

Garden Party Was Big Success

The garden party at Torbay, which had to be postponed Wednesday last, owing to adverse weather was held yesterday under most favorable conditions. It was a splendid success and the large number who attended it, both city residents and people from the settlements near, enjoyed themselves thoroughly. Among those of the City who were present were Rt. Rev. Monsignor McDermott, Rev. Fr. H. Renout (St. Patrick's), and a number of the Christian Brothers. All received a cordial welcome from Rt. Rev. Monsignor St. John. The grounds near the presbytery were splendidly decorated with flags and the ladies of the parish were kept busy all the afternoon supplying teas, etc. The arrangements were all that could be desired and all present voted the affair one of the most enjoyable they had ever attended. There were the usual races, etc. football matches and other sports.

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday will be fast days (Ember Days) with our Catholic fellow citizens, it was announced in the Cathedral and other churches yesterday.

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Secretary International Grenfell Association.

OUR THEATRES

THE NICKEL. There is another grand programme at the Nickel theatre to-day. The last chapter of the brilliant serial "The Strange Case of Mary Page" will be shown. It is entitled "The Verdict" and is most exciting. Who killed David Pollock? Attend to-day's show and see. Frank Daniels, the world famous comedian, will be seen in "Crooker," a farce comedy that will establish a new record. It is by an all-star cast of the Vitagraph Co. Every one should make an effort to see this great picture. On Wednesday "The District Attorney" will be shown.

THE CRESCENT. "The Angel of Piety Flat," a great two-reel Western feature, is the headliner at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day. Claire McDowell and Charles H. Malles are presented in "The House of Darkness," a thrilling Biograph drama. The Essanay Company present "Animated Noz Pictorial," a reel of comic cartoons, and Billie Reeves, the celebrated English Music Hall comedian feature in "Some Boxer," a lively and very laughable comedy. Mr. Sam Rose sings a new novelty song, "In Florida among the Palms." Professor McCarthy presides at the piano. On Wednesday, a wonderful three-reel Selig feature, "Tom Martin—a man."

HE DID SEVERAL. The party who did Mr. R. Byrne saloon keeper, a few days ago was a well known city chap who had several agencies and who for years was a travelling agent for companies here. Mr. Byrne was not the only one who changed a cheque for him and found he had no account at the banks. Several others did the same and he skipped the country with a tidy sum secured thuswise from his dupes.

Where is He?

Mr. Rd. Maddigan, of the West End, and his family are in great suspense as to Private Richard Maddigan, son of Mr. Maddigan, who took part in the big push of July 1st, last. Private Maddigan's name is not on the casualty lists of those reported killed, wounded or missing and no word has been heard from him. No doubt the authorities will make all enquiries to, if possible, discover if the brave young soldier is still in the land of the living. It is quite possible that he has been captured and could not get an opportunity to write to his friends.

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THE "SUSU" HERE. The S.S. "Susu," Capt. Roberts, arrived here from the North at 9 a.m. yesterday. The ship had one of the most stormy trips in her experience, and for the whole trip had a succession of N.E. gales, with a very heavy sea running. The ship, however, made all ports of call. She brought a freight of fish oil, etc., and brought a number of passengers.

Returning on Furlough

There are 22 of our boys in khaki returning with Lieut. Chas. Strong, son of Capt. Strong of the Tug Coy. "Charlie," as he is familiarly known, has been through it all, and was severely wounded in one of the heavy engagements in which our boys took part. The first 15 of the 24 are on furlough and there are 7 pronounced medically unfit. These returning are: End Lieut. Strong, St. John's; Corporal Don Moore, St. John's; Corporal Coffield, St. John's; Ptes. O. K. Bastone, Jackson's Cove; Thomas Iveny, St. John's; Alder N. Whiteway, St. John's; W. A. Delaney, St. George's; Sylvester Madden, St. John's; Harold W. Matthews, St. John's; Joseph Stansford, Grate's Cove; Wilfred C. Parsons, Bay Roberts; P. J. O'Keefe, St. John's; Chas. H. Ellis, St. John's; Edmund F. Shea, St. John's; Fred. A. Clouter, Catalina; Lance-Corporal J. F. Barnes, St. John's; Privates M. W. Morrissey, Bell Island; T. J. Lake, Burin; Jno. Hartery, Fleur-de-Lys; John Hyward, Bonavista; Walter Ruhl, Grand Falls; John White, Bay Bulls; Frank Brake, Humbermouth, and W. P. Taylor, St. John's. Pte. Ellis, who returns on furlough, and Pte. Morrissey, of Bell Island, are married men. All these have been through the Gallipoli campaign, as well as the fighting on the Western front, and shall arrive here by the express Thursday.

