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GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES.

Service will be held in Zion church this evening. Rev. Dr. Wilson will preach. "A collection will be taken for benevolent purposes. All made welcome."

The services at Trinity church today 11 a. m., when the color will be preached. Ven. G. A. minor, Deacon, chanted. Benediction, Langdon. Hymns 123 and 490. Offertory, There is a Green Hill—Gounod.

7:30 p. m.—At this service St. John's church, the Crucifixion, will be sung by the choir. It will be preceded by a very beautiful service. Collects and the Lord's Prayer.

The choir will be sung by Messrs. Hamby and A. C. Ritchie, the latter of whom, in the illness of Mr. Hood, has taken up the work at forty-eight hours' notice, a difficult task for even so talented a musician as is the leader of St. David's choir, and which has earned the sincere gratitude of Trinity church. Some incidental solos will be sung by Messrs. Papp and Craig, and the quartette of Messrs. St. John, and O. Dunn and Messrs. Noel and Hogg.

All members of Trinity choir are requested to attend a special practice at 8 o'clock this afternoon.
An offertory will be taken both morning and evening for missionary work amongst the Jews.

J. Ritchie will conduct a "Bible" meeting at 3:30 this afternoon in Port and Methodist church and an evangelistic meeting in the evening at 7:45 o'clock.

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TODAY'S SIGNIFICANCE.

Today the Christian world commemorates what to the believer was the stupendous tragedy of the ages. The fixing of the date of this commemoration was arbitrary, but that bears no relation to the nature of the observance. It cannot be denied that there are in the so-called Christian world a host of persons to whom the solemnity of the anniversary does not strongly appeal, because they have not a positive belief in the central facts of the Christian religion. They still seek the answer to Pilate's question: "What is Truth?"

But even these recognize the matchless nobility of the Man of Nazareth, and pay tribute to the sacrifice He made. The voice of controversy is not yet stilled, and many old beliefs have been discarded. There is as certain to be further change as that human life shall continue on the earth, but so long as hearts beat, and the soul of man aspires, the sublimity of the sacrifice on Calvary will be recognized, and the precepts Jesus taught will be the highest rule of conduct. To the ardent believer the suggestion of doubt or unbelief is painful and incomprehensible. Yet, however painful and however apparently incomprehensible, the existence of this unbelief is a fact. And today, as in the days of the early Christian fathers, it must be met by the simple preaching of the Word, and a life patterned after that of the great Exemplar.

ARE THESE MEN LOYAL?

A branch of the United Irish League has been organized in Ottawa, with Hon. John Costigan as honorary president. In order to know what are the real sentiments of the persons who are thus uniting themselves, and which views it is presumed Mr. Costigan shares, we may fairly quote William Redmond, M. P., who was interviewed this week in Chicago. He said:—

"Chamberlain is the most polished villain in Europe. He is very clever, but the time will come when he will be executed by the English people. Ireland would rise in arms now if she had any arms. She would fight England as the Boers are fighting it she could. Fifty years of treating the English considerately in parliament have not restored our parliament; now we tell the English what we think of them, of their rule in Ireland and their nefarious war in Africa."

"Would home rule cure our discontent in Ireland? It at least would remove some causes for it. With a free government would Ireland help England or her enemy, if war broke out between England and a continental country? That is rather a hypothetical question. If England were to wage a just war, which she never did in history, Ireland would fight with her. In such a case as a war with France over the Fashoda district incident a few years ago we would sympathize with France."

"I see Edward VII. has given up going to Ireland. If he went his life would be in no danger, but he would be hoisted from one end to the other of the island, just to show how we feel, not about him, but about the government he represents."

If the Hon. John Costigan, who is put forward by his friends as one who should be a member of the government of Canada, or at least governor of New Brunswick, subscribes to the views of Mr. Redmond he should come out in the open and say so. If Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who joined in welcoming Redmond to Ottawa, shares his views, he, also, should let the people know it. Then the loyal people of Canada would be in a position to give expression to their views concerning these gentlemen.

That the agitators are not having all their own way may be inferred from the following despatch from Dublin:—

"The Dublin nationalist press is issuing appeals for funds for the Irish parliamentary party. In spite of the elaborate organization for collecting money by means of branches of the United Irish League, it seems that financial difficulties are overtaking the party. The fact is that the peasantry in the south and west have been squeezed dry, and that the richer agricultural cities and midland agricultural districts refuse to put their hands in their pockets."

