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## Chatham Declares For New Valuation

### Great Dissatisfaction Expressed With Present System of Valuation and Assessment and Remedy Proposed

A public meeting in Chatham Town Hall, called by Ald. J. Y. Mersereau, chairman of the Efficiency Committee, was held last night, and over 60 ratepayers attended.

The meeting was called because of the protest of some forty ratepayers against their valuation for assessment purposes.

The meeting was called to open at 8 o'clock, Ald. J. Y. Mersereau in the chair, who explained that the meeting was called to discuss the present system of Valuation and Assessment in Chatham and suggest way to improve the same, which, in his opinion was at present unfair.

The first speaker was A. A. McGinn. Mr. McGinn claimed that the valuation of the town was unfair and unjust, as by the system now in vogue the poor man was paying most of the taxes, while the richer was getting off much too easily. An equitable valuation was needed. In order to get it, legislation was needed. But the expense would be money well spent. To secure a fair valuation, he suggested a Board of three assessors, the chairman to be a resident of Chatham, the other two to be drawn from, say, Bathurst and Chatham, the chairman of the assessors, the other two assessors to be independent unbiased business men not dependent upon any larger firms.

Another matter of great importance was the unpaid taxes. The town's last annual statement showed \$3789.65 unpaid taxes for 1917, and \$2479.54 for 1916. For 1914 and previous years \$2,658.94 total \$15,028.13. It was time for the town to have a thorough housecleaning. There should be a commission, with unlimited powers to investigate the town's affairs. The town should have a survey and plan made and be divided out into business, industrial and residential areas, and each area into blocks. The land in each block should be valued at so much per front foot, corner lots being of more value than the rest and the rest of equal value. Improvements should not be taxed at same rate. Nowadays a man is penalized in taxes whether he paints his house or renews his fence. It was

up to the Town Council to apply for legislation to remedy this state of affairs, or the town would get a council that would do so.

L. H. Abbott agreed in demanding a new plan of the town, and a better system of assessment in which every little improvement will not result in extra taxes.

Harry Loggie spoke to same effect, also D. T. Johnstone.

Richard Galloway complained about assessments being unequal.

Ex-Mayor Nicol partly agreed with Mr. McGinn.

A. E. Taylor, manager of the Bank of Montreal, spoke with approval of the taxation system of the west, where improvements are largely exempt and the emphasis in taxation is laid on land values. Improvements should not be penalized.

Assessor J. H. Pallen and Town Clerk P. J. McIntyre said that the assessors had the power and used it of changing assessments at any time during their year of office.

Mayor W. B. Snowball agreed that the assessment system was defective. As in England all should be compelled to give a true statement of all their property. Improvements should not be discouraged. All incomes up to \$500 or \$700 should be exempt, and on from that to \$1500 carefully graduated, married men being exempt so much for each child, to enable them to properly rear and educate their children. He had talked to both recent governments of N. B. about taxation reform.

The following was moved by A. A. McGinn, seconded by Ex-Ald. Edward Gallivan, and carried unanimously:

That this meeting declare in favor of a revaluation of the Town of Chatham, such revaluation to be made by an independent Board of three appointed for same, the chairman of said valuers to be a resident of Chatham, the other two to be men from other N. B. towns of similar population, the chairman of said Board of Valuers to be appointed the permanent chairman of the assessors, the other two assessors to be men in business for themselves and not large property holders.

Major Roy H. Gunning, son of H. D. Gunning of Chatham, was killed in action August 21st, aged 31. He first commanded D. Co. of the 222nd Manitoba Battalion, and was afterwards transferred to the 46th as a Lieutenant in order to more quickly get to the front. Deceased was a competent civil engineer and a talented musician. He leaves his parents, a brother Walter D., of Saskatoon, who was through the Boer war, and five sisters: Mrs. J. B. Steeves, Montreal; Mrs. Victor B. Terry, Lindsay, Ontario; Mrs. (Capt.) E. W. Watling of Chatham; and Misses Ida and Georgina, at home.

Pte. Leon Benson Stewart of Chatham, admitted to the first clearing station August 16th, suffering from gunshot wounds, died on the 18th. Deceased went overseas with the 59th Battalion nearly two years ago. He was wounded and after recovery joined the 14th Montreal Battalion. He was 22. He leaves his father, Wm. S. Stewart, a widow in England, a brother, Roy; and five sisters: Mrs. J. C. Godfrey and Misses Rhoda, Jean, Marion and Verna, all at home.

Lance-Corporal Cecil Curwin, son of John Curwin, sr., of Richibucto, died of wounds on the 15th instant. Deceased who lived for some time in Chatham, enlisted two years ago in the 65th Battalion. He was the first of the 25 overseas members of True Blue L. O. L. No. 90, Chatham, to give up his life in the war. Deceased's sister, Mrs. Murray of Burnt Church, died this month.

Peter Bernard of Burnt Church on Wednesday received a telegram stating that his son Steven Bernard died of wounds while on his way to hospital. He passed away in the ambulance. Before he joined an overseas Battalion, Pte. Bernard was constable of the Burnt Church Indian Reserve.

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William Gromley of Newcastle has been notified that his son, Richard, who went over with the 132nd, has

## Many Miramichi Boys Dead or Wounded

### Reports of Casualties Coming in Fast the Last Few Days And Many Homes Are Saddened

Pte. Arthur Johnston of the 132nd and later of the 87th, son of Charles Johnston of Chatham, was wounded on the 14th instant.

On the same date Pte. Peter Malley of Chatham, of the 132nd and later of the 87th, was admitted to hospital on account of wounds.

Pte. George Grant of Chatham, another 132nd boy, son of Geo. Grant sr., has also been wounded.

Mr. Louis Miller of Millbank, has been notified that his son, Pte. Geo. Stanley Miller, had been admitted to the 12th Field Ambulance, August 15th, suffering from wounds and gas poisoning.

Mr. Samuel Martin of Lower Neguac, has received word that his son, Pte. Edmund Martin, had been admitted to the Fifth Field Ambulance, Aug. 15th, with gunshot wound in left arm.

Among those recently wounded at the front was Lieut. Jas. D. McLean, of Campbellton, N. B., a graduate of Mount Allison University, who enlisted with the Canadian Pioneers. His brother Charles, a graduate of U. N. B. has returned from active duty and is now in Campbellton, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLean. He is suffering from shell shock.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Macdonald have been notified from Ottawa that their son, William Earle Macdonald, who left here as Quartermaster Sergeant of the 132nd but volunteered for France as a private, in another battalion, was officially reported admitted twelfth field ambulance August 15th, wounded, gas poisoning.

Pte. Macdonald was a well known printer before enlistment.

Stirling Wood, of Douglstown, son of Mr and Mrs James Wood, who was one of the first to enlist in the 25th Battalion, C. E. F., is after a long campaign, suffering from trench fever.

Mrs. John Connors has received word that her husband, Pte. John Connors is suffering from gas poisoning.

Mrs. Isaac McKenzie of Chatham has received word that her husband Pte. Isaac McKenzie was admitted to the Western General Hospital on August 20th, suffering from gun shot wound in left leg.

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## Serious Stabbing Affair at Doaktown

### Gordon Robinson in Serious State as Result of Being Stabbed by Soldier Named Parker

Blackville, Aug. 22—Miss Margaret Jardine was united in marriage to Mr. John Touchie at the Presbyterian manse, Blackville on Wednesday afternoon. They will reside at the bride's home at Indiantown.

Stabbing Affair at Doaktown

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## Annual Methodist District Meeting

### Held Yesterday Afternoon and Evening.—Forward Steps in Mission Work Endorsed

The quarterly meeting of the Methodist Chatham Financial District was held here yesterday afternoon and evening, an unusually large number of laymen attending.

Those present were: Rev. J. L. Dawson, president of the Conference; Rev. Geo. Steele, Supt. of Missions Bathurst—Rev. Geo. A. Ross; Amos J. Eddy, Harville White New Bandon—Rev. H. C. Upton, Horace Hornbrook

Newcastle—Rev. Dr. C. W. Squires J. H. Ashford, H. H. Stuart and H. D. Atkinson.

Chatham—Rev. J. J. Plakerton, W. B. Snowball, R. S. Curil, S. McLoon Tabucintac—Rev. I. F. Curtis, J. W. Robertson

Derby—Rev. E. Rowlands Harcourt—Rev. C. S. Stobbing Richibucto—Rev. Thos. Pierce Buctouche—Rev. Wm. Lawson

Missionary and contingent fund assessments were placed as follows: Missionary Increase Contingent

Gaspé and Cape Cod	\$90 \$10 4
Campbellton	100 25 6
Bathurst and New Bandon	190 30 3
Newcastle	125 38 3
Chatham	250 50 9
Tabucintac	— 1
Derby	180 25 4
Harcourt	80 15 3
Richibucto	70 10 3
Buctouche	160 15 3
Total	\$1185 \$215 \$45

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## PREMIER BORDEN WILL NOT RESIGN POST

### Despite Rumors to Contrary Sir Robert Will Less Conservative Party in Coming Election—Union Government Not Possible

Ottawa, August 29—Sir Robert Borden will remain head of the Conservative party. At a prolonged ministerial conference today which lasted until two o'clock the Prime Minister dealt with the recent negotiations for a union government and stated that the western Liberals with whom he had been negotiating were willing to join a union government with himself as a member but not as leader.

Sir George Foster was one of those suggested as the new leader. Sir Robert expressed his willingness to retire but this met with no favor. Sir George Foster, who was present at the caucus, declined to accept the responsibilities of the leadership and maintained that Sir Robert's continuance in the position was essential to the efficient conduct of the war.

The caucus unanimously approved of Sir George's position and pledged their loyalty to Sir Robert Borden and their co-operation in his efforts to bring about a government presenting all elements favorable to a vigorous war policy.

The Conservative members of Parliament today adopted the following resolution: "We the supporters of Sir Robert Borden's government in the parliament of Canada, record our emphatic approval of that government's policy and achievements during these three years of war."

"We endorse the earnest and patient efforts of the prime minister to bring about a union of all the war forces of Canada and to give to this Dominion in these days of ever-increasing stress, suffering and peril, the advantage of an administration which would typify that union and speak to the world the unwavering resolution of our people to see this war through to victory."

"For the purpose of such union we are one and all prepared to make any personal or party sacrifice that the occasion may demand."  
"We record unanimously our profound admiration of the great work and splendid leadership of Sir Robert Borden. We sincerely believe that no other man can discharge with like capacity the tremendous task of prime minister during this crisis and that now, of all time, his continuance in the premiership is indispensable to the nation, and to his support we pledge our unalterable devotion."

