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N.P.T.A. Social.

The Nfld. Postal Telegraphers' Association held a social evening at the West End Restaurant last night. Games and songs were indulged in until 10.30 when the entire party of about 70 members, retired to the first dining-room, where supper was served, during which speeches were made by President M. F. Hackett, Messrs. W. T. Woodford, Mr. Williams of Kelligrews and Mr. Crocker. After the inner man had been satisfied the fun was again continued until the early hours of the morning. During the evening songs were rendered by Misses F. Martin and M. Stack; Messrs. O'Greene and F. Neville.

Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—oct18.6mo

Valentine Social.

The Valentine Social held in the Congregational lecture hall on Tuesday night was a splendid success. The Valentine Post Office was kept very busy, and the postman had to lose no time in getting their mail delivered. The candy stall was also kept busy and a handsome sum was realized. The programme was splendidly carried out, all the performers being at their best. Following is the programme:—

PART I.
Solo:—Miss Herder.
Solo:—Mr. S. Lawrence.
Duet:—Misses Emily and Dorothy Jardine.
Solo:—Mr. Courtenay.
Violin Solo:—Miss Pever.
Solo:—Mr. J. Duff.

Interval during which ice cream and candy were sold.

PART II.

Solo:—Mr. Glass.
Solo:—Miss Ruth Calvert.
Musical Monologue:—Mr. Holmes.
Solo:—Mrs. C. F. Garland.
Cello Solo:—Mr. Mews.
Solo:—Miss Langmead.
Refreshments were served by the ladies and everyone knows what's coming when it is a Congregational social. The singing of God Save the King brought the very successful affair to a close.—Com.

Shipping Notes.

S.S. Sable I. leaves Halifax on Sunday for here, via Louisburg. The ship leaves the latter port on Monday.
S.S. Schem is due here from Liverpool, but up to noon hour the ship had not reported to the Furness Withy Co.

Eddie McGinley a Versatile Entertainer

The holiday program drew crowded houses to the Crescent Theatre to see "Eddie" McGinley in a new vaudeville act. Yesterday he appeared in an entirely different characterization. He showed those in doubt that he was not black but could do the white comedy as well. His song which consisted of his opening number, brought rounds of applause and an outburst of laughter from the huge audience of delighted spectators. "Eddie" asked a "phony" to name any topic to which they would desire a song rendered to. Quite a number of suggestions were made to which the comedian immediately converted to a well known air which everybody knew. This really brought down the house with enthusiasm. A vaudeville stunt such as this cannot be found any day, and "Eddie" is certainly fortunate in being possessed with the remarkable talent of composing his numbers on such a short notice. This same vaudeville act will be repeated to-night together with catchy songs and dances.

Ladies' and Gent's Felt Gaiters, Tweedie Boot Tops or Spats, 10, 12 and 14 button, Fawn, Taupe and Black, sizes 3 to 6. Reg. \$3.50 and \$4.00. Specially priced to clear, \$1.10 a pair. G. KNOWLING, LTD.
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Kirk Men's Association

WIRELESS LECTURE BY EXPERT.
At a general meeting of the Kirk Men's Association held in the Presbyterian Hall on Tuesday Night, Mr. F. L. Southgate gave an address on Wireless Telegraphy and Wireless Telephony. As Mr. Southgate is an expert in these matters, and saw extensive service with the British Army in France as Aeroplane Observer, etc., he was able to explain at first hand how the observation work was carried out, and the manner in which the batteries were given the range of enemy positions, troops, etc., how ships, both land and sea, were able to get their positions exactly from Direction Finding Stations, and a lot of other very interesting information. This was one of the most instructive and interesting addresses the Association has listened to, and it is hoped in a short time that Mr. Southgate will be able to give the Association a practical demonstration of Wireless Telephone. The President, J. W. Morris, then showed a couple of moving pictures of educational subjects which were enjoyed, after which a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Southgate and Mr. Morris, and the singing of God Save the King brought a very successful and enjoyable evening to a close.

Slumbering Patriotism.

Whilst the cause, from which emanates the effort towards the success of the Officers' Ball, might have been supported by more patriotic effort through fuller realization of its necessity, it remains at last but the plain duty of every person to at least enthusiastically endorse this one and perhaps final effort to the successful erecting of our War Memorial.

This Officers' Ball requires full public patronage. We want for you, won't you come for us? feb16.11

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT.
—The engagement is announced of Miss Jennie D. Miller, youngest daughter of Joseph Miller, Esq., of Topsail, to Mr. E. L. Butler, late of St. John's, but now residing at Manuels.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 15.
The iron hand of President Obregon, which has been used sparingly during the fourteen months of his administration, is now effectively gripping incipient revolutions in Mexico, which in the past month have been more frequent than at any time since the last change of Government. Yesterday morning General Antonio Pruneda, General Antonio Ruiz and Captain Lugardo Perez, all formerly of the Federal Army met death before firing squads.

