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NEWS OF CANNING

Mrs. Charles Ells entertained the Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church, a delightful afternoon being spent.

Mrs. A. Sheridan entertained the Debt Destroying League of United Baptist Church last week, an enjoyable afternoon being spent.

Rev. Gordon C. Brown conducted Divine Service in Christ Church on Sabbath afternoon, later holding service in Kingsport.

A large congregation attended the United Baptist Church on Sabbath evening where an able discourse was delivered by the pastor, Rev. W. G. Heisler.

Mr. Fred Patten returns to Melrose, Mass., in a few days.

Mr. Wood, who has during the past eight months, successfully conducted a tea room and restaurant, has purchased the property from Mr. Jodrie, and will in the Spring build a dining room for private parties.

Miss Marjorie Downing, of St. John, visited friends in Wolfville and Canning last week Miss Downing left for Halifax on Saturday to visit her sister Mrs. Brown, and will on her return visit friends in Digby and Annapolis.

Mr. Zimmon, who has been a patient in the Sanitorium Toronto, return- to his home, Canning, where after spending a week, he entered the Sanatorium, Kentville.

Our young people—ten in number—enjoyed a sleighing party to Wolfville last week.

Miss Lizzie Lyons, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Lyons, has returned to resume her teaching at Hall's Harbor. Mr. Lyons is we are are glad, slightly improved in health.

Mr. R. W. North has recovered from a severe cold.

Mrs. Scott Blenkhorne entertained the Art Club, recently re-organized under the name of Modern Priscilla, a delightful evening being spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Burbidge, have returned home.

Mr. Whitfield Coffin has returned from visiting his uncle Mr. Whitfield Coffin, and Mrs. Coffin, Massachusetts.

Mrs. A. M. Covert entertained the Canning Literary Society on Monday evening, Pres. Dr. Stanley W. Spicer presiding. A very fine address by Rev. G. D. Hudson was enjoyed, his subject, "In Evolution Anti Christian?" being ably dealt with. Vocal Solos by Mrs. Alfred Ells were also enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leban, are being congratulated in the birth of a son.

Miss Mary Dickie, who has been visiting in town returned to Upper Canard on Sunday.

Miss Lou Covert, Miss Ruth Harris, Messrs. Seldon smith, Burnell Eaton, have returned to Acadia.

Mr. Joseph McDonald has returned from Kentville.

CANNING HIGH SCHOOL DEFEATS WOLFVILLE

Canning defeated Wolfville in the fourth game of the Valley High School Hockey League, in Canning rink on Friday afternoon, by a score of 5-3. The game was clean, fast, and of more than ordinary pleasure, and witnessed by about 200 enthusiastic followers of both teams. Regret was felt that Williams, Wolfville's Wing, received a bad injury above the eye by a hit from the puck, and that Prescott received further injury to a wound received in a former game. The score in the last half of the third period was a tie, till near the end, when Canning speeded up, and drove home the winning tallies. Bennett, Covert, Cohen, Payzant starred for Canning, Prescott, Johnson, and McKenna, starring for Wolfville. McKenna, goal tender, made several sensational stops.

The line up was as follows:

Canning—Goal, Smith; Defence, DeWolfe, Payzant; Forwards, Covert, Eaton, Cohen; Subs., Bennett, Bigelow, Harris.

Wolfville—Goal, McKenna; defence, Johnson, Phinney; forwards, Regan, Prescott, Williams; Subs., Eaton, Shaw, Vaughan.

Bertram Blenkhorn made a fine referee.

The Wolfville High School pupils made this the occasion of their annual sleigh drive more than fifty young people attending, and at the close of the game enjoying a skate. They later had supper at Woods restaurant, which is fast becoming popular for after rink suppers. Principal B. C. Silver and Mr. Stackhouse accompanied the students. We hope soon again to see our Wolfville friends in Canning.

CANNING TEAM WON FROM CENTREVILLE

Canning defeated Centreville in the Canning rink on Thursday night of last week by a 7 to 2 score, in the sixth game in the Valley Intermediate Hockey League. The game was fast and clean and was witnessed by a large crowd Hoyt, Lyons and T. Huston starred for Canning, while Webb, Burns and Newcombe were the pick of the losers. The winners played great combination throughout the three periods. The Canning band was in attendance and rendered several selections. Charles Wigmore, of Kentville, refereed.