AS TO POLITICAL ACROBATS.

The Fredericton Gleaner last year printed an article on Hon. Dr. Pugsley, with the following interesting headlines:—

"A Political Acrobat—Hon. Dr. Pugsley as a Political Flipper—He Talked 'No Popery'."

In the course of the article the Gleaner re-published Dr. Pugsley's famous letter of 1896, in which he withdrew his candidature in Kings county through, as he wrote, "a desire to help ensure the success of the liberal-conservative party, which has done so much for Canada."

The article and the letter are very interesting reading, now that the Gleaner and Dr. Pugsley are "political hoppers" together. The Globe on Wed-

nesday evening re-published it all, as an Easter gift to its friend, Dr. Pugsley. That versatile politician will of course not be worried over the matter. He accepts these little attentions as evidences of regard. He remembers that he has lived to be praised by several editors who formerly denounced him, and doubtless hopes the Globe will yet discover the merits of a cheerful opportunism and also join the procession.

TREASURY BOARD.

The treasury board at its meeting yesterday afternoon passed on the estimates as prepared by the various boards. Reductions in all of these estimates were recommended by the treasury board. A reduction in the estimate of the street department was recommended in the street lighting from \$23,744, as prepared by the board, to \$21,000; the estimates for the fire department from \$34,829.98 to \$32,800; in the police department from \$28,000 to \$26,500; the streets from \$50,000 to \$48,500.

During the discussion on the police estimates Ald. Christie moved that the recommendation be made to reduce the magistrate's salary from \$5,000 to \$2,000, and at the same time referred to the fact that the magistrate was not paying in the fines promptly.

"If the magistrate should die," said Ald. Christie, "we would be out two months' fines."

The motion was not seconded. Shortly afterward, on the item in regard to medical attendance, Ald. Christie spoke against the system of giving one medical man all the patronage.

Chairman Robinson presided, and there were present Ald. Armstrong, Seaton, Maxwell, Millidge, McMulkin and Christie.

Chairman Robinson said that the interest to be paid this year would be \$103.08 less than last year's. This is caused by a decrease of \$400 interest on 6 per cent Pottlingill bonds and \$19.14 on sewerage maintenance. There is an increase of \$116.00 on the city debt interest, which makes the net decrease \$103.08. The warrant for the school board has decreased \$14.74, so that the assessment for the chamberlain's office this year is reduced by about \$1,000.

It was decided to recommend the following assessments to the council:

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT FOR INTEREST AND SINKING FUND:

Pottlingill wharf debentures	\$1,500.00
Leaves	\$1,000.00
Prince William street pavement debentures	\$900.00
Dorchester street debentures	1,300.00
Restoration debentures	4,700.00
Widening public streets debentures	5,125.00
Canterbury street debentures	241.68
Restoration debentures (2nd series)	1,130.00
City of Portland debentures	1,777.00
St. John city debentures	56,781.45
Commissioner of sewerage debentures	11,500.00
Total	\$88,479.00
Exhibition building purposes	\$938.00
City of Portland debentures	\$1,777.00
Common schools	\$2,130.00
Sewerage maintenance	\$5,000.00
Total	\$100,927.33

The assessments for 1931 were as follows:

Police department	\$27,200.00
Fire department	\$23,744.00
Streets	\$50,000.00
City of Portland debentures	\$1,777.00
Streets	\$50,000.00
Total	\$152,721.00

The board of school trustees asked for the usual biennial grant of \$80 for corporation gold medal.

The application will be recommended to the board.

It was decided to recommend that the sum of \$300 be granted to the S. P. C. A.

The following communication was received from the Horticultural Association:

The Horticultural Society of the City of St. John respectfully asks that your honorable board will grant your petitioners the sum of three thousand dollars in aid of the sustenance of Rockwood, a garden during the current year. In the past year our expenditure in connection with the park and garden was \$4,226.66, as per audit. The roads and drives are of great extent that is a cost of keeping them in good condition. There are now six miles of carriage drives and three miles of foot paths. The grounds have been so great a source of pleasure to our citizens, demand continual outlay. Mr. Hamilton in his report as chairman of the attraction committee, says: "It is important that a small house must be built for the better care in the winter of the grounds."

