

THE ADVERTISER

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NEW RECRUITING OFFICER

The Rev. T. C. Mellor has been appointed Recruiting officer for this part of the Province. The appointment has been made at the request of the Chief Recruiting Officer for the Province.

The Recruiting Officer will be ready at all times to aid young men, by advice and in all possible ways to come to a decision on the great question of duty to Home and Empire. The young manhood of Canada is put to the test. Is he to be loyal to loved ones at home? Is he to be loyal to the Empire's flag? or is he going to hand down to generations the fact that he cared for none of these things?

If there are any enlisted soldiers who are absent "without leave," and will communicate with the Recruiting Officer at his office. The Rectory, Main Street, Kentville, before Dec. 15, matters will be made all right for them.

MRS. ARCHIBALD'S GIFT TO WOUNDED SOLDIERS IN FRENCH HOSPITALS

On November 6th, through the courtesy of the Red Cross Society of Halifax, there were shipped to Miss Annie Strong, Matron No. 2 Canadian Stationary Hospital, Boulogne, France, daughter of Mr. Everett Strong of Canning, twenty-two boxes containing in all 420 jars of preserved fruits, put up by Mrs. Rachel deWolfe Archibald of Wolfville, N.S.

Since August 21st, when her shipment of 312 jars went overseas to the same hospital, Mrs. Archibald has been receiving small gifts of fruit and money to defray the expense of equipment for shipping etc., from friends interested in her work.

She has also received from the Wolfville Red Cross Society, 100 pounds of sugar and one gross of jars; from the Red Cross Society of Acadia Seminary, one barrel of sugar; and from the Provincial Branch in Halifax, two barrels of sugar, four gross of jars and funds to defray incidental expenses.

Many of the mothers of the boys who have gratefully acknowledged receipt of preserves—the first that we have tasted—to quote from their letters—have sent in encouraging letters and small contributions.

Mrs. Archibald acknowledges with gratitude the help and encouragement she has received in the work she is doing. She is now putting up grape juice which was last year so welcome in the Pneumonia wards, and quince and apple jelly. She expects to send another shipment and to continue the work during the winter months. Contributions, therefore, towards this work will be gladly received and put to the best possible use.

Mrs. Archibald now has ready for shipment 360 bottles of grape juice, 200 quart jars of apples and quince jelly, pear preserves and marmalades, pickles, etc., which will be forwarded this week. This somewhat exceeds the total of 1000 jars which she had hoped to send.

It was due to Lieut. Leon Archibald's request to his mother for this fruit to be used in above mentioned Canadian Stationary Hospital where he was a patient from July to October last that Mrs. Archibald took up this work which to her has been such a labor of love as well as to the others who have donated to and assisted in the work.

Lieut. Leon Archibald, R. E., son of Mrs. Archibald has been in active service at the front since the beginning of the war. He has been wounded and in the hospital twice and is now slowly recovering from the dire effects of shell shock to which he succumbed in the Big Push on the Somme in July 12, 1916. Lt. Archibald left a splendid position with Regina's oldest firm

of engineers and land surveyors to give his energy to his country's cause at the first call to arms. Although slated Permanent Base from injuries received in the first engagement of Ypres April, 1915, Lt. Archibald refused to remain away from the scene of action voluntarily went back to "do his bit." He has no earthly use for the "slacker." Nurse Stron's letter to Mrs. Archibald will be found in this issue on page three.

WEDDING BELLS

Meisner-Gates

A very pretty wedding took place in the Baptist Church, Port Williams, on Wednesday afternoon, December 6th when Rev. John Walter Meisner, B. A., of Chegoggin, Yarmouth County and Miss Nettie Gertrude Gates of Port Williams were united in marriage.

Shortly after 2 o'clock the bride's sister, Mrs. Mawhinney of St. John took her place at the organ and to the strains of gladsome music the bridal party advanced to the altar, halting under a pretty arch of evergreens and white ribbon. Rev. A. J. Prosser, pastor of the church, officiated, assisted by Rev. W. R. Robinson of St. John who has been for several years the bride's pastor. The impressive double ring service was used. After the ceremony the bride and groom received the good wishes and congratulations of many friends in the vestry before repairing to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kempton Gates, where refreshments were served and the many useful and decorative wedding presents viewed and admired. Among the latter were a number of cut glass dishes presented by the choir, pastor, Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. of the Ludlow St. Baptist Church, St. John. The groom's present to the bride was a set of lynx furs.

