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BEAR RIVER

Mrs. Charles Harris, who, for the past seven weeks, has been visiting relatives and friends in Boston, returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. Varon Jones, who had been visiting his mother, Mrs. S. B. Jones, left for Boston on Friday.

Mr. George Ross arrived from Boston on Friday.

Mrs. Frederick Dimars arrived home on Tuesday from Clementsport, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. F. Bacon.

Mr. George Peck, of the "S. S." Bear River, is spending a month at home. His place is being taken by Captain Harry Moore.

On Thursday evening, Jan. 25th, there will be a fancy dress carnival in Evangeline Rink. Four prizes are offered—two for adults and two for children.

On account of the death of the late S. S. Bear River was unable to make her weekly trip to St. John last week.

Dr. Willard Parker, who has been spending several weeks with his family here, left for West Medford, Mass. on Tuesday.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist Church was held at the home of Mrs. F. A. Chalmers on Tuesday evening. All reported a pleasant evening spent.

UPPER GRANVILLE

Report says Mr. Herbert Marshall has sold his farm and proposes buying a smaller place.

Mr. Ralph Henson, who has been visiting his aunts across seas for educational uplift, has enjoyed many delightful auto drives viewing chief cities and sights therein. He is expected home shortly to visit his parents.

Mrs. Bernard Elmsor is spending a month at her old home near Amherst. Whooping cough with measles are going the rounds, attacking some adults quite seriously.

Apples are being re-packed and sent forward for English market.

The "Ice Harvest" has been somewhat detained by depth of snow. The recent thaw will help matters and will probably find "Killy Bros." at their post on the pond shortly. January has done its full duty this year in giving us severe cold, heaps of snow, with ancient drifts. Some of us hope that "Spring is not far behind."

PORT WADE

Mrs. Melbourne Crosscup, of Bear River, was the week-end guest of her daughter, Miss May Crosscup, at Chestnut Cottage.

Margaret Ryder came home Saturday from St. John after an absence of some weeks with her sister there.

Mr. David Hayden is still on the sick list. Dr. Smith is in attendance.

Mr. Edmund Mussett is also on the sick list. We hope to see these neighbours out again soon.

A big rain and thaw is in progress at the time of writing. The snow has reduced to about half and there is a fine chance again for getting wood and lumber.

Mrs. Cobbett and Miss Catherine Cronin returned home last week from their visit at the "Pines", Digby.

Winter Hard on Baby

The winter season is a hard one on the baby. He is more or less confined to stuffy, badly ventilated rooms. It is so often stormy that the mother does not get him out in the fresh air as often as she should. He catches colds which rack his little system; his stomach and bowels get out of order and he becomes peevish and cross. To guard against this the mother should keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house. They regulate the stomach and bowels and break up colds. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Henry C. Bruce.

At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maynard Oakes, Albany, Anna Co., N. S., early Sunday morning, Dec. 31st, 1922, Lavenia, widow of the late Henry C. Bruce, passed into the Great Beyond, at the age of 79 years.

The deceased was of English descent, a daughter of Allan and Maria Cropper; was born at Prince Albert, October 8th, 1843, and was the last of her generation.

The parents moved to Nictaux, when she was two years old, and at an early age she united with the Nictaux Baptist Church. She was twice married. Early bereft of her first husband, Isaac Milberry, and their lovely little daughter, Lily Dale, she resumed her position as a teacher in the public schools and continued teaching till married several years later to her second husband, Henry C. Bruce, of West Brookville, who predeceased her only seven months ago.

She was a woman of exceptional abilities, refined by nature, cultured and enterprising; most hospitable in her home, with her heart and hand ever open to the needy, the late Mrs. Bruce had a host of friends. Always cheerful and optimistic, she overcame life's trials and troubles, and was as a shining light and a source of strength to those who knew and loved her. Never robust, and exceedingly fragile, the last few years of her life, she never murmured or complained, bearing her infirmities with wonderful fortitude. The end, though not wholly unlooked for, came as a shock to her relatives and friends, as she had been confined to her bed but one week.

The funeral services were conducted at her late home in Albany, Rev. A. H. Whitman of Lawrenceport, preached a beautiful and impressive sermon from the text Job, 16th 22nd, "When a few more years are come, then I shall go the way whence I shall not return."

