

Wesley B. Class Excursion to Carbonear

The Wesley Bible Class excursion to Carbonear yesterday, was a most decided success. Although the weather did not look very promising in the early morning, about 200 persons left on the excursion train at 7 a.m., arriving in Carbonear about 11.15 a.m. Dinner was partaken of there in the Methodist College Hall, being provided by the ladies of that place, and by the time dinner was finished, it had cleared away to a beautiful day, although a little cold. After dinner sports were indulged in. At six o'clock tea was partaken of and at 8 p.m. the concert started, Mr. Goodison, M.H.A., being chairman, which was certainly a grand success, the sum of \$85 being realized. This will be devoted to the Cot. Fund. It closed about 10.30 p.m. with singing of National Anthem. All then started for the station, and at 11 p.m. the train drew out with cheers for Carbonear. We can most assuredly say that the event was immensely enjoyed by all and will not be forgotten for a long time to come.

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W. P. A.

In Aid of the Sick and Wounded of Our Soldiers and Sailors at the Front.

Subscriptions may be sent to Lady Davidson, Mrs. Emerson, Hon. Treasurer, or to any of the following ladies of the Finance Committee:—Mrs. John Ayre, Miss Browning, Mrs. Garrett Byrne, Mrs. T. J. Daley, Mrs. T. J. Edens, Miss Hayward, Mrs. A. Macpherson, Mrs. H. Rendell.

Amount acknowledged \$34,821.43
 Collected on board S.S. Florizel by Miss McCurdy 13.34
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\$34,849.90
 KATHERINE EMERSON,
 Hon. Treasurer,
 St. John's, Aug. 2nd, 1916.

DEATHS.

FOOTE—Died yesterday morning (Aug. 2nd) after a short illness, Charlotte A., widow of the late James B. Foote. Funeral on Friday at 2.30 p.m. from her late residence, 58 Springdale St. The friends will please accept this the only intimation. Interment at the General Protestant cemetery.

OBITUARY

MRS. CHARLOTTE A. FOOTE

A lady well known in this city passed away yesterday morning after a short illness. Mrs. Charlotte A. Foote was the widow of the late James B. Foote. She was a native of Conception Bay, and for many years resided in Carbonear. About 25 years ago Mr. and Mrs. Foote came to St. John's, where they conducted a boarding house at the junction of Queen St. and George's St. Many a successful citizen to-day was at one time a member of her hospitable home. Her success was due to many causes, but not the least of them was the kindness of her disposition, and thoughtfulness which she displayed for the comfort of her guests. The late Capt. Orestes Taylor, one of the most skillful and popular of our Master Mariners, was an adopted son, and his death in the vigour and promise of his bright young manhood was a blow from which she never wholly recovered. Her husband pre-deceased her a few years ago. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon from her late residence, Springdale Street.

MISS MARY CONNORS

It is with very deep feelings of regret that we chronicle the death of Miss Mary Connors of Swans, Placentia, who passed peacefully away on Friday last at the home of her parents. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Connors and a sister of Lieut. Thos. Connors of H.M.S. Duchess of York. Her parents and remaining sister and brother must feel the loss heavily as she was one who always preferred the quiet of the home circle to the more alluring pleasures of the outside world. The last illness of the deceased was a lingering one, but secure in her knowledge of her innocent life the last summons had no terrors for her, and strengthened by the consolations of her church, she had no regrets at leaving a world which seems to offer much to one of her young years. Her funeral was largely attended by her many friends and school-mates who thus gave their last mark of respect and love to one whose quiet life and mild manners had performed gained for her the esteem of all. Sincere sympathies are extended to the sorrowing parents and relations. Placentia, July 31st, 1916.

It is proved that Carbonvoid absolutely eliminates Carbon from Cylinders, Cylinder Walls and Piston Heads.

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His Grace's Tribute to Our Dead Soldiers

"We Grieve Not Because We Feel That Having Been Faithful Alike to Their Country and Their God, Now at Last They Are at Rest?"

