

Guards Hockey Team Dined.

CHAMPIONS ENJOY HOSPITALITY OF OLD COMRADES ASSOCIATION.

Excellent Gathering Surround Festive Board.

The Methodist Guards Old Comrades Association, gathered their hockey team to dinner in the Grenfell hall last night. The affair was held for the purpose of giving honor to the team for their victories during the season, they having carried off the league and the Cup Championships. The hall was very tastefully decorated for the occasion, the colors of the winning team predominating. The catering being done by the staff of the West End Restaurant. The gathering included a number of prominent people. Among those present being his Excellency the Governor, Sir Wm. Allardice and Major (retired) Col. R. A. Squires, J. R. Bennett, M. J. Higgins, Rev. C. H. Johnson, A. E. Hickman, and many others, and upwards of 150 members of the Association. Promptly at 8 p.m., the gathering started themselves, with President H. Russell as Chairman. The sumptuous repast was dished forth in excellent style, and the speeches were of a high order, being both humorous, witty, and eloquent. His Excellency the Governor delivered an interesting address on the battle of the Falklands, which took place in 1914. The trophy was presented to the Association by Capt. Ralph Herder, and sub-Captain Robertson, President Russell accepting the cups in an appreciative address and amidst much applause. President Russell, on behalf of the Guards Old Comrades Association, presented Mr. C. C. Robertson, the Guards defence, with a gold fountain pen. Mr. Russell referred to his splendid services on behalf of the team, and wished him continued success. Mr. Robertson who is leaving for Montreal, made a suitable reply, thanking the Association for the very handsome gift. He hoped that the Guards' success in the season would be but a forerunner of many more. A very unique presentation followed, being made to his Excellency by H. J. Wyatt of the Sports Club, and Mr. White of the Executive Committee. It took the form of a miniature goal net, with a key stick and puck suspended from the crossbar by ribbons of the club's colors. The name of each member of the champion team being written on the stick. The presentation was made to his Excellency in appreciation of his keen interest in the game. Vice-Pres. L. White also presented his Excellency with a beautiful bouquet of flowers for Lady Allardice, on behalf of the Guards' Ladies' Association. His Excellency, on behalf of himself and Lady Allardice, thanked the Association very heartily for their appropriate gifts. During the evening songs were rendered by Mr. Karl Trapnell. The West End Restaurant looked after the catering. The menu was an excellent one, while the capable staff of assistants carried out their work without a hitch. The affair was voted a gala evening by all, and one which will not soon be forgotten by the Association and those who had the honor of being guests.

MENU.

Cherried Grape Fruit
SOUP
Chicken
FISH
Breaded Cod Steak
ROAST
Roast Turkey and Cranberry Sauce.
Boiled Ham.
VEGETABLES
Riced Potatoes, Green Peas.
SWEETS
Raspberry Pie and Cream
DESSERT
Apples, Oranges, Grapes, Nuts, Raisins.
Coffee.

The following was the complete toast list.

"THE KING"—Prop. The Chairman; resp. "God Save the King."

"THE DOMINION OF NEWFOUNDLAND"—Prop. Rev. C. H. Johnson, M.A.; resp. Sir R. A. Squires, K.C., L.B., Prime Minister.

"GUARDS HOCKEY TEAM"—Prop. W. J. Higgins, K.C., resp. Mr. Ralph Herder, (Captain).

"SISTER HOCKEY TEAMS"—Prop. Mr. S. K. Lumsden; resp. T. Payn, (Fellidians), G. Caul, (St. Don's), W. Brown, (Terra Nova).

"OUR GUESTS"—Prop. J. E. Peters; resp. F. T. Palfrey, A. E. Hickman.

"THE CHAIRMAN"—Prop. Mr. J. R. Bennett; resp. H. J. Russell.

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SNAP SHOTS.

By ZIP.

Day by day

In every way

The crowd all say

Bennett and Better Times.

True the Mail editor is not lost for words; but it's a cinch his words are lost!

Drs. Campbell and -Modell are working overtime on the Prime Minister these days.

Since the weird stories of bold bandits and documentary robbers, Sir Richard's temperature jumped to 106 and stuck.

These stunts ought to hold the crowd until something more realistic is staged.

Sir Richard ought to get down those two or three New York detectives.

You know the ones who were paid \$10,000 and expenses from the public chest to dig up something against Cashin, Bennett and Crosbie.

The Mail Doctor put it all over Sir Richard a short while ago when he threatened all kinds of trouble if he did not get that appointment on the Pensions Board.

Doc rolled up his 5,000 fakes and his vest pocket underwear and called the Premier's bluff.

It worked? You can bet it did.

It was a genuine case of a bluffer bluffing a bluffer.

A good story is told of a sporting character of the city. One day last week he went to a member and on the pretext of being a Squire supporter he got him to back a note for a hundred dollars. The sport then went round town and after considerable trouble found an easy mark supporting the Squires-Coaker amalgamation with whom he bet the hundred dollars that Campbell would not be returned in St. John's West. Rather slow work, you say? Not at all! Sound finance! After polling day, Mr. Sport will receive from the bet one hundred dollars to pay the note and still be a hundred dollars to the good. Better than Labrador gold mines!

GALLAGHER AND SHEAN.

Oh, Mr. Gallagher, oh, Mr. Gallagher, Doc Modell is the hero of to-day. He sits up on Prescott Street With a nurse for his sore feet And folks are fearing that he'll pass away.

Now, Mr. Shean, now, Mr. Shean, He really should employ an X-ray screen For at the Battle of the Somme Poor Doc was nearly done With, with Trench feet, Mr. Gallagher?

