

### C.C.C. Affairs.

The Ladies' Committee of the C. C. C. met last evening at the O'Donnell Wing in order to present to the Managing Committee of the C. C. C. the proceeds of the recent Fancy Fair and Sale of Work held at British Hall, on the 14th, 15th and 16th inst. There were present Hon. John Harris, Chairman of the Committee, Rev. Father Sheehan, Chaplain of the Corps and Rev. Bro. Kennedy. The presentation was made by Mrs. D. J. Greene, of the Ladies' Committee, who in a very pleasing speech expressed the pleasure it gave her to be in a position to tender such a magnificent sum as \$2,423.31 to the C. C. C.

Hon. Mr. Harris, the Chairman, thanked Mrs. Greene and the ladies of the committee for the grand work that they had accomplished, the financial result of which exceeded all expectations. Rev. Bro. Kennedy and Rev. Father Sheehan also took advantage of the occasion to thank the ladies. We congratulate all concerned on the excellent result, especially the Chairman, Hon. John Harris, to whose zeal and attention the success is mainly due.

### That Drowning of Mr. Reid.

Men who arrived by the Prospero yesterday stated that there was something of a rather mysterious character in the drowning of Skipper Elias Reid from the schooner J. S. Munn, at Jackson's Arm, Tuesday. They say that the man was in the cabin of the ship with all his crew who later turned in leaving Capt. Reid alone. He was never seen again, and he was not missed until early Wednesday morning. His disappearance is hard to be explained, but of course the general belief is that he went on deck and accidentally fell overboard. The schooner was at anchor when the accident occurred.

### The Reliability of a Gas Cooker.

Now one must admit that the reliability of a gas cooker is especially useful when one has no servant to take charge of the kitchen. A gas cooker can be obtained in the shortest time imaginable, and this fact alone is of great importance both in sickness and in health. Everything keeps so beautifully hot on a gas cooker, and there is no fear of vials being spilt through delay in the serving of a meal, and the boiling water, having been filled with boiling water, makes a splendid impromptu bain marie. Again, one of the greatest merits of gas is that the arrangements of a household need not be upset as unexpected visitors arrive; a fresh brew of tea can be made in an incredibly short space of time and the preparation of more substantial viands can soon be put in training. The old-fashioned range has a way of going out at times, but a gas cooker is always ready to give a warm welcome to any comer he never so late. One wonders how many doctors' bills have been saved by that hot soup, cocoa coffee, hot milk, or some other refreshment that can be prepared immediately when a member of the family arrives cold and wet, after perhaps some hours' exposure to inclement weather. In case of sickness, no one can speak too highly of the invaluable help that the handy cooker gives; the nourishing little "dainty meals" can be served in the most appetizing way, cooked to a perfection and kept piping hot, even though delay may occur in the serving of them.

### Son Attacks Mother.

A few evenings ago in a Casey St. residence two brothers, who had been drinking heavily, quarrelled, when one picked up a jug and attempted to attack the other. Their mother, who is very deaf, interposed, when the vessel, which was hurled with force, took her in the left side of the face, splitting it from the eye to the jaw bone, the wound being an ugly one. Dr. Campbell, who was called, had to put several stitches in the cut to close it.

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### A Stormy Trip.

The sch. Wilfred M. Capt. Backman, arrived from North Sydney last night with a cargo of coal to Mullaly & Co. The captain reports having had a stormy trip, especially last Saturday night, when one of the boats was washed from her lashings and other damage done about the deck. The Wilfred left North Sydney last Monday week, the 20th inst., at noon, and was beset with a heavy S.W. storm next day, which kept up till noon of Thursday. The schooner was within 25 miles of Cape Race when the big storm came on.

FUNERAL TO-MORROW.—The funeral of the late Mr. Alexander Marshall will take place at 2 p.m. to-morrow from his late residence, Rennie's Mill Road.

