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## CONVENTIONS AT ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

N. S. Municipalities Meeting And a Sportsmen's Gathering.—Community Service.—Narrow Escape of Capt. King.—Other Notes.

Annapolis Royal.—The Community Service for August held on Sunday evening in Fort Anne Park, was one to be long remembered. The sunset hour of an ideal summer's day, the music, and the eloquence of the preacher, all tended to inspire and uplift the large assemblage gathered on the ramparts of the old fort. Rev. T. C. Mellor was chairman of the meeting, which opened with the Doxology and Invocation by Rev. A. Gibson. The Scripture reading was taken by Rev. M. H. MacIntosh, the prayer offered by Rev. R. B. Thomas, and the Benediction pronounced by Rev. B. C. Borden. Dr. Clarence McKinnon, Principal of Pine Hill College, Halifax, preached a forceful and appealing sermon from a most appropriate text—"Things New and Old." (Matthew 13:52.) The Annapolis Royal Concert Band led the music, and the assistance thus rendered was much appreciated.

The engagement of Miss Nettie Caswell, of Granville Ferry to Mr. Roland H. Bond of St. John, N. B., has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Austin S. Caswell. Miss Caswell was for some time stenographer with Mr. W. A. Livingstone, and has the good wishes of many friends in town.

Capt. W. J. King had a narrow escape from drowning on Wednesday afternoon, when in superintending some reeling on the Kings' wharf, he fell through an opening into the river below. Capt. S. Mills and Mr. D. Parker of Granville Ferry were working there, and with great difficulty got him into the boat. Apparently he had struck his head, as he was unconscious and lying on his face. Dr. Byers was summoned, and applied methods of resuscitation, after which he was conveyed to his home, where he is now resting comfortably.

The town has been full of visitors this week—over eighty registered at the Town Hall the first day of the twentieth Annual Convention of the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities. The delegates were cordially welcomed by Mayor Hawkesworth, the meetings well attended and many interesting and instructive papers read. Annapolis Royal was honored by having one of its citizens, Mr. F. C. Whitman chosen as President of the Union, and Town Clerk Harris appointed a member of the executive.

The Convention was favored with splendid weather throughout its three days session, and on Wednesday evening the visitors were entertained at King's Theatre by moving pictures, under the personal supervision of J. D. O'Connor, chairman of the Nova Scotia Board of Censors. On Thursday the museum at Fort Anne was inspected, followed by a motor drive to Bear River, where a bountiful supper was served in the I. O. O. F. Hall by members of the Robekak Lodge. After their return the Annapolis Royal Concert Band rendered a pleasing programme of select music from the band stand in Fort Anne Park. The convention closed on Friday, and will meet next year in Halifax.

Another interesting convention was held on Monday, when nearly forty sportsmen met in the Town Hall to discuss the location of the proposed game sanctuary. After examining the maps exhibited, the district most favored was the one near Boundary Rock, and a resolution was drawn up, defining the boundaries, and a committee comprising Dr. C. H. Allen of Yarmouth, Mr. E. R. Clark of Annapolis Royal and Dr. D. Hemmeon of Wolfville, was appointed to promote the matter.

News of the marriage of Mr. Brower Merriam, youngest son of Capt. and Mrs. Walter R. Merriam of Granville Ferry, was heard with interest by his many friends in town. His bride was Miss Bertha Allan of Kalamazoo, Mich., where the wedding took place on July 25th. Among the guests at the dinner, which followed the ceremony, were two former Annapolis boys, Messrs Byron Pickels and Clarence Shaffer, now of Detroit, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Merriam will reside in Detroit, where the groom is research director, with the J. L. Hudson Co.

To the general regret of the community Rev. M. H. MacIntosh has resigned his position as pastor of St. George's United Church, and will move to Bedford in a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. MacIntosh, with their five sons and little daughter, have made many friends here who will wish them every success and happiness in their new home.

Mrs. John Harris left on Saturday for Halifax, with her daughter, Miss Maxine Harris, who has been compelled to undergo a very serious surgical operation.

Mrs. John Ritchie of Kentville, with the Misses Mary Rathburn and Helen Copeland, is a guest at the home of her brother, Mr. D. Copeland.

Mrs. George Corbit and daughter Vivian, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leonard McNutt at Nutby, Col. Co.

Mrs. Joshua Banks and son Lenley are visiting her daughter, Mrs. MacPhee, at Sydney, C. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennison Beardsley and daughter Adele, of Bridgeport, Conn., are visiting Mr. Beardsley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beardsley and sister, Mrs. Harold Anderson and Mr. Anderson.

Miss Lina Whitman, of Williams-temple, has been a guest of Mrs. Lavenia Templeman, this week.

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## WELL ATTENDED SHOOT AT WEST PARADISE RANGES.

A short account of the First Field Trip organized by the N. S. A. C. in Orchardring Methods in Trip From Annapolis to Blomidon.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Total: 200,500,600 yds.yds.yds.Ttl.

