



Evening Telegram

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A Boon to Mothers and Babies.

A Maternity Hospital for St. John's may not for St. John's exclusively, but for all Newfoundland, because the proposition to be put before the public at to-night's inaugural banquet will be big enough and broad enough to embrace the whole Dominion. There will be nothing parochial about it, but based on the principle of the greatest good to the greatest number, the proposed institution will be of incalculable benefit to the coming mothers and future babies of Newfoundland.

The insistent present day demand is for more adequate maternity facilities, therefore the Hospital, which is going to take shape right away will be for the poor as well as for those in modest circumstances, and for all expectant mothers who care to avail of the expert services which such a hospital staff can give. It will be a place of comfort for mothers and for babies, previous to birth, at birth and after birth. It will benefit all poor mothers and their children who are unable to pay anything at all either in their homes or in other Hospitals for medical and nursing care. In other words, we take it, free treatment, attendance and nursing will be rendered to all whose circumstances will not permit them to incur any large service bills for attendance during the parturient period. And were the Home to be erected, equipped and staffed solely for no other humanitarian purpose, it would well deserve the support of the people at large.

But it is not intended to confine the advantages of such an institution as proposed, to free cases only. Ample provision, in up-to-date and cheerful apartments with the best of attendance, (as in all cases,) will be made for those mothers but who are in a position to make part payment for the care they will receive. Herein will much relief be assured those expectant mothers, who as their time approaches, suffer much from worrying over the inevitable cost of doctors and nurses, and by so troubling, work themselves up a condition which is highly dangerous. As well will there be reservations for mothers who, if they so desire, may enter the Hospital and pay for the actual cost only of their

care and attendance. And to those in good circumstances who are able to pay the full hospital charges, there will be always accommodation available. Provision will as well be made that the wives and children of the men who have served in the Dominion's Naval and Military Forces, will be benefitted, the hospital doors being always open to give them admission.

And so the call has come, a call not to go unheard or unheeded. St. John's needs a Maternity Hospital and St. John's is preparing to put its hands down into its pockets in order to supply the wherewithal to erect, equip and staff this institution. Not for St. John's alone, as we have previously said, but for the Dominion at large. The coming child demands first care and should be a first charge on our resources. It is our duty, our paramount duty, to see to it that the child is born amidst the brightest and most cheerful surroundings, ushered into the world with all the care and skill that trained physicians and nurses can give. It is plainly visible ahead of us then into which direction our pathway lies. It is toward the scientific care and preservation of the most valuable asset any country can have—its children.

Highlanders to Build Armoury.

Application to the Municipal Council was made yesterday by the Newfoundland Highlanders for a piece of land on the Parade Ground on which to build a new armoury. The present one on King's Road has grown insufficient and the enlarging brigade requires more spacious quarters. The new one will contain, if the grant of land is made, all the most modern improvements, among which will be swimming baths, gymnasium, and reading rooms. The application is being considered by the Council.

New Bank Building.

Plans of a new building, to be erected in that space of ground between Milley's and Ellis & Co., by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, were submitted and approved at yesterday's meeting of the Municipal Council. This building, which will be somewhat after the style of the present Bank of Nova Scotia, will be an architectural ornament of which the city may feel proud.

Sunday is St. Andrew's Day.

Special services will be held in the Kirk on the coming Sunday—St. Andrew's Day. In the forenoon the Newfoundland Highlanders will parade to church, while in the evening the members of St. Andrew's Society will attend divine service.

A Pleasant Surprise.

Opening the door of his residence, James Street, a day or so ago, Mr. James Boland received a pleasant surprise when he found his son Martin confronting him. Martin, who had been in America for the past four years, had returned unexpectedly on the steamer Monmouth, on which he is an engineer. He has since sailed again for Manchester, having spent a very enjoyable time while here.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram. CAPE RACE, To-day. Wind north, light, weather dull; the Dredge Priestman passed in at 8.30 and S.S. Terra Nova at 8.10 a.m.; a three masted schr. in sight 11.30 about 12 miles south west, bound in. Bar. 29.32; Ther. 36.

There will be NO practice for Gower St. Choir to-night.

"Snow-White and the Seven Dwarfs."

