NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY.

PORT LORNE.

Capt. E. Hall is planning on going to the West Indies soon.

Saul, Will and David Sabeans are home from sea for the winter.

Mr. Lorne Beardsley, of the schooner Elma, is home for the winter.

Mrs. Chas. Hudson, of Hampton, visited her daughter, Mrs. A. Neaves, recently.

Mr. Thomas Sabean is very ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Guest at Parker's Cove.

Jesse F. Neaves, steward of the schr. F. & E. Given, is spending the holidays at home.

Harry McAuley has returned from sea and is at present visiting his sister, Mrs. J. F. Neaves.

Mr. Louis Sabean is improving the appearance of his attractive residence by building a piazza around the front.

Miss Grace Farnsworth, of Bayside, is spending the Xmas holidays with friend, Mrs. Arthur Neaves, of this place.

Messrs. Burpee Hudson and Moody Bent and the Misses Mitchell visited Port Lorne recently, spending a very merry Xmas with Mrs. Arthur Neaves, of this place.

A very enjoyable Christmas Eve was spent at the hall, where the ladies of the sewing circle held a Christmas tree. A large number were present, including several from Hampton and adjoining sections. The sum of $14.00 was realized from the sale of fancy work. Proceeds to be used for church purposes.

The grim messenger has again entered our quiet village, claiming as his victim Mrs. Albert Wilkins. The deceased had been ill but six days, of pneumonia, during which time she was a great sufferer, until death released her. Her son, Korah, had just arrived from sea the day previous to her demise, intending spending a merry Xmas at home, the first for several years, and his first intimation of the serious illness of his mother was received at Bridgetown. The funeral took place on Tuesday, with interment at this place. A husband, seven sons and two daughters are left to mourn their sad loss. We extend our deepest sympathies to the relatives and friends of the deceased.

A very interesting event took place on Tuesday evening at the home of our popular miller, Mr. Thos. Sabeans, when his daughter, Mrs. Jane Neaves, was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. Guest, ship carpenter, of Parker's Cove. The bride looked charming, dressed in a becoming suit of brown tweed, trimmed with brown watered silk and rare old lace, and carried a bouquet of artemesia. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. B. Kinley. The "boys" of the village turned out en masse and saluted the happy couple, and in return were generously treated to refreshments by the parents of the bride. After wishing the happy pair a long and prosperous wedded life all departed to their respective homes. Mr. and Mrs. Guest will reside in Parker's Cove.

(From another correspondent.)

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sanford and Patterson Foster are at home.

The remains of the late Mrs. Allen Miller were interred here on Saturday afternoon.

[illegible] Sunday, Jan. 3rd: Sunday School 2 p. m., at Port Lorne; preaching at Javelock 10.30 a. m.; St. Croix 2.30 p. m.; Hampton 7 p. m.

Among the visitors in this place are Mr. Avard Brown, at his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Brown's; Mrs. Chas. Bacon, at J. P. Foster's; Mrs. E. C. Hall, at Capt. J. G. Brinton's; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Charlton, at Capt. S. Beardsley's; Mrs. Arthur Charlton, at Mrs. J. Charlton's; Mr. Charles McGill and mother, at Charles Brinton's; Mr. and Mrs. John Phinney and son, Walter, at Jas. Anthony's; Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby Anthony, at Capt. John Anthony's.

SPRINGFIELD.

A prosperous New Year to the Monitor and staff.

Mr. Edwin Langille, of the V. T. Company, Middleton, is home on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Barteaux and daughter Vera are the guests of Mrs. B.'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roop.

The members of the Union church realized the sum of $11.00 at their pie social on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wheelock and son Vernon are spending a few days at Mahone.

Messrs Gates and Nogler, of Inglisville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bent on Sunday last.

Among those in town on Christmas Day were Mr. Clinton Roop, of Bridgewater; Mr. Allen Mailman, of Lunenburg; Mr. W. L. Saunders, of Bridgewater; Mr. and Mrs. Hantz Mosher, of Lunenburg, at Mr. Chas. Allen's; Mr. and Mrs. Davis, of New Germany, at Mr. C. L. Davis'.