And making a gathering, he sent twelve thousand drachms of silver to Jerusalem for sacrifice to be offered for the sins of the dead, thinking well and religiously concerning the resurrection.

(For if he had not hoped that they that were slain should rise again, it would have seemed superfluous and vain to pray for the dead.)

And because he considered that they who had fallen asleep with godliness had great grace laid up for them.

It is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins. (II. Mach., XII. 43-46.)

My dearly beloved Brethren:

These words of the Old Testament, taken from the Book of Maccabees, form one of the scriptural foundations on which rests an important and distinctive point of Catholic doctrine, that doctrine which teaches us the efficacy and the value of prayers for the souls of our departed dead. The fate of the human soul, the noblest part of man's nature, when it has been set free from the trammels of the flesh, has always been a subject of interested speculation for the human mind. Even those who repudiate all of the supernatural, who doubt or deny the existence of a Supreme Being, who refuse to accept the doctrines of a final resurrection and reward and punishment in the world to come, believe in some state of existence after death. Few there are so bold as to assert that man's spiritual nature is destined for no higher end than annihilation when the earthly body mingles with the dust. Human science, unaided by the light of Revelation, has never been able to penetrate the mysteries that lie beyond the grave; it has never been able to lead its votaries beyond the vague belief that man in his higher nature continues to exist in a mysterious world of spirit when his body crumbles beneath the decaying touch of death. But the Church of Christ, illuminated with divine authority, illuminated with divine wisdom, has no doubt, no misgiving about a future existence beyond the veil of the tomb. She teaches and ever has taught that death, or the dissolution of body and spirit, is only transition, only the passing of man's immortal spirit to another world, where account must be rendered to a Supreme Being for the actions of this life. She lays down in Her doctrine of the Communion of Saints that a very real relationship exists between the living and the dead, that a very real, though mystic bond of union unites together those who are still struggling in the flesh, those who are being purged from their imperfections and worthiness and those who have entered their exceeding great reward. It is one of our most cherished beliefs that there is, in the daily ministrations of the Church, a constant interchange of kindly offices between the living and the dead, that the Blessed in Heaven assist their struggling brethren in this world, and that both the Elect and the Church militant assist by their prayers and sufferings those who have left the earth but are not yet worthy to be admitted to the vision of God.

This consoling belief it is which gives meaning and significance and soul to the solemn requiem service at which we are assembled to-day. We are gathered here this morning for the discharge of a sad and sacred duty—a two-fold duty, one towards the living, the other towards the dead. We have assembled around the Altars of our Church to give reverent expression to our remembrance of our heroic dead, to sanctify that remembrance by the influence of religion, to hallow that remembrance with the hope and the solace of faith alone can afford. The Church recognizes her obligations alike towards those who have given their lives so generously in their country's cause, and those whose lives have been darkened and saddened by the death of their friends and loved ones. This two-fold obligation the Church discharges by following her departed dead into the next world with Her prayers and sacrifices, and by tendering from the depths of Her motherly heart Her sympathy and condolence with those who are left behind to mourn. In this great gathering this morning, in our city and throughout the country, there are many sad hearts to-day, crushed and broken, stricken with grief for their lost ones who were the hope, the joy and the pride of their lives. During the past few weeks the shadow of a great sorrow, a great grief has fallen over our city and our Island. Not alone are