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LARGELY ATTENDED FUNERAL

The funeral of the late, Patrick Cahill, of Outer Cove, which took place yesterday afternoon and was attended by a concourse of people from Outer Cove, Middle Cove, Torbay and Logy Bay. It was one of the largest funeral processions witnessed in this section for many years and shows the respect and esteem which the people held for the deceased. Rt. Rev. Monsignor St. John officiated in the Church at Torbay and imparted the final absolution, after which the remains were interred in the cemetery there.

A BAD CASE.

There is a man named Edward Scott in this community who is liable some day to be found dead as the result of hunger and exposure. He has been sent to the Penitentiary repeatedly for vagrancy and has no home. He is a very sick man and for weeks past has been living in a hole which he dug for himself on the South Side Hill with a stone for a pillow. In the recent stormy weather he suffered terribly and was found by resident of the upper South Side in a bad way. But for Mr. Ben. Squires and others who often give him food he must have succumbed. The authorities should put him in the Poor Asylum, or if not, they will be responsible for his death.

The Kyle's express is due to arrive here at 2.30 p.m. to-day.

Our Soldiers in Hospitals

To the Editor. Dear Sir— I beg to enclose copy of a cablegram, which have to-day received from Mr. Henry Reeve, Honorary Secretary of the Newfoundland War Contingent Association, London, reporting upon the condition of a number of the men of the First Newfoundland Regiment at present in Hospitals in England. Will you kindly publish this message for the information of the friends and relatives of the men referred to therein.

Yours faithfully, **J. R. BENNETT,** Colonial Secretary. 16th September, 1916.

Copy of Cablegram

To Colonial Secretary, St. John's. Men in hospital. Association visiting committee reports condition of following to date: **Progressing favourably:—**490, Keel; 715, Richards; 607, Daymond; 718, Burke; 500, Houllahan; 1659, Knight; 2075, Levigne; 416, Wells; 1402, Dicks; 480, Robinson; 1420, Shepperd; 1408, MacKay; 1039, Judge; 853, LeMesurier; 2032, Carter; 650, Myles; 971, Mahoney; 182, Garland; 350, Luff; 842, Dalton; 1454, Northcote; 1347, Luff; 688, Benson; 57, Bishop; 1693, Short; 693, Walsh; 977, Duncan; 1829, King; 1762, Brake; 615, Godden; 1190, Nossworthy; 1505, Haynes; 2, Tuff; 14, Langmead; 1630, Tucker; 1515, Jennings; 1214, Reid; 374, Caul; 597, Bishop; 492, Coombs; 1294, Bagas; 1241, McGrath; 1917, Wade; 1263, Shelly; 1500, Mitchell; 1488, Nardini; 948, Greene; 119, Hickey; 386, Wyatt; 667, Byrne; 1737, Smith; 726, Morry; 1749, Tobin; 1280, Laurence; 864, Tracey; 1161, Pike; 1463, Hynes; 1404, Tille; 1983, Foran; 1727, Mesher; 118, Jackman; 669, Noseworthy; 772, Stone; 1640, Lewis; 401, Murphy.

Improving:—256, Metcalfe; 1089, Penny; 1991, Rowe; 700, Bastow; 1573, Greely; 251, Metcalfe; 1704, James; 1081, Gosse; 1501, James; 991, Richards; 1898, Boone; 2151, French; 1670, Higgins; 1472, Coombes; 1390, Wiseman; 1318, Steele; 361, Stone; 1340, Dawson; 859, Spencer; 1661, Thistle; 1609, Walsh; 1552, Curtis; 583, Tiple; 1518, Churchill; 378, Kennedy; 269, Carter; 147, Renouf; 2011, Wiseman; 1253, Gillingham; 683, Walsh; 242, Kirby; 21, Tille; 1353, Meaney; 1837, LeDrew.

Slight Improvement:—153, Field; 1011, Kelly; 265, Somerton; 1977, Atwood. Further reports will follow. **REEVE.**

C.L.B. DANCE—Armoury, Harvey Road, September 19th. 1916. Dancing at 8.30 p.m. Gent's Ticket, 60c.; Lady's Ticket, 40c. Corp. H. Rendell, Chairman; L. Corporal B. Colton, Secretary. Full C. L. B. Band in attendance.

