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in mid summer can obtain all the latest styles which look fresh at at least one quarter off latest reductions.

Marshall Brothers.

Avalon Lodge.

Bro. J. Nunns was installed as W. M. of Avalon Lodge for the coming year at a meeting held last night in the Temple. The other officers installed were Bro. Geo. Hutchings, I.P.M.; Bro. Caleb Tibbo, S.W.; Bro. A. H. Salter, J.W.; Bro. E. M. LeMessurier, Treasurer; Bro. A. R. Woolgar, Secretary; Bro. Canon Bolt, Chaplain; Bro. J. E. Hurst, S.D.; Bro. H. LeMessurier, J.D.; Bros. R. W. Spry and A. Osmond, Stewards; Bro. G. Taylor, I.G.; Bro. G. Morris, Tyler. The R.W.D.G.M., Bro. J. A. Clift, assisted by P.D.G.D.S., Bro. Pinsent, and D. G. Secretary Edgar, conducted the initiation ceremony. A beautiful P. M. jewel was presented to the retiring W.M., Bro. Hutchings. The collection for the Tasker Educational Fund was taken up. A large number of visitors attended.

Celebrations at Botwoodville.

On Thursday last the people of Botwoodville observed Coronation Day in fine style. A salute of 21 guns was fired, and the National Anthems and patriotic songs sung. The children were entertained under cover and there was a parade of horsemen in appropriate costume. At night a concert was held, assisted by an orchestra of seven stringed instruments. Patriotic speeches were delivered and Rule Britannia, Flag of Newfoundland, and the Maple Leaf sung. A display of fireworks brought the day's festivities to a close.

On Friday a Children's Festival was held at Falkenburg House, the residence of Mr. H. J. Crowe, where the children of Botwood, Grand Falls and Bishop's were entertained.

WANTED TO SLEEP

Curious That a Tired Preacher Should Have Such Desire.

A minister speaks of the curious effect of Grape-Nuts food on him and how it has relieved him.

"You will doubtless understand how the suffering from indigestion with which I used to be troubled made my work an almost unendurable burden; and why it was that after my Sabbath duties had been performed, sleep was a stranger to my pillow till nearly daylight.

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"I feel that I could not possibly do without Grape-Nuts food, now that I know its value. It is invariably on our table—we feel that we need it to make the meal complete—and our children will eat Grape-Nuts when they cannot be persuaded to touch anything else." Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ontario.

Read the famous booklet, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Address to Rev. F. R. Matthews, B.A.

At the close of the Quarterly Official Board of Cochrane Street Methodist Church, held last evening, the Pastor, Rev. F. R. Matthews, B.A., who has laboured the past four years with much acceptance at the above named church, was presented with an address and purse of gold. The address was signed by the representatives of the various departments of the church's work, and by several members of the congregation on behalf of the large number of contributors and well wishers. Hon. H.J.B. Woods, Recording Steward, made the presentation. The pastor in reply said he was quite taken by surprise and thanked all for their good wishes and valuable gift.

ADDRESS.

St. John's,
June 26th, 1911.

Rev. F. R. Matthews, B.A.,

Dear Mr. Matthews,—As the end of your term as Pastor in Cochrane Street Church is at hand, we, the undersigned, on behalf of the members of the church and congregation, desire to assure you of our high appreciation of your work and ministry during the past four years. We feel that in relation to the spiritual interests of your flock you have been most faithful, while at the same time the sick have been visited and sorrowing comforted. The fruit of your labours has been apparent from time to time, but we believe the greater harvest will be reaped hereafter.

The harmony that has prevailed during your administration of the affairs of the circuit, is amply evidence of the respect and love you have won from all your people. Although compelled to part with you as our Pastor at the close of the longest term possible under the Discipline we are glad that your call to another City Church will enable us still to sit under your pulpit ministry from time to time for some years to come. We cannot close this address without referring to the debt of gratitude we owe Mrs. Matthews for her valuable services in the Church, Sunday School and Epworth League. She has been like yourself in labours most abundant and in parting with her we are conscious that it will be very difficult to fill her place. In presenting you both with the accompanying purse—we would have you regard it as only a small token of our esteem and love, and with our best wishes for your future success and happiness. We remain,

Yours affectionately.
(Here follow the Signatures.)

CAPE REPORT

Special Evening Telegram.