The teams:

Centreville—Thompson, goal; Newcombe and Whalen, defence; Burns, Webb and Kinsman, forwards; Balsor, Palmer and Whalen, subs.

Canning—T. Miller goal; T. Huston and H. Huston, defence; Hoyt, Lyons and Grant, forwards; Mitchell, Melvin and McKeen, subs.

CANNING LITERARY SOCIETY

Canning Literary Society enjoyed an evening of much pleasure, when on Monday, Feb. 4, the members were addressed by Rev. D. B. Hemmeon, of Wolfville, who is an unusually pleasing speaker. Rev. Dr. B. Hemmeon chose for thought 1. "The Attitude of the Church towards Industrial Disputes." 2. "The Attitude of Jesus toward Wealth." 3. "The Attitude of the Disciples toward Wealth." 4. "The Attitude of the Medieval Church towards Wealth.

Dr. Hemmeon reviewed the rise of the industrial era, in the capitalistic system, up to the present time, and concluded with "What Should Be the Attitude of the Church Today." An expression of appreciation was extended to the speaker and cards of membership presented to Rev. Mr. Hemmeon and Mrs. Hemmeon.

Mr. Gerald McElhiney, of Windsor, added much to the pleasure of the evening by his beautiful solos, the accompanist being Miss Josephene Harris.

Here and There

Navigation of the St. Lawrence river is expected to open early in the month of April. According to preliminary schedules issued by the various steamship companies operating between Canadian Atlantic ports and Europe, 192 ships will visit the port of Quebec in 1924.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has inaugurated as a special feature the serving of afternoon tea regularly on all dining, cafe and buffet cars throughout the system. The tasteful little menu which the company provides includes tea, coffee, chocolate, toast, muffins, cake, ice cream and preserves at reasonable prices.

The Spiller Company, a great British concern with $150,000,000 capital, has completed arrangements for the establishment of facilities in Canada which will entail an outlay of $6,000,000 to finish the plant of the Alberta Flour Mills in Calgary, with another $2,000,000 to build an elevator at Vancouver.

The second of the two large paper machines recently installed by the Belgo-Canadian Paper Company at Shawinigan Falls, Que., has commenced operations. The machine, which is the product of the Dominion Engineering Company, is now producing newsprint. It will be tuned up and is expected to produce a commercial grade of newsprint at or above its daily capacity of 75 tons in the near future.

Speaking at Toronto recently, E. W. Beatty, President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, declared that "what Canada is suffering from is lack of men, lack of capital and lack of those forward policies which will enable the country to realize within a reasonable time its own manifest destiny." He added that he did not believe in "exaggerated whisperings or in any statements which are calculated to destroy the belief of Canadians in their own country."

Captain S. Robinson, C.B.E., R.N.R., commanding the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Canada," was invested with the C.B.E. by Sir Harry Armstrong, British Consul-General at New York, when his ship arrived there on January 25th, prior to setting out on her great world cruise. Captain Robinson also received the freedom of the city of New York. These honors were in recognition of his gallant work when commanding the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Australia" at Yokohama, at the time of the Japanese disaster.

According to Canadian Pacific officials, immigrants from Europe who spend a few hours in Montreal on their way west are re-discovering America—or rather Canada—at a great rate. Some days ago there were eighty Scandinavians drumming their heels in the big waiting-rooms at Windsor Station, bored to tears. Then one of them suddenly discovered that the Province of Quebec, unlike Sweden, is not "dry." The rush of the Danes on Alfred's England was as nothing compared to that with which the delighted Scandinavian gentlemen emptied that waiting-room. So excellent did they find the beer that they did not show up again till train-time, when they announced unanimously, though with slight difficulty, that "Canada bane one fine country."

To be stranded in a strange city with no worldly assets but a suit of dress-clothes and yet to come out of the adventure victorious is to achieve something. Joe and Bill arrived in Montreal a few nights ago, their baggage consisting of the clothes they wore, two dress suits, an adequate quantity of the needful and an enthusiastic determination to see Life with a capital L. When they woke on the morning after, they found that someone had relieved them of everything they possessed except the dress suits they had slept in, and which they had worn for the previous night's affray.

In this predicament they appealed to the authorities at the Canadian Pacific Windsor Station, for work whereby to earn enough to take them out of the wicked city. Sympathetic officials put them on the snow-shovelling gang. And here these two stout fellows, in their dress suits, Joe with his feet wrapped in sacking to keep them warm, labored heartily for four days, earning the price of their tickets back to the little old home town. So once more fiction and the movies are beaten.

