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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25, 1918

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

The express of Monday brought to our town, Colonel Hirayama, lately of the Japanese Army. He hails from Tokyo, and has seen twenty-seven years in the service, having been through both the China-Japanese war and the Russo-Japanese war, where he received many decorations. Three years ago he retired from the military service and took up the study of Theology, intending to enter the Christian ministry.

The Colonel is reported in the Halifax Echo to have said that he wished to thank the lady missionaries of Canada, who had done so much for Japan. He said that Miss Jost, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Jost, of Bridgetown, and Miss DeWolfe, sister of Capt. F. T. DeWolfe, Halifax, did wonderful work in the hardest districts of Japan, where Buddhism is very strong.

Yesterday other Japanese gentlemen arrived here, Mr. R. Z. Okumura, Y. M. C. A. Secretary from Kobe, and the Rev. T. H. Sagara.

The "Echo" reports them as saying that at the beginning of the war the ladies of Japan sold picture postcards painted by a famous Japanese artist and sold them about the streets, like on tag days here, realizing the sum of \$10,000 towards the fund of 100,000 yens raised altogether to send this deputation to Canada and the United States.

Everyone was intensely enthusiastic, the Empress of Japan gave \$10,000, Terauchi, Premier of Japan, \$3,000; Baron Guoto, Foreign Minister, \$2,000; and so on until the amount was raised. Mr. Sagara said he never dreamed that the deputation would be so well received here as they have been both in the United States and all the way from Vancouver to Halifax.

He says that in reporting to the Japanese paper at home he said of the Canadians: "We must try to be very modest like the Canadians." The three will go to France to work with our Y. M. C. A. there and study the methods, then they will go to Siberia and make use of their knowledge there.

"All the Japanese are in sympathy with the Siberian expedition," he said, "and we heard with pleasure of the Canadians going too. We want all the suffering and sorrowful mothers and children to have peace," he said, and so we say to our boys, fight to fight their best and then the war will end."

They are three trim, handsome looking officers in their khaki uniforms and speak English very well. These gentlemen will be present at the United Prayer Meeting this (Wednesday) evening and will give brief addresses in the Bridgetown Methodist church.

MONDAY NIGHT'S MEETING

In the Interest of an Endowment Fund For the Blind for the Maritime Provinces and Dominion of Newfoundland.

Hon. O. T. Daniels presided at a public meeting in the Primrose theatre Monday evening, for the purpose of forming an Auxiliary Society of Workers for the Blind. On the platform were: Mr. John Weir, organizing secretary of the society for the Maritime provinces and the Dominion of Newfoundland; Col. Hirayama, lately of the Japanese army; Rev. E. Underwood and Rev. Dr. Jost.

The object of this meeting was to enlist co-operation of the people in the interest of the blind and the work of giving these people an education at the Halifax School for the Blind similar to that which is being given in the public schools of the Maritime Provinces. While all who took part in the meeting made appropriate remarks, very interesting addresses were given by Mr. Weir and Col. Hirayama. A local society was formed with the following officers: W. R. Longmire, president; Dr. Jost, vice-president; Mrs. Duncan, secretary; and Miss Murray, treasurer. A committee was also formed from representatives of the various denominations.

More particulars concerning this good work will appear in a future issue.

The Latest War News

The Huns and their Allies are losing on every front. The Bulgarian defeat almost equals that in Palestine and Bulgaria's southern front has suddenly collapsed. Turkey has lost Arabia, Mesopotamia and Palestine. In Serbia as well as on the Western front the Huns are giving way and their end must soon come.

Another Pays the Supreme Sacrifice.

A telegram announces the death of Stewart Marshall, killed in action. He is a son of Bayard Marshall, of Outram, was about 22 years of age and is survived by his parents, one brother and four sisters who have the deepest sympathy of the residents of their entire community.

Local Happenings

Mr. J. V. Gesner has our thanks for copies of the Boston Traveller.

Don't forget the Yarmouth exhibition October 2, 3 and 4. See advertisement in another column.

The Centrica Red Cross meeting will be held Friday, Sept. 27th, at Miss May Messenger's.

The annual Harvest Festival will be held in St. Mary's church, Belleisle, next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. E. C. Crowell has received word that his brother Luther Crowell, died yesterday at Barrington, aged 69 years.

The story of the Lawrencetown United School Exhibition as recorded by a correspondent will appear in our next issue.

