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A Bond of Unity.

The movement undertaken by the International Magna Charta Day Association has for its initial aim the setting aside of one day in the year "to be observed as a memorial of the great outstanding event in human history, the influence of which is felt in every nation." Its main object is to promote friendship, based on common aims and ideals, among the English-speaking peoples of the world.

Seven hundred and nine years ago, in an assemblage at Runnymede the rights and privileges of the people of England were promulgated in a Charter to which their Sovereign Lord was compelled to give his assent.

From time to time other measures have been enacted with a view to extending the liberty of the subject, but one and all of the compellers have found their inspiration in, and have modelled their legislation upon the basic principles laid down in the historic Charter of British Liberty.

In these days when democratic institutions are no longer considered privileges but are claimed as a right, we fail to appreciate how remarkable was the action of those people who compiled the document which has indisputable right to be regarded as the most momentous in the whole of the annals of British History.

The most significant feature about Magna Charta is that it did not profess to introduce novel ideas, but in simple phraseology expressed what were the inalienable rights and privileges of the English people. In sentiment it was democratic without in any sense being revolutionary; it was the common voice of the people of every rank of society, and the fact that it originated with, and was carried into effect by the barons is striking testimony of that mutual sympathy and fellowship which have ever been, and it is to be hoped ever will be the cohesive force which binds together the foundation stones of Freedom and Liberty upon which our constitution has been firmly built.

Since the days of the 13th century, English speaking peoples have established themselves in almost every corner of the globe. Many of them, in spite of their new environment and the distances which separated them from the Mother Country remained loyal to her institutions and her flag; others in course of time became an independent state, but all cherished and jealously guarded the great principles which were their common heritage, handed down to them by the same race.

Is it too much to expect that these peoples of the same blood and sentiment, prompted by the same motives, and working for the same objects, should not unite their forces in the interest of humanity and give to the world a lasting peace? With such an idea in view, the Seven Nations, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, Canada, the United States, South Africa, New Zealand and Australia will celebrate to-morrow as Liberty Day. In the different churches of the Empire and the Great

Republic appeals will be made for closer co-operation, and the prayer for unity and concord will be heard with a new significance by the thousands of worshippers, and will strike a responsive chord in the hearts of everyone.

Sergeant's Memorial

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 Victor . . . 1.00
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 Employees Royal Stores, Ltd. . . 60.00
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Belvedere Garden Party

A joint meeting of the Ladies Association and Men's Committee in connection with Belvedere Orphanage Garden Party will take place to-morrow after last mass. The meeting will be held in the Recreation Hall and final arrangements for the annual fête will be effected. All who desire to help are invited to attend and anyone wishing to assist in preparing the grounds are asked to be on hand on Monday night.

Bishop Renouf at Halifax

Bishop Renouf, of St. George's, Nfld., and Bishop O'Leary, of Prince Edward Island were among the ecclesiastical dignitaries attending the golden anniversary festival of Archbishop McCarthy of the Roman Catholic diocese of Halifax, which was marked by a clerical banquet here last night. The festival will conclude on Thursday with a Levee at the Archbishop's Palace.—Western Star, June 11.

Opening of Glyn Mill Inn

The Glyn Mill Inn at Corner Brook is to be officially opened to-day after the arrival of Sir Glyn West, President of the N. P. & C. Co., and Lady West, and General Manager Stradler and Mrs. Stradler, who will arrive by express train to-day.—Western Star, June 11.

Of Interest to Auto Owners

Goodyear Balloon tires make your car ride much easier, you are cushioned by a yielding pillow of air under each wheel.

Having so much wider surface in contact with the road they give remarkable traction and with their greatly improved cushioning they protect your car reducing vibration, bolts and nuts stay tight, rattles don't develop as quickly.

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Fred V. Chesman of Goodyear Agencies Ltd., will gladly furnish further information regarding interchangeable tires, etc., and to introduce Goodyear Balloons at quite prices very close to those you pay for regular tires, and also arrange for disposal of your old tires.

Goodyear Balloons are on display at J. Coker's Showroom, Goodyear Agencies, Ltd., 178 Water Street, 'Phone 584-247.—June 13, 21

Witnesses in Land Dispute

The case of Richard Squires vs. Josiah Tucker for trespass on land on the Thorburn Road, occupied the attention of Mr. Justice Kent in the Supreme Court to-day. The land in question has a frontage of about 10 chains. There are, including the Deputy Minister of Agriculture and Mines and the Crown Lands Surveyors, about forty witnesses in the case.

Mr. Bradley appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. Halley for defendant. The hearing was adjourned at 1 p.m. until 2.30 this evening.

