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PIONEER PASSES IN 50TH WEDDING YEAR.

[illegible] the pastor in his buggy on route to the farm, the journey being was somewhat later than intended. There was an important turnout of farmers of the district for miles around. The immediate relatives present included three sons and one daughter, and the widow, as well as Mrs. Herb. Kathrens and family of Calgary.

The deceased pioneer was 71 years of age, and his passing was due to [illegible] different ailments of old age, being the result of a fall. During his last illness he suffered little pain, and passed away while sleeping. Mr. and Mrs. Kathrens visited the home of the deceased, Howard, at Port Stanley, in two months last winter, returning apparently in the best of health.

The late Wm. Kathrens was born in Bridgetown, N.S., in 1850. Removing to Boston, Mass., he learned the carpentering trade and was a Boston contractor for years, and married there, in 1874, this being the golden wedding anniversary year. Returning to Prince Edward Island, he farmed there for some twenty years, but came to California later, in 1907, with his eldest son, Howard, he settled in Southern Alberta, in the Spring Coulee near Pincher Springs, till 1919. In the fall of 1907 the family and [illegible] pioneers, most [illegible] lived in the vicinity till some years back.

Surviving members of the family are the widow and Howard, formerly of Taber, later a sailor on the North Pacific, and now manager of a 12-acre fruit ranch, on Island in Puget Sound; Herbert, railway mail clerk, Calgary, on the Calgary-Moose Jaw run, who brought his wife and family down to the funeral; William, formerly of Taber, now managing the farm; and Mrs. Geo. Sherbourne, eldest of the family, of Purple Springs. Mrs. S. Shawcross, of Taber, deceased, was another daughter.

Besides these he leaves two brothers and two sisters, Benson Kathrens, and Mrs. Aurelia Smith, Phinney Cove, Serena of Fitchburg, and Howard of Needham, Mass.

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U. S. DRY NAVY COST $60,000,000 TO OPERATE.

More than $60,000,000 will be the cost of enforcing the prohibition laws [illegible] United States officially went into effect [illegible] if Congress authorizes the proposed $11,000,000 appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1926.

Every year since 1920, when the dry laws went into effect, the bill for prohibition enforcement has steadily increased, until now it has practically tripled.

The appropriations total $58,350,000. To them must be added the bonus for salaries allowed soon after the war, and continuing until the present time, through the reclassification of federal pay, the increase will be absorbed in the fiscal years for which Congress is now appropriating. These bonuses, totalled $3,352,458, which added to the total of the congressional allowances of $58,350,000, make a grand total of $62,002,458.

Under the treasury bill, which recommends the $11,000,000 appropriation, this would be all that could be spent by the prohibition unit to enforce the laws, but it will not be the entire sum spent by all government agencies in this force risk for the reason that the constituent bureaus [illegible] $9,340,275 be segregated from [illegible] $89,967.

[illegible] Dell, of Lake Paradise, and Miss Mae Wright, of Bridgetown, were married on Christmas Day, December 24th, 1924, Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell will live in Jacksonville, where Mr. O'Dell is a member of the Southern Hardware and Bicycle Company, 235 East Bay street, Jacksonville, Fla.

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Personal Mention

(Continued from Page One)

Mr. Billy Nickerson, of Yarmouth, spent the week-end in Bridgetown as guest of Mr. Earle Lowe.

Miss Esther Burgess, who has spent the past month visiting friends in Bridgetown, returned to Boston, Friday.

Mr. Earle Lowe, who has been visiting friends in Yarmouth, has returned home.

Erwin Ruggles has been confined to his room for some days, threatened with pneumonia. His friends are pleased to learn that his health is gradually improving.

Misses Irma and Josepha Hicks of Lynn, Mass., who were here attending the funeral of their father, Mr. David Hicks, returned home on Friday.

Misses Greta and Dorothy Bent of Waterville went to Paradise last week to spend a few days with relatives.—(Register.)

Mr. Harry McKenzie returned last week from a trip to Montreal and Toronto. He found a feeling of optimism prevailing with regard to business the present year.

Mr. D. M. Hall of St. Croix Cove, was a visitor in town on Tuesday and paid the Monitor office a pleasant call.

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PATIENCE WITH THE LIVING

Sweet friend when thou and I are gone
Beyond earth's weary labor,
When small shall be our need of grace
From creature or from neighbor;
Passed all the strife, the toil the care
And done with all the sighing—
What tender truth shall we have gained,
Alas, by simple dying!

