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The Development of a Healthy Standard

During the visit of the Empire Parliamentary Delegation several speakers have laid particular emphasis on the fact that of fundamental importance in any movement to promote the development of a country or to strengthen the Empire as a whole was the mental and physical standard of the people, and on Saturday, Dr. Hayden Guest in his address on School Clinics dealt with the question as it applied to Newfoundland in a practical and helpful manner.

Dr. Guest made it clear that he had been unable in the short time at his disposal to become familiar with local conditions, but from such observations as he had been able to make of the children in various parts of the Island and from the statistics he had studied he was of the opinion that the chief ailments were in no way due to the climate but to circumstances which could and should be overcome. He referred in particular defective eyesight, malnutrition, underdevelopment of the physique and tuberculosis. The former he felt was due to lack of attention in early years, and in connection with the latter, he blamed the habits of feeding and the lack of nutriment in the articles of diet which formed the ordinary bill of fare.

Here as elsewhere, it was pointed out, these conditions would gradually become less marked as education became more general, and among the factors for disseminating such knowledge he attached great importance to School Clinics, and such organizations as the Child Welfare Association. It is gratifying to know that the lecturer was very pleased with this direction in the city, but there was no mistaking the importance which he attached to the necessity of extending these activities.

It is true we have, with the means at our disposal and considering the difficulties, from a geographical standpoint with which we have to contend, done much to raise the standard of health of the community and to relieve suffering, but Dr. Guest's remarks should make us consider whether our efforts are directed in such a way as to produce the best results. What after all is the chief cause of malnutrition if it is not the high cost of living? If the people live on the bare necessities, it is because other articles of diet which are equally essential to health are beyond their reach. Let us take an instance. Yesterday within a stone's throw of a settlement we visited a barren where berries of different varieties were growing in profusion, but there were no shelves filled with preserves in the houses because of the price of sugar. Other cases of a similar kind might be quoted, and what applies to foods applies with equal force to their clothing. Anything but the cheapest garments cannot be purchased because of the cost which is considerably increased by the high rates of duty imposed.

While we strongly endorse all

that Dr. Hayden Guest said with regard to the necessity for the further dissemination of knowledge amongst the people, we cannot but express the opinion that much benefit would also result if those who from time to time constitute the Government gave closer study to questions of this kind.

This Week at St. Thomas's

Monday—W. H. M. S. Reception in Rectory Grounds, 3 to 5.30. Farewell Public Meeting to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, Canon Wood Hall, 8.30. (See notes).
 Tuesday—Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 8.
 Friday—Evening Prayer and Address, 7.30. Coal Club, 8.15.
 Saturday—Intercessions, 8.
 Daily Morning Prayer in St. Andrew's Chapel at 10.

Holyrood Garden Party

About 200 people from the city went out by train to Holyrood yesterday, and attended the Garden Party there. Many from adjacent settlements also were present. Various amusements were provided and excellent teas were served by the Ladies' Committee. The Mount Cashel Band was present, and under direction of Mr. Arthur Bulley, rendered splendid music.

Yesterday's Excursion Trains

Yesterday being fine, a large number of people from the city spent the day in the country. The excursion train to Holyrood took out about 200 passengers, while 73 went to Tor's Cove. The steam coach was largely patronized, over 1200 people making the trip to and from Bowring Park.

S.S. Susu in Port

S.S. Susu, Capt. Jacob Kean, returned from points as far as Chagaz Islands early yesterday morning, bringing a small cargo and as passengers: Messrs. J. Cobb, D. Hoddinott, W. Le Drew, S. Woolfrey, A. Rendell, C. Green, E. Whiteway, D. Elliott, Murrell, W. M. Cook; Mesdames Taylor, Ludlow, Buckler, Chaytor, Courage, Bradley and child; Misses Perry, Taylor, Riddout, Normore, Hicks, Whitway, Moulard, Abbott, Lodge (3), and Collins.