MARRIES DANISH PRINCE

Miss Lois Frances Booth, of Ottawa, who was married on Monday to Prince Erik of Denmark.

CANNING GIRL GUIDES

The Girl Guides under Captain Bigelow held a delightful sleigh drive on Saturday afternoon owing to the kindness of Mr. C. H. Meek, who drove the party to Centreville, where twenty-two young people enjoyed an afternoon of great pleasure. The ice was in fine condition, and the Girls with their Captain are very enthusiastic over the kindness of their Centreville friends, particularly Mr. Perry Wheaton, and Mr. Harry Balsor, who invited the party to remain for supper, and skate in the evening, which they regretted being unable to do. The afternoon will long remain a pleasure in the minds of the Guides, who are very grateful to Mr. Meek and those who contributed to their entertainment. The Guides are doing splendid work under the direction of Captain Bigelow and Lieutenant Melvin. At their meeting on Friday, Mr. Gerald Huston again instructed them in Military Drill, a kindness much appreciated. The basket ball equipment has arrived, and the girls are looking forward to entering the league with Wolfville. The Tender Foot and Second class work have been completed.

DEATH OF MRS. MILLEDGE DEWITT

The community learned with sorrow of the death of Mrs. Milledge DeWitt, which occurred at her home in Medford, after an illness of several months, aged fifty-five years. The late Mrs. DeWitt was the daughter of the late Joseph Hazel, of Scotch Village, and was twice married, her first husband being John Munro, of Scotch Village. She is survived by her second husband and three daughters and two sons. The daughters are Mrs. Ernest Hazel, Scotch Village, Mrs. Donald smith, Canning, and Miss May Munro, residing at home, and two sons, Vaughan, and Laurie Munro. Five brothers also survive.

The funeral took place on Sunday at 12 o'clock from her late residence and the large attendance testified to the loving regard in which the late Mrs. DeWitt was held. The service at the house conducted by Rev. Charles Riseborough, was a very comforting one The male Quartette sang beautifully, and "Safe In The Arms of Jesus" and "The Haven of Rest", favorite hymns of the deceased, were also sung. The funeral proceeded to Scotts' Bay, where the service at Union Church was conducted by Rev. Thomas W. Hodgson. The pall bearers were Messrs. Hardy Vaughan, George Parsons, Edward Gould, Harvey Lockhart. Interment was at Scotts' Bay Cemetery.

CANARD

The Women's Missionary Society of Upper Canard Baptist Church was entertained this week by Mrs. John Borden, the president Miss Irene Rand presiding. The afternoon spent with the lesson Study Book was very interesting.

Miss Alice Rand, Upper Canard, we regret is not well, and is resting for a time at Miss Woods Hospital, Port Williams.

Mrs. (Dr). Malcolm McKay, nee Laura Dickie, who has been visiting her brother Alfred Dickie, Halifax, was the guest last week of her cousin Mrs. A. H. Patterson, Hortonville. Mrs. McKay and Mrs. Patterson visited in Upper Canard, and on Friday Mrs. McKay left for Barton, Digby Co., to visit Dr. and Mrs. Walter Dickie. Mrs. McKay leaves for New York, where on the 28th of February she sails via Panama for her home in Vancouver.

SHEFFIELD MILLS

We regret that Mrs. C. E. Kinsman is confined to her home by illness. Miss Reta Kinsman, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eaton, Canning, has returned home.

Mr. Hinman Baker, of London, England, and Miss Ruth Baker, are guests of Colonel Jarques and Mrs. Jaeques, Halifax.

PRINCE ERIK OF DENMARK

Who on Monday was married at Ottawa to Miss Lois Frances Booth. Prince Erik has renounced his right of succession to the throne of Denmark and the title of Prince of Denmark.

CENTREVILLE JUNIORS DEFEAT CANNING

Centreville Junior Hockey team defeated Canning Junior team in Centreville rink Monday evening, Feb. 11, Score 6-3. The ice was in good condition and both teams played fast hockey.

Line up:

Canning—Goal, Smith; defence, Melvin, Cox; forwards, Harris, Spicer, Bennett; spares, Eaton, Smith, Cohen.

Centreville—Goal, L. Manson; defence, Green, Whalen; forwards, Balsor, Neville, Whalen; spares, Kinaman, Parker.

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Officer—Who said that?

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