

Newfoundland at Wembley

Its Educational and Commercial Value--Two Million People Visit Our Pavilion.

Immediately following the return of Mr. D. James Davies, B.Sc., who was in charge of the Newfoundland Exhibit at Wembley, the Evening Telegram requested him to write an article on our display in order particularly to indicate its value from an educational and commercial point of view. In the following article which he has very kindly prepared, Mr. Davies has shown that so far as our exhibition covered the natural resources, the success of the undertaking was beyond our highest expectations, and is the strongest argument in favour of extending its scope next year.

The Exhibition year of 1924 will be ever memorable to the inhabitants of the British Empire as the year when this great heritage of British citizens stood in miniature at Wembley and Newfoundland's pavilion representing the oldest British Colony--the foundation of this great agglomeration of races and countries--attracted over two million people within its doors.

School children came by the tens of thousands with note books and pencil to gather information about this Island Colony, where history is teeming with adventure and romance.

Photographs giving the general layout of the exhibits have been on view in the town, so I will confine this short article to the effects of the exhibits both educationally and commercially on the minds of the enormous number of people that came to view.

The mural decorations supplied by the Furness Withy Company showed that the land of fogs of the old geography books, is a land of bright sunshine, sparkling streams, tall timber and green glades. The thirty-five thousand postcards sold at the Pavilion during August, September and October have brought the scenery and industries of our country to thousands of homes spread all over the world. The paintings kindly lent by Mrs. Power expressed in a most artistic manner the delightful colour tints of our Island home.

The best collection of caribou and caribou heads ever displayed at an exhibition was an object lesson to the visitors of the splendid animals that wander in the interior of our country.

A great number of British people who thought the ragman was still responsible for the sawpint of the world, will never forget the million of Daily Mail and Daily Mirror paper made from the spruce and fir of Newfoundland.

The Cod Liver Oil section, so ably laid out by Harrington & White, the London agents of W. A. Munn, attracted the particular attention of His Majesty the King, who had to take the oil in his childhood days mixed with orange wine.

The Stamp exhibit was acknowledged by expert philatelists to be the best collection in the whole of Wembley and Mr. W. J. Edgar's table top, showing the map of Newfoundland and the Union Jack in different coloured stamps combined with his wail map done on the same lines have impressed upon the minds of scores of thousands of people the triangular shaped coastline of Britain's oldest Colony.

M.G.C.A. Ladies' Auxiliary

The annual meeting of the M.G.C.A. Ladies' Auxiliary took place yesterday afternoon in the club rooms. The reports for the past year were presented and adopted and showed that the auxiliary had a very successful year. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President--Mrs. C. Peet.
1st Vice-Pres.--Mrs. H. J. Wyatt.
2nd Vice-Pres.--Mrs. Anita Russell.
Secty.-Treas.--Miss Anita Russell.
Hon. Members--Messdames J. S. Pitts, Chesley Ayre, and A. H. Murray.

Social Committee--Messdames H. J. Russell, C. H. Butt, H. Butt, Chas. Bowden, and R. Cramm.

Plans for the season's work were then discussed, and it was decided to hold the annual sale on St. George's Day, April 23rd. Arrangements were also made for the holding of a card tournament in the club rooms on Wednesday next, January 21st. Further plans will be outlined later and the members of the Auxiliary are looking forward to a busy and successful year.

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Express Passengers.

The following passengers crossed over to Port aux Basques by S.S. Kyle at 8.45 last evening and joined the express--H. E. Ellis, J. Winsor, R. Langlois, F. Walker, B. Sinnott, W. E. Connolly, Miss C. McAllister, W. E. James, J. Leighy, N. Snelling, D. M. Hooper, L. Goodacre, A. C. McKenna and F. A. Johnston.

OPEN AIR SKATING--At Burton's Pond last night hundreds of people were present and enjoyed a few hours of open air skating. The ice was in splendid condition.

Twenty Four Years Among Eskimos

Missionary Has Parish With 1,000-Mile Boundary.

With a parish extending 1,000 miles from the northern shores of Labrador to Baffin's Bay and Davis Straits, the Rev. Samuel Milliken Stewart, of the Colonial and Continental Church Society, cannot complain of want of room for his laboratory. In spite of ten months' ice and snow, and a temperature sinking occasionally to 60 below zero, Mr. Stewart seems to have taken little bodily harm. He spoke to a London reporter with enthusiasm of the success of his work.

