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"To-Night's the Night."

That all interested in athletics will be present at the Casino to-night goes without saying, and in this respect one has to admire the thorough and steadfast manner with which Mr. George Ayre has kept before the Sporting Fraternity, the matter of acquiring the Parade Ground. Now, the fact may not be generally known, or perhaps I should say fully appreciated, that we are playing our games on St. George's Field on sufferance. To briefly explain: both the Football and Baseball Leagues have to relinquish their lease at 6 months' notice from the owner of this property, who I understand is the Diocesan Synod. It is understood that any time now the erection of the proposed new C. of E. buildings will be begun, and in this event what is to become of our leagues and our various sport days?

Now is the time to act! And we must be big and unselfish enough to look beyond the immediate future and our own needs, and leave something in the nature of a huge City playground that will redound creditably to our intelligence and foresight. That's why we should **all** attend to-night—no matter what our views are on the matter. The taking over of the Parade Ground is unquestionably a gigantic undertaking, but after all it is only a matter of a few years of effort.

While on this subject, I think that Mr. P. E. Outerbridge's letter in your paper last evening was timely and very much to the point, and while I would not like to see to-night's meeting run on the very formal lines he proposes, still, without wishing to take from him any of the credit due for the suggestion, wouldn't it be considered worthy of us were we to perpetuate the memory of those gallant lads, dead and living, who "played the game" so manfully and well, not only on St. George's Field, but on the plains of Gallipoli and in Flanders' Fields by erecting this playground in their name and to their everlasting glory.

"PEEGEE."

DIED AT HALIFAX.—We regret to learn of the passing of Mr. James Duff, of Carbonear, which took place at Halifax, N.S., on Wednesday, May 25th. The deceased was at one time manager of the Imperial Oil Co.'s business in this city. He leaves a wife and three children to whom the Telegram extends sympathy.

Football League Meeting

Last night the deferred meeting of the Newfoundland Football League was held in the office of the President, Mr. W. J. Higgins, and several important matters were discussed. A delegation from the Baseball League attended the meeting and the matter of the use of the field was fully discussed, with the result that special evenings will be appointed for the Baseball fixtures. These dates will be announced later, as will also those of the League Football fixture. The first League game will be played on Monday, June 1st, but it is not known what teams will meet in this match. It was decided that no game could be postponed without the consent of the official referee, who must be consulted half an hour before the game is set to begin. By the unanimous vote of the meeting, Mr. Ern Churchill was appointed official referee. The report of the Field Committee was received and there being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

McMurdo's Store News.

FRIDAY, May 27.

McMurdo's Milk of Magnesia has many uses. It is very useful where a mild laxative is required in cases of Dyspepsia, six headache and disorders of the digestive system, which are the result of acid stomach, and some cases of constipation. It will arrest nausea, belching of gases from the stomach, or diarrhoea due to intestinal fermentation. It is one of the best preparations to use to keep the mouth and teeth from collecting acid deposits, and so favors the health of the teeth and gums. It may be given to children, as it is perfectly harmless, and being nearly tasteless, they will take it easily. Eight ounce bottle, price 50c.

SUSU SAILS NORTH.—S.S. Susu sailed at 10 a.m. for ports of call as far North as Fogo. She took the following passengers:—Mr. Lewis Harding, Miss Martha Harding, Harold and Emily Harding, Inspector Lawlor, S. Levitz, Mr. Newbold, W. B. Perry, Rev. Mr. Kennel, C. J. House.

"Listen, Mother"

"HERE is a letter from Bessie, and she says she is feeling fine again after using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

"I knew it was just what she needed to build up her system after baby's coming.

"She says she is sorry she did not take your advice long ago instead of worrying along as a semi-invalid for so many weeks."

"What else does she say?"

"I will read you the rest. She says: 'My nerves got so upset that I could not sleep scarcely at all. Digestion was bad and I had palpitation of the heart. Baby got cross and irritable, and at times I got terribly discouraged.

