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I certainly appreciate the increased patronage given me during the Christmas season and throughout the past year. I wish to thank all my old and new customers for the same and solicit a continuance of their trade for 1920.

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A Happy New Year to All Our Readers

MONDAY NIGHT'S ENTERTAINMENT

The Entertainment in Recreation Hall a Big Success.

The Annual Christmas tree and entertainment in Recreation Hall for the benefit of the inmates of the County Institution was held in Recreation Hall Monday night and as usual, was a successful event. Besides the inmates, many of our citizens were present taxing the hall to its full capacity to accommodate the crowd. The following is a copy of the programme:

Opening—chorus.
Piano solo—Miss Ethel Daniels.
Reading—Miss H. Anderson.
Song—"Blue Bird", Miss Juanita Bishop.
Reading—Miss H. Anderson.
Song—"I'm forever blowing Bubbles", Mrs. H. Ruggles.
Song—"Silly and I and the Day-light", Rev. E. Underwood.
Reading—Miss H. Anderson.
Song—"Mickey", Miss Juanita Bishop.
Piano solo—Miss Ethel Daniels.
Song—"A Dutch Lullaby", Miss H. Anderson.
Duet—"Woman's Rights", Mrs. Ruggles and Mr. Underwood.
Opera—High School boys and girls.
Remarks—Mr. A. F. Hiltz.
Sacred Song—"The Birthday of a King", Mrs. H. Ruggles.
Accompanist—Mrs. A. F. Little.
Santa Claus—The distribution of gifts.

Rev. E. Underwood, who presided, stated that owing to illness Mrs. Whitway was unable to be present and therefore the audience missed a particularly good reading.

Mr. Hiltz, on behalf of Mr. Myers and himself thanked all those who had assisted in making the affair such a success, referring especially to the contributors, the performers and the press. To witness the appreciation of the inmates when receiving the presents from the trees will amply reward all those who in any way assisted. Messrs. Hiltz and Myers are certainly the right men in the right place, both taking a deep interest in the welfare of the patients under their charge.

MR. PHINNEY'S FUNERAL

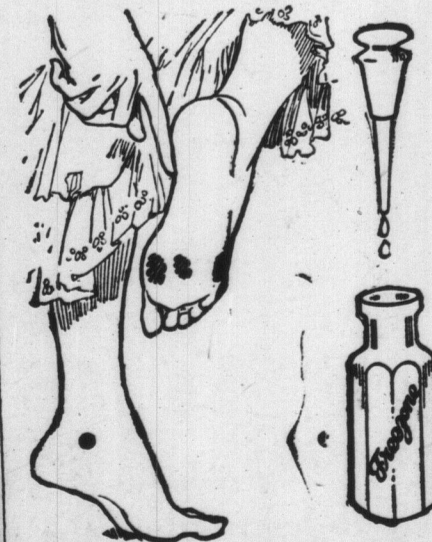
The funeral of the late N. H. Phinney took place on Friday afternoon Dec 12th, in the Baptist church the services being conducted by his pastor, Rev. F. H. Beals, assisted by Rev. I. A. Corbett, of Paradise, M. W. Brown, Mt Hanley and Rev. H. T. Jones (Methodist). Favourite hymns were beautifully rendered by the choir, the quartette sang, "They Are going down the Valley."

The pall bearers were H. T. Phinney, H. W. Phinney, E. C. Phinney, W. L. Saunders, William Parker and R. J. Shaffner.

At the close of the service the remains were taken to Paradise cemetery and laid to rest.

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RECENT DEATHS

Many Prominent Residents are Passing Away

ROBERT ALLEN CROWE

The death of Robert Allen Crowe took place in Bridgetown, Wednesday, December 24th, after an illness extending over a couple of years. Mr. Crowe was born in Londonderry, N. S., sixty years ago. He married Ida, daughter of the late Woodworth Bowles, of Waterville, Kings Co. Thirty-five years ago he associated in business with his brother, the late James Crowe, of Annapolis. Later he moved to Bridgetown to accept a position with the Bridgetown Foundry Co. When he retired from business about two years ago he was a member of the firm of Crowe and Magee, hardware dealers. He took a deep interest in and was a staunch supporter of the Presbyterian church. He was also an enthusiastic Oddfellow being a member of Crescent lodge, Bridgetown, and Past District Deputy Grand Master. He leaves a widow but no family. He is also survived by two brothers, John Crowe, of Boston, William, of Londonderry, and one sister, Mrs. Gideon Miller, of Truro.

After a service in the Methodist church conducted by Rev. D. K. Grant the remains were taken to Annapolis, accompanied by the officers and members of Crescent Lodge, who conducted service at the grave. The pall bearers were A. F. Hiltz, J. W. Peters, C. F. Lewis and Albert Wade.

CAPT. FRANK JOURNEY

News has been received of the sad death by drowning of Capt. Frank Journey, of Weymouth. Capt. Journey had been ashore for several years and for the past few years had been in partnership with his brother Herbert, under the name of Journey Bros., running a dry goods, ladies, and gents' furnishing store. It has only been a little over two months ago that he dissolved partnership and decided to follow his calling of master mariner. He went to New York and was appointed first officer of the S. S. Mauxman. Only recently they left Portland on their way to Greece, but tempestuous seas stopped their voyage. The reports say the Captain, 1st officer and 39 of the crew were drowned and the rest rescued by the British steamer, British Isle. Captain Journey leaves to mourn their loss a loving wife, who was Jessie Wells, of Mochele, Annapolis County; and two daughters, Gertrude, of Halifax and Helen at home. Deceased was 58 years of age.

Hotel Arrivals

AT THE ST. JAMES

DEC 20—E. A. McMahon; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Adams, Annapolis; R. M. Donaldson, Port Williams; G. A. Grant, Springfield.
DEC 21—A. Mailman, W. W. Graham, R. B. Nelly, Middleton; G. L. Benson, Deep Brook; J. L. Pickles, C. R. Kelly, Yarmouth; W. A. Cruikshank, D. Carlton, Portland, Me.; R. M. Sanford, Canning; H. S. Payne, Granville; H. Connors, Halifax.
DEC 23—A. H. Milner, Annapolis; D. C. Simpson, Tupperville; A. Mailman, Middleton.
DEC 24—Frank Pearson, Clarence; Arthur Young, L. P. Mills, Granville Ferry; A. H. Buckler, W. J. Todd, J. B. Todd, W. B. Todd, Leslie Todd, P. L. Anderson, Dalhousie; B. M. Anderson, Bridgetown; F. S. Leigfield, A. Smith, Yarmouth; A. T. Phinney, Wilfred Longley, Lawrence town.
DEC 25—H. V. Bishop, Kentville; D. Carlton, Portland, Me.
DEC 26—Rev. D. K. Grant, G. W. Crowe, Middleton; W. H. Morse, H. Connors, Halifax; H. S. Payne, Granville; Jas. F. Holahan, Gasport, N. Y.

Messrs Herbert Williams and J. S. Moses shipped a load of beautiful cattle from Yarmouth Monday night.

IMPORTANT EVENT AT LAWRENCETOWN

Arranging for the Building of A Memorial Hospital in Annapolis County

Committees from Annapolis Royal, Bridgetown, Lawrencetown and Middleton met the warden, the committee from the county council, clerk and other representative persons from the county in the Demonstration Building, Lawrencetown, Monday afternoon to arrange for the building of a memorial hospital in the County of Annapolis. The principal speakers at the meeting were Doctors Stewart and Sponagle.

At 5.30 a dinner was served by the members of the Women's Institute, Lawrencetown, followed by many after-dinner speeches, all of which proved very interesting. Bridgetown was represented as follows: E. A. Hicks, president of the Board of Trade, Dr. M. E. Armstrong, Dr. A. A. Dechman, and Capt. J. W. Salter, Committee from the Board; George Gill, representing the Bridgetown branch of the G. W. V. A.; Hon. O. T. Daniels, Coun. J. I. Foster and Municipal Clerk Freeman Fitch, Esq.

The Warden and mayors of the diffeent towns, Dr. Sponagle, Dr. L. R. Morse and L. R. Fair, of Aylesford, Architect, were appointed a committee to further inquire into the necessity of this project and report to the annual meeting of the municipal council at Annapolis in January.

All present very much appreciated the great hospitality extended them by the citizens of Lawrencetown and especially the members of the Women's Institute.

THE LAURIER MEMORIAL

Several weeks ago we published an appeal from Premier Murray asking for contributions for a monument as a memorial of the late Sir Wilfred Laurier. Contributions will be accepted for any amount not exceeding \$5.00. Voluntary subscriptions should be paid to Mr. W. A. Warren at once. No subscriptions will be solicited. Bridgetown has the name of going over the top in matters of this kind and we trust this will prove no exception.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE

Miss Lola Caldwell, of Centrelea, got a pleasant surprise Saturday night, when she was called in to the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Stevens, Bridgetown, where a number of her friends gave her a shower of beautiful gifts consisting of cut glass, china ware, linen, etc. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening spent by all who were there. Miss Caldwell takes part in an important event to night.

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H. H. WHITMAN
Lawrencetown, December 29th

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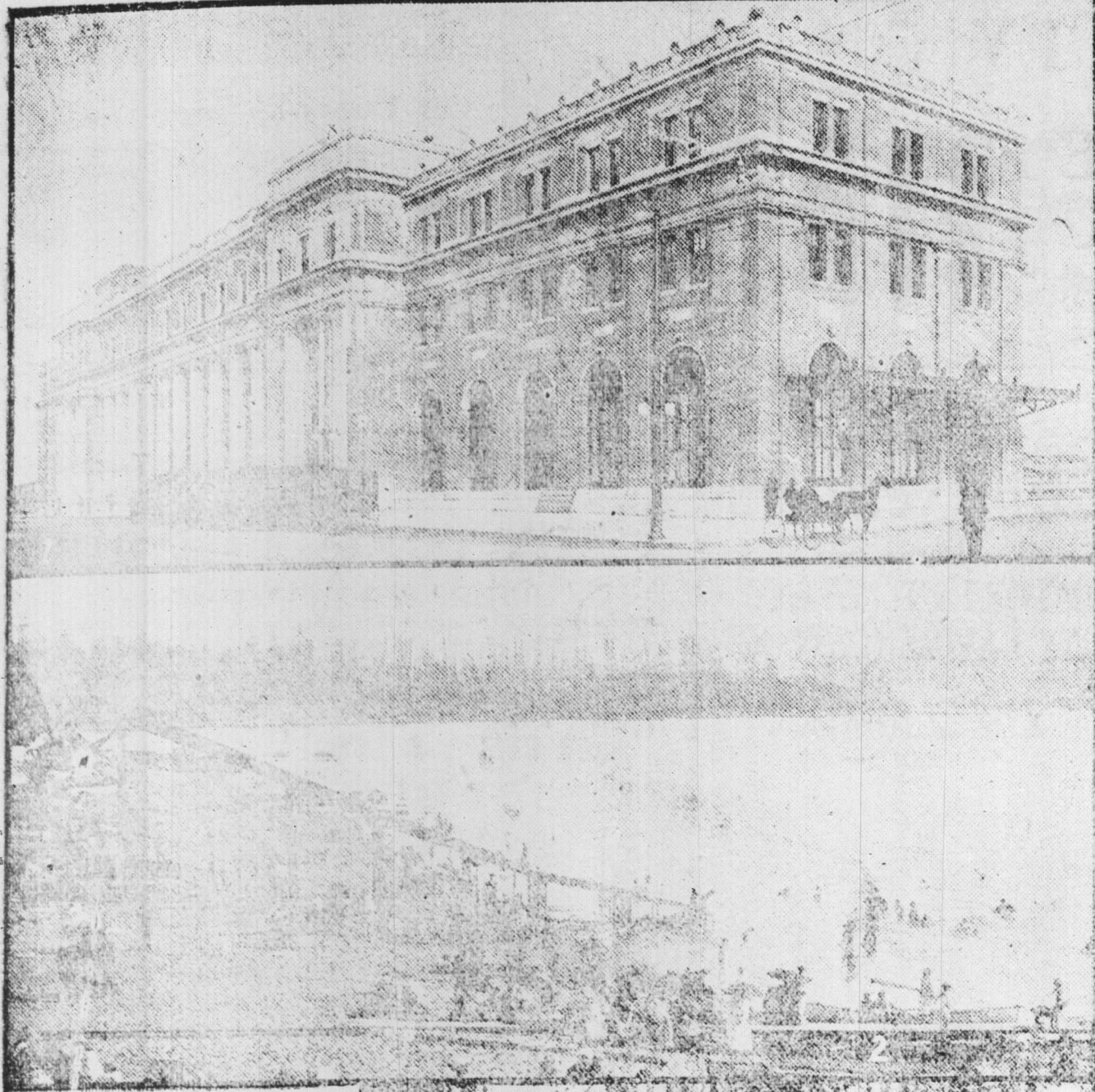
I wish you good luck—the good luck of health, happiness and prosperity. For your patronage and support during the past year I sincerely thank you and I anticipate a continuance of those cordial relations during the coming year.

