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SCHOOL FAIR HELD LOWER GRANVILLE

Excellent Exhibits--Addresses By Dr. J. B. Hall And Others--Prize Winners

A school fair was held in the hall at Lower Granville in the afternoon and evening of Oct. 3rd under the auspices of the Women's Institute. Three schools participated, viz: Karsdale, Island and Stony Beach. A large number of people, including parents, were present.

Afternoon Session.

The exercises of the afternoon began with a school parade, comprising the school children of the three sections. Each school was accompanied by their teachers, and the foremost two of each group carried a banner with the name of the school inscribed. They sang "When Borne by the red, white and blue" marched into the hall and took the front seats.

Precisely at 2 p.m. Miss D. E. P. Elliott, president of the local branch of the Women's Institute, called the meeting to order, and after a few introductory remarks called on Dr. Hall to open the exhibition.

Dr. Hall made no introduction for he was a former teacher of the Island and an old acquaintance of many. Dr. Hall claimed this was a red letter day for Granville. A day of pleasant reminiscences of by-gone days for him. Now as he looked back over fifty years he saw the dawn of a new era for this community. He said he knew something of its natural wealth, industries and possibilities. But no wealth could compare with children. He spoke of the defects of the rural community and concluded his remarks by stating that the problem of the boy or girl was the greatest problem of the present age.

Prof. DeWolf, Rev. Hiseier, Archdeacon Watson and Rev. Thomas then being present were invited to the platform.

A short intermission was given for the judging of the fancy work, vegetables, drawing, essays, writing, cooking and flower display, also for the outside sports for the boys and girls under the direction of Rev. Mr. Hiseier and Mrs. Lloyd Shaffer.

The meeting being called to order, Rev. Mr. Thomas, of Granville Ferry, gave a very inspiring and pleasing address on education and expressed his great pleasure on being present on this occasion.

Then came the "Spelling Bee" one of the most interesting features of the afternoon. Karsdale school on one side (it being the largest school), Island and Stony Beach on the other. John Covert acted as captain for Karsdale and Vera Hiseier for Karsdale and Stony Beach, Karsdale winning.

This in turn was followed by a reading contest in Grades IV, V and VI, and a recitation by Marjorie Johnson.

Prof. DeWolf was next introduced and was listened to with a great deal of interest, as he told of his work in connection with the Normal College. He complimented the children on their work exhibited. Meeting adjourned to meet at 7.30 p.m.

Evening Session

Meeting opened 7.30 p.m. by song, "Land of Our Birth" by schools. Archdeacon Watson was introduced and extended congratulations on "Spelling Bee" and stated that education should not be suppressed. Trustees should be interested and spoke of the difficulties that teachers have. Parents ought to help not to criticize their teachers before

ANOTHER THEFT COMES TO LIGHT

As yet no clues have developed in connection with the theft of \$60 from the house of Mr. Freeman Fitch, County Clerk, but it now develops that an unreported theft took place at the home of Mr. Samuel Pratt, East Granville Street. Some time previous when a party or parties unknown entered the house during his absence and took from the pockets of a pair of trousers, thirty dollars in cash. Two thefts of this kind within a few weeks of each other have aroused some comment, as occurrences of this kind are a practically unknown thing in Bridgetown.

RECEIVED I. O. D. E. SCHOLARSHIP

Mr. Borden Tupper, son of the late Major J. T. Tupper, this term commenced a four year course at Dalhousie. Mr. Tupper, for excellent standing and other requisite requirements, was the winner of the I. O. D. E. scholarship, the only one given this year in the Province. This has a value of \$1100 covering the four year period and it is a matter of gratulation that our clever young townsman who was a student at Bridgetown High School last year secured this valuable prize.

Their children, and schools should be well equipped. In the public speaking contest there were three contestants, viz: Albertine Angers, Sylvia Hiseier and Vera Hiseier.

Dr. J. B. Hall spoke again in the evening on costs of creating "Memorials" these days. They were good but he would lift up the monuments for the boys and girls while they were living and thus fill their lives with good things. He spoke of high ideals and continuous striving to go on on and never give up.

