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M. E. HAWCO,
Minister of Posts & Telegraphs
St. John's Nfld.
nov30,31

FAREWELL GATHERING

On Thursday evening Dec. 27th, a number of ladies and gentlemen gathered at Snowden Hall to say farewell to Miss Bertha Hull, who was severing her connection with church and school to take up similar duties at Grand Falls.

Since coming here five years ago, Miss Hull has endeared herself to parents and scholars by her untiring zeal and enthusiastic work in their behalf. As a worker in the Meth. West Sunday School her place can never be filled. She has won the esteem of the congregation of Central Church where, from Sunday to Sunday, her services were faithfully and voluntarily given as Organist.

After partaking of refreshments, speeches were made by several present, all of whom spoke in the highest terms of Miss Hull. A beautiful address was read by Mr. A. E. Mercer, who presented her, on behalf of the Trustees of the Church, with a beautiful Bible bearing the words stamped in gold on the cover, "Presented to Miss Bertha Hull from the Trustees of Central Meth. Church." Also a sum of money from her friends.

After some appropriate singing the gathering dispersed, assuring Miss Hull that their kind wishes would follow her to whatever sphere of activity she was called.

ITEMS OF NEWS.

Rev. R. E. Belbin left for Port Blandford by Thursday's train.

Ask for Gem Bottling Company's Pure Fruit Syrups. None better. Splendid flavor. Bottled in Bay Roberts.

Miss Bertha Hull left by Thursday morning's train for Grand Falls, where she will take up duties in the amalgamated school.

The usual custom of "mumming" or "Jannying" is taking place again this season, and the young folks seem to be getting a lot of fun out of it.

The Christmas Tree, which was held in the C. of E. Parish Hall on Dec. 31st, met with abundant success. The tree was laden with gifts which brought delight to both old and young as they were distributed according to the number on the ticket.

The many friends of Miss Maisie Howard, daughter of Mr. A. H. Howard, of the Western Union Telegraph Co. here, now residing at Fort Frances, Ont., are glad to learn that out of a class of 33 in Form 3, Fort Frances High School, she gained first place in the examinations, her percentage being 75.6. Congratulations!

Following the usual custom watch night services were held at St. Matthew's and the Meth. Churches and the S.A. Citadel. In each instance large congregations were in evidence.

On Sunday night, Jan. 6th, the Methodist congregation will hold their annual Thanksgiving Service. As the offering is to be devoted to the Cemetery Fund, all Methodists are asked to subscribe as largely as possible.

New Year Presents

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PARADE OF ORANGE LODGE OF COLEY'S POINT

Dashing Schomberg Orange Lodge of Coley's Point, held their annual Parade on New Year's Day. Accompanied by the C. L. B. Scouts, Shearstown Orange and their own Band, the Orangemen left their hall and proceeded west on the south side of the Point to the Methodist Church, where Divine Service was held, the preacher being Rev. (Bro.) Samuel Baggs. The church was filled to its entire capacity. Several well-known hymns were sung and a selection by each of the four bands were rendered.

The address was based on the words found in Isaiah 32.2, "And a man shall be as a hiding place from the tempest; as rivers of water in a dry place; as the shadow of a rock in a weary land."

Mr. Baggs beautifully illustrated his text by referring to conditions existing in a desert, and then applied the lesson to the Orange Association, and what it means to Protestantism. The address was highly appreciated by all who were present. The service closed by the singing of the National Anthem.

The Society then proceeded west to Country Road, and returning east disbanded at their hall for dinner. During the parade steps were made at the homes of several sick and aged brethren, when hand selections were played. After dinner the hall was packed with men, women and children. The newly-elected master, Bro. Harold Morgan, presided, and conducted the meeting in a very satisfactory manner. Brief patriotic addresses were delivered by several Orangemen, between which selections were played by the bands. The National Anthem brought the days proceedings to a close.

CHURCH PARADE

On Sunday afternoon, Dec. 30th, the Girl Guides and Boy Scouts, accompanied by the Scout band, attended Divine Service at Coley's Pt. Methodist Church.

Leaving their respective halls they met opposite the Public Building and paraded west as far as Barencead Road where they turned and went east on the Neck Road stopping at the home of Mr. Harold R. Batten, who is ill, where the band played a selection, and then to Church.

They were addressed by Rev. S. Baggs, who chose as the basis of his remarks, "Keep thyself pure!" The large congregation as well as the Scouts and Guides were greatly benefited by the uplifting message.

While the offering was being taken the Band rendered a selection. Leaving the church, the Brigades came east on Coley's Pt. as far as Klondyke and thence to Cable Hall where they disbanded.

