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The Motor Menace.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Sir,—You in your capacity of Editor of the People's Paper can do us a great favour by continually hammering on this motor nuisance that has struck the suburbs like a plague. There are persons running motor cars to-day that in any civilized part of the Globe would not be permitted to run a wheelbarrow. They evidently have gone completely insane, have lost their heads because of the success that has come their way since the war began, and although hundreds of letters have been written and published in the press little or no attention has been paid to them. Now I would like to know if the police know when a car is breaking the speed rate that is allowed by law. Have they any means of proving that a chauffeur is guilty of overspeeding? The public are feeling pretty bad just now over this matter and it will be too late to holler when they take the law in their own hands and inflict punishment on the drivers. You can rest assured that it is a thing that is not unlikely to happen any night in the suburbs, for the people out there are just feeling that way. It lies with the authorities to prevent any trouble occurring and if they fail to do their duty to the people they will have themselves to blame. Waterford Bridge Road and the Bay Bulls Road will see trouble sooner or later that will cause someone to sit up and take notice if the speeding is kept up. I ask Sir E. P. Morris to protect us and our families without delay. Surely he is not going to remain inactive and see his constituents murdered before his eyes. I leave it with him to introduce a remedy and to do so immediately. The people are indignant at the way they are treated and do not intend to put up with it. Now is the time to act to avert serious trouble. We want no fooling in dealing with this terrible menace, and if those in authority do not intend to protect us then you cannot blame us if we take means to protect ourselves and our families. Now is the time to avoid serious trouble. We want it done without delay.

Yours truly,
ONE OF THE PEOPLE.

Garden Party

AT WITLESS BAY.

Several hundred people took advantage of the 1 p.m. excursion train yesterday to Witless Bay where a garden party, promoted by Rev. P. J. O'Brien, P. P. was held and proved a great success. Weather conditions were beautiful and the attendance of patrons was unusually large. The proceeds, which will be devoted to church purposes, were large. Visitors from town returned this morning.

At the Crescent.

Tom Mix, the favourite cowboy actor, and Bessie Bayton are featured in the great Diamond special feature: "Twisted Trails" at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day, a western drama of the woods and the open produced in three reels. The Biograph Company presents a clever detective drama "The Left Handed Man"; and the Vitaphone Company a rich comedy of indolence and insurance entitled: "Accident is the best Policy." This is a great week opening show, don't miss it.

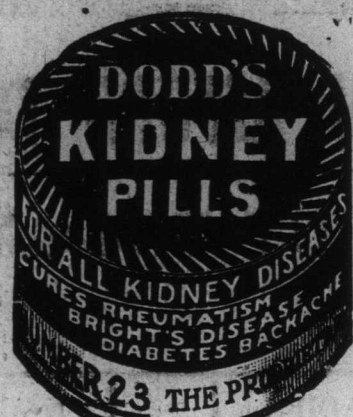
CADETS VISITED BELL ISLAND.

About forty members of the C. C. C. spent the week end at Bell Island. They went from here to Portugal Cove by motor Saturday evening.

And the Worst is Yet to Come--



C. J. Williams



Fire Breaks Out in a Suit Case.

The Central and West End Fire Brigades were summoned to the Springdale Hotel, Water Street, West, on Saturday night, where a very slight fire had broken out. On reaching the scene the firemen discovered that the "blaze" was confined to a suit case, the property of a boarder. The fire originated by the owner of the suit case unknowingly dropping a lighted match among the contents and then closing it up. The fire was discovered some minutes after, while the boarder in question was in another part of the house. The application of a few buckets of water was sufficient to extinguish the blaze. With the exception of some slight damage to the walls and ceiling caused by smoke the room was unharmed.

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Men Enlisted for Week Ended September 1, 1917

REGIMENT.
St. John's East, 1; St. John's West, 1; Harbour Main, 1; Carbonear, 1; Fogo, 1; St. Barbe, 1. Total, 5.

NAVY.
Trinity, 1; Fogo, 1; Twillingate, 1; St. Barbe, 3; Ferryland, 1. Total, 7.
Sgd. H. W. MATTHEWS.

The ladies of St. Michael's congregation are making great preparation for their Garden Party next Wednesday at Simmonds' Farm. Admission, 10c.; Children, half price. Tickets for teas, 40c. each. Tickets to be had from the members of the Committee or from Mr. Ewing, Taxidermist, Water Street, and Pope's Furniture Showrooms.

