

Lawrencetown.

We are pleased to report all on our sick list getting better.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKeown, of Annapolis, were visiting in town last week.

Apples are moving from our warehouses rapidly. Good prices are being realized.

Special meetings are being held this week in Methodist and Baptist churches.

Miss Josie Stevenson entertained a large number of her young friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Phinney welcomed a daughter on the 18th. Congratulations.

Our Creamery is running as usual, and a good-sized amount of milk is being received.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Phinney entertained a large party of young people on Monday evening.

Revs. Joseph Gaetz and Schurman, of Middleton, are assisting the local preacher this week.

Mr. Camp, of Wolfville College, occupied the pulpit in the Baptist Church last Sabbath.

Mr. Charles Lowell is rushing the work on his new house. It will be ready for occupancy in the early spring.

Mrs. Rosengreen and daughters have returned from St. John, having spent a few weeks there the guests of her daughter.

Church services, Sunday, Jan. 31st—Baptist, 11 a. m., Rev. Ba-nell; Episcopal, 3 p. m., Rev. Warner; Methodist, 11 a. m., Rev. Brown.

Mrs. Pollard presented the Methodist Church with a large street lamp recently. It has been placed on the church and gives an excellent light.

Miss Clara Bishop, who has been visiting at Crossburn, has returned home and will go to the United States next week for a few months.

The L. L. Club meets at the home of Miss Pickels tonight (Wednesday) and the Sewing Circle at the same place tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon.

Mrs. R. Pierce received word on Monday that her second son, Edward Late, had died suddenly in Massachusetts. The body will be brought home.

Mr. Greene, of Canso, has purchased a property here of Dr. Hall, and his family takes possession this week. Mr. Greene will conduct a harness making business. We welcome them to our town.

Paradise

Miss Harding, of St. John, spent a few days last week with her friend, Mrs. G. L. Pearson.

The special meetings will be continued on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ritson Marshall, who have been visiting their daughter in New Hampshire, have returned home.

Earle Kinley, of Cape Breton, is spending the winter at the home of Mrs. I. M. Longley. He is attending high school here.

Quite a number from here attended the marriage at Clarence on Thursday of Miss Mabel Elliott and Dr. Vernon Morse, of Cambridge.

The last meeting of the Literary Society was with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Pearson. Following is the programme:—

Music—Miss Kitty Rice.
Reading—Mr. J. C. Phinney.
Reading—Mr. G. L. Pearson.
Song—Mr. H. A. Longley.
Reading—Mrs. W. E. Banks.
Song—Mrs. Small.
Reading—Miss Nettie Covert.
Reading—Mr. F. W. Bishop.

They followed a debate. Subject:—“Resolved that Woman's Suffrage would be beneficial to the Government of Canada.” Appellants—H. J. Starratt, R. S. Leonard, F. W. Bishop, Waller Price, G. L. Pearson. Respondents—H. A. Longley, George Starratt, Owen Price, Rev. H. H. Saunders. Next meeting will be at the home of Mr. S. K. Morse on Monday evening, February 1st.

Bear River.

Mr. Samuel Stevens is at present engineer of S. S. Bear River.

Miss Alice Harris, of Annapolis, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. I. D. Vroom. S. S. Bear River arrived on Thursday last, sailing for St. John again on Monday.

Rev. W. A. Duncanson, a former pastor of the Advent Church, is spending a few days with friends.

Mr. Charles Banks, of the Union Bank staff, who has been relieving at Berwick, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Sarah Cahoon, who has been visiting her parents the last few weeks, returned to her position at Salem a few days ago.

Mrs. Leander Alcorn, who has been of Hudson, Mass., during the illness of her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Hutton returned home on Wednesday last, leaving Mrs. Hudson very much improved after an operation for appendicitis.

On Saturday last while Harold Davis was coming from Lake Tom Wallace with a load of lumber, the wagon gave a jump and cleared the horses gave a jump and cleared themselves from the wagon, which turned completely over, throwing Harold from the load. Fortunately he escaped with only a slight injury to one of his wrists.

Lower Granville

Harry Thorne came from Boston on Wednesday.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. James Rice is confined to his house with illness.

A Clam Supper was held at the residence of Mr. Warren Letteney on Thursday evening of last week. The attendance was very large and a most enjoyable evening spent. The supper amounted to \$42, which was presented by E. H. Porter in a short speech to Rev. Mr. West, the esteemed pastor of the Baptist Church, who responded in a very happy manner. Excellent vocal and instrumental music was rendered during the evening by Mr. and Mrs. Letteney and others, and at a late hour the company dispersed.

Port Wade

Celia Covert and Mrs. A. Hudson are quite sick with mumps.

Sylvester Beat, Esq., is expected to move his mill to Thorne's Cove this week.

James Johns is engaged as cook at Frank Mills' lumber camp where he has about twenty men.

