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LOCAL AND GENERAL

W. G. Yorston, Chief Engineer of the Provincial Highways Board, is in Sydney on a tour of inspection of Cape Breton country roads.

At Liverpool Brook, Nfld., five pound trout are now being taken. Two of these big beauties would be the full catch for one fishing excursion allowed by Canadian law.

Anti-loafing laws in New York city have put burglars to harvest work and there is a decided decrease in the number of burglaries. All were to be arrested, who did not have jobs by July 1; and the police say there was a great running to covers for the last few days in June looking for work.

The retreating defeated Austrian were commended by General Wurm. A Truro wit, hearing that the Italians were chasing the enemy over the Pieve said the worm had turned."

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Smith, "Stoneycroft," Prince Street West, are off for day or two with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chambers at the "Lindens" in Wolfville, who are celebrating their 25th Marriage Anniversary.

The fourth annual meeting of the Medical Health Officers of Nova Scotia will be held at Liverpool Thursday.

The tax on excess profits in the United States this year will yield a revenue of \$3,200,000,000.

We all ought to be grateful to the Red Cross, also, for making it possible for us to give help directly to our boys over there, even though we have to stay at home. Let us show this gratitude next week by liberal subscriptions to this present request from the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Miss M. Harper, Doyle Street, Truro, leaves this week for St. Margarets Bay, to spend a few days with her cousin, Mrs. J. H. Swallow.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Archibald, are off to their summer bungalow at Upper Economy. Mrs. Archibald, even on this summer recess; will keep more or less in touch with Colchester V. O. N. Work.

In four weeks the fishermen of Clarks Harbor, Shelburne Co., realized \$60,000 for their mackerel catches.

Mrs. George Myers, with her children has left for her old home in Ingersoll, Ont., to spend the summer months

C. G. R. Telegraf Operator P. W. Caldwell and bride arrived home last night from a trip in Western Canada.

Mrs. J. C. Walker, Arthur Street has left for her former home in Buffalo, N. Y.

One train train with returned soldiers and two trains loaded with invalided soldiers passed thru her today for points in the West.

Mr. Arthur Johnson, Newton Mills, was in town on business on the 2nd.

Mayor Dunbar and Mrs. Dunbar are at their summer cottage at Folligh lake.

Mr. Arthur Nickerson, of the Staff of Messrs Cummings & Hiltz, is off on a vacation trip to his home in Clarks Harbor, Shel. Co., N. S.

Logan, the three y ar old son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carter, Corner Victoria and King Streets, met with an accident, yesterday, by climbing the wheel of the ice wagon of Mr. Connolly—the driver, not seeing the little fellow started the team, when he was thrown from the wheel, and was badly cut about the head. The little fellow was rushed to the Ainsley Hospital, and is reported to be doing well.

Too late for this paper are interesting letters from Lower Five Islands, Earlton, Balmoral Mills and Milford Station.

Councillor Semple, S. W. McCulloch and W. G. Goodwin and families are in residence at their summer cottages at Short's Lake.

Pte. E. A. Keyes, formerly on the Truro News Staff, sends a "field service post card," dated June 12, and reports: "I am well"; and this gallant lad is still hunting Huns.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bool, who have been visiting in town Mrs. Boole's brothers, Messrs H. T. and L. J. Walker, left on the 2nd for their home in Boston

Rev. Harry Burgess, Weymouth, N. S., was in town on the 2nd, en route for a little visit to friends in his former charge at Shubenacadie, thence he goes to his new field of labor with the Methodist Church New Aberdeen, C. B. Whenever he goes the people will be glad to meet such a clever speaker, a thoroughly well-read, scholarly man and out and out Britisher. His old friends around the Truro News will wish him continued success in his new pastorate.

Miss Greta Pippy and little sister Gladys have gone to Wallace Bay for few days vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Armour and daughter, of Moncton, spent the holiday with Mrs. Armour's parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter McInnes, Victoria Street. Mrs. Armour will remain in Truro with her grandparents for some weeks.