A Runaway Horse

A horse owned by Hudson James took fright near the lumber mill on the Southside this morning and dashed seaward at a mad pace, just before crossing the Long Bridge, two wheels of the lumber wagon attached to the animal became detached. Crossing the track the horse, within a foot of a stunning engine and narrowly escaped killing two men who were engaged at coupling up cars. The horse reached Hutchings Street and collided with a pole but fortunately escaped with a few cuts about the legs.

ARRIVES WITH PRISONERS.—Gertie Shepard arrived from Bell Island this morning with two prisoners committed for trial in the Supreme Court. One of the prisoners belonging to West Wabana is charged with indecent assault, while the other will be placed on trial for forgery. Both men were removed to the penitentiary upon arrival.

Billiard Dinner

M. G. C. A. PLAYERS ENTERTAIN C. E. L. THE VICTORS.

The M. G. C. A. billiard team very fittingly dined the C. E. L. players, winners of the recent Inter-Club Billiard Tournament, to a dinner, at the Strling Restaurant, last night. Covers were laid for sixty. Mr. H. J. Wyatt, President of the M. G. C. A. presided, and among those present were: Hon. Sir John Crosbie, Hon. W. J. Higgins, K.C., Hon. J. J. Long, M.H.A., Mr. C. J. Fox, M.H.A., Mr. W. J. Martin, President Nfld. Billiard Assn., Mr. C. E. Hunt, besides supporters and friends of the Clubs. The dining room was tastefully decorated in honor of the occasion, the colors of the rival clubs predominating. The menu was well prepared and excellently arranged, and was done full justice to by all. Following the sumptuous repast, the toast list was taken up. The speeches were both humorous and witty, and proved a great source of enjoyment to all. During the evening specially arranged songs were enthusiastically sung by the entire gathering from the song sheet, with Mr. Gordon Christian presiding at the piano, while a song by Mr. Fox and a humorous ditty by Mr. Hunt, added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening.

The following is the toast list:—
 The King—Prop. the Chairman; Resp. "God Save The King."
 Nfld. Billiard Assn.—Prop. Mr. C. E. Hunt; Resp. Mr. W. J. Martin.
 C. E. L. Club—Prop. Hon. Sir John Crosbie; Resp. Hon. J. J. Long.
 The Teams—Prop. Mr. Warwick Smith; Resp. (Winners), Mr. G. T. Phillips; (Losers), Mr. W. Newberry.
 Our Guests—Prop. Mr. W. H. Butt; Resp. Hon. W. J. Higgins, K.C., Mr. C. J. Fox, M.H.A.
 The Chairman—Prop. Hon. R. A. Cramm; Resp. Mr. H. J. Wyatt.
 "GOD SAVE THE KING."

Wedding Bells

ROBSON-JAMES.
 The marriage of Jeanne Christian, youngest daughter of the late Mr. John W. James and of Mrs. James, of this city, to Mr. Norman Robson, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, was solemnized on Saturday evening, May 10th, at the Verdun Methodist Church, Montreal. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. Williams, pastor of the church. The bride who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. H. James, wore a gown of white satin canton, very simply draped at one side and finished with loopings of orange blossoms. Her tulle veil was arranged in cap effect caught with orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies-of-the-valley. Her sister, Mrs. Marion Brown, as matron of honor, wore a gown of cocoa colored georgette with shoes, cocoa and hat to match. Miss Catherine Robson, sister of the groom, as bridesmaid, wore a gown of peach-colored georgette with shoes and hat to match. Both carried bouquets of shaded sweet peas in pastel shades. The best man was Mr. Eddie McEneaney. The wedding March was played by Mr. Banton, the organist of the church. A reception followed the ceremony. Later Mr. and Mrs. Robson left on their wedding trip to the Laurentian Mountains.

Mrs. J. Glover, Cook's Street, is a sister of the bride, and Mr. S. M. James, Hamilton Avenue, a brother.

Exchanging Pulpits

The preacher at Cochrane Street Methodist Centennial Church to-morrow morning will be Rev. D. L. Nichol, Pastor of Queen's Road, Congregational Church. Rev. Nichol is a powerful preacher and has greatly impressed his many hearers with masterly sermons since his arrival amongst us. No doubt there will be a large attendance to hear the rev. gentleman at to-morrow morning's service. Rev. Mr. Johnson will occupy the pulpit at the Congregational Church.

Help the Society Protection of Animals. Come to the Garden Party next Tuesday, Forest Road. We need the money.

From Cape Race
 CAPE RACE, to-day.
 Wind southwest, light, weather fine. The steamers Bancis and Watuka passed west; schr. Cape Race and steamer Minona passed in yesterday afternoon. A British steamer showing signals K P F L, and several others, passed east this a.m. Bar, 30.30; Ther, 54.