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Government Boats

Argyle leaving Argentia this afternoon.
 Clyde leaving Lewisporte this morning.
 Gloucester left Bay L'Argent 7.45 a.m. yesterday, coming east.
 Home left Daniel's Hr. 4 p.m. Saturday, going north.
 Malakoff left Port Blandford 8.25 a.m. to-day.
 Meigle left Hr. Grace 11 p.m. Saturday, going north.
 Portia arrived Port aux Basques 7 a.m. yesterday.
 Prospero leaving St. John's 10 a.m. to-morrow.
 Sagona left Gaultois 2.20 p.m. Saturday, going north.

Personal

Miss Anna M. Mulcahy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Mulcahy, of Bay Bulls, left by s.s. Silvia, on Saturday, for New York, where she will enter the nursing profession at St. Catherine's Hospital.

DANCE

"GAIETY" HALL, TUESDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 8th.
 (In aid of the C.C.C. Hall debt)
 On Tuesday next, September 8th, the FOURTH Dance of the series in aid of the C.C.C. Hall debt takes place in the "Gaiety" Hall, and no doubt this event will prove as popular and enjoyable as the three previous ones.
 The Prince's Full Orchestra will again render the music, and the prices will be the same. Therefore, if you are anxious to enjoy a really good Dance make no engagements for Tuesday next for the Big Dance at the "Gaiety" Hall.

NOTE.—For the past two days this Dance was advertised to take place on Wednesday next, September 8th, but through no fault of our own, we are compelled to change the date to Tuesday, September 8th, owing to the Prince's Orchestra having to go to Bell Island for Wednesday next. Please remember the change—Tuesday, September 8th.—sept 7, 11

Parliamentary Association Dinner

Saturday night's function in the King George V. Institute, when the delegates of the Parliamentary Association from overseas were entertained at dinner by the Newfoundland Branch, brought to a conclusion in a fitting manner the successful fortnight's visit of our distinguished guests.

In addition to the members of the Delegation, the guests included His Excellency the Governor, Sir George Frampton, G. S. Campbell, President of the Bank of Nova Scotia, and A. E. Harris, the Manager of the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Co. In all about one hundred were present.
 The banqueting hall was most tastefully and appropriately decorated for the occasion. From the ceiling were suspended innumerable tiny ensigns, and on the wall behind the seats occupied by the Governor and the chairman were two fleur de lis designs surmounted by a Crown, and in between the word "Welcome." The whole of which was illuminated and made a striking electrical display.
 During the evening the Prince's Orchestra rendered a musical programme which was much enjoyed. The catering was looked after by J. Robinson, and was in every way most satisfactory.

The Speaker of the House of Assembly, Hon. C. J. Fox presided, and an excellent menu having been partaken of, he proposed the health of the King which was duly honoured. The following was the Toast List:—
 HIS MAJESTY THE KING—Prop., Chairman, Hon. C. J. Fox. God Save the King.

H.E. THE GOVERNOR—Prop., Chairman, Hon. C. J. Fox; resp. H.E. the Governor.

THE ANCIENT COLONY—Prop., Wm. Lunn, M.P.; resp. Hon. W. J. Higgins, K.C.

THE PARLIAMENTARY ASSOCIATION—Prop., Hon. J. Alex. Robinson, LL.D., M.B.E.; resp. L. H. King, M.P.; W. R. Warren, K.C., LL.D., M.H.A.

OUR GUESTS—Prop., Hon. Sir J. C. Crosbie, K.B.E.; resp. G. S. Campbell, A. E. Harris.

The enthusiasm expressed by His Excellency in responding to the Chairman's toast, and the lofty note in which he referred to the aims and purposes of the Parliamentary Association struck a responsive chord and were echoed by the speakers who followed. The visitors, in referring to their stay in the country, the favourable impressions they had received of its resources, and the results which were bound to follow from the personal interchange of ideas, showed that the event had made a deep impression upon them, and the members of the local Branch were no less enthusiastic in speaking of their guests, and the importance they attached to the work in which the Association were engaged. The regret with which farewells were said was unmistakable, and the hope expressed on all sides was that before long an opportunity would offer to renew acquaintances.

