental Farm. gestion. Not alone because the addition of potatoes makes a palatable and nutritious article of diet, but also for another reason -"and one that cannot be lightly brushed aside,"—for the increased planting of potatoes, during the

gard to the use of potatoes, but of persons, and he hits right is the most reticent official with especially do we support the idea from the shoulder. It is one of whom we have ever come in con- P. Bonia, sheet iron, nails of greater effort in the matter of the most caustic cleric pro- tact. Nobody has ever heard this planting and raising potatoes, and ductions we have seen for some time. gentleman discuss local affairs. Chronicle Pub. Co., printthis is exactly what we urged in We would say in language with which This is my busy day" seems to

We urged in our editorial col- freely translated, "more power to the glories of '69 would need to ferry wharf...... umns, the idea of increased effort, your elbow." we encouraged and recommended He says "I condemn the manner in We are not going to discuss the Carburetter..... the sowing of seed in every vacant which (relief) is given out." "If the juestion of Confederation; as, at Kelly James, repairs and from feading American and Cana- or if it is spent it is not earned. dian Agricultural Journals, in the This is surely rough on the heelers lest and incontrovertible argu- wharf..... hope of stimulating increased in- at Harbor Grace. Why pauperize our nent in favour of it, is the A. McLachlan, expenses terest in the subject. No notice toilers? They do not look for doles; intagonism of the "Street" to the was taken by The News or-any they ask for employment such as will neasure. The "Street" has from W. F. O'Rielly, services other paper for that matter-of enable them to earn an honest dollar. ime immemorial antagonized evour timely remarks and sugges- Wehave had enough of pauperization ery movement of possible amelitions, yet The News has the cour- in this colony; and we should stop pration for our fishermen. Why? T. A. Pippy, pinion and age to say now, that the greater the demoralization of the people. En- But we are not discussing the isplanting is very urgent, and the ough money has been squandered, and sue just now. The infamies of Michael Sinnott, building reason a strong one—"one that is still being squandered, to provide cannot be lightly brushed on one public employment on a business bas-

the idea lightly on one side last potatoes; the bottom is out of the spring when we were making an local chest! earnest effort to encourage the Such outspoken condemnation is AN CANNON, 'bleaching their cultivation of every strip of land, rare by clergymen; but this young ones on the desert sands of Canthat could be made to yield a cleric has the courage of his convic. ada' had a tremendous effect on Alfred Sparrow, cartage

discriminating ear, for what Gov- evidently not in the same class as the turies, and this partly accounts House of Assembly, forgetting some years ago, made a demand on national feeling, their hatred of Freight to Placentia.

and neither do we demand public Bishop Mullock wrote some caustic ever. No more nail bag costumes months. . . . . . . . . 2,900.00 MEANS. When a man gets a conthanks for what we do as a public letters regarding the distribution of and hob-nailed shoes for our Expenses to St. John's spirited citizen, and in the line of relief the time that he coined the coilers of the sea. us to sit quietly down and allow Kent) tried honestly to curtail and sold at \$12.00 per barrel, and fishmediocrities and barren pates to regulate expenditure, and that he ermen were paid \$1.60 (eight shil-

potato culture and the increased frozen serpents which having been in Twillingate, Fogo, and Harbor effort that should be made to raise warmed into life had stung the breast Breton controlled not only the a vegetable on every spot of avail- which gave it vitality." the public, nothing less.

We understand the paltry at not ignore the just influences of the tempt of The News to reap poli- representatives of the people." tical capital from the fact that "The Influences of the Representa- Narrows with a fortune of ONE some cheap politician borrowing tives" sounds like present-day meth- HUNDRED THOUSAND our ideas, made a few remarks ods. Doles are given out to boost POUNDS, waved his hand and along the lines suggested in our the men who have a place in the said: "Good bye Newfoundland The Harbor and Narrows present will have abundant success during credit for the thought, and we own political ends. Gentlemen, you Either our historians are using viewed from Harvey Road last even the season and sail safely into port said nothing in retort. Now when have duties to the people which you the truth with good trips at the end of the \$261,423.66. we see the same pattry effort be- seem to ignore. You vote away our ity or the story of Glorious '69 is than 33 schooners beating in the har- voyage. ing repeated, we are moved to revenues with a lavishness that al- marred by serious blots upon its bor, making a genuine moving pie-

This brings us to the point, that the cultural question of wet potatoes has not yet been solved. The News is rather weak, we should think, when maintaining on the one hand that locally raised potatoes are not fit to eat, and on the other hand advising the raising of unpalatable tubers.

to drop out completely, not bene- erated anywhere else. fited by the short discussion, but Our notice of this matter is involved in greater obscurity. The based upon an announcement in reason why potatoes are wet is The Daily News which informs us still an unknown quantity, as far that Mr. Hutchings, Deputy Minand nobody is the wiser. Nobody Knight and Morris to attend to has spoken with authority on the the business of the Court! subject, whilst we have no less than three highly paid officials, -legal and unlegal-attached t whose duty we should consider it the District Court of St. John's! to be, is to afford all necessary enlightment on the dark question.

We have two Agricultural Commissioners receiving about two thousand dollars each a year, and crimes against the tax-payers of we have another getting about the same, in connection with the Department of Agriculture, and was imposed on every package neither one of those gentlemen and parcel way-billed to an out-

the potatoes are wet, but we can- the expenses of the War operanot speak with the voice of au- tions. Were there more economy thority, same as officials of the in the administration of Justice, Agricultural Department may, so and in other Departments; were we have held our tongues, and at the offices of certain functionaries the same time enjoyed the illogi- not overmanned, there would be cal efforts of those who did try to no necessity for increasing the solve the question.

ed the idea very closely, but they poor in the outports, because they did not go deep enough. Neither are charged additional for the one really understood the subject, contents of the parcel in order to or seemed to grasp the basal idea. recoup the city senders.

