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Yesterday's Attractions.

ST. ANDREW'S LODGE.

The Masonic Temple was the scene last night of the erection and consecration of Lodge St. Andrew, No. 1129, A. F. and A. M., R. S. The ceremony was postponed since early in December last on account of the demise of the Worshipful Master-elect, Wor. Bro. R. C. Smith. A large gathering of members of the craft were present, including some brethren of the District Grand Lodges, and the event was a memorable one in Freemason circles. Following the opening of the Grand Lodge was the consecration ceremony, performed by the D. G. M., R. S. Wor. Bro. C. R. Duder, P. G. J. W., aided by officers and members of the District Grand Lodge and in accordance with the old time form and custom. Bro. Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, of Lodge St. Andrew, No. 1, Halifax, N. S. The charter members of the new Lodge are:—W. Bros. C. R. Duder, H. E. Cowan, R. G. Ash, W. R. Warren, D. M. Baird; Bros. J. J. McKay, J. G. McNeil, P. N. R. Johnson, J. McCoubrey, E. D. Spurrell, A. C. Goodridge, F. V. Chesman, H. C. Ayre, N. H. Alderdice, W. J. Milley, A. A. Montgomerie, W. C. Major, Hon. J. Anderson, Hon. C. H. Emerson, Hon. W. C. Job, Hugh Baird, Arch. Munn, G. T. Gordon, Jas. Baird, Jr., Geo. Knowlins, Dr. L. Paterson and A. Wilson.

After the consecration the installation of officers, conducted by D. G. M. Duder assisted by D. G. M. Clift, was held. The following are the names of the brethren who will guide the destinies of the new Lodge:—

W. M.—W. Bro. H. E. Cowan, P. M., P. G. J. D.
D. M.—W. Bro. R. G. Ash, D. G. Treasurer.

S. M.—W. Bro. W. R. Warren, D. G. I. G.

S. W.—Bro. J. J. McKay.
J. W. Bro. J. G. McNeil.

Sec.—W. Bro. D. M. Baird, D. G. B. Treas.—Bro. P. N. R. Johnson.
S. D.—Bro. J. McL. McCoubrey.
J. D.—Bro. E. D. Spurrell.

D. of C.—Bro. A. C. Goodridge.
O.—Bro. F. V. Chesman.

I. G.—Bro. H. C. Ayre.
Stds.—Bro. N. H. Alderdice, Bro. W. J. Milley, Bro. A. A. Montgomerie, Tyler—Bro. W. C. Major.

Congratulatory speeches were then made, after which a collection of \$150 was taken up for the Belgian Fund and the Lodge disposed of some formal business.

St. Andrew's Lodge is the 5th primary Masonic Lodge in St. John's, dedicated within the past three years. The new Lodge has a capable and efficient staff of officers, with an energetic W. M., who is a Past Master of Tasker Lodge, the Grand Secretary of the District and recently was honoured by being made a P. G. J. D. of the Grand Lodge of Scotland.

CHARITY BONSPIEL.

Yesterday was Charity Day at the Curling Rink and was marked by a record attendance and collection. The ice was in excellent condition and the competitions throughout the day were keenly contested. The proceeds amounted to \$25 or \$10 ahead of last year. In the afternoon the C. C. C. Band was present and played patriotic airs.

PATRIOTIC CONCERT.

The Patriotic Concert given at the Methodist College Hall last night, under the auspices of the United Methodist Bible Classes, was largely attended. That the performance was thoroughly enjoyed was evidenced by the fact that all the performers were cheered. The programme was as follows:—

Piano Solo—H. Gordon Christian, L. R. A. M.
Reading—R. Hearder.
Solo—Miss G. Colton.
Cello Solo—Alec. Mews.
Reading—W. D. Watson.
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Solo—Miss L. Anderson.
Reading—Miss F. Curtis.
Violin Solo—Miss Estelle Johnson.
Solo—Mrs. G. W. B. Ayre.
French Horn Solo—Arthur Bulley.
Reading—Mrs. R. A. Squires.
During the interval a sale of candy was held by Miss Bradbury and her assistants, and the sum of \$50 was realized which will be added to the general proceeds in aid of the Patriotic Fund. The singing of the National Anthem brought the enjoyable evening to a close.