Mr. Chesley Mosher has purchased the G. O. Gates property on Pleasant Street. This is a most pleasantly situated and desirable residence. Mr. and Mrs. Mosher moved into their new home on the 1st.

WHAT IS CHAUTAUQUA WEEK?

All you may have thought about Chautauqua may be wrong. A lot of dry-as-dust Lectures? Of course there are Lectures, and by men who are not only able speakers, but who have seen and done things too. Men who have been to the front in France and Serbia, who have seen the Armenian massacres, and who will not only tell of these things, but will show you splendid photos of what they saw.

But that is not all, at every meeting will be a high class entertainment company, you don't care for Classical Music. Oh, No. Il Trovatore and Robin Hood don't appeal to you! Then what about the Old Homestead, with the original Male Quartette or a swell player on the piano accordion, pretty girls in the latest vaudeville, to say nothing of the orchestra, entire change of programme and performers every day. Sounds good, doesn't it. Then don't forget the dates, Aug. 1st to 7th in the big tent at the Park Entrance.

DON'T BE A GRUMBLER.

When we compare our inconvenience with the hardships and misery endured in Germany, Russia, and in the Hun ravaged countries we have good grounds for gratitude. Don't encourage Prussianism with your grumbles—defeat it with your loyalty and patience.

BORROWED FEATHERS.

By borrowing certificates of passing friends of obliging dispositions, several resourceful Sydney girls are said to have succeeded in obtaining meals in a restaurant where the proprietors refuse to serve the unregistered.—Sydney Record.

LITTLE THINGS.

The little common things of life—A kindly word, a little trust, A friendly smile amid the strife That crushes souls into the dust; A flower for some tired eyes, Or music for a weary heart—"Just little things"—not any size—But, ah, the sweetness they impart!

Fresh Supplies in Demand.—Wherever Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has been introduced increased supplies have been ordered, showing that wherever it goes this excellent Oil impresses its power on the people. No matter in what latitude it may be found its potency is never impaired. It is put up in most portable shape in bottles and can be carried without fear of breakage.

"LLOYD GEORGE.

This is a name that carries charm and greatness with it. In many ways the greatest man in the British Empire today is Lloyd George. Knowing this, A. O. Rourke, the obliging proprietor of one of the best country town hotels for many miles around,—the chief hostelry of Joggins Mines—has named his homelike House "The Lloyd George Hotel". If you are at Joggins Mines on business or pleasure do not fail to put up at "The Lloyd George" You will sleep well in that hotel knowing that "Lloyd George" is your protector, and defender.

RED CROSS GIFTS.

The Truro Red Cross Society beg to acknowledge with very many thanks the following: From Dorcas Society of Montrose and Portapique, 14 prs. socks. From Falls Section, Earlton, 27 prs. socks. From Diamond Rebekah Red Cross Aux.—6 prs. slippers, 21 prs. socks, 34 bed socks, 9 stretcher caps, 2 comfort cushions, 48 p. b. bags, 4 many tal bandages, 23 wash clothes, 99 handkerchiefs, 38 towels, 36 T bandages. From Women's Institute Southside Middle Stewiacke, 14 prs. socks. From Green Oaks, Red Cross Aux. 88 prs. socks. From Woman's Institute Riverside Middle Stewiacke, 17 prs. socks. From Beaver Brook Red Cross Aux. 11 prs. socks. From Mrs. Harris and friends Tatamagouche Mts. 22 prs. socks. From Bay Head, 9 suits of pyjamas 4prs pillow cases, 20prs socks, 2 pillows SECY.

GIVE TO THE RED CROSS.

The appeal has now come to us all to give liberally, generously and cheerfully to the Canadian Red Cross. It is our privilege and our duty. This, the greatest of Canadian War Institutions arise to the occasion. We have given the helping hand liberally to our splendid local Red Cross and to other good movements for the benefit of our soldiers, but here is the first appeal direct from our Canadian Red Cross. Heretofore this Institution has been carried on by appeal in the upper provinces and by the help from men of noble finances this Institution ever since the War began, now we are extended the privilege of assisting, too. Let us respond with our usual liberality and extend a most generous support to this appeal for help. Come up, men and women, and give of your means cheerfully and most generously.

