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## COUNCIL HOLDS MONTHLY SESSION

**Street Matters Discussed Fully—Sanitary Matters Receive a Ventilating—Other Miscellaneous Business.**

The Town Council held its regular monthly session on Friday evening, Mayor Hicks presiding.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved and a number of miscellaneous bills O. K'd. by finance committee were passed and ordered paid. A letter was read from Arthur Roberts, K. C., Secretary of the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities, setting forth the advantages of membership and instancing work of benefit accomplished by the Union. The annual membership fee of \$10 was ordered paid.

A letter was received from Mrs. Sarah Foster complaining of rubbish from an adjoining property being thrown on hers. Chief Bishop was instructed to look into this matter and remedy any causes of complaint found.

The Health officer reported an unsanitary condition caused by a private sewer discharging on the property of Rev. A. J. Prosser on Rectory Street. The clerk was requested to write the owner of the adjoining property on which the sewer has origin with a view to having these objectionable conditions removed. A resolution was passed to the effect that licensed does carry identification tags. This will assist in checking up those on which no license is being paid. A further complaint was made regarding pig styces which it is claimed are nuisances. The attention of Chief Bishop was again called to the matter with a request to investigate conditions and remove causes of complaint. Councillor Graves, chairman of the Street Committee reported that \$700 had been expended this far this season, leaving a balance of \$1300 on appropriation. A long discussion took place on street matters and it was decided to get further information before commencing permanent work on Green Street.

## V. A. LLOYD NEW POSTMASTER

**Will Take Over Position in Short Time—Present Appointment by Civil Service Commission a Permanent One.**

On Wednesday last Mr. Vinton Lloyd received notice from the Civil Service Commission of his appointment to the Postmastership of Bridgetown.

The appointment at this juncture came somewhat in the nature of a surprise after the lapse of over seven months.

At the time of Mr. A. D. Brown's resignation last October the appointment question was a very live local issue and it is believed that there were in the vicinity of twenty applications for the position the best local one in the gift of the Civil Service Commission.

Several of the applicants were returned men and believed that their claims were strongest by reason of overseas service and subsequent assignments dealing with the matter of civil appointments. Mr. Lloyd the present appointee was high up in the running.

The Post Office department instructed Dr. M. E. Armstrong to take over the office on November 1st pending a permanent appointment. This he did and as time passed on into months and no further action was taken it was pretty generally considered that the appointment would be renewed from time to time or within a short period be made permanent by the Civil Service Commission. Meantime the G. W. V. A. had exerted their influence for returned men as the act passed led them to believe that the position would go to a returned man, particularly if he had seen active service at the front, and was otherwise well qualified.

Matters apparently remained stationary for a long period and this month the Civil Service Commission conferred the appointment on Mr. Lloyd who will take the office over within a short time.

## GRANVILLE CHURCH REOPENS SUNDAY

**Dr. B. C. Borden, ex-President of Mt. Allison University, Preaches in Afternoon—Special Music and Services of Unusual Interest.**

Next Sunday morning and afternoon special services are being held in the Granville Church, re-opening it after its closing for repairs and renovations. In the morning the Pastor, the Rev. John H. Preston will preach; in the afternoon the Rev. Dr. B. C. Borden, until recently the President of Mount Allison University, The Official Board of the Circuit has been invited to attend as a body the afternoon service. Mrs. A. R. Bishop, the organist of United Church, Bridgetown, and the choir of that church will assist in the music for the day. A special effort is being made to make the services very memorable and cordial, invitations are extended to all throughout the community to attend the services.

## NEW DISPLAY ADVERTISEMENTS THIS ISSUE

- All changes of copy for ads, MUST be in by 12 noon on Monday's each week.
- Buckler & Daniels
- Town Topics
- Mirand's Liniment.
- A. Young & Son.
- Colonial Motor Co.
- Banner Fruit Co.
- Chester's
- Lockett & Company.
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- Fred's Place.
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## BELLEISLE.

Mrs. A. W. D. Parker is visiting her daughter Mrs. Wallace Covert at Karsdale.

Miss Susie Troop is in Windsor attending the W. M. A. S. of the Methodist church which is being held there this week.

Mrs. R. L. Dodge, Mrs. Will Bent, Mrs. Henry Bent and Mrs. Arthur Tosh attended the W. M. S. of the Episcopal church in Digby on Wednesday.

Miss Maribel G. Parker attended the closing of Acadia College when her cousin Miss Edith Gardner graduated receiving her B. A. degree.

Mrs. Agnes Munro of Truro is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sylvester Bent.

