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Anglo-French Occupy Bulgarian Territory

Austro-German Army Are Advancing From the North—Endeavouring to Force the Ring Around Knaguyevatz Where Serbian Arsenal is Located

ALLIED FLEETS AGAIN BOMBARD SEAPORTS

Germans Fail to Make Any Progress in Advancement Against Riga and Dvinsk—Expected They Will Soon Make Another Drive as Winter is Settling in

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Serbian forces of Pirot, described as the key to Nish, are in the hands of the Bulgarians, while the Austro-Germans are advancing from the north, endeavouring to force the ring around Knaguyevatz, where the Serbian arsenal is situated.

Simultaneously the Austrians are attacking Montenegro to remove, if possible, the danger of having an enemy army on their flank. Little has been said about the fighting between the Austrians and Montenegrins along the Drina River, but apparently it is of a most sanguinary character, as it took the Austrians, with far superior equipment, more than a week to force the crossing of the river on one point alone, that south of Vishgrad.

Anglo-French troops are firmly establishing themselves along the southern end of the Nish railway, and, crossing into Bulgaria, have occupied the hills surrounding Strumitza, although the capture of that town, which had been reported, is not officially confirmed.

The Allied fleets have again bombarded Bulgarian towns on the Aegean Sea. While these efforts take some strain of Serbia, there is no reliable information as to the movements of the greater forces which it is hoped will save her.

Reports continue to circulate, chiefly from German sources, of a Russian army which is to march across Roumania to the rescue, but of the British and French reinforcements no news has been received. It is possible that in addition to direct assistance the Allies will try indirect means whereby the Austro-Germans may be prevented from sending reinforcements.

Italy, on her part, has already undertaken this by a general offensive. There is also talk of another offensive on the Western front. The Germans seemed to have anticipated this, as on Saturday night they launched a general attack in Champagne over a front of five miles, in the effort to recover the ground which the French recently took from them.

Along the Stry the Germans engaged in a counter offensive have recovered some territory which Genl. Ivanoff took from them. Further south in Galicia, the Russians have returned to the offensive. According to Vienna they have made unsuccessful attempts to cross the Stripa.

The Turks report increased activity of the Allied artillery and warships in the Dardanelles.

Joffre Present At War Council In London

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The London correspondent of the "Herald" cables under date of Saturday:—"Joffre came, saw and conquered Britain yesterday, for after a long war council, in which Asquith, Kitchener, Lloyd George, Balfour and several distinguished British and French generals took part, I am informed a complete understanding was arrived at.

I am in a position to state that Serb will not be abandoned. Though she may suffer temporarily as a result of the treachery of Bulgaria and the inactive policy of the King of the Hellenes, in the end the Allies will rescue her.

In this connection I am told there has been an effective approachment between Russia and Roumania, and that the Czar, having agreed to consent to the realization of Roumania's national aspirations, including the cession of certain portions of Bessarabia, Russian troops will march through Roumanian territory to succor Serbia, and that within a short time King Ferdinand's fine army will support the Quadruple Entente."

OFFICIAL

BRITISH

LONDON, Oct. 30.—His Majesty the King's condition improved further. Some sleep. Pain diminishing. Temperature and pulse normal.

LONDON, Oct. 30.—In Champagne the French made further progress in a disputed salient, capturing 200 prisoners. From Russia and Italy no special news.—BONAR LAW.

FRENCH

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A large number of dead were left by the Germans on the battlefield. The infantry engaged were chiefly men brought from the Russian front.

BURGARIAN.

SOFIA, Oct. 31.—After occupation of Zajecar, Kniajevatz and Inovo, our troops on October 28th continued the pursuit of the enemy in a westerly direction. On the morning of October 28th a detachment, which had passed the night in the proximity of Pirot, entered the town, and further pursued the defeated enemy. The Anglo-French fleets have resumed bombardment of the Aegean Coast.

GERMAN.

BERLIN, Oct. 31.—Storming height No. 192, northwest of Tahure in Champagne district, and the capture of about 1200 yards of French trenches in Artois region, were announced to-day by the German army headquarters. More than 1400 French prisoners and four machine guns were captured. Loss in an attack by a superior force of French, of the salient trench north of Le Mesnil in Champagne, is admitted.

Who Will Be Next?

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 31.—The Rotterdam newspaper, Maasbode, says that Admiral Von Tirpitz, the German Minister of Marine, has fallen into disgrace with Emperor William.

CATALINA EXTENDS A HEARTY WELCOME TO PRES. COAKER

Plans Considered at Union Meeting for Erection of Wharf, Dock, Stores, Marine Slip, Electric Plant, Bakery and Boot & Shoe Factory to Be Erected at Catalina—Big Vote Will be Cast for Prohibition--Coaker Presented With Address and Purse of Gold by Loyal Unionists to Defray Cost Recent Libel Verdict--Catalina to Be Capital of the North

(Special to the Mail and Advocate)

CATALINA, November 1.—On Saturday President Coaker arrived here from Port Rexton and although a rain-storm raged some 300 electors, including many prominent citizens and the Rev. G. S. Chamberlain, were in waiting to receive him. As he detrained the Band struck up its welcome strain amidst the hearty cheers of the assemblage. The people, headed by the Band, formed into procession and paraded to the L.O.A. Hall.

At 4 p.m. a crowded business meeting was held and the matter of building up Catalina and making it the Union Headquarters for the North was fully considered and the Council will back up the President's endeavours at least to the extent of \$25,000 agreeing to invest a large proportion of their labour in establishing the premises and works in shares of the Export Company.

The plans include the erection of a Marine Slip to cost \$15,000; an Electric Light Plant to cost \$40,000; a Bakery, a Boot and Shoe Factory, and a Shipbuilding Yard capable of building twenty 100-ton schooners each year. The Water Supply was considered as well as the encouragement of the settlers who would be afforded an opportunity to purchase land for Homes and Fishing Premises at a small cost; also the construction of a Spur Railway to connect with the premises.

A splendid site for the Premises, Dock, Shipbuilding Works and Factories has been secured. A second Union premises will be operated at the North East Arm for the accommodation of the local business of the members in that locality which is a mile from the site selected for the Headquarters, which is situated at South West Arm, where there is deep water anchorage surpassing the area of St. John's Harbor. A large steamer drawing thirty feet of water could be docked at the proposed premises at a pier hardly eighty feet in length.

On Saturday evening Mr. Coaker addressed a crowded Hall of Unionists and delivered an address over two and a half hours' long, dealing with the Union's progress during the year, the Kean verdict, and the price of fishery produce; the possible effect of the war as regards Newfoundland; Union legislation passed last session of the Legislature; the Dumping Chamber's attitude towards such legislation as the Labrador fishery case and the Bill proposed to deal with fishery laws to protect our herring and turbot industry.

The meeting closed with cheers at 11 p.m. The President will address a meeting at Elliston this afternoon and a public Prohibition meeting at Bonavista to-night.

Catalina and vicinity will cast a seven-eighth vote in favour of Prohibition. Elliston is considered solid for Prohibition; Little Catalina is also solid. Bonavista will cast a large vote in favour of a "Dry Terra Nova." There will be at least 2200 votes for Prohibition cast between Trinity East and Bonavista town. There is no opposition and the indifference is melting fast as the day for voting draws nearer.

An Address of Welcome was presented to President Coaker by the Council, accompanied with a Purse containing \$200 in Gold towards paying the expenses of the recent Kean Libel Verdict.

—F.P.U. COUNCIL.

