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A party of children expected to arrive from England, ages 3 to 14 years. Parties desirous of obtaining same will kindly send in their applications at once. Address all communications: Middlemore Home, Fairview Station, N. S.

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MANY DEATHS MARK THE WEEK'S EVENTS

The grim reaper has been unusually busy during the last few days. The young have not been spared, and two women of 98 years are among those who have heard the last summons.

MRS. SAMUEL D. MILLER

Death came during Sunday night to Mrs. Samuel D. Miller, mother of S. S. Miller, manager of Estey & Curtis Co. Ltd. She had been in ordinary health until the day of her death when she suffered gastric hemorrhage.

Mrs. Miller was formerly Mary Hicks and was born in Norton, Kings Co., in 1818, therefore having attained the great age of 98 years. Her married life was spent in St. John where the only son was born. Her husband died many years ago, and Mrs. Miller taught school at various places in Carleton county for a long time afterward.

She came to Hartland about 20 years ago, when her son took over the drug business here.

Mrs. Miller was a woman of strong and sterling character. For years she was a member of the Baptist church, later accepting to her very great peace of mind, the doctrines of the Holiness propaganda.

The funeral was held at Mr. Miller's home yesterday afternoon, Revs. P. J. Trafton, H. S. Dow and George Kincaid conducting the services. Many friends gathered to pay last respects.

The flowers laid on the casket as tributes of respect and love were a cross by the son, a wreath by Mrs. S. S. Miller and grandchildren, and a sheaf of flowers by the employees of Mr. Miller's company.

MRS. MARTHA COX

Another nonagenarian to pass to her reward on Sunday was Mrs. Martha Cox, nee Squires, of Bath. She was 98 years of age and had been ill only a few days. She also taught school for many years in the early days of the county's history. A widow for many years she died childless, but is survived by stepchildren, all of whom are now people of advanced age. Her funeral was held on Monday.

GEORGE MCCREA

George McCrea of Bannock died on Sunday after a long illness of cancer. He was 85 years of age and leaves a wife and nine children. The wife at present is in Bute, Mont., and the children are: Mrs. Kolmouise and Mrs. Crow of San Francisco, Mrs. Mary Lloyd of Saskatchewan, Mrs. Wilmet Kimball, Armand, G. M. and Robert McCrea of Perth, Thomas of Peel, Mrs. Wilfred Crandemire of Aroostook Jct., and Mrs. Arthur McCafferty of Bannock.

The funeral was held on Monday, Rev. G. A. Giberson preaching the sermon.

BURTON BELVEA

Burton Belyea, son of W. D. A. Belyea of Ashland, died Monday evening from a hemorrhage from an abscess on the neck. He was 23 years old and a bright and popular young man. The funeral will be held to-day. Much sympathy goes out to the sadly bereft family.

JENNIE BRADLEY

On Saturday morning Miss Jen-

nie Bradley died at the home of C. E. Allen where she had been boarding. Miss Bradley was 19 years of age and had been ill about a week from pneumonia. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. William Grant of Highgate, and several brothers and sisters, among whom is Mrs. M. W. White of Hartland.

Miss Bradley was for about two years an operator for the Farmers' Telephone Co. and as such became widely known through this and adjoining communities, and the large attendance at her funeral bore testimony of popular esteem.

The funeral was held on Sunday from the home of her grandfather, John Bradley, her rector, Rev. N. Franchette reading the service and preaching.

Centreville News

Mrs. B. W. Campbell, Mrs. W. L. Harold, Mrs. Rose Clark and C. A. McBride attended the Willmot parish S. S. Convention at Charleston, March 8, and report a good time and a very interesting convention.

Rev. W. A. Ross, General Secretary was present and gave two of his instructive, inspiring addresses.

Rev. S. Johnson is holding special services at Good Corner assisted by Mr. Thompson of Chance Harbor, N. S. There is large number attending and a good interest is being maintained.

