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...tract ..... 3000.00

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...F. W. Bishop, Committee

...work ..... 100.00

...C. E. Piggott, Committee

...work ..... 122.44

Total payments from bond

...issue ..... \$2519.65

Payments out of Current Acct.

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## NEW LAMP BURNS 94% AIR

Burns Electric or Gas.

A new oil lamp that gives an amaz-  
...ly brilliant, soft, white light, even  
...than gas or electricity, has  
...been tested by the U. S. Government  
...and 45 leading universities and found  
...to be superior to 10 ordinary oil  
...lamps. It burns without odor, smoke  
...or noise—no pumping up, is simple,  
...clean, safe. Burns 94% air and 6%  
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The inventor, J. M. Johnson, 246  
...Craig St., W. Montreal, is offering to  
...send a lamp on 10 days' FREE trial,  
...even to give one FREE to the first  
...buyer in each locality who will help  
...him introduce it. Write him today  
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...and without experience or money,  
...make \$250 to \$500 per month.

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ing in the Kings Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

B. C. Goodwin, Granville, is our agent for the ter-  
ritory from Bridgetown to Stony Beach, on the north  
side of the river."

## OBITUARY

**Burpee Porter.**

Clementsport.—The body of Burpee  
Porter, of Nikomis, was brought  
home to Clementsport for burial on  
Wednesday. The funeral took place  
at 3 p.m. from the Baptist Church,  
Clementsport, the Rev. I. D. Lytle  
officiating.

The late Mr. Porter was a brother  
of A. C. Porter, of Clementsport, and  
John Porter, of Upper Clements. He  
has one son, Jere, Norman, who re-  
sides on the Walde Line; and three,  
Everett, Amos and Corey, in the West.  
Corey accompanied his father's re-  
mains. He has not been here for 19  
years, and will spend a month visit-  
ing his friends before returning.

## WOMEN'S INSTITUTES OF NOVA SCOTIA

**Charitable Work in Annapolis County**

While Annapolis County is well to  
the forefront in all good endeavors  
undertaken by the Institutes, it is  
perhaps in deeds of charity that she  
most excels. Judged by the standard  
set in the Great Judgment portrayed  
in the gospels, these organizations  
take a high place.

"I was hungry and ye gave me to eat."

No one is left to go hungry in these  
Institute communities. Williamston,  
Bridgetown and Paradise have gener-  
ously in cases of need ... pro-  
vided abundant food supplies for their  
less fortunate neighbors. At Christ-  
mas time not only necessities but  
special duties were sent to the poor  
and the sick of the community as  
well as to the County Home and other  
institutions.

"Naked and ye clothed me"

Providing clothing for the needy is  
ever a part of the work but, owing to  
the long, cold winter, there were dur-  
ing the past years more calls than  
usual upon Institute generosity. Law-  
rencetown did a great deal of sewing  
for people in their own neighborhood  
and to the unemployed in Halifax.  
The Institute is also acting as foster  
mother to an Indian girl for whom  
they are providing clothing in order  
that she may attend school.

A fire at Williamston rendered des-  
titute a family where there were eight  
small children. Here the Institute  
found an opportunity for splendid  
service. Clothing, bedding and beds  
were supplied, two quilting parties  
being held in order that they might  
sleep in comfort.

Many have been assisted through  
the good offices of the W. I. of  
Bridgetown. Large boxes of clothing  
were provided for four different poor  
families; sewing was done for a poor  
woman and four orphan girls; cloth-  
ing has been provided for a little girl  
at the School for the Deaf, Halifax;  
another girl, whose father had died,  
was given ready to go to her aunt;  
two baby outfits were made for ex-  
pendant mothers; two large barrels of  
clothing were packed for Labrador  
and at Christmas time, 21 boxes con-  
taining articles of clothing, including  
43 pairs of mittens knit by Institute  
members, were sent out.

"Sick and ye visited me"

Each branch has its committees for  
visiting the sick and these women are  
doing untold good helping to lift the  
shadows from darkened lives. Bridge-  
town has a Sunshine Committee of  
five different members each month to  
help brighten the lives of shut-ins  
whether old or young, with flowers,  
fruit, books and dainties. Paradise  
seeds, pots of flowers to the sick.  
The sick in hospital are also remem-  
bered. At Christmas time Lower  
Granville sent an especially attractive  
box to a member of that community,  
who was at the Kentville Sanatorium.