Viscount Milner Denounces Policy Of Government

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Speaking at Canterbury last night, Viscount Milner who recently raised a stir in the Lords by suggesting the withdrawal of troops from Gallipoli, denounced the policy of secrecy, which he declared had characterized the conduct of the war up to the present.

"If," he said, "such grave faults and blunders in delay of providing shells and the barefaced attempt to conceal it, the blunders in the Dardanelles and the failure of our policy in the Balkans be allowed to be glossed over, we must not expect, and we should never deserve to see our affairs more wisely conducted in future, I cannot understand how anybody can contemplate our failure to adequately support Serbia, after what we promised, or our belated attempt to buy help from Greece by

British Cruiser Take Two Prizes Into Halifax

HALIFAX, Nov. 1.—Two freighters, the Hamburg and the Hocking, Dutch and Danish respectively, arrived today with prize crews from British warships in charge. It is said both ships were stopped outside New York and ordered to Halifax.

The Dutch vessel has a full general cargo and the other ship is empty, and had only two tons of coal in her bunkers when reaching this port.

Bulgarian Losses Are Said to Be 25,000 Men

PARIS, Nov. 1.—An Athens despatch to the Havas News Agency, dated Sunday, says:

"The Bulgarians succeeded in occupying part of Veles, situated on the right bank of the Vardar, notwithstanding the heroic resistance of the Serbians. According to Salonika advices, the other part of the town remains in the hands of the Serbians. Bulgarian losses are placed at 25,000 men.

There has been no important engagements on the French front. General Sarrail, commander-in-chief, inspected the Anglo-French lines from Gieggel to Krivolak, including Demir Kapu, which is strongly fortified. The Allies continue to land forces at Salonika."

Joffre's Visit Said to Have Had Results

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The "Times" asserts that Joffre's visit to London was primarily concerned with problems connected with the Balkan situation and that in that respect he did valuable work. A complete and definite understanding, both as to broad outlines of military policy and details, says the "Times" was reached, the precise character of which, of course, remains secret. It may be said, however, the paper continues, that the British and French governments are now agreed upon the main principles of a joint policy in the Balkans and the necessity of giving rapid help to the Serbian army, will be kept constantly in the fore front. The "Times" expresses the hope that Joffre will pay further visits to England, as the recent one had resulted in strengthening the sense of touch between the two armies and given promise of closer co-ordination.

Sir Chas. Tupper Dies in London

OTTAWA, Nov. 1.—Sir Charles Tupper is dead says a cable from Sir George H. Perley, London. Sir Robert Borden announced the death this morning of Sir Charles Tupper. His body is to be buried in Halifax, beside that of his wife.

Charles Stewart Tupper, of Winnipeg, son of the late James Stewart Tupper, grandson of the late Sir Charles, succeeds to the baronetcy. He is a son-in-law of Dr. Charles Morse, Registrar of the Exchequer Court, Ottawa, and is about to leave for the front, having obtained a commission in the Cameron Highlanders. Sir Charles Tupper's death occurred at Bexley Heath, England.

Unique Badges

LONDON, Nov. 1.—An unique and picturesque of labelling by means of khaki bassards bearing the Royal Crown, of those fit and unfit for military service has been announced by the War Office.

The armlets, which are being prepared to be distributed soon, are grouped as follows. First no men who enlist and are placed in groups waiting the call to join, the colours; second, to men who offer themselves for enlistment and are found physically unfit; third to those who are invalided out of the service as unlikely for medical reasons to become efficient again.

The armlets of each class have distinctive marks.

Russian Premier Assumes New Duties

LONDON, Nov. 1.—It is understood that Premier Geremykin, of Russia, will shortly be appointed Chancellor of the Empire, with supreme control of Foreign Affairs, a Reuter despatch from Petrograd states.

British Forces in Serbia

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The British Expeditionary force in Serbia received its baptism of fire on the Gieggel-Dobran front, where, according to a "Times" despatch from Athens, it took part in the recent fighting.

Steel Helmets For Fighters

LONDON, Nov. 1.—In some parts of the Flanders battle-front the British army authorities have begun serving out to men in the fire trenches, steel helmets, similar to those introduced by the French.

Norwegian Strmr. Sunk

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The Norwegian steamer Eidsloa, of Bergen, 1011 tons, has been sunk.

The crew have been saved.

A New Appointment

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Sir Henry Paul Harvey, chief auditor of the National Health Insurance, has been appointed representative of British Treasury States.

Turks Transfer Troops to Bulgaria

PARIS, Nov. 1.—A despatch from an Athens reporter from Constantinople that the first division of the Turkish reservists, which have been engaged on the Gallipoli Peninsula, have left for Bulgaria.

The Bulgarian Government has called to the colors all exempts of the classes from 1895 to 1904. Operations in Serbia are developing as expected. The present plan of the German and Bulgarian forces is to cut off towards the south, the line of retreat of the main Serbian army of the north. The object of the Serbian Headquarters is to conduct the retreat in good order to the army's new line of defences.

It is believed in Greek military circles, that while the position of the Serbian's army is difficult, it is not desperate.

Will Erect Statue To Memory of Edith Cavell

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The Government has given its consent to the erection of a statue to Miss Edith Cavell on a site offered by the Westminster City Council, between the National Portrait Gallery and St. Martin's Church, adjoining Trafalgar Square. Sir George J. Frampton, the sculptor will execute the statue.

Japs Will Not Send Troops To Balkans

PARIS, Nov. 1.—While Japan will be unable to send troops to European theatres of war, she will gladly assist the Entente Allies as far as she can financially, and lend them the support of her arsenals, according to Count Okuma, Premier, who was interviewed at Tokio by the "Matin's" correspondent.

Enormous War Orders Given to Canadians

OTTAWA, Nov. 1.—Before leaving for England on Saturday, D. A. Thomas, Lloyd George's personal representative in America, stated that orders already placed and further very large orders now being located in Canada for war supplies and munitions would amount in the aggregate to something like \$500,000,000, over sixty dollars per head of the population of Canada.

This, with the enormous grain crop that has just been harvested in the West will mean an industrial prosperity for Canada for some time to come, said Thomas.

French Defeat Bulgars Capture Strumitza

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Salonika correspondent of the "Weekly Despatch," under date of October 28th, says:—

"The French yesterday occupied the town of Strumitza. The battle began at five o'clock the previous evening and lasted till about 9 o'clock this evening. The French drove the Bulgarians six miles beyond Strumitza. It seems they are now more than twelve miles from the railway."

Civil Population Leave Riva

VERONA, Nov. 1.—Austrian prisoners state that the entire civil population has been ordered to evacuate Riva, on the northern extremity of Lake Garda, in the Tyrol, although strong reinforcements have arrived from Innsbruck to oppose the Italian advance in this direction.

Joffre Left For France

LONDON, Nov. 1.—Joffre concluded his visit to England and returned to France Saturday night.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The casualty lists today include the Hon. Evatt Charteris, son of Earl Wemiss, killed, and the Hon. Arthur Michael Bertie, son of the Earl of Abingdon, wounded.

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Prohibition Notes

Opinion of Labor Leaders and Others on the Matter of Liquor as it Effects Labouring Conditions.

"Labor leaders are alive to the menace that the saloon is to the progress of working men. When the Toronto Labor Temple was founded a clause was put in its constitution totally excluding intoxicating liquor from the premises."—James Simpson, Delegate A.F.L.

"The destruction of the poor is their poverty, and the present licensing system is the chief cause of the present-time poverty, debasement and weakness of the poor."—John Burns, M.P., English Labor Leader.