The Scouts were pleased to see Asst. Scoutmasters J. Bartlett and A. E. Baggs on parade again.

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ADVERTISING

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Pekin, Illinois, Jan. 3.—In the explosion and fire which occurred in the starch buildings of the Corn Products Refining Company, thirty persons were killed and 100 injured.

DIED.

At Coley's Point, Dec. 28th, after a short illness, John, beloved husband of Emily Bradbury, aged 29 years. He leaves to mourn a wife, father, mother three brothers and one sister. Funeral took place to the Methodist Cemetery, Rev. S. Baggs officiating.

At Crane's Brook, on Jan. 3rd, after an illness of three years, George Parsons, aged 25 years. Left to mourn are father, mother, three brothers and one sister. Funeral, takes place on Saturday afternoon from his late residence.

There passed peacefully away at Mercer's Cove, on Jan. 1st, Israel Mercer, aged 86 years. Funeral took place on Thursday, Jan. 3rd, to the C. of E. Cemetery, Rev. E. M. Bishop officiating.

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M. E. HAWCO,
Minister of Posts & Telegraphs
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**LUCY GRAHAM'S
 SECRET**

(Continued.)
 "I don't care for such dismal stories, my lady," said Phoebe Marks with a shudder. "One has no need to read books to give one the horrors in this dull place."
 Lady Audley shrugged her shoulders and laughed, at her maid's candor.
 "It is a dull place, Phoebe," she said, "though it doesn't do to say so to my dear old husband. Though I am the wife of one of the most influential men in the county, I don't know that I wasn't nearly as well off at Mr. Dawson's; and yet it's something to wear sables that cost sixty guineas, and have a thousand pounds spent on the decoration of one's apartments."
 Treated as a companion by her mistress, in the receipt of the most liberal wages, and with perquisites such as perhaps lady's maid never had before, it was strange that Phoebe Marks should wish to leave her situation; but it was not the less a fact that she was anxious to exchange all the advantages of Audley Court for the very unpromising prospect which awaited her as the wife of her Cousin Luke.

The young man had contrived in some manner to associate himself with the improved fortunes of his sweetheart. He had never allowed Phoebe any peace till she had obtained for him, by the aid of my lady's interference, a situation as undergroom of the Court.
 He never rode out with either Alicia or Sir Michael; but on one or two occasions when my lady mounted the pretty little grey thoroughbred reserved for her use, he contrived to attend her in her ride. He saw enough, in the very first half hour they were out, to discover that graceful as Lucy Audley might look in her long blue cloth habit, she was a timid horsewoman, and utterly unable to manage the animal she rode.
 Lady Audley remonstrated with her maid upon her folly in wishing to marry the uncouth groom.
 The two women were together over the fire in my lady's dressing-room, the gray sky closing in upon the October afternoon, and the black tracery of ivy darkening the casement windows.
 "You surely are not in love with the awkward, ugly creature are you, Phoebe?" asked my lady sharply.
 The girl was sitting on a low stool at her mistress's feet. She did not answer my lady's question immediately, but sat for some time looking into the red abyss in the hollow fire.
 Presently she said, rather as if she was thinking aloud than answering Lucy's question:
 "I don't think I can love him. We have been together from children, and I promised, when I was a little better than fifteen, that I'd be his wife. I daren't break that promise now. There have been times when I've made up the very sentence I meant to say to him, telling him that I couldn't keep my faith with him; but the words have died upon my lips, and I've sat looking at him, with a choking sensation in my throat that wouldn't let me speak. I daren't refuse to marry him. I've often watched and watched him, as he sat slicing away at a hedge-stake

(To be continued.)

**JOURNAL OF REV.
 HENRY GORDON
 CARTWRIGHT, LABRADOR**

(Continued.)

Sunday, April 27.
 A very hard frost in the night. The snow crust bearing up solid this morning. Poor attendance at service this morning. Easter seems to have knocked all hands up. In the evening, I had a public lecture in the school, when I officially opened the local campaign to raise funds for our Labrador boarding-school. One does not expect much financial assistance from these parts, as the people have not got the means, but it seems only right that they should do their little and show the outside world that we have the matter to heart. I really think the audience were keenly interested, and they certainly expressed their willingness to help all they could. One hopes that this auspicious opening may be a good omen for final success. May God now strengthen our hands. Everyone took an envelope away with them.

Monday, April 28th.
 Weather very undecided, thawing and freezing in quick succession. Seems likely to be a late spring after all. Set out after dinner on my last trip on ice, round Sandwich Bay. Wilfrid, now fully established as my servant, came with me as driver. Our team consists of two dogs (Turk and Hero) and the two pups, not a very powerful combination, but able to get along in good going. I have left Chance at home, as she will soon have pups. Reached American Point in two hours. Dick Bird gave the dogs a good feed of rock cod. Evensong 7.30.