"'When I got mother's letter urging me to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I was about ready to give up, and decided to give the Nerve Food a trial on the strength of what it had done for her.

"'I cannot begin to tell you how thankful I am for that advice, for I am now well and happy, baby is doing fine and I know that the credit is entirely due to the use of the Nerve Food.'"

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c a box, all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto. The portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., are on every box of the genuine.

Delegates Besiege Premier.

The Prime Minister's office was besieged this morning with delegations from various parts of the country, seeking what action the Government intends taking in regard to helping the fishermen to get at their avocations. One of the first delegations to arrive was headed by Capt. Jas Winsor, from Wesleyville. He, with others of a Committee, had come to the city to seek an answer to a message sent the Premier on the 19th inst. On this latter date a large meeting was held at Wesleyville and a ninety word message sent to the Premier. Through some mistake the Premier's reply referring the matter to the Members of the District, was not received by the Committee. This morning they could not gain admittance to the Prime Minister, owing to the latter being engaged in a conference with the Committee of the Unemployed of St. John's.

The Coaker Canal; Another Scheme.

It is stated that the Minister of Marine and Fisheries has started another mad scheme, viz., that of building a canal from the salt water to Old Day's Pond, Bonavista, for the purpose of obtaining shelter in the latter for motor fishing boats. The cost of the undertaking is allowed to be about $85,000, but it is estimated that the sum of $200,000 would have to be expended before this canal would be of service. In the House of Assembly, a few days ago, Mr. Coaker offered to take the "Lobelia" out of St. John's Harbor and it may be his intention to have this warship anchored in Old Day's Pond. At any rate the canal has been undertaken and a large expenditure has to be met, while the civil service salaries, in many cases not adequate, is to be severely pruned.

Train Notes.

Yesterday's outgoing express arrived at Bishop's Falls at 6.45 a.m.

The incoming express with the Kyle's mailss and passengers, left duePort aux Basques at 6.30 a.m. and is due here to-morrow afternoon.

The Carbonear local arrived at 12.45 p.m.

The Trepassey train left at 10.30 a.m.

The weather along the line this morning was calm and dull. The temperature ranged from 36 to 48 degrees.

Conditions in Greenspond.

From a gentleman who recently arrived from Greenspond, we learn that conditions there are anything but good, and the outlook for the future is gloomy indeed, unless something is done to enable the residents to engage at the fishery. There is absolute need of Government aid in this direction, and the people are petitioning for assistance. Regarding the roads, the same gentleman informs us they were never in such a condition. The Public Wharf is in bad state and it would require about $2,000 to put it in repair. There are about 100 men in the place with no prospects for the summer in sight, unless they can get to the fishery. These men had formerly worked at Grand Falls and other places, which at present are closed down.

A Clipper Fishing Schooner.

Capt. M. Bragg, of the schr. Reginald B. Green, may well feel proud of his vessel, which, locally built, has proved herself a clipper. The vessel built at one of the yards in Bonavista Bay, has proven herself a very fast sailer. On Tuesday morning at 2.20 sail was set in Greenspond, and at 2 p.m. the same day the vessel was at anchor near Bowrings premises on the Southside. This, we think, is a record that has never been beaten.

Express Passengers.

The following passengers landed at Port aux Basques this morning from s.s. Kyle and are now on the incoming express: M. E. Gage, W. P. Kearney, J. and Mrs. Arklie, Mrs. J. Henry, Miss E. A. Pittman, J. W. Dale, C. H. Barkey, G. Humbling, H. J. Joyles, C. Dingwell, F. M. Maher, E. and W. T. Moore, W. D. and Mrs. Simpson, S. Matthews, W. J. Blackie, T. S. Glaner.

Conference With Premier.