## Pretty Wedding At Bartibogue

### Miss Margaret Kenna Become Wife of Mr. John McCarthy of Barnaby River on Monday

St. Peter's church, Bartibogue, was the scene of an interesting event Monday morning, Aug. 27, when Miss Margaret J. Kenna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kenna became the bride of Mr. John McCarthy of Barnaby River. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Hawkes. The bride looked charming in a travelling suit of navy blue with white satin belt. She was assisted by Miss May O'Neill who wore a navy blue costume with grey picture hat. The groom looking his best, was ably supported by his brother James. After the ceremony the wedding party motored to the bride's home where a dainty dinner was served, after which they motored to Newcastle and took the train for a short honeymoon through the province followed by the best wishes of a host of friends. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome brooch set with pearls, to the bride a set of gold cuff links. The bride was the recipient of many useful and costly presents, including china, linen, silver and several substantial cheques. On their return the happy couple will reside at Barnaby River.

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### Kenneth Corbett Wounded

#### C.-G.-R. Man Well Known on the North Shore in the Casualty List

Mrs. Kenneth Corbett received of Social notification Thursday that her husband, Pte. Kenneth Corbett, had been admitted to hospital in France. He having been quite seriously wounded.

Kenneth Corbett is well known in this section, having been operator at Beaver Brook, Chatham Jct. and other places along the line. He was also for a few years night agent at the I. C. R. station in Fredericton, and was later transferred to Campbellton where he acted in the same position. About two years ago he enlisted with the Army Medical Corps and after getting to England he transferred to an infantry battalion so that he could get to the firing line sooner. He has been in the trenches for some time and further news of him will be waited anxiously. Mrs. Corbett and child are at present in Kewick with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McKee.

### More Reforms For India

#### Responsible Government for That Country is the British Aim

Edwin S. Montagu, Secretary for India, will go to India next winter to take up reforms of the Government there. The policy of the British Government is of an increasing association of Indians with every branch of the Indian administration and of gradual developments of self-governing institutions with a view to making a responsible government in India an integral part of the British Empire. It has been decided that substantial steps in this direction shall be taken as soon as possible. The Government has recommended nine Hindoos for commissions in the army.

### Society May Interfere at Any Time

(The New York World)

It is said from time to time by apologists for Prussianism that we have no right to dictate the kind of government under which the Germans shall live. That is not true. When any form of government becomes a proved menace to the world, society has a right to protect itself.

### Swedish Hospital for Wounded Soldiers

Under the heading of "Swedish Gratitude," The London Times, in its issue of the 24th July, paid a generous tribute to the efforts of the Swedish residents to alleviate the sufferings of wounded British soldiers. Our great contemporary, in writing of the Swedish War Hospital, stated "that more than 18 months ago a number of Swedish residents in Great Britain conceived the idea of establishing a hospital in London for the care of wounded British soldiers, as a token of their appreciation of a great nation's hospitality." Two months later the premises of the Central Institute for Swedish Gymnastics, in Paddington Street, W., were taken over and opened as a hospital at a cost of equipment of £16,000, all of which was provided by Swedish merchants trading here and in Sweden. They also supply £4,000 a year for running expenses. The hospital, which was attached to the 2nd London General Hospital, originally gave accommodation to 30 or 40 soldier patients. Later it was re-arranged as a hospital for officers, with 24 beds, and afterwards it received its patients direct from battlefield. According to a report by Dr. Westman, the resident medical officer, the Swedish manual treatment has been used in suitable cases, and in a number of instances the time of healing of wounds has been considerably shortened and the ultimate scar much reduced in size. The Swedish colony in London and the friends of England in Sweden have cause to be proud of the success of their humane undertaking. —Journal of the Swedish Chamber of Commerce for the United Kingdom.

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### BLACKVILLE

Blackville, Aug. 28—Miss Rabie Price of Doaktown was in town Monday with her new automobile. Mr. Parks was chauffeur.

Mrs. Gordon McDonald came home from Chatham Hospital on Friday much improved in health.

Mrs. A. Alcorn and family have returned after spending two weeks at the sea shore.

Mrs. Dr. Beaton, her mother and child came home Saturday after spending the summer at Point au Car.

Mr. Harry Snowball and Mr. John Vanderbeck motored here Monday on business.

Miss Ethel Underwood was united in marriage to Mr. Harold Crawford, both of this place at the bride's home on Thursday evening, Aug. 23. After the ceremony refreshments were served. They left on the Fredericton Express on their honeymoon. Rev. L. Beaton officiated.

Mr. Wave Underhill of Boston, who was called home on account of his mother's illness last week, returned Tuesday to his post of duty as motor man on Street Railway there.

Corp. Allie Layton of 12th F B D arrived home from Petawawa Monday evening on a 9 days furlough. He reports all the boys in good health and says the 65th gives them lots of work to do.

Mr. John McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McDonald, passed away on Friday 22nd, at the age of 23 years. He has been a sufferer for over 2 years. The funeral took place on Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment at the Roman Catholic cemetery.

Mr. Robert Gillespie, a respected young man passed away Monday morning at the age of 24 years. He leaves a young wife and child to mourn the loss. He has been ailing for some time at his parents home. The funeral took place Tuesday morning at 9 a. m., High Mass at St. Raphael's church Father Crumley officiated.

Mr. Arthur McRae lost a valuable cow Saturday. She was found dead in the pasture.

**Frost on Sunday**

The haying season is over and the barns are filled to overflowing. Some had to stack part of the crop.

The rust has showed on some of the potato fields and there is also some rot. There was quite a frost Sunday night, but did not do much damage.

Blackville Superior School opened on Monday with a staff of four teachers. Mr. Lindon Crocker of Millerton as Principal, Miss Lottie Underhill, Miss Hulda Mountain, Miss Stella Powers, teachers.

Miss M. Cameron of Fredericton, is visiting at Mr. Bert Underhill's.

Private W. A. Sullivan of 236th Kilties, is home on leave for two weeks from Valcartier Camp.

**A Curiosity**

A pair of cart wheels made 50 years ago by the late Patrick Quinn was shipped to Mr. John Vanderbeck in Millerton. He is getting up a cart to exhibit at the Chatham Exhibition this fall. They are quite a curiosity.

Miss Alice Mountain is home from Boston on a visit at her parent's home.

Master Bonnie, Angus and Isabel Allen of Chatham, are visiting at their aunt's, Mrs. Jacob Layton.

Blueberry parties are the order of the day, a great many of the residents are going every morning to the Forks on the Express and returning on the Freight. The berries are plentiful. Every body return with their pails full.

Pev Father Chasson has purchased a new car.

Miss Nan, Alma and Lottie Wetmore have returned to their home in Campbellton.

Miss Violet Schofield of Infantown is visiting her sister Mrs. Clifford Underhill.

### AMONG THE TEACHERS

The Misses Myrtle Kirkpatrick, Kathleen Benn and Katherine Driscoll of Douglstown, will teach the following schools, respectively the present term: Bryenton, Kirkwood and Nordin. Miss Sadie Urquhart of Nordin will teach at Upper Derby David Gulliver of Douglstown, who was principal the past year of Nashwaaksis school, has accepted the principalship, at a largely increased salary, of the Bristol, Carleton Co., two department school, which after Christmas will have three departments.

Newcastle, Chatham and Douglstown schools will have the same staff of teachers as last term.

**MARRIED**

At Blackville on Wednesday evening the 22nd inst., Miss Ethel Underwood to Mr. Harold Crawford, both of Blackville. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. Beaton in the presence of few intimate friends. The young couple will reside in Blackville where both are held in high esteem.

Wait—It's Coming—"The Darling of Paris" by Victor Hugo.



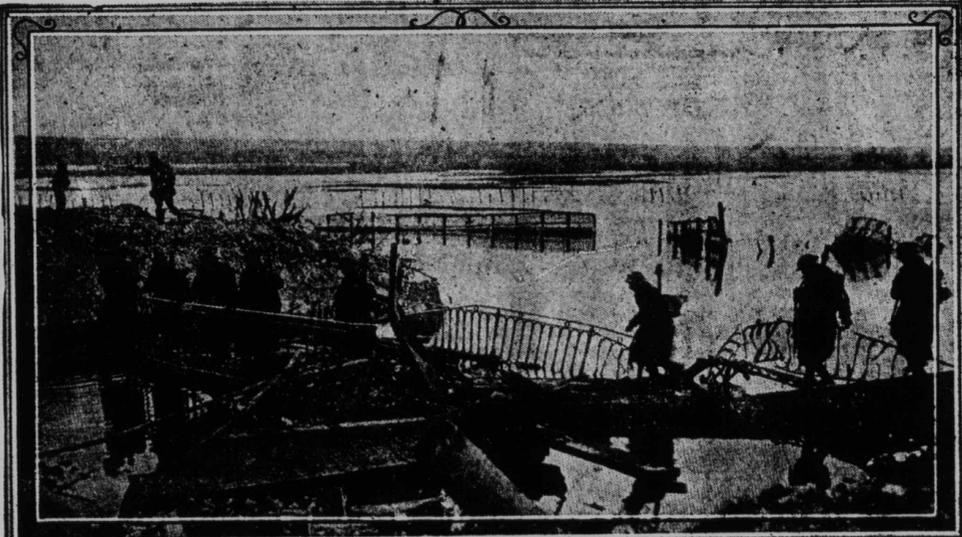
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## GIVING SERVICES TO THE COUNTY FREE OF CHARGE

### Sir George Perley and Mr. F. B. McCurdy Show a Fine Sense of Public Service

(Ottawa Journal, Aug. 8, 1917) A striking illustration of the patriotism of some of our Canadian public men was given in the House last evening during the discussion upon the resolution moved by Sir Robert Borden to provide for the creation of the portfolio of Minister of Militia overseas and the offices of Parliamentary Secretary for the Militia Department and the Department of External Affairs. It developed that while there is to be the usual ministerial emolument of \$7,500 for the Overseas Militia portfolio, Sir George Perley had written the Prime Minister that he would not accept it. It also transpired that for all the onerous ministerial duties that have fallen to the lot of Sir George Perley since the general election of 1911, he has not received one single cent.

Another Refuses Salary. But since the war began he has been constantly in harness and the expense to which he has been put has been enormous, and so his decision to accept nothing for his services as Minister Overseas shines forth as a fine testimony to the character of the men.

There is another example. Attached to the office of Parliamentary Secretary for the Militia Department is the salary of \$5,000, but the Premier made the statement that when Mr. F. B. McCurdy was appointed he would not accept the office unless it was understood that he would accept no money for his services. The work that Mr. McCurdy has done has been enormous. He has given his whole time to assisting Sir Edward Kemp, and morning, noon and night he has been constantly at duty.

