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GOLDEN WEDDING DAY CELEBRATION

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Wood, of Torbrook Mines, Are Honored by Friends.

Torbrook Mines.—More than a hundred intimate friends of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Wood gathered Thursday at their home in Torbrook Mines to join with them in the celebration of the 50th anniversary of their wedding. Residents of this section of the country for the entire period of their married life, Mr. and Mrs. Wood have always enjoyed the high regard and esteem of the community at large and numerous indeed were the hearty congratulations showered upon them by those who attended the reception in their honor. Receiving with them was Mrs. Stanley Brown, for years a close friend of the family. Mrs. Charles L. Wood, of Windsor, a daughter-in-law, poured tea, and was assisted by Miss Marguerite Buckler, of Annapolis; Mrs. Bernard Wood, of Imperial; Mrs. Robie Armstrong, Mrs. Nelson Hart and Mrs. L. S. Burns. Little Misses Marie Brown of Torbrook Mines, admitted the guests.

An interesting feature of the reception was that two of the guests, Arthur Spinney and George Holland, were present at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wood.

In the living room of their home which was profusely decorated with roses, carnations and spring flowers, the happy pair received their guests chattering with each about incidents of by-gone days and reviving many happy recollections. With them on their "Golden Wedding Day" were their two sons and their families, Charles L. Wood, of Windsor, manual training instructor in the Windsor and Kentville high schools, and Bernard Wood of Imperial, assistant chemist in the employ of the Imperial Oil Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood were the recipients of many handsome gifts, including several purses of gold and other valuable tokens.

DRUNKEN DRIVER FINE \$200.

A good stroke of motor law observance was clinched in the Police Court yesterday. Police Officer Thompson seized on Sunday a car driven by a man named McNutt of Truro, who has an associate named Hoare, of West River. Both were under the influence and in the car was found a tin of rum. Hoare was given the nominal fine of a drunk \$5.00. McNutt was fined \$200 for the liquor and sent a month to jail for operating a car while under the influence. This should serve as timely warning.

A contemporary question that the procedure should have been taken under the inland Revenue Act when the fine might have been \$400 and the car confiscated. Had such been done and we doubt it legally it could have been. In the absence of an inland Revenue Officer to make the seizure, the fine, if paid, would have gone to the Ottawa treasury, while in the procedure followed it will go into the Town's police fund or general court.—Eastern Chronicle.

INCOME TAXATION.

One would almost think from the amount of noise made by the manufacturers of Canada every time they sold a machine that they carried the lion's share of the burden of taxation of the country, but such is not the case. It is generally supposed that manufacturers are men in the enjoyment of large incomes, but if the Federal Income Tax returns are to be taken as a criterion, one would be quite justified in the belief that they are poorly paid for their services. A return brought down in Parliament a few days ago shows that the combined payments of manufacturers in the form of income taxes last year amounted to only \$379,931, against the sum of \$473,000 turned in by the farmers. By classes the income taxes last year was distributed as follows:

Manufacturers	\$70,261
Employees	15,529,949
Merchants	4,474,256
Farmers	537,049
Professionals	2,663,900
Business profits	28,022,149
Not classified	490,446
All others	6,855,950

STAFF OF BEAR RIVER SCHOOLS.

Bear River.—The following are the teachers for Oakden school, who have received appointments for the next school year, Dennis Wright Principal; Miss Lillian Henry, vice-principal; Miss A. Henderson, Intermediate Dept; Miss June Schmidt, Elementary Dept; Miss Elsie Withrow, 2nd Primary; Miss L. Withrow, 1st Primary.

GAS CAR FOR P. E. I. RAILWAY

Charlottetown.—A 26-passenger gasoline motor coach has arrived at Summerside, to be used on the Canadian National Railways on Prince Edward Island for points west. The new service, which is supplementary to the regular steamer service, will enable passengers coming to the island from the mainland to reach Tignish the same evening.

SHERIFF'S SALE

IN THE SUPREME COURT.
1924. "A" No. 3058
BETWEEN:
Thomas Le Brun, Plaintiff,
—And—
The Eastern Trust Company,
Trustee of the Estate of
Hermann C. Morse, Defendant.

To be sold at Public Auction by J. H. Edwards, Esquire, High Sheriff of the County of Annapolis, or his Deputy, at the Court House in Bridgetown in the County of Annapolis, on Monday the 16th day of June, A. D., 1924, at the hour of twelve noon, pursuant to an Order of Foreclosure and Sale, made herein and dated the 8th day of May, A. D., 1924, unless before the day appointed for such sale, the amount due the Plaintiff on the Mortgage foreclosed herein with his costs be paid to him or his solicitor.

All the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the Defendant as Trustee of the Estate of Hermann C. Morse, an Authorized Assignor or Bankrupt, and of all persons claiming or entitled of, from, by or under the Defendant in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Town of Bridgetown, in the County of Annapolis, and bounded and described as follows:—Beginning on the East side line of Queen Street in Bridgetown aforesaid and at the South West corner of lands owned by Elias G. Langley; thence running Easterly a straight course along the Southerly side line of lands now owned by the said Elias G. Langley and R. Forrest Connell until it comes to the Westerly side line of lands now owned by the said R. Forrest Connell; thence Southerly a straight course along the Westerly side line of lands of the said R. Forrest Connell and of the Clark Burial Ground to the Northerly side line of lands of the said R. Forrest Connell; thence Westerly a straight course along the Northerly side line of lands of the said R. Forrest Connell and of the Presbyterian Church Property to Queen Street aforesaid; thence Northerly along Queen Street aforesaid to the place of beginning, containing one acre more or less.