At 10 o'clock this morning a delegation of the committee of unemployed consisting of Messrs. E. J. Whitty, C. Robbins, P. Kavanagh, John Power and George Ayre, as Solicitor, waited on the Prime Minister at his office, in relation to the wages reduction as announced by the Municipal Commission. A two-hour conference was held, the Premier promising the delegation to do everything in his power to have this grievance removed and the wages revert to the previous scale. He also promised that he would enable the Council to raise another sum of $80,000 on the same conditions as the $150,000 loan. The Premier said he was not responsible for the cut in pay, as he, with the members of the Districts of St. John's East and West, and the Municipal Council, had agreed on a fixed scale of wages. Regarding the Council's position he promised to take the matter up with Mayor Gosling on his arrival here next week, and if possible have a satisfactory arrangement made by pay day, which is Thursday.

Moderate Prohibition.

On Monday night there will be a public meeting of the Moderate Prohibitionits held in the Casino Theatre when the report of the Committee will be submitted and resolutions introduced demanding immediate action by the Legislature with regard to modification. The meeting will be a test of public opinion, as many of the Moderate Committee contend that the public have lost interest in the movement. It is rumored that the Prohibition Commission are sending in a report to the Government advocating an allowance on a three months basis, with doctors retaining their scripts privileges. On the other hand it is said that some of the leading medical practicioners are expressing dissatisfaction with the script system and are memorializing the Government to that effect.

Coastal Boats.

CROSBIE'S.

S.S. Susu sailed for Northern ports of call at 10 a.m.

GOVT. RAILWAY COMMISSION.

Clyde left Lewisporte at 8.10 a.m. for Notre Dame Bay.

Glencoe arrived at Bonne Bay at 11.30 a.m. yesterday, on way north.

Home arrived at Placentia at 5.45 p.m. yesterday, leaving this afternoon on Bay route.

Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 6.30 a.m.

Meigle left Grand Bank at 1.50 p.m. yesterday, going west.

Sagona at North Sydney.

Malakoff leaving Port Union this morning for Trinity Bay.

Warship in Port.

H.M.S. Cambrian, flagship of the North Atlantic squadron, arrived in port this morning and is berthed off the King's Wharf. The Cambrian, which has come direct from Bermuda, is here on an ordinary visit and she will probably remain for a few days.

The Speed of Animals.

Recently (says "Everyday Science") naturalists have made attempts to measure the speed of animals by means of the motor car, and of birds by the aeroplane. These experiments were carried out on the Uintah Desert, in the State of Utah, a flat table land smooth enough for a car to follow a running animal closely and to time it by the speedometer and the stop-watch. A coyote "put up" by the car registered 45 miles an hour for 2½ miles; a prairie wolf kept up 38 miles an hour for 3 miles; a mule deer 47 miles an hour for 1½ miles; an elk 32 miles an hour for 3 miles; while an antelope did 62 miles an hour for 2½ miles. The aeroplane tests for birds recorded 48 miles an hour for 10 miles by the American eagle, and 50 miles an hour for 4 miles by the wild duck. Pigeons, it is mentioned, have been timed to 55 miles an hour in this country, while tests have shown bees are still speedier travellers.

CAR OWNERS—We have a new stock of Goodrich Cord and Fabric Tires and Tubes for sale at lowest prices. J. McKINLAY, Lime Street.—may4,1m

Horseshoes.

Simple as the idea of horseshoes seems to us, it is not as old an invention as might be thought. Credit for it appears to belong to the Gauls of Switzerland, from whom the Romans learnt it about the third century, though they did not adopt it as a general practice for a long time. The horses of neither classical Greece nor of Rome wore iron shoes; but they did on occasion wear socks. In Xenophen's day the Armenians tied bags on their horses' feet to keep them from sinking in snow, and camels and horses were sometimes provided with a sort of sandal of leather or broom when foot-sore. William the Conquerer is generally credited with introducing iron horseshoes into Britain, but some authorities state that they were known in Scotland before his day, and were possibly one of the "mysteries" of the Druids, who knew the craft of iron-working.