It is also a tribute to the spirit of Sir George Perley and Mr. McCurdy that it had not been known before that they had been giving their valuable services without monetary compensation.

## SIDELIGHTS ON THE SESSION

Written Specially for the Ottawa Journal By the Corridor Patrol

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It is characteristic of men like Sir George Perley and F. B. McCurdy that it should only leak out in a casual way that they have been giving their services to their country in time of war without remuneration.

They have made no parade of their patriotism. They simply got down to business and told the Premier they would accept no emolument for the work they were called upon to do. In the one case Sir George is compelled to stay in London; in the other Mr. McCurdy is obliged to be at Ottawa almost constantly. The additional expense to these men is very great. Financially it is a serious loss.

Sir George Perley is an Ottawa boy, although he happened to be born in New Hampshire. He was educated at the old Ottawa Grammar School.

His first political contest was in 1900 when he had the courage to face Hon. W. C. Edwards in the solid Liberal riding of Russell. Although beaten he gave Mr. Edwards the right of his life, reducing his majority of 1,603 to 566. Mr. Edwards went to the Senate after that.

Next year he entered the bye-election contest against Thomas Christie but with a Liberal Government in power it was almost hopeless. Yet he held Mr. Christie down to 191 major-

ity, and in 1904 beat him by 176. He increased that majority to 259 in 1908 and 597 in 1911, the largest majority ever got by any federal candidate in that riding.

Sir George will be sixty years of age next week, and it is remarkable that his hair is as black as it was at twenty, or at least there was not a grey hair to be seen when he was in Ottawa last year.

Fleming B. McCurdy Fleming B. McCurdy is a youth so far as Parliamentarians go. He is 42. His wife is a daughter of B. F. Pearson, of Halifax. He is the father of two boys.

Mr. McCurdy has had a remarkable career. At 14 years of age he became enterprising, and left the farm to enter the office of the Halifax Banking Company. That was in 1889. In 1901, when he was just 28 he had the courage to leave the bank and establish the firm of F. B. McCurdy & Co. There wasn't very much of a company about it; it was mostly F. B. McCurdy.

That was the beginning. The firm has played a large part in the development of Nova Scotia industry.

His political career began in 1911, and he went gunning for the biggest game he could find. It was no less a person than Hon. W. S. Fielding. He beat Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Minister of Finance in Shelburne and Queen's.

J. M.

## HYMENAL

JARDINE—FERNALD (North Andover, Mass., Paper)

A charming horse wedding was solemnized Wednesday at 7.30 p. m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Fernald, 45 Pleasant St. when their younger daughter, Miss Myra Pauline Fernald became the bride of John Forsythe Jardine of Wallaston. The bride was given in marriage by her father. The bridal party stood under a beautiful arch of asparagus, ferns and goldweed. The bride presented a most charming appearance, her bridal gown being a beautiful creation of white crepe de chine, hand embroidered with white beads. She wore a tulle wedding veil caught with clusters of white swansons and carried a shower bouquet of white bride's roses. The bridesmaid was her sister, Miss Marion who wore a handsome gown of pink taffeta silk and carried pink roses. The best man was Sidney Hoyte of Wallaston. Rev. T. C. Atchison pastor of the Presbyterian church of Lawrence officiated and the double ring service was used. The rooms were beautifully decorated with yellow daisies and golden rod and asparagus ferns.

A dainty collation was served by Caterer Rhodes of Andover. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played as the bridal party entered the parlor, by Miss Hazel Crandall of Worcester, a classmate of the bride at Framingham Normal school.

The wedding gifts were numerous and elegant and testified to the high esteem in which the young couple were held by a host of friends. They included a substantial check from the bride's parents, several gold pieces, silverware, cut glass table linen and pictures.

The bridal couple departed amid a shower of confetti and rice for a wedding journey to New Brunswick where they will spend several weeks before taking up their home in Wallaston. Guests were present from Lynn, Revere, Lowell, Haverhill, New Haven, Worcester, Lawrence, Wallaston and North Andover. The bride is a graduate of the Johnson High school and the Framingham Normal school where she took the Domestic Science course.

(Mr. John Forsythe Jardine is the son of Mr. John C. Jardine of Boom Road, North Esk, N. B., and are spending part of their honeymoon at Boom Road.)

CRAWFORD—UNDERWOOD An interesting event took place in Blackville on Wednesday Aug. 22nd, when Ethel Barbara, daughter of Mrs. Isabella Underwood, became the bride of Mr. Harold Crawford.

The bride looked exceedingly charming in a suit of nigger brown chiffon taffeta and carried a bouquet of carnations and sweet peas. Rev. L. Beaton tied the nuptial knot in the presence of immediate relatives of the bride and groom.

After the ceremony supper was served and the happy couple left on the 10 o'clock train for a short honeymoon, followed by the good wishes of a host of friends. The presents which included money, silverware, china, etc., testified to the popularity of the young people.

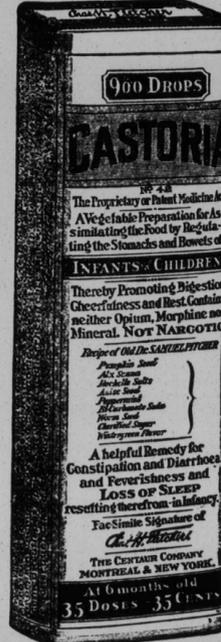
Calgary, Alta., Aug. 27—Fred Johnson, a farmer living in his vicinity, committed suicide Saturday by hanging. He first erected a scaffold for the purpose.

## Military Service Bill Signed By Governor-General on Tuesday



The Duke and Duchess of Devonshire.

The Military Service, or Conscription Bill was signed at Toronto on Tuesday by the Duke of Devonshire and is now law. The dates of calling out of the first drafts has not been announced.



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### American Army Starts Training

Forces of the New World Getting Ready For the Spring Campaign

Two hundred thousand of the new American overseas army of 687,000 will go into training camps the coming week, and the rest will quickly follow.

### British Labor Divided

Exmouth, Eng., Aug. 20—The National Conference of the Miners' federation of Great Britain, today, decided by a vote of 376 to 354 that the British Labor party should not be represented at the international Socialist conference at Stockholm. This is a reversal of a previous decision of the Miners' Federation.

London, Aug. 21—By a vote of 1,234,000 to 1,231,000 the Labor party members today decided to participate in the Stockholm peace conference of Socialists called by the Socialists of Russia.

The vote was by card. The scant majority of only 3,000 was a surprise.

The Labor party will appeal to the government to grant passports for its representatives.

### Save the Children

Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house may feel that the lives of their little ones are reasonably safe during the hot weather. Stomach troubles, cholera infantum and diarrhoea carry off thousands of little ones every summer, in most cases because the mother does not have a safe medicine at hand to give promptly. Baby's Own Tablets cure these troubles, or if given occasionally to the well child will prevent their coming on. The Tablets are guaranteed by a government analyst to be absolutely harmless even to the newborn babe. They are especially good in summer because they regulate the bowels and keep the stomach sweet and pure. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

DIED At Lawrence, Mass., July 28th, 1917, in the 48th year of his age Frederick L. Belknap, leaving a wife (nee Miss Laura Bockler) a father and one brother Norris.

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THURSDAY AUGUST 30th, 1917

**PUBLIC SERVICE**

(Ottawa Evening Journal)

It is fashionable nowadays, particularly among that class of persons who do not even bother to go to a polling booth on election day, to sneer at politics and politicians. The country has heard so many cheap sneers at our politicians, that the term, which in the minds of our young men should stand for patriotism and service, has got to be held in contempt; public men, thanks to an unthinking, ignorant crusade, are regarded as a lot of scheming demagogues and parasites living upon the taxes of the people. Because of this false impression, an impression which in Canada, is seriously militating against our public life, The Journal is glad to avail itself of every possible opportunity of showing that as a class our public men represent as high—if not higher—a degree of patriotism as can be found among any other class in the community. Such an opportunity is afforded by a discussion in the Commons yesterday which brought out that two of our well known parliamentarians, Sir George Perley and Hon. F. B. McCurdy, have, for the past couple of years, been giving their time and their energy to the service of the country without a cent of material reward in return. Mr. McCurdy, one of the brightest and ablest of the young business men of Canada, has by his acceptance of the position of Parliamentary Secretary for the Department of Militia removed himself from activity in business which must have meant the loss of many thousands of dollars. Yet he declines to accept a cent for his services. If Sir George Perley were to devote the time and energy that he is giving the country to his private affairs, his material income would be increased by many thousands of dollars. Yet, for the honor, exacting service that he is giving the country as Overseas Minister of Militia he declines material reward.

Nor are such cases of disinterested service remote in our political life; they have their counterpart in many instances that too often go unappreciated by a cynical, ungrateful public. We venture to say that in that section of the nation which howls loudest and oftenest against politicians, particularly among that comfortable class of political aristocrats who hold aloof from our politics except to denounce politicians and to demand "business government" there is not to be found an equal measure of sacrifice for national service. And we would like to see instances such as those of Mr. F. B. McCurdy and Sir George Perley, brought to the attention of all the people of Canada, particularly to

**Letters to the Editor**

(Editor's Note:—The columns of The Union Advocate are open at all times, when space is available, to correspondents who may desire to express their opinions therein on questions of public interest. Opinions differing from those held by The Union Advocate will be given space as freely as those with which this paper agrees, and letters from correspondents are published with the distinct understanding that the opinions expressed in such letters are not necessarily those of The Union Advocate.

Letters which in the judgment of The Editor, are unreasonably offensive to anyone, will not be published.

**A POLITICAL PUZZLE**

Numerous investigations have been held and some are being held at present. Various political scandals have been unearthed and politicians condemned, guilty, criminally and politically, by undoubted proof. Some have been punished, others exonerated by the so called "Whitewash" method. Among the investigations held into the actions of the late local government will be remembered one into the Public Works Department, at which one, H. Blair, was a star witness, who with two co-partners, constituted the so-called Concrete Construction Co., Ltd., the stock of which Company being found worthless after many Provincial Steel Bridges had been painted on a 30% basis was thrown into the fire. Perhaps because the alien chief partner had absconded with the profits. The people of New Brunswick by their honest vote condemned the late Government and turned it out of office on February 24th, 1917, with the intention of electing a clean honest government. The Public Works Department of the present clean honest Government shows its appreciation of the services of Mr. H. Blair, whose services while in office of the late Government brought on the condemnation of the Public, thereby helping the present Government into office. At the present time every member of the famous Concrete Construction Company has been rewarded by the local government, except the one who absconded with the profits and perhaps if he can be found he also will be provided for, though we hope he may not be in want. Is this not the proper way for a Government to reward its friends— is it?