Essays on "Resources of Lower Granville" were read by the winners obtaining the 1st and 2nd prizes, viz: Kenneth McKenzie and Martha Bobaker.

Rev. Mackintosh of Annapolis Royal spoke of the interest taken in education. He made some humorous remarks and complimented the girls on their good cooking.

An exercise was then given by five boys of the Island school. "Song I Wish" was sung by the Karsdale school and a recitation given by R. Thorne.

Rev. Hiseier in his address expressed appreciation of the Women's Institute. He did not think new things were always met with difficulties. They should lift us out of the old rut and stimulate us to greater effort along new lines. The boys and girls should have the best we can give them.

Reading of the essays on "The Child as a Citizen" was read by the winners, Vera Hiseier and Kenneth McKenzie.

Prof. DeWolf reviewed points taken up by the earlier speakers of the evening and said that the education of children should be made practical. He would teach Geography, History, etc., not from the text books but by the actual doing of things.

A reading was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Hiseier of Granville Ferry. Recitation by Wilfred Covert. Tableau of Hissawtha was given. Albertine Angers reading the selections. E. H. Porter, Karsdale, was called upon to speak. He said he heartily endorsed all that had been said. The hour being late, he asked to be excused from making any lengthy remarks.

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THREE COUNTIES EXHIBITION AT ANNAPOLIS A SUCCESS

Various Classes Were Filled--Fruit Exhibit the Best Ever Held in the Three Counties--Reference to General Features

The Three Counties Exhibition held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday last week at Annapolis Royal was, we believe, an entire success in all respects, but of course most especially in the exhibit of those products which have made the Annapolis Valley famous all over the world, its fruits. The resume given in this week's MONITOR is necessarily briefer than we would like and is only a jotting of a few features which attracted our notice during a visit of a comparatively brief nature, coupled with a few notes which we were able to glean from other than visual sources.

To begin at the beginning the big annual show for Annapolis, Kings and Hants Counties was duly opened at 1 p.m. on Wednesday by Mayor King, of the old historic town, who welcomed the visitors cordially in a neat speech and introduced the leading speakers, Mr. George E. Graham, General Manager of the D.A.R., and Dr. M. Cumming, Secretary of Agriculture for Nova Scotia.

Mr. Graham spoke briefly, but most appropriately, referring to Annapolis as the cradle of Agriculture on the North American Continent and the fact that the first wheat mill in the country was erected on the Allen River at Leguille. He spoke generally in a pleasing way of the progress which has been made and is being made in the Valley and congratulated the promoters of the Exhibition upon the success which attended their efforts.

Dr. Cumming spoke also in a most happy vein and complimented the exhibitors on the splendid showing of fruit which he considered the best yet shown in a "Three County" Exhibition. He always dwelt on the importance of most careful picking of apples and the great care and attention necessary at all stages to ensure the growers the best and most complete financial results.

Selections by the Annapolis Band enlivened proceedings the first day. On the second Yarmouth Band furnished the musical program and on the final day the Windsor Band.

Facing the entrance to the Exhibition building was a very fine exhibit from the Experimental Farm at Kentville. This was in charge of Mr. M. P. Pike, Assistant Superintendent. There were 75 varieties out of the 237 different kinds of apples grown on the farm. It might be mentioned in passing that a large proportion of these different varieties are being tried out experimentally so that those which prove well adapted to Nova Scotia can be confidently recommended to growers whom it would not pay to try out with in many cases barren and profitless results. Some varieties notably Winter Banana, Opalescent and a few others promise well.

Onions were here shown 18 inches in circumference and 2-4 pounds in weight each. Look 4 feet in height, celery about 3 feet.

Fruits beautiful in coloring and vegetables of all kinds distinguished

by size and fine appearance. It was the best fruit and vegetable exhibit ever made by the Experimental Farm. The same might be said of the exhibits of fruit and vegetables generally. Special reference could scarcely be made as exhibits went mostly by number.

