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Welcome to the Digital DIGBY COURIER

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100th Birthday

The hundredth anniversary of the Digby Weekly Courier has brought to mind some fond memories as contained in the following historical chapter of the writer. But first, I wish to congratulate the current editor of the Courier, Mrs. J.M. (Edith) Wallis, for a job well done over the years and still being well done, good service rendered with great fortitude.

According to any record, I have at hand, the Digby Courier, in one hundred years of publication, was controlled under the same family management for 42 years, 1931 to 1973, under the control of Wallis Print Limited. The late J.J. Wallis became editor of The Courier the second time, in 1929, and at the same time of the business, which he had been running for some time previously and which became Wallis Print Limited sometime between 1929 and 1931.

I well remember the last year of the twenties when I worked in the office of the son with the husband and father of the late J.J. Wallis, the Courier. Sometime in 1928 or early 1929, the late J.M. Wallis (Mac), son of "J.J." engaged me to work every day after school hours, Saturdays, and for some months after full time. The place of work was in the building of the present Digby town hall on First Avenue. J.J. Wallis then worked occasionally at the print shop but mostly across the street at the Courier office which was then located on land in the general area where The Royal Bank of Canada is now.

Wallis Job Print operated in 1929 with a staff of four consisting of J.J. Wallis, J.M. Wallis, Miss Eva Haynes, who later became Mrs. George Kicup, and myself. I was in the staff in early 1929.

Eva's job was in the left up-stairs. "J.J." occasionally printing plant but mostly at the Courier office. "Mac" worked nearly full time at all the different jobs at the Job Print, and I worked at various duties, most of the time being spent at operating printing presses.

We worked ten-hour days, six days a week. "J.J." and "Mac" sometimes worked overtime. I worked only the regular hours being paid a weekly wage which was comparatively good for those times and my lack of experience. I received four or five dollars a week for working after school hours to six o'clock and on Saturday all day, and nine dollars a week for full weeks after finishing school. A two or three dollar a week raise was offered to me in the fall of 1929 for me to stay on at printing, but I had made up my mind to enter a branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, starting salary of \$300. The bank salary figured out about the same per hour as for the printing job. Nevertheless, the congenial atmosphere of the printing plant those days, and, experience however short, were helpful and appreciated by me.

"J.J." was very jovial in his occasional trip to the Job Print and did considerable kidding all in good fun. "Mac" was a witty person who mixed in a good natured sarcasm now and then for one reason or another. Eva most always had good answers to all the kidding she was called upon to take, and, generally held her own in a quiet sort of way, always busy setting type. We four all got along very well indeed. However, I do remember that some days did seem long and weary because of the monotony of some repetitious jobs.

In spite of the great demand for printing those last boom days of the twenties, business generally being brisk, it looked to me that people had to work long and hard to make any decent profit. There was

including treatment of the hands. However, nails and finger ends were used and I was soon back to work.

Now and then a printing job had a dose on parchment paper which required a special kind of printers' ink which smelled very bad those days. I always dreaded it when "Mac" would do that job on the largest press, in spite of the fact that we always opened an outside door to lessen the effects on the constitution.

One of the jobs I had to do, being the junior and printers' devil on the staff, was to clean out and then, one day not long after I started my job at the printing plant, I decided to clean the floor that apparently hadn't been cleaned in some considerable time.

"J.J." came along and said, "how are you making out Vince?" I assured him that I thought I was beginning to see the floor. "J.J." laughed very heartily, he thought the remark pretty good and suitable.

Sometimes the gasoline engine or a piece of machinery would refuse to work, and after "Mac" the fix-it man had patiently worked for a certain length of time to get it going again, without results, "Mac" would then stand back and cuss quite strenuously, then he would immediately start working. "See," he would say, "all it needed was a bit of cussing."

On other occasions when some gadget refused duty for me and, seemed to be broken, "Mac" would say, "use a little oil," and sure enough, often that is all it took. How often since, have I thought of the value of that remark and the actual need of "oil" in many life situations, applied at the right time, right place and, in the right way.

Other things that sort of stick in my memory and come to mind now and then are, like the time I told "Mac" of four teenage boys who in the spring season of 1929 got together just before dark one evening and decided to initiate the newly built outdoor Pines Hotel swimming pool which had just been filled with water. Clothes were taken off near the road just east of the pool; nobody else seemed to be around except the four boys; no thought or time for bathing suits up to the pool they went. They stood on the edge of the pool and looked at the chilly water, one soon jumped in, the rest quickly followed and across the pool they swam. "Mac" listened to the story and hardly said anything, but the next "Digby Courier" had a good story on the episode. The heading of the story went something like, "Four Boy Scouts Officially Open Pines Hotel Swimming Pool." Who were the four? Many years later they are known as: the late Dr. Earl H. Anderson, veteran of two wars (second world and Korean), was awarded the Victoria Cross; Sidney L. Smith, now prominent druggist for many years in Digby; Clayton D. Snow, Digby wholesale lobster king merchant; and myself.

As a young teenager I used to like doing some writing about different events interesting to myself and mostly for myself. One day "Mac" said to me "how about writing your version of the story told about 'The Marooning of Jerome'." I had heard and read at least two somewhat different stories about the man who was found marooned on a beach at some point on the French Shore of St. Mary's Bay, Digby County. When found this man's tongue had been cut out and his legs quite freshly amputated, were surgically well dressed and bound. He was presumably left by some vessel before dawn one morning, all for some mysterious reason.

"Jerome" appeared to have been a man of some considerable social standing and possibly of some considerable wealth. However the only thing the man could or would ever say after being found and cared for by some family in the French shore was, something that sounded like the word "Jerome". He either could not, or, would not, write anything about who he was or why he was left the way he was. Well, it was, and is, one of Digby County's mystery stories, and, different ideas have been expressed over the years concerning this man. However my response to "Mac" was, I felt no urge to write anything more or different about this man. The mystery seemed to have been very well explored in the mind of many people, and, he was a sort of curiosity for many people who visited where he lived for many years.

Three years later, I was quite alone in the street that I lived back and forth, led a boat clanking noise, powered by a small engine, and, as I remember it, it was a "plank", and as I remember it, it was a "plank", and as I remember it, it was a "plank".



Digby in the early days. Date on picture 1774.

Digby 172 Years Ago

Compiled by David Sanford

From the files of the Courier of January 23, 1867, the following account has been copied concerning Digby in 1800.

"Among a number of old newspapers kindly sent to us by friends is a copy of the Saint John Gazette of May, 1802, says the Telegraph and among other advertisements contained in the issue before us is one describing the town and township of Digby, and offering for sale certain lots in the town. In this area we are told the township of Digby extends from the Gulf of Annapolis westward to the extremity of the province of Nova Scotia, and contains about 130,000 acres." The town plot is thus described:

"The Town Plot is situated at the east of the township just within the entrance to Annapolis Basin, and twenty miles from Annapolis Town, and six miles across land from the head of St. Mary's Bay. This laid out from the water's edge, partly on level ground and partly on the declivity of a modern hill, dry and pleasant, and having with an eastern aspect, a view of the Annapolis Basin and its cultivated shores for twenty miles in where it terminates with the Fort and River's mouth of that name. It was settled by Loyalists from New York in 1783, the most of whom went early to farms, or, moving to older countries, left the whole

side to be bought proved by about who now reside detached, built dwellings with orchards, and some fishery and. It has communal parts of the communal provisions in a cheap, built readily to be from many circumstances, probability of place of some shipbuilding, the West India a cheap and of residence.

This advertisement, dated at Digby, December, 1800, were to be a No. 100.

free trade with the U.S.A., especially with the New England States. The question was then debated by some Digby High School students one of which was some Digby's daughter, Florence (now Mrs. Melvin O. Tibert, Freeport, Digby Co.) Some days after the debate a man from some part of Nova Scotia came to the printing shop looking for Florence, one of the successful debaters; I had the impression that this man was interested politically but, maybe I was wrong.

Well, I felt that I had learned considerable from my short experience at "The Wallis Job Print". I was learning to do beginner jobs, receiving some knowledge about things like: embossing, stapling, perforating, counting, cutting and trimming paper stock, mixing inks for certain desired colors, and so forth, but, the only experience I had at setting type was just enough to make a "pi", the printers name for a confused mess.

There was a taste of trying to sell job printing outside the plant. Work was a little slack one early fall day and so "Mac" said to me, "how about trying your hand at taking orders for printed personalized Christmas cards?" I tried it, made several calls around town, spent most of the time at one particular house, and got an order, but,

Years and experiments with. The last time I saw of personal interest, after one day when he sent and talked with me he visit him at his home. He had a week he wanted me to visit him at his home. He had a week he wanted me to visit him at his home. He had a week he wanted me to visit him at his home.

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1800's

- (1810) the first elections were held in the County.
- (1837) the County of Annapolis was divided to include the County of Digby.
- Old Post Road and rural school system improved.
- Weymouth Trading Post established.
- Ship Building is a major industry in the area.
- (1879) the District of Digby was incorporated.
- (1891) the railway (the missing link) between Annapolis and Digby was completed.
- Joshua Slocum sails around the world alone.
- Temperance Movement.
- Summer Tourism Industry develops.
- I.M. Singer invents the sewing machine.
- Canadian Confederation (1867)
- Klondike Gold Rush
- The Supreme Court of Canada is established
- Florence Nightingale takes London nurses to the battlefields of the Crimean War

1900's

- Poor Farm in operation
- Isaiah Wilson's Geography and History of the County of Digby Published.
- Prime Minister Sir Wilfred Laurier visits Digby.
- Marconi transmits wireless message across the Atlantic
- Queen Victoria dies
- The Boxer Rebellion breaks out in China.
- The Boer War in Southern Africa ends

1910's

- (1912) last race of the Brattain Cup in the Annapolis Basin.
- First motorized vehicle in the area.
- Communities collect cloths and money for the war effort.
- Spanish Flue kills many in the area.
- First Calgary Stampede
- Women in Canada get the vote
- Halifax explosion
- WW1
- The Titanic Disaster
- Norwegian Roald Amundsen becomes the first to reach the South Pole.

1920's

- Motorized vehicles becoming more common.
- Last wooden ship built in Bear River.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Motorized vehicles becoming more common
- Canadian Schooner "Bluenose" wins the International Fisherman's Trophy
- Agatha Christie launches her career as a mystery writer.
- George Carnarvon and Howard Carter unearth King Tutankhamen's tomb

1930's

- Economic Depression.
- Rural electric lines being installed.
- Electric lights installed in villages.
- Highway paving projects underway.
- First crossing of the Princess Helene Ferry.
- Rum running along the coast.
- Rum running in its heyday
- Dionne quintts born in Ontario
- Movie "King Kong" released starring Canadian Fay Wray
- WW II begins

1940's

- Digby home to WWII submarine base.
- CFB Cornwallis largest training base in the Commonwealth.
- Scallop Industry expands.
- Hog farming expands.
- Population decline in rural communities.
- Newfoundland enters confederation
- UN Formed
- U.S. planes drop atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki
- Orson Welles' film Citizen Kane, premieres

1950's

- Bus service along the Digby Neck.
- Population in villages continue to decline. NORAD formed with USA
- National Ballet of Canada founded
- Bear River Power Plant built
- Korean War
- Smoking linked to lung cancer
- Sputnik launched
- Castro takes over power in Cuba
- Elizabeth II coronation - Queen of England

1960's

- Sissiboo Power Plant built.
- Kejimikujik Park established.
- Conners Brothers Fish Cannery Plant closes in Freeport.
- Fish Meal Plant opens in Mink Cove.
- Weymouth Industries closure.
- Bear River Village Fire.
- Canada celebrates 100th birthday
- Pierre Trudeau sworn in as Prime Minister
- Bay of Pigs invasion
- Thalidomide deformities revealed
- Cuban Missile Crisis
- John F. Kennedy assassinated
- Demonstrations against Vietnam War

1970's

- Evangeline Mall built.
- New CN Ferry Terminal built.
- Ground Hog Day Storm.
- Municipal Airport opens.
- Hwy 101 completed to Digby.
- First Computer used.
- Jones Bottling Plant burns in Weymouth
- War Measures Act invoked
- Pierre Laporte murdered
- Canada-Soviet Summit Series in hockey begins
- Quebec language legislation (Bill 101) passes
- Munich massacre at the Olympics
- Rock stars Jimi Hendrix and Janis Joplin die.
- At Kent State University in Ohio, protesting students are killed by National Guardsmen

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Why Some Laws Are Not Enforced

There is a great deal said especially at the present time about the non-enforcement of the Nova Scotia Temperance Act and when one stops to consider the attitude of people generally, it accounts in a measure for the seeming neglect of officials to enforce this particular law.