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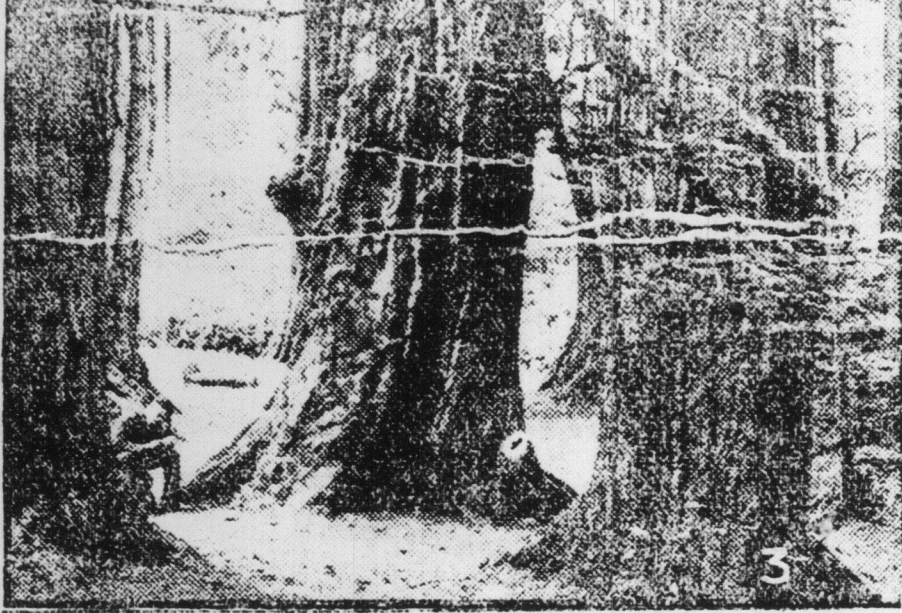
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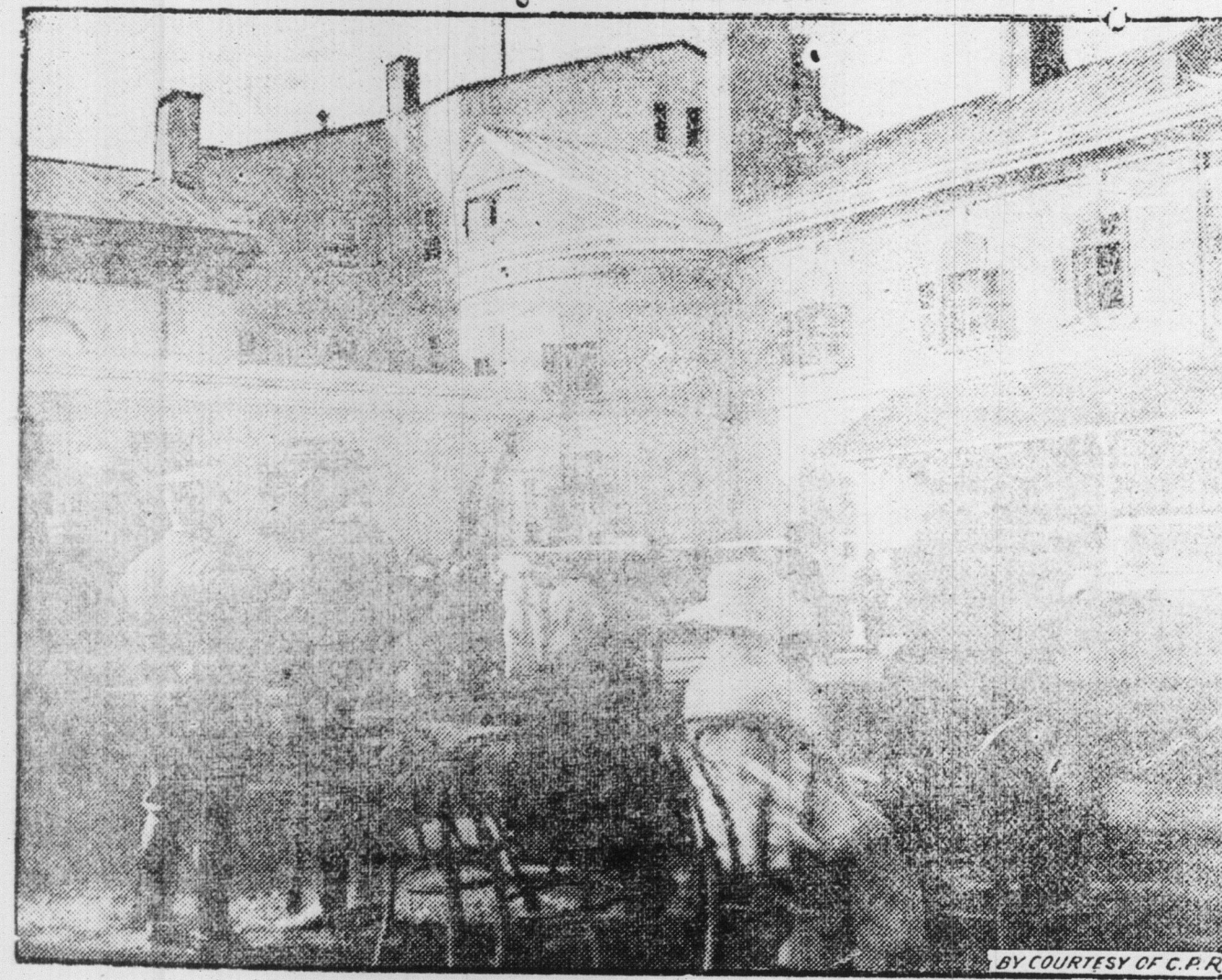
Canadians have grown more and more appreciative of the richness and variety of the Provinces of our Dominion. In British Columbia, nature seems to have compressed into a limited space the features of half a continent. Richly endowed with a wealth of forest, mine and stream, a land of lofty mountains and impetuous rivers, it is the great golden west of promise. The city of Vancouver lies on the verge of a glorious waterway—the gateway to the Pacific. Great purple mountains with snow-crests gleaming lie across the inlet. Stanley Park nearby is a wonderland of a thousand acres. In the distance can be seen the summit of Mount Baker, robed in everlasting whiteness. In the lovely serenity of the "Steeples and Beauty" Mountain, in the grace and stateliness of the mountains known as "Lions", which stand guard over the harbor, in the placid dignity and grandeur of many other mountains there is unfolded a matchless panorama.

No one can complain of a lack of romance in the Western world. Where stood the forests primeval a few years ago, now rise skyscrapers, handsome churches, splendid educational institutions, and beautiful homes with gardens of roses and gaily bordered paths. The charm of it all is easily understood. An intense local loyalty and a commend-



(1) Canadian Pacific Railway Station at Vancouver, B.C.
(2) English Bay, Vancouver.
(3) Douglas Fir Trees in Stanley Park, Vancouver.

able civic pride accomplished much. Vancouver is now one of the greatest seaports in the world, possessing one of the most beautiful sites imaginable. Cosmopolitan are the throngs that crowd Vancouver streets. In the procession go the Chinese, Jap-



The Garden Party at Rideau Hall, Ottawa, was attended by the Prince of Wales.

IRRIGATION IN SOUTH ALBERTA

The demand of the Alberta farmer for further irrigation extension in Southern Alberta and Southwest Saskatchewan, so emphatically raised at the recent Irrigation Convention is apparently being heard, for already the Minister of the Interior, accompanied by the Superintendent of the Reclamation Service, and the Minister of Colonization and Immigration, has visited the West and discussed the situation with bodies of farmers at Maple Creek, Raymond, Lethbridge, Macleod, Calgary, etc. And they have promised that further surveys for that purpose will be undertaken without delay.

For a long time it was claimed that irrigation was unnecessary in Western Canada. Conditions of drought do not regularly occur there, and quite apart from the fact that the scientific principles of dry farming have now obtained a great following, there was not, they insisted, the same urgency for irrigation as in other less fortunate countries, where the rainfall is usually so small that agriculture is impossible without it.

When one looks back over the history of irrigation in the West and remembers the strenuous opposition the movement met with from the public generally, one is struck with the radical right-about-face in sentiment, for not only is it now admitted to be advantageous, but farmers throughout practically the whole of the south demand its extension if agriculture is to be permanently successful. Doubtless, experience of the past two years with a rainfall in Southern Alberta of less than 10 in. and the bumper crops raised by irrigationists, is responsible for this unanimous change in opinion.

The semi-arid portion of Alberta occupies a belt approximately 160 miles in width north of the state of Montana, and extends from the mountains on the west across the entire southern base of the province, merging into the more humid climate of Saskatchewan at the eastern limit of the Cypress Hills. Dr. Samuel Fortier, consulting irrigation engineer of the United States Department of Agriculture, who a few years ago thoroughly investigated irrigation conditions in Alberta, gave it as his opinion that portions of these provinces the natural rainfall is insufficient for profitable farming, and that the main issue would be not so much whether irrigation is necessary or not, but rather, just how long profitable crops could be grown without it. And his prediction has proved correct.

Many arguments can be advanced in favor of irrigation being in all ways superior to dry farming. Irrigation, when practically applied, is the best kind of farming because it is the only system that permits of the most intelligent treatment of every individual crop to suit its requirements. It eliminates the necessity of summer fallow and elaborate treatment of the soil in order to conserve moisture. The basis of all true agricultural prosperity is mixed farming, and irrigation is especially adapted to it. By its means special fodder crops, such as alfalfa, clover, vetch, etc., the success of which without water, is problematical, can be raised. In every case where it has been put to the test in competition with ordinary farming methods, it has been proved to increase production from 25 to 100 per cent. From the point of view of the community which depends upon the agricultural class for its own business, it has proved highly desirable, because it means smaller farm units, closer settlement, intensive farming, increased trade, and a larger spending capacity per head of the tributary population.

Admitting the truth of the foregoing, it is clear that the primary reason for irrigation is crop insurance.

Irrigation in Western Canada is most largely practiced in Southern Alberta and Saskatchewan, where the Dominion Government maintains an experimental farm, at which careful records are kept of yields obtained from the operation of both irrigated and non-irrigated areas, and while, with a measure of truth, it may be claimed that results on experimental farms may be obtained that are not within the reach of busy farmers, the records are of deep interest and afford verified data which cannot be assailed. The Government is entirely neutral in these methods of farming, and at no time has any attempt been made to demonstrate the advantages of irrigation over dry land farming. One-half of the farm lies below the ditch and is irrigated; the other half is alive the ditch, and the latest methods of dry farming have been practiced.

On the dry land farm, an attempt has been made to solve the problems that the dry-land farmer is confronted with, the best methods of summer fallow, weed control, soil drifting, etc., and on the irrigated part, the question that the irrigator is particularly interested in. On both portions of the farm, the same crops have been raised for the past eleven years, from 1909 to 1919. W. H. Fairfield, the farm superintendent (who prior to coming to Canada was engaged in similar work in the United States), has kept a careful record of all crops grown on this farm, and the result has proved beyond the least shadow of doubt the advantages of irrigation towards increased production in that country. The increase in bushels of wheat (Marquis) was 23, of oats (Banner) 38, of barley (Chevalier) 25, of peas (all varieties) 14, potatoes (Irish Cobbler) 250, and other crops in like proportion. Only in one case in the whole eleven-year period did the irrigated crop fall below the dry land crop, that exception being peas in 1916, and it is only fair to point out that on the dry land the crops have been summer fallowed, which means but one crop every other year, while on the irrigated land, a crop of some kind has been produced year in and year out. The annual precipitation for the eleven years is 16.81, the highest being 28.95, the lowest 7.62.

Similar results to these have been experienced on the Canada Land & Irrigation Company's farm near Medicine Hat, and on the C.P.R. experimental farms at Strathmore and Brooks, while many individual cases of results attained by farmers throughout the whole territory may be cited. Alfalfa production is becoming general on the irrigated lands, and at prices running from \$33 upwards, is alone a great source of income to the producer.

A large amount of capital has been expended by corporations in the western provinces during the past ten or fifteen years in providing additional water supplies to supplement the scanty rainfall. Of these corporations the C.P.R., with approximately fifteen million dollars, is the heaviest investor, and though for many years considerable criticism has been levelled at the company, it is now clear that the investment purely as a financial undertaking and quite apart from the benefits being derived from the individual on the land and the country as a whole, is justifying itself.