## Personal Mention

One of the nicest courtesies you can show your friends is let them learn through this column of your visit whenever you go away. Let us know when you have visitors at your homes. The Monitor will consider it a courtesy whenever you give us an item of this kind. Write or phone No. 12 or 102.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Young and daughter, Miss Ruth were Sunday guests of Mr. Young's mother, Mrs. E. C. Young. Other guests were grand-children of Mrs. Young, Mr. Ken Perry and Miss Evelyn and Miss Kathryn Parry of Bear River, Mr. Young returned with them and Mrs. Young and Mrs. Bert Williams went to Freeport called there by the illness of their father, Mr. Bates of that place.

Mrs. John Stevens, of Melrose, Mass., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Connell at Paradise, returned to her home on Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Connell, who will spend the month visiting her friends in Massachusetts, and later will go to Maine, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hannam and two children spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. George Dukeshire.

Mrs. Whittaker and little daughter, Dorothea, of Bridgetown, accompanied by Mrs. Stanley Hurshman and baby, June, and Mrs. Woleky Latham, of Halifax, spent last week at Granville Ferry, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patterson. While there they visited Fort Anne, one of the special attractions of tourists when at Annapolis Royal.

Mr. Burpee Chute arrived on Wednesday from Malden, Mass., and will spend his vacation here. Mr. and Mrs. Chute will return to the U. S. about the end of the month.

Capt. Leach, of the Salvation Army local staff has gone to Shelburne on a three weeks furlough.

Miss Lottie MacGowan, of Windsor, I. spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. MacGowan, Carleton Corner.

Mrs. John Haley, and children, of Middleton, spent the week end with Mrs. Haley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. H. Graham, of Digby, was a visitor in town on Saturday.

Mr. H. T. Warne, of Digby, was a visitor in town over the week end.

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The party some 35 strong assembled at the Entomological Laboratory Annapolis Royal on August 17th at 2 p.m. under the direction of Doctor Brittain, Mr. Keisall and other officers of the Entomological Department.

Tents were issued, loaded on the cars and the party started out, a most imposing procession, on their tour through the various orchards of the Valley.

The following orchards were visited:— Alfred Messenger, Tupperville, A. Fitzrandolph, Bridgetown, A. M. O. Gold, Lawrence town, W. S. Spurr, Melvers Square, T. H. Morse, Somerset, John Buchanan, C. Bentley, Stanley Banks, P. M. Chute & Son, Keith MacMahon, Berwick, R. Leslie, Geo. McLean, Roy Clark, Joe Kinsman, Woodville.

Lady Borden's and other experimental orchards at Woodside, Geo. Chase, Blomidon, Dr. Fullerton's and other experimental orchards, Port Williams, Frank Gertrude's, Gaspeville, P. H. Johnson, Wolfville; and the experiments of the Experimental Farm at Kentville.

It will be realized from a perusal of the above list that Orchardists in every part of the Valley were visited, enabling the party to study Orchard practices under varying conditions of soil and district.

What made the trip even more interesting was the fact that the adverse conditions ruling this year with regard to Scab and Spot were probably as bad as any the Valley has ever experienced and it was a matter of great interest to study how the various Orchardists had met these conditions and produced a clean crop.

Practically each orchard visited had been treated differently, different strengths of materials, different materials had been used. Some had been sprayed, some dusted, some both sprayed and dusted, some also had neither been sprayed nor dusted—they are not included in the above list—but their condition was deplorable, some were in sod much cultivation and some in clean cultivation.

The range of conditions were both varied and instructive and it will, I am sure, be fully realized what a great opportunity was afforded to the party to study orchard practices. The impression also formed in my mind that the dusted orchards, especially those in sod much, made a better showing, at least this year, than the sprayed orchards. Possibly both spraying and dusting may in the long run prove the most efficacious way of treating our orchards. Time alone will prove.

Whilst it would be invidious to single out any one Orchard for special mention amongst the many excellent orchards visited yet, I think it was agreed among the party that Mr. C. Bentley's orchard was hard to beat.

The experience gained enabled one to take an intelligent interest in the Spraying and Dusting experiments at the Experimental Farm which reproduced on a smaller scale the various practices in practical use, and which, by the careful records kept, will be of very great assistance in enabling Orchardists to form a clear opinion as to the results to be obtained by following these systems.

Camp was pitched each night in a different place, each seemed more pleasing than the last.

Interesting talks round the big camp fire on the day's work and orcharding generally were given by Dr. Brittain and prominent Orchardists in the districts we were visiting. Songs and stories supplied the lighter side while the camp orchestra, supplied by the members themselves, started each evening and one was lulled to sleep by the sobs and laments of many amateur pipers!

The tour was organized more especially for members of the N.S.A.C. but all Orchardists were welcome and many of the older men took advantage of this unsurpassed opportunity of studying the problems of orcharding under such interesting

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