

Historical Records About Harbor Grace

ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

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Article V.

February 2nd, 1832, was a day well worth recording. At 8 a.m., the schooner, 82 tons, owned by Mr. William Parsons, was launched at Bear's Cove.

At Carbonear about the same hour, a fine new brig, of 122 tons, the property of Mr. George Forward, was launched in the presence of a large number of spectators. Suitable accommodations had previously been erected for the ladies. At the moment of her leaving the stocks a band of music which was on board began to play "God Save The King." At the same time she was christened "King William the Fourth." The "King William," as she was usually called, went to the ice that spring in command of Captain Taylor, but she only captured 300 seals. However, Capt. Taylor made two foreign voyages in her the same year, so that she was undoubtedly a staunch vessel and a smart sailer. Two launches in one day is not an every day occurrence, but this was only a beginning. I have now to hurry back to Harbor Grace where "The Association of Fishermen and Shoremen" were commemorating the second year of the institution of the Society.

The day, though cold, was favorable, and long before noon the town was all crowd and bustle. The noise of fife and drum sounded, and the members assembled at the "Waterford Arms," Mr. Innott, the proprietor, having granted the use of the rooms gratuitously. After a little time the procession began to form in the following order:

Two members of the Relief Committee
Union Jack
Band

Banner of the Association
Members Two by Two
English Ensign—Irish Ensign
Populace

The procession started with a large number following the interesting scene and accompanied it to the residence of the Very Rev. Father Ewer, and drew up in front of the house, where all were received by the Reverend gentlemen and the deputation appointed for the purpose of delivering an address.

The Rev. Father Ewer then made a suitable reply in his usual polite and eloquent manner.

The procession then proceeded to Bear's Cove, and thence, in admirable order, passed through the town as far as Samson's Brook. (This is a name long forgotten except by the oldest generation, and is the brook running into the harbor at Brown's Hill). During the march the band had been playing favorite airs. The process on then returned to their headquarters, the Waterford Arms, where refreshments were ready in a sumptuous repast, to which full justice was done.

The chair was taken by the President of the Society, Mr. Talbot, who was assisted by Mr. Oke, one of the Vice-Presidents. After their long walk all were ready for a hearty repast, and great enthusiasm prevailed. They were in no hurry to finish this dinner and kept up the celebration 'till the early hours of the following morning.

The lists of toasts was a long one, and all were attended with great applause. The records say that the list was so long that very few present remembered it exactly and the writer confines himself to the following:

First—Our Good Gracious King, William the Fourth. Reply by all singing "God Save The King."

Second—Her Majesty Queen Adelaide.

Third—His Excellency the Governor, Sir Thomas Cochrane, who is Patron of our Institution.

Fourth—Prosperity to the Seal Fishery was received with extra applause and was responded to by the song, "Money In Both Pockets."

Fifth—"The Land we live in"; responded to by "Home Sweet Home."

Sixth—"Our Friends and Guests," by "Welcome here again."

Seventh—"Our absent friends," by "Job be with them."

The company were adequately addressed by the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Dr. William Stirling, J. Starks, Nicholas Stubb, Mr. Jas. L. Pronger, and many others.

Everything went off most successfully, and the party separated at an early hour, all well pleased with the day's proceedings.

The officers of the Association were:

President, Wm. Talbot; Vice-Presidents, Messrs. Henry Webber, Michael Keefe, Francis Lynch, Robert Oke, Wm. Andrews, and Michael Connors; Treasurer, Mr. Jas. L. Pronger; Secretary, Mr. Martin Kelly; Committee, John Fitzgerald, James Hippley, W. S. Comer, Philip Hunt, Wm. Innott, Andrew Drysdale, Thomas Foley, Thomas A. Danson, James Power, Stephen Bennett, Ebenzer Webber, Robert Andrews, Michael Dooling, John Hanrahan and others.

In my next article I will give a description of a dinner in Brigus, and it will give a very good idea of what these repasts consisted.

(To be continued).

Only a Few Hours Left in Which To

MEET MR. BILL SAVER

To those who have not taken the special advantage offered during the past two weeks, to become acquainted with Mr. Bill Saver, we would emphasize the fact that there are only a few hours left in which to do so.

Bargains in Winter Overcoats for Men

Men! Here is a chance to secure your Winter Overcoat at a great saving. Our entire stock of Heavy Winter Overcoats, Fall Overcoats, Raglans, etc., have been greatly reduced for our Special Bill Saver Sale. This is your opportunity. Don't miss it.

Winter Overcoats.