"We have no 'rice Christians,' in my parish," he said. "The Eskimos are a clean-living and sturdy race, and they accept the truths of the Gospel and carry its precepts into their daily life."

"They speak a curious language, in which cases and tenses are all added on to the root word, so that we sometimes get words of 40 or 50 letters. There is a difficulty in reducing it to writing in Roman letters, so we have introduced a system of shorthand called the 'Cree-Syllabic,' which has only 64 phonetic characters."

Keen Readers. "By means of this we are able to translate portions of Scripture and tracts, which the men learn to read in two or three weeks. They are great readers when they get the chance during the long dark months of winter."

The chief food of the people is seal and fish. Hard biscuit they get from the whalers and other traders. They have no money, and all trade is carried on by barter--skins, ivory and furs.

"There are great quantities of salmon in the rivers," said Mr. Stewart, "and trout of large size in the lakes, but there are no cereals of any kind. Edible berries are plentiful in some places."

"The cold is sometimes awful. I travel round my parish with dogs and a sledge, and on one occasion the cold was so terrible that some of the dogs died. Yet I cannot say that I have felt any ill-effects from it."

"The people have a very high code of morals; they do not drink, and they are very helpful to each other. Many interesting sagas are handed down from father to son."

IVORY SOAP is the most Economical Soap

Great Thrills in "Hearts Aflame"

REMARKABLE FOREST FIRE ONE OF BIG SCENES IN BARKER'S PRODUCTION.

Reginald Barker, director of big screen photodramas, has given photoplay fans something new to enthuse over in his latest production, "Hearts Aflame," a Metro picture which was seen for the first time yesterday at the Nickel Theatre.

Nothing as vivid and intense as this forest fire has yet been presented in photoplay form. The scene has been remarkably photographed; one can actually see the flames lick at the trees which rapidly give way before the conflagration. Wolves and bears leap madly before the burning forest, an old locomotive driven by a young girl, slowly makes its way in an attempt to reach a powder magazine.

The story is that of Harold Titus, a "timber" man, an engrossing tale of the Michigan woods. There is a love romance which it, like the rest of the picture, real; and the participants are a strong-willed young man and a strong-willed young woman, a millionaire's son who attempts to redeem himself in the sight of his father and his friends.

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Wedding Bells

LEE--WILLIAMS.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Andrew's Church, Petty Harbour, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 30th, when Miss Rita, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cararet Lee, of Petty Harbour, and Ernest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, of the Goules, were joined together in Holy matrimony. Miss Lee being a very prominent young lady in church circles and a member of the Choir, the ceremony was fully choral and was performed by the Rector. The bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her father preceded by the Choir. The bride was prettily attired in a tawny costume with hat to match and wore a set of fox furs, the gift of the groom. She also carried a beautiful bouquet of Chrysanthemums, Hyacinths and maiden hair fern. She was attended by her sister, Miss Marion Lee, and Miss Louise Chafe of the Royal Stores. The groom was attended by Arnold Chafe, of the Goules, as best man. The bride and groom being both popular young people were the recipients of many and costly presents including a beautiful organ from her father and many other valuable gifts. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where a happy evening was spent. A large number of guests were present, including the Rector, Rev. F. Severn and Mrs. Severn, John and Mrs. Boone, H. J. W. and Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. H. Williams, Emmanuel and Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Thorburn. The Rector proposing the health of the bride and groom, referred to the good work the bride had done for the church in Choir and Guild. He was glad we were not losing her altogether. She was only going from one church to another in the parish from St. Andrew's, Petty Harbour, to the Church of the Presentation, Goules, and he trusted that she would spend a long, happy and useful life. By request Mr. John Boone in a happy speech proposed the health of the bridesmaids. After the reception the bride and groom drove to their future home at the Goules. We wish them every happiness in their future life. --COM.

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The cast is as follows:-- Jack Mills. . . Charles Jones Jean Ross. . . Betty Bouton Barker Rand. . . Frank Campeau Jaiwe Ross. . . Rhody Hathaway The Sheriff. . . Al Fremont Bud Loupel. . . William Scott Jack Loupel, Jr. . . Micky McCain

The comedy "Highly Recommended" was certainly a two reel fun factory. The renowned Al St. John, whom many claim is funnier than Charlie Chaplin, was in the lead.

Already movie fans are talking about Laurette Taylor in "One Night in Rome."

A long line may be given to the short evening gown by a sash which falls below the hem.

