

LOCAL AND SPECIAL

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The St James Church Adult Bible Class will resume its sessions on Friday evening next at the usual hour.

The annual meeting of the N. S. Fruit Growers' Association will be held in Windsor on January 25th, 26th, 27th.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist Church will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 4th, 3 p.m., at the home of Mrs J E Lloyd.

Mrs Charles Merry of Lawrencetown, will be at home to her friends on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 6th, from three to five o'clock.

Mr and Mrs Elwin Banks will be at home to their friends on Wednesday and Thursday, January 5th and 6th, afternoon and evening.

The principle stores in Bridgetown will be closed every evening, with the exception of Saturday, beginning next week, and continuing until further notice.

Sunday, January 2, has been set apart as a day of special prayer and intercession throughout Canada for the success of Great Britain and her Allies in the war.

Next Sunday evening in the Lawrencetown Methodist Church a special Patriotic Intercessory Service will be held. Rev S J Boyce will preach on the theme 'The Inner Meaning of the War.' The Lawrencetown Band is expected to be in attendance.

Owing to the Christmas holidays and other unavoidable circumstances, the Monitor appears to-day in four-page form instead of eight pages. Consequently we are unable to publish our usual budget of district correspondence and other contributions.

The annual Christmas Tree and Entertainment for the benefit of the inmates of the County Institutions was held in the Recreation Hall on Monday evening. A well rendered program by Bridgetown talent was given, after which two well filled trees were stripped, and many useful articles were distributed to all the inmates of both institutions.

The Kings County third Annual Poultry Show will be held at Kentville on Jan. 19, 20 and 21, 1916, and will be open to Annapolis, Hants and Kings Counties. Prize Lists will be ready the first of January. If interested, drop a card for one to the Secretary, W. Picat, Kentville.

Christmas Day 1915 dawned bright and clear, with the ground covered with "the beautiful." A fall of several inches of snow the day previous, made fairly good sleighing. But during Christmas night a heavy rain storm set in which continued throughout Sunday. The attendance at the churches services was consequently very small; but exercises befitting the Christmas season were carried out.

The annual "Acadia Night" will be held in the Baptist Church on Friday evening at 7.30. The speakers will be Dr DeWolfe, Principal of Acadia Seminary, and Hon A L Davidson, M.P. Dr. DeWolfe will speak on "Ideals in Education." After the addresses a social hour, with readings, music, college songs and refreshments, will be spent in the vestry. The public are cordially invited. Silver collection.

A Christmas Tree under the auspices of the Bridgetown Baptist Sunday School was held in the vestry of the Church last Thursday evening. Mr and Mrs Santa Claus were present and distributed gifts to the children from the well-laden tree. Previous to the unloading of the tree a short program of recitations and songs was exceedingly well rendered by the younger members of the school under the direction of Mrs J Harry Hicks and Miss Marguerite Hicks.

A barn belonging to Mr Frank Longley, on the South side of the river near Lawrencetown, was destroyed by fire on Sunday night, together with farm implements, waggons, sleighs, 35 bushels of grain, and a quantity of hay. A horse and two cows were got out of the barn, but one of the cows afterwards died from suffocation. Mr Longley places his loss at \$700, with no insurance. The cause of the fire is not known. The neighbors assembled in response to the alarm, and set about to save the house, which was near by, and were successful in their efforts.

Last Sunday evening in Providence Methodist Church the young people of the Sunday School, assisted by the choir, provided an interesting and wholesome program with the cantata "The Heart of the Bells," which they gave in a highly creditable manner. The music of the cantata was bright and inspiring, and every number was well rendered; the story as presented by the different actors interesting and elevating. In addition to the cantata the program included recitations, songs, etc., by the youngest members of the school. The opening number, a welcome song by Master Robert Bath, is deserving of special mention. It was well sung, and was heard with delight by all present. Although the evening was somewhat wet and unfavorable, a fairly large congregation was present.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Mrs J W Beck with is visiting relatives in Dartmouth.

Mr and Mrs J S Moses spent Christmas in Ohio, Yarmouth County.

Myor Longmire and son Charlie were passengers to Boston last Saturday.

Mrs Newhall of East Saugus, Mass., is the guest of her sister, Mrs J H Healy.

Louis G Perry of Beaver River, is visiting his grandmother Mrs E C Young.

Mr and R D Stevengon of Brickton, were guests quite recently of Mr. and Mrs S C Turner.

Mrs. W A Craig and Miss Mary Z Craig spent Christmas with relatives in Waterville and Cambridge.

Miss Jean Sheppard, stenographer in the office of Mr H C Morse, spent Christmas at her home in Halifax.

Mr and Mrs L A Miles of Halifax were guests of Mr and Mrs Karl Freeman over the Yuletide season.

Mr and Mrs S C Turner spent Christmas at Annapolis, at the home of the letter's father, Mr W H Weldon.

Gerald Merritt of the 8th battalion, was a guest of Mr and Mrs W A Warren over the Christmas holidays.

Mr and Mrs D G Harlow and family are occupying their residence here during the Christmas vacation season.

