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THE LOCAL DEATH ROLL

Many Prominent People Well Known Among Our Readers Have Passed Away

MRS. MAURICH ZWICKER

On October 18th, at the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, Freedom Minetta Zwickler, beloved wife of Maurice Zwickler, Bear River, N.S., passed peacefully to her great reward in the 60th year of her age. Mrs. Zwickler was for many years a devoted follower of the Lord Jesus. She was a most loving wife and mother. Her sweet, loving, self-sacrificing Christian spirit won a host of friends and the highest regard of all who knew her. She leaves a husband, three daughters and a multitude of others to mourn her loss. The beautiful floral tributes bespoke the high esteem and affection in which she was held. The funeral service, which was at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Banks, Halifax, was conducted by Rev. E. E. Daley, who spoke in a beautiful and appropriate manner. The interment took place at Fairview cemetery, Halifax.—Com.

LIEUT. W. EMERY HOWE

Lieut. W. Emery Howe, of Greenwood, Kings County, N.S., passed away in the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, October 13th, aged 36 years. He was well known in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, having been associated with Col. Guthrie in recruiting campaigns throughout the provinces. He was a skillful player on the guitar and played his own accompaniments. About eight weeks ago he entered the hospital for an operation for hernia. He went through recovery when suddenly other complications arose. Skillful physicians and trained nurses did all in their power to save his life. His father, Rev. E. H. Howe, and his wife took his remains to Greenwood and on Sunday, the 16th, they were taken in the church. Pastor Pyne preached a tender and sympathetic sermon. The choir sang "The Better Land." Many floral tributes were placed on his casket and grave.

MRS. EDWARD E. WRIGHT

The death of Celestia Wright, wife of the late Edward E. Wright, occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Richard McKee, Bear River, last Sunday, aged 68 years. Her death came as a very great shock to her children and friends as she was only ill an hour before death, heart disease being the cause. The deceased was a consistent member of the Clements-ville Baptist Church. She leaves to mourn their loss, eight children: Mrs. Roland Ring, Mrs. E. C. Smith, both of Salem, Mass.; Mrs. Scott Smith, of Savannah, Ga., and son Stanley, of Virginia; Mrs. Joshua Simpson, of Victoria; Mrs. Richard McKee and son Archie, at home, and Mrs. Menstford Campbell, Bear River. She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Sabra Potter, of Clements-ville, two brothers and sixteen grand-children. The funeral service was held on Wednesday, conducted by Rev. E. O. Steeves, with interment in Clements-ville cemetery.

MRS. WALTER D. PIDGEON

The Annapolis Spectator says: The many friends of Mrs. Walter D. Pidgeon were dismayed to hear on Monday last that she had died at her home in Brookline, Mass., the previous evening, leaving a little baby girl only three days old. Mrs. Pidgeon was the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Pickels, of Annapolis Royal, and no girl was more popular in her native town than Edna W. Pickels, her wedding in St. George's Church on August 27th, 1919, having been the greatest social event of the season. Mrs. Pickels had gone on to Boston only two weeks ago and was with her daughter at the time of her death. The body was brought home on Tuesday and the funeral took place Wednesday with service conducted by Rev. C. A. Munro and interment in the family lot in Woodlawn.

MRS. ELIZABETH DALEY

Mrs. Elizabeth Daley died at her home in Mt. Pleasant, Digby County, at 8:30 o'clock Saturday evening, after an illness of several months, aged 49 years. She leaves two daughters,

Mrs. P. Thompson, St. John, and Dorothy at home; three sons: Fred, Boyd and Blair, all at home; three brothers, Edgar and Walton Post, of Culloden, and J. L. Post, of Boston. The funeral took place from St. Patrick's Church on Tuesday at 10 o'clock, Rev. Fr. Penney officiating.

MRS. BERTHA B. HANSON

The death took place at Boston on October 21st of Bertha, wife of Henry Hanson, of that city. The remains were brought by her husband and her sister, Mrs. Geo. C. Keene, of Haverhill, Mass., on Tuesday to Nietaux, where interment took place. She leaves beside her husband, two sons: Walter and Eldridge Hudson by her first husband; also her mother, Mrs. Warren Coleman, of Nietaux; three sisters and seven brothers.

