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## BEAR RIVER

#### MARITIME TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE COMPANY

At the annual meeting of the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Company, at Halifax on Tuesday, the old directors were re-elected with S. M. Brookfield president. The company's receipts amounted to \$590,937, and the expenditure to \$479,330, leaving a net revenue of \$111,527. After payment of \$4,723 in dividends, including that of January, there is a surplus of \$5,898. This with the balance from last year of \$11,378, makes a total balance surplus of \$17,276. The authorized bonds amount to \$1,500,000, of which \$319,400 are in the treasury. The shareholders passed a resolution authorizing the directors to issue a part or the whole of these treasury bonds at such rate as may seem best. The balance sheet shows assets of \$4,061,137, of which \$585,622 is reserved for replacement and contingent.

#### BOSTON HAS A FISH FAMINE.

According to the Boston Herald prospects of a fish famine loom at T. wharf with the Lenten season in sight. Schooners are not making their "salt," according to the fishermen. Since February opened, gales have seriously interfered with operations of the off-shore fleet and shore craft have had too much dodging in to harbor to fill their holds with paying fares.

Cod and haddock are soaring into the trout class with continuance of heavy weather—at least, prices paid by wholesalers at the fish pier stamp the common variety of sea food as a luxury. The freezers have been called on to help out till storage concerns complain that the stock is dwindling rapidly.

From one schooner comes the report that several of the crew paid for doctors' services practically their entire earnings for a ten days' experience at sea that sowed seeds of pneumonia.

Clambers are complaining that the cold snap has covered fasts with ice so as to put a stop to digging. The ice spears swell the note of discontent with complaint that the ice holes are frozen up and the mud won't yield to jabbing. Lobstermen rustily collect remnants of traps from the beaches and vow they will do no more baiting till the weather gets settled. Thousands of dollars in gear has been destroyed within the past ten days and valuable power dories owned by fishermen have been wrecked.

Minard's Liniment relieves Neuralgia

#### DOCTOR COMMENCES RADIUM CURE FOR THE BLIND.

New York, Feb. 12.—Dr. John Ege, of Reading, Pa., whose marvellous urea by radium were reported three weeks ago, arrived in this city yesterday and treated without any charge twenty patients who suffer from blindness. Before returning to his home last night Dr. Ege expressed the belief that the sight of twenty per cent of blind people can be restored through the use of radium. There were seventy-five eighty persons appeared at Dr. Ege's free clinic at the Hotel Arlington, in West Twenty-Fifth street, and of these he chose twenty of the more "hopeful" cases.

Dr. Ege brought with him nine tubes of radium, of from 20,000 to 2,900,000 degrees of activity to the milligram. After an examination of the patients he chose twenty persons who can still distinguish between day and night. In some cases as much as five milligrams of pure radium was applied. Others were told to first "sit an oculist for a thorough examination before taking the radium treatment.

"With the supply of radium I have said Dr. Ege, "it will not be possible for me to treat other cases until I have disposed of the twenty patients who were given the first treatment today. I have arranged for these men, women and children to visit me in Reading and I will continue the use of the radium so long as there is the slightest hope of restoring their sight. I want to say that I will not accept one cent of payment from any of these patients."

### Bear River

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Marshall, March 1, a son.

Mr. Daniel Owen, of Owen & Owen, was in town on Saturday.

Friendship Lodge I. O. O. F. will confer the first degree on five candidates this Thursday night.

There arrived at the home of Reginald Berry on Sunday, the 8th, a little stranger girl for a visit of indefinite length.

Rupert D. Harris had a very delicate operation performed at the hospital in Halifax on Thursday. We are pleased to know that he is doing well.

Wm. Alcorn made from two cows, during the months of January and February, 171 lbs. butter and one of these has given milk for fifteen months. Next!

Miss H. E. Wade returned from St. John on Wednesday where she had been selecting her stock of spring millinery, which will arrive via S. S. Bear River.

S. S. Bear River has succeeded in breaking through the ice with the loss of three blades from her propeller, which has already been replaced with a new one. She steamed for St. John on Tuesday morning.

Miss Annie K. Spence of Orkney, Scotland, and Jesse P. Jefferson were united in matrimony at the parsonage by Rev. A. Daniel on Thursday, 5th inst. Mrs. Jefferson will be "at home" to friends on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, 18th and 19th inst.

The sad news was received here last week of the death at Halifax of Miss Irene Purdy, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Horton Phinney. She and her twin sister were spending the winter with Mrs. Phinney. She leaves to mourn their loss her mother Mrs. Ella Purdy, who was in Boston at the time of her death, and brothers, Rev. Charles and William, residing in New York; also three sisters, Mrs. H. Phinney, Halifax; Miss Grace, Boston, and her twin sister, Olive, at present in Halifax. The interment took place in Halifax.

#### DEEP BROOK

March 9.

A good meeting of the Mission Band last Sunday.

Mrs. Sherman is spending a few days with relatives in Bear River.

