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On the 31st of July, 1914, King George received a communication from M. Poincaré, President of the French Republic, which was virtually an appeal to the British Government to make it clear that, in case of need, Great Britain would stand by her friends, even to taking the field on their behalf. King George replied upon the following day, saying in substance that he was personally using his best endeavors with Russia and Germany to influence them at least to postpone military operations if not to find other measures to secure peace. But, he was bound by constitutional practice and precedent, to refrain from giving any political assurance beyond stating that his Government would continue to discuss frankly and freely with the French Ambassador any matter of interest to the two nations.

These communications have not been published until recently. As the Times says, the reply of King George is a clear indication of the falsity of the charge brought by Germany against the British Government, that it had urged France and Russia to prepare for war, and an evidence of the fact that the decision to assist the present Allies was not made until the neutrality of Belgium had been violated.

The Turkish papers are indulging in great flights of fancy respecting the Kaiser and the war. They have gone so far as to trace a blood connection between the Kaiser and Mahomet, and speak of the former as his Islamic Majesty. One of their papers, published in Scutari, announces that "The harem of his Islamic Majesty William II, the principal officers of the harem and the general staff are expected in Constantinople early in the spring. Ten of the most powerful of the captured British Dreadnaughts will escort the imperial harem."

Another newspaper, in December, announced that the members of the French Chamber of Deputies had been permitted to kiss the hand of his Imperial Islamic Majesty, and were deeply affected by his magnanimity.

But the following announcement made by the German Press in Constantinople reaches even a higher altitude of fancy. The statement is made that "The British Government has offered 2000 asses laden with gold to induce his Islamic Majesty to renounce his project of dispatching a mighty fleet against England."

It is stated that the National Bank of Belgium in August last sent over to England its entire gold reserve and a large quantity of State Bonds to the custody of the Bank of England. The Germans who have set up a kind of government in the part of Belgium which they occupy, have been trying to get hold of this money. They sent some time since, a deputation of Belgians under penalties to England to make a demand upon the Bank of England. They have since sent a second deputation. Both have proved failures, as might have been expected.

The pilgrims of Great Britain and the United States, a Society of which the late Lord Roberts was the President and founder, have decided to erect in each of the two countries memorials of him.

Dr. Elliot, ex-president of Harvard University at a recent luncheon of the "Pilgrims" in New York, remarked emphatically that the sympathy of the United States is with the allies in the war. He went on to say that his writings on the war had brought him many letters. He had been asked, "Are you an Englishman?" "Where were you born?" "How much does England pay you?" "What does America owe to England?"

"These questions I have had to answer over and over again," he said, "and so I have had to think about what we owe to England. We owe to England all the early practice of liberty, we owe to England the teachings of John Milton about civil and religious liberty, and we are looking to her now for something only England can give. That is a complete demonstration that national efficiency can be developed to a higher expression under free institutions than it can under autocratic institutions."

The Hon. Bonar Law, in conversation with Dr. John Mott of Y. M. C. A. fame, told the following in-

cident. One of Mr. Law's sons, about eighteen years of age, had gone to the war. Another son, about twenty-two years of age, afterwards said to his father that he thought he also should join the colors. Mr. Law said to him, "Don't you think we have done our duty as a family by sending one to the war?" The son replied, "Yes, we may have done our duty as a family. But, what about my duty?" It is not for money's sake or honor's sake, or because no other avenue to usefulness was open to them, that many a young Britisher has put on the khaki. They have been influenced by a sense of personal duty. Probably in no war in which Great Britain has ever been engaged, has the feeling of personal duty been so evident in the sayings and doings of the Ministers in the Cabinet, the members of Parliament, the Military authorities, the soldiers and sailors, as in the present war.

"The Advertiser" furnishes an account of a very interesting and suggestive event which took place on the 23rd ult., in connection with the Kentville Academy and School. The ladies of the W. C. T. U. invited the boys from grade six and upwards with their teachers and the ministers of the town with their wives, to a supper in the vestry of the Baptist Church, which was kindly placed at their disposal for the purpose. Addresses were given to the boys, by the ministers; readings, dialogues and music were furnished by several of the guests, and essays were read by a number of students, for which first and second prizes were awarded. As might be expected from the Society which was the hostess of the evening, the subjects of these essays were along the line of its work, such as "The effect of alcoholic liquors on the life of the individual, the town and the country;" "The rights of non-users of Tobacco;" "The danger of the first glass of liquor."

