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Grand Jury's Presentment.

YOUR LORDSHIPS:—

We, the members of the Grand Jury, acting on your suggestions, have visited and inspected the following public institutions and now beg to present our report on same.

PENITENTIARY.

On arriving at the Penitentiary we were met by the Superintendent who conducted us over the premises and gave us every facility for our inspection. We visited the cells and found them very clean and well kept and that all the surroundings were conducive to the health and well being of the prisoners. We then inspected the broom factory and were very pleased with the arrangements of the place and with the work produced. We would strongly advise that similar industries be introduced to occupy the time of the prisoners who are now compelled to be idle; this would be of great benefit to them and would also help the finances of the Institution. Generally speaking, we are of the opinion that the state of affairs is most satisfactory and redounds to the credit of the staff. There are now 62 male and 7 female prisoners there.

POOR ASYLUM.

We next visited the Poor Asylum and were shown through by the Superintendent, and found everything as satisfactory as could be expected under the circumstances. We concur in former reports as to the necessity of a new and up-to-date building but in the meantime think some improvement should be made. The sanitary and toilet arrangements are most unsatisfactory and quite inadequate to the needs of the inmates. There are 70 on the male side and 15 on the female and for the use of the former there is only one bath and three toilets and for the latter only one bath and two toilets. We are of the opinion that this matter should receive immediate attention; in fact, we would suggest that the attention of the Board of Health be directed to this matter. The Superintendent wishes to call attention to the necessity of a general clean-up of the whole place, both inside and out, painting, repairing, etc., and would suggest that as far as possible in this work and in the general upkeep of the place those inmates capable of working should be employed, which would make them healthier and happier than remaining idle. As there are a number of sick inmates we think a doctor should visit weekly as well as on special occasions. We think the officials are doing their best for the comfort of the inmates as far as facilities will permit.

INSANE ASYLUM.

A Committee of the jury visited the Asylum and were met by the Doctor in charge who explained the arrangements and work of the Institution, and we found everything satisfactory and up to date, with the addition of the new building everything seems to have been provided for the welfare of the inmates. The roomy corridors, neat and well ventilated rooms, ample provision of light and heat combined with the beautiful surroundings of the building provide ideal conditions which should effect the objects aimed at, and we believe the Medical Superintendent and Nurses are keenly interested in their work and do their best for the welfare of those committed to their charge. We understand that the portion of the building set apart for acute cases is badly heated and poorly ventilated. We understand that this is the class of cases which requires most treatment and the least possible disturbance from noise, and it is absolutely impossible to get this in these wards. They are part of the original building and are very badly heated and the wonder is that some of the patients have not suffered severely from cold. Regarding the protection, there is, other than the stairs, only one fire escape on each side of the building, and these are so constructed that it would be practically impossible for even a sane person to escape. We understand the cost would be very small to place an adequate fire escape on this building.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Grand Jury.
(Sgd.) EDWIN MURRAY, Foreman.
St. John's, January 25th, 1922.

FRESH FISH SHIPMENT.—S. S. Digby, which sailed this afternoon for Liverpool, took a small shipment of fish in casks from various shippers and about one hundred thousand pounds of fresh fish and salmon from the Nfld. Cold Storage Co.

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Whitbourne Notes

It may be of interest to some readers of the Telegram to hear that the meteor, seen on the 12th March at St. John's and Harbour Grace, was also visible here (or probably its reflection). People coming out of church on that Sunday evening saw a vivid flash of light, which they attributed to a flash of lightning, until hearing the explosion of the meteor.

The weather has been very mild the last week, with a good deal of rain and fog, and our snow is rapidly shrinking; although the ice in the lakes looks solid still and wood-fuel is being rushed out daily, while the ice-bridge remains firm and safe.

There are quite a few small and hungry birds about, Chickadees, Jays and Sparrows; but no robin has been seen or heard in this vicinity as yet. We don't think! Last year on the 31st the robin was with us.

Mrs. Jordan Simmons, who was undergoing treatment at the General Hospital, St. John's, last month, returned home over three weeks ago, and is now greatly improved in health.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Ellis, of St. John's, was taken by Rev. Mr. Russell on the 14th inst. here, when the deceased lady was laid to rest in the Methodist Cemetery, where her husband is buried.

Mr. James H. Mercer, father of Mrs. Levi Sharpe, passed away at Blaketown on Sunday, 19th inst., at the age of 82, and was buried on Tuesday morning, 21st. Mr. and Mrs. L. Sharpe drove to Blaketown to attend the funeral, which was conducted by the Incumbent, Rev. C. Jeffrey, who was at that place for the Sunday services and remained to perform the sad ceremony. Condolences to the bereaved relatives.

Mr. Geo. Simmons lost one of his horses on the 15th inst. The poor animal in endeavouring to get free, in the stable, managed to get entangled in the halter, and owing to injuries sustained had to be destroyed.

