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This, Madam, is Guaranteed

The good storekeeper always talks *Guaranteed Goods*. He knows that they stand in a class of their own; that they are *DEPENDABLE*, and that he can sell them without hesitation.



"You'll like the flavor."

THE CARE OF THE CEMETERY

(Wolfville Acadian)

We are so engrossed with the many cares which meet us at every turn in our daily routine that we forget the claim the cemetery, where lie our honored dead, has upon us. Visitors to the town of Wolfville are lead in their praises of our well kept streets, lawns and premises. While we may deserve some laudation for improved streets, tidy lawns and the general cleanliness of our environment, yet, when we reflect upon the neglect and indifference manifested in the past in regard to our cemeteries, we are conscious of reproach. We receive commendation for the effort in making our town inviting, having neglected a very important and positive duty in the care and upkeep of the cemeteries.

Two years ago we endeavored to arouse an interest in those whose relatives were buried in the old Wolfville cemetery, with the result that sufficient funds were raised to enclose the grounds with a durable enclosure, raise and put in place fallen and sagging monuments and repair and improve the main avenue leading into the cemetery. By an act of incorporation the town has taken over the old cemetery and is doing its part to make it creditable to the town and more worthy of the name.

Within the past year our attention has been centered upon the Willow Bank cemetery of our town. Our efforts in this direction have been largely called forth by an incentive which some of us have received from the marvellous change and improvement made in recent years in the Riverside cemetery, at Bridgetown. My memory easily reverts to fifty years ago when the Riverside cemetery was unkempt, undrained, delapidated and little done for its improvement. Within recent years the skilful and loving hands of the workman and artist has wrought a wonderful and desirable change.

A few days ago it was my privilege to motor to Bridgetown in company with Messrs W. H. Chase and G. H. Hilsley, the former a director of the Willow Bank cemetery, and there acquire some knowledge of the methods and principles governing the care and upkeep of the Riverside cemetery. We were fortunate in meeting the president, Dr. Armstrong, Mr. Hicks and Mrs. Warren, who went with us and explained the plan and means used in bringing the cemetery from its old and un tidy condition to its present state of efficiency. Our visit was a revelation. The level plots devoid of unsightly mounds; the luxurious and beautiful preservation of flowers, an emblem of inspiration of the organization and tribute to the dead; the fountain with its perpetual flow, bidding us again to look through and beyond the seen to the unseen, the "Fountain Eternal"; the lots designated by numbers; the laying out of sections; the carefully kept avenues and neatly lawned lots; and the improved shrubbery marking the line between sections; was an inspiration to us.

Fortunate indeed is the place that possesses the head and heart who was inspired to lead on to the culmination of this tribute of beauty and perpetual remembrance of the beloved ones who have gone before.

PARLIAMENT WILL NOT MEET THIS YEAR

Ottawa, Aug. 20.—There is to be no fall session of Parliament this year. Such at least is the present intention and it will be carried out unless something unforeseen arises to necessitate the calling of the House. Parliament will likely be summoned to meet soon after the next year.

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The 43rd annual Convention of Annapolis County Sunday School Association will be held (D.V.) in the Methodist Church, Upper Granville, on Thursday, Sept. 21st, beginning at 10 a. m. and continuing throughout the day. The session promises to be of unusual interest. The Provincial Association is to be represented by three members of the Executive Committee.—Rev. C. J. Crowdis, a prominent clergyman of Halifax, and C. N. Butcher and John Burgoyne, prominent business men of the same place.

The Provincial Association has a deficit of \$1760, but if every county pays up the amount asked for will be able to pay all its bills at end of year, Oct. 15th.

The County Secy-Treasurer has only received about \$50.00 at present, so we want \$140.00 more, so that our share can be paid and local expenses met.

A great effort is being made this week throughout the Province to pay this debt. To be successful, Annapolis County must do her part. If Annapolis County succeeds your District must do its share. If your District pays its apportionment your school must do its part, and your school cannot do its best unless you put in your offering, so it all depends on you. So don't let the debt hang over just because your money is not in the treasury. Remember this is the Lord's work. Pray for its success. Give to pay the debt and come to County convention expecting to give and get a blessing that will help us all to do better work when you return home.