"Inasmuch as ye did it unto one  
of these my brethren, even the least,  
ye did it unto me."

MRS. H. S. CUNNINGHAM,  
Publicity Secretary.

## WILL WINTER EVER COME?

Bear River.—Mrs. H. A. Kinney, on  
Saturday afternoon last, Jan. 12th,  
pulled beets, carrots and onions from  
her garden, which when ready for the  
table, rivalled any taken from it in  
mid-Summer.

Sanity lies somewhere in between  
the working formula of the bachelor  
and the bigamist.

## T.R.C.

Templeton's Rheumatic Capsules

For Rheumatism, Lumbago,  
Sciatica and Neuritis,  
Canada's standard rem-  
edy is Templeton's  
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T.R.C.'s stop the pain by  
removing from the sys-  
tem the original cause.

Send us 10c for a generous  
sample. Give 90c and the  
coupon we enclose with each  
sample, to your druggist and  
he will give you a full size  
\$1.00 box of Templeton's  
Rheumatic Capsules.

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## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

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J. & J. Taylor, Steel Filings \$300.02

Roy Rice, Shielding Vanities 60.49

G. W. Crowe, Plumbing 362.56

L. R. Fair, Architect 300.00

Dargie & Sons, Furnishings 1395.38

G. Robertson, Pump 5.65

A. P. Bowly, services on Comm. 75.09

Sam. Rippey, Wiring, etc. 222.46

W. A. Chute, moving and re-  
pairing barn 140.00

G. Hardwick, material repair-  
ing barn 34.48

Annap. Lumber Co.; material  
repairing barn 61.11

H. A. West, Hardware repair-  
ing barn 136.43

C. L. Piggott, hardware 19.75

J. H. Edwards, labor, etc., on  
grounds 250.35

Total of payments out of  
Current Acct. \$6103.68

## REPORT OF SUPT. COUNTY HOSPITAL

To the Warden and Councillors of the  
Municipality of Annapolis Co.:

Gentlemen:—I beg leave to present  
the following brief report of the An-  
napolis County Hospital for the year  
ending Dec. 31st, 1923:

Table showing Admissions, Deaths,  
etc.:

Enregistered Dec. 31st, 1922 45

Admitted 2

Total under care 47

Discharged 2

Died 4

Enregistered Dec. 31, 1923 41

The two patients admitted were  
both of Annapolis County, one having  
been transferred from the N. S. Hos-  
pital, Dartmouth, and one from his  
home. The latter, while quite boister-  
ous the first two months of his stay  
with us, soon recovered, and was  
sent home.

The health of the patients as a  
whole has been good during the year,  
all having been free from any acute  
or contagious disease. Of the four  
deaths recorded, one had passed his  
93rd year, and one his 79th year.

During the year, recreation and  
employment have not been lost sight  
of, but have been quite up to the  
standard set in former years.

The argument is sometimes offered  
that many of these unfortunate people  
are just as comfortable in the asyl-  
ums as they formerly were in their  
own homes. This may be quite true,  
but it is also true that many are not  
as well satisfied. Moreover the home  
of the individual is an individual con-  
cern, while an institution is a com-  
munity concern and involves the good  
name of the whole community. Con-  
sequently the reputation of our peo-  
ple as a whole is involved in the man-  
ner in which our institutions are  
maintained. Niggardiness in the main-  
tenance of institutions of this type  
is rarely rare economy. The char-  
acter of the results achieved is the  
true measure of economy in adminis-  
tration. I think I may safely say  
that Annapolis County does not take  
second place to any County in the  
Province, in the maintenance of her  
institutions, both as to efficiency and  
economic administration.

