

City Cabmen Hold Meeting.

The cabmen held a meeting last night to discuss the question of the City Council's attitude in connection with the tariff of fares proposed some months ago. Mr. R. T. McGrath, the cabmen's solicitor, attended the meeting. After the Council had passed the schedule of fares last year, the cabmen asked for a reconsideration of the matter, and received an affirmative reply. The Council determined to hold a special meeting on the matter, but this has not been held. The cabmen contend that the Council should have held the projected special meeting and advised them of their decision. The condition of the city streets came in for lively criticism, and it was shown that several cabmen had to discontinue driving as at present the roads and streets are impassable. Mr. McGrath will inform the Council of the decision of the cabmen to-day.

M.C.L.I. Debate.

There was a large attendance at the M. C. L. I. rooms last night on the occasion of the regular weekly debate, viz., "Which is the higher goal in life, the attainment of knowledge or the capacity to achieve?" The speakers in favor of "knowledge" were Rev. W. H. Webber, R. P. Holloway and P. H. Cowan, and those who pleaded for "energy" were Rev. J. W. Bartlett, L. Woods and E. White. Excellent speeches were made, and the Chairman, Mr. C. Pratt, paid a special compliment to Mr. Lloyd Woods for his brilliant effort in support of "energy." A majority of two, however, voted in favor of "knowledge" being a higher and nobler goal in life than the "capacity to achieve." Mr. McDougall, of St. Andrew's L. A., who was present, took occasion to compliment the speakers.

Makes Hair Grow.

McMurdo & Co. have an invigorator that will grow hair or money back. The time to take care of your hair is when you have hair to take care of.

If your hair is getting thin, gradually falling out, it cannot be long before the spot appears.

The greatest remedy to stop the hair from falling is SALVIA, the Great American Hair Grower, first discovered in England. SALVIA furnishes nourishment to the hair roots and acts so quickly that people are amazed. A large bottle for 50c.

And remember, it destroys the Dandruff germ, the little pest that saps the life that should go to the hair from the roots.

SALVIA is sold by McMurdo & Co., under a positive guarantee to cure Dandruff, stop Falling Hair and Itching Scalp in ten days or money back. A large bottle costs 50c. The word "SALVIA" (Latin for sage) is on every bottle.

Hr. Grace Notes.

Quite a large number of people are now laid aside with colds, &c., due no doubt to the unsettled state of the weather. The doctors are very busy.

It has several times occurred to us that no harm could be done to draw attention to the fact that when a poor demented person is being brought along to the Lunatic Asylum at St. John's, their friends are compelled to put them into the regular passenger car, thereby being under the gaze of the travelling public. We were asked a day or two ago to draw attention to this, with the request that something be done whereby unfortunate of this nature could be separated from the regular passengers. It is hard on the friends to be forced to send them along, but to have them sometimes laughed at and made sport of by some thoughtless passenger is very hard. We know the remedy is not easy to reach, but it is worth considering.

Mr. Collis's concert, which took place at St. Paul's Hall last night, was a grand success, financially and otherwise. Quite a large audience was present, and all thoroughly enjoyed the singing, acting, &c., of the company. One of your St. John's young ladies, who is visiting here, took part and delighted the audience by her well-rendered recitations, &c. We refer to Miss Greta James. Mr. Collis and the company are to be congratulated on the excellence of the well rendered programme.

CORRESPONDENT.

Harbor Grace, Feb. 1, 1912.

Concert for Mount Cashel.

Wednesday night a concert in aid of the Mount Cashel Orphanage will be held in the T. A. Hall. The programme will be under the direction of Miss P. Jordan, and some of our most popular and talented musicians will be heard there. The concert is always a popular affair and considering the worthy object for which it is to be held there is no doubt that a large audience will attend.

G. KNOWLING
East End Store.

Our Annual Winter Sale.

As in the past we rely on our reputation for GENUINE BARGAINS and not in extravagant assertions. We now offer SOME EXTRAORDINARY VALUES in Remnants, Odd Lines and Manufacturers' Samples, etc., that will repay the trouble of inspection.

READY MONEY SALE.

No Goods Charged or on Approval.

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SAMPLE LACE CURTAIN BARGAINS.

A small lot of soiled pairs of Lace Curtains.

50cts. to \$1.50.

We advise an early selection on this small lot.

DRESS REMNANTS.

This lot of remnants and makers' samples eclipse anything we have offered in the past and is a bewildering assortment of high class Dress Remnants, suitable for outdoor wear or charmingly dainty fabrics for party or evening wear such as Silk Crepon, Fancy Voiles, Fancy Taffeta, Mousseline, Crepon, etc., for out door wear, Serges, Vicunas, Fancy Caviots, Nuns' Cloths, Fancy Armures, Black and White Checks, Poplins, etc., most of which is

Very much under Half Price.

These goods will be found in lengths suitable for Women's and Children's Skirts, Coats, Dresses, Blouses, etc.

ALL WOOL BLOUSE FLANNEL BARGAINS.

