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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL

MIRAMICHI BOYS ENLIST Among recent recruits, at St. John were Fred Forrest of Loggieville, and Wallace Anderson of Burnt Church, both joining the Royal Navy.

10,800 WOUNDED MEN CROSSING The Military Hospitals Commission at Halifax, has been notified to prepare for 10,800 men between now and Christmas.

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS Provincial Constable—Frank Synnott, Dalhousie Registered to Solemnize Marriage—Rev. Desire T. Allain, Buctouche; Rev. Jas. W. Howe, Ormectoc.

DOUGLAS LOCKERBIE CONVALESCING Word has been received that Pte. Douglas Lockerbie, son of Andrew Lockerbie of Lower Napan, is convalescing after a wound in the chest.

BURIED IN NEGUA C The remains of Abraham Patrick, who was drowned on the 15th inst., after having been prepared by Maher Bros., Chatham, were forwarded to Neguac, Thursday evening for interment.

FLOUR RISES AGAIN Ontario flour last week followed the half dollar rise which was reported for Manitoba the day before, making the wholesale price \$13.35 for Ontario and \$13.90 for Manitoba.

INCREASED PAY FOR C. G. R. MEN The carmen, machinists, blacksmiths, pipe fitters, boiler makers, painters and carpenters employed up on the Canadian Government Railways have received notice from the management of an increase of 6c per hour in their pay. The increase dates from May 1st.

FISHING ON THE MIRAMICHI James S. Neill of Fredericton, on an enjoyable fortnight's fishing trip on the Southwest Miramichi, was successful in killing twenty-eight salmon of which the largest weighed twenty-eight pounds. He says that there has been a good run of salmon in the Southwest this season and some fair catches have been made. Sir John Eaton, Lady Eaton and a party of friends from Toronto, travelling in Sir John's private car, spent several days lately fishing on Cain's River. W. Harry Allen, of Pennac, was the guide.

GRADY-HOFFMAN At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Major Hoffman, Middleton, N. S., Tuesday, 17th instant, their eldest daughter, Emma M. and Hiram Grady of Blackville, N. B., were married. Rev. Joseph Gaetz officiating. After receiving congratulations the bridal party were driven by auto to Middleton station, where they boarded the train for their new home in Edmundston, N. B., stopping in St. John, Fredericton and Blackville en route. The groom's gift to the bride was a lavaller with diamond and pearl setting. Miss Hoffman was last year, in charge of Mrs. Jardine's millinery store in Blackville, at which place Mr. Grady had a tailoring establishment, both young people being very popular. The good wishes of many go with them to their new home.

ALBERT SNARE The funeral of late Albert Snare, who was drowned on the 15th instant was held on the 20th, from St. Luke's Hall, Chatham, interment in Riverside Cemetery. Rev. John Harris officiated. The pallbearers were Messrs. John McBride, Frank Kingston, Allan Stewart, Wm. McDermid, George Clancy and Herbert Willett, all fellow workers of the deceased in the wood room of the Dominion Pulp Mill. The wood room machinery was shut down to allow the employees to attend the funeral, and about thirty of them were present. The floral offerings were as follows:—Crescent, E. S. Calhoun; Heart, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Fisher; Wreath, Mrs. McArthur; Wreath, E. L. Perkins; Wreath, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. McCabe; Wreath, Employes of Dominion Pulp Mill; Wreath, The family; Wreath, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bennett and family; Wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walker.

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THURSDAY'S PICNIC

The Newcastle Methodist Sunday School (Thomas A. Clarke Superintendent) held its annual picnic on the grounds of Judge Wilkinson, at Bushville, Thursday last, a very enjoyable time being spent. In the afternoon races were run and first prizes distributed to the winners, as follows:

Needle and Thread Race—(1), H. D. Atkinson and Miss Jennie Mather; (2), T. A. Clarke and Miss Woodworth

Elephant Race—1, Rae Ashford and Gordon Petrie; 2, Percy Price and Melbourne Stothart

Wheelbarrow Race—1, Edwin Stuart and Austin Clarke; 2, Hammond Atkinson and Gordon Petrie

Three-legged race—1, Hammond Atkinson and Cecil Murray; 2, Claude Masson and Melbourne Stothart

Potato Races—1, Hammond Atkinson, Edwin Stuart, Bertha Atkinson, Lily Crammond

Fifty yards dash: Women's—1, Mrs. Kelly; 2, Mrs. Arthur Copp

Young ladies—1, Doris Atkinson; 2, Delphine Clarke

Girls—1, Ena Hare; 2, Florence Casady

Girls—1, Eileen Stuart; 2, Margaret Jeffrey

Boys—1, Frank McMichael; 2, Edwin Stuart

Boys—1, Cecil Murray; 2, Gordon Petrie

Boys 1, Dixon Ashford and Charles Keating; 2, Henry W. Stuart

Leap Frog Race—1, Gordon Petrie and Austin Clarke

Frieda Shanley, of Elmora, Vt., found 124 four-leaved clovers, and Marion Nichols, also of Elmora, found 51 on the same day.

