

**The Advertiser**

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**HOW SHALL WE GOVERN OUR TOWN?**

Tuesday next is Nomination Day—the day when a Mayor and three Councillors will be nominated for Election, which takes place Tuesday, February 1st. On that day every man twenty-one years of age and over will have a right to use his franchise in a way to honor his town.

Remember men, each of you have a personal responsibility in this matter. It is the town in which you live, you have a right to say how it shall be governed.

We want men to represent us who are fearless and honest, men of business ability, broad-minded, loyal men, men who will work regardless of self-interests. We have such men and it rests with the people to place them in a position where they will expend their energies in making our town the best in the Province.

Think this matter over calmly—it is an important matter and worthy of our most careful consideration. Our Town will be what we make it. We must see to it that we give our best, and we will be repaid by having a town of which we can be justly proud.

**THE WAR SITUATION**

The Russians are still doing effective work all along the Eastern line of battle. In the Caucasus front the Grand Duke is making his influence felt and latest reports state the Turks have been driven back over a front of over 66 miles. At many places the retreat assumed the character of a flight in panic and several Turkish units were almost annihilated.

Along the Bessarabian front the Russians also have begun a strong offensive and the Austrians are alarmed at the strong reinforcements being sent by the Russians into Galacia.

On the Western front the British are now holding 125 miles of the 400 miles of battle front. This is a very much longer line than formerly, and shows the British are moving large bodies of men up to the firing line and relieving the French of a portion of the long line they formerly defended.

At Saloniki the Allies are very strongly entrenched and will be able to meet the onslaught of the enemy no matter how large the number sent against them.

The German drive to Egypt seems to be delayed as the central powers have their hands more than full in other war centres.

**POULTRY SHOW AT KENTVILLE.**

The Poultry Show at Kentville has been open the last two days and will close today. It is the best show of fowls ever seen here. The exhibit is very large and the birds are of the finest breeds. Most of the judging has been done but publication of the prize list will not be given until a later issue. The management deserve the highest praise for gathering together such a fine exhibit.

Mr. Bert Hartien, locomotive engineer is recovering from his recent illness and operation. As the result of an accident about a year ago he was obliged to go to the Infirmary at Halifax the last of the year and had his index finger amputated and part of the hand. He is now so much recovered that he expects to resume his work in a short time.

**AT THE CHURCHES.**

Special recruiting sermons were preached in the churches throughout the Maritime Provinces on Sunday evening last. In Kentville splendid addresses were given by the pastors of the different churches.

At the Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. J. D. Spidell, spoke to a large audience, giving a very able address from the text "Why Young Men Should Enlist for Overseas Service, and Every Person Do Some Work Along Definite Lines to Bring the End of the War Nearer." The address was destined to teach the people the greatness of the Empire to which they belong, her power, her ideals, her noble purpose. England is fighting not only to save herself but to save others, to maintain the freedom, which we all love. Canada owes much of her greatness to the Mother Country. Think of our British Freedom, religious liberty and all the benefits which are ours under the "Old Union Jack." How can we keep back from enlisting in the service of our King and Country.

The address was one to inspire all to loyalty, and as evidence of the good results achieved, a number of men called at the Baptist Parsonage Monday desiring to enlist.

Special Patriotic music was well rendered during the service.

**ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH.**

The Rev. Dr. Donohue took for the subject of his sermon Sunday both at Kentville and Woodside "The War and the Necessity of Service." He pointed out to his congregation the great need of still more recruits to bring Britain's army up to the strength necessary to cope victoriously with the Teutonic forces. He showed them that it was the intention of God that men should live in society, that society should have within itself the means necessary to procure the good of its citizens, that as a consequence, it should also have the right to protect its existence and prerogatives against unjust aggressors, even by the use of such extreme measures as war. The present war is just such a case in question. England and her Allies are fighting against a cruel and unjust aggressor, and he said, it was the duty of every man who is not lawfully hindered to offer his services to his country in her hour of need. As children of the British Empire, Canadians must fight for that Empire, and in doing so, they are doing their duty and nothing more.