It is evident that the cost of keeping the park, gardens and roads in fair repair, is beyond the means of the association. We have therefore named the sum of your grant in the past year, with the hope that your honorable body may be pleased to make such addition thereto as our needs and efforts claim.

Most respectfully,
JAMES REYNOLDS,
Secretary Horticultural Association.

It was decided to recommend that this sum be granted.

The following district commissioners were recommended for appointment: T. T. Kelchum, T. Carleton Allen, Patrick Griffith, Edward Edgson, J. R. McFarlane, G. Gordon Boyne, E. W. Paul, W. S. Vaughan, W. A. Jack, John Stubbs, M. Douglas Austin, Geo. Seely.

Reverting to the statements made by Ald. Christie during the discussion of the police department estimates, Ald. Millidge moved that the board observe with surprise and indignation that its order made by the council, that the medical patronage be distributed, has been utterly disregarded by the chief of police.

Ald. Christie then moved that the board recommend the council that the magistrate be asked to comply with the law in sending in the fines. A number of bills were passed and the board adjourned.

FRUITS OF A BAD EXAMPLE.

(Kentville Chronicle.)

The St. John Telegraph is responsible for the following: "Peter Paul of Pleasant Point, possesses a plentiful supply of 'pots.' Now wouldn't that jar you? It is safe to say that it probably produced a peculiar pattern in poor Peter's pate to part with his pet peculiarly,

OTTAWA.

Two Thousand Men For South Africa.

OTTAWA, March 22.—Mr. Chamberlain telegraphs that Arthur James Gray and David Porter of the South Africa Constabulary are dangerously ill at Bloemfontein of enteric fever. Their fathers are James A. Gray, 24 Starr street, Halifax, and W. Porter of Salt Coats, N. W. T.

Mr. Carnegie writes to the Ottawa council stating that he is satisfied with the arrangements suggested and that as soon as the library site is purchased he will send his hundred thousand dollars.

A deputation of mining engineers and others waited upon Hon. Mr. Sifton today and asked for the organization of a mining bureau or department of mines. Among the delegates were Prof. Haenell, Prof. Adams, W. E. R. Bell and Prof. Goodwin of Queen's University. They pointed out the importance of the mineral interests of Canada and threw out many suggestions. Mr. Sifton promised to consider. Prof. Haenell, who now holds the position of superintendent of mines, is mentioned as the prospective deputy head of the suggested organization.

Up to a late hour this afternoon no information had reached the militia department from the home authorities with reference to the nature of the additional force to be sent to South Africa, and it is probable there will be nothing of a definite character until early next week, as Hon. Mr. Borden, minister of militia, left for New York yesterday afternoon to be present at a great military review in that city. The minister invited Col. Aymer and Adj. Pinault, deputy minister, to accompany him. They will return to Ottawa next Tuesday. Meantime officials of the department are preparing for organizing the new contingent. A force of two thousand men will be constituted into two or three regiments. The names of the prospective commanding officers are suggested, but at the department it is stated they are simply guess work. Major Turner, V. C., of Quebec, is one of the latest to be mentioned in this connection.

Father O'Leary, who has been here some days, had interviews with the Governor General and Countess Minto. It is likely he will be sent to South Africa to locate the graves of Canadians and erect over them their beautiful memorial stones.

An interesting function will take place at the state ball next Wednesday, when the governor general will present the decoration of the distinguished service order to Capt. Morrison of the Ottawa Field Battery and the colonial auxiliary force officers' decoration to certain local officers.

William Hespeler, speaker of the Manitoba legislature, is in the city. Messrs. Wilson and Suggs of Dawson, who were sent here to protest against the Trades' union, had an interview with the premier and Mr. Sifton today, and subsequently Sir Wilfrid entertained the deputation at lunch at the Rideau Club. The latter act is regarded as a brilliant stroke.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 22.—At a meeting of the public accounts committee the accounts of the provincial lunatic asylum were taken up.

W. A. Quinton and G. G. Boyne of the asylum were present. The items of expenditure for the year were taken up and passed.

The committee without exception expressed themselves as satisfied with the explanations offered by Mr. Quinton. He explained that the coal bill was put up at tender, but on account of the strike the contract was thrown up before it had been signed, and before the committee had a chance to meet. He said dry goods could not be given out at tender, as they were one class of goods which the committee were not sure before hand the quantity which would be required.