Correctly cut and tailored in the latest styles; all sizes.
Reg. \$18.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$14.40
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Reg. \$20.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$15.00
Reg. \$22.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$21.15
Reg. \$26.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$23.40
Reg. \$28.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$25.20
Reg. \$32.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$30.15

Men's Raglans.

Double breasted, Trench style, in Navy and Dark Fawn, lined throughout with waterproof lining. These are splendid value, being absolutely waterproof; all sizes.
Reg. \$22.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$19.50

Men's Raglans.

Colors of Navy and Dark Fawn, double breasted style, lined throughout with waterproof lining, also with a detachable all wool lining. This is an ideal coat for cold weather, being warm and comfortable; all sizes.
Reg. \$27.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$24.75
Reg. \$31.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$27.90

Men's Fall Overcoats.

A splendid line of Overcoats for Fall and Spring wear, in Light, Medium and Dark Grey, single breasted style; all sizes.
Reg. \$18.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$16.50
Reg. \$20.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$18.00
Reg. \$25.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$22.50

Special Values from Our Infants' Wear Section

The vastness of our stock of Infants' Apparel have to be seen to be appreciated. Almost every article for the little King or Queen of your household, can be had in our Infants' section. You will find this section very important and very interesting just now, on account of the special reduction, during Bill Saver Sale.

Infants' Nightdresses.

Made of splendid quality White Flette, long sleeves, high neck, some trimmed with pretty lace, others with white silk, still others with pretty embroidery beading, with colored ribbon.
Reg. 95c. each. Sale Price 86c.
Reg. \$1.20 each. Sale Price \$1.08
Reg. \$1.45 each. Sale Price \$1.31

Infants' Undershirts.

White Flette Undershirts, some having Shirting bodies, others with flette bodies, prettily embroidered with white silk, to tie at waist and neck with tape string.
Reg. 55c. each. Sale Price 50c.
Reg. 75c. each. Sale Price 68c.
Reg. \$1.20 each. Sale Price \$1.08
Reg. \$1.70 each. Sale Price \$1.53
Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price \$1.80
Reg. \$2.50 each. Sale Price \$2.25

Infants' White Wool Jackets.

In plain and fancy knit; also in brushed wool, trimmed in a variety of ways, long and short sleeves, to tie at neck with tasseled cord. Very dainty for Baby.
Reg. \$1.20 each. Sale Price \$1.08
Reg. \$1.50 each. Sale Price \$1.25
Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price \$1.80

Infants' Baras.

Made of good quality Flette, bound with bias tape, others with scalloped edge, worked with self colored silk.
Reg. 60c. each. Sale Price 54c.
Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price 81c.
Reg. \$1.45 each. Sale Price \$1.31

Dr. Denton's Sleeping Suits.

High neck, long sleeves, buttoned down back, full length with feet. The ideal Sleeping Suit for children up to 10 years. Reg. \$1.85 suit. Sale Price . . . \$1.67

Infants' Rubber Pants.

Made from special quality Live Rubber, with elastic at waist and legs.
Cream. Reg. 75c. pair. Sale Price 68c.
White. Reg. 35c. pair. Sale Price 32c.

Infants' Fleece Lined Underwear.

Vests have high neck and long sleeves, pants are ankle length, of a superior quality, soft finish, well finished, to fit all ages, priced from 25c. to 75c. per garment, according to size.

All offered at Bill Saver Sale Prices.



At 9.30 to-night this great value-giving Sale will come to an end. Don't give yourself the opportunity to be sorry you did not secure some of the wonderful values offered, get here before it is too late, and secure your needs for present and future use, at a splendid saving.

Seasonable Underwear for Women at Sale Prices

Our complete stock of Women's seasonable Underwear, consisting of Wool, Silk and Wool and Piece Lined, offered during Special Bill Saver Sale at special reductions. A splendid opportunity to secure your Fall and Winter Underwear at a remarkable saving.

Stanfield's Underwear.

All Wool in seasonable weight, short sleeves, round and V neck, long sleeves, high neck, assorted sizes, pants are ankle and knee length, closed and open styles.
Reg. \$2.30 garment. Sale Price . . . \$2.07
Reg. \$2.30 garment. Sale Price . . . \$2.52
Reg. \$3.20 garment. Sale Price . . . \$2.88
Reg. \$4.00 garment. Sale Price . . . \$3.60
Reg. \$5.00 garment. Sale Price . . . \$4.50

Stanfield's Vests.

Same qualities as above with shoulder strap.
Reg. \$1.10 each. Sale Price 90c.
Reg. \$1.45 each. Sale Price \$1.26
Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price \$1.80
Reg. \$2.35 each. Sale Price \$2.12
Reg. \$3.20 each. Sale Price \$2.88

Over-Knickers.