### The Grey Speech Last Night.

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In addition to what has previously been reported, Sir Edward Grey told Ambassador Metternich that the British Government knew that the rectification of the Congo frontier had been proposed as a basis of settlement between Germany and France, and said he thought the matter might be arranged on such a basis without affecting British interests. We shall be very glad if this happens, and in the event it would happen we should be glad to stand on one side—Sir Edward said to the Ambassador, and continued—but I have been made anxious by news regarding demands which the German Government had made from the French Government, which it was impossible for the French Government to concede. I pointed out that the Germans in Port Agadir were landing and negotiating with the tribes, and for all we knew might be acquiring concessions. It might be also that the German flag had been hoisted at Agadir, which is the most suitable port on that coast for a naval base. Sir Edward pointed out to the Ambassador that in the event of the negotiations with France failing, Britain would be obliged to take some steps in order to protect British interests. On July 3rd Sir Edward Grey informed the German Ambassador that the situation created by the dispatch of the Panther to Agadir was of so serious importance that it must be discussed at a Cabinet Council. On July 4th he told Count Metternich that Britain was not able to take up so disinterested an attitude concerning Morocco as not to recognize that any new arrangement could be come to without her consent. A long session followed, and the next conversation between Sir Grey and Metternich took place on July 21st, when the British Foreign Secretary told the German Ambassador that he adhered to his statement on July 4th, and therefore there were no further difficulties.

### Prospero Had Rough Trip.

The a.s. Prospero, Capt. A. Kean, arrived here from the northward at 6 p.m. yesterday. The ship met the most stormy weather she has had during the season, and after she left here and coming back encountered a succession of storms with high sea. After leaving here Thursday week she made Trinity, but after departing from that port had to put back again owing to bad weather. On the return voyage the ship had it particularly stormy in St. Anthony and it was unsafe to go to the wharf there, but the Prospero made all ports of call going and returning despite the weather. She brought a fair cargo and these passengers: Messrs. Ahcock, Rowe (2), Richards, Moore, Rev. Pitcher, Lamb, Davis, Mercer, White, Barnes, Cohen, Simmons, Murphy, Rev. Purchase, Cowan, J. Matheson, Prince, Ginn, Rodgers, Wiseman, Kennedy, Clarke, Winsor, Fudge, Norman, Parsons, North, Osmond, Vipincombe, Lane, Davis, Rev. J. Nolan, Elliott, Brett, Goodwin, W. W. Blackall, Mesdames Barnes, Chalk, Wiseman, Davis, Winsor, Field, Matthews, Parsons, Misses Andrews, Elliott, Rodgers, Moore, Parsons, Prinn, DeGrua and 137 steerage.

"A good deal of misunderstanding could have been avoided," remarked Sir Edward, "if Germany had made more clear about July 4th that she had no intention to take any part of Morocco." Alluding to the policy of isolation, Sir Edward thought it would be a disastrous policy for Britain to allow it to be understood she would under no circumstances give friends assistance if asked. "Let us make new friendships by all means but not at the expense of those we have." I desire to improve our relations with Germany and intend to maintain our friendship unimpaired.

The German Imperial Chancellor has recently made two speeches, which were inspired with the hope of seeing his country strong but not aggressive. If that is the spirit of German policy, then the talk of a great European war within two or three years will be done with. The effect of the Moroccan settlement must be to relax the tension of the times, remove a great obstacle from the path of European progress. Morocco has been a source of discomfort to diplomats. The trouble has now been settled without breaking the peace of Europe and the part His Majesty's Government has taken has contributed materially to that result.

### Was Badly Hurt.

Miss Mary Wilkie, whose father, the late Chas. Wilkie, resided here many years ago, was recently the victim of a serious accident in Montreal. She worked with the Waterman Pen Co. and while going to fetch her cloak a large and heavy press fell on her, broke her spine and dislocated her neck. She was under the influence of an anesthetic for 4 hours while the doctors were setting the broken bones. She has a fighting chance for her life. She is a niece of Mrs. S. G. Collier of this city.

