

The Port Williams Acadian

Here and There

Immigration to Canada for the month of August, 1924, totalled 20,186, of whom 5,706 were from the British Isles, 1,784 from the United States, and 12,696 from other countries. Immigration for the first five months of the fiscal year totalled 76,719. In the same period 23,861 Canadians have returned to Canada from domicile in the United States.

As an indication that the tide of settlers has definitely set in the direction of Canada, it has been made known by the Department of Immigration and Colonization that 6,000 acres of land near Lethbridge has been sold to ten families of 75 persons from South Dakota. This, it is announced, is only the advance guard of a considerable northward movement from that region.

"We will have a good report to present when we reach the Hebrides," said Rev. Father Alex. MacDougall, a member of the Hebridean commission of inquiry which investigated conditions of Hebrideans in Canada. The members of the commission, after visiting Alberta, reported the new settlers perfectly satisfied with Canadian conditions.

Among the passengers sailing for Europe aboard the Canadian Pacific Steamship "Empress of France" on October 8th, was Geo. A. Walton, General Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal, who will represent the company on an extensive tour of Europe arranged for the American Association of Passenger Traffic Officers by the trans-Atlantic steamship companies and the railroads of Great Britain and the continent.

Charles J. Pernigotti, a native of Danbury, Conn., has received a commission from the Prince of Wales to paint some of his blooded stock on the E. P. ranch, near High River, on the Canadian Pacific lines in Alberta. Pernigotti, who has attained a reputation as a painter of animals, says the commission was awarded during the Prince's stay at Syosset. He will commence work the latter part of October.

As a result of the survey conducted by the newly formed Graphic Arts Association, printing and allied trades are now shown to constitute the second largest industry in Winnipeg, Man., representing an investment of \$10,054,818, and providing employment for 12,000 people. The report shows that during 1923 the sum of \$3,619,322 was paid in salaries.

With the approaching close of the tourist season, plans are being laid for the continuation of construction work at the Chateau Frontenac, the Canadian Pacific Railway's palatial hotel in the city of Quebec. Some of the interior decorating and the completion of rooms of the main corridor in the Chateau had to be left unfinished when the present tourist season opened, but it is expected that work on these parts of the hotel will commence very shortly. The billiard room and other rooms in the basement will also be completed as soon as possible.

N. S. APPLES FOR THE PRINCE OF WALES

Recently the United Fruit Co., of Kentville, sent by express, prepaid, to H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, one barrel each of Macintosh Reds, Cox's Orange Pippins and Northern Spy apples. Each barrel was of the finest stock obtainable and the gift may possibly be the means of attracting His Royal Highness, on his next visit to Canada, to visit the orchard section of Nova Scotia.

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PORT WILLIAMS AND VICINITY

Miss Dorothy Ilsley is visiting friends at North Sydney. The many friends of Dr. George DeWitt were shocked to hear of his death. At one time he had many patients here and the Port Williams Acadian extends sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Congratulations are in order for Mr. and Mrs. Robie Murphy on the birth of a son at the Woods Maternity Hospital.

On Wednesday evening Rev. Mr. Hudson, pastor of the Canard United Baptist church, gave an interesting lecture on the life of Christ. The lecture was accompanied by a number of reels from the "Passion Play", also vocal music. A good sum was realized.

The Girl Guides held a panty sale in R. F. Newcomb's ice cream parlor on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 15th. The sum of \$10.40 was realized to help purchase their uniforms.

A few of the young people from there attended the dance given by Robert Bishop, of Greenwich, on Thursday evening, Nov. 13th.

Messrs. Ira Gates, Robert Watson and Norman Chase left this morning for Quebec, where they will remain for the winter.

Mr. Justin Gates has recently been on a business trip to Great Village. Miss Margaret Hibbert, of Halifax, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Bedford Chase.

Mrs. Margaret Beanson recently motored to Halifax where she spent a few days with friends.

Mr. Charles Collins had the misfortune to fall and break his arm but is improving.

We are sorry to learn that Master Lawrence Gates is on the sick list.

Mr. F. E. Daniels, of the Royal Bank staff, spent the week end at his home at Lawrenceville, Annapolis County.

Mr. K. F. Hibbert, of Halifax, visited at the village recently when attending the funeral of Mrs. Hibbert's aunt, Mrs. W. H. Chase.

Rev. Gordon C. Brown, rector of St. John's church, and Messrs. J. R. Starr and John Donaldson are attending the Synod meetings at Halifax this week.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held Tuesday afternoon in the Citizens Hall. There was a large attendance. After the election of officers and a lengthy business session, an interesting address was delivered by Dr. W. R. Elliott, of Wolfville. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

GREENWICH

Mrs. Leslie Dakin entertained a number of her friends of the west end on last Monday evening—Thanksgiving at her home. A very pleasant social evening was enjoyed. During the evening, Mrs. William Curry, one of the guests, met with a great surprise, when she was presented with one dozen lovely china cups and saucers, as a slight token of appreciation of the great pleasure she had so frequently given her friends with her lovely contralto voice.

Miss Isabel Meek, of Upper Perseus, arrived last Tuesday afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Dexter Forsythe, returning home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Forsythe, accompanied by Mrs. Charlotte Bishop and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Merry, motored to Halifax last Wednesday, returning the same day.

Mrs. Charles Forsythe, accompanied by Mrs. James Robertson, of North Kingston, spent a couple of days last week in Halifax.

Mr. Charles Patterson, of Lawrenceville, Annapolis County, arrived last Friday to pay a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bishop.