EIGHT PRISONERS JAILED

The police jailed eight prisoners Saturday evening and night. Most of them were ordinary drunks, except two or three, who were drunk and disorderly. This is the greatest number gathered in by the police of a Saturday for several weeks past and most of them were liberated yesterday on putting down the usual cash deposit with the Guard at the Police Station.

CASE FOR S.P.C.A.

Messrs. Jno. Bambrick, Pat. Neville and D. Joyce, while coming out Top-sail Road yesterday evening found a cow laying on the side of the thoroughfare, suffering great pain, and with one of its forelegs broken at the shoulder. They made enquiries and found it was owned by Mr. Benmore, of the road, and the belief is it was hit by an auto. It is up to the S.P.C.A. to investigate.

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THE SHOOTING SEASON.

The shooting season begins on Wednesday, the 20th inst. and a large crowd of sportsmen will go out by the express to-morrow evening to the various barrens after the partridge.

PRICES AT OPORTO

A message to the Marine Dept. on Saturday from Oporto gave the cod-fish prices as:—large, 43 to 45 shillings, and small, 38 to 39. These are the highest figures quoted for some time.

Gives Big Gift of Tobacco

M. A. Duffy, who is the Newfoundland agent for the celebrated Clover Leaf Tobacco, manufactured by Larus Bros. of Richmond, Va., has just had word from them saying they had forwarded to the Queen Alexandra Field Force Co., of London, 3,200 packages of tobacco and 100,000 cigarettes for distribution to the Colonial troops, which we presume is an appreciation of the business that has been given them by England and her Colonies. This is a very handsome donation and the Messrs. Larus are to be congratulated.

ALFRED TURNER KILLED.

We extend to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Turner our sincere sympathy on the death of their brave young son, Alfred W. Turner, of the 12th Battalion, C. E. F., who was killed in France on September 7th. Mr. Geo. Turner has had the distinction of giving five sons to the service of King and Country and there are now four other sons serving with the colonies. One of the other lads, Jack, was not long since wounded in action.

OUR VOLUNTEERS.

Saturday the volunteers had Swedish and squad drills and there are now 4,040 names on the roster. Yesterday the men of the different denominations parade to their respective churches to attend Divine service and the parade was witnessed by large numbers of citizens. Messrs Mott, Duggan, LaSalle; Walter Lidstone, St. John's, enlisted Saturday.

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C.L.B. CHURCH PARADE.

Yesterday forenoon the full battalion of the Church Lads' Brigade, under Lt.-Col. Rendell, and accompanied by their excellent band, playing patriotic airs, parade to Divine Service at St. Mary's Church, South Side. The turn out was a large one and the service was taken by the Rector, Rev. Hy. Uphill, who preached a fluent and appropriate sermon. The parade was witnessed by thousands of citizens, who were much pleased with the appearance of the Lads. On arrival at the Armoury they were addressed by the Lieut.-Colonel, when the following prizes were distributed for the recent camping out:—Pte. G. Shears, A. Co., for best Lads in camp; Lance-Sgt. T. Pottles, medal for shooting; Corporal Downton, medal for cleanest camp.

REID'S STEAMER REPORT.

Argyle arrived Placentia 3 p.m. yesterday. Clyde left Lewisporte 8.45 a.m. to-day. Dundee arrived Port Blandford 10.10 p.m. yesterday leaving to-day. Ethie left Flower's Cove 11 a.m. Saturday going North. Glencoe left Port aux Basques 5.15 a.m. to-day. Home left Springdale 5 p.m. yesterday inward. Kyle arrived Port aux Basques 7.35 a.m. yesterday. Wren arrived Clarendville 9.30 a.m. yesterday. Meigle left Port aux Basques 6 p.m. yesterday. Neptune left Wesleyville 5.20 p.m. yesterday going North.

WAS FINED \$5.

One of the men Barnes, who assaulted Pte. Kearney Saturday as detailed in the Mail and Advocate, was up before Mr. F. J. Morris this morning in Court when it was gleaned that the fracas occurred as the result of an argument over the Regiment. He was fined \$5 or 10 days. The other man Evans, who was in durance since Saturday and who was not as much concerned in the matter, was released.

THE EXCURSION TRAIN.

The weather being so fine yesterday, quite a number of people availed of the excursion trains to go out in the country. Fully 180 went by the 2 p.m. train for Tor's Cove, and 120 went at 2.30 to points as far as Kelligrews. Fully 1500 went out to Bowring Park by the park excursion train.

