

St. Vincent - De - Paul Contributions

	Pounds
Travers, O.V.	0 - 6 - 0
Tobin, William	0 - 5 - 0
Tobin, Late Peter J. (Teacher)	0 - 3 - 0
Watts, Claudius	0 - 6 - 0
Walsh, Mark	0 - 2 - 6
Walsh, Walter (Cooper)	0 - 2 - 6
Walsh, William (Cooper)	0 - 2 - 6
Whelan, Late James (Cooper)	0 - 5 - 0
Webber, Charles	0 - 2 - 6
Webber, Valentine	0 - 2 - 6
Whelan, Miss Ann	0 - 2 - 6
Williams, William ..	0 - 2 - 6
Williams, Mrs. Edward	0 - 2 - 6
Ward, William M.	0 - 2 - 6
Warren, William	0 - 2 - 6
Woods, Sidney	0 - 5 - 0
Wilson, Alexander	0 - 5 - 0
Whiteway, Edward	0 - 5 - 0
Youdall, Hugh & Co.	0 - 10 - 0

--January 5, 1878

Total Amount Collected: £ 119 - 19 - 0
 Government Grant 30 - 0 - 0

Amount received for
 Manufactured Goods: £ 91 - 14 - 9

GRAND TOTAL: £ 241 - 13 - 9

THOMAS STRAPP, Treasurer

LETTER

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

Dear Sir:-

By the last Report of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, I am glad to learn that this truly charitable institution, established in this town about 4 years ago, continues with unabated fervor and energy, in the works of mercy. Its beneficial influence has been felt the past year, as well as during the three immediately preceding by the poor of this town and its surroundings.

January 11, 1879.

The Temperance Hall

The new Temperance Hall, "the most sightly and ornate of our modern wooden structures", was formally opened in Harbor Grace, on the evening of Saturday, August 15, 1874.

Police Inspection

Inspector Carty has been around Conception and Trinity Bays, inspecting the police force in the various localities. He visited Harbor Grace on Thursday week, and, as the STANDARD is informed, found Chief Constable Fallon's charge fully "up to the mark". He expressed himself well pleased with the thorough knowledge of drill shown by our force, as well as with the cleanliness and general good condition of the Station House and Barracks.

--August 5, 1876.

Grand Jury Room
Harbor Grace
January 1st, 1877.

The Grand Jury having visited the Gaol and inspected the various apartments, would recommend that the place be whitewashed. In all other respects they found everything in good order and condition. They would strongly recommend the erection of water closets in the several public docks; and also the continuation of railing from the Custom House on Water Street as far East as Mrs Hall's. They would suggest that the Superintendent of Police be requested to extend the beat of his police West to Mr. Mark Walsh's, and that on the Sabbath, one may be stationed at the different churches during service.

June 13, 1877.

For Self and Fellow Jurors,
SAMUEL GORDON, Foreman.

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The Ninth Anniversary of Lodge "Harbor Grace", #476, R.S. will be held in the Masonic Hall on Thursday, 3rd of January, 1878.

Children's Entertainment will begin at 3.30 o'clock, p.m.

Evening's Entertainment will take place afterwards. Dancing to commence at 8.30 p.m.

Gentlemen's Tickets: 3 shillings each, to be had at the shops of
Messrs Paterson, Thompson, Jillard, and Godden.

By order of Committee,
William F. Higgins,
Secretary.

December 29, 1877.

MEETING of LODGE "Harbor Grace".
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The Annual Meeting of Lodge "Harbor Grace", No. 476, R.S. of A.F. and A.M., was held in the Masonic Hall on Thursday last, the 3rd instant, at High Noon, for the purpose of installing officers for the ensuing year. The Installation Ceremony was performed by Provincial Grand Master A.M. McKay, assisted by Deputy-Provincial Grand Master W.P. Munn.

The following are the Officers:

Bro. S.G. Allan, re-elected R.W.M.
" R. McRae, elected W.S.W.
" D. Fletcher " W.J.W.
" J. Paterson, re-elected Treasurer
" T.M. Cairns, " Secretary
" O. Kruger, " S.D.
" D. Blackwood, elected J.D.
" William Higgins & N. J. Stewart, Stewards.
" Rev. A. Ross, re-elected Chaplain.
" B. Parsons, elected I.G.
" Fritz Grimm, re-elected Tyler.

January 5, 1878.

Services at the Immaculate Conception
CATHEDRAL, Harbor Grace.
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The Feast of December 8 was observed with great religious eclat. The B.I.S. and the T.A. & B. Society with its juvenile branch, marched in procession from the Temperance Hall, accompanied by their bands, to the Episcopal Residence, to pay their respects to His Lordship, the Most Rev. Henry Carfagnini, D.D., O.S.F. Thence they accompanied the Bishop to the Cathedral. . . .