NOT OVERDRAWN.

LONDON, Feb. 15.
Twenty four hours of calm on the Ulster frontier has brought some relief from the tension surrounding the Irish situation. The statement by Lord High Chancellor Birkenhead yesterday, however, that "in the next few weeks we are going through most grave and critical period, probably in living memory," is generally regarded as in no particular overdrawn.

KEEPING UP.

BELFAST, Feb. 15.
Shooting was resumed in the early hours of this morning in Belfast.

PERMANENT COURT INAUGURATED.

THE HAGUE, Feb. 15.
The Peace Palace was the scene of

the inaugural session of a permanent court of international justice. The event was hailed by adherents of pacifist ideals as a new milestone in the evolutionary progress of the world towards peace.

GHANDI DOING PENANCE.

BOMBAY, Feb. 15.
Gandhi, leader of the Non-Co-operationists movement announces that he began, last Sunday, a five days fast as penance for the recent disturbance in Chauri Chaura. He says he will regard his fast as punishment for those who committed "brutal murders, which no amount of provocation could possibly justify." Gandhi advises those guilty of participating in the Chauri Chaura fighting, in which seventeen native policemen were killed, voluntarily to surrender and confess their crimes. He says he regards this tragedy as the third warning from God against hardy embarkation on massed civil disobedience, and as his bitterest cup of humiliation, but he deems such humiliation, ostracism, or even death, preferable to any countenancing of untruth or violence.

NEXT TO CIVIL WAR.

BELFAST, Feb. 15.
Firing in Stanhope Street area, when disorder broke out again this afternoon, after a lull of several hours, became so intense that police, hurried to scene, were forced to use their arms to subdue snipers, but a disorderly crowd continued to gather.

and a bayonet charge was ordered, in which one civilian was wounded. The district around simmered with excitement throughout the afternoon. About five o'clock there were outbreaks of firing from old Lodge Road into Townsend Street, one street from Stanhope, where a shopkeeper was shot through the head and taken to Hospital in a dying condition. Two other persons were seriously wounded and many others were taken to Hospital, after rioting early in the afternoon, with those injured in the latest outbreaks. The number of casualties for four days passed the hundred mark. Six men, this afternoon, invaded the office of the New Northern Spinning Company, and fired revolvers indiscriminately. Assistant Manager William Duffin was killed, and one clerk wounded. Duffin is a nephew of Adam Duffin, member of the Ulster Senate. A bomb was exploded in the dock district to-night, wounding Father McGrath, Constable O'Rourke, Mary Hart and James Maxwell. Four men entered the house of Charles Millan and shot him. He is dying. Additional troops are on the way here from Ballykishar.

PROCEEDINGS SUSPENDED.

LONDON, Feb. 15.
British Government proceedings against Gandhi, leader of the Non-Co-operationists in India have been suspended, in view of the announced cessation of the campaign of civil disobedience. Announcement of this in-

Our Local Peppy.

HIS DIARY.

February 14th (Valentine's Day). To walk, my wife and I, and she brought her new fur coat (of which I hear, the latest fashion). Meeting Mr. Fox on Water Street, which is a mighty strange thing, seeing that two men who do stand for an attempt to rescue prisoners from the watch, did really give the law assistance. At night, my wife to the Mason's Valentine Dance. I met there Mr. Hartman, Brooks and Hon. W. Warren. I have some discourse with the dance the lancers, nor does advanced age make me any the less in doing so. To-night, it comes to mind to set down how the whole seems mad for amusement. But where people do get these days much of money as he spent is a thing to think of.

February 15th.—A whole day being the Curriers' Day for Water Street. To my chagrin and to my wife's vexation, I was obliged to be cut for my appearance which is advice little to my liking, seeing how it will spoil my plan for the season. But in one way, my wife's nagging for a night or month. To the Club and to the billiards and at bridge. Very much of the express train, that it did the Topsails to-day, and it does there these three days, nor any in the country these two weeks night, to the pictures and so on to bed.

tention was made in the Commons after noon by Edwin Montagu, Secretary for India.

EPIDEMIC OVER.

LONDON, Feb. 15.
The Influenza Epidemic in Paris is practically over, says a Reuters patch. There are now only four cases in Paris hospitals compared with nine hundred cases only a few days ago.

AN ADMIXTURE.