Tuesday, April 29th.
 A hard night's frost kept the going as good as ever. Our little team simply romped along over the hard crust. Spent the middle part of the day at Barrow Brook. All hands were home feasting on some deer which they had recently killed. Deer are, like every other kind of game, very scarce this year. This year, not a single rabbit has been got in Cartwright. Two winters ago there were over three thousand! Needless to say, Wilfrid and I did full justice to the fresh meat. After service we went on up the bay to Dove Brook. A crowd of men were cutting lumber for Mr. Clark, one of our local traders. Evensong, 7.30.

Wednesday, April 30th.
 Before leaving Dove Brook, I measured out 1100 feet of inch board which George Bird had sawn for me. It was really beautiful stuff, so much cleaner, than the imported kind. Towards noon, we left for White Bear River, and put in another night up here. A hard frost set in in the evening. Everything looks just as solid up the bay as in

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the dead of winter. Not a sign of a hole in any of the rivers. We have seen two pie-birds so far, by way of spring birds. Evensong 7.30.
 Thursday, May 1st.

Cold frosty day. Brought up at Separation Point for our next night. Visited the settlement in the afternoon and assembled all hands for service in the evening. After service I gave them a short outline of the boarding-school scheme, and found them just as interested as all the other people. The way this is going is most encouraging. One believes that the money will be forthcoming when the appeal reaches around. Our little children will never get any education by any other means.
 Friday, May 2nd.

Fine and frosty. The dogs find the going very hard on their feet, which are getting very tender. After a service of Holy Communion we left for our next call at Burr's Harbor, where we spent the middle part of the day. Many teams coming and going. Reached Paradise about 3.8, putting up with Will Heard, for the week-end. I had a new experience today in the eating line, sampling a piece of raccoon meat. I most distinctly did not relish it. I think it must be a very near relation to a rat!

Saturday, May 3rd.
 Mild and rain, mostly with showers. Spent day visiting. Several visitors arrive in for the week-end. Paradise seems so very dejected after the awful cutting-down of last fall. Its loneliness is very evident.
 Sunday, May 4th.

Still a bit showery in the morning but Mattins well attended. Ab Learn long provided us with a splendid dinner of venison and potatoes. At 3 I had a children's service. Evensong at 6.30 was attended by all available hands, which nowadays is not very many. By nighttime it was freezing really hard. An early start was planned.

Monday, May 5th.
 Turned out 2.30, still dark but clear and frosty. By 3.30 we were on our way out of the river in company with two other teams. The dogs simply galloped along to keep themselves warm. By 4.30 we were off Berry Point just as the sun rose like a ball of fire. I felt just as cold as on any day in the winter. It was too slippery to get off and take a run. By 6 we were at Longstretch enjoying a warm cup of tea. Then on from here to Muddy Bay to find Miss McKenny comfortably installed and doing as well as ever. By 10.30 we had reached Cartwright after a good day's run of 21 miles. Put in remainder of day picking up reins again. This life makes one very unsettled in the way of habits.

Tuesday, May 6th.
 N.E. wind and driving snow storm started in on my annual examination of the school, much to the terror of the youngsters and my own secret amusement. Dear little kids, they do so deserve to have a chance of a real education. Old John Bird is now in Cartwright, slightly better but still weak-minded. I have Isaac Lemare working on the church, to which we are now adding a spire. During our absence up the bay, little Chance took to her heels and ran away. I am awfully sorry about it. I expect she will try and reach her old home which is nearly a hundred miles away.
 (To be continued.)

Truth has rough flavours if we bite it through.

Notice.

**ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE
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 PRIZE MONEY.**

A supplementary distribution of naval prize money has been received and is now being paid at the Pay & Record Office. Where possible, applications should be made in person.