CAPE RACE, To-Day.

Wind west north west, weather fine. The steamers Hesperian, Willehad, Laurentic passed east, Manchester Mariner west yesterday; 25 banking schooners also passed S. E. yesterday. The steamer Salicia passed east and schr. Emma E. White passed in this a.m. Bar. 29.80; ther. 56.

THAT PENITENTIARY INCIDENT.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—The Editor of the Daily News, I observe, persists in "recklessly," if not maliciously, trying to mislead his readers with respect to the circumstances connected with the escape of prisoners Evans and Bursey from the Penitentiary on Saturday forenoon. In his issue of this morning he says: "Mr. Parsons was away when the men escaped, and we were not present; neither can say positively what did happen." Here in this very quotation we have another evidence of the recklessness of his statements, notwithstanding all he says to the contrary.

Does he want to convey to the public mind the absurd and nonsensical idea that, **when the Superintendent of an institution is absent, no one on or off the premises can possibly know what transpires there?**. I cannot believe it. Perhaps the amiable, if somewhat neurotic, editor of the News, is only giving expression to some newborn witticism, without revealing the true inwardness of the "fun behind the joke," as Judge Prowse, in his own inimitable way, puts it. At any rate, I am charitable enough to take a good-natured view of his remarks.

But this matter is too serious for witticism, and I should be surprised to find the usually sedate editor of the News inclined that way at such a time and under such peculiar circumstances. The News says: "Mr. Parsons learns one story; our reporter learns another." I do not know from what source the News got his story. But wherever it came from, he did not get it from any official of the Penitentiary; and, as nobody else was in a position to say what really transpired at the time, it naturally follows that a story thus concocted is, to say the least of it, **liable** to be both incorrect and misleading.

Again, the News goes on to insinuate: "As to getting correct information over the telephone from the institution (perhaps the Superintendent was absent), no person on the other end of the line knew anything, and, if they did, they were as close as oysters." The News says: "Perhaps the Superintendent was absent," the innuendo being that he was present all the time; and yet the News denies that its statements are "misleading." There was no desire on the part of the officials here to hide anything—certainly not on the part of the Superintendent. If the reporter had personally called, or asked for information over the telephone, he could have obtained it to the fullest possible extent. Those in charge would have told him that the prisoners Evans and Bursey broke the lock on the back gate and escaped at 17 minutes past 11 o'clock a.m., and that some other prisoners would doubtless have joined them but for the appearance of two of the officials on the scene before they had time to get out.

I shall ask the editor of the Daily News to publish a comprehensible account of the whole incident in his issue of to-morrow.

Faithfully yours,
ALEX. A. PARSONS,
Supt. H. M. P.

H. M. Penitentiary, June 27, 1911.

Harbor Grace Notes.

It is with the deepest regret we record the death of Mrs. A. Henderson, widow of the late Mr. Thomas Henderson, which took place at Gordon Lodge, on Tuesday last, the result of a stroke of paralysis. Mrs. Henderson had only been ill a week, and the news of her death was quite a shock to her many friends here, and will be we are sure to the many who have visited Gordon Lodge during her time residing there. She was 71 years of age. The funeral took place on Wednesday and the remains were interred in the Presbyterian Cemetery.

On Friday night the British Society Boat Club held a very enjoyable Sociable and dance in the Society's Hall. It was termed a Coronation Dance, and those who were present claim it to be the "Crowning" dance for the season.

The members of the C. C. C. attended Mass at the Cathedral yesterday morning accompanied by their band. After service they took a turn around town and were much admired by all our citizens.

Mr. William Collins, son of the late Terence Collins, and at one time a job printer on the Daily News, paid this town a visit last week, and all his old friends were pleased to see him. For the past five years "Will" has resided at Toronto, and is now down on a well earned holiday. We wish him a continuation of his good fortune.

The examination of Miss Cody's music pupils by Professor Schilssy, of Trinity College, took place last week, resulting in all the 15 candidates passing, 3 of them with honours. We congratulate the talented teacher and her bright pupils on the success attending their efforts. The following are the names of the pupils:—Winnie Parsons, Gertrude Casey, Emily Ash, Helen Duff, Minnie Brien, Florence Lee, Gertrude Davis, Annie Garland, Ronald Hanrahan, B. Tetford, Zela Watts, Mollie Keefe, Gracie Parsons, Ada Sheppard, May Dooley.

