

CONCERT GIVEN AT REFORMATORY

Merry Bulbulities Entertain Children at the Stony Hill Institution.

HAVE ENJOYABLE TIME

Popular and Talented Artists Are Heard To Great Advantage.

An excellent concert was rendered by the troupe of the Merry Bulbulities to the inmates of the Stony Hill Reformatory on Wednesday evening last. Unfortunately all the members could not take part, but the cream of that talented troupe was present and gave the inmates a real treat which was heartily appreciated and enjoyed.

Mr. J. C. Mair, the genial superintendent must be thanked for his kind and graceful courtesy to the troupe, for without his co-operation the concert could not have taken place. He very willingly lent the Industrial School and his piano, for the evening, and the Bulbulities gave him quite a reception at the intermission, wishing him and the Institution, prosperity and success.

The concert was arranged by several gentlemen of Kingston, who felt that they would like to give the boys and girls of the Institution a treat for the Christmas. Among them were Mr. Victor Sale, Mr. Aston Figueroa, Mr. H. Duval, Mr. L. Duval, and several others who lent their cars and in other ways assisted to make the concert a success.

Mr. Frank Kelly was present and in his charming manner opened the concert by a few appropriate words, and asked Mr. Mair to take the chair.

Mr. E. Lopez gave a fine piano solo, Mr. W. Spooner, in his rich baritone quite carried away his audience, and as he chose songs that would be appreciated by his youthful auditors he was quite a favourite, and received an enthusiastic applause. Mr. Harold Brownlow, in one of his swinging songs, brought down the house. Miss May Robinson rendered a popular melody with chorus accompaniment by the troupe, and this feature was received with enthusiastic delight. Graceful Miss Amy Androuin gave a solo in her charming style, Mr. Erl Watson gave a recitation in his natural and vivid manner. Mr. Harold Watson, in his humorous style gave a song and brought the first part of the programme to a close.

THE SECOND PART.

The second part was as good as the first, but we must mention a trio by Mr. Spooner and the Watson Brothers from the Mikado. So keen was the enjoyment that they had to partly repeat it. The concert was closed by roars of laughter for Mr. Leo Meau singing the old favourite comic song "You have to get up" and he was accompanied by the troupe by amusing gestures. Then Mr. Harold Brownlow followed with one of his Jamaican dialect lectures and this feature, always popular and mirth-provoking.

was especially appreciated by the children.

Mr. Mair thanked the Bulbulities for their kindness in coming up. He said that it would be a constant concert because the children would always have it in their minds and be singing the songs. He hoped they would see their way to return again. Mr. Victor Sale, in behalf of the troupe returned thanks to Mr. Mair for his kindness, and said they hoped to return again, and to put on a better concert than the one that afternoon. The troupe was of the opinion that they had never come across such an appreciative audience as the one they had played before that afternoon.

After three ringing cheers for Mr. Mair, his officers and the institution, and a little dance, the troupe returned to Kingston.

PALACE AND MOVIES.

FOUR NIGHTS OF WONDER FILMS

Yes, four nights of wonder films is what the Palace and Movies have selected from to-night to Monday. Both theatres will run all night shows to-night, changing their programmes at midnight. The following will be the order: Palace first show 'Lova is Love,' midnight show 'Fan, Fan' (a classic). Saturday the super-special 'Micky' after the type of 'Old Kentucky' if anything better. Monday the great Helen Holms serial 'The Fatal Fortune' will commence.