Their writing displayed a great deal of that ignorance of the science of their calling, of which we have from time to time spoken. At the same time they have shown commendable effort, and emphasized the great necessity of Government aids to agricultural know ledge, and a scientifically conduct-

### Pauper Doles

tion to the "News.. of Monday, deserves to be published broad We take the same stand in re- cast. He is evidently no respecter for minding his own business, and he is familiar"Macte cirtute esto," or be his device. So the singer of Thos. Collins, sticks for

is. Now, it seems some of the fish The News could afford to brush ermen are unable to procure seed

tions. Perhaps some of his clerical our simple out-harbor people! As far as The News is concern- brethren will raise their hands in There still lingers amongst them ed, our plea fell on deaf ears, and unctuous horror at this fulmination was "lightly brushed on one side," against abuses. But the good Faand ignored. The writer who sent ther has presumably no alliances this article to The News seems to which would debar him from becombe possessed of a sharp, but very ling the spokesman of honesty. He is ernment members say in the venerable gentleman of the cloth who, that what was said there on the the then Colonial Secretary for Poor subject of increased agricultural Relief-a pauper's dole, and in the effort, was but second-hand goods, application insisted that "unless the and that this paper agitated the poor people got relief at once they idea long before the opening of would be obliged to draw on their accounts in the Savings Bank!"

what we consider a duty but our famous phrase "locust-like officials." modesty makes no demand upon Prowse tells us that then Premier (Mr | where about this period that flour make capital out of our efforts in (Kent) declared that he was attack- lings!) per quintal for Labrador Placentia Ferry Account to Date as they have done in the case of ed by a miserable faction who sought | 9sh? Was it not at this glorious Our writing on the subject of his political destruction; a set of period, too, that the "big" houses James Kelly, repairs to

able ground, was suggested by "That Mr. Nowlan brought in a ers? What about that West-of- Michael Sinnoti, contract our idea of a journalist's duty to resolution that any regulations made England baronetcy that is foundon the subject of poor relief should ed on fish-bones and seal skins?

most sounds like prodigality!

### Monstrous

"Justice! What crimes are committed in thy Name?"-(With apologies to The Daily Star.) TF ever the term LOCUST-LIKE OFFICIALS had a concrete expression, we find it to-day greater quantities of those same in the Magistrate's Court of this city. Never before did such The subject like many others of condition of affairs exist in any like importance, has been allowed community; it would not be tol-

as the controversy is concerned, lister of Justice is assisting Messrs.

There are now FIVE gentlemen -legal and unlegal-attached to Is not this a parlous condition of affairs? Can such iniquities be condoned?

Is there any palliation of such the country?

Just a few days ago a War Tax port, or elsewhere, the object be-We know, positively know, why ing to recoup the Exchequer for burdens of the poor in the out-Some of those writers approach- ports. We say the burdens of the

### The Revelation

THE scripture-quoting scribe

But he is notably remarkable Sinnott took over the contract. be more explicit.

But wont many claim that the P. J. Keeke, work on he '69 campaign are the blackest n our political annals.

Prowse tells us: "The awful

tales that were told about taxation, about RAMIMNG THE NEW 30RN BABES DOWN CANADItraditionary remembrance of he sufferings their forefathers endured from the French Canalian and Indian raids made in the seventeenth and eighteenth cen- John Barron & Co., one for their dread of Canada; Irish | Cash paid Customs duty he Union, brought about by Reid Nfld. Co., greenfraud and bribery, was also aprealed to."

But such buncombe would not M1. Sinnott, hire of tembe tolerated nowadays. The serflom of the fishermen in the out- Installing new engine. . Now we are not vain glorious, If we are not mistaken, the great ports is passed, thank God, for Contract payment, 12

> Glorious '69! Was it not somebodies but the souls of the toil-

> What about the gentleman of the "Street" who, going out the

I pages.

# THE PLACENTIA FERRY SERVICE

## \$17,000 Spent on This Ferry --- A Shining Example of "Get Rich Quick."

says he did all the expenses in

Mr. Sinnott says, "that the firm

of James Murphy & Sons also bid

on this contract, and that their

in excess of his." What contract

If the Government have paid,

and we think we have clearly

proven this to be the case—all the

expenses in connection with the

Ferry—how in the name of com-

mon sence can Mr. Sinnott or any

one else call this a contract ser

In connection with an amount

(\$384.44) paid out in 1911-1912 to

Mr. Sinnott for material operat-

ing Ferry, Mr. Sinnott says he

never received the amount. If

this is correct Mr. Sinnott should

make the Department of Public

Works, which he says will be only

too glad to furnish all the neces-

sary information on the matter-

make an explanation as to why

they have placed his name on the

Public accounts for receiving

money which he has not. He also says this denial applies to other

similar amounts which I know no-

thing off. Strange condition of

things indeed. Who is right in

this matter, Mr. Sinnott or the

Department of Public Works?

Now as regards the contract it-

self. There seems to be no fixed

price for this Ferry Service. In

July ? 1913 Mr. Sinnott was paid

\$2141.66 for 13 months contract

was paid \$2900.00 for twelve

ence? What is the explanation of

Mr. Sinnott getting nearly Eight

1914 than he got in 1912-1913?

whilst for 13 months contract he

April, 1915, he has received

tract sure. It would put an Ox-

time were the letter to wrestle

The Ferry Service on Placentia

Mr. Sinnott is supposed to have

a contract or something resem-

CONTRACT IS NO ONE KNOWS

tract to run or operate any public

sum paid him as contractor why

ernment pay all the expenses in

May we suggest to Mr. Sinnott

let this new one be to find out

holds really is and what it is sup-

the Placentia Ferry Service.

2.20 \$2175.00 for NINE MONTHS

2.80 CONTRACT. This is some con-

with this giant.

from June 1912. In 1931-1914 he

2.00 Will some one answer?

did Murphy & Sons bid for?

