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## SOCIETIES ACTIVE AT PARADISE

### Crusade Meeting--Women's Institute Meeting--Interesting Social and Personal Notes

The Crusade Meeting of the Women's Missionary Society was held at the parsonage, Wednesday afternoon, November 8th. "Canadian Baptists in Bolivia" was the subject of the program. A paper entitled "Our Stations" was read by Mrs. Harry A. Longley, while the work of the Peniel Hall Farm was given by Mrs. Norman Longley. Twenty-five outstanding facts from Mr. Stillwell's report of this work with its obstacles and opportunities, were presented by other members.

Five new members were received and over thirty dollars taken as a Thank offering. The social hour following the program was one of the best yet. Much credit is due both the programme and standing committee for the success of this meeting.

The Mite Society gave a Thanksgiving supper in the church vestry Monday evening, November 3rd. A social time was enjoyed and nearly thirty-five dollars was realized which will help to increase the church insurance fund.

The yearly business meeting of the Women's Institute will be held Thursday afternoon, Nov. 16th, at the home of Mrs. Fred Bishop. All the members are urged to be present at this very important meeting.

Mr. Max Saunders, Mr. Earl Saunders, Miss Alice Longley, Mr. Chas. Longley, Miss Jessie Bowley and Miss Mabel Elliott were among the students and teachers at home for the vacation.

The Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls spent one of their characteristic good time evenings together, Nov. 7th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Longley.

Whooping cough seems now to be an epidemic among the school children of this community. Every precaution is being taken however to control it.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bowley and children, motored from Wolfville to spend Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Bowley.

Mrs. Edward Woodbury, of Albany,

## ROUND HILL

Miss Phyllis Stevens arrived on Thursday, 9th, from England, and will remain with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stevens, at Ampror farm.

Master Jack Stevens, of (Collegiate School) Windsor, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Stevens at (Ampror farm).

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Whitman on the arrival of a son, November 5th (Robert Hugh).

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. H. B. Whitman entertained in honor of Mrs. Peter Innes a wist party.

Mrs. Cordelia Rice, of Bear River, is spending the Winter with her son, Mr. C. C. Rice.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cress on the arrival of a daughter.

Mr. Percy M. Jefferson spent Thanksgiving at his home in Bear River.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams spent November 6th in Middleton.

## PRINCEDALE

Mrs. Albert Fraser and Miss Bertha May Fraser left Friday to spend a few weeks in Somerville, Mass.

Mrs. Effie Dondale, who spent the Summer with relatives here returned to Cambridge, Mass., Friday.

Miss Lillian Robar, of Bear River East, was a week-end guest of her cousin, Miss Norma Wright.

Miss Ola Harnish, of Greywood, was a recent guest of relatives here.

Mrs. Isaac Dukeshire returned to her home at East Waldec Friday.

Mr. Purdy spent the Thanksgiving holidays at Deep Brook.

is now a much appreciated member of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Covert.

The Misses Lola and Elizabeth Banks spent Thanksgiving with their brother, Mr. Floyd Banks, at Aylesford.

Miss Ethel Schurman, of Acadia, was the guest of Miss Alice Longley during the Thanksgiving vacation.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Charles Durling is now convalescing after a recent illness.

Mr. C. F. Ruggles spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. J. C. Phinney.

Mrs. Covert's health is slightly improved.

## ARMISTICE DAY AT LAWRENCETOWN

### Occasion Fittingly Remembered--Program at Demonstration Building--Personals

Friday afternoon the school children, with the teachers, marched to the Demonstration Building to remember the ending of the World War.

The children had flags which they waved with great vigor and enjoyment. A fair number of town people gathered in the hall, although this notice of the meeting was very short many did not know about it at all.

Rev. Mr. Morris, of Middleton, gave a very suitable address. He presented two scenes that will not soon be forgotten. He told of the dreadful thunder of the guns along miles of battle front--then the strange, awful silence on Armistice day, when the firing stopped. The statement "No victory, no peace, anything worth while, was only obtained by sacrifice".

The Rev. gentleman spoke strongly on the soldiers' pension question, as the men offered their lives for us, we should do all in our power to make them safe and comfortable at home.