CAPT. W. F. PARKER WOUNDED BY HUN ATTACK ON HOSPITAL.

The following letter to Editor Colpitts of The Maritime Baptist from a former Pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, will be read with great interest by Rev. W. F. Parker's hosts of friends in Truro and elsewhere.

A Letter From Chaplain Parker.

(A week ago we reported the wounding of Rev. W. F. Parker, one of our chaplains with the Canadian forces overseas. The following letter has just been received from him, and though it was not written for publication it contains so much of interest that we are sure he will pardon us for sharing it with our readers.—Ed. M. B.)

Liverpool Merchants' Hospital, France, May 30th, 1918.

Dear Bro. Colpitts: You have already learned through the press of the determined efforts of the Germans on the night of May 19th an aerial bombardment. This attack began shortly after ten o'clock and continued until about twelve p. m. Nothing fiercer of its kind has been delivered by these promoters of "Frightfulness" during the war, so it is said by officers and men who have had three years' experience at the front.

I had just returned to my hut from a gospel service at the Soldiers' Christian Association Hut, nearly two miles away, and was partially undressed, when the alarm was given that an air raid was threatened, and in five minutes it was upon us. The cloudless sky, alight with moon and stars, gave the raiders opportunity to approach us at a great height and do their destructive work beyond the reach of our guns for the most part. My hut was in the line of their approach which was so sudden that my first intention to dress and go up to our hospital was exchanged for the moment for "Safety First." It was fortunate that I instantly prostrated myself upon the floor of my canvas tent, as, immediately it was pierced by flying shrapnel, that would have caught me had I been standing or sitting. Several succeeding attempts to rise and dress had to be abandoned for the same reason. About twenty minutes after the bombardment began I was pipped in the right knee by a low-flying piece of shrapnel, the only one, so far as I know, of the many that shattered my hut that struck so low. Had I been sitting at my table writing you as I had intended, an account of the wonderful work of grace going on at the "S. C. A." hut aforementioned, my head and chest would have been riddled with bits of the shells that burst around me. For over an hour I lay helpless on the floor with the missiles of death raining around me. I had addressed a large crowd of soldiers that evening, from John 8:51. In the after-meeting that followed, thirty-four of them made their first public confession of faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, and some of them were to "go up the line" that day. I had a good opportunity to prove the trustworthiness of my message before they did. Seeing that I could not get to my charge in the hospital, these were given unto me the ministry of intercession. So, amidst the "removing earth," Psalm 46, I gave my shelter, and the little floor corner of my hut became Matt. 6:6 to me. In momentary expectation of "absence from the body," especially when machine gun bullets began to rain upon us, I had the blessed assurance of presence with the Lord. How any of us in the whole area escaped death or wounds is remarkable for Fritz did his best, under the most favorable circumstances for his purpose, to exterminate us, and only left us when he had apparently emptied his magazines.

After the raid I was at once taken by our faithful stretcher-bearers to the operating theater of our hospital and skillfully attended to. As we have no officers' ward in our hospital, the next day I was brought with the other two officers of our unit who were wounded in the raid, to this very practical expression of the "Liverpool Merchants' goodwill towards our army."

My case is progressing very favorably and I am being well cared for. Providentially not one of our Nursing Sisters was hit. They all stood bravely by their posts, performing their duties most faithfully towards their helpless charges. Many a wounded soldier was comforted and delivered from overwhelming fear as he lay powerless on his bed, by the courage and fidelity of our noble "Sisters." God bless them! We never could win this war (as we shall) without them. I regret very much that my work has been thus interrupted, but hope soon to be at it again D. V. Meanwhile Rom. 8:28 ensures a good time.

