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General Hospital

Miss Cameron and Miss Smith, of the Truro General Hospital, have received a cheque for the amount of the value of the cots they lost by the wreck of the steamship H. M. Whitney during a voyage from New York to Boston in November last. It came as a glad surprise to them, as they despaired of receiving any recompence for their loss.

By the way, speaking of this hospital, we wish to recommend it to our readers. Miss Cameron and Miss Smith, professional nurses, deserve every credit for their pluck and enterprise in establishing this long-needed institution in Truro. They have accomplished in a few months what others have been talking of doing for years.

The hospital is nicely located and well equipped, and has already won golden opinions from patients and their friends.

Just at present Dr. Cock is conducting a most interesting and successful case there, that of skin-grafting. It will be remembered that a short time ago a young woman received severe injury to one of her hands, portions of the skin being stripped off while at work in the Union Laundry. This under ordinary circumstances would not heal, that is, new skin would not grow, which of course, would leave her a cripple. Dr. Cock is overcoming this by removing, in accordance with latest scientific methods, portions of skin from one of the unfortunate woman's hips and grafting it onto the injured hand and arm. In this work he is receiving able assistance from Miss Cameron and Miss Smith, the former a talented Truro lady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cameron; the latter a native of Oxford.

We shall have much pleasure in referring to the Truro General Hospital in future issues of The Citizen.

Anti-Socialists.

The anti-Socialists of England have launched a paper for the purpose of setting forth their views.

PROVIDENT ELECTIONS.

The vote for the election of two members of the I. R. C. Provident Fund Board will take place as follows:—

1—In the I. R. C. General Office at Moncton on February 5th.

2—In the I. R. C. check office at mechanical department.

3—In a car attached to the paymaster's car on the next pay-day for all those not included at the other polls.

There are four candidates for the two positions, being Messrs. Wm. M. Collins, checker; J. W. McNairn, engineman; W.M. Thompson, conductor; Frederick Taylor, freight agent.

CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

A lot of "Bluenoses" turned "white" several mornings this week.

A Truro man says he dreamed Wednesday night that he was jumping from one snow bank to another in an attempt to discover which was the warmer.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mr. J. D. Chambers, who recently conducted a business in Truro, was on Wednesday last elected a councillor for the town of Wolfville.

Mr. Thomas Notting, a Lower Truro boy, was this week elected by acclamation mayor of Dartmouth for a second term.

Mr. Leonard McKenzie returned from a successful fur buying trip in the east Thursday night. He intended going to Newfoundland, but met the man he wished to buy from in North Sydney.

The Ten Thousand Club.

Some patriotic, progressive spirits are talking of a Ten Thousand Club for Truro, that is, ten thousand population. They propose to accomplish this by starting new industries, thus inducing people to come here to live. Here's success to their efforts.

Advertise in The Citizen.

Admitted To Bar

On motion of Mr. J. J. Ritchie, at Halifax, Thursday, before several of the judges, Mr. James Hanway, of Truro, was admitted to the bar. Mr. Hanway is a son of Mr. Thomas Hanway, I. R. C. locomotive engineer, Truro. He is a young man of splendid ability, who by dint of hard work has won his spurs. The Citizen extends congratulations and wishes Mr. Hanway a brilliant and successful career as a dispenser of Blackstone logic.

TO THE BUSINESS PEOPLE.

Each business man and woman in Truro will receive a free copy of The Citizen this week. In this connection we desire to call their attention to it as an advertising medium, especially the fact that it is read by the work-a-day people, the people who have money to spend. Are they not the people you want to read your "ads"? The Citizen reaches them.

TOWN NOTES.

Yes, 'twas cold!

How do you like us to-day?

Something doing in mining circles.

Truro is apparently weathering the dull times successfully.

That "wild cat scheme" is to be aired in the courts.

First meeting of the new Council Thursday night, at which the new were welcomed and the old said good bye.

The cordwood dealers are doing a rushing business.

The carnival Wednesday night was a big success.

All Truro industries are running steadily.

There are those who say Truro will have a building boom next summer.