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Also:-  
Repairing of Same.

We have a stock of Toys for the Kiddies  
that we wish to clear out to make room for some  
"Rare" old pieces of Mahogany  
Furniture  
which we expect in soon

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Fine for catarrh  
when melted in a  
spoon or snuffed  
up the nose and  
vapors inhaled.



## Head and Chest Colds Relieved In a New Way

A Salve which Releases Medicated  
Vapors when Applied Over  
Throat and Chest.

Inhaled as a vapor and, at the same  
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This is the modern direct treatment for  
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Splendid for sore throat, tonsillitis,  
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Just rub Vicks over throat and chest  
and inhale the medicated vapors. It  
quickly loosens up a cold.

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OVER 21 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

## Local Happenings

We would again remind our readers  
of the annual Christmas Tree entertain-  
ment in the Recreation Hall, next  
Tuesday evening, commencing at 8  
o'clock. The Bridgetown Orchestra  
will be in attendance and the whole  
programme promises to be up to the  
best traditions. Admission 50c., Chil-  
dren, 25c.

Good outdoor skating has been en-  
joyed on the various ponds during  
the past week.

Another weekly newspaper amal-  
gamation has taken place this week,  
the two papers in the town of Gananoque  
being those concerned. As in nearly  
all other Ontario towns the operation  
of two papers has long been known  
to have been costly to the local ad-  
vertisers and unprofitable to the  
publishers, but it sometimes takes  
years to decide who shall be the one  
to succeed. —Bluebird News-Tribune.

About midnight on Thursday, the  
fire department was called out to  
extinguish a blaze in the residence of  
Mr. Solly Lowe. The fire original-  
ly started about the chimney and a  
very considerable amount of damage  
was done by water in putting it out.

Mr. Richard Stevenson of Brickton,  
who a short time ago was pinned to  
the ground by a falling tree, receiving  
very painful injuries, is slowly  
recovering.

The Church of England Young Peo-  
ple on Friday afternoon, gave a very  
successful repetition of the drama  
"Among the Breakers." It was put  
on at a matinee at Primrose Theatre  
with a very fair attendance. The  
young people have made arrange-  
ments to produce this drama at  
neighboring towns and villages.

The S. S. Vallin, arrived at Anna-  
polis on Thursday night from St. John's,  
after a long trip up there during  
rough weather. She brought a cargo  
of local produce on this  
her last trip for the season. A part  
of this was brought up in trucks,  
but the greater quantity by freight.  
The Annapolis River has been closed  
to navigation for some two weeks.

Dr. L. L. Crowe attended a Special  
Meeting of the Valley Medical Society  
at Sanatorium, Kentville, on Tues-  
day, Dec. 13th. Dr. Nutter, Montreal,  
and Dr. Boutley, General Secretary  
Canadian Medical Association, were  
the principal speakers.

### NEW YEARS NIGHT DANCE.

Come to the big dance at the Court  
House New Years night. Admission—  
Gentlemen—\$1.00. Ladies will bring  
baskets. Everybody come. Dancing  
and Cards. Proceeds for Rink Fund.  
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Mrs. Busby's Boarders will appear  
at the Court House on Monday even-  
ing, January 11th. Watch for full  
announcement in next issue of the  
"MONITOR."

The value of the published reports  
of municipal council proceedings is  
very often overlooked. Not so in the  
State of Michigan, where a new law  
requires every village council to  
publish all proceedings of the council  
in the nearest newspaper, within ten  
days after the meeting. The news-  
papers have to be paid for this ser-  
vice.

A pilgrim and almost yearly visitor  
with several aliases received enter-  
tainment at the local King's Board-  
ing House, also a warning to vacate  
town in quick order. He proceeded  
West on Tuesday morning.

The highest cheques from the Mid-  
dleton Creamery last month went to  
Mr. W. A. Curry, Wilmet, \$133.70 and  
to Mr. V. B. Leonard, Clarence, \$128-  
70. The Creamery during the pres-  
ent year made almost a half million  
pounds of butter and forty thousand  
quarts of ice cream.