The bride was gowned in a dainty dress of charmeuse satin with pearl trimmings, veil and orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of bridal roses combined with maiden hair fern. Her travelling dress was navy broadcloth trimmed with panne velvet and fur with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Meisner go to their work in Chegoggin accompanied by the good wishes of all their friends.

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REWARD FOR BRAVERY TO SERGT.-MAJOR LAYTON

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PORT WILLIAMS RED CROSS

The amount contributed by the people of Port Williams and vicinity for Red Cross in the year ending Nov. 30th was \$474.89, making a total of \$1165.89, making a total of \$1165.89 since Sept., 1914.

In the past year \$5 was given to Hospital at Aldershot; \$15 for Prisoners of Wars; \$25 for Christmas gifts for soldiers; \$100 for British Red Cross and \$75 for Nova Scotia Red Cross.

The supplies forwarded included 12 doz bandages; 112 hospital garments, 131 articles for hospital use, 338 pr. socks, 2 bbls of jam and 87 christmas stockings.

RESIGNATION OF REV. J. D. HULL

Rev. J. D. Hull, rector of St. John's Church, Church Street, has tendered his resignation and expects to leave that parish at the end of the year. He will leave with his family after Christmas for Plainfield, Conn., where he has been appointed rector of an important church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Hull have enjoyed the good will of the whole community as well as their own church during the four and a half years they have been at Cornwallis. Their going away will cause deep regret. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hull have identified themselves with all good work while residing here.

CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND

Would all those who subscribed to the Patriotic Fund kindly hand their subscriptions to Mr. George C. Roy, Treasurer, who will acknowledge same through the newspapers. It is hoped that all subscriptions will be paid in before Christmas so that the amount collected by the County may be sent to the Provincial Executive before the close of the year.

REWARD OFFERED

I will pay Constable Davis of Kentville \$5.00 for the name and address of the person he said directed him to raid the Minto House and my room, on condition that he take oath and answer all questions relative to the matter. I will also pay Constable Davis \$5.00 for his statement on oath as to what evidence he gained in Minto House as to violation of N. S. Temperance Act.

This offer is good if accepted within 24 hours of issue of this paper.

H. L. BREEN, Minto House, Kentville. 1x

The tenth annual roll call of the United Baptist Church, Canning, will be held Wednesday, Dec. 13th. Afternoon session which consists of election of officers and roll call, etc., begins at 2.30. Evening service begins at 7.30, to which the public are cordially invited. Prof. Hanney of Acadia College will be the speaker.

Mrs. W. R. Bowlby and Mrs. A. Reagh of Victoria Vale have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Margeson at Berwick.

Mr. W. H. Magee, formerly of this County, now school inspector in North Battleford district, Saskatchewan, passed through Digby Thursday, accompanying his wife's mother's remains to Nova Scotia for interment. The deceased, a very aged lady, was a native of Annapolis Co., but had resided for some time in the West.

H. Price Webber and his fine Company gave three excellent performances in Pastime Theatre the past week. Giving the best of satisfaction to their numerous patrons. Everybody has a good word for H. Price Webber, who is a man of strong person and pleasing personality.

HOLLAND ALSO PROTESTS

The Hague, Dec. 2—The Dutch Government, the Associated Press learns, has prepared a note to Germany regarding the Belgian deportations. The note is virtually in the same tenor as the protest made by Switzerland.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

SO FAR TOTAL 65,660

Ottawa, Dec. 4—Casualties at the front and enlistments at home were about equal in the six months from June to November. The casualties recorded were 11,797 in June, 3,683 in July, 3,079 in August, 9,051 in September, 14,321 in October, and 3,595 in November. From the start of the war 65,660 men of the Canadian divisions have figured in the casualty lists.