EDMUND RITCHIE

A correspondent writes: The neighborhood of Mochele was shocked to hear that Edmund Ritchie had passed away at noon on Tuesday. Mr. Ritchie was 85 years old and seemed in his usual good health. His death was not looked for and it was a shock to the family. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved ones.

STRIKING ROLE FOR ROBT. WARWICK IN LATEST PHOTO-PLAY

Star Is Soldier Of Fortune In "Thou Art The Man," His Latest Paramount Artcraft Story.

Robert Warwick in "Thou Art The Man," his latest Paramount Artcraft picture, will be the attraction at the Primrose Theatre for two days commencing Friday next.

Mr. Warwick has the role of Myles Calthorpe, a young Englishman, who comes to South Africa to seek his fortune. Suspecting that he is being made a tool by his employers in a diamond-smuggling game, he protests and is discharged. In Cape Town he meets Joan Farrant, with whom he falls in love and who secures him a position with her brother. Farrant is also mixed up in the illicit diamond traffic. Calthorpe innocently becomes involved in the crooked business, is caught and serves three years in prison. Upon his release, by hard work he becomes manager of a sugar plantation, only to be denounced as a criminal by Joan, who has been framed against him by her brother. Subsequently, however, she learns the truth, and she and Calthorpe are united.

LOIS WILSON IS MR. WARWICK'S LEADING WOMAN, AND THE SUPPORTING CAST ALSO INCLUDES SUCH PROMINENT PLAYERS AS J. M. Dumont, Clarence Burton, and C. H. Geldart. Margaret Turnbull adapted the story from a novel by F. E. Mills Young. The picture, which is a Paramount Artcraft, was directed by Thomas Heffron.

BEST WHEAT YIELD IN THIRTY YEARS

Prince Albert, Sask., Oct. 27.—Speaking at a public dinner here today, Andrew Knox, late M.P. for this district, and one of the most experienced farmers in Northern Saskatchewan, said that the yield of wheat in the Prince Albert district would run at least thirty bushels per acre and perhaps a little more. "It is one of the most wonderful harvests I have ever seen in my thirty years," said Mr. Knox. "Many farmers have secured forty bushels wheat yield and not a few have phenomenal yields of 45 and 50 bushels. Other grains are equally satisfactory."

THRASHING IS NOW NEARLY COMPLETED IN THE NORTH. THERE HAS BEEN NO DELAY OF ANY ACCOUNT FROM BAD WEATHER, AND ALSO NO TROUBLE ABOUT CARS FOR SHIPMENT.

A TRAGIC HUNTING SEASON

The present hunting season has been the most tragic in New Brunswick in many years. Up-to-date seven persons have been shot and killed and several wounded. The latest victim was Oliver Crisp, married, aged 45 years, a well-known Norton blacksmith, who was killed Monday while a young boy was passing him a gun. This record exceeds that of Maine and Nova Scotia combined.

KILLED IN MILL

North Sydney, N.S., Oct. 25.—Norman McAskill, a world war veteran, was killed by falling against a saw in a mill at Englishtown, near Baddeck, recently. His body was cut into pieces.

MANY OCTOBER WEDDINGS

A List of Happy Events Which Have Taken Place in This Vicinity

FARNSWORTH-HARVEY

On the evening of Columbus day in the Lynnsfield, Mass., Baptist Church the marriage of Lawrence L. Farnsworth to Miss Ethel M. Harvey was solemnized, Rev. Lewis Malvern, D.D., pastor of the church, officiating.

The bride was gowned in white tulle and carried with silver trimmings and tulle veil caught up with orange blossoms over a court train of ivory duchess satin, which hung from the shoulders. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses, lilies of the valley and orchids. Miss Clara Harvey, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Her dress was two-toned satin, peach color, with tulle trimmings and she carried ophelea roses.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE AT LOWER GRANVILLE

A public meeting was held in the "Island" Church on Friday evening, October 21st, for the purpose of organizing a Women's Institute.