Regardless of the criticism of people who believe in its principles, as well as those who do not, there seems to be no other law which is so flagrantly violated and on which many seem to look as though it was a crime to enforce it, or to assist in the enforcement of the act and it seems to us that the law would be very much more effective in its aims and accomplishments if people generally looked upon it the way they do on most of the others on our statute books. If a person sees a man or a woman kill another they do all in their power without too great a risk of life to apprehend such a person; if a burglar is seen breaking into your house or mine, notice of such is quickly given and means taken to apprehend such a person, and so it is with many other laws today, they are looked upon as though it is the duty of every citizen to enforce them and see that they are enforced.

Yet with the Nova Scotia Temperance Act every one knows of people in all walks of life who consider that the act is a violation of their personal privilege and as such it is not entitled to the respect that it should have, whether it agrees with our own ideas or not should have nothing to do with the matter, it is a law just the same as any other of the thousands on the statute books as such it deserves to be upheld and enforced and if people do not want it, it should be repealed, but when one comes to talk of repealing the temperance act then that is another question, for there are not only the original supporters of this measure all over Canada but many thousands more who have seen the benefits that this has been to its people and the majority in favor of it today are far in excess of what it was when it was last voted on; the attitude on this question of enforcement is like many other cases in relation to different things, those that are opposed to it, like to tell about how the country is going to the dogs with such a law, while those who are in sympathy with enforcement say little.

What is needed for better enforcement is a change in the attitude of influential men, members of our local as well as the federal legislature and others in authority, as well as the leaders in every community in this country and with this moral influence behind the enforcement, there would be little to worry about.

Working Without Credit

Were it not for the public spirited men in every community, this world would be a different place to live in from what it is, and yet very few men and women who are making their respective communities better in every way, very seldom get credit for what they do.

If the person is a woman who is trying to better conditions in her town and is trying to improve the morale of the community, is working for the uplift of certain classes, who is interested in child welfare or bettering the conditions of people who have not seemed to be able to get ahead very fast, and many other things that might be mentioned, then she is criticised from many angles, her motives are understood and there is always some motive other than the right one laid at her door; if it is a man who is interested in doing things for his town, who takes an active part and gives his time and his money in working

for the interests of the community, it move ments in the state, when called upon to go out and work for it or that, which will be an asset to his community, he is obliged to take the abuse and listen to criticism about how this or that should be conducted, and this too from the people who are always too busy to devote their own time to such things; he is criticised for having an axe to grind that he wants an office or is trying to play favorites for this or that one or something else of the same nature and yet it is just such men and women who are making the community a delightful place to live in who are doing the things, which if they did not do them would be left undone, who with all this being talked about have the satisfaction in feeling and knowing that they are doing something to make the old world a better place to live in and are helping to make each place where they may call home, a town or city in which everyone has pride and yet one which gives those who are doing all these things the credit where credit is due, as long as the people who are doing things are not looking for praise for their efforts and are not looking for a good word, they will probably continue doing these things regardless of what is said about them, and it would surely be a different world were there not such benefactors in every community.

These things are more important to a community like ours than they are to larger cities, yet there will be found the same kind of people in large community and if one desires to see them in flocks instead of in small numbers, go to the Pacific coast where they grow by the thousands.

ODDFELLOWS' HOLD PUBLIC INSTALLATION

Last Friday evening was unique in the history of Oddfellowship in this town, when St. George Lodge and Zelma Lodge held a joint installation of officers for the present term. There was a large attendance of Oddfellows and Rebekahs. The installing officers were Mrs. Beattie Roper, District Deputy, President of the Rebekahs, and Robert Roper, District Deputy, President of the Oddfellows. Each was assisted by a full suite of deputy grand officers. There is a great deal of similarity in the two rituals and where the work allowed the two deputies worked together, holding each other in the obligations and changes. The work was very pretty and very effectively done. A specially interesting feature was the installation of J. L. Peters, for the sixth time as treasurer of St. George Lodge, thirty years in the one office—and it is largely through his untiring work in that office that St. George Lodge today is one of the strongest financially in the jurisdiction. The officers installed are as follows:

N. G.—Mrs. Sadie Wornell
V. G.—Mrs. Annie Dunn
R. S.—Mrs. Bertha Peters, P. N. G.
F. S.—Mrs. Edith Taylor
T. S.—Miss Bessie Hooper, P. N. G.
R. N. G.—Mrs. Joanna Dillon, P. N. G.
L. S. N. G.—Mrs. Elizabeth Holdsworth
R. S. V. G.—Mrs. Maudie Turnbull
L. S. N. G.—Mrs. Lottie Westhaver
Chap.—Mrs. Ada Carty
I. G.—Mrs. Leta Turnbull
O. G.—Miss Margaret Beaman
Warden—Mrs. Sadie Turnbull
Con.—Mrs. Lillian Armstrong
J. P. N. G.—Mrs. Susie Roney.

ST. GEORGE LODGE
N. G.—A. A. Sherriff, P. C.
V. G.—W. C. Warrington, P. C.
R. S.—A. R. Turnbull, P. G.
F. S.—A. J. Dillon, P. G.
T. S.—J. L. Peters, P. G.
R. N. G.—R. L. Dunn
Con.—P. Wornell, P. G.
Warden—J. L. Peters, P. G.
R. S. N. G.—Byron Roney, P. G.
L. S. N. G.—B. H. Ruggles, P. G.
R. S. V. G.—W. L. Holdsworth, P. G.
F. S. V. G.—Frank Roney, P. G.
R. S. N. G.—R. C. Smallie, P. G.
L. S. S.—Frank Roper, P. G.
I. G.—C. W. Young
O. G.—C. V. Young
J. P. G.—C. E. Armstrong

At the close of the ceremony the Rebekahs served a twenty-five cent tea. The proceeds to be devoted towards furnishing a room in the new Oddfellows' Home in Petou.

A cough is a warning that you need
SCOTT'S EMULSION

Rubs by Rambler

There should be no doubt in the mind of anyone who observed the rush of business at one of our retail stores on Saturday last, that the pays to advertise in the Courier, or for that matter in any newspaper.

And while these bargains are on it might be well for us to purchase our crops at a considerable saving—unless we really intend to wake up in Digby and start something. Things are pretty quiet these days, the chief topics about town being the weather, candidates for the coming civic elections and inquiries as to when the Board of Trade meets again.

Will people who sit in front of other people at movie shows please get a line on the curtain and then keep their heads in one place, instead of dodging from side to side and giving those behind only intermittent views of the screen. I wonder why it is that so many young things take it for granted that their companions, or the sitting nearby, are illiterate and unable to read even the large printed words thrown on the screen between scenes?

King Tut is again in the limelight. They have discovered his sarcophagus enclosed in a nest of four shrines, in the inner of which it is expected his mummy will be found. Wouldn't it be a tragic thing if in another 3000 years someone should dig up a sarcophagus in Digby and find inside the uncommon contract for an oil engine.

We have at last discovered one good reason for delay in this matter. We've stuck around and wait a hundred years or so there will probably be some cheap substitute for electric light, and we feel mighty glad we saved that \$15,000 in 1924.

As a man thinketh, so is he. This applies to us collectively as citizens of Digby as well as individually. We never attain greatness by thinking mediocrity; wealth by thinking poverty; nor success by thinking failure. In the final analysis—and even with this we will be just about on a par with the opinions we hold from day to day concerning it. If we get into a habit of thinking that Digby will never amount to much, that we won't get any industries here even if we do offer inducements such as cheap electric power, that tourist towns seldom grow, why should Digby; and what's the use of wasting energy striving for the unattainable, when we can be content with what we have? If our hunch is correct, and Digby will be just as it is today—or worse—in fifty years' time.

BUT—if we feed our minds with mental poison such as this; I believe in the future of Digby; a new era is dawning with us; we are at last repelling consciousness and about to take ourselves out of everyone is taking a real human interest in town affairs, and increasing numbers are taking an ACTIVE part in it. We are encouraged; we have not grown much in the last ten years, but watch us during the two or three years to come. We are waiting to be grasped, and so on—then we shall actually see Digby begin to grow and prosper. Merely wishing for prosperity will not do it.

ACT. The wishbone is not half so important and valuable as the backbone. It is a curious thing that we never think of a town as a vague sort of organization that runs itself, under the supervision of a council that meets every month for the purpose of giving some of its members an opportunity to buck any scheme put forth by the others; or to get together and take a vote on any matter. We should regard our town as a large business corporation in which we taxpayers are shareholders and investors, and our council merely directors who we appoint to manage the business for us and in our interest. The average taxpayer takes a wide day off to vote day after day, and then he expects to have his choice of councillors, and thereafter either loses interest in anything these men do with town affairs, or else goes about complaining that they have not sufficient ability or business experience to manage town affairs. If you owned a \$100,000 business, would you let the management of it in the hands of men who for any reason were unfit for such a responsibility? Certainly NOT. If then, you really think a man is not big enough for the job of running your own town, why do you support him and vote for him? There are many answers to this; here are one or two—there may be no candidate better fitted than the one for whom you are thus compelled to vote; you may be a particular friend that you wish to support; his politics may be the same as yours, or his religious views, or his fraternal affiliations may be in favor of ONE scheme in which you are particularly interested—and opposed to all the others that may come up during his term of office; he may be one of your best customers, or you may be a favored one of his. Or he may be everything except the man whom you would select to handle the business affairs, and shape the destiny of your town. Sometimes we think that town councillors once they are elected, fail to keep in touch with public opinion or to discuss freely with supporters and business men any important matters that come up for decision. We do not mean to suggest that a councillor should hold no opinions of his own, or allow anyone from showing superior motive tell him where he gets off at, but surely he could at least be guided by the views and opinions of fellow citizens in whom he places confidence.

It is a mistake notion that no private citizen should express his views on civic matters, or that by so doing he is "going behind" the town council. Not all the brains of any community are represented by those who are in power at the moment. Numbers of our business and professional men have served on the town council one time or another, and many more either can or WILL not serve, yet their opinions are of value.

The burning issue at the present time is the question of an oil engine for electric light purposes. Some—in fact a majority—are strongly in favor of the immediate purchase of an engine. Others are as equally determined that the matter shall be put off indefinitely. Among those in advance of the purchase, some insist that a 100 H. P. engine be installed while others—including experts—advise the purchase of a 75 H. P. plant. In looking over the evidence submitted, it would appear that some other towns that have recently installed oil engines realize against their mistake in installing too large a unit, or one large one instead of two smaller ones. It would certainly be a mistake for us to fall into the same error, under the circumstances.

We are told that with a 100 H. P. engine we should be losing a considerable sum each year, spent for fuel oil, that could be saved by operating a 75 H. P. plant, although the former would still be cheaper than the present system. If you are paying \$10. a cord for your winter's fuel, and receive two offers of \$9. and \$8. per cord, why pay either of the first two prices if you can get it for \$5? We would frankly be glad to have someone give the other side of this argument.

Weymouth

Mrs. A. H. Brooks, son Robert and daughter Elizabeth returned Tuesday from a few days visit to relatives in Smith's Cove.

Max Ashkins left Tuesday for Boston, where he will proceed to New Jersey to spend a few days with relatives, later going to California where he will spend the winter with his son, Edward.

Chas. Melanson left on Tuesday for Church Point to resume his studies at St. Ann's College, having spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin C. Melanson, Weymouth North.

Eugene Morrissey, who spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. F. G. Morrissey left on Tuesday for Moncton, N. B., to resume his studies at St. Joseph's College.

Agnes Comeau returned Tuesday to Church Point to continue his studies at St. Ann's College, having spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. F. G. Comeau.

Misses Elden Gaudet and Esther Melanson left on Monday for Moncton, N. B., to resume their classes at the Sacred Heart Convent, having spent the holidays with their parents.

Coun. E. F. Hankinson left on Monday for Digby to attend the annual meeting of the Municipal Council.

Theodore Gaudet arrived Tuesday from Boston to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edith Gaudet for a few weeks.

Louis LeBlanc and Lesie Gaudet went to Saint-Jovite Friday returning Saturday.

Jarvis Saphier returned to Manchester, Mass. on Tuesday after a pleasant three weeks visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Saphier.

Wedding bells will soon be ringing for a former Weymouth young lady, for some time a resident of the U. S.

Capt. H. B. Fitzgerald, Councilor District No. 8, Weymouth North, left on Tuesday for Digby to attend the annual meeting of the Municipal Council.