Messrs. Philip and Robert Bishop entertained a few of their friends at their home last Thursday evening with dancing, their aunt, Miss Lilian Bishop, being chaperone during the absence of their mother.

Miss Lillian Bishop and Miss Winona Betts jointly entertained at the home of the former the members of the choir of our church, the wives and husbands and a few other friends also being invited. Delicious refreshments were served during the evening and a most enjoyable evening of games, conversation and piano and vocal music was spent by all. Our pastor, Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, and Mrs. Hemmeon, of Wolfville, were also among the guests present.

Alce Bishop spent the week end at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Forsythe, Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Bishop, accompanied by the former's father, Mr. Humphrey Bishop, and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bishop, motored to Windsor on Sunday morning, returning in the evening, Mr. Humphrey Bishop stopping at Hantsport to spend the day with his sister, Mrs. Z. L. Fash, at the Baptist parsonage.

Mr. E. L. Currie, of Acadia, preached here in Methodist church on Sunday afternoon, delivering an able and most interesting sermon and one worth while.

A good number from here went over to Port Williams Sunday evening and enjoyed the service at the Baptist church.

An interesting report of the Tuxis Boys

PROF. L. S. KLINCK



President of the University of British Columbia, who represented the Universities of Western Canada at ceremonies in connection with the formal opening of the new buildings of the University of Western Ontario at London. Prof. Klinck and nine other prominent Canadians, who have distinguished themselves by their interest in higher education, were honored with degrees.

conference, recently held in Windsor, was given by four of the boys.

A few from here attended and enjoyed the address and pictures on Wembley, England, by Miss Hubbard, Sunday evening in the Baptist church, Wolfville.

Miss Kathleen Fraser, of Belle Isle, Annapolis County, who was a delegate of the Sons of Temperance, Grand Division, held at Halifax last week, stopped off on her return home on Saturday and spent the week end with her brother, Mr. Borden Fraser, who is assistant at the station here, going on to her home on Monday.

Mrs. Burpee Bishop and Mrs. Grace Andrew returned home Monday afternoon from a five days "camping out" at Sunken Lake, enjoying their stay there very much. Bravo! to them, and the writer heartily endorses the idea and writes if more of the over-tired ladies would "flee to the woods" for a rest and change in the midst of nature and quiet surroundings, it would be the "best ever" for them.

At the Orpheum next Wednesday and Thursday.

Brother—"Say, sis, I want to introduce old Smithers."
Sister—"Is he a good dancer?"
Brother—"I dunno about that," but his dad owns a chocolate factory."
Judge—"Why did you steal the man's watch?"
Prisoner—"I'm cross-eyed, Judge, and I put my hand in his pocket by mistake. I only wanted to know the time."
Judge—"Three years."
Teacher—"Johnny, give me a sentence using the word diadem."
Johnny—"People who drink bootleggers' whiskey diadem sight quicker than those who don't."

"THE LIGHT THAT FAILED" HAS ALL THE ELEMENTS OF APPEAL

One of the finest screen dramas of the current picture season is said to be George Melford's Paramount production "The Light That Failed", based on Rudyard Kipling's celebrated story. Jacqueline Logan, Percy Marmon, Sigrid Holmquist and David Torrence are featured.

The story deals with Dick Helder and Maisie Wells, two children in England who love each other. When they reach their majority, Helder is a failure as an artist in Port Said and Maisie lives in a land of dreams in England. Although he loves Maisie Wells, played by Sigrid Holmquist, Dick, played by Percy Marmon, will not return to England. An uprising among the tribesmen in the Sudan gives Dick an opportunity to

FROM PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS TO PENITENTIARY



In all Canadian history no case has attracted attention like the revelations of the Public Accounts Committee in the Ontario Legislature. Corruption and wrong-doing was discovered and the arm of the law pounced down on the offenders. In the upper left is shown the Parliament Buildings of Ontario, at Toronto, where for seventeen years Charles A. Matthews, Jr. (upper right) was employed as Deputy Provincial Treasurer. Peter Smith (lower left) was Provincial Treasurer in the late government. While the Public Accounts Committee was delving into books of the Province and announcing startling disclosures, Matthews disappeared. Several months later he was apprehended in California and soon found himself back in Toronto to face a trial on several charges. A Jury found him guilty of a breach of the Secret Commissions Act and also of receiving "gifts". He is now in the Toronto Jail (lower right) waiting to be taken to Portsmouth Penitentiary to commence a two year term. Peter Smith was found guilty of conspiracy to defraud the Province in certain bond deals and has commenced a three-year term in the same institution.

send home a series of sketches which made him famous.

Returning to England after the campaign, Dick discovers he is a great figure in art circles. He finds the girl he loves and is on the eve of doing something really worth while in art when his eyesight fails as the result of wounds received in Egypt. The effect of Dick's blindness ramifies through the lives of several persons. The story shows how each meets the situation which has developed. The action of the picture includes battle scenes in the Egyptian desert, night life in Port Said and many interesting events in London.

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| Graham Flour, 6 lbs for 35c. | Cheese (Old) ... 24c. |
| Currants ... 17c. pkg. | Special Blend Bulk Tea ... 66c. per lb. |
| Schwartz Coffee, 5 lb. can ... \$1.90 | Morse's Orange Pekoe Tea ... 78c. lb. |
| Bulk Cocoa, 2 lbs for 25c. | Jello ... 3 pkgs. for 25c. |
| Prunes ... 2 lbs. for 25c. | Tally-Ho Coffee, 1 lb. tins ... 52c. |

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