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Star of the Sea Society.

MEETS IN NEW HALL.

The regular monthly meeting of the Star of the Sea Association was held yesterday in their new hall, which is now nearing completion. The anniversary of the destruction of the old premises fell on Friday last. It will be remembered that the fire started in the early hours of Dec. 23, 1920, and in fighting it, one fireman was killed and several were injured. At yesterday's meeting of the Society, Rev. Dr. Greene, spiritual director, addressed the members, congratulating them and the Building Committee on the excellent progress that had been made, in spite of many difficulties. Various matters in connection with the Association were discussed, and a full programme of the opening celebrations, at which it was announced His Grace Archbishop Roche would be present. The new hall is of very pleasing design and being built on modern lines will be an adornment to the city. The top flat has been engaged by the Star Movie Company, who occupied the old building before its destruction, and it is expected will be opening on New Year's night. The Society is to be complimented on their splendid new hall, and for the manner in which they overcame their temporary setback.

Note of Thanks.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir—I would like through your paper to thank my lady and gentleman friends for their support in the Municipal contest, and to assure them I will do my utmost to make our city what all would like to see it, I sincerely appreciate Mr. Brophy's kindly reference, and would say, publicly, that it is only what one expected from a gentleman and a sportsman, as he is.

Wishing all the Compliments of the Season, I remain,
Yours truly,
REG. DOWDEN.

Dec. 24, 1921.

A SLIGHT FIRE.—Early Christmas morning the Central and East End Fire Companies were called to the residence of Mr. Kinsella, King's Bridge Road, where a slight fire was in progress. After a few minutes work the blaze was subdued without much damage being done to the premises.

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HIS DIARY.

December 24th.—Up betimes and to the office. No news of any kind to be had and a very dull Xmas. It is like to be. To Water Street and find it near deserted and not at all as it was the year past. To the Green Lane, where to lunch with Mr. James, Mr. Martin, and Mr. O'Reilly, all of the Telegram news sheet and a right merry meal. In the night again to Water Street and to my bookseller's where meeting Dr. J. A. Robinson and Mr. G. W. B. Ayre. I did have some discourse with them and did wish them a merry Xmas. So to home, and in going did notice a strange thing, the Controller's department, being that it was filled with people and they there to get liquor for script.

December 25th. (Xmas Day).—A dry Xmas, such as I have not seen these many years. Lay pretty long in bed, and then rose and to open my gifts. These a most strange mixture. From Aunt Jemimah Pepys a pair of bed socks, such as I am never like to use; from my uncle Roger, a tin of cigarettes and they of a kind which I do use but rarely, seeing how they cost a great deal, and I therefore against the renewal of my vows against the smoking of them for a se'nnight. Many other gifts there were but few of use, save a carpet beater from my wife, I fear that she has bought it with a purpose. To dine with my wife of a fine turkey to my great content. To walk in the night and meeting Mr. H. W. Stirling, he with me and to discourse of many things. So home and to bed, wearing a bed-suit of a delicate pink, that my great uncle Samuel did send to me, and which, I think, is in mighty good taste.

December 26th. (Stephen's Day).—It being frost and dry, I to walk with friends. I go this afternoon to Sir J. Croble's, and he did shake me by the hand very civilly, as did his lady and Colonel Sullivan. And a most amazing thing, being that Santa Claus did call, and he in a sheep skin coat and with a huge bag of gifts. Seeing how it was the first time that I did meet him, I did make haste to shake him by the hand, whereas he calls me by name and says "Mr. Pepys, it is a great honour that you do me, for I read your journal and think mighty high of it." And I greatly confused thereat, albeit it was to my great content. Santa then to play on a small gramophone and the most pleasant music that I did hear this many a se'nnight. Then to distribute his gifts and so home and with a reminder. To the Majestic playhouse, there to see the pictures and so home and to the writing of my journal.

Obituary.

HUBERT BARNES.

"He, the young and strong who cherished,
Nobler longings for the strife;
By the roadside fell and perished,
Weary with the march of life."

English Harbour is so much the poorer as the result of a visit from the Grim Reaper Death to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Barnes, and taking from them their eldest son Hubert, at the early age of 18 years. Hubert was one of English Harbour's most promising citizens, and although quite young, he had experienced a career, which could not but possibly have marked future successes for him, but "He who rules all things" ordered otherwise. The deceased received his early education at English Harbour, and having adopted teaching as his profession, he accordingly attended Bishop Fild College during the winter of 1920 with marked success. He was eventually sent to Milltown, Bay d'Espoir, and remained there one school year. He spent his summer holidays of this year at home, returning again to Milltown in August. In October he contracted an exceptionally heavy cold, the effects from which he never recovered. Failing health and acting on medical advice prompted him to proceed home, arriving here on Dec. 12th. Apparently hopes for his recovery were bright, but the journey by steamer and rail had its demoralising effects. Each day saw him becoming weaker, and on Sunday, 18th inst., at 5 p.m. his spirit passed to "Him who gave it." He was laid to rest in the quiet little Anglican Cemetery on Wednesday, the burial service being conducted by Mr. G. Penney, Lay Reader. A father, mother and brother are left to mourn the sad loss of their dear one, to whom the heartfelt sympathy of the community is extended.