Miss Lucy Comeau of Grosses Coves was the guest of her friend Miss Madeline Comeau on Friday.

Miss Edith Bellevue of Bellevue's Cove, left Friday for Boston where she will enter a Hospital Training School.

Edward Comeau left on Saturday for Monctonville to resume his duties as teacher.

Miss Madeline Comeau and Miss Lucy Comeau left on Saturday for Wedgeport to take charge of their schools.

Miss Evelyn Wagner has returned to Wolfville to resume her studies at the Ladies' Seminary, after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wagner.

Miss Marion Blackadar, who spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blackadar, returned to Wolfville to resume her studies.

Miss V. G. Cormier was a passenger on Digby on Friday night's train, returning Saturday morning.

Miss Juliette LeBlanc, who visited Miss Jacqueline Stehelin, Church Point, for a few days, returned home Saturday.

Schools re-opened Monday after the Christmas holidays. The principal E. Fairbanks, returned Saturday, having spent the holidays with his mother at Oxford Junction. On account of the raging snow storm the attendance on Monday was small.

Pearlie Halliwell, who arrived home Christmas Day to visit his mother, Mrs. H. L. Halliwell, returned to Boston Friday.

Lorraine Sabean returned last week from South Rattray, where he spent the holidays with relatives.

Gilbert Bellevue of Bellevue's Cove, left on Friday for Boston on a business trip.

Miss Margaret Journeay, Weymouth North, left on Saturday for Berwick to resume her teaching. She was accompanied by her friend Miss Reta Hayes, who visited her for a few days.

Miss Mary Teed returned Saturday from Freeport where she spent her vacation with her parents and proceeded to New France to resume her teaching.

Cyrus Grierson, who spent the holidays with his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. A. Grierson, left on Thursday for Halifax to continue his studies at Dalhousie.

Mrs. Emile Thibodeau of Church Point, was a visitor in town Friday.

Rev. Father Shillit, Superior of Superior of St. Ann's College, Church Point, was a visitor at St. Joseph's Glebe, on Thursday.

Rev. Father Thibault went to Carbert on Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late Stephen Melanson.

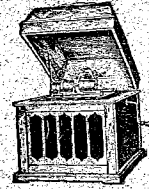
Richard Freeman, who spent a few days with his aunt Mrs. J. A. Grierson, returned to Halifax on Saturday.

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A Valuable Suggestion

To the Editor of the Courier:

On behalf of and in notice of the ratepayers, I think in the forth coming election next month, that the citizens should have an opportunity of hearing the candidates express themselves on their policy in regards of their capability to run the town on the public platform in the Movie Picture hall, or Court House, which should be engaged on or before election, also the Mayor and Council, who remains in the Council for another year, should give the citizens an account of their stewardship for the time they have served. This, I think is the most important to the ratepayers, to have the candidates and the council face to face with them in public to give a full account of their efficient stewardship.

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Your correspondent wishes the Editor and Staff of the Courier a Happy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Weir and family spent their Christmas with Mrs. Weir's sister Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hudson of Hillsburn.

The School Concert was held in the Hall here very recently under the training of their teacher Miss Lanco. The scholars had a very pleasing entertainment. At the close of the program Santa Claus presented the 'Teacher and Scholars' with gifts and goodies from the well laden tree. Collection was taken for School purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Longmire of Hillsburn were guests Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Milner.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Halliday and family of Hillsburn and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hudson and family of Lake Brook were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson Christmas.

Several of our young men have arrived home from various places for the winter months; we are always glad to welcome them home.

Alfred Gauthier has gone to Washington D. C. for the winter.

Victory

A Happy and Prosperous New Year to the editor, staff and all the readers of the Digby Weekly Courier.

Mr. Charles Baxter of Digby is spending the winter with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Burton Milner.

Mrs. Willard Rosencrans has returned from the Convention held at New Minas.

Miss Mary Simpson has been spending the Xmas holidays here with parents Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson. She is teaching at Lequille.

We were highly favored with a "Beautiful Christmas Tide". No pen can describe its beauty, the beautiful white snow the sparkling sunshines and the gorgeous full moon all united to make it a Christmas long to be remembered.

Mr. Green, who represents the Rawleigh products passed through here on Friday 4th.

Arthur Pauley caught eight mink this season, which is the record.

mong our trappers.

Lester Hewey arrived home yesterday.

We are glad to report Mrs. Jubal Kauback has improved slightly. Kenneth Milbury, sorry to say is no better.

William Oickle is not enjoying the best of health. We sincerely hope he is restored to his former good health.

Smith's Cove

Mrs. Wm. Snow and daughter Hazel are spending a few days with friends in Milton.

Miss Josephine Winchester is spending part of the holidays with her friend, Miss Vera Weir.

Gordon Cossaboom is visiting friends at Tiverton.

Miss Florence Cossaboom who is attending Normal College at Truro is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Steadman of Annapolis Royal, spent several days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cossaboom.

Sorry to report that A. D. Sully is on the sick list.

Mrs. Simmons of Roundhill is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Berry.

Melvin Elliott, spent New Years at the home of Mrs. Sarah Cossaboom.

Mrs. Chester Beals and daughter Marian, of Berwick spent New Years at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Weir.

Mrs. Roy Harris of Cambridge, Mass. is visiting her mother Mrs. Harvey Weir.

Hill Grove

Miss Marion Bacon returned to St. John Monday after spending a week at her home here.

The Division here were entertained at the home of Miss Doris Mallette, of South Range on Tuesday night.

Russell Bacon is visiting friends in Nictaux.

Mrs. Eliza McKay spent part of the holidays at her home.

Miss Margaret Nichols, R. N. of Boston, spent a week, the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hinman, of Bay View, are visiting at George

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Bartona nd Brighton

We regret to learn of the illness of David Welsh.

The repairs on the engine at J. A. Morehouse mill have been completed.

In spite of the heavy fall of snow on Saturday last, Charlie Smith, mail carrier for Barton, and Hartford Foster mail carrier for Brighton, delivered the mail promptly on time.

New Tusket

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gaudett on the arrival of a baby boy, Dec. 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Churchill, of Kemptonville, Yar. Co., spent Christmas with Mrs. Churchill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kinsman Mullen.

C. F. Sabean and son D. L. Sabean, spent a few days of last week in Kemptonville, Yar. Co. While there they were overhauling the engine.

Miss Thelma S. Mullen, who spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mullen, returned to Hebron on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deveau, of Weymouth Mills, spent Christmas with Mrs. Deveau's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Gaudett.

James Ford and Judson Mullen are on the sick list at time of writing.

Louis Thibeau, of Yarmouth, who spent a few days recently with his sister Mrs. William Gaudett, returned to his home on Saturday last accompanied by his nephew, Louis Gaudett.

Louis H. Melanson, of Corberrie, was in this place recently on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mullen spent Christmas with Mr. Mullen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Mullen.

Miss Neva Gaudett, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Deveau, returned to her home on Sunday.

Miss Clara Sabean and Miss Lucy Mullen spent Thursday evening with Miss Helen Sabean.

Miss Elsie White, of Southville, spent Christmas at Luke Gaudett's. Miss Annie Greene and Miss Clara Sabean spent Sunday evening with Miss Lucy Mullen.

Miss Marjorie White of Southville, spent Christmas at Stephen Gaudett's.

Mrs. C. F. Sabean and mother Mrs. David DeLong, are ill at time of writing.

Little Elsie Gaudett is slowly improving.

Fort Point

Miss Alda I. Marshall, R. N., arrived from Boston Tuesday, 25th, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Marshall.

Miss Zelda Thurber is spending the Xmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. William J. Thurber.

Archie Brooks was a passenger from Boston Dec. 18th, to spend a few weeks with his family here.

Eben Sabean and son Hallett came home recently from Boston for a short visit. At time of writing Mrs. Sabean and Hallett are ill with pneumonia. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Marshall and daughter Alda, motored to Digby Wednesday spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harris spent

Xmas day with Mrs. Harris parents Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Saulnier, Weymouth.

A concert was held in the school house Dec. 18th, by our teacher Miss Florence Sabean, which was a decided success. Much credit is due Miss Sabean in the training of the children.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lent, Bay-side Farm, entertained a number of guests Xmas day.

Mrs. Bickford Brooks and daughters Margaret and Doris, spent Xmas day with her son Wm. B. Brooks, Weymouth North.

Karsdale

H. H. Anthony is on the sick list, also Stephen E. Thorne in poor health.

Mrs. W. C. Shafner is considerably better.

Miss Maggie Shafner returned to Boston on Friday.

Miss Alice E. Thorne, who will graduate from Dalhousie Medical College, Halifax, in May, spent her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Thorne.

Rev. W. G. Heisler has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Lower Granville Baptist church and goes to Canning, his new field in February. An able preacher and a faithful worker, he will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends who wish him every success in his new pastorate.

JOGIN BRIDGE

Miss Rena Hill has returned from a visit to Kentville. She was accompanied by her nephew Master Laird Taylor.

Willie Ross the young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ross accidentally discharged a 32 rifle through his left shoulder on Wednesday of last week. Dr. Roberts is in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Woodman and Blanche Woodman were the Christmas guests of W. C. Woodman and family.

Capt. Perry Waters of Yarmouth, in company with Mr. Parks of Clementsport, was in this place on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Woodman spent Christmas in Kentville with their daughter, returning Wednesday.

Misses Maud and Sue Winchester and Mrs. W. Gillatt spent an evening recently with Mrs. H. M. Wilson.

Mrs. Woodman and family were at O. F. Woodman's home, Mrs. Blackadar Bear River East, on Christmas day.

Mrs. Martin J. Comeau returned home from Worcester with her son Keith who spent Christmas here returning Friday.

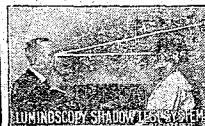
Sorry to report Mrs. A. J. Woodman had a bad fall on Sunday, Dr. Campbell in attendance.

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Office of Town Clerk & Treasurer

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And further take notice that any person, firm, company, association or corporation assessed in such roll, who claims that he or it should not be assessed, or who claims that he or it is over-assessed in such roll, may, on or before the tenth day of February next, give notice in writing to the undersigned, the town clerk, that he or it appeals from such assessment in the whole or in part; and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of objection to such assessment.

And further take notice that if any person assessed in such rolls claim that any person, firm, company, association or corporation has been omitted from or wrongfully inserted in such roll, he may on or before the tenth day of February, give notice in writing to the undersigned, the town clerk, that appeals in respect to the assessment or non-assessment of the said person, firm, company, association or corporation, and shall in such notice state particularly the grounds of his objection.

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Municipal Council Discussed Important Business Last Week

Salaries Increased in Several Departments-- Important Legislation Passed

The Council in and for the Municipality of the District of Digby, met at the Court House Digby on Tuesday January 8th, 1924 at 7 p. m. Present Warden Saunders, Councillors Rice, Marshall, Fitzgerald, Robbins, Cossaboon, Handspeker, Andrews, Hanksinson, Councillors Nase, Pugh and Outhouse coming in later, they having missed their connections en route. The Warden took the chair and called the meeting to order; the minutes of the May meeting were read and approved. It was moved, seconded and passed that all standing committees continue as arranged in January.

The report of Dr. Dickie, physician for the Alms House for 1923 was read and received, and ordered to lie upon the table. The report of Dr. Read, jail surgeon for 1923, was read and received.

The report of Walter Thompson, Inspector under the Nova Scotia Temperance Act was read and received and ordered to lie upon the table.

Applications were read from Walter Thompson and Emdon Tibert for the position of Inspector under the Nova Scotia Temperance Act, both of which were ordered to lie upon the table.

The application of Dr. W. R. Dickie for the position of Health Officer for the Municipality for 1924 was read, and on motion, accepted.

A letter from Arthur Roberts, K. C., Secretary Union Nova Scotia Municipalities was read; ordered that the annual fee of \$10.00 be paid to the Union Municipalities. Moved, seconded and passed that the Warden and Clerk be appointed delegates to attend the meeting of the Union Nova Scotia Municipalities at Dartmouth August of 1924.

A letter from the Sheriff was read asking that the salary of the Jailor be fixed at \$300.00 per year; the Municipality to provide fuel, light and water for the jail; after discussion it was ordered that the question be left with the Committee on Tenders and Public Property for further information, they to report the following morning.

The application of George Potter, Smith's Cove for the position of Court Crier for 1924 was read; ordered that this lie on the table. It being recommended that the position be given to some one living near the Court House.

It was moved, seconded and passed that Herbert Bacon be appointed Court Crier for 1924.