Another crowded house greeted this premier children's performance last night. Throughout the four acts one could not but be impressed with the thoroughness of preparation which helped these girls, fresh from the school-room of the Mercy Convent to put into this little production such finish and an entire lack of affectation not found in most professional productions of a more spectacular nature.

Praise cannot be given individually when the whole cast deserves mention. All are worthy of it. The "star" of the cast, who was also the "star" of the evening (which sometimes does not happen) was Miss Madeline Kavanagh. To her goes the palm. Such an unaffected display of real acting ability, such a wonderful voice, rich and full, reveals in an amateur in pantomime, qualities that promise bigger things for her. Beautiful, childishly pleasing, Snow-White will be remembered through Miss Kavanagh. Miss Angela McGrath as the haughty, revengeful Queen showed a real mastery of gesture and expression. Miss McGrath can act; last night emphasized it. And the Prince, debonair, courteous, just as a prince should be. This part could not otherwise have been played but by Miss Ida Howlett. Miss Howlett looked the part and played it well. Imagination could not have created a more pleasing character than Miss Howlett's really alive personation. And in Miss Agnes Armstrong, the character of Carl the Huntsman found an effective mate.

And then came the dwarfs, grotesque, crabbed and old. Who would know them as little girls from our own city? Real comedy showed here in their make-up and presentation. The audience appreciated this capital part as one of the most really interesting bits of the play. Miss Isabella Warren was the leader of the "little men in red," and for such a young girl showed a real and clever understanding of a difficult part. Miss Warren is a comedienne of promise. We look to seeing her again.

As a spectacular backing Miss Mollie Kelly comes first in an unusual dance made famous by the great Pavlova. We have not seen Pavlova, but we like Miss Kelly—and so did the audience. And the Hollies, Violets, Roses, Poppies, etc., Nymphs, Birds, Butterflies how we would like to mention them all individually, as would only be their due. And the great object—for Education. Wednesday night's performance, last night's, and to-night's, and the matinee to-morrow will help the Sisters of the Mercy Convent in providing greater facilities for the education of these talented children.

Sale for Ladies.

AT BLUE PUTTEE HALL. The Telegram announces to-day the opening of a big sale of artistic and stylish ladies' and children's goods, which opens at the Blue Puttee Hall, corner of Gower St. and King's Road, at 9 o'clock to-morrow. As will be seen by advertisement, the sale will run for a fortnight, and will continue open until 9 o'clock each night. This morning a representative of this paper had the pleasure of inspecting the stock, and was amazed at the extent and attractiveness of it. The richest of dresses, blouses and costumes are in abundance, and any lady who fails to inspect them, misses the opportunity of a life time. There is also a magnificent display of hats and sweaters, such as might be seen in one of the largest departmental stores in New York. The Blue Puttee Hall will well be worth a visit during the next few days.

C. L. B.

At the regular C.L.B. Parade last night, Lt. Col. R. F. Goodridge was in command and a large number of lads attended. Various exercises were gone through and musketry practice was also indulged in. The following extracts from orders were read. Promotion: To be Major—Capt. A. R. Anderson, Heart's Content, to date from November 11th, 1919, with seniority next above Major Lindsay. To be Corporal—To date from November 9, 1919, No. 5122 Lance Corporal A. Feaver. To be C.Q.M.S.—To date from November 11th, 1919, No. 5161 Sergt. S. Ratford.

Appointment: To be Lance Corp. No. 5191 Pte. Hibbs, J. Co., Bell Island.

Smallpox Patient Escapes.

At four thirty yesterday afternoon a patient of the Signal Hill Smallpox Hospital escaped from the institution and made his way to the residence of his sister. He was recaptured after being out for about a couple of hours and brought back to the Hospital by Sergt. O'Keefe. The man, who is suffering from a bad attack of smallpox, is an imbecile patient of the Insane Asylum.

For all kinds of Coughs and Colds try Phoradone, at STAFFORD'S, Theatre Hill. Open every night till 9.30—oct. 11

Saints Have Gala Time.

