

LOCAL AND SPECIAL.

Whole corn and cracked corn for sale at C. L. Piggott's.

We are compelled to hold over a quantity of correspondence and other news for next issue.

J. H. Hicks & Sons have been awarded the contract to build the Baptist Parsonage at Paradise.

Providence Methodist Church is to have an Organ Recital by Professor Williams, of Yarmouth, and a Sacred Concert on March 24th.

Lieut. Hood, S. A., of Toronto, will address a meeting on Sunday next on the subject "Wrecked for two worlds." All welcome.

Mr. George M. Lake, who was seriously burned about the face last week by the explosion of kerosene with which he was starting a fire, has recovered sufficiently to return to business this week.

It is rumored that the Halifax and South Western Railway Company is interested in the proposition of the Canadian Iron Corporation to export iron ore to Europe, via Port Wade. If the scheme materializes, Port Wade may soon become a port of importance.

The meeting of the Law and Order League, which was announced to be held last Thursday evening in Warren's Hall, at 7.30 o'clock, was postponed on account of the storm to Thursday evening of this week, the 4th inst., to meet in the same place at the same hour.

J. VanWart has secured the services of Mr. G. E. Nichols, Embalmer and Undertaker, to take charge of his Undertaking Department. Mr. Nichols comes highly recommended, being a graduate of the Massachusetts College of Embalming, 1909—Woodstock, N. B., Sentinel.

Rev. A. S. Lewis, who has been in Amherst during the past week, will occupy his pulpit here on Sunday next. In the evening the Women's Missionary Aid Society will be addressed by the pastor, subject, "The Shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre. A silver collection will be taken.

The ladies of the Paradise Sewing Circle will have a sale of useful and fancy articles and a tea in the vestry of the Baptist Church on Thursday evening, March 4th. Tea will be served at 7 o'clock. Price 25 cents. Should the evening be stormy the same will be held on Saturday evening.

A very pleasing feature at St. James' Church evening service last Sunday was the rendering after the sermon of Sir Arthur Sullivan's beautiful Anthem setting to verses 9-11 of the fifty-first psalm. We understand this is to be sung each Sunday evening during Lent, also other special music on certain occasions.

The death of John L. Cox, Esq., Stipendiary Magistrate of Bridgetown, occurred last night at St. Paul's Hospital of Boston, where he had undergone a surgical operation a few days since. Interment will take place at Bridgetown on Saturday afternoon, on the arrival of the afternoon express. The Masons will take charge of the funeral rites.

Mayor Ruggles has made arrangements with Mr. S. N. Weare, who has kindly agreed to furnish free of charge the correct time at ten o'clock a. m. every week day to the engineer of the Bridgetown Larrigan Company, and the engineer will give a long blast of the whistle so that in this way correct time will be indicated to the town every day. This will be much appreciated by the townspeople who have tried in vain to time their clocks by the varying whistles of the factories.

At the adjourned annual meeting of the Bridgetown Foundry Company Ltd., held at the company's office yesterday afternoon, Messrs. Thomas Foster, R. E. Feltus, J. Kenneth Craig, W. D. Lockett and W. R. Longmire were appointed a board of directors. Mr. Thomas Foster was re-appointed president and J. Kenneth Craig was appointed manager, secretary and treasurer. The meeting adjourned for four weeks to enable the new board to prepare a statement of the affairs of the company.

A grand rally of I. O. O. F. was held at Middleton Monday night (March 1st). A special train conveyed members from Halifax, Hantsport, Wolfville, Kentville, Berwick and Kingston Lodges. The visiting brothers were met at the train which arrived at 8.30 by the Middleton Band and a torch light procession, and accompanied to the Hall by members of Middleton Lodge. Kentville Lodge put out the 1st degree and Kingston the 2nd, after which a banquet was held. Past Grand Masters Rockwell, Sutherland and Rogers were present.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Owen Price is at her old home Bible Hill, for a few weeks.

Miss Beatrice Young is spending a week with friends in Wolfville.

Miss McCormick is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. B. Stewart, Digby.

M. A. Otterson and wife are in Halifax. Mr. Otterson is attending the tailors' convention.

Miss Lockett, who has been spending several weeks in Bridgetown, returned to Kentville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beckwith returned from a visit to their son, Dr. Beckwith, Halifax, on Saturday.

Mr. James Craig, of Cambridge, Kings County, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Craig.

Mrs. Joseph I. Foster returned home on Wednesday last from a month's visit with friends across the border.