RIFLE SHOOT.

Yesterday's shooting competition at the Southside Rifle Range between a team representing the Second Contingent and eight of the instructors of the Musketry Committee, resulted in a victory for the latter by the narrow margin of seven points. The regulations of the shoot were seven shots and a sighter at 200 and 500 yards. The scores were:—

Name	Musketry Instructors.		Total
	200 yds.	500 yds.	
W. H. Green	25	26	51
W. H. Rennie	27	23	50
Harvey Thomas	23	27	50
H. M. Winter	25	25	50
E. S. Coffin	22	24	46
H. Luscombe	25	20	45
E. McNab	25	19	44
W. A. B. Slater	20	14	34
Grand Total	192	178	370

Name	Reserve Force, 1st Nfld. Regiment.		Total
	200 yds.	500 yds.	
Lieut. E. S. Ayre	27	27	54
E. Barnes	27	23	50
J. R. Ferguson	29	27	47
C. Reid	24	23	47
R. Fowling	23	22	45
J. Taylor	27	18	45
G. Duncan	23	17	40
W. Farrington	22	13	35
Grand Total	193	170	363

The highest score for the day was made by Lieut. E. S. Ayre, of the Volunteers, who secured 54 out of a possible 56 score, or 27 at each range. Mr. W. A. B. Slater, who had not shot for many years, was high-liner for the instructors.

OPERETTA.

The entertainment given by the pupils of the Christian Brothers at the Casino last night was greeted with a full house, every available seat in the spacious theatre being occupied. Amongst those present were Rt. Rev. Mgr. Roche, V.G., Administrator of the Archdiocese, Rt. Hon. Sir E. P. Morris and several of the city clergy. The programme was of a varied and interesting nature, and consisted of a selection of national airs by the C. C. C. Band, solos, duets, trios, choruses and recitations by the boys of St. Patrick's Hall and Holy Cross Schools, followed by a delightful comic operetta, "Idle Ben" in three acts. The singing and elocution of the youthful performers were of a very high order, and reflected much credit on Mr. Huton and the Christian Brothers. A fitting close of the entertainment was the singing of "The Minstrel Boy," "The Flag of Newfoundland," "Rule Britannia," and "God Save the King" by a class of forty boys. During the intervals the C. C. C. Band, under Capt. Arthur Bulley rendered several pleasing orchestral selections which were very much appreciated. The financial success of the entertainment was in a large measure due to Mr. J. C. Pippy, whose efforts on behalf of the Christian Brothers have all been crowned with the success that his untiring energy deserves. The proceeds will be devoted to the Holy Cross Building Fund.

PATRIOTIC DANCE.

Last night's dance in the British Hall, promoted by Misses Calvert and Cahill (2) was a great success and all who attended, thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The music was excellently played by the T. A. Band. Supper was served at midnight, after which dancing was resumed until an early hour this morning. The proceeds reached a substantial sum which will be devoted to the Tobacco Fund to buy smokes for our Volunteers.

Belgian Medical Fund.

Amount acknowledged	\$35.00
Dr. H. A. Giovannetti	5.00
Dr. L. S. Pritchard	5.00
Dr. W. T. Scully	5.00
Dr. F. W. Burden	5.00
Dr. W. E. Jones	5.00
Dr. A. R. Anderson	5.00
Dr. J. I. O'Connell	5.00
Dr. R. A. Brehm	5.00
Dr. R. J. Freebairn	5.00
Dr. W. Hogan	5.00
Dr. A. P. McKay	5.00
Dr. H. H. Cowperthwaite	5.00
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