TRAIN REPORT.

Saturday's No. 1. Arrived Port aux Basques 6.45 a.m. to-day. Yesterday's No. 1. Left Bishop's Falls 8.55 a.m. Saturday's No. 2. Arrived St. John's 6.20 a.m. to-day. Yesterday's No. 2. Left Port Blandford 8.15 a.m. The "Portia" left Curling at 5.30 a.m. to-day for Bonne Bay.

LOCAL ITEMS

The S.S. "Prospero" sailed for Sydney at 4 p.m. Saturday to load coal for her bunkers.

The S.S. Viking arrived here Saturday with a coal cargo from Sydney for Crosbie & Co.

The Kyle's express arrived at 5.30 p.m. Saturday with several passengers and a considerable lot of mail matter.

The S.S. Algonquin, Capt. Melkie, arrived here Saturday evening at 7 p.m. Saturday, coal laden for the Reid Nfld. Co.

Mr. J. Burt, of Jesse Whiteway's store, leaves here for the northward by to-morrow's express on business and pleasure combined.

The S.S. "Harolds Haug," not the "Harold Strong" as stated by contemporaries, is due here to-day to load fish at Harvey & Co.'s, for Europe.

Mrs. Joseph MacNamara, sister of Mr. T. H. O'Neil, who had been on a visit to her mother and friends from New York, returned home by the Stephano on Saturday afternoon.

The schrs. Sweet Home, Daisy and Silver Stream with 70, 110 and 80 qts. of codfish respectively returned to Herring Neck from the French Shore on Saturday.

We hear that Mr. W. Blake, of this city, was another of the fortunate ones in the recent derby sweepstake and that he won \$200.

Capt. George Penny, of Murray's schooner "Falka" who came out to Burgeo in the vessel from Cadiz, left here Saturday evening for his home in Carbonear. Capt. Penny discharged the fish cargo he brought over at Patras, Greece.

The train from Tor's Cove with the excursionists on board was delayed for upwards of an hour last night, owing to the fact that a mare and her foal got their legs through a trestle a few miles west of Brennock's. The train hands and others had much difficulty in extricating the animals.

Mr. Leo Jackson, son of the late Mr. E. M. Jackson, left yesterday's express for Montreal, where he enters college to complete his studies. Leo is one of the brightest pupils of St. Bon's College and we predict for him a successful future.

Miss Agnes Hollands, daughter of Rev. C. W. Hollands, of Carbonear, is at present engaged in Red Cross work in France. Miss Hollands is a graduate nurse of the Post Graduate Hospital of New York City. She went over to France with a Red Cross Unit early in August and will remain for six months.

From late letters received from the front we hear that Rev. Fr. Nangle quite recently had a narrow escape from serious injury. While attending the boys in the trenches a bullet went clean through his helmet. The Rev. Gentleman went on with his work as if nothing had happened. His many friends in St. John's will be pleased to hear that Fr. Nangle is enjoying good health and sends his kind regards to all his friends in St. John's.

Diphtheria at Littledale

We learn that a serious outbreak of diphtheria has occurred at Littledale Academy and that on Saturday evening and night no less than nine of the young lady pupils of this educational institution were found to be ill of the disease and were conveyed to hospital for treatment. Though the disease is not of a malignant type citizens are undoubtedly becoming uneasy as a result of the spread of the disease in the past week. Not alone has it made its appearance in the city but, as we reported recently, outbreaks have occurred at Stephenville on the West Coast, Bonne Bay, Trinity Bay and Torbay, just north of the city. Heroic measures must be adopted if the disease is to be eradicated and the danger of an epidemic averted.

WINDS DELAY VESSELS.

Yesterday in the early afternoon the schooners "Nellie M." and "Lady St. John" were reported a few miles south of Cape Race. Both vessels after reaching Cape Race last Tuesday owing to the N.E. winds prevailing, had to run back to Trepassay. They should get down here in a day or so.

SEAMAN BECOMES DEMENTED

The S.S. "Njord," Capt. Dicks, of the West Coast, arrived here Saturday from Sydney after a good run; coal laden to A. H. Murray & Co. One of the crew, a man named Grant, of Channel, was noticed to be acting strangely a few days ago in Sydney, and Friday on the run here his condition was such that the Captain had to keep him under restraint and lock him up in a state room until the ship arrived here. Dr. Campbell visited him yesterday, found that he had greatly improved and had him placed for the time being in a west end boarding house.

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