C. F. ARMSTRONG, County President

OBITUARY

(From our Belleisle correspondent)

MR. HIRAM YOUNG

It becomes our painful duty at this time to chronicle the death of Mr. Hiram Young which took place at his home in Belleisle at an early hour on Saturday morning Sept. 9th.

Mr. Young had been in failing health for some months past, and about a fortnight ago was stricken with what was soon realized to be his last sickness. Everything that loving hands of wife and son and of kind neighbors could do, was done, to make easy his pathway down to the "Valley of Silence." The last few days of his life were full of pain and suffering, but he was never heard to murmur or complain, and patiently bore his sufferings until death came.

Mr. Young, who was 68 years old this month, was born at Young's Cove, in this county, and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Abram Young. A wife, one son and four brothers, Joseph of Salem Mass., George B. of Roxbury, Mass., Abram of Bridgetown and Howard of Granville Centre, and three sisters, Mrs. Samuel Reed of Roxbury, Mass., Mrs. Abner Nelly and Miss Priscilla Young of this place, survive him.

Through the early part of his life, Mr. Young worked as shipcarpenter in the shipyards at Young's Cove and Bridgetown, and for forty-eight years ago this fall came to Belleisle and took up farming, and has been a resident of this place ever since. Being of a kind-hearted and generous disposition he was a man that was genuinely liked by both old and young throughout the entire community, and his death has left a gap in our midst that can never be filled.

The funeral was held at St. Mary's Church on Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. Underwood officiating. His remains were interred in the family burial lot in St. Mary's Cemetery.

METHODIST DISTRICT MEETS AT GRANVILLE

On Wednesday, Sept. 6th inst. the Methodist Ministers of the Annapolis District convened at the Methodist Church in Granville.

Rev. W. H. Langille, Chairman of the District, took charge of the Session, and distinguished visitors were present in the persons of the Rev. Hamilton Wigle, B. A. President of the Nova Scotia Conference, Rev. W. H. Heartz, D. D. and the Rev. George Steele, D. D. superintendent of Missions.

A number of laymen were also in attendance.

Rev. W. H. Wigle and Dr. Heartz clearly and effectively presented the claims of the Supernumerary Fund upon the Methodist people. Within the next year or so the Nova Scotia Conference has set itself the task of raising eighteen thousand dollars for this worthy fund.

Of this amount fifteen thousand dollars are to provide an adequate endowment and three thousand dollars are to pay the deficiencies there will be in the sums paid to the retired ministers this year.

After a thorough discussion the Annapolis District unanimously accepted one thousand, eight hundred dollars as its objective in the forthcoming October campaign.

A public meeting which was well attended, was held at seven thirty o'clock in the evening and was of unusual interest.

This year is commemorated the centenary of the issuing of the first Local Preachers License to a Nova Scotian. This was to Robert H. Crane at Granville in August 1816. Dr. M. E. Armstrong read a most illuminating and much appreciated paper on the subject. Mr. Wigle and Dr. Heartz also stirred the meeting by their admirable addresses.

The ladies of the Granville Methodist Church served a bountiful repast in the Hall, and the heartiest thanks were tendered to all concerned for their generous hospitality.

GRANVILLE BOY MARRIED IN MANITOBA HUNT-MCCAMIS

A few intimate friends were the witnesses of a most happy event at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McCamis, Arden, Man., on Wednesday, the occasion being the marriage of their daughter, Muriel Vivian, to Lieut. G. Edgar Hunt, of the 22nd Battalion C. E. F. At the appointed hour the bridal party assembled to the melody of the wedding march, played by Mrs. G. H. Rutman, the bride's sister. They took their position under a beautiful wedding bed of roses and ferns. The bride, entering with her father, was preceded by her little niece, Miss Roberta Rutman, who charmingly performed the duties of flower girl. The bride wore a becoming gown of ivory crepe de chene and Georgette crepe trimmed with seed pearls. Her veil of embroidered tulle was caught by a chaplet of orange blossoms, and she carried a beautiful bouquet of bridal roses. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. Knox Clark, Mrs. Rutman sang "Entire" during the signing of the Register.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunt left on the afternoon train to spend a brief honeymoon at Minaki the bride travelling in a suit of midnight blue taffeta opening over a dainty blouse of shell pink crepe. —Winnipeg Free Press.