Some four hundred persons attended the celebration of St. Andrew's Day, held in the C.C.C. Hall last evening by St. Andrew's Society. The programme was:

Song:—"The Bonnie Banks O' Loch Lomond." Miss Mitchell.
Song:—"Mary" Mr. A. Williams.
Song:—"McGregor's Gathering" Miss Langmead.
Reading:—Selected, Mrs. J. Baxter.
Song:—Selected, Miss Ryan.
Song:—"I'm a Scot," Mr. W. Moncrieff Mawer.
Song:—Selected, Mrs. F. J. King.
Mrs. Gordon Dickie, Mr. W. Moncrieff Mawer were the accompanists. Mr. J. J. McKay, the president for the night, made an excellent address on Scotland. Following the concert supper was served by the ladies of the Auxiliary. Dancing was taken up after the supper and continued until late this morning. The C.C.C. Band supplied the music. The celebration, which was voted the best held since the inception of the Society, was arranged by a committee comprised of: Messrs. R. G. Ross, R. E. Innes, W. B. Eadie, J. N. Irvine, A. Ross and D. McIntosh.

Steamer on Fire.

Anchored in the stream at the port of Halifax, Nova Scotia, is the Wilson Line steamer, Francisco, Captain Wilkins, bound from New York to Hull with a general cargo, among which a fire is raging in No. 5 hold. Immediately the fire was discovered the ship was headed for Halifax. In the meantime hoses were laid and steam injected into all the holds, thus keeping the conflagration under control until the assistance of the Halifax fire fighters was available. A survey showed that it was possible to keep the blaze confined to number five hold, and to this end efforts are being directed.

Police Court.

A Canadian sailor on the steamer Lake Fougunda was charged with being drunk and disorderly and for assaulting a constable. He was fined \$25 or 30 days imprisonment.
For loose and disorderly conduct two men were each fined \$5 or 10 days imprisonment. The fines were paid in each case.

At the Majestic.

The Majestic Theatre to-night presents the inimitable Tom Moore in the splendid picture, "One of the Finest." Tom Moore needs no introduction to Majestic patrons, as every appearance of his on the screen has resulted in big crowds. In to-night's picture his acting is well up to the standard and will be sure to please everybody. A Burton-Holmes travelogue entitled "The Island of Capri," will also be put on. This is an exceptionally good picture.

Here and There.

Watered Fish Wednesdays and Fridays at THE BEE-HIVE STORE.—sep19,3m,tu,th,s
WEATHER ACROSS COUNTRY.—Snowing a little; wind light and variable.
The Annual Collection in aid of the Christian Brothers will be taken up at the R. C. Cathedral at all Masses on Sunday, November 30th.—nov28,11

TRAIN MOVEMENTS.

Yesterday's west bound express left Bishop's Falls at 3.55 a.m. to-day. To-day's express is due at 9 o'clock to-night.
Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Stops Irritation, Soothes and Heals. You can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.—oct24

INFORMATION AT MR. GRACE'S.—S.S. Ingham sailed for Mr. Grace at day-light this morning. She will tow back Baine Johnston's schooner Hazel Trahey.

C. L. B. Old Comrades' Grand Dance in the Armoury, Harvey Road, Monday, December 1st. Dancing starts at 9 p.m. Music by the Battalion Band. Tickets—Ladies', 60c.; Gent's, \$1.00.—nov28,31

AT THE CROSBIE.—The following guests have registered at the Crosbie:—A. C. Clark, Westville; C. B. Archibald, Wabana; R. McDonald, Wabana; J. J. Farrel, Wabana; Wm. L. Cornochan, Bell Island.

Come along, Ladies and Gent's, to the C. L. B. Old Comrades' Dance at the Armoury on Monday night next, Dec. 1st. If you want a good night's enjoyment you can't afford to miss this dance.—nov28,31

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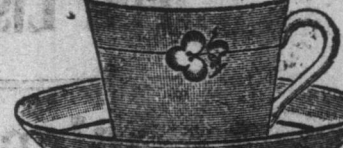
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BORN.

On November 25th, a son to Ex-Corporal and Mrs. Holloway, Hamilton Avenue.

On the 23rd November, a son to Mr. Denis and Ellen Dobbin, 231 New Gower Street.

On Nov. 24th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chapter, a son.

MARRIED.

At Jubilee Cottage, Forest Road, Nov. 26th, by Rev. James Wilson, Florence M. Noseworthy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Noseworthy, to Frank H. Taylor, son of Mr. Giles Taylor, Maxse Street.

DIED.