Mr. Michael Sinnott, the so- In face of these figures tabled called Contractor of the Placentia by the Government how can Mr Ferry Service, was seen in his Sinnott claim to have paid all the umns of The News. Mr. Sinnott expenses in connection with the glory on June 1st through the colmade a desperate attempt to ex- Ferry since he took it over in plain away the actual conditions 1912? relating to this awful swindle of For the year 1912-1913 Sinnott SEVENTEEN THOUSAND dol- was paid \$2141.66 for 13 months lars for a Ferry Service on Pla-contract from June 1912. Apart centia Gut. Mr. Sinnott says: from this payment to Sinnott the "Our statements are false and Government paid out for the same misleading and that he has no year \$1214.64 on account of exdoubt but we were given our in- penses incurred in operating the formation by some parties in Pla- Ferry. If Mr. Sinnott paid as he

Nay, nay, Michael, our informa- connection with the Ferry since tion was tabled by the Govern- 1912 what did the Government pay ment in reply to a question asked out this \$1214.64 for? by the Opposition during the past | Will Mr. Sinnott please explain. session of the Legislature, and if At the same time he might as well the facts as tabled by the Govern- explain what he means when he ment and published by us as we says "all those expenses are paid got them are not correct, Brother for by me out of the contract Sinnott should make enquiries at price? which may be readily as-the Department of Public Works certained of the Department of and learn the reasons, if there are Public Works." any, of how and why the Government has made him appear a dangerous rival in the game of get rich quick, to the other members figures were hundreds of dollars and supporters of the famous "Pic"

Mr. Sinnott says, "since taking and "Mills of the gods" over this contract in 1912 I have poetaster has at last reveal- paid all expenses in connection ed the raison d'etre—of The Daily with same, including wages, fuel, Star; it is an anti-confederate or- repairs to engines and boats, etc." gan established presumably to This is Mr. Sinnott's statement perpetuate the infamies of the '69 over his signature in The News on campaign. It discusses some June 1st, 1915. Now what do the anadian Agent. Now the only Government say in their stategentleman to whom, as far as we ment as tabled in the House of ire aware, this appellation applies | Assembly during the session just is Mr. Nicholson, the courteous closed. We quote the figures for ATHER WALKER'S communica- Trade Commissioner of the Do- 1912-13, 1913-14 and 1914-15 which cover the period since Mr

Placentia Ferry Account 1912-1913 bolt.....\$

ing ferry rules.... Heap & Co., Nipper for

inspecting ferry....

in connection with ferry..... exhaust pipe..... 100.00 months contract. Why the differ-

wharf at Jersey Side...

Michael Sinnott, contract payment, 13 months from June 1912... 2,141.66 Hundred Dollars more in 1913-Mrs. Siteman, ferry bal-5.00 For twelve months he got \$2900.00 last........ Mrs. Siteman, rent of 24.17 only got \$2141.66, and up to 20th ferry wharf.....

on oil...... T. Whalen, 2 days work \$3.356.30 ford grauate to the mat in quick

10 h.p. Mianus Engines 400.00 Gut has cost the huge sum of over 72.10 SEVENTEEN THOUSAND DOL-3.30 LARS. Not bad for one town. heart (60 ft.) screws and carpenters time... 25.95 bling a contract but WHAT THAT porary engine..... 90.00 - WE DOUBT IT IF MR. SIN-29.75 NOTT KNOWS HIMSELF WHAT

Placentia Ferry Account

1913-1914

and return... 10.50 service and when he gets a stated Mrs. B. Siteman, hire of ferry wharf..... 10.00 in Heaven's name should the Gov-\$3,541.60 connection with the said service April 20, 1915-1914-1915

Ferry wharves. . . . \$ 100.00 that he get another contract and Mrs. B. Siteman, hire of ferry wharf.... 10.00 what the original contract he payment for 9 months 2,175.00 posed to cover.

We will refer to this Placentia \$2,285.00 | Ferry Service again.

# Panoramic

ed a most interesting spectacle as ture show hard to beat. May we ex- READ THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE, Rief of the Poor, proper . \$189,412.00

press the fond hope that all the fishing schooners and fishermen represented in last night's panoramic view Other Denominations ...

Expenditure Voted the Past Session by the Goverment---Every Elector Interested--Every Cent of All This \$4,072,000 Comes Out of the Pockets of the People

land ma on the			
(d) Sparsely Populated L	ocalities	In aid of Charitable Socie-	
Roman Catholic		ties	16,472.0
Church of England		19 <b>1</b> 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	52,230.0
Methodist,		5-1) BCBCLF Relició (1922) BCBCCLF (1924) BCBCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCC	32,230.0
Presbyterian	377.59	and Maintenance	76,730.0
Congregational	203.59	Poor Asylum—Salaries & Maintenance	10.050
Other denominations	4	Public Health St John's &	19,950.0
· said something to A	\$48,500.00	outports	44,480.0
(e) Superior School	S	Lazaretto, St. John's	9.930.0
Roman Catholic			15,180.0
Church of England	4,705.79	Total	424,384.0
Methodist			
Presbyterian		(a) Relief of the Poor Del Salaries:—	
Congregational	60.64	(a) Commissioner	
Other Denominations	26.44	- A 25 A 25 A -	
in the street street	\$14,444.13	2. St. John's Offices:—	
		Inspector and Accountant	\$800.0
(f) Pupil Teachers		Cashier	600.0
Roman Catholic Church of England	\$4,056.85 3,909.56		
Methodist			\$2,100.0
Salvation Army		3. Outport Offices:	pr 63
Presbyterian		Relieving Officers:— Kelligrews	
Other denominations		Kelligrews	\$40.0 40.0
	*19.000.0	Concention Harbor	40.0
	\$12,000.00	Brigus	
(g) Augmentation		Clarke's Beach	40.0 60.0
Roman Catholic	\$29,435.43		40.0
Church of England Methodist		Bay Roberts	100.0
Presbyterian		Harbor Grace	375.0
Salvation Army	3,676.12	Carbonear	75.0 300.0
Congregational Otherdenominations		Freshwir. Bay de Verde	
Other denominations	100.45	broad Cove	
	\$87,500.00	Western Bay	
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(h) Colleges Roman Catholic	\$5,366.29	Lower Island Cove Bay de Verde	
Church of England	5,196.99	Grate's Cove	
Methodist	4,498.18	Old Perlican	00.00
Salvation Army	670.18 124.01	Hant's Harbor	60.00
Congregational	66.97	Heart's Content	30.00
Other Denominations	. 29.31	Heart's Dlight	20.00
ti into i	\$15,951.93	New Harbor	30,00
AFR. : mronth and first		Britannia Cove	24.00
(i) Inspection		Fox Harbour	16.00 60.00
(a) Salaries:— Roman Catholic Superin-		Catalina	80.00
tendent	\$1,620.00	Elliston	30.00
Roman Catholic Superintendent, Harbor Grace	1,620.00	King's Cove	60.00
Church of England Super-	1,020.00	Open Hall	40.00
intendent		St. Brndan's	30.00
Church of England Assist. Methodist Superintendent		Wesleyville James' Cove	60.00 40.00
Methodist Assistant		7 Greenspond	60.00
ing of compare of	\$7,880.00	Musgrave Harbor	20.00
Carlos de la carlo	\$ 1,000.00	Fogo	120.00
(b) Additional:-		Exploits	40.00
Roman Catholic		Grand Falls and Bishop's Falls	25.00
Church of England Methodist	997.30 551.24	St. Anthony	40.00
Salvation Army	427.77	LaScie The	40.00
Presbyterian	79.18 42.74	Conche	20.00
Congregational Other Denominations	18.86	Labrador	30.00
		Blanc Sablon	20.00
	\$2,622.45	Flower's Cove	40.00
(i) Industrial Educat.	ion	Bay of Islands	40,00
Roman Catholic	\$1,603.81	St. George's	60.00 40.00
Church of England		Rose Blanche	40.00
Methodist Salvation Army		LaPoile	40.00
Presbyterian		Rencontre West	60.00
Congregational	20.00	Pushthrough	25.00
Other Denominations		St. Alban's	15.00 40.00
	\$4,767.61	St. Jacques	40.00
(A) Council of Wichow Ed	maition	Grand Bank	20.00
(k) Council of Higher Ed		St. Lawrence	30.00
(m) Erection, Remodelling,	&c.	Lamaline	20.00
School	Buildings.	Burin	50.00
Roman Catholic		Marystown	50.00
Church of England	1,409.90	Oderin	12.00
Salvation Army	210.06	Presque	20.00
Presbyterian	38.85	St. Bride's	
Other Denominations	9.34	Harbor Buffett	50.00
(n) Retiring Allowances to	Teachers.	Argentia	44
Roman Catholic	\$336.40	St. Mary's	60.00
Church of England Methodist		Ferryland	40.00
Salvation Army	42.01	Mobile	40.00
Presbyterian	7.77	Witless Bay	40.00
Congregational Other Denominations	1.86	Total Salaries Outports.	\$3.727.00
AND AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PRO	EL LA 11 2 9 9 3 1 1 1	Total Salaries St. John's	3,900.00

