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Suburban Notes

PARADISE

Miss Leone Banks visited her brother in Kentville last week.

Mrs. Calnek, of Granville, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Longley.

Mr. F. W. Bishop was in St. John last week loading apples for the English market.

Mrs. Albert Jodrie, who has been with her husband in Halifax, returned to Paradise last week.

Miss Nina Starratt, who has been for some time in the United States, returned to Paradise last week.

Mr. Earle Saunders and Mr. Llewellyn Bowly, of Acadia University, are home for the holidays.

Miss MacKay, of Annapolis and Miss Spurr, of Melvern Square, visited recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Pearson.

Miss Vera Longley and Miss Louise Longley, of Acadia Seminary, are spending their holidays at their respective homes.

Mr. Floyd Banks, who has been at Morrisstown, is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Nathan Banks. He was accompanied by his uncle, Mr. D. M. Banks.

Miss Mable Elliott, who is teaching in Port Matland and Miss Muriel Elliott, who is teaching at Upper Clarence, are spending their holidays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott.

The Paradise Literary Society held an open meeting on Monday, Dec. 16th. The two act Drama, "Dave's Baby," was well played. The actors were Mr. Aubrey Freeman, Miss Bessie Durling, Mr. Kenneth Brooks, Mrs. G. L. Pearson and Mr. George Wilson. Solos were given by Miss MacKay, of Annapolis, Miss Georgie Phinney, of Middleton, and Mrs. Clarence Longley, of Paradise. There were readings by Miss Spurr, of Melvern Square, and Miss Eleanor Longley, of Paradise. The "Topsy Turvy" chorus by a crowd of young boys was much enjoyed. The evening's entertainment closed with the Christmas Star drill given by twelve girls, dressed in white and carrying star tipped wands. Mrs. Vernon Morse beautifully impersonated the Christmas angel. A large crowd witnessed the entertainment, the hall being filled to its utmost capacity.

The school at Paradise gave the following entertainment on Friday afternoon, December 20th:

Chorus—This way Kriss.
Recitation—Malcom Leonard.
Exercise—Last Year's Dolls.
Recitation—Russel Balcom.
Recitation—Margaret Trimmer.
Exercise—The Christmas Gifts.
Recitation—Helen Trimmer.
Recitation—Harry Elliott.
Exercise—What Santa Brought.
Song—The Christmas Wishes.
Recitation—Majorie Morse.
Dialogue—Grandpa's Surprise.
Recitation—Rosamond Longley.
Recitation—Reginald Durling.
Song—Santa's Helpers: Four girls.
Exercise—Christmas everywhere.
Recitation—Beatrice Cheerer.
Recitation—Helen Elliott.
Recitation—Hardy Freeman.
Doll drill—Eight girls.
Recitation—John Longley.
Recitation—Dorothy Balcom.
Recitation—Evelyn Leonard.
Song—Christmas Bells.
Short speeches were then given by Mr. McCormick and Mr. J. S. Longley, then the exercise "Catching Santa" when Santa Claus entered and proceeded to distribute the candy, oranges and gifts from the Xmas tree. At the close "God save the King" was sung.

UPPER GRANVILLE

Miss Mailman is spending her holidays at her home in Albany.

To the Editor, staff and all readers far and near we wish a Happy New Year.

The "Winter Solstice" has brought us a Spring like day. Merry Christmas is upon us. Peace and good will to men still bears to us the same sweet message.

Miss Jennie P. Fellows, who is kindly remembered by many relatives and friends here and who has been a successful teacher in the first west and New Brunswick, became the bride of Mr. Martin Snyder, of Detroit, on Dec. 6th. Congratulations are extended to the happy couple, for a long and peaceful married life.

The concert given in Upper Granville school house (east end) under the auspices of Miss Mailman, teacher, on the 20th inst, was well attended and a pronounced success. Tho' a short time had been spent in preparation the various pupils taking part acquitted themselves well. The program consisted of music, recitations and dialogues. A Christmas tree was a pleasing feature. At the close of the entertainment a veritable Santa Claus with assistants dispersed gifts to the happy children, whilst "sweets to the sweet" were given the grown ups. The amount realized by a small admission fee was about eight dollars which will be kindly donated to the brave "Sailors of our King." The school house was tastefully decorated for the occasion.

THE LATE GR. THOMAS FREEMAN GILLIS

More Particulars About the Death of this Brave Soldier

Mr. Eleanor Gillis, of Dalhousie, has received the following letters concerning the death of his son, a notice of which we published in a recent issue:

RE SOLDIER FOUND DEAD

Plain Clothes Constable Allan Campbell begs to report that at 10 a. m., on Wednesday, 20th November, 1918. No. 2163312, Genser Thomas Freeman Gillis, 4th Canadian Siege Battery, British Expeditionary Force, France, was found dead in bed in a bedroom in the "St. Albans" Hotel, 9, Rutland Square, Edinburgh.