However, we were informed that Church and Hiseley, of Falmouth, had a very fine fruit exhibit. Fine exhibits were made by Howard Bent, of Upperville, in apples, pears and plums, apples in barrels, boxed plates, etc. Wm. Spurr, of Midway Square, had excellent showings. Both were large prize winners. Miss Susie Chase of Port Williams, the first lady B. S. A., of Canada, had fine fruit exhibits and secured many prizes. The prizes as a whole went very evenly to exhibitors in the three counties, each county, we understand, receiving approximately like amounts.

The poultry exhibit was excellent and some very fine pens of birds were shown.

The live stock exhibit was not at all representative of the three counties and there were some other features not up to the mark, but it is only fair to say that what was really seriously attempted was done splendidly by exhibitors and the management associated with the indefatigable Secretary, Mr. Tom Fortier, deserve every credit in this, the first exhibition held in Annapolis Royal for eighteen years. The citizens have not forgotten how to do these things and do them well. The exhibit of Annapolis with splendid business blocks and residences after its baptism of fire was a subject of much congratulatory comment from visitors.

Allan and McCaw showed a fine artistic bungalow lighted by a Fairbanks-Morse 32 h. p. lighting plant, which also illuminated the millinery booth of R. L. Hardwick and the motor cars and accessories of A. Cole, under whose management the lighting outfit was operated.

M. W. Graves & Co., of Bridgetown, had a fine booth, well stocked with Evangelical products, etc. Nearby was a showing of French embroidery.

UNLUCKY DAY FOR BEARS

Louis and Donald Brooks Land Among Four Bears And Shoot Three

There were worries, consternation and casualties last week among the bears in the South Mountain and those unlucky enough to be around North Lake suffered severely when the Brooks boys, James, Donald, Louis and Milton, were out on a moose hunting trip.

The credit of the kills, however, goes to Louis and Donald, who were about a mile or more distant from the other two brothers.

While proceeding quietly on their way they saw five black bears come down a path in single file, a cub leading, followed by the old bear, while three more young bears brought up the rear. The Brooks boys opened fire without delay and some hunters in the vicinity say that for the moment they thought a machine gun had opened up on their right. When the tumult ceased it was found that three bears had received their passports duly vided by the Brooks brothers to the happy hunting grounds, while the two other bewildered brutes had blundered their way to safety. Had Louis and Donald not been so busily engaged with the old bear the rear guard following would no doubt have also fallen victims.

ery and near this exhibits of bread, jams, pickles, etc. A little further on a nice exhibit by County Academy and schools. One especially notable feature was a model on cardboard of the Annapolis-Granville Bridge by Fletcher and Knowles Payne, the boys who won Mr. Graham's prize of a trip to Halifax for particulars given last Spring about the bridge. Clock cases and other products of manual training, a model in clay of a log cabin by Carroll Hayslaw of Leguille, working model of a motor boat by H. F. Studly and C. J. Hayslaw.

Will Miller exhibited his three-legged duck. The Entomological Laboratory had a fine showing of insects, cocoons, and photographs prepared by Sydney Payne and assistants.

The Anglo-Feed Co. had an excellent exhibit. A famous Chestnut canoe built in Fredericton was on exhibition. There were excellent showings of autos by Middleton, Kentville and Yarmouth dealers.

A. M. King & Son had a fine exhibit of clothing arranged on a pyramidal structure flanked by immense pumpkins for which they gave a special prize.

Princess Margaret, the smallest woman, made an interesting feature. Outside there were the usual devices and amusements which follow exhibitions. Here W. H. Scraggs exhibited a two year old sow weighing 700 pounds. This was in good company adjacent to fairs row.

To sum up, the exhibition was a distinct credit to the three counties. Splendid weather prevailed during the first two days of the show and the time occupied by visitors attending was spent very pleasantly indeed.

DEATH OF W. B. McKay

Sussex, N. B.--William B. McKay, head of W. B. McKay & Company here, died, in his 70th year. He was born in Bridgetown, N. S., and had been in business here fifty years, and was the first Mayor of Sussex.

Mrs. Harry Abbott is spending a month visiting friends in Boston.