Then lips too chary of their praise
Will tell our merits over,
And eyes too swift our faults to see
Shall new aspects discover;
Then hands that would not hurt a stone,
Where stones were thick to cumber
Our steep hill path will scatter flowers
Across our pillowed slumber.

Sweet friend, perchance, both thou and I,
Ere love is past forgiving,
Should take the earnest lesson home,
Be patient with the living;
To-day's repressed rebuke may save
Our blinding tears tomorrow,
Then patience even with keenest edge
May whet a nameless sorrow!

'Tis easy to be gentle when
Death's silence shames our clamor,
And easy to discern the best
Through memory's mystic glamor
But wise to-day for you and me,
Ere love is past forgiving,
To take the earnest lesson home—
Be patient with the living.

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MARRIED.

O'Dell—Phillips.

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Local Happenings

[illegible] Rev. Robert Miller, to become pastor of the United Church, Methodist and Presbyterian, at Liverpool, for a term beginning July 1925. Mr. Rackham is a talented preacher, and gifted singer, has occupied a number of important charges in Nova Scotia Conference, among them Wolfville, Springhill and Riverport. He is a native of Amherst, where he received his common and high school education. After attending Mount Allison University, where he was graduated in Arts, he went to Victoria College, Toronto, for a post graduate course in theology. Mr. Rackham is the [illegible] Treasurer of the Nova Scotia Young Meeting Association, and also holds the position of Conference Evangelist.

We have it on the authority of a newspaper down south that the crossword puzzle originated with a crazy college professor confined in a lunatic asylum. He evolved the idea from the tiling of a floor laid with a checker-board pattern. He called the attention of the keepers to the new game and they became so interested that in a short time they were crazy too. The floor was subsequently taken up and replaced with another design, but not until the damage had been done.

The St. James Church Monthly Bible Class Social Gathering which, under ordinary circumstances would be taking place this evening, is postponed until next Monday evening, when it will be held in conjunction with the annual parish meeting.

The service in St. Mary's church, Bellisle, next Sunday afternoon will commence at two o'clock and be followed by the annual congregational meeting.

Next Monday is the day fixed by statute for the holding of Church of England annual business meetings in the Diocese of Nova Scotia. The meeting for the parish of Bridgetown will be held in St. James church schoolroom, commencing at 7.30 p.m. and be followed by a social hour.

On Tuesday evening next Middleton Hockey team is to play in the rink here and there is to be a dance after the game.

The Women's Institute, Lower Granville, will meet on the evening of Friday, Jan. 16th at the home of Mrs. James E. Thorne.

The County Council is in session at Annapolis this week.

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GRANVILLE CENTRE.

Our teachers, having spent their holidays at their various homes here have returned to their schools.

Mr. J. Russel Withers has returned from Newton, Mass., where he spent Xmas with his daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gilliatt of Trenton, Picton Co., spent their vacation at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gilliatt.

Mrs. Alice J. Withers of Tupperville is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Eaton.

Miss Florence Karnes and Mr. Walter Calnek, students at the Normal College, Truro, have returned to their studies.

Mr. Ivan S. Troop of the General Electric schools, Lynn, Mass., spent Xmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Troop.

Miss Joyce Ovans, who has spent several months in Halifax, is spending the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ovans.

Mr. Stanton Tarsch of New Glasgow, spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. W. [illegible] Albury.

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ORITUARY.

Ralph Murray Oliver.

Digby: There passed away at his home, Jan. 3rd, after a long illness, Ralph Murray Oliver, second son of the late M. L. and S. Emily Oliver, in the 59th year of his age. For many years he followed the carpenter trade and was also a dealer in antiques, much of which he sold to tourists. He possessed the finest collection of antiques in this part of the country. Mr. Oliver was a close student of civic affairs and always took a deep interest in anything that stood for the welfare of Digby. He is survived by one brother, William, and two sisters, Beatrice and Gertrude, also a niece, Dorothy L. Oliver, of New York.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon, with interment at Forest Hill cemetery.

CLEMENTSPORT

"QUEEN OF THE BASIN"

It is some time since you have heard from our section, we assure you we have not forgotten you, and join by wishing you, Mr. Editor and your staff a happy and prosperous New Year.

In common with the rest of the world things have been happening here of more or less interest. At present every one who ventures out with out creepers is having a most interesting time of it and giving the spectators one also. We have the Glacial Period with us again.