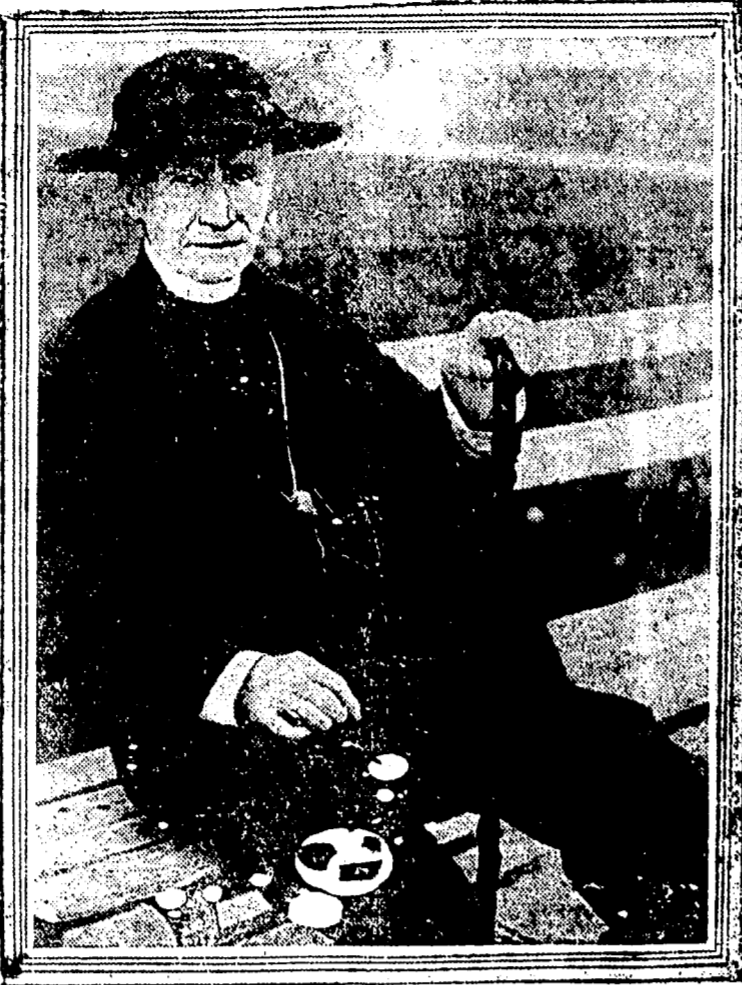
Movies.—First show to-night, Peggy Hyland in 'Cowardice Court' midnight show, Gladys Brockwood in 'The Smak'. Saturday 'The Sin of St. Anthony' with Bryant Washburn (see Jazz and Shimmy), Sunday, Norma Talaudge in 'The Woman Gives' Critics say a picture with acting that is not often paralleled. On Monday 'The Blunders of Doreore'. All star cast M. P. W. says a great sermon and as real picture all in one. With such excellent pictures, we bespeak bumper houses for these popular places of amusement.

HELD BY BRITISH.



Arthur Griffith, acting President of the Irish Republic and founder of the Sinn Fein, has been seized by Dublin Castle authorities.

Cardinal Gibbons of The U.S. who is ill.



Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, is suffering from over-exertion, but is otherwise organically sound, according to his physicians who are in daily attendance with him. The prelate's condition was at once time considered serious, but he has improved a great deal since he first showed symptoms of illness.

PRAISE WORK OF POLICE OFFICER

Custos of St. Elizabeth Eulogises Services of Inspector Herbert Thomas.

RETIRING NEXT YEAR. Has Spent 44 Years In Force and Served in All Parishes but Two.

(From our Correspondent.) Malvern, Saturday.—Just before the adjournment of the Resident Magistrate's Court here on Wednesday His Honour Mr. C. E. Mellish, Acting Resident Magistrate, informed the Custos, Hon. A. E. Harrison, that Inspector Herbert Thomas, was about leaving the parish, having been transferred to Westmoreland.

CUSTOS' REMARKS.

The Custos said he understood that it was the last occasion on which their esteemed friend Inspector Thomas would be present at the Malvern Court, and he was glad that he had the privilege of joining in a public farewell to him. When Sir Christopher Wren built St. Paul's and a monument was required for him, it was decided that no motto could be better chosen than "Look round", and if they wanted to see Inspector Thomas' work in this parish they had but to look round. Here they had a parish second to none in the island for orderliness and decency. This, the speaker said, was not surprising, seeing that they had the veteran Police Officer in the island at the head of their Police Force. When they spoke of veteran, they were rather inclined to think of men on whom advancing years had made their mark, but in Inspector Thomas' case they had a man who stood as straight as an arrow with bodily organ unimpaired and a mind with a store house of wisdom for over three score years. Inspector Thomas combined in himself all the qualities which were eminently many. He had sent five sons and one son-in-law to the war. Three had made the sacrifice for all that was called noble in humanity. The Inspector possessed the qualities which made him a commandant: impartial to high and low, strict in discipline and impartial in meting out justice to rich and poor alike. He voiced the sentiments of the people, the Custos added, when he said that Inspector Thomas was leaving them with regret, but he would only wish him good health in serving his King and Country (Hear, hear).

