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SUNBEAMS

Our Sister Towns and Exchanges Hard Hit

The Colchester Sun, under the heading of "Sunbeams," prints the following:

A sundial is about to be set up at Annapolis Royal. Webster's International defines this instrument as a contrivance that shows "the time of the day by the shadow of a gnomon, or style, on a plate, or on a cylindrical surface." This seems like the correct thing for measuring time down there and the Spectator should cease yelling for a town clock. On rainy days the people can stay in the house, where time is of little consequence and on fine days a gnomon's shadow should serve very well. This is way ahead of having nothing more than the leafing out of the trees or the changing of the rabbits' color for use as a timepiece.

The Yarmouth Times didn't like our reference to "knights of the bath tub." It has become quite fussy over it and speaks mysteriously over the "hidden hand." We don't know what this "hidden hand" is, but possibly it is that influence which has been anxious that certain birds in this country should get titles. If it is that, it is small wonder it remains "hidden." The Times should go into hiding, too, or cease making a spectacle of itself.

Suggested title for the Yarmouth Times: Lord Stoneagestuff of Balderdash and Bunkum.

Suggested crest for the Yarmouth Times: A bag of fertilizer rampant, surmounted by the words: "In Camouflage We Trust."

Internment For All Alien Enemies

OTTAWA, July 15.—Backing up the Halifax Herald in its demand that Halifax be cleared of spies, the Ottawa Journal tonight says: "Regardless of whether or not information went out of Halifax to enemy quarters as to the sailing of the Llandsoyev Castle, alien enemies should not be allowed at large in that city. There should be no possibility of betrayal by enemy spies as far as the Canadian authorities can prevent it. Canadian lives and Canadian interests should not be jeopardized through the extending of privileges to alien enemies although such alien enemies may seem to be harmless. The thing is to be on the safe side. Far better that every alien enemy in Canada should undergo the comparative discomfort of internment than that a single Canadian soldier or medical officer or nursing sister should be placed in danger by their freedom. There should be no chances taken. The espionage system of Germany is very widespread. Word comes now of the activities of that system in South Africa. There is no doubt that Canada is not free from it. It is criminal negligence to give it opportunities."

Many Canadians Enlisting in Boston

A Boston despatch says: Five hundred enlistments for service in the British and Canadian armies is the record established at the British and Canadian recruiting mission at 44 Bromfield street in the past two weeks. A majority of the men who have been sent from Boston since the announcement of the signing of the new alien draft law have gone to the camps in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

In a message to Major Kenneth D. Marlatt, head of the mission in Massachusetts, yesterday, Lieutenant-Colonel Beverly R. Armstrong, of the military headquarters at Halifax sends congratulations on the splendid types of men who are being enlisted in Massachusetts.

Captain Takes a Bride.

Captain Reuben Benson, who took the new tern schooner Esther Hankinson from Halifax on her maiden trip, has started out on a life's voyage with a fair maiden of St. John's, Nfld. He was recently married to Miss Ethel May Vosey, and he and his fair bride will have the best of wishes from the captain's many Halifax friends. They will take up their residence in St. John's, their home city.

SHOULD BE LOOKED AFTER

Victory Bonds Are Worth 100 Cents On the Dollar.

While it is not known for a certainty that the game is being played in Halifax, it is reliably stated that some men, whose enterprise and shrewdness exceed their patriotism, are making the rounds of towns in the province, soliciting the people to sell their Victory Bonds. Sometimes people who need the money for some other purpose, or think they need it, are anxious to sell. Others are talked into believing that the value of the Bonds is much less than par, that they are going down in value, and that those who want to get a price at all near what they paid should sell now. A condition of doubt and alarm is thus created in the minds of poorly informed owners of bonds, and they sell at the 90 to 95 cents on the dollar which the unpatriotic sharks offer. It will no doubt be interesting to people who are persuaded or frightened into selling their Victory Bonds for a price around 92, 93 or 94, to know that the man who buys at that price can make \$5 to \$7 on each \$100 bond the same or the next day by selling it to any broker at the market price. Victory bonds are now selling at 99½ plus accrued interest. Anybody can see in the Halifax papers, advertisements of reputable brokers quoting that price for them. Of course the price may vary a fraction of a point from day to day, but the undeniable fact is that Victory bonds are selling on the stock market every day at practically 100 cents on the dollar, since accrued interest is allowed.