It was a surprise and a grief to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hardwick to learn that on Monday night last they lost their barn by fire with a pair of oxen, a fine cow and two other head of cattle, and all the hays and contents. It took place between 11 and 12 p.m. and when discovered by Mr. Reg. Thomas, who was up with his sick mother. It was so far in her way that nothing could be done to save the barn and in fact it was very difficult the other buildings in the vicinity were saved. This is a great loss to Mr. Hardwick as there was no insurance.

Pulpwood and stave wood are coming in in spite of icy roads. Capt. Elias Rawding is buying the pulpwood, for Mr. Bailey of the Lincoln Pulp Co. Bangor, Maine.

Just before closing for the holidays the teachers and scholars of the school gave a very fine concert in Ely Hall with a Christmas tree. The hall was packed and all were pleased with the programme presented. Miss Denton and Miss Hazel Purdy and the scholars are to be congratulated.

The following is the programme:

Programme.

1. Chorus by School, Bell Song for Xmas.
2. Acrostic (14 children)
3. Christmas Wishes, Thelma, Vera Ruth.
4. "All He Wants," Claude Potter.
5. The Lookout Man is Watching, Edna.
6. Perplexed, James B. Clare, Evans Vernon, Jimmie.
7. Stocking's Xmas, Mona Demmones.
8. Chorus by school, "Old Santa Claus."
9. Monologue, Maki Xmas Presents, Marie.
10. I Don't Believe in Santa Claus Irene.
11. Drill 12 girls.
12. A Timely Painter, Muriel.
13. Tableaux, Under the Mistletoe
14. North, South, East, West, Creighton, Cecil, Conie, Pauline.
15. Xmas With the Ruggles.
16. Chorus, "Once More The Sweet Old Story."
17. On The Way Imogene.
18. The Doctor, Roscoe Berritt.
19. When Santa Claus Comes, Edna.
20. Christmas Questions, Evans.
21. Looks Like Pa, Marion Burrill.
22. A Good Boy, Clifford.
23. A Christmas Greeting, Gerald.
24. When Women Have Their Rights.
25. Christmas Has Come, Ruth B.
26. Christmas Tree.
27. Chorus, Xmas Bells.

Hard times is only a matter of definition, judging by the number of paperless furnaces installed by the energetic and efficient Wm. Sancton and the Radio sets working overtime. The hard times of 1924 differ radically from the hard times of our ancestors, and we are glad they do.

On Saturday evening the 3rd inst. the annual Christmas treat for the Sunday school children of St. Edwards Congregation took place in Ely Hall. The hall was nicely decorated and a really grand Christmas tree delighted the eye of young and old. At 5 p.m. tea was served for the Sunday school and afterwards for the adults. There followed a programme of nineteen numbers all by the children, and some of them little tots. It was a great surprise to the parents to see the little ones going up on the stage and reciting just like the grown-ups. Mrs. A. W. L. Smith, the superintendent, trained the children and certainly deserves to be congratulated on the splendid results of her work. The following was the programme:

March.
"Hark the Herald Angels Sing."
Recitation, "Welcome," Creighton Balcom.
Recitation, "Papa Says," Kathleen Smith.
Recitation, "If I had Been at Bethlehem," Hilda Boudreau and Myrtle Fenton.
Recitation, "Loving Little Boy," Donald Sanford.
Recitation, "What Dolly Wants," Florence Mailman.
"Christmas" Nine Little Ones.
Recitation, "How Four Little Girls Spent Christmas" Four Girls.
Recitation, "I Wouldn't Like to be a Bear," Florence Smith.
Recitation, "Welcome" Clare Rawding.
Carol, "Who is This in Yonder Stall" Choir.
Recitation, "Stocking for the Poor" Myrtle Fenton.
Recitation, "Telegram From Santa Claus," Hazel Potter.
Song, "Little Candle Burning in the Night," Some Little Ones.
Recitation, "A Little Maid am I," Helen Balcom.
Recitation, "The Lord is my Shepherd," Leslie Smith.
Carol, "Holy Night," Choir.

The Rector gave a short address emphasizing the importance of the Sunday School work. Thanking the teachers for their self sacrifice and patience. The attendance was splendid on the part of quite a number. The following teachers were included in the congratulations: Mrs. A. W. L. Smith, Mrs. L. V. Shaw, Miss Violet Mills, Clementsport; Miss Vera Hardwick, Miss Vera Mailman, Mrs. Homer Potter and Mrs. W. Horsfall, Upper Clements.