The police were informed and they summoned Dr. Murdoch Brown, Acting Police Surgeon, who after examining the body pronounced life extinct and expressed the opinion that death was due to suffocation by gas poisoning.

It appears that the deceased soldier was on short leave from France and had resided in the "St. Albans" Hotel since 13th November. He had been sleeping in a small bedroom on the top flat which is lighted by means of ordinary gas and the opinion of the Police is that when the deceased soldier had been retiring to bed on the night of the 19th November, he had turned out the light and had afterwards inadvertently touched the thumb-screw on the gas bracket which is rather loose thus allowing the gas to escape. The door and window of the bedroom were both closed and there being no fireplace, little or no air would penetrate in to the room, consequently the unfortunate soldier would in a very short time be overcome and suffocated.

The Military Authorities were informed and arrangements were made by them for the funeral which took place at 11 a. m. on Monday, 25th November, 1918, with full Military honours. The remains are interred in Seaford Cemetery, this cemetery being chosen as a number of other Canadian soldiers are buried there. Several Canadian soldiers on leave in Edinburgh followed the cortege to the grave.

A cross bearing his number and rank and name has been erected over the grave by some overseas soldiers with whom deceased had made friends during his stay in this city.

His property, consisting of £6-16-11½; 2 cigarette cases; 1 finger ring; 1 razor; post-cards and photos, was taken charge of by the Police and the Procurator-Fiscal desire it to remain with them until claimed by the next of kin.

The deceased's army paybook shows him to be a single man and his next of kin is given as Mrs. Minnie Gillis, Annapolis, Co., W. Dalhousie, N. S. and the Constable reporting respectfully begs to suggest that a copy of this report be forwarded to her.

Signature of Officer writing the Report.
ALLAN CAMPBELL P. C.
Edinburgh, Nov. 27, 1918.

Dear Mrs. Gillis: I take my pen in hand and will endeavour to express my sympathy to you which is very difficult to express in words. I must say that I did not know your son very long, as I met him while on leave in Edinburgh. I was with him in the early part of the night, he died, and we had our pictures taken the same night. I am sending them to you

and am keeping one of them and hope you do not object.

It was certainly a shock to me to hear of his death. He was buried in Seaford Cemetery, Edinburgh, on Monday 25th, with Military honours. Eight of us boys were pall bearers. It was very sad though to think that so young a chap was taken away and especially after the war was finished. And I assure you that I sympathize with you in our sad bereavement. And if you wish any further news if you write me I will endeavour to let you know.

I remain yours in sympathy
ARTHUR TURNER.
My address is
Pte. A. F. Turner.
No. 123752, 2151 Canadian, B. E. F. France.

P. S. If you wish any more of these pictures you can get them by writing to Colin Campbell, 71 Princes St., Edinburgh, Scotland, and asking for pictures No. 6047 taken Wednesday, 20th, November.

A. TURNER.

One Way Enticing People to Church

An exchange says: "Three Days in a Submarine," as the subject of a sermon, proved irresistibly attractive to a country congregation which had been making itself conspicuous by its absence from church services. A good deal sadder and a good deal wiser set of people left the church at the close of that sermon than had entered it, for the submarine proved nothing but a person's trap to discourse on Jonah."

We wonder if this parson got as big a crowd as usual at the next regular service. Barnum said "You can fool all the people sometimes, and some people all the time, but you cannot fool all the people all the time."

Farmers Send for This Booklet

We have received from the Department of Crown Lands a booklet entitled "The Farm Woodlot" in Nova Scotia" which is entitled to more than a passing reference. The aim of the pamphlet is to show in concise fashion the importance of the farm woodlot and to point out briefly, but as clearly as possible, ways and means of conserving and improving it. In view of the present prices that lumber is bringing and the deplorable ravages wrought year after year by preventable fires in our timber tracts this work is of timely interest and every farmer in Nova Scotia should send for a copy and read it from cover to cover. The booklet has been prepared in a readable manner, free from technical terms, and is suitably illustrated. Copies may be obtained free by application to the Department of Crown Lands, Halifax, and mentioning that this notice appeared in the MONITOR.

A Letter From Pte. Guy Ruffee

Mrs. C. A. Ruffee has received the following letter from her son who had been a prisoner of war in Germany:

Boulogne, Dec. 2nd, 1918.
Dear Mother: Just arrived here from Germany. Thank God. I hope to go to England to-morrow. But I do not know yet where. When I get there I will write at once. We had a hearty welcome, lots of food and good warm clothes.

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GUY.

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