\$1.000.00 New Offices -

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# Fortress Only Heap of Ruins

## The Austro-German Capture of Przemysl is a Hollow Victory

from Petrograd, the Morning Post's bridges and everything else that

reaches, has been abandoned, as well the evacuation of Przemysl is greatas Przemysl. The Russians removed by regretted by both the military all their stores and munitions from and civil elements in Petrograd. At Przemysl, a process which occupied the same time it is being explained a couple of weeks, owing to the enor- that the abandonment of the pos-

of a fortress, but of a heap of ruins. Austrian guns." Everything of value has been gradu-

ally removed during the past month. "The loss of the fortress does not decide the Galician campaign, but it emphasizes the necessity for a greater supply of munitions and equip- Country Wants to Keep Ou ment, which the Russian industries are unable, single-handed, to provide. Until these supplies can reach us it will perforce be necessary for the Russians to assume the defensive."

EXPECTED IN PETROGRAD.

Petrograd, June 6 via London. ently has awakened no apprehension mans have won a "moral victory" but the strategic importance of the fortress, according to the opinion expressed here and been nullified before the Russians relinquished it.

It is pointed out that the position was weakened on account of the destruction by the Austrians of forts at the time they evacuated it March. Furthermore, the fortress, projecting in an acute angle into the territory held by the Austro-German forces, was made by them the target for attacks from three sides. Consequently it regired more men for defense than the Russian military authorities believed was justified by its strategic importance.

A leading Russian military expert, analyzing the situation, points out that the indefensibility of the fortress was due to the fact that the Austrians had blown up the most important forts upon their evacuation of Przemysl. Another thing, the fortress was constructed with the idea of defending it from an eastward atack, while the Austro-Germans took the fortress from the north and north-west. Continuing, the Russian pation, much against her will. There military expert says :

Capacity Decreased.

tro-Germans, the Russians sent out ly angere But with the spectacle long range gns to defend their flank. of devastation in Belgium, just across As this artillery extended consider- the border, Hollanders are loath to ably beyond the line of the forts, it decide to make the great sacrifice was the purpose of the Russians ev- until it becomes vital." entually to abandon it, but only at the highest possible cost to the enemy. Shooting point blank to the last shell into the thick masses of advancing Austro-Germans caused them severe losses, and thus we ac-

would have required the concentrat- conscript army in August last, we ing there of forces equal to those of could have secured immediate or raply, 145,000 men. It would have been that Germany would have left us in necessary to develop to their fullest peace during the years it would have capacity no less than 1,500 guns and taken us to build up an army on the to re-establish all the destroyed forts continental scale? Would she have was impossible.

Twice Annihilated.

in February the German occupation -William Archer. of Przemysl had little influence on our manoeuvring, in the future it will play no role at all. Like Jarolsau and Tarnov, Przemysl will pass time and again from hand to hand, and it will soon again be in our pos-

Abandonment Imperative.

"Just as the Austrian destroyed "Yep," repeated the J. P., "but the Przemysl forts before they fell must first know your full name." into Russian hand, so the Russians! "Will U. Marrius," said the groom methodically blew up everything "No," said the J. P., "I will not."possible before the occupation of the Pennsylvania State Froth.

London, June, 6.—In a despatch Austro-Germans. They destroyed

might be of service to the enemy. "The river San, except on its lower | "From the standpoint of sentiment mous quantities concentrated there ition had been regarded here for by the Austrians. The process was some time past as strategically imcompleted Wednesday, and during perative, and that preparations to the succeeding night the Russians leave it had been going on for a quietly retired to prepared positions month. The released garrison will The Times Petrograd correspon- tions, whereas if an attempt to hold out had been made between 120,000 "By the capture of Przemysl the and 140,000 men would have been enemy has come into possession not locked up at the mercy of the heavy

### THE POSITION OF HOLLAND

of War, But Anti-German Feeling Grows

titude is watched here with the keenest interest. Reluctant as News of the fall of Przemysl appar- Dutch people and government are against being plunged into the great have ample evidence just across the It has been Holland's almost frantic desire to keep out, but recent things have happened which have been most irritating.

