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FAMILY SENT HOME.

Mrs. Egan of the S.P.C. left this morning with a father, mother and three children, an American family who have been living in Nova Scotia for more than a year. The circumstances of the case made it very difficult to locate the proper settlement of the family and much delay was occasioned in communicating with the United States authorities. The mother was insane and one of the little girls feeble-minded. For several months past the children were cared for at the County Poor Farm, while the mother was confined in the Colchester County Poor Farm where they were sent by the Secretary of Public Charities, pending the clearing up of the case.

Recently, however, the final proof of the settlement of this family was established, and the United States Immigration authorities issued an order for their return to the United States. The children were brought from the Poor Farm yesterday, and were neat, clean, and extremely well dressed, and too much credit cannot be given to Mrs. Conroy, Matron at the County Poor Farm, who interested herself in the welfare of the children and cared for them as though they were her own. Mrs. Egan also took a particular part in the deportation of these children, and did everything possible to secure comfort for them while there. The destination of the family was New Haven—Acadian Recorder.

WORKING IN HALIFAX.

About twenty-four hundred men are now employed on re-construction work in Halifax.

The General Manager, Mr. Archibald, has emphasized the fact that he would welcome letters telling where the men are loafing. Since supervision of men on repair work in very difficult, and "loafing" means money thrown away.

The men are getting good wages, but they are not paid to loaf.

CANADA IS THIRD.

Canada is the third silver producing country in the world.

In 1915 the silver production of the world was:

United States	74,901,000 ounces.
Mexico	39,570,000 "
Canada	28,401,000 "
Peru	9,420,000 "
Japan	5,080,000 "
Spain	4,565,000 "
Australia	3,327,000 "

MIRACULOUS RECOVERY OF SOLDIER'S VOICE.

A soldier who had lost his voice through shell shock has recovered in miraculous fashion in Jervis street Hospital, Dublin.

Six months ago Private Stephen Conroy, of the Leinster Regiment, was knocked down and stunned by concussion of a shell bursting near him. He was unconscious for five days, and when he recovered consciousness he could neither speak or hear.

Treatment in France and in two hospitals in Ireland proved unsuccessful. Conroy—who is fifty-four years of age—was, therefore, sent to the Jervis street Hospital.

The poor afflicted man prayed without ceasing for the return of his senses. The doctor saw him at eleven o'clock on a recent Saturday morning, and his condition then showed no improvement. Twenty-four hours later the doctor found him sitting up, talking, and able to hear as well as ever; and Conroy then told a story of a strange visitation.

He said that at two o'clock in the morning he was awakened and saw the dim figure of a woman standing by his bedside. The woman turned to him and told him to continue to pray. He became so alarmed that he shouted, and then found that he had recovered not only his speech but his hearing.

MEAGHER'S GRANT, HX. CO.

July 8—Rain, rain! Mud, mud! Just as statute labor was done the rain started and with the team hauling lumber to the R.R. the road is in a shocking state. The steam mill has moved up to Elderbank, but there is a big pile of lumber to haul from here. Fred Redmond, a former driver of the mail coach between Shubenacadie and Musquodoboit, is in charge of one team. The drive of logs, that were hung up for want of water, will move down now. The Webber boys from Lakeville are peeling at Gibraltar.

F. J. Logan and son are doing a big business lumbering here. There has been quite an epidemic of matrimony here lately. Janet and Roy Roberts started the ball rolling. Then Clarence McLean and Blanch Butler; then Ralph Rourke and Nellie Tumbach, and Wilson Streach and Mary Wilson of Wittenberg tied up, and last, but not least, Clarence Cob and Miss Reid were married last Wednesday.

We are not going to let Germany get ahead of us.

Captain Farquhar, wife and daughter, grand-daughter and grand-son, motored over from Elmsdale and spent an hour with us last Thursday. I had to play a few old tunes for them, and the Captain danced like a boy. He and I were both born in 1841; not too bad for 77 year young!

Frank Dickey, Sidney's son, is home from Aldershot and is laid up from vaccination; both arms are very sore.

Quite a lot of building is being done around here. A. B. Lay, J. K. Dickey and R. B. Dickey have enlarged their barns.

Men are scarce; lumber and nails are dear; Carpenters can get big pay and they can get more work than they can do. Howard G. Boyer was married, June 20th, Gilman, Colorado.