There are about one hundred amounts of the previous distribution not yet claimed. Those who have not received this former payment are requested to apply for same at the earliest possible opportunity.
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 (c) if of fifty tons gross tonnage or upwards, on entering or leaving any British Port.
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- 2nd. The good livers must then be washed in a tub of clean fresh water.
- 3rd. The pan in which the livers are boiled must be perfectly clean inside, before any livers are placed in it.
- 4th. Before you start to boil any livers, you must have sufficient steam.
- 5th. Turn on the steam, and use as much as you need to have for the quantity of livers you have in your pan. Boil until the white scum floats off (which will take about thirty minutes.) Don't forget to stir the livers, and see that those in the bottom and those around the sides are brought into direct contact with the steam all the time.
- 6th. Turn the steam off, and allow all to settle, not exceeding five minutes, according to capacity of liver boiler.
- 7th. Then you dip all the oil you can get, which is the finest white oil. Put this oil in a cooling tank made of galvanized iron, and let the oil remain there till next morning. Don't forget to put a straining cloth over the cooling tank before you put any oil in, so that it will catch any bits of blubber; allow to remain 12 or 14 hours or longer if possible, then dip from cooling tank and strain through double calico bag, inside bag to be one inch smaller all around; then strain into a tin shute under the bags, the cask to be at the end of the shute with a funnel, to lead oil into casks, which funnel to be covered with cheese cloth.
- 8th. When you have dipped the finest oil from the top of the liver boiler pan, take all the blubber from the pan while it is warm. The oil from this blubber is not fit for medicinal purposes.
- 9th. Then clean your liver pan with warm water and washing powder. Have it bright and clean for the next boiling.
- 10th. Every bag, cloth, tank, funnel and pan, must be washed only with warm water, soap and water. Soda must not be used. The best results for medical oil can only be obtained by the use of tin barrels. Wooden packages generally make the oil dark, and destroy its fine flavor. Keep all oil in barrels in a cool place, and covered from the sun.

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SERMON BY REV. BOWERING

The following sermon is taken from the Elizabeth (N.J.) Evening Times, and was preached by Rev. Allan Bowering, formerly of Coley's Point, who is now pastor of the Presbyterian Church there. The sermon was preached on Armistice Day, and as will be seen from a perusal has special reference to events connected with the observance of that great event after a struggle, the greatest in the world's history.

In his address Rev. Mr. Bowering said in part:

"It is evident that the great need of the world today is a religion of understanding. A religion that will open the mind and heart of man to receive the truth, regardless of the name of the agency through which it might be expressed. Thus by a clear understanding of another person's viewpoint we might find some truths which we could hold in common. Something in which we agree and through this agreement be able to work together in a more effective way for a common purpose and object, namely: 'Peace on earth and Good Will toward Men.'

"We are sick of war and the spirit of hate and prejudice. We tremble when we know that these have been organized. We know too well their disastrous results. Hundreds of thousands of mothers are weeping today and will not be comforted because of the absence of their sons who gave their lives in the war. Millions of people today are suffering from taxation and other causes as a direct result of the war. We crave for peace. Our souls cry out for peace among the nations of the earth. It is time for the Christian Church to strike with greater force at the roots of hatred, prejudice and bigotry. Too long have we quarrelled over matters of secondary importance, such as creeds and doctrines, while the greater work was that of creating a better understanding between men and nations.

"We may help to accomplish this end by emphasizing the things we agree upon rather than the things in which we differ, for essentially man is one, whether he be white, black, Jew or Gentile. Why should a man born of Gentile parents hate a man born of Jewish parents? These are but names given to the human family over which the bearers had no control. Of much more importance than this is the fact of human nature and character, common to all. But deeper yet and underneath all, is God.

"Hatred and prejudice are not constructive forces in the world. They destroy in a very brief time the work accomplished in a century by noble souls. They bring division and suffering wherever they exist. The happiness and harmony of the home are destroyed where husband and wife entertain the weakness and failings of each other, very often leading to separation and divorce, with untold suffering in their wake. Likewise, division has come in the religious world, very often through prejudice and the weakness, failings and blunders of these various organizations, rather than the good they have done.

"This is especially true of nations. Hatred, mistrust, suspicion have separated nations and kept them apart, so that the happiness, prosperity and welfare of the whole world is in danger of being destroyed. Where is the perfect man? Where the person who has never made a mistake? We are reminded of a story related in the New Testament in which the scribes and pharisees brought unto Christ a woman, desiring her to be stoned for the sins she had committed. But Christ said unto them: 'He that is without sin let him cast the first stone.' It is needless to say that there was not a perfect man among them. Conscience began to work and every man walked away from the accused guilty of his own sins.

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"Well might we ask the question: Where is the man without sin today? Where is the nation that never did a wrong? Where is the religious organization that has never made a mistake or blunder? Thus we find that hatred, prejudice and bigotry of themselves have never done one good thing. They have failed to bring Peace on Earth and Good-Will to Man.

"Is it not time then to think of the good that is in men rather than their weakness? To think of the noble work they have accomplished, rather than the blunders they have made? It is time for a sympathetic approach toward each other as men to men and as a nation to nation, and accept the eternal fact of the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of man. It is time that we put forth a mighty effort to destroy the source of ignorance, misunderstanding and religious and national prejudice, that would separate men from their fellow-men, so that religion might do in the moral and religious world what science has accomplished for the physical world—unite all people of the earth in one electric bond of fellowship.