No, just Cold feet, Mr. Shean.

Mr. L. C. Cole's spasm in the Advocate yesterday, reminds me of another he wrote in the Telegram not so long ago when he knocked the "Wordy President" for all he was worth.

I hope to review same within the next few days.

The West End is a sore spot for the Coaker-Squires trio.

Cashin, Linagar and Hunt will poll a vote that will do credit to this loyal old district.

The Government is still open for fifteen applications to all other districts.

Everywhere it's Bennett! Bennett! Bennett!

Bennett and Better times.

In conclusion:

Now Mr. Editor, now Mr. Editor, I am tired of the stuff we hear at each pow-wow.

Who the Dickens is Mr. Shean, You know just what I mean.

Old Favorites we need here now.

Oh, Mr. Friend, oh, Mr. Friend, Of your thoughts please tell to me the "treason."

We must save the country quick Let Bennett do the trick.

Now you got me, Mr. Editor, Then Better Times, Mr. Shean.

FAR AWAY! FAR AWAY!

"Where is now the merry Party I remember long ago?"

Gathered in the cock left draughty In the Star Office down below.

It was swell and I felt cocky But never again will I hold away.

For they leave me on shores rocky Far away, Far away.

Some have gone to the Opposition And with strangers made their home.

Scout Meeting at Government House.

MANY PROMINENT CITIZENS ATTEND—OFFICERS ELECTED.

On Friday afternoon last a meeting of the Newfoundland Scout Council was held which was attended by many prominent citizens. Before the business of the meeting was taken up the Governor performed the pleasing ceremony of presenting to Sea Scout Harry Cole the Silver Cross for gallantry that had been awarded him by Sir Robert Baden-Powell. His Excellency then took the chair and conducted the business of the meeting. At its conclusion the Vice-President, Dr. W. W. Blackall moved a vote of thanks to the local Chief Scout, His Excellency the Governor for his unflinching interest in the movement and untiring work on behalf of it since he came to this country. Many more prominent and representative citizens were co-opted to membership and will be invited to take a seat in the Council, which is the governing body of the Boy Scouts' Association in Newfoundland. The following officers were elected for the coming year:—Vice-President—Dr. W. W. Blackall, (re-elected.) Hon. Treasurer—W. H. Peters, Esq., (re-elected.) Hon. Secretary—Robert S. Furlong, (re-elected.)

These gentlemen together with five others act as the Executive Committee. Dr. V. P. Burke and Rev. Dr. L. Curtis were re-elected to the Committee with the addition of the Hon. Tasker Cook. Two more will be appointed in due course by His Excellency the Governor. The annual report shows a total number of 510 scouts and cubs in the colony and it is hoped to have the whole body uniformed within a short time. Funds are now being raised for this purpose.

"Irish Night."

Irish night at the Methodist College Hall has been for years foremost amongst the social events of St. Patrick's Day celebrations. Here for year after year we have been treated with the best in Irish song, Irish music, Irish wit and humor. The year's "Irish Night," however, promises to eclipse all others. Many new features of a typical Irish character are being introduced. Amongst these may be mentioned the Leprechaun, or tiny fairy, Irish Dancing in costume by Irish Callanah, and Irish Lullaby. From ancient Irish music to the modern Gallagher and Sheen the programme is most comprehensive in its scope. Music, song, dancing, wit and humor will be succeeded by a comedy entitled "The Romantic Lover." This selection is one of the choicest productions of J. Bernard McCarthy. If had a most successful run at the Abbey Theatre, Dublin, where a thoroughly discriminating Irish audience will have nothing but the best. Under the able direction of Major O'Grady it is safe to say that the audience at the College Hall on St. Patrick's night will be given a rare treat. Tickets for the performance are now on sale at the Royal Stationery, Water Street.

Have you tried MRS. STEWART'S Graham Bread?

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Censoring Moving Pictures.

Editor Evening Telegram

Dear Sir.—In yesterday's paper an anonymous "Movie Fan" criticizes the Censor. I am not concerned with the political aspect of his questions. In the film in question, the leading character was dressed throughout, in the distinctive garb of one of the Protestant Churches. At a first showing before the Censors, a scene making a parody of the regular church service was ordered to be cut out and the remainder of the reels were not run off. Even so a good many objectionable features remained. In an effort to be perfectly fair to the "fans" and the management, a committee of Protestant ministers was asked to attend a second showing. The full three reels were then shown, and as a result the film was ordered returned, No Protestant worthy of the name would care to see a priest in his vestments conducting a service represented as a thief, fool, and drinking man, and the same burlesque made of his choir, the members of his congregation and the officers representing the congregation, not to speak of minor evil suggestions. As long as human nature is what it is, Censorship will be required. I desire to say that at the showing in question I was impressed with Mr. Furlong's evident sincerity and entirely agree with his action.

Yours truly,

CHARLES H. JOHNSON.

March 15th, 1923.

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Shipping.

S.S. Sahle L., which left Halifax Sunday morning has not yet reported. The ship is supposed to be caught in the ice off St. Pierre.

S.S. Hank sails to-night for Mediterranean ports, taking about 20,000 quintals codfish.

S.S. Rosalind, due here to-morrow morning, has not reported to the Red Cross agents up to noon hour to-day.

Schr. Lucille B. Creaser, sailed this morning for Kingston, Jamaica, with a cargo of fish and herring.

Schr. Olive Moore sailed this forenoon with a cargo fish from Lazo & Company for Seville.

Schr. Little Princess has cleared

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