

News of the City and the Outports

Avalon Battalion Church Parade

C.L.B. at St. Mary's Yesterday.—Big Turnout.—Sermon by Rev. Henry Uphill.

The Avalon Battalion C. L. B. held their second church parade for the year yesterday afternoon, when they attended divine service at St. Mary's Church, South Side.

Under the command of Lieut-Col. Rendell and headed by the full brass band, they left the armoury at 3 p.m. and proceeded along Le-Marchant Road in column of half companies, down Hamilton St., Hutchings St. and across the Long Bridge to the church.

The line of march was crowded with people eager to see the Battalion as they passed by.

Excellent Music.

The band with its new members, under Staff-Sergt. Cake, rendered some excellent music, and are to be complimented. It was the new members' first turn out with the band and it speaks well for Staff-Sergt. Cake and his assistants for the excellent way in which they have been trained.

The Rev. Hy. Uphill, Chaplain of the Brigade, delivered a very interesting and sound address to the lads, taking for his text part of the 22nd verse of the 5 chap. of the first epistle of St. Paul the Apostle Timothy, "Keep thyself pure."

Practical Lessons.

The Rev. gentleman pointed out the different forces of human life and explained the meaning of them, taking them in four parts, "money, power, love and character." He explained to the lads the value of each and spoke at length on the greatest force in human life, which is character and purity. The address was listened to carefully and attentively by every lad and by every member of the congregation.

Service being ended the Battalion was formed up and proceeded back to the armoury by way of Water St., McBride's Hill and Long's Hill. The Lieut-Col. addressed the lads and congratulated them on their splendid appearance and the large turnout. He announced that on July the 15th His Royal Highness The Duke of Connaught, President of the Church Lads' rigade, and uncle to His Majesty the King, who is the Patron of the C. L. B., will inspect the Battalion.

Battalion Colors.

The Battalion colors were carried in yesterday's parade by Lieut. R. H. Tait, of C. Co. This is Lieut. Tait's first turnout with the Battalion, he only receiving his commission a short while ago, and congratulations were extended to him by his senior officers.

The total strength of the parade is as follows:

A. Co.	39
B. Co.	46
C. Co.	66
F. Co.	53
Departmental	19
Band	20
Total	244

MAGISTRATE'S LEVEE.

A 25 year old clerk, Dunford Street, was charged with assaulting a girl. He pleaded that he made a mistake and did not mean to insult the girl, but the Judge would not believe him and fined him \$10 or 30 days.

Seven others were fined small amounts.

The boys charged with being "disorderly" proved they only kicked a football that came over the college fence.

A boy who was summoned for disorderly conduct pleaded not guilty and the case was dismissed.

Ex-watchman Phillips of Rowepalk who pleaded guilty to the larceny of some rope was sent to jail for two months.

The express is due at 4.30 p.m.

BIG PERFORMANCE AT THE NICKEL TO-DAY

"His Life For His Emperor," a thrilling film by the Viagraph Co. with an all star cast, is the principal attraction at the Nickel Theatre to-day. It is a story of the days of Napoleon and is splendidly acted.

"The International Spies" is also a sensational story which is well worth seeing.

"Retribution" is a touching film which is certain to give pleasure to all who see it.

"The Duke's Dilemma" is an Edison comedy. There will also be a Pathe Weekly.

Miss Gardner and Mr. McCarthy will be heard in new songs.

Big Attendance At Procession

Large Numbers of Citizens Were Present at Religious Ceremony in R. C. Cathedral Grounds

The annual Corpus Christi procession attracted large numbers of citizens to the R. C. Cathedral grounds yesterday afternoon.

The children in their white robes made a very attractive spectacle. The officers of the adult and juvenile Total Abstinence societies; Star of the Sea, Mechanics, B.I.S., Knights of Columbus and Holy Name with the C.C.C. and both T. A. bands were present.

After vespers the procession left the Cathedral and moved slowly to the Presentation Convent, the route being lined by the C.C.C. who were present under command of Lt.-Col. Courroy.

The Host was carried by His Lordship-Bishop Power and also present were Rt. Rev. Mgr. Roche, V.G., Rev. Dr. Green and Kitchin, Fathers McDermott, Pippy, Finn, Sears, Shean and Conway.