John K. Winchester ably presided, and in a few well chosen words introduced the Rev. Archdeacon Watson, the other members of the Clergy being unavoidably absent. The Archdeacon gave a very interesting and instructive address on Women's Institute work in Prince Edward Island. The work in that place having come over under his particular notice.

MRS. MACDOUGAL, THE PROVINCIAL ORGANIZER, WAS NEXT INTRODUCED.

Miss MacDougal proved to be an interesting speaker and needless to state, her address was closely followed by all present. Mr. E. H. Porter, of Karsdale, being present, was then called upon, and responded by making a few remarks, wishing the Women's Institute much success. The speeches were interspersed with music furnished by the choir. A solo by Miss Sarah Manning and a violin solo by Harold Porter, of Philadelphia, Miss Ella Schaffner, accompanist. A vote of thanks was extended to the speakers, those present and those who were unable to attend, to the choir, and in making it a pleasant evening. The meeting closed with the Doxology pronounced by the Archdeacon. At the close of the public meeting the business of organizing was then proceeded with. The following officers being elected for the ensuing year, viz.:

1st Vice President, Mrs. Albert Angers.

2nd Vice President, Miss Bertha Hudson.

Secretary, Mrs. Horace Johnson.

Treasurer, Mrs. Gilbert Schaffner.

THE APPLE HARVEST

(Wolfville Acadian)

The importance of the apple growing industry in this Valley becomes amply apparent at this season of the year, when the largest item of traffic on our streets has to do with apples. Orchardists are putting forth strenuous efforts to secure the fruit before the cold weather sets in. Everywhere the trees are bending with beautifully colored fruits and the orchards with their force of busy pickers present an active scene. Most of the fruit as soon as gathered is taken at once to the packing houses and as a result heavy laden teams and trucks are seen in all directions. These packing houses employ a large number of men and boys and will be kept busy for months to come getting the fruit ready for market. Many of the fruit growers will this year release large sums from the output of their orchards, and a general air of prosperity pervades the countryside.

SOME CARS

According to statistics just compiled by the Department of Agriculture, Fruit Commissioner's Branch, it will require approximately 5,850 cars to protect this season's apple movement from Nova Scotia. Export shipments to the United Kingdom and early shipments to Canadian and American markets will be taken care of in box or lined cars but nearly 2,000 refrigerator cars will be required for the late shipments. Up to the present approximately 300,000 barrels have been marketed, a record movement for a corresponding period.

formal reception was held and later Mr. and Mrs. Browne left on a honeymoon trip to New Brunswick, the bride travelling in brown velour with heavier trimming and brown hat.

The gifts consisted of substantial checks, silverware, cut glass, china, linen, etc., among which was a case of silver from the manager and staff of the City Dairy Company, of which the groom is a member. Upon their return from their wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Browne will take up their residence at 10 Williams street, Halifax.

HILTZ-MOSHER

Last Thursday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allister Mosher, Nietaux, the Rev. John A. Swetnam, pastor of the Nietaux Baptist Church, united in marriage Mr. John Hiltz and their daughter Mildred Mosher, a former member of the Middleton Outlook staff. Their many friends join heartily in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous wedded life. Mr. and Mrs. Hiltz will reside in Nietaux.

NOVA SCOTIAN HONORED

The city of Boston has just awarded a great honor to a Nova Scotia boy in the person of J. Horace Farnham, who was born in Weymouth and who gave his life in the great war, in making a city square after him. On the day on which the ceremony took place several thousand people joined with the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the G.A.R., and several civic organizations in paying tribute to the young hero. Horace Farnham was a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Farnham, the former a native of Digby, and a well known printer, and the latter a native of London. Both parents were at one time members of the Salvation Army.

BIG CELEBRATION IN LUNENBURG

Lunenburg, N.S., Oct. 27.—Crowds cheered, bands played, cannons boomed, and every vessel, house, and public building flew bunting here today when the international fishermen's cup winner Bluenose came into port from Halifax.

CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Reagh, of Middleton, Have Been Married 25 Years.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Reagh were at home in Middleton Wednesday afternoon and evening to their friends, the occasion being the 25th anniversary of their marriage, also Mr. Reagh's birthday.