"We are informed that there is about two billions of people in the world, seventeen hundred millions of whom acknowledge allegiance to some form of religion, yet so far in the history of the world religion have failed to prevent war.

"To bring peace on earth was the purpose of God from the beginning. We believe that the time is approaching when there shall be peace upon the earth. This was the purpose of a God from the beginning. This was Christ's mission when he came to this earth. It was the note sounded at His coming to earth and also His message to his friends, pre- vious to His departure. It has been the hope and conviction of all great men in the history of the world, that peace ultimately would come to the sons of men. It was the predominant note sounded by Lloyd George, a recent distinguished visitor from Great Britain.

"Let us then, as followers of Him, who came to bring Peace on Earth and Good Will to ward men, unite and cooperate to promote the happiness of mankind by seeking to renounce misunderstanding and to dispel the clouds of suspicion and hatred, and thus help to heal and bind up the bleeding wounds of society.

"The Great Teacher said: 'Blessed are the peacemakers.' He did not say, 'Blessed are those who wish for hope so pray for peace.' America became a peacemaker when she manifested in a practical Christian spirit in rendering noble service to Japan in her time of need. America did more in a few weeks of practical sympathy and service to destroy any existing feeling of hatred and prejudice in Japan than could be accomplished during years of preaching and promising.

"The day of peace will come when men will emphasize their unity rather than their differences. It is possible for men who are very unlike in tastes and disposition to be good friends and live in harmony. In the essential things of life let there be unity; in the unessential things let there be liberty; but in all things let there be charity. For a religion of understanding is bigger than Protestantism, it is broader than Judaism. It unites the whole of the human race. Let us then through sympathy and true appreciation of good in our fellowman, help to bring peace and happiness to a world in need."

ITEMS OF NEWS.

Miss Maud Butt, of Harbor Grace, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Dawe, during the week.

Miss Marion I. Simmonds, of Hr. Grace, paid a brief visit to friends here this week.

Messrs. Chester Bowering and Arthur Cave arrived from Boston recently.

Mr. Claude Howse, son of Rev. Charles Howse, Grand Bank, spent his Christmas vacation with friends at the Methi Parsonage.

Miss Myrtle Wilcox, who is in charge of the school at Port de Grave, is home spending her holidays.

Another large paper mill is expected to be started next Spring in Gander Bay, an inlet of Hamilton Sound. Messrs. H. D. and R. G. Reid are the promoters. Mr. M. S. Sullivan, M.H.A., and Mr. John Powell, are actively interested in the new project.

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT

The Variety Concert under the direction of Mrs. Robert Dawe, was held in Cable Hall on Wednesday night, Jan. 2nd. Despite unfavorable weather conditions a goodly number turned out and enjoyed a delightful evening's entertainment. At the close of the concert the chairman, Rev. E. M. Bishop, spoke words of appreciation to Mrs. Dawe, as organ- izer, to Mrs. W. T. Bellamy and Mr. M. D. MacDonald as accompanists. We understand proceeds will be donated to the C. of E. Parish Hall Building Committee. The Concert was repeated on Thursday night. The following is the programme:

1. Snipers Jazz Orchestra. R. McLeod, R. Cave, F. Homer, M. Dawe, G. Mercer.
2. Song, "I hear a Thrush at Eve" Miss Fitzpatrick
3. Reading.....Mrs. Myers
4. Pinafore Dance.....Mrs. Bellamy
5. "If Winter Comes" Mrs. Bellamy
6. Duet,.... Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawe
7. Song, "Beside a Babbling Brook" R. McLeod
8. Irish Washerwoman Dance. Misses Thompson and Dawe
9. Monologue..... Mr. Brennan
10. Old Maids' Tea Party. Mesdames Hambling, Wilson, Dawe; Misses Myrtis and Christine Dawe, Claire George.
11. Comedy, "Souvenir Spoons." Cleo, wife of Mr. Varnell. Mrs. Wilson Lydia, sister of Mr. Varnell. Miss Alice George
12. Reading.....Miss Doris Mercer
13. Orchestra Selection.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

This conversation between a waiter and a diner in a restaurant notorious for the smallness of the portions it served is reported in the Bystander.

"Well, sir," asked the waiter, "how did you find your beef?"

"O, I just happened to shift a potato, and—well, there it was."

Subscriptions

Just now we have a number of readers renewing their subscriptions to The Guardian for the coming year. During the past year we felt we had a Mission to fulfil and a Message to deliver, and we have tried to do this to the best of our ability. We receive from time to time many words of encouragement and commendation, and while we appreciate this fully, we are still faced with the problem of financing The Guardian, and we need practical support in the shape of \$\$\$\$\$. There are large numbers of people who can help the Home Weekly at a cost of 2 or 3 cents a week—\$1.00 to all parts of Nfld., and \$1.50 to the United States and Canada. Send us your subscription.