those mourning whose families have been directly stricken, but we are all mourning, we all grieve and sympathize with the bereaved ones, because we feel that their sorrow is ours as well. Ever since our brave young soldiers went forth from these shores, now nearly two years ago, to take part manfully in the service of the Empire, with the good wishes of their country and the benedictions of their Church, ever since that we have known and felt that this hour of sorrow must surely come. We knew that the same dauntless courage that prompted them to offer themselves to their country in the hour of the Empire's need, would also prompt them to face danger and death with intrepidity and would surely mean the sacrifice of many heroic lives. And so indeed it has proved to be, though the toll has been heavier than we anticipated. We have, however, in this time of sadness and gloom one proud consolation that they did their duty nobly and well and that by their death they brought honour on themselves and their Island home. We have been reading with pride ever since they left our shores of their steadfastness and discipline and their devotion to duty; we have read with pride how they bore with rare constancy, endurance and cheerfulness the terrible rigours and hardships of the Gallipoli campaign; and we have read with greater pride still of their magnificent courage in the deathless charge of a few weeks ago, which has won the highest praise from their superior officers and has elicited grateful and grateful recognition from the press of the Empire throughout the world. All this we have read and it has tended in some degree to reconcile us to the loss of so many young lives, so dear to their families, so valuable to their country. It is not for us to-day to grieve for those who have fallen, because they died in the noblest way, in the line of duty, and we may not doubt that they are now secure in God's holy keeping. It has been a source of unspeakable consolation to us all to know that just as our young soldiers won everywhere the reputation of devotion to duty, so also they never forgot amidst the rough and rude surroundings of a soldier's life their higher and holier duties to their God. We have heard repeatedly from the Chaplains who have ministered to them of their deep religious spirit, of their simple and earnest faith, of their desire and anxiety to receive the Sacraments of the Church. Few things have been more remarkable and more touching in the inspiring letters sent home to friends from the battlefield than the insistence with which they repeat that they had been faithful to their Church duties amidst all the distractions of war. For those, therefore, of our soldiers and sailors who have given their lives, whether on the broad bosom of the ocean or in far away Gallipoli or on the fair plains of France and who now sleep peacefully far from friends and kindred and their well-loved land, for those we grieve not because we feel that having been faithful alike to their country and their God, now at last they are at rest, far from war's maddening turmoil, secure in the care and keeping of the God of battles, the Lord of Hosts.

But there are those for whom we grieve to-day, those to whom all the sympathy of our hearts goes out, those whose calm courage and placid resignation have excited our unbounded admiration, and they are those noble-hearted mothers throughout the land who have so generously with their own hands laid their sons on the altar of their country. No heroism is comparable to theirs, who ever since the first troop-ship left our shores have borne and are bearing still the terrible agonies of anxiety, uncertainty and suspense. Of all the heroisms, devotion to duty and splendid sacrifice that this cruel war has called forth, none can exceed the heroism of those who have made cheerfully and nobly the greatest of all human sacrifices, the sacrifice of a mother's love.

For these, for all who are mourning their lost ones, for those who are suffering the torturing agonies of suspense we grieve to-day; we pray that the God of all consolation may pour the balm of His heavenly peace on their troubled spirits and broken hearts; that He may give them courage and fortitude to bear the cross He has laid upon them, and heavier crosses still should His Providence so decree.

For those of our brave soldiers and sailors who are still exposed to the perils and chances of war, for those of our young men who have gone or are going to fill up the vacant ranks of our battalion, to take the places of their countrymen who have fallen, for those we pray that God's protecting Hand may ever be over them on land and on sea, in life and in death, we pray that they also may be ever faithful to their country, their Church and their God, faithful if necessary even unto death as those were faithful who have gone before them.

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OFFICIAL CASUALTY LIST

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

RECEIVED AUGUST 1st.

- 1574 Private Matthew Greeley, Portugal Cove, C.B. Killed in action and buried July 1st.
- 1191 Private Stephen Fallon, Cochran Street, Harbour Grace. Killed in action July 1st.
- 1114 Private Harvey N. Earle, Burgeo. Killed in action July 1st.
- 1467 Private Zachariah Smith, Smith's Sound, T.B. Killed in action July 1st.
- 1896 Private William Masters, Harbour Buffett. Wounded July 1st.
- 476 Private John P. Hanley, 46 Barnes' Road. Wounded July 1st.
- 1202 Private Richard M. Short, New Bonaventure, T.B. Wounded July 1st.
- 629 Private James W. Moore, 31 Duckworth Street. Shell wound, remained on duty, July 15th.
- 782 Private John J. Moakler, 9 Wood Street. At Wandsworth; trench fever.