I.O.O.F. Annual Meeting

The installation of officers of Atlantic Lodge No. 1 I.O.O.F. took place last night. The installing officer was Bro. Geo. W. Soper, D.D.G.M. assisted by the following Past Officers:-- Geo. T. Phillips, D.D.G.M. of District 55; Simon Butler, Robert Young, Wm. Quick, Ernest Warren, Arthur Waterfield, Gordon Phillips, H. House. The newly installed officers are:--

N.G.--Bro. Harold Green. V.G.--Bro. Joseph Noseworthy. R.S.--Bro. Walter Garf, P.G. F.S.--Bro. Arthur King. Treas.--C. H. Hammond, P.G. Warden--Bro. S. Perry. Conductor--Bro. Wm. White, P.G. O.G.--Bro. R. Hennebury. I.G.--Bro. Thos. Jones. R.S.N.G.--Bro. Duncan Cook, P.G. L.S.N.G.--Bro. Chas. Winsor. L.S.V.G.--Bro. E. J. Noseworthy. R.S.V.G.--Bro. Gordon Noseworthy. R.S.S.--Norman Shaw. L.S.S.--Charles White. Chap.--Bro. Harold Blackmore. Organist--Bro. Walter Udie.

The past term has been a very successful one and good results are looking forward to in the coming year. After the usual congratulatory addresses a pleasing presentation was made by the D.D.G.M. Bro. Soper to Bro. Chas. Quick, P.G., of a Past Grand Jewel. The recipient replied in suitable terms. The members then sat down to a splendid repast prepared by an enthusiastic committee and the following toast list was gone through:--

The King--God Save the King.

Grand Lodge--Prop. A. Tiller, P.G.; Resp. G. W. Soper, D.D.G.M. of District 46.

Newfoundland--Prop. W. Garf, P.G.; Resp. G. T. Phillips, D.D.G.M. of District 55.

Grand Sub Encampment--Prop. C. H. Hammond, P.G.; Resp. J. Noseworthy, C.P.

Sister Lodges--Prop. D. Cook, P.G.; Resp. G. Freeman, Colonial, C. D. tot, Colonial.

Absent Friends--Prop. G. Phillips, P.G.; Resp. Chairman.

During the evening, songs and recitations were given by Bros. C. H. Hammond and W. White.

Personal

Lady Cashin left by S.S. Rosalind to-day on a visit to friends in Canada.

Mr. Thos. Walsh, buyer for Messrs. Parker & Monroe, left by Rosalind to-day for New York and other American cities. Mrs. Walsh accompanied him.

Mr. F. J. W. McKay, Manager of Parker & Monroe's Boot & Shoe Factory, leaves by S.S. Rosalind to-day on a business trip to several United States and Canadian cities in the interest of his firm.

Resident Norman's Reported Missing

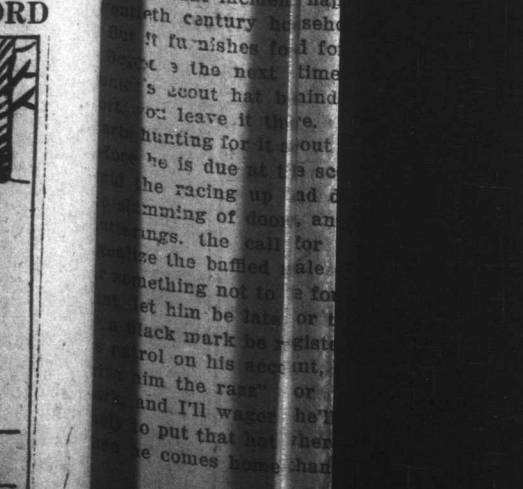
Much anxiety is felt for the man named Newhook, of St. John's, Trinity Bay, who left on Wednesday last and has not returned. From passengers who arrived by yesterday's train it was learned that the man had reached destination. Trinity's Cove, where he had set out on his journey a few hours later in the height of the storm. Since that time he has not been seen. A diligent search has been made to locate the missing man, but so far search parties have been unsuccessful. It is feared he perished in the storm.

The Star R. R. and R. mites are holding a Carnival in the Star Hall on day, Jan. 13th, at 8.30. Three big prizes. Admission, 5c. Men only. Jan. 12th.

Fashions and Fads

The more silk vanity has been made for the winter. The more they may be studded all over with colored stones or rhinestones. A cunning fad is to have buttons on one's personal match boxes on one's peaked hat. A wide plait down the back of a coat may easily become a belt, hanging around to the front.

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He Said An Earful!

By CY HUNGERFORD