Dr. Morse also spoke, his address being practical and interesting. Mr. T. Bishop spoke briefly. He congratulated teachers and pupils on the good work being done and cautiously hinted about a new school building in the future.

Principal Banks spoke kindly to the children, his remarks were bright and happy. Mr. Elliott, of Paradise, also gave some wise and kindly advice. Great praise is due Rev. Mr. Rackham, for his faithful help in every department of the celebration. Mrs. Corkum and Miss Troop also did their part drilling the children in the singing of the patriotic hymns and songs. Dr. J. H. Hall, as usual, when anything can be done in the interest of education, or for the good of the community, was in the chair, and presided in his very happy manner. Mrs. R. Shaffer presided at the piano. Meeting closed by singing the National Anthem.

Mr. Porter, who has opened the new Drug Store, or rather has taken the one owned by Dr. R. Morse, has expressed himself much pleased with Lawrencetown. This gentleman has taken over the Gem Theatre, has stage painted, and decorated. Other modern improvements in view. Will give a good class of pictures. We hope all will encourage this form of business enterprise.

Miss Elizabeth Morgan spent Wednesday in Middleton. She visited the Common Schools and reports splendid work being done by teachers and pupils.

Mrs. W. McKowen, Mrs. Morse Balcom, and Mrs. Pearl Pigeon, spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Saunders, Bridgetown.

Mrs. Corkum, Kindergarten teacher in the Lawrencetown school, spent Thanksgiving out of town.

Mrs. F. B. Bishop, who has been spending some time in Halifax, has returned to Lawrencetown.

Miss McKay, of Annapolis Royal, is visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. N. T. Jones.

Miss Troop, Vice Principal of the school, also spent the day out of town with friends.

The Embouss Hotel, managed by Mr. and Mrs. Bourke, is deservedly popular.

Mr. Slack, Mr. Parks, and Mr. Phinney, apple inspectors, are at present in town.

Miss Clara Longley spent Thanksgiving day in Paradise.

Miss Patterson, of Santord's store, spent a day in Aylesford.

## FRANCE RESOLVED TO EXACT REPARATIONS ALONE, IF NECESSARY

Paris--Premier Poincare told the Senate that the French Government had decided to act alone with respect to Germany if the Brussels conference failed to give France satisfaction. He expressed the opinion that no general settlement of the reparations problem was possible unless the question of inter-allied debts was solved at the same time.

"France is not imperialistic," he declared. "I can say that she is the least imperialistic of the nations, but not contemplate any personal action before the Brussels conference, but if we do not obtain satisfaction there is nothing in the world that can prevent us from acting alone in the fullness of our rights."

## FALKLAND RIDGE

Those coming home for Thanksgiving were: Reta Marshall, from Paradise; Ralph Marshall, from Wolfville; E. H. and Frank Marshall, from Middleton.

Mrs. Ada Fair, of New Albany, arrived on Thursday and is assisting in the care of her daughter, Mrs. E. G. Mason.

Among the transients over Sunday were: H. Brennan, from Aylesford; Mr. Grant Messinger and father, from Paradise.

Florence Woodbury, of Torbrook, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Sproule, returning home Tuesday.

Lester Starratt, who has spent the past week with his parents here, returned to Halifax on Tuesday.

James Sproule left on Tuesday for Halifax, where he is attending a convention of the S. of T.

Alvin Dorey, of New Albany, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. John McMullen, on the 9th.

William Veno, of New Germany, is the guest of his nephew, Emerson Wagner.

George Swallow spent the 5th with his friend, Ernest Kniffin, of New Albany.

Quite a number from here attended Councilor election at Springfield Nov. 7th.

E. G. Mason has an attack of blood poisoning in his hand.

Mrs. E. G. Mason is suffering from an attack of pleurisy.

Cecil Kaubach made a trip to Middleton, the 8th.

## WEST PARADISE

Visitors for Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Saunders, were: Mr. and Mrs. VanBuskirk, of Wilmot, and Miss Irma Campbell, of Paradise.

Thursday evening a pie social was held in the Hall, at which the sum of \$15 was realized. This defrays the lighting expenses on the Hall.

Miss Louise Morse, who is attending Acadia, spent the Thanksgiving holiday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morse.