### Schooner Wrecked.

The sch. Mary Alberta was wrecked at Bay de Verde during the storm of Saturday last. A. H. Murray's sch. Lucky Chance, with a load of supplies, drove down on the Alberta and smashed her bulwarks and carried away her jibboom and broke off her main boom. She is now helpless and will have to be towed here. There are 400 qts. of fish on board her for Moore & Co.

### MARINE NOTES.

The H. R. Silver will sail for Brazil next Saturday with a load of fish for Moore & Co. The Northern Light sailed yesterday for Bay de Verde to discharge her cargo of coal brought from Sydney.

GLENCOE PASSENGERS.—The S.S. Glencoe left Placentia at 5.10 p.m. yesterday taking Rev. Mr. Fletcher and wife, S. Parsons, A. Inkpen, R. G. Moulton, J. Gosney, S. Fernie, A. Rose, H. Dunphy, S. Moulton, G. Gosney, J. Joyce and 12 in second class.

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### Stormy Up North.

Capt. Kean of the Prospero reports that the whole northern coast from Bonavista Cape down to Battle Harbor has experienced very stormy weather for more than a week past. Wednesday last a big gale raged, and Saturday's storm was the worst for many years. Down around Battle Harbor and neighborhood there have been 6 feet of snow on the ground, though recent rains must have reduced it a deal. Wednesday night's gale at Tilt Cove and Fortune Harbor was the worst experienced. One schooner of 50 tons went ashore at the latter place and became a total loss.

### Did Not See Schooner.

Capt. Rose of the tug Ingraham, which was sent to the assistance of the disabled schooner off Elliston, wired from Catalina last evening: "Did not find schooner. Saw cabin door and other wreckage forty miles S. E. of Cape Bonavista. Four hours sailing through lumber and laths. Weather very stormy."

### Road Blocked.

Petty Harbor Road for nearly a mile has been blocked with fences which blew down in the storm of Saturday last. It is filled with rot from recent rains, is impassable for man or beast, and the people are indignant with the Government for the apathy shown in doing anything with it.

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### Holyrood Notes.

The annual meeting of the League of the Sacred Heart took place on Sunday. The reports of the officers showed this popular institution to be in good standing and flourishing condition. The election of officers was a very exciting and interesting affair, but the following ladies were successful in a well-contested election: Miss Mary A. O'Rourke, elected President.

Mrs. R. Dwyer, re-elected Treasurer. Miss May Joy, elected Secretary. The stork recently visited the home of Mrs. J. T. Kennedy, the capable and popular Postmistress, Holyrood, and brought her a beautiful baby boy. The mother and babe are doing well. Congratulations.

Rev. Father Dwyer has appointed Miss Beesie Mullooney, an Intermediate Graduate of Holyrood High School, teacher of Norris Arm school. Beesie made good standing in all the subjects of her exam, and doubtless will make a capable teacher and give satisfaction to the Board.

The schooner Hispanola, Capt. J. Lewis, has arrived at Harbor Breton, after making a quick trip to Gloucester with a load of green fish, the quarter part of which was caught on Labrador this fall. Capt. John's catch for this season is a record one, touching the 3,000 qtl. limit. This schooner will make a few more trips to Gloucester with fish this winter under the command of Capt. John F. Lewis. Capt. John is coming home to take a well-earned rest for the winter.

Mr. W. P. Walsh the census enumerator for Holyrood division of Harbor Main District, has completed his work. His figures show a decrease in the population of Holyrood for the past ten years in the following ratio of 1,545 to 1,507.

Messrs. Kennedy and Butler have completed a substantial public railing around the centre of Holyrood. 'Tis certainly a good job.

Mr. James Mullooney has been promoted to station at Holyrood. Jas. is a good official and spent his period of probation on the Topsails and the promotion is well-deserved after the long and faithful service. We congratulate and welcome him back to his native home.

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