Francis A. Sutton, Mrs. Mary Mac Alpin and Bessie Pantan are roosting on "juniper hill" again. Glad to see the cottage occupied.

Bessie Dunbrack's fine big house is still vacant. She is in N. Y.

A Red Cross social will be held at Mr. Guisard's next Thursday. The Italians are bound to help all they can.

Andy Cance is away in N.B. railroad. Susie Greenough, trained nurse, expects to go to France in the near future.

Gladys F. Boyer has been in England just a year, she is employed in a Military Hospital Nursing.

Ed. Power, a returned soldier, is employed at R. B. Dickey's as a carpenter. He was badly smashed up; but is now able to work again.

Frank Blades, of Cook's Brook, called on me one day last week. He was a member of one of my classes in music in 1862; and is smart as a boy yet.

Sam Kent and Jim Sutton are working in Halifax.

Jas. Mitchell and Guy Boyer are still driving the mail.

Mrs. Usher still drives the Harbor mail.

Our R. R. is getting about all the business it can handle.

Not so much rum as there used to be but some of the boys manage to get it.

George Fisher, who now owns the place next us, has had rather bad luck this summer. He first got a finger badly smashed and just when he got able to work he fell from a wagon and got hurt again. Sorry to hear that Mrs. John McLean was so badly hurt by being thrown from her buggy a few days ago. A dog scared her horse and he bolted.

Charley Archibald and Alexander (Dan) Taylor, Vancouver, B. C., and Edward McInnes of Boston, all valued friends, are dead.

Alex. Hurley died very suddenly at Lake Egmont a short time ago.

Blind Jimmie Butler is teaching music here.

FIDDLER.

A WORLD'S RECORD.

San Francisco, July 5.—Charles M. Schwab, director General of the Emergency fleet corporation, launched twelve vessels from his own yards in this district yesterday and directed the launching of five more from other yards. Eight of the twelve vessels constructed in Mr. Schwab's plants were destroyers. Four were freight vessels, one of which, "the defiance" was constructed in thirty seven days—a world's record—"This is the answer of the American working man to the common foe," Mr. Schwab told the assembled thousands as the big defiance parted the waters of the Oakland estuary. Among those assisting Mr. Schwab were Cuthbert Maughan, representing the British Admiralty, and Charles A. Eaton, Head of the National service section of the fleet corporations.

—England's new electoral Reform Act not only gives the ballot to women, but also to a large number of additional male voters. It is the most sweeping measure of enfranchisement in British history. The number of voters will be at least doubled—increasing from 8,000,000 to 16,000,000 and the latter figure is probably an under-estimate.



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Three Assistant Directors for the War Purchasing Commission at an initial salary of \$3,000 per annum, with an annual increase of \$100 up to a maximum of \$4,000. The duties consist of examining and comparing tenders and examining recommendations which have been made to the Commission for the awarding of contracts; assisting to plan the revision of existing routine, tender forms and specifications; searching for new sources of supply; investigating complaints, et cetera. Detailed technical knowledge of any grade or trades may be of advantage, but is not essential.

An Assistant Director may be required to travel in any part of Canada at any time, and later may be required to reside in any part of Canada. At first his duties will be in connection with the Ottawa office. Applicants for these positions should be men not under 30 and not over 50 years of age, who have had executive experience in commercial work.

Consideration will be given to applications by telegraph for those residing at a distance and arrangements will be made for personal interviews in Vancouver, Calgary, Winnipeg, Halifax and elsewhere, if necessary, as well as in Ottawa.

Application forms or telegrams must be filed in the office of the Civil Service Commission not later than the 22nd, July, 1918. Forms may be obtained from the Secretary of the Commission, Ottawa.

By order of the Commission,
WM. FORAN,
Secretary.

Ottawa, July 4th, 1918.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Rev. Dr. Falconer and Prof. Shaw, of the Pine Hill Faculty, are now visiting Newfoundland. Prof. Shaw gave several addresses before the Methodist Conference. Dr. Falconer preached two Sabbaths in St. Andrew's Church of which Rev. Gordon Dickie is pastor.

At Bell Island, Newfoundland, one of the most wonderful spots of the world, where the Dominion Steel Corporation Limited operates an iron ore mine, very employees occupying a company house has been compelled to plant sufficient potatoes and vegetables to supply his family for the year. Among the young men employed there are several Nova Scotians. The company supplies the men with fertilizer; Twenty-two years ago mining operations commenced here and for the first time in its history Bell Island has grown its own potatoes and vegetables.