Mr. Wilbur Young, who has been visiting his brothers and sisters in Boston and vicinity, returned home Saturday.

Miss May Phalen, who has been in Boston several weeks and who attended the millinery openings before returning, arrived home on Saturday.

Mr. D. J. Patrick, the new proprietor of the Grand Central, took possession on Monday. Mrs. Patrick and their young son are expected today from Weymouth.

Mr. W. H. MacKenzie's house is closed this winter. Mr. MacKenzie, who is in Boston, Mr. Arnold MacKenzie on the road for the Larrigan Co., and his younger brother, Harry, at school in Windsor.

Miss Adrah Cahoon, of Avilmer, Ontario, is visiting the Misses Hoyt and other friends in Bridgetown and vicinity. Her brother, Mr. Gordon Cahoon, now travelling in the interests of an insurance company, is also in town for a few days.

J. Kenneth Craig, lately with the Windsor Foundry, has received the appointment of Manager and Secretary-treasurer of the Bridgetown Foundry Co. in the place of his father, the late W. A. Craig. Mr. Craig is quite a young man to fill a position of so much responsibility and trust, but the directors have shown their confidence in his ability and qualifications in an unmistakable manner.

Our Boys in Truro

The ninth annual convention of boy workers of Y. M. C. A. was held at Truro on Feb. 27th, 28th, and March 1st.

Bridgetown Association was represented by Francis Graves, Sydney Fay, Parker Munroe, Vinton Lloyd, Fred Kinney, Boyd Chute, Harlan Phinney, Louis Young, Howard Marshall, Roy Wilson, Will Darcie, and Kenneth Dodge. Mr. J. M. Fulmer, teacher of the boys' training class here, accompanied the boys to Truro. The Convention was attended by over eighty delegates from the boys' department of the Maritime Association. The Bridgetown contingent was the largest delegation from any one association, and was the subject of many favorable comments from these in attendance.

On Monday evening, Mrs. G. O. Fulton, of Truro, a former resident of Granville, gave the boys an "at home" at her beautiful residence, which was much enjoyed by all.

The delegation returned Tuesday and speak in the highest terms of their entertainment, and the hospitality shown by the people of Truro. On Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, a report of the Convention will be given by the delegates. Everybody interested in this work is invited to this meeting.

Hymeneal.

STEVENS—GESNER.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized at Belleisle on Wednesday evening, the 24th ult., at the home of the bride, when Miss Gladys H. Gesner became the wife of Mr. Clarence E. Stevens, of Chicago, Ill. Rev. George Johnson, of the Wesleyan Church, officiated. Precisely at the hour, the bride elect entered the room accompanied by her bridesmaid, her cousin, Miss Ethel Eagleson. She was beautifully attired in white silk, a wreath of orange blossoms entwined in her hair, and carried primroses and maiden hair fern. Miss Eagleson was daintily robed in pink silk muslin. They were met by the groom and groomsmen, Mr. Jacob V. Gesner, brother of the bride. They stood under a beautiful arch of evergreen and heard the solemn words that made them man and wife, the double ring ceremony being used. The bride is a young lady of a most charming personality, one of the fairest of Belleisle's fair daughters and is very popular, having very many friends who sincerely wish her many years of unclouded happiness in her far-away home. She was the recipient of many very beautiful and valuable presents, the remainder of the friends of her home days. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens will reside in Chicago, where he is engaged in the automobile business.

The Children's Carnival.

The long-talked-of event, the Children's Carnival, came off very successfully on Monday evening, having been postponed from the Wednesday evening previous on account of the weather. The only thing lacking to complete the full success of the evening was the failure of the electric light to illuminate the scene, through some trouble in the water-power apparatus which occurred that evening. The moon and stars, however, did their best to remedy the deficiency. Japanese lanterns also lent their pleasant glow and the pretty costumes worn made a pleasing effect. Among a large number of very prettily dressed little misses, Miss Doris Weare, as Queen of the May, was adjudged the winner of the prize, for the best girl's costume, a pair of nickel-plated skates. Miss Josie Kinney won the cash prize for the most graceful skating, and the Gold Dust Twins, Clarence Kinney and John Whitman, were the heavy favorites for a jack-knife advice for the best boy's costumes. The Band played some choice selections in their best manner and the occasion was a memorable one for the little ones present.

BOYS.

