

## APOHAQUI

Apoahqui, Jan. 23.—The Salvation Army Million Dollar Fund movement is being liberally supported in the village and vicinity. The collectors are being tendered a cordial reception from the citizens, and though the work is hardly completed, we understand the result will be very gratifying.

Miss Marie Jones, who has been soliciting subscriptions in the village, has already in the vicinity of \$50 and has yet a considerable part of her territory to solicit.

Rev. C. S. Young was summoned to Plaster Rock, Ontario, on Saturday last to officiate at the funeral of a very dear friend, whose death had occurred very suddenly at that place, where Mr. Young was the pastor of the Baptist Church previous to his assuming the pastorate of the church here.

Rev. C. J. Steeves of Penobscot, officiated at the services on Sunday last in the absence of Mr. Young.

W. A. Jones was a visitor to Moncton on Monday of this week.

Miss Ella Silliphant of Sussex, was a weekend guest of Rev. L. J. and Mrs. Leard at the Methodist parsonage.

Mrs. J. M. McIntyre of Sussex, spent Tuesday here, of guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. H. Secord.

Mrs. C. H. Keith of Petitedac, was a visitor at her old home here last week.

Ernie Cooper of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff, Sussex, was a weekend guest at the home of his uncle, James P. Connelly and Mrs. Connelly.

Gun. Cooper's friends were pleased to see him looking so well after his illness during his military life, he having only recently received his discharge and resumed his duties with the B. N. S.

Sig. Bert Burgess of Fredericton, who has recently returned from overseas, was a guest of relatives here this week. Sig. Burgess at the time of enlisting was a student at the U. N. B., and though then very young showed his patriotism and determination to serve his country, in the fact, that having failed to come up to the requirements in physique of the soldiers in the Signal Corps, he successfully passed the test of the signaller, and proved a good soldier. His brother, Pte. Charles Burgess, who was a train despatcher in Cochrane, Ontario, enlisted with an Upper Canadian Battalion, early in the war, after crossing overseas he contracted influenza and pneumonia, from which he has never fully recovered, having been under treatment ever since.

The valor and patriotism of their ancestors has evidently been reflected on the characters of these young soldiers, whose father was a native of this place and a direct descendant of one of the officers of the original 104th Battalion, who with the unit in 1912 made the strenuous march from Fredericton to Quebec, amid the hardships of severe mid-winter weather.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Kilgour and baby daughter of Greenwood, Man., and Mrs. Geo. Crothers and Miss Greta Crothers of Berwick, were Sunday guests of Councillor and Mrs. Armstrong.

W. A. Schofield of Collina, left last week for Moncton where he is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital, undergoing a critical operation. Dr. J. U. Burnett of Sussex, accompanied him.

Mrs. Wesley Reid of Moncton, was a guest of Mrs. G. A. Taylor this week.

Miss Della Gunning of Jones Bros' staff, spent the weekend at Seaville, guest of her sister, Mrs. George Hayes.

Miss Annie Gregg, stenographer of Jones Bros' staff, spent the weekend at her home in Mountbaine.

Mrs. Cornelius Chamberlain of Collina, has been quite ill, but under the professional care of Dr. J. E. Hetherington, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Humphrey and Mrs. Edmund Parson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Orchard last week.

W. T. Burgess was a visitor to St. John on Wednesday.

The many friends of R. T. Pearson of the Royal Bank regret to know he is very ill with influenza at his home here.

The Methodist parsonage has been subjected to a series of social events recently, which however, have been graciously supervised by the pastor, Rev. L. J. and Mrs. Leard in their usual pleasing manner.

On Monday evening of last week the young people of the village were entertained at the parsonage after a delightful sleigh ride and on Tuesday evening the Ladies Aid Tea was served in the spacious dining room of the parsonage, which was attended by a very large representation from all parts of the circuit, it being a monthly event, which is always anticipated with pleasure.

On Tuesday afternoon of this week, the ladies of the Berwick and Centre-ville Red Cross accepted the hospitality of Mrs. Leard, when they assembled to carry on their work, the afternoon being spent in quilting, after which tea was served. The evening was spent socially, when a number of the gentlemen incidentally dropped in, which added to the pleasure of the company who heartily appreciated the graciousness of the genial pastor and his estimable wife.

The Women's Missionary Society in connection with the Baptist Church held their regular monthly meeting in the church on Tuesday afternoon of this week.

The W. A. of the Anglican Church, met in the Medley Memorial Hall on Thursday afternoon. Tea was served by the ladies and a very sociable and profitable time was spent.

Miss Nettie Chamberlain of Collina, spent the weekend with friends in St. John.

Mrs. William Hamilton of Seaside, was the guest of Mrs. John Orchard last week.

Each boat which docks, laden with heroes from overseas, brings one or more from this vicinity, who have found their bit. Among those who have arrived this week are: Pte. Percy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long of Collina; Pte. Murray B. Sharp, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Sharp of Low-

er Millstream; Pte. George Anderson, son of Mrs. James Anderson.

Pte. Long has been overseas three years, having crossed with the 104th and though having escaped wounds, has been severely gassed. Pte. Long had the pleasure of seeing his little son, for the first time, it having been born during his absence.

Pte. Sharpe enlisted with the 212th, a Western battalion. At the time of his enlistment he was engaged in school teaching in the Canadian West, and left a lucrative position to respond to the call of his country.

Pte. Sharpe had spent nine months in the trenches, but has escaped unscathed, having never been wounded.

Pte. William White, who recently returned from overseas, left last week for Toronto, where he is being fitted with an artificial hand and forearm to replace the sacrifice of war.

## SUSSEX

Sussex, Jan. 23.—Mrs. S. H. Frowling of Hampton, spent last Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Harry Cowan's, Main street.