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NOVA SCOTIA TECHNICAL COLLEGE HALIFAX-CANADA

ST. JAMES' CHURCH NOTES

The Organized Bible Class will hold its annual meeting this (Wednesday) evening in the school room commencing at 7.30. A cordial invitation to be present is extended not only to the members but to all interested in Bible study.

The Confirmation preparation class will be held in the school room on Friday evening 7.30 to 8.30 and again a welcome is extended to all interested whether candidates or not.

Next Sunday being the 3rd in October, the 11 a.m. service will be under the auspices of the Sunday School. For many years now this Sunday has been observed by the Anglican Commission throughout Canada as "Children's Day". Parents are urged to make an effort to be present at this service. The sermon at the evening service will bear on the Home, the Sunday School, and the Church.

ERECTION OF RINK SOON TO COMMENCE

At a meeting of the Bridgetown Rink Company held in the Board of Trade rooms on Wednesday night it was decided to proceed with the building of the rink. Original plans have been modified as regards curling space but the ice space for skating and for hockey will be as planned previously 60x160. There will be one curling space instead of two as originally projected. However even at that Bridgetown will have the only curling rink between Windsor and Yarmouth, and that is that much. The rink will cost in the vicinity of \$8,000 and work of construction will be taken in hand very shortly by J. H. Hicks & Sons, and rushed to completion.

The monthly meetings of the above Society were resumed on Monday evening, October 9th, when Rev. C. W. Robbins delivered a most excellent paper on the Theology of Canadian Poets. Mr. Robbins dealt with this subject exhaustively during the time at his disposal, and it was generally regretted that such an interesting subject had to be limited to one evening.

BRIDGETOWN ECLECTIC SOCIETY RESUMES MEETINGS

Twenty members were present, despite the inclemency of the weather. The next meeting of the Society will be held in the Board of Trade rooms on Monday, November 13th, when Dr. N. R. Warey will give a paper on "History of Dental Science".

Rev. Findley McIntosh spent a few successful days in town this week in the interests of the Pictou Academy Foundation Fund.

SHORTAGE IN WATER DUES

Council Will Proceed Against Delinquents After October 31st--Other Matters Discussed

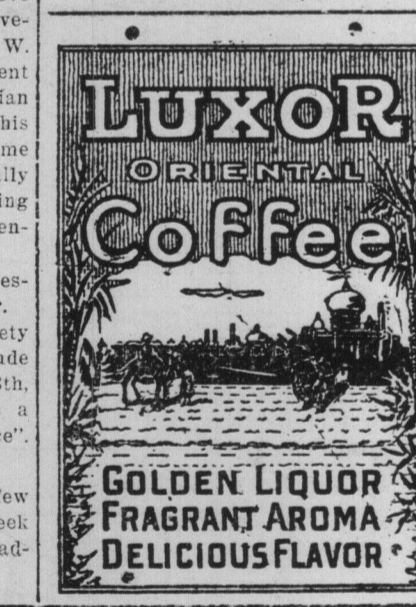
The Town Fathers met in regular session on Friday evening. The docket of public business was not a large one. A number of routine bills o.k'd were ordered paid. A coupon belonging to Geo. W. Kendall, of Barrington Passage, has been reported lost. The coupon was due Oct. 1st, 1920, and was for \$11.25. The clerk was instructed to investigate whether the said coupon has ever been paid. If it is found that it has not been paid the clerk was authorized to pay it.

Some discussion on water rates took place. At present there is an unusually large amount due on these, so much that the Council has decided to deal with the matter in such a way as to eliminate the difficulty. Attention is called to the notice in another column of the MONITOR. All persons whose water rates are not paid by Oct. 31st will lose their water supply by the cut off method.

After the discussion of a few other minor matters the Council adjourned.

TORBROOK

Mrs. Ernest Bent, of Bridgetown, spent the past week with relatives in this place. Mrs. L. A. Allen is home after spending a few weeks with her sister at Kingsport. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barteaux spent a few days at Yarmouth last week. Quite a number of our sportsmen flew for the woods for moose. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jefferson went to Annapolis by car Tuesday.



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Friday, Oct. 13th and Saturday, Oct. 14th
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