At the Presentation Convent, at the altar erected near the western transept, in the grounds, and again in the Cathedral, Benediction was imparted by His Lordship Bishop Power who was assisted on the Throne by Rev. Dr. Kitchin and Fr. McDermott.

The music rendered was splendid and was favorably commented on by the large congregation.

DEATH OF MR. J. L. ROSS.

Mr. Joseph L. Ross, the well known farmer of Quidi Vidi, passed away last evening at the age of 73.

Last month when returning from Canada he was injured in a train accident and never recovered.

Deceased came to Newfoundland from Margaree, C.B., about 23 years ago and has since engaged at farming at Quidi Vidi.

A family of seven daughters and two sons are left to mourn to whom the Advocate and Mail expresses sympathy.

COASTAL BOATS.

BOWRING'S.
Prospero left Wesleyville at 5.20 p.m. yesterday.

Portia left Pushthrough at 6.45 p.m. yesterday.

CROSBIE'S.
Fogota and Sagona come off dock to-morrow morning.

Fogota goes north Wednesday.

RED'S.
Lintrose leaves North Sydney to-night.

Bruce left Basques at 7.30 a.m.

REGATTA MEETING.
A meeting of the Regatta Committee will be held in the T. A. Hall (Armoury) this evening at 7.30.

FEILDIAN FIVES.
The football fives in connection with B. F. C. sports, Wednesday afternoon, have been drawn as follows: St. Bon's vs. Star; Saints vs. Collegians; C.E.I. vs. B.I.S.; Feildians vs. Casuals.

ANOTHER PICNIC.
Mr. T. Thorburn, of the Agriculture and Mines office, leaves by this evening's express to make the necessary preparations for the visit of Pro. Dusan, who is to examine our coal areas.

CYCLISTS COLLIDE.
As D. Mullooney of T. & M. Winter's was wheeling along Duckworth Street last evening he collided with J. Strang's motor bike.

The latter's wheel went over the former, damaging it considerably. Mr. Strang's wheel was not damaged.

ST. BON'S ALUMNI.
The committee of St. Bon's Association to make arrangements for the breakfast and entertainment on July 14th, met yesterday at the college.

If the day be fine the concert will be held in the grounds.

The buildings will be decorated for the occasion.

Man Stole Cash From Poor Girl

Former Postal Clerk, Just Released From Penitentiary, Acts the 'Sneak Thief'

An ex-postal clerk named Gordon recently released from the Penitentiary after a 9 months sentence, is now doing 30 days in jail at Channel.

He was enroute to Boston, travelling second class, when he stole five dollars from a domestic who was also en route to Boston. The girl fell asleep and when she woke discovered that \$5.00 had been stolen from her. Gordon was the only passenger in the car when she dozed off. She reported to Conductor Noseworthy, who accused Gordon, but he denied it and endeavored to lay blame on the train hands.

The theft was then reported to Magistrate Squarrey and the accused was detained. Later he was brought before the magistrate, proved guilty and sentenced to 30 days imprisonment.

During the week the weather was very stormy and not much fishing was done. A few of the men were trying for halibut.

SHIPPING

BANKERS AT ST. JACQUES.

A message was received from St. Jacques to-day, stating that the following vessels had arrived from the Banks:

Natoma, 500 qtls.;	Effie M. Petite, 550 qtls.;	J. A. McLean, 450 qtls.
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The Natoma has about half a load.

EARL OF DEVON RETURNS.

S.S. Earl of Devon returned yesterday, bringing the following passengers:

Jas. Besson, Stephen West, C. Turk, E. Whalen, Mrs. (Capt.) J. Kean, Rev. W. Colton, Rev. W. Vey, W. Emberley, J. Barrett, Mr. Elliott, Miss E. Good-year.

KYLE ICEBOUND AT SPOTTED ISLANDS

Capt. Parsons, of the Kyle, sent a wireless from Spotted Islands last night that his steamer left there at 8.30 a.m. Sunday, but was obliged to return on account of heavy ice.

She has a number of freighters on board and if the ice prevents her reaching her destination, they will be considerably inconvenienced.