Mr. and Mrs. George Freeman and baby of Middleton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Grimm for a few days recently.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Crouse in honor of Mr. and Mrs. St. Clair Crouse, on the evening of the 24th. Quite a number of invited guests were present, and the evening passed very pleasantly.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morrison and son Neil, of Middleton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison during a part of last week.

Mr. Harris Lohnes and Miss Begin, of Mahone Bay, are visiting at S. T. Lohnes's.

Miss Agnes Freeman, of Wolfville, is spending her vacation at her home.

Miss Addie Rice and sister, Miss Rice, of Bear River, are guests at the home of Mr. Lambert McNayr.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mason, and son Lloyd, of Somerville; Mr. Arthur Mason, of Boston; and Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Mason and two children, are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mason.

Mr. Arthur Hirtle, of Lunenburg, is spending his vacation at Mr. J. C. Grimm's.

Rev. E. S. Mason delivered an excellent sermon in the Baptist church on Sunday morning last.

BELLEISLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Bustin, of Canning, Kings Co., spent Christmas here at his old home, with his parents.

Mr. Fred Wade, of the firm of Calkin & Co., Kentville, is spending his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wade.

Your correspondent was the recipient of a beautiful bouquet of pansies from Mrs. Alfred Bent, which she picked from her garden on Christmas Day. The blossoms were perfect and beautiful.

Mr. John H. Gesner, of the firm of J. F. Crowe, of Halifax, and his brother, Mr. James Gesner, of Everett, Mass., are spending their holidays at their old home here.

Mr. Alfred Osinger, who went to Slocan City, B. C., last spring, returned home last week.

Your correspondent wishes the Monitor and staff a happy New Year.

DEEP BROOK.

Miss Mary Payson is spending her vacation from teaching with her parents.

Mrs. F. E. Nichols left on Wednesday for Boston.

Mrs. M. C. Marshall, of Clarence Centre, spent a couple of days last week with her sister Mrs. Geo. Ditmars.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Purdy on Monday. We extend congratulations.

BEAR RIVER.

(Telephone, Dec. 25th.)

W. W. Clarke returns to-day from a business trip to Bridgewater.

Mrs. E. Tupper went yesterday to Round Hill, where she will spend Christmas with friends.

J. H. Benson and Mrs. P. H. Reed and daughter Hattie came up from Meteghan last Saturday for Xmas.

Mr. Obed Miller returned this week from a fortnight's moose hunt, and left yesterday to spend Christmas at Round Hill.

Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Read, of Waterville, are spending Christmas with their son, W. E. Read. They arrived on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Parker, of New York, arrived on Wednesday, to spend the Christmas season with her relatives here. She is the guest of Mrs. Alphous Marshall.

Kenneth Wilson, of Barrington, stopped off home last week to visit his grandparents. He was on his way home from Horton Academy for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunlop, of Kentville, and Mr. S. Cann are holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Phinney. Mr. Cann arrived on Wednesday from Mass., where he is taking a course in the Theological College at Newton, and Mr. and Mrs. Dunlop arived yesterday.

Mrs. J. Donkin, with her children, is spending a few days with her sister at North Kingston. Miss Gertrude stopped at Kingston on her way home from Mount Allison, and has since been joined by the other members of the family.

INGLISVILLE.

West Inglisville school closed for Xmas holidays on Friday, Dec. 18th, under the care of Miss Myrtle Starratt, of Paradise. On the previous evening a Christmas tree was held in the schoolhouse for the pleasure of the pupils. A short program was rendered by the school, consisting of music, recitations and readings, at which quite a number of guests were present. The tree was handsomely decorated with confectionery and choice fruits, and also a Christmas gift from each pupil to Miss Starratt, as a token of love and esteem in which she is held in the community. At the close of the evening Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus made their appearance and stripped the tree. After singing "Good-bye, Santa," the guests departed, all agreeing that the evening had been very pleasantly spent.

