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(From the Omaha Bee)

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The spirit of the housewife is needed throughout every activity of modern life. Whatever the task which fate has assigned one, it has its connections with something greater. To view it thus, to find joy in work and to gain in self-knowledge.

Three men engaged at the same employment were asked what they were doing. One said he was making

### LOCAL NEWS

Have you heard of a POOR MARRIED MAN coming to town shortly?

Initiative is doing the right thing without being told. Ability is doing the right thing when once told.

Get your friends to subscribe for The Guardian. We will give the cream of the news to you worth while.

YOU WANT US, principally to boost Bay Roberts and draw the attention of outsiders to our growing town.

There is that said to and yet increaseth, and these that withholdeth... Monthly Subscribe for The Guardian and watch Bay Roberts grow.

Several loads of firewood are being hauled daily from the country. The "path" is good and the men are enabled to procure much firewood. The wood is of the best and the prices are low.

A correspondent of the Daily News has stated that on a barrel of English Tweed and Serge... The price is 60c per barrel.

The Bay Roberts Public Building... The building is now under construction and will be ready for occupancy in a few weeks.

### THE LADIES' AUXILIARY

TO THE C. L. B. Will hold a SALE in the Cable Hall on Shrove Tuesday Feb. 13th.

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### THERE'S A MORAL TO BE LEARNED BY SEEING

## A Poor Married Man

To be Seized in the Cable Hall

The crew were clinging to ropes and every wave broke over the craft. The sea was so heavy we could not go alongside and the men were compelled to jump into the swirling waters. We had some trouble in picking them up and all were utterly exhausted and had died from cold when we got them into the lifeboat. It was a ticklish job getting back to the Empress, but they

### ELECTIONS

On Dec. 10th the L. O. B. A. of Bay Roberts held their annual meeting and election of officers. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

- W.M., Sister Mary Wilcox.
- D.M., Sister Rachel Mercer.
- Recording Secretary, Sister May Snow.
- Financial Secretary, Sister Eliza A. Snow.
- Treas., Sister Sarah Moore.
- I.G., Sister Mary E. Brown.
- Chaplain, Sister Eunice Elms.
- First Lect., Sister Mary Bursley.
- 2nd Lect., Sister Bertha French.
- Dir. of Ceremonies, Sister Jessie Snow.
- Sen. Com., Sister Lizzie Brown.
- I.G., Sister Mary E. Brown.
- O.G., Bro. Edward Snow.
- Guardian, Bro. Stephen Mercer.

The election was followed by regular business, after which meeting closed in usual way.

### ITEMS OF NEWS.

Mr. R. J. Mercer, of the Western Union Staff, went to St. John's Friday morning on a short visit.

The Bank of Nova Scotia has had a very successful year, and a dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. has been declared and paid.

The Orangemen of Spaniard's Bay held a very successful entertainment tea and dance in their hall on Thursday and Friday night.

The Bay Roberts staff of the Western Union Telegraph Co. will hold their annual Smoker shortly. This event promises to be one of unusual interest.

The voters of Spaniard's Bay have been considering for some time past the matter of selecting a candidate to represent them in the House of Assembly for the next four years. It is rumored that a public meeting will be held at an early date for that purpose.

Capt. Harry Norman, who was in command of the S.S. Home on the Bay of Islands-Straits route during the summer, and later in the season in charge of the same ship on the Notre Dame Bay ports of call, is now spending a few months here at his home.

Paris, Feb. 1.—The German Charge d'Affaires at Paris was notified last evening that after midnight no shipment of coal from the Ruhr occupied district of Germany would be permitted.

Springfield, Mass., Feb. 1.—An explosion of gas in the purifying plant of the Springfield Gas Light Company, wrecking one section of that structure to-day, spread damage thru the business section. Three were killed and fifty injured, while buildings within a radius of two miles rocked.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—It was officially announced to-night that the headquarters of the Canadian National Railway would be removed to Montreal.

London, Feb. 1.—Premier Bonar Law has declined to accede to the request of the Parliamentary Labor Party, that Parliament be summoned earlier than February 13th, the date set for assembly.

Berlin, Feb. 1.—The total number of victims claimed by the fire and explosion in a mine at Beuthen, Polish Silesia, was unknown this morning. Latest reports filed were six hundred miners entombed. Thirty-five bodies have been taken out and one hundred and sixty five rescued.

On Feb. 1st the British Government received a note from France, the substance of which is that France reserves the right to undertake separate negotiations with Turkey in the event of the Lausanne Conference failing. The news from Lausanne is that there is great hope the conference will succeed.

### ITEMS OF NEWS.

At a meeting of the Munn Memorial Hospital Committee, held on Thursday, Jan. 25, at Harbor Grace, it was decided to hold a concert to help along the funds some evening in Easter week, and a sub-committee was appointed to arrange a programme.

We regret to record the passing of a very popular citizen of Bell Island, Mr. George Stewart. Many will remember that Mr. Stewart plied his motor boat, the E. L. Stewart, between Bell Island, St. John's and other Conception Bay ports. His many friends will sympathize with his wife and two children, whom he leaves to mourn their loss.

... was not in what they were actually doing, although the spirit of one might quite possibly have made him more expert in his task. They were all cutting stone; but only one held in his mind that he was helping build a great edifice. Life meant more to him than to his mates, because he saw farther and more clearly.

