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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 30th, 1918

THE VICTORY LOAN DRIVE

Another meeting of the Victory Loan Committee was held in Bridgetown Saturday evening at which canvassers were appointed and everything made ready for the local drive, which commenced Monday morning and which promises to be a big success.

Rev. W. J. W. Swetnam, Paradise Lane to Round Hill Brook and South Queen Street.

Rev. M. S. Richardson, Granville street east to Balcom Road, including Clarence.

Sgt. Fred Gesner, a returned soldier, Granville street west to Belleisle Church, including Hampton district.

Mr. Swetnam particularly asks to have it made public that all his commission from the sale of Victory Bonds will be given to the Halifax School for the Blind, especially devoted to those suffering from the Halifax explosion.

Mr. Richardson informs us that all his commissions will be devoted to patriotic purposes.

We wish all three collectors every success and would ask the general public to give them every attention and every assistance in the good work in which they are engaged, it being of the greatest importance that we "go over the top" in the present drive.

Armistice Terms of Britain Ready.

The Allies' demands on Germany if there is to be an armistice may soon be expected. Berlin is greatly disturbed with Ludendorff's resignation, which is popularly interpreted as heralding Germany's acceptance of the Allies' armistice terms.

Farish Owen Released

Judge Owen, of Annapolis, has received a cablegram informing him of the release of his son Farish Owen, who was taken prisoner by the Bulgars about two years ago, when his ship was brought down inside their lines.

Bridgetown's First Tractor.

Mr. A. L. Beeler, one of Bridgetown's well known dealers in automobiles and supplies, has imported and sold to Mr. W. B. Pymor, for use on his farm in Paradise West, a Case Tractor, the same as in use by the French Government for war purposes.

Collar Bone Broken.

Their many friends will regret to learn that Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dargie's little three and a half year old daughter Alice fell and broke her collar bone Monday evening, while visiting at her grandparents' residence.

Repairing Bridges.

Friday's Middleton Outlook says: A crew of nine men in charge of Mr. Goddard, came in from Bridgewater on Tuesday. They occupied two cars and are to spend a few days making repairs on the bridges on the Port Wade branch of the H. & S. W.

Local Happenings

The Centrelea Red Cross meeting will be held at Mrs. Caldwell's Friday, November 1st.

Mr. J. V. Gesner, of North Somerville, Mass., has our thanks for late copies of the Boston Post.

Abundance of fresh air, sleep and wholesome food are the best safeguards against the "Flu," say the Health Officials.

The boys' convention to be held in Bridgetown, in November, has been postponed on account of the influenza. It will probably take place in January.

All clocks in Canada were put back an hour last Sunday morning and we are again running on old time, which is very satisfactory at this season of the year.

On Sunday, Oct. 20th, Mrs. S. A. McDougall, Nictaux Falls, received a telegram stating that her sister, Mrs. E. W. Reid, of Fort Elgin, N. B., had died of influenza.

At a meeting of the Minard's Linnment Company, Ltd., held Thursday afternoon, Mr. John D. Kirk was made President of the company in place of Mr. C. C. Richards, deceased.

Tomorrow, Oct. 31st, has been appointed National Fish Day. National Fish Day was established to give a right direction to the thought of the people respecting fish in the ordinary home diet.

We wish to call special attention to the auction sale which takes place at the residence of the late Isaac Longley, Paradise, Thursday, Oct. 31st. See adv. in another column, also posters, which were distributed last week.

We wish to call particular attention to the important Board of Health notice, which appears in today's issue over the signature of Dr. W. S. Phinney, of Lawrencetown, Medical Health Officer for the Municipality of Annapolis.

Middleton Outlook: The four motor trucks, which have been hauling gravel from Williamston to Brickton, are now hauling from the pit at Nictaux Centre. These trucks appear to be the right thing when road material has to be hauled for some distance.

Middleton Outlook: We hear that there is an exceptionally fine crop of apples this year in the spur orchard at Melvern Square. About 2000 barrels is the estimate, there being several hundred barrels yet to gather. This orchard has been well cared for and faithfully sprayed and the fine crop is the result.

DEATH OF MRS. JAMES R. DEWITT

One of Bridgetown's Most Prominent Lady Residents Has Passed Away

We regret to chronicle the death of Eliza, wife of Mr. James R. DeWitt, which occurred at her home on Granville street, Monday morning, at 10.30, in the 65th year of her age.