As writing lying on the back is not easy, may I ask you to let my many friends in the dear home churches know that I am getting on nicely, with good prospect of full recovery.

Yours sincerely, **W. F. PARKER, CAPT.**

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PICNICS DOMINION DAY

The picnics of the First Baptist Church and of Immanuel Baptist came off on Dominion Day. The former was held at the Rifle Range and the latter at the grounds of Mr. Melvin Johnston, Murray's Sidling. Rain did not much interfere in their general fun, nor dampen the enthusiasm and spirits of these picnickers.

PHOENIX LODGE, I.O.O.F. HAD AN ENJOYABLE EVENING.

Tuesday evening was an enjoyable one with the Truro Odd Fellows. District Deputy Grand Master W. H. Leck, of Shubenacadie was present to install the officers, for the ensuing term of six months. With the assistance of a number of Past Grands he installed the following into their respective offices:—

- N. G.—P. M. Lawther, P. G.
 - V. G.—F. H. Yuill.
 - R. Secty.—C. F. Christie.
 - Fin. Secty.—A. D. McLeod, P. G.
 - Treas.—I. G. Miller, P. G.
 - Warden—W. B. Carroll.
 - Con.—D. A. White.
 - O. G.—C. S. McDowell.
 - I. G.—S. A. Langille.
 - R.S.N.G.—Howard Hayman, P. G.
 - L.S.N.G.—H. W. McDonald.
 - R.S.V.G.—W. A. McKay, P. G.
 - L.S.V.G.—A. C. Mills, P. G.
 - R.S.S.—W. F. Urquhart, P. G.
 - L.S.S.—Geo. Watt, P. G.
 - Chaplain—W. J. Rogers, P. G.
 - Organist—A. E. Smith.
 - Junior P. G.—Howard Munsie, P. G.
- After the installation speeches were made both by the members of the Lodge as well as a number of visitors from other Lodges. The past six months has been a successful and prosperous period with the lodge a goodly number of splendid young men having joined the order. The Fin. Secy's report showed that a large amount of money had been paid to sick brothers during the term.

SUMMERING IN MAITLAND.

Mrs. A. S. Barnstead and family have removed for the summer to Maitland, Hants Co. Mrs. Alfred Putnam and Mr. and Mrs. James F. Putnam and family formerly of Halifax, but latterly of Vancouver, will spend the summer also in Maitland. Mrs. A. Bower, wife of A. Bower of P. B. McCurdy & Co's branch in Montreal, has arrived in Maitland with her family for the summer months

JAMES FEARON DIED IN WOLFVILLE, JUNE 29.

James Fearon, for 20 years Principal of the School for the Deaf at Halifax, died in Wolfville, June 29 where this School had been given rooms by the Governors of Acadia College, after the explosion in Halifax on December 6 last.

Mr. Fearon was born in Ireland and he has bit the Halifax School for exceedingly small beginnings to an Institution we are all proud of.

His system of teaching was new and advanced much beyond the times. He was heart and soul in his work and was one of the best citizens of Halifax.

He is survived by his widow and two children.

FIRE CHIEF'S ELECT OFFISERS WILL MEET IN AMHERST NEXT YEAR.

At the Annual Meeting in Fredericton last week the following officers were elected for the current year:— President—J. W. Churchill, Halifax. 1st Vice-Pres. H.M. Mersereau, Sydney 2nd Vice Pres.—C.P. Rider, St. Stephen 3rd Vice Pres.—T. Renahau, Charlottetown. Treasurer—J. J. Daley, Sussex. Secretary—Geo. Ackman Moncton. Auditor—R. A. Lushy, Amherst. Auditor—T. H. Fitzpatrick, Chatham.

Additional Members of Executive:—

- N. B. Stewart, —Truro.
 - C. H. Jackson—St. John.
 - W. P. Tanner,—Trenton.
- Amherst was chosen as the next place of meeting.

Every department is now in full swing with midsummer goods, large range of goods were bought and at very special values, away below today's makers prices.—C. E. Bentley & Co.

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