Our Baseball Column.

PLAGIARISED AND OTHERWISE.

Saturday night's baseball game between St. John's and Bell Island representative teams attracted a large gathering of fans. The proceeds will be divided equally between the Waterford Hospital and the Jensen Camp. The visitors played fast snappy ball and gave one of the liveliest exhibitions yet witnessed here despite their lack of practice. As a matter of fact it is extremely doubtful if a City nine could hold them were they to challenge for the R. G. Reid Cup in the Intertown series, and it is to be hoped that Mgr. Harvey will see his way clear to enter the team.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

St. John's 5 0 0 2 1 x-9
Bell Island 1 1 0 2 2 1 0-7

St. John's.

	AB.	R.	H.	P.C.
Quick	4	1	2	.500
Hartnett	4	1	2	.500
Cooney	4	2	1	.250
Brazie	3	0	0	.000
Hiltz	2	1	1	.500
Clouston	3	1	1	.333
Canning	3	1	2	.666
Grace	3	1	1	.333
Hall	3	0	0	.000

Bell Island.

	AB.	R.	H.	P.C.
Winter	4	1	4	.100
Proudfoot	3	0	0	.000
Morley	4	0	1	.250
Morison	3	0	0	.000
Archibald	3	1	1	.333
Burroughs	2	2	1	.500
Blackwood	3	1	2	.666
Bishop	3	0	2	.666
McClellan	1	1	0	.000
Spencer	1	0	0	.000

SUMMARY.

Hits—Or Hall, 10; off Proudfoot, 11.

Strike Outs—by Hall, 6; by Archibald, 9.

Hit by Pitcher—By Hall, 1; by Archibald, 1.

Walks—by Hall, 2; by Archibald, 3.

Two Base Hit—Cooney.

Three Base Hit—Winter.

Double Plays—St. John's, 3; Bell Island, 1.

Umpires—Major Montgomerie, F. V. Chessman.

Scorers—Messrs. Harvey and Outerbridge.

In the fifth inning replaced Clouston catching, Canning replacing him; in the sixth Spencer replaced McClellan.

NEXT GAME.

There will be no baseball to-morrow night, but the big double header will be played on Wednesday to decide the championship. The first game will be between the B. I. S. and Wanderers.

and the second between the Cubs and Red Lions. Briefly the position is this: Should the Irish win their game and the Lions lose theirs then the former are champions. Should the positions be reversed then the flag goes to the Lions. Should they both lose then all the four clubs are equal, and a knock-out schedule will have to be arranged. Therefore, Wednesday is the big day for baseball, and with the championship depending on the outcome it means very strenuous ball will be played by all the contestants.

LEAGUE MEETING.

The Baseball League meets to-morrow night at 9 o'clock to decide definitely whether the Grand Falls trip has

been found feasible. It is to be hoped that the Committee in charge have all arrangements made in case it is proposed to send a team, as of course they must leave here by Thursday's express in order to play the games for the Reid Trophy on Friday and Saturday. In case the City team goes we understand that they will be accompanied by a bunch of fans from town.

LETTER FROM DR. NOGUE POWER.

Torbay,
Aug. 31st, 1917.

Dear Editor,—Just a line in reference to that drawn game and the batting averages. The number of games counts, that game included, and the number of times at bat also counts. The batting averages for the season are compiled from all the games tied, won, and lost all together. However there is a difference between a "tied" and "called" game as can be seen by referring to Spalding's Guide.

For example, take the American or National League schedule. The series of games comprise 154, but often you see instances of some players having competed in 157 or 160 games, which shows that he has played the full regular schedule besides a number of "drawn" games.

Therefore, the averages in the drawn B. I. S. Wanderers should be taken account of in the League records.

Yours,

M. S. POWER.

St. John's,

Sept. 3rd, 1917.

Editor Baseball Column,

Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—In a letter in your column of Saturday last Mr. Hartnett, after stating the reasons which led up to the postponement of last Thursday's Baseball game, adds:—

"Not more than two minutes elapsed before I saw Mr. McGrath emerge from the Court House building, where I presume he was asking Mr. Carew's opinion about playing. In view of your remarks stating that Mr. Carew was indisposed, I leave it to your readers to judge as to who is entitled to the drinks at McMurdo's."

I simply wish to state that Mr. McGrath, who happened to be passing at the time (\$30) came into my office for the purpose of ringing up Mr. Hartnett with a view to coming to some arrangement about the game, as some rain had fallen and it was very dark.