The Canadian Pacific has developed in Southern Alberta the largest individual project on the American continent, with an area greater than the total irrigated area in either Colorado or California. Its irrigable area exceeds 600,000 acres,

while the total length of its canals and ditches is greater than Canada's longest river, the Mackenzie, or the distance from Vancouver to Halifax. Surveys originally made by the Dominion Government determined that for 150 miles south-eastward from Calgary and approximately 20 miles north and south of the C.P.R. main line, was a district admirably suited to irrigation both in gentle slope of the land and character of the soil. The western sector of this block is now thickly settled, with settlement on the eastward block being taken up as fast as the land can be placed on the market. Spontaneous recognition of the value of irrigation by those who have it but want it, is evident in the constant daily stream of letters of application received by the company, and the interesting fact in connection therewith is that many of those who now demand it formerly turned it down when they might have had it.

A further area of 100,000 acres in the Lethbridge district, originally developed by the Alberta Railway & Irrigation Company, was acquired by the Canadian Pacific Railway, and has now reached a remarkable stage of development and prosperity.

The agitation of the farmers is for further irrigation and irrigation quietude. The farmers' claim, with justification, that it is a life and death issue for them; if they are to remain on the land they must have it; if they do not get it, the only alternative is their exodus. Already the Government has a lien on their lands for seed, food and other assistance, amounting to four million dollars, and from the point of view of the Government alone, it is a business proposition. As a result of the recent meeting between Dominion Government officials and the farmers, referred to above, the Government has promised further immediate surveys of 500,000 acres, which, added to the million and a half already known to be irrigable, will give a total irrigable acreage of two million. A recent statement attributed to the Dominion Superintendent of the Reclamation Service places the land in Alberta and Saskatchewan that requires irrigation at 54,000,000 acres, and that is not all, for a further great area of 19 million acres, lying between the North and South Saskatchewan and the Battle and Red Deer rivers, is declared by engineers to be irrigable, which, with plenty of water available, will prove to be among the best productive portions of the Canadian West. To irrigate the 600,000 acres above referred to will cost, it is estimated, \$20,000,000.

That the vast sum of money invested by the Canadian Pacific in its irrigation enterprises above outlined is sound is now beyond all question. With 600,000 acres of irrigable land between the cities of Calgary and Medicine Hat producing bumper crops year in and year out, it is not difficult to calculate the effect on the land in Alberta and Saskatchewan, and on the prosperity of these cities and the province as a whole, for it is clear that the greater crop production the greater general prosperity. The greatness as well as the happiness of any people depends on the prosperity of its rural population. Irrigationists say that one way to become a better farmer is to become a better irrigator. Sir John Wilcox always claimed that the Garden of Eden was an irrigated farm with alfalfa, fruit trees and cattle on it. The far-sightedness of the C.P.R. executive in foreseeing the necessity of irrigation in Southern Alberta and authorizing the design and construction of its vast irrigation system, has within the past two years, been clearly demonstrated.



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Can a man farm and make money on 160 acres of non-irrigated land in Western Canada? D. E. Baldwin, of Kingsland, answers "Yes" and he is speaking from experience. Before coming to Saskatchewan in 1906, and taking up his homestead in the Kingsland district, tributary to the thriving city of Saskatoon, he had pioneered in four states of the Union, his parents moving from Ohio, where he was born, to Iowa, when he was a small child. Later he homesteaded in Nebraska, near David City, and was a pioneer settler in the State of Kansas, where he lived sixteen years, and Oklahoma, where he homesteaded in 1905. After about ten years in Oklahoma, he came to the Canadian West and began again on a homestead in 1906.

Here he has prospered, though he has never farmed more than 160 acres of land, and he has constantly refused the advice of his neighbors to increase the size of his farm. He believes he can get more real living out of life on a smaller farm. His policy is "always to run his business, and not let it run him." He is finding the operation of what in Western Canada is called a small farm both a pleasure and a profit to him. Probably his previous pioneering experience helped him to form this opinion.

How he farms a quarter section and gets more money out of it than many a farmer with three or four times as large an acreage, he told a representative of the North-West

Farmer, of Winnipeg, recently. "I never went into grain farming, but made my money out of cattle, hogs, horses and potatoes. I follow the rotation of barley, wheat and oats without any summer fallow whatever. I fall plow for all my grain crops and plow it again in the spring which, in addition to plenty of manure, has made the summer fallow absolutely unnecessary for me to practice. Instead of sowing rye on a separate piece of land, I intend to henceforth sow it with the oat crop when the oats are two inches high. This, I understand, has been tried in Manitoba and has been successful in certain parts. All the grain is used for stock purposes, and it is from that source that my revenue must be made to come."

"The summer feed for my sixteen head of cattle is sixty acres of pasture, and in the fall they run on the stubble and winter rye, which is usually sown about the first of August. During the winter they run out in the day time and are stabled at night, feeding on straw, hay, sheep's manure, and usually a few turnips. In the spring, winter rye offers early pasture, which they use until May 1st, at which time they are taken off and the rye allowed to ripen to be cut for crop."

"My hog proposition is operated on a ten-acre hog lot, surrounded by a woven wire twenty-six inches high, above which are three barb wires. I usually plan on raising two litters a

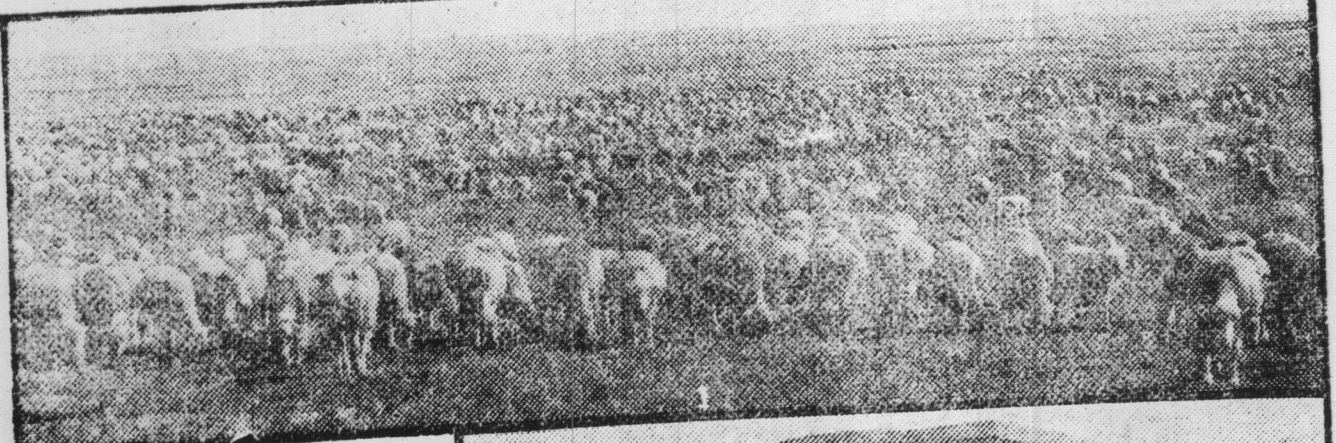
year, one litter coming in April, and one in September, and find that ten acres of pasture for five Duroc sows and their litters is sufficient to make a great reduction in the cost of rearing hogs, in fact, furnishing all the pasture they want to eat. The pasture consists of bromo grass, a little timothy and wheat mixed and rape. I have tried barley, but find it kills out much easier than oats and wheat. The bromo grass is good in the spring and the early fall. The rape is usually sown in April, and along with the grain pasture furnishes good summer feed. The hog proposition is a simple one. They are raised over the entire frame work. A pig run three feet wide extends out a considerable distance from this pen, over which straw is also placed. This shelter will winter from thirty to sixty hogs. A short distance away I have a hog feeding house, twelve feet by twelve feet, in which the hogs are fed in winter."

He has a good income from potatoes. With this crop he has always been successful in obtaining large yields. He plants six acres to potatoes every season and he has always had a crop of from 300 to 525 bushels to the acre. For all of his surplus he has found a ready market at never less than sixty cents a bushel, while he has received as high as \$2.50 a bushel.

His 160 acres are divided into sixty acres of pasture, ten acres of a pig lot, five acres for house, barn and hedges, and eighty-five acres in crops, consisting of thirty-five acres of oats, twenty-five acres of barley, nine acres of rye, and six of potatoes. Surrounding his buildings is quite an extensive hedge consisting of twenty rows of trees. The varieties are fox elders, ash, cottonwood, willow, caragana and evergreens, planted four feet each way. With the exception of the evergreens, they are now from eight to twenty-four feet in height, forming a fine protection which the owner would not part with for a great deal of money.

It is not difficult to figure that Mr. Baldwin is deriving a very satisfactory income from his 160 acre farm, since the day that he arrived in Saskatchewan, practically penniless, in 1906, he has broken the whole of his land, fenced his farm, built a \$4,000 house and a substantial barn and has acquired a fine herd of cattle, besides horses, hogs, and poultry, and is considered among his neighbors as a prosperous farmer.

A Voice From Western Canada



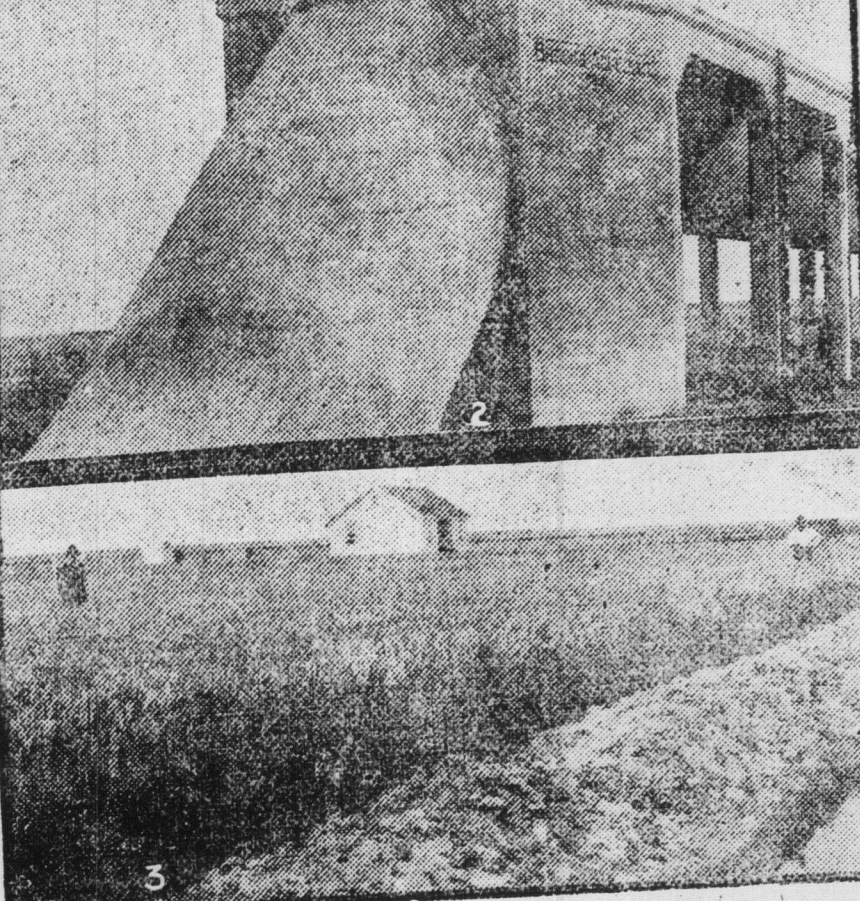
- (1) Sheep grazing on uncultivated land in the Brooks District.
- (2) A part of the Brooks Aqueduct showing one end of the syphon where it goes under the C. P. R. Main Line.
- (3) A first year's crop of wheat in the Brooks District. The house was erected under the C. P. R. Loan Policy.

At Cassils, Alberta, 73 miles west of Medicine Hat, and 103 miles east of Calgary, on the coast-to-coast line of the Canadian Pacific Railway an area of land was taken up this year by a colony of Seventh Day Adventists from Washoungton and Oregon. They certainly made up a splendid community. To my great surprise, most of them are taking up farming for the first time. There are professional men, businessmen, clerks, teachers, music teachers, nurses, mechanics, carpenters, and representatives of several lines of work. A desire for healthful occupation, together with the necessary ambition to make money, has led them to settle in this country.

The climate is delightful, the intense heat being tempered by cooling breezes. Though the summers are short, the long daylight hours with continuous sunshine, force the crop to early maturity. I have seen thousands of sheep grazing in the prairies, the huge herds of cattle and horses ranging everywhere and the golden harvests as far as the eye could reach. Huge tractors do all the heavy work.

On account of the drought this year, the crops on dry land in this section have been almost a total failure. But on the irrigated land, this particular community has just been holding its agricultural fair at the Brooks, six miles east of here. The exhibit of cattle, horses, sheep, grains, alfalfa and vegetables was certainly far above the average. This is especially surprising, as it represents the first attempt at farming in this section of the country.

The water supply for irrigating here comes from the Rockwell dam, 150 miles west through the Bow River. At Bassano there is an immense dam, from this and one-half millions. From this dam, the water is conveyed through large main canals to the smaller ones. Each quarter section has a headgate or weir where the water is measured to the farmer. Then the farmer has to build a main ditch with many laterals, to get the water spread over his land. The "ditch riders" regulate the amount of water that each farmer shall have. They oversee six miles of ditch. The farmer pays the Canadian Government \$1.25 an acre per year for the use of the water.