Santa Claus was then introduced and he did the rest himself. He was a dandy and to the manner born. Under his skilful touch the presents disappeared like magic into the hands of the children. Candy bags and Popcorn, Oranges and good things. Special thanks is due Mrs. S. N. Ritchie, of Halifax for her generous gifts for the three. Mrs. A. W. L. Smith and Santa Claus received votes of thanks to which they suitably replied. Santa said he would come again. We will expect him next year.

MARRIED.

Eby—Jackson.

On Tuesday, Jan. 6th at 10 o'clock a.m. a pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Jackson, Paradise, when their youngest sister, Gladys May, daughter of Mrs. Martha Jackson, was united in marriage to Charles Albert Eby, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

The bride looked charming in a gown of white crepe de chene trimmed with ermine pearls and crystal beads with conventional veil caught with orange blossoms and carrying a shower bouquet of roses and carnations, entered the room on the arm of her brother, and took her place beside the groom, under a bell of roses to the strains of Mendelssohn's March, played by Miss Hazel McKenzie of Bridgetown. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Robert Miller, rector of Middleton, the double ring service being used. Only the immediate relatives and friends of the bride being present.

After a sumptuous luncheon the happy couple left on the East bound train, returning on Saturday en route to their future home, Saskatoon. The bride's going away gown was cinnamon brown rassah crepe, embroidered in henna, with hat to match and racoon coat with beaver collar and cuffs. The wedding presents were numerous and costly, including gold, cut glass, silver, linens and cheques.

Previous to the wedding day, the many friends of the bride gathered at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Wilson and showered her with many beautiful and useful gifts.

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LAWRENCETOWN, N. S.

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NOTES AND NEWS OF LAWRENCETOWN

Various Happenings Which go to Make up Local History.—Personal And Social Items.

Lawrencetown.—Mr. F. G. Stevens, brother of Mrs. W. Prince, has been travelling from Mexico to Hudson Bay in the interest of the mining company in which he has a fine position.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hanley, it is said, are leaving town to spend some time in the South.

Mr. Ronald Shaffner is quite ill, a severe cold, that has taken a strong hold on this young gentleman.

Mrs. H. B. Kinney has returned from Grand Pre.

Mrs. McLaren has gone to Moncton, on church business.

Mrs. Allen has returned to town after visiting friends in Bridgetown.

Rev. D. and Mrs. Wallace are in charge of the Mission station, Shag Harbor.

Rev. Mr. Logan was a guest at the home of Dr. Pearson.

Rev. Mr. Miller was in town visiting members of the Anglican church. Trout Brook road is a fine walk, easy grade, beautiful view of the Valley and the falls, rushing down a deep ravine. A party of 17 happy young people went for a hike on Saturday. The kindly host of the Wayside Inn gave them a welcome. A pleasant afternoon was spent.

Cold days, icy streets and a jumping tooth ache, all prevent the Monitor from getting a bit of delicious gossip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. A. Patterson left on Friday for Florida, where they will stay for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bent went to Yarmouth, Thursday, on their way to Florida.

Mrs. F. Porter has gone to Boston, to visit friends.

A young boy, son of Mr. Carmen Bishop, we heard, fell on the ice and sustained serious injury.

Wedding bells, it is said, will again be heard in Lawrencetown.

The social held on Thursday 8th at the home of Mrs. John Daniels was a success. The proceeds were for the Hospital at Middleton. Another will be held in the near future. Good for South Lawrencetown.

Mrs. Emden Banks and son of Nictaux, spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. I. F. Brown.

Mrs. Nelson Stultz (nee Minnie Daniels) and son, are spending the winter at the home of her father, Mr. W. Daniels.

Mrs. G. Durling and two grandsons spent the week-end at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. Durling, Annapolis Royal.

Murray and Harry Daniels spent the Christmas vacation with their Aunt Drew, Springfield.

The services of Lawrencetown Baptist pastorate on Sunday the 25th will be as follows:

Lawrencetown	11 a.m.
Inglisville	3 p.m.
Williamston	7.30 p.m.

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WEST CLARENCE

Lieut. H. F. Stronach went ot Halifax, last Monday to take a course at the Military School there.

Rev. P. R. Hayden held meeting in the schoolhouse Thursday evening.

Some of our young folks spent last Tuesday evening very pleasantly at the home of Gordon Higgins.

Miss Mildred Whelpley has returned after spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. John Hutchinson.

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