Miss Muriel Guild of Halifax, has been engaged to teach the Belleisle school for the coming year.

Miss Ethel Young is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Parker, Lower Granville.

Miss Cora Parker spent the weekend at Granville Ferry, the guest of Mrs. William H. Mills.

The repairs in the Granville Methodist church are completed. The church is to be re-opened Sunday, June 16th.

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Berwick—Berwick defeated wolfville High School 15-5. Heavy hitting paved the way for Berwick's victory, F. Woodworth getting four hits.

## NEWSY NOTES FROM PARADISE

**Pres. Patterson of Acadia Delivers Eloquent Discourse—Missionary Meeting.—Personal and Social Items.**

Paradise.—A large congregation greeted Dr. Patterson of Acadia University on Sunday afternoon. Taking his text from the 21st chapter of Job, verse 19, Dr. Patterson made a masterful appeal for setting a true estimate on spiritual values. "The worth of things cannot be measured by the appeal they make to the senses but by the appeal they make to the inner spirit" said Acadia's President. Just as men do not become immortal and cannot be measured because of what they have but because of what they are, so homes, educational institutions, churches and religion cannot be measured for true greatness by mere standards of wealth or prosperity but by true worth as revealed in a great work done and a great spirit represented.

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Mr. L. Sabean, Port Lorne, brought in some fine fish, this dealer is well known to our citizens.

Mrs. H. B. Kinney and Miss Elsie, have been in Middleton visiting friends.

Miss Frances Lewis, B. A., Dalhousie, will be on the Academy staff, Amherst, Miss Denton will take a good situation in one of the Truro schools, the Central one, we hear. Both these young ladies are well educated, and experienced teachers. May they have good success in their educational work.

Mrs. Elvin Shaffner and Miss Blackadder attended the 40th Anniversary of the Methodist W. F. M. S. held in Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker and Miss Walker, Florida, have taken the pretty new house of Mr. Arthur Falcon, on the summer.

Mrs. McLearn has returned to town for spending some time in attending meetings and organizing F. M. societies in different places.

Mrs. Pollard has been a guest at the home of Mrs. John Morgan.

Miss Elizabeth Morgan spent the week at her home, she returned to Truro on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hanley, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. A. Patterson motored to Windsor on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Huggins and daughter spent the week-end with friends in Aylesford.

This is the month for weddings, meetings, conventions of all kinds, auto drives, apple blossoms.

At week-end there were thirty or more happy guests at the "Elm House," all the rooms were taken and a large number have made application for this week. Mrs. Elliott will soon need more room.

Dr. J. B. Hall, and Mr. Thomas Bishop spent Friday at Round Hill.

Shaffner's Limited, have given the death blow to the credit system, it is a good move, will make people more careful, prevent loss in business and after a time people will see what a joy it is to have no debts haunting their lives.

Lawrencetown.—On Sunday evening following church services, Miss Stella Whitman and her sisters, George, Frances and Jean, entertained their college friends at the Baptist Parsonage. The Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Whitman combined their efforts in making a young people's social evening a most delightful one. Those present were Miss Laura Welton, Miss Rebecca Brody, Miss Ida Leslie, Miss Gertrude Thomas, Raleigh Keith, Laurence Fraser, Jordan Smith, John Hall, R. C. Bishop and R. M. Ray. Miss Brody favored the party with a violin selection.

Dr. Patterson, president of Acadia University, was the speaker at the Lawrencetown Baptist church on Sunday, where a large congregation assembled to hear a forceful sermon delivered by a dominant Nova Scotian personality. An added attraction, which was much appreciated, was a violin solo by Miss Rebecca Brody, of Mount Allison, assisted by Miss Stella Whitman at the organ.

Miss Helen and Phyllis Porter, W. F. Porter and Eugene Porter, left Monday evening on a motor trip to Bridgewater, where they spent the holiday, June 3rd.

Among those spending the June month holiday at home are R. L. Jamson, John Stoddart and R. J. Shaffner.

Miss Elizabeth Morgan, teacher at Truro, is home for a few days.

Monday evening at the Methodist church the Rev. W. H. Rackman, past

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## PERSONAL MENTION

One of the nicest courtesies you can show your friends is let them learn through this column of your visit whenever you go away. Let us know when you have visitors at your homes. The Monitor will consider a courtesy whenever you give us an item of this kind. Write or phone No. 12 or 102.

Mr. J. A. Irvine, K. C., arrived on Thursday from Halifax, where he has been under treatment at Victoria General Hospital for some months.