The friends of Mrs. DeWitt have noticed for some months past evidences of her failing health. They hoped, however, that she would be spared for many more years of usefulness.

Mrs. DeWitt became a member of the Methodist Church in her girlhood, and for many years presided at the organ and took charge of the service of song in the congregation. And she has always been marked for her interest and helpfulness in every measure designed to promote the moral and religious welfare of the church and the community.

The interment takes place in the family lot in Riverside Cemetery this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

"Friend after friend departs  
"Who has not lost a friend?  
"There is no union here of hearts  
"Which has not here an end."

Death of Mrs. Griselda Cogswell.

The death of Mrs. Griselda, second wife of the late Rev. Aaron Cogswell, occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Nichols, South street, Monday, aged about 85 years. The deceased was a daughter of the late James Messenger, of Bridgetown, and is the last surviving member of the family, her nearest relatives being three nephews and two nieces, as follows: Fred Rice, of Carleton's Corner; Frank R. Troop, of Granville Centre; R. J. Messenger, of Lawrencetown; Mrs. V. Harris, of Halifax, and Miss Annie Messenger, of Massachusetts.

The funeral takes place at 10.30 o'clock this morning with interment in the Baptist Cemetery at Centrelea. The services at the house and grave will be conducted by Rev. M. S. Richardson, pastor of the Bridgetown Baptist church.

Time-waste, money-waste, output-waste, nerves-waste are evils that the Remington Typewriter is especially designed to overcome in business. Don't try to do without one.

A. MILNE FRASER, Halifax, N. S.

Please Read This Over Carefully!

FRIENDS OF THE RED CROSS: Just now when we expected to be at work at the Christmas parcels, we are not able to meet in Red Cross, consequently are obliged to try a new plan.

We are going to ask you to fill the parcels at your homes. About 80 parcels will be needed, which means a chance for everyone to help.

Fill a shoe box with small cakes, cookies, candies, anything that will keep well and taste good to a soldier boy.

Then each parcel is to contain a pair of socks, which may be obtained by calling at Miss Davies' store.

Through the kindness of Mr. Harry Hicks, your parcel may be left at his store any time before November 10th. The Red Cross will look after the addressing and mailing.

MARY S. JOST, Secy. Red Cross.

FANCY BISCUITS

Have just received a shipment of FRESH FANCY BISCUITS. These are new lines and very delicious.

- Assorted Marshmallow Apple Blossoms Italian Fingers Afternoon Tea Marshmallow French Fingers Birdie Tart Coconut Bars Arrowroot Assorted Animals

Any of these lines are suitable for sending overseas as they keep fresh for weeks.

—We have also—

- Sultana Cake Plain Cake Cherry Cake and Fruit Cake

W. H. MAXWELL Queen Street BRIDGETOWN Phone 1-4



Watch This Space

—FOR—

J. I. Foster's

Adv.

which will appear Next Week

IMPORTANT!

Board of Health Notice

As the epidemic of Influenza is spreading rapidly in this county, many cases not reporting and some not very ill, are visiting their neighbors and spreading the disease broad cast.

I hereby give notice that no public gatherings, which include church meetings, schools, lodge and society meetings are allowed in the County and no visiting from house to house that is not absolutely necessary and no social house gathering to be held until this serious state of affairs is past for these house gatherings are now very much to be dreaded.

Every case of even a slight cold is considered this same infection and the next case may be very severe. No other form of gripe is now prevalent, that is every case of gripe must consider themselves under quarantine until five days after all symptoms subside.

Signed— W. S. PHINNEY, M. H. O., Municipality of Annapolis, Lawrencetown, Oct. 28, 1918 30-11

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New Winter Coats At Lowest Prices.

Let us serve you by mail with SAMPLES, or a garment on approval.

BENTLEY'S Ltd. MIDDLETON

WANTED Cider Apples

We are now ready to receive Cider Apples in large or small quantities, for which we pay 50c. per bbl.

Annapolis Valley Cyder Co., LIMITED R. WHITEWAY, Manager. Bridgetown, N. S.—25-11

Public Auction

At the home of the late Isaac Longley PARADISE THURSDAY, Oct. 31st, at 2 p. m.

The following articles: Parlor suite, piano, chairs, rockers, tables, bedroom furniture, bedsteads, spring mattresses, bureaus, pictures, sewing machine, matting, carpets, cooking stove, hall stove, dining room stove (open Franklin), bedroom stove and other household articles.