At the Pontifical High Mass, Rev. E.F. Walsh officiated as Assistant Priest; Reverends H. Hanly and P. Carolan, Assistant Deacons; Rev. W. Veitch, Deacon; and Very Rev. D. Falconio, O.S.F., Master of Ceremonies.

The handsome gold Chalice, presented by His Holiness to Dr. Carfagnini, on his recent visit to Rome, and the silver Crosier, presented by the people on His Lordship's arrival back at Harbor Grace, were used for the first time. . . .

December 16, 1876.

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Annual Report of the Conception Bay British Society.
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The Officers and Committee of the British Society beg leave to present its Annual Report, with a statement of operations for the year 1877.

It is a source of much gratification to refer to the still-continued prosperity and success of this Society, as well as to the benefits it has afforded and still affords to its members in times of sickness and death.

Your Officers and Committee beg respectfully to lay before you a statement of the receipts and expenditure for the year. There has been expended the sum of 225 pounds, 2 shillings and 2 pence as follows: To thirty sick members, 79 pounds, 2 sh. and 2 pence to one member, and one member's wife (deceased), 15 pounds; new Band, 52 pounds, 10 shillings;

incidental and other expenses, 78 pounds, 9 sh., and 8 pence.

Referring to the Treasurer's accounts, we find that he has collected during the year for dues, funerals, fines, rents, etc., the sum of 254 pounds, 3 shillings.

The accumulated funds and effects of money and property, up to the present time, amount to \$3,536.00 (Note \$ sign, RJC.)

Twenty-two members were enrolled, and the Society now numbers 256 members.

The whole most respectfully submitted,

W. MASTERS FORD, President;

BERNARD PARSONS, Secretary.

January 19, 1878.

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Firemen's Ball

The Annual Ball of the Harbor Grace Volunteer Fire Brigade will be held in the British and Masonic Halls, on Wednesday next, 23rd instant.

Dancing to commence at 8 o'clock.

Tickets: Gentlemen, 5/; ladies, 2/6. To be had at the shops of Messrs Thompson, E.W. Quintin, and at the door.

January 19, 1878.

JAMES HIGGINS,
Secretary.

NOTICE

All persons indebted to the

Estate of the late Bridget Keefe, are hereby requested to make immediate payment to her daughter, Alice Keefe, or to the undersigned; and all persons having claims on the said Estate, are also requested to send in their accounts duly attested.

January 2, 1878.

ROBERT WALSH and
Claudius Watts, Executors.

Leaves Have Their Time To Fall

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The press of October 4, 1879, reported the passing at Southport, Lancashire, of John Munn, Esq., a native of Rothesay, Scotland, at the age of 73. He was born at Port Bonnatyne, near Rothesay, Scotland, in the year 1807. At the age of 18 he came to Newfoundland, and after a few years in the employ of Messrs. Baine Johnston & Co., at St. John's, he was attracted to Harbor Grace, where, in company with Captain Puntton, he established the mercantile business which flourished for over six decades.

For a number of years, John Munn was a representative of Conception Bay in the Amalgamated House, and was subsequently a member of the Legislative Council from which, on the advent of Responsible Government, he retired. In 1869, when the question of Confederation came before the country, John Munn, with warm sympathy and strong conviction, came forward as a candidate for the district of his domicile, for which he was then returned. His death was an inestimable loss, not only to Harbor Grace, but throughout the whole of Conception Bay.

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Catholic Benevolent Irish Society (Incorporated)

Under the Patronage of His Lordship, the Most Reverend
Henry Carfagnini, D.D., O.S.F., Bishop of

HARBOR GRACE

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In accordance with the rules of the Society, the anniversary general meeting of its members was this day convened.

The President, P. Devereaux, Esq., on taking the chair, congratulated the Society on the large and respectable attendance of its members. The roll having been called, and other usual business disposed of, the report was submitted as follows:

REPORT

of the Officers of the Catholic B.I.S. for the year
ending February 10, 1878.

In conformity with the rules of our Society, your officers beg to submit their annual report of its principal business. We congratulate the Society on the addition of 60 members to its roll the past year, to make a total of 300 members.

In accordance with your resolution, the Society has become "Incorporated", the necessary documents having been signed on the 9th of March past. On the festival of its patron Saint (March 17), the Society, as usual, attended the religious services of the day in St. Patrick's Church, Carbonear, after which it paid its respects to the Ladies of the Convent and to the resident clergyman, our worthy Chaplain, Rev. S. Flynn.

On the 3rd of June (the 50th anniversary of the episcopate of His Holiness Pope Pius IX), the Society, with other Catholic Societies, assisted at the religious service held in the Cathedral, in commemoration of the event. On the Festival of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Patroness of the Diocese), the Society likewise attended at the Solemn Pontifical Mass in the Cathedral.

By reference to the report of the Band Committee, we are pleased to learn that the Band is making satisfactory progress under the teaching of

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Mr. J. T. Dwyer; also that the members have largely contributed to the fund for the payment of their new uniforms.