The student of politics who can solve this puzzle is worthy of reward.

**Independent Representation**

**ON A VISIT**  
Fred Lucas, chief of police at Newcastle, is in the city on a vacation. He was a former valued officer on the St. John force and is receiving a hearty welcome from his many friends.—St. John Standard.

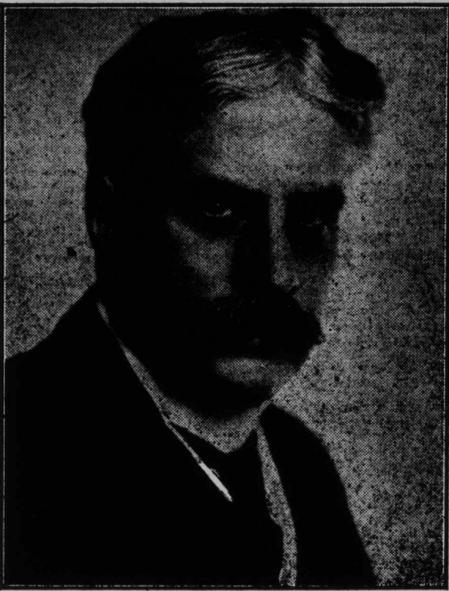
**MISS CLARE RYAN**

The death of Miss Clara Ryan of Chatham, occurred on Monday afternoon after a lingering illness. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Ryan and had many friends. She is survived by her parents, one brother, Ernest of Arlington, Mass., and two sisters, Mrs. Robert Campbell of Chatham, and Miss Katie at home. Another brother, Leonard, was killed in France a few months ago.

The attention of our young men who are too frequently misled into the habit of scoffing at what is, after all, the noblest profession in our national life.

The list is a long one of Canadians outside of the army who are these days devoting their time and energies at considerable sacrifice to the public service without remuneration and without hope of reward other than the personal satisfaction of accomplishment in something worth while.

**Premier Borden Will Not Resign Post**



*R. H. Borden*

**Annual Methodist District Meeting**

(Continued from page 1)

After earnest addresses by Rev. Dr. Steele, Rev. J. L. Dawson and others the following was unanimously adopted:

That this District, having heard Dr. Steele, Supt. of Missions, and Rev. J. L. Dawson, Pres. of Conference, present the forward movement of the Methodist church of Canada, having as its objective the raising of \$500,000 as well as to educate and stimulate our people along Missionary and spiritual lines, agrees with the principles and purposes of the movement and would pledge itself to do all in its power to attain the desired goal, \$1100 being the Chatham District's share of this amount.

Rev. Messrs. Steele and Dawson addressed a large public meeting in the evening.

**PROGRESS OF THE WAR**

The British operations east and northeast of Ypres, uncertain for a few days, were reported on the 23rd inst. as being completely successful.

The French objectives north of Verdun last week appear to have been attained. If the offensive were continued fresh artillery preparation would be necessary.

The German counter attacks Thursday against dominant positions such as Dead Man Hill and Hill 344 proved to be costly failures, leaving the French masters of the points they held before the beginning of the great battle of Verdun last year.

The German sea raider, See Adler, in South American waters last winter, is reported sunk after a battle with a British warship. Only a few of her men were saved.

Canadian troops on the 25th pressed continuously against Lens, capturing a short trench and an enemy post with a few prisoners and a machine gun.

The French last week, by the capture of Hill 304, recovered the last of the Verdun forts captured by the Germans in 1916. They have advanced still further, practically clearing that corner of France of the enemy. In the Verdun contest recently the French captured 8,000 prisoners. The Italians last week made important gains towards Trieste, tak-

ing over 25,000 prisoners.

After two weeks fighting, General Mackensen has advanced 4 1/2 miles in Roumania, and he is about brought to a standstill.

The Germans are still unable to reach Riga on the Baltic, although many of the Russian regiments remain disorganized.

During the present year the allies have regained 1,000 square miles of France. There is no hope, however, of them breaking the German western lines this fall or winter.

The determining factor of the war if peace does not come by agreement will be the entry of the American army into France next year.

A report to the American state department says that the German scientists have compiled statistics which show that if the war continues for another two years the condition of the world as regards foodstuffs will be the same as that of Germany today. The communication received by the state department says that the German government is therefore informing its people that all military preparations to continue the war for another two years must be made, stating that if this is done Germany cannot be defeated, because the people of the countries now at war with Germany will not endure the hardships which the German people are enduring fresh artillery preparation willing to undergo.

**Those Hasty Speeches!**



He: "Think of living in a shack like that, How would you like it?"  
She: "Oh, George, this is so sudden!"

**The Iron Cow**

A most amusing slip was made the other day by an attorney, who was retained to defend a farmer, whom a late servant sued for wages alleged to be owing to him by defendant, who refused to pay on account of the servant leaving his employ without proper notice.

The attorney wound up a grandiloquent speech, by informing his worship that the plaintiff had left his client in a fix by absconding himself from his duties when there were forty-one cows to milk, thus requiring "All hands to the pump!"

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**DOAKTOWN**

In last weeks issue of the advocate, it was stated in Eolestown notes that Pte. Lawrence Carroll was dead, we are glad indeed that this statement is incorrect. The only telegram received by his parents was that he was gassed. Since that date they have received a letter from him, saying he was slowly improving.

Mrs. H. Martin and son, accompanied by Misses Bertie and Edith Martin have been visiting friends and relatives in town for the past two weeks.

Miss Freda Wier B. A. who has been in the teaching profession for the past few years, left by Monday's Express for Fredericton enroute for Sackatchewan where she will take up her duties as teacher there.

Mrs. Peter Bohan and Miss Sevoile of Barnaby River are visitors to town this week; and are guests of Mrs. Bohan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McCormick.

Mrs. Fannie Holmes is spending a few days of this week with friends in Fredericton.

Miss Annie Murray has accepted the position of teacher of the McNamee school for the ensuing term.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Mersereau, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mersereau and Mrs. Russell of Chatham motored to town on Friday and were guests of Mrs. George Mersereau.

Mr. Manford Betts of Houlton, Me, who motored to town some few days ago, returned on Saturday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Donald and three children, also Misses Minnie Betts and Hazel Beloya.

Miss Sadie Betts has returned home after visiting friends at Plaster Rock. Miss Alice Hannon accompanied her.

The Misses Pedolin of Newcastle who have been visiting relatives in town spent the week-end with Mrs. Herbert Freeze at Bolestown.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the church of England will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the Rectory, all members are requested to be present.

Mrs. Henry Waterton has returned to her home at Kingston Rectory after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hinton for the past two weeks.

Miss Mildred Ross who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. D. Swim, has returned to her home in Newcastle.

Miss Hazel Belyea who has been visiting friends in town returned on Saturday to her home at Fredericton.

Mrs. Jack Mersereau is spending a few weeks with Mrs. (Col.) G. W. Mersereau.

Mrs. Oran Jardine, accompanied by Miss Ullock were visiting relatives and friends in Doaktown and Blissfield during the past week. They returned to their home at Chatham on Friday.

Mr. Richard Hinton returned to his home on Monday after spending two weeks in town with his son George.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Carroll and daughter Miss Helen, left for the Great West on Monday. They will reside there for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Whyte and son of Dyer Brook, Maine, motored to town on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Adam Russell who have been their guests for the past week, accompanied them in their car.

Mrs. Robert Bell and family of Chipman, N. B., have returned home after spending a week with Mrs. Bell's mother, Mrs. Ruth Donnelly.

Mrs. Astles and daughter of Houlton, Maine, were guests of friends and relatives in town during the past week.

Miss Margaret Doak has returned home after spending a week with friends and relatives down river.

Miss Mary Attridge is spending a few days of this week with Mrs. Ernest Logan of Charlotte Street, Fredericton.

Sir John and Lady Eaton have returned to their home in Toronto after spending several weeks fishing on Cain's River. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freeze one day last week.

Mrs. Ernest Donalds has returned to her home in Fredericton after



**KATHLYN WILLIAMS**  
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Appearing at the Happy Hour Friday and Saturday in "The Highway Hope"

spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Percy Crcker.

Mrs. Waterton and Miss Florence Hinton were guests of Mrs. James Swim one day last week.

Miss Edith Mitchell has accepted the position of teacher for the Storeytown school for the coming term.

Miss Mary McCormick will leave on Wednesday for Blissfield where she will teach school in what is known as the Moran school.

Mrs. Jessie Robinson is at present visiting friends and relatives in Houlton, Maine.

The supper and fancy sale held on Saturday evening by the members of a grand success, \$160 being realized. St. Thomas Urebyterian church was the amount is to go towards the new manse which they are erecting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ekhalbert Underhill and family motored to town on Sunday and were guests of Mrs. Underhill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Larson and daughter Miss Anna, spent one day of last week in Fredericton.

Mrs. Howard Holmes was the week end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Doak.

Doaktown—TWO.....:HBh adYad( We are pleased to hear that Mrs. Victor Russell is improving after her recent operation for appendicitis.

School opened on Monday with quite a large attendance, with Principal Geo. Wathen of the advance Dept. and Miss Margaret Doak of the primary Dept.

Much credit is due to these teachers who have made such splendid showing during the past years.

Mrs. Thomas Cowie of Lower Blissfield was the guest of relatives in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Arbeau who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Martha Larson, returned to her home in Blissfield on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Swim has gone to Fredericton to attend the High School there this term.

Word has been received here by Mr. Daniel Doak that his brother, Mr. Miles Doak, who was very ill and who was taken to the Insane Asylum some little time, was dead. His remains will be brought here for burial.

Miss Cooper of Fredericton is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. F. D. Swim this week.

**LOGGIEVILLE**

Loggieville, Aug. 28—Walter England who has been in a few days was taken to the Hotel Dieu hospital on Friday of last week. The doctor pronounced the case to be typhoid fever.

The schools here reopened yesterday. The teaching staff remains unchanged: Principal Harrigan, Miss Katherine Mills, Miss Gussie Kelly, Miss Lou Henderson and Miss Stella Flaherty. A number of new scholars have been enrolled.

Mrs. W. G. Loggie who spent the summer in Moncton and Shediac, has returned to town, to spend a while with friends here.

Miss Bertha Russell of Fredericton accompanied by a friend, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell.

Mrs. George Harper has gone to Moncton where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. Greeves and little son Loggie are visiting Burnt Church relatives this week.

Mrs. Wm. Hierlihy who spent the past three months in town with relatives and friends, returned to her home in Tabacutac last week.

Mrs. Margery Fowle, who spent the past six weeks with Black River relatives, has returned home.

Mrs. Matthew Dickens of Napan is the guest of Mrs. John Robertson.

