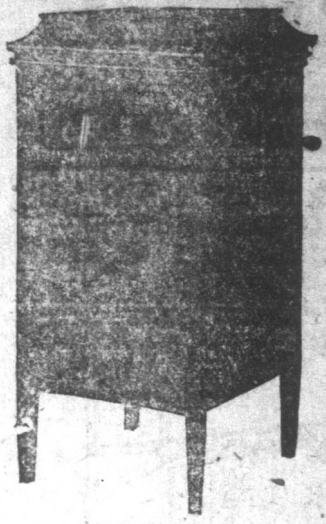


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In Memoriam
PATRICK O'BRIEN.

On December 6th Holyrood parish lost one of its oldest and most esteemed citizens, Mr. Patrick O'Brien, who was born at the South Side of Holyrood in 1840, and was climbing towards his 84th year. He was a descendant of an ancient family that emigrated to Newfoundland generations ago and his ancestors were among the first to blaze a trail through the forest primeval of South Side and among the first settlers of Holyrood. For many years the O'Brien Bros. conducted a successful Western shore and Labrador fishery, but eventually Patrick married Miss Bridget Penney of North Arm and built up a homestead for himself there. The Penneys then were the "Jewellers" of his parish of Brigs Harbor, and soon Mr. O'Brien was engaged in the planting business, first at Brigs Harbor, and later at Windsor's Harbor, his wife carrying on a flourishing business at home. But his good wife predeceased him for several years and since her death he lived with his adopted daughter, Mrs. J. J. Hicks. Mr. O'Brien, despite his four score years, was hale, hearty and active and had walked two and a half miles on the Sunday he was stricken down while assisting at Holy Mass in the parish church. He was tenderly lifted from the pew, taken from the church, and brought to his home by motor car. The last Sacraments were administered to him by the pastor, Rev. Fr. Finn. Though he rallied for a time, he finally collapsed after three weeks' illness, borne with submission to the Divine will. His funeral was held from his late home on Sunday, 9th inst., to the parish church into which he was slowly and reverently borne by six brother members of the Star of the Sea Association acting as pall bearers. Rev. Fr. Finn officiated at the funeral service of his dead friend, and this being ended, the procession reformed, and proceeded to the South Side Cemetery, where he was laid to rest in the family plot beside his wife. The funeral was largely attended and included the Star of the Sea Association in processional order, of which the deceased was a charter member, and one of the best officers. The passing of a type of man like Mr. O'Brien is a loss. But his memory will live as an upright and practical Catholic, who ever and always set a good example of piety and good citizenship to the parish. May he rest in peace. His adopted daughter, Mrs. J. J. Hicks, and her husband, J. J. Hicks, her son, Patrick O'Brien Hicks, his nieces and nephews have our sincerest sympathy.—COM.

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Obituary.

THOMAS HOLLOHAN, (Summerville). After a short illness, Thomas, the beloved son of Michael and Margaret Hollohan, passed peacefully and quietly away on Thursday morning, Dec. 18th. The deceased, who worked at Grand Falls during the summer months, came home in October, having had the measles, after which he contracted a cold, which ultimately resulted in his death. He was twenty-one years of age, and by his gentle and cheerful manner had won the good-will and esteem of all his friends and acquaintances. He leaves to mourn his death besides his parents, three brothers, Patrick, John and Joseph. Much sympathy is felt for the sadly bereaved family, as every one knows how hard it seems to lose one so young and promising, but the good Lord, who knows all our sorrows has given them strength and patience to bear their cross without murmuring against His holy will. The body was laid to rest in the Catholic Cemetery on Saturday afternoon, where it will await the Day of Resurrection, and all who know him, and his good clean way of living, feel sure that he will be among the happy number whom the Almighty King will call unto Himself and say, "Come ye blessed of my Father into the Kingdom prepared for you and His angels." Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

A FRIEND.
Summerville, Dec. 18th, 1923.

British Sailors

Cannot Swim

PORTSMOUTH, Eng., Nov. 7.—(A. P.)—A British admiral, Sir Sydney Freeman, is amazed at the number of men in the navy who cannot swim. He has made an investigation among the sailors now stationed at Portsmouth, and finds 9,768 who would be helpless should they by chance fall overboard.

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Wedding Bells.