Councillor Hanksinson gave the report of the committee re salary of Jailor; the Committee advised that the salary for the Jailor be fixed at \$50.00 per month, the Municipality not to be responsible for any bills for fuel or light. On this motion being put before the Council it was ordered that this recommendation be adopted and the Jailor's salary shall be \$50.00 per month.

It was moved, seconded and passed that Councillor Outhouse be appointed Secretary of the Assessment Committee.

H. E. Wagner came before the Assessment Committee, asking that the assessment of the Clyde & Sissiboo Pulp and Paper Co., for school section No. 22 (Sissiboo Falls) be changed for 1923 from \$3300.00 to \$700.00, as only property to that amount was in school section No. 22.

Moved and seconded that this request be not granted; moved and seconded in amendment that the request be granted; on the question being put the original motion carried.

J. A. Andrews, collector for Plympton No. 7 came before the Council to ask about the collection of the tax of property of E. R. Gaudet, assessment of 1922-23; his property having changed hands soon after the assessment was complete. It was moved, seconded and passed that Mr. Andrews be instructed to collect the tax from Mr. Gaudet according to the assessment, he having owned the property when the roll was completed.

Councillor Andrews gave notice that he would move that the motion re Clyde & Sissiboo & Paper Co. be rescinded. Miss MacKenzie, Spelt. Public Health Nurses, addressed the Council on the work of the Public Health Nurse and the advisability of having a nurse in this County; the Warden thanked Miss MacKenzie and told her the matter would receive consideration.

Councillor Andrews moved that the motion re Clyde & Sissiboo Pulp & Paper Co. assessment be rescinded. Moved, seconded and passed that the assessment for this company for Sissiboo Falls school section shall be \$700 not \$3300 as given by the assessor.

Councillor Hanksinson read the report of the Committee on Tenders and Public Property for the year 1923, which on motion was received and adopted.

Moved, seconded and passed that the Council make no provision for a Public Health Nurse in the estimates for 1924.

Moved, seconded and passed that the salary of the keeper of the Alms House be raised \$100 a year, making the salary \$700 a year it now being \$600.

Moved and seconded that the auditors report, when complete, be published in detail in pamphlet form; moved and seconded, in amendment that this matter stand over till the May meeting; on the question being put the amendment carried.

Committee on Poor and Harmless Insane gave their report, which was received and adopted.

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Moved, seconded and passed that E. T. Vyse and L. E. Haines be appointed auditors for 1923, the auditors appointed not having arrived, in time to complete the audit.

Rev. Mr. Watts, sec'y Social Service Council addressed the Council on the matter of holding service at Alms House, stating that the expense of transportation for the inmates be paid from the Alms House was a problem, and asking if the Council could help in the solving of this problem. He also asked their co-operation in the appointing of an Inspector under the Nova Scotia Temperance Act.

Moved, seconded and passed that Councillors Marshall and Andrews be appointed a Committee to look into the question of the boundaries of the different districts within the Municipality, and of the whole Municipality, and to report at the next Council meeting. Moved, seconded and passed that a chief assessor be appointed for the whole Municipality, to oversee the local assessors and arrange for the equalizing of assessment with each assessor; this appointment to be made in May.

Moved, seconded and passed the assessment rolls for 1923-1924 be accepted.

Moved, seconded and passed that the list of officers for districts Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, 13, 15, 16, 17, 22, 6, for 1924 be accepted as they stand.

Moved, seconded and passed that the petition of various residents of Smith's Cove, asking that a new road to the shore be laid out be received and approved by the Council, and the Clerk be instructed to forward the same to the Provincial Highway Board.

The assessment committees brought in their report, which on motion was received and adopted.

The finance committee brought in their report which on motion was received and adopted.

Moved, seconded and passed that the engaging of a Solicitor for the Municipality for 1924 be left to the Committee on Tender Public Property.

Moved, seconded and passed that the Committee on Tenders and Public Property are hereby given authority to take the necessary steps to sell the property donated from Robert Melanson, Ashmore, to the Municipality.

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COURT HOUSE

The Janitor, David Hazelton was re-engaged for the year 1924 and the salary to remain the same. Forty Dollars, (\$40) per month.

Your instructions to have Court House repaired have been carried out. Your Committee met in May and decided to let the contract to Willis D. Rice of Bear River for the sum of Eight Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$850), the Committee also agreeing to pay for new brick used in connection with the towers and repairs to gutters and roof.

The orders issued for Court House maintenance including Janitor's salary and repairs to Court House during the year amounted to \$1841.37. The sum voted including the repairs for year 1923 was \$2700. Your Committee would recommend a vote of \$1100 for the year 1924.

JAIL

The total amount of orders issued not including the salary of the Jailor during the year 1923 amounted to \$180.74. We had some small repairs such as papering, painting and repairs to doors. The jail building is in a very bad condition; the bricks are all crumbling and falling out.

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Success Follows Right Kind of Inspiration

Subscriber Suggest Boys of Digby County Schools Should Learn Kipling's "IF"

To The Editor of The Courier:

DEAR SIR—

I was much pleased to greet "that old sweetheart of mine" KIP-LING'S "IF" in the last issue of your paper. What a wonderful thing it would be if all the boys who graduate from public school should have first committed "IF" to memory. They would find "IF" a never ending source of helpful inspiration in after years.

A little incident in my own life might interest your readers and serve to demonstrate the importance of the right kind of inspiration at the right time in a man's life.

It was in the spring of 1912, I was a passenger on a train en route from Boston to Montreal. On that train with me were many soldiers of fortune and among them Ralph

Norton and John Love. A series of unfortunate circumstances had brought us together. It so happened that at that time the low lands were flooded and we found ourselves stranded in a small town in Vermont. Our train was left standing in five feet of water while we found shelter at the Village Inn, and there we waited, away seventeen of the happiest days of my life.

Now, Ralph Norton, John Love and myself were in similar circumstances, all without funds and seeking another start in a new town. We discussed our problems and confided in each other, our troubles. It was with heavy hearts we parted at the station in Montreal.

A few days later I opened for business at 85 Richmond St. West, Toronto, having paid one month's rent and with only \$15 of borrowed money left. It was truly an adventure with me. However, having registered at the best hotel in the city, I succeeded in getting in debt to the extent of \$800 in twenty-four hours and this gave me a fairly good start. Fortune favored me for a time and then came a period of depression.

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Just Talks--On Common Themes

On "The Pleasures Of Ignorance"

I DO NOT love ignorance, indiscriminately; I do not like that sort that seeks a nauseous darkness, like the hog, in the muck of the old-fashioned pen, with just enough animation to grunt.

But I do enjoy a pleasant intellectual twilight on a great many things whereby one may view many horizons thru an entrancing atmosphere of doubt.

There are so many things concerning which I know all I want to know that I decline to be bothered with opening any more cup-board doors to exact information. I know, of instance, all I care to know about bugs. All sorts of bugs I accept. I prefer not to know any more about electricity. I can never understand it; try as long as I may; so why not consider it an honorable point of ignorance and let it go at that?

I can listen in a sort of dreamy unconcern while two young lads talk Radio and have far more pleasure than I could possibly have were I as certain as they seem to be of so many things that each of them seems to consider not so. "The old Nova Scotians used to express his interest in any subject by saying "I want to know." For myself, I frequently prefer not to know. There are so many charming doubts to be dispelled by one cold and perhaps ugly truth—especially about our neighbors.

I am no enthusiast for ignorance. I do not consider it a panacea for ills; nor do I, after the manner of modern reformers, insist that it be taught in the schools. There are realms in which exact information is much to be preferred. If real wisdom were offered me I should accept it. It is only the natural disinclination to know too much that I cannot commend. I do not admire acquired ignorance.

But I do like to know a very little about a great many things—as we all do—that we may go on learning. No person is so intolerable as the person to whom one can tell nothing. Ordinarily such a person knows but little. The self-educated person is dead sure of what he knows chiefly because it is not usually so.

The ignorance of the world is universal. There are 3,000,000 books in a certain library. You hardly know one whole book. Your stock of portable wisdom is small. You have to be contented with knowing where to find a fact if you desire to use it and you are at a very good way-fay in the pathway of knowledge if you have sufficient understanding to use the fact wisely. You are like the woodsman in a trackless forest. If you "understand" the words you can go far and fare well; if you do not, have not trained your understanding to live off the country, you are like to starve to death.

I indicated that I would discuss the pleasures of ignorance—but "ignorance" is so deep and damnable a thing that perhaps what I set about doing was to discuss the pleasure of not knowing too many facts. Ignorance implies denceness.

There is one pleasure in being unable to give authoritative utterance. We have several statutes against "talking shop." When a person utters from Russia and begins to give some authoritative utterance we feel like turning tail and fleeing to the woods. Nothing else is so fatal to conversation as the "authoritative stuff." Mr. Samuel Crowthers has pointed out in one of his essays that "true confidence about the subject" (based on our own ignorance of it which makes it a delightful topic) becomes impossible in the presence of the Chief of the Weather Bureau.

Another High Point of Ignorance is the balance of trade idea. I do dislike to talk with a person who loads me with his goods. I talked last summer on the train with a man who knew everything. One could not sail away with him on any high quest of Adventure. He knew just where he was going and what he would find.

Another tremendous drawback to pleasure in conversation with the too-well informed person is the nervous strain involved. We always are wondering what may happen when he comes to the end of his resources. We can but sit and clutch ourselves and wait the debacle. What a difference if we knew that he is just as ignorant as we; that we may catch him in his error; that we both may adventure on shoals and a lee shore. That's adventure!

Let's not know too much. It is much pleasanter to be learning than to have learned; much sweeter to be travelling than to have arrived.

E. S.

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Someone said, "It can't be done" but with a chuckle replied that "maybe it couldn't but the 'would' not be one who would say so until he had tried." So he buckled right in with the trace of a grin on his face, if he worried he hid it. He started to sing as he tackled the thing that couldn't be done, and he did it.

Now there are thousands to tell you "it can't be done." There are thousands who will prophesy failure, there are thousands who will intimidate one by one the dangers that wait to assail you. Buckle right in with the trace of a grin on your face, take off your coat and go to it. Start in to sing as you tackle the thing that can't be done, and you'll do it.

From that day the world looked better to me and I had a well established business when the war cleaned my slate once more in the fall of 1914. But that "punch" didn't mean a thing to me; it came too late. When I put my books in the stove and turned the key in the door of 85 Richmond St. West for the last time it was with a light heart and firmly resolved that "it could be done."

I will not attempt here to relate the detail of my next venture in business nor the several ventures that followed; it is sufficient to say that "it was done." And, it's only fitting for me to say that John Love is now in charge of the Royal Typewriter Company's business in Canada, he now handles them by the car load, and Ralph Norton is General Manager of the Kysor Elliott Steel Works at Montreal, both being dear friends of mine.

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Town Topics

Id-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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Another Letter

"At Christmas, 1920, my wife received from me a box of family, among things, one of your large fancy boxes containing assorted chocolates. She put it away and forgot all about it until a few days ago."

"I had the pleasure of sampling a number of pieces and want to

say the fillings appeared to me, and others who partook of them to be as fresh as when first made, and as to the coating they looked bright and new and it mixed with fresh made goods I doubt if any but an expert would notice any difference.

"The above may be all an old story with your firm but as one who has pride in our local institutions and industries, I feel the least I can do is to write as I now have."

Mr. A. P. Messervy, 161 Bedford St., Halifax.

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Regarding Our Public Schools

A famous German writer said that God might forgive socalled civilized beings for not supplying the poor with bread, which costs money. But he would not forgive them for refusing them fresh air and sunlight, which costs nothing.

We advise the PUBLIC SCHOOLS of the various big cities to bear that in mind.

They can be forgiven, perhaps, for allowing tens of thousands of children to begin their work in the hungry.

It is probably to much to ask of this country that it feed the stomachs as well as the minds of the poorer children.

But although the schools may be forgiven for refusing bread or soup, or chocolate—substance, by the way, that are supplied to school children in some of the less wealthy European countries—our school officials will certainly not be excused for failing to supply FRESH AIR, which is free and costs only common sense.

In more than one half of the school rooms the air is vile, injuring the health of the children, deadening the brain, making study difficult for the strong and impossible for the weak.

There are many thousands of children in the United States who find their appetite reduced to less than that of "a chicken," thanks to the lack of intelligence in the construction and management of public schools.

Usually the ventilating systems are imperfect. A majority of them seemed based upon stupid ignorance of the fact that cold air falls down the same as cold water, and that if you want fresh air in a room you must either let it "fall in" through the top of the room or FORCE it in with power from the bottom, and at the same time force out the bad air from the top.

