

Church of St. Mary the Virgin

Yesterday at St. Mary's Church was a very busy and also a very important day in many ways. Beginning with a Corporate Communion at 8 a.m. for Church workers found a large number present of those who are actively engaged in forwarding the work of the Church and Parish to ask God's special blessing on their efforts this year. The church workers met again at 8.15 p.m. for their annual service. The Rector, Rev. A. B. S. Stirling, addressed the gathering, and gave them some very practical as well as inspiring and encouraging thoughts to hold their minds during the coming year.

In the afternoon the two Bible Classes, Young Men's and Young Women's, met for the first time this season, and both registered record attendances. It behoves all the members of these classes to work hard to maintain and also to improve upon yesterday's showing. The Rector and the leaders of the classes were much encouraged by the record attendance yesterday.

At the evening service one of the largest congregations on record for St. Mary's was on hand to attend the Service of Dedication of the new Altar Rail and Pulpit recently presented to the Church by the Sanctuary Guild and Women's Association respectively. His Lordship the Bishop of Newfoundland performed the Dedication Ceremony and preached. The Bishop took as his text Psalm 119, verse 130, making reference to the various readings of that verse found in the authorized, revised and Prayer-Book versions of the Psalms. Before commenting on the text he congratulated the Rector and the congregation on the ever-increasingly evident signs of growth in the spiritual life of the Parish. It was very gratifying to him as Bishop to see such signs. The altar frontals and furnishings, which was his privilege to dedicate last year, the bringing in of extra clerical help, the beautifying of the sanctuary by two such gifts as were dedicated last evening, showed very plainly that great progress was made in the Christian life of the people.

Referring to each of the articles in turn the Bishop gave some very helpful and thoroughly sound Church of England teaching. The Altar Rail suggested entrance to the highest of privileges in the Church of England, and he went on to say that the Church through her strict discipline and constitution safeguarded and maintained the sanctity and awesomeness of the mystery of the Holy Communion. The Bishop discussed the minds of those who thought that the Church of England lacked discipline and that the people would come to the Holy Communion as, when and how they pleased. For the correction of such errors in the minds of such people he referred them to the teaching of the Prayer Book, which is the guide on all such matters in the Church of England.

Touching on the thoughts suggested by the dedication of a new pulpit, the Bishop said that the pulpit was the place where light and understanding were given to those who had minds to receive such. It was not a place for a preacher to advance his own opinion. It was not a political platform, but a place where the preacher stood with the authority and commission of Christ to unfold before the minds of the people the pure word of God. No man had a right to preach any doctrine other than that which would agree with the teaching and interpretation of Holy Scripture.

The whole service was very uplifting and of a very hearty nature, the congregation taking their full part in the worship.

Billiard Tournament

A joint meeting of the B.I.S. and Masonic Billiard Committees was held last week when arrangements were made for the third annual billiard tournament between the above clubs. This year Hon. Tasker Cook has kindly donated a silver cup for competition. The Masonic and B.I.S. players have already commenced practice, and an exciting and enjoyable tournament is being looked forward to. The first round of the series takes place about the end of November.

At the Institute Polling Booth

As far as can be learned the voting in the Bonavista Bye-Election at the Seamen's Institute to-day was overwhelmingly in favor of Monroe and Capt. Winsor. It is estimated hat-up to noon hour 200 votes were cast. The illiterate vote was said to be 40 to 50 in favor of the Government.

Emergency Hospital

mount acknowledged ... \$3,800.07
t. Margaret's Guild ... 25.00

\$4,885.07
C. U. HENDERSON, Hon. Treas.

CAPE RACE, to-day.
Wind north, blowing strong, weather dull. The steamer Achernar passed yesterday afternoon and the steamer Able passed in at 5.30 a.m. to-day, at 10.00; Ther. 38.

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Southern Pacific 112
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Sub. Boat 112
Tobacco Products 112
Union Pacific 112
U. S. Steel 112
Montreal Opening:
Abtibi 112
Brazilian 112
Can. Steamships 112
Spanish River Com. 112

Old Boys' Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the St. Bonaventure's Alumni Association was held yesterday in the College Aula Maxima, and was largely attended. The reports of the Central Council, and the Hon. Treasurer having been read and adopted the election of officers for the ensuing year took place. The Rev. Bro. J. E. Ryan took the chair and congratulated the Association on a very successful year and in passing referred briefly to the various items of the years work dealt with in the report. The election resulted in the following:
President—W. R. Howley, K.C.
Vice-President—J. G. Higgins, B.L.
2nd. V.P.—Rev. J. F. Pippy.
Hon. Treasurer—W. B. Skinner, Esq.

Hon. Sec'y—R. S. Furlong, Esq. After the installation of the new officers in their respective offices the meeting proceeded with the business on hand. The matter of the appointment of a Committee on the Annual Reunion, and a Committee on Athletics, was left to the discretion of the Executive. These Committees will be shortly appointed, and will immediately commence their activities, and will report to the Association at an early date. Before the motion for adjournment was taken, Mr. P. F. Collins moved a vote of thanks to the Principal, Rev. Bro. J. E. Ryan, which was carried by acclamation.

Obituary

WILLIAM OWEN.

There passed away at his son's residence, Hamilton Ave. on Sunday, Oct. 27th, William Owen, at the old age of 100 years.

A native of Trinity, he came to St. John's in his early twenties, and up to a week ago he was enjoying the best of health. He was of a friendly disposition and made many a pleasant hour for those at home by his old time stories. His wife predeceased him many years ago. He is survived by one son, John, carpenter at O. B. Lester's. His other son, Capt. Richard, lost his life during the war, his vessel being torpedoed in the Mediterranean. Four daughters also survive him. The funeral takes place to-morrow from 295 Hamilton Ave.

MRS. JOHN CHIEVERS.

It is with the deepest feelings of regret that we chronicle the death on October 12th of an old and highly revered resident of Plate Cove, B.B. in the person of Mrs. John Chievers. Kindness and generosity were her predominant characteristics, while her many noble qualities of heart and mind endeared her to all with whom she came in contact.

The late Mrs. Chievers was in her 87th year and is survived by two sons and five daughters, who mourn the loss of a wise counsellor and an affectionate mother. Mrs. L. M. of Plate Cove is her eldest surviving daughter, and to her and the other relatives there will be many expressions of sympathy from far and near. In these expressions the writer, who enjoyed for many years the open-hearted hospitality of the Chievers family wishes to convey May her soul rest in eternal peace.—COM.
Plate Cove, B.B., Oct. 20, 1924.

ENQUIRY CONTINUES.—The Rooney enquiry will be continued before Judge Morris in the Magistrates Court this afternoon.



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