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**THE LATE REV. A. T. DYKEMAN**

In referring to the late Rev. A. T. Dykeman, whose death appeared in the MONITOR when it occurred, Saturday's St. John Telegraph says: Rev. A. T. Dykeman, M.A., who passed away at the home of his son-in-law, Rev. Gordon C. Warren, Fredericton, N.B., on October 11th, was at one time a pastor in the convention of Ontario and Quebec, at Quebec city, and Peterboro, Ont. "Mr. Dykeman was a good man and true. He loved his Master, and it was the joy of his life to serve Him. He had the gift of the evangelist, the heart of the pastor, and all the loyalty of a friend. In his preaching and teaching he kept close to the old paths and God honored his ministry richly."

**A GOOD PLAY**

The Princess Theatre last Wednesday evening was well filled with a very attentive audience to greet the Urban Stock Co., who presented "Cappy Ricks," a comedy in three acts by Peter B. Kyne, taken from the stories in the Saturday evening Post. Every member of the company is a good actor and the people were much pleased with the entertainment. The vandeville between the acts was also very good. This company is asking for a return date for three nights next season, and we feel sure they will have a full house.

**BASKET SOCIAL DANCE**

The Bridgetown Cricket Club are organizing a basket social dance to be held in the Court House on Monday evening, December 12th. They will have the services of the Bridgetown Orchestra (five pieces). Baskets will be auctioned off for supper dance. Our cricket Club have made a good name for themselves during the past season, being second in the Valley League. They are strictly amateur and charge no gate-money and we hope that this dance will be well patronized to defray part of their expenses.

**DID NOT ARRIVE IN BRIDGETOWN**

Last Thursday's Annapolis Spectator says: "3-mast schooner Win-the-War, 149 tons net, Capt. Keans, from Boston with 300 tons of fertilizer for Bridgetown, arrived here November 17th and was towed up the river by the steamer Granville next day." If the above item is correct this vessel is now about two weeks overdue on her twenty-mile river trip. The Spectator's marine reporter should take a look along the shore, and report the result in a future issue.

**ACCIDENT AT WEST PARADISE**

While Mr. Melvie Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norris E. Daniels, was working on a barn in West Paradise Thursday he was struck by a board, severely lacerating his lower lip. He was rushed into Bridgetown for medical aid where he was attended by Dr. M. E. Armstrong who was obliged to take several stitches. We are pleased to state that the wound is doing well, and we trust that he will be favored with a speedy and complete recovery.

**PRINTER BUYS CANNING PLANTS**

The advertised sale of three plants of the Thistle Canning and Curing Co., took place at New Edinburgh on Wednesday afternoon. R. K. Newcombe, Deputy Sheriff, was auctioneer, and the three plants, it is understood, were purchased by Mr. Thurber for R. H. Davis, Yarmouth. The plants were situated at Little River, New Edinburgh and White's Cove, Digby County. The purchase price was \$2,600.

**DUG UP A CANNON BALL**

While Mr. Harry Dargie was plowing on his farm at Carleton's Corner a few weeks ago he unearthed a cannon ball which he believes had been buried there since the war between the British and French, more than three hundred years ago, when Bloody Creek, a small stream a short distance west of this property, got its present name. The ball weighs 2 1/2 lbs.

**IN THE BASEBALL SEASON**

No one is sure about a cat having nine lives, but every employer knows that the average office boy's grandmother has at least that many funerals.

The cost of the weekly family budget of staple foods continues to decline, according to Canadian official statistics. The average for July was \$19.97 as compared with \$16.84 in July, 1920.

**Local Happenings**

The best thing to make for Christmas is money.

It takes eight quarts of milk to make one pound of cheese.

The Berwick Register says: The Aylesford evaporator will close about December 1st.

There's sufficient money in circulation, but the trouble lies in getting it to circulate our way.

The Third Degree will be conferred on two candidates in Crescent Lodge, I.O.O.F., to-morrow (Thursday) night.

Don't forget the apron and fancy sale in the Baptist Vestry Friday afternoon, December 2nd. See adv. in another column.

4731 visitors have inscribed their names in the register at Fort Anne this year—an advance of about 900 on last year's record.

The C.P.R. has handled at McAdam, from Maine and New Brunswick ports, a total of 4,900 car loads of potatoes, since September 1st.

The home town paper reflects the imperfections of the home town people as perfectly as it chronicles their advancements. You want both sides.

The New York City Fire Department is to be fully motorized before the end of the year. The last horse will be retired to the farm on January 1st.