School rooms are badly ventilated sometimes because a teacher who happens to be lacking in rugged health or who chooses to wear very thin and pretty clothing does not want fresh air in the room.

It is the duty of the superintendents to watch for such teachers and such school rooms.

The main duty is with the parents.

Mind out how your children feel when they go to school and how they feel when they come away.

If they are worn out, pale, showing lassitude and lack of vitality, investigate the ventilating conditions of the school rooms, question the children, or go to the school yourself in the middle of the session, breathe a little of the air, then write to the health department, the head of the school system, and the mayor if necessary.

It is foolish wasting half a life trying to raise a child, and then let the public school poison the child's lungs through carelessness.

P. S.—Of course, the public school authorities will say, just as the judges, the lawyers, the doctor, and the public officials say, that everything is being done admirably.

But the fact is that nothing is done well, except THROUGH WATCHFULNESS AND INSISTENCE BY THE PUBLIC.

What the public lets slide others let slide.

A Menace To Safety

It is high time the legislative and judicial authorities began to consider the crime (the word is used advisedly) of drunkenness when driving a motor car as something infinitely more serious than is drunkenness under ordinary circumstances. Prohibition is as yet too new for the world old opinion of the drunken man, as one to be laughed at, pitied, perhaps, put to bed to

sober up, fix a small sum as a public nuisance, to change at least overnight.

But drunkenness which can harm no one but the inebriated man is one thing; drunkenness which is menace to all who use the streets and roads, and which via the car, converts the otherwise innocuous victim of his appetite to a potential, wholesale murderer, is entirely something else.

Sentiment is swinging over to regarding the drunken driver as one who commits more than a misdemeanor; but it should swing faster and go further. The man who, drunk, drives a car or truck, is a madman; a man without sense without reasonability, without judgment.

He puts in jeopardy the lives of men, women, and children. He endangers property. He may cause frightful loss of life, hideous maimings, terrible accidents. No maniac with a gun is allowed upon the streets; the man who deliberately makes himself a maniac and its himself out with a car loaded with potential death for many, should be dealt with the most severity. A few dollars fine, a few days in jail, the loss of a license, are not enough. The man who runs amuck with a gun, killing and maiming, gets years behind the bars. The man who runs amuck with a car while drunk is even more culpable.

Let judges once get it through their precedent bound legal minds that it is not the drunkenness, but the drunken driving which is the crime, and our already crowded hard roads will be safer for us all; our children, our women drivers, as well as our sober citizens protected, as they have a right to be, from a menace which has no excuse, legal or social, for existing.

Rubs by Rambler

The profit on a Ford car manufactured in Canada is \$50, or around 10 percent of the selling price. How many of us in Digby could remain in business unless our net profit was at least double that?

The question most frequently asked about town today is—"What is being done about the coming city election?" and is any organized effort being made to bring out good candidates? The answer is—NOTHING.

Last year Canada exported three times as much per head of population as the U.S., and one-third more than the United Kingdom. Moreover, the total revenue of the Dominion in 1923 was the largest of any normal year in its history. Conditions in Canada are not so bad after all.

We should be willing to spend a couple of weeks, or days, preparing a slate for the forthcoming election. There are two or three excellent men who would probably be willing to except fifty per cent. were urged, or assured of support by a committee of representative citizens who called upon them. A problem of this nature has no self starter; someone will have to get out and crank up.

Just 5443 years ago today the ancients laid the corner stone of the Pyramid of Cheop, a work that took twenty years to complete. BUT they spent ten years in preparation, that is in building a causeway for the conveyance of the huge stones from the quarry to the site of the pyramid. The result of this careful preparation was that they were able to finish the job two days ahead of the time limit, and at the same time turn out a satisfactory and lasting job.

In his report published last week, the Mayor mentioned the increased cost of street upkeep due to heavy motor trucks. This traffic is playing havoc with one or two streets, as well as the road leading out of town. In some of the American States there are laws fixing the maximum load that may be carried on a trailer hauled by motor trucks, as well as the width of tires such trailers may use. It is apparently recognized that any trailer or wagon will carry a much heavier load than a self propelled truck or horse drawn wagon, and that unless loads are limited and wide tires used it would be impossible to keep a road in condition during wet weather.

It might be well for someone interested to look up the Motor Vehicles Act and see if there are similar laws on our statute books.

DOMINION EXPRESS MONEY ORDER
CASH STATIONS
DOMINION EXPRESS AGENCIES

Annual Meeting Board of Trade

Considerable Business Transacted at Meeting Monday Evening—To Hold Banquet on February 12

One of the best and most interesting meetings of the Board of Trade held in years, took place at the Town Hall on Tuesday evening last. A large number of citizens were on hand and took part in the discussion which followed the address of the President.

The meeting opened at eight o'clock, H. B. Short in the chair. After the reading of the minutes of last annual and special meetings, the President addressed the large crowd present and remarked that he was greatly pleased at the interest which had been taken in town affairs and the deep interest which is today being taken in matters which come before the Board of Trade. It was also pleasing to the speaker to see a number of new members present and he welcomed them into the fold.

The Secretary, Frank Nichols, read several letters in reply to a request asking for a subsidy from the Dominion Government for the Ruby L. Owing to the policy of economy which had been adopted by the government this request could not be granted at present, declared the Minister of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa.

A reply had been received by the Secretary regarding a matter re the Telegraph office here. President Short gave a review of the work accomplished by the Board during the past year. While he could not report much progress still considerable business had been attended to and a large number of meetings had been held. While business had not been as active as in the past year, it was still being kept up. Still Digby had come out of the slump better than other towns. The Fordey Tariff had done considerable damage to the fishing trade, practically shutting the market here, which had been a hindrance to this industry. Several other matters had been opened up, declared Mr. Short, and this had helped out considerably. Tourist trade during the past year had been very successful, and no doubt the coming season a large number of visitors would again visit Digby, and it was up to the Board and town to see that they were properly entertained and treated with his firm during the past year had been better than former years. In order to give employment to a large number of his firm during the past year had been better than former years. In order to give employment to a large number of his firm during the past year had been better than former years.

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After the reports of the Secretary, Treasurer, Nurse and Conventor of the Supply Committee had been read, the election of officers and members of the Board of Management took place resulting as follows:—Dr. W. F. Read, 1st Vice President—Mrs. Aubrey Brown, 2nd Vice President—Mrs. Dexter Conventor of Supply Committee—Mrs. Carty.

A letter from Rev. Father Sommers was read stating that he was sorry not to be present at the meeting and assured of his high esteem and good wishes for the work.

Rev. Mr. Watts gave some idea of the Victorian Order work in different parts of Canada, and showed that in their instruction of foreigners they were being made into good Canadians. He also spoke of the good work being done in our own Province and paid a glowing tribute to the work of the Metropolitan Insurance Co.

Rev. Mr. Nunn was glad he came to the meeting because he had learned so much to come, the girl whose extraordinary story stirred the Province. Ever since the case has been brought to the notice of the public numerous communications have been received from kind hearted people throughout the Province offering to care for the girl and after a great deal of consideration Mrs. Virtue has selected a home where the girl, now a young woman, will enjoy a true Christian atmosphere and have every opportunity of getting a new start and fresh courage to face life's battles. Mrs. Virtue wishes to thank all these people who have signified their intention of helping out the girl.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the retiring President and Officers for their services.

The new President, Dr. Read was called on and responded with a few words on the extension of the Victorian order work. The meeting closed with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Driffield and singing the National Anthem.

A brief account of Secretary and Treasurer's report will appear in the next issue of the Courier.

A SURPRISE PARTY

A very enjoyable New Year's eve celebration combined with the 22nd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Perry of Freeport, tended to make happy the surprised couple as well as the many friends present. The festivities were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watson, 277 Mt. Auburn St., Cambridge, Mass. The dining room was prettily decorated with pink and green crepe paper. A kewpie doll representing a bride, at the end of the table, held streamers of paper to which were attached various gifts of old glass china ware and pictures. In addition to these gifts Mrs. Perry was the recipient of a bouquet, consisting of sweet peas and bridal wreath. After a few brief remarks of appreciation from

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Special!

To give every person a chance to take advantage of our wonderful Discount Sale we have decided to continue it until Monday next. Monday is positively the last day. Remnants of all kinds to be cleaned up. COME AND BUY.

One of our Suit and Coat representatives will be here Thursday the 24th. If interested we will be glad to have him show the line to you. Remember the date.

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We teach your dollars to have more cents

Bertha Potter Finds New And Happier Home

Unfortunate Girl, Whose Captivity at Bear River Ended Recently, Begins Life Anew

Bertha Potter, pretty Bear River girl whose story of her captivity in the house of William Lent during her transition from childhood to womanhood, a period of nearly nine years, astounded the Province when it was revealed about a month ago, has been safely located by Mrs. Virtue who has looked after the girl since her release. Under her real name, the girl will make a new start in life, a start which, it is hoped, will enable her to enjoy many of life's pleasures that she has hitherto been denied, and which will afford her an opportunity of forgetting the nightmare she endured while a captive in the carpenter's house at Bear River. Except to a very few persons the identity of Bertha Potter will never be known and none will recognize in the years to come, the girl whose extraordinary story stirred the Province. Ever since the case has been brought to the notice of the public numerous communications have been received from kind hearted people throughout the Province offering to care for the girl and after a great deal of consideration Mrs. Virtue has selected a home where the girl, now a young woman, will enjoy a true Christian atmosphere and have every opportunity of getting a new start and fresh courage to face life's battles. Mrs. Virtue wishes to thank all these people who have signified their intention of helping out the girl.

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Weymouth

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Blinn, who were recently married in Connecticut, arrived Saturday and were met at the station by Mrs. Blinn's sister, Mrs. Fred Melanson and husband. After a short stay in town they drove to Bellevue's Cove where they will remain a few weeks.

Mr. (Capt.) Robert Austin arrived Friday morning and spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. A. H. Brooks, returning home on Tuesday.

Alphonse Muis was a passenger to Yarmouth Tuesday, returning on Friday. Arthur Bellevue, who for the past two years was manager of the Sissiboo Pulp & Paper Co's general store at Weymouth Mills, until it was taken over by Glendon Campbell, and since then connected with the store in a semi-official position, left on Friday to spend a few days with his parents at Meteghan River before leaving for Boston.

Councillor E. F. Hankinson returned Saturday from Digby, where he spent the week attending the annual meeting of the council.

A. F. Comeau was a passenger to Yarmouth on Thursday returning on Friday. Councillor H. B. Fitzgerald returned Saturday from Digby, having attended the annual meeting of the Municipal Council.

Norman Melanson arrived from Saskatoon on Wednesday and was the guest of Capt. and Mrs. Joseph Oliver for a few days.

Arch. Horner of Long Beach, was in town Friday visiting friends, and returned home on Saturday.

Miss Noreen Burke, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Laura Burke for a few days, returned to Long Beach Saturday, via S. S. Lott & Marguerite. Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe A. Theriault of Bellevue's Cove, were in town on Thursday.

Steamer Lott & Marguerite which arrived Friday from Digby Neck points and which started on its return trip, was forced to turn back after going as far as New Edinburgh light house on account of the heavy wind and rain storm, which lashed the waters of St. Mary's Bay furiously. She left on Saturday for her home port, Little River.

Rev. J. H. Colquhoun, pastor of the Weymouth North Baptist church, was a passenger on S. S. Lott & Marguerite on Saturday to Little River, where he will conduct services during the months of January and February.

Those who attended the picture shown in the Green Lantern were treated to a splendid motion picture. The management of the theatre are endeavoring to please their patrons and they surely are succeeding. The show will be held for the comfort of the people who attend the Saturday evening shows.

Miss Loretta Bonenfant, who has been visiting her mother Mrs. Robt. Bonenfant, has returned to Boston.

Mrs. John Thibault of Doucetteville, was a passenger to Boston on Friday last.

Miss Theresa Bonenfant, who spent the past few weeks with her mother Mrs. Robt. Bonenfant, returned on Friday to Boston.

Thomas Denton of Little River, was in town on Friday, returning on Saturday.

Thomas Hankinson of Middleton, spent the week end at his home here, returning on Monday.

Dr. R. H. Thibault of Little Rock, was in town on Friday calling on friends.

H. H. Hamilton left on Thursday for Digby where he has accepted a position with H. T. Warren, lawyer.

Mrs. Albert Alloupy, who has been visiting at her former home in Dartmouth, has returned home.

Oscar Mack of Long Beach, was in town on Friday, returning on Saturday.

Councillor E. F. Hankinson left on Tuesday for Halifax on business for the Municipality.