MINARD'S KING OF PAIN LINIMENT

Extract from a letter of a Canadian soldier in France. To Mrs. R. D. BANBRICK: The Rectory, Yarmouth, N.S. Dear Mother:— I am keeping well, have good food and well protected from the weather, but have some difficulty keeping uninvited guests from visiting me.

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Cupid Held up the Check

This letter, received from a customer of a big concern may explain why payments are sometimes late: "I enclose check for \$42.20 to balance the long overdue account, and thank you for your forbearance. I confess to having been altogether too careless, but must shut part of the fault over to my bookkeeper, who is, and has been, so completely saturated with thoughts of love that she has at times been sailing serenely above such mundane things as my accounts."

A Spacious Bedroom

Easterner (after first day's work on a big Western ranch): "Will you please show me where I can sleep to-night?" Rancher: "Where you can sleep! Great Scott, man, here's 10,000 acres; just pick out any blame spot that suits you and go to it."

Literally True

He: "I can truly say that Cupid's shafts have as yet not touched me." She: "You've had an 'arrow' at Cape."

Both Quite Willing

A gentleman was out driving when he noticed that the near horse was going all the work. "That's a willing horse," he said to the coachman, pointing to the animal. "Oh, yes," agreed the coachman, "they're both willing!" "Both willing?" went on the gentleman, astonished. "How do you make that out?" "Why, the near un's willing to do all the pulling, and the off un's willing to let him."

Unprofitable Speculation

"It's no use talking," said Jackson, dejectedly. "It's impossible to make a woman understand the first principles in finance."

"What's the matter now?" inquired his friend. "Nothing," speculated Jackson. "Why, when I was away yesterday the baby swallowed a penny! And what does my wife do but call in a doctor and pay him two dollars for getting the penny back."

FOR CONVALESCENT SOLDIERS

His Grace Archbishop McCarthy, of Halifax, has placed the archiepiscopal summer residence and grounds at Dutch Village at the disposal of the military authorities for use as a convalescent hospital for returned soldiers. The property of the Sisters of Charity at Dutch Village has been offered for similar purposes.

CANADIAN MUSIC AS VIEWED BY DR. VOGT

Former Head of Mendelssohn Choir Desired to See Big Permanent Orchestra in Toronto

The music-loving citizen of Toronto and of the country generally learned with very great regret that Dr. A. S. Vogt had discontinued his work as conductor of the Toronto Mendelssohn Choir. During its twenty years of active existence under his baton the choir appeared in seventy-eight concerts, sixty-two of which were given in Massey Music Hall, four in Carnegie Hall, New York, one in Symphony Hall, Boston, six in Elmwood Music Hall, Buffalo, two in Gray's Armory, Cleveland, and three in Orchestra Hall, Chicago. Dr. Vogt was accorded one year's leave of absence in 1913-14 in order to visit the great music centres of Europe preparatory to the proposed but deferred visit of the Mendelssohn Choir to Great Britain and the continent.

Leaders Should Specialize In withdrawing from choral work, Dr. Vogt was influenced by a firm conviction that the musical life of Canada's larger cities had developed to a point which demanded concentration on the part of some of the city's prominent musicians along special lines of activity, rather than by a weakening of their influence through attention to a number of sometimes conflicting spheres of work. The remarkable growth of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, with the marked expansion of its examinations throughout the Dominion, and the plans adopted by the musical director governing the public recitals of the institution, required, for their proper development Dr. Vogt's undivided attention.

It was his intention to take an active part in a serious movement to interest the citizens of Toronto in the local orchestral situation. In the opinion of many persons of music an effort worthy of the importance of the cause should result in the establishment of a permanent Symphony Orchestra in Toronto on a scale inviting comparison with the great orchestras of New York, Boston, Chicago, Minneapolis, rendering it unnecessary to seek American orchestral assistance for any of Canada's most important concerts.

Great National Body In giving up his connection with the Mendelssohn Choir, Dr. Vogt withdrew from a creation of his own which had brought great honor to himself and his native Province and Canada. As a practical indication of the high artistic standing of the choir in Boston and New York it may be mentioned that when the organization was perfecting its plans for the proposed European tour of 1915, which was abandoned because of the war, amongst the propositions then laid before the choir was one from the Boston Symphony Orchestra for the co-operation en route of the choir in two concerts, for a performing fee of \$4,000.

An attorney was cross-examining a witness. "You say you left London on the sixteenth," queried the lawyer. "Yes, sir," replied the witness. "And returned on the twenty-eighth?" "What were you doing in the interim?" "I never was in such a place!" he replied indignantly.

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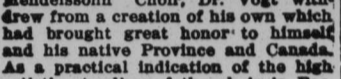
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