Miss Katie McMurray has gone to Black River where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. Watson Touchie has returned from Prince Edward Island.

Mrs. A. D. Gillis went to Boston on Thursday to visit relatives there.

Mrs. Alga Baker accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mildred Baker, is renewing old acquaintances here. Mr. and Mrs. David Kelly are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby in their home.

Miss Hutton of Nova Scotia and Miss Rogers of Bathurst, were recent guests of Miss Lottie Loggie.

Mrs. Benj. Crowley and master Stanley Crowley have returned from a visit to Pokeshaw relatives.

Miss Gussie Kelly visited Newcastle friends last week.

Mrs. Reid of Moncton is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Orr.

Miss Nowlan of Chatham visited relatives here recently.

Mrs. Ronald McDonald is spending this week in Black River.

Mrs. Harold Logan and niece, Miss McMillin, recently returned to Loggieville, spending the vacation season at Washburn Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Iswald Young are receiving congratulations over the advent of a son in their home.

A new member has been added to the home circle of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stymiest—it's a boy.

Miss Maggie Blake of New York is spending a while at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. S. Harrian.

Peter and Addie McLean who spent the holiday season with Black River relatives have returned home.

Mrs. Dunn of Newcastle visited relatives here last week.

Rev. W. B. Rosborough has returned from Nova Scotia where he spent the past five weeks.

Miss Underhill of Blackville is the guest of Mrs. Will Gillis.

Mrs. A. G. Dickson and Miss Nan Dickson of Napan visited friends and relatives here last week.

Miss Jessie Robertson accompanied by her mother, is spending some time with Black River friends.

Mrs. John Wals is recovering from a recent illness. Mrs. McFarlane of Chatham recently visited Mrs. Wals.

Phillip Johnstone who is engaged in work at Rogersville, spent Sunday at the home of his mother here.

Robert McDonald has gone to Mulgrave where he will remain for a time.

The A. & R. Loggie Co has erected a splendid new barn on the homestead property. It is a much larger building than the one which was destroyed by fire.

Miss Vera Edge who spent a few days with New Jersey relatives returned home this week.

Mrs. Cameron of Black River who spent several weeks here, at the home of her son, Angus Palmer, has

**BLISSFIELD**

Blissfield, Aug. 28—The weather for the past few days has been very fine.

Mr. Roger Robinson of this place was calling on Fredericton friends last week.

Mrs. Matthew Bowes and little son George are spending a few days with friends here.

Mr. Vincent Cashion was calling on friends at Weaver's Siding one evening last week.

Mr. John T. Sutherland and son, Royal motored to Newcastle on Wednesday.

Mrs. Arch. Wright, of Newcastle, is spending a few days in this place, at the home of Mr. John Weaver.

Quite a number of the young people of this place attended the supper and sale at Doaktown on Saturday evening.

Miss Cassie Russell of Doaktown went Sunday with Miss Ida Sutherland.

Mr. Frank McCormick of Doaktown was calling on friends of this place on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Washburn and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Washburn's parents.

Miss Mary Bowes was calling on Mrs. M. Hennessy Wednesday.

Mr. Mathew Bowes made a flying trip to Newcastle on Tuesday.

Miss Mary Hurley was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Holmes.

Miss Mary Weaver spent a few days in Newcastle where she was the guest of friends.

Mrs. Edward Hogan was the guest of friends in town one day last week.

Mrs. A. Wright and Mrs. J. Weaver, were the guests of Mrs. E. Hurley on Sunday.

Mrs. James Mersereau of Isles, Alta. is spending her vacation with Mrs. L. Mersereau of this place.

**SOCIAL and PERSONAL**

Mrs. John Connors and little daughter, Margaret, are spending a few weeks with friends in Marysville.

Mrs. DesBray of Amherst was visiting Mrs. John H. Troy last week.

Miss Winifred Craig of Moncton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mary Craig, Green St.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sheaf of Chicago, were guests last week of the latter's brothers, Wm. and E. H. Sinclair.

Mrs. P. J. McEvoy and Miss Alice, returned last week from a visit to Antigonish and Port Hawkesbury, N. S.

Mrs. Fred Godey of Cambridge, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hugh Morris.

Mrs. (Dr.) F. C. McGrath is ill with typhoid fever in Hotel Dieu.

Miss Marion Macerthur visited Moncton friends last week.

Mrs. Robert A. Williston spent the past week in Fredericton with her son, Allan Williston.

Mr. Harry Falconer, of Moose Jaw, Sask., is visiting his father, Mr. James Falconer, for a few weeks.

Miss Peter Dunn was in Chatham this week attending the religious services pertaining to the receiving of the white veil, of her niece, Miss Kathleen McEachern.

Mrs. Margaret McGrath is spending her vacation in Campbellton.

Mrs. and Mrs. Robert McCombs of Napan, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLean of Chatham, spent Sunday with Mrs. Peter Dunn.

Mr. Frank Sinclair and his sister, Miss Jean of Whiteville, spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. Frank White. Mr. Sinclair left on Monday morning for the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sinclair and Mrs. Sheaf and Mrs. A. E. Taylor, left Thursday on an auto trip to Moncton, St. John and Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Gilbert of Hampden Highlands, Maine, are rejoicing over the arrival of a little stranger at their home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Gilbert was formerly Miss Janet Williston, of Newcastle.

Misses M. A. Lawlor and May Dolan visited Mrs. Jos. Stevens, Campbellton, last week.

James P. Price of the 232nd, enroute from Halifax to Regina, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price last week.

Miss Gertrude Davidson of Fredericton, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davidson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons of Boston is visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. James Jones.

Miss Annie Morrell is spending a vacation with relatives in Fredericton and Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Smallwood of Moncton, visited Newcastle relatives this week.

Wm. and Miss Stella Power of Red bank left last week to visit relatives in Kensington and Tignish, P. E. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meahan of Winnipeg and Mrs. J. C. Meahan and son Thomas of Bathurst, were recent guests of Rev. P. W. Dixon.

Miss Jennie Whodden of Lawrence Mass., is visiting her home at Curventon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Touchie have returned from a visit to friends in Upper Nelson.

Mrs. Arch Wright has returned from Blissfield, where she was visiting friends.

Misses Beasie Dick and Jule Jeffrey spent last week in Tabacutac.

H. W. B. Smith of Grandville, Mr. and Mrs. James Miller of Marysville and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lyon and the Misses Jessie and Florence Lyon of Millerton were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Atkinson of Chatham Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Smith of Brunswick, Me., son Liacela and daughter Myrtle, visited Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lestock Trevors, Douglasfield, last week.

Rev. Mother St. Alban of Ottawa, is visiting her father, R. A. Lawlor, K. C. of Chatham, who is ill.

Chandler Lobban of Chatham, has been transferred from the Bank of N. B., Sackville, to San Juan, Porto Rico.

Miss Jessie Sinclair left on Friday for St. John's, Gloucester Co. to take up her duties as school teacher.

Mrs. Herval Watling and little daughter visited Chatham friends Thursday.

Aid. T. M. Gaylor of Chatham has returned from New Orleans where he was called by the death of his brother.

Mrs. John Fitzpatrick, sr., and Miss Florence, spent last week with Mrs. H. A. Moar of Nelson.

Miss Mable and Mr. Pat Stevens of Campbellton are spending a few days in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy.

Miss Annie Cassidy, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Edna P. Ryan, Fredericton, returned home last week.

Corporal L. B. Clarke, son of George Clarke of Upper Nelson, returned Saturday on a three months furlough. He was in the 104th Battalion, C. E. F., and landed in England on July 6, 1916. He is invalided because of illness contracted in the trenches.

Archdeacon Forayth returned on Thursday from a six weeks' trip to Bermuda and other cities.

Miss Lylla Jardine, R. N., of Boston, who has just returned from a seven months visit to Japan, Formosa and China, is spending her vacation at the home of her father, Thomas Jardine of Lower Napan.

Miss Laura Bryenton who has been spending the summer at her home here, left on Tuesday's Limited for Coronation, Alberta.

McMillan Shoe Store is making special collection of accounts and would ask those indebted to same to settle soon as possible.

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In the horse races in Fredericton on Wednesday and Thursday last week the entries were as follows: 2.25 Trot and Pace—Purse \$300... Queen Earl, bm., Harvey Bolland, St. John... Miss Kelfer, brm., by Expedition H. G. Kitcher, Fredericton... Cuchanta, bis., by Cochato, P. A. Belliveau, Moncton... Euella H., brn., by Storm King, Albert Hinton, Bathurst... Marshal M., Jr., bg., by Marshal M., Thos. Leahy Halifax... Little Kitty, bm., by Almost, J. B. Gilchrist, Norton, N. B. Epeus, bs., by Tekmar, John Glenn, St. John... Tryfast, bs., by Trampfast, W. B. Lint, Fredericton... Ora Delmarch, bm., by Ora Wilkes, W. B. Lint, Fredericton... Will Be Sure, bs., by Be Sure, E. Dalton, Newcastle... Jimmie Howes, bg., by John Ward, E. Dalton, Newcastle... Jersey Penn, bm., Chas. A. Long, St. John... Claudia C., bm., by Will Be Sure, James Hennessy, River Hebert, N. S. 2.17 Trot and Pace—\$300 Dan O., bg., A. P. Ryan, St. John... Jesse H., bs., by Richard Earle, H. G. Kitcher, Fredericton... Laocopia, bs., by Bingen, P. A. Belliveau, Moncton... Mattie March, bm., by Nervolo, J. B. Gilchrist, Norton... Roy Volo, chs., by Nervolo, W. B. Lint, Fredericton... Corwin Hal, brn., by Hal T. S. A. Rockford, High Ball Farm Tignish P. E. I. Nelda Snell, brm., by Expedition E Dalton, Newcastle... Free-for-All—\$300 Lella Burns, grm., by Bobby Burns, T. V. Monahan, Fredericton... Laocopia, bs., by Bingen, P. A. Belliveau, Moncton... Roy Volo, chs., by Nervolo, W. B. Lint, Fredericton... Elsie E., fm., by Alcyon, Fred Duncanson, St. John... Woodcliffe King, bs. C. S. Hanson, Presque Isle, Me. Bob Mack, bs. L. A. Simpson Amherst N. S. 2.19 Trot—\$300 Nancy Winston, bm., A. P. Ryan St. John... Cochato Lady, bm. by Cochato C C Smith Halifax... James W. McKinney, bis., by Washington McKinney, W. Sharon, Fredericton... Oakley H., brn., by Oakley Baron, Joseph Napke, Redbank... Jerry B., chg. F. L. Rafferty, St. John... The results were:— Wednesday 2.17 Trot and Pace, Purse \$300 Roy Volo, chs., by Nervolo 1 1 1 Laocopia, bs., by Bingen (Belliveau) 2 2 3 Jesse H., bs., by Richard Earle (Raymond) 3 4 2 Dan O., bg., (Ryan) 5 5 4 Nelda Snell, brm. (Dalton) 4 6 5 Corwin Hal, brn. (Rockford) 5 3 dr Time 2.17 1/4, 2.17 1/4, 2.16 1/4 2.25 Trot and Pace, Purse \$300 Miss Kelfer, brm., by Expedition (Raymond) 2 3 1 1 Tryfast, bs., by Trampfast, (Lint) 1 1 2 2 3 Will Be Sure, bs. by Be Sure (Dalton) 6 2 5 3 2 Queen Earle, bm. (Hoody) 3 4 6 6 4 Marshal M., Jr., bg. Carroll 9 5 4 4 ro Little Kitty, bm., Brickley 6 10 7 5 ro Jenny Penn, bm (Long) 7 6 3 7 ro