The members of the Knitter's Club held an afternoon tea last Tuesday afternoon, the proceeds of which was presented to the Red Cross.

About 30 residents of Bridgetown took advantage of yesterday's excursion to Halifax, leaving here on the early morning train via D. A. R.

Canada's Daylight Saving—Canada will resume ordinary time at 2 a. m. Sunday, October 27. All clocks will at that hour be put back sixty minutes.

The sudden death of Mr. Charles C. Richards, one of Yarmouth's most prominent citizens, occurred at his home in that town last Wednesday evening.

Mr. W. W. Chesley is offering for sale a number of boxes of plum tomatoes, which were grown in his own garden and which are attracting considerable attention.

The monthly service of united intercession on behalf of the war will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening at the close of the regular service.

There was very little auto driving through the Annapolis Valley last Sunday, thus showing the patriotic spirit of the people in saving gasoline for war purposes.

The newspaper fraternity as well as his many friends regret to learn that Capt. T. C. Choisnet, formerly editor of the Parrsboro Leader, has been killed in action somewhere in France.

The Pantry sale by the members of the Baptist Young People's Union, will be repeated on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 28th, in the Lockett Building. Sale opens at 2.30. Proceeds for church purposes.

A resident of Ingleswood was before Magistrate Messenger last Thursday, charged with keeping liquor for sale. He was tried under the N. S. Temperance Act and fined \$100 or two months in jail.

Mr. B. W. Spurr, of Bridgetown, had six potatoes Wednesday, which weighed 7 1/2 lbs. This beats everything as yet reported in this season's potato crop. They are known as the Early White Prize.

Dr. M. E. Armstrong and Mr. Jas. H. Gilliat have the editor's thanks for a number of red and white onions (prize winners) which were grown in Granville. These gentlemen have between 150 and 200 bushels of these beautiful onions, said to be the best in the county.

A number of people arrived from Halifax and elsewhere yesterday, who will be guests at the Roscoe-Ruggles wedding, which takes place in St. James Episcopal Church at eleven o'clock this morning. After the ceremony luncheon will be served at "Lawnsdale," the home of the bride.

KILLED IN ACTION

Pte. James Howard Gilliat, of Granville, Pays the Supreme Sacrifice

Word has reached here that Pte. James Howard Gilliat, son of Mr. James H. Gilliat, of Granville, was killed in action Sept. 2nd, aged 19 years. Pte. Gilliat enlisted in Bridgetown in April, 1916, a member of the 219th. He proved himself a good soldier, was well liked by his comrades and has given his life for his country and King in the defence of his relatives and friends. Besides his father he leaves three sisters, Mrs. Leonard Whitman, Mrs. LeRoy Eisner and Miss Eva Gilliat, and one brother B. rpece, all of Granville. Pte. Gilliat was a member of the Granville Baptist church and a general favorite with all who knew him.

Casualties

The casualties reported since our last issue are: SERIOUSLY ILL: Lieut. Harry Starratt, Paradise. WOUNDED: R. L. Oliver, Granville; R. Coumans, W. G. Kennedy, Bear River; D. C. Simpson, Tupperville; J. B. Troop, Granville Centre; E. M. Patison, Hantsport; C. Bates, Digby; R. A. Harnish, Annapolis Royal; T. A. Weir, Smith's Cove; J. A. Murray, Meadowvale. ILL: E. P. Fraser, Princesdale; E. C. Stewart, Bear River.

Mrs. M. Gatti, Bridgetown, has received word that her brother, No. 293, Pte. Robert Hann, who was reported wounded and missing, since May 13, died that night in a dressing station. Somewhere in France. Pte. Hann enlisted in Newfoundland.

Died in Halifax.

Miss Martha Crosskill, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crosskill, formerly of Bridgetown, died in Halifax on Tuesday, Sept. 19th, in the 83th year of her age. She is survived by one brother, Mr. Frederick Crosskill, of this town. The remains arrived here via Friday's express, interment taking place in the Crosskill lot in the Episcopal cemetery. The services at the grave were conducted by Rev. E. Underwood, rector of St. James church.

Big Apples

Mr. Arthur Marshall, of Clarence, presented the editor Monday with a couple of apples, each measuring 15 inches in circumference. Mr. Marshall has eight barrels of this variety, which is known as Wolf Rivers.

REV. A. V. DIMOCK BADLY INJURED

His Son Gordon Was Killed and Another Son Ronald, Injured in Auto Accident.