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TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent, deposit at the time of sale, remainder on delivery of Deed.

Signed, J. H. EDWARDS,
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SURE CURE FOR GOITRE COMING.

Simple Cure Claimed to Have Been Found to Conquer the Disease.
Toronto.—The story of how science had conquered goitre, how the prevention of this ravaging disease had been found to be a simple compound of salt sea water and iodine, was told Wednesday at the Ontario Health Officers' Convention in session here by Dr. David Marine, of New York.

This eminent authority on goitre, dealing with the subject technically pointed out that the enlargement of the thyroid gland might be divided into two groups, simple goitres and exophthalmic goitres.

Simple goitre is one of the most important causes of human suffering with which society had and still has to deal, said he. "The sum total of its ravages throughout all ages and in all animals is still unrealized by the public generally."

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A quiet wedding took place at the Baptist Parsonage, Clementsvale, on Wednesday, May 21st, at four o'clock, the principals being Gladys Annie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wright, Clementsvale and Robert DeLafon, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Freeman, Landsdowne. Rev. G. C. Durkee officiated.

The bride was attired in a suit of navy, with sapphire and sand hat. The couple were attended by Miss Hazel DeForest and Mr. H. C. Trimmer.

A SNAKE STORY.

An enormous snake, of a very rare species, and one never before seen in that locality, was killed at Heckman's Island, Lunenburg, on Thursday morning. Forde Slaughenwhite, a lad living with Capt. Adam Kniekle, was out shooting crows. In jumping over a fence he dislodged a board, and the huge reptile shot out from beneath it and attacked him. The lad fired at the snake and shot its head off. It was found to measure five feet, two inches in length, and nine inches in circumference. The color was a very dark grey with white rings around the body.—Yarmouth Herald.

FIFTY PERCENT CUT IN PRICE OF SCHOOL BOOKS.

Fifty percent reduction in the price of many of the school books has been announced by the Department of Education of Nova Scotia. The reduction in the readers used alone is approximately one-third of the entire cost of school books. The reductions cover the Atlantic and Acadian readers, Public School Grammar and Cornish's Canadian Geography and other books. In nearly every instance in which a reduction has been made, that reduction cuts off one-half the price of the book previously prevailing. These reduced prices will apply on and after July 1st, 1924.

Atlantic Reader No. 1 reduced from 30 cents to 15 cents.
Atlantic Reader No. 2 reduced from 40 cents to 20 cents.
Atlantic Reader No. 3 reduced from 50 cents to 25 cents.
Atlantic Reader No. 4 reduced from 60 cents to 30 cents.
Atlantic Reader No. 5 reduced from 60 cents to 30 cents.
Atlantic Reader No. 6 reduced from 70 cents to 35 cents.
Moore Animal Stories reduced from 40 cents to 20 cents.
New World English Course reduced from 30 cents to 20 cents.
English Dictionary reduced from 40 cents to 20 cents.
Public School English Grammar reduced from 60 cents to 30 cents.
Arithmetic, Part 1 reduced from 65 cents to 30 cents.
Arithmetic, Part 2 reduced from 50 cents to 30 cents.
Public School Composition reduced from 50 cents to 30 cents.
How to Be Healthy reduced from 65 cents to 30 cents.
Weaver's Canadian History reduced from 75 cents to 40 cents.
Cornish's Canadian Geography reduced from \$1.00 to 50 cents.
Canadian School Atlas reduced from \$1. to 50 cents.
Acadian Reader 1 reduced from 50 cents to 25 cents.
Acadian Reader 2 reduced from 60 cents to 30 cents.
Acadian Reader 3 reduced from 80 cents to 40 cents.
Acadian Reader 4 reduced from 80 cents to 40 cents.

This reduction in prices has not been extended to include the high school texts. The common school texts are the ones used by the 90,000 or more children in the common school grades, ten times as many as there are in the high school grades. The reduction of about one-half in the cost to the parents of Common School books is equivalent to a reduction of one-third in the grand total amount for all school books, both common and high. Some \$25,000 will be saved by the purchasers of school books.

In addition to the special reductions in the list prices of many of the common school texts, a slight change will be made from July 1st, 1924, in the list prices of five of the high school text books. These changes are:

- High School English Grammar from 70 cents to 60 cents.
- Selected English Short Stories from 70 cents to 60 cents.
- Selected Speeches on Foreign Policy from 70 cents to 60 cents.
- Newell's General Chemistry from \$2.40 to \$2.30.
- Bergen and Davis' Principles of Botany from \$2.40 to \$2.30.

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WAR CLAIMS.
Ottawa.—Hon. William Pugsley, commissioner on war claims has heard appeals from 523 claimants, involving \$31,295,619, and there are still 622 claims to be heard aggregating \$11,065,044. This information was given in the House of Commons this afternoon by Hon. A. B. Copp, Secretary of State, in reply to question by W. F. Carroll, (Liberal, Cape Breton South). Mr. Copp said that no reports upon the claims would be given until the commissioner had heard all the cases.

REV. W. H. LANGILLE TAKES CHARGE OF CHARLES ST. CHURCH
Rev. W. H. Langille, of Grafton St. Methodist Church, will take charge of Charles Street Methodist Church for the next three months, while the pastor of the latter, the Rev. W. J. Dean, will go to Europe. Robie Street and Grafton St. Methodist churches will combine for United Service during June, July and August and by this arrangement Rev. Mr. Langille will be free to assume his work at Charles Street.—Chronicle.

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