The monument to Kitchener on Marwick Head, in the Orkneys, overlooking his last resting place under the sea, will be a fitting memorial to the famous soldier. In grandeur the location equals the tomb in which Cecil Rhodes sleeps, which was hewn out of the rocks in the Matopos Hills in the place of his own choosing.

THE EUROPEAN WAR

Irish Soldiers Execute the Most Astonishing Feat of the War

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN THE FIELD, Sept. 9.—The first mention of Irish troops fighting at Guillemont has been made officially, and it is now possible to write about them in more detail. Their charge through Guillemont last Sunday with English battalions of riflemen on their right, was one of the most astonishing feats of the war, almost too fast in its impetuosity. They went forward with pipes playing them on to a wild and irresistible assault. If there had been three times their number of the enemy against them they would not have been checked until they had carried the northern part of the ruined waste, that was once a village.

British Troops Capture Ginchy

LONDON, September 10.—In an attack along a front of about three and a half miles the British succeeded in occupying the whole of Ginchy and the territory between that village and Leuze Wood, according to the announcement from General Headquarters last night. Several other gains are also recorded. The text of the statement reads: We attacked this afternoon on a front of 8000 yards, extending from High Wood to Leuze Wood. As a result the whole of Ginchy village is now in our hands, after severe fighting, and the ground between it and Leuze Wood was captured. East of High Wood we advanced three hundred yards on a front of five hundred yards. Numbers of prisoners were taken and the enemy's casualties were very heavy.

Northeast of Pozieres we gained a further six hundred yards of German trenches and captured sixty prisoners, inflicting heavy casualties on the enemy, who was caught by our artillery fire while massing for a counter-attack. Our artillery bombarded the enemy's trenches on Vinny Ridge opposite Souchez. There was reciprocal artillery activity in the neighborhood of Calonne and Ginchy and between La Basse Canal and Neuve Chapelle. Friday afternoon many air fights occurred. A number of our aeroplanes bombed another enemy aerodrome, two hangars and a shed being destroyed. One of our machines is missing.

Italian Forces Advance Their Lines in Southern Albania

ROME, Sept. 10 via London.—The Italian forces in Southern Albania have advanced their lines, occupying several positions without opposition, the War Office announced today. On the northern front, in the Tolmino sector, an Austrian attempt to break through the Italian lines was defeated. The announcement follows: On the Trentino front, the activity of the artillery was more pronounced. We repulsed unimportant attacks on our positions on Malga Sngana, in the Vallarosa, on the Asiago plateau, and on Monte-Cauriel and Avise. At Dolje, in the Tolmino sector, after preparation with hand-grenades, the enemy attempted to break through our lines but was driven back immediately. On the Lower Isonzo there was considerable artillery activity. We used trench-mortars and bombs with good effect. A few of the enemy's shells fell on Gorizia, Romans and Mafalcone without causing damage. Enemy aircraft dropped bombs on our positions in the Sogana-Valley wounding only two soldiers.

British on the Offensive in Macedonia

PARIS, Sept. 11.—British troops on the front in Greek Macedonia took the offensive last night. They crossed the Struma River, the War Office announced today, and attacked the Bulgarians, who are resisting desperately. The British troops crossed the Struma under fire, having gained a footing on the eastern bank at a point about 40 miles northeast of Saloniki. They attacked the villages of Nevelyen and Karababae.

WAR BRIEFS

The Post Office Department has changed the name of the Saskatchewan town Kaiser to Peebles.

The pay of a first class stoker on a British warship is only about fifty cents a day. Miserable pay!

If Canada were as thickly populated as Holland is, it would contain more people than there is in all the world.