Fred Rice, who spent the past two months with his mother, Mrs. F. W. Rice, left last week for British Columbia, where he is employed at railway construction.

The Woman's Mission Aid Society held their monthly meeting on the afternoon of Tuesday, 3rd, with the President, Mrs. J. D. Spurr, and began the study of The King's Business.

At the Dorcas Society meeting held at the home of Mrs. Robert Spurr last Wednesday, plans were matured for the supper and entertainment to be given on Thursday evening, March 12th.

Rev. J. S. McFadden is preaching a series of sermons on "The Church," which are well spoken of. Next Sunday, March 15th, special collection for Home Missions at the Baptist church. Service at seven o'clock in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spurr have sold out their interests here and are leaving this week for Yarmouth County, where they expect to make their home. Last Thursday evening they were given a surprise party when they received words and tokens of appreciation. A beautiful wool shawl was presented to Mrs. Spurr by the Dorcas Society, of which she has been a useful and valued member. Our best wishes attend them.

#### CLEMENTSVALE

March 9.

Miss Vera Eaton spent a very pleasant week end with friends at Bear River.

Mrs. Harris Long of Deep Brook, is with her aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Long, who are both in failing health.

Mr. T. A. Sanford and Mrs. Prior Sanford left on Saturday for their homes in Alleton and Somerville, after spending two weeks among relatives here.

Our energetic teacher held a pie sale in the school house, Tuesday to raise funds for school purposes. The sum of \$3.50 was realized, and a general good time enjoyed by all.

A number of young people from here and Bear River East enjoyed a sleigh ride to Lequille last Friday evening and were hospitably entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Spurr.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

#### ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

March 9.

Mrs. J. P. Edwards has returned from Boston.

Miss Beatrice Harris of Bear River, is visiting Miss M. Beeler.

Miss Edna Taylor, recently the guest of Judge and Mrs. Savary, has returned to Halifax.

The milliners, Miss Chisholm and Miss Milbury are attending the millinery openings in Boston and New York.

The longest and strongest cold snap of many winters has been broken by a long thaw, demoralising the sleighing and bringing with it a spring-like atmosphere.

Mrs. E. McClafferty left for Boston a few days since to enter a hospital for medical treatment, and also to visit her sisters, Mrs. Edward Flint and Miss Christie Ritchie.

Miss Mary How, daughter of Rev. H. How, and Miss Lillian Fortier left last week for Montreal, where they will enter upon training for professional nursing at the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Whitman accompanied by their daughter Edith, left on Thursday last on a trip to the Pacific Coast. They will visit their daughters, Mrs. F. C. Harris at Vancouver and Mrs. Sydney Wilcox at Winnipeg.

The first train to run into the new C. P. R. passenger station was the freight and accommodation of Saturday night. The new station is a distinct acquisition to the town, both from an architectural point of view and as a convenience. It is of brick construction with granite trimmings and in plan and equipment is in every detail up to modern requirements. The ground has been nicely graded off and a convenient walk and flight of steps leads to St. George street. The grounds are to be planted for garden effect in the spring and a further improvement is anticipated in the removal of the wooden overhead bridge on St. George street, which is to be replaced by one of steel construction.

#### PORT WADE

March 9.

Mr. Samuel Reed, wife and child of Halifax, are visiting at the homes of John D. Apt and others.

Mrs. Ralph Hayden went last Wednesday to the Provincial Sanatorium, accompanied by Mrs. James Snow, who returned on Saturday. Mrs. Hayden expects to stay three months for treatment at the institution.

We are hoping to see the brass buttons shining on the coat of the Commissioner this coming summer, as there will no doubt be a lot of repair work on the wharf here. A number of us are expecting a chance for work with Mr. Connors, and no doubt our anticipations will be fully realized.

#### HYMENEAL

RONEY—MORGAN.

The marriage of Mr. Frank Eugene Roney of Granville Ferry, and Miss Lizalis Belle Morgan, daughter of Mr. George Morgan, formerly of Bear River, was celebrated on Wednesday evening, 25th inst at 8.30 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Davis, being witnessed by immediate relatives and friends. The wedding march was played by little Miss Marion Roney.

The bride looked charming in a gown of brown. Miss Isa M., sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. C. A. Chisholm did honors for the groom.

The gathering was a happy one and was interspersed through the evening with music, sacred and patriotic songs, and general conversation, when, after an excellent and dainty collation, the happy guests departed for their homes.

The bride was the recipient of many valuable and useful gifts.

#### MRS. TEDFORD'S BEQUESTS.

The estate of the late Mrs. H. G. Tedford of Yarmouth is estimated at \$135,000. Among the bequests are \$20,000 for Acadia College; McGill University, \$5,000; Foreign Missions, \$15,000; Orphanage, Halifax, \$500; Y. M. C. A., Yarmouth, \$2,000; Library, Yarmouth, \$500; Yarmouth mission, \$500; Second Baptist church, Yarmouth, \$1,000; School for the Blind, Halifax and Deaf and Dumb School, Halifax, \$500, each.

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BEAR RIVER, N. S.

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