

The Evangelists.

I. C. M.

So far the services conducted by our good friends, the Evangelists, have been such as to leave no opening for regret; but if there be anything like regret it is because Gower Street Church does not afford sufficient room to accommodate all who attend. While it is very pleasing to see such thronged congregations, it is a pity to see so many people standing and so many more who fall to get admittance. But this cannot be avoided, nor is it desired to be avoided, for the people are heart and soul in this campaign; and while the ushering continues as it has been, there is no fear of overcrowding. We congratulate the ushers; they have done excellently.

Last night's meeting was a good one in every way. There seemed a calmness in it which reminded us of the tranquility of "still waters which run deep." There was a depth in the singing which told for the good of all present, and which must certainly have helped the speaker in the utterance of her beautiful words. And then there was the prayer as offered by the Rev. Mr. Hemmison, and which in its supplication and spirit seemed to unite every heart. With this spiritual atmosphere it is not to be wondered at that every word of last night's message was eagerly taken in, and that the story of "Fishes of Men" was touching and convincing.

Like the most of Mrs. Demarest's talks that of last night was in connection with the life of Our Lord, and it centred around His words to Peter and Andrew, and James and John, when He called them from their fishing boats and said to them that from henceforth they would be fishers of men.

In beginning her discourse the speaker referred to the local aspects of the scene, and how we as a maritime people should be specially interested in it, and understand it. She then described the Sea of Galilee and the boats and the nets, and the men, and pictured the coming of the spot of the Saviour, and repeated His call to follow Him. There was a divinity in the call which at once arrested the men in their boats. Perhaps they had seen this person, who called them, before. Probably He was related to James and John, or they may have known Him as the carpenter. He was but a young man, being about thirty. The men whom He called were younger. He had dignified labour as a working man, but now He was about to elevate fishing by calling men from it, and making them fishers of men.

But why should they obey? What inducement was offered them? Why should they leave all and follow one who had no standing, and who had not where to lay His head? But they reasoned not. They heard the call of God in the words and in this they found discipleship. They did not miss their opportunity. They followed, and meeting the conditions they paid the price and won apostleship.

The strong point of the speaker here was that men still hear the Divine call; they hear it in different ways, and under different conditions, but they heed it not, and because of this they miss the true end and purpose of life. To confirm her position the Evangelist related several incidents which had come under her own notice in her work, and they all illustrated the lesson of the evening, and made plain the fact, that "fishing for men" is still necessary and that the call to do so is higher than logic and greater than mere argument.

We were fortunate in having a comfortable seat last night, and dwell upon every word of the address as it fell from the speaker's lips, and the study was worth a lot to us. The address was delivered with a calmness

that was profound, and in a spirit that was earnest and in words that were as plain as A. B. C. It truly was a plain talk for plain people. For an hour it lasted and for an hour it was listened to. People forgot that they had colds, hence there was not any coughing heard. The speaker took her time and she did language the justice of giving each word its full time and its proper place. Somebody trained Mrs. Demarest, and somebody trained her well. She states that it was her mother. Proud mother must she be. Would that the colleges and seats of learning would turn out more women of this class. Would that we had more such mothers.

Confidence Restored.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—To all well wishers of the country as well as to the Messrs. Reid, it must be extremely gratifying to learn of the words of praise bestowed by the Billingsgate correspondent of the Canadian Fisherman Magazine on the first cargo of frozen fish to arrive in England from Newfoundland. In back numbers of that magazine this correspondent has been writing in no uncertain way of the condition of fish shipped from Canada during the season of 1917 and early part of 1918. In one article he criticizes the initial handling of the Canadian fish, as some of it seems to be a long time from the sea before it reaches the sharp-freezer; transfer of the fish from its natural element to the process of freezing is a desideratum earnestly to be attained. The facilities of the cold storage plant at St. John's are ideal in this respect in so far as what comes in through the Narrows, and caught in the immediate vicinity is concerned, and on the South Shore and Trinity Bay lines to a lesser extent, hence the perfectly fresh appearance of the fish in this shipment.