Vigorous Protest. Several Dutch sbjects were los on the Lusitania. This was the culminating point of a series of outrages on Dutch citizens and ships which Holland has been powerless to avenge. Vigorous protests concerning the Lusitania and other events brought little satisfaction from Berlin. Now there is danger of Germany proclaiming the longthreatened annexation of Belgium. 'If this happens Holland will very likely take action, knowing that with the disappearance of Belgium sover ignity German victory would mean speedy aggression against Holland An official who recently returned

Anti-German Feeling.

"What Holland wants to do most of all is to keep out of war, but she is being pressed toward particiis a steady growth of anti-German feeling throughout the country. The Lusitania had a great effect, and the "To oppose the advance of the Aus- whole nation is becoming thorough-

### **Our Voluntary Army**

(London Daily News)

This, at least, we have gained—this nothing can take from us-the tri-"But with the fall of the flank de- umphant proof that the young men fences the fighting capacity of the of our race, in these islands and beforts was greatly decreased. These youd them, are capable of rising in considerations, taken together with their myriads, and of their own free those already mentioned, led the Rus- will, to the highest ideal of duty and sian military authorities to the de-self-sacrifice. And of this splendid cision not to run any special risk, spectacle our conscriptionists, had bt rather to remove the army from they had their way, would have deprived us! Good heaven! what a "It is estimated that the proper loss that would have been! They defense of the Przemysl fortress tell us that had we possesed a huge the former Austrian garrison, name- id victory. But does anyone believe which, in the short time available, looked calmly on while the great naval power she hated and feared made itself a great military power as well? The notion is absurd. The moment "The abandonment of this blood- she saw us becoming, by her own conquered fortress certainly is a sad standards, formidable on the land, she blow but it is necessary to remember would have picked some plausible that Przemysl twice annihilated, once quarrel, and we should have stood by the Austrians and once by us, just where we are, with the moral has to-day no more importance than disadvantage of having really, in any other large city in Galicia. If some sense, precipitated the conflict.

SUIT YOURSELF

The justice of the peace was just o the point of marrying the couple. "Oh, before I begin," he said, " must find out your names." "Marrius," said the groom.

### <del>888888</del>8 <del>8 88888</del>8 MOSCOW

Across the steppes we journeyed The brown, fir-darkened plain, That rolls to east and rolls to west, Moved as a billowy main; When, lo, a sudden splendor Came shining through the air,

The height of heaven bare. A maze of rainbow domes and spires Fell glorious on the sky. With wafted chimes from many a

As if the clouds should melt, and

As the south wind went by; And a thousand crosses, lightly hung, That shone like morning stars; Twas the Kremlin's wall; 'Twas Mos-

The jewel of the Czars! -Edna Dean Proctor.

BIG BUSINESS AND THE PUBLIC

Mr. George Otis Smith, Director the United States Geological Survey. recently said some things about business and its relation to the people which are worth the attention of coal producers. The occasion was the anuual joint meeting of the honor societies Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi,

at the University of Illinois. This country has been supplied with cheap coal for years, and naturally the public is suspicious whenev r the price is raised. It might be a good thing if the account books of some of the coal producers were opened to the public. Mr. Smith said:

"A working minority of American

citizens have come to realize that unregulated private monopoly and And, now that popular clamor is giv ing place to sober second thought the other side of the monopoly ques border that they may be drawn in. I tion is receiving the consideration i deserves; there is a widespread recogniton of the common interdependence of big business and the general public. On the one side, the people are realizing that they are and have been in reality silent partners in big business, and now that there has come the promise of some regulaiton that will in large part prevent monopolistic centralization, the people are interested in getting their share of the returns which can come only with operation at a profit On the other hand, the managers of the large coroporations, who are really the trustees of the investing public, are beginning to see that certain financial security goes with public confidence. The public can not be left out of the reckoning, and that well-remembered toward the public so tersely expres sed 30 years ago by a pioneer in railroad affairs does not pay dividends today."-Colliery Engineer.

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### **Civic Commission**

The usual weekly meeting of the Civic Board was held last evening Chairman Gosling presiding, the other commissioners present being Withers, Morris, Anderson, Harris, McNamara, Ayre, Bradshaw, McGrath and Mullaly.

wrote that he had been dismissed, ent styles in dancing. Mr. Burnstein Justice received \$400, Justices Emand asked for another chance. His sang his Yiddish song in good style letter was referred to the Sanitary also Mother Macree. He has a fine Supervisor for report.

permission to erect a temporary shed on LeMarchant Road, which has to man of the city sang behind the be removed at the pleasure of the Board.

requested the attention of Commis- were sold after the show for next sioners to Robinson's Hill, which was Friday. The transformation scene unfit for vehicular traffic, and the will be the most beautiful sight ever matter was referred to the Engineer

The Impounder wrote that he had day will be something that will decaptured three goats during the week, light all. The Sunshine Girls have which were held in the "pound." the owners not having claimed then. As the keeping of goats within the Municipal limits is a violation of the civic laws, the animals in pound will either be destroped or sent to some outport where the laws are less

pairs to buildings, and can do so, subject to Engineer's approval. R. K. Prowse, agent, will be in-

structed to fence vacant land at cor ner of Hutching's and Water St. T. Graham, asked permission to repair house at 333 Water St. West, and

T. Davis, Rocky Lane, was granted permission to make repairs to house

the matter was referred to the En-

recently gutted by fire. The Engineer reported on Mullin's

and unfit for the service required. Mrs. P. Dunphy asked permission to repair house at 57 Bannerman St.

and the matter was referred to Engineer for report. Commissioners decided that 10 bar rels of "Tarvia" be ordered, and used

as an experiment for laying the dust. Commissioner Anderson suggested that an artificial lake be made in Ban nerman Park, which would greatly add to its appearance. This matter will be taken into the consideration of Park Committee.

After the adoption of reports various departments and passing pay rolls, them eeting adjourned at 10 o'clock.

### Drowned

Deputy Minister of Justice Hutchings received a message yesterday from Mr. J. Curnew, J.F., of Belleoram which read as follows:-

"Andrew Hickey, of the Schooner Gossip, left here for Corbin, on Tuesday evening and was drowned. The body was recovered about a mile from here last night. The dory was full of water. The other man was safe." An investigation is being made by Mr. Curnew.