"So far as my observation goes drunkenness was at the bottom of all misery (in workmen's homes), and not the industrial system or the industrial conditions surrounding the men and their families."—Ex-U.S. Commissioner of Labor, Carroll D. Wright.

"The use of liquor and its influences have done more to darken labor's homes, dwarf its energies and chain its hand and foot to the wheels of corporate aggression than all other influences combined."—R. F. Travelick, President of National Eight Hour League.

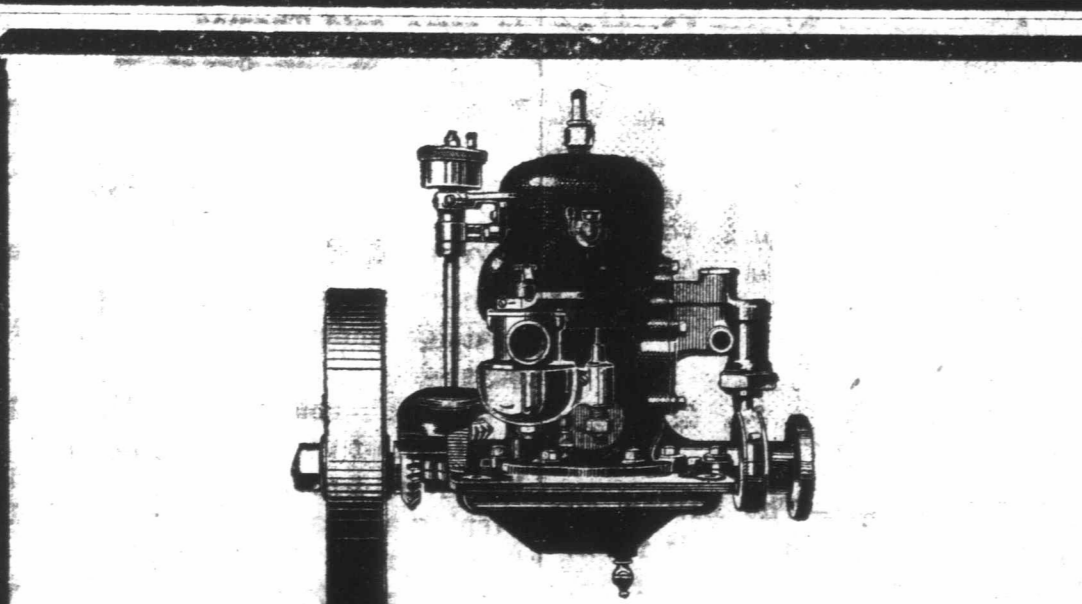
"If a brewery is closed down, in its place springs up a factory. If a saloon is closed, in its place comes a store. It is simply a process well known to union men, the same process as follows the introduction of machinery. It is a readjustment, a changed condition of society. Almost every disturbance in the ranks of organized labor can be traced back to some connection with the saloon."—John Mitchell, Vice-President A.F.L.

"The purpose of the trade union is to raise the standard of living. What about the saloon? Is there a man who will dare to say there is any influence from the saloon except to lower this standard, and make man less manly and woman less womanly? don't know a solitary principle for which the labor movement stands but that the saloon is on the other side of the question."—John P. Lennon, Treasurer A.F.L.

"The day will come when practically every labour leader will be a total abstainer. Why, just a little time ago across the line the bartenders in one town organized a total abstinence society. Why shouldn't labor leaders do the same? I would not have you conclude that I think there are no good labor leaders who drink. There are, some of the first in the ranks, yet it seems to me, other things being equal, the man who is a total abstainer is the best man."—Rev. Charles Stelzle, Delegate A.F.L.

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The New York Evening Sun says, editorially, under the heading "The Dardanelles":

"The old-fashioned idea that John Bull is a stolid person, proof against undue elation and unwarranted depression alike, is an exploded error. It had its origin in British conceit. The Englishman may be slower, undoubtedly is slower, to get excited than a majority of his neighbors. But when he does get worked up he is just as hysterical as the imaginary Frenchman of his own creation. His habit is permanently expressed in the slang word 'mefeking.' Perhaps the Dardanelles may become the linguistic exponent of his depression. 'To Dardanelle'—to go into a blue funk over a discouraging side issue."

Not Main War Issue.

The fact is the Dardanelles expedition never represented a main phase of the war. It was a brilliant strategic conception which, had it succeeded, would have contributed very materially to shorten the struggle but could not in itself have brought about the end. Success in it is by no means vital to the Allies' triumph, nor could complete disaster, such as German union with the Turks and a menacing move against Egypt, assure the Germans victory in the full sense. The entire Near East campaign, in a detail, it is important, but not conclusive.

All the agitation in Britain over the failure—which may not be a failure at all of the dash for Constantinople—is therefore to a large extent a tempest in a teapot. It is "mefeking" reversed. The doleful dumps in and out of Parliament are temperamental, hysterical, not military nor reasonable. The recall of Sir Ian Hamilton, the commander-in-chief of the expeditionary force, may be a wise step; it may be the displacement of a man who has not risen to his opportunity, or it may very well be an act of injustice, the making of a scapegoat to satisfy the public and stop the mouths of rattled members of the House of Commons.

Enterprize is a Mystery.

Nobody really knows much about the Dardanelles enterprize. It is uncertain whether it was possible or impossible in its principal objective, viz: the forcing of the Straits and the seizure of Constantinople. It is uncertain whether sufficient force was sent to effect this purpose and it is uncertain whether the force available was exerted, in the right way. The whole struggle may have been a demonstration of skill and courage contending against hopeless odds, or it may have been a colossal series of blunders from end to end. These points cannot be settled now. We cannot even see the facts clearly for the smoke. Probably they will never be settled. History will dispute them so long as anyone thinks it worth while to remember the present war.

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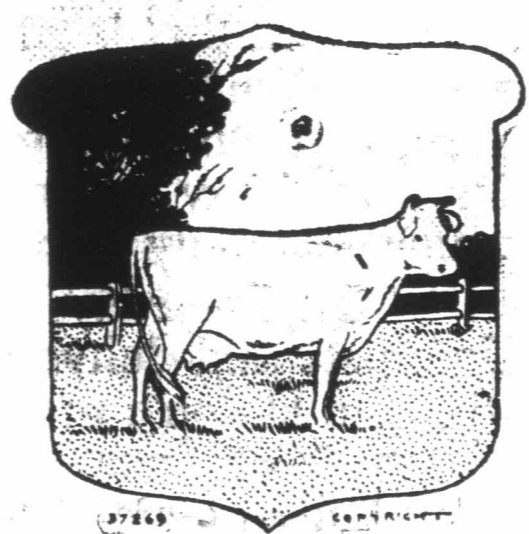
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More Prisoners Executed by Germans

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Nine persons who were convicted on Oct. 26th of espionage in Belgium, were executed yesterday, according to the Amsterdam correspondent of Reuters, who says the information was received from an official communication from Berlin. Ten other people, including three women, were sentenced to penal servitude.

The Goeben Again

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Copenhagen correspondent of Exchange Telegraph Co. sends the following: A private message received in Berlin from Bucharest says that the Turkish warships Breslau, Goeben and Hamidich attacked in the Black Sea a Russian squadron of three battleships, several cruisers and destroyers. The result of the battle is not known.

Greek Sentiment Strong For Allies

ATHENS, Oct. 30.—Despatches indicate that King Constantine realizes that the tide is turning towards the Allies, and again it would be no surprise if, despite the threats of the Kaiser, when Roumania marches, Greece will be found fighting on the side of the Allies.