Before the conclusion of the function Hon. C. J. Fox asked Captain Hope to accept as a memento of the auspicious visit a slight token from the Nfld. Branch in the form of a mounted whitecoat, and he requested the Governor to make the presentation. He also said that a similar souvenir would be sent to each of the other members. His Excellency in a very happy speech coupled with the request, and Captain Hope, Hon. E. E. Harney and Ben Smith expressed their appreciation of this additional evidence of good-will.

The event closed with the singing of Auld Lang Syne and the National Anthem.

Farewell to Rev. H. and Mrs. Gordon

This evening at Canon Wood Hall, the friends of Rev. Henry and Mrs. Gordon, will meet to bid them farewell. The devoted Labrador Missionary and his wife, who are leaving by the Sacem to-morrow, have endeared themselves to many in St. John's, and there is universal regret, not confined to their own denomination, that they are leaving Newfoundland; though all admit that, after ten years' splendid work on the Labrador, Mr. Gordon well deserves his promotion in the Church. The meeting in the hall, which commences at 8.30, is under the auspices of St. Thomas's W. H. M. S. During this afternoon, in the Rectory grounds, there will be an informal reception at which Mr. and Mrs. Gordon will personally meet all who may be present.

Those in charge of to-night's meeting in Canon Wood Hall wish it to be understood that the friends of "Cartwright" Gordon, of all Churches in the City, will be welcomed. The idea is to give a whole-souled Newfoundland farewell to one who has labored for the general up-lift of the people of our Northern Dependency.

N.A.A.A. Preliminaries, Hurdles, 220 Yards, St. George's Field, this Monday at 6.30 p.m. General admission 10c.—sept 7, 11

Parliamentary Delegation Leaves

The members of the British Parliamentary Association left for Port aux Basques by special train yesterday afternoon en route to Montreal, where they disband, part of the delegation proceeding to England. The Chairman, Mr. Douglas King, proceeds to the Pacific Coast, and Mr. Smith proceeds South at far as Mexico to attend a labor convention. A large gathering was present at the station to bid farewell to the visitors.

PEPPYS BEHIND THE SCENES

Sept. 6th.—Up betimes and abroad, the weather fine and indeed, almost warm. Comes news out of Canada how McKenna King will dissolve Parliament being that an election will be held in October, nor is there much hope that the Liberal Government will survive.

Povey, coming anon, gives me news of the Conference of the Imperial Parliamentary Association this morning and the subject discussed was our trade relations with England. But Lord, it do seem how they miss the whole point so far as certain sections of the trade are concerned, being that the English simply cannot supply much wanted goods in the styles and prices that the Americans do, and by extra charges which the Americans do always include in the cost of the goods, make the task of calculating costs mighty difficult.

My wife this day talks of new clothes for the fall but I did make haste to change the subject, albeit I fear greatly I shall hear more of it mighty soon.

Talking with Mr. Anderson, he shows me divers pictures of the new home that his celebrated son, Murray, did build himself in New York and tells me also of the fame that comes to him through his opening of a School of the Theatre.

Sept. 6th, (Lord's Day)—Comes Povey and would have me go with him to Wesley Church, there to hear Mr. Lawson discourse, which I do, and do take the greatest pleasure from the address. Anon to the country, where me to bathe, albeit the water cold enough to freeze one's liver, and needs must I have a goodly portion of brandy to revive me. All this night reading in a most diverting book of reminiscences called "Things I Should Not Tell."

Renaud's Face Powder (fresh and white), at STAFFORD'S, 15c. box.—sept 7, 11

Early Morning Motor Accident

Shortly after eight o'clock this morning, as Mrs. Frank McNamara was motoring from Topsail to the city, with her children to attend school, the car happened to skid at the junction of Kenmount and Freshwater Roads, and before Mrs. McNamara had time to right the machine, it turned over and threw the occupants to the roadside. Mrs. McNamara, in the fall, received painful injuries to her right thigh, besides suffering from shock, and upon being conveyed to the city she was attended by Dr. Anderson and removed to Hospital. The children, although badly shaken up, escaped uninjured. After the accident the first to arrive on the scene was a milkman, on his way to town, who rendered every assistance. Hon. Frank McNamara was acquainted of the happening by telephone, and arranged with Mr. Silverlock to go out and bring the family to town. The only damage to the car was a broken windshield.