BERWICK, Sept. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dimock received word today that their son, Rev. Arthur V. Dimock, who is a chaplain in the American army at Camp Evans, Sandford, Maine, with his two sons, Gordon and Ronald, were out autoing on the 14th inst., and while crossing the railroad track were run into by a train, and the auto was smashed to pieces. Mr. Dimock received a bad fracture to his leg. Gordon, who was seventeen and was a very promising young man, was instantly killed, while Ronald received severe injuries and had to be taken with his father to the hospital for treatment.

Rev. A. V. Dimock married Miss Minnie Crisp, of Paradise, a sister of Mrs. Abner Williams, of Bridgetown. He is well known here, having conducted evangelical services in Bridgetown and other parts of this county.

The following despatch to the Boston Globe gives further particulars:

SPRINGVALE, Me., Sept. 14.—Gordon Dimock was killed, his father, Rev. Arthur V. Dimock, Chaplain at Camp Devens, and brother, Roland, seriously injured this morning, when the Dimock automobile was struck by a locomotive at the Oakland crossing here.

At first it was thought Roland had only a broken back, but the physicians reported later that he may have internal injuries. Rev. Mr. Dimock's right leg and two ribs are broken and he has a serious head wound and other body injuries. Both are in the Ross Hospital, Sandford, where it is said tonight that their chances for recovery are good.

Mr. Dimock was coming to Sandford from his summer home at Crystal Lake, Gilmanton Iron Works, N. H., to arrange for his two sons to attend the Sandford High School. Only about two more miles remained to complete the journey when the accident occurred. The driver of the automobile did not see the locomotive in time to bring the car to a full stop.

Gordon was dragged about 60 feet and died in 20 minutes after the accident. He had attended the Sandford schools with his brother before and was in the Sandford High football team.

Rev. Mr. Dimock is 45 years old and was acting pastor of the Sandford Baptist church from last November until April, when he became an army chaplain at Ayer, Mass. He was formerly of Nova Scotia, where his parents now reside. Rev. Ira B. Hardy, pastor of the Baptist church of Sandford, left for Crystal Lake to notify Mr. Dimock's wife. The body of the Dimock boy will be taken to Mr. Hardy's residence.

This is to certify that I have used MINARD'S LINIMENT in my family for years, and consider it the best liniment on the market. I have found it excellent for horse flesh.

(Signed)

W. S. PINEO, "Woodlands," Middleton, N. S.

Aged 99 Years.

At the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Borden, Canard, Thursday, Sept. 17th, 1918, Ruby Woodworth, widow of Newton Cox, of Habitant, in the one hundredth year of her age.

The output of typewriters in the United States has been cut 50%. I still have a few new Remingtons.

A. MILNE PLEASER, Halifax, N. S.

Two women were fined £2 each at the Kinross Sheriff's Court, G. B., for using their motor cars to attend church.

W. H. MAXWELL

NOW is a good time to buy Sweets for the Boys at the Front

As sugar is advancing, the price of all kinds of chocolate and candy will be higher very shortly. Those intending to send Christmas boxes to their boys would be wise to buy their supply now. We have a fresh shipment of:

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1 pair steers, 2 years old.
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1 Registered Durham Cow due to freshen now.
1 Registered Durham Heifer yearling.
1 Registered Durham Bull, yearling.
1 Cow dry.
1 Cow to freshen in spring.
1 Heifer Grade Durham yearling.
5 Heifers Grade Durham, 2 years old, probably with calf.
2 Heifer calves.
1 yearling Bull.
1 pair Horses, good workers and drivers.
Good stock, nearly all in shape for beef.
Farm, one mile west of Lawrence-town Station, good house, barn full of hay. Fine tillage land and good pasture. Town water and just outside of electric light district.
Also offer for sale small place in water and electric light district, 8 acres, 2 acres in full bearing orchard. Good place for hogs and poultry.
Stock will be sold for cash or approved joint notes on time to suit purchaser. On the farms, part of purchase price can remain on mortgage.
H. T. PHINNEY, Lawrencetown, 24-21
The people of Ottawa subscribed \$51,825 to the Navy League of Canada. The objective aimed at was \$50,000.