"Father in thy gracious keeping
Leave we now thy servant sleeping."
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Coastal Boats.

CROSBIES.
S.S. Snu left Joe Batt's Arm this morning and is due here to-morrow night.

GOVERNMENT.
S.S. Prospero left port at 10 a.m. on Northern Coastal Service.

Argyle left Argentea at a.m., on Western route.

Clyde left Springdale Saturday.
Glencoe left Grand Bank yesterday.
Home left Expiots Saturday.
Kyle at Port aux Basques yesterday.
Sagana left Curling Sunday.
Malakoff left Port Union yesterday.

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A Christmas Carol.

The Christ-child lay on Mary's lap
His hair was like a light.
Oh, weary, weary were the world,
But here is all a right.

The Christ-child lay on Mary's breast,
His hair was like a light.
(Oh, stern and sunning are the kings,
But here the true hearts are.)

The Christ-child lay on Mary's heart,
His hair was like a fire.
(Oh, weary, weary is the world,
But here the world's desire.)

The Christ-child stood at Mary's knee,
His hair was like a crown.
And all the flowers looked up at him,
And all the stars looked down.
—G. K. Chesterton.

"A Woman's Honour."

Good Clean Drama by Mr. T. M. White's Company at Casino Last Night in Aid of Cadets.

Last night the Casino Theatre was well filled on the occasion of the production of the 4-Act Drama "A Woman's Honour," under the direction of Mr. T. M. White. The drama is a clean and wholesome one, well balanced in the dialogue and stage setting, with comedy that kept the audience in good humor till the last fall of the curtain. The play is laid in Virginia and the plot hinges on the rightful ownership of an estate. Miss Irene Kennedy, as leading woman filled the role of Imogene Courtleigh admirably, while Mr. T. M. White, her husband, seems to have lost nothing of his old verve and gave a graceful and natural interpretation of the leading character. Miss Gertie Ryan, as "Ginger" the Gypsy Wail, charmed all by her piquant acting, graceful and natural movement, and above all by her clear and distinct enunciation. Not a word was lost. This young lady is a star in amateur theatricals, and has a great future. Capt. O'Grady as Horatio, a veteran artist, was at his best last night, and with a true and natural conception of a rather difficult role he rendered the same with a grace, dignity and ease that was nothing short of professional skill. He was admirably supported by his chum Dink Potts, Lieut. John Spears. With a fine appearance by nature, Lieut. Spears added new laurels to his former reputation and filled his role without a flaw. Mr. P. J. Grace, as Buck Tyson, the Gypsy Thinker, deserves a special note of praise for his faithful work. It is difficult to imagine that a professional could get more out of the character than Capt. Grace. We commend him that he did not overdo it. And then there is Mr. J. J. Prowse, who filled the role of Major Duffey, a county clerk and veteran. He took charge of the audience in the "Bull Dog" courtship, and in the act where he shows in patois his excitement over the horse race in which he made the hall ring with applause. His makeup was particularly fine and he was good to look upon. Mr. G. Muir, too, is deserving of a good word for his faithful performance of the Squire, and Mr. J. Clancey was an ideal Darkey Servitor and did his part true to nature. Capt. W. Grace had a minor part, but he was all right. Miss M. Horan, or Prudence Freshheart, and Mr. J. J. Sullivan as Nance Tyson, also deserve to be congratulated on the faithful portrayal of the character. The specialties between the acts by Miss Howlett, Mr. Trapnell and Miss Wallace were splendid.—COM.

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The Three Graduates.

An Incident of the First Graduation in the K. of C. Memorial Hall.

A trio of fair maids,
Bright, beautiful and good,
Are entering to-day
The realm of womanhood.

Velled from their youthful eyes
Life's heritage of tears;
Hope bright within each breast,
They face the future years.

Sweet dreams of love and joy
Alluring vistas wave—
Down pathways flower strewn,
Trod by the fair and brave.

And they shall write with pride
Along that rose-decked way,
Their Alma Mater's name,
More bright from day to day.

And one shall be a queen,
Within a Christian home;
Where never cloud to mar
Her happiness shall come.

And one with lifted head,
Shall toil to place her name,
In characters of gold
Upon the roll of fame.

But she so graceful there,
With gladness in her voice;
Whose unaffected smile
Compels us to rejoice.

Her thoughts on loftier wing
Are soaring to the Throne,
Her angel guided soul
Dreams but of one alone!

Of Him who once of old
At Martha's house delayed;
And marked with words of praise
The part that Mary played.

So she the fairest there,
Hark'ning that thrilling Word,
In meekness prays to be
A Bride of Christ her Lord!

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Kirk Carol Service.

LARGE CONGREGATION PRESENT.

The choir of St. Andrew's, Presbyterian Church rendered their annual Carol Service on Saturday night. The music was under the direction of the organist, Mr. Moncrieff Mawer. A large congregation was present. The service was a beautiful one, and the delightful singing of the old carols could not fail to charm the ear of the hearer. The solo were rendered in a splendid manner and the selections by the mixed quartette were deserving of great praise. The "Hallelujah Chorus" from the Messiah, brought the service to a close.

Grand Dance to be held at the Empire Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 27, '21, under the auspices of the Jewish Ladies' Auxiliary. C. C. C. Band.—dec27,1f

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