ADVERTISE IN THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE

Reward For Bulgars

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 31.—A despatch from Sofia says that Emperor William has conferred the decoration of the Iron Cross on Crown Prince Boris of Bulgaria, Prince Cyrille, second son of King Ferdinand, Vaneff Radoslavoff, Bulgarian Premier, and General Jacoff, commander in chief of the Bulgarian forces.

For Constantinople

ROME, Oct. 31.—Reports received here from the Balkans, state that special trains have been prepared on the Bulgarian railway to transport German troops through Thrace to Constantinople. A quantity of arms and ammunition have been despatched already, it is said.

French Senate Condemns Germans

PARIS, Oct. 31.—The Senate on Saturday, unanimously passed a resolution expressing its profound horror at the assassination of Edith Cavell, the British nurse.

Saturday night the firemen of the Western Station found a man lying drunk in Rossiter's Lane. He was so badly covered with mud and filth that they had to bring him to the fire-hall and roll him in old rugs before the cabman summoned to take him to the Police Station would allow him in his victoria.

Big Order For Russian Supplies Placed In Japan

Japs at Work.

TOKIO, Oct. 26.—The output of war munitions for Russia resulting from the recent agreement between Japan and the allies is already showing a great increase.

Russian orders include railroad cars, a large quantity of rails, sleepers, locomotives, guns, rifles, ammunition, boots and general leather equipment and cloth. Steel bars have risen on the Tokio market from \$32.50 per ton to \$67.50.

A contract has been signed between the representatives of a Russian commercial house at Vladivostok and a merchant of Osaka for the supply of munitions of war valued at 17 million yen, or \$8,500,000, the orders to be completed by April or May next.

Mr. Cyril Lerner of Burgeo who went with the First Contingent of our Regiment returned by Saturday night's express. He having contracted a severe cold, has been on the sick list for some time and was invalidated home.

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Turkey in War Times

DETROIT, Oct. 28.—"The presence of a vestige of the Armenian race, after what it has endured through centuries of oppression, is one of the miracles of history," declared Dr. James P. McNaughton, a missionary from Turkey, in an address here recently at the National Laymen's Missionary convention. Dr. McNaughton, a Canadian, was imprisoned by Turkish officials, shortly after the Ottoman Empire became involved in the present war, but later was released.

He spoke before the conference on "Turkey in War Times," and had praise for the Turk as well as for the Armenians.

"All Ottoman subjects at the outbreak of the war were called upon to contribute 25 per cent. of all movable possessions, with the exception of household furniture," he said. "From the farmers 25 per cent. of their crops was demanded. Calling to the colors all men of military age left thousands destitute. To-day what is left of this mighty Kingdom is fighting for its life. We cannot but admire the bravery of the armies that are making a supreme effort to guard what remains of the national inheritance."

The constructive missionary work in Asia Minor, home of the Armenians, has almost been wiped out, said Dr. McNaughton. He said that before the war there was 148 stations, with 209 missionaries and 1,310 native helpers in this region and that 158 organized churches were attended by congregations aggregating 60,000 persons. There were 450 colleges and schools attended by nearly 26,000 pupils.

SAYS COALITION GOVT. WILL COLLAPSE

LONDON, Oct. 20.—Horatio Bottomley, Liberal member of Parliament, in a speech at Newcastle last night, predicted the immediate collapse of the coalition Government. He said that the Premier for all practical purpose, already had resigned, and would be succeeded by Andrew Bonar Law, but that the new experiment would be no more successful than the coalition, and that before the end of the war "we should have revolution or a national council of business men."



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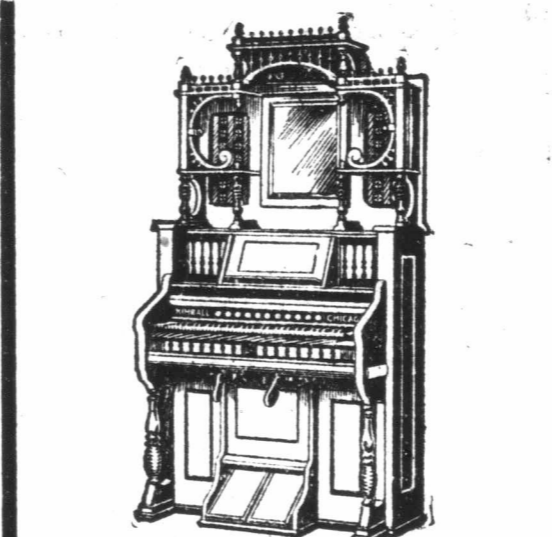
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LONDON, Oct. 25.—Sir John Simon, the Home Secretary, announced in Parliament to-day that the Government has no intention of internung Bulgarians at present, notwithstanding the fact that Britain has declared war against Bulgaria.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 26.—The "Novoye Vremya" prints an interview with the Roumanian envoy, just arrived in Petrograd on a special mission.

He emphatically states the army and the nation are wholly on the side of the Allies and are convinced Roumania will shortly abandon her neutrality.

"We are almost ready," he said, "and can reckon on an army of 600,000, which can be increased to 1,000,000. As to munitions, our War Office has already adopted appropriate measures.

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OUR POINT OF VIEW

Attacks on Sir. E. Grey

NO STATESMAN, British or foreign, holds a higher place to-day in public esteem than Sir Edward Grey, the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs in the British Ministry. During the ten years of his administration of his Department he had had more difficult international problems to deal with than any previous British Foreign Minister has ever had to face in his position.

The most dangerous affair of course was the one which was occasioned by the assassination of the heir-apparent to the Austrian-Hungarian throne. There was an appearance that his manner of dealing with this event had met with the unanimous approval of diplomats, both at home and abroad.

But recently whilst still overburdened with a swarm of international troubles, an attack of the most virulent sort has been made upon him, for no other cause seemingly than either personal enmity or a vicious desire to win journalistic notoriety, no matter at what cost to the public service.

Nero fiddling whilst Rome was burning was, as a contemporary remarks, sanity itself when compared with the conduct of the parvenu "Peer"—Lord Northcliffe, who is the chief offender in this villianous. Northcliffe might be rendering useful military service to the Empire, but he prefers evidently the role of mischief-maker to that of a patriot in the trenches, where many sons of noble families have given their lives for their country, and his "spokesman" in this country is aptly following in his footsteps.

Sir Edward Grey's lapse, in the eyes of the Northcliffe "yellow-journal type" is that he failed to prevent Bulgaria from toppling off the fence into the lines of the Central Powers. It must be apparent to everybody that Sir Edward Grey is in no way responsible for what has happened, because it has just become known that fully three months ago Bulgaria sold herself to Germany for a price set out in a formal document which has recently come to light. The price agreed upon by Bulgaria and Germany is the cession to her of Serbian Macedonia, Greek Macedonia, other Greek possessions, and all Albania.

Sir Edward Grey knew nothing of this document when he was doing all he could to induce Serbia to make concessions and such terms as might be possible with Bulgaria. The latter was obviously simply marking time, and deceiving the allies. This fact was unknown either to Sir Edward Grey or to Northcliffe.

"The Liarish Times," as Northcliffe's great journal was termed in olden days when it endeavoured to ruin the Parnell Movement in Ireland is still at its old game.

Did You Read It?

THE TRADE REVIEW on Saturday last, was as per usual throwing bouquets at the Premier, and makes the startling declaration that in 1908 Sir Edward Morris performed a miracle. Pity he can't duplicate the trick and perform some miracle, such as for instance, strike his magic wand on the chest and fill the cash box with the wherewithal necessary to meet our liabilities necessitated by his policy of frenzied finance.