Quite a number of trouters went to the suburban lakes on Thursday and Friday to try and tempt some of the finny denizens to come out and take in the Coronation. There was not as large a turn out of speckled beauties as one would expect, but despite the disagreeable state of the weather, all the Waltonians claim they had a good time. We can speak for one part of three men who spent the day on New Harbor Barrens, and were well satisfied with the day's sport.

All arrangements for the Coronation celebration having been completed, Thursday morning found us all looking for a fine day, but in that we were disappointed. At 10 o'clock the British Society and the Sons of England left the hall of the first named and proceeded up Harvey Street to Noad Street where they were joined by the Loyal Orange Association, and the three paraded to St. Paul's Church where service was held in honor of the event. Rev. Canon Noel conducted the service, and a large congregation was present. The children's parade which was to have taken place in the afternoon had perforce to be postponed as the day was altogether unfit to take the children for their outing. In the afternoon the C. C. C. paraded the street, the band playing suitable airs. On Water Street, opposite Bannerman Street, they halted and Major Grouchy put them through their different drill in A 1 style. Three rounds were then fired by the Brigade and the band played the National Anthem. After three hearty cheers for the King and Queen our soldier lads returned to their armoury. A play entitled "All Tangled Up," was given for the benefit of the Brigade at the Academy Hall, at 8 o'clock which was well patronized and a success in every particular. The illuminations at night were very pretty and showed thoughtfulness and loyalty on the part of our citizens. Space will not permit us to go into detail, but we cannot refrain from mentioning the decorations of the Harbor Grace Boot & Shoe Manufacturing Co.'s building on LeMarchant St., which was beautifully decorated with the nation's colors—Red, White and Blue; a stand had also been erected in front of the building where the Pritish Band stationed itself and treated the visitors to patriotic airs. Refreshments were given the band and employees. Mr. Janes, the genial manager, is to be complimented on his orethought and untiring efforts to make the celebration what it was—a grand success. Fireworks blazed from Shannon Park at night showing to advantage from all parts of the town.

Friday being more suitable the children, to the number of about 1,000, assembled at their different schools on Harvey Street at 10 o'clock, and as each carried a flag or banner the sight was one of the prettiest ever witnessed here. Marching up Harvey Street and on to the Park by way of Cochrane Street and Long's Hill. Each child was given a memorial medal and a bag of cake and oranges. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent, assisted in no small degree by a review of the C. C. C. who fired volley after volley in honour of the Crowning of King George V. Sports were then in order and the different events passed off without a hitch. The walking match was won by Mr. Arthur Warren, with Mr. John Griffin, 2nd. The prizes for throwing the ball and the high jump were won by the young negro from Barbadoes—Samuel Padmore—who showed a true spirit of sport in all the events he entered into. The Brigade Football Match was won by the C. C. C. Several other events could not be run off as the time was up, and these will likely take place on the day of the first general holiday.

Henry Smith's Statement.

I, Henry A. Smith, of Boston, Mass., wish to make a statement contradicting the statements made against my honesty and character.

The sickness which I was stricken with at the Salvation Army Food Depot was from the effects of an operation which was performed for acute appendicitis, blood poison, peritonitis and paralysis of the stomach, which was performed at the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, Mass., January 2, 1911.

The charge of vagrancy, which Detective Byrne claimed I was, was not true. I was not a vagrant, even though I had no money; and if I had had fair play the American Consul would have been notified at once.

This divorce case I have been working on requires my hasty return to Boston, but I shall not go from here until the police authorities find beyond any doubt that I am what I claim to be, then I shall return to the United States. While here I shall work for a well known concern of engineers.

My wish to place myself right with the people of this Island is one reason why I am staying, giving whoever wishes a chance to prove the story of Detective Byrne. If Detective Byrne thinks he has any grounds on which to place a charge against me, why it is up to him to prove statements he has made and all future statements. I am,

Sincerely yours,
HENRY A. SMITH.

St. John's, June 20th, 1911.

To-Night's Match.

To-night the C. L. B. and C. C. C. teams will contest at St. George's Field in the inter-brigade football match. The line up will be:

C. L. B.—Marshall, goal; Barnes, Bishop, backs; Jerrett, Stevenson, Goudie, halves; Rendell, Hunt, Blackler, Kendrick, Hayward, forwards.