BANKERS RETURN

A number of banking schooners returned to Belleoram Saturday with good trips—Acme, 750; Alice M. Pike, 250; Valorie, 600; Demring, 330; Mattie, 400; Nahada, 350.

The Marion returned to St. Jacques with 400 qtls.

The latter reports very stormy weather.

BRUCE PASSENGERS

The S.S. Bruce arrived at Port aux Basques at 7 a.m. yesterday with the following passengers—W. D. Reid, B. O. Kelly, C. Cooper, Rev. Dean Rourke, W. H. Parkins, D. and Mrs. Merrin, A. P. Burnham, R. A. Murray, W. A. Cheyette, Mrs. Barshaw, Mrs. E. E. Roe, Mrs. B. Banfield, Mrs. E. Horwood, W. Hastle, A. A. Smith, G. F. Davies, G. Mitchell, Geo. Lane, W. J. Jones, G. Price, J. P. Smith, G. H. Hopkins, C. Rydford, J. K. Bibb, D. Griffiths, Isaac Jones, B. Daris, G. Williams, G. B. French, A. A. Campbell, R. G. Varlane, H. G. Chestnut, J. W. O'Brien, W. J. Wellwood, J. Roe, Rev. K. H. and Mrs. Butt

RED CROSS.

Stephano arrived at Halifax this morning at 5, after a quick run of 36 hours.

Florizel left New York Saturday.

S.S. Adventure was at Sydney Saturday, for bunker coal.

S.S. Mongolian will not leave Liverpool until to-morrow for this port.

S.S. Volgaar left Wabana for Philadelphia Saturday morning with 6115 tons ore for the N. S. Co.

S.S. Ness berthed at A. Harvey's today for bunker coal. She sails this afternoon for Sydney to load coal.

S.S. Themis was at Sydney last week loading coal for Montreal. She will likely remain in the coal trade for the summer.

NORWEGIAN FISHERY.

June 13, 1914.—79,800,000.

Last year.—72,900,000.

POOR OUTLOOK FOR FISHERY TO THE WEST

Stormy Weather Continues and the Fishermen Are Very Much Hampered Thereby

CODFISH AND LOBSTERS REPORTED VERY SCARCE

Herring are Fairly Plentiful.—Salmon Fishers Lose Their Nets In Friday's Big Storm

Discouraging reports of the fishery to the Westward continue to come in. As will be seen from the subjoined reports, received by the Board of Trade, the season has been most unsuccessful so far and the prospects of improvement are by no means bright.

June 6th. From T. Soper (Channel to Port aux Basques)—The total codfish catch is 3227 quintals, and for last week 5 tubs and 1000 pounds of halibut.

Eleven dories and eleven skiffs with two boats are fishing. One banker but no schooners from the grounds returned. Prospects are very poor and there is no bait. The lobster catch is very small.

During the week the weather was very stormy and not much fishing was done. A few of the men were trying for halibut.

Lot of Damage

Friday's storm did a lot of damage to the salmon fishermen. Nets were torn from their moorings and some were found almost totally destroyed, even the killocks being gone. It will take some time before they can repair the damage.

June 6th. From F. R. Dinham (Eagle Point to Mall Bay)—Codfishery prospects are nil, but herring are fairly plentiful in nets. There is a slight increase in the lobster catch since last report, but the weather is too stormy for operations.

One banker has arrived. She reports cod very scarce in the Gulf and the weather stormy, operations also being hampered considerably by ice. The total catch is 2235 quintals with 325 for last week.

Poor Prospects

June 4th. From F. W. Power (Oder in)—Only four boats are fishing and the total catch is 30 quintals. Codfishery prospects are poor and there is no bait in this vicinity.

One vessel returned during the week from the grounds. The lobster fishery is the worst on record, eight factories or fifteen men having packed only 8½ cases to date. This is the correct amount.

June 6th.—From P. J. Wade, (Salmon Cove Point to Colliers, North Point)—Codfishery prospects are very poor and there is no bait. The lobster catch to date is very small.

There was just a sign of cod with the jigger this week, and a few salmon were netted at Bacon Cove, the first for the season.

