

St. Joseph's Vegetable Sale

This afternoon at 4 a vegetable sale will be held at St. Joseph's Schoolroom, Holytown, for the benefit of the New Church Fund. It is in charge of the ladies of the parish and will continue to-morrow afternoon to be closed with a concert which begins at 8.15. To-day vegetables, candies, etc., will be sold and teas will be served from 5 p.m. till 7.30.

ASHORE AT MALL BAY.

Badly Battered and Keel Knocked Out. News reached the city yesterday afternoon to the effect that the schooner "Herald", owned by Patk. Daley, of Salmonier, was ashore at Mall Bay in the storm of Sunday night. The vessel, we hear, had some fish on board and though she is badly battered and with her keel gone it is hoped to refloat her.

SCHR. "SENATOR" ASBORE.

Yesterday afternoon news was received in the city that the schr. "Senator", owned by Wm. Daley, of St. Mary's, is ashore at Mall Bay, St. Mary's Bay. She dragged her anchors and went on the rocks early Monday morning in the storm but the crew escaped. She had a deal of fish on board, we hear, and we learn also that it is feared she cannot be refloated.

The East End Branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia will be open for business on October 2nd. The Branch will be in charge of Mr. J. A. Dunbar, formerly of Channel.

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OUR THEATRES

THE NICKEL

The elaborate social drama in five acts entitled "The Climbers" was shown at the Nickel theatre last evening to crowded houses who were delighted with the picture. The story is an intensely interesting one and is just the picture that pleases St. John's audiences. It is one of the finest productions ever seen in St. John's. Gladys Hanson, George Spencer and Walter Hitchcock play the leading roles. "Husks" is a beautiful three part drama by the Broadway stars, George Ovey was seen in a very funny comedy—"A deal in Indians" which kept all in roars of laughter. Don't fail to attend to-day.

THE CRESCENT

A thrilling sea drama, "The Smugglers" is the feature picture at the Crescent Picture Palace to-day, a Biograph production with Lada Davidson, Charles H. Miles and Robert Drouet. A fine spectacular old world drama "The Golden Supper" with superb photography and staging. Davy Don, the celebrated Lubin comedy man is featured in "The Butler," a somewhat different comedy. Mr. Sam Rose sings "There's a Broken Heart for every light on Broadway." Professor McCarthy presides at the piano, playing the latest and best music. A great variety programme to-morrow.

BIRTH ON SHIPBOARD.

When the S.S. Portia, on this trip, arrived in Trepassay Harbour Monday morning, in the midst of the great storm, a lady coming to St. John's from the Westward, a passenger on board, coming to St. John's to meet her husband, gave birth to a fine baby boy. The woman was looked after by other female passengers on board and when the storm abated a doctor was called. The lady was given every attention on the ship and arrived here on her. It is not often that such an incident is recorded.

A CARGO OF FLOUR AND DYNAMITE

The little S.S. "M. Tremblay" arrived here from Quebec yesterday afternoon with a cargo of 1400 brls of flour to W. A. Munn & Co., and a consignment of dynamite for the Port au Port lime quarries. She had the full force of Sunday night's storm but received no damage worth while. Her captain and crew are all French-Canadians.

New Purchase Reaches Port

The schr. "A. V. Conrad," Capt. Conrad, arrived yesterday afternoon with coal to the Smith Co. Ltd after a run of four days from Sydney. She is a fine vessel of 147 tons, built at Nova Scotia and is only a few years old. She has been purchased by the Smith Co. as a foreign carrier and we congratulate the firm on the acquisition of such a splendid vessel. The ship was out in the big blow of Sunday night and Monday morning and was 12 hours lying-to in the worst of it 60 miles west of St. Pierre. Capt. Conrad told us yesterday that the weather was the worst he ever experienced. "The sea literally ran mountains high and the vessel was continually sea-swept, but proved her splendid sea-going qualities and came through with little damage.

NAMES OF FISHERMEN WHO WENT DOWN WITH THE "BONNIE LASS."

The following are the names of the crew who went down with the ill-fated Bonnie Lass, which was lost at the Bar in Trepassay:—John McRath, captain; Peter, John and Richard McDonald, brothers; Michael Grace and Edward Fagan. All the crew except Fagan were married men and leave widows and children, to whom the sympathy of the whole country will go out in the sad loss of their bread winners.

In Aid of ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

A Vegetable Sale will be held at St. Joseph's School Room, Holytown, to-morrow, Thursday, and Friday.

All varieties of Vegetables will be on sale. Teas will be served from 5 to 7.30 o'clock. Candies and refreshments will be on sale during the evening.

The Sale will commence at four o'clock. Admission 10 Cents.

On Friday evening a Concert will take place, commencing at 8.15 p.m. Admission 30 Cents. sep27,3i

OFFICIAL CASUALTY LIST

FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND REGIMENT

Sept. 27th, 1916.

747 Private Thomas Coombs, Spaniard's Bay. Officially reported prisoner of war. Glessen, Germany, July 27, 1916. (Previously unofficially reported prisoner of war.)