Norman Melanson left on Monday for Digby's Cove where he is intended remaining a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Fred M. Melanson left on Monday for Yarmouth, where she will undergo a surgical operation.

Miss Alice Blinn of Bellevue's Cove left on Tuesday for Boston, Mass.

Lake Dugan of Little Brook station, was in town Tuesday on business.

Relieves Dyspepsia

M. D. advises: "Persons who suffer from severe indigestion, flatulence, and constipation, should take after each meal and at bedtime, fifteen to thirty drops of the Extract of Roots known to the Drug Trade as 'Get the Stomach's Function Working' Get the Genuine. 50c and \$1.00 bottles."

Municipal Council Discussed Important Business Last Week

Continued from page 1.

You voted last year \$900 for jails a-stay and maintenance. Your Committee would recommend a vote of \$900 for the year 1924.

Your Committee would also recommend a vote of \$200 for repairs to jail building.

POOR OUTSIDE
Your Committee spent on the support of the poor outside the Home during the year 1923 the sum of \$958.44, last year you voted \$1200. Your Committee would recommend a vote of \$1000 for year 1924.

ALMS HOUSE
Your Committee met at the Alms House during the latter part of March and decided to sell all the cows on the farm and replace them with a better grade of cows. The amount realized from four cows and two heifers amounted to \$219. Also one pair of steers on the farm held for \$100 was sold on May 15th for \$95; making a total of stock on the farm of \$314. This amount being handed in to the treasurer of the Municipality by Mr. Thomas, keeper of the Alms House.

Your Committee has had trouble with some tubercular poor patients and consequently had to remove two of them to the City Tubercular Hospital at Halifax where the cost of maintenance of each patient amounts to \$10.50 per week. Your Committee would recommend a building being built to be run in connection with the Home where Tubercular patients could be kept practically as cheap as other inmates of the Home.

The roof of the Alms House is in much need of shingling and we would recommend a vote of \$500 to be put in the estimates for that purpose. The brick oven used in baking bread for the Home was found to be falling to pieces so it had to be taken down and re-built. The hot air furnace is in need of repairs, smoke continually coming up through the radiators.

FOOR INSIDE
Orders for \$4248.74 were issued during the year 1923 for the poor and harmless insane inside the Home. We still have a full house and prices rather than dropping have increased.

You voted last year for this service \$4500, your Committee would recommend a vote of not less than \$4500 for year 1924.

Sanct inmates present during year 1923 are as follows:

Name	Residence	No. days
Almira Compton, Plympton		365
Ann Compton, Plympton		365
Ida Kianey, Port Gilbert		365
Jessie Lewis, Barton		365
Carrie Hatfield, Coloden		365
Alma Willett, Coloden		365
Mazey McKinnon, Bear River		365
Helen Crowell, Sandy Cove		144
Catherine Melanson, Plympton		365
Louise Melanson, Plympton		365
Eddie Muis, Coloden		365
Mrs. Hanford Thomas, Sea Brook		365
Addie Comeau, Rossaway		365
Alma Comeau, Marshalltown		365
Esther Thomas, Digby		243
Maynard Lewis, Weymouth		181
Edmund Amero, Plympton		365
Albert McKinnon, Bear River		365
Charles Marshall, Marshalltown		241
Douglas Melanson, Plympton		365
Ralph Hooper, Digby		276
Joseph Mack, Sissiboo Falls		365
John Lawrence, Weymouth		365
William Bent, Centreville		365
Jessie Hersey, Little River		365
Edna Marshall, South Range		365
Allison Nickerson, Weymouth		365
James Miller, Bear River		365
Joseph Melanson, Gilbert's Cove		365
Charles McCauley, Weymouth		203
St. Clair Langford, Weymouth		344
Eugene Amero, Doucetteville		10
Mrs. Henry Amero, Acadiaville		315
John Lowe, Digby		364
Hayden Trevor, Brighton		279
Isiah Brown, Marshalltown		16
Joseph Melanson, Plympton		236
Daniel Hulbert, Digby		49
James Armstrong, Digby		167
Edna Teabo, Sissiboo Falls		107
Catherine Teabo, Sissiboo Falls		107
Thomas Teabo, Sissiboo Falls		107
Walter Edridge, Sandy Cove		135
John Mallett, Brighton		4
Lucy Deane, Coloden		79
William Crosby, Coloden		79
Marion Crosby, Coloden		79
Ralph Causby, Jordonstown		31
Thomas Regan, Rossaway		09

Total 12891

Insane patients present during year 1923:

Name	Residence	No. days
Nancy Hankinson, Weymouth		365
Agnes Willitt, Coloden		365
Mrs. Titt Lewis, Freepost		365
Elizabeth Bain, Coloden		365
Oliver Dunn, Coloden		365
William Snell, Bear River		365
John Morgenthau, Bear River		365
Charles Fries, Coloden		365
Harvey George, Westport		365
Harley Wright, Port Gilbert		365
John Jones, Smith Cove		365
Fred Thomas, Sandy Cove		365
Mrs. Francis Morrell, Barton		147
Ernest Handspiker, Broad Cove		147
Arch Van Tassel, Digby		244
Millie Marshall, Digby		267
Heber Hutchings, Coloden		61

REGISTRAR OF DEEDS OFFICE

Your Committee had the roof of the Registrar of Deeds Building at Weymouth shingled at a total cost of \$34.99. Two fifths of this amount to be charged to Municipality of Clare.

Your Committee advertised for tenders for supplies, wood and medical attendance for the year 1924 in the Digby Courier and on the 27th day of December 1923 met at the Court House in Digby and the contracts were awarded as follows:

Tenders were received from A. A. Shortt and A. R. Turnbull for groceries. The tender of A. A. Shortt being the lowest was accepted.

Only one tender for dry goods was received that of J. L. Peters which was accepted.

Also tender of E. DuVernet for medical attendances at the Alms House was accepted.

Tenders were received from J. F. Rice and J. B. Drew for wood. The tender of J. B. Drew being lowest was accepted.

Tenders were received from A. J. Dillon and M. Weber & Sons for boots and shoes. The tender of A. J. Dillon being accepted.

Your Committee finds that during the last ten years the cost per day per inmate including their food, clothes, heat, light, medical and other attendances has been as follows:

Year	Cost
1913	0.224
1914	0.175
1915	0.165
1916	0.175
1917	0.227
1918	0.203
1919	0.273
1920	0.30
1921	0.282
1922	0.28
1923	0.217

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FOR people to travel nine thousand miles in these days of rapid and easy transportation is a frequent occurrence, but for three children under fifteen years of age to do so unaccompanied by an adult is unusual. If nothing else, more remarkable still is the fact that one trio of youngsters who covered more than this distance alone, Jack Turner, aged fifteen, Mary, his ten-year-old sister, and Richard, aged four, travelled from Jacksonville, Florida, to Shanghai, China, with but one change of cars, and one change for the steamer, making the quickest trip on record between these two points, according to the traffic experts of the Canadian Pacific Railway, officers of which company looked after the welfare of the children throughout their journey. From Jacksonville they travelled to Chicago on the Dixie Flyer. From there they travelled via Canadian Pacific to Vancouver where they transferred to the Canadian Pacific S.S. Empress of Russia. They left Jacksonville on December 1st, arriving at Shanghai on January 12th, covering the distance of 9,133 miles in a little over twenty-one days.

Hundreds of Nova Scotia Homes Test New Treatment

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A CASE IN HALIFAX

Mrs. G. Stanwhite of 22 Starr St., Halifax, N.S., writes: "Before sending for Vicks I was discouraged with all other cough and cold remedies which I had tried for my son. I got such good results from Vicks that I have been using it ever since."

REPORT FROM STELLARTON

Mrs. Laura Casino, Box 162, Stellarton, N.S., says: "I have used Vicks VapoRub and have found it useful for all kinds of colds. I had a very bad cold in the head and tried many remedies. Vicks VapoRub proved better than all the others."

NEW GLASGOW SENDS FOLLOWING

Mrs. G.W. Reddick of Vale Road, New Glasgow, N.S., writes: "I used Vicks VapoRub for my oldest boy who had a heavy cold and was quite sick. It helped him greatly and the next day he was out. I always keep Vicks in the house."

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Skeptical at first about external treatment for cold troubles, Nova Scotia people have been completely won over by the remarkably quick action of Vicks VapoRub.

For Vicks medication takes effect immediately it is applied in two distinct ways. First, it is absorbed through and stimulates the skin like a liniment, poultice or plaster. Second, its ingredients are released by the body heat as vapors and are inhaled with each breath directly into the nose, throat and lungs. It is an obstinate cold that can resist this direct double action.

Vicks is composed of Camphor, Menthol, Eucalyptus, Thyme, Turpentine and other of the world's best remedies for congestion and inflammation—whether in the air passages, such as croup, colds, catarrh or bronchitis, or on the surface, like cuts, bruises, burns, sores and stings.

Vicks is a family standby in the States. Over 17 million jars are used yearly. Since its introduction into Nova Scotia last year, a great many letters have been received from people who have tried Vicks and are delighted with the results. Alongside are reports from some of these people who have kindly consented that their experiences be published.



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PEMBROKE "EXCELLENT REMEDY"

Miss Agnes J. Foote of Rural Route No. 3, Pembroke, N.S., says: "I used Vicks VapoRub one night for sore throat and in the morning my throat was well. Now whenever I feel my throat getting sore, I use Vicks VapoRub. It is an excellent remedy."

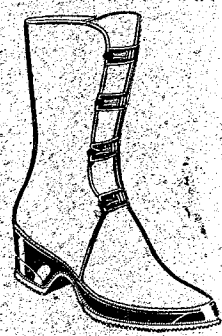
TWO RIVERS "HAS NO EQUAL"

Mrs. M. Shirley of Two Rivers, N.S., writes: "I used Vicks VapoRub for a very bad cold in the head and do not hesitate to say that it has no equal. I want to keep Vicks always on hand."

PORT MIDWAY "WONDERFUL RESULTS"

Mrs. Everett L. Smith of Port Midway, N.S., writes: "Last March we were all stricken with influenza and began to cough and cough terribly. I got some Vicks VapoRub and used it on all the family with wonderful results. It was really magical to see how quickly the vapors relieved our coughs. There is nothing to equal Vicks VapoRub."

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Surrounding Villages

Milford

Miss Goldie Charlton has returned to her studies at Annapolis Royal, having spent the holidays at her home here.

Clarence Hersey, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Reid Orde, has returned to his home at St. John.

The Misses Daisy and Beatrice Maitman have returned to their places of employment at Middleton and Wolfville, after spending a portion of the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Ruth Maitman.

Mr. Flanagan, who has supplied the church on this field during the holiday season, has returned to his studies at Acadia College.

Miss Geanie Maitman recently visited Mrs. Wm. Farnsworth at Annapolis Royal.

The Misses Myrtle and Oda Gates have returned from visiting their sister, Mrs. Robt. Wood at Lequille.

Our quiet little community was certainly shocked on Thursday last, when it became known that the body of a man, who gave his name as George Doucette, had been found frozen to death on the cross road leading to Victory. On Monday evening he appeared at the home of Ritson Longmire in an exhausted condition and asked for food and shelter. He was given both and left early the following morning to find his way to Bear River, thence to Weymouth, where he stated his home was. On Thursday morning he was found frozen to death on the Victory road by Chas. Charlton and son. Much credit is due Mr. and Mrs. Reid Orde, who kindly opened their home to receive the body, awaiting funeral arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Ritchie, from Mochele, spent the week-end with Mrs. Elizabeth Stalling.

Oudor Robar, from Virginia East, was a recent visitor at the home of Chas. Charlton.

Norman Fancey, who came home from N. B., for the holiday season, has returned to his work intending to spend the remainder of the winter there.

New Tusket

Miss Mary F. Teed who spent her vacation at the home of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Charles Teed, Freeport, returned Saturday

to resume her duties as teacher at Havelock. She will board at Thomas Smith's the remainder of the term.

Miss Margaret A. Duon who spent the holidays at her home in Nictaux Falls returned Saturday to resume her duties here.

Miss Clara Sabean, teacher at Easton, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Mullen. She returned to her school on Monday.

Miss Lucy Mullen who is teaching at Richfield, spent her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Mullen. She returned to her school on Monday.

Elmer Sabean who spent his vacation with his mother and brother returned to A. C., Wolfville, on Saturday.

Mrs. Simon Gaudett and daughter Marie, of Southville, having been visiting friends in this place for the past week returned home on Sunday.