The farmer may be only planting seed, but if he opens his eyes he is feeding the world. The railroad man, the factory hand, the clerk in the store, likewise, are building their cathedrals. The investors in stocks and bonds, the executives in charge of great corporations, they are building cathedrals likewise, if they can only catch the vision. The housewife does not count the dollars she receives for her exertions, and if she did her life would be unhappy indeed. The rest of us, the great figures in the industrial world more than the humble ones, are thinking to much about these things as cutting stone and making profits really to be realizing the beauty of life.

### SEE?

If one proves weak whom you fancy strong, Or false whom you fancied true, Just ease the smart of your wounded heart.

With the thought that it is not you. If many forget a promise made, And your faith falls into the dust, They look meanwhile in your mirror, and smile.

And say, "I am one to trust."

If you search in vain for an ageing face, Unharrowed by fretful fears, Then take right now, and keep, your vow.

To grow in grace with the years.

If you lose your faith in the word of a man, As you go from the port of youth, Just say as you sail, "I will not fail To keep the course of Truth."

For this is the way, and the only way At least so it seems to me. It is up to you to be, and do.

What you look for in others, See? —Ella Wheeler Wilcox

The ladies of the L. O. B. A. are serving a hot supper in the Orange Hall on Feb. 7th. This will be for the benefit of the poor.

We learn from Teresa Brennan, who spent some time ago to spend the winter in the United States visiting relatives at Cambridge, Mass., that the winter there is equally as severe as any she experienced in Newfoundland. We are glad to hear that Miss Brennan is enjoying good health and having a pleasant sojourn in the land of the Stars and Stripes.

Many people prefer entertainment to achievement; they find the ordinary duties of life monotonous and oppressive; ordinary labor bores, for it is not sufficiently exciting or stimulating. Like the confirmed tea toper or morphine fiend, one who is suffering from "nerves" requires an ever-increasing dose of excitement and entertainment to produce the desired effect.

WANTED—BOYS TO DELIVER The "Guardian" in Bay Roberts, Coley's Point, Country Road and Shearstown. Apply at this office.

On Wednesday evening, Jan. 31st, Mrs. Isaac Snow gave a very successful Scout Tea. The weather was fine and a goodly number of Scout enthusiasts turned out to partake of the good things provided and enjoy a social evening. During the evening Mrs. Baggs delighted the company with a solo. The proceeds were large, and the first Scout Tea in the New Year may indicate the success of the teas to follow.

The concert held in the Mercer's Cove school last week was such a success that it was repeated, by special request, in Cable Hall on Thursday night. Quite a number turned out to see the performance for the second time and enjoyed an excellent evening's programme. The leading part for the evening was taken by Mr. Steve Russell and Walter J. Mercer in a humorous sketch, while Mr. W. J. Mercer delighted the audience with several songs. The talent was of the best, and the public hope to enjoy similar concerts in the near future.

London, Jan. 30.—The reported purchase by Germany of two hundred thousand tons of Yorkshire, Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire steam coal is confirmed by the Grimsby coal market. The English coal is for shipment in the next three months and the total price is three hundred thousand pounds.

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### A Thrilling Rescue

New York, Jan. 28.—A tale of heroic rescue at sea and a desperate battle to keep a sinking vessel afloat was told today when the Empress of Scotland arrived with Captain Aaron Kearley and crew of five of the schooner Clintonia, of Belloram, on board. The rescue was effected on Friday. Totally helpless in a terrific storm the Clintonia for Halifax, from Fortune Bay, was in a sinking condition when sighted. Captain James Gillis, the liner's commander, was compelled to abandon the boat in which the schooner's crew were rescued because of the heavy seas, said Captain Kearley. "For three days and nights we manned the pumps and were completely exhausted. After being sighted we did not believe we could be saved before the Clintonia sunk. We cannot say too much of the bravery of Chief Officer McMurray and his men when they took a desperate chance in effecting our rescue. A volunteer crew manned the lifeboat and several oars were broken by the waves." McMurray told that the schooner was sinking rapidly when the rescue boat rowed

The crew lost everything except the clothes they wore, but suffered no ill effects.

### Mines Reopen.

The Bell Island mines will open again in full swing on Monday, Feb. 5. Two thousand men will be employed.

### DIED.

Suddenly, on Jan. 24th, E. James Kelly, aged 66 years. Leaving a wife, an adopted daughter, Mrs. Samuel Brown, two brothers, John and William Kelly, Coley's Point, to mourn their loss. Funeral took place Friday, Jan. 26th, at 2 p.m. to the C. of E. cemetery, Coley's Point.

### A WORD TO THE Borrower

If you are a borrower of this Paper, don't you think it is an injustice to the man who is paying for it? He may be looking for it at this very moment. Make it a regular visitor to your home. The subscription price is an investment that will repay you well.

### ITEMS OF NEWS.

A concert and tea will be held at the C. of E. school at French's Cove on Feb. 8th.

Mr. Bernard Brennan, who left here about New Year to work at Sydney, N.S., has since returned to Cambridge, Mass., where he has obtained suitable employment.

A family in Bay Roberts West with several small children, are in very great need of food and clothing. A little help from the charitably disposed would help them to tide over the winter.

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