The recent visit of the King, and the Prince of Wales to the front was kept a secret. The Prince has since gone to Egypt.

Italians soldiers climb the snow clad peaks with white shirts over their uniforms, so that they cannot be detected by the enemy.

The civil hospital in Rheims, a historical building was bombarded by German aeroplanes and destroyed, and six civilians were killed.

Persons sending parcels to prisoners of war in Germany are notified not to send them in linen, calico, canvas or other textile materials.

Lloyd's shipping agency says that at the end of June there were 440 merchant ships, of a tonnage of 1,500,000, in course of construction in England.

A German ship, of 2,583 tons, sunk on the Camaroon coast early in the war, has been raised, taken to England and sold for about 180,000 dollars.

A lot of ammunition which was about to be shipped in East Prussia exploded killing 30 men and 20 women, and injuring more or less 58 other persons.

The Royal Army Clothing Department has, since the beginning of the war given orders for 25,000,000 pairs of boots and shoes. The demand per week is 100,000 pairs.

The people of Great Britain find it hard to realize that Canada is almost as large as the whole of Europe, and nearly thirty times as large as England, Scotland and Ireland put together.

Lord Northcliffe, after his recent visit to the front, remarked, "There is enough food, and a greater variety of foods than before, but there is no waste that is visible, even to an inquisitive critic."

SEPTEMBER WEDDINGS

BARNABY-HEALY

A quiet but pretty wedding took place here yesterday, Sept. 12th, at 11 o'clock, when Miss Grace Louise, youngest daughter of Mrs. John Healy was united in marriage to Mr. Howard Somers Barnaby of Bridgewater.

Owing to the serious illness of the bride's mother the ceremony was performed at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. N. Weare, Rev. F. C. Simpson of the Presbyterian Church, a personal friend and former pastor of the groom, officiating.

Golden glow were the flowers used in the decorations, and the beautiful arch was made entirely of golden glow and ferns.

The bride, who was most becomingly attired in a cream serge suit and purple hat, carrying a shower bouquet of white roses, entered the room on the arm of her uncle, Mr. Granville B. Healy of California, and was preceded by a wee flower girl, little Miss Barbara Longmire, in a dainty white Empire frock.

Miss Dot Crowe of Annapolis, played the wedding march, and "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden" was sung by the members of the Daniels Club, all girl friends of the bride.

Miss Healy has been the courteous and efficient telegraphist here for a number of years, and is deservedly one of the most popular young ladies in Bridgetown.

Many beautiful gifts testify to the esteem in which she was held, among them a chest of silver, one hundred and seventy dollars in gold, \$46 of which was given by the business men as a token of their appreciation, and numerous pieces of china, cut glass and silver.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a light luncheon was served, after which the happy couple left by automobile for Milford, where the honeymoon will be spent.

The bride wore a travelling suit of dark blue serge trimmed with fur, and a hat to match.

The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome set of furs, and to the pianist and flower girl a pearl pin and gold heart-shaped locket, respectively.

The town was gaily decorated with flags and bunting in honor of the event.

A dainty shower was tendered the bride at the home of Mrs. O. T. Daniels, by the Club, on Thursday last.

THORNE-BISHOP

A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday morning, Sept. 6th when Lillian Madee Thorne youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Thorne, Granville, was united in marriage to William Reginald Bishop of Paradise, Nova Scotia.

The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. C. W. Neish. The parlor was handsomely decorated with green and white cut flowers. The bridal party standing under a floral arch.

The bride entered the parlor leaning on the arm of her father. She was becomingly gowned in white crepe de chene and carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums and maiden hair fern. The bridal veil was arranged in cap effect and was held in place by orange blossoms. Her sister Miss Helen Thorne acted as brides-maid and Harry L. Thorne, brother, as best man.

Mendelssohn's wedding march was well rendered by Miss S. Manning.

After the wedding breakfast, amid showers of confetti and good wishes, Mr. and Mrs. Bishop left by automobile for an extended trip through the States before returning to their home in Paradise.