NICKLET THEATRE

Home of Paramount Programs
Clark & Hillz Managers

To-Night: The Cave of Despair
Being the 19th Episode of "The Iron Claw"

Wednesday and Thursday, December 13th and 14th

MARIE DORO

The Heart of Nora Flynn

From the story by Hector Tarnbull
Famous Players-Lasky Production—Five Parts

Friday and Saturday, December 15th and 16th

BLANCHE SWEET

The Ragamuffin

By William C. DeMille

Matinee Saturday at Four o'clock

Greatest British War Picture Coming Here Soon
The BATTLE of the SOMME

Sheriff's Sale

1914 B. No. 2174

In The Supreme Court

Between Lewis K. Payzant, doing business under the firm name and style of Payzant & King Plaintiff

and H. J. Redden, absconding or absent out of the Province of Nova Scotia Defendant

To be Sold at Public Auction at the County Court House at Kentville in the County of Kings on

Friday the 9th Day of January A. D. 1917

at eleven o'clock in the forenoon by the High Sheriff of the County of Kings, or his deputy, pursuant to Order made here in the 10th day of November, A. D. 1916, ALL that the Sic k-in-trade, goods and merchandise, consisting of Dry Goods, Hardware, Groceries, Stationery, etc., of the Defendant H. J. Redden at Aylesford, in the County of Kings.

Particulars may be obtained at the Sheriff's office at Kentville.

TERMS—Cash on Sale. Dated at Kentville, the 9th Day of December, A. D. 1916.

F. J. PORTER, High Sheriff for the County of Kings

W. H. FULTON, 35 Bedford Row, Halifax, N. S., Solicitor for plaintiff. 30

NOTICE

For the rest of the season I am putting on cushion and hard rubber tires at rock bottom prices. Before buying elsewhere all and get my prices, they will surprise you.

Also Painting, repairing bike wagon wheels, also Iron and Wood work and Trimmings of all kinds.

Shop in old Canning Factory opposite Hotel Aberdeen.

W. H. HARVEY,

Furness Line

From Hfx Steamer To London about

S. S. "Saleno" December 1st
S. S. "Kanawha" December 20th
S. S. "Sachem" January 5th

STEAMER FROM HALIFAX TO L'POOL VIA NFL D about

S. S. "Graciana" December 15th
S. S. "Durango" December 26th

Full information regarding sailing dates of freight and passage, apply to

Furness Withy Company

AUCTION

To be sold at public auction, at the residence of

T. A. C. CURRY,
Main St., West End, Wolfville

on

Monday, Dec. 18th

at 1.30 o'clock p.m.,

1 Single Work Harness, 1 Portland Sleigh, 1 One-horse Sleigh Wagon, 1 Revolving Barrel Churn, 1 set Weigh Scales, 1 Base Burner, size 11, 2 Birch-Mahogany Chairs (rockers and arm chair) cost \$26.55, 1 Round Parlor Table and Jardiniere Stand, cost \$25.00, 1 Chiffonier Dresser, cost \$27.00, 1 Post Hanger, 1 Commode, 1 Oil Stove, 1 Oil Heater, 1 Baby's High Chair, 1 White Enamel Bedroom Set (bedstead, spring, mattress, washstand, dresser, rocker and chair), 1 Fumed Oak Dining Table, 6 Fumed Oak Dining Chairs, 1 Fumed Oak Bed Table. (This set cost \$45.00.) 2 Wicker Arm Chairs, 1 Oak Morris Chair, cost \$33. 1 Kitchen Cabinet, cost \$18.

The above goods have been in use, but a short time, and are equal to new, having been well cared for, and will be sold to the highest bidder. Mr. Curry is removing to Northern Ontario, and is now offering his farm in Wolfville for sale.

Terms of sale: Cash.

F. J. PORTER, Auctioneer.

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Kings County Fallow Club

Fourth Annual Show

AT KENTVILLE

Dec. 20th, 21st and 22nd, 1916

\$500 in Prizes (including over \$150 in Special Prizes & Silver Cup s.)

Special Class for Farmers

Entries close December 15th, '16

W. PLANT, Secretary.

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AUCTION

To be sold at Public Auction at my residence, Kentville

On Wednesday, the 20th, Day of December

at 1 o'clock p. m., the following:

1 mare, 1 sleigh, 1 riding wagon, 1 rubber tire top buggy, 1 gasoline engine 2 hives bees 1 incubator and brooder hens barrel churn hay oats, and straw etc.

The dwelling house and lot of 1/4 acre will be offered for sale at same time.

TERMS—\$10.00 and under cash over that sum approved joint notes at 9 months with interest

MRS. FRED LLOYD,

J. D. MARTIN Auctioneer. sw

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