

**WEST NEW ANNAN, COL. CO.**

July 22—The Tea-meeting on the 17th was a decided success, the net proceeds amounting to \$224.00. The Base Ball Game between Wentworth and New Annan was the chief attraction being very closely contested and resulting in a win for Wentworth by a small margin.

Strawberries are quite plentiful here this season. Mr. George Marshall has an unusually large yield, also Mr. Gavin Bell.

Miss Ollie Vincent, who has been spending a few weeks in Central New Annan is at home again.

The Garden Party on the grounds of Mr. Swan, West Wentworth, was quite a success and was well represented by New Annan people.

Miss Hazel Chalmers, who has been teaching at North Sydney, during the past year, is spending the holiday season at her home, and we understand has taken the same position for the ensuing year.

Quite a number of the young people of Central New Annan attend Church here on Sunday evenings. Some of them have very fiery horses and pedestrians need to look sharp or they will be trodden under foot. One young man was upset and badly shaken up a short time ago. I say look out for the "Bonny" boy with the "Bonny" horse.

Mr. Logan Swan, our returned soldier visited in West New Annan recently, the guest of Dr. Chalmers and family.

Mr. Warren Swan, who was called to Aldershot a few weeks ago is reported very ill with pneumonia. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Swan were summoned and left immediately for Kentville in a motor car.

Mr. Warren Bell, who had a few days leave from Camp returned to his duties yesterday.

Mr. Edward Bonyman, who has been working in Truro for the past few months has returned home and is a frequent visitor in this locality. His home coming was greatly appreciated by

**"THE TWINS"**

**SOUTH MAITLAND RED CROSS ITEMS.**

On June 22nd Registration Day, the Red Cross Workers held an Ice Cream Sale at the School House. The sale was well patronized and over thirty one dollars was added to the Society's Funds from the sale.

The sum of eighty two dollars has been forwarded for the Red Cross War Fund.

Twenty five dollars of said amount being collected by John Custance in Urbana and South Maitland and the fifty seven realized from ice cream and refreshments sale by the South Maitland Red Cross Workers in the Hall July 9th.

This we consider a fair amount considering the previous demands made on the people. All are willing to give as they know the money is for a good purpose.

The regular Red Cross meetings are held each Wednesday at the Municipal Home.

The room loaned for the purpose is large and well lighted and makes an ideal work room.

In June a box of assorted supplies was forwarded to Red Cross Depot, Halifax for shipment.

Quite a number belong to the Society, and as the members take a deep interest in the work, the average attendance is very good. New members are joining.

Some of the members have moved away viz Mrs. Cyrus Fisher, who accompanied by her daughter, Lizzie has gone to reside with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Carroll of Debert.

Mrs. Fisher, who was unable to attend the meetings, was always willing knit and give money for the benefit of the Society.

Another member, Abbie Cameron has gone West to live.

The Ladies of the Red Cross Society met on Wednesday evening July 17th, at the home of Mrs. John Barr to express their appreciation of her work done for the Society. Eighty pairs of socks are credited to Mrs. Barr since the Society was formed. An enjoyable evening was spent, and the hostess extended a cordial invitation to the Society to visit her again in the near future.

A vocal and instrumental concert will be held in the South Maitland Hall July 27th. During the evening Miss Fisk, a returned nurse, will address the meeting on her work in France.

**Proceeds for Red Cross.**

**OXFORD N. S.**

July 24th—Oxford correspondent dead, did we hear uttered? Nay, but still liveth, neither is the town to which he belongeth, but despite the adversity caused by the war, is booming ahead and destined if guided by the right spirit, to become in some future time one of Scotia's most pro-

**gressive towns.**

Mrs. M. A. Swan and Master Carl and little Florence, left on Thursday by motor for the Wentworth Valley, where they will spend a short time with friends in the Valley.

Mr. R. Emmerson, who spent the early part of the week in Halifax, returned home on Thursday.

Mrs. Edward Wood of Pictou, and family, are visiting at the home of her father, Mr. J. C. Reid, Ellis St., for a few days.

Mr. Alex. Ross, has taken one of the Hill's Cottages at Port Howe, for the summer and with his family is enjoying the refreshing salt breezes on that shore.

Miss Minnie Evans, of East Leicester is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. C. M. Thompson, James St.

Miss Marion and Master Percy Swan are spending their vacation days with friends in Wnetworth.

Mrs. H. N. Fried, of the Highland View Hospital Staff Amherst is spending a few weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jameson, James St.