Mrs. Irene Barnes, St. John, was the guest of Mrs. O. P. King for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield White left Tuesday for Boston, Mass., to spend two or three weeks.

Mr. Edward Connelly of Martin Head, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. R. Connelly on Sunday.

Miss Bessie A. R. Parker, who was the guest of Mrs. J. Everett Keith of Petitedac, was a weekend guest at the home of his uncle, James P. Connelly and Mrs. Connelly.

Mr. J. Everett Keith accompanied Miss Parker to St. John for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Little daughter, Evelyn were visitors to Sussex on Wednesday.

Mr. J. A. Bannister, who has been working in Petitedac, for sometimes spent the weekend at his home here.

Mrs. McManis and Mrs. Gray of Norton, were guests of Mrs. J. A. Bannister on Monday last.

Joseph Campbell of Cranbrook, B. C., was visiting relatives in Sussex.

Mr. Ray Nobles, accountant of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Sussex, left on Wednesday for Caladonia, N. S., to assume charge of a new branch of the Bank which is being opened there.

Edward Bowron, secretary of the St. John County Hospital, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wallace.

On Friday afternoon last, Mrs. I. Dillio was hostess at a very enjoyable party.

The guests present were Mrs. Robert Connelly, Mrs. E. Murray, Mrs. Hatfield White, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. H. H. Chapman, Mrs. W. Barker, Mrs. Garfield White, Mrs. Thomas Hunter, Mrs. Everett Keith, Mrs. Will Gough, Mrs. A. E. Chambers and Mrs. Patrick.

Mr. George G. Davis of Moncton, was in town on Tuesday attending

the funeral of his brother, the late C. D. Davis.

Wesley Nobles of St. John, was in Sussex on Wednesday.

S. H. White, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. A. L. Frowling, left this week for Florida, where they will spend two months.

Pte. Percy Drummond of the Canadian Army, who has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Andrew Miller, left for his home in the United States this week.

W. B. McKay was a visitor to Moncton on Wednesday.

F. S. Reynolds of Lubec, Me., was in town this week attending the funeral of the late Wm. J. Layden.

Miss Irene Markham has gone to Moncton, where she will train for a nurse in the Montreal General Hospital.

Mrs. Wm. Smith of Boston, was here to attend the funeral of her father, Mr. William Garrett.

The Young People's Society of the Methodist Church, held a social in the evening of Mrs. King again entertained a number of friends very pleasantly at bridge on Saturday afternoon. The prize was won by Mrs. George B. Hallett.

The guests included Mrs. S. A. McLeod, Mrs. W. Cox, Mrs. H. A. White, Mrs. O. P. Wilbur, Mrs. Robert Morrison, Mrs. Bell, Miss Ella DeBoo, Mrs. J. M. Kinnear, Mrs. G. N. Pearson, Mrs. W. H. McLeod, Mrs. Gay Kinnear, and Mrs. George B. Hallett, Mrs. L. R. Murray and Mrs. A. Forsythe assisted in serving.

Saturday evening Mrs. King again entertained at bridge, in honor of her guest, Miss Hattie Barnes, the guest being Miss Carrie Roch, Miss Kate White, Miss Bessie A. R. Parker, Miss Hattie Barnes, Mrs. L. R. Murray, Mrs. J. P. Atherton, Mrs. A. Forsythe and Mrs. P. Clarke. Miss Carrie Roch won the prize.

Monday evening next is to be benefit night at the Ambrose Ring for the Empire Prizes Orchestra. The Citizens Band will be present and render a choice programme and as this is the first band night of the season, no doubt a crowd will take advantage of it. Sandwiches and coffee will be on sale. The funds raised at the benefit will be applied to purchasing music and other necessities of which the orchestra is in need.

Miss Florie Colegan, who has been visiting in Sussex for several weeks, has returned to Hampton.

## McADAM

McAdam, Jan. 23.—Rev. W. F. Burne of Kethbridge, Alberta, was the guest of Mrs. Green last Sunday.

Mrs. Mervin of McLeod's Corner, was visiting Mrs. Cecil Fitzsimmons Monday.

The camp fire girls had a snowshoe tramp on Saturday, and a picnic at the camp on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Estabrook of the cottage on Waukegan Lake.

A quiet wedding took place Saturday afternoon at the Manse, when Mr. Finley Gardiner and Miss F. Miller were married by the Rev. D. MacGillivray.

Lieut. Frank Ryder passed through here Saturday evening on his way to St. Stephen. Lieut. Ryder had returned on the Olympic and was given a warm welcome by his many friends.

Mrs. Byrd Boone entertained the ladies of the Red Cross Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Strange of Carleton Place, Ont., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. G. Wils.

Mrs. Dyer has returned from a visit to Chicago.

A number of young people had a very enjoyable party at Mr. Beisbrook's cottage, Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Mr. Mahoney of Montreal, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Patterson of the week-end.

The Soldiers' Comforts Association held their last meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Coburn. They voted the sum of fifty dollars to Chaplain Hooper for his wounded soldiers' fund, and twenty dollars to the Canadian Red Cross for the patients of the Coburg Military Hospital, Coburg, Ont.

The S. C. A. are about to disband as their country free from international competition of moral and material guarantees relative to the following points:

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Alleged Maximalists Are Prohibited from Landing by the Chilean Government.

Santiago, Chile, Jan. 24.—The landing at Arica, Northern Chile, of a party of alleged Maximalist agitators has been prohibited by the Chilean government. The province of Arica was the scene of the recent troubles between Chile and Peru, and the question of the title to this province, and that of Tacna, adjacent to it, has threatened war between the two governments.

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