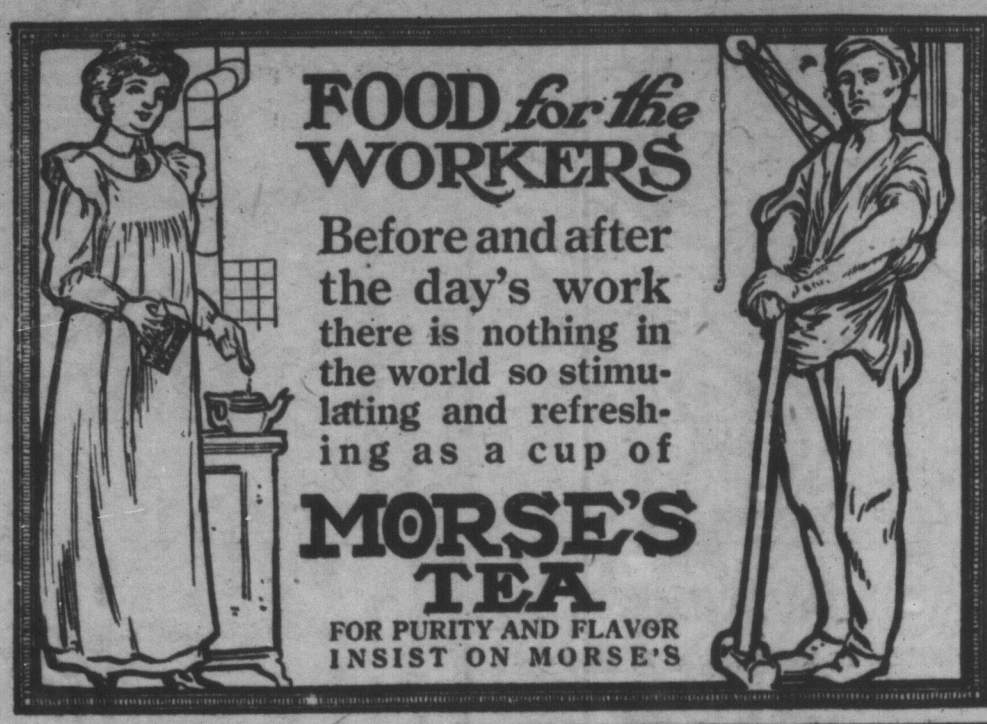
The ladies of the Kentville W. C. T. U. have furnished an example which is worthy of wide imitation by schools in town and country.

The Greek Plato is reported to have given as a definition of a boy, that he is "the most vicious of all animals." Lovers of horses know that a spirited colt often becomes a vicious horse by ill treatment. It is no less true of boys that unwise attempts at discipline tend to bring out and harden the vicious tendencies which are natural to humanity. But, there are very few boys who cannot be influenced and persuaded by kind and persistent oversight and admonition. This, of course, should begin in the home. Pity that it is so often neglected there. This wise parent will welcome the aid of the Sabbath School and the Church, and the counsels of judicious friends. We commend the example of the organization which has called forth these remarks.

**Monitor's Belgian Relief Fund**

The good people of Bridgetown and vicinity are certainly doing splendidly in their contributions to the Monitor's Belgian Relief Fund, and our average of \$200 a month is well sustained. Keep it up. We think Bridgetown holds the record thus far as giving the largest amount in cash contributions to the Belgian relief of any town in the province. The suffering of those homeless people, the victims of the darkest crime of history, appeals to the hearts of our people. Even the children of the town are interested in raising money to help the Belgians. We report this week, as last, a contribution from Miss Rheta Brittan, who proceeds on a concert given by the children on Saturday afternoon. Perhaps few people realize just how much effort and real work is put into these Saturday afternoon concerts. Rheta Brittan, through whose efforts the concerts are arranged, is a young lady under eleven years of age, and yet with a number of others younger than herself, she goes ahead, and without asking adult assistance, prepares a programme, the members of which are nearly all original, and puts on an entertainment that would do credit to one far beyond her years. Through the week the children employ their spare moments in practicing, selling tickets, and making the necessary effort to ensure the success of their concert. That is splendid, and merits our warmest commendation. Let us follow the example of the children and do our best in helping the suffering Belgians.

Previously Acknowledged.....	\$779.74
Easter offering from children of Primary Grade of St. James Sunday School, Bridgetown.....	25
John Roberts.....	25
M. Allison Fitz Randolph.....	25
Kathleen Craig.....	25
Jack Weare.....	10
Charles Longmire.....	10
Ronald Longmire.....	10
Hazel Gillis.....	10
Ruth Anderson.....	10
Amelia Gatti.....	10
A Friend, Bridgetown.....	65
Collection at Easter Sunday School Concert in Bridgetown Baptist Church, per G. H. Dixon, Superintendent.....	7.06
Miss Snape, Clarence.....	1.00
Proceeds of concert given by six children, under direction Rheta Brittan.....	2.01
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**Bridgetown Theatricals**

That Bridgetown is loyal to its home talent was again proven on Easter Monday night, when a full house greeted the performers in the four-act comedy drama, "Me and Otis" at the Primrose Theatre.

The cast was made up of the younger set of the town, and to the majority of performers it was their debut in theatricals. Nevertheless, they all played their individual parts in a manner that would have done great credit to those with long experience on the stage. Every performer seemed quite at ease, and there was not a hitch in the whole performance. The audience was convinced that there was good talent in the town that had not been heard of before. The following is the cast of characters:

Diek Davis, Student at King's College, (on of football and girls, C. Y. Florian).  
 Byron Makepeace Thornton, (his room-mate, not fond of football or girls) Ronald Ruggles.  
 Otis Tewksbury of Berkensville, (Betty's father) Gerald Merritt.  
 Reginald Thomas, (A young man of fashion) James Connel.  
 Sam Scullyun, (Tewksbury's hired man) G. W. Bellevue.  
 Betty Tewksbury, (Otis' daughter) Louise Ruggles.  
 Florence Pollet, (Betty's city friend) Dodo Lloyd.  
 Rosilla Tewksbury, (Wife of Otis and head of the family, Mildred Lockett Sophronia Ruggles, (Florence's maiden Aunt) Nan Hoyt.