Small Catch

June 6th.—From A. Tilley, (Sandy Point to Bank Head)—The total catch is 250 quintals and for last week 10. Twenty-five traps are in the water and 20 boats are fishing, but no bankers of schooners from the grounds have arrived.

Operations are about over for the traps and no trawling has been done. There is a good supply of bait and herring is fairly plentiful.

The weather has been stormy, the prevailing winds being S. and W. The herring fishery is over and the men suffered heavily in the recent gales, all their nets being driven ashore. The catch is about 10,000 barrels.

FISHERY NEWS

Lamaline—Caplin at High Beach and Lories yesterday.

LaSce—Loose pans of ice; good sign codfish reported at Fleur de Lys; plenty herring.

Fogo—Heavy body loose ice passing south since yesterday a.m. close to land; all traps taken up.

Battle Hr.—Ice moving to the south, wind north.

Domino—Gale N. E., snow squalls; very cold.

Venison Island—Fresh N. E., snow, heavy close packed ice.

Griguet—No ice in sight.

Tilt Cove—N. W., ice moving off; good sign codfish, but too much ice to set traps.

C. E. T. S. MEETS

The C.E.T.S. meets in the Synod Building this evening.

SLEEPER OFF THE RAILS

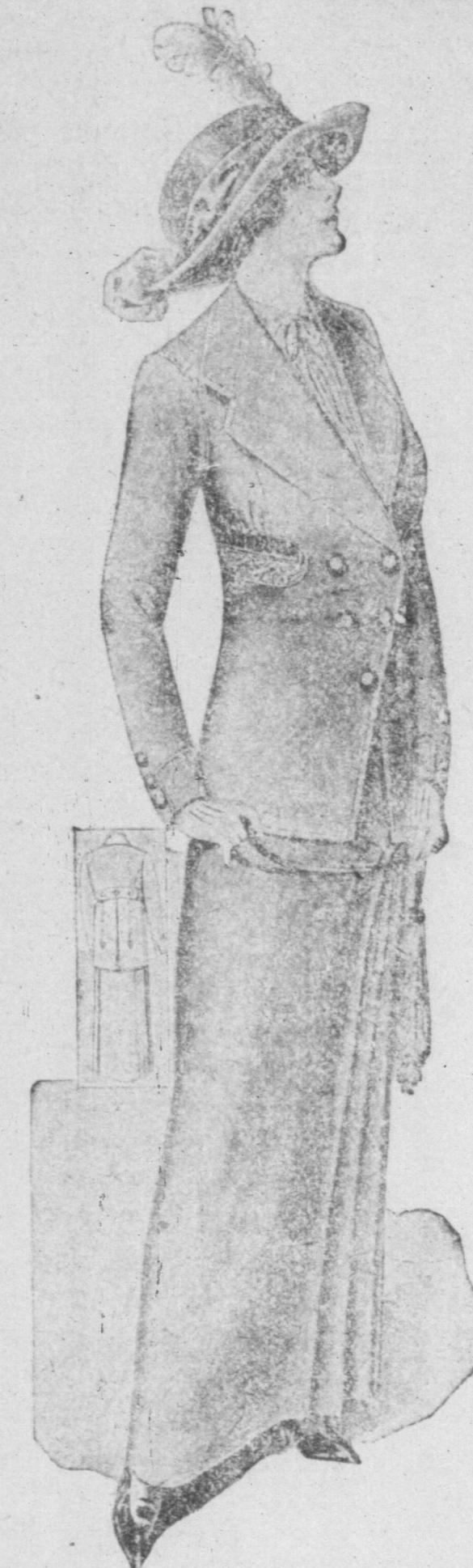
Yesterday's express did not arrive until 6 last evening.

Yesterday morning another accident occurred, the sleeper running off the track and tearing up the rails and sleepers for six or seven lengths.

After considerable difficulty the coach was put in position again and the track was repaired.

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GIRLS' FRIENDLY

Thursday next will be a day of intercession on behalf of the Girls' Friendly Society.

There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 a.m. in the Cathedral.

STRUCK OFF AGAIN.

Last week caplin were reported plentiful at Bank Head. This morning a message was received that they had struck off again.

Some are inclined to the belief that the fish were white fish, not caplin.

