

## Annual Club Dinner at Grand Falls

(Reported for The Evening Telegram)

Lord Northcliffe and Mr. M. M. Beeton, President of the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Co., Ltd., entertained at dinner the members of the Grand Falls Club.

Besides the members there was present a party of guests now at the Grand Falls House, composed of the following gentlemen:—A. Caird, Esq., of the London "Daily Mail"; Twells Esq., Harold Child, of the Times; F. Hart, Esq., Newton Horn, Esq., H. F. Wakefield, Esq., and from St. John's, Hon. P. T. McGrath and Mr. H. W. LeMessurier.

Quite an elaborate display of decorations made the Hall very attractive. The menu was provided by Mr. and Mrs. George McPherson, and would do credit to a town of very much greater pretensions. The toast list was as follows:

"The King"—Prop. the Chairman, "A. N. D. Co., Ltd."—Prop. Mr. T. P. Judge. Resp., Mr. M. M. Beeton.

"Lord Northcliffe"—Prop. Mr. P. T. McGrath. Resp., Lord Northcliffe.

"Shareholders"—Prop. Mr. V. S. Jones. Resp., Mr. A. Caird.

"Grand Falls Club"—Prop. Mr. H. W. LeMessurier. Resp., Mr. M. M. Beeton.

In proposing the toast of "The King" Mr. Beeton referred to the loyalty of the hardy native population for which they have been famous for generations.

### THE NEW ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT.

Mr. Judge recalled the early days of the company's existence, in which a new industrial era dawned on this country, one that was a change in the life of the inhabitants in as much as it provided a means of livelihood away from the sea. In the beginning two thoughts were expressed, one by the Chief "We Englishmen may not be brilliant and theatrical like our friends across the water, but we are thorough," the other by the Captain of this industry, Mr. Beeton. "We come to Newfoundland with an open eye, an open heart, and with a determined purpose." In spite of many obstacles, hard winters, and hot summers, and a thousand other difficulties they have won out. They have made promises and they have fulfilled them as far as the people of Newfoundland are concerned.

In a little example of the Westinghouse Electric Co. who were faced over a financial crisis by the support of its own grateful employees, he gave a strong argument in favour of a loyal spirit, an "A. N. D. spirit." This spirit of hearty loyal co-operation he would like to see in Grand Falls, and when it would appear the owners would be happy, the shareholders would be happy and the employees would be happy.

### MR. BEETON'S RESPONSE.

In reply to the above Mr. M. M. Beeton thanked Mr. Judge, and referred to his long service in the building up of the electrical part of the Mills here, and wondered what would be the next development of his genius would bring forth. His name will be carved in the annals of the Company. He began as one of Mr. Hardy's (whose name should be carved in letters of gold), trusted lieutenants, and made good from the day he started. The magnificent decorations that greeted Lord Northcliffe and his guests on their arrival in Grand Falls were the product of his and his brother's high qualifications. It gave him great pleasure to announce that henceforth Mr. Judge would be second in command in Grand Falls, filling the position of Assistant Superintendent that is now vacant by the resignation of Mr. M. S. Sullivan. (Applause.) Mr. Jones (the Superintendent) pleasure is only equalled by the popularity of Mr. Judge in the mill where he is known. As we welcome the coming, so we speed the parting guest. Mr. Sullivan, whose ready wit and kindly demeanour has made him well known and liked by all, is going to launch his bark in other waters and carries with him the regret of all at his departure and the best wishes of all for his future prosperity. He is one of the pioneers of Grand Falls, coming in the beginning with the proverbial "three sacks of flour," and following the fortunes of the Company for eight years; and the experience that he gained whether as surveyor or miller will stand him in good stead. Mr. Beeton also referred to his services to the Club of which he was President, and following the continued success and prosperity that has followed it through from its inception.