Mr. Archibald Stanford, of Trenton has recently moved to town and taken charge of the Full Gospel Mission recently organized by Rev. Geo. W. Henderson, a former pastor of Pentecostal Church of the Nazarene, congregation in this town.

Mrs. W. S. Huthcheson and daughter Miss Florence, are summering in one of Geo. Hill's cottages, on the Port Howe Beaches.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Moffatt and family of Perdue, Sask., are spending the summer months with the latter's mother, Mrs. Bessie Robb, Main St.

Miss Lena VanAmburg, nurse, who has spent the past three weeks vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John VanAmburg, leaves on Tuesday for Gloucester, Mass., to resume the studies of her chosen profession.

The Misses Lena and Edith Stout of Bathurst, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith, Water St., the former has been head milliner for a firm in this adjoining provincial town for the past two years.

Miss Gertie Lowther, of Halifax, is enjoying a two weeks' holiday visiting her mother, Mrs. C. H. Lowther, Mai, St.

Aubrey Bissett, one of our bright young Oxford "Middy" boys, arrived in town on Saturday evening on a ten days leave from the ship, which is now in port at Halifax. Aubrey spent the past winter in Bermuda, Jamaica and other West Indian naval ports, sailing from Halifax just two days before the terrible explosion.

Mr. David Peers of Wallace Bzy is visiting friends in town this week. Miss Mabel VanAmburg, of New York, professional nurse is visiting her former home in this town.

Miss Ethel Reid, is spending a few days visiting friends in Amherst.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Jeffers and little daughter, of Halifax, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jeffers, Oxford House.

Mrs. C. O. Black and daughter, Miss Jeafi are in Kentville, visiting Sergt. Claude O. Black, who is under treatment in the Provincial Sanatorium there. Latest report say that he is slowly improving.

Mr. Ralph Pazyant, formerly of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff here, but now in Moncton Branch, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Master Rendall Emmerson, little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Emmerson, James St., who has been undergoing medical treatment in the Children's Hospital, at Halifax, for some weeks, has just recently been brought to his home here where he is being tenderly nursed back to health by Miss Kathleen Emmerson, nurse of Moncton, N. B.

The Misses Addie and Irene Ross are spending a few days at Collingwood, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bragg.

Mrs. W. H. Callow and little son, of Advocate, are spending a few weeks in town, guests of the "Oxford" House.

Mr. Dewey Tait, who has been telegraph operator at the C. G. R. Station here for some time has been transferred to Pictou County.

Miss Florine Gilroy is visiting friends in Fredericton for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Colburn, of Truro, are visiting in town this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hills, Rideau St.

Messrs L. Bent & Son, have given their store and dwelling a new coat of paint this week, which adds much to appearance.

Mrs. B. Burdon, who has conducted millinery business here for past year has closed out same and returned to St. John, where she will make her future home.

Among those who have recently returned from the scene of the terrible aronagadelon, that is raging on the soil of Europe, and invalided home from overseas, are Ptes, Clare Ross and Loring Lowther, two of our boys, who have nobly done their "bit" until stricken down by the shell or bullet of the dastardly Huns. Both were loyally welcomed back to their home town.

Councillor P. Slade and sons, Harold and Arthur, visited friends in Tatamagouche on Monday.

Miss Jessie MacKintosh Cafmop-

hellton is enjoying her vacation at the home of her father, Mr. A. S. MacKintosh, Jackson St.

Mrs. J. S. Hickman, and daughter, Mrs. Hyndneau and children, of Revelstoke, B. C., who are spending the summer in the East, are at their cottage in Port Howe, for a few weeks.

Mr. J. McCall of Moncton, spent the week end in town with his wife and family, who are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O. Peel, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McElmon and daughter, Miss Grace, of Leicester, and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thompson, and daughters, Misses Lulu and Verne, all motored to Middle Musquodoboit, where they spent two weeks, guests of the "Riverton" House and other friends. They all returned home on Friday of past week.

We note with regret the departure from our town of Capt. F. N. LeCain and his two most amiable young daughters the Misses Ruth and Cassie LeCain. They removed here from Norfolk, Va., a few years ago. The Capt. being a retired officer in the N. S. Navy Department, but though advanced in years and out of the fighting line, always expressed himself regretting that he could not now be with Uncle Sam's fighting forces overseas. They have taken up their residence in the pretty town of Berwick for a time. Their friends here wish them success and happiness in their new home.