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Personal Me
Mr. Judson Morse, of L in town Thursday.
Mrs. Burton was a p Kentville Wedn.
Mr. Frank Douge r Bridgetown Thursday.
Mr. Herman Banks wa fer to St. John Friday.
Miss Emily J. Mills, o Perry, was in town Mond Mayor A. B. MacKenzie senger to St. John Monday.
Mr. Wm. Goodwin a Monday from Victoria Be Miss Lillian Newcomb senger to Halifax Wednes Mrs. J. A. Myers of Br visiting friends in Dartmo Chief Game Inspector O Hon. O. T. Daniels spe end at his home in Bridg Mrs. James Tupper y Wednesday's passengers to Mrs. Mary Blanchard wa Monday's east bound expi fer to Boston Saturday vi Mr. Charles Ruffee, wh home for a week, returned Monday.
Mr. Basil V. Colpitts, o N. B., is visiting his frien ter Ricketson.
Mr. T. B. Chipman, a passenger to St. John Fri ed home Monday.
Mrs. J. E. Byard, w here Saturday, from Ban returned Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. T. D. R Monday to spend severa friends in St. John.
Miss Nettie Healy, of K the guest of her sister, M Weare, Granville street.
Mr. W. H. Barchie wa passengers who left Bridg Monday's east bound expi Corporal George Banks, is visiting his parents, Mr. Lenley M. Banks, at Ham Mr. Wm. Eaton, of Mid in Bridgetown Monday, home via the afternoon exp Mr. Wm. Smith, of Hal guest of her brother, Re Richardson, at the Baptist Mrs. A. W. Kinney retu Boston Wednesday, having home owing to the illness of ney.
Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Rand boro, expect to arrive her visit School Inspector and C. Foster.
Mr. Earl Crocker, of Fr Mr. Norman Thurber, o Grove, Digby County, were town Sunday.
Mr. J. C. Wilkinson, fro field, P. E. I., and daug are visiting Mr. John Granville street.
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney N son, of Milton, Queens C the guests of Mr. and Mrs. man, Victoria street.
Mrs. H. A. Wilson, of who was the guest of Mr. Karl Freeman, returned to via Monday's express.
Yarmouth Times: Miss Jones, who is visiting her s George H. Williams, expect Monday for New York.
Rev. W. H. Langille, and men, of Yarmouth, were bow Monday night, the ruc and Mrs. H. B. Hicks.
Mr. Francis Graves retu nesday from an auto trip John to Sarnia, Ont., via cipal Canadian cities on re Miss Mildred Lockett is friends in Amherst en route real, where she will train a ia the Royal Victoria Hospi city.
Pte. Noble Crowe, who spending a few days in Br the guest of his parents, Mr. A. S. Crowe, returned to Monday.
Mr. E. B. McDaniel, of Bank of Canada, well K Bridgetown, has been transe Liverpool, N. S., to Montre for that city last week.
Miss Jean Marshall, who night operator in the local exchange, left yesterday for where she will enter the F Hospital to train for a nurse.
Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Messo Mona returned Friday even a pleasant auto trip thro Scoti and New Brunswick, far as Cape Tormentine.
Hemb. W. Donat, of the Battery, St. John, who the guest of Mr. C. S. Bothwell Pineau, We. Paradise, retu the city Monday via Digby.
Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Short Bessie Hooper, Mrs. S. W. Miss Edrie Titus, of Digby, to Bridgetown Thursday nigh home the same evening.
Mrs. Arthur C. Holland, huryport, Mass., has returne home after spending severa with her grandparents, Mr. Phineas Banks, at Port Lorn renetown, was the guest of L. Harris, Annapolis, for ding of Miss Jefferson and M derson last week, returning Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gi son Wilfred, of Mink Cove, J. W. Tibert, of Central G rived here Friday by auto, en Aylesford. Mrs. Tibert rem Bridgetown the guest of her Mrs. F. V. Young and Mrs. Williston.
Middleton Outlook: Mrs. Hatt, of Bridgetown, was a guest at the home of Mr. A. J. F. Bent. Rev. and Mrs. Grant and Mrs. P. R. Bent to Lunenburg by auto on W. C. Peibel and S. H. M with guide, Harry Lightizer, Wednesday from a hunting tri south woods.
Miss Estelle Brooks, daus Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brooks, o ton, leaves tomorrow for Sask., where she has been en teach in one of the school city. She will be accompan as Toronto by her sister, Miss where they will spend the w with their brother Roy, who is ber of the Royal Air Force.
Lieut. Roy Lancaster Dunie ported among the casualties r He is a son of Mr. George W. of Calais, Me., who for man