## "SPECIAL" Chesterfield Suite

A Wonderful Gift  
for Christmas  
Will Sell at a Bargain

Come and see our  
MADE IN BRIDGETOWN  
"RATTAN GOODS"

G. A. PUDDINGTON  
GRANVILLE ST.

## Personal Mention

(Continued from Page One.)

pal R. J. Messenger and Mrs. Messen-  
ger.

Mr. James Fay arrived home on  
Sunday from Dalhousie University  
and will spend the holidays with his  
parents, Stipendiary F. R. Fay and  
Mrs. Fay.

Mr. Gordon Tupper is home from  
Dalhousie to spend the Xmas season  
with his mother, Mrs. L. M. Tupper.  
Messrs. Aubrey and Harold Price  
are home from Dalhousie to spend  
the holidays with their parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. A. O. Price.

Miss Ina Orlando returned on Sat-  
urday from MacDonald College, to  
spend Xmas with her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. F. R. Orlando.

Miss Ila Freeman returned on  
Saturday from Acadia, to spend the  
holiday season with her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. Karl Freeman.

Miss Henrietta Miller, teacher at  
North Range, is spending the holi-  
days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
E. B. Miller.

Miss Mariel Miller of the Kentville  
Public School teaching staff, is spend-  
ing the holidays in town with her  
mother, Mrs. M. Miller.

Miss Rose Orlando, is home from  
St. Vincent, to spend the holi-  
days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
J. P. Orlando.

Mr. Charles LeBrun is home from  
Dalhousie, to spend the Xmas holi-  
days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Thomas LeBrun.

Mr. Ed. Orlando returned last week  
from Dalhousie University to spend  
the holiday season with his parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Orlando.

Miss Edna Cochrane, R.N., Public  
Health Nurse for Washington Co.,  
Maine, arrived home last week on a  
visit to her mother, Mrs. E. A.  
Cochrane.

Mr. George Foster is home from  
Acadia University to spend the holi-  
day season with his parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. M. C. Foster.

Miss Ethel Daniels is home from  
Dalhousie Law School, to spend the  
Xmas holidays with her parents, Hon.  
O. T. Daniels and Mrs. Daniels.

Mr. Gerald Freeman returns today  
from the Technical College, Halifax,  
to spend Christmas with his parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Karl Freeman.

Miss Hazel Freeman, B.A., has re-  
turned from Truro, where she has  
received a Superior First Rank  
Diploma from the Normal College.

Miss Alison Freeman, teacher of  
Expression in Halifax Ladies' Col-  
lege is spending the vacation period  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl  
Freeman.

### ROUND HILL.

Mr. Durrell has completed his work  
of repairing and painting the interior  
of the hall.

Mr. W. C. L. Dargie had the mis-  
fortune to lose his horse on Sun-  
day.

Miss Alma Slocum, the teacher in  
the advanced department, left on Fri-  
day to spend her vacation with her  
parents in Outram.

A dance was given by the local  
orchestra in the hall on Thursday  
evening. A good time and a good  
crowd was the general verdict.

Miss Elizabeth Dargie went to  
Middleton on Thursday to consult Dr.  
Fales.

Mr. E. M. Gibson was called to  
Dalhousie by the serious illness of  
his brother, Mr. Myers Gibson.

The annual Christmas tree and en-  
tertainment was held in the school  
house on Thursday. Much praise  
should be given to the teachers and  
pupils for their creditable perfor-  
mance, showing hard work and talent.  
Gifts were presented to Miss Slocum  
and Mrs. Baker by their pupils.

Compliments of the season to the  
Editor and staff.—Occasional Corres-  
pondent.)

### MELVERN SQUARE.

Mrs. Ella Goucher and son, Will-  
oughby, left Saturday to spend the  
holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Ar-  
thur Coleman, of Halifax.

Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Hayden, ac-  
companied by Major Eugene Morse  
and Arthur T. Morse, of West Para-  
disa, attended the funeral service of  
the late T. H. Morse of Berwick, on  
Sunday afternoon.

### GRANVILLE FERRY.

The Christmas concert held in the  
school house on Thursday afternoon  
was largely attended. The excellent  
programme was a credit to both  
teachers and pupils. At the close  
of the programme, Santa Claus made  
a call and distributed the gifts from  
the prettily decorated tree.

The teachers, Miss Whitman of An-  
napolis Royal, and Miss Ross, of  
Aldel, Cumberland County, left for  
their respective homes on Friday.

The Card Party held at the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Reid, was very  
successful, forty dollars being realiz-  
ed. Proceeds are for the new Hall.

Rev. A. Gibson conducted the last  
service of his pastorate to be held  
here, in the Baptist Church on Sun-  
day morning. At the close of the  
service, he was presented with a  
gift of money. Mr. Gibson has been  
pastor here for over five years and  
deep regret is felt at his leaving.

Miss Madelyn Merriam is spending  
the holidays with her parents, Cap-  
tain and Mrs. Walter Merriam.

Blair Hatfield, of Canim, is visit-  
ing his sister, Mrs. George Was-  
staff.

Mr. Fred Johns, of Mount Allison  
is spending his holidays with Rev.  
R. B. and Mrs. Thomas.

Miss Esther Baker of Melvern  
Square, is visiting her friend, Mrs.  
Edwina Baltzer.

Marion and Harold Troop are home  
for the holidays.

Mrs. W. Amberman is spending  
Christmas with her brother, Mr.  
Archie Troop, of Belleisle.

Miss Blanche Collins returned home  
on Saturday.

Minard's Liniment for bruises.



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## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS

Services Held at the Churches—Five  
Clerical Changes in Past Four  
Months.—Passing of Mr.  
Charles Dargie Much  
Regretted.—Personal  
Notes.

Annapolis Royal.—Christmas Eve  
and Christmas Day were both marked  
by fine weather, with the first sleigh-  
ing of the season, and the shops, with  
their beautiful display of holiday  
goods, were well patronized. The  
Rink was opened for the first skat-  
ing on Christmas afternoon, and a  
moving picture matinee was given at  
King's Theatre. In the evening, a  
very successful dance was given un-  
der the auspices of the Tennis Club,  
at the Masonic Hall, attended by  
many of the holiday guests.

The service at St. Luke's Church  
was conducted by Rev. S. J. Wood-  
roffe, and special music was ren-  
dered by the vested choir, with Miss  
Mariel Walworth presiding at the  
organ. Rev. Rev. Monsignor Grace  
officiated at ten o'clock mass at St.  
Thomas' Church, and the "Adeste  
Fideles" and other Christmas music  
was sung, with Mrs. M. J. Riordan at  
the organ. The announcement made  
last Sunday by Monsignor Grace, that  
this week would terminate his long  
service as priest in Annapolis Royal,  
was heard with deep regret. On Sun-  
day evening a farewell service was  
held at the church, with the Curate,  
Rev. Louis LeBlanc, presiding, and an  
address and large "Christmas Collec-  
tion" were presented to the Reverend  
Pastor. A few hours later, accompa-  
nied by Dr. F. P. Smith, he left for  
Halifax, where he will enter the In-  
firmatory for medical treatment.

No service was held in St. George's  
Church on Sunday evening, as the  
congregation united with the Baptist  
Church, to attend the Farewell ser-  
vice of Rev. A. Gibson, who is also  
leaving town. At the Christmas Tree  
and Sunday School entertainment on  
Monday evening, Mr. Gibson was pre-  
sented with a well-filled purse by the  
members of the congregation, and  
Mrs. Gibson was remembered by the  
Mission Band. It seems a strange co-  
incidence that the five clergymen lo-  
cated in town last New Years, have  
all left it within the past four  
months.