Fred Hume and family expect to leave in a few days for Nelson, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vail are expected to arrive shortly from California.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sherwood of Plaster Rock were visiting at George Beckwith's last week.

Mrs. C. M. Sherwood and Miss Dancy Burt are visiting in St. John.

John Gilland is very ill and is not expected to recover.

Mrs. D. W. Balloch is in very poor health.

G. L. White, M. L. A., is attending to his legislative duties at Fredericton.

Rev. S. Johnson preached an able sermon on Sunday morning on the great European war viewed from the standpoint of Biblical prophecy and presented some rather startling views in regard to world conditions at present and after the war.

A number of young men in this vicinity are planning to enlist in the new battery of artillery to be organized in Woodstock.

The New Field Battery

Carpenters are hard at work fitting up the building at Woodstock formerly used as a wrapper factory for the accommodation of the new field battery to be recruited there. Stephen Green, the contractor, expects to have the carpenter work done by the end of next week, when the battery will be mobilized at once. It is rumored that I. Charlton Berrie, of St. John, will be given command of this unit.

There are many old battery men in Carleton county who are waiting for a chance to enlist.

PILES

Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, or protruding Piles. No surgical operation required. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and as certainly cure you. 50c. a box; all dealers, or Edmanston, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 10c. stamp to pay postage.

WOULD GIVE VALLEY ROAD AWAY

The St. John Globe, which was long a strong supporter of the Fleming government, now speaks of the Valley Railway as "a gigantic blunder" and "a white elephant." Condemning the abandonment of the east-side route to St. John, The Globe concludes a lengthy and spirited editorial with words that may be used as the thin edge of the wedge that will make clear the way for the government to pass the road over to its quondam friend and ally, the C. P. R., in exactly the manner it did the Central Railway.

The Globe's concluding words follow:

"The fact that faces the government and the province is that the road at present ends nowhere, and has no value because of that fact. It must either be carried to a destination or abandoned. Which is the wisest? To let it end at Gagetown means abandoning \$7,000,000 or so already pledged to this gigantic blunder. To carry it to a completion means the expenditure of two or three millions more, whether the east or west route is followed. The undoubtedly shorter route may be the more expensive route, but the relative benefits are a fair matter of consideration. If the Federal authorities absolutely refuse to aid with bridges the river route must be abandoned and the best alternative route followed.

The most satisfactory thing that could be heard with reference to this Valley Railroad would be that the Federal government has decided to take it over. While the government announcement says nothing on this point, there are rumors that such an outcome is looked for with confidence by the government. New Brunswick has a white elephant in the Valley Railway. The more cheaply it can be carried to a destination and the sooner given away the better. Indeed, it would be infinitely better if it could be given away without any further expenditure being made on it."

Simonds Red Cross

Our society is still in existence and the meetings, which are held every two weeks, are very successful. A number of visitors from outside communities are present for tea. We wish to thank them for their patronage.

At Mrs. David Shaw's we raised \$14.38; Mrs. George Colwell's \$14.48; Mrs. Dolph Foster's \$13.

During these winter months we have devoted most of our time to knitting. Ninety pairs of socks have been forwarded, besides a box of miscellaneous articles. Our next meeting will be held at W. N. Raymond's on March 16.

Wilmot School Report

The following are the names of those who made an average of fifty and over at the Wilmot School in the February Examinations:

Grade V—Vera Kirkbride 82, 88, Edgar DeLong 76.50, Arnold Peterson 76, Mildred Kirkbride 63.22.

Grade IV—Alden Peterson 57.

Grade III—Iva Peterson 88.50, Bertie DeLong 69.

Grade II (a)—Reta Prosser 84.

Grade II (b)—Glenna DeLong 66.

Grade I—Beatrice Prosser 98.

Ida P. Birmingham, Teacher.

These are now in the hands of the merchants. Stock for these brands has been most carefully selected and every effort has been put forth to maintain the standard which has given them such a splendid reputation.