We congratulate the Society on its prosperous financial condition, as shown by the Treasurer's account now laid before you. We thankfully acknowledge the generous services of A.T. Drysdale, Esq., Notary Public, in preparing the notarial Certificate of Incorporation.

With deep sorrow we record the death of four respected brother members, namely, Captain John Pumphrey and Mr. Cornelius Smallcombe of Harbor Grace, and Captain James Keneally and Mr. Alexander Hamilton of Carbonear.

Your Officers acknowledge with deep gratitude the continued interest in the spiritual and temporal welfare of the Society, manifested by our beloved Bishop and Patron to whose patronage the Society is largely indebted for its long and respectable roll of members.

By telegram we learn with deep regret of the passing of our Holy Father, the immortal Pius IX, and share in the universal grief which his demise has excited.

In conclusion, we return you our best thanks for your orderly and respectable attendance on all occasions.

Respectfully Submitted,

P. DEVEREAUX, President,

J. BARRY, Secretary.

The Report being read was, on motion made and seconded, received and adopted.

The Officers having vacated their seats, the Rev. S. Flynn, Chaplain of the Society, was called to the Chair. The Rev. gentleman briefly addressed the Society, after which a vote of thanks was unanimously passed to the Officers for their efficient management of the Society the past year.

The election of officers for the ensuing year then took place, with the following result:

Mr. P. Devereaux,	re-elected	President
Mr. J. Innott,	"	Vice-Pres.
Mr. J. Callanan	"	1st Assis.

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Mr. T. Malone, Sr.,	re-elected	2nd V.P.
Mr. T. Strapp,	"	Treasurer
Mr. J. Hogan	"	Assist. Treasurer
Mr. J. Barry	"	Secretary
Mr. M.J. Flynn	elected	Assist. Secretary
Mr. R. Lahey	re-elected	Chairman Com, Charity
Mr. T. Cody	"	Chairman Review & Corres.
Mr. M. Malone	"	Grand Marshal
Mr. A. Thomey	"	Assistant G. Marshal

Committee of Review and Correspondence: Messrs Isaac Pumphrey
and William Dunn.

Committee of Charity: Messrs Matthew Power, James Kelly, Richard
Murphy, Richard Lahey, William Grubert, Philip Colbert, William
Pumphrey, and Simon McCarthy.

Band Committee: Messrs J. Barry, John Hogan, James Callanan, and
Philip Colbert.

T. A. HALL

February 10, 1878.

Harbor Grace Literary Institute

The Annual General Meeting of the members of this Institute
was held at their Rooms on the evening of Wednesday, the 29th
of January, when the usual half-yearly sale of newspapers for the
current half year, and of periodicals, etc., for the past year
took place. . . .

The accounts show a gross revenue from all sources of 87 pounds,
14 shillings and 9 pence; the total expenditure was 83 pounds, 19
shillings and 7 pence, to leave a balance in the hands of the Treasurer
of 3 pounds, 15 shillings and 2 pence.

They have much pleasure in stating that, having the means at their
disposal, they paid your Librarian 7 pounds, 10 shillings in addition
to the annual stipend of 30 pounds, which sum they consider is not
sufficient compensation for the use of these Rooms, and for the very
satisfactory manner in which she discharges the duties of her office.

February 8, 1879.

T. R. BENNETT, President
C. WATTS, Secretary

Benevolent Irish Society

The 64th Annual General Meeting of this time-honored Institution was held at the Court House on Monday, the 18th instant.

The Vice-President, Captain John Ryan, on taking the Chair, congratulated the Society on the attainment of this 64th anniversary; also on its healthy and prosperous condition. He regretted the absence in person of our worthy President (Robert Walsh), but to prove that he was with us in spirit, directed the First Assistant, to read an address which had been received from him, in which the President alluded to "the confidence and respect the Society is gaining in public estimation."

Six new members were then admitted, making a total of 32 admitted since the last report.

The election of Officers for the ensuing year then took place, as follows:

Robert Walsh,	re-elected President
John Ryan,	" Vice-President
Patrick Walsh,	" First Assistant
Denis Shea,	" 2nd Assistant
Patrick Farrell,	" Treasurer
H.F. Shortis,	elected Secretary
P. Prendergast,	re-elec. Chairman Com. Charity
James Wall,	" Chairman Review & Corresp.

Committee of Charity: Messrs D. Goff, Edmund Kelly, Edmund Vass, Patrick McGrath, Robert Marshall, Thomas Brown, John Rielly, H. J. Fitzgerald, Michael Fitzgerald, Patrick Kenefick, Michael Jones, Patrick Guest, and Luke Fallon.

Committee of Review & Correspondence: Messrs William Glindon and James F. Higgins.

The sum of \$200 was then voted to be distributed by the Committee of Charity during the present Quarter.

February 20, 1878.

JOHN RYAN, Vice-Pres.
HENRY F. SHORTIS, Sec'y.