We are glad to welcome to our vicinity, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berry, who moved here from Upper Granville.

Mrs. Ethel Shaw spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders.

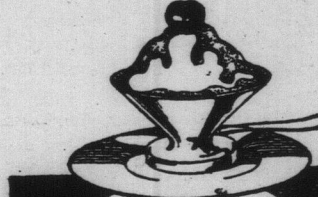
Miss Elsie Sheridan arrived home from a two weeks' visit to Canning, King's County.

Mrs. Harry Abbott recently returned from a month's visit in Boston and vicinity.

Mr. Harcourt Daniels is spending a few days in St. John.

## MUNICIPAL ELECTION FIGURES FOR VARIOUS WARDS

Below are given the official returns of Municipal elections held November 7th, A. D. 1922:--  
Ward 1.--J. A. Balcom 270, Harry McNeil 109. Maj. 161.  
Ward 2.--Arthur Borden 171, Elmer Elliott 58. Maj. 113.  
Ward 3.--F. W. Bishop 344, H. D. Starratt 254. Maj. 90.  
Ward 4.--Aaron Phinney 174, LeBaron Troop 171. Maj. 3.  
Ward 5.--Samuel Pickup 246, Geo. A. Bent 170, P. Doyle 52. Maj. 76.  
Ward 6.--Stuart Mills 195, A. W. Chisholm 142. Maj. 53.  
Ward 7.--Elias Rawding 218, Carl Manning Nichols 157. Maj. 61.  
Ward 12.--Thos. Charlton 337, Robt. Moore 239. Maj. 98.  
Ward 13.--J. C. Grimm 182, Albert Morton 147. Maj. 35.  
Other wards election by acclamation.



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## PREPARING FOR HOCKEY SEASON

### Club Officers Elected And Other Details Attended To -- General League Meet Shortly

A very well attended meeting of hockey enthusiasts was held in the Board of Trade rooms on Friday evening. Prospects for the season were discussed and opinion favors the entry of Bridgetown team into the hockey league. It is yet too early to predict under just what plans of organization Valley League games will be played. A number of towns at least would favor an Eastern and Western section on arrangements somewhat similar to baseball programmes of the past season. Such an arrangement, if made, would effect an obvious saving in time and expense and the champions of East and West could, at the conclusion of the season, play off for supremacy.

Arrangements were made re membership fees in the local club and these were fixed at \$1.00 per member. Steps will be taken to secure supplies for the team which Bridgetown expects this Winter to put into the Valley League.

Election of officers was proceeded with and resulted as follows:  
President--K. E. Ewan,  
Secty.-Treasurer--Paul Longmire,  
Executive Committee--K. B. Ewan,  
F. H. Beattie, and R. W. Donaldson.

The Club have wisely taken time by the forelock and will be pretty well organized before the rink is finished and the season's fun is on.

## INGLISVILLE

The Halloween supper held at Mr. R. P. Best's, which was postponed until the following evening on account of the storm, was a decided success. The sum of \$22.50 was realized, proceeds for repairing the shed for horses at the Baptist Church.

We are pleased to report Mrs. Carmen Stoddart has sufficiently recovered from her recent operation at the Memorial Hospital, Middleton, as to be able to return home.

Mrs. L. M. Beals spent a week recently with her cousin, Mrs. A. Nichols, at Kentville, and other relatives at Billtown.

Mrs. Isaac Durling and children have been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Amanda Beals.

Mrs. Ada Balcom, from Lawrencetown, has been spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beals.

Mr. B. Leonard, from Kingston, spent a few days with his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Avaris Leonard.

Several moose have been captured in this vicinity. One was shot by one of our boys, Reginald McGill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Connell, from Nictaux, spent a week recently with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Connell.

Mr. Stanley Hubley spent over Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Best.

Mrs. V. D. Beals, who has been visiting relatives in Springfield, has returned home.

Mr. Millege Best, from Wilmot, was a recent guest of his relatives in this place.

The W.M.A.S. convenes this month at the home of Mrs. O. Naugier.