The postponed meeting of the Baptist Sewing Circle will be held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Lloyd, Granville street, Friday afternoon, December 2nd.

Rev. A. I. Atlee, who passed away on November 6th, at his home in Canning, was at one time President of the Berwick Camp Meeting Association.

\$750,000 in hail losses have been distributed by the Municipal Hall Insurance Association since payment to Saskatchewan farmers commenced five days ago.

It is reported to the Annapolis Spectator that a good many moose have been killed or torn this year by bears, which seem to be increasing in numbers.

Solve that problem of a Christmas present to your friends by sending "The MONITOR"—a weekly letter with all the local news. A number of orders have already been received.

There are about 1,500,000,000 inhabitants on the globe. Of these 50,000,000 die every year, 137,736 per day, 5,595 per hour, about 90 per minute, or three in every two seconds.

Six million trees are to be distributed among the farmers of the Prairie country to transform the land. At least a dozen different varieties have been tried and they are growing rapidly.

A remarkable yield of oats is reported from Bayfield, Antigonish Co. Frank S. Cook, of that place, sowed fifty bushels 2 1/2 bushels to the acre, in the spring. The twenty acres yielded 622 bushels.

Thin silk stockings may be made to assume a heavy and handsome appearance by wearing under them little thread or thin cotton ones of the same color. This plan also insures warm feet to the wearer.

Our readers will be interested to know that the Nova Scotia apples exhibited at the Daily Mail Fruit Show, London, England, sold higher than those from any other province, by six shillings a box.

Snow began falling Thursday night which, with later additions, has made sleighing throughout the Valley, and has given the town a Christmas appearance which if it continues will greatly improve the Christmas trade.

Since March last the cost of tea has shown a greater advance than has ever been registered during a like period in the past forty years. Good average tea now costs sixteen cents a pound more at the gardens than it did six months ago.

Round the world in 408 hours, at a cost of \$3,400, will soon be possible by connecting up different aerial routes. The usual time for the globe-circling trip by land and water under existing conditions is reckoned at sixty days.

Living in the Scotch village of Inverkip are twins, James and William Ford, ninety-five years old. Neither of them has had a day's illness, and James has never been a single night out of the house in which he was born.

Put a tablespoonful of molasses in your griddle cake batter and the cake will brown beautifully, even if made without milk. Put in a tablespoonful of lard or other shortening and they will turn easily without the griddle being greased.

Distinguished visitors in the Bridgetown schools last week were Hon. G. H. Murray, Premier of Nova Scotia, and Mr. J. H. Sinclair, Ex-M.P. for Guysboro county. They were accompanied by Dr. M. E. Armstrong, Chairman of the School Board. Both

visitors congratulated the School Board, teachers and pupils on their local educational progressiveness.

It is no use to apply personally or ask for information over the phone concerning ads which call for special addresses care MONITOR Office. All letters will be forwarded promptly to the various advertisers, several of which appear in this issue.

Only three more issues of the MONITOR before Christmas, yet there are a few local merchants who have no Christmas ads in this week's edition. Again we remind our businessmen that the biggest advertiser is sure to get the biggest trade.

The Middleton Outlook says: Now that we have one of the best apple crops ever produced in the Valley we almost feel half inclined to retract some of the nasty things we said about the weather man for not giving us any rain all summer.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the Board of Trade rooms to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon. A full attendance is requested. Members are supposed to come ready to pay their dues. New members are particularly solicited.

The Children's Aid Society is very much in need of funds. The Women's Institute will therefore hold a pantry sale in the Board of Trade rooms Saturday afternoon, December 3rd, for which contributions of food and the patronage of the public are cordially requested.

At the annual meeting of the St. John Exhibition Association it was decided to hold an exhibition next year, provided adequate support is assured. It was reported that the 1921 exhibition showed a deficit of \$11,000, due to increased prices and smaller attendance.

As usual the election returns will be placed on THE MONITOR'S bulletin boards next Tuesday evening. We would consider it a personal favor if every returning officer in Annapolis and Digby counties will phone us Davidson's and Lovitt's figures as soon as they are counted. We want figures, not majorities.

Do you plan to pay your subscription to THE MONITOR as an honest person should, or do you want the account left with legal authorities for collection? Have you the nerve to take the paper from the Post Office every week with an arrears address label and read it without even making a payment on account? We expect to hear from you this week.

**His First Chance**

"What do you men know of women's work?" fiercely queried the lady orator.

