

# The Port Williams Acadian

## PORT WILLIAMS AND VICINITY

The pulpit of the United Baptist church was occupied on Sunday, Nov. 25th, by Rev. J. H. MacDonald, D. D., who gave a most inspiring service from the text, "He hath set Eternity in their heart."

Mr. Bruce Hunt, of Lawrencetown, spent the week end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Gates.

Mrs. Paul Mosher and son, of Dartmouth, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Chase.

Mr. F. Daniels, of the Royal Bank of Canada, spent the week end at his home in Lawrencetown.

Miss Kate Morse, of Berwick, attended the "Teachers Institute" held at Kentville on Friday, 23rd, and made the most of her time between trains by calling on a few of her friends in Port Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Chase entertained a number of their friends on Nov. 21st, at an informal dance. Mrs. Chase is a most charming hostess, and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Dr. Zwicker and family, of Belcher Street, left this week for Florida, where they intend spending the winter.

Messrs. Norman Chase and Ira Gates have returned from Sydney, C. B., where they have been at work for some time.

We are glad to report that Mr. Cyrus Ellis, who is at Westwood Hospital, is steadily improving.

Miss R. Hiltz, Principal of Port Williams school, attended the "Teachers Institute" at Kentville on the 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gates have moved into their new home on Main Street.

Mr. M. K. Ellis has purchased a new Ford truck.

Mrs. J. U. Bell and son are visiting friends in Church Street.

Miss Hazel Dodge, of the Academy Staff, Kentville, spent the week end with her cousin, Mrs. Neil Coulstan.

Mrs. N. H. Newcombe, who has been confined to the house the past week with rheumatism, is able to be out again.

The annual meeting of the Bible Society was held in Parish Hall, Church Street, on Monday evening, Nov. 26th.

A stirring address was given by Rev. Mr. Robinson, after which a business meeting was held, and the officers appointed for the coming year. Mr. John Donaldson was re-elected President, Mr. C. A. Campbell, Vice-President; Mrs. Oscar Chase, Secretary; and Miss Annie Jacques, Treasurer.

The social which was to have been given by the "Delta Alpha" S. S. class on Friday evening last week and was postponed, will begin this Friday evening Nov. 30. A good program is being prepared with the assistance of out side talent. Everybody is invited to attend and enjoy the evening.

There will be an opportunity to buy real homemade Christmas gifts, on Thursday evening, Dec. 6th, at "Temperance Hall", when the "Loyal Workers' S. S. Class will have their sale of Fancy work, toys, Xmas, cakes, Xmas puddings, clothes for the little tots, bulbs, plants, etc. This is where you will get good value for your money. Don't forget, Dec. 6th.

Men are the architects of their own misfortunes.

## Christmas Tree and Bazaar

An old fashioned Christmas tree and Bazaar, Thursday afternoon and evening, Dec. 6th at Port Williams.

This will be a splendid opportunity to procure novel and dainty hand-made Christmas gifts.

Attractive booths will display fancy-work, potted plants, and bulbs, candies, home-made Christmas cakes and puddings-etc.

Pine and holly wreaths and other decorations for sale.

A special feature will be the large Christmas tree laden with toys, dolls, and the things kiddies love.

Tea will be served from 5 to 9. Price .25c. Reserve this date and make a special point to patronize the "Loyal Workers Class" of the Baptist Sunday School.



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W. E. MacLELLAN, District Superintendent of Postal Service, Halifax, 22nd November, 1923.

## First Quarterly Examinations

PORT WILLIAMS SCHOOL. ADVANCED DEPT.

R. E. HILTZ, Teacher

GRADE X.	English	Arithmetic	Physics	History	Geom.	Algebra	French	Average
Mason Cogswell	73	71	66.5	59	37	21	59	55.2

GRADE IX.	English	Arithmetic	Drawing	Geography	Science	Algebra	French	Average
Madalyn Elliott	76	61.5	85	61	67	75	58	66.2
Elsie Bauckman	83	65	46	70	73	47	63	63.3
Pamela Doll	69	28	60	57	72	33	61	54.8

GRADE VIII.	Reading	Writing	English	Arithmetic	Drawing	Geography	History	Spelling	Gen. Know.	Average
Mildred Gates	80	80	65	62.5	79	62	89	97	80	77.1
Greta Murphy	80	60	68	59.5	50	70	79	93	76	70.7
Marjorie Weaver	80	75	71	72.5	54	58	80	80	74	69.3
Grace Murphy	80	60	64	51.5	52	69	69	78	61	64.9

GRADE VII.	Reading	Writing	English	Arithmetic	Drawing	Geography	History	Spelling	Gen. Know.	Average
Ross Graves	75	70	74	94	78	60	83	78	73	76.1
Mattie Regan	65	60	75	85	72	65	88	71	78	73.2
Frank Balcom	75	70	72	47	72	78	75	80	77	71.7
Elizabeth Harvey	75	70	61	58	35	59	94	87	67	67.3
Ivan Bezanson	75	60	59	70	48	51	42	86	61	61.3
Eyrie Graves	65	60	61	88.5	51	30	71	68	51	60.6

GRADE VI.	Reading	Writing	English	Arithmetic	Drawing	Geography	History	Spelling	Gen. Know.	Average
Shirley Balcom	80	80	93	75.5	73	82	95	99	75	80.2
Dorothy Hatt	80	80	84	44	57	87	80	82	60	72.6
Harry England	75	60	82	87	57	77	83	79	37	70.2
Dorothy Parrish	60	80	61	62.5	69	73	66	82	63	68.5