Previously Reported

- 682 Private Arthur B. Rowe, 64 Barter's Hill. Previously reported G. S. W. Lung, St. Pol, July 4. Now reported at Wandsworth, wounded.
- 761 Private Alfred Reid, 17 Cook Street. Previously reported Tuberculosis Lung, serious, France. Now reported at Wandsworth, dangerously ill; Tubercle Lung.
- 1727 Private Charles A. Mesher, Mud Lake, Rigoulet. Previously reported gunshot wound, slight. Dannes, Camiers. Now reported at 4th London General Hospital.
- 1683 Private John C. Short, Hermitage Cove, F.B. Previously reported gunshot wound, arm and leg. Now reported seriously ill at St. Pol.
- 1420 Lance Corp. Leonard Sheppard, Harbour Grace. Previously reported gunshot wound, left leg and fractured femur. Now reported dangerously ill, July 23. Le Treport.
- 1161 Private Lancelot Pike, Lamaline. Previously reported dangerously wounded in neck, Eiret, July 3rd. Now reported at Tooting Military Hospital.
- 21 Private Richard Tilley, 1 Cochran Street. Previously reported gunshot wound, leg. Now reported progressing.
- 480 Sergeant John J. Robinson, 3 Cummings' Street. Previously reported gunshot wound, chest. Now reported slightly better.
- 1881 Private Alexander King, Westport Bay, C.B. Previously reported dangerously ill, compound fracture femur. Now reported improving.

RECEIVED AUGUST 2nd, 11.15 A.M.

- 2nd Lieut. Cecil Stanley James, 7 Flavin Street. At 1st. London General Hospital, Camberwell; Haemorrhoids.
 - 180 Private Kenneth A. Butler, Bell Island. At Charing Cross Hospital, London. Gunshot wound, thigh. (Previously reported gunshot wound, fractured thigh and heel.)
 - 237 Private Aiden J. Hogan, St. Mary's. At Charing Cross Hospital, London. Shrapnel wound, both legs. (Previously reported gunshot wound, fractured femur.)
- RECEIVED AUGUST 2nd, 5.15 P.M.
- 901 Private Cyril Richards, South River, C.B. (1) Wounded dangerously; (2) Removed from dangerous list. Again seriously ill at the 1st. General Hospital, Eiret.
 - 705 Private Allan A. Sellars, 35 Power St. Dangerously ill, enteric, infectious, (Ca.ro.) Dangerously ill of tubercle of the lungs, Stationary Hospital, Citadel, Cairo, July 20.

J. R. BENNETT,
 Colonial Secretary.

Coaker is Terra Nova's Strong Man

An Exiled Terra Novian Says We Need a Hundred Coakers—The Toilers Look to Coaker to Secure Them a Fair and Just Deal Says Coaker is the Lloyd George of Newfoundland

West, Lynn, July 9th 1916.

V. F. Coaker, Esq.:—Dear Sir,—Your kind letter received some time ago, was awful glad to hear from you and to hear you are doing such good work and succeeding so splendidly. May all your undertakings succeed and may God prosper you and your noble work. I am pleased to learn of your big deal at Catalina. You certainly are going to make a city of Catalina. It will be the capital of the North, thanks to Coaker. You are certainly a wonder, and everything you take in hands seems to prosper. Newfoundland may well indeed be proud of her noble son, who has done more than all her others put together to better the conditions of the masses. Would to God there were more Coakers to help carry on the noble work. But it seems that only one can be found. Well, its the same in every country. England had her Kitchener and Mr. Lloyd George, and France, Joffre; men whom the nations looked to to bring victory and restore their country's rights and honor. So it is with Terra Nova. The masses look to Coaker to bring them out of bondage and restore their rights and liberties, and may God spare you to carry on that grand noble work. No man or country ever had to face such problems as you. All the power that money and pen could use was arrayed against one poor individual with neither money or means to fight the oppressors of the land, the Graballs. But in spite of all obstacles this "David" went forth single handed and conquered. What a noble fight. What a glorious victory.