This is a rare lot of fine Wool Fancy Blouse Flannels in assorted Colors and Designs, which we offer at

25cts. per yard.

Regular value would be at least 50 cts. per yard. Just the thing for this cold season.

Satin Drills

In Pink, Blue, Paris, Cardinal, Lustrous; Satin finish. Regular prices 14 to 20 cts.

Now 10 cts. per yard.

White Check Muslins

A good strong Swiss Muslin in a variety of checks, suitable for Children's Dress, Small Curtains, etc.

Now 5 cts. per yard.

Dress Muslins

In Cream Paris and White Spot Muslin and Fancy Colored Muslins; worth from 12 cts. to 20 cts. yard

Now 8 cts. per yard.

Turkish Towels

In fancy colors, superior quality and make; fine heavy articles and suitable for either toilet purposes or fancy work. Regular prices 30 cts. and 40 cts.

Now 18 cts. & 25 cts.

Women's Holland Aprons

Good strong Cream Holland Aprons, well made and good ample size. Regular 25 cts. to 30 cts.

Now 18 cts.

1-3 off

We offer during this Sale one third off all trimmed and untrimmed

Felt Hats.

EMBROIDERY SPECIALS AND REMNANTS.

We are now showing a rare lot of makers' remnants and special piece values in Cotton Embroideries.

The Prices range from

2 cts. to 25cts. per yard.

Innumerable patterns, widths, designs and qualities in both embroidery and insertion.

1-4 off

Now is your opportunity to secure a real fur bargain. We offer one-quarter off all fur

Fur Goods

White Shirting

We have a few pieces of extra wide and fine grade Cloth, width 40 inches. Regular 13 or 14 ct. fabric.

Now 10 cts. per yard.

Lawn

Almost every style of finish, in hard and soft Lawn fabrics, and useful for a variety of purposes; prices from

5 cts. to 12 cts. per yd.

Cream Kersey

or Blanketing. We can now offer two special values in this one time popular material at

25 cts. & 30 cts. per yd.

Grey Angola Shirting

for making Men's Shirts, underwear, etc.; a really good, soft material. Regular value would be 22 cts.

Now 17 cts.

Apron Holland

Colored border; a wear-resisting 36 inch wide Cream Apron material with red and blue embroidered borders. Regular prices 16 cts. yard. Our Sale Price,

Now 10 cts. per yard.

AMERICAN CALICO BARGAINS

Where a free from dressing soft strong calico is needed we can recommend these two specials at

6c. and 10c. per yard.

The Six Cent line is a fine Twill fabric; the Ten Cent line is a particularly attractive line, 36 inches wide, and a good strong, soft, even thread.

LONDON SMOKE REMNANTS

London Smoke or American Mottled Flannel is always useful wherever there is a family and at

8 cts. per yard.

is a specially attractive item. All good useful lengths, from 1½ yards to four or five yards long.

CAMBRIC REMNANT BARGAINS

Several thousands of yards of beautifully fine spun, high grade Cambric, suitable for Women's and Children's fine underclothing, dresses, curtains, frills, etc.

12c. to 15c. per yd.

From 36 inches to 40 inches wide, all good useful lengths, up to six or eight yards long.

Scarlet Wool Blanket Bargain

We can offer a few high grade Scarlet Woolen Blankets, size 61 inches by 82 inches. The regular price would be at least \$5.00.

Now \$3.95.

Duchesse Sets

Here is a rare bargain in Sideboard Sets, in White Jean, with lace edge; 35 cts. would be regular value

Now 20 cts.

Wash Stand Sets

White Jean Centres with lace edging for washstands, etc.; 30 cts. would be regular price.

Now 15 cts.

Grass Cloth

A 36 in. wide, twine colored material, used for innumerable artistic purposes, such as Curtains, Cushions, Fancy Work, etc.

Now 15 cts. per yard.

Fleece Calico Remnants

A good useful, medium weight material, at a specially low price. Note the weight and quality.

Now 8 cts. per yard.

We will be unable to either charge or send on approval these goods, and wish to remind our numerous customers that the above goods are for spot cash only.

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Coronation Day Prizes.

Presented Last Night at the C. L. B. Armoury.

The C. L. B. Armoury was thronged last night on the occasion of the presentation of the prizes won last June in the Coronation Sports.

The three Brigades were present, His Excellency the Governor, Lady Williams, Miss Dean, Secretary Fitzherbert and Lieut. Gale arrived at 9 o'clock and were received by Lieut-Col. Rendell and a detachment of Brigade Lads lined up in front of the building. The band played the National Anthem and the battalions inside presented arms as His Excellency proceeded to take his seat on the platform. Amongst those who occupied seats there were Rt. Hon. Sir E. P. Morris, Hon. John Harris, Hon. M. P. Gibbs, Rev. Canon White, Rev. James Bell, Lieut-Col. Conroy, Lieut-Col. McNell. The prizes were given out by the Governor as follows:—