Miss Cassie Whitman, who has been attending the Normal School at Truro, is at home spending the vacation with her parents.

Miss Lizzie Whitman left on Saturday to visit her relatives and friends in the United States.

HAMPTON.

Mr. John E. Farnsworth and wife spent Xmas with his sister, Mrs. Denton, at Digby.

Joseph Snow, of Cliftondale, Mass., is visiting his parents and friends.

Mrs. Brinton is at home, having spent several months with her children in Mass.

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. James Snow met at their home on Xmas Day and made them a Xmas surprise party. A very pleasant time was spent by all.

Mrs. Edward Foster is visiting her sister in New Germany.

On Saturday last Mr. Judson Foster and son Linden left for Boston. Mr. Foster is taking his son to a hospital, he having been unable to step on one foot this summer.

Henry Chute is at home, having been in the packet service from Bridgetown to St. John this season.

Miss Myrtle Foster is at home, having spent some time with her sisters in Lynn.

After having a mild, green Xmas, the weather has again changed very cold, with high winds.

CLEMENTSVALE.

Messrs. A. Cameron and Wm. Ramsay left on Wednesday for a trip to some of the cities of the United States.

Mrs. Croft, of Fairville, N. B., is the guest of Mrs. McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Beeler, Miss Mamie Beeler, of Bridgetown, and Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Little, of Weymouth, spent Xmas at Mr. Alex. Millett's.

Miss Alice Early recently visited her friends and relatives here.

Mr. John Cameron, of Boston, and Mrs. Thomas Rawding are guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Floyd, accompanied by Mrs. Floyd's sister, Mrs. Farr, spent Christmas at Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Berry, Mr. Will Berry, Mr. Oscar Elliott and Miss Essie Elliott are holiday guests at Mr. S. Pyne's.

Mr. Ward Wright, of Ipswich, Mass., is visiting her relatives here.

CLARENCE.

Clarence Division, No. 366, elected the following officers for the quarter: W. P., Alfred Wilson; W. A., Mrs. Avard Jackson; R. S. M. R. Elliott; A. R. S., Myrtle Foster; F. S., R. E. Kempton; Treas., Aggie Jackson; Chap., W. B. Foster; Con., H. Fitch; A. Con., Effie Rumsey; I. S., Edna MacPherson; O. S., Albert Banks; P. W. P., Fred Banks.

Avard Jackson has bought a very nice two year old colt.

Mrs. Bessie Matheson, of Nictaux, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alfred Wilson.

Mrs. F. Fitch is spending the holidays in Halifax.

The following were appointed delegates from the Agricultural Society to the Annapolis Co. Farmers' Association, which meets at Lawrencetown on Jan. 4th: H. F. Williams, Eldon Marshall, Fred Banks, L. W. Elliott and H. G. Wilson.

GRANVILLE FERRY.

Christmas was celebrated in the usual way by family gatherings.

Mrs. S. W. W. Pickup has been quite sick, but is reported improving.

The Misses Pickup and Miss Edna Weatherspoon are home for the Christmas holidays from Sackville.

Rex Payne, of Government farm, Truro, is home for a short time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Payne.

J. J. Armstrong, of North Dakota, arrived Wednesday with the remains of his sister, Mary. The funeral will take place on Thursday p. m., from the residence of her brother, E. H. Armstrong. She will be buried in Stoney Beach Cemetery.

Court Joe Howe, I. O. F.

At the last regular meeting of Court Joe Howe, No. 3402, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year, 1904:

C. R.—Bro. L. W. Elliott.
V. C. R.—Bro. C. B. Whitman.
R. S.—Bro. F. B. Bishop.
F. S.—Bro. Byron Morse.
Treas.—Bro. W. R. Prince.
Chap.—Bro. W. E. Palfrey.
S. W.—Bro. W. H. Phinney.
J. W.—Bro. Chas. Roach.
S. B.—Bro. Richard Stevenson.
J. B.—Bro. Lewis Hinds.
P. C. R.—Bro. Wallace Croft.
C. Deputy.—Bro. S. H. Daniels.
C. Phys.—Bro. L. R. Morse.
Supt. of Juvenile Courts.—Bro. J. R. Schaffner.
Trustees.—Bros. B. S. Whitman and F. Whitman.