959 Private Leo M. Volsey, Hagerly Street. Admitted to Stationary Hospital, Vimereux, Ist. Sopt; fractured arm, accidental.

J. R. BENNETT,
Colonial Secretary

THE "PONHOOK" OFF

The schr. "Ponhook," Capt. Doyle, which went ashore at Indian Harbor, made a very quick run down from this port. She left here Tuesday night week and in one of the recent storms on the coast dragged both her anchors which were out, but Capt. Doyle so skillfully manoeuvred the vessel that she only struck on a sandy bottom, received little damage and came off with little difficulty yesterday.

THE KYLE'S PASSENGERS.

The S.S. Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques 8.30 a.m. yesterday, with the following passengers:—W. A. Ashbourne, James Harvey, W. J. Young, T. Grandy, H. H. Blanchett, C. Little, J. P. Smith, W. H. Wyatt, H. Fraser, H. McIsaac, S. T. Kauffer, L. Keating, H. C. Crawford.

COB PLENTIFUL ON LABRADOR.

A couple of days ago news was obtained from a banking skipper fishing at Labrador saying that cod was plentiful, but that bad weather made fishing almost impossible. The message received says that with a week or so of fine weather, all the bankers would pick up full fares. There are now over 50 bankers on the Labrador coast.

Flour May Be \$14 A Barrel

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—President Wilson will be asked to call a special session of Congress to declare an embargo upon the exportation of wheat and federal and state investigations of the increase in the price of flour will be demanded by resolutions adopted by 200 bakers of Brooklyn yesterday. It was asserted that flour would be sold at \$14 a barrel and bread at twenty cents a loaf next spring, unless an embargo is imposed.

MAN STILL MISSING.

Up to last night there was no news concerning the man Perine, who is missing the past 3 days from Bay Roberts. Search parties have been out, but no trace of the man can be found. Some believed he has succumbed, but others think he has left the country.

THE SPORTS WILL PROCEED.

The Army and Navy Sports which will take place this afternoon in St. George's Field promise to be both interesting and enjoyable. The day promises to be very fine and we look for a record attendance of the Hefs. The programme of sports is varied and exciting. Contests are looked for between the boys in blue and khaki. The proceeds will be devoted to patriotic purposes.

SEVERAL ARRESTS YESTERDAY.

The police were kept busy for a while last evening and night and made several arrests. An unfortunate woman who only a few days ago was in jail for the same offence, was found drunk and disorderly on the street. She gave the officers who arrested her a great deal of trouble.

A man was arrested for threatening his wife; another for raising Cain in his residence, and a third for kicking up a row in the home of a friend.

Several drunks were also placed under for a bolt at the police station.

VESSELS ARE SAFE.

The little schooner "Annie" which was bound here to James Baird, Ltd. with fish, got into Little Paradise B.B. and rode out the storm there. She was from Gaulton's Island, P.E.

The steamer "Annie" from Port au Port for this port and which left Burin Saturday last, harbored out of Sunday's storm at Petit Port.

The express is due here at 3.30 p.m.

The Sagona is due here to-night from Labrador.

Missing Schooner Reported Safe

Was in Company With "Bonnie Lass."

Messrs. Monroe & Co. had a wire yesterday afternoon, saying that the schooner "Teresa M. Grey," owned by Wm. McDonald, of Salmonier, brother of Michael, the owner of the ill-fated Bonnie Lass, was in North Harbor, St. Mary's Bay all night, though she had a terrible drubbing in the storm of Sunday night. Peter Power is master of the vessel with a crew of six others, and the knowledge of her safety relieves the anxiety of those who had brothers or husbands on board.

OBITUARY

MR. GEO. O'REILLY.

The remains of Mr. George O'Reilly who died Tuesday night at Placentia, his birthplace, arrived here by train last night accompanied by his widow, niece and cousin, Magistrate O'Reilly. The body was met at the station by undertaker Myrick, who had the remains enclosed in a handsome casket, after which the body was brought to his late residence, Barnes' Road, followed by relatives and a large number of friends of the deceased gentleman.

In the passing of Mr. O'Reilly Placentia has lost a sterling son, and St. John's a citizen of exemplary character. Born in Placentia, October 18th, 1853, Mr. O'Reilly was the third son of the late Patrick O'Reilly of that place, who, in his day, carried on a large and extensive business in the general trade of the Colony. Offered a good position in St. Pierre, Mr. O'Reilly later went there, and for ten years was manager of the business of Houbert's firm, where his genial disposition and sound business methods soon made a host of friends for him in the French city. Leaving St. Pierre he came to St. John's and engaged in the grocery and spirit business, which he conducted with much success, till the big fire of 1892, when he retired from active business.

Of late years Mr. O'Reilly has been suffering from heart trouble but his condition was such as did not warrant concern by his family or friends, and his sudden death will be a surprise to those who had the pleasure of counting him amongst their associates. On Tuesday he was about as usual but towards evening complained of not feeling well. Dr. MacDonald was called and did all possible, but at 10.80 Tuesday night he breathed his last under the same roof that sheltered him in his boyhood days. Revd. Monsignor Reardon, P.P., was in attendance and administered the last rites of the Catholic Church, of which the deceased was a faithful and practical adherent.