C. C. C.—Walsh, goal; J. Walsh, ———, backs; Thompson, W. Hart, Murphy, halves; B. Hart, Kent, Caul, Rogers, Sullivan, forwards.

The Coronation Win.

The Catholic Cadet Corps have indeed been fortunate in capturing the Coronation Trophy. Amid the excitement of the last few days, the importance of the trophy was apt to be overlooked but now that everything has sobered down, we cannot but see that luck has favoured them greatly, for they have the enviable distinction of being the brigade fortunate enough to win the first cup or prize of any kind offered officially from the Government of the Colony. They certainly deserve all the praise they get, for we understand every boy in the Corps was as enthusiastic and as zealous in doing his utmost as the individual track teamers who carried off the honours at the Sports. Such a spirit certainly deserves all it gets. Once more we offer them congratulations and even more success—if possible—than they have enjoyed up to the present.

Wedding Bells.

A very pretty wedding took place at Curling, Bay of Islands, on Wednesday morning, the 14th inst., when Albert George Fagan was united in holy matrimony by Rev. Henry Petley to Miss Edith McLea, eldest daughter of the late H. T. Butt, of St. John's. The bridesmaids were Beatrice T. Day and Laura Cooper. The bride was given away by Inspector Bartlett, while Mr. George Oke, engineer of the s.s. Home, and cousin of the bride, supported the groom. Mrs. Petley presided at the organ and played the wedding march. The bride and groom returned to the house of Mrs. John Wells, where a reception was held, after which they left for their future home, Channel, by the 2.30 express. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Fagan many happy years of wedded life.

Pleasing Presentation.

The Newfoundland Highlanders, after drill last night, observed a pleasant ceremony, when the Non.-Com. and Privates of A. Coy. presented Lieut. McBain, who leaves here by the Pretorian to-morrow, with a handsome walking stick. Later in the evening the officer was dined at Wood's West End Restaurant, by his brother officers, when another handsome present was given him. Mr. McBain thoroughly appreciates the generosity and kindness of his comrades in the Brigade.

To-morrow's Match.

A very interesting cricket match will take place at 11 a.m. to-morrow on St. George's Field between two fine teams, Married vs. Single. The game should be a closely contested one as the teams are well balanced, all are good cricketers. The married men are: Messrs. J. S. Munn, Hon. M. G. Winter, R. F. Goodridge, N. A. Alderdyce, Prof. F. Miller, P. Berrigan, H. H. Peters, J. Savage, F. H. Donnelly, E. F. Furlong, P. Wallace. Single: Messrs. P. J. Hayter G. Harvey, J. J. Grieve, A. Hayward, E. C. Rayley, H. Rendell, J. T. Foley, G. Boone, Cecil Clift, H. W. Dickenson, A. Nother.

Child Badly Burned.

A little child, daughter of Mr. Pierrot, of Broad Cove Road, was badly burned at his home this morning. She came down stairs in her night clothes and when standing by the kitchen stove, her night gown caught fire. Her screams brought assistance and the fire was quickly put out. By the application of home remedies, burnt flour and oil, the pain of the little one were allayed. It is believed that she will recover.

HOME'S REPORT.—The S.S. Home arrived at Bay of Islands at 11.20 p.m. yesterday. She reports, arrived at Battle Hr. Saturday at 3 p.m. Continuation of easterly winds and thick fog. Ice extends from Blanc Sablon to Battle Hr. From Blanc Sablon to Macodemy ice blocked on shore utterly impossible for fishermen to do anything with traps. Good sign of fish to the westward on Nfld. side. Lobster fishery very poor up-to-date.

LITTLEDALE LEAVES—We thank the Littledale Literary Club for a copy of the current number of Littledale Leaves.

BORN.

On June the 24th, a son to Capt. and Mrs. N. Herald.

DIED.

At 9.10 last night, after a brief illness, James Moore, cooper, aged 55 years; leaving one son, two daughters and one sister to mourn their loss. Funeral at 2.30 p.m. Wednesday, from his late residence, 435 Water Street. Friends and acquaintance accept this the only intimation.

This morning, after a long illness, Catherine Grace, relict of the late Michael Kelly, aged 79 years. Funeral on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., from her late residence, No. 1, Leslie St.

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