Misses Annie Greene, Nellie Lewis, Bessie Mullen and Lucy Mullen were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hobbs, Friday afternoon and evening.

Misses Gracie and Nellie Gaudett spent Monday afternoon and evening with their cousin Marie Gaudett. The secretary to trustees had a new hard wood floor laid in the school house during the holidays. It is a great improvement as the other floor was very old and worn. They are also planning on getting new desks in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sabine spent Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mullen.

C. F. Sabean and son D. L. Sabean installed a telephone for Ben, Hatfield, Southville, on Wednesday 2nd, also one for Edmund Melanson, Corberie on Monday the 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Mullen and son Thurston, also Miss Mildred Marr, moved down below Sabean's Mills one day last week. Mrs. Mullen and Miss Marie will cook for the crowd of men Mr. Mullen has hired to work out his contract.

Freeport

Earle Haines has had a Radio installed in his home.

Mrs. Seretha Perry is staying with her brother Edwin Haines for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brooks, of

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Vancouver, arrived home a few weeks ago and are living in the old home taking care of the former's mother Mrs. Charles Brooks who is an invalid.

Edwin Moore spent the holidays with his family and has now returned to Weymouth Mills, where he is spending the winter.

The stork made a call at the home of Capt. and Mrs. Charles Teed on Dec 23rd, and left a baby daughter.

Dexter Stevens who has been working in Bridgetown is spending the winter with his brother Leslie and family.

Ralph Teed and Cornelia Stevens spent a few days with friends at Westport this week.

The teacher's Miss Nora Thurber, Ernest Stevens, Marguerite and Mary Teed have returned to their schools after spending their vacation with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore, of Westport, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Leslie Stevens.

The death took place of Mrs. Elizabeth Buckman at the home of

her daughter, Mrs. Ira Hersey, age 89 years.

We extend every good wish for the future welfare and prosperity of our friends during the year upon which we have entered.

Mr. and Mrs. John Trask, of Little River, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Thurber.

Miss Sadie Lent, of Hebron, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Lent returned to that place on Saturday to resume her duties as teacher.

Radios are the order of the day and we understand a number of them are to be installed here in the near future.

The members of Fair Isle Rebeccah Lodge conferred the degree upon several candidates last week.

The I. O. O. F. held their installation on Tuesday evening last.

Capt. W. H. Stevens, Sch. Cora Gertie made a trip to North Head, Grand Manan, last week. His wife accompanied him and while there was the guest of Mrs. T. R. Griffin.

Sorry to report a couple more cases of Scarlet Fever in our community.

A social gathering under the auspices of Fair Isle Rebeccah Lodge was held in the Temperance Hall on New Year's Eve where games and dancing were indulged in. Refreshments were then served followed by speeches from a number of our citizens and visiting friends which brought to a close a very pleasant evening. We hope this may be but the beginning of many more such social gatherings.

In towns and larger centers we expect to bar our doors and cellars against the thieves and crooks, but in a smaller community such as this what a pity that we can't exercise a little more freedom. Stealing another person's living is not to be passed off as a joke or mere boys prank and there should be some way found by which these guilty persons could be rounded up and dealt with severely to put an end to such mean contemptible actions.

Acaciaville

Mrs. Frank Gates and Mrs. Jas. Rood spent a few days the guests of Mrs. John A. H. Nichols.

It is reported that wedding bells will soon be ringing in our midst. Congratulations to the lucky party.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bacon and daughter Katherine spent Sunday at Deep Brook, the guests of Mrs. Bacon's mother, Mrs. Adams.

A Pie Sale will be held in the Hall, Acaciaville, Jan. 25. Proceeds to be used for school purposes. All invited to come.

Mrs. John A. H. Nichols and Miss Pearl Dickie spent an enjoyable time at Mrs. Stanley Hinds, Rossway on Friday last.

Obituary

JAMES M. CORNWELL, James M. Cornwell, 84, died in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Eva G. Holt, 26 Nutting St., after a long illness. Mr. Cornwell was born in Rossway, Digby county, N. S., the son of Isaac and Mary (Philips) Cornwell and had long been one of the most prominent farmers in the county. About 10 years ago he disposed of his property because of failing health and came to Gardner to make his home with his daughter. He leaves two sons, Archie of Gardner and Budson of Rosindale, two daughters Mrs. Eva G. Holt and Miss Della Cornwell of Milton. Another son Herbert, was killed overseas while with the 112th Canadians.

Plympton

Our teacher, Miss Croscup, reopened school on Monday after spending the holidays at her home in Bear River.

Miss Grace Hutchinson of Digby spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Roy Mallett.

Gordon Potter, who spent the holidays with his parents here returned to Acadia College, Wolfville on the 2nd inst.

Mrs. Roy Mallett and children spent the week end at Digby.

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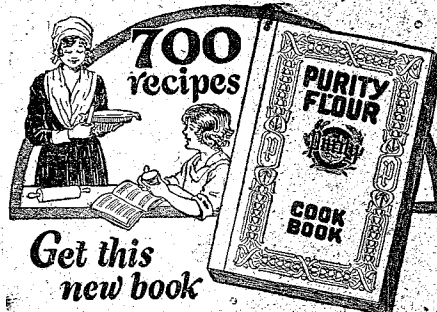
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Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Bear River and at the office of the undersigned.

W. E. MACLELLAN,
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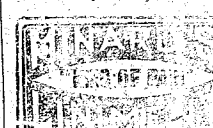
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PHONE DIGBY 55

Citizens Must Choose Between Advancement Or Retrogression

No Middle Course Is Open --- It Is Now or Never

There is a tide in the affairs of men and women, communities, towns and cities, which, as Shakespears has truly said, if taken at the flood leads on to fortune. There comes to every community a day of OPPORTUNITY—a psychological moment—an instant when we balance uncertainty on the crest of the wave—a time for instant decision—then the golden moment passes and is gone, perhaps never to return.

We have reached just such a turning point in the affairs of our town. Something definite must be done, and done QUICKLY and thoroughly. We can stand still and hesitate no longer; either we arouse ourselves and seize the opportunity, or we slip backwards at an ever-increasing pace. There is just so much elbow room in the grand march of progress, and if we don't keep moving the crowd we must inevitably be pushed aside and left hopelessly in the rear. This is no time to quibble about matters, or fall ourselves into a state of false security and smug satisfaction. We must face facts openly. THE FUTURE OF DIGBY IS AT STAKE.

For several years now, and with increasing frequency, we have heard talk concerning the inefficient management of our public affairs, but we have been content to discuss these matters quietly among ourselves, in our homes, at social gatherings, in offices, stores or wherever we happen to gather together, but nothing comes of our grumblings or protests and no active measures are taken to remedy existing evils. No other town would tolerate such a state of affairs as exists in Digby.

Digby is at the parting of the ways. On one hand lies advancement, on the other stagnation and retrogression. At some time or other there comes to every individual a burning desire to attain some cherished ambition. It is the TURNING POINT in our lives. If we turn a deaf ear to that still small voice we are definitely and permanently out of the race—and we call it lack of opportunity, or hard luck. If, on the other hand, we have the power to discern that our moment is ripe, the voice becomes a clarion call that leads us on to attainment—and other people call it luck or genius. The same rule applies to us in our public affairs TODAY. There is every indication that the citizens of DIGBY are alive to the pressing need of IMMEDIATE and concerted action if we are to get anywhere as a town. There are forces working against progress and enlightenment; these must be combated.

Men who should possess sufficient acumen to see that the delaying or blocking of measures for the advancement and development of our town will in the long run mean less business for themselves and less money in their own pockets, are advocating a policy of INACTION and DRIFTING. Anyone attending the recent Board of Trade meeting could see that our business and professional men were imbued with a new feeling of optimism and a determination to accomplish something definite. The same feeling animates the whole body of citizens today. There is a strong desire to break away from the shackles that have held us in civic thralldom for years, and a belief that this CAN be accomplished. We merely require leaders—men willing to take office and serve the people, even at the temporary sacrifice of personal opinions and private interests.

In every town and city throughout our wide Dominion the cry is for the best type of citizen, either business or professional men, to handle town or city affairs, instead of the professional politician who only too often seeks office for personal motives. We want the best sort of man for Mayor of Digby. Mayors of the type of Dr. DuVernet are few and far between. In this respect Digby stands head and shoulders above other towns. Dr. DuVernet is favored with the confidence and respect of the whole community. He possesses ability, foresight and courage, and is by education and training equipped to bring mature and considered judgment to bear on all public problems confronting the town. He is intensely interested in and loyal to his town and its citizens, and we might add, singularly free from any entangling alliances with any business or project that could possibly influence his decisions in public matters. He is the best Mayor this old historic town has had in many years. It is to be hoped that he will consent to serve next term. If so he will be returned with an overwhelming majority. To vote against him at this critical stage in our town affairs would be to commit civic suicide. He has served the town well and nobly during his strenuous and stormy term of office, and it is in large measure due to his policy of progress, and his firm stand in vital matters, that civic consciousness has been aroused as never before, and the public stirred to action in their town affairs. If he is willing, HE SHALL BE RETURNED TO OFFICE. No other course is thinkable.

Next Tuesday is Nomination Day, and as yet no definite list of candidates for the Council has been announced. Here again we must take PROMPT and definite action. No man, particularly of the type we want and should have, is anxious to seek office. We must choose our men and then go after them. After that we must vote for them and convince others that they should vote likewise. We know well enough what qualifications we require in our candidates, and we know a number of men who possess these qualifications. Such men for example as the following:—

Fritz Dakin, Carl Eldridge, P. W. Holdsworth, H. E. Jones, T. E. G. Lynch, J. L. Peters, Dr. Read, W. E. Tupper, A. A. Shortliffe, H. B. Short, A. R. Turnbull, Eber Turnbull.

It makes no difference whether we like or dislike any of these men personally, or what their religion or politics may be; the only question that should concern us is whether they would be good men for our Town Council. Nor is it essential that they agree with us on all public questions. The old engine problem is not the only one that will confront us during the next two years. If our representatives in the Council are ordinarily sensible, unbiased and intelligent, and have the courage of their convictions, then we can depend upon them to decide important questions and manage the affairs of our town in the best interests of the majority.

Let us once break away from the habit and tradition and elect men we know are fitted and able to sit in the Council, regardless of all other considerations. If we do this we shall have taken the first step in the direction of advancement for our beloved DIGBY.

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Municipal Council

Continued from last week

REPORT OF KEEPER

No. of sane inmates present Jan. 1st, 1923	31
Admitted during year	19
Died during year	50
Discharged during year	9

Sane 14

No. insane inmates present Jan. 1st, 1923 37

Admitted during year 12

Died during year 17

Discharged during year 0

Insane present 16

MEMO OF STOCK ON FARM, JAN. 1ST, 1924

4 cows, 1 calf, 1 horse, 2 pigs, 15 hens.

The products raised during the year 1923 were: 28 tons hay, 330 bushels potatoes, 25 bus. carrots, 15 bus. table

beets, 200 bus. turnips, 200 head cabbage, corn, peas, beans, lettuce, pumpkin, and other small garden stuff used on the farm.

There was also killed on the farm 4 pigs, which weighed 235, 270, 240 and 280 respectively, also butter, milk, eggs all used on the farm.

We also had 40 bushel barley, 57 bushel oats, 3 loads barley straw, 4 loads oat straw. There was also got by cutting on shares about three ton of good hay.

There was also taken in out of the pastures 134 acres and pigged. Also about 5 bushels parsnips not pulled yet and one ton of oats for fodder fed on the farm.

Signed, WILLIAM H. THOMAS

RECEIPT OF CASH SALES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1923

April 7 3 cows at \$40 120.00

" 10 1 Cow 40.00

" 10 1 Heifer 30.00

May 15 1 P. Sows 95.00

Dec. 18 1 Yearling Heifer 29.00

\$314.00

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

We, your Committee on Finance and Public Accounts, hereby recommend that the following bills be paid to the several persons mentioned below, and that the same, with any estimates therein be assessed upon the Municipality, according to law:—

H. R. Kinney Assessor District 1 30.00

Frank Gates " 2 37.50

Albert Oldrey " 4 31.50

Edward Eaton " 5 17.00

Jesse Peters " 6 18.00

James W. Brass " 7 37.50

Wm. H. Brooks " 8 20.00

Auldin Small " 13 15.00

Clarence Cornwall " 15 24.00

Frank Cossett " 16 21.00

Stanley Hines " 17 30.00

S. L. Killam " 22 40.00

S. McCormack Registrar Deeds 58.31

E. F. Hankinson Committee 78.50

James Robbins " 10.00

Ingram Saunders " 10.00

Wardens Salary 35.00

Thebirt Rice Committee 6.20

W. H. Brooks, searching records 60

Union N. S. Municipalities 10.00

Keeper Victoria Bridge 150.00

" Bear River " 25.00

" Tiverton " 10.00

J. C. Handspraker Committee 15.00

Municipal Clerk and Treas. Salary 900.00

" Stationary 100.00

Contingent Acct 500.00

Municipal Council 700.00

Jury Fund and Criminal Prosecution 1000.00

Joliffe Salary and Jail Maintenance 1100.00

Court Crier 25.00

\$3,835.50

Signed, WM. COSSABOOM, Chairman,

D. C. outhouse, Secy.

REPORT OF ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE

We, your Committee on Roads and Bridges hereby recommend the following:—

That road sections Nos. 7 and 8 in polling district No. 22 (Weymouth) be divided into three sections:

Road section No. 7 starting at Chate's Brook, so called, and running to Charles McDermonds eastern line.