Here and There.

Eat MRS. STEWART'S Home Made Bread.—apr18,6mo

C.C.C. BAND will meet at the Casino Theatre to-night at 8 o'clock sharp.—may27,1i

Card Party and Dance St. Joseph's Hall, June 8th. Tickets: Gents' 70c.; Ladies' 50c.—may27,1i

IN AID OF MT. CASHEL.—A card tourney and concert, which proved very enjoyable, was held in St. Joseph's Hall last evening. The affair was in aid of Mt. Cashel Building Fund, and a goodly sum was realized.

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FACTORIES CLOSING.—It is reported that the Ropewalk which employs a large number of hands, will close down in a few days. This plant and the tobacco factory which is closing to-morrow, employs in the neighborhood of 500 people.

McKinlay's Garage will open on May 15th for the motor season, from 8.30 a.m. to 9 p.m. week days, and from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sundays.—may4,1m

FAILED TO SUPPORT WIFE.— A man was charged in the Police Court to-day with failing to support his wife. This was a postponed case. His Honor did his utmost to bring about a reconciliation between the accused and his wife to no avail, and the case was further adjourned.

Big Sale in following Goods: Striped Flannelette, regular 50c. yard, now 22c. yard; Striped Flannelette, regular 65c. yard, now 25c. yard; White Flannelette, regular $2.00 lb., now 85c. lb.; 300 lbs. Percales from $1.10 to $1.35 lb., suitable for Aprons, Children's Dresses, etc.; 500 lbs. White Shirting and Lawns, all one price, 95c. lb.; extra good quality. Turkish Towels, large size, $1.25 lb. Be one time and get some of the Bargains.
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On May 26th, a daughter to P. J. and Mrs. Halleran, 139 Military Road.

SALMON AT ROBINSON'S.—Advices from Shears' Hotel, Robinson's, state that a sportsman caught a 10 lb. salmon there yesterday. The proximity of Robinson's to the sea is evidently the reason for the early appearance of the fish there.

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HOSE SPECIAL.
Ladies' Fashioned Cotton Hose,
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In Black and White,
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3 pairs for 80c.

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In Black, Navy and Heather mixture. Reg. price $1.60 pair.
Now $1.15 pair.

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A Frightful Discovery.

(Montreal Daily Star.)

A Toronto physician claims to have discovered a preparation of ether that will "compel a person to tell the truth." He found it by accident and he says it never fails.

Angels and ministers of grace defend us! Stop that man before he takes the first step towards making the formula public! Here is the gravest menace to society that human malignity has yet invented, a hellish vision beside which the reddest of red Bolshevism fades to the palest pink. Tell the truth, now, henceforth and forever, under every circumstance, and at whatever cost,—do this thing and uproot the eternal hills upon which the fabric of our civilization rests. Do this and set mankind most firmly by the ears. Tell the truth, the bold, bitter, naked truth about yourself and become a pariah; tell it about your neighbour and become the victim of a sensational—and thoroughly justified—murder. "Tell the truth and shame the devil," they used to say, but we know better. His Majesty is a shameless person; you can't get under his sikn that way. Tell the truth and start something from which the devil will most abundantly profit wars and the rumors of wars, envy, hatred and malice, and all uncharitableness.

Yet this is not, by inference, to laud mendacity. The downright liar is a pest and a dangerous one. What we would plead for is merely a little softening of the asperities of abstract veracity, should the occasion demand it, for a few drops of the soothing oil of verbal adaptability to critical or unusual circumstances, for a broad sympathy that takes account of human weakness, that sees the slender but still existant distinction between the "frigid lie" and the terminological inexactitude shunning the one, but, if needs must be, dabbling a bit in the other in order that the wheels of may revolve with better lubrica and the sum of human happiness not diminished. In other wirds, with the lie, but long live tact.

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