Well, Mr Coaker, may you feel proud of your work. Well indeed may Newfoundland feel proud of her noble son, and the prayer of many a poor toiler is ascending to the Throne of the Most High, invoking God to send His blessing on Coaker. Shall not it be said in vain:—"For God has listened to their humble petition, and in proof has blessed you in all your works."

I am more than proud to hear you are progressing so rapidly. I often hear your name mentioned around here and many a man who had to leave Newfoundland for a living and come to strange country, would not have to do so if you were master of affairs before. I wish I knew you were here, I would be more than glad to have seen you.

Well, Mr Coaker, I ain't dying about this country, no place like Newfoundland for me. I love every inch of the dear old place and would rather be there to-morrow if I could make a decent living there. But a person is obliged to make lots of sacrifices to enable him to get a bit to eat and a rag to wear. I have a grand job with the illuminating department of the general electric. But I am going to some electrical school again this fall and winter nights to learn more of the trade.

Well sir the Allies are doing something now eh? I sincerely hope they can keep it up. We are having awful poor weather up here, raining every day. Please send me the Advocate (weekly). I am lost since I don't get it often. Still I want to get it regular. Wishing you every success.

Your sincerely,
 PETER TEIRY.

THERE WILL BE NO FOOTBALL MATCH TO-NIGHT.

St. John's Municipal Council

PUBLIC NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF ST. JOHN'S.

A Public Meeting of the Citizens of St. John's will be held on Friday, August 4th, at noon, for the purpose of considering a Resolution, having reference to the continued prosecution of the War, in which the Empire is engaged.

All Citizens are requested to attend.

The Employers of Labor and Proprietors of Stores are requested to permit all work to cease at 11.45, in order that an opportunity may be given to all the citizens to be present.

The Meeting will be held on Water Street in front of the Court House Building.

By order,
 JNO. L. SLATTERY,
 Secy.-Treas.

LOCAL ITEMS

Carbonvoid saves 25% your fuel cost.

The S.S. Tabasco is due on Sunday from Liverpool having left there on Saturday last.

Schr. Qui Vive has arrived at Greenspond from the Straits of Belle Isle with 350 qts of codfish.

Fresh Native Strawberries and Cream; also Choice Ice Cream, at WOODS' CANDY STORE

The Sagona sails again for Labrador ports to-night at 10 o'clock, and will call at the usual ports in Conception Bay on the way.

Report of a shortage of bait is made from all round the coast, and at only a few places has squid yet been taken. The scarcity of bait, has greatly hindered operations of late.

Carbonvoid gives increased mileage and more power.

A message from Bonavista on Tuesday stated squid was plentiful and on the previous evening some of the boats got 3 hrs. There was also a good sign of cod on the outer grounds but trawlers were doing nothing.

The Rev. Mother Superior, St. Michael's Convent, Belvidere, acknowledges with thanks the receipt of a cheque for \$71.11 from the Comrades Glee Club, per C. J. Fox, Esq., Secretary-Treasurer.

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The trouters who went out by Tuesday's trains returned to town last night with small catches. Many of them had to seek shelter during Tuesday night and yesterday forenoon, owing to the rain storm, which came on unexpectedly.

Owing to the unfavorable weather yesterday the proposed baseball games in aid of the C. of E. Orphanage Fund had to be postponed but will be run off next week. The games then will be all the more interesting as the interval will allow time for practice.

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Donald Nicholson had a letter from F. W. Caley, Esq., director of Messrs A. J. Caley & Son, Ltd., manufacturers of Confectionery, Norwich, Eng., saying that it gave him much pleasure to have the London manager call upon our boys in Hospital and will gladly do any little thing they can to show their appreciation of what these gallant officers and men are doing for the cause which is so dear to us all.

A Garden Party in aid of Col. Furness on the grounds of Mr. Jerry Brennan, Topsail Road, Wednesday, August 9th. Admission 10 cents. T. A. Band will be in attendance. There will be a Dance in the evening. aug3,5,8,31

WANTED!—Experienced Male Teacher for Methodist School, Springdale. Associate Grade preferred. Salary \$170.00. Apply Chairman Methodist Board, Springdale.—aug3,121

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