Charles MacWhinnie gave one of his feet a severe gash with an axe last week. He is walking some now.

Ralph Hayden and Watson Anthony have landed near the pier a nice lot of piling for the Boston market.

It seems to be a good winter for the blacksmiths, as cattle and horses are repeatedly taken to the smithy to get sharpened.

LAKE PLEASANT.

Miss Lelia McNayr is attending school at Round Hill.

Rev. J. W. Balcom held service in the school house of this place on Sunday evening, the 24th.

Messrs. William Charlton and I. B. Saunders, fur dealers, report fur very scarce, and commanding a good price.

L. McNayr lost a valuable horse on the 22nd inst., caused by falling on the ice. This makes two horses Mr. McNayr has lost within a year.

Some of the boys are testing the speed of their horses on the Lake. Ice has been in fine condition. I. B. Saunders' speedy pacer takes the lead.

Smith Cove

Miss Annie Anderson, of Digby, was a guest at Winchester Castle last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Potter entertained friends Friday evening, the 22nd instant.

There was a pie social at the residence of Mrs. John Smith on Monday evening last.

Quite a number of the residents are attending the Farmers' Association, which is meeting in Digby.

W. J. Ward, of Halifax, paid a flying visit here last week. He was a guest at Winchester Castle.

The members of Home Division are practising for a minstrel show to be given in the Hall in the course of a few weeks.

We are getting a taste of winter. Considerable snow has fallen and by the looks of things there is a lot more on the way.

A valuable bull-dog belonging to Ernest Dakin collided with the train on the Weir bridge the other day, and was killed almost instantly.

Arthur Marshall, of Bridgetown, spent a day here last week buying cattle. He bought a nice pair of four-year-olds from George Adams, and shipped them to Bridgetown.

Isaac B. Neilson is converting his residence on Hardy's Point into a two-family dwelling with a view to renting it to tourists next summer. It is a desirable situation, and he should have no trouble renting it.

An adult bible class has been organized with W. B. Snow as leader. It meets every Saturday night at the residence of Henry H. Sulis. Considerable interest has been manifested, and there is every indication that success will attend the efforts of the organizers.

J. A. Shoemaker slipped and fell on the Weir hill a day or two ago. Although no bones were broken, he received a severe shaking up, both as regards his anatomy and disposition. Half of a dozen of eggs that he was taking to the store in a little basket were broken; the other half escaped uninjured.

When giddy youngsters scoff at things religious, there is not likely to be harshness in the judgment passed on them because their conduct is all due to thoughtlessness, but when men and women in middle life assume that attitude they are worth watching. The workers in the highways and byways, although the victims of mistakes and accidents at times, are doing what they can to promote happiness and prosperity and alleviate suffering in all parts of the earth, while scoffers are of no use to God, man nor the devil.

Mrs. William Hunt died Tuesday morning, the 26th, after a lingering illness. She was about seventy-five years old and is survived by a husband, six sons and two daughters. Much sympathy is felt for the aged husband, who feels very lonely, the tie that has just been severed having been in existence for upwards of half a century. A few years ago he was called upon to mourn the death of a son, and it is only ten months since death claimed his eldest daughter. The surviving sons are Lorenzo and Edgar, at home, Edward, a resident of Granville Centre, Alonzo, Charles and Burke, living in Everett, Mass. The daughters living are Miss George, at home, and Miss Beatrice, a resident of Boston.

Upper Granville

The Club held its third meeting at the home of Mr. E. P. Fellows on the 22nd, when the usual order of entertainment was given.

Mrs. Eliza Hunt, who has resided with her sister, Mrs. Rufus Newcombe, for many months past, is spending the winter at Wolfville.

Mr. Max Newcombe contemplates building an addition to his already capacious barn for the purpose of keeping swine and domestic fowls. He has recently had water conveyed into the barn by pipes leading from a well near the house, thus having everything in proper order and up-to-date.

The Granville Club was entertained at the hospitable home of Mr. Gaius Eisnor on the evening of Jan. 14th. Readings were given by Mrs. John Bath, Samuel Mack, Roy Eisnor, Violin solos, rendered by Mrs. Allan Mack and Mr. George Wheeler, with Mrs. Samuel Mack as organ accompanist, deserve creditable notice, both being amateurs.

Mrs. Edwin Dodge is at present the guest of her nephew, Mr. E. P. Fellows, where she attended with other relatives the birthday anniversary of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Fellows on Wednesday evening last. This lady is deservedly loved and respected for her various excellent and lovable qualities by all who have the pleasure of her friendship and acquaintance.

Centrelea.

Miss Cassie Messenger, of Lynn, is visiting friends in this place.

Mr. Simon Hanshaw, of Millford, spent Sunday with his family.

Miss Alfreda Brooks, we are sorry to report, is very sick with tonsillitis.