After the first and second acts of the play a male chorus of eleven voices, under the direction of Mrs. J. S. Lewis rendered three numbers that were well executed and showed the work of careful training and tutoring. The work of the chorus was well received and accolades were called for.

The Bridgetown Orchestra under the leadership of Mr. C. B. Longmire, gave a number of selections before the curtain, and their rendering of a selection from "The Bohemian Girl" called forth vociferous applause.

The sum of \$67.70 was realized, which, after expenses are deducted, will be given to the Servian Fund.

**Methodist Church Circuit Notes**

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30.  
 Epworth League Friday at 7.30. Annual business meeting.  
 Services next Sunday April 11, as follows:  
 Bridgetown: Sunday School and Bible Study at 10 a. m.; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.  
 Granville: 3 p. m.

**Bridgetown United Baptist Church**

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8.  
 B. V. P. U. on Friday evening at 8.  
 Sunday services: Bible School at 10 a. m. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. At the close of the evening service there will be an after-meeting of song and testimony in the vestry.  
 CENTRELEA  
 Prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at 8.  
 Freezing service on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A collection for denominational funds will be taken. The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be administered.

**St. James Parish Church Notes**

The Easter Festival in this church was very bright in spite of the inclement weather. The sanctuary was adorned with the beautiful festal hangings, and flowers were contributed for the Altar by Mrs. Chas. deWitt (in memoriam), Mrs. I. B. Freeman, Mrs. O. T. Daniels, Mrs. I. B. Burns, Mrs. H. McAvity, and Mrs. Kenneth Dodge. The services were exceedingly bright, the music, including anthem settings to the Canticles, and an anthem by Norman Stewart, entitled, "Christ is risen." In the morning the Rector took as the subject of his sermon, "The instruction of the empty tomb," and in the evening "The Risen Jesus; The Same, Yesterday, To-day, Ven and Forever."  
 In St. Mary's, Belleisle, the celebration of the Festival commenced on Easter eve with a service at 7.30 p. m. On Easter morning there was a celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a. m., but the usual afternoon service was abandoned on account of the storm.  
 The services in the parish next Sunday will be:  
 Bridgetown—11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.  
 Belleisle—3 p. m.  
 St. Peter's-by-the-Sea, Young's Cove—11 a. m.

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**Administrator's Sale**

**In the Court of Probate 1914**  
 Province of Nova Scotia  
 County of Annapolis  
 In the matter of the estate of Robert Longley, late of Paradise in the County of Annapolis, farmer, deceased.  
 To be sold at Public Auction on the premises at  
**PARADISE**  
 —ON—  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 24th**  
 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, pursuant to a license to sell, granted by the Court of Probate for the County of Annapolis, bearing date the 27th day of April, 1914.  
 All the estate, right, title and interest of the deceased Robert Longley at the time of his death, of, in, to or upon the following lots, pieces or parcels of land, situated, lying and being in Paradise in the County of Annapolis, bounded and described as follows:  
**FIRST LOT**—Bounded on the South by the Annapolis highway, on the West by lands of Harold C. Longley and Jesse Longley, on the north by the Annapolis River, on the East by lands of the late David B. Durling, containing about forty acres more or less.  
**SECOND LOT**—Bounded on the North by the Annapolis highway, on the West by land of Isaac Longley, on the South by the base line or rear of lands granted in Annapolis Township, on the East by land of the late David B. Durling, containing three hundred and sixty acres more or less.  
**TERMS**—Ten per cent. deposit at time of sale, balance on delivery of deed.  
**Also Stock, etc.**  
 2 milch cows freshened last November, an excellent driving, dark bay filly, 4 years old, well broken and not afraid of autos.  
 1 cooking stove nearly new, 1 parlor stove, 1 parlor organ in perfect repair, 1 spring tooth harrow, 1 riding wagon, 1 heavy lap robe, 1 rubber tired baby carriage nearly new.  
**TERMS**—Under \$5.00 cash, and above 6 months credit with approved security and interest at 6 p. c.  
**CATHERINE LONGLEY**  
 Administratrix  
**FRANK H. LONGLEY**  
 Administrator  
**JOHN HALL, Auctioneer.**  
 Paradise, March 25th, 1915.  
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**AUBREY P. BOEHNER, Executor.**  
**INA DURLING, Executrix.**  
 Paradise, February 25th, 1915. mos

**NOTICE:**  
 All persons having legal demands against the Estate of John H. Bishop, late of Lawrencetown, in the County of Annapolis, farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested within twelve months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to  
**Mary F. Bishop } Executors**  
**T. G. Bishop }**  
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