### Wounded and Missing

Hughes of Bell Island, among the owner. wounded and missing. Corporal Hughes belongs to the 13th Battalion Mr. E. Bishop officiating. The funeral of the Canadian Expeditionary Force was largely attented. To his bereavand is a son of Mr. Henry Hughes of ed wife, two sons and daughter we Bell Island. That he may recover from his wounds and be restored to his family will be the wish of all.

### Fishery Cullings

Codfish was scarce on the local grounds yesterday, and the little caught was of some quality.

quantities the last three or four days, and sold as low as 10c per pound.

are doing fairly well, and at Random one trap has over 120 quintals C. Brown, French, R. Joseph, A. largest catch so far reported from ley, Mrs. Bursey, Miss Gaden, the North.

ment received a message from Salmonier yesterday, stating that the following vessels had just arrived there from the Banks.

"Bonnie Lass" with 232 tubs of cod, "Theresa M. Gray" 160, and "Shamrock 115, like previous arrivals, they report fish as fairly plentiful, but a scarcity of bait prevails.

At Logy Bay, Torbay and Outer Cove, the men are securing good catches, though the run of fish is very small.

Willie Cornick who was wounded in the legs by shrapnel in a recent en-

### <del></del> ት<del>ወ</del>8333999999999999999 THE NICKELS

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ROSSLEY'S EAST END Crowded and packed to the doors at Rossley's last night, not even standing room, so popular has the contest become. Three ladies won the first Peter Purcell of the Santitary Staff second and third prizes all for differ- for the five petitions. The Chief voice and got a big reception and de-W. Dooling asked, and was given served it. Mr. Burnstein was not screen. He certainly possessed a mag nificent voice and it was too bad not C. J. Fox, Secretary S. P. C. A. to show himself. Several tickets

### ROSSLEY'S WEST END

some delightful numbers.

seen here. The pantomime for Mon-

There was a good attendance at the nonular little theatre last night. The pictures are of the best and the little singer, Miss Dot Marshall received great applause. She is a charming J. J. Vey, manager of the Nail Fac- little singer and pleases all patrons. tory, asked permission to make re The little house is certainly the favorite place of amusement. Always a good show, clean and comfortable, patrons are always sure of a good evening's entertainment.

### CRESCENT

The Crescent gave a very much admired bill yesterday afternoon and night, and the hall was filled following each intermission. All who visit this comfortable theatre take very pleasant recollection of its catering, Bridge, which he considered too small and determine to visit it again, which they do. One must be particularly pleased with the pictures which the Management of the Crescent procure. They are of the very latest to be had, and depicit all the interesting features of life which come into the great Vitagraph world. How does Mr. Laracy succeed in securing the very latest films, is a question that delighted patrons often ask. But there it is. If management determines to win the approval of his patrons, and to please all, no reasonable steps and means will be left untried to do so, and the end-which is public approval-will justly reward such efforts. To the Crescent to-night for the latest and most interesting pictures, best musical selections, and a merry hour that will be all too short. To the Cres-

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(Editor Mail and Advocate.)

EDWARD SAMSON

leath of one of the foremost planters of this settlement in the person of Mr. away after a long illness on the 5th Russell left for a near outport by last inst at the age of 53 years. He was evening's train, and is expected to get ill for 18 months, and Flat Island lost back to-night with a prisoner who in him one of its best inhabitants. He will be charged with bigamy. A recent list of Canadian casualties was an industrious man and raised has the name of Corporal Thomas himself from a punt to a schooner

His funeral took place on Sunday, extend our sympathy.

Flat Island, June 12th.

### **Prospero Arrives**

The S.S. Prospero, Capt. A. Kean, returned from the northward at 11.30 a.m., having been unable to get beyond Herring Salmon has been secured in great | Neck. The following passengers arrived by her:-H. Harnott, G. Payne, Mr. Hoyt, M. Gibbons, T. Devine, F. Penney, F. Somerton, At and around Trinity the fishermen S. Hussey, P. Barbour, Capt. Ran- Christ Church, Quidi Vidi-Holy Com dell. Capt. Fowlow, I. March, E. of cod landed to date, which is the Andrews, Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. Oak-Miss Tremill and 22 steerage.

### The Marine and Fisheries Depart- Young Men Leaving

As fast as they can get away-by train and steamer-all our young men are deserting the city and indeed the country, to seek in some other country the aid that they cannot get here. young men have gone from St. John's, and three times that number from the outports. Yesterday's Stephano took away some 30 more men, who found that love of country could not altogether satisfy the inner man.

### Kyle's Passengers

S.S. Kyle arrived at Port aux Basgagement is now in hospital at Lin- ques at 6.40 this morning with the coln, England, recuperating. Will is following passengers:-Mrs. W. D. one of four brothers-doing service Taylor, Miss H. Rice, R. H. Murray, St. Andrew's (Presbyterian)-11 and for the King,-sons of Mrs. Cornick H. H. McDonald, Mrs. H. J. Masley, and the late F. C. Cornick of this Alec. Mosley, R. White and Mrs Ed. Congregational-11 and 6.30, Rev. W.

### That \$1000 Payment

In our issue of the 9th we stated the Judges of the Supreme Court received \$1000 each for the election petition cases. This statement is incorrect and was printed in error. The payment in question was \$1000 to the three Judges erson and Johnson \$300 each. \$000000000000000000000000

### SHIPPING

The Carthaginian left Philadelphia this morning at 9 o'clock for this port.

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S.S. Argyle left Marystown at 5.48 yesterday inward.

The Bruce got away from Port aux Basques at 2.10 a.m. to-day for North

The Clyde is still at Seldom.

S.S. Dundee left Salvage at 6.35 p.r yesterday outward.

S.S. Ethie left Heart's Content at noon yesterday, and is due at Car- tributors of Coca-Cola Chewing

S.S. Glencoe left Hr. Breton at p.m. yesterday going west.

terday going north

The Adventure is reported jammed fect .- ap12,tf in the ice off Twillingate, and the

Bellaventure is detained at Herring Neck on the way to Botwood. The schoner Hesperia is due tomorrow from Prince Edward Island

with a cargo of produce, potatoes etc.,

to George Neal.

A number of Conception and Trinity Bay schoners are now ready to sail for Labrador, but are awaiting assurance that the ice has moved off the coast, before putting out to their

### **VOLUNTEERS** ୢ୶୰୵ୠଌଌୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୠୡ

They are 1908 names on the Volun teer Roll now including three place their last evening. Those are:-Walter Thorne, New Hr. T. B.; Arch Cranford, New Hr. T. B.