LONDON, Feb. 15.
There was much discussion in the lobby of the House of Commons tonight regarding the future of the so called coupon principle, as by candidates received official approval as good coalitionists. The report that the two wings will next general election as independent allies, forces, is understood to be substantially correct. It is held that negotiations with a view to allocation of constituencies between them is proceeding, and it is stated that one of the reasons for withdrawal of coupons was to make "the die hard" Unionists to remain the fold of Orthodox Unionists.

RATE REDUCED.

LONDON, Feb. 15.
The Bank of England to-day reduced its rate of discount to four and a half per cent.

PERFECTLY SATISFIED.

LONDON, Feb. 15.
Michael Collins' return to Ireland after only twelve hours in London and his admission that he was dissatisfied with the result of the conference with the Government, here, are taken to mean that the British evacuation of South Wales will be resumed forthwith, and time uninterrupted. This will relieve the situation in Ireland of its serious features.

I.R.A. OFFICERS ARRESTED.

BELFAST, Feb. 15.
A sensation has been caused in Newry by the arrest by an special constable, of Neuman Mahan, Local Commandant of the Republican Army, and two other public officers, Patrick and John Murray. The officers were taken from Killeel, County Down, the direction of Killeen, where they were taken to Newry, where they were searched, and afterwards were conveyed to Newry Barracks under a heavy escort.

DOING IT BY HALVES.

LONDON, Feb. 15.
The London Editor of the Bulletin, to-day, asserts that the Government has decided to release only half of the Irish political prisoners held in Great Britain. This discrimination in classes of political prisoners, the Bulletin has caused intense indignation in Irish residents of the country, and preparations are being made to intensify a campaign of protest against the haggling methods of the Government.

Daisy Returns.

NO SIGN OF SISTO.
The S.S. Daisy which went to the assistance of the S.S. Sisto, returned port at 5 a.m. The cruiser, within 25 miles, off the given point of the Sisto, but owing to a change of wind and ice driving on the coast, was thought advisable not to proceed further. The Sisto is not in any danger and is in communication with the Cape.

The popular trio, Wallace, Edine and Bickley, will sing to-night at "Billeted".—feb16.11

REMEMBER THE HOCKEYISTS WHO WENT "WEST."
The Biggest Hockey Event of the Season
Being The Nfld. Hockey Association's effort towards the Newfoundland War Memorial,
Prince of Wales Rink, Thursday at 7.30.

Five Matches for Two Handsome Trophies.

- (a) TERRA NOVA'S vs. ST. BON'S.
- (b) BISHOP FEILD COLLEGE vs. METHODIST COLLEGE.
- (c) FEILDIAANS vs. SAINTS.
- (d) ST. BON'S COLLEGE vs. WINNERS OF (b).
- (e) WINNERS OF (a) vs. WINNERS OF (c).

Doors open at 6.30. General admission 50c. Reserved seats \$1.00. On sale at The Royal Stationery Co. this afternoon.

N.B.—Holders of seat tickets in "A" and "B" will enter by the door to be opened on Forest Road side of Rink; holders of tickets in "C", "D", "E" and "G" will enter by door on Curling Club side of Rink.

C. L. B. BAND IN ATTENDANCE.

J. M. TOBIN,
Sec. Nfld. Hockey Association.

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The 3-E.E.E.'s Footwear

Advance Spring Styles

3-E.E.E.'s, the new Footwear, is now featured in advance Spring designs, and well to the fore among them is a smart little buckle or lace Brogue model in several shades of Brown, also Black.

Every well-dressed woman knows how important her footwear is as a part of her costume, and for town or country wear this smart Brogue, with its new wing-tip toe, fringed tongue and stylish sensible heel is absolutely correct wear.

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Brown Calf, Blucher style; sizes 1 to 5, \$4.50 to \$5.50.	Box Calf, Blucher style, made on good wide lasts; a shoe that will give splendid service. Formerly \$5.50. Now only \$4.00. Sizes 9 to 13, including half sizes.	Vici buttoned, sizes 11 to 2. Regular \$4.90 value for \$2.75.
60 pairs Vici Blucher, sizes 3 and 4 only. Former price to \$5.00. To clear at \$3.50.	Vici straight laced, sizes 5 to 10, only \$2.90. Same in Box Calf, \$3.00.	Box Calf buttoned, good, strong and serviceable; sizes 11 to 2, only \$2.95.
10 pairs boys' G. M. Blucher. Regular price \$7.00. Now \$3.00.		Box Calf buttoned, sizes 5 to 10, \$2.50. Vici buttoned, sizes 5 to 10, \$2.30. Same prices in laced.

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