Passed peacefully away, on Thursday, Nov. 27th, after a lingering illness, Annie Belle Butt, widow of the late Philip Newell, in her 88th year, leaving to mourn 1 son, Rev. J. T. Newell, in U.S.A.; 2 daughters, one in New York and Mrs. McCarty, this city; also 9 grand and 7 great grandchildren, and a large circle of relatives and friends; funeral at 2.30 p.m. Sunday, from her son-in-law's residence, 429 Water St. West.—21

Passed peacefully away, at Torbay, on Thursday, Nov. 27th, Maria, beloved daughter of Richard and Lavinia Codner, aged 27 years. Leaving father, mother, brother and sister to mourn their sad loss. American and English papers please copy.

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Grapes and
Oranges.

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George Neal.

"Sailor Chap" Joins In.

For Evening Telegram. Dear Sir:—In reply to 203 British who wish to inform that gentleman that I agree with him in saying that the out as well for Newfoundland. I understand Confederation with regard to our War Gratuity, but apart from that we don't want Confederation. regards the amount I don't think anyone would object to it being under \$2000.00. I would be thankful for \$999.00.

I see by Saturday's Star that the Australians are receiving \$250.00 for every year spent on Active Service. Now our new Prime Minister gave us to understand during his political campaign that his Government would be as good for the Sailors and Soldiers of Newfoundland, as any of the other colonies. Now is the time for us to put his words into action. I know here are a great many people saying, "Oh! the Government is doing great things for our returned men," but let me inform those people that any man who spent four years in the North Sea dodging German mines and torpedoes—not to mention the man who spent four years on the God soaked fields of France—knows that \$420 is not enough to pay them what they went through, and we must not forget that while we were undergoing these hardships the people before mentioned were at home in comfort receiving a fat salary, and were being handed out the sum of one dollar and ten cents per day. Now if one of us returned men is asked to look for employment the first thing he is asked is, what experience have you had, and if the answer is none, he is told that we cannot be employed.

Now when we want to join up to save our country and protect those people, who are refusing us employment to-day, we were not asked what experience we had, had; No, we were not handed down a rifle and bayonet to use it, for your life and our country's freedom depend on it. That's the way we got down to business in the Army and Navy, and we are certain that if some of our Sailors and Soldiers were handed down a yard stick in one of those dry goods stores, or a ham knife in a grocery store, he would use it as well as the bayonet, without having had the experience.

Thanking you for space,
I am, Sir,
Yours sincerely,
SAILOR CHAP.

Nov. 26, 1919.

F. P. U. Convention.

The Eleventh Annual Convention of the Fishermen's Protective Union of Newfoundland at Port Union last night, the first business on the order paper being the delivery of the customary address of the President. Thirteen members recently elected to the House of Assembly were present to the opening session, proof that the Union members are in a startling manner, as undoubtedly all those gentlemen who hold legislative seats and who were in attendance at the initial sitting of the 1919 Convention must be classed as members and supporters of the Union, and will of course follow whatever lead Mr. Oaker gives.

Catching Trade Pirates.

FIRMS THAT USE FALSE TRADE MARKS.

There is a bitter complaint on the part of some of our manufacturers that knives and other metal goods imported from the United States bear the words "made in Sheffield."

Trade piracy is no new crime. The days of Edward IV the artificer justly complained that they were greatly impoverished by the multitude of divers wares fetched and brought from beyond the seas, whereof the greater part in substance is deceiving.

The kings of those days had severe laws, and Edward's response to the pious complaint of an eddy forbidding the importation of foreign manufactured goods. Some time later a complaint was made to Parliament as to foreign wares falsely described as English. An Act was passed ordering all imported wares to be marked with the name and address of the foreign manufacturer.

It was not, however, until the year 1887 that the importation of all goods bearing the names of British manufacturers was prohibited. But this Act only gave partial protection. Cutlery, "Joseph Rodgers & Sons Sheffield," was barred, but "Best Sheffield Steel," could not be objected to. The Act of 1887 was better. Any person selling goods with false trade marks became liable to a year's imprisonment, with forfeiture of all trade articles in question.

During the first three months after the Act was passed no fewer than one hundred and ten thousand packages containing goods falsely marked were seized by our Customs officers. During the following year there were 220,000 detections, of which the great majority came from Germany.

When you want Roast Beef, Mutton, Pork, try ELLIS.