Gerald Hoyt—Knave of Hearts. Harold Gospe—Mohammedan Boy. Clarence Primrose—Soldier. Earle Goldsmith—Clown. Max Young—Soldier. Jack Ruggles—Belle of Bridgetown. Ronald Ruggles—Sam Jones. Harry Armstrong—Little Boy Blue. Raymond Bent—Santa Claus. Max Piggott—Napoleon. Thomas Borden—Summer Boy. Rex Harlow—"Rastus Johnson." Alex. Fowler—Snowflake. Clarence Kinney—Gold Dust Twin. John Whitman—"The Great." Kenneth Carpenter—Four Leaf Clover.

Hal Hoyt—Topsy. Brinton Hall—Little Boy Blue. Harry Connell—Snow Shoe. Clarence Shaffer—Soldier. Keith Burns—Highland Laddie. Walter Ricketson—Hunter.

GIRLS.

Lily Whitman—June. Ruth Fowler—Little Dutch Girl. Doris Weare—Queen of the May. Helen Shaffer—Starry Night. Doris Neely—Red Riding Hood. Ethel Kinney—Hockeyist. Nan Hoyt—Hockeyist. Ruth Burns—Autumn. Grace Ricketson—Queen of Hearts. Annie Ricketson—Summer. Dodo Lloyd—Bride. Gladys Corbitt—Starlight. May Hall—Flower Girl. Juana Bishop—Starlight. Josie Kinney—Queen of the Fairies. Eva Troop—Flower Girl. Muriel Troop—Red Riding Hood. Florence Sanderson—Mother Hubbard. Mildred Lockett—Butterfly. Ethel Daniels—Rosebud. Bertha Corbitt—Snowflake. Gertrude Miller—Snowflake. Thelma Lewis—Bride. Edna Price—Sailor Girl.

More School Accommodation

To the Editor of The Monitor:—

There are now upon the registers of the public school in this town the names of two hundred and forty-six (246) pupils, an average of forty-one (41) to each teacher. This number is considerably larger than that of any previous year, and raises the question of the probable necessity, at an early date, of enlarged school accommodation. There are, indeed, at the present time sufficient children in the town, growing up without any education excepting that of the street, to demand the services of another teacher. To put them into the grades to which they belong would overtax the capacity of the present rooms and the ability of the teachers to do effective work. Yet, something should certainly be done for them.

The School Commissioners are the servants of the people and are willing to make the necessary provision by securing a room, distinct from the present school building, as soon as they know that they have the support of the taxpayers.

Gentlemen of the Town Council, and citizens in general, will you take this matter into your serious consideration and give the Commissioners the endorsement of your expressed approval?

Yours truly,

CRANSWICK JOST.

Bridgetown, Mar. 1, 1909.

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N. H. REED, H. D.

Shelburne, N. S.

MARRIED

BENT-MESSENGER—At the Baptist Parsonage, Middleton, September 19th, 1908 by Rev G. W. Schurman Ralph Arlington Bent to Alberta Blanche Messenger, both of Bridgetown.

DIED

ROOP—At Litchfield, at the residence of her son John, Feb. 21st, Eliza A. widow of the late William Roop, aged 90 years.

REED—At his residence, Granville Ferry, Feb. 23rd, James E. Reed, aged 76 years.

ANDERSON—At the residence of his son, Capt. W. Herbert Anderson, Parkers Cove, Feb. 26th, Stephen Anderson, aged 92 years.

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A modern house containing eight rooms, with bathroom, pantry and finished attic. Pleasant location. Moderate price.

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Having bought out the stock of Groceries, Fruit, and Confectionery and good-will of Mrs. A. J. Weir, I beg to solicit the patronage of the public, trusting by attention and fair dealing to merit the confidence of my customers.

Mrs. S. C. TURNER.

Bridgetown, Feb. 23rd, 3 ins.

Ask your tailor for "Briny Deep" Serge. Stamped "Briny Deep" Serge every three yards.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. W. A. Craig and family wish to express their deep gratitude for the great sympathy and many deeds of kindness shown them during their recent sad time of sorrow and bereavement. Letters from Sunday School and W. M. A. S., also a resolution of sympathy from Olive Branch Division, with many letters from personal friends, have been gratefully received. The thoughtful kindness of the church in sending floral pillow, and of friends who also sent beautiful flowers, will ever be held in grateful remembrance by them. May God's richest blessings rest upon one and all.

CASH BARGAINS

We are sacrificing thousands of dollars worth of goods to clear, in order to make room for our immense stock which is already beginning to arrive for the spring trade.

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1.50 " 1.75 " 1.00

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2.15

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2.50

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Bridgetown.

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Executors.

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