Women's heavy fleeced Over-Knickers; colors of Sage, Navy, Light and Dark Grey, White and Cream, elastic at waist and knee.
Reg. 90c. pair. Sale Price 81c.
Reg. \$1.00 pair. Sale Price 90c.
Reg. \$1.65 pair. Sale Price \$1.49
Reg. \$1.85 pair. Sale Price \$1.67

Women's Knickers.

Winceyette and Flette Knickers, open and closed styles, some trimmed with flette embroidery, others with scalloped frill and feather stitching; assorted sizes.
Reg. \$1.00 pair. Sale Price 90c.
Reg. \$1.25 pair. Sale Price \$1.13
Reg. \$1.50 pair. Sale Price \$1.35
Reg. \$2.00 pair. Sale Price \$1.80

Beautiful Stamped Linens Attractively Priced

The woman who enjoys working in Linens will find the new pieces in the Art Needlework section the designs are beautiful. Get your Christmas gift-giving supply during Bill Saver Sale.

Linen Centres.

White and Fawn Linen, stamped in pretty designs, ready for working; assorted sizes.
Reg. 40c. each. Sale Price 36c.
Reg. 60c. each. Sale Price 54c.
Reg. 95c. each. Sale Price 86c.
Reg. \$1.35 each. Sale Price \$1.23
Reg. \$2.00 each. Sale Price \$1.80
Reg. \$3.00 each. Sale Price \$2.70

Tray Cloths.

White Linen Tray Cloths; assorted sizes.
Reg. \$1.00 each. Sale Price 90c.
Reg. \$1.65 each. Sale Price \$1.49

Buffet Sets.

3-Piece Buffet Sets of White Linen, stamped in neat designs.
Reg. 40c. per set. Sale Price 36c.
Reg. 50c. per set. Sale Price 45c.
Reg. 65c. per set. Sale Price 59c.
Reg. \$1.00 per set. Sale Price \$90c.

Luncheon Sets.

5 and 7 Piece Luncheon Sets of White Linen, stamped ready for working.
Reg. \$1.35 per set. Sale Price \$1.23
Reg. \$1.80 per set. Sale Price \$1.64
Reg. \$3.00 per set. Sale Price \$2.70

Luncheon Sets.

5 and 7 Piece Luncheon Sets of White Linen, stamped ready for working.
Reg. \$1.35 per set. Sale Price \$1.23
Reg. \$1.60 per set. Sale Price \$1.44
Reg. \$3.00 per set. Sale Price \$2.70

Darning Bags.

Calico Darning Bags, neatly stamped, in assorted designs.
Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price 81c.
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Reg. 90c. each. Sale Price 81c.
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Smart Overcoats for Boys' At Lowest Prices

We are now showing a selection of smart looking Overcoats for boys, double-breasted styles, that have long life and will give warm wear; shown in Browns, Blues, Greys and assorted mixtures. These are offered at special reductions during our Bill Saver Sale.

Boys' Overcoats.

To fit ages 6 to 9 years.
Reg. \$10.45 each. Sale Price . . . \$ 9.41
Reg. \$11.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$10.35
Reg. \$13.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$11.70
Reg. \$14.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$12.60

Boys' Overcoats.

To fit ages 10 to 13 years.
Reg. \$11.55 each. Sale Price . . . \$10.40
Reg. \$12.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$11.44
Reg. \$13.75 each. Sale Price . . . \$12.38
Reg. \$15.20 each. Sale Price . . . \$13.68

Boys' Overcoats.

To fit ages 14 to 17 years.
Reg. \$13.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$11.70
Reg. \$15.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$13.50
Reg. \$16.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$14.85
Reg. \$17.90 each. Sale Price . . . \$16.11
Reg. \$18.80 each. Sale Price . . . \$16.74
Reg. \$20.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$18.00

Boys' Overcoats.

Blue, Grey and Brown Nap and assorted Tweed; to fit ages 2 to 7 yrs. Very special value.
Reg. \$3.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$3.15

Boys' Overcoats.

To fit ages 2 to 7 years, Grey and Brown with velvet collars, Raglan sleeve, plain back; a nobby looking coat for the small boy.
Reg. \$4.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$4.05

Heather Overcoats.

Boys' Heather Overcoats; to fit ages 2 to 7 years, in a pretty Green Heather mixture, pleated and plain back.
Reg. \$9.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$8.10

Tempting Values in Household Needs

A splendid opportunity for the thrifty woman to lay in a supply of Household needs at a great saving. Our stock in this section is very complete in almost every needed article for the home. All offered during our Special Bill Saver Sale at attractive reductions.