"Is there a man here," she continued, folding her arms, "who has, day after day, got up in the morning, gone quietly downstairs, made the fire, cooked his own breakfast, sewed the missing buttons on the children's clothes, cleaned the pots and kettles and swept the kitchen? If there is such a man in the audience, let him rise up I should like to see him. In the rear of the hall a mild-looking man in spectacles timidly arose. He was the husband of the eloquent speaker, and this was the first chance he had ever had to assert himself.

**BORN**

PALMER—At Melvern Square, Nov. 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Palmer, a son.

CROWE—At Annapolis Royal, Nov. 18th, to Dr. and Mrs. A. Boyd Crowe, a daughter.

**Christmas**

—AT—

**B. N. Messinger's**

A full supply of CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES FOR XMAS COOKING

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A splendid assortment of CONFECTIONERY consisting of Mol's Chocolates and Murray's assorted Bars, etc.

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**FOR SALE**

OUR Kraut at B. N. MESSENGER'S Grocery, Tel. No. 78. 35-11.

WESTERN Grey Buckwheat Flour at B. N. MESSENGER'S Grocery, Tel. No. 78. 35-11.

NUMBER of American Harnesses at a bargain. Apply to JOHN HALL, Lawrencetown. 33-31p.

NEW Hero Hall Stove, used about four weeks, burns hard or soft coal. 1 No. 12 Base Burner. Apply to: G. ELBURN NICHOLS, Carleton's Corner. 29-4t.

BALANCE of this year's stock of Room Paper to clear at reduced price of 12c. and 15c. per roll. W. W. CHESLEY, Bridgetown. 27-4t.

ABOUT 100 bushels potatoes. Will sell in small lots to suit trade; also a quantity of good turkeys. Apply to EDWARD SWIFT, Bridgetown, R. R. No. 3. 30-4ip.

ONE pair of two-year-old Hereford Steers. Will trade for a pair of Oxen in good flesh, weighing 2,800 or 3,000. GEO. W. FOSTER, Upper Granville, Annapolis Co. 34-3ip.

ONE pure bred registered Ayrshire Bull seventeen months old. Apply to H. S. TAYLOR, Springfield, R. R. No. 3 Anna. Co., N. S. 34-5ip.

**WANTED**

CAPABLE Maid, plain cooking. No washing or ironing. Wages \$25 per month. Apply Mrs. John Sayre, Rotherly, N.B., (near St. John). 33-6ip.

IMMEDIATELY, for a family of two, in Bridgetown, a reliable person capable of house keeping and cooking. A woman of thirty years of age or more, preferred. Apply by letter to "A. B. C." MONITOR OFFICE. 34-4t.

THE names and addresses of every native of Annapolis and Digby counties who is residing away from home. If you wish to do your relatives and friends a favor send their names to THE MONITOR OFFICE. 28-4t. Bridgetown, N. S.

YOUNG man for book-keeper who would have a desire to learn and later take charge of a business department. Apply in own hand writing, stating wages expected to start with. Address "W. Y." MONITOR Office, Bridgetown, N. S. 35-4t.

FOR a business office in Bridgetown, a young lady with some knowledge of book-keeping, who would study the employer's interest and show a willingness for steady work and advancement. Must apply by letter in own hand writing, giving references and experience, if any. Address "A. E. O." MONITOR Office, Bridgetown, N. S. 35-4t.

**NOTICE**

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WING to the scarcity of water at the sources of supply all water takers are requested to be economical with its use as possible. No taps can be allowed to run. Kindly shut off supply in cellar during cold nights to avoid further trouble. JAMES A. GOLDSMITH, Water Superintendent. 35-2t.

**ELECTION NOTICE**

ROOMS have been provided in the Ruggles Block for the use of the supporters of The National Liberal Conservative party and will be open every evening after 7:30 p. m. All friends of the party are cordially invited to drop in, have a smoke, and discuss the present Political campaign. HARRY RUGGLES, Chairman of the Executive Com. Nov. 29th, 1921.

**CARDS OF THANKS**

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**New Goods Arriving Daily**

—FOR THE—

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This Week For \$2.98

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Kimonas  
Furs  
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Nightgowns  
Underskirts  
Aprons  
Handkerchiefs

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Bathrobes  
Ties  
Hose  
Underwear  
Braces  
Sweaters  
Gloves  
Mufflers  
Carters  
Shirts  
Handkerchiefs

Space will not allow us to enumerate all. We invite you to look over our stock.

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**Personal**

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Mrs. John Leavitt, who arrived last week to visit sister, Edward and Bear River.

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