There was no question whatever of indignation, either on my part or on that of any of the other members of our team.

I would not write this note but for the fact that Mr. McGrath is absent from town and may not have seen the letter, and since might be construed by those who have read it into an acquiescence in the deductions made by Mr. Hartnett.

I'll have a strawberry ice-cream soda, thank!

Yours very truly,

W. J. CAREW.

P.S.—It is soothing to note, in these days of the rejection of Peace proposals, that Mr. Hartnett is "willing to abide by Mr. McGrath's judgment." May it be ever thus.

Doings in Officialdom.

We have it from a reliable source that several new Government appointments will be gazetted to-morrow.

The long unfilled post of the Judgeship of the Central District Court is to be at last given to Mr. F. J. Morris, K.C. Hon. S. D. Blandford, it is said, will assume the responsibilities of Sheriff, and Mr. E. Devereaux, M. H. A. for Pictou, forgoes his job as Agriculture Commissioner, and becomes Liquor Controller. The superceding of the present Inspector General of Police is not yet definitely fixed.

There have been many rows in the political camp over this job. As a body the Executive Government gave its sanction to the retirement of the present holder of the office on numerous occasions within the past few years (previous to coalition days) but as soon as the matter would be reaching the final stage of adjustment, a flutter in the Government would be caused by two certain members, followed by a deadlock. One of these tickers represents nobody or anything. He contested almost every district in the Island and was as often defeated.

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PAST MOTOR DRIVING.—Instructions have been given the police to keep a close watch out for fast motor driving which is becoming all too prevalent in the city and suburbs. No doubt not a few offenders will be brought to book shortly.

Here and There.

FOOD INSPECTOR LEAVES.—Food Inspector O'Brien has gone to the West Coast on special business.

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RETURNED HOME.—The Bell Island ball players returned to the Island on Saturday night shortly after the finish of the baseball game.

Arrived by last "Florida" a choice assortment of Silverware, personally selected while in New York; newest designs, good qualities at reasonable prices. R. H. TRAPPENELL.—aug20,tf

PERSONAL.—Mrs. Levi Sheppard, who was visiting relatives and friends at Bay of Islands and Channel, reached the city by Saturday night's express.

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A Tribute to
Sergt. Noonan.

At the close of the sermon yesterday morning at the Congregational Church, Rev. W. H. Thomas addressed the congregation as follows:—

"To-day we mourn the loss of another of our heroic young men, making the fourth since the beginning of the war. Last Sunday Henry Noonan died from the effects of wounds sustained while fighting the enemy in France. Although he had volunteered in the early days of the war, owing to a weakness of the eyes, he had not proceeded to the front. A fortnight ago he was severely wounded and now has paid the extreme sacrifice for King and Country. "Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." For this we honour him highly and utter to-day our tribute of admiration and affection. Our sincere sympathy goes out to the widowed mother and bereaved sister. Their loss is irreparable and their grief great. May the great Divine Comforter come to them at this

time a very present help in trouble, instilling His effective consolation into their broken hearts."

At the close of the service the congregation remained standing while the organist played the Dead March.

Orphans Collection
A RECORD ONE.
The annual collection for St. Michael's Orphanage was taken up in all the R. C. Churches of the city yesterday. The result was:—

Cathedral \$1,457.13
St. Patrick's 678.33
Kilbride 55.06
Littledale 26.00
St. Joseph's 38.55
Mount Cashel 41.00
Logy Bay 11.94

Total \$2,806.01

The aggregate amount is \$200 in excess of last year's. This speaks well for the generosity of the Catholic people and is eloquent testimony of the regard they hold for the little orphans at Belvidere.

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Express Passengers.

The following first class passengers are on the incoming express due at 7 p.m. to-day:—

D. H. Kirkbridge, Mrs. H. Hayward, G. and Mrs. Tulk, Miss L. Ashford, A. N. Dean, Mrs. E. C. Perry, Miss H. Harrigan, J. and Mrs. Joy, Miss T. Hilyard, H. J. Brownrigg, Mrs. S. Grant, C. B. Blackie, Miss B. Dubordieu, D. D. Morton, Lieut. B. Penney, F. Pilley.

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MIDNIGHT PROWLERS.—The police would do well to pay a visit to Sheehan Street on or after midnight these moonlight nights as some people of questionable character, male and female, hang around there for no good purpose. The number of midnight prowlers has greatly increased of late.