**ACADIA VALLEY ALTA.**

July 8—A very welcome visitor in our midst was Pte. Clarence M. Peppard of Calgary, just returned from England. Pte. Peppard went overseas in May, 1916, was wounded about a year ago, and has been in hospital ever since. He is still slightly lame, and uses a cane. Before leaving for Canada he spent a week in Ireland, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lamb Portadown, Mrs. Lamb was formerly Miss Ruby Hill of Onslow.

Mr. Warren F. Peers suffered a severe loss when the store and stock of the Acadia Valley Supply Co., was destroyed by fire recently. The only thing saved was the motor truck which was standing near the store. One side of this was badly charred. Mr. Peers expects to build immediately. In the meantime he is carrying on his business in the hall.

Miss Erma Flewelling has resigned her position as teacher in Acadia Valley and gone to her home at Lacombe, Alta. During her three years here, she has given the very best satisfaction, a very popular and successful teacher. Her pupils presented her with a cut-glass vase, and leather case for registration card.

Mr. Will. McLeod is fixing his house. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Streeter motored thru from their ranch near High River via Calgary, where they took in the Fair, and are visiting Mrs. Streeter's brothers, Messrs Will and Leonard McLeod, Allison and Jack expects to leave for Nova Scotia for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hill recently motored to Neidpash, Sask., where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bernard Sabine, Mr. Sabine was formerly of Digby and Mrs. Sabine, N. B.

Rev. R. B. Vans of Vernon, B. C. was married a short time ago to Miss Mary Ellison of that place.

Miss Bessie Cuthbert of Agassiz B. C. is expected shortly to visit her aunts Mrs. Leonard McLeod and Mrs. D. M. Graham.

Among those drafted from Acadia Valley, is Mr. Malcolm Langille, of Onslow, N. S.

Miss Myra Peers and Miss Josie Bond have sold out their business in Oyen, and Miss Peers is visiting relatives here, while Miss Bond is visiting in Nova Scotia.

Miss Maude Peers is teaching in a nearby school district.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fountain are moving to Empress.

Mr. Allan McInnis of Calgary has been visiting, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simpson at Empress, en route to his home in Ontario, where after a short visit at his home, he will enlist in the Royal Air Force.

A very pleasant picnic was held at Figtars Ferry on June 29th. About ten auto loads, and "the truck" with merry pickickers, reached the Red Deer River in good time and spent a very enjoyable afternoon, among the Nova Scotia present were—

Clarence Peppard—guest of honor. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. McLeod and family.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Graham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Peers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leater Peers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hill and family. Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Davison and son. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fountain and family.

Misses Myra, Maude and Edna Peers.

Messrs Will McLeod, Charlie Grace, Will G. Reid, Harry Wheaton.

Mr. Guy Wheaton has built a fine new barn on his farm.

Mr. Charlie Grace has built a barn and enlarged his stock.

Mr. Harry Wheaton has purchased

a new Ford Car. Mr. G. M. McLeod and Mr. Roland Hill, motored to Calgary last week, where they attended the Fair.

Misses Mary and Jean McLeod, are visiting Mrs. Roland Hill at Empress.

**NOVA SCOTIAN**

Corns and warts disappear when treated with Holloway's Corn Cure without leaving a scar.

**GREAT VILLAGE, July 22nd.**

Mrs. John Adams of Belmont was a recent guest with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Peppard.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Layton of Penticton, B. C. are visiting Capt. J. E. McCully and daughter. While enroute from the West they were guests with relatives in the states, and were joined at Boston by Mrs. John Layton who is also spending a few weeks here.

Miss Luella Boyd of Five Islands is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Peppard for a few days.

Miss Helen Cummings of Truro, was a visitor last week with Mrs. Robert Cummings.

Miss Evelyn Frisby of St. John is a guest with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. McCollough.

Miss Marcia Cummings of the Oxford Post Office staff is spending her vacation at her home here.

Miss Lenora Hill of Economy is a guest with Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Hill.

Mrs. Suther Spencer, who has been spending the winter in New York, arrived home last week, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Albert Faulkner.

Mrs. Keith Soley is spending a few days in Halifax.

Mrs. Wm. Bannon and family of Glenholme are occupying Mrs. Gould's house in the latter's absence.

Miss Helen Kent of Dartmouth is a guest with Mrs. Bannon at the present time.

Gunner Lloyd F. Geddes of Halifax is enjoying a brief furloughe with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Geddes.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Mrs. Thomas Corbett and daughter of Glenholme were visitors in our midst yesterday.