GRADE V.	Reading	Writing	English	Arithmetic	Drawing	Geography	History	Spelling	Gen. Know.	Average
Bessie Shaw	75	80	96	93	75	81	88	98	87	85.8
Kenneth Lantz	80	75	82	82	74	66	77	94	90	80.
Lawrence Weaver	75	60	85	96	72	63	82	84	89	78.4
Lloyd Gates	80	60	73	85	54	62	64	82	81	71.2
Olivia Harvey	75	60	75	44.5	62	40	71	60	68	61.7
Clarence Forsythe	60	60	75	43.5	45	41	54	90	67	59.5
Beula Lantz	75	75	64	24	71	51	49	54	69	59.1
Lawrence Gates	75	60	57	36	57	36	34	78	87	57.7
Austen Thomson	60	55	51	51	22	29	22	59	44.3	44.3
Fred MacKinnon	60	50	40	27	56	19	16	14	55	36.6

## NEW TYPE OF CASE FOR EXPORT APPLES

An Old Country paper gives the following account of a new type of box or "case", as it is termed in the British fruit trade, which is being tried out in the shipment of apples from Australia: "A new export case, the invention of an Australian, is being tried out in a shipment of 500 cases of apples now going forward from Melbourne to London, according to the Canadian Department of Trade and Commerce. The case is known as the "air free" case, and aims to solve the problems of ventilation and bruising. If the advantages claimed for the new case are evident in the experimental shipment, it will probably be largely used in future consignments from Australia. In construction, the case resembles the ordinary standard case, except that the sides consist of three slats, the top and bottom slats being twice as thick as the middle one. The difference in the thickness makes a groove running the length of the case, along which, when the fruit is stacked, air can pass so freely that the use of "dunnage" between the tiers of the stack is rendered unnecessary. Further, the thickness of the slats, which help form the corners, gives such strength at the corners that there is claimed to be no possibility of the case breaking open, or of strapping bruising the fruit inside.

Bargains in everything at the Big Auction Saturday.



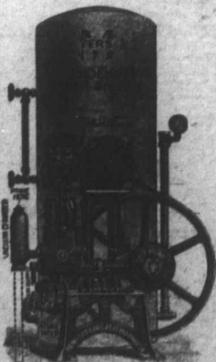
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## HEAVY STORM IN NEW YORK

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 26—Winter unloaded snow on northeastern New York over the weekend, the fall ranging in depth from six inches to a foot and a half. Plattsburgh, Saratoga Lake and other Adirondack points temporarily were cut off from communication when the rain of Saturday turned to snow under a howling wind, bringing down wires and blocking roads.

Car service was curtailed in Albany, telephone communication was interrupted and supplies of milk were brought into the city section with difficulty.

Motor trucks and automobiles were stalled in deep drifts south of Schenectady.

The snow began drifting last night. Railroads were preparing snow fighting equipment and a tie-up of both rail and highway traffic was generally expected in the morning.

## EVERY SEAT SOLD FOR OLYMPIC GAMES

PARIS, NOV. 26—The French Olympic Games Committee already has hung up the "standing room only" sign at the Colombes Stadium, although the official opening of the 1924 Olympic Games is still seven months away.

The stadium provides accommodation for 70,000 spectators. There will be 20,000 reserved seats, divided evenly among the two covered stands on each side of the track, known as "Official," and the "Marathon" stands. The remaining fifty thousand persons will be accommodated with standing room at both ends of the bowl and at the turns.

The British and United States Olympic committees have requested five thousand seats for spectators from these countries, while Sweden and Italy have each requested 1500 seats. The remaining 7,000 seats have virtually all been reserved by the small nations, leaving hardly any for the French committee to dispose of to French sport lovers.



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## COLLEGE GIRLS' FEET GROWING

Columbus, O., Nov. 23—The feet of the modern college girl are steadily increasing in size, according to Miss Lydia Clark, head of the women's department of physical education at Ohio State University.

Miss Clark says that modern clothes and the great interest shown by themodern co-ed in outdoor activities are causes for the increase in size.

Not only are their feet increasing in size, but statistics show that the increase is general. Figures from Vassar, Smith and Leland Stanford show that the average weight of the college woman has increased from 123.8 pounds to 125.8, and that the waistline has increased on an average of 1.3 inches, Miss Clark says.

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## PRINCE OF WALES TO VISIT CANADA ANNUALLY

TORONTO, Nov. 23—The Prince of Wales intends to make his visits to his Alberta ranch annual events, unless when these may be interfered with by affairs of the Empire, William Carlyle, superintendent of the E. F. Ranch, told the members of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists here last night at the banquet in connection with

the Royal Winter Fair. "The Prince is a farmer, make no mistake about that," said Mr. Carlyle.

## DRIFTS IN MASSACHUSETTS

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., Nov. 26—Railroad, trolley, telephone and telegraph service was seriously affected and many roads made impassable by the snowstorm that swept western Massachusetts late Saturday night and Sunday morning. Automobiles were stalled in deep drifts in many parts of Berkshire county. More than three feet of snow was found on the higher points. Many telegraph and telephone lines are down in the vicinity of Pittsfield.

A new assortment of Tally Cards just received at THE ACADIAN STORE. Prices range from 25 to 50 cents per dozen.

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