Hurdle Race—1st, Lieut. Summers (C. C. C.); 2nd, Pte. White (C. L. B.) Pole Vault—Pte. Duchemin (C. C. C.); Sgt. Parsons (N.H.) 100 yards, Jr.—Pte. Spurrell (C. L. B.); Pte. Calvert (N.H.) 100 yds, sr.—Sergeant Knight (C. C. C.); Pte. Campbell (C.C.C.) Putting Shot—Pte. Curran (C. C. C.); Corp. Haytor (C.L.B.) 220 yards, Jr.—Pte. Croucher (C. L. B.); Pte. Calvert (N.H.) 220 yards, sr.—Sergeant Knight (C. C. C.); Pte. Campbell (C.C.C.) ½ mile race—Corp. Spry (C.L.B.) Lieut. Cullen (C.C.C.) High Jump, Jr.—Pte. O'Brien (C. C. C.); Pte. Freebairn (C.C.C.) High Jump, sr.—Corp. Haytor (C. L. B.); Lieut. Summers (C. C. C.) Cricket Ball Throw—Corp. Haytor (C.L.B.); Sgt. Parsons (N.H.) ¼ mile race, sr.—Sergeant Knight (C. C. C.); Corp. Spry (C. L. B.) ¼ mile race, Jr.—Pte. Croucher (C. L. B.); Pte. Calvert (N.H.) Tag-of-War—Nfld. Highlanders. 1 mile race—Sergeant Marshall (C. L. B.) Pte. Kavanagh (C.C.C.) Hammer Throw—Piper Gunn (N. H.); Corp. Pittman (N.H.) 1 mile walk—Lieut. Rendell (C. L. B.); Pte. Steel (N.H.) Relay Race—C.C.C. Team; C. L. B. Team.

Football Fives—Nfld. Highlanders. Coronation Cup won by Catholic Cadet Corps.

When the presentations had been made His Excellency made an eloquent address to the Brigades referring to the death of the late Lieut-Col. Greene whose influence in the Brigade movement had been of great importance and whose death all most keenly deplored. His Excellency expressed his deep regret over the death of one whom he so well knew and for whom he entertained the greatest respect, and he extended his sympathy to the estimable lady who sorrows him. He then congratulated the winners, encouraged them to engage in fair and healthy competition and upheld the true standards of British sport and fair play. He referred to the Newfoundland boys' achievements in the Oxford hockey team and told his young hearers to take pattern by them. He also referred to the visit of the Brigade Boys to Toronto, praised the Brigade movement, hoped for proper selection of officers and privates, and showed that if emergency required the training of so many boys in a martial way would be of great benefit to the Empire and the Motherland. His Excellency looked on the Brigades as the nucleus of a properly organized Volunteer Corps, and he hoped the movement would become universal in Newfoundland. He was glad to see the outposts organizing Brigades and he hoped to see resulting therefrom a Volunteer Corps. He hoped that the Duke of Connaught would pay a visit, though it possible that, if as announced, H. R. H. the Prince of Wales visited Canada he might also honour the Colony with His presence, and that if either or His Majesty King George would pay Newfoundland a visit it would afford us an opportunity of displaying our loyalty to Throne and Empire. He congratulated Lieut-Col. Conroy on assuming the command of the C. C. C. which had been so successful in the Sports, and hoped that next year some other Brigade would have the chance of winning the cup. Concluding he wished all the Brigades success and prosperity in future and hoped they would be loyal to the Throne and Colony. Hearty cheers proposed by Major Warren were given for His Excellency and Lady Williams. Over 600 lads of the Brigades were assembled, and as the winners received their prizes they were loudly applauded. The rendering of the National Anthem closed the proceedings.

With the sinking of the Bella Rosa and Aureola our fleet of foreign carriers is being depleted, and in less than a year has been reduced by over one half. Besides the sale of the Cordelia and Ethel there have been lost the Virginia, Clara, John Harvey, Nina L., Corona, Bella Rosa and Aureola.

It was at one time arranged that Dante Gabriel Rossetti, his brother William and Swinburne and George Meredith should live together in a certain house. Meredith happened to see Dante Gabriel Rossetti at breakfast and changed his plans. Meredith himself tells the story. "It was past noon," says he. "Rossetti had not yet risen though it was an exquisite day. On the breakfast table on a huge dish rested five thick slabs of bacon, upon which five rigid eggs had slowly bled to death. Presently Rossetti appeared in his dressing gown, with slippers down at heel, and devoured the

dainty repast like an orge." That meal was too much for Meredith, and he sacrificed three months rent rather than see it repeated.

CALENDARS.—We thank Messrs. P. B. Wood Co., Ltd., and C. P. Egan for calendars received.

LOST VALUABLE HORSE.—Mr. Richard Biddiscombe, of Virginia Rd., lost a valuable horse on Monday morning. It perished in its stable of colic. The beast was worth \$200, and is a great loss to Mr. Biddiscombe who is an industrious teamster.

FROM ST. BRENDAN'S.—A message received via Salvage from St. Brendan's yesterday by Dr. Brehm was to the effect that scarlet fever had broken out there. Dr. McDonald, of Salvage, is looking after the patients.