"Sir Edward," says the Devine one of The Trade Review, "is good for 20 years' active political life yet." Oh, heaven's no, brother, don't dishearten us altogether. We were looking for better times in a few years; but if this is correct, and we suppose the "inspired" one knows—we give up the ghost.

Whether Sir Tax is going to be Governor of the Bahamas or not, we cannot say, says brother Devine. Of course no one expected him to say whether he was or was not. Certain it is a statement in the affirmative would be hailed with joy, especially by our fishermen toilers. We hope it is true Brud, really we do.

"Sir Edward's life is too deeply rooted in his native land and in the hearts of its people (do you get that one) to contemplate such a step," says the Duckworth Street journal, and "to lose him now would be like dropping the pilot when his services are most required."

For cold blooded sarcasm we reckon this is hard to beat; and the best of the joke is that The Herald in its endeavour to pay graceful homage to the Chief of the Clan, reproduces this "bouquet" in its issue of Saturday last. "Dropping the Pilot" now, when his services are most required: Well! Well!!

A pilot is generally placed on the bridge to keep a ship clear of shoals, and seeing the condition of the old Ship of State just now we wonder what piloting Sir Tax can do to make deep water.

Bahamas or no Bahamas the people of Terra Nova will drop the present pilot of our Ship of State in 1917, or earlier, and place in charge a man who will have backbone enough to say to all and sundry who make our Treasury a political den of thieves, "Thou shalt not!"

We feel sure no more will enjoy The Trade Review's joke more than our beloved Edward.

Comment

WE made a good guess Saturday as to why The Herald on Friday last held over its comments on Regimental matters until its Saturday's issue.

And now Mr. McGrath says it's our reporters who wrote the letters which appeared in our columns Friday last. That's news to us. We have only one reporter; and needless to say he has all he can do besides writing letters for publication. We haven't seen the "silent" one yet; but we do know of a Government organ who has a "silent" reporter in the Civil Service.

The Hon. P.T. makes a bad guesser, particularly when he is rattled, as he evidently was after reading these letters which appeared in *The Mail and Advocate* Friday last.

Mr. Coaker is a "mouth fighter" says P.T. Well we think he has accomplished wonders as a "mouth fighter," and it strikes us forcibly that if P.T. and his pals did a little "mouth-fighting" when our Catholic Volunteers were being worked against "with marked cards and loaded dice," as The Herald says they were, it possibly would have resulted in the alleged discrimination being removed.

The Herald says the Appointments are made by the Commanding Officer (Col. Burton) and wire here for approval. They are endorsed by the Reserve-Force Committee and the Governor Gazette them. Quite right, brother. Well, now how about them? Were any of them objected to?

Did any of the Catholic members of the Reserve Board Committee draw attention to the fact that the "Thunderer" has lost its prestige and its authority, and it no longer stands for decent journalism.

We think this rotten sheet should be debarred from the mails in this Colony; and yet, it has a Newfoundland correspondent who not long since made an effort to apologize for the attitude of the head of the yellow syndicate.

that the Roman Catholic boys were being worked against with "marked cards and loaded dice?" If there was any objections raised, who raised them and when were they raised, P.T.?

"We have been endorsed," says The Herald, "by the vast majority of the Catholic people and by many Catholic clergymen." Wouldn't it make P.T. a "hero" with our Catholic people if he produced the endorsements? Will he do so?

"The Herald objected to the despatch of Capt. Montgomerie," says P.T., "because his 'picnic' would cost the Colony from \$750 to \$1,000." We know of picnics which cost the Colony far more than \$1,000; but as far as we can recollect there was no protest against fleeing the Colony by The Herald. Why we wonder? Why?

Some months ago when this paper objected to Capt. Montgomerie going on a similar picnic, it was O.K., according to The Herald, and no tears were shed by P.T. about the expense to the Colony. Again, we wonder why?

"The matter should have been arranged privately long ago," says P.T. Exactly what we said last Monday. But why wasn't it? Again, we wonder why?

Oh! by the way, P.T. overlooked telling our Catholic people why The Herald, the Official Organ of the Morris Government, made no attempt to publicly or privately deal with that insult hurled at Bishop Power by Capt. Wes. Kean, of McNamara's steamer "Port Saunders." The Catholic shareholders of The Herald were fully aware of all the particulars. Did The Herald editor interest himself in the matter? If not, again, we wonder why?

And now P.T. says it would have been better if some Protestant gentlemen had made a protest. Nice compliment to the Roman Catholic members of the Reserve Force Committee, isn't it. We would like to have seen Francis Joseph when he read this in The Official Organ of the Morris Government!

Hence the contention of the Roman Catholic people that the game is being played against them with "marked cards and loaded dice" says The Herald. Who played the game against them? If it is not the Protestant members of the Reserve Force Committee, it must surely be the Catholic members of that Committee. If not either, then in heaven's name, WHO?

Again The Herald says: "That is the situation. It is not an attack on anybody. It is a demand for justice." But who makes the demand? And is the author really concerned about the welfare of our Roman Catholics, seeing that he has time and again showed very little concern over matters directly affecting them, and even in the present premises has kept silent for 14 months, although he knew the game was being worked against them with "Marked Cards and Loaded Dice."

Again we ask: is The Herald sincere in this matter, or is it that our Catholic citizens are again to be exploited for the benefit of The Herald and its shareholders? They worked the game successfully once before; but we feel confident they will not do so again.

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C. of E. Layman on Prohibition

(Editor Mail and Advocate)

DEAR SIR—The more I follow up this great Prohibition movement the more interested I get in connection with it.

The next to appear on the list of Anti-Prohibitionist is our great big Supt. of C. of E. Schools, and I think I perceive the wire that has been pulled to start him, but I hope his job is not in danger. What I heard last night from a more highly educated and less biased speaker than I consider any of those who are standing out for the continuance of the liquor traffic to be it left no room whatever in my mind to receive any quibbling argument from either the Supt. of C. of E. Schools or the editor of "The Mark."

I have felt disgusted with the stand that some of our C. of E. Clergymen are taking on this important subject and I have went so far as to write a letter re the affairs, which I intended to ask space for in one or another of the daily papers that are taking such an active part in this great fight; but I waited to see if some one with more influence in Church matters could tolerate their attitude longer without giving public expression to their feelings, and I was glad last night when I heard it coming from the one I did. And now, sir, I see you are started too and you have my hearty support, hence this letter.

If those men who have been forcing ourselves to look up to an afford to keep silent on this great subject, then they are going to lose the esteem and regard for ever of many of their former subscribers. How they can have the audacity to argue that it is not approved of by the Great Judge of

The Dardanelles

ELSEWHERE we publish to-day an article from The New York Evening Sun on the campaign in the Dardanelles. It will prove interesting reading in as much as it gives a clear and impressive idea as to the reason why the object was at all undertaken.

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CHAS. H. HUTCHINGS,
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mankind passes me when we have such authority to back it up as we can so readily refer to and a righteous conviction deep down in all our hearts beside that. I have failed to meet the man yet wanted elsewhere" until Germany has completely reformed herself, since this campaign started that is silent on or opposed to Prohibition that I have not detected some selfish motive in him for being so.

And on the other hand I have the Prohibition workers who have come out fearlessly and have banished all selfish thoughts from him and is prepared to make any sacrifice so that others may be made happy and that the bleeding hearts of devoted mothers, wives, daughters, and sisters may be healed again and that the homes that are now sad and miserable may once more be brought back to joy and happiness which God intended it to be.