Mrs. (Dr.) A. M. Shaw, Kentville, received with Mr. and Mrs. Reagh, also visited friends and relatives in Lynn, Waltham, Haverhill, Maine and enjoyed a trip to the White Mountains.

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WOOL AND HIDES

Government reports show that in 1914, wool was being sold at 19c. for unwashed, and 26c. for washed. In 1921 wool is bringing from 19c. to 20c. Woolen clothing has increased, between 1914 and 1921, 44 per cent. Hides since 1914 have decreased 42 per cent.; leather has increased 21 per cent.; boots and shoes have increased 49 per cent. Another old comparison, pulpwood and blank newspaper.

CANADA'S FRUIT AND POTATO CROP

Apple Production 10 to 15 Per Cent Higher than Last Year—Potato Yield Lower

The commercial production of apples in British Columbia, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia this year have been excellent, while in other apple producing provinces the crop has not been nearly so favorable. According to an estimate issued by the Department of Agriculture the crop in British Columbia is 1,009,000 barrels (3,027,000 boxes) or 100 per cent. in excess of last year's.

New Brunswick's estimate is 25,000 barrels, or ten per cent. above last year's crop.

Nova Scotia's production is 10 to 15 per cent. better than last year, amounting to 1,200,000 barrels.

Ontario's total crop will only reach 60 per cent. of last year's crop, with Spies heavy, and Western Ontario 45 per cent. of last year's crop, considerable scab with a high percentage of lower grades. Quebec's crop represents only 35 or 40 per cent. of that of last year, or approximately 35,200 barrels, color and size fair.

With the exception of Manitoba the Provinces will produce considerably less potatoes this year, for commercial purposes, than was the case of 1920.

According to the Agricultural Department, Manitoba's estimate is 5,115,000 bushels, or a 50 per cent. increase over last year's crop. Alberta 90 per cent. of last year's crop, or 6,425,000 bushels.

Ontario—45 per cent. of last year's crop, or 10,783,000 bushels.

Quebec—Approximately 75 per cent. of last year's crop or 23,225,000 bushels.

New Brunswick—10,837,000 bushels, being 70 per cent. of last year.

Prince Edward Island—4,940,000 bushels or eighty per cent. of 1920's crop.

Nova Scotia—5,015,000 bushels, about 50 per cent. of last year's crop.

British Columbia—1,800,000 bushels, about 75 per cent. of last year's crop.

Onions in Ontario and Quebec show 40 to 50 per cent. respectively of the 1920 crop.

support to every undertaking for the good of the town.

Mr. Reagh served two terms on the Council, as mayor, was chairman of the school board, president of the Board of Trade and many other organizations.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Reagh are supporters of the Methodist Church.

NORTH WILLIAMSTON

Service held on the 3rd at 7.30 by Rev. H. T. Jones.

Mrs. Fred Beanson, of Milton, Mass., visited Mrs. Howard Beanson on the 26th.

Mrs. A. M. Brown, of Woburn, Mass., visited at the home of her brother, D. M. Charlton, quite recently.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Charlton attended the Hutchinson-Wheelock wedding at Lower Clarence on the 19th inst.

Mrs. Walter DeLancey and son Vernon are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Durling, of Lawrencetown South.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hannam, of Dalhousie West, were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Hannam's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Garber.

Mrs. R. D. Stevenson, of Brickton, arrived home from Providence, R.I., on the 22nd, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Margaret Stevenson, graduate nurse of Providence, R.I.

Little Clinton Whitman was admitted into the Memorial Hospital at Middleton on the 21st, suffering from a bad attack of appendicitis. His father, Mr. Whitman, of Providence, R.I., was hastily summoned to his bedside as his recovery was considered very doubtful. But we are pleased to report the little fellow is improving, although very slowly.

WEST ENGLISVILLE

Mr. Milledge Daniels, of Paradise, spent last Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Frances Durling.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Durling and family spent Sunday 23rd at Mr. Vernon Beal's, Inglisville.

Mrs. Wilbur Banks and two children spent Sunday, 16th, at Mr. Zebulon Durling's, Paradise.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Conrad, of New Germany, spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. Ernest McGill.

