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HANTSPORT HAPPENINGS

Mrs. (Capt.) B. Davison entertained number of friends very pleasantly at her home on Tuesday evening. Choice refreshments were dispensed by the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Phyllis Davison, and Mrs. (Capt.) W. Lawrence.

Dr. Campbell, of Halifax, will conduct a T. B. Clinic at the Hantsport on Tuesday of next week.

The Rev. A. B. Higgins left on Saturday for his former home in Musquodoboit. The Rev. Dr. Mellick occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church during his absence.

The many friends of Mr. Blowers regret to learn of the loss he sustained by the death of his mother, Mr. Joseph Kilcup of Windsor. Mrs. Isnor, of Dartmouth, was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. L. W. Massey.

Miss Bessie North left last week for New York where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Eaton, for an indefinite period. Mr. David North is a guest at the Hantsport Hotel.

Mr. Guy Caldwell, of Trenton, visited his father, Mr. N. E. Caldwell, last week, leaving on Thursday for Waterville, Hants Co., where he will assist Mr. Strickland in conducting evangelistic meetings.

Mr. Laurie Fullerton, of Charlotte, P. E. I., is spending a vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Fullerton.

Miss Mabel McConnell is spending a few days with friends in Halifax. Miss Gladys Frizzle entertained her Sunday School Class, "The Wideawakes" at her home one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Caldwell are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Miss Merle Yeaton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. Curry, Wilmot, Annapolis. Mrs. John Rolph and son, Mr. Hugh Rolph, left recently for New Glasgow, where they will spend several weeks with relatives.

While coasting on Holmes Hill last week, Master Donald Cruikshanks was seriously injured. It was thought at first that he had sustained a broken ankle, but upon examination, it was found to be badly sprained.

The New Open Air Rink opened on Saturday with a good attendance. The rink is the regulation size and is brilliantly lighted with electric lights. It is under the efficient management of Messrs. Geo. Currie and Everett Beckwith.

Mrs. W. T. Shaw was quite badly injured several days ago while at the depot, by a large piece of frozen snow thrown from the rear wheels of the evening express while passing.

Following the week of Prayer, special evangelistic services will be held at the Hantsport Baptist Church, beginning on Sunday evening, Jan. 20th. Meetings will be held on the following Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, at 7:30 o'clock. The program will consist of an address followed by Prayer, Praise and Testimony. The singing will be from the new Hymn Books. The public are cordially invited.

A SERMON IN VERSE
No chastening for the present seemeth to be joyous but grievous, nevertheless afterward it yieldeth the reliable fruit of righteousness unto them which are exercised thereby.—Heb. 12:11.

So not the struggle naught availeth,
The labor and the wounds are vain,
The enemy faints not, nor faileth,
And as things have been they remain.

If hopes were dupes, fears may be liars;
It may be, in your smoke concealed,
Your comrades chose 'em now the fiends,
And, but for you, possess the field.

For while the tired waves, vainly breaking,
Seem here no painful inch to gain,
Far back, through creeks and inlets making,
Comes silent flooding in the main.

And not by eastern windows only,
When daylight comes, comes in the light;
In front the sun climbs slow, how slowly,
But westward, look, the land is bright!

YEA, VERILY, BROTHER
A busy man once shocked his wheat,
Yes, shocked it with a vim;
Then threshed and took it off to town;
The price he got shocked him.

JUST LIKE THAT
Wife: "Where have you been?"
Husband: "Shooting with Mike."
Wife: "Shoot anything?"
Husband: "Sure—Mike."

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A CIVIC REVIEW

With the town elections so near at hand a brief review of the civic rulers of Hantsport is not out of place. Hantsport has always been fortunate in securing men willing to undertake the responsibilities of municipal affairs, and as a general rule the conduct of the business of the town has shown wise and efficient administration.

The town was incorporated in 1865, the first mayor being the late W. A. Porter, who served for two terms. Mr. Porter was for years an active business man of Hantsport and filled an important place in the life of the community. He died at Kempt Shore about six years ago.