NEWFOUNDLAND

Notice to Mariners

(No. 8 of 1923).

Grand Bank—

FORTUNE BAY

Lat. 47° 08' 00" N.
Lon. 55° 42' 30" W.

CHANGE IN CHARACTER OF LIGHT

Notice is hereby given that the FIXED RED light now shown at GRAND BANK FORTUNE BAY will be changed on November 5th, 1923, to a WHITE FLASHING ACETYLENE GAS LIGHT giving

24 FLASHES PER MINUTE

G. F. GRIMES,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries
Dept. of Marine and Fisheries
St. John's, Nfld.
October 24th, 1923.
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DAVID STOTT,
Superintendent

Oct. 1923.

GIRL GUIDE SOCIAL.

A number of visitors were invited to the Girl Guide meeting on Friday night last, when an Exhibition of drill was given.

LOCAL NEWS.

Misses Marjory Butt and Clare Thompson are spending their vacation with Mrs. R. Dawe.

Mrs. Dorcas Taylor spent a few days with friends in St. John's recently.

We beg to acknowledge receipt of calendars from the following: J. Jardine & Son, C. & A. Dawe, A. E. Mercer, John Parsons and Bowring Bros. Ltd.

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Notice to Mariners

(No. 5 of 1923)

Harbor Grace Island CONCEPTION BAY

Lat. 47° 42' 45" North. Lon. 53° 08' 11" West

Change in Character of Light.

Notice is hereby given that the OCCULTING WHITE LIGHT now exhibited on HARBOR GRACE ISLAND will be changed on November 1st, 1923, to a WHITE FLASHING ACETYLENE GAS LIGHT giving

30 FLASHES PER MINUTE

Note: The old Light Tower will be removed and the Acetylene Gas Light will be shown from a White Painted Wood Framework Structure height of which is 138 feet from high water to focal plane.

G. F. GRIMES,

Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, St. John's, Newfoundland, September 26th, 1923.

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We cannot guarantee to insert items of news or advertisements received later than Thursday morning.

All small and transient advertisements must be paid for at the time of insertion. The number of insertions must be specified.

Bay Roberts, Friday, Jan. 4, 1924.

Important Events During 1923

We have entered upon another year. The old year with its joys and its sorrows; its regrets and approvals; its success and failures; its loves and its hates, has passed away never again to be recalled except so far as it afforded us opportunity to study events and learn lessons that we can use for our own and the world's good in the future.

Time is mercifully broken up into hours, days, weeks, months, seasons and years. This helps humanity to review the past and begin anew, as it were, life and its activities. While there is much at present for grave concern, there is nevertheless a great deal to be thankful for. We can never hope to escape the bitter which is bound to be mixed with the sweet, but we can be reasonably optimistic and rejoice that the "lines have fallen to us in pleasant places." We can also be most assured that if men took the things of life more seriously than they do; that if God's commands were obeyed and His righteousness pursued in every phase of our lives; that if sin, which is a reproach to any people, were put away from amongst us, we in Newfoundland at least would have very little to complain of and a lot to be thankful for.

While other parts of the world have had their earthquakes and floods and many other tragedies, Newfoundland has been practically immune from any great disaster. Here and there men have met with fatal accidents, and there have been bereavements many, but through it all the hand of Almighty God has been merciful and kind.

The clouds which appeared very black at the opening of 1923 gradually dispersed and became brighter as time progressed. Glints of light appear here and there. Men began to realize that laws governing our existence—both moral and economic—had been broken, and a return to righteous principles were essential if the tide was to be turned in our favor.

Several very important events took place in Newfoundland during the past year, notable among them being the consummation of the Humber Deal, which embraces the development of a great water-power and a huge paper mill. Work on this big undertaking is progressing rapidly.

The colony is deeply interested in the success of this great enterprise, for we have assumed liabilities to the extent of \$18,000,000. It is not an enterprise in which we get all and give none.

We very much regret that the labor connected with this gigantic enterprise has been for the most part, from a Newfoundlanders stand point, confined to unskilled labor. And where, as in a few cases, skilled Newfoundland labor is employed it is underpaid as compared with the pay given to mechanics belonging to other countries. This should not be, and if we had the power we would not allow it to happen. We know of many competent mechanics who were compelled to go to other countries and seek employment because of the rate of wages offered them at the Humber. Aside from the fact that the Newfoundland laborer and mechanic has to bear his share of the liabilities incurred because of this enterprise, there is no reason under heaven why, if he can

undertake work that outsiders are doing, he should not get the first chance and equal pay, and thereby remain in his own country.