The speaker explained that this function of the Annual Club Dinner was not only a dinner to the members of the Club but served as a general calling together of all the different branches of the great enterprise for a social evening. Botwood could speak with Badger and Milltown. Another object which this gathering of Grand Falls to welcome Lord Northcliffe and his friends, all of whom are men distinguished each in his particular sphere. Speaking of Mr. Caird, Mr. Beeton announced that he would shortly become a Director of this Company, and is going to present the Club with a new billiard cloth and a complete set of cues. Last year was our seventh birthday and it was a pleasure to congratulate all concerned on the progress that had been made, but one cannot expect the same rate of progress always, and as we grow older we cannot hope for a corresponding increase all round. One feature that remains the same is to see around the tables practically all the faces that were there last year, and another is that Post Office shack. But the new Post Office is nearly completed, and is credit to the architectural attractions of the town. Another splendid addition to the public buildings is the new Catholic School to which he wished to express his sincere congratulations. The Orange Hall which is as yet only in its infantile stage, Botwood especially deserves congratulations on the truly magnificent Masonic Hall which was built entirely by private endeavour. It gave him great gratification to note that the Skating Rink paid a dividend of 7 per cent. something at any rate in Grand Falls that pays!

### TOAST TO LORD NORTHCLIFFE.

Hon. P. T. McGrath, M. L. C., now rose to propose the toast of "Lord Northcliffe." I am glad of this opportunity of adding my little word to the chorus of congratulation that this country is in the fortunate position



of having a gentleman of Lord Northcliffe's ability to interest himself in the welfare of our Island Home.

He continued to remark on the achievement of the host in the field of journalism, and also his achievement in turning the "Exploits River into a river of gold," which in effect is what he really has done. He hoped that it would indeed be gold for himself and his associates, and gold for the country. "In this country an enduring monument to the pluck, enterprise and foresight of Lord Northcliffe exists in Grand Falls, and the magnificent mills alongside."

As regards the future of Grand Falls, his opinion was that the future of this country and all that live in it is bound up in Grand Falls. "We should build up industries apart from the fisheries so that we may not carry our eggs in one basket." In remarking on the splendid progress that has been made here, he wished continued prosperity and success to this new industry.

### ADDRESS BY LORD NORTHCLIFFE

Lord Northcliffe, after acknowledging the cordial greeting with which he had been received, said:

I make no apology for making public some few facts about this vast commercial and social experiment, because a visitor from St. John's told me this week that he did not think one in a hundred of the people of Newfoundland had any notion of the gigantic scale on which this prosperity-bringing enterprise is operated.

When we were at a country in which to make paper, Newfoundland was brought to our notice by Mr. Beeton. After careful examination and reflection, Mr. Beeton found himself filled with faith in Newfoundland and Newfoundlanders. "Here," he said to me, "is a country whose water power is running to waste, whose forests are immense, whose people are adaptable; though there are difficulties as rigorous climate, winter, a harbor which is always ice-bound for some part of the year, a tariff unsuited to the manufacturer, and the most patient investor wears True, much of these eight years has been spent in the construction. The experiment is being watched with great interest in London. I know that I have the hearty co-operation of everyone here. I know that I have the loyal support of the thousands engaged in the woods; on the rivers and in the mills, in my effort to prove that Newfoundland is not merely a country of fogs, dogs and logs."

One word as to the paper we make here. Though it has not yet paid a dividend, Grand Falls provides paper perfect in texture, in strength and finish, and I have to thank to-night all those engaged in these productions for the infinite pains by which this splendid result has been attained, and for their charming hospitality.

### VICE-PRESIDENT JONES.

The chairman next called upon Mr. V. S. Jones to propose the health of the shareholders. He stated that the stockholders are quite numerous, 35,000 in fact, consisting of gentlemen in the House of Lords and Commons, and people of all professions, trades and businesses. He had been told that nobody has any idea of this great enterprise in Grand Falls has not yet paid a dividend. It is up to all of us here to put that right in the shortest time. It is perfectly certain that this place can be made to pay a dividend, but this would only be possible when the "A. N. D. Spirit" has possessed everyone from the top to the lowest scale of the pay list, and he looked forward to the day very shortly when we shall see the whole of England simply green with jealousy because they are not shareholders themselves.

### WEDDING.

The wedding of Miss Elizabeth Woodman, daughter of Mr. F. Woodman, New Harbour, T. B., and Mr. S. J. Brett, of Fogo, will take place at New Harbour, on Oct. 1st.

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