The flume at Brooks, a great piece of engineering work, is about four miles long and 300 feet high. It carries the water from one hill to the other, a distance of about four miles. The structure of reinforced concrete cost over two million dollars. Over twenty millions have been spent on this irrigation system and as much again will be spent before it is completed.

A short distance east of Cassils is the soldier colony; 50 ready-made farms fenced, with necessary buildings, and 60 acres of land broken. These farms are sold to returned soldiers on long term easy payments. To the south is Taylor's sheep ranch where they have over 25,000 head of sheep. This is only one of the many large sheep ranches in this section. Near Brooks is the farm belonging to the Duke of Sutherland—a farm of 7,500 acres. This year they have 3,000 acres in wheat, and 500 acres in alfalfa. Some of the land produced 2 1/2 tons of alfalfa to the acre. They have had three cuttings this year. There is so little rain here that there is no difficulty in curing the hay. Twelve miles south of here is Lake Newell, the fishing ground for everybody. Wherever there is any water, there are thousands of ducks and geese. The duck hunting season has just opened and we have been well supplied. Flax is a good crop. The seed is used for linseed oil, the stalk, which is very tough, for linen fiber. It now brings \$4.92 a bushel. Wheat and oats are usually put in for the first crop.

CLEMENTSVALE

Mr. Dennis Nass recently visited friends and relatives here.

Rev. O. P. Brown has returned from a few days' visit in St. John.

Mr. William Ramsay returned from a few days' visit in St. John.

Mrs. Alonzo Wright, of Bear River, is spending a few days with relatives here.

Miss Dolie Earley, of Bear River, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Trimmer.

Mrs. George Cress and little daughter are visiting her parents at South Millford.

Miss Greta Gordon, of Tupperville, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Potter.

Mr. Wilbur Porter of Blomidon, is visiting friends at the home of Mrs. Margaret Trimmer.

Mr. Clayton Potter, who has been in Tupperville for sometime past, has returned home.

Messrs. George Trimmer and Charles Ramsay made a business trip to Yarmouth and vicinity.

Miss Winnifred Potter left on Monday for New York where she intends to remain for an indefinite time.

Miss Minnie Sheffer, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brandard Ritchie, has returned to her home at Grafton.

Mrs. Edward M. Potter, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Manning Potter, South Farmington, has returned home.

Miss Vivian Millett, who has been in Massachusetts for the past few years, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Millett.

Mrs. Margaret Trimmer and Mr. Ivan Trimmer left on Monday for South Porcupine, Ontario, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doogue (nee Lydia Trimmer).

The annual Christmas concert was given by the children in the school house on the evening of Dec. 18th. Santa Claus played an important part in the evening's entertainment, and both children and parents spent an enjoyable evening.

The Acadia College Memorial Gymnasium will cost \$110,000 and \$50,000 have already been pledged. The building will be 160 feet long, 60 feet wide and two stories high. The memorial hall will have bronze tablets of the 60 Acadia Students, who lost their lives in the War.

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CHRISTMAS SERVICES IN THE PARISH OF ST. JAMES

The observance of the Christmas festival, as is usual in St. James parish, began with a celebration of the Holy Communion in St. Mary's Bellisle, at 8 o'clock on Christmas morning. The lighted tapers on the Altar and the "greening" decorating the church, gave a very fitting setting to the whole service which began with the well known immortal hymn—"O Come, all ye faithful," to the equally well known fine "Adeste Fideles" the other hymns being "God from on high hath heard" to "St. George" and Hark the herald Angels sing" to Menzieson.

At the parish church (St. James, Bridgetown) the service was at 11 o'clock. Here the church was tastefully decorated, whilst the Altar was resplendent with an unusual quantity of cut flowers kindly sent by Miss Bridge, Mr. C. S. Bothamley, and Mrs. F. J. Gerald of New York—the last named being in memory of Mrs. Edwin Ruggles; also Holy from Mrs. Ronald Whiteway; and flowers from Mrs. C. H. Strong and Miss Katherine Pratt. The music included the same hymns as used in Belleisle, Simper's "Festival quadruple chant" for the Te Deum. A Carol Anthem entitled "Glad tidings" by F. C. Bartlett and W. H. Neidinger's—"The birthday of a King," beautifully sung as an offertory solo, by Mrs. Harry Ruggles.

In each church the theme of the Rector's sermon was "Immanuel, God with us," which he fittingly concluded by quoting a appropriate poem.

Kneel and pray, the place is holy For our God is there.

The Christmas Communion was celebrated at this service.

The collection which by resolution of the Diocesan Synod, is given to the Rector for his sole use over and above Stipend guaranteed, (unless otherwise designated) was the largest in the history of the Church and for this the Rector wishes to express his deep appreciation and thanks for the many gifts and tokens of good will sent directly to the Rector or through the mail.

The Christmas music was repeated last Sunday and Carol sung at the evening service to a very large congregation in place of the usual sermon.

LECTURE AT PRIMROSE THEATRE

W. Sargeant, of the International Bible Students, spoke in Primrose Theatre Sunday afternoon on "The World's Hope". He said, "The World's Hope is contained in the wonderful Bible Plan, the 'good tidings of great joy' (Luke 2:10) on earth peace, good will toward men." This message was long enfolded in parables, parables and symbolic sayings, but was to be clearly elucidated in the "time of the end" of the Gospel Age (Dan 12:9 Rev. 10:4). From the very first the gold hued promise was held out that in due time the intended "Seed" would crush the serpents head. This means the overthrow of sin and death by Jesus, the Head, and the Church. His body, in the great thousand years of the Messianic reign (Rev 20:6) the church will then be in heaven exercising a beneficent influence upon the world and thus binding Satan (Rev 20:1-3) and restraining evil. The Bible contains no promise that any one outside of the elect church would go to heaven. The church includes all Christians who have the Spirit of Christ. The earth is intended for mankind in general. When the original death sentence is removed, the knowledge of the Truth shall spread through all lands and the secret of life restored (Is 11:9; Hab 2:14; Rev. 22:2). Then the dead shall come forth from their graves to enjoy the blessings of Christ's regime (John 5:28-29) and the curse of sin and death shall be banished away forever. Resurrection will be a process. Truth moral virtue and life will go hand in hand and gradually millions of the race shall be lifted back to the perfection lost through Adam's fall and in addition be possessed of an experience with evil as a safe guard for the future. Earth is now in a transition period and its present sorrows are the birth pangs of a new era in which shall be fulfilled the prayer, "Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven."

EUROPEAN FUND FOR STARVING CHILDREN

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Local Happenings

Owing to Thursday being New Years day, there will be no meeting of the Women's Institute for the month of January.

It is reported that there will be some good trotting on the river next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock if weather is favourable.

Mr. Abner Williams has sold his property now occupied by Mr. Gilbert Lowe, to Mr. John Bath who expects to take possession the first of April.

Bishop & Bishop continue to give their patrons a good class of pictures. There will be two shows to-morrow (New Years) night, the first one commencing at 7.30.

The officers of Crescent Lodge, I. O. O. F., will be installed to-morrow (Thursday) night by District Deputy Grand Master Amberman, of Granville Ferry. A full attendance is requested.

We welcome to our columns this week a new advertiser. We refer to Mr. H. H. Whitman, of Lawrence town, who has been 27 years the old stand. We feel sure the MONITOR can greatly assist in increasing his cash sales and we are glad he has given it a trial.

The Masonic Lodge at Digby attended divine worship in Holy Trinity Church Sunday night and listened with much interest to a sermon read by Rev. Wm Driffield which had been preached to the same lodge exactly 119 years ago by Rev. Roger Viets.

People should remember that our popular postmaster Mr. A. D. Brown and his obliging staff had probably the biggest mail in the history of the town to distribute last week, all of which was handled in as rapid a manner as possible under the circumstances.

In answer to numerous enquiries as to when last Wednesday's MONITORS were mailed, we wish to state that the local mail reached the Bridgetown Post Office Wednesday morning at 8.50 the United States mail before 10 a. m. and all other mails before 11 a. m. or in time to catch the west and east bound trains.

REAL LIVE TESTIMONIAL

Given to Professor Hamilton of Hampton

Phinney Cove, N. S., Professor B. S. Hamilton, Hampton, N. S.

Dear Sir: As I have found relief through your treatment after others failed I feel it a pleasure as well as my duty to acknowledge the same. I had an ulcerated stomach and suffered for seven years. I could not eat anything without it hurting me. I would sit down to the table with a desire to eat but endure hunger rather than suffer so after eating. I was bothered much with water rash too. I received very little if any relief from other physicians and my case became chronic, so I thought I would have stomach trouble all my life. When Prof Hamilton arrived in the place I began taking his treatments and after taking only one month's treatment I was cured. I can eat anything I wish now even grindstones and I feel like a new man. It is now three months since I took the treatment. I truly recommend him to those suffering with stomach trouble. I hope he may live long to continue the good work which he is called to do.

Gratefully yours, OTIS WHITE, Phinney Cove, N. S., Dec 26, 1919

PRESENTED WITH A TABLET

Bridgetown Captain Honoured by the Passengers

The New York World of Dec. 19th contained the following notice in reference to the S. S. Vasari, of which Capt. Leon Everett, of Bridgetown, is chief officer:

It was learned that the Lampport & Holt liner Vasari, coming from Liverpool in the Cunard Line service, passed through such a storm Monday that a committee of her passengers sent a wireless to a firm of silversmiths here to have a tablet ready to present to her captain when she arrives here to-day. It was made hurriedly and delivered to Dr. Cofer, the Health Officer at Quarantine, yesterday afternoon. He will deliver it on board the Vasari when she arrives. The inscription on it reads:

"Presented by the first cabin passengers to Capt. Oscar Penrice, Chief Officer L. O. Everett, Chief Engineer J. Cowan, officers and ship's company of the steamship Vasari in recognition and appreciation of the efficient handling of the ship from Liverpool to New York, in December, 1919, during the roughest weather experienced on the North Atlantic in forty years."

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Recent Weddings

A Number of Interesting Happy Events

BENJAMIN-TITUS

A very pretty and impressive wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Titus, Hampton, on Wednesday, Dec 24th, at 5 p. m. when their youngest daughter Frances Helen, was united in marriage to Mr. Stairs Benjamin, of Brookfield, Col. Co., N. S.

The house had been prettily decorated for the occasion by friends of the bride including a beautiful bridal arch of evergreen and white trimmings.

At the appointed hour the bride entered the parlor attended by her father and joined the groom who had proceeded to his place under the arch.

The wedding march was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Norris Mitchell, of Hampton and little Miss Eureka Collins cousin of the bride, acted very beautifully the part of flower girl.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. S. Richardson, of Bridgetown and was most impressive, the single ring form of service being used.

The bride looked charming dressed in white silk with allover net. She wore a beautiful bridal veil trimmed with asparagus fern and West India fish scales and carried a bouquet of ferns and roses.

The groom was married in khaki by the request of the bride, who served for four years in the Red Cross, part of which time was in France.

The many gifts, consisting of silverware, cut glass, linen and cash attested to the popularity of the couple. After the ceremony luncheon was served to the bridal party, consisting of over fifty guests. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin left for Halifax where they intend to reside. The people of Hampton sorry to lose "Frances" as she was very popular in that village and a general favourite of both young and old. They go with the best wishes of all.

MESSINGER-BINFORD

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the Baptist parsonage, Bridgetown, at 10 o'clock Monday morning, when Rev. M. S. Richardson united in marriage Mr. Roy Messinger, of Centrelea, to Mrs. Ethel Binford. They left the same afternoon on a wedding trip to Boston and other points of interest in the New England states, after which they will reside in Centrelea. The MONITOR extends best wishes.

CHRISTMAS IN BRIDGETOWN

Christmas passed off very quietly in Bridgetown. The weather was cold with snow squalls. There were many pleasant family gatherings and the usual exchange of gifts.

The editor of the MONITOR was very kindly remembered by the foreman and members of the staff. He also wishes to thank all the advertisers and friends who remembered him with much appreciated gifts. All advertisers report a very busy season, their Christmas trade in most of the stores exceeding by far all former years. The MONITOR carried a large amount of advertising and endeavored to send all the business possible to its numerous patrons, many of whom have expressed their personal appreciation.