Will those Silent Supporters of the cursed business give us their remedy if Prohibition disturbs them as it appears to or have they been interested enough to ask themselves "What would Jesus do?" Would to God that some of our former temperance workers were in our midst to-day to give us the assistance that is so much needed. But they were live coals and not the goods required so they had to get out.

I would like to ask those conspicuous gentry through whose agency is the community receiving such stimulating and soul stirring addresses and sermons as it has been treated to for the last few months. Will they say it's coming from an evil source? If not then, they must admit to the opposite, the good. Well all things good come from God and truly He has been moving in His own mysterious way, for He has certainly given the dry bones a vigorous shaking and we are trusting to see the good work continued. May He bless abundantly the work of the brave men that the writer considers are His special agents sent for a special cause.

We have been given some broad hints relative to the cause of indifference of some of our men and if there's any truth in them (which we have reason to believe there is) they have our pity as independence of thought and action should be every man's right and every man can have it if he's willing to make the sacrifice that's required.

The above referred to temperance workers done so and obtained the reward. Trusting you'll find space for this rather lengthy expression of thought and thanking you in anticipation. Please consider yourself supported by another
—C. OF E. LAYMAN.
St. John's, Oct. 30, '15.

F. P. U. Notes

THE S.S. MARY is now loading freight at the F.P.U. Wharf for the Union Council at Conception Harbour. (We wonder how The Herald will view this. It shows the Catholic fishermen of Harbor Main District are not behind McGrath in his unwarranted attack against Coaker and—*The Mail and Advocate.*)

Schr. Renown, Capt. John Jones, is now discharging a cargo of fish and lumber and will load supplies for Herring Neck and Seldom.

Schr. Olive Branch has sailed for St. Brendan's, B.B., with full load of supplies for the F.P.U. Council there.

Schr. Little Madonna, Capt. Ed. Hynes, laden with supplies for St. Brendan's Union Store, sailed for home this morning.

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(Special to Mail and Advocate)

PORT REXTON, Oct. 30.—President Coaker yesterday visited the new Union premises erected by English Harbor and Champneys' Council at Champneys. The premises is one of the best erected by Union men in the Colony, and great credit is due to the members for subscribing funds for all the material and giving free labor, so that a splendid water-front premises is the result.

Arches of green boughs are erected and bunting is flying from all directions and a large concourse of people assembled to greet Mr. Coaker on his arrival at Champneys, and our President was presented with an address of welcome.

The meeting opened at 3 p.m. and President Coaker spoke for two hours, delivering a stirring address which aroused intense enthusiasm. The meeting ended with ringing cheers

for the Union and President Coaker. A solid vote from Champneys and English Hr. will be cast in favor of Prohibition. Banners containing the words—Hasten Prohibition—Union and Progress—Welcome to our President—adorned the hill and arches.

A number of prominent Unionists occupied seats on the platform. The President is accompanied by Friends John Guppy and Albert Butler, officers of Port Rexton Council. Most of the audience walked to Port Rexton last night to attend the second meeting, all glad to welcome the President, and men, women and children do all in their power to receive him royally.

We need nothing but Coaker and Union; all others need not apply. Union is stronger than ever and enthusiasm is running strong all around this Bay. "Coaker can't lose."
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CHAIRMAN WHITE, F.P.U. CATALINA

Replies to the Morris Pap-Fed Organ on Bell Island. Repeats His Challenge and Does Not Want Sneers or Abuse.

(Editor Mail and Advocate)

DEAR SIR—In *The Mail and Advocate* of October 20th I wrote an article contradicting a statement which appeared in *The Bell Island Miner*, in which that paper stated that Catalina would not support Prohibition, neither would Trinity Bay, and that Catalina would endeavour to elect a new President at the next Convention of the F.P.U.

To that I took exception, as I feel confident that Catalina will support Prohibition and would never dream of electing a new President as long as President Coaker lives.

The many benefits bestowed upon the fishermen of the Country by President Coaker will never be forgotten. Therefore, if the editor of *The Bell Island Rag* wishes further proof of this he would do well to visit Catalina the end of this week when President Coaker arrives.

Say, old man, it won't cost much, do try and come down; come and have a look anyway.

Now, when I read the article in *The Bell Island Rag* I knew it wasn't written by anyone from Catalina; therefore, I couldn't do anything else but contradict that barefaced falsehood, in the meantime offering the small sum of \$5.00 for the name of the person who supplied the editor of *The Bell Island Rag* with his information. In fact I didn't feel like offering him any more as I thought he may go crazy when he saw a little extra money.

Seeing in the column of the recent issue of *The Miner* an appeal for subscribers to send in their

subscriptions as the editor was compelled to pay his way as he goes this Five Dollars would be a help anyway to keep the wolf from the door. Perhaps The Miner will apply for it before the dog days of March come.

This so-called "Pap Fed Editor" who is very well known all around must have felt pretty bad when he found out that I had contradicted his nonsensical article, so he decided to try again, asking good care not to answer my question in any shape or form; but goes on to speak about the small sum of \$5.00 which I had offered, being rather surprised that I did not offer the sum of \$500,000,000, which of course is absurd.

Now I wish to inform the "Fat Head Editor" of *The Bell Island Rag* that I am not a Govt. heeler, but a good all round Union man, and being connected with the voters of Catalina for rather a long time can near about judge how things are moving as well as *The Bell Island Rag*. In fact I may say that the article and the "rag" of a paper is not taken seriously by our Unionists.

This copy being the first that I ever saw and to my knowledge the first one that ever came to Catalina, and which was sent by a friend of mine on Bell Island.

If the editor of that "rag" cannot furnish the public with better information and in the meantime furnish me with the name of the person who wrote that article re Prohibition and Coaker, then my advice to his to shut up quick.

—DUGALD WHITE.
Catalina, Oct. 25, '15.

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NO. 9—ST. JOHN'S SECTION.
 No. 1 Ward.
 BOOTH 1—At the house of Mrs. Kafe, 355 Water Street, West, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters A B C D E F G H I J K L and M.
 BOOTH 2—At the house of Philip Healey, 345 Water Street, West, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y and Z.

No. 2 Ward.
 BOOTH 1—At the house of John Mulleney, 297 Water Street, West, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters A B C D and E.
 BOOTH 2—At the house of Edward Kavanagh, Water Street, West, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters F G H I J K L and M.
 BOOTH 3—At the house of Mrs. Hayes, 186 Water Street, West, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters N O P Q R S T U V W X Y and Z.

No. 3 Ward.
 BOOTH 1—At the house of Patrick Hart, 138 Water Street, West, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters A B C and D.
 BOOTH 2—At the house of Mrs. Crowley, 49 Hutchings Street, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters E F G H I J K L and M.
 BOOTH 3—At the house of Mrs. Locke, 238 New Gower Street, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters M N O P and Q.
 BOOTH 4—At the house of Mrs. Wall, 226 New Gower Street, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters R S T U V W X Y and Z.

No. 4 Ward.
 BOOTH 1—At the house of James Mahsheld, 119 New Gower Street, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters A B C and D.
 BOOTH 2—At the house of Patrick Flynn, 111 New Gower Street, for electors only whose respective surnames begin with the letters E F G H I J and K.
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NO. 3 BOOTH—At the house of Patrick Grace, No. 12 York Street. Those Electors only shall vote whose respective surnames begin with the letters L M N O P Q R.
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F. J. DOYLE,
Returning Officer.