Improved Telephone Service

That Halifax people will before long be enabled to converse conveniently and with clearness on long distance 'phones as far as Montreal, Boston, New York and points farther away, is declared a certainty. Telephone officials say so. At present, messages to such far distant places are unsatisfactory and in many instances not possible at all. For some time past telephone engineers have been looking over the situation. Repeaters, the instruments which make extra long distance talking possible, will be installed at St. John and Moncton, with co-operating apparatus possibly at Bangor and other points to the west. The Moncton repeater will care for Halifax and other Nova Scotia traffic. It is assumed that much new telephone patronage will be worked up by reason of this extended service.

GIRLS! WHITEN SKIN WITH LEMON JUICE

Make a Beauty Lotion for a Few Cents to Remove Tan, Freckles, Sallowness.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply you with three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quarter pint of the very best lemon skin whiten and complexion beautifier known. Massage this fragrant, creamy lotion daily into the face, neck, arms and hands and just see how freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and roughness disappear and how smooth, soft and clear the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless, and the beautiful results will surprise you.

Paid the Supreme Sacrifice

Mrs. Claude E. Davis, of Cambridge, Mass., received a message on June 28, stating that her brother, Lieut. Marbel L. Dunham, of the Royal Flying Corps, while on scout duty, was killed on June 22nd. Lieut. Dunham was 20 years old and a native of Kentville, N. S., but had been living in Cambridge for the past four years.

Got Two Years.

[Annapolis Spectator] Judge Grierson presided at the regular County Court session here on Tuesday. The only case was that of George Riley, a native of Bear River, but in recent years a derelict, who was arrested for breaking into the house of John Harris, at Lawrence-town. He was sentenced to two years in Dorchester penitentiary and was taken there by Sheriff Edwards.

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FISHING SLOOP LOST

The Bella Struck Some Object Which Exploded and Stove in the Bow.

MTEEGHAN, N. S., July 11.—The fishing sloop Bella, owned by Joseph Sullivan and Edmund Dugas, of Meteghan, was out fishing on Wednesday morning, having been at Cape St. Mary during the early hours, and about 10 a.m. decided to return to Meteghan. The crew comprised five men, some of whom were in the cabin and the remainder on deck. Suddenly they were alarmed by the sound of an explosion, apparently under the bow of the vessel, and on making investigation found that two planks were stove in on either side of the bow and the boat was rapidly making water. They immediately took to their dory and rowed away from the boat, but as she did not immediately sink they returned to her and secured some bedding a few hand lines and a can of gasoline. The vessel was fitted with gasoline engine, but at the time of the occurrence was sailing under canvas only, and there had been no explosion of gasoline, as the tank was intact and no disturbance was found in the after part of the boat. The men appear to think that the vessel struck a mine, and she sank bow first in about fifteen minutes after the contact, whatever it was. The idea of a mine may have been in their minds from reports of some having been heard of in the vicinity; but it is hardly likely that the accident happened in that way, or in all probability the vessel and occupants would have been sent to immediate destruction.

CONVENTION AT DEEP BROOK

A Meeting of the Y. W. C. A. Was Attended by Delegates From All Parts of the Province.

[Halifax Herald]

Miss Glass, secretary of the Young Women's Christian Association, and Miss Wisdom, of the Social Service Bureau, have arrived home from Deep Brook, whither they went to attend the conference of the Student Young Women's Christian Association, the second such conference to be held in Nova Scotia, and altogether memorable. From Dalhousie University, which has a most enthusiastic branch of the organization, of which it is deservedly proud, went a delegation consisting of Miss Elphal, Nicholas, of Acadiaville president, Misses Anna Craighton, Jean Moriarity, Gwen Fraser, Sallie MacDonald, of Dartmouth; Miss Margaret Dickson, of Dartmouth; Margery McDougall, Canso; Nina Cochrane, Sydney; Mabel Patterson, Dartmouth; Offilia Cadell, of Shubenacadie; Jean Dunlop, of Port Duperrin; Tina McLeod, of Port Tupper; Mary Sutherland, of Pictou County. Other Dalhousie girls, who attended, but not as members of the delegation being Misses Susie Aitce, of Annapolis Royal; Ruth Ross, of Halifax, and Bertha Colwell.