Labrador Fish

GOOD CURE BRINGS HIGH PRICES

Two more cargoes of Labrador fish arrived in port since Saturday. Skipper Henry Ploughman has 980 qts. caught at Sandy Hill Bay, Labrador, in the schooner "H. K. P." He arrived home to Port Rexton, T.B. August 15th and made his fish at home, by giving it out to fishmakers in lots. It was given two to two and a half days' sun and is a splendid article, clean, white and dry. It was bought by Mr. T. Hallett and rumor says that the price paid was \$5.50 per qt. Mr. Marsal, of Spain, who visited the wharf where the fish was being discharged, said, "If the Newfoundlanders make all their Labrador fish like this, they need not be afraid of Iceland or Norwegian competition, and will get back all the ground they have lost in the markets of Southern Europe. The Telegram congratulates Skipper Ploughman and his crew on their good voyage and splendid cure. Every fish was washed separate with hand cloths, both sides in water renewed after each puncture tub full was turned out.

THE TRAINS.—Sunday's express is due at Port aux Basques 9 o'clock to-night. The incoming express is due at 4 p.m.

Charged With Violation

OF THE ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS ACT.

A prosecution, taken by the police for a breach of Sec. 22 of the Alcoholic Liquors Act, occupied the attention of the Magistrate's Court this morning, and proved of considerable interest because of the methods of evading the law which were disclosed. The accused is proprietress of a dwelling on the corner of Burke's Square and Stephen Street, entrance is through a lane and the premises has no shop window. On Thursday last Detective Lee visited the place and found, on a counter in a large room fitted up like a shop, some mugs and glasses and two men drinking beer. On the floor beside the counter was found an empty rum bottle. In another room was a stand holding beer kegs and behind one of which was found another rum bottle. Upstairs on the floor of a bedroom was discovered one bottle empty and another containing some liquor. All the bottles were marked as coming from the Controller's. One of the men present was on the blacklist, according to Detective Lee. Constable Walsh described the place as a room turned into a beer shop.

He took samples of the beer and liquor and submitted them to analysis. The beer was 6.5% and the liquor was of the strength of rum sold at the Controllers for \$2 per bottle. The defendant examined by Mr. Browne said she had let the part of the house in question at \$5 per month to a man for use as a private club to which there were twelve members. The beer was sold only to members or any friend they might bring along. She was employed as caretaker of the place at \$2 per month and during the daytime sold beer to any members of the club who came along. The proceeds were not kept by her, but went to the club to cover expenses. One of the men found on the premises was a member of the club, the other was a carpenter. She denied selling any beer to them on the date charged. The counter, she said, was a table used for card playing and the rum had been bought by her husband. The club has been in existence for the past six months.

The Judge remarked that the whole thing was an evasion of the law but as there was no evidence that accused had sold beer on the date charged he would not pass judgment until an investigation of the bonafides of the club took place.

Mr. J. Devine appeared for the police and Controller.

A second prosecution, on a charge of the same nature, against the proprietor of a shop, failed, because there was no evidence of sale. Empty and partly filled bottles of liquor were found on the premises. The beer sold, however, was not overproof.

Banker Well Fished

On Saturday we received the following message from Marystown:

MARYSTOWN, Sept. 5th.
 Schr. A. Davis arrived from Banks with 650 quintals.—W. P. WALSH.

C. H. E. Exams

The following results of the C.H.E. examinations are announced:—
 Jubilee University Scholarship—Helena McGrath, Academy of Our Lady of Mercy.
 Three Intermediate Scholarships of \$100.00 each.—(Confined to outport schools.) In alphabetical order:—Ralph L. Andrews, C. E. High School, Harbour Grace; Rose M. Dunphy, R. C. Red Island, Placentia Bay; Willis Morse, Academy, Grand Falls.