## HIGH PRICE OF SCHOOL BOOKS.

The excessive cost of school books in Nova Scotia was the principal subject taken into discussion at the quarterly meeting of the Provincial Chapter I. O. D. E. convening in Amherst last week. Fifteen delegates were in attendance, faces in Nova Scotia. Mrs. J. H. Douglas of Amherst took a leading part in the discussion that ensued over the price of school books, and she pointed out the changes in prices that had occurred in the past two years; books actually trebling in cost. This topic aroused great interest on the part of all delegates to the general meeting, and when it was stated that scores of children in provincial towns were unable to afford the purchase of new books at existing prices, members of the order waxed indignant. After prolonged discussion, the entire question was left in the hands of the executive. A strong resolution will be framed, and sent to the Department of Provincial Education calling attention to the condition of affairs.

Miss Mary Thomas spent a few days recently, the guest of her friend, Miss Annie M. Bragg.

## THE TRAMP NUISANCE

The tramp nuisance has been rather more marked than usual in the Valley this Fall, and while a large proportion of these gentry are more or less harmless indications on the social order. All should be checked up regularly by the authorities whenever found. Only a short time ago one of these hoboes entered a factory in town, took a stick of cordwood for a pillow, and pulling out a revolver, laid down to sleep. In the morning he faded for parts unknown. What this incident may be trifling, it should have been reported to the police. Responsible citizens are not permitted by law to carry revolvers. Why should potential menaces such as tramps have opportunities to enjoy this dangerous privilege. The fact that dark crimes lie still unearched in the Province shows greater need than ever of caution. The record of all suspicious characters should be fully investigated and their movements checked up.

## SEE THAT YOU GET PROPER RECEIPTS

Cases have come to our notice of agents travelling the country presumably for some well known magazines and securing payments from honest and confiding people. In some cases receipts were given on scrap paper, the agent alleging that he had run out of official forms just the day before. Needless to say his subscribers are still waiting for their magazines. It is to the interest of all reputable papers and magazines that subscribers insist upon and get proper official receipts. Duly authorized and reputable representatives are always not only willing, but anxious, to give proper receipts, and the public is entitled to receive them in every case.

## ANNUAL MEETING CLARENCE WEST AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

Clarence West Agricultural Society held their annual meeting on Monday evening. The officers and Board of Directors were re-elected and are constituted as follows:

President--J. A. Myers,  
Vice-President--W. N. Stronach,  
Secty.-Treasurer--W. R. Miller,  
Directors--S. L. Marshall, G. A. Chute, Arthur Marshall, E. B. Miller, Judson Chute and J. E. Laurence.

The Society has had a good year and is thoroughly and capably supported in its districts. Some new stock will be obtained during the year. Durhams and Shorthorns are the favorites in breeds of cattle.

## MEMORIAL FOR DEAD HEROES

### Public of Bridgetown Invited To Discuss Permanent Forms of Remembrance

On Friday evening, November 17th, the public are invited to attend a meeting in the Board of Trade rooms at 8 o'clock to decide what form a permanent memorial will take to be erected to the memory of the men from Bridgetown and vicinity who paid the supreme sacrifice in the Great War. Some funds have already been raised in this connection and it is understood that some tact promises of more have been made. The meeting is to bring matters to a head in some way. Most of the towns of the Province and as many cases some very small country communities have placed permanent memorials for their fallen dead who perished for King and country in a good cause. The war is now long past and a fading memory except to those who lost ones near and dear to them. The public memory throughout the world is short. Whatever is to be done in the way of memorials over Canada and we might say much further must be done shortly or time will lapse and the glorious deeds of past years will fade into an almost forgotten past without sufficient tangible signs to point to future generations the achievements of our glorious dead.

## OIL RAPIDLY REPLACING STEAM ON OCEAN STEAMERS

London--The feature of the new annual report of Lloyd's Register of Shipping was the emphasis laid upon the coming of oil as a power in marine engineering. The report shows the world-wide depression in the shipbuilding industry, continuing throughout the last year, but states that one reaction to this has been the encouragement of the latest ideas in construction.

Steam turbines were installed during the year on ninety-eight vessels under Lloyd's supervision. This indicates the passing of the direct turbine drive and the end of a historic phase in marine engineering. The number of vessels built during the year and intended for propulsion by internal combustion engines was fifty-nine, of which twenty-one were ships of large size, all fitted with engines using heavy oil.

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