BOYS REMANDED.

The boys arrested on a charge of assaulting and stealing from Mr. Garland were before Judge Knight, Saturday afternoon, and were remanded.

They will likely come up for sentence this afternoon.

NEW VESSELS BLESSED.

Before the 8 a.m. celebration of the Holy Communion at the C.E. Cathedral yesterday, His Lordship Bishop Jones blessed a new set of silver eucharistic vessels.

The old set had been in use since 1785.

AT THE KIRK.

There were large congregations at the Kirk, yesterday, the day being observed by the Women's Missionary Society in the interests of missions.

Miss Strang and Mr. Goodridge rendered solos in the morning and Miss Herder and Dr. Macpherson at night.

Rev. Sutherland preached at both services.

In the morning his topic was "The Great Commission" and at night "Africa in Transformation."

EXPRESS COLLIDES WITH AUTO

At 1 p.m. Saturday Edens' express (Rawlins' Cross) driving along Renie's Mill Road, collided with Mr. G. Marshall's auto and but for the latter's presence of mind in jumping out and stopping the horse, serious damage would have resulted.

The mud shield of the auto was twisted but otherwise the injury was not serious.

PERSONAL.

Rev. W. Cotton and Rev. Walter Vey arrived by the Earl of Devon.

H. Budge, the noted rod and gun man of Boston, arrived in the city this morning on his way to Newfoundland for his annual fishing trip to the Old Colony. Mr. Budge has just returned from Florida, where he had good sport, and presented a few of his friends here with the big scales from the silver carp as souvenirs.—Sydney Record.

Several vessels, including two scouts, are to be built in England in addition to battleships already announced.

A mammoth floating dock is to be built by Vickers, capable of lifting the largest battleships.

Rev. G. Hatcher Speaks.

Rev. Gordon Hatcher, B.A., B.D., who has just returned from Montreal after a very successful college course will speak at the literary meeting of the Wesley Church Epworth League to-night. Something special may be expected.

S.S. Fiona was at Burin Saturday.

PRISONER BROUGHT IN.

Const. J. Tobin who went to Bay St. George for the prisoner Brown who is charged with forgery and also with obtaining money under false pretences arrived by the express yesterday with the accused.

The preliminary hearing will likely take place this afternoon.

THIS EVENING'S GAME

The B.I.S. and Stars compete this evening. The line-up will be:

B.I.S.—Clare, goal; Kavanagh, T. Duggan, backs; Brown, Burke, W. Duggan, halves; R. Shortall, R. Jackman, Kelly, E. Brophy, E. J. Brophy, forwards.

Stars—H. Phelan, goal; J. Walsh, J. Hart, backs; W. Hart, L. Kavanagh, E. Power, halves; Morgan, F. Phelan, Christopher, Caul, Brien, forwards.

PRINCESS PATRICIA IS NOT BETROTHED.

Quebec, June 10.—Arthur Sladen, Secretary to the Duke of Connaught, denies a rumor of an engagement between Princess Patricia of Connaught and the Grand Duke of Macklenberg-Strelitz as, cabled in press despatches.

TURKEY ORDERS NEW WARSHIPS

From British Builders—Also Reorganising Her Docks and Arsenal.

London, June 12.—Big orders have been placed with Messrs. Vickers, of Barrow, and Messrs. Armstrong, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, for augmenting the Imperial arsenal and dockyards at Constantinople.

Several vessels, including two scouts, are to be built in England in addition to battleships already announced.

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READ THE MAIL AND ADVOCATE. A SUFFERER FOR THIRTY YEARS NOW CURED.

Country Road, May 12th, 1914.

To whom it may concern—

I was a sufferer from Indigestion for 30 years. I bought a bottle of Saunders and Mercer's Arctic Indigestion and it cured me. Previous to this I tried seven doctors but they all failed to do me good. Any person who doubts this statement can consult me personally.

HENRY SNOW. Another Sufferer Relieved.

Bishop's Cove, May 1st, 1914.

Last summer I was taken suddenly with Heart Failure. I procured one half pint bottle of A.I.C. and I haven't felt any trouble since I am now perfectly cured. Anybody not believing this statement can consult me personally.

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