SHIPPING LOCAL AND FOREIGN

S.S. Silvia sailed for Halifax and New York at 5 p.m. Saturday.
 S.S. Hithewood is due from Montreal and Charlottetown to-morrow.
 S.S. Ceuta leaves Montreal Thursday for here via Charlottetown.

S.S. Hethpool has been purchased by the Parguhar Steamship Company to ply on the Boston-Halifax-Sydney-St. John's route. She has a capacity for 12,000 barrels and accommodation for 100 first and 40 second cabin passengers. The ship will sail from Boston on Sept. 23rd.

S.S. Munceaster leaves Halifax to-day for Boston.

S.S. Newton Bay sailed for Halifax and Boston yesterday morning.

S. S. Kristine L, 12 days from Cardiff in ballast, has arrived to Job Bros. & Co.

S. S. Blairberg, 12½ days from Glasgow, has arrived at A. H. Murray & Co. with coal.

S. S. Certo has arrived at Humboldt with a cargo of coal.

Schr. Emily H. Patten, with 2,615 qts. codfish, has cleared from Grand Bank for Burin to finish loading.

From Cape Race

CAPE RACE, To-Day.
 Wind north-west, blowing strong, weather fine. Three master schooner General Smuts passed in at 10.30 a.m. Several other schooners also passed in this a.m. Bp. 29.3; ther. 59.



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BORN.

At the Grace Maternity Hospital, on Sept. 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Garland, a son; both well.

DIED.

On the 6th inst., Kevin, darling child of John and Stella Crotty, aged 2 months.

Passed peacefully away, Sept. 6th, Victor St. Clair, darling child of William and Mary Norris, aged five months.—"Asleep in Jesus."

Suddenly at New York of spinal meningitis, on Sept. 6th, Ernest F. Connolly, aged 25 years, leaving mother, Mrs. M. J. Dyer; and stepfather, Mr. J. Dyer; two brothers, Francis at Corner Brook and George at Home. May he rest in peace. Funeral notice later.

NOTE OF THANKS.—Mr. Hugh G. Ford wish to thank all kind friends who helped him in anything during the death of their dear husband and father, Jacob, especially Dr. A. H. Anderson and Nurse Pelley for their help and attendance during his illness, and the following for wreaths: Sir Richard Squires and family, Nurse Pelley, Mrs. Ralph Parrott, Mrs. Daniel Hindy, Mrs. Nath. Piercey and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Green, ar. Mrs. Grace Kelland, Mrs. Augustus Kelland, Mrs. Harold Kelland, Mrs. Thomas Andrews, Mrs. Elsie Parrott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Parrott, Mr. and Mrs. James Seaward, Mrs. William Howell, Miss Louise Green, Mrs. Emily Verge and family, Mrs. Charles Piercey, jr. Mr. and Mrs. Eric Parrott, For Letters and Messages of Sympathy: Dr. A. R. Anderson, Sir R. A. Squires, Mr. Wilfred Verge (Fogo), Bowring Bros. Ltd., Mr. Harold Martin (Heart's Content), Mr. and Mrs. William Moore (Heart's Content), Mrs. Winnie Parrott (Green's Hr.), Mr. Daniel Green (New York), Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin (New Perican), L.O.L. No. 75, S.U.F. Lodge, No. 2, Mr. Naaman Pitcher, Rev. W. Bugden, C.E.W.A., Mrs. Charles Piercey, Mr. and Mrs. Nath. Piercey, Mr. William Howell (New York), Miss Hattie Cheeseman (Whitbourne), Mr. Adam Green (Cambridge, Mass.).

NOTE OF THANKS.—The L.S.P.U. Labour Excursion Committee wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to the Rev. A. J. Maher, P.P., and to all the people of Ferryland District; also to Mount Cashel Band, Mr. Arthur Bulley and Rev. Bro. Ennis, and the ladies who served the dinners and teas to the satisfaction of all. Also to Conductor Pushie, and the train hands of the Newfoundland Government Railway for the satisfaction given to us by them, and to all parties who helped to make our excursion and Labour Day so successful.

On behalf of the Committee, (Sgd.) MICHAEL COADY, Chairman.

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