F. B. BISHOP, R. S.

Christmas at the Charitable Institutions at Bridgetown.

Doubtless comparatively few of our people in this grand and good old county of Annapolis understand or realize what Christmas means to the seventy-five unfortunates who are so comfortably housed and cared for in our charitable institutions at Bridgetown.

Contrast the condition of these people to-day with the days of the "Town Meeting," when the poor were auctioned off in some public place, and their comfort and welfare for the next twelve months entrusted to the tender mercies of the lowest bidder, with their condition to-day in such homes as are provided by the municipality. Poor and harmless insane are cared for and their every want supplied by painstaking and careful and competent people.

The dinner on Christmas Day in the Alms House consisted of roast goose, roast fresh pork, roast chicken, vegetables of all kinds, and a dessert of plum pudding.

In the afternoon at three o'clock a treat, consisting of oranges, candy, nuts, etc., was provided. A large part of this was contributed by the kind people of Bridgetown. A liberal donation from Warden Pickup is deserving of special mention, and was divided equally between the two houses.

A similar state of things existed at the same time in the asylum, with the exception that the treat was handed around in the evening at seven o'clock. The keeper and matron provided a Christmas tree and set it up in the large sitting room occupied by the male inmates, and both the room and tree looked very nice.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiltz have only been in charge a short time, but a look through the institution is proof that they understand the care and management of the insane.

The keeper and matron of the alms house, Mr. and Mrs. Lowe, are well known in the county, having been in charge now over seven years, and have proven themselves equal to any and every emergency, and I think I am well within the bounds of truth when I say that to them is due in a large measure the fact that the county of Annapolis can boast of one of the best kept alms houses in the maritime provinces. In conclusion I would suggest to the ratepayers of this county that they take a look into our charitable institutions at Bridgetown.

V. G. H.

HYMENEAL.

CONNELL—FRAZER.

Our Clementsvale correspondent writes:—

A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frazer, Princedale, at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, Dec. 22nd, when their only daughter, Flora Blanche, was united in marriage to R. Forrest Connell, of Bridgetown. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Haddon Balcom, in the presence of a few intimate friends of the contracting parties. The happy bride looked charming in a gown of white cashmere. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served, and later they left to take the train for Bridgetown, their future home, followed by the best wishes of their many friends.

Note: Mr and Mrs. Connell have settled in the house recently purchased from Mr. Charles Lewis.

CLARKE—STEVENSON.

Wednesday, Dec. 23rd, at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Edward Goodwin, 196 King street east, Rev. G. N. Stevenson, formerly in charge of the Coburg street Christian church, was united in marriage to Miss Louisa Clarke. The wedding was a very quiet family affair, only a few relatives and friends being present. Rev. Ralph Gebbie performed the ceremony.

The bride, who was unattended, was attired in a prune colored broadcloth dress, with a mink travelling hat. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson left on the night train for Halifax, where they will spend a few days before going to their winter home in L'Etete, where the reverend gentleman will have charge of the local church.—St. John Telegraph.

Note: The bride spent some weeks here this autumn as milliner at Miss Chute's, and has many friends, who will be glad to extend congratulations and best wishes.

Basket Ball.

The opening of the Annapolis County Basket Ball League, at Lawrencetown on Christmas night was very satisfactory. A large party of basket ball enthusiasts went up from Bridgetown in spite of the muddy roads. A number of the Middleton boys were also present. A large number of the Lawrencetown enthusiasts were present and enjoyed the games very much, being well satisfied with the showing their teams made in the first games.

The first game of the evening was an exhibition one, by two selected teams, one from Bridgetown, captained by Jas. Young, the other, from Lawrencetown, captained by C. Longley. This game, though, rough at times, was an interesting one. The result was a victory for the Bridgetown boys by a score of 20-13.