There will be a Donation—for Pastor Salsman at the parsonage, Port Lorne, on January 7, 1920. All the friends from Hampton, St. Croix, Arlington and Outram are cordially invited to be present and make this an old Fashioned Donation, one of "Ye Olden Time." Bring along your cash, wood, oats, potatoes etc., and don't forget the cakes and pies. If stormy first fine night. 39 1 1

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. James O. Durling and family wish through the "Weekly Monitor" to thank all those who so kindly assisted them in their recent sad bereavement and for the lovely floral tributes also those who assisted at the funeral with the music and beautiful singing. 39 1 1

Executors' Notice

All persons having legal demands against the estate of Norman H. Phinney, late of Lawrence town, in the County of Annapolis, merchant are requested to render the same duly attested within twelve months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. H. T. PHINNEY, W. C. PARKER, Executors

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NOTICE

If the party that is known to have taken a pair of heavy reins, on Xmas eve from Otterson's stable, returns them to the same place by Saturday night Jan 3, 1920 there will be nothing more done. If not they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 39 1 1

The Annual meeting of the Annapolis county Poultry Club will be held in the Demonstration Building, Lawrence town, on Monday afternoon, Jan 5th, 1920, at 2.30 All interested are urged to attend as matters pertaining to poultry show will be discussed. E. C. SHAFFNER, Secy. 39 1 1

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BORN MacANDREWS—At the Wesley Hospital, Kansas City, Mo., Dec 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. MacAndrews, a daughter—Edith Maxine. DIED MUNRO—At Young's Mountain, Annapolis county, Dec 28th, Capt. Albert Des Brisay Munro, aged 80 years. TENDERS FOR THE BAPTIST CHURCH AT WOODVILLE Tenders for the construction of this building will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Thursday, January 1st, 1920. Plans and specifications may be seen at the parsonage, Billtown, N. S. REV. N. A. WHITMAN, 36 4 1 Secty Building Committee.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Nova Scotia, Fruit Growers' Association Will be held at Kentville, January 20-21-22, 1920 An interesting programme is in store for you a copy of which will be published later. F. W. FOSTER Secretary

Personal Ment

PERSONALS Mrs. H. Shearer, of Paradise, Xmas at Mrs. Hyson's. Mr. W. Anthony is at employed in Halifax. Mayor A. B. MacKenzie has from a business trip to Win North, spent Friday in Bridgetown. Mr. and Mrs. Colin Bull spending the Christmas holidays at home. Mr. Reginald Ripley, of the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler. Miss Fern Balsor, of Digby, spending a week with Mrs. Hyson. Mr. Fred Foster, of Yarmouth, is visiting his mother, Miss Foster. Mrs. H. D. Wallace, of St. John's, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. V. Arnold. Mr. F. V. Young, of the Chronicle, spent Christmas at home in Bridgetown. Mr. Harry Strong, of Digby, spent Christmas with relatives in Bridgetown. Mr. and Mrs. Kempton, of Halifax, spent Xmas at home, Mrs. Mary Hyson. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Anderson, of Halifax, are spending Christmas at home. Miss Catherine Pratt, of Digby, spent Christmas in town with her sister, Mrs. Charles St. John. Mrs. Herbert Munn, of Halifax, is visiting Mr. Elias Messinger, Granville. Mr. Gerald Hoyt, of the Bank of Canada, returned Christmas at his home in Bridgetown. Miss Fanny Tupper, who is a school in Halifax, is spending holidays at her home in Toronto. Miss Elizabeth Laird, left for Hartford, Conn., where she will remain for some weeks with her mother. Miss Helen Chipman, of the Business College, Halifax, is spending a few days at her former home in Yarmouth. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. MacKenzie, spent Christmas at home with the guests of Mr. Karl Freeman. Mrs. S. C. Turner was at Annapolis on Xmas to spend the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Welton. Mrs. C. F. Rockwell, of Digby, spent Christmas at home with her daughter, Mrs. F. H. Rockwell. Mr. Frank Cole had a fall while working at the Hicks' factory. His recovery is expected to be complete. Miss Roda Bent, of Bellefleur, is spending Christmas at her home in Digby. Mr. W. Cook, of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, is spending Christmas in Bridgetown. Friends will be pleased to learn that he is steadily recovering from a recent operation for appendicitis. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker, of Lawnsdale, spent Christmas holidays in Digby. Mrs. LeMoine, of Halifax, is spending Christmas at the Kings College Windsor. Mrs. B. W. Roscoe, of Digby, is spending Christmas at home in Kentville. Mr. D. J. MacQuarrie, of Digby, is spending Christmas at home in Digby. Mr. J. Gill, of that place, is spending Christmas at home in Digby. Monsieur: For 15 days in the January I was suffering with rheumatism in the foot. I tried all kinds of remedies but nothing did me any good. One person told me of MINARD'S LINIMENT; as I tried it the next morning, I was cured. I tell you this remedy is good; I could give you a certificate any time that I like to have one. If I come to hear about sick or rheumatism, tell them about this remedy. Yours truly ERNEST LEVEILLER 216 Rue Ontario East, Montreal, Feb 14th, 1908

Personal Mention

PERSONALS

Mrs. H. Shearer, of Paradise spent Xmas at Mrs. Hyson's.

Mr. W. Anthony is at present employed in Halifax.

Mayor A. B. MacKenzie has returned from a business trip to Winnipeg.

Mr. Loring B. Hall, of Yarmouth, North, spent Friday in Bridgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Burns are spending the Christmas holidays in St. John.

Mr. Reginald Ripley, of Amherst, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fowler.

Miss Fern Balsor, of Digby, is spending a week with her friend, Mrs. Hyson.

Mr. Fred Foster, of Worcester, Mass., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Annie Foster.

Mrs. H. D. Wallace, of St. George, N. B. is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Arnold.

Mr. F. V. Young, of the Halifax Chronicle, spent Christmas at his home in Bridgetown.

Mr. Harry Strong, of Kentville, spent Christmas with relatives and friends in Bridgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Kempton Hyson, of Halifax, spent Xmas with his mother, Mrs. Mary Hyson.

Mr. and Mrs. Greatorex and Mrs. of Halifax, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Avard Anderson.

Miss Catherine Pratt, of Truro, spent Christmas in town the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Strong.

Mrs. Herbert Mumford, of Halifax is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elias Messinger, Granville St.

Mr. Gerald Hoyt, of the Royal Bank of Canada, Truro, spent Christmas at his home in Bridgetown.

Miss Fanny Tupper, who is teaching school in Halifax, is spending her holidays at her home in Tupperville.

Miss Elizabeth Laird left Saturday for Hartford, Conn., where she will remain for some weeks with friends.

Miss Helen Chipman, of the Maritime Business College, Halifax, is spending a few days at her former home in Tupperville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Miles, of Halifax, spent Christmas in Bridgetown the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Freeman.

Mrs. S. C. Turner was a passenger to Annapolis on Xmas to spend the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Welton.

Mrs. C. F. Rockwell, of Kentville, who spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. F. H. Fowler returned home Monday.

Mr. Frank Cole had one of his ankles injured while working in Hicks' factory. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Roda Bent, of Bellisle, has been clerking at Mrs. S. C. Turner's variety store for several weeks. Miss Ida Barnes also assisted during the Xmas season.

Mr. W. Cook, of the head office staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia spent Christmas in Bridgetown. His many friends will be pleased to learn that he is steadily recovering from a recent operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ruggles' visitors at "Lawnsdale" for the Christmas holidays include their sons, LeMoine, of Halifax; and Jack, of Kings College Windsor; Major and Mrs. B. W. Roscoe, and little son, of Kentville.

Mr. D. J. MacQuarrie, of Haverhill, Mass., asst. supt. of the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co., has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nell Walker. Mr. MacQuarrie has a large interest in the Silver Black Fox Co., at Carleton's Corner.

Yarmouth Herald: Mrs. L. R. Goodwin left by the D. A. R. on Saturday morning to spend Christmas at her home in Bridgetown. Mrs. C. J. Gill, of that place who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin, returned home with her.

Monstieur:
For 15 days in the month of January I was suffering with pain of rheumatism in the foot. I tried all kinds of remedies but nothing did me any good. One person told me about MINARD'S LINIMENT; as soon as I tried it the Saturday night, the next morning, I was feeling very good; I tell you this remedy is very good; I could give you a good certificate any time that you would like to have one. If any time I come to hear about any person sick of rheumatism, I could tell them about this remedy.
Yours truly,
ERNEST LEVEILLE,
216 Rue Ontario East, Montreal.
Feb 14th, 1908

Among the Churches

Parish of St. James, Bridgetown

The services next Sunday (2nd Sunday after Christmas) will be:

Bridgetown 8 a. m. (Holy Communion) and 7 p. m.

St. Mary's, Belleisle, 10.30 a. m.

St. Peter's-by-the-Sea, Young's Cove, 2.30 p. m.

WEEK DAYS

Bridgetown, To-morrow (New Years Day) 10.30 a. m. Holy Communion with short address.

Friday, 7.30 p. m. Organized Bible Class. 8.40 choir practice.

Bridgetown Methodist Church

Rev. W. J. W. Swetnam Pastor

10 a. m., Sunday School

11 a. m. Presbyterian service.

7 p. m. Annual Covenant service followed by Celebration of the Sacrament of the Lords Supper.

Service at Granville 11 a. m.

Service at Bentville 3 p. m.

Covenant and Sacrament services.

Public Watch night service Wednesday, Dec 31st, at 11 p. m.

Bridgetown United Baptist Church

Rev. M S Richardson, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7.00

Weekly prayer service of the church on Wednesday evening at 7.30 B. Y. P. U. Friday evening 7.30

Happy New Year



I hereby extend to all, best wishes for a bright and prosperous New Year.

Thanking you for your patronage during the past year, and hoping for a fair amount of your trade during the coming year, I am

Yours truly

Wm. E. Gesner

The Cash Clothing Store

LET US SOLVE YOUR CHRISTMAS PROBLEMS

These are days of giving practical gifts, and what can be more appreciated by any man, if your gift to him is a first class

Custom Made Suit of Clothes or Overcoat at reasonably small cost.

Gents' Furnishing

Specially for the Xmas trade, we have an excellent line of Stanfield's Underwear also Socks, Gloves and Neckties, any of which would make genuine gifts.

We want to call special attention to the superior line of Silk Cravats we are showing, the coloring and figures are bound to meet with your approval, and which always makes an appreciative gift.

"When Doing Your Christmas Shopping, Make it a Point to Call at our Store."

See our window display of New Goods. It will assist you in your shopping.

We extend to all a Merry Christmas.

G. O. THIES, Merchant Tailor
RALPH LANE, Manager

Telephone No. 68.

Thank You

We have appreciated your generous patronage during the past year.

We wish you one and all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Royal Pharmacy
W. A. WARREN, Phm.B.

The Rexall Store

CARD OF THANKS

I desire to thank all my customers and friends for their kind patronage during 1919 which time I have been doing business on Cash Terms, with satisfactory results. I solicit a continuation and will try to please you.

A Happy New Year to all.

Mrs. S. C. Turner

THANKS

I wish to thank my customers for their patronage during 1919 and solicit a continuance of their favors for 1920.

Mrs. E.B. Chute
Confectionier

Executrix's Notice

All persons having legal demands against the estate of William Shaw, late of Paradise, in the county of Annapolis, farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested within three months from the date hereof and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to

MARGARET A. SHAW
Sole Executrix
Probate granted Dec 3rd, 1919.
38 13 1 Paradise Dec 24th, 1919.

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At Christmas Time



Your friends can buy anything you can give them—

except your photograph,

Georgia H. Cunningham

"The Photographer in Your Town"

A High Appreciation

With a high appreciation of the many courtesies extended to us in the past year by our friends whom we have had the opportunity to serve, we express our good-will. We hope that the coming months may be full of prosperity for you; and that yours may be, in the truest and highest sense of the old greeting, a Happy New Year.

Sincerely Yours,

Magee & Charlton

GREETINGS

We wish our customers and friends a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

We thank them for the business they have given us in the past year and hope by satisfactory service to merit its continuance for 1920.

Joseph I. Foster

The Bridgetown Importing House

Only a few more weeks in which to do your Xmas Shopping

Drop in and have a look over our tables and counters and I feel sure you will find just what you are looking for.

We have an unusually attractive display of Ladies' Handkerchiefs, boxed or individual; Mufflers, Aprons, Ties Camisoles, Coats, Furs, Gloves, Hose, Cap and Scarf Sets, Sweaters, Umbrellas, Blouses, Skirts, Underskirts and many other practical and useful gifts,

For Men and Boys we can give Mackinaws, Sweaters, Mufflers, Caps, Ties, Gloves, Mitts, Socks, Handkerchiefs and Pajama Suits of exceptional value.

It would be impossible to enumerate our complete stock of useful articles for Men, Women and Children.

Come early to insure a good selection.

J. W. BECKWITH

The Season's Compliments

Our wish to all our customers and friends is a Happy and A Prosperous New Year.

JOHN LOCKETT & SON

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After Christmas Holidays, Monday, January 5th.

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WE WILL SELL

Western Grey Buckwheat Flour

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"For three years, I was a terrible sufferer from Dyspepsia and my general health was very bad. I consulted a physician and took his medicine and faithfully carried out his instructions; but I did not improve and finally the doctor told me I could not be cured."

