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Scenario by A. P. Younger.

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The above production will be shown on the screen for the benefit of Mr. F. W. Harris, who so unfortunately lost his home by fire on New Year's Night

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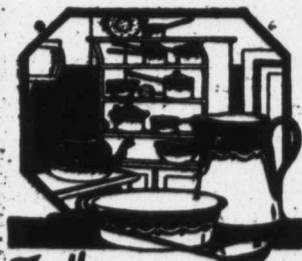
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PERSONALS

Miss Clara Floyd, Antigonish, N. S. was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Doyle of Boiestown were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. B. O'Donnell, Messrs. D. P. Doyle and H. W. Doyle, today for dinner to attend a meeting of the Farmers and Dairyman's Association.

Mr. James Donovan leaves this week for Montreal where he will enter Royal Victoria Hospital for eye treatment.

Mrs. George F. McWilliam has returned from Moncton after spending an enjoyable visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Craig.

Miss Mary Storer, who has been the guest of the Misses Damsie and Reba Sproul has returned to her home in Bathurst.

Mr. Hudson Sproul who has been spending his vacation at his home here has returned to Boston to resume his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Anslow of Campbellton spent Friday and Saturday the guests of Mrs. Anslow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Corbett, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ritchie and family have returned from Woodstock, where they spent the holidays with Mrs. Ritchie's parents, Hon. W. P. and Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. McNulty Stothart, (nee Hazel O'Donnell) are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter at the Miramichi Hospital, on Wednesday, Jan. 7th.

Miss Marion Rundle left Friday for Moncton where she has accepted a position in the actuarial department of the Sun Life Insurance Co. Rev. A. Brock Humphreys and Mr. A. F. Blason of Campbellton were in town last Wednesday attending a deanery meeting.

LOCAL GOVT.
CONVENTION IN
GLOUCESTER JAN 21

The writ for the bye-election to the vacancy in Gloucester county's representation in the Provincial Legislature, created by the elevation of Hon. James P. Byrne, former Attorney General, to the Supreme Court bench, will probably be issued during or immediately after the meeting of the Provincial Government in Fredericton next week. It is expected that polling date will be fixed for a date in February.

It is also understood that steps are being taken to call a Govt. party convention to lay the foundation for a complete county organization and also for the election of a candidate. Wednesday, January 21st, will be the date of the convention and the expectation is that Hon. Ivan C. Rand, recently appointed Attorney General will be tendered nomination as the Govt. Party's standard bearer.

NOTICE

Unless the School Taxes as stated below are paid to the undersigned with costs for advertising, proceedings will be taken to recover same.

YEAR	AMOUNT
1922	\$3.75
1923	3.90
1924	3.45

YEAR	AMOUNT
1922	\$6.00
1923	\$5.20
1924	4.60

YEAR	AMOUNT
1922	\$15.80

IKA B. BREHAUT,
Sec'y School Trustees
Doughfield, N.B.
Jan. 13th 1925

OBITUARY

JOHN C. VICKERS

Many friends will regret to learn of the death of John C. Vickers, a highly respected citizen of Blackville, which occurred at his home on Sunday morning, January 4th after an illness of four months.

Deceased was in his 64th year and is survived by his wife, nee Mary Ann O'Connell, two sons, Melvin and Bernard and four daughters, Kathleen; Bernadette; R.N.; Ada and Helen all at home who mourn the loss of a loving husband and father. Also surviving are one brother, Everett of Nelson and four sisters, Reverend Sister Mary Ann, Hotel Dieu Chatham; Mrs. Daniel MacAdam, Gardiner, Me; Mrs. Martin Murphy, Newcastle and Miss Charlotte, R. N. of St. Petersburg, Florida.

MRS. THEODORE LOGAN

The many friends in Newcastle will hear with regret the sad news received by Mr. Clement Ryan of the death of his sister, Mrs. Theodore Logan which occurred at her home in Portland, Me. on Dec. 30th after an illness of about three weeks.

Deceased was born in Newcastle and was formerly Miss Mary Ryan daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ryan. Besides her husband, two sons and three daughters, Mrs. Logan leaves to mourn her loss six brothers and two sisters, as follows: Joseph of Seattle, Wis. Morris of Stillwater, Minn. Frank and Ambrose of Portland, Me; Jas. and Clement of Newcastle; Mrs. E. K' Curry and Agnes of Portland, Me. Friends in Newcastle extend their heartfelt sympathy to the entire family in their sad bereavement.

NINA KATHLEEN MATCHETT

The death of Nina Kathleen Matchett occurred at her home in Sunny Corner on Saturday evening, Jan. 3rd aged 8 yrs and 6 months, after a short illness of four days, due to bowel trouble.

Kathleen was a bright smart girl and a prominent member of Sunday School and Mission Band, her attendance at school was perfect. Besides her parents she leaves to mourn one sister Jean and three brothers, Lee; Gordon and Delbert all at home. The funeral was held Monday morning at 10 o'clock which was very largely attended. Services were conducted at the house and grave by Rev. Wm. Girdwood. The hymns sung were "Jesus Loves Me", and "Jesus Loves the Little Children." The pall bearers were her four uncles: Hutton, Walter and Melvin Matchett and Wilbur Dunnnett. Interment in St. Stephen's Cemetery Red Bank.

Its hard for us to be bereft
Of her we dearly love,
Her angel face we never shall see,
Until we meet above.And when her latest moments came
We watched her dying face,
To catch that bright and Heavenly smile,

That o'er it we could trace.

Death came and wrapped his garments round

Her weak and fluttering heart

And this was why she was called

so soon

From those she loved to part.

Her body lies in your churchyard,

That form we loved so well

But angels bore her spirit home

Is mansions bright to dwell.