Miss Minnie Piggott spent a few days of last week with friends in Bridgetown.

Mr. James Brooks, of Sandy Cove, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. John Brooks.

Miss Annie Bishop leaves here in a few days for Shelburne, where she will visit friends.

Miss Pearl Brooks, who has been spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. D. S. Chipman, at Tupperville, has returned home much improved in health.

Clarence.

The scarcity of snow is keeping the wood-piles very small.

C. G. Foster has sold his fine colt, Colonel, to Elbert Whitman.

We are sorry to report Mr. N. B. Foster very ill at time of writing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Banks spent a few days last week visiting at Kingston and Middleton.

Mrs. Z. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Banks and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Jackson have been among those that have entertained recently.

Mrs. Lizzie Griffin and daughter, Hortense, came to attend the marriage of her niece, Miss Mabel Elliott returning to Wolfville on Friday.

Our community was saddened on Friday afternoon on hearing of the death of Miss Viola Batton, who died very suddenly of tuberculosis. The funeral services were conducted on Sunday morning by Pastor Saunders, with interment at Lawrence-town cemetery.

Clarence.

Inspector L. S. Morse called on his brother, Capt. J. M. Morse, one day last week.

Mrs. J. A. Barteaux recently visited her sister, Mrs. Clyde Bishop, of Lawrence-town.

F. M. Chipman and F. B. Morse are attending the N. S. F. A., which meets in Digby this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Morse spent a few days of last week with their daughter, Mrs. Fred Spurr, of Round Hill.

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A GOOD TRADE

BEST FOR A BOY.

(Sussex, N. B., Record.)

The Sussex Manufacturing Company is advertising for boys whom they wish to apprentice. There has been difficulty in getting the right class of boys for manufacturing purposes in Sussex, and it is a pity that such a condition exists. The boy with a trade is always placed in an advantageous position as compared with his competitor who lacks the qualifications demanded of an artisan. If he is a good mechanic, with intelligence and application and is devoted to his calling, the tradesman can always find profitable employment. The fact of the matter is that the world today is looking for capable mechanics rather than professional men. In medicine, in law and in the professional engineering walk, there is an over supply of material. Boys have been rushed into professions who have never been intended by Providence for such avocations.

Obituary.

VIOLA MYRA BETTON.

The death of Miss Viola Myra Betton, only child of her widowed mother, Mrs. Robert S. Betton, occurred at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. John Betton, Clarence, on Friday, January 23rd.

While teaching school at Jordan Falls, Shelburne County, this beautiful young girl, only twenty-four years of age, was taken ill with measles, followed by pneumonia, which left her in a weak state of health. After completing her school term, her physician advised change of scene and climate, to seek which she went to Worcester, Mass., where she remained some three or four months, always writing her mother she was better. Two weeks ago she came to Clarence, where it was evident to all the dread disease consumption had claimed her for his own. She sank rapidly, without a murmur or complaint, always giving a sweet smile and cheery word. So she passed on to the home beyond. The heartfelt sympathy of the entire community is extended to the sorrowing and bereaved mother.

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TAKING CARE OF HORSES.

Adjust the hames to the collar and save sore necks and shoulders.

Horses feed naturally on the ground. Remember this in arranging the mangers and feed boxes.

Take a jack-knife and cut off those blinders. They have no place on the horse. Keep the throat strap loose.

If you want the horse to stand while you are getting the sleigh or buggy don't touch him with the whip before you tell him to go.

Treat the horse in watering as you would yourself. You drink frequently and in small quantities; let the horse do the same.

In feeding the colt bear in mind that it is bone and muscle that it needs, and the nitrogenous foods are what should be fed, such as oats and bran.

If possible have your horse stall at least six feet wide and nine feet long so that your horse can turn around and lie down comfortably. Have the floor nearly level.

An ill fitting collar is like an ill fitting shoe on the human foot. You wouldn't wear a shoe, would you, that causes corns, bunions, and blisters? Be careful and humane.

While the sweat pad will make the collar a little better it is better economy to have a collar that fits without a pad. Metal collars are be-

ing used extensively and are growing in popularity.

If you have a sick horse feed him food that will nourish him most and at the same time require the least exertion to digest. Food that will sharpen the appetite and not repel it. Never give a sick horse cold water.

One of the common wastes often lost sight of on the farm is the keeping of too much horse flesh. If the farmer has enough horses to work with his farm he has just about enough with the exception of young colts that he may be raising from a span of brood mares which every good farmer should possess.

If there is not enough work for the mare on the farm and she is kept merely to breed, the chance is nine times out of ten that the colt will cost the farmer more than it is worth when ready to turn on the market. No matter how much the farmer may admire horses he should never let the horse power on his farm be overdone or outgrow its usefulness.—Island Farmer.

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