The police are now handling what Dear Sir.—Permit me to record the are said to be several important made known will be astonishing char-Edward Samson, Ssr., who passed acter. Detective Bryne and Constable

Have you tried Coca-Cola Chew

### Church Services

Cathedral of St. John the Baptistat 7 and 12.15. Oother services at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

Services, 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.

p.m., Evening Prayer.

munion on the Second Sunday alternate months at 8 a.m. Evening The people who are always each month at 7 p.m. Every other Sunday at 3.30 p.m.

Virginia School Chapel-Even'g Pray-

### METHODIST

Gower Street-11, Rev. C. A. Whitemarsh; 6.30, Rev. D. B. Hemmeon. George Street-11, Rev. D. B. Hemmeon; 6.30, Rev. N. M. Guy. Cochrane Street\_11, Rev. H. Royle: 6.30, Rev. C. A. Whitemarsh. Wesley-11, Rev. N. M. Guy; 6.30,

6.30, Rev. J. S. Sutherland.

### <u>+&&&&&&&&&&&&&&&&&&&</u> LOCAL ITEMS

Get the Coca-Cola Gum habit.

This afternoon's incoming express

has an English mail on board.

Several volunteers arrived to report for duty by this morning's trains.

An express from the Bruce arrived at 1 p.m., bringing several passengers and a fairly large mail matter.

-Coca-Cola,

The subject for illustrated lecture in Grenfell Hall to-morrow evening is "Old Castles and Abbeys of Great

### Wallace's Chocolates R most excellent.—ap12,tf

Everything was quiet in police circles last night, and the vigilant officers were uninterrupted in their med itations on their "small salaries."

Cleveland Trading Co. are dis-

6 The city collections of last week amounted to \$3,694.50, and for the corresponding week last year \$1,639.40 Erik left Catalina at 10 p.m. yes- There has been an increase each week this year over last season.

S.S. Kyle arrived at Port aux Bas- The weather along the railway to day is reported S.W., light and fine on the East Coast, with slight rain The Kyle's express arrived at an on the Western division. The temearly hour this morning bringing a perature ranges from 38 to 60.

# Venus Drawing pencils are per-

People out to-day from Bell Islanc report business there as fairly prom ising. The Nova Scotia and Dominion Iron and Steel Companies are employing all they can possibly find work

Whilst the codfish offering for sale the last few days have been all of small size, salmon on thec ontrary were of very large weight, and a sal mon tipping the scales at 17 pounds was disposed of this morning in Bishops and Sons' Cove.

### Try Honeyfruit flavor-Coca-Cola Chewing Gum.

The laying of the foundation for the new building of the Commercial Cable Co'y is progressing. A large quantity of stock which Mr. W. J. Ellis is purchasing at New York, is yet l'ollett, New Hr. T.B.; Llewellyn to arrive. The contract which Mr. E. is handling is in the neighborhood of \$85,000.

Don't forget to ask your grocer cases, the details of which when about LaFrance & Satina Tablets

> Hr. Grace has always its quota to our musical circles, and on Thursday Mr. Myerscough, who is here from London in the interest of the Trinity College exams, went to the second city to examine six candidates there who are up for exams. The competitors are pupils and ex-pupils of the convent there, and owe their marked progress to the earnest teachings of

### U can get Elastic Cement Roof-Holy Communion at 8 a.m.; also ing Paint in 1, 2, 5 and 10 gallon on the first Sunday of the month tins from your dealer .- apl14,eod

St. Michael's Mission Church, Casey ques wired Deputy Minister of Cus- lent." Street\_Holy Communion at 3 and toms LeMessurier yesterday as fol-11 on the 3rd Sunday of the month, lows-"Action was taken yesterday and at 8 on other Sundays. Other June 10th. against J. J. Vallis, master of the schooner Matomia, before Mag-St. Thomas's-8 a.m., Holy Communistrate Way, for failing to report on ion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer; 6.30 several occasions when returning from St. Pierre. He was fined \$150

Prayer on the third Sunday in "chewing the rag" about the war would be better occupied in chewing Coca-Cola Gum.

The police have been advised to St. Mary the Virgin, St. John's West- watch certain houses countrywards, May his visit to old Terra Nova, who Holy Communion on the first and notably on the Black Marsh Road, as third Sundays in each month at things are said to be "not what they noon; every other Sunday at 8 p.m seems." This morning a woman who Other Services at 11 a.m., and 6.30 had started housekeeping there a few weeks ago was arrested, charged with By the last several expresses some 50 Brookheld School Chapel-Every Sun- keeping a place of evil tendencies, and one or two other parties who have drawn up a like programme will be brought to task.

### Fishery News

The following messages were received this morning at Marine and Fisheries Department:

"Lamaline—Good sign fish for @ traps, although no caplin to speak of yet this vicinity; good signs at Dantzic and Point Crew."

"Holyrood—First caplin seined) here to-day."

### **\$@\$@@\$@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@** PERSONAL

Rev. Dean Roche returned to Wi less Bay by last evening's train.

Mr. Jack Strang left for Villa Marie this morning, to try his luck wit

Mrs. Geo. W. B. Ayre and child The Gum that everyone praises went to placentia by train this morn-

> Miss Elsie Crondy went to Manuels by this morning's train to pass a holiday there.

Mr. Richard Power, cooper of Springdale Street, is at this writing

The Barot, Robert J. Dale is now ready to sail for Pernambuco, fish laden by the Monroe Export Co.

Miss Margaret English who has been spending a few months here with her grandfather, left for her home in New York by the Stephano

### Police Court

Before C.H. Hutchings, K.C., J.P. A loose and disorderly female of Rossiter's Lane was fined \$10

or thirty days. For malicious damages to property in the city a female smasher had to contribute two dollars to the fund and find bonds for fifty dollars to keep the peace or go down for 30 days.

An assault case which had been held over was disposed of, the defendant, a resident of Torbay Allies Fighting Road, having to furnish bonds for his future good behaviour.

### LOCAL ITEMS

The second Rugby match between Collegians and Feildians will be played on St. George's Field this afternoon -a good game being anticipated.