TERMS:—All sums under \$5.00, cash; over that amount, 6 months' notes with approved security. Interest at 6%.

JOHN HALL, Auctioneer.

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of Men's, Boys' and Youths' Overcoats and Reefers

- Men's Overcoats, regular price \$7.00 up; reduced as low as \$4.00
- 5 (only) Men's Beaver Cloth Overcoats with Fur Collars, regular prices \$24.00 and \$25.00, reduced to \$19.00 & \$20.00
- Men's Raincoats to clear at 1.50
- 30 Boys' Suits 1.50 up

The above will be placed on sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week FOR CASH ONLY.

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Personal Me

Miss Ethel Daniels is Allison University.

Mr. George H. Dixon was in St. John Monday.

Mr. James Brooks, of visiting friends in Bridgetown, is spending a few days in Major B. W. Roscoe was in Bridgetown to Monday.

Mr. R. E. Feltus, of Lawrencetown, was in Bridgetown to Monday.

Mr. Herbert Williams was in Yarmouth to Weymouth.

Mr. E. C. Hall was in Bridgetown via Monmouth express.

Mr. Dewey Pigeon will not be in until further notice.

Mr. Frank Charlton, who was in Halifax, spent Sunday in Bridgetown.

Mrs. Willoughby and her family were in Halifax on Monday.

Mr. Charles Ruffee, who was in Halifax, is spending his home in Bridgetown.

Mrs. Lansdale Piggott was in St. John last Tuesday to the illness of her son, Willett.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Monday on a week's auto trip to Yarmouth and other parts of the province.

Miss Beth Elderkin, who is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Park street.

Mrs. Wood and Mrs. S. are moving here from St. John and will occupy Mr. J. house on Washington street.

Messrs. Max and Ros were passengers to Annapolis on business in connection with Western Union Telegraph.

Mr. Carl Thies, who is in Acadia, spent the week-end in Bridgetown, accompanied by Mrs. Archibald, wife of Wolfville.

Mr. Edward Powers, who conducted a moving party in various parts of Nova Scotia, a passenger from St. John yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Perkins, of House, Annapolis Royal, a few days in town at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Tuttle street.

Mr. W. H. Chesley returned from St. John, having accompanied his parents across their trip to Massachusetts.

Mr. H. A. Nichols returned from Round Hill, where he has been repairing the organ in the Episcopal church and other stunts in that village.

Mr. Oliver Shipp, who is spending two weeks' vacation in West Dalhousie, returned from Toronto, to resume his locomotive fireman on the Northern Railway.

Mr. David Karnes, who is in the Annapolis Shipping Company, spent Sunday at his home in Annapolis. When his work is completed, he will probably plan to build yards at Hart.

The friends of Stearns, of Bear River, will be pleased to hear that he is now on the road after being dangerously ill weeks at the home of H. Mount Unlace, suffering from pneumonia, followed by pneumonia.

Alcorn was formerly employed as a conductor on the Halifax company.

Word has been received (Rev.) George Wood, who with the 40th Battalion, has been promoted to Colonel. Col. is senior chaplain at Wiltshire, England.

He was one of the members of the Middleton Presbyterian and later pastor of the High View Presbyterian churches in both Annapolis counties.

PAID THE SUPREME S Another Young Hero Dies and Country.

It was learned that another gallant hero has been the number of our gallant blood has hallowed the soil when Mr. Simon O'Neill, received official notice that Pte. Avar Risteen O'Neill, in action September 30th, 1918.

Pte. A. B. O'Neill, enlisted age of 19 years, in the 85th Nova Scotia Highlanders, on the 1st, 1915. After training in Kentville, he sailed for France in October, 1916. He spent two years' service in France through several battles with scratch, and at last earned the distinction of a hero's death of honor. Besides his father, survived by three sisters, three brothers and a host of friends, all knew him as a young man of play character. The sympathy of the entire community will be for the family, who have suffered of a brave and dutiful young man.

Another Advertiser. We are pleased to welcome columns the advertisement of Lockett & Son, general dry goods, furnishings, and help with continuous advertising. MONITOR we will be able to their regular sales.

When the present manager over the MONITOR in June, a small proportion of Bridgetown business houses were in our columns. Nearly now running regular advertising. We appreciate their doing so much and are constantly endeavoring to send customers advertisers. We can assure you they are ready to give the satisfaction.