A Clarion Call.

TO ALL FRIENDS OF THE CAUSE.

As on the eve of a great warlike political struggle all combatants are asked to make a supreme effort towards a victory, so too are the exiled of the Christian Brothers once more asked to march determinedly to the front to-morrow, with all the strength that they can muster, and all the dollars they can spare, so as to make every former collection well into the shade. From every quarter comes the report that all the members of the army of boys, young and old, whose school days were spent either in St. Patrick's Hall, or at Holy Cross, are this year more enthusiastic than ever, and bent on showing that whilst there is life in them yet, the Christian Brothers. Collection must move well up-hill and again. And this is only right for those upon whom they bestowed their loving care, in order to make of us upright citizens, upon whom they conferred an education at practically no cost to our families, should none when able to do so contribute towards the Christian Brothers welfare the utmost dollar available. The giving of still more, little or much, than we ever gave before, will result in the aim we have before us. The doubling of the fifty and twenty cent pieces, the quarters, the half dollars and the dollars, by those whose means are limited will swell the total much. An increase from all who have been in the position to contribute the larger sums, the two, five, the ten dollar bills, and other magnificent amounts, will cause the total to swell much higher still, so that altogether boys when we pour in our dimes and dollars to-morrow, as never did before, we then will look with pride and exultation at the triumph we have achieved. Rain or hail, frost or snow, clear or cloudy, we go muster in our thousands, just to show the Christian Brothers, our old teachers of the days when we were boys, that there is a feeling of gratitude ever in our hearts for all of them, and that in the collection to-morrow such will be expressed in a manner never surpassed. Just a few words more, as in my mention of the number there occurs to me a little story. It relates to the visit of an English tourist to the beautiful lakes of Killarney, in a season when the weather was unusually wet, tho' the climate of Ireland at all seasons is subject to much rainfall. Ten days or more he had been driving around in an Irish hackney car, under the direction of a quaint and comical jarney, hoping to see at their best the exquisite sight of the lakes so famed in song. Day after day, however, the rain came down, not heavily, but in gentle and persisting drizzles. At last the English tourist turned to the jarney exclaiming in impatient tones: "Does it always rain like this in Ireland?" To which his guide, philosopher and friend replied: "Arrah, no sir, for it sometimes comes down in bucketfuls!" So to-morrow may the dollars come in to the boxes in torrents, making of the contrast to the dribbling collections of the years gone by, as great a volume as the Irish jarney's bucketfuls of rain that sometimes fall upon Killarney's lakes appear to the gentle showers that usually prevail.

EX-PUPIL.

Poultry Exhibition Closes

LADY HORWOOD PRESENTS PRIZES.

The 10th Annual Poultry Exhibition which has been held in the C.L.B. armoury since Wednesday last, came to a fitting conclusion last night, having been unanimously voted by all as the most successful exhibition held in the history of the Poultry Association. Sir William Horwood closed the affair, and in doing so paid a well merited tribute of praise to the committee for their untiring efforts in making the show the huge success that it was. Seated on the platform were Lady Horwood, President Gilliat of the Bell Island Association, Prof. Landry and the members of the Executive Committee. The silver cups and ribbons won by the various competitors were presented by Lady Horwood. Each of the fortunate winners as they came forward were heartily applauded. A very happy presentation took place when his Worship the Mayor, Hon. Tasker Cook, had the pleasure on behalf of the committee to present to Lady Horwood a beautiful bouquet of Chrysanthemums, grown at the Valley Nurseries. Prof. Landry in his address spoke in glowing terms of the exhibition, stating it was much superior to many of the shows held in Canada. The quality of the birds shown was excellent and he would make a good show in any of the Canadian Exhibits. He congratulated the committee and the fanciers generally for the interest they had taken in the Poultry Exhibition. With the affair had concluded President Williams and the committee invited to tea, Sir Wm. and Lady Horwood, and Hon. Tasker and Mrs. Cook. The attendance last night eclipsed all previous records, some 400 more people having taking in the 1922 show than last year.

Prof. Landry leaves by to-morrow's steamer for Glace Bay where he has an invitation to attend on Tuesday next. The present exhibition was the most successful yet held, and President Williams and his committee are to be highly congratulated on bringing poultry breeding to such a high state of efficiency. The lottery, which was run in connection with the affair was drawn last night and resulted as follows:—

1st Prize—A Model Poultry House 12 x 12, worth about $200.00. Won by ticket No. B562, Miss Florence Anderson.

2nd Prize—A pen, consisting of 8 pullets and a cock, all White Leghorns. Won by ticket No. A889, Mr. John English, P.O. Box 669.

3rd Prize—$20.00 cash. Won by ticket No. C379. Mr. S. Hannaford, Grand Falls.