New section to be known as No. 14, to start at Charles McDermonds eastern line and running to Gates Bros. eastern line.

Road section No. 8 starting at Gates eastern line and running to White's Brook, so called, including road from Gates Bridge to Thomas Langfords corner, also old Yarmouth Road.

Signed, J. V. ANDERSON, chairman,

E. F. HANKINSON, secy.

REPORT OF ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE

We, your committee on assessment respectfully recommend the following uncollected rates be cancelled from the different rate rolls mentioned below, and be reported on the various matters submitted to us, as follows:—

1923. District Cancelled Recorded

Blympton No. 7 150.34 13.20

Weymouth No. 12 104.35

Rossway No. 15 42.10

Weymouth No. 8 61.33

Culloden No. 17 21.12

Freepoint No. 5 11.25

Westport No. 6 30.99 2.33

Tiverton No. 13 21.26

Brighton No. 2 41.12

Hillsburgh No. 1 56.77

Weymouth No. 8 17.60

Culloden No. 17 39.56

1921 Culloden No. 17 3.30

Signed, WM. COSSABOOM, chairman,

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Just Talks--On Common Themes

On "The Good Citizen"

A FEW days ago a woman with a very gentle voice called me on the telephone to ask a question. It was this: Is it true that the Mayor of Digby gets no salary?

The answer to this was "Yes." "But," persisted the lady, "how is it? I do not understand it. If he does all of the work that you say he does, what is back of it? Why should he work as he is said to do, unless he gets something for it? What is the reason? There must be some reason."

"I assume," was the answer, "that he does it because he has a rather fine notion of Service."

Curious as it may seem, there are yet a few examples of that old-fashioned type of men and women who feel a responsibility to deal justly by the city or the county or the nation without thought of pecuniary reward. The good citizen finds his reward in doing things for the public; doing them honestly and efficiently without reward. We see it more often in these days in a certain type of men, who head committees for community work, Chamber of Commerce activities; Salvation Army drives; Red Cross work; tree clinics; boys work and similar activities. And we have noticed that their severest critics are men and women who do nothing; give nothing; board everything; talk about business depressions and business demands; and business ethics; create a smoke screen about their own disagreeable attitude in everything that speaks for civic promotion or any development costing a dollar. They may die rich—but yet exceedingly poor after all, will they die.

Permit me to quote a passage or two from an eminent man and at the close tell you who is the author of the sentiments expressed in it. He says: "In the long run success or failure will be conditional upon the way in which the average man, the average woman, does his or her duty. First in the every-day affairs of life, and next in those great occasional crisis which call for heroic virtues."

"The average citizen must be a good citizen if our republics are to succeed. The stream will not rise permanently higher than the main source and the main source of national power and national greatness is found in the average citizenship of the nation. Therefore, it behooves us to do our best to see that the standard of the average citizen is kept high and the average citizen cannot be kept high unless the standard of the leader is very much higher."

"The man who does nothing cuts the same sordid figure in the pages of history whether he be cynic, pop, or voluptuary. There is little use for the being whose tepid soul knows nothing of the great and generous emotion, the high pride, the stern belief, the lofty enthusiasm of the men who quell the storm and who ride the thunder. Well for these men if they succeed; well also, though not so well, if they fail, given only that they have only nobly turned and have put forth all their heart and strength. It is war-worn Hotspur spent with hard fighting, he of the many errors and the valiant end, over whose memory we love to linger, not over the memory of the young lord who but for the vile guineas, would have been a soldier."

"In short the good citizen in a republic must realize that he ought to possess two sets of qualities and that neither avails without the other. He must have those qualities which make for efficiency and he must also have those qualities which direct the efficiency into channels for the public good."

"He is useless if he is inefficient. There is nothing to be done with a type of citizens of whom all that can be said is that he is harmless. Virtue which is dependent upon the sluggish circulation is not impressive. There is little place in active life for the timid good man. The man who is saved by weakness from robust wickedness is likewise rendered immune from robust virtue. The good citizen in a republic must first be able to hold his own. He is no good citizen unless he has the ability which will make him work and which at need will make him fight hard. The good citizen is not a good citizen unless he is an efficient citizen."

The author of these words, thus quoted, was Theodore Roosevelt.

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Westport No. 6 30.99 2.33

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Signed, WM. COSSABOOM, chairman,

D. C. outhouse, secy.

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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Nor in New York!

Mr. A. T. O'Leary, of A. T. O'Leary & Co., Colliery agent has received a letter from New York which says, in reference to Moir's Chocolates, "Nothing can be bought in this country to equal them."

And in almost identical language comes a letter direct to Moir's from Roxbury, Mass., saying: "Nothing to be had here like Moir's Chocolates."

The people of Nova Scotia deserve the credit for Moir's Chocolates. The high standard of their taste led to the high standard of the chocolates.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 25

Free Publicity

The Courier wish to give notice that, so far as is humanly possible, they are all through running free publicity for any person or organization.

The amount of stuff that is sent this office in the course of a year, or even a month, for free insertion, is simply appalling.

Individuals and organizations are assaulting the newspaper columns of this country for free publicity with an assiduity wonderful to behold.

Organizations in Upper Canada maintain palatial offices and well paid secretaries to grind out propaganda for free insertion in such newspapers as are foolish enough to print it. The rent is paid, the secretary is paid, the job printer is paid, the post office gets money for the stamps used, but the newspaper is expected to be unbusinesslike enough to print the stuff for nothing. We have used some of this stuff in the years that are gone; but never again.

Every few days we receive communications on Church Union. Some of them favor it; some oppose it. They are sent us for free insertion. Sometimes the letter is over a typewritten signature. We have been getting these for months and every last one of them has been promptly consigned to the waste basket. In the meantime our daily and weekly papers have been publishing paid display advertising from both sides. We are open to publish this matter as advertising, but not otherwise.

As we write this there are several requests for free publicity on our desk. One is a two-column letter on Church Union, clipped from the Montreal Star; another is a statement of rules for an essay contest, publication of which would require half a column of space.

Newspaper space costs money to produce. It is just as much an article of commerce as the goods on a merchant's shelves; and the newspaper cannot give it away any more than the merchant can give his goods away.

The Courier is familiar with the type of free publicity hunter who brings yards of stuff to the office for just one purpose; to increase the gate receipts. Possibly the event has some news value, after it is over. But the free publicity hunter will not write it up for the newspaper. He has got what he wanted; and he throws down the newspaper, which gave him its wares for nothing, like a sucked orange.

It is time these free publicity hunters received some straight from the shoulder talk.

A Big Issue In Education

The country today is facing a big issue in education. It is altogether vital to a country like ours, intimately related to every home, an issue on which much of the future of the Dominion depends. The issue is raised by a deliberate attempt to curtail education. It is breaking out not only in our col-

leges but in our high schools and academics.

It is born of an overwhelming demand for better education by the rising generation; and by a corresponding lack of facilities. These react to paralyze with fear the educational authorities, who have not the wherewithal to finance new structures, new equipment, or meet the situation with an expansion program such as is desperately needed.

It is not strange, therefore, that we hear a lot, these days, about curtailment; more selectivity; or exclusiveness. We are listening to many leaders who have caught this very contagious phobia.

It is high time for the people themselves, the fathers and mothers, to wake up to the trend and check this tendency. For it is they who can and will say that out of the tax money there shall come enough for adequate school privileges for all boys and girls up to 18 years of age—whether vocational or cultural, or professional in aptitude.

It is the people who pay the bills, and it is they who should speak up and say whether their money shall go for proper education for all—or for other purposes.

What the Small Town Can Do

When a little town in the United States with only 500 inhabitants decided that the best thing for both young folks and old was a Community House, they decided to build one—nothing daunted by the seemingly large task.

Today there stands in that town a Community House such as every town in Nova Scotia ought to have. It cost them \$9,500. There is an assembly hall, a stage, a dining room and kitchen and a small library room, all on the ground floor, the structure being very nearly T shaped.

The way the American folks worked out the problem was by co-operative effort. They put in \$3,000 worth of labor and materials gratis; and they raised \$5,500 in cash. All they had to borrow, therefore, was \$1,000. The town pays \$50 toward the upkeep of the library; the cost of lighting is paid by rentals of the hall, and receipts from entertainments; and the building is headquarters for all its social activities from dances and suppers to Red Cross sessions.

Why not a Community House for Digby?

Elect Next

The next war, if we are to believe one of the foremost military men in France today—if the nations ever permit such another world tragedy—will be a matter of electricity, gas, airplanes and tanks, not of infantry or artillery.

Civilians will have short shrift. Soldiers will have to be insulated as well as gas-masked. Someone may touch a button beyond the three mile limit and set a metropolis afire—by wireless.

Far-fetched! 'Tis the military strategists who are devising all these things today, for a fact. So the hellish prospect is no figment of mere imagination.

And yet the world rolls on, neglectful of oiling its bearings and greasing up its gears, suicidal in intent, mad with its own mechanisms.

So Big Business terms "peace plans" the side-show. They won't be even that, if ever the big show of another great war is staged.

SMITH'S COVE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Green on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 24, the President in the chair. The meeting opened by singing the new Institute song, "For Home and Country," after the regular routine of business, the

secretary read several letters, among which were letters of thanks and appreciation from "shut-ins" who had received tokens of Christmas cheer from the Institute. A letter from the Prov. Health Dept., Halifax was also read, setting forth the urgency of a country music and urging the Institute to use its influence in the matter. The question of assistance in payment of insurance premiums in Temperance Hall was brought before the meeting, resulting in the appropriation of six dollars for the purpose. It was that advisable to have community song on Tuesday evening, Jan. 15th. Mrs. Green inviting the "sing" to her home. After this Miss A. J. Jagger entertained the ladies for a half hour with a brief talk on insects and flowers, which, with the aid of her high-power microscope, was very interesting and instructive. At the close of the meeting, Mrs. Green, assisted by Mrs. Taylor, served dairy refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ralph Cossett, Feb. 13. Visitors always welcome. Com.

Rubs by Rambler

First it rained, and then it blew.
Then it hailed, and then it snow;
Next a little snow and rain.
Then it froze and blew again.

We are informed that it is easier to pass through the eye of a needle than to force smoke through the flue at the electric light plant.

It seems to me that the women of Digby are more keenly and intelligently interested in public affairs than the men. Women's sympathies, it must be admitted, are usually favorable to any scheme for the betterment of the community, and if their views and suggestions (which I frequently overhear) could be carried out, there would certainly be a healthy glow in the town. It is the duty of every woman entitled to vote at the coming elections to exercise her privilege. Any woman who neglects to do so has no moral right thereafter to make criticisms at pink teas or bridge parties. It is a case of do your part, or forever hold your peace.

This policy of watchful waiting in connection with the oil engine matter does not seem to get anywhere. They don't change records often enough on the civic granophone. Why not take off the slumber song, put in a fresh needle, and play, "Yes, we have an oil engine today?" Some of the audience might prefer "Backward, turn backward," but the tune lacks pep.

A CANDIDATE'S SOLILOQUY (With apologies to Hamlet)

To run, or not to run; that is the question; whether it is nobler as a citizen to suffer the slings and humblings of public criticism, or to take a back seat and look on. To loaf, to sleep, no worries; and by a sleep to say we end the headache and the thousand yearly shocks and jolts that councillors are heir to; 'tis a prospect devoutly to be wished. To loaf, to sleep, to perchance to dream, to dream of the chair, for in that sleep on inaction what dreams may come, when we have shuffled off this infernal existence, who knows? We would wear the robes of scorn of Rambler, the oppressor's dictation, the proud man's swank, the pang of despair, the glory or the loss, the red tide, the insolