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NEW BUILDING

Work on the addition being built to the Presentation Convent, Cathedral Square, is progressing favorably. This new building, 75 feet long by 40 wide and three stories high, together with the projected new school building will afford a great convenience to the educational work of the good Sisters as it will enable them to have increased accommodation for their classes and to add to the number of their teaching staff. The building is now covered in and work on the interior is proceeding rapidly. It is expected to have the building ready for occupancy early in the new year. On its completion the construction of the school building will begin immediately so that the class rooms may be ready at the re-opening of the schools after the summer vacation.

The work of construction is being done by Mr. Wm. Harris, contractor, and is under the direction of Mr. Jonas Barter, architect, who planned both buildings. Every effort is being made by those concerned to have only the best possible material procurable used. Specially made beams of construction steel were imported by W. A. O'D. Kelly, who also supplied the asbestos tiles for the roof. This is the first large building in the city to be roofed by asbestos slates which are considered by Canadian and American builders to possess many advantages over ordinary slates or metal roofing. His Grace, the Archbishop, and all concerned in the erection of the new addition are to be congratulated on this splendid building, which will add materially to the appearance and value of the majestic group of ecclesiastical structures which adorn this part of the town.

Another meeting of the Coal Committee was held in the Premier's office at 5.30 last evening. Matters that were not finalised at the last meeting were dealt with.

Capt. Sam Bob Winsor arrived in town yesterday, from Valleyfield, B. B., by the Susu, and is registered at the Crosbie.

AT CATALINA CONVENTION AND TRIP HOME

(Editor Mail and Advocate.)

Dear Sir,—Being one of the number of Delegates who atended the F. P. U. Convention at Catalina, I may say that it was the most interesting and profitable Convention that has ever been attended by the representatives of of the fishermen of this Colony since the F. P. U. has been organized as it voices the sentiments of all the fishermen and laboring classes of this country in bringing about better conditions for the laboring classes. The St. John's merchants and Government officials would be out of their element sitting in such a Convention as they say the F. P. U. movement is against their policy, and business. The F. P. U. stands for the interest of the fishermen and laboring clases, as it strikes when duty demands, and acts when the interest of the under dog is involved. Surely, Sir, the whole south as well as the North are now convinced the F. P. U. is their only hope, and with President Coaker as their leader can now look forward to better conditions. We need not refer to any certain conditions that have been brought about since the organization of the Fishermen's Union, because we have many evidences as to the changes that are being made. Laws for the betterment of the loggers and sealers that were in days gone by only treated like slaves, and no protection for the health and comfort of those who toiled early and hard to make two ends meet. Things are getting better in this country and it is being brought about by the people themselves meeting together in convention and discussing their own affairs. The fishermen are becoming more and more wide awake to this condition, and they intend to stand out for fair play.

The F. P. U. Councils have been the academy of the toiler for the past eight years, and they are learning more and more by reading their own paper which stands for freedom and justice to all. And, Sir, the time is not far distant when such interests as Bowring's, Reid's and "all" who oppose the F. P. U. will find that the people are going to demand a square deal.

If they want to see an evidence of what the people can do under such a leader as President Coaker let them have one good look at the colossal premises and building now under construction at "Port Union." Our stay at Catalina was a profitable one and will not soon be forgotten. I herewith wish to express the sentiments of all the Bonavista Bay delegates, thanking the Reid Nfld. Co., on behalf of Mr. Coaker, for sending a special train to take us to Bonavista to connect with the S. S. Dundee, and that if conditions under Providence should arise that the steamer could not get to Bonavista to have her call at Catalina for us. We wish the Reid Nfld. Co. to remember that this will be a bright star in their crown and for all those who do what they consider their duty to their fellow man. And we hope that before very long, the high rates of freight will be reduced to make it easier for the poor to get an existance. We thank the people of Catalina, especially our good hostess Mrs. Bugden, who made our visit a pleasant one, while there for five days. The Vice-President, Mr. Andraw Broders, will always have happy recollections of our visit at Catalina. The special train moved out of Catalina with hearty cheers for the Bonavista Bay delegates. We also thank the Captain and officers of the s.s. Dundee for their care and atentnion to the delegates while on board. The weather being very stormy and dense fog prevailing, the Captain decided to anchor in smoth water, under Deer Island, Saturday night, as it too thick to proceed further. About 8 o'clock a very pleasant impromptu concert took place.

The steward had made all the passengers comfortable by erecting the berths in the Saloon. When Mr. J. B. Wornell walked in and said, you all look comfortable; why not some one give us a song or recitation before retiring. Mr. Peter Gaulton spoke for us and said: I think the right man is talking. Mr. Wornell started right in and gave a very impressive and interesting recitation, giving a fine example of his elocutionary powers. This brought forward nearly all the ship's company, especially Rev. Mr. Bayly, from Bonavista, who took a very prominent part in thec oncert, singing that beautiful song, "Rocked in the Cradle fo the Deep," also giving a recitation. The programme was as follows:

Recitation by Mr. J. B. Wornell.

Song by Mr. Nathan Dyke.

Speech, "Kenneys Hill," Tobias House.

Song, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep," by Rev. Mr. Bayly.

Song by Mr. Eric Gill.

"The Union Rally Song," Mr. Herbert Burry.

Recitation by J. B. Wornell.

Song, "Twelve Days of Christmas," Alphonsus Spurell, and last but not least, at the request of Rev. Mr. Samson, the Mail Officer, told his experience in the Dardanelles, showing us his wounds, and marks that show at one time he was in the fore front of the greatest battle that was ever fought in the European war, and as we saw the wounds of this hero many of our hearts ached. We trust Mr. Samson, who is not feeling very well, may be spared to see this wonderful war brought to a successful end.

This brought the concert to a close, feeling that our hearts were closely knit together. The next morning the steamer landed us all in our different harbors, feeling that we were much wiser and better for attending the Catalina Convention of the F. P. U.

The only thing that caused us all to comment continually on was the excessive price for the bill of fare, nearly $2.00 per day, with not a very elaborate table. We trust the Reid Nfld. Co. will do better.

—"ONE OF THE BUNCH."

There is a decided scarcity of poultry on the market owing to short shipments. The dealers at Prince Edward's Island who fill orders from this market could not procure the goods as they had been cornered to a great extent by dealers in Boston and other New England States.

Baine Johnston & Co's bqt. Molega, Capt. Nickerson, with fish in bulk, for the Spanish and Portuguese markets, has been in the stream four days waiting a favorable time to sail.

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