Mrs. J. A. MacDonald

The death occurred at the Miramichi Lodge, Blissett, Thursday night, of Mrs. Charlotte MacDonald wife J. A. MacDonald, aged 48 years. Mrs. MacDonald with her husband left their own home recently to reside at Miramichi Lodge while her son, Dr. J. W. MacDonald

and Mrs. MacDonald were in Boston for the winter. She had suffered from heart trouble but nothing serious was anticipated until a few days ago when pneumonia developed and her condition could not throw it off. Her death will be sincerely regretted as she was beloved by all who knew her. She is survived by her husband, four daughters, Mrs. H. K. Geiser, Boston; Mrs. Russell Clark, Washington; Mrs. William Underhill, and Mrs. Ellis Mercereau, of Blackville, and three sons, Willard; of Boiestown; Earl, Jacquet River and Dr. F. W. MacDonald, of Boston.

BORN IN 1825

The death of Miss Maggie Connors, North Esk, Northumberland County, took place at Sunny Corner, after an illness of a few days. The deceased was born at Boom Road in 1825 and lived there all her life until the past 12 years, during which time she made her home with John Connors. She was a member of the Baptist Church and leaves one niece, Mrs. Bella Anderson of Newcastle and one nephew, Mont Connors of Boom Road.

Keep The Work
For Canadians

In the eleven months ending with November Canada's exports of pulpwood totalled 1,180,777 cords, of which the value is \$12,886,192. The finished product into which this Canadian raw material is to be made is paper, most of it newsprint. The turning of the wood into paper will cost about seven times the price paid for it in Canada. That is to say, the process of manufacture to which this Canadian pulpwood is to be subjected in the United States will add about \$80,000,000 to its value. Why is the benefit of this wealth-producing lost to Canada? To convert the \$12,000,000 worth of Canadian pulpwood into \$80,000,000 worth of paper, it is necessary to send the raw material into the United States. We have pulp mills and paper mills in Canada. In the past eleven months their output of paper in one form or another amounted to about the same sum as the American product of the exported pulpwood will amount to that is, \$80,000,000. Why favor United States mills and United States wage-earners when we have industries of our own to sustain? Naturally the United States prefers to buy pulpwood from us as far as possible, rather than paper. It is thereby enabled to give employment at home and to spread millions in wages among its own workers. If Canada kept its pulpwood for its own mills our neighbor would have to buy twice as much paper from us as it now buys, and our own workers and our own business circles would receive the benefit of the additional money distributed in wages on that account. We must conserve our pulpwood resources for the benefit of our own expanding paper industry. If we do not, the spruce forests of the country will cease to be the support of any industry and our condition as a pulp and paper manufacturing country will become as precarious as is that of the United States.

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 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.

Halifax Holds
McLennan Cup
Against Truro

The Halifax Curling Club held the McLennan cup against Truro at Halifax, Wednesday Night with a combined score of 71 to 56. The score by skips were as follows: C. J. Kerr, Halifax, 20; J. J. Coulson, Truro, 17; Murray McNeil, Halifax, 25; F. Dexter, Truro, 6; H. St. C. Silver, Halifax, 12; C. F. Cox, Truro, 17; M. McF. Hall, Halifax, 16; F. L. Snook, Truro, 16.

Fire Losses in N. B.
Over \$1,600,000 in 1924

Fire losses in New Brunswick in 1924 will total more than the previous year, when they reached the \$1,600,000 mark; but will be less than \$2,000,000, according to an estimate by Chief Fire Marshal H. H. McLellan.

Delay has been experienced in completing the compilation of official returns because of a number of losses at the year-end, including that at Fredericton, for which returns are not available. He also pointed out that in 1922 the fire losses in New Brunswick totalled \$3,000,000.

Willing To Share It

A young man took a valuable watch to be repaired. The watch maker debated about the price of the repairs, but finally agreed that the charge should be half of what the watch cost the young man.

In a week's time the young man called for the watch. He put it in his pocket and was about to leave the shop when the repairer said:—

"Half a moment. You haven't paid me half of what the watch cost you."

"Oh," said the young man "that watch cost me six months hard labor!"

HAVE REACHED AGREEMENT

An agreement has been reached by Great Britain and the United States on the Reparation Problem. There is general satisfaction that through the agreement America becomes one of the contracting parties to the Dawes Plan. The British are said to have scored a success in having the army cost payments spread over a period of twenty yrs.; dating from May 1923. The figures as to the amount the United States is to receive was not disclosed, while Britain would not accept the figures of \$350,000,000 for U.S. war damage.

Kellogg, Envoy
To London, To Get
Portfolio of State

Washington, Jan. 11.—Charles Evans Hughes has resigned as Secretary of State and will be succeeded by Frank B. Kellogg of Minnesota now ambassador to Great Britain.

The resignation of Mr. Hughes will be effective March 4th when he completes four years as head of the State Department. Mr. Kellogg is expected to take office immediately afterwards.

Mr. Hughes it was said desired after 20 years of public life, interrupted only for a short period to return to private life.

PRESIDENT PRAISES HIM

The President, accepting the decision, expressed regret; praised the retiring Secretary's record since he took charge of the country's foreign affairs four years ago and bespoke for him a "well-merited repose" after the cares of public responsibility.

Announcement of the impending change was heard with surprise. Mr. Hughes had indicated that he desired some time in the future to leave public office and recoup his private fortunes by resuming his practice of law but some of those nearest him in official life believe he would remain at least another year.

WILL ACCEPT

Paris, Jan. 11 Frank B. Kellogg the United States ambassador to the court of St. James will accept the post of Secretary of State tendered him by President Coolidge on the resignation of Charles Evans Hughes.