Mr Howard S Barnaby, of the firm of H C Barnaby & Son, was a guest at the home of Mrs J H Healy at Christmas.

Dr Charles Miller of Boston, spent Christmas with his parents and other relatives in Clarence, returning to-day.

"Sandy" Cochran left for St. John on Monday, where he has secured a clerical position with McAvity & Sons.

Master Roland Lewis, son of Rev. A S Lewis of Windsor is a guest at the home of Mr and Mrs J Harry Hicks.

Miss Frances G Healy of Bridgeport, Conn., is paying a visit to her mother, Mrs J H Healy, during the Christmas holidays.

Mr and Mrs Freeman Carter return to St. John, today, after spending the Yuletide at the home of their relatives, Mr and John L. Carter.

Pte. Hansel Hyson of the 64th battalion and Pte. Kempton Hyson of the 112th battalion spent Christmas with their parents Mr and Mrs Gasper Hyson.

Pte. Clarence C Purdy of Middleton and Lance Corporal R Allen Purdy of Halifax spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr and Mrs R W Purdy.

Mr and Mrs Ronald Whiteway left for New York on Monday. From thence Mr Whiteway will take a steamer on the 31st for England, and Mrs Whiteway will spend the winter in the South.

Mr Jack Freeman of Needham, Mass brought the remains of his aunt, Mrs Abigail Nelly here last Wednesday for interment in the Riverside Cemetery, and is now the guest of relatives in town.

We regret to learn that Mr J S Lewis, the popular manager of the local branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, is to be transferred to Chatham, N B and leaves for his new duties this week. His family will follow later.

Among the teachers and students who are spending Christmas at their homes in Bridgetown are: Miss Nettie Bishop, teacher at Bridgewater; Miss Ena Graves, teacher at Canning; Miss Vola Fulmer, teacher at Nietaux; Owen Graves, student at Harvard University; Miss Hortense Griffin, student at Truro Academy; Clarence Kinney, student at Mt Allison; Jack Ruggles, student at King's.

Annapolis County Farmer's Association Meeting

The annual meeting of the Annapolis County Farmer's Association will be held in Warren's Hall, Bridgetown, on Monday, Jan. 3rd, 1916. Two sessions—2.30 and 7.30 p.m. Annual business and addresses by several prominent speakers. At the afternoon session an open discussion on "What farm industry is most profitable at this time," will take place. Messrs F H Johnson, W A Marshall, Frank Bath, A Randolph and others are expected to take part. In the evening Geo E Saunders, entomologist, and Mr Porter, stockman of the Experimental Farm, Kentville, are to give addresses.

The Week of Prayer

For the Week of Prayer, Jan. 2nd to 9th the following are the topics and places of meeting. MONDAY, JAN. 3rd—Prayer for the Church Throughout the World; its unity and Progress. Methodist Church. TUESDAY, JAN. 4th—Prayer for Missions; The Spiritual Conquest of the World Through Christian Service. Baptist Church. WEDNESDAY, JAN. 5th—Prayer for better Sabbath Observances. Presbyterian Church. THURSDAY, JAN. 6th—Prayer for the Family and Youth; Spiritual Training. Methodist Church. FRIDAY, JAN. 7th—Prayer for Social Betterment Through Applied Christianity. Baptist Church.

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St. James Parish Church Notes

In accordance with Pastoral Letters received from the Primate of All Canada, and the Archbishop of Nova Scotia, next Sunday will be observed as a day of Solemn Intercession on behalf of the War. This will be general throughout the Anglican Communion. It is also suggested that, wherever possible, Friday and Saturday will be observed as days of preparation.

In this connection the following service will be held in St. James Church. FRIDAY,—4.30 p. m. Intercession and preparatory Service.

SATURDAY, (New Year's Day)—10 a. m. (Holy Communion.)

SUNDAY—8 a. m. Holy Communion and Intercession. 7 p. m., a Special Service of Intercession.

The other Services on Sunday will be: BELLEISLE—10.30, Holy Communion, Sermon and Intercession. ST. PETER'S-BY-THE-SEA, Young's Cove 2.30 p. m.

BORN

CONNELL—At Bridgetown, Dec. 22nd to Mr and Mrs Hastings Connell, a daughter.

ABBOTT—At Bridgetown, Dec. 23rd to Mr and Mrs Harry H Abbott, a son.

YOUNG—At Young's Cove, Dec. 24th, to Mr and Mrs John Young, a son.

DIED

BENT—At Granville Ferry, N. S., Dec. 5th Caroline S. Widow of the late Jacob Bent. For over fifty years a member the Methodist Church.

CARD OF THANKS

Rev H J and Mrs Indoe desire to thank the many friends in Granville Ferry and neighborhood for their great and unflinching kindness throughout the protracted illness, as well as in connection with the funeral of the late Mrs George M Black.

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All persons having any legal demands against the estate of the late Christopher Borden, of Carleton's Corner, in the County of Annapolis, farmer, are requested to render the same duly attested within twelve months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate to MARY L. BORDEN Dec. 22nd 37-3mo Administratrix

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