Dr. C. I. Margeson, the second mayor, was a native of King's County who came to Hantsport to practice over fifty years ago. He was the "beloved physician" and had a host of friends. Some years ago he removed to Vancouver, B. C., where he still resides and performs the duties of special doctor for the C. P. R. steamship line.

W. S. Whitman, who was the third mayor, and held the office for six successive terms, is still a resident of the town. He now fills the important post of Stipendiary Magistrate and is a highly esteemed citizen.

Capt. T. A. Masters, who was fourth incumbent of office, was a native of Burlington and a son of the late Capt. E. Masters of that place. He has been dead about ten years.

Capt. Delaney Faulkner was one of Hantsport's most successful ship-masters. He commanded a number of vessels belonging to J. B. North and Son, and also to George Lockhart Co., of New York. He presided over the town for four terms and passed away about four years ago.

Fred Pentz, who was the next to take up the work, was for many years a successful druggist of the place. He was a popular citizen and for three terms superintended our civic affairs satisfactorily. He now resides and does business in Shubenacadie.

A. W. Pattison, our enterprising stove and furnace man, was the next to preside at the council board and continued to hold office for four terms. Mr. Pattison is a native of St. John, N. B., but came to Windsor when a young man and has long been a successful business man of this town.

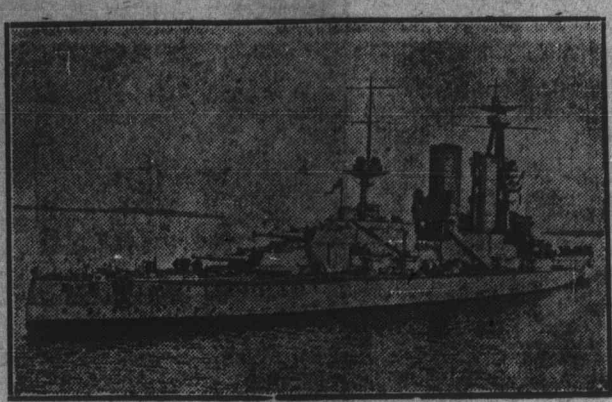
George Comstock, who had previously occupied the important post of Town Clerk, was Hantsport's next mayor. He held office for one term only, declining a second nomination. He is a native of Hantsport and remains a valued citizen of the place.

W. K. Sterling was the next to take up the reins of office. That his services were highly satisfactory is evidenced by the fact that for seven civic terms he continued in office. Under his direction the town made very satisfactory progress. Mr. Sterling is a native of Cumberland County, who, during his eleven years of residence, has manifested a deep interest in local affairs.

Our present mayor is Dr. W. Murray, of the Hantsport Fruit Basket Company. Since coming to Hantsport Mr. Murray has ever evinced a deep interest in the affairs of the town. He is a citizen of the right type who is doing his bit to advance the moral and material interests of the community. Mr. Murray is just concluding his first term as mayor, and unless we mistake very much the temper of our citizens will be asked to "carry on."

Hantsport's first Town Clerk was J. R. E. Churchill, who was succeeded in turn by George Comstock, C. H. Dunbar and the present incumbent, George Ferguson. Mr. Ferguson is a capable and obliging official.

FARMERS LEAD IN AUTOS
WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—Reports showing that 41,500 automobiles were licensed in Manitoba last year also show statistics that 37 per cent. of all automobiles in the Dominion are owned by farmers, with 16 per cent. owned by business men, 16 per cent. by travellers, and the balance of scattered ownership.



H. M. S. CANADA

The gallant British warship which bears the name of the greatest British Dominion within the Empire, "The Canada," which took part in a recent review.