Messrs. Hallett and Manley McGill have returned home from Wilmot, where they were at work on the road in that place.

Recent visitors at the home of Leonard Banks were: Mrs. Irvin Leonard and baby, Irene, of Harmony; Mrs. Ernest Phinney, of Lawrencetown, and Miss Nellie Balcom, of Paradise.

Messrs. Leonard and Wilbur Banks, who have been working on the road for some time, will finish this week, and the people appreciate the change in the roads done by Mr. Miner Daniels, of Lawrencetown.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gibson, were: Mr. and Mrs. Myers Gibson and family, of Dalhousie, and mother, Mrs. Fannie Gibson, of Round Hill, and Miss Marjorie Durling, of Paradise.

MOSCHELLE

Mrs. H. L. Harris is visiting relatives in Lawrencetown.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Barteaux spent Sunday at I. C. Whitman's, Round Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Ritchie spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stallings, Milford.

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APPRECIATION OF PAROCHIAL MISSION

Conducted in St. James' Church by the Rev. Canon G. Osborne Troop

(Written for the Monitor)

By those who were able to attend the special services conducted in St. James' Church, Bridgetown, by the Rev. Canon G. Osborne Troop, Sunday, October 23rd to Sunday, October 30th, will not soon be forgotten, if ever.

As one who attended every service said—"You do not get the measure of Canon Troop in one service." His personality, winsome from the beginning, grows and grows. So imbued is he with his message ("The Unsearchable Riches of Christ") was his general theme, that, as he delivers it, his very face becomes eloquent, expressive of the soul within, to whom Jesus Christ is all in all. It is very evident that he is indeed a "Master in Israel" and one who knows where he speaks. Knowing the Scriptures as it is given to comparatively few to know them, his afternoon Bible readings were a veritable revelation, whilst the addresses at the evening services disclosed that profound organic connection between old and new Testaments which stamp them as the revelation of God to man.

Another very striking feature of this Mission was the utter absence of any sort of kind of sensationalism. That the missioner was fervent in his appeal for the Surrender of the soul to God was always evident. To him it is indeed the one thing needful. But the writer of this appreciation could not imagine him preaching anything like a so-called "Topical" sermon.

The Holy Scriptures, the Christ as revealed therein—God Incarnate—living our life, dying for our sins, rising again for our justification, and ascending into heaven, sending thence the gift of the Holy Spirit, all for us men and for our salvation—this is his message and he never forgets it.

From first to last the mission was essentially a teaching one and has meant inspiration and uplift to many.

As before noted in these columns, Canon Troop is an old Bridgetown boy and wrote that he regarded the invitation by the Rector of St. James' to come to Bridgetown, as "A wonderful call from God to revisit the scene of his boyhood as His messenger in His message."

In this, as in all other cases, he declined to accept any remuneration for his services. "God," he says, "has enabled me to do this and I am only too glad to do it" in the hope that it may result in "His glory and the good of souls." The thank-offering taken at the Friday evening service was therefore used to defray travelling and printing expenses.

Beginning next Sunday and continuing until Nov. 21st, he will conduct a Mission in St. Paul's Church, Charlottetown, P.E.I. After that he will go to Jamaica, via New York, preaching by express invitation of Bishop Manning, in Old Trinity, New York City, on the morning of Sunday, December 4th, and on the afternoon of the same day in St. Thomas's Church, Jamaica.

In Jamaica he has appointments right through the winter season and on his return next June, or thereabout, he purposes a visit to the Canadian West to re-visit scenes of former work. In all this he asks the earnest prayers of his many friends that he may be sustained in the great and glorious work so dear to his heart.

That he may find it possible to again re-visit Bridgetown, at no very distant date, is the earnest prayer of those who have so much profited by their experience during the past week.

At the regular meeting of the Digby School Board held on Wednesday evening quite a number of matters of routine interest were transacted. A number of names of these not attending school were read and the Chief of Police is looking after the delinquents now. The question of corporal punishment in the schools came up and the matter will be looked into. The School Board has purchased a football for the boys and will cooperate with them in their recreation as well as in their work. The principal reported that 314 are enrolled and that the first quarterly examinations are now being held.

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