WARD BOUNDARIES, ST. JOHN'S WEST

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given for the information of the Electors in the Electoral District of St. John's, Western Division, that the Boundaries of the Wards in which Electors will record their votes in the District of St. John's West, are as follows, viz.:

No. 1 WARD shall extend from the east side of Waterford Bridge and Molloy's Lane to the west side of Leslie Street and vicinity.
 No. 2 WARD shall extend from the east side of Leslie Street to the west side of Patrick Street and vicinity.
 No. 3 WARD shall extend from the east side of Patrick Street to the west side of Springdale Street and vicinity.
 No. 4 WARD shall extend from the east side of Springdale Street to the west side of Queen's Street, Barter's Hill and vicinity.
 No. 5 WARD shall extend from the east side of Queen's Street and Barter's Hill to the west side of Beck's Cove, Carter's Hill, Freshwater Road and vicinity.

The Southside is a separate Section, and Electors living between Fort Amherst Lighthouse and Waterford Bridge will vote at the Booths on the Southside.

Ballot Paper

The ballot papers for the purpose of the voting under this Act shall be in the following form:

Are you in favour of prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of spirits, wine, ale, beer, cider, and all other alcoholic liquors for use as beverages?	YES
If you are not in favour of the above, please place a cross (X) in the space after the word "No."	NO

Directions for the Guidance of Electors in Voting.

EACH Elector, on entering the room where the Poll is to be held shall declare his name, surname and address.

After so doing he shall receive a Ballot Paper in the above form.

Each elector, if required by the Deputy Returning Officer, the Poll Clerk or one of the agents shall, before receiving his Ballot Paper, take an oath of qualification.


After receiving his Ballot Paper, the voter shall go into one of the compartments, and with a pencil there provided, place a cross to indicate his vote on the question at issue. An affirmative vote, on the question submitted shall be made by placing a cross (thus X) in the space after the word "Yes" and a negative vote by placing a similar cross in the space after the word "No."

The voter will then fold the Ballot Paper, so as to show a portion of the back only, with the initials of the Deputy Returning Officer, and shall hand it folded up to the Deputy Returning Officer, and the Deputy Returning Officer, shall, without unfolding it, ascertain that it is the Ballot Paper which he furnished to the elector, and then immediately place it in the Ballot Box. The voter shall forthwith leave the Polling Station.

If a voter inadvertently spoils a Ballot Paper he may return it to the Deputy Returning Officer, who shall give him another.

If a voter places any mark on the Ballot Paper by which he can afterwards be identified, his vote will be void and will not be counted.

If a voter takes a Ballot or Ballot Paper out of the Polling Station, or fraudulently puts any other into the Ballot Box, than the Paper given him by the Deputy Returning Officer, he will be subject to be punished by a fine of Five Hundred Dollars, or by imprisonment for a term not exceeding Six Months, with or without hard labour.



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Torbay Section—North.
 Booth 1—At the house of Widow Thorpe.
 Booth 2—At the house of Widow Gosse.

Torbay Section—South.
 Booth 1—At the house of Mrs. Gullen.
 Booth 2 (Eberstock)—At the house of Jas. Kelly.

Flatrock.
 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Thos. Hickey.

Umer Cove.
 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Cath. Coady.

Logy Bay.
 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Edinson.

Middle Cove.
 Booth—At the house of John Kinsella.

Pouch Cove—North.
 Booth—At the house of Frank Ryan.

Pouch Cove—South.
 Booth 2—At the house of William Evans.

Biscayan Cove.
 Booth—At the house of Ambrose Roge.

Bauline.
 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Jos. King.

Winsor Lake.
 Booth—At the house of Mrs. Mary Murphy.

Portugal Cove West.
 Booth 1—At the house of Thomas Hanlon.

Portugal Cove—East.
 Booth 2—At the house of James Harding.

Bell Island—Lance Cove.
 Booth 1—At the house of James Hiscock.

Bell Island—Freshwater.
 Booth 2—At the house of George Parsons.

Bell Island Front—Main St.
 Booth 3—At the house of Mrs. Rd. Lambswood.

Bell Island—East Mines.
 Booth 4—At the house of Oliver Bennett.

Bell Island—Central Mines.
 Booth 5—At the house of P. A. O'Brien.

Bell Island—West Mines.
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Star of the Sea Society Meet

Mr. E. M. Jackman, Who Was 22 Years President, Retires From Office—Presented With Sash of Honour and Address

The annual meeting of the Star of the Sea Association was held yesterday afternoon, with President E. M. Jackman presiding. Rev. Dr. Greene, the Spiritual Director was present and delivered a fluent and instructive address.

The event of the convention was the retirement of Mr. E. M. Jackman from the presidency of the Society, after occupying the position for the lengthy period of 22 years.

Resolutions. 1.—That this Society deeply regret the resignation of Mr. E. M. Jackman from the office of President.

2.—That it desires to place on record its high appreciation of Mr. Jackman's leadership during the past twenty-two years.

3.—That our thanks are due to him for the fine spirit of his Society speeches in their relation to church and state, there was always a tone of true loyalty and earnest co-operation and of good will towards the members of all kindred societies.

4.—That we tender him Life Honorary Presidency of the Nfld. Star of the Sea Association and a scarf of honour, and that a committee be appointed to prepare an illuminated address and suitable present to mark our gratitude for twenty-two years of faithful service.

We have a splendid stock of Ferro, Gray, Fulton and Meitz & Weiss Kerosene Motor Boat Engines, spark coils and all repairs parts. A. H. MURRAY, Bowring's Cove.—oct19,10i

The Portia From West The S.S. Portia, Capt. J. Kean, arrived here from the westward at 9.30 last night.

Letter From Oporto The Board of Trade, Saturday had the following from Lind & Conto, Oporto: "Arrivals are coming forward rather freely, but the demand continues good and we think all will be wanted."

When at the next baseball match, whether as spectator, player or umpire, try a stick of Coca-Cola Gum. If you are a spectator, it will add to your interest, and if you are a player it will help you to play a better game.—aug30,11w,1f

W.P.A. Christmas Gift Fund For Our Soldiers and Sailors

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes Lady Davidson \$25.00, Mrs. G. Knowling, Jr. \$5.00, Hon. Robt. Watson \$10.00, Miss Dorothy Harvey \$2.00, Mrs. J. A. Chitt \$5.00, Miss Browning \$5.00, Mrs. C. P. Ayre \$5.00, Mrs. N. S. Fraser \$5.00, Anonymous \$5.00, Mrs. J. R. McNelly \$2.00.

Total: \$69.00. MARY MACKAY, Hon. Treasurer, Xmas Gift Fund.

Mechanics' Fair Opens

The Mechanics' Fair opens in the C.C.C. Rooms, Mechanics Building, to-night and promises to be one of the most interesting events of the season.

There will be a large collection of local manufactures exhibited, so that the public can estimate for themselves the value of home-made goods.

Belongs to Old Family The young man Visconte of the Newfoundland Regiment who was wounded at the Dardanelles is a member of the oldest family in Placentia.

A Just Demand

Some time ago The Mail and Advocate referred to the necessity there was for the posting of the official war bulletins and casualty lists at the post office near the Eastern Fire Station.

That the Russians are in retreat before the Germans, we are forced unwillingly to admit, but we take great pleasure in saying that in many homes hordes of Germans are in full retreat before White Russian Soap.

Cut With Glass

While repairing a pane of glass in the window of his house, Rossiter's Lane, yesterday afternoon, an old man, named John Reid suffered a painful accident.