Rev. W. S. Milligan, Bedford, N. S., has received a call from the Presbyterian Congregation of Chesley, Ontario. Mrs. Milligan is a daughter of the Rev. John Cairns, lovingly remembered at Upper Musquodoboit and Scotsburne.

BOOK-KEEPING FOR FARMERS.

The commission of Conservation has just published a Farmer's Account Book containing blanks and instructions for a simple but complete system of farm book-keeping. It will be sent on request to bona fide farmers only.

DR. JOHN WADDELL.

(Written for the Truro News.)

The late luncheon given at Ottawa, in honor of Dr. John Waddell, brings up the name of one of Nova Scotia's sons, who has attained fame through plodding and perseverance.

He was born in River John, and is the only son now living of the late Rev. James Waddell, who was pastor of the Presbyterian congregation in this district of Pictou Co., for 14 years. His mother was a member of the well-known Blanchard family, Truro.

The family home at River John was the Church in the House; a miniature missionary society of the highest type, thus the atmosphere which the youthful aspirant constantly breathed tended to both spiritual and intellectual growth.

The Doctor spent some of his early days in Sheet Harbor, whilst his father was pastor of a church there. Frequently, when a boy, he would be seen riding on horse-back through the streets of the little village laved by the Atlantic. One day an old gentleman casually remarked "What will that boy ever become every day he is seen" on the streets on that steed's back." Could the old gentleman now arise from the grave, would he not be agreeably disappointed in the surmises of long ago; He would, be amazed to see him now on the pinnacle of fame having achieved success on the hill of science.

It is not well to hastily form conclusions of the boy in the teen age. The celebrated Dr. Chalmers, when a boy at school, was so dull and gave so little attention to school exercises that his teacher threatened to turn him out.

Cherish a feeling of optimism concerning the boy; encourage him. Don't be disheartened at his boyish pranks and his lack of progress at school. Cheer him and lend a helping hand and ere long you may see him rise.

MARITIME NAMES IN CASUALTY LIST.

Ottawa, July 10—Maritime names in the casualty list follow:

INFANTRY.

Killed in Action.

C. L. McCumber, St. Martins, N.B.
E. S. Weston, Jardineville, N.B.

Died of Wounds.

R. Thomas, St. John.

Missing.

J. McGregor, Merigomish, N. S.

ARTILLERY.

Wounded.

L. J. Melanson, Bathurst, N. B.

MARITIME NAMES IN CASUALTY LIST.

Ottawa, July 11—Maritime names in casualty list:—

SERVICES.

Wounded.

A. Casey, Shediac, N. B.
Gassed.

F. Herman, Dartmouth.

MEDICAL SOCIETY OFFICERS.

At the meeting in Liverpool recently of the Medical Society of Nova Scotia, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Dr. G. H. Murphy, Halifax.

First Vice-President—Colonel F. S. L. Ford, Liverpool.

Second Vice-President—Dr. J. J. Roy, Sydney.

Secretary Treasurer—Dr. J. R. Corston.

Important resolutions were passed bearing upon the relation of the profession to the Workmen's Compensation Act and to the matter of medical examination for life insurance.

It was decided to hold the next meeting in Antigonish.

WEDDING BELLS.

Truro Soldier Married in England.

CAMPBELL-SMITH—At Christ Church, Penrith, Wales by License on the 1st inst. by the Rev. R. H. Law, Pte. George MacKay Campbell, 131st. Canadian Forestry Corps son of William Campbell, Doyle Street, Truro, N. S., to Jennie only daughter of the late Joseph Smith, 1 Strickland Terrace, Penrith, Wales.

PTE. FRANK E. TAYLOR WOUNDED IN ACTION.

Grandson of The Late Capt. A. D. Cottam Elm. Street, Truro

Medford, July 9—Private Frank E. Taylor, of the 24th Canadian Battalion, who was reported wounded in action June 29, "somewhere in France" is the only son of Fred F. Taylor of 36 Dearborn St., Medford Hillside. His parents received a telegram from Ottawa yesterday stating that their son was wounded in the left leg while in action. He enlisted July 4, 1917, when under 16. He was born in Charlottetown and resided in Medford for 2 1-2 years.

—Boston Globe.
This gallant young soldier is grandson of the late Capt. A. D. Cottam, who for so many years was a good citizen of Truro, living on Elm Street in this town.

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