It must also be most pleasing to the management generally, to hear of the success of their work, and especially so to Inspector "Jock" Green, whose indefatigable efforts and unbounded energy, coupled with his superior knowledge and varied experience of the fish business, both in Scotland and America, contributed in no small degree to the undoubted success of the first frozen fish from Newfoundland.

Hoping that this good work may encourage the Company to extend its scope or induce other capitalists to come in and develop the, as yet, isolated and untouched portions of the Colony, and to gather into the icy maw of the sharp-freezer the herring, flounder, etc., which the St. John's plant, owing to its position, cannot so readily secure in large quantities.

Yours truly,

J.P.M.

Jan. 28, 1919.

Hospital Report.

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—The Visiting Committee of the Newfoundland War Contingent Association reports condition of the following men in Hospital:

Progressing Favorably—No. 4343 Pte. Stanley Atkins, 4728 Pte. Sandy White, 318 A.C.S.M. Peter Daniels, 3565 Corpl. Edward J. Walsh.

Yours faithfully,

J. R. BENNETT,

Minister of Militia.

Jan. 28, 1919.

When you want Steaks, Chops, Outlets and Collops, try ELLIS.

Steamer Service to Nfld. Possible.

(Montreal Star.)

With the whole question of steamship service as related to the operation of the Canadian National Railway, now under consideration, it is possible that the claims of Montreal business men for a line operating between this port and Newfoundland may be satisfied. This is according to a letter received by the Board of Trade from the president of the C. N.R., D. B. Hanna. He said that when this matter was under consideration finally the claims of Montreal would be taken up and dealt with according to their respective degrees of importance. The matter was discussed briefly at the meeting of the council of the Board of Trade yesterday. A letter from W. A. Munn, of St. John's, Newfoundland, was read, which gave facts and figures establishing the claim that the trade relations between Canada and Newfoundland are sufficiently close and important to warrant the establishment of a line of steamers.

Here and There.

When you want Roast Beef, Roast Veal, Roast Mutton, Roast Pork, try ELLIS.

DIPHTHERIA.—One case of diphtheria was reported yesterday from Bannerman Street. The sufferer was removed to hospital.

GEORGE KNOWLING, Ltd., are selling Choice Crystal Brown Sugar at 11c. lb. and Finest White Granulated Sugar at 12½c. lb.

Jan. 28, 1919.

ENTERED HOSPITAL.—Mr. Wm. Weir, Quidi Vidi Road, entered Hospital yesterday to undergo an operation.

Stafford's Phoratorne for all kinds of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and various Lung Troubles.—Jan. 24, 1919.

COMING HOME.—Capt Marshall, H.M.C., received word yesterday from his son repatriated Dec. 19th, 1918, saying he was coming home the first opportunity.

H. B. THOMSON, Optometrist and Optician. Office hours 9.30-12.30 p.m., 2 to 5 p.m., and EVENINGS 7-9 p.m. No. 4 Kimberley Row (opposite Star Theatre).—Jan. 28.

NEW INSURANCE CO.—A new local Marine Insurance Co. has been formed for 1919 and all the capital asked for has been already subscribed. The directors consist of a number of our business men who are themselves interested in shipping.

Colds Cause Headaches and Pains. Feverish Headaches and Body Pains caused from a cold are soon relieved by taking LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. There's only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVES' signature on the box. 30c.

TRUCKMEN'S COMPLAINT.—The Truckmen's Union have complained to the Reid Co., against the use of a freight engine on the dock. The complaint is being looked into by the management of the R. N. Co., and if the outcome is not satisfactory further steps will be taken.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Stops Irritation, Itches and Heals. You can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. and Mrs. D. Burton and family, of Glovertown, wish to sincerely thank the many kind friends who helped them in their recent bereavement, and those who sent letters and telegrams of sympathy; also those who sent wreaths and flowers to adorn the caskets of their dear son and daughter.—adv.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY. THERAPION No. 1 THERAPION No. 2 THERAPION No. 3. No. 1 for Bladder, No. 2 for Blood & Skin Diseases, No. 3 for Glands & Wounds. SOLD BY LEADING CHEMISTS. PRICE IN ENGLAND 2s. 6d. per bottle. In Newfoundland, J. W. LALOR, 505, WATER STREET, ST. JOHN'S. SEE TRADE MARKED WORD "THERAPION" ON EACH BOTTLE. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mrs. Philip Constantine and family desire to express their sincere thanks to all those who sympathized with them during their recent and bereavement, especially the following who sent wreaths: Employees of the Nfld. Knitting Mills, Mrs. Jas. Beck, Mrs. Jas. Walsh.—adv.