Personal

Mr. Fred Thistle, of King's Pt., N.B., is a guest at the Brownsdale Hotel.

Here and There.

The Central Taxi—'Phone 965.—June 13, 20d

CASHIN S.S. CO.—S.S. Susan left Gander Bay early this morning, coming South.

COMING DIRECT.—The steamer Ceuta left Montreal on Thursday for this port direct.

Mrs. Fulmer will sell "Good Things to Eat," at the S. P. A. Garden Party, Come early.
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Train Notes.

The incoming express left Clarendville at 9 a.m. due to reach the city at 3.30 p.m.

Thursday's west bound train arrived at Port aux Basques 8.30 last night.

The local Carbonate train arrived at 1.55.

The Trepassey train was due to arrive at 2.30 p.m.

The regular cross country express goes out to-morrow at 1 p.m.

Government Boats

Argyle left Argentea 3.45 p.m. yesterday.

Clyde left Fogo 6.30 a.m. inward.

Glencoe left Burnt early this morning going west.

Home left Flower's Cove 5.30 a.m. yesterday, going north.

Kyle left Port aux Basques 9.35 p.m. yesterday.

Malcolm left Clarendville 7.00 p.m. yesterday, outward.

Fortia arrived Trinity 4.20 p.m. yesterday.

Prospero left Westport 7.30 yesterday, coming south.

Begonia left H. Grace 8.15 a.m. Sebastopol no report.

When no report since leaving Bellam on 11th.

TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

JUDGE SHOOT HIMSELF.
 SAN DIEGO, Cal., June 14.

While demonstrating how a revolver could have been used by defendant on trial in a shooting case Judge Sotomayer of Tijuana, lower California Court, yesterday shot himself behind the left ear, and died in an hour. Under the impression that the Court attaches had removed the cartridges from the revolver Judge Sotomayer is said to have placed the muzzle of the revolver under his left ear and pulled the trigger.

HERBIOT IS PREMIER.

PARIS, June 14.
 Edouard Herriot, leader of the Radical Party left Bloc, which was victorious in the recent Parliamentary Elections, to-day accepted the invitation of President Doumergue to form a ministry.

HERBIOT VISITS LONDON.

PARIS, June 14.
 Premier Herriot expects to go to London Saturday next to confer with Mr. MacDonald British Prime Minister.

PRESS UPHOLDS NEW PRESIDENT.

PARIS, June 14.
 Confidence in M. Doumergue is the keynote of the morning press comment even in those newspapers which opposed his election.

GERMANS DUMP SHOES

TORONTO, June 14.

German made shoes are being imported into Canada at about half the cost of Canadian made shoes according to information given to the special committee of Toronto City Council on unemployment on the authority of Roy Weaver, Manager of the Shoe Manufacturers Association of Canada. Mr. Weaver's letter as read to the committee by W. Varley ran in part, "last fall approximately 33,000 pairs children's shoes of good quality leather and well made in every respect were imported into Montreal. These goods were purchased in Germany at the equivalent of 50 to 62 cents per pair. Duty of 30 per cent was assessed on a valuation of 60 cts. per pair and no dumping duty was applied. A Montreal manufacturer who saw these shoes stated that he could not make similar shoes here for less than \$1.35 per pair."

Shipping

S.S. Winona arrived in port at 4 a.m. with a general cargo. The ship sails again to-night for Montreal.
 S.S. Rosalind left New York to-day for this port via Halifax.
 S.S. Sable I. is en route to Boston. Will leave that port for St. John's via Halifax on June 17th.

Schooner Phyllis L. has arrived at Twillingate from Sydney via Channel and Straits of Belle Island. The vessel has a cargo of coal for Ashbourne Estate.

S.S. Commander Evans sailed yesterday from Nipigon's Harbor for Hull, England, taking 55,000 lbs. fresh salmon consigned to Hudson Bros.

Schooner Magoon (Danish) has entered at Burnt Islands to load fish from the Burgeo & LaPelle Export Co. for Oporto.

S.S. Mimi cleared yesterday from Salmonier for Barry, England, with 2,500 cords pit props.

Misplaced Eloquence

At a race meeting a bookmaker was busy paying out a crowd of impatient creditors, and the combined effect of temperature, avoidpools, and financial losses was beginning to manifest itself in a growing shortness of temper.

A few minutes after settling up a very timid-looking man came up to him and, in a trembling half-whisper, said: "I'm afraid there's been a mistake about the money I won."

The bookmaker gave a pungent and trenchant summary of the flow of oratory terminated in one long celestial burst of rhetoric.