Mr. O'Reilly was a type of that courtly school of gentlemen, who, alas, are quickly passing from our midst. To know him was to respect him, for he was charitable to a fault, kind and courteous in his treatment to others and was possessed of a manly independent character that won for him even the respect of those who differed from his views.

A life long Liberal of the old school Mr. O'Reilly took a keen and active part in political life until a few years ago, when, on account of failing health, he was unable to devote the same interest to public matters that he did in former days.

The funeral takes place to-morrow (Friday) at 2.30 p.m. from his late residence, 33 Barnes' Road.

To his widow, brothers and relatives the Mail and Advocate extends its sincere sympathy.

EX-PREMIER IS CHEERFUL

VICTORIA, Sept. 15.—Premier Bowser reached Victoria early this morning from Vancouver. He plans to rest a day or two after the strain of a strenuous campaign.

He expressed the opinion that on the soldiers' vote he would overcome the small lead which Mr. Donnelly now enjoys.

"I should think we might expect to get one more Conservative besides myself in Vancouver when the soldiers' vote is received," said the Premier, whose cheerful tone indicated that he had no intention at all of retiring from public life, but would accept the verdict of the electors and endeavour to serve them as leader of the opposition.

THE PORTIA SAILS

The Portia sails at 2 p.m. to-day for the Westward, taking G. Bennett, F. Hennebury, Mrs. Hennebury, H. Bishop, A. Watson, Mrs. Butler, Capt. Bartlett, A. Collins, D. J. Burke, Capt. T. Hollett and 20 steerage.

There will be no excursion train go out this afternoon.

LOCAL ITEMS

The Reid Nfld. Co.'s telegraph wires which were interrupted yesterday are now in working order.

The schrs. "Promise" and "Palermo" with 300 and 200 qtls cod respectively, have arrived at Trinity from Labrador.

Several of the recruits of H. M. S. Briton were yesterday fitted with uniforms and outfit and were supplied with oil-coats in the afternoon.

Magistrate O'Reilly arrived from Placentia by last night's train, having accompanied the body of his cousin, Mr. George O'Reilly, who died there Tuesday night.

Rabbits are not nearly as plentiful on the market to date this year as last. They are now selling for 50 cents the brace, where last year they were so numerous that they were disposed of for just half this, 25 cents.

Mr. M. Wellman, who was shooting over the line the past week returned to town by train last night, having been fairly successful with the birds. He was accompanied by his son, Tom, who thoroughly enjoyed his visit to the haunts of the partridge. Mr. Wellman experienced the full force of Sunday night's gale. The storm, he says, blew down tents and made life on the barrens anything but pleasant.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES.

The Sale of Work held by St. Thomas' Women's Association, and held last night, was in every sense a grand success. There was a large gathering of parishioners and the ladies were kept many hours disposing of the goods held for sale. Afterwards there was a short, but most enjoyable entertainment. The proceeds amounted to a substantial sum and will be devoted to Canon Wood Hall, and to one of the patriotic funds.

To-morrow is St. Michael and All Angels' Day, when there will be celebrations of the Holy Communion and other services in all the Anglican Churches.

Sunday next being the Sunday within the octave of St. Michael's Day, the services at 8 a.m., with a Missa Cantata at 11. His Lordship Bishop Jones will preach at the evening service.

A "Cradle Roll" is being started at St. Thomas' Church. Mrs. R. G. McDonald will be in charge and it promises to be very interesting and successful.

The "Church Record," parish paper of St. Thomas' is to be considerably enlarged and will in future contain many items and articles of more general interest than heretofore, as well as a deal of parochial news.

STILL MORE DIPHTHERIA

Yesterday afternoon a case of diphtheria developed on Pleasant Street, the patient being a little girl aged 3, the daughter of a well-known business man. The little one had the disease some nine months ago. She will be nursed at home.

READ THE MAIL & ADVOCATE

Another Schooner Reported Missing

A rumour was about the City yesterday afternoon to the effect that another schooner is reported missing. She is supposed to have left Placentia Bay for this port on Saturday last, fish laden. It is possible she made some harbor when the storm came on and will be heard from later. As far as is known no other vessels are unreported and the only loss of life so far recorded is that of the crew of the ill-fated "Bonnie Lass," none of the bodies of the men having yet been found.

How Fur is Imitated

A process patented in France consist in an improvement in the manufacture of stuffs or objects which imitate fur, plush or velvet, or for use as carpets and the like. The process is described as starting with an animal's fur, or an assemblage of animal or vegetable fibres, and these are immobilized by freezing them in a block of ice. The ice is then sawed into slabs and a slab is made to undergo a surface melting so as partially to free the hair or fibres on one side; then a suitable glue or cement is applied upon the surface. A sheet of flexible material acting as the basis of the new make-up is then laid on, so that the hairs adhere to it, and afterward the whole is freed from the ice by melting, leaving the hairs attached to the support. Rubber serves as a good basis for the glue or cement, and the support is also coated with the same, and this rubber can then be vulcanized so as to give good adhesion and suppleness.

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