In looking over the amounts paid by the municipalities, it was found that several of the counties had failed to pay for the support of pauper lunatics. Messrs. Humphrey and Melanson thought this an important matter and the explanations offered by Mr. Quinton. He explained that the coal bill was put up at tender, but on account of the strike the contract was thrown up before it had been signed, and before the committee had a chance to meet. He said dry goods could not be given out at tender, as they were one class of goods which the committee were not sure before hand the quantity which would be required.

A resolution was moved by Mr. Barnes, seconded by Mr. Melanson, asking the government to see that the matter was attended to every six months.

When the item relating to the public works account came up, Mr. Humphrey asked to see some accounts in this connection. The auditor general stated that they were in possession of Mr. Winslow of the board of works department. Mr. Winslow, on being sent for, stated they were in the possession of the auditor general, and after an argument between the two officials as to who had the papers wanted, it was finally decided that the auditor general was in possession of them. It showed a rather loose way of doing business. In regard to the steward, Mr. Quinton, and Assistant Secretary

MISS STONE.

VIENNA, March 22.—Miss Ellen M. Stone, the American missionary, passed through Vienna tonight on her way to London.

Miss Stone appeared to have recovered from the effects of her captivity better than was expected by those who saw her at the time of her release. She said to a representative of the Associated Press:

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Boysie it is only just to say that they had all the information required this morning and satisfied the committee from both sides of the house by the prompt manner in which they imparted it. The committee have requested Mr. Quinton to be present again on Tuesday, when the board of works account will be taken up.

WANTED.—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

C. P. R. TRACKMEN

Conferences Held, But No Result Yet Reached.

(Montreal Witness.)
Several conferences have taken place between the representatives of the trackmen and Mr. McNicoll, general manager of the C. P. R., conferences which have been largely for the purpose of clearing the air, as the negotiations have not yet got down to a business or practical basis. Indeed, the men have not as yet filed their schedule, but the terms of it have been already outlined. Full recognition is asked; also, increase of pay from \$1.10 to \$1.30 to \$1.50. The C. P. R. claims to be still paying the highest wages for this class of work of any other railway system on this continent. The C. P. R. officials state that they are perfectly willing to meet the men, through their committee, in a spirit of fair play, but there will probably be no hurry on the part of the company to grant higher wages at the present time, the more especially as the last advance, made voluntarily before the previous trouble, amounted, in the aggregate, to over \$100,000.

(Wednesday's Witness.)
The representatives of the trackmen have had several conferences with Mr. McNicoll, general manager of the C. P. R., but both parties maintain an unusual reticence. It looks, however, as though the company would maintain a attitude of firmness in regard to demands which might seem to be too onerous.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Jas. T. McKay, one of the oldest residents of Hillsboro, Chert County, died at that place on Friday, March 21. The deceased was born at Hillsboro, January, 1826, being the oldest son of the late William McKay of Hillsboro. He was for a number of years mechanical foreman of the Albert Manufacturing Company's planter mills at Hillsboro, and later on was superintendent of the mechanical department of the Albert Railway. He married Elizabeth Rogers, daughter of the late Joseph Rogers of Hopewell, who survives him with four sons and one daughter. The sons are Joseph and Fred of the mechanical department of the I. C. R., Marshall of Boston and Fred of Liverpool, England. The daughter is Mrs. Lizzie Price.

The death occurred of Mrs. Herbert B. McDonald in Boston on March 15th, after undergoing an operation in a hospital. She was but thirty years of age and was the youngest daughter of Alexander and Elizabeth Dauphinee, formerly of St. Stephen.

Miss Ethel Voorhies Thompson, who was known in religion as Mother Marie Angeline de Lion, died March 17th, in the Notre Dame convent, at Isey, France. She was twenty-five years old, and was a daughter of Captain and Mrs. W. H. Thompson, of No. 513 Lexington avenue, New York, formerly of St. Stephen. She had been in the convent about two and a half years.

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DR. TALMAGE.

The Graves Fears Are Entertained For His Recovery.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—Dr. T. DeWitt Talmage is dangerously ill at his residence on Massachusetts avenue, in this city, and the graves fears are entertained for his recovery. It was said today by a friend of the family that a fatal termination would not be a surprise. Dr. Talmage returned from a trip to Mexico a week ago. He was taken ill with a severe cold en route to Washington, and has been since lying in a semi-comatose condition.

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