The music which was well rendered, was most appropriate. The hymns sung were: "Safe in the Arms of Jesus", "Sometime We'll Understand" and "After the Toll and Trouble there Cometh a Day of Rest."

The floral tributes were beautiful. The remains were conveyed by Undertaker Kopp to the Pine Grove cemetery, Middleton, N. S., and laid to rest beside those of her late husband, to await the Resurrection Morn.

Besides the many who will mourn the loss of a true friend, she leaves two sons and two daughters, Harry Bruce, Brooklyn, Anna Co.; Johnson Bruce, Centre, Anna Co.; Cora (Mrs. Deal) Cross Island, Lunenburg Co., and Minnie (Mrs. Maynard Oakes) Albany, Anna Co., to whom the loss is irreparable as she was unselfish, untrusting in her ministrations of love, a devoted mother, faithful in all things, both great and small.

She also leaves twelve grand children, and six great grand children.

Almost the last words she spoke were: "We'll meet again; yes! we'll all meet again, over there", leaving with the bereaved ones the comforting assurance that their loss is her eternal gain.

"We shall meet beyond the River, Where the surges cease to roll; Where in all the bright forever, Sorrow ne'er shall press the soil!"

McMILLAN WILL GO NORTH AGAIN

Boston.—Donald B. McMillan, Arctic Explorer, expects to sail about July 1st to establish permanent scientific stations in the northern part of Labrador for the purpose of studying terrestrial magnetism and atmospheric electricity, he said at the annual dinner of Boston members of the Bowdoin College alumni association.

The first expedition consisting of scientists would sail on the steamer Bowdoin, named after the college and be away a year. The Carnegie Institute, he said, and other scientific bodies have endorsed the project.

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The rate charged for insurance is only about one-half that of joint stock companies, and yet at this low rate they have paid all losses and working expenses and accumulated a Surplus of \$28,449.77 which, together with the Premium Reserve of \$25,502.80, stands to the credit of the policyholders, and from which the Insurance Company has a good income. The interest on these funds, invested in legal investments for trust funds, amounts to \$2,431.10 and provides for the salaries and general expenses of the Company.

The Company has had a year of heavy losses, but notwithstanding this is able to show a small balance on the right side of the account for the year's operations. It is one of several companies started in Berwick which have proved successful.

Balance Sheet for Year Ending December 31st, 1922.

Liabilities:	
Unearned Premium Reserve	\$25,502.80
Reserve, 1922	999.04
Surplus	\$26,502.80
Profit, 1922	28,449.77
	556.73
Assets:	
Cash on hand	\$ 250.80
Cash in R. Bank	1,092.68
Cash in Savings Bank	2,261.74
Bills Receivable	276.15
Agents' Balances	816.88
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Office Furniture & Fittings	542.50
Inventory—Fire Extinguishers	228.24
Investments:	
Mortgages & Int.	\$23,619.35
City of Halifax Bonds	2,944.80
Province of N. S.	990.00
Town of Middleton	1,915.14
Town of Glace Bay	879.52
City of Sydney	2,753.62
Town of Yarmouth	3,377.50
War Bonds	10,580.00
	\$47,059.94
Int. Accrued, Investments & Mort.	950.37
	\$55,509.30 55,509.30
Profit and Loss—	
BY—	
Premiums	\$2,208.20
Less Unearned Prem. Carried to Reserve	999.04
	22,209.16
Int. on Savings and Notes	107.41
Int. on Bonds	1,051.17
Int. on Mortgages	1,272.52
Extra Premiums	79.25
Fire Extinguishers	20.28
TO—	
Fire Losses	18,243.50
Investigations	156.31
Returned Prem.	1,002.95
Gen. Expense	1,092.67
Salary, Manager	400.00
Salary, Office	938.50
Commissions	2,374.32
Depreciation Furniture & Fittings	55.81
Balance—Profit	556.73
	\$24,820.79 24,820.79
By Balance—Profit	\$ 556.73
Audited and Certified: ROBERT CARTER, C. A., Auditor	

CURRENCY OF RISKS

Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1922

Written previous to 1922 \$3,981,985.75

Written in 1922

Renewals (not included in above) \$ 894,875

New Insurance 1,347,365

2,342,240.00

Total Insurance in force December 31, 1922 ... \$6,224,225.75

"Dreams never cause me a moment's thought," said a townsman to some friend while standing inside a store. Yet he turned and became very much interested when one walked by.—Alliston Herald.