Dr. Donohue finished his discourse by appealing to the people of the parish to do everything in their power to help along the noble work of the Red Cross Society. He urged them to give generously of their time and means to further the good work, so that the men at the front, who are laying down their lives for them, may have all the necessities and comforts possible under existing conditions and the hospitals be properly equipped.

**ST. PAUL'S CHURCH**

The men of the 112th will parade to St. Paul's Church, on Sunday morning. This may be the last church parade. The subject in the morning will be "Courage." In the evening Mr. Layton will speak on: "By Whom are We Judged?" The annual meeting of St. Paul's congregation will be held next Wednesday night. Refreshments will be served at the close of the business.

The Mission Band meets this afternoon at 3.30.

**Misner—MacDonald**

A marriage was performed at the Manse, Kentville, by Rev. R. B. Layton on the 15th inst., when Mr. Charles William MacDonald was married to Miss Mabel Misner of Chipman's Brook. Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald will live at Centreville.

**FOR THE ABSENTEES**

The citizens of Kentville missed it again on Wednesday night, the 19th inst. It was a beautiful moonlight night, not cold. The walking was good. The Court House, as usual, was well-heated. But in spite of the fact that the meeting had been advertised in both Town papers, and in other ways, not half a dozen voters of Kentville, and only thirteen ladies were present to hear the two gentlemen who drove up from Wolfville to deliver carefully prepared addresses on a very important matter.

Whatever these gentlemen may have thought of the empty seats; they did not mention them, as did the learned gentlemen who were sent from Halifax and from Wolfville a few weeks ago, to speak on the Hospital Unit. The empty seat speaks eloquently of vacancy.

Rev. G. W. Miller, M. A., was the first speaker. It was for him to introduce the subject, and the main speaker, Mr. Herbert Stairs. The Children's Aid Society is a money saver for Kings County as well as a child saver. The work done through this Society is one of the most important operations of the present day. Men receive great praise because of their skill in developing our material resources, and increasing our national wealth by production. But the Children's Aid Society is doing more. It is conserving and developing our greatest asset—manhood and womanhood. It is preventing childhood from being dwarfed and destroyed by evil. It gives it a chance to develop in strength and usefulness. The work done for children during the past year by Mr. Stairs has saved this County thousands of dollars in the years to come. Mr. Stairs, although appointed agent of the Children's Aid Society by the Government, receives no salary. Mr. Miller said it was with difficulty that he could be got to send in a bill for all his travelling and other expenses. The work has grown so that it now occupies almost all his time. It was unfair to ask Mr. Stairs to devote so much of his time without some remuneration.

Mr. Stairs then presented his third annual report. Last year he travelled over two thousand miles over the county in the interests of children. He mentioned the many cases that had come before him. He had paid several visits to Kentville. A criminal case now pending in the courts was one in which Kentville was interested. There were cases in many other parts where he had been able to give aid. A girl, with a foot cut off, was last year begging from house to house in Kentville. Through Mr. Stairs' efforts this girl has now an artificial foot, and has been placed in a good home. A boy of fourteen had never been to school, although living beside it. He is now going to school. This is only one of many like cases. It is expected that this excellent report will shortly be published so that all may know the full extent of Mr. Stairs' labors.

Money is needed to carry on the operating expenses of the Society. The County Council has voted an appropriation. But it is not sufficient. There are about 66 members of the Society in Kentville. The annual membership fee is fifty cents. Mrs. W. W. Rockwell, Mrs. Wm. MacBride and Mr. E. B. Newcombe were appointed a committee to secure new members, and collect subscriptions. It was also decided to take some steps to secure for Mr. Stairs some remuneration for his services, as it was felt that it is not just to ourselves to expect Mr. Stairs to continue the sacrifices which he is involving in carrying on so faithfully this important work.

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Waterville Jan. 7th.

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