STAR OF THE SEA ASSOCIATION.—Members of the Star of the Sea Association are requested to meet at their Hall on Thursday night, at 7 o'clock. A large attendance is desired. By order, W. M. F. GRAHAM, Secretary.—Jan. 29, 1919.

CURLING.—The Curling season opens to-night provided the frost continues all day. The first play will take place to-night in a series of scratch games. It is quite a coincidence that on this date last year the first match took place. Curlers are looking forward to a splendid season, and each division under its new captain, will make every effort to win the trophies on their schedule dates.

KNOWLING'S GREAT WINTER SALE

Commencing Tuesday.

We Cannot Charge or Send on Approval.
FOR SPOT CASH ONLY
OUR SALE.

It has always been the great aim in our Winter Sales to offer a collection of really useful and good quality fabrics, etc., prices that cannot but help appeal to those that study sensible and prudent domestic management.

Ladies' COLORED & BLACK. Kid Glove Bargain.

These gloves are Swede and Gloce, high grade, elbow length. Kid gloves which can be easily cut to desired length, making a glove worth three times the price.

\$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.80

Colors: white, cream, black, tan, fawn.

Dress Goods Remnants Bargains.

We are pleased to be able to offer, in spite of difficulties of markets, a large selection of manufacturers' remnants and oddments, consisting mostly of navy, black, and cream wool serges, together with a collection of silk, poplin, velvets, whipcords, crepons, Nun's cloth, satin cloth, fancy fabrics, etc. All offered at from

ONE HALF TO ONE QUARTER

LESS THAN

TO-DAY'S PRICES.

These remnants are suitable for women's and children's skirts, Costumes, Dresses, Blouses, Winter Coats, etc.

Ladies' and Misses' BLACK Kid Glove Bargain.

We are offering a large selection of Black Kid Gloves in sizes 5½ to 8, only, at

50c, 75c

Per pair. They cannot be replaced at double the money.

GREY TURKISH TOWELS, wonderful value, 10c, 14c. and 60c. each.

CHILDREN'S BED SOCKS, heavily fleeced, worth 25 cts. We offer at 9c. pair.

MARKET BAGS, in strong Manilla, four sizes. Worth 10c. to 25c. We offer at 3c., 5c., 7c., 10c.

CREAM LUSTRE, inches wide, worth \$2.20.

COLORED SILK BARGAINS, in Pongee, Lousine, Taffeta, 25c. to 60c. yard.

MOIREEN SILK BARGAIN, Pink, Nil, Brown, Sky. Worth \$1.00 yard. 40c. yard.

Ladies' Stocking Bargain.

A good plain, knit, winter-weight black stockings, full size, shaped leg.

47c

Per pair.

These could not be imported and sold for 60 cts. to-day.

Tweed Bargain.

Blue and white mixture wool Tweed suitable for women's and children's coats, skirts, boy's coats, etc., 56 inches wide.

\$1.50

Per yard.

Would be good value at \$3.50.

Fawn Velour Cord Bargain.

Makes a nice dressing gown jacket, children's coats, etc.

\$1.10

Per yard.

56 inches wide, worth from \$2.00 to \$2.50.

Jersey Cloth Bargain.

Navy only; suitable for dressing jackets, children's leggins, etc.

80c

Per yard.

56 inches wide; worth from \$2.00 per yard.

Flannellette Bargains.

We offer the following fine, pure soft weave flannellette, in pink, white, suitable for infants' and children's wear and wherever heavy, strong materials are not required. Worth 40 cts. per yard; we offer at 27c. yard.

G. KNOWLING, Ltd.

DANCING.

Opening Announcement. BLUE PUTTEE HALL.