The funeral of the late Mr. Charles  
Dargie, who passed away at Lequile  
on Saturday morning, December 19th,  
was held on Monday, and largely at-  
tended. The service was conducted  
by Rev. E. A. Kirker of St. George's  
United Church, and interment took  
place at Woodlawn Cemetery, with  
Masonic honors. The late Mr. Dargie,  
who was senior member of the firm  
of Charles Dargie and Son, was a  
highly esteemed citizen, and posses-  
sed a host of friends throughout the  
County. He is survived by his daugh-  
ter, Mrs. J. Herbert Runciman, his

### NEW DISPLAY ADVERTISEMENTS THIS ISSUE

All changes of copy for ads. MUST  
be in by 12 noon on Monday's each  
week.

- Minard's Liniment.
- Town Topics
- Chesley's
- Primrose Theatre
- R. N. Messenger.
- Brayley Drug Co.
- Shaffner, Ltd.
- A. J. Burns.
- Strom & Whitman.
- J. E. Longmire,
- Georgia H. Cunningham.
- Wm. E. Gesner.
- Lockett & Co.
- Buckler & Buckler.
- C. B. Longmire.
- Hage & Charlton.
- Mrs. S. C. Turner.
- J. H. Longmire & Son.
- Frank Ouellette

## Greetings & Best Wishes

EARLIEST WISHES  
for A Merry  
Xmas to All our  
Friends and Customers

B. N. MESSINGER  
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WILL PROVE  
That we have clean fresh goods  
That our prices are right  
That service is good.

And a \$3.00 purchase of groceries  
will prove that you get a pound of  
**Royal Mixture Candy  
FREE**  
**J. E. LONGMIRE**  
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Once Acquired, You Will Never Return  
To the Ready-Mades  
STYLE - SERVICE - SATISFACTION  
combined with most moderate  
prices in the Splendid line of  
Winter Suitings and Overcoats  
we now offer for your inspection.

**RALPH LANE**  
Tailor to those who know.  
Bridgetown, Nova Scotia

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DEC. 25-26  
See DARE DEVIL "DICK TAL-  
MADGE" In his gigantic Thrill  
and Laugh Melodrama—  
"THE FIGHTING DEMON"

Roars—Chuckles—Laughs—  
Sobs

"Larry Simon" in the two reel  
roaring Comedy—  
"THE DONE DOCTOR"

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DEC. 28-29

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The Big Super Special—  
"Capt. Blood"

A David Smith production in  
11 thrilling reels.

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With every \$2.00 cash purchase of groceries we will give a piece of Alumina Ware, FREE. Twenty-four different pieces to choose from.

**CIGARS, CIGARETTES, AND TOBACCO.**  
In Christmas Wrappers, Cigars 50c. to \$5.00 box.

**GRAVES' SWEET CYDER**  
25c. gal.

**HOME MADE Mince MEAT.**

**GOLDEN HOLLOWI DATES.**  
2 lbs. for 25c. Cheaper in quantities. Choice cooking Figs, 2 lbs. for 35c.

**NUTS.**  
Fresh Roasted Jumbo Peanuts, Walnuts, Brazils, Filberts, Almonds, Shelled Nuts, Coconuts, etc.

**ORANGE.**  
Special Sweet Juicy Navels, 2lb. doz.

**CALIFORNIA SUNKIST NAV.**  
ELS. Sweet, Juicy Florida Oranges. All sizes, reasonably priced. See our assortment, smallest to the largest.

**CHRISTMAS CANDY---**  
We sure Have Got a Dandy Assortment

**LIBERAL DISCOUNT ON QUANTITIES TO TEACHERS OR OTHERS ON FRUIT, CANDY, ETC.**

**SPECIAL.**  
Moirs XXX Chocolates and Creams, 45c. lb.

**THE FAMILY BOX.**  
5 lbs. net of Choice assorted Creams and Chocolates, \$1.65 box.

**5 lbs. net Dandy Assorted Chocolates, \$1.65 box.**

Lemons, Grapes, Table Raisins and Figs.

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