The Fogota Here

The S.S. Fogota, Capt. Dalton, arrived here at 8.30 a.m. yesterday from the North with a full cargo of fish and casks.

All kinds of raw furs bought by Nfld. Exchange, at 276 Water St.

Kyle's Passengers

The Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques 7.20 a.m. yesterday, with the following passengers—R. Walsh, D. Steele, C. W. Kinch, Lieut. Niesloff, Commr. H. Bickleshoff, R. A. Isner, Miss V. Matthews, Miss Effie McDonald, Rev. J. and Mrs. Nurse, G. Bell, T. M. Connolly, G. Pike.

If you want a Ferro Kerosene Engine call at A. H. MURRAY'S demonstrating room, Bowring's Cove.—oct19,10i

Twillingate In Line

Big Vote Will be Recorded on Thursday Next For Prohibition

(Special to Mail and Advocate) TWILLINGATE, Nov. 1.—Twillingate is sounding the tocsin of victory after weeks of campaigning, we have reached a climax which assures us of a sweeping majority for Prohibition, and people are longing for the 4th inst. to register their votes against the drink traffic.

All members of our large general committee and sub-committee are all working with one aim to free our country from the curse of the liquor traffic.

If you want the best light, burn "Briteslite" Kerosene. P. H. COWAN, Importer.

R. C. Notes

Candles for the altars will be received in the Sanctuary during this month of November.

To-day's Feast of All Saints is a holy day of obligation with our Catholic fellow citizens.

During this month the De Profundis bell will be rung each evening at 9 at the Cathedral to remind the faithful to pray for the Souls of the faithful departed.

The clergy of both St. Patrick's and the Cathedral are now collecting the dues. The offertory collections have greatly increased since His Grace reminded the people of their duties in this respect.

Newfoundland Fox Exchange at 276 Water Street pays highest prices for raw furs.

Fire Saturday

The shaving parlors of Mr. Phippard, barber, took fire Saturday forenoon. They are located at the corner of Hutchings' Street and New George Street.

The schr. Astrea left Bonne Bay Saturday for Fleetward, England, with 735,000 qts salt bulk fish, shipped by Buckworth & Co.

The schrs. "Miss Morris" and "Blodwin" are loading fish at Munn's, Hr. Grace, for Gibraltar for orders.

The S. S. Erik arrived in port yesterday at 10 a.m. after a run of 2 1-2 days from Sydney with a full load of coal and a supply for her own bunkers for the sealfishery.

ROSSLEY'S THEATRE

As this is the farewell week of the most marvellous act ever seen here, there will be lots of surprises for the patrons, as those clever artists have a great number of clever novelties to show yet, and Miss Atlantis will also give some of her wonderful dances.

Briteslite Kerosene offered at lowest prices by P. H. COWAN, Importer.

Big Burglary Committed in Past 48 Hours

THOS. PEEL'S DRY GOODS STORE PARTLY CLEANED OUT—HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS WORTH STOLEN

When Mr. Thos. Peel, dry goods man, came down to business at 9 o'clock this morning he was a surprised and saddened man, for since he left there at 10 o'clock Saturday night the store was visited by thieves who went systematically through the whole store and appropriated to themselves, watches, jewellery, shirts, boots, oil clothing, general dry goods and other articles of value too numerous to mention.

Mr. Peel calculates that the thefts will run into many hundreds of dollars in value. The thieves entered by a rear door after coming off Duckworth Street down over the hill in the rear of Skinner's marble works, and with some instrument forced the fastenings and locks of the rear door, and entering, went systematically through the place.

Not a shelf, drawer, show case or other receptacle had been left untouched and so deliberate were they in their movements that only the best of the goods were stolen.

Up to 1 p.m. when our reporter was on the premises Mr. Peel had not thoroughly made up what he had lost. The thieves tried the safe and could not open it. Had they done so they would have secured securities &c. to the value of over \$1000.

The goods were quietly taken out by the rear way and the burglary is one of the most daring committed here in years.

Prohibition Meeting For Children

The Presbyterian Hall was crowded Saturday afternoon, several hundred children of both sexes attending the big Prohibition meeting held there.

A solemn warning was given against the evils of intemperance, and several Prohibition songs were rendered by the children.

Our Boys Doing Good Work

We have been shown so many letters from boys at the Dardanelles who are in our Regiment that it would be utterly impossible to give details in the space which we have available.

Maggie Sullivan Storm Swept

The well-known coasting schooner "Maggie Sullivan" which piles between here and Fogo, was hit by a sudden and violent squall and had her mainmast, main topmast, main boom, mainmast and foretopmast carried away and swept overboard and lost.

Young Woman Astray

Annie Carrigan aged 19 years, servant with Mrs. Kendall of Livingstone Street, here a few days from Placentia, went to 9 o'clock mass yesterday and being a stranger to the city missed her way back home and wandered about the streets, finding herself at the Western Fire Station at noon.

Prohibition Committee

A MEETING of Executive members of the Prohibition Committee will be held in the Board of Trade Rooms on MONDAY evening next, 1st proximo, at half-past eight o'clock.

We advise trappers to send their furs to Newfoundland Fox Exchange.

Xmas Presents For Ours

Department of the Colonial Secretary, St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 1, 1915.

I enclose a copy of letter from Mr. Steel-Maitland, addressed to His Excellency the Governor, regarding parcels for the Dardanelles, which I shall be glad if you will kindly publish in the next issue of your paper.

Dear Sir Walter Davidson, Since I directed my letter of a day or two ago, I received your telegram with reference to the Ladies' Committee.

The question has cropped up of Christmas fare for the troops. There should be no difficulty as regards the Reserve Companies in Scotland.

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WAR MESSAGES

Salonika Crowded Food Prices Advance LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Salonika correspondent of Reuter's sends the following:—

Concentration of troops of the Allies at various points, with the object of relieving the pressure on the Serbians is proceeding. More transports are expected soon.

U.S. and France Don't Like Jap Attitude PEKIN, Oct. 31.—The Japanese Government on Oct. 16th, communicated to the Entente Powers and the United States a request that they act with it in attempting to bring about postponement of a change in the form of the Chinese Government.

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C.C.C. Parade

The full battalion of the C.C.C. paraded last mass at the Cathedral yesterday, the corps which was headed by its fine band, being in command of Lieut.-Col. Conroy. A Missa Cantata was sung by Rev. Fr. Carter, after which the corps deployed into the College grounds and were inspected on the Campus by His Grace Archbishop Roche, who was accompanied by Rev. J. McDermott, admr. The lads looked well and after the march past deployed into the Aula Maxima where His Grace congratulated them on their smart appearance and addressing them in a kindly and encouraging manner, praised the corps for the large muster of its members who had flocked to the colours and rallied round the flag for the protection of the Empire, paid a meed of praise to the officers and inculcated on the ranks obedience to them, respect for the clergy and conduct becoming Christian and Catholic lads.

Services At The College Hall

The services at the College Hall yesterday were given over entirely to the interests of Prohibition. In the morning the Rev. H. Royle was preacher, delivering a strong sermon on the subject, appealing to his hearers to do all possible to ensure a glorious victory.

Newfoundland Patriotic Association THE MEETING of the Patriotic Association advertised for this Monday evening has been postponed until MONDAY next, November 8th, at 8 p.m., in the Board of Trade Building.

Public Auction. On Tuesday Next, at 11 o'clock, At The Residence of Wm. Martin, (At the premises of J. A. BOWEN, South Side.)

WANTED—A position as HOUSEMAID, reference. Apply to "A.B.C." this office.

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