At this time, a friend advised me to try 'Fruit-a-tives' and I did so. After taking two boxes of 'Fruit-a-tives', I was greatly relieved; and gradually this marvelous fruit medicine made me completely well. My digestion and general health are splendid—all of which I owe to 'Fruit-a-tives'."

GASPARD DUBORD.

50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

LAWRENCETOWN

We are sorry to learn of the illness of Mrs. Annie Buckler.

Mr. Clifford Duncan is spending the winter in Annapolis.

Mrs. P. B. Bishop has returned from her visit to Halifax.

Mrs. Philip Beals, of Wolfville, is visiting at the Baptist Parsonage.

Mrs. E. C. Young, of Bridgetown, was a week end guest of Mrs. N. H. Phinney.

Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Atwood Banks and family in their sad bereavement.

A Farmers' banquet was held in the Demonstration Building on Friday evening, the 19th.

Mrs. E. H. Freeman entertains her Sunday School class on Monday evening of each week.

Dr. F. E. Wheelock, of Acadia University was a week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Wheelock.

Miss Elizabeth Felts left last week for Montreal to remain for a time the guest of her uncle Mr. Felts.

Dr. Stella Messenger and daughter, of London, Eng., are guests of Dr. W. S. and Mrs. Phinney.

Mrs. Sophie Martin has returned to her home in Bangor, Maine, after visiting relatives here for several weeks.

Your Correspondent wishes the Editor and staff, and all the readers of THE WEEKLY MONITOR a Happy New Year.

A Christmas Tree and entertainment was held in the vestry of the Baptist Church on Tuesday evening, the 23rd, and also in the Methodist Church at the same hour 7.30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Phinney, of Wolfville, Mr. and Mrs. Abner Phinney of Wolfville, Mrs. C. W. Phinney of Bear River, and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Phinney, of Halifax, attended the funeral of the late N. H. Phinney.

Rev. Mr. Jones went to Halifax on Monday, and on Wednesday, Dec 17th was united in holy bonds of matrimony. After a few weeks' absence Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Jones will return and take up their abode in the Methodist parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Jones have the best wishes of a large circle of friends for a long continued happiness.

ALBANY

Miss Winnie Sawler is teaching at West Virginia.

Miss Lena Sawler, of Kentville, is now with her brother Percy in Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Veniot have moved into Miss McKeown's house for the winter.

Veniot Bros. have closed up their saw mill for the winter and are now in the logging business.

Mrs. Veniot, of Albany Cross, a daughter born Dec. 17th. Also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Feener, a daughter.

The cabin of L. R. Fair at Albany Cross was broken into on Saturday, 13th, and a lot of his goods stolen; a man has been arrested and is now in jail at Middleton.

The steamer Centreville has gone into winter quarters at Snow's wharf Digby.

THE LATE N. H. PHINNEY

One of the Most Prominent Men of Annapolis County Has Passed Away

We copy the following from the Middleton Outlook in reference to the late N. H. Phinney, a notice of whose death appeared in a recent issue of the MONITOR:

Mr. N. H. Phinney one of the most outstanding men Annapolis County has produced in many years, died at his home in Lawrencetown, Annapolis County, Wednesday Dec 10th, following an illness of three weeks.

Mr. Phinney at the time of his death was 69 years old and until very recently had been enjoying good health and took his usual keen interest in business and public affairs. There is hardly a home in Western Nova Scotia where Mr. Phinney was not known personally. Probably no native of Annapolis County could claim as many real friends in the County as could be. For years his business carried him into the most remote sections of Nova Scotia where his reputation for honest business dealing and his inherent kindness was well known.

Forty nine years ago Mr. N. H. Phinney started in business in a small way. During the many years since then he watched his business grow and develop under his careful guidance, into a large organization with several branch stores. A few years ago he felt the responsibilities of a big business weighing heavily upon his shoulders and his son, Mr. Horton W. Phinney took over the business of N. H. Phinney, Limited. From that time Mr. N. H. Phinney carried on the musical instrument business at Lawrencetown, Annapolis Co., in the parent store of the present firm, which store he retained when he handed over the responsibilities of the larger business.

During his younger days he conducted large singing schools throughout Annapolis and Lunenburg Counties, where thousands of young people were instructed by him. About twenty five years ago Mr. Phinney staged a children's Musical Carnival at Lawrencetown, which has never been equalled in Nova Scotia before or since upwards of two thousand children from all over Annapolis County taking part.

Mr. Phinney was a staunch Baptist. During his younger days he possessed an exceptionally fine tenor voice and for years he was the leader of a choir in the Baptist Church at Lawrencetown which had at that time few equals throughout the Province.

Politically Mr. Phinney was a Conservative. In his political career his qualities of fairness and honesty never left him. Probably no man was ever more respected by his political opponents. He represented Annapolis County in the Local Legislature from 1911 until 1916. When the campaign of 1916 came on he did not feel physically equal to the task of another campaign and he retired from active participation in politics.

Mr. Phinney was married twice. His first wife, who was Jessie Wheelock, died 15 years ago. His second wife, who before her marriage to him was Mrs. Bishop, of Lawrencetown, survives. The children who are living are Horton, who resides at Wolfville, Harvey at Lawrencetown, Mrs. Edith Shaffner and Annie also at Lawrencetown.

Mr. Phinney will be greatly missed by thousands of friends in whose memory he will linger as long as they live, because of his kindly sympathy and great generosity.

It is reported that S. A. Merchant proprietor of the Oxford Journal, has sold out his printing plant and business to the News Publishing Co., Truro. The new owners will continue a business office at Oxford but printing will be done in Truro.

If anyone blames you for not doing anything tell them to just look at the weather we've had.

CAPTAIN ADAMS WAS TAKEN BY SURPRISE

Improvements So Remarkable After Taking Tanlac He Hardly Knows Himself

"For one whole year before I took Tanlac there was hardly a day that I didn't have a severe headache and hardly a night that I got over an hour or two of sleep," said S. S. Adams, when he called at the Owl Drug Store in Vancouver, B. C. Mr. Adams served as Captain in the English Army, and at the time he made this statement he was registered at the St. Frances Hotel, 600 Cordova West, Vancouver. Mr. Adams further stated he would leave for the Orient in a few days to accept a managing position with an English firm in Japan.

"For the past year," continued Mr. Adams, "I had gastritis in its very worst form, and gas would press against my heart and make it palpitate so bad that I would get dizzy and sometimes while I was eating I would get to feeling so dizzy that I would have to get up and leave the table without finishing. My appetite was almost completely gone and even the smell of food would sometimes turn my stomach, and I had to be extremely careful about what I ate so as not to suffer from gas. My nerves were shattered and the least little noise out of the ordinary would upset me completely."

"I tried medicine after medicine but nothing would do me any good, and I was about to give up trying to find any thing else when my attention was called to a testimonial in the paper about Tanlac. I decided to try it and I want to say right here that it took me by surprise and that it is simply remarkable how I have been restored to health. I have a splendid appetite and no matter what or how much I eat I never suffer from stomach trouble in any form. My nerves are quiet and steady and I can sleep all night long. I am not troubled with headaches or dizzy spells any longer, and I feel so different in every way that I hardly know myself. I am leaving for the Orient in a few days and let the people know that Tanlac is a great thing and that I will do every bit of what they say it will."

Tanlac is sold in Bridgetown, by S. N. Moore and in Middleton, by Clifford A. Mumford and in Bear River by L. V. Harris.

MARRIED IN ST. JOHN

NICHOLS—BLACKFORD

The wedding of John Alfred James Nichols, of St. John, and Miss Gladys Blackford, of Tiverton, was solemnized on Thursday afternoon in the rectory of St. James' church Broad St., St. John, by Rev. H. A. Tody. They were attended by Thomas Nichols and Miss Gertrude Bickerton, brother and half sister of the bridegroom. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholl will reside in St. John upon their return after a trip to Nova Scotia. They will be the guests of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Blackford, in Tiverton, for the holidays, and return after New Year's. The groom is a returned soldier with many friends who wish him and his bride happiness in married life.

CLARENCE EAST OFFICE CLOSED

The Post Office at Clarence East will be closed today, Dec 31st. The retiring postmaster, Mr. S. N. Jackson filled the position for more than 30 years. We trust that a post will considerably improve his health.

If the worst came to the worst on Dec 17th, the editor of the Adams County, Idaho, Leader, suggested to his readers that it were well if their subscriptions were paid to date as he "would not care to chase all over hell looking for a bunch of folks who owe two dollars apiece."

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We'll expect you in today—now don't forget.

C. B. Tupper, Bridgetown, N. S.

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A headache is frequently caused by badly digested food, the gases and acids resulting therefrom are absorbed by the blood which in turn irritates the nerves and causes painful symptoms called headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, etc. 15 to 30 drops of Mather Seigel's Syrup will correct faulty digestion and afford relief.

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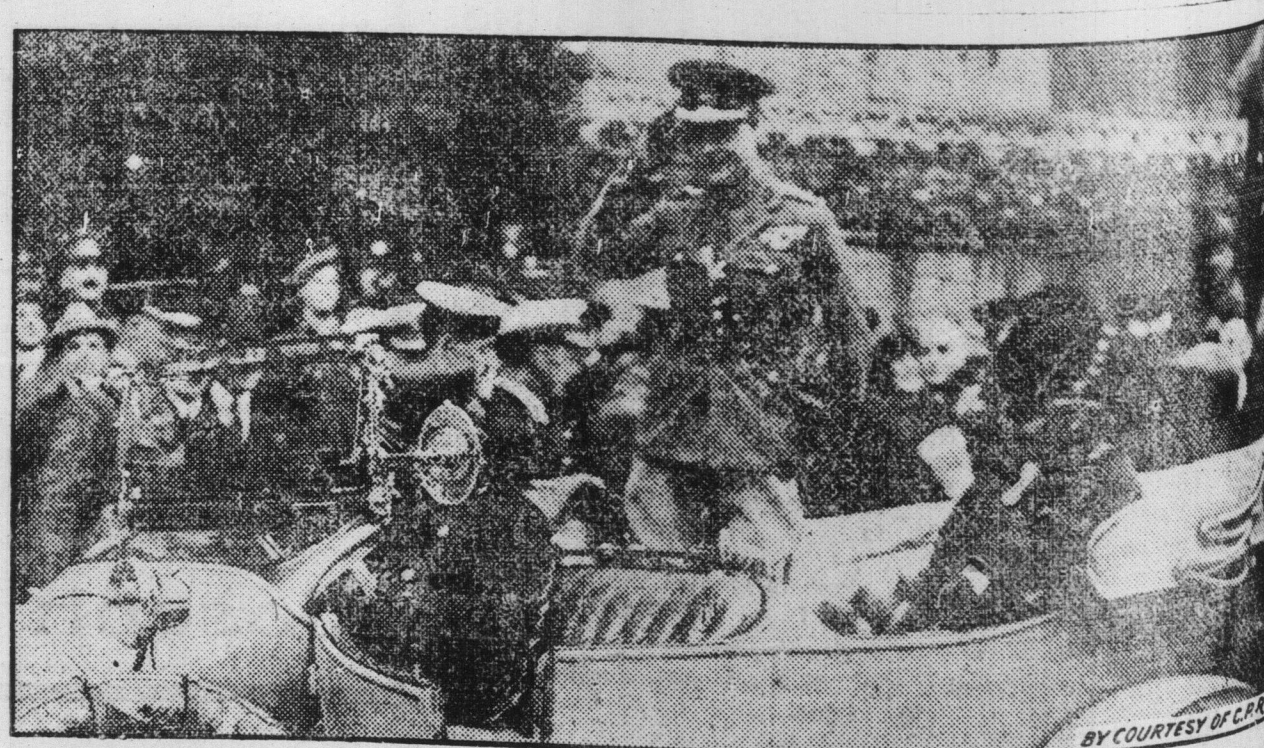
Northern Fire Insurance Co.

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The Prince signs Autograph for School Teacher at Maple Creek, Sask.



The Prince was met by Mayor Martin at C. P. R. Railway Station, Montreal.

TRAVELLER'S

Dominion Railway

Time Table Revised to

GOING WEST

Middleton	11:37
Bridgetown	11:44
Lawrencetown	11:51
Paradise	12:00
Bridgetown	12:09
Tupperville	12:21
Road Hill	12:31
Annapolis	12:41
Upr. Clements	12:51
Deep Brook	13:01
Bear River	13:11
Inverville	13:21
Smith's Cove	13:31
Digby	13:41

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R. U. PARKER, General Passenger GEO.

H. & S. W.

Accom. TIME TABLES only! IN EFFECT Jan. 5th 1920

Read down	STATION
11:10 a.m.	Lev. Middleton
11:41 a.m.	"Clareton
12:00 m.	"Bridgetown
12:33 p.m.	"Granville
12:49 p.m.	"Karsland
13:12 p.m.	"Ar Port W.
13:30 p.m.	"Ar Port W.