I must again place on record my  
appreciation for the many acts of  
kindness shown us during the past  
year. Notwithstanding the severe  
winter, several excellent entertain-  
ments were provided by local talent,  
and were appreciated by all who were  
able to be present. The usual Christ-  
mas tree and entertainment was again  
provided this year, and needless to  
say was enjoyed by all those who  
were able to be present. We wish  
to thank all who contributed toward  
the success of this, and especially  
those who, from time to time, con-  
tributed toward the Christmas fund.  
We are also indebted to Dr. Jost,  
and the Baptist Deacons for ser-  
vices held each fortnight, as  
also the Clergy of the several  
denominations who frequently  
visit the Home and Hospital, and who  
are ever ready to administer such  
other rites as are required. We are  
also indebted to the Editor of the  
Weekly Monitor and Annapolis Spec-  
tator for the usual supply of these  
papers. I wish also to thank the  
Editor of the Monitor for space he  
so willingly contributes toward any  
thing pertaining toward the welfare  
of the patients of our institutions.

In concluding, I wish to have the  
opportunity of expressing my ap-  
preciation of the many acts of cour-  
tesy and assistance accorded me by  
the committee and to all those as-  
sociated with me in the work of the  
Hospital.

Your obedient servant,  
A. F. HILTZ, Supt.

## REPORT OF CHIEF FOREST RANGER

To the Warden and Councillors of the  
Municipality of Annapolis Co.:

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to  
submit to you my report as Chief  
Forest Ranger of the County of An-

The season just closed has been  
...awards, with but a few ex-  
...the forest, although we had no  
...break out at that particular time  
...or any other time during the whole  
year, and consequently have a clean  
sheet for the season, no fire what-  
ever in Annapolis County during 1923.

I issued several permits for the op-  
eration of steam mills and also for  
the burning of brush and in no case  
did any of these fires get away and  
am pleased to say that 1923 will go  
down as the best on record since I  
became Chief Ranger in 1910 in so  
far as Annapolis County is concerned.

Following is the Financial State-  
ment:

## Receipts:

Total amount of tax list \$1524.35

Less Clarke Bros. tax left in  
hands of W. A. Livingstone,  
barrister-at-law, for collec-  
tion ..... \$ 108.00

Commission at 5% ..... \$1416.35

Less cashing cheques ..... .95

\$1344.59

## Expenditure:

To 34 days at \$4 per day \$ 136.00

To paid to Sub-Rangers, tele-  
phones, etc., as per bills and  
receipts in hands of D. M.  
Outhit, Mun. Treas. 251.52

To cash in hands of Treas. 957.07

\$1344.59

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,  
Your obedient servant,  
J. A. WHITMAN,  
Chief Forest Ranger,  
Annapolis Co.

## REPORT OF MEDICAL ATTENDANT AT COUNTY INSTITUTIONS

To the Warden and Councillors of the  
Municipality of Annapolis Co.:

The past year has been very much  
like previous ones at these institutions  
and life here has continued with its  
usual routine and regularity. At both  
institutions the Superintendents and  
staff have remained the same and in  
both the Hospital and the County  
Home those in charge are recognized  
by those who know anything of their  
work as skilled and especially com-  
petent officers for this work, and the  
Municipality is to be congratulated on  
being able to retain for this service  
those who are so well adapted for it  
and those who can so well care for  
these members of society who find  
here a home or are of necessity kept  
here. I know that I can truthfully  
say that in both of the County In-  
stitutions that those in charge have  
the confidence and sympathy and love  
of those in their charge, and the re-  
lations are very much as in a home  
as between children and parents.

The following are the usual statis-  
tics as usually prepared:

## County Home:

John A. Myers, Superintendent:

Inmates at beginning of year 50

Born during the year 1

Admitted during the year 15

First Total 66

Discharged during the year 18

Died during the year 10

Inmates at beginning of 1924 38

## County Hospital for Harmless Insane

Alfred F. Hiltz, Superintendent:

Patients at first of 1923 45

Admitted during the year 2

First Total 47

Discharged 2

Died during the year 4 6

Patients Jan., 1924 41

The deaths at the County Home  
were more than the average but were  
largely in those who were very old or  
those brought to the Home because  
chronically ill and unable to care for  
themselves and without friends or  
homes. Two of these were past ninety  
years and one was in her ninety-  
ninth year. All the deaths were from  
chronic troubles and there has been  
very little acute sickness or epidemic  
troubles during the whole 12 months.