4th Prize—A trio of Rhode Island Reds. Won by ticket No. B138. Mr. D. McRae.

5th Prize—$10.00 in cash, ticket No. A560. Mr. J. Cole, King's Bridge.

6th Prize—1 thoroughbred cockerel. Won by ticket No. B603, Mrs. Henry R. Cook, of Rocksley Farm.

7th Prize—Thoroughbred cockerel, won by Ticket No. C595. Mr. Wallace.

8th Prize—2 settings of eggs for breeding purposes. Won by ticket No. D71. Mr. Frank Murphy.

9th Prize—1 setting of thoroughbred eggs. Won by ticket No. B951. Mr. Feaver.

10th Prize—1 setting of thoroughbred eggs. Won by ticket No. D452, Mr. Herb Barnes, c/o Bowring Bros.

The eggs will be delivered next Spring when the hatching season begins.

Jackson Running to Form.

HAD A SPIN YESTERDAY.

Yesterday afternoon Laurie Jackson and his trainer visited the Prince's Rink, when the Canadian sprinter covered five miles of the course. Taking into consideration that the track has a very short straight away stretch, and many corners to contend with throughout the hard grind, Jackson appeared to be quite at home. His running action and style was indeed beautiful to watch. He appears to run without the least effort, has a medium length stride with a quick leg action, while his arms in unison with the movement of his legs, makes him a finished runner. Jackson stated that the lay of the track could not be improved upon, while the sweep around the corners affords lots of room for an opponent to pass. He finished fresh, and is running in excellent form.

Sunday Services.

C. E. Cathedral—7 and 8, Holy Communion; 10, Matins; 11, Holy Communion (choral); 3, C.M.B.C. in Synod Building; 6.30, Evening Service.

St. Thomas's—8, Holy Communion; 11, Morning Prayer and Sermon, preacher, Rev. G. O. Lightbourn; 3.15, United Children's Service; 4, Holy Baptism; 6.30, Evening Prayer and Sermon, preacher, the Rector, subject, "Is the Church a Failure?"

St. Mary the Virgin—8, Holy Communion; 11, Matins; 2.30, Sunday School; 3.45, Bible Class; 4.30, Holy Baptism; 6.30, Evensong.

St. Michael's and All Angels—8, Holy Communion; 11, Holy Eucharist (sung); 2.30, Children's Service; 4.15, Holy Baptism; 6.30, Evensong.

METHODIST.

Gower St.—Thanksgiving Day. 11 and 6.30, Rev. Hammond Johnson.

George St.—11, Rev. T. B. Larby; 6.30, Rev. J. Wilson.

Cochrane St.—11, Rev. J. G. Joyce, 6.30, Rev. T. B. Darby.

Wesley—11, Rev. T. W. Atkinson; 6.30, Rev. J. G. Joyce.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church—11 and 6.30, Rev. Robert J. Power, M.A. At the evening service Mr. Power will address St. Andrew's Society. Subject: "The most illustrious Scotsman since John Knox."

Congregational (Queen's Road)—11 and 6.30, Rev. B. T. Holden, M.A.

SALVATION ARMY.

No. 2 Corps (Adelaide St.)—7, Knee Drill; 11, Holiness Meeting; 3, Praise Meeting; 7, Salvation Meeting. Leaders, Adjt. and Mrs. Hillier.

No. 3 Corps (113 Duckworth St.—7, Knee Drill; 11, Holiness Meeting; 3Free and Easy; 7, Salvation Meeting. Leaders, Ensign and Mrs. Cornick.

Adventist (Hamilton St.)—6.45, Evangelist B. E. Manuel; subject, "The woman that reigneth over the Kings of the Earth." Illustrated.

International Bible Students' Association (Victoria Hall)—7 p.m. Discourse, Repentance and Conversion in this world and the next.

NOTES.

Gower Street—The annual Thanksgiving Service in connection with Gower Street Church will be held Sunday, December 2nd. The Pastor, Rev. Hammond Johnson, will preach morning and evening. Special music and singing will be furnished by the choir. The soloists will be Miss Marjorie Hutchings at the morning, and Mr. Ruggles at the evening service. The offerings of the day are to be used to defray cost of extensive repairs to Church and organ. Visitors will be heartily welcomed and provided with seats by the ushers.

Wesley—The subject at to-morrow evening's service will be "The Value of Life."

C.M.B.C.—Corporate Communion at 8 a.m. Class will meet in the Synod building at 3 p.m. Subject, continuation of studies in the Book of Revelations—Philadelphia.

George St. A.B.C.—Class will meet at 2.45. Solo will be rendered by Mr. S. Taylor, and Mr. William Brett will give a five minute talk. Visitors cordially invited.

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