Another event which took place was the general election held in May last. The Party led by Sir Richard Squires was successful at the polls. The District of Harbor Grace was the main factor in accomplishing this. A stand was taken in this District by a large body of progressive and intelligent electors, who otherwise were supporters of the Party led by Hon. J. R. Bennett, in defence of their rights, privileges and responsibilities as "free and independent" citizens. These electors are a body of men who are not shackled to any political party, but stand free to use their own judgment as to the merits or demerits of the policy and personnel of any political party who may appeal to them for their support. These electors, as free men, alive to their privileges and responsibilities, were not prepared to stand for the high-handed manner their appeals and petitions were treated by the Leader of the Opposition, and although it must be admitted that the District of Harbor Grace was solid for the Opposition Party previous to the opening of the campaign, the stand taken by these men against the autocratic actions of a few professional politicians was very fruitful of results.

Every man who stood with C. E. Russell in defence of their rights in selecting a candidate should be proud of the victory they gained and the lesson they taught political leaders of all parties. We have no hesitation in stating that the success of the Squires Party in this District was due mainly to the stand C. E. Russell and his supporters took, and we defy successful contradiction. Those same electors stand ready again to fight and work for the same principles. A big bank account or the position a man holds does not necessarily make him "independent" to fight his country's battles.

Shortly after the election Parliament was convened. Charges were made against the Prime Minister, Sir Richard Squires, and Hon. Dr. Campbell, which brought about a political crisis, when four members of the Executive Government, Hon. W. R. Warren, W. W. Halfyard, S. Foote and A. Barnes tendered their resignations to the Governor. This was followed by the resignation of Sir Richard Squires, who recommended Mr. Warren to the Governor.

The House continued in session, and an Enquiry was promised by Mr. Warren, and this will commence on Monday next, Jan. 7th. The result of this enquiry will be watched with keen interest by every citizen. We hope to be able to give our readers a synopsis of the proceedings.

The Fisheries were not prosecuted by the average number of fishermen, and the catch was not a large one. The price, considering the cost of the outfit and the other necessities of life, was not such as to inspire great hope for the future. It is hoped, however, that a general movement may be inaugurated by politicians, merchants and fishermen for the encouragement and stabilizing of this great staple industry. If a Bonus is considered to be in the best interests of the industry, let us have it. If a reduction in taxation is necessary to its success (and The Guardian is of the number who believe that taxation can be greatly reduced by the curtailment of public expenditure in numerous ways) let us have it.

Other events, such as the taking over of the Railway system from the Reids, was followed in succession by other happenings, but space and time will not allow us to review fully all the details.

Suffice it to say that the end of 1923 came with less gloom than did that of 1922. Hope springs eternal in the human breast that this year 1924 will be a real happy and prosperous one for Newfoundland and the world.

If you want anything, or if you have anything to offer for sale, use our WANT ADVT. COLUMN. It costs a line for the first insertion and 5 cents a line for subsequent insertions, cash.

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INTERESTING LETTER FROM A BAY ROBERTS MAN.

(Editor the Guardian.)

Dear Sir:—Please allow me space to express my interest and views regarding "Road Notes" which appeared in your issue of Nov. 30th.

Why is it that we have such poor roads? Is it because of poor construction, poor material and poor interest on the part of those employed or is it because of lack of experience on the part of the supervisors or foremen?

My first question refers to poor construction. To a certain extent our roads are constructed poorly, but as our traffic is light the construction part of it will pass. What I mean by construction is a road built and not finished as our roads are in Bay Roberts.

The next question is the material used on repair work. You say your experience is that you cannot beat pit sand, beach sand and gravel. I agree with you there, only I would suggest using it in the following proportions: Three loads of pit sand to one load of beach sand and one of gravel. Beach sand has not got any binding or hardening effect, and it is the material with the most binding effect that counts most in making good roads.

I have supervised the building of some pieces of road and avenues in this country, and the material that has given me best results is pit sand that had to be picked with a pick-axe before it could be loaded in a cart, at the same time picking or screening out every stone larger than a medium sized hen's egg.

Now let me give you my way of how a road should be finished. A road 25 ft. wide should have a round of 18 inches higher in the centre than on the sides, and common sense will tell us that a road constructed or rather finished in this way will have no pools of water such as we see after every shower of rain, but will keep fine and dry. Thus we will have a road that will be decent to walk on and a credit to one of the

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Now I shall mention the foreman's duty, which in my remembrance has always been lacking. He should see that every man does a fair day's work, just as if he was working on Bell Island or Grand Falls or for any other concern in the country. I have heard the expression amongst men time and again that the money spent on roads belonged not to them and very little they were going to do. This is a very small way to look at it, as such money belong to all of us, and it's part of the foreman's duty to see that a better spirit is put forth and men taught to look at it in a broader way. When this is done men will take more interest, and we will have better roads in Bay Roberts.