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January Fifth 1920

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TRAVELLER'S GUIDE

Dominion Atlantic Railway

Time Table Revised to April 1st, 1919

GOING WEST

Station	Express Daily	Express Daily	Mixed Daily
Middleton	11:37	8:10	6:20
Bridgetown	11:44	8:18	6:30
Lawrenceville	11:51	8:25	6:40
Paradise	11:58	8:32	6:50
Bridgetown	12:09	8:43	7:15
Paradise	12:20	8:54	7:25
Bridgetown	12:29	9:03	7:35
Paradise	12:42	9:20	7:45
Upper Clements	12:53		7:55
Clements	1:05	5:15	8:05
Paradise	1:19	5:28	8:15
Bridgetown	1:30	5:37	8:25
Paradise	1:40	5:48	8:35
Lawrenceville	1:51	5:59	8:45
Bridgetown	1:58	6:06	8:50
Paradise	2:05	6:13	8:55
Middleton	2:12	6:20	9:00

GOING EAST

Station	Express Daily	Express Daily	Mixed Daily
Digby	12:00		1:27
Smith's Cove	12:15		1:55
Lawrenceville	12:19		2:05
Paradise	12:33		2:20
Upper Clements	12:43		2:35
Clements	12:53		2:45
Paradise	1:05	5:15	3:00
Bridgetown	1:19	5:28	3:15
Paradise	1:30	5:37	3:30
Bridgetown	1:40	5:48	3:45
Paradise	1:51	5:59	3:55
Lawrenceville	1:58	6:06	4:05
Bridgetown	2:05	6:13	4:15
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R. U. PARKER, General Passenger Agent. GEO. E. GRAHAM, General Manager.

H. & S. W. RAILWAY

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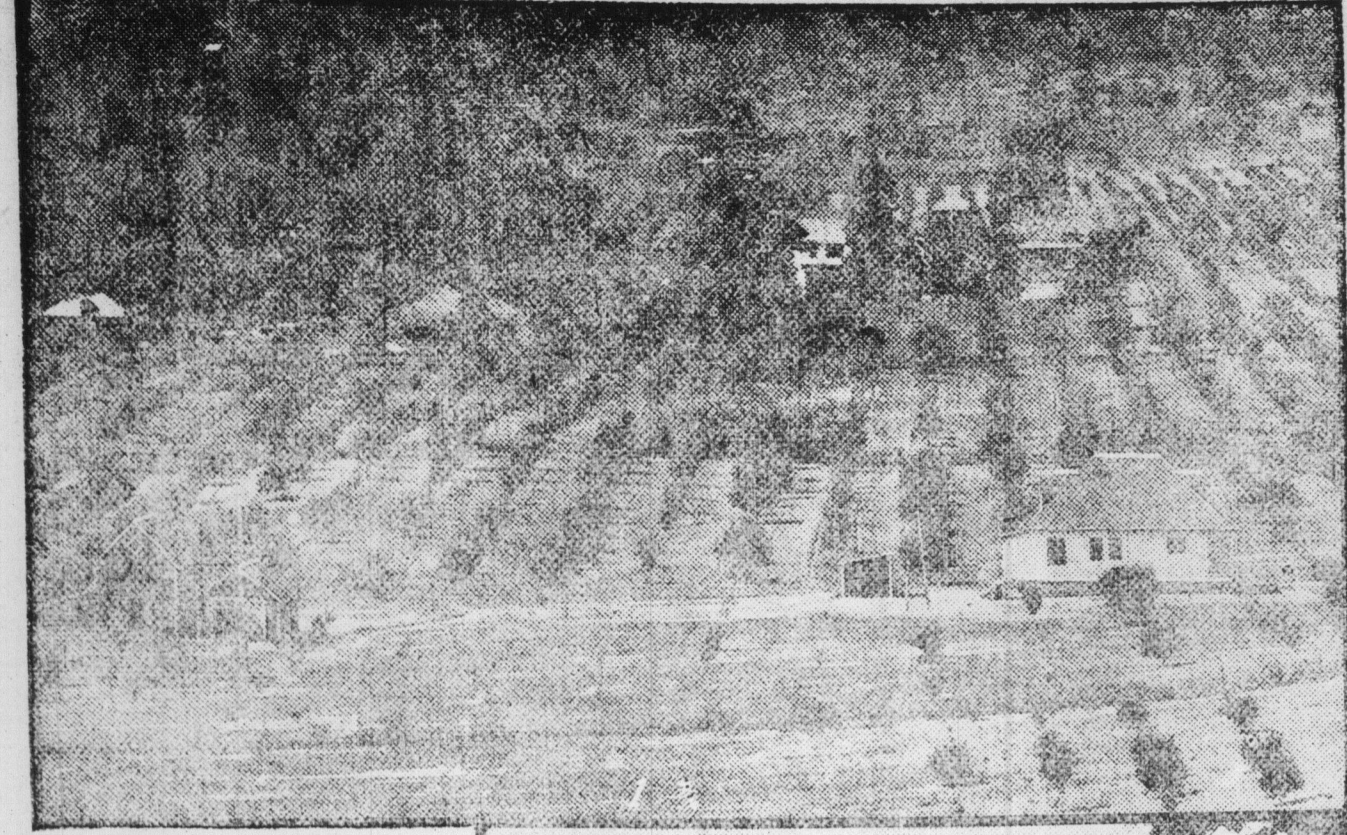
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The Romance of the Okanagan

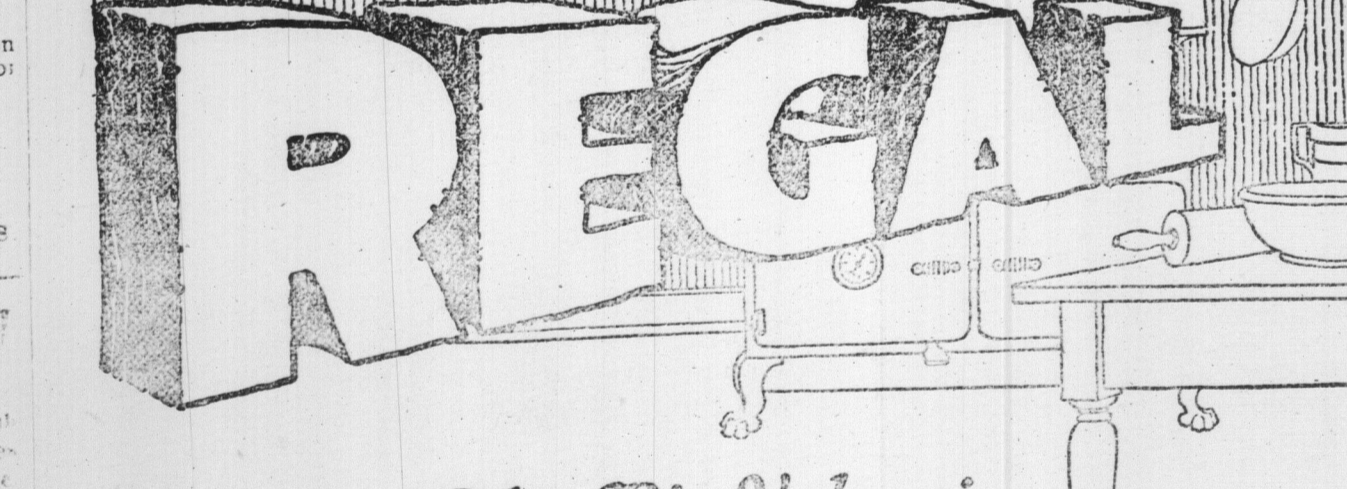


"The Cecil Rhodes of the Okanagan" has been the title given Mr. J. M. Robinson of Naramata, Okanagan Valley, B. C. It is due to his energy and vision that the valley is now covered with smiling orchards and is one of the assets of the Dominion. From his newspaper office in Portage La Prairie, Manitoba, in 1894, Mr. Robinson observed a family of eight, with their savings of ten thousand dollars, leaving for California. That they were seeking a milder climate led him to remark that it was to be regretted that Canada should lose such citizens and that there was not a Canadian California.

Two years later Mr. Robinson and his party went to Rosland, at the time of the mining-boom and formed a prospecting party who went into the Okanagan valley and located claims near Peachland and established Camp Hewitt. The hills refused to uncover their store house of metals. With courage they faced the conviction that their hopes were blighted. However, if the hills of Peachland revealed that the greatest wealth lay in the surface soil which, when cultivated and planted, produced fruit and vegetables, unsurpassed.

At the ranch of Mr. Lambly, gold commissioner, Mr. Robinson was given peaches and was amazed to learn that they had been grown on the ranch. He at once realized that he had found that for which he had been searching, the Canadian California. Boundless possibilities lay in the great reaches of upland and sage brush. A tract purchased on the beach was called Peachland, the name carrying the advertisement with it. Eastern people then inquired if "Peaches grew in Peachland," so there truly was much in a name. To have one hundred families occupying the land that one family occupied; to see the barren, parched hills the homes of thousands of Easterners was the dream of the "Father of the Okanagan." Promoting this colonization scheme, Mr. Robinson was brought from Manitoba in 1898, a preacher and a teacher included, as there were twenty-one children in the party. The Peachland townsite company was formed and the land was divided into small holdings of ten acres. An irrigation system was installed, the water being brought from the mountain streams flowing into the lake and, with assured irrigation, the land sold at nominal cost. Orchards were planted and homes erected. It was all an experiment as irrigation was a new thing in Canada. A school was built, a store was opened, a union church was established. The first service was held on the veranda of Mr. Robinson's home and this union church continued for some years. The late Mr. J. B. Somerset, former business manager of the "Winnipeg Free Press" joined the colony and attended the fruit farm part of the enterprise. It required five years for the trees to come into full bearing and during that time there were many cries of "fake" but the staunch-hearted men continued their transformation plans. Over twenty miles of good roads were constructed and gave access to every tract. Electric and domestic water systems were installed. In due time, one hundred thousand fruit trees were bearing and the land and valleys back of the lake were planted to the very mountains. So the slope were freed of their burden of pine trees. Woodlands gave place to orchards of apples, pears, peaches, apricots, plums and cherries.

(1) Fruit Orchards, Summerland, B.C. (2) View of the Okanagan Lake, Penticton, B.C.



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PARADISE

The writer wishes the Editor of the MONITOR a Merry Xmas. Among those who are spending Xmas at their homes are: Misses Mary and Sara Longley, Helen Pearson, Leone Banks, Charlotte Bowly and Muriel Elliott, Messrs. Ronald Longley, Lawrence and Lewellyn Bowly, Barle Saunders and Ewart Longley.

On Friday afternoon, Dec. 16th, the public school held a Xmas Concert in the Primary Department. A large number of the parents were present and enjoyed a very excellent programme which was given by the children. At the close of the programme Rev. I. A. Corbett, Rev. Mr. Brindley, of Granville, Rev. W. H. Robinson and Mr. R. S. Longley gave short addresses, after which Santa Claus made his appearance and distributed the presents. All present enjoyed the programme very much and much credit is due Miss Mailman for the way in which the entertainment was arranged.

On Monday evening, Dec. 15th the Literary Society held its regular meeting at the home of Rev. I. A. Corbett. After the business had been dispensed with, a Community Programme was rendered. Rev. Mr. Corbett discussed some needed community improvements and much interest was taken in his remarks which were followed by a statement by Mr. F. W. Bishop on the proposed electric lights. Then Mr. M. G. Saunders gave a short talk on Community Athletics. Several musical numbers were also rendered among which were a piano duet by Mrs. Clarence Longley and Miss Bessie Durling, A vocal solo by Mr. S. W. Longley and a quartette by Misses Eleanor and Evelyn Longley and Messrs. H. W. and H. A. Longley. Unfortunately some of the numbers on the programme had to be omitted on account of the absence of those who had been expected to take part. The meeting broke up after singing "O Canada."

NOTICE

Mrs. Abner Morse, who has been visiting her children in the U. S. A. returned on the 10th inst.

Mrs. Ezra Johnson, of Okanagan Valley, B. C., was the guest of Mrs. Bakom and Mrs. Jos. Amero the past week.

Chas. Trask is doing considerable business in engines and other machinery, carloads of such being received at the station here.

Miss Adelaide Ritcey, who has been in Liverpool the past few weeks the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. H. Millard, has returned.

Mr. Archibald Campbell, foreman of the granite quarries here, left on the 18th inst. for his home in Scotland, expecting to spend the winter with his "Ain Folk".

Mr. Walter DeLancey, who for the past three months had been a patient in the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, returned last week. His many friends in the county will be glad to learn that his health had improved sufficiently to make the trip.

The granite quarries in this place are the scene of great activities these days. Mr. Hoyt has orders already outstanding for over one million paving blocks which at the present rate will keep the gang of men busy two years. The work will be sped up as fast as additional workmen can be procured. The output of these quarries make a tremendous amount of teaming.