Messrs. Logan O'Brien, William Faulkner Stanley Archibald, Miss Annie MacIntosh of Truro and Miss Elie MacLean of our Village were motor visitors in Parrsboro yesterday. On the return journey to Truro, they were joined by Sheriff MacKim.

James McG. Graham, of Winnipeg was the guest of her sister Mrs. A. B. Geddes, for a few days last week.

Miss Lily Stevens and Mr. Charles Stevens of Debert were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Robinson.

Mrs. Susan Copp, Mrs. A. D. Faulkner, Miss Viola Copp and Mr. Willie Kent were motor visitors in Londonderry last week.

Mrs. Oliver Layton and family of Springhill are spending a few days at the home of the former's brother, Mr. Harry Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bowers, Mrs. Arthur Boomer Miss Marcia Cummings and Mr. Willie Kent motored to Truro on Saturday of last week.

Miss Mamie Robinsois visiting with friends in Debert for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Barnhill and family of Truro were recent visitors with the Misses Cassie and Eleanor Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Stirling of Maitland, were guests last week with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Robinson.

Mr. Ernest Fulton of Ddbert and Mr. Eugene Fulton of Boston are visiting their sister Mrs. A. B. Geddes for a few days.

Mr. Albert Loughead of Clifton is a guest with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Peppard.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb and family of Debert were motor guests yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Robinson.

Master Audley Francis of Halifax, is spending a few days with his Uncle and Aunt, Rev. F. G. and Mrs. France.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cummings of Truro were motor visitors yesterday with Mrs. Robert Cummings. They were accompanied on the return trip by their daughter Miss Helen Cumminings, also Miss Elizabeth Cummings.

A memorial service will be held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday Evening, August 4th in memory of Corporal Clyde Patriquin and Harold Spencer.

Mr. Hugh Peppard and son James are visiting at the former's home in

**THE BACK ACHE.**

Possibly you do not realize that this indicates derangement of the kidneys. Neglected usually means the development of Bright's disease. You know how dreadfully painful and fatal that is.

There is quick relief for the kidneys in the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. This medicine is known in the great majority of homes as the greatest of regulators.

West Gore, Hants Co. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mahon and family of Truro are visiting with Capt. J. A. and Mrs. Mahon.

Miss Kate Johnson is spending her vacation with relatives in River John.

Miss Hazel MacDonald of Pictou is a guest with her grandmother Mrs. Louisa Corbett.

At the Elmout House Joe Creelman Truro J. A. Morrison, Amherst. Gordon McKenzie, Truro. Callie McKenzie, Truro. C. P. Burns, St. John. P. Duffy, Toronto.

Sidney Cox, Truro. H. W. Yuill, Truro. Lilla Mae Knight, Truro. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lowerison, Sackville.

Master Stewart Lowerison, Sackville. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Robinson Amherst.

I. L. Barnhill, Truro. Mrs. I. L. Barnhill, Truro. Emma Barnhill, Truro. Grace Barnhill, Truro. Harry Barnhill, Truro. Miss Betts, Pugwash.

Ross Day, Halifax. Marven B. Crowe, Truro. M. I. Crowe, Truro. Mrs. Wm. Haley, Attleboro, Mass.

Miss Jennie Leben, F. L. Durning, Economy. Geo. Coughlin, St. John. E. J. Foote, Economy. Mrs. A. K. Moore, Truro.

Pte. Percy E. Doyle, Five Islands. Mrs. W. Herbert Bailey, Kingstons. H. R. Brown, Truro.

R. B. MacLellan, Truro. I. M. Pattillo, Truro. Mr. Murphy, Parrsboro. E. A. Thornton. E. A. Thornton, Cookshire. C. R. Sypher, Cookshire. Earl K. Vance, Truro.

Mr. and Mrs. Arhald Rutherford, Bass River. Fred Durning, Economy Point. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tuttle, Truro. Miss C. M. McDonald, Truro.

Miss L. E. McCurdy, Truro. Miss E. M. McLean, Truro. Mr. F. N. Robertson, Truro. Mr. J. M. Carleton, Truro. Mr. H. G. Williams, Truro. W. G. Colwell, Halifax.

Jos. W. Rector, Advocate. Thos. W. Canning, Ward's Brook. L. W. Perry, Ward's Brook. Oscar. F. Bennett, Parrsboro. Lewis McElhinney, Glenholme. Martin Smith, Glenholme. Ross Gatchell, Glenholme. Geo. Flemming, Glenholme. John Lynds, Glenholme.

Harry Elliott, Lr. Onslow. Mrs. Thomas Brown, Great Village. Mr. Fletcher Bird, Great Village. Mrs. Fletcher Bird and Children, Great Village.