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On Dec. 20th George Street Church was the scene of a quiet but pretty wedding, when Rev. R. E. Fairbairn united in the holy bonds of matrimony Mabel J. Pike, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred P. Pike of this city, to Mr. Alex. Gilbert of Sunnyside, Trinity Bay. The bride looked pretty in a dress of cream silk with veil and a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of carnations and maiden hair fern. The bridesmaids were Mary Gilbert, sister of the groom, and Alma Pike, sister of the bride. They were dressed in blue silk and crepe de chene with hats to match. The bride was given away by her father. The groom was supported by Arthur Pike, brother of the bride. After the ceremony they motored to the home of the bride's parents, where the reception was held, after which they boarded the train for their future home in Sunnyside, Trinity Bay.

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McMurdo's Store News.

XMAS SUGGESTIONS. When trying to decide on something for someone just look down the following list of choice and useful gifts. Ladies' and Gent's Hair Brushes and Combs, French Ivory articles to complete sets; Perfumes from all the best Producers; Face Powders, Vanity Cases, and Creams, Toilet Soaps in Fancy Boxes; Gillette Razors, and Blades, Gillette Razor Blade Sharpeners, Moir's, Page and Shaw, Whitman's and Jane, Todda Chocolates.

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Springdale St. School
Prize Distribution

A large gathering of parents and friends of the pupils attended the Annual Distribution of prizes and the closing exercises of Springdale Street School in the Synod Hall on Thursday evening. An attractive programme of songs, recitations and drill was creditably performed by children from both sections of the school, and while every item well deserved the applause it received, special mention should be made of the excellence of the Swedish drill by the senior girls.

A report of the year's work was given by the Hon. Secretary of the Board, Rev. J. Britton, who expressed the confidence felt by the Board that this large school, with upward of 400 pupils, would add to its past record and make steady advance under the capable charge of the new Principal, Miss Worrall. The Superintendent of Education, congratulating teachers and pupils on the pleasing entertainment presented, made gratifying reference to his visit to the school. The prizes were then presented by the Lord Bishop, who, in his remarks to the pupils, warmly commended their act in collecting and forwarding a large quantity of clothing for poor children in White Bay. A vote of thanks to His Lordship was moved by Geo. J. Adams, Esq., Chairman of the Board, and seconded by Rev. Canon Bolt, both of whom spoke of the need of increased school accommodation in the West End of the city, and of desirable equipment in Springdale Street School which could not be supplied for want of funds. In an effort to remedy this deficiency, a sale of work is planned for February, which it is hoped will receive hearty support from all interested in education. The singing of the National Anthem brought the proceedings to a close.

Just Folks.
By EDGAR A. GUEST

THE MAN.

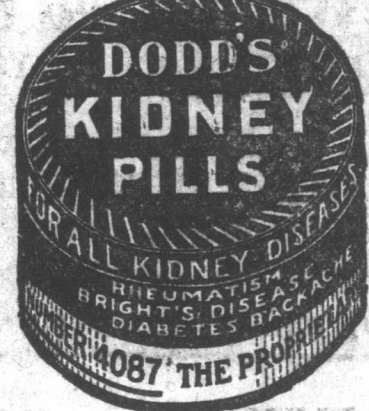
Oh, this I have found
As I've wandered around,
The man is the maker of friends,
And wherever he be,
What of charm he shall see
On what he is seeking depends.

If he fare with a smile
He shall find every mile
With the smile of the stranger aglow;
For the people he meets
On the hills, on the streets,
His manner of conduct will show.

If he's gracious and kind
As he travels, he'll find
The gracious and kind everywhere;
Let him sneer, let him frown,
And he'll find in that town
They're full of welcome to spare.

So go at your best
With a smile and a jest,
And a hand that is friendly and true,
Whether near, whether far,
Men will be as you are—
Your world must be fashioned by you.

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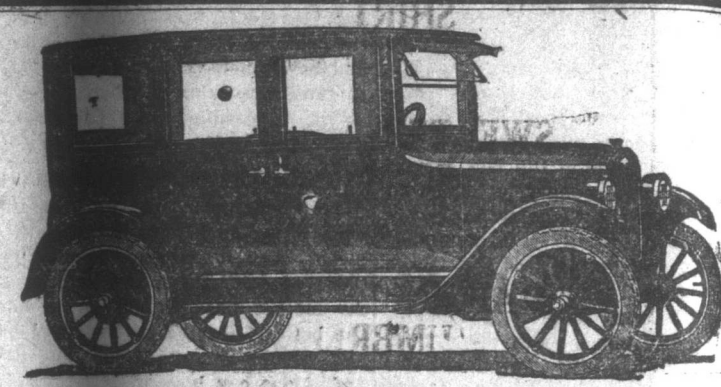
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