The second, which was the league game, was by far the best of the two. It was between the "Tartars," of the larrigan factory, and Horton Phinney's team. The Lawrencetown boys were attired in scarlet shirts and black pants, while the Tartars wore the Y. M. C. A. uniform suit of black shirts and gray trousers.

During the first half of the game the Lawrencetown boys easily had the best of the passing and shooting for goal, but could not seem to cage the ball. In the last half the "Tartars" took a brace and did better work. The game resulted in a victory for the Tartars, by a score of 19-12. Frank Wheelock, of Acadia, and Mert Young, of Middleton, acted as officials, and gave good satisfaction.

The next league games will be played in Bridgetown on New Year's Eve, when the two teams from Lawrencetown will meet the "Clerks" and "Bankers'" teams of Bridgetown.

Mission Band Entertainment.

The literary entertainment given by the Clarence Mission Band on Friday afternoon, the 18th inst., was profitable and entertaining. After this part of the program was carried out, the Band was treated to confectionery and cakes by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wilson. Next came a pleasant surprise, when Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were presented with a handsome parlor lamp, and their president, Mrs. S. N. Jackson, a dozen fancy plates.

The recipients wish to express their sincere thanks to all who helped to make this happy occasion one long to be remembered.

Hay Making at Port Hood.

The "Mining Record," reports that the output of coal at Port Hood is keeping up and the management expect a large output for November. The Record says "that the Port Hood Coal Co. might be induced to sell if they were offered a high enough price for their property." It is doubtful, however, whether any ordinary figure would sufficiently impress the stockholders at present. Port Hood seems to be making hay this fall.

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DIED.

GATES.—At Annapolis, Dec. 26th inst., of consumption, in the 30th year of his age, Geo. Henry Gates, only son of Edwin Gates, High Sheriff of Annapolis County.

CARDS OF THANKS.

I am very pleased to say that the public of Clarence have been very kind to me all through my mail business. They have all used me kind, and I have them. They gave me a lot of nice things for Christmas that I need to keep me warm this winter, and I will say I am pleased with all the things they gave me. They are just the right things for a mail driver to have. I had also a nice gift from Mr. John Lowe.

MR. WM. CARLIN.

Clarence, N. S., Dec. 26th, 1903.

I wish to thank the members of the "Maple Leaf" Mission Band for the pretty gift of china ware. Being the second expression of esteem for their humble leader, it is highly appreciated. Presented by Miss Nellie Elliott Friday afternoon, 18th inst., at Clarence Hall, after interesting Christmas exercises by school and Mission Band. Mr. Alfred Wilson, a veritable Santa Claus, and our worthy teacher, Miss Fenerty, gave a treat of candies and oranges, etc., which never fails of appreciation.

MRS. S. N. JACKSON.

Clarence, Dec. 26th, 1903.

I thank very much the members of Gordon Memorial Presbyterian church for the very pretty secretary given me at the close of the prayer meeting last Wednesday evening. And not only for the gift am I grateful, but also for the kindly feeling which prompted it.

Sincerely,
UNA E. CAMERON.

British House of Lords Wakens Up.

The British House of Lords has not had much of a reputation during late years as a debating chamber, but Mr. Chamberlain's proposition for intercolonial preference in trade, has stirred its members to the depths, and the House of Commons is in danger of having to look to its laurels. Imperial preference is a big subject and affords easy scope for argument. In the matter of teas it would be different, for there could be only one opinion, viz.: that MORSE'S TEAS are the best.

District Division Meeting.

The annual session of Annapolis Co. District Division, S. of T., will be held with Ever Hopeful Division, at North Williamston, on Thursday, Jan. 7th, at 2.30 p. m. Divisions are asked to elect representatives.

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From the smallest to the largest, dressed and undressed. A good full 8-inch Doll, Bisque head, jointed, prettily dressed, for 18c and up.

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Photo Frames, a large assortment, 10c and up, with glass and easel back; also hand-painted frames. Also Brush sets, Whisk Holders, Scratchers, Lunch Boxes, etc., etc.

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