Venus and Velvet pencils will rive you satisfaction.—ap12,tf

Saints and B.I.S. (our localQueen' Park and Celtic) contest in the opening League match on Monday night and everything points to a hard and theights of Ortakeui near Maidos. fast game.

The Reid-Co. had a message to-day from their agent at South Branch saying that six salmon weighing from 10 to 18 pounds had been caught at the Forks and Rendells pool during Wednesday and Thursday by Mr. O. S. Moreland's party, staying at Tompkin's bungalos. ¿Several tourists are now scattered about the West Coast.

### Buy a few packages of Coca-Cola Gum on your way home. Your wife will like it.

There are now some 200 or more schooners along our water front, and as the work of supplying them is being rushed ahead, a merry whirl of business goes on. Strange to say some of the very people who were loud in declaring that no sapplies would be given out this season, are the very biggest providers. They see money in it despite their Legislative Council utterances.

Ask your dealer for Wallace's in this port, since last August, was Souvenir box chocolates. Three to-day unloaded by Italian authori pictures of 1st Nfld. Contingent Sub-Collector Clinton of St. Jac- on cover—quality "Most excel-

### Famed Scholar

We are to have a visit from the thorities seized it all. Most Rev. Dr. O'Leary, the far-famed writer and scholar of Philadelphia, during the consecration of His Grace-Elect. Bishop O'Leary wields a facile, witty, and able pen, and is well-known to such journals, as the Boston Pilot, Catholic Record, Irish World, Philadelphia Ledger, and other world-wide sources of journalism. has given to us a Talbot, a Roddick, and a Howley, be of pleasing memory to the good prelate. .

### WEATHER REPORT

Toronto (noon)-E. Coast, fresh to strong S. E. winds, shwery t-night and Sunday. West Cast, fresh S. E. winds with rain to-day. Sunday, fresh N. and N.W. winds. clearing and cool. Cape Race (9.30 a.m.) -- .

Calm, fine and clear, nothing passed in this morning. Roper's (noon)—Bar 29.85, Ther. 58.

### Zeppelin Raid On British Coast **Attack On Trawlers**

Described By Passengers and Officers New Amsterdam Who

### HEARD EXPLOSIONS

Zig-Zag Course Made the Trawlers Difficult Targets

New York, June 12.—An aerial at tack on three British trawlers in the North Sea and the flight of two Zeppelins, which later on dropped bombs on the British coast, near Ramsgate, close enough to the ship for the explosion to be heard, were described by officers and passengers of the Hol- Germans Move land-American Line steamship New Amsterdam, which arrived here late to-day from Rotterdam.

The trawlers rushing about in zigzag course proved to be hard marks for the flyers to hit. Ten bombs were dropped in all, none of which took

# Toward Gallipoli

London, June 12.-The Athens cor respondent of the "Daily Express" wires regarding operations in the Dardanelles. The Allies are now fighting in the region of the town of Gallipoli, having arrived within four hours march, after terrific fighting The extrema left of the Allied forces threatens to encircle the enemy in the entrenchments to the north of the

A great battle has been in progress since Thursday around Maidos. The Allies have occupied two hills near Maidos. The Sengalese Regiment took seven hundred Turks prisoners on the

### Italians Occupy Doberdo—Teuton Losses Very Great

Geneva, June 12.—The Italians have occupied Doberdo from which place they can bombard Grandisca says the

Tribune's Corria correspondent. A despatch to the Tribune from Innsbruck says the Teuton garrison of Przemysl attacked in a march on the Wisznia, but were repulsed by the Russians. A German General of division and several officers were badly wounded by a shell which fell into

their headquarters. The Teuton losses are estimated at

### Italians Unload German Steamer **Interned at Naples**

Naples, June 12.—The German Bayern, which has been interned

A search of the cargo was made. Hidden under ostensible goods of no particular importance were field guns, machine guns and several aeroplanes. As none of this To Visit Us | material was mentioned in the ship's papers the Customs au-

### **Munitions Minister** Organizes S. Wales

London, June 12.—In an address at Cardiff, Lloyd George said it was his purpose to organize South Wales to speed up the output of munitions, just as Lancashire had been organized.

Referring to the dire need of ammunition he said: "I hardly like to say it but we are still short of shells. We must get them and it will not do for some to undertake the respnosibility and some to shirk. There must be equality of sacrifice in the contribution."

### **Austrians Retreat** Blow Up Defences

Milan, June 12.—The Austrians have evacuated and blown up Fort Pozzachio Fuggazzi on the plateau 'near Rovereto. The fortress, at mile from Vallarsa, which has been occupied by party. Apply MRS. FRANK the Italians, was one of the most for- LEWIS,, Battle Hr., Labrador, midable Austrian defences in that otherwise it will be sold. section of the Tyrol.

### German Publishers **Address Chancellor**

Berlin, June 12.- A syndicate of German newspaper publishers has addressed to the German Chan cellor a request for immediate suppression of the duty on foreign matter. Publishers declare that unless this is done it is doubtful if they will be able to continue the publication of their papers, if the war continues for ayn extended period, as the present prices are virtually prohibitive, and their losses of revenue as a result of the conflict average fifty per cent,

### Berlin Regards American Note As Concilatory

Berlin, June 1.-The American Note is printed in the Berlin newspapers, but is not accompanied by editorial comment. Headlines are varied, but were similar in tone Among the captions were: "America stands firm": "A very solemn warning"; "Grave American warning to Germany," and "A very grave appeal," The Note as handed is regarded in diplomatic circles as decidedly conciliatory.

## Half Million Men To Western Front

London, June 11.-An Amsterdam despatch states that the German general staff is moving a new army of 500,000 men to the Western front.

Cholera Adds

To War Horrors In Distracted Austria Paris, June 12 .- A despatch from Idine, Italy, says cholera in Austria is much worse than the outbreak of last year. Great panic it is asserted

### Trawler Waago Sunk In the North Sea

has been created in Vienna by the

London, June 12.—The trawler Waago has been sunk by German submarine in the North Sea. The

crew was saved. A case of strange paralysis is told by a man from Greenspond who came to the city by schooner last evening. A woman there by the name of Winsor fell into a deep sleep about 10 lays ago, and remained in that state for some 40 hours. On being at last awakened it was found that she had completely lost her voice. The woman has not as yet recovered use of speech and the case is thought to be a par-

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alysis of the vocal organ.

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