During their tour of the Maritime Provinces in the interests of the Farmers' Movement, Mr. George A. Chipman, formerly of this place, but now Editor of the Grain Growers' Guide, Winnipeg, and The Hon. T. A. Crerar, ex-minister of Agriculture in the Union Government, were the guests of the former's brother, Mr. Frank Chipman, on Sunday, Dec. 14th.

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Suburban Notes

INGLESVILLE

Miss Winnie Sawler, of Albany, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hat.

Our veteran hunter, Mr. Bayers, received \$160.00 in 18 days for fur. Who next?

Arch Beals and Vernon Beals made a business trip to Bridgetown on Monday, 22nd.

Mrs. R. P. Best and Mrs. McGill are caring for the sick at Centerville and Paradise.

Mr. Henry Beals has returned from Chester where he went to visit his daughter, Mrs. Frank Stevens.

Mr. Ernest Merry, of Albany, accompanied by Miss Lily Coakley, of Halifax, visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Beals recently.

Mrs. Lizzie Baker, of Boston, formerly of this place, has visited her mother, Mrs. Wm. Merry. She also visited her husband's relatives at Milton, Queens Co.

On the evening of Dec. 20th a Xmas concert was held in the Baptist Church. The children under the supervision of Mrs. Rowter, rendered a very pleasing program. At the close Santa Claus arrived and distributed gifts from the heavy laden tree.

Program as follows:

Opening Chorus—Ye Joyful Bells.

Scripture, Luke 8:11—Prayer—Mr. Hatt.

Xmas Greeting—Irma Leonard.

Song—Glory to God, Choir.

Recitation—What does Xmas Mean?—Lettie Gates.

Chorus: Its Coming School.

Recitation: A Timely Pointer—Frank Naugler.

Recitation: Xmas Stocking—Stewart Leonard.

Solo: No Room in the Inn—Eva Banks.

Recitation: Sleepy Head—Richard Naugler.

Recitation—Xmas Wish—Ernest Richardson.

Chorus: Good News—School.

Recitation: Two Christmas Eyes—Mrs. G. Whitman.

Recitation—Hilda Banks.

Recitation: Poor Santa—Lindsay Stoddart.

Candle Exercise Seven children.

Monologue: Eleanor Lynn.

Hush-A-Bye Three Girls.

Recitation—No Room, Dorothy Stoddart.

Recitation: How Children May Keep Xmas, Eva Banks.

Star Exercise Four Boys.

Recitation: Maggie Gates.

Chorus: Drifting Out, School.

Recitation: Fifty Years Ago Mr. R. P. Best.

Shepherd Exercise S. S. Class of Girls.

Recitation: A Russian Xmas, Mrs. Vernon Beals.

Recitation: Mrs. Irving Leonard.

Exercise: Presents from other Lands, Six girls.

Antem: Glory to God in the Highest, Choir, Doxology.

BELLEISLE

Miss Ruth Young returned on Tuesday from the West where she has been teaching.

Miss Jennie Bent is spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Bent.

Mr. Fred Moxey, of Halifax, is spending the holidays at the home of Mr. John Gesner.

Mr. Kenneth Taylor, of Kings Co., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Young.

Mrs. Percy V. Parker, of Aylesford, spent Sunday last with his sister, Mrs. A. W. Gesner.

Dr. Vernon Parker, of New Glasgow, spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. W. F. Parker.

Mr. Gladstone Parker, of Dalhousie, is spending the holiday season with his mother, Mrs. W. F. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cook and son, of North Range, are visiting Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilder C. Goodwin, of St. John, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goodwin.

The members of Greenleaf Division S. O. T. are having a pie and shadow sale on Friday evening, Jan. 2nd. The public are invited to come and spend a pleasant evening. Ladies, bring pies.

PRINCEDALE

Miss Genevieve Feener returned from Annapolis Saturday.

Miss Sara McCormick, of Bear River, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Wright.

Mr. Fred Potter, of Upper Clements, spent Sunday at Mr. Gardner Wright's.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Wright went to Plympton to spend Christmas with their son, Lloyd Wright.

Mr. Norman Sanford, of Halifax, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Sanford.

OUTRAM

Mr. Milton M. O. Neal is home from Halifax for a few week's visit.

Mr. Charles O'Neal spent last week visiting friends at Hampton, N. S.

Talmage Marshall spent a few days last week with friends at Hampton.

A Happy and Prosperous New Year to the MONITOR and its many readers.

Miss L. M. Banks was calling on friends at Paradise and Bridgetown on Dec. 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels, of Lawrencetown, spent the 21st visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Grant.

Mr. W. F. Beardsley came from Halifax Wednesday to spend the season's holidays with Mrs. Beardsley.

Mr. Melbourne Sanford came home Tuesday from Dalhousie to spend the holidays with Mrs. Sanford at Mr. John O. Nea's.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaner Smith and little son Avarid from Halifax are spending the holidays the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bent.

Miss Alma Slocum, a student of Acadia College, Wolfville, is home spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Slocum.

The most heartfelt and sincere sympathy of friends in this place, is extended to Mrs. Atwood Banks and family of Clarence. "His ways are not our ways."

Mrs. Wm. A. Marshall has returned home from Hampton where she has been receiving medical treatment from Dr. Hamilton. We are glad to see her much improved in health.

Recent guests and arrivals at Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Marshall's were Mr. W. A. Marshall, Jr., Miss Spittle, Mr. Percy Marshall from Kentville; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Slocum, from Brighton, Mass.

The Xmas entertainment given in the school room on Friday evening by our teacher, Miss Slocum, and scholars, was very much enjoyed by all. The programme consisted of recitations, readings, dialogues, solos and duets. After these were all enjoyed Santa appeared and distributed gifts to teacher and scholars from a well laden tree. Then the speeches were made, giving the teacher, also scholars, much credit for the evening's very enjoyable entertainment. At the close "God save the King" was sung by all.

HAMPTON

Mr. Harold Chute arrived from Weymouth on Wednesday.

Miss Isabel Brinton, of Boston, is a guest at the home of Mrs. Charles Milbury.

Mr. Dennis Whitfield, who has spent the Summer in Hantsport, is at home in Hampton.

Mr. Arthur McFarland, from Wallaston, Mass., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brooks.

Mrs. Lavenia Foster left on Monday, 22nd, for Hantsport, to spend Christmas with her son, Arthur D. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown and son Vernon, are spending the Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lendley Banks.

Two events of unusual interest took place on Wednesday evening, Dec. 24th, when two of our popular young ladies, Miss Francis Titus and Mr. Stairs Benjamin, of Halifax, and Miss Nellie Marshall and Mr. Morris Chute were united in marriage by the Rev. M. S. Richardson the popular Baptist minister of Bridgetown. The high esteem in which the young brides were held was shown by the useful and costly presents they both received. We wish them many years of happiness.

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LAWRENCETOWN

Mr. L. W. Durling and C. W. Hanley spent Christmas with their family.

Rev. I. F. and Mrs. Wallace are visiting Dr. V. D. and Mrs. Shaffner.

A large number of teachers and students are home for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Kelly of Sheffield Mills is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. O. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Jamison and little son Robert went to Kentville on Wednesday to spend the winter.

Mrs. T. A. Elliott, of Halifax, also Brannin and Jean Young are visiting Mrs. Elliott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buckler, of the United States are guests of the former's mother and sister, Mrs. Annie Buckler and Mrs. Arthur Dunan.

The Misses Rita and Muriel Phinney, of Halifax, accompanied by a friend are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Phinney.

A Christmas Tree and entertainment for the S. S. School was held in the Vestry of the Baptist Church on Tuesday evening when the following program was carried out: 23rd Psalm by Juniors.

Paper, "On Christmas," Mrs. H. Boland.

Recitation: "The Christmas Tree" Marjorie Phinney.

Recitation: "A Little Boy," Malcolm Corbitt.

Solo: "A Sunbeam," Doris Corbitt.

Recitation: "The Leaves are Falling Down" by Ardis Hanley.

Recitation—Reginald Stoddart.

Exercise: "The Stars That Shone on Xmas Night" by 7 primary pupils.

Recitation: "The Christmas Bonnet" by Mabel Stoddart.

Recitation: "The Kind Little Mouse" Florence Archibald.

Solo: "Jesus Bids Us Shine" Ardis Hanley.

Reading by Mrs. Boudurant.

Recitation, "Hurray for the Xmas Tree," Margaret Hall.

Recitation, "Little Stockings in a Row," by Marjorie Stoddart.

Recitation by Doris Corbett.

At the close of the program Deacon T. G. Bishop presented Mrs. C. S. Balcom, accompanied by an address, with a generous sum of money from members of the Sunday School and other friends as an expression of appreciation for her services as primary teacher during the past nine years. Mrs. Balcom responded with remarks and thanks for the gift, which is highly appreciated. Then Santa Claus appeared on the scene which delighted the children, and, with the aid of Alton Bown and Karl Beals, the two trees were soon dismantled. This delightful evening closed by singing "Jingle Bells."

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Mr. L. Y. Winchester is home from Kentville.

Mr. Fred McKay, of Halifax, is home for the holidays.

Wm. Westhaver, of Acadia, is home for the holidays.

Mr. Victor Turnbull is home from Montreal for the holidays.

Mr. Willard Read is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Read.

Mr. Boyd Milberry and Miss Eunice were in Weymouth Friday.

Miss Jessie Cossaboom was a passenger from St. John Wednesday.

Capt. Ansel Snow and crew were passengers from Yarmouth Wednesday.

Miss C. W. Viets, of Truro, spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Tupper.

Miss Marion Churchill is the guest of Miss Mary Churchill, Second Avenue.

L. Y. Winchester left last week to enter the Provincial Sanatorium at Kentville.

Miss Imelda Daley, of St. John arrived here Wednesday to spend the holiday.

John Wightman, of Mount Allison University is home for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. Aubrey Turnbull is the guest of his mother, Mrs. James Hinman, Marshalls town.

Mr. Harry Snow, of Montreal, is spending the holidays with Capt. and Mrs. Ansel Snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graham and daughter Kathleen, were passengers from Halifax Monday.

Seymour Shreve and sister, Marion left on Friday to spend the holidays with relatives in Boston.

Mr. Leonard Ruchbph passed through Digby Thursday enroute from Weymouth to Wolfville.

Miss Agnes Haight, stenographer for H. T. Warne, Esq., spent Christmas in Plympton, N. S.

Mr. Roy Whymacht, of the Maritime Fish Corporation left on Wednesday for his home in Lunenburg, N. S.

Mrs. Gertie Mahoney and son Russell, of Wolfville spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Dakin.

Mr. Carmon Croft and friend Mr. Goodwin, of Montreal, are visiting Rev. and Mrs. W. I. Croft.

Miss Helen Robbins, book keeper in the Courier office, is spending a week at her home in Rossburg, N. S.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vye and family, of Middleton spent Christmas in Digby guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vye.

Miss Mildred Robbins, teacher at Lawnsdowne, is spending her holidays with her parents at Rossburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lent, of Westport, N. S., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Handspiker, Mt. Pleasant.

Among the passengers from St. John Thursday were: Clifford Smith, Leslie McNeill, Arthur Bent and Earle Winchester.

Miss Evelyn Ellis, teacher in the school for the Blind, Halifax, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ellis Shore Road.

Vernon Bent left on Saturday to enter the employ of the D. A. R. as head chef in their recently acquired Aberdeen Hotel, Kentville.

Cedric Robertson, was a passenger from St. John Tuesday to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lent, of Westport, are in town spending Christmas with Mrs. Lent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Handspiker.

Mrs. Clarence Adams, Mrs. Joe Warren, Mrs. Wilfred Chute and Miss Mildred Harris, of Bear River, were among the visitors to town on Monday.

Donald Winchester, who has been undergoing treatment for wounds received while in France, arrived home recently having been discharged from military duties.

The Misses Freda and Dora McInnis left Digby Friday enroute for the West. These young ladies have many friends in Digby who will wish them every success.

Rev. D. R. Sharp, of Moosejaw, was the guest of his brother in law P. W. Holdsworth, on Monday. He left that day for Woodstock, N. E., to spend Christmas with his mother.

Mr. Chas. Wilson who is a very prominent citizen of Edmonton, Alberta, has been spending a week in Digby and vicinity. Mr. Wilson left Thursday for Edmonton.

H. D. Sproule, of Seattle, Wash., who has been in Halifax for several days, has returned to Digby Next week he will leave again for Halifax to join the staff of the Herald.

A very successful dance was given in the I. O. O. F. Hall Friday night by the Red Cross members for the returned boys. All present enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Music was furnished by the Orchestra.

The death of William E. Brown took place Christmas night at the

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Pants, only a few pairs left.

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home of his daughter, Mrs. L. B. Eldridge, after a few days illness of pneumonia. Mr. Brown was 86 years old, leaves a wife and two daughters, Mrs. L. B. Eldridge, of Digby and Miss Josephine Brown, of Montreal. Funeral took place Saturday with interment in Forest Hill cemetery services being conducted by Rev. Wm. Driffield.

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