LAWRENCETOWN BAPTIST CHURCH ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

Reports of Encouraging Nature in All Departments of Work.

The Annual Business Meeting of the Lawrenceport Baptist Church was held on Tuesday, Jan. 9th, at 2 p.m. in the Church Vestry. The meeting was well attended all sections of the church field being represented. After the reading of the Minutes of the last Annual Meeting, reports of a particularly encouraging nature were submitted as follows:—

Financial—Deacon T. G. Bishop, Memorial Organ—L. D. Hanley, W. M. A. S., Lawrenceport—Mrs. D. M. Balcom, W. M. A. S., Williamston—Mrs. B. M. Shankel, W.M.A.S., Inglisville—Mrs. L. M. Beals.

Parsonage Verandah—Pastor A. H. Whitman.

Missions—Alton Brown, Sunday School, Lawrenceport—T. G. Bishop, Sunday School, Williamston—W. A. Hunt, Sunday School, Inglisville—F. W. Naugler, Board of Trustees—Dea. W. B. McKeown.

Music—Mrs. R. J. Shaffner.

The report of the Finance Committee in view of the extra demands upon the Treasury during the year was gratifying, there being a sufficient sum on hand and covered by subscriptions to fully meet all liabilities.

The report of the Parsonage Verandah Committee was also encouraging—provision having been made to meet balance yet due. The addition of the new verandah to the parsonage property is a decided improvement to the appearance of the building and meets a real need.

About one hundred dollars was reported on hand for Denominational Funds.

The new Memorial Organ costing \$350 had been largely paid for and this beautiful instrument, besides being a fine addition to church property, is considered a worthy memorial to the soldier boys who offered their lives to the great cause of Liberty.

The W. M. A. Societies of Lawrenceport, Williamston and Inglisville had done splendid work, several new members and life members having united with the Societies and over \$500 having been contributed for Missions during the year.

The three Sunday Schools of the church field at Lawrenceport, Williamston and Inglisville were making praiseworthy progress overcoming difficulties, instituting new methods and increasing their contributions for Missions. One of the best and most profitable meetings held during the year was the Workers' Conference at Lawrenceport and Williamston which meets monthly for the consideration of Sunday School methods and problems.

The report of the Executive Committee was read by Mr. T. G. Bishop and was considered, clause by clause. By a standing vote the people unambiguously expressed their confidence in their pastor, by renewing the call to the pastorate for another year.

Similar expressions of confidence and appreciation were made in the re-appointment to the office of Clerk of Deacon T. G. Bishop, who has most efficiently performed his duties of that position for over 25 years, and to Deacon W. B. McKeown, who was re-elected to the office of Deacon which position he has filled with honour and satisfaction for over forty years. Mr. B. M. Shankel was recommended to the office of Deacon, which was passed unambiguously.

Hearty and unanimous votes of thanks were tendered to Mrs. Ralph J. Shaffner for her efficient and valuable services as church organist. To Mr. W. B. Bishop, of Halifax, for his splendid gift of 125 American Baptist Hymnals for the regular church services, and to Mr. Horton Pinney, of Wolfville, for his substantial donation toward the new Memorial Organ.

The Pastor's report expressed satisfaction and gratitude to God for the fine spirit of co-operation which had been manifested during the year, the members being willing and unselfish. His purpose was to minister as faithfully as possible to the 200 families of the church field. During the year he had made nearly 400 calls, conducted 140 preaching services, 96 Prayer meetings, 13 communion services—and had baptized 18 candidates having received these and several others by letter into the fellowship of the church.

The meeting closed with prayer by our Senior Deacon, W. B. McKeown, all pronouncing it one of the best annual meetings held in the Lawrenceport church in recent years.

HISTORIC MONUMENT

In Pictou town during the "Ship Hector" celebration in July 1922 a "Hector Monument" is to be erected. It is to be in the form of a Highlander, gun in hand and an axe over his shoulder. The designer is John Wilson, a well-known sculptor now in New York and formerly of New Glasgow.

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