Honey Comb Quilts.

Fringed, made from all White Cotton in neat designs; assorted sizes.
Reg. \$3.35 each. Sale Price . . . \$3.02
Reg. \$4.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$4.05
Reg. \$5.20 each. Sale Price . . . \$4.68

Table Napkins.

White Damask Table Napkins in very pretty designs, special finish; assorted sizes.
Reg. 25c. each. Sale Price 22c.
Reg. 30c. each. Sale Price 27c.
Reg. 40c. each. Sale Price 36c.
Reg. 50c. each. Sale Price 45c.

White Ripple Quilts.

Made from White Cotton in assorted designs; needs no ironing.
Reg. \$3.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$3.15

White Sheets.

Plain and Twilled, made of special quality Sheeting in assorted sizes.
Reg. \$5.00 pair. Sale Price . . . \$4.50
Reg. \$5.50 pair. Sale Price . . . \$4.95
Reg. \$6.25 pair. Sale Price . . . \$5.63

Bed Spreads.

White Marcella Bed Spreads, in assorted designs.
Reg. \$4.25 each. Sale Price . . . \$3.88
Reg. \$5.75 each. Sale Price . . . \$5.18
Reg. \$7.25 each. Sale Price . . . \$6.53

Damask Table Cloths.

Hemmed Table Cloths of beautiful Damask, in assorted designs.
Size 54 x 54. Reg. \$1.90. S. Price . . . \$1.71
Size 70 x 70. Reg. \$3.35. S. Price . . . \$3.02
Size 70 x 70. Reg. \$4.55. S. Price . . . \$4.10
Size 70 x 88. Reg. \$5.75. S. Price . . . \$5.18

Lace Curtains.

Beautiful Lace Curtains, including Nottingham Lace in exquisite designs; fine Not. Battenburg trimmed, etc., 3 1/2 to 3 3/4 yards long.
Reg. \$1.35 pair. Sale Price . . . \$1.07
Reg. \$2.20 pair. Sale Price . . . \$1.98
Reg. \$3.00 pair. Sale Price . . . \$2.70
Reg. \$4.25 pair. Sale Price . . . \$3.88
Reg. \$5.25 pair. Sale Price . . . \$4.73
Reg. \$7.00 pair. Sale Price . . . \$6.40
Reg. \$8.50 pair. Sale Price . . . \$7.65

Hats and Caps for Fall and Winter at Saving Prices

The new Hats and Caps for Fall and Winter wear are styled to go with the easy fitting lines in Men's Suits and Coats. Our showing is superb, and offer you a change you will enjoy, especially will you enjoy the low prices asked for these new models, during our Special Bill Saver Sale.

Men's Felt Hats.

Newest shapes; shades of Fawn, Grey, Brown and Black; all sizes.
Reg. \$3.30 each. Sale Price . . . \$2.97
Reg. \$3.75 each. Sale Price . . . \$3.38
Reg. \$4.20 each. Sale Price . . . \$3.78
Reg. \$5.25 each. Sale Price . . . \$4.73

Velour Hats.

The ideal Hat for Fall and Winter, showing the newest shapes; colors of Fawn, Beaver and Grey.
Reg. \$ 6.75 each. Sale Price . . . \$ 6.08
Reg. \$ 7.75 each. Sale Price . . . \$ 6.98
Reg. \$ 9.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$ 8.55
Reg. \$10.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$ 9.00
Reg. \$12.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$11.25
Reg. \$13.00 each. Sale Price . . . \$11.70

Men's Winter Caps.

In a splendid assortment of new Tweeds and plain Browns, whole and quartered crowns, fitted with the famous cling-close ear band. The ideal Cap for cold and stormy weather; all sizes.
Reg. \$1.55 each. Sale Price . . . \$1.40
Reg. \$1.90 each. Sale Price . . . \$1.71
Reg. \$2.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$2.25
Reg. \$3.25 each. Sale Price . . . \$2.93

Men's Nap Caps.

Shades of Blue, Grey, Fawn and Grey; nobby shapes, in good quality Nap; all sizes.
Reg. \$2.50 each. Sale Price . . . \$2.25
Reg. \$3.25 each. Sale Price . . . \$2.93

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Fall and Winter Gloves

Our entire stock of new Fall and Winter Gloves for men, women and children, offered at very special prices, for the remaining two days of our great Bill Saver Sale.

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Seasonable Hosiery

Now is the time to supply your needs in seasonable Hosiery; our splendid stock of Hosiery comprising the very newest for Fall and Winter, selling at greatly reduced prices for the last two days of our Bill Saver Sale.