The wedding gifts included china, silver, and a sum of money.

WHYNOTT-McNAYR

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Lambert McNayr, Lake Pleasant, was the scene of an interesting event on Thursday evening, Aug. 24, 1916 when their daughter Myra Kathleen was united in marriage to Ernest A. Whynott the ceremony being performed by Rev. M. W. Brown.

The bride who was given away by her father looked charming in a gown of white georgette crepe with satin trimmings and bridal veil, her only ornament being a pendant set with diamonds, a gift of the groom. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses, carnations and ferns.

The bridesmaid, Miss Leila McNayr, was becomingly attired in pale blue crepe de chene. Her bouquet being sweet peas.

The groom was attended by Mr. Louis Lannigan of Hastings. The wedding march was played by Miss Mabel Marshall. After the ceremony refreshments were served.

They received many valuable and useful presents, consisting of silver and glassware, china, linen, a bedroom suite from the bride's parents, and a parlor clock from the Sunday School class of which the bride is a member.

The groom's gift to the bridesmaid and organist was a brooch, and to the groomsmen a tie pin.

Mr. and Mrs. Whynott will reside at Springfield. Their many friends wish them a happy and prosperous voyage on the sea of life.

OBITUARY

DANIEL WELLINGTON YOUNG

Early in the morning of Monday the 4th inst. at Granville Centre, the "passing" of Daniel Wellington Young took place. The deceased had been ailing since last Autumn and last winter it became apparent to his medical advisers that there was little hope of his recovery. A great sufferer, he went to the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, the last of June, remaining there for three weeks and undergoing treatment which relieved him almost entirely of pain, but beyond this nothing could be done for him. Returning home he was confined to his bed almost at once, the end coming as stated above. The oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Young of Young's Cove, had he lived some two weeks longer he would have completed his 67th year. In Dec. 1874 he married Annie Maria, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bent, of Young's Cove. In this section they lived until about 8 years ago when they purchased the Capt. Mundy farm at Granville Centre. Five sons and three daughters were born of the marriage, the eldest child died in infancy. Surviving are the widow, Robert, Claude, Henry, Fred and Abhey—sons; Mrs. Betnard White and Mrs. Geo. Milberry—daughters.

The funeral took place on the afternoon of Tuesday 5th inst. with interment in St. Mary's churchyard, Belleisle, the officiating clergymen being the Rev. C. W. Neish, Rector of Granville, and the Rev. E. Underwood, rector of Bridgetown.

Few men were better known than Mr. Young and none more highly respected for honest purpose and sterling worth.

EDWARD W. RICE

In the death of Edward Woodruff Rice, which occurred last Wednesday morning, Sept. 6th, at his home at Carletons Corner, a young man of sterling character has gone out from among us.

Mr. Rice was born at Joliet, Ills., forty-five years ago. In early life his parents moved to Bridgetown. For several months past, he has been a sufferer from an ailment of the stomach that was incurable. He was a faithful and active member of the Baptist Church and of the Sons of Temperance, and will be greatly mourned in the community. A widow and one son—John Chesley survive. Also a aged father, one sister and two brothers in Worcester, Mass.

Interment took place on Saturday afternoon at Lawrencetown.

RECRUITING

The local Deputy Recruiting Officer, Rev. E. Underwood, will be out of town until the middle of next week. Men desirous of enlisting or of obtaining information will kindly communicate with the Chief Recruiting Officer, Dennis Building, Halifax. Men are urgently needed both for Overseas and Home Service.

To men desirous of going Overseas, but unable to go into the firing line the Forestry Battalion offers a splendid opportunity. Also the Construction Battalion.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. William Spurr and family of Charlottetown wish to thank the many friends for their sympathy and kindness shown to them during the illness and the death of their son and brother. They also wish to express their appreciation of the beautiful floral tributes.

BORN

HICKS—At Bridgetown, September 7th, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Hicks, a son—Watson Allan.

HENSHAW—At Centree, Aug. 30, 1916, to Mr. and Mrs. Milledge Henshaw, a son.