"Well, I'm sorry, very sorry," he said, apologetically, and with many nervous glances around him, "but you see, you gave me ten shillings too much."

AT LAST!

The first shipment of this Season's

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AT THE WALL PAPER HOUSE.

See what Mrs. W. S. Monroe has for sale at the Novelty Table, S.P.A. Garden Party next Tuesday, June 17th.—June 14, 21

CELEBRATES SILVER JUBILEE.—Congressions are being attended to Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Deane, who to-day celebrate the silver jubilee of their wedding.

Come hear Mount Cashel Band at the S.P.A. Garden Party, Tuesday afternoon, on Hon. Tasker Cook's Lawn, Forest Road.—June 14, 21

Our Dumb Animals.

REPORT OF CHIEF AGENT FOR WEEK ENDING JUNE 1924.

Attended to the landing of twenty head cattle from the "Sable I." All the cattle were watered and taken care of by Mr. Halliday for the St. John's Abattoir Co. Also attended to the landing of 4 carloads cattle at the Railway Station. All the cattle were in good condition and were driven to pasture. I attended two sales of cattle at the St. John's Abattoir Co.'s yard. All were taken away immediately after the sale. Much difficulty has been experienced in leading these cattle through the streets singly, but the owners do their best to get them along without trouble. The Secretary of the Society has been corresponding with the agents of cattle and poultry which are often shipped here in an overcrowded condition, and they have pointed to give this matter their best attention. I humbly put to death a horse suffering from a fractured hip for a resident of the West End, also a cat for a lady on Pleasant Street, she afterwards subscribing \$1 to the Society. Sent in two horses for treatment during the week. It has been remarked to me by a lady who has been a resident of St. John's for five years that she has taken a great interest in the dumb animals of the city, and she feels safe in saying that the horses of this city are to-day in better condition than they were five years ago when she came here. I am pleased to be able to endorse this statement. This is very creditable to owners of horses who are taking increased interest and pride in their teams as evidenced by their better physical condition, grooming and polished harness. The Hon. Tasker Cook, Mayor of St. John's and Mrs. Cook, have kindly placed their grounds Forest Road, at the Society's disposal for a garden party on Tuesday next. It is that all lovers of animals be present to encourage the work of caring for those who cannot speak for themselves.

JONAS BARTER, Chief Agent.

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30,000 Miles for an Operation

Mr. P. Lockhart-Mummary, chairman of the British Empire Cancer Campaign, travelled 30,000 miles to the forbidden city of Khatmandu to perform an operation on the Maharajah of Nepal.

According to a member of the party, the trip was full of incident. The engine of the express train carrying Mr. Lockhart-Mummary broke a connecting rod when travelling at fifty miles an hour, which, however, only caused a slight delay.

From Raxaul the party were conveyed by motor car along the dry bed of a river running at the base of a deep ravine. A guard of armed horsemen accompanied them.

Later in the day the party were transferred into palikas and carried by coolies to Bhi Padi. They were again carried by coolies the next day, and crossed a pass in the Himalayas at an altitude of 8,000ft.

Among the many wayfarers whom they passed were men carrying their wives strapped on their backs.

Strangers are not permitted to enter or leave Khatmandu except with the special permission of the Maharajah.

BORE.
 On Monday, June 9th, a son to A. J. and Mrs. Parry, 33 Flower Hill.

On Friday, June 13th, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Thistle, Firdale, Freshwater Road.

DIED.
 Passed peacefully away, on June 9th, at Arnold's Cove, Henry Guy, aged 63 years. Left to mourn are a wife, 3 sons and 2 grandchildren. New York papers please copy.

Passed peacefully away, at midnight, Friday, June 13th, Mrs. Janet C. Davidson, widow of the late W. J. Davidson. Funeral on Sunday at 3 p.m. from the residence of Mr. D. P. Duff, 60 LeMarchant Road.

Passed peacefully away, yesterday morning, at the General Hospital, after a brief illness, Daniel, aged 15 years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Noah. Left to mourn are father, mother, three brothers and five sisters. Funeral will take place from Mr. Melvin Noah's residence, 74 New Gower Street, on to-morrow, Sunday, at 2.30 p.m. Friends and relations will take this as the only intimation.

Passed peacefully away, at Chamorro, C.B., Ebenezer Butler, late of Port de Grave, in his 82nd year, leaving 2 sons and 1 daughter, Joseph E. and Peter L. of Chamberlains, Susie E. now residing at British Columbia, also 2 brothers and 1 sister, Joseph M. of St. John's, John of Boston, Mrs. Joseph Greening of Musgraveville, B. S. Funeral at Chamberlains at 3.30 p.m. Monday. Friends and acquaintances please accept this, the only intimation.

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