HANTSPORT WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The January Business Meeting of the Hantsport Women's Institute was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Asa Newcombe, with a good attendance. The President, Mrs. Davison, presided. Minutes of last meeting were read and approved. The various committees gave very satisfactory reports. A number of communications were read and discussed, one being from Dr. Patterson, President of Acadia University, re a course of lectures for Hantsport. After thoroughly discussing the question, while we know they would be intensely interesting and instructive, it was decided not to have them as the organization has so much business to look after during the remainder of the season. The tourist question was brought up and discussed, as to ways and means the Institute might assist in this matter. The President was instructed to confer with the agent of the "Evangeline Hotel" to ascertain if there is a possibility of it being reopened the coming season, for the accommodation of tourists. A committee will be appointed at a later date, to also confer with the Town Council.

The Dental Clinic, under the auspices of the Institute, closed on Monday, Jan. 13th, for the season, a large number of scholars from grades I to VIII having taken advantage of it. The organization are extremely grateful to Dr. McLellan for his hearty co-operation in this matter, who did the work free of charge, the Institute providing the materials for fillings, etc. At this meeting the secretary read a large number of cards, expressing thanks, from shut-ins, who were recipients of Christmas Sunshine Boxes, nineteen in all, being sent out. This being the first meeting of the New Year, the entertainment was of that nature. Mrs. (Dr.) Dickie gave a very interesting reading, the subject being, "A New Year Resolution." The sewing will be resumed on Friday next. The responses and readings for the February meeting will be miscellaneous. The meeting closed with the Institute Ode.

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TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

The regular monthly business meeting of the Town Council was held in the Council Chambers on Tuesday, Jan. 15th. Those present were: Major Murray, Councillors Bishop, Lawrence and Smith. Minutes of regular and special meeting were read and approved. The following accounts were passed for payment:

H. States	6.50
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C. I. Burgess	109.80

Application from the Canadian Bank of Commerce for a new lease with an option of three years was granted. Application from Mr. J. Hancock, for lights for houses on Main St., Kings Co., and for power at his farms was considered. On motion by Coun. Lawrence, seconded by Coun. Bishop, that application be considered. Mr. Hancock to pay all cost of installation and furnish poles to house. J. H. Newcombe and Geo. Comstock were appointed polling officers and L. M. Wall and Geo. Ferguson, polling clerks.

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Spiritualism plays an important part in "Borderland", the latest Paramount picture to be released in London. It tells of a modern girl who is saved from wrecking her life by a visit from the spirit of an ancestor. The supernatural side of the play is delicately presented, there is plenty of drama in the plot, and there is excellent acting by Milton Sills, Agnes Ayres, Casson Ferguson, and Berham Grassly.

Mr. David Smith, the Vitagraph producer, has produced "The Midnight Alarm" featuring Percy Marmont. This picture, which will be showing early this next year, introduces a mighty fire spectacle. Mr. Smith is an Englishman, who started his career as a mechanical draughtsman, drifted into stage work, and then to the famous Vitagraph film studios in the United States.

Edwin Carewe, the United States film producer, has passed through London for Algiers and the Sahara desert, in order to secure correct atmosphere for his forthcoming First National picture, "A Son of the Sahara". Prominent in Mr. Carewe's company are Bert Lytell, Claire Windsor, Walter McGrail, and Rosemary Theby.

Butcher's Film Service will shortly hold a private show of the Walter West production "The Great Turf Mystery". Although it has racing as a theme, the film contains a mystery which is unsolved until the end of the picture. Violet Hopson plays the leading part in the film.

There is said to be no curtailment in the Mack Sennett studios in the production of two-reel comedies, Sennett says that his productions will not be cheapened, and that he does not intend to suspend operations. He intends, moreover, to invest more time and capital in future films.

A new effect is promised in the new George Clark picture, "Diana of the Islands", in the form of a waterspout. How Mr. Martin Thornton secured the film of the phenomenon is his own secret.

Miss Norma Talmadge, the First National film star, has accepted an invitation from the French Government to play the part of Marie Antoinette in an "official" film story of the life and times of Louis XVI.

"NO, BUT I'LL—"
Polly: "How many sisters have you?"
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