His Honour, Mr. C. E. Mellish then said that he had great pleasure in concurring in the remarks of the Custos. He then spoke of the decrease in the Court lists which was due to Inspector Thomas' strict prosecution, and concluded by saying that he had parted with the Inspector on two previous occasions and met him since, and would therefore entertain the hope of meeting the Inspector in Court again.

Mr. W. H. Coke, on behalf of the Bar, practising in the parish, said, he had pleasure in associating himself with the Inspector, who gave justice impartially to rich and poor, high and low. Their loss was the gain of two parishes.

THE INSPECTOR'S REPLY.

Inspector Thomas replied at length, during which he said that he was pleased to hear the exceedingly kind remarks that had fallen from the lips of the different speakers. He then went on to say that he thought he would have earned his pension here which would be in the coming year. During his forty-four years' service he had served in every parish in the island except two, and there was none to him as the parish of St. Elizabeth. The men in this parish behaved to him as children to their father of which he was exceedingly proud. In conclusion, he wished them good luck and prosperity.

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

Enquiry Into Charge of shooting With Intent Against Charlie George.

HELD BY MR. S. C. BURKE. Evidence Is Given And The Examination Is Adjourned Until 6th Proximo.

The preliminary examination into the charge of shooting with intent preferred against Charlie George, was held at the Parade Court House yesterday afternoon before His Honour Mr. S. C. Burke.

The Hon. J. A. G. Smith appeared for the prosecution and the Hon. H. A. L. Simpson appeared for the accused.

David Russel said he was a porter and was living in Kingston. On the 19th November he was at the Railway. He was engaged by Nammie Shoucair to take out some parcels from a bus to the second class waiting room. When he got in the waiting room he saw the accused Charlie George sitting in a corner and Nammie Shoucair standing in front of him talking in a foreign language which he did not understand. They were talking at the top of their voice. He was in front of Nammie Shoucair. He saw when accused put his hand in his pocket and take out a revolver. The three Syrians were speaking loudly. He saw the accused put his hand in his pocket and was taking out a revolver, when Nammie Shoucair hit him with a stick over his shoulder which he was carrying. The accused then pointed the revolver at Nammie Shoucair and fired it, and the shot missed Nammie Shoucair and hit him (witness) at the side of his head. He went to the Public Hospital and he saw a doctor. The next day his face was swollen and he went back to the Hospital. He next saw Dr. J. J. Cameron who after X-raying him, took a bullet out of his head, and he treated him for three weeks and four days.

Cross-examined by Mr. Simpson, the witness said he went to the Doctor himself. It was the first time Dr. Cameron attended to him. He saw Dr. Cameron at the Railway.

Mr. Simpson: How many times have you been to prison?

Witness: This is not prison time. I am not here about prison. I am here about this case.

Mr. Simpson: When was the last time you went to prison?

Witness: I do not remember. One more witness gave evidence and the examination was adjourned until the 6th proximo. The accused was again granted bail.

MR. LEON COLVIN.

Says the West India Committee Circular of December 9th:—Our congratulations are due to Mr. Leon Colvin, Manager of the Royal Bank of Canada in London, on the occasion of his Silver Wedding. Mr. Colvin was married to Miss Florence Peatrice Bascom on Nov. 16th, 1895 at the St. Philip's Church, Georgetown, British Guiana.

Mr. Leon Colvin was manager of the Royal Bank of Canada in Jamaica for some years.

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THE COURTS OF TWO PARISHES

Suit Disposed Of In Kingston Court Before His Honour Mr. Justice Orpen.

MR. S. C. BURKE'S LIST.

Joseph Porter Sent To Prison For Dangerous Driving Of Motor Car.

In the Kingston Court yesterday before His Honour Mr. Justice Orpen the case of George Blagrove against Manasseh Lothar was heard. The suit was one in which the plaintiff sought to recover £2 2/ in respect to the hire of a motor car. It appears that the defendant's motor car got disabled at Bog Walk and the plaintiff's motor car went out and brought in the passengers; and a charge of 1/6 per mile was made.

The defendant denied liability, and after hearing both sides His Honour gave judgment for the plaintiff for the amount claimed with costs and solicitor's costs fixed at £2 19/3.