E. D. McLean, Hopewell. A. A. McLean, Hopewell. Mrs. A. A. McLean, Hopewell. K. Fulton, Stellarton. Daniel Christie, Londonderry. Gunner A. B. Locke, Halifax. C. W. Simpson, Halifax. T. A. Lowther, Halifax.

The sale of lunches was the next in order, which was carried out in good style by the Auctioneer, A. S. Douglas, and some seventy five lunches disposed of at a cash value of \$143.95. Donations at Social \$15.00. Collected by Jessie C. Murray \$19.00. Collected by Mary E. MacKay \$30.00. Collected by A. H. Murray \$22.25.

Total as we have received it to date \$210.20.

The highest lunches sold, Miss Catherine MacLeod, The Falls \$5.25. Miss Elsie MacNutt, Earltown \$5.25, the highest buyers, Mr. Murdoch Sutherland, The Falls, and Mr. George Ferguson, West Earltown, the lowest bid offered \$1.00.

Watch the News for official report. Miss Lizzie and Miss Annie MacLean of Riversdale, visited their aunt, Mrs. Peter MacKay, last week, and took in the social.

Miss Upham, North River, visited her aunt, Mrs. Ben McNutt, last week. Miss Barbara Bailie, West Branch R. J. visited friends in Earltown, last week.

Alex. M. Ferguson, Wentworth, Cumberland Co., was here on business last week.

Rev. J. A. Forbes drove to Truro last Wednesday.

Mrs. Barnes and family are spending some time with Mrs. Barn's sister, Mrs. Ben McNutt.

Mr. and Miss Green, New Glasgow spent the week end with Miss Catherine McKenzie coming here by auto on Saturday.

One day last week the cemetery at the church got a good cleaning up and now this resting place of the dead is a place of beauty instead of a bed of grass and weeds.

Among those who attended the funeral of the late Rev. Wm. Forbes at Tatamagouche on Saturday, from here were Rev. J. A. Forbes, Mrs. J. W. Logan, Mr. Neal J. Murray and Jas. MacKay.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was dispensed in the church yesterday the Rev. Mr. MacIntosh, River John, preached a most appropriate sermon for the occasion and there was a very large attendance many from outside districts among them Mr. D. M. Sut-herland of Upper North River.

Mr. MacIntosh preached again at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and there was a meeting in the Village hall in the evening addressed by Rev. J. A. Forbes. Miss Katie B. MacDonald of Boston is here visiting friends and also at Balmoral Mills, and Central Earltown.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Munro of Gaden, Mine, are spending some time here. Mr. Munro at one time ran a Blacksmith business at East Earltown, and later for a number of years was Mail Driver between Earltown and Truro.

Mr. and Mrs. Munro moved with their family to Gardner, Maine, over thirty years ago, but they still have many old friends here, who are glad to see them, looking hale and hearty.

Mr. MacKenzie is here visiting his sister, Miss Catherine MacKenzie, at Wm. MacKenzie Esq.

hungry as Mrs. Walsh is always ready and willing to supply the needs of the inner Man.

Mr. Earl Cummings is spending a few days here.

Mr. C. E. Spence has started his mill at Economy.

Owing to the scarcity of pasture in this vicinity, one Farmer is lamenting the loss of his SouthWester, which was devoured by his neighbors cow. REX.

**EARLTOWN RED CROSS WORK.**

July 22nd—On the evening of July fifteenth the people of this side of the Mountain again showed their loyalty in attending a Lunch Social in aid of the Red Cross held at Earltown Village, the people poured in from all directions, The Falls, Waugh's River, Middleton, Denmark, West Branch, Kempton, Nutby, River John. Don't be disappointed if we missed your destination, for your presence is appreciated just the same. The little hall was simply snowed under till standing room was out of the question, and groups stood around doors and windows outside, and those inside had very little comfort, we regret this very much but feel the people will overlook any discomfort in view of the cause there was some disappointment in regard to entertainment but taking it as a whole, the affair was a grand success, though with adequate room to handle such an enthusiastic crowd, there would have been even better financial results. We hope none will stay away from any future entertainment for it is the policy of the Earltown people to entertain as best they can, though it is difficult to do so in war time.

The meeting opened with some remarks by the Chairman, J. R. MacKay, he then called on Mr. C. E. Bentley of Truro, who gave a good address along Red Cross lines followed by Mr. Harold Putnam of Truro, who explained the different branches of Red Cross work, in a very pleasing manner.

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