Mrs. Lerner, of Placentia, is now here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lerner (March 14th).

Mr. Richard Gosse, who has been very ill for the past week, is now convalescent.

Mr. A. J. Sharpe, C.E. Teacher of Blaketown, visited Whitbourne on Saturday, coming and returning by rail. We are sorry to hear his youngest son Bert, is very poorly, suffering with an attack of influenza. A number of people are laid by with colds and grippe. Mr. A. Brown was also ill and in the doctor's hands.

New Church seats for the C. E. School-Chapel at Blaketown, have lately come by rail from the Horwood Lumber Co., St. John's, and are a handsome addition to their place of worship. An altar-rail is now being ordered from the same firm.

The Rev. E. Hunt, Incumbent of New Harbour mission, arrived here by the morning's train to-day (30th), putting up at "Loch Leven House," while waiting for the west bound express to take him to Chance Cove, via Rantem, where he will spend Sunday next. The walk from Rantem to Chance Cove is a rough and mountainous one a distance of some 7 miles. In summer this rather inaccessible settlement can be reached by motor boat, which makes it a comparatively easy journey. Mr. Hunt looks to be very fit after his winter of hard travels and strenuous work in the somewhat unwieldy New Harbour mission.

Mrs. W. J. Lerner went to St. John's this morning, and expects to be returning by Sunday's express.

Mrs. A. Peddie, who was very ill since Christmas, has made a remarkable recovery, and got out for the first time since her illness on Sunday last, to "return thanks for late mercies."

A bitter north wind sweeps our village to-day, 30th. The "boreas blast" is hard to endure after the mild spell of weather, as it penetrates through every seam and crevice in doors and is vastly uncomfortable out of doors! We hope April may be more springlike.

March 30th, 1922.

Only 240 Numbered Reserved Seats for the Boxing and Wrestling Championship Meet, April 6th, at 8.30, will be on sale Monday morning at The Royal Stationery. Price 75 cents.

RAFFLE AT S.U.F. CLUB.—At the S.U.F. Club Rooms, Water Street last night a very interesting time was spent raffling the unsold tickets of the Club's sweepstake.

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TO-DAY'S MESSAGES.

EX-EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA DEAD.
FUNCHAL, April 1.
Former Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary died here to-day.

A BIT VAGUE.

DUBLIN, April 1.
A proclamation has been issued from Republican Army headquarters, urging men "to stand by the Government set up by the Irish people." It requires officers and men to report to any of the six brigade divisions of battle headquarters, named prior to ten o'clock this morning.

HUGE FORCES.

MOSCOW, April 1.
It may be possible to further curtail the Red army, War Minister Trotsky told the Communist Congress yesterday, but it all depends on the international situation and events in the spring. The army is at present 1,640,000 men, and the navy 25,000.

DE VALERA'S DESIRE.

LONDON, April 1.
Hope, tempered with doubt and fear, is the keynote of morning newspapers editorial comment on the outlook in Ireland. The Daily Mail sees indications that Mr. De Valera is meditating a coup d'etat, and calls upon Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins to show their strength, declaring if they

fall to govern, De Valera will make short work of them. The Daily Chronicle sees Mr. DeValera working towards a military dictatorship. One feature of press comment is a universal tribute to the statesmanship of Mr. Churchill, who earns the highest praise, even from political opponents.

LONDON, April 1.
The Dublin brigade of the Irish Republican Army, has been mobilized for parade Sunday morning to take a new oath of allegiance or an oath with new implications, says a statement issued from army headquarters, Beggars Bush barracks, telegraphed in the Daily Mail's correspondence.

Weather and Ice Report.

Seal Cove—Wind North, with snow surges; no ice in sight.
Flower's Cove—Strong North wind, dull; ice conditions unchanged.
Nipper's Harbor—Strong East wind, stormy and milder.
Gander Bay—Strong N.E. winds, very stormy.
Fogo—Strong North wind, stormy; Bay full ice.
Little Bay Islands—Gale North wind with snow; unable to see far.

PROSPERO CLEAR.—S.S. Prospero left Seldom early this morning for St. John's direct and should arrive here to-morrow.

FALSE ECONOMY.

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Here and There.

KYLE LEAVES LOUISBURG.—S.S. Kyle left Louisburg at noon to-day for Port aux Basques with foreign mails and passengers. She is due at Port aux Basques to-night.

FIRE AT HARBOUR GRACE.—A house owned by Amos Martin, situated on Stretton's Hill, Harbour Grace, was destroyed by fire on Thursday night. Very little of the contents of the dwelling was saved. How the fire originated has not been learned.

FOUR DRUNKS.—Four drunks, three of whom were also disorderly, appeared before the Magistrate this morning. One a cabman, charged also

with cruelty to his horse, was discharged. Small fines to cover cost of conveyance were imposed on the others.

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