Mrs. J. R. Reese of Upper Granville was visiting in Bricketon last week, the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. R. Ganes.

Miss Hilda Goucher of Melvern Square was a recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. Richard Ray of Upper Granville, wholesome spirituality. His visit to our church has been truly a great event.

The Women's Missionary meeting was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Shaw. The program was provided by Mrs. F. W. Bishop and Mrs. H. O. Bent on the subject, "Mothers of Non-Christian Lands." Readings were given by Mrs. Norman Longley, Mrs. J. S. Longley and Mrs. E. G. Morse. Music was furnished by a victrola record and by Mrs. Ritchie Elliott.

Four Jubilee Missionary books "The Enterprise" were purchased by the society, also a sufficiently generous supply of Jubilee Hymn books.

A few members have overlooked the paying of their dues for the present year. The treasurer will appreciate your giving the same to her before or at the July meeting.

Mrs. W. S. Mercer, widow of the late Rev. W. S. Mercer who so tragically lost his life in a Newfoundland blizzard last February, is now here with her infant son, Mrs. Mercer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Longley. She will make her home here for the present with her parents, and among a large circle of friends and relatives.

Mr. Nathan Banks, one of our overseas men, whose health has not been good for sometime, is receiving treatment in the sanatorium at Kentville. His family and friends are trusting he may be able to respond to the treatment and return home greatly improved.

Miss Bessie Logan of Amherst, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman of Point Du Butte, N. B., and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Miner of Westmoreland Point, N. B., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Longley and Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson.

Rev. Stewart Kingley and son spent a recent holiday at the home of Mr. Kingley's sister, Mrs. J. S. Longley.

Mr. Fred Ruggles lately visited his

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## CLARENCE.

A steady string of cars loaded with visitors passed through our pretty village on Sunday. The ten miles from Bridgetown to Brooklyn is a garden of apple blossoms.

About 200 delegates from Lunenburg, Digby and Annapolis, are expected this week to attend the Baptist Western Association, which commences Thursday evening, closing Sunday the 15th.

Among the visitors of Sunday were Dr. P. A. Gough and family, of Halifax, a former resident.

J. Wesley Dimock and family, of Windsor, were recent visitors at L. R. Dimock's.

Mrs. F. W. Jackson entertained her S. S. Class at tea on Saturday.

Hay crop will be a failure if dry weather continues.

Mrs. Robert Fraser of Dartmouth, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Elliott.

A cow moose crossed the road at Clarence East on Friday. It was afterwards found near the H. & S. W. R. R. having died from the effects of being bitten by a dog.

## C. F. GREEN APPOINTED POLICEMAN AT MIDDLETON.

Middleton.—C. F. Green was appointed policeman to the town at the regular meeting of the council held Monday. A letter was read from Fire Marshal, J. H. Rudland, Halifax, asking the council to appoint regular inspectors to visit houses and other buildings to ensure that no rubbish is allowed to accumulate or other preventable causes of fire prevail. The police and fire committee was authorized to arrange for such inspection.

## BOOZE THIEVES MAKE BIG HAUL

**Six Barrels of Beer and Some Stronger Fluids Reported In The Lot—Identity of Purloiners Still Unknown.**

At an early hour on Saturday morning the crash of breaking glass and the suggestive gurgle of beer disseminated a flavor of hops in the good old town of Annapolis and awoke occupants in the Farmers Hotel, who made their appearance in time to note the disappearance of a car. Only broken bottles and the smell were left behind. The catch was figured at six barrels of beer and a quantity not definitely stated of rum and fluids of an exhilarating nature. The goods were purloined from a building somewhere in the vicinity of the hotel. During the excitement a name was called out which later led to a visit to Middleton but the scent was evidently on the wrong trail. The parties who made the catch must have been refreshed in a most copious manner. Their identity has been variously assigned all the way from Middleton to Digby but as stated before nothing appears left but sorrowing owners, broken glass and hoppy flavor. The steal was by far the largest engineered in the Valley for many moons.

## NEW RAILWAY STATION FOR LAWRENCETOWN

**J. H. Hicks and Sons Commence Construction This Week—Building 22 x 75 Stucco Finish to be Completed by Sept.**

Messrs J. H. Hicks and Sons this week commence initial construction work in connection with the new D. A. R. Railway Station at Lawrencetown. The new building will be 22 x 75 stucco finish and will contain besides office, two waiting rooms. The freight shed will be under same roof. Roof of asbestos slate. In front of the building will be a six hundred foot tarry platform. In general plan the building will be much like the