How much better is it to walk up or down town in the dark (as we very often have to do) knowing that one was walking on a good clean dry road than to walk the same road and perhaps go home with one rubber, the other somewhere 6 inches deep in a mud hole.

Now with regard to repair work. Of course it's necessary to clean the gutters, but the material from gutters should not be put on the road as it is nothing but mud and dirt, and such material has absolutely no binding effect. It is common to see men clearing the gutters and throwing the dirt on the sides of the road nearest to them, thus building up the sides instead of the centre. The thing to do in order to have good roads is to take a section that needs repairing and pull sand and gravel, dumping every ounce of it in the centre of the road. Never put one shovel full on the side until you have the required height in the centre. Then after the man has dumped his load of sand or gravel, have him load up with any waste material that may be lying around, such as material from the gutters or large stones, etc., and have him take it back with him, thus giving him a load both ways, which will never hurt the man or the horse, but will go towards a greater amount of work done for the same amount of money; and be sure he takes as good

care as he would for C. & A. Dawe or any other private concern in Bay Roberts.

The foreman's work shouldn't end there. He should see that the gravel is properly spread, filling up every hole to capacity, and a little extra, as the deeper the hole the more it will settle. Next day he should select a good interested man have him go over the previous day's work and rake in the ruts. This should be followed up for three or four days. Then you will have a piece of road worthy of your labor. Yours truly,

JACK S. PARSONS.

Portland Country Club, Portland, Maine, U.S.A., Dec. 1, 1923.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Messrs. Frank Moore and Edward Cleary arrived from Boston, Mass., recently.

Sir Auckland Geddes, owing to ill health, has resigned as British Ambassador to the United States. Sir Esme William Howard, formerly Ambassador to Spain, will succeed Geddes.

Severe blizzards have occurred in Austria. Three thousand freight cars are snowed in at Alborg.

The French dirigible Dixmude, with 30 men on board, is reported lost with all hands. The body of Lieut. Grenaden, the commander of the dirigible, has been picked up off the coast of Sicily.

The U. S. Shipping Board steamer Conejos has been lost with all hands in the Black Sea.

Mr. Patrick Brennan, who has been residing at Sydney, N. S., for the past three years, arrived on Christmas Eve to spend Christmas at his old home.

A number of men who returned from the Humber to spend Christmas with their families are returning next week. The work will be mostly indoors.

Efforts to release the schr. Ironbonds were successful on Wednesday last, when the vessel was refloated. No damage was received.

What can you expect of the electorate when politicians, themselves the law-makers, become examples in law-breaking. But then, you know, this form of wrong-doing must not be condemned from the pulpit because it is politics.

NEWFOUNDLAND NOTICETO MARINERS

(No. 6 of 1923.)

Steering Island SIR CHARLES HAMILTON SOUND

Lon. 54° 27' 15" W. Lat. 49° 30' 45" N.

POSITION: At entrance of DOG BAY.

CHARACTER: A Flashing Red Acetylene Gas Light giving 30 FLASHES PER MINUTE

ELEVATION: Height from high water to focal plane, 38 feet.

STRUCTURE: Square wood structure with sloping sides painted White; lantern Red.

REMARKS: This Light goes into operation Oct. 15, 1923. G. F. GRIMES, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, St. John's, Newfoundland, October 12th, 1923. oct26,31

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ITEMS OF NEWS.

Be sure and ask for Gem Bottling Co's. Syrups. For purity and flavor they are second to none. Manufactured in Bay Roberts.

Miss Doris Mercer, who has received an appointment to the C. of E. school Brigus, is here spending a few days with Mrs. Wm. Dawe.

Miss Jane Mercer and Messrs. Alex Mercer, Jesse Bradbury and Gilbert Mercer arrived from Boston, Mass., recently.

A gale almost amounting to a hurricane, accompanied by severe frost, passed over this section on Wednesday and Thursday last. The shipping in the harbour, with the exception of the late Dr. Whealan's motor boat, held their anchorage, and there was very little trouble with the electric wires, etc., showing that the work done by Mr. F. J. Winsor and his assistants the past summer was efficiently accomplished.

NOTE OF THANKS.

The members of the Salvation Army Band desire to thank all who so generously gave donations for their serenading on Christmas morning.

Miss Bloomer: "Bicycling is the ideal sport all the year round."

Prettivitt: "So I should judge. When it is warm, you coast; and, when it is cold, you scorch."

Bay Roberts

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