GALEANT DEEDS WON HIM THE MILITARY CROSS

Among the gallant deeds described in the Canadian Gazette of May 23rd, is the following: "Military Cross, D. Shreve, F. A. While the battery was firing a barrage, it was heavily shelled, and two ammunition dumps were set on fire. He kept all his guns in action, and himself threw buckets of water on the burning ammunition, besides assisting the wounded and going from gun to gun to steady the men."

[Capt. Shreve is a son of the late T. C. Shreve, Esq., of Digby and a brother of Miss Violet Shreve, formerly of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia in that town.]

L. O. O. F.

President's Officers Installed Last Thursday Evening

A very pleasant event occurred in Crescent Lodge, I. O. O. F., Bridgetown, last Thursday evening, when Dr. Boyd Crowe, of Annapolis, District Deputy Grand Master, installed the following officers:

N. G.—Vernon Goldsmith.
V. G.—Angus Ramey.
R. S.—Arthur C. Charlton, P. G.
F. S.—Hermann C. Morse, P. G.
Treas.—Fred V. Young, P. G.
Warden—Allen Ferguson, P. G.
Conductor—A. G. Walker, P. G.
Chaplain—Rev. M. S. Richardson.
R. S.—Stanley L. Marshall, P. G.
L. S.—C. L. Figgott, P. G.
R. S. N. G.—J. W. Peters, P. G.
R. S. V. G.—Albert Burns.
L. S. N. G.—Enoch Woodworth.
L. S. V. G.—J. Parker Whitman, P. G.
L. G.—Frank Marshall.
O. G.—Frank Cole.
J. P. G.—E. L. Balcom.

Dr. Crowe was assisted by J. A. Buckler, D. Weir, I. E. Randall and Rev. W. B. Muir, of Annapolis, and A. G. Walker, of Bridgetown. Among the other visitors were: Gordon Crowe, of Middleton, and William Perkins, of Annapolis.

After installation, refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake, were served by Mr. Ernest L. Balcom, the retiring Nble Grand, who is a very enthusiastic Oddfellow and a very popular member of the Lodge. After interesting speeches from many of the brethren the evening's entertainment closed with the National Anthem.

DEATH OF MRS. JOHN CLIFFORD.

A Highly Esteemed Tiverton Lady Has Passed Away.

The community of Tiverton was saddened on Tuesday morning, July 9th, when they learned that Effie, wife of Capt. John Clifford, had passed away at the age of 43 years. Though she had been ill for some months, her death was a great blow, not to her sorrowing loved ones, but to her many friends.

She was highly respected, living always a quiet and Christian life. Many years ago she united with the Christian Church here, where she was a valued member, and a regular worshipper until a few weeks ago. The heartiest sympathy of all is extended to the stricken family and relatives. She leaves to mourn, besides her husband, two daughters, Misses Nellie and Viola; three sons, Delbert, Egbert and Elbourne; two sisters, Mrs. Merrill Outhouse, Mrs. Auldin Sutherland; six brothers, Auldin, Stewart, Murray, Laurestone, Newman and Roy Small, all of Tiverton.

Yarmouth-Clare Registration

The complete registration returns for the electoral district of Yarmouth-Clare have been received by Mr. W. A. Godfrey, chief registrar. The total showed that 17,490 had fully complied with the order. Of that number, 7,851 were males and 9,639 females. In the town of Yarmouth alone there were 2,132 males and 2,816 females, totalling 4,948 registrations.

Casualties.

Among the casualties appears the name of Arnold G. Lent, Digby, Ill. Word has also been received that Harold Kiley, for several years foreman of the Digby Courier staff, is ill in a base hospital. His many friends will join us in wishing him a speedy recovery.

Ask for Minard's and take no other.

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THURSDAY, JULY 18th
"LIFE'S WHIRLPOOL," in 5 Acts
Featuring ETHEL BARRYMORE, one of Metro's most famous players
SATURDAY, JULY 20th
"THE CLAIM," in 6 Big Acts
With EDITH STORY.
TUESDAY, JULY 23rd
"BROADWAY BILL," in 5 Acts
Featuring the Peoples' Favorite, HARRY LOCKWOOD
Admission 20c and 15c. Pictures at 9 o'clock sharp