During the year a number of minor  
surgical operations have been done  
and in one case an arm was amputat-  
ed at the shoulder. This patient had  
suffered from a chronic sore of the  
arm for many years and this dis-  
ability had compelled her to come to  
the Home. Since the amputation she  
has been well and able to give con-  
siderable help, that is very gratefully  
rendered.

There has been about the average  
number of deaths from Tuberculosis  
at the Hospital where the necessary  
confinement with a possible inherent  
predisposition to the malady, is bound

to bring a mortality from this disease.

During the year the Churches at  
Bridgetown and other organizations  
have given considerable entertain-  
ment to the institutions and continued  
their interest in the social and reli-  
gious welfare of both places.

The Municipal Officers and your  
Committee in charge we can again  
commend for their willingness to as-  
sist in any way to the comfort and  
efficiency of these Human Institutions  
and their interest in their welfare  
and during the year the cordiality and  
response to every suggestion for the  
comfort and pleasure of life here has  
found sympathetic response.

Faithfully submitted,  
M. E. ARMSTRONG,  
Medical Attendant.

## REPORT OF MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER

To W. G. Clarke, Esq., Warden Muni-  
cipality of Annapolis County:

I beg to submit the following re-  
port as Medical Health Officer for the  
year 1923:

The past year will go on record as  
a remarkably healthy one in our  
county and throughout the Province.  
The very steady winter weather dur-  
ing the first part of the year no doubt  
played a part in preventing acute  
bronchial and chest diseases and  
the very cool summer did its part in  
keeping us clear of diseases that be-  
long to hot weather.

The common epidemic diseases of  
childhood have not appeared to any  
extent the past season, as far as I  
am aware, and I have no epidemics  
of Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever or Typ-  
hold to report. Smallpox has again  
passed by us and thus for two sea-  
sons in succession we have been free  
of this disturbing malady, a record  
quite unusual as far as my experi-  
ence goes in the County.

There has been the usual amount  
of Tuberculosis but except for statis-  
tics of deaths from the Dept. of Vital  
Statistics, we have no record of the  
number of cases in the Municipality,  
as physicians are very careless in re-  
porting cases to the proper authori-  
ties.

From the Provincial Vital Statistics  
our County death rate from all causes  
is not excessively high, neither is it  
the lowest in the Province.

The increased room provided at the  
Sanatorium at Kentville for cases of  
Tuberculosis both early and advanced  
ones, is very important, and is a step  
in advance in the care of those suffer-  
ing from Tuberculosis. The Sanatori-  
um treatment of these cases offers  
better chances for these patients to  
recover and also gives a better con-  
trol of the disease than could possibly  
be under home treatment and care.

The next problem in case of Tubercu-  
losis that confronts us is to decide  
how those cases who are unable to  
provide financial support can take  
Sanatorium treatment. Both patient  
and the community or society will be  
benefited by this measure but how  
far the Municipality can go or should  
go to aid such cases is yet to be work-  
ed out. No doubt much of this social  
work could be done by society or by  
communities or even by churches and  
done voluntarily and not thrown on  
the tax-payer direct. At present we  
can well be thankful that we are mak-  
ing progress in the care of these  
cases, in the prevention of contagion  
and the cure of the disease.

The question of the employment of  
a Public Health and School Nurse for  
the County in conjunction with the  
towns of the County and the Muni-  
cipality alone should be again considered.  
Several Municipalities have under-  
taken this work the past year; others  
like our own Municipality, have de-  
layed. I am of the opinion that this  
work could be done much better and  
much more economically by a Muni-  
cipal Nurse than by each school sec-

# Colds

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moral in what follows.

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Liniment is a physician's prescription—internal and external use—  
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largely agreed upon the best means  
to improve her destiny. In all likeli-  
hood Venizelos, the able and far-vi-  
sioned prophet of the present event,  
will direct in substantial part the  
new form of government. A republic  
seems probable at last in the land of  
Plato, who advised such a step twenty  
three hundred years ago.

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INSANE

To the Warden and Councillors of the  
Municipality of Annapolis Co.:

Gentlemen:—We, your Committee  
on Insane, beg leave to report as  
follows