Since the Newfoundland Entertainment Co., Ltd., assumed control of The Blue Puttee, they have had many requests from patrons to provide a room for informal dancing. They have, therefore, obtained the second floor of the building at the corner of King's Road and Gower Street (three minutes walk from the Blue Puttee) and have had same suitably fitted up for dancing, with an up-to-date Victrola and the latest dance records.

BLUE PUTTEE HALL

As Blue Puttee Hall is run in conjunction with The Blue Puttee all admission tickets will include refreshments at The Blue Puttee, Rawlin's Cross, or at the Hall. Blue Puttee Hall will be open for two sessions daily, from 2.30 p.m. to 6 p.m. and from 7.30 p.m. to 11.30 p.m.

Admission, including Refreshments, 50c.

The same rate prevails for Ladies or Gentlemen, Dancers or Spectators.

The endeavour of the Nfd. Entertainment Co., Ltd., will be to conduct this enterprise in such a manner that no lady may feel the least hesitation of attending any session.

BLUE PUTTEE NOW OPEN. DANCING.

Jan. 31, 1919.

Forty Years in the Public Service the 'Evening Telegram.'

The Car of Quality is

"THE DODGE"

Dodge Bros. motor car, since its introduction in the motor world, has given universal satisfaction, and is regarded as one of the best cars on the road. Every thing entering into its manufacture is of the best and the Company's policy has always been "Is it good enough for the Dodge?"

It is not the extreme freakish one year car, but sensibly built to give years of service and always look good. Real leather upholstery, 116 inch wheel base, one-man top, 32 x 3½ tires (rear non-skid), electric starting and lighting, all attest to the fact that the car is built up to a standard and not down to a price.

If you are thinking of buying an automobile, it will be worth while to see the Models now on exhibition in the Garage of

General Motor Supply Co.
GEORGE STREET.

Jan. 29, 1919.

Catalogues on request.

Abbey's

old and reliable saline, which for tepid water, making a laxative; regulates the system regular and active; a pure and rich. Good for family.

Should I To The

F. SHOKINS.) then very earliest days in our catch of fish for each as the price, have been variations. A glance at the figures will give us some results. From 1750 to 1800 the average was 656,500 qds. 1805 the catch was 526,185 it jumped to 1,245,115 it was 899,729 and from 1830 to 1885 it rose to 1,344,777, 885,638, 874,988, 712, at the above figures it is seen that after many years the catch has been nearly the same amount. The year 1814 was an exceptional year, so far as the catch was concerned, it being the highest in our history, up to the past year, viz., 23 per cent. In 1831, it dropped to 10 shillings, 1834 it rose to about 13 shillings, in 1855 it fell again to 10 shillings. Great Britain has exertions and granted bounties for the encouragement of the fish trade. As far back as 1700 the bounty allowed £40 to the fisher, £20 to the dealer, and £10 to the second hand. This bounty was continued until 1814, when it was abolished. In 1818 the bounty was £100 per ton for ten years with some

merchants were exported cod fish to Portugal, Spain, West Indies, Scotland, and other parts. It is interesting to read about the care and consideration given by our pioneers in the days to the cure of our fish. From the boat the fish were hastily thrown by a pike in the head, not injuring the fish. From the top of the flake the fish were carried into the salting-house. This structure is provided with more tables, round which the fish are laid. The important part of the operation is the splitting of the fish. With a sharp-pointed knife, cuts open the fish to the whole length. The head is then passed, removed and entrails, preserving in the liver and sounds, and the rest into the sea. The fish is then next transferred to the dexterous cuts, removes the bones; an operation considered that he receives the highest ranks next to the master. Three operations are usual upon half a dozen sub-courses of a minute. The fish are conveyed to the salting-house, also considered important. Having spread a due portion of salt, he above each other face upon they have thus remained the salt is washed off, during which process the fish is placed in a box with holes for the water to run off. The complete draining they long heaps, bearing the fish have remained a day. They undergo the final drying. This is effected by them on flakes with the uppermost, and leaving

DUS ENERGY

COTT'S EULSION

in substance, rich in cod liver oil, nourishes the body and strengthens the nerves. Whichever is the best, it is a standard tonic of strength. (Lancet, Oct. 1917)