Mr. Aston Simpson appeared for the plaintiff, whilst Mr. H. A. Lake represented the defendant.

THE POLICE COURT.

In the Police Court yesterday before His Honour Mr. S. C. Burke, Benjamin Griffiths for a breach of the island Defence Regulation was fined 40/ or 30 days' imprisonment. The defendant had a firearm without a license from the Inspector of Police. He was prosecuted by Sgt. Campbell of Smith Village Police Station.

Reginald Barton charged with vagrancy, was ordered to receive 8 strokes of the tamarind switch.

Mary Cohen charged with larceny of money 23/ from Rosetta Vassalli, was remanded until the 3rd proximo.

Granville Alexander, Septimus Lindo, and Edgar Alexander were fined 21/ or 21 days' imprisonment on a charge of gambling.

PETTY SESSIONS.

In the Petty Sessions Court at the Parade Court House yesterday before His Worship Mr. David C. Vaz, Justice of the Peace, the following were among the number of cases disposed of:—

Rhoda Brown was fined 10/ or 7 days' imprisonment on a charge of loitering in Princess Street. She was arrested by Sergeant Thomas.

Adina Spencer was fined 21/ or 21 days' imprisonment for using indecent language in Princess Street.

Clifford Stanley, charged with disorderly conduct was fined 21/ or 21 days' imprisonment.

Frank O'Brady was fined 21/ or 21 days' imprisonment on a charge of stone throwing.

Charles Ballin was fined 21/ or 21 days' imprisonment for using indecent language in Princess Street on Tuesday last. He was given until Tuesday next to pay the fine.

Victor Roberts, for a similar offence was fined 21/ or 21 days' imprisonment.

Mary Johnson was fined 21/ or 21 days' imprisonment for using indecent language in Rose Lane.

Joseph Porter was charged with dangerous driving of a motor car, and not producing his license when called upon to do so by a constable. The defendant pleaded guilty. Mr.

Prince Paul of Greece and His Royal Sister.



Prince Paul of Greece and his sister Irene. He was called to succeed his brother Alexander, who died from the effects of a monkey bite, as King, but later on, as a result of elections in Greece, their father, King Constantine, has been re-called to the Greek Throne.

J. H. Cargill, who appeared for the prosecution, said that the defendant was employed at the Motor Car and Supplies Ltd., as a labourer. On Wednesday last a motor car was in the street, and the defendant who could not drive took the car and went for a joy ride with the result that he ran the car into a dray and smashed the car. He was going to ask His Worship to make an example of the defendant so that others would take warning. It was a serious matter and must be put down.

Evidence was heard for the prosecution.

The defendant said that the car was given to him to take into the garage by a chauffeur.

His Worship: It is a serious matter suppose you had killed anyone.

Mr. Cargill said that it would cost about £40 to repair the car.

The defendant was fined 25/ or 30 days' imprisonment for not producing his license, and for dangerous driving he was sentenced to 30 days' imprisonment.

Harold Stone, a chauffeur, was fined 40/ or 30 days' imprisonment for driving a motor car without a rear light. He was prosecuted by constable Smikle.

AT HALF-WAY TREE. In the Half-way Tree Resident Magistrate Court yesterday before His Honour Mr. A. V. Kingdon, Thomas Alexander charged with larceny of growing trees from the Caymanas Estate, was remanded until the 13th proximo. Messrs. Samuel and Samuel appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. H. W. Dayes represented the accused.

Daniel Smith charged with house-breaking and larceny and money 23/ from Albertha Lawrence was remanded until the 6th proximo. He was arrested by district constable Edward Lawrence.

Nathan Gibbons charged with praedial larceny of canes from Taman Williams, was ordered to receive 16 strokes of the tamarind switch.

His Honour next held the preliminary examination into the charge of larceny of iron pipes, bricks, and timber, the property of George Seymour Seymour, preferred against Charles Walcott.

His Honour after hearing the evidence, committed the accuse to take his trial at the Kingston Circuit Court on the 10th January.

RESUME DUTIES.

London, Dec. 13.—Mr. T. B. Hohler left London on Saturday to resume his duties as British High Commissioner in Hungary.

MARRIAGES IN BERLIN.

London, Dec. 13.—In Berlin and its suburbs 52,052 marriages were celebrated in 1919, as against 28,928 in 1918 and 38,670 in 1914.

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