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Resolution of Condolence

The following resolution was passed at a recent meeting of Northumbria Lodge, No. 17, A. F. & A. M. Mrs. S. W. Miller, Newcastle. Dear Madam: Whereas it has pleased the Great Architect of the Universe in his inscrutable wisdom to remove from labor in this Terrestrial Sphere, our late Right Worshipful Brother Stanley W. Miller, who for a score of years had been an earnest and energetic member of the fraternity and one who was always ready to assist with his council to advance the principles of Freemasonry. And whereas the members of Northumbria Lodge No. 17 are desirous of recording the loss they have sustained and of expressing their deepest sympathy with you and the other members of the bereaved family in their present sore affliction. Therefore resolved, that while we bow in humble submission to the Divine Will we deeply mourn the loss of a Brother whose journey through life was marked for charity and brotherly love and who evinced a very deep interest in all matters pertaining to the welfare and advancement of his native town and the lodge in particular. JAMES M. TROY JAMES FALCONER H. R. MOODY. Committee.

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Dated the seventh day of November, A. D. 1916. 1347 JAMES ROBINSON

BOILESTOWN

Boilestown, Aug. 22—Benjamin Brown who recently returned from the St. Croix is confined to his home through illness.

Teresa Munn of Hayesville and Joseph Munn of Holtville, were united in marriage at the Methodist Parsonage Wednesday 22nd. The bride was gowned in Copenhagen blue silk with hat of ecru with trimmings to match and was unattended. Immediately after the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home. They were the recipients of a large number of presents.

Miss Muriel MacDonald of St. Mary's is spending her holidays with relatives at Bloomfield.

Dr. and Mrs. Ryan motored to Fredericton on Saturday.

Mrs. A. Cyr and children who have been spending the summer with relatives here, left for home in St. John on Monday.

Mrs. Purdy Spencer and son Wendall are visiting Mrs. Brown at Fairley.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Norrad, Mrs. B. Norrad, Mrs. Benj. Brown, Averil Brown and Mrs. Fred Fairley drove to Ludlow on Tuesday and were guests of Mrs. John McKay.

Mrs. Herbert Fairley and daughter Margaret of Fredericton, were in town for a few days last week.

Mrs. John Whalen and family, were the guests of her sister, Mrs. Harry Norrad on Sunday.

Mrs. Willard Norrad and baby Zola of Fredericton, is at present enjoying a vacation with Mrs. Norrad's parents at their summer home here.

Margaret Allala had the misfortune to fall over the banister at her home last week and break her arm.

Charles Flett who has been the guest of Mr. Charles Reid for the past week, returned to his home in Fredericton this morning.

The electrical storm which visited this place last Monday night was the worst experienced this season. The lightning entered the house of Beulah Norrad and tore plaster and paper from around the telephone and carried it a distance of 25 ft. At Harry Norrad's a sweater was thrown over the telephone, a large hole was burned in it, and the hair on the top of his head singed. The bolt escaped through a window in the stairs. Considerable damage was done to the telephones in the neighbourhood.

Mr. James Fairley is leaving on Thursday for Montreal to visit his daughters, Miss Evelyn and Mrs. Randolph Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Jr., left on Tuesday on an auto trip to Fredericton, McAdam and other places.

Harry Norrad is seriously ill at his home. He is attended by Dr. Ryan.

Boilestown, Aug. 22—A number of young people of this place enjoyed a week's outing at Cain's ariver recently. Among the number were Mr. T. F. Whalen, the Misses Vida and Mary McCloskey, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Whalen, and Mr. and Mrs. Hedleigh F. McCloskey.

Miss Liddle O'Donnell who has been spending a few weeks at Mrs. Danjel Scauntry's has returned to her home.

Miss Melissa Murphy is spending her vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snow are rejoicing over the arrival of twin boys at their home one day last week.

Mr. Jas. E. Spencer who has been spending the summer months with Mr. Everett Campbell has returned to his home at Parker Ridge.

Mr. Reginald McCloskey is spending the week-end in Fredericton, the guest of Mr. Wendall Gunter.

Miss Frances McMillan of Campbellton is visiting friends and relatives in this place.

DOAKTOWN

Doaktown, Aug. 22—Another severe electrical storm passed over this vicinity on Monday evening. The lightning was most vivid accompanied by torrents of rain.

A huge stack of hay belonging to Mr. James Amos was burned to the ground. A telephone was torn from the wall of the residence of Mr. Edward Hogan. Mr. Hogan got quite a severe shock.

Miss Bertha Ogilvie who has been visiting her niece Mrs. Ernest Logan at Fredericton, has returned home again. Miss Isabelle Ogilvie accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Price of Minneapolis who spent part of their honeymoon with relatives here, have returned home.

Mrs. Henry Waterton of Kingston, N. B., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hinton.

Mr. Richard Hinton of Strathadam, accompanied by Mr. Richard Scott are guests of Mr. Geo. Hinton.

Miss Reza Russell has returned home after visiting friends at Douglassfield.

Miss Mary McCormick who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Peter Bohan of Barnaby River, has returned home.

Miss Hazel Belyea of Fredericton Junction, arrived in town on Thursday and is the guest of Miss Minnie Betts.

Miss Annie Hamilton of Black Lands, Red Co., who has attended the Summer School at Woodstock for the past four weeks spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Russell. She was accompanied home by her grand-father, Mr. Jackson Miller, who has been in town for a few weeks.

Mrs. Mike McCormick and daughter Phyllis of Carrolls Crossing, were guests of Mrs. McCormick's sister, Mrs. Lawrence Doak recently.

Miss Rena Gorden who has been visiting friends here for the past two weeks, returned to Fredericton on Saturday.

Major and Mrs. Fred Mersereau returned home quite recently from England. Mr. Mersereau who has been suffering greatly from rheumatism, was invalided home.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Russell left last week for Dyer Brook, Maine, where they will visit their many relatives.

Miss Dora Holt of Quarryville, and niece, Miss Doris have returned home after spending their vacation with friends in town.

Mrs. William Trip and sister, Mrs. Dora Connors arrived in town last week and are guests of their brother, Mr. George Doak.

Mrs. Dods of Halifax, N. S., is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. (Col.) George Mersereau.

A telegram received by Mrs. Emily Carrolls stated that her son, Pte. Lawrence Carroll of Carrolls Crossing, had been gassed and admitted to the hospital in France. No particulars are received here.

Pte. Carroll enlisted with the 132nd bat. and was transferred to a Montreal Battalion, soon after arriving in England.

46,000 FARMERS HAVE ENLISTED

Sir Edward Kemp, Minister of Militia, states that 45,797 farmers have enlisted up to June 30, 1917. Of this number 24,692 came from the western provinces. The total enlistments of all citizens were 424,000.

Acquitted Slayer of Wife's Seducer

The "unwritten law" whereby a man may kill his wife's seducer was recognized last week by an English jury in London, almost for the first time within the recollection of the English public.

THE NEW CIRCUIT

Announcement that at last a genuine honest to goodness racing circuit has been formed in the Maritime Provinces has caused great rejoicing not only among the owners of strings of racing horses, but also among the many thousand admirers of good clean sport. There are few, who will not admit that one of the greatest sports in the world is to see a string of big, beautiful, pure bred horses coming down the stretch fighting it out gamely to the wire.

The Nova Scotia Provincial Exhibition Commission has been trying for years to form this harness racing circuit, and they must be congratulated now that their hopes and dreams have been realized. It is especially gratifying that Halifax will be the last city on the circuit for that means that all the horses will have been thoroughly worked out, and will be right on edge for a week of the fastest racing ever seen in the Maritime Provinces. Swinging around the circuit, Moncton, Fredericton, St. John, Chatham, the horse men with their strings of beauties will arrive in Halifax just in time for the Provincial Exhibition meet, September 12th to September 20th.

With a racing circuit firmly established, with the track in the very best shape, and with more horses entered and more events than ever before, it will be a week of wonderful sport.

Advertisement for Dr. Chase's Ointment. Large stylized text 'Piles' and 'Dr. Chase's Ointment'. Text describes the ointment's effectiveness for hemorrhoids and itching, and provides contact information for dealers.

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To Mrs. R. D. BAMBRICK: The Rectory, Yarmouth, N.S.

Dear Mother: I am keeping well, have good food and well protected from the weather, but have some difficulty keeping uninvited guests from visiting me.

Have you any patriotic druggists that would give something for a gift overseas—if so do you know something that is good for everything? I do—Old MINARD'S Liniment.

Your affectionate son, ROB. Manufactured by the Minard's Liniment Co. Ltd. Yarmouth, N.S.

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September 12th to 20th

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LOCAL ITEMS

STRATHADAM BOY IN U. S. ARMY

Mr. John Mullin son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mullin, of Strathadam has been drafted to the U. S. Army for overseas service, and passed the necessary physical examinations. Mr. Mullin has been a resident of Roxbury, Mass., from where he was drafted, for the past four years and leaves shortly for training camps at South Carolina.

TAKING A VACATION IN THE WEST

Rev. J. G. Belyea of Fredericton Junction left Thursday evening for Newcastle and Campbellton, and has since gone to Alberta to visit his daughter, Mrs. Earl Jackson. He was presented with a purse of gold by his parishioners and given a month's leave of absence. Rev. Mr. Belyea was for several years the beloved pastor of the Baptist churches of the Doaktown circuit.

FOR VIOLATION OF MOTOR VEHICLE LAW

Five local men were before Police Magistrate Lawlor on Saturday morning charged with violation of The Motor Vehicle Law and a fine of \$10.00 and costs was registered in each case, but allowed to stand as these were the first offences under this act.

BAD MIX-UP ON THE BRIDGE

There was a mix-up on the Morris Bridge the other night in which serious consequences were very narrowly averted. Two young men of the wireless staff in a motor cycle and car with a friend were crossing the bridge from Newcastle to Chatham Head with an auto coming the opposite way. The headlights so blinded the young men that they could not see the team ahead of them. Just as they passed the auto they found themselves right on to the wagon. They had to turn sharply to the right, the dangerous side for a motor cycle to turn to, but caught the wagon wheel in spite of their caution, and tipped three young men out of the wagon. In doing so, they upset and broke their machine and were all pitched out onto the bridge. Fortunately no one was badly hurt. It is felt by many that autos should be compelled to dim their lights when approaching other vehicles.

A son was recently born in London, England, to Capt. and Mrs. D. King Hazen. Mrs. Hazen was formerly Miss Molly Creaghan of Newcastle.

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Letters of Interest From Our Boys Overseas

Ptes. Bert Fenelon, Everett Black and Walter Colford Writing Interestingly of Their Life in France and England

Mr. and Mrs. John Fenelon have received the following letter from their son, Pte. Bert Fenelon, in the Convalescent Hospital at Epsom, England.

Epsom, England, July 31st 1917 Dear Father and Mother:—I have not had a letter from you for a long time but I expect my mail will be forwarded to me from France. Of course it will take time as it will have to go to all the different hospitals I have been in. I suppose you received my letter from France saying I was wounded. My wounds are just about healed now but my hand and arm are a little stiff yet, but I will soon be all right again. I am having electric treatment now to take the stiffness of the cords of my hand and arm out and am getting my teeth fixed. Well I have seen some fine places in France. I have fought over ground that the French fought on in 1870-71 at Monte St. Eloy. There is an old tower there that was partly blown down in 1870 and last March I saw another piece blown off it. I guess father has read of Monte St. Eloy in history. The largest city that I have been into in France was La Havre. I have been through Arras but it is pretty well knocked down as it was close to the trenches. Some of the towns that are close to the front line of trenches are nothing now but a heap of ruins. The pictures you see in the papers are exactly like the towns are. I will get some post card views of some of the villages that I have been in and send them to you. Well it has been raining now for over twenty four hours and doesn't look as though it intended to clear up. This is an awful country for rain. Last winter it used to rain for three or four days every week. I have often waded through parts of trenches with the tail of my tunic trailing in the water and the soft mud was always up to our knees. You could hardly credit it, but we used to get stuck in the mud and have to get help out, but I don't think we will have to put another winter in France. I think Germany is just about licked and I am sure everybody will be glad. Well I never was lucky enough to see Earle Macdonald in France. I am going to look up Con Gormeloy now that I am in England. I know he must still be here for they wouldn't send a man as old as Con to France.

Well I must close for this time but will be able to write often now. Give my regards to all the old friends of mine. Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain, your loving son, BERT.

Aug. 7, 1917 To the Editor of the Union Advocate: Dear Sir: I thought I would drop you a few lines to let you know that I am quite well all around only for my leg.

I just had my sick furlough to London. I had a fine time there. I was all through Westminster Abbey, House of Commons and the House of Lords. I saw the 132nd colors there that our officers put there. When my leave came to an end I was sorry but I will get another one pretty soon. Well I have seen quite a lot of 132nd boys and officers. I was talking to Capt. Barry and Lieut. McKnight Sunday. They were glad to see me and I was glad to see them too. I also saw George Johnston, Carey Brooks and Major Sterling. They want me to get transferred over to the 13th Reserve. There are a lot of the 26th boys here too. I saw Sam Craig also. I was surprised to see him. It is a nice camp here and they use you pretty well. Johnny Doucett is here with me. He got two slight wounds. I am up before the board Friday for my leg. I have not got much use of it yet. I hope I will be back pretty soon if it does not get better. George Johnstone and Kelly Murphy are going back soon and Andrew Crocker. I saw George Miller at Shorecliffe, he is looking fine.

Well I think this is all for this time. Best regards to all from 75337 Pte. E. L. Black, 52nd Batt 20th Reserve, Shoreham by the Sea, Sussex, England.

Letter From Sgt. Walter Colford Miss Annie E. Colford has received the following letter from her brother Sgt. Walter D. who enlisted in the 132nd Battalion, was unit for medical service and enlisted again in 265th Battalion at Halifax, N. S. Shortly after going overseas he was drafted in the 10th Battalion and sent to France and is now on the front line:

Somewhere in France, July 14, 1917 My dear sister Annie:—I received your most loving letter and was glad to hear from you and to hear that you are all well as it leaves me at present. What is the news down home now? The same old thing over here. Do you ever try to stir up a dance at all now?

It looks like conscription in Canada to me, what will all those young fellows do? I suppose they are beginning to shiver with fear.

Well, I am getting on fine, so far. The Kaiser is trying to do all the harm he can, but I guess he is beginning to shake too. I was sick in the start so they put me in the hospital for a while, but I am all right now. Do I guess I will stand a few rounds now.

Before me, this is some country over here. I tell you I saw some wonderful sights since I came here. I have been all through Scotland. This was the first place I ever saw a peacock or a brown sheep. I saw a lot of Ireland, most all the cities of the coast, and I was through London, but I don't care much about England, but I love Scotland. Well Lonnie I will write to her soon. Also to Stella, Earle and Harrison. I receive quite a lot of mail and I write a lot. Well, Annie, I suppose you over home don't realize what this war is. One sees some wonderful sights.

I hope to be back by this time next fall and have a good old dance. Is Frank working in Millerton yet? I wrote to Jack Vickers and some more boys around home, but haven't received any answer yet. Tell them all to get busy and write. How is Trout? Do you ever go up Blackbrook fishing at all?

Well, Annie, believe me I am not using the Huns a bit too good. I suppose you all read the papers and you can see what great work we are doing. I would like to be home for a week hunting, but I tell you we get all the hunting we want here. But there is great excitement in it. I wrote to Frank and Will and Papa, and I hope they will get them all right. I have a lot of souvenirs to send home when I get time. I have had some pretty hard scraps

since I came here, but I don't mind it a bit. I feel a little lonely some times, but not very long. We don't get too much time to think here. I got the box O. K., and the chewing tobacco was no insult. So many thanks for it.

Well, Annie, as it is bed time, I must close for tonight. So good-bye. Answer soon. Tell them all to write. From your loving brother, Sergt. Walter D. Colford, 753703 C Company, 10th Battalion No 9 Platoon, B. E. F., Canadian Base Depot

A Haunt of Legend and Romance



Digby Basin and Long Pier, Nova Scotia.

PARBROBORO Shore with its rock bound coast of lofty crags and high walled jagged islands washed by mighty tides, the scenes of Indian legends and the struggles between the French and English, and the residence of a more modern race of hardy voyageurs, is a name little known to the tourist, but one that has an ineffable charm for him who has visited this nook of Nova Scotia. This was the home of Glooscap, mighty god of the Micmacs. Here one finds the Five Islands, lofty and steep-sided islets in the Basin of Minas, pebbles dropped by the mighty Glooscap, so says the folk lore of the simple Redman. Attracted by their isolation, it is believed that Capt. Kidd, the infamous and successful privateer, buried here his treasure trove; and many are the deep yawning holes to be seen in these wild and eerie islands where the bold have braved the guardian spirits of the dead pirate chieftain to find out this gold and jewels, bathed in the blood of gentle women and brave men.



A Nova Scotia Limousine.

Spencers Island, the Indians tell you, was formed when Glooscap overturned his melting pot; and the smaller islands near by are not common islands—they are Glooscap's dogs, turned to stone as guardians of their master's melting pot. Many are the Indians still to be found here and they believe that some day the great spirit of Glooscap will return to them; and then his chosen people will again rule over the land.

And here is Partridge Island—like Gordly Blomidon opposite, rich in the beautiful amethyst—once the home of Kitpoosagunow, the mighty fisherman of the Micmac legends. He it was who embarked in his huge stone canoe, harpooned the whale, tossed it into his craft as if it were a trout; and when he landed, he it was who split the Leviathan of the deep with one blow of his great stone knife, tossed one half to Glooscap, and himself ate the other.

It was from the lofty cliffs of Partridge Island that a French warrior, pursued by the English, leaped to his death on the rocks hundreds of feet below. And later, it was here a blockhouse was placed when England feared the raids of Yankee privateers in the stirring days of 1812.

With such traditions, little wonder is it that here was developed a hardy sea faring folk. Sometimes the wife and her children accompanied the sea captain as he sailed his tiny schooner to the four quarters of the earth; but more often, he sailed away alone and for months the mother reared his children alone and superintended the

farm. Here one finds beautiful farms, thick forests, save for here and there a clearing where one can get a view of the magnificent sweep of the Basin of Minas, of the islands of Blomidon, and of the shores ten miles across the sea of silver, shores dotted with orchards and the white roofs of the farm buildings.

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Britain Sends Courtons Reply

The reply of the British government to the peace note of Pope Benedict was handed to Cardinal Gasparri, the papal secretary of state, by the British minister last week. The reply says that the Pope's proposals would be examined in a benevolent and serious spirit.

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A second class female teacher, with experience, for District No. 8. Apply stating salary to FRED CHAMBERS, Sec. to Trustees, Halcumb, N. B. 36-36pd.



### Tenders For Sewer

Sealed Tenders will be received at the Town Office up to 6 o'clock p. m., on Monday Sept 19th next for the construction of about 1350 feet of Sewer on Pleasant and Falconer Streets and the Highway, according to plan and specifications to be seen at the Town Office on and after Tuesday, Sept. 4th.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque or cash deposit of 20% of the amount of tender, which in the case of the successful tenderer will be held as security for the proper performance of the contract.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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### Book Keeper Wanted

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### Meeting

Agricultural Society No 122 will meet next Thursday evening at 7.30 in Whitneyville Hall, all members and others interested in Live Stock are respectfully invited to attend this meeting.

G. G. STOTHART, Sec.

### DEATH OF A CHILD

William Keating Dunn, five months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Dunn, died last Monday night after an illness of cholera infantum. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon, interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

## Local Happenings

### BONUS FOR TEACHERS

The 181 lady teachers of St. John have been granted a bonus this year of \$60 each, in lieu of the \$100 a year increase of salary asked for.

### NO T. T. I. L. MEETING

There was no quorum at the regular monthly meeting of the T. T. I. L. Tuesday night, doubtless on account of the heavy rain.

### FOUR LADIES TAKE VEIL

A large number of friends and relatives assembled in the Convent Chapel, Chatham, Saturday morning to witness the impressive ceremony of four novices receiving the white veil. These young ladies were Sisters Troy, Borda, McEachren and Stapleton. Bishop O'Leary officiated.

### MRS. FRANK MCKENZIE

Mrs. Frank McKenzie of Whitneyville, died yesterday morning after a lengthy illness in the Hotel Dew, Chatham. Deceased, who was 39 years of age, is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welsh of Millstream, and several brothers and sisters. She also leaves her husband and three small children.

### CELEBRATED THEIR 35th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Touchie and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Smallwood, celebrated the thirty-fifth anniversary of their marriages last Thursday. A large number of their friends, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smallwood of Moncton; Mr. A. E. Clarke of Woodstock, dined upon and had tea with them on the beautiful grounds of Mr. Geo. Clarke of Upper Nelson, where the two worthy couples were tenting out. They have the good wishes of the community for many more years of wedded bliss.

### MASONS AT BATHURST

Representatives of all the Masonic Lodges of the North Shore, chiefly officers, met at Bathurst on Thursday and Friday for instruction in degree work and other purposes.

The Chatham delegates were Messrs. R. A. Logie, G. H. Harrison, F. M. Tweedie, Harry E. Loggie, Ernest S. Jack, Jas. Shields, A. W. Wilbur, R. A. Snowball, Ernest Hutchinson, Chas. Spurr, Isaac Hoffman, Col. Mackenzie and Dr. Jones. There were nearly seventy in the meeting. The three degrees were exemplified by different Lodges. Grand officers Twining Hart, George Ellis, Francis Burpee and Edward Cairns of St. John criticized and instructed the degree teams. Most of the work is unwritten, and such a meeting goes far to ensure uniformity in the different Lodges.

### RETURN DATE OF WONDERFUL FEATURE "TOLD AT TWILIGHT"

The above picture was shown at the Happy Hour some two months ago, and received such favorable comments that the management of the Happy Hour has secured same for today matinee and tonight. This feature has been booked again by request of some patrons of the Happy Hour who were unable to see it owing to disagreeable weather when last shown. Those who saw the above production claim it to be the finest picture that was ever shown here, it featuring the world's greatest child actor, Marie Osborne (The Sunshine of the Movies). This town is not the only one that has played return dates on same it having been repeated in nearly all towns in which it has been shown, that being the reason why the management was unable to secure same until today. There will be a special matinee today at four o'clock, admission prices being 5 and 10 cts and every child in town should try and see the picture, as it is one long to be remembered. Tonight the grand Fox Feature "The Scarlet Letter" will be shown making a big double program. Admission prices 10 and 15 cts.

### FISH CASE SETTLED

The celebrated case, so called, between C. E. Fish and Michael Fish, widow of the late Jas. O. Fish, has been settled without appeal to Ottawa, the defendant paying the legacy with interest and costs.

### DRESSMAKING

The undersigned will on Tuesday, Sept. 4th, open a dressmaking shop in the office of the late Dr. Pedolin on Pleasant St.

MISS DELIA YOUNG 36-37pd

### APPOINTED SWEDISH CONSUL

Mr. J. Ander of Newcastle has been appointed Swedish Consul for Chatham and Newcastle. This office was held by Hon. Robert Murray in Chatham until last spring, when he became a member of the provincial government.

### ST. MARY'S HAS NEW SUPERIOR

Rev. Sister St. Clarence, (Miss Dalton of Barnaby River); who has been in English, P. E. I., for twenty years, has been appointed Superior of St. Mary's Academy here. Sister St. Clarence has had much success in the teaching profession.

### ASSAULT CASE SETTLED

In the Police Court Tuesday morning, the case brought against three townsmen for assault on Wong Ying, proprietor of a restaurant here was settled. Fines of \$15 and costs being imposed in each case and recognition entered by the participants to keep the peace for a period of one year.

### REV. W. R. ROBINSON IN ST JAMES

Rev. W. R. Robinson of St. John, pastor of the Ludlow Street Baptist church, has been in town several days visiting his aged mother, Mrs. John Robinson, sr., at "The Pines". On Sunday he exchanged pulpits with Rev. S. J. MacArthur. Rev. Mr. Robinson's many Newcastle friends were glad to hear and meet him.

### METHODIST QUARTERLY MEETING

The first quarterly meeting of the Methodist Official Quarterly Board for the present year was held on Monday evening, Rev. Dr. C. W. Squires in the chair. Finances were found in good condition. Following officers were elected:

Missionary Committee—Thomas A. Clarke, H. H. Stuart, John H. Ashford.

S. S. Committee of Management: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Petrie, Mrs. Henry Price, Mrs. J. A. Follansbee, Mrs. J. Robinson Allison

Visiting Committee—T. A. Clarke, J. H. Ashford, Miss Mildred Reid.

Delegates to District Meeting—H. D. Atkinson, J. H. Ashford and J. Robinson Allison

## County S. S. Convention

To Be Held Here on September 5th.—Interesting Program

The Northumberland County S. S. Convention meets in St. James Hall here on September 5th, morning, afternoon and evening. The program is as follows:

- 9 a. m.—Devotions and Bible Message—Rev. S. J. MacArthur
- 9.20 a. m.—Minutes
- Report of county officers and Department Super
- 10 a. m.—Hymn and offering
- Charting Parishes—Rev. W. A. Ross
- 10.30 a. m.—Reports from Parish Secretaries
- 11 a. m.—Conference on Parish Association Work—Rev. W. O. Ross
- Appointment of Committees
- 12 a. m.—Benediction
- 2 p. m.—Devotions and Bible Message—Rev. W. B. Rosborough
- 2.30 p. m.—Minutes
- Report of Nominating Committee and Election of Officers
- 2.40 p. m.—Rev. S. Gray
- 3 p. m.—Hymn and Offering
- Address—"Problems of the Elementary Teacher"—Miss Bella Falconer.
- Discussion
- 3.30 p. m.—Address—"Problems of Teen Age Teachers,"—Dr. C. W. Squires
- Discussion
- 3.55 p. m.—Music
- 4 p. m.—Address—"Problems of S. S. Administration"—W. B. Snowball, Sec.
- Discussion
- 4.25 p. m.—Question Box—Conducted by Rev. W. O. Ross
- 5.15 p. m.—Hymn and Benediction
- 7.30 p. m.—Devotions and Bible Message—Rev. W. B. Rosborough
- 8.00 p. m.—Address—"Feed My Lambs"—Rev. J. M. Fraser
- 8.25 p. m.—Hymn and Offering
- 8.30 p. m.—Address—"The Sunday School Gail"—Rev. W. A. Ross.
- 9.15 p. m.—Hymn and Benediction
- God Save the King

Note:—Will every delegate please buy a one-way ticket with standard certificate and send name to Rev.

## WORKER, HOME-LOVER IS SIR EDWARD KEMP

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Not Easy to Talk to

Sir Edward Kemp has not a particularly good manner with strangers. He is not an easy man to talk to. And though not devoid of humor, he is on the serious side. He takes himself seriously, as he takes his politics and takes his business. He is a prodigious worker, and quite unsparring of himself. It is his habit to go to Ottawa on Sunday night and to return to Toronto for the week-end on the Saturday morning following. All the Saturday he spends at his business. Then when Sunday comes he is a pretty tired man.

### His Beautiful Home

His beautiful house, Castle Frank, overlooking the Don Valley, is considered by many people to be the loveliest house in Toronto. It is a big house of some twenty-five rooms or so, with fine gardens of about thirteen acres in extent. Everything about the house—all the appointments and arrangements—is the very acme of comfort. It is, in fact, a house which has been designed for comfort, and resembles an English country house more perhaps than does any other dwelling in Toronto. There is plenty of glass, and an abundance of flowers, of which Sir Edward Kemp is extremely fond.

### ECONOMY IN PAPER

It is not uncommon an English shop to hear a customer say, "Never mind about wrapping that up in paper; I will take it as it is," and the paper economy will soon be as much a matter of course as the new practice of carrying all small parcels home. It is a great change, for good, that the paper has long been known in Great Britain and France, and always seemed typical of solid British methods, after the crackling yellow-brown wood-pulp or easily-torn tissues of some parts of the continent.

In Bulgaria, one of the poorer countries, where even cheap German wrapping paper is hardly known, parcels are carefully wrapped in a large square of printed cotton, called a bukhta. The bukhta is an institution. The bread is brought wrapped in check cotton; the shoemaker sends your boots home in a gay colored square; even the wedding presents for a bride are sent in a bukhta. It is returned to the sender by the messenger.

### STORM WINDOWS VITAL

Fuel Economy Depends Upon Radiation Losses—Saving One-half

The cost of fuel is a large item of expense to the householder. Anything that can be done to reduce this cost without suffering inconvenience from the cold should be welcomed by all. The average household has but little knowledge of the principles and application of heating, and there are many portions of Canada where the saving of fuel by the use of storm windows (commonly known as double windows) is not fully appreciated. Heat is lost from a building in two ways, by (1) radiation, that is, that transmitted through walls, windows and other exposed surfaces by conduction and lost, and (2) convection currents, or leakage, namely the losses through the openings around windows, doors, etc. By the opening of outside doors much heat is lost. This, to a great extent, can be overcome by the use of storm windows. Better still is the storm porch, which allows of one door being closed before the other is opened. This porch may be removable, or permit of the use of all verandah space in summer.

The radiation losses are usually of greater importance than convection. As losses due to radiation from walls, floor, ceiling and doors are determined by the structural features of the house, they are largely un avoidable. The most serious radiation losses are from windows and the saving of heat resulting from the use of storm windows is largely due to the layer of dead air between the outside conductors—between the inner and the storm sashes. Storm windows also prevent uncomfortable drafts. Heat loss from single windows is demonstrable. A square foot of window surface radiates as much heat as 2 1/2 square feet of a 1-inch brick wall surface. Storm windows reduce the loss to nearly one-half of this amount. In addition, they reduce the loss due to leakage and save from 10 to 15 per cent. of the fuel bill.

### Most Consoling

A certain clergyman was much grieved to find his "special services for men only" were so badly attended. He expressed his regret to the vergers one evening when, as usual, they were the only two at the meeting.

"I really think they ought to come," he said, sadly.

"That's just what I've sed to 'em, over an' over again," said the vergers, consolingly. "I see 'em, I see 'em, look at me, I see; 'look at me, I see to all them services, I see, 'an' we 'em does they do me?"

### The City of It

Sir Archibald Geikie, the famous geologist, was fond of telling about an Englishman and a Scotsman who went to Egypt together and said "I'll be the Pyramids."

The Englishman was lost, and the Scotsman asked his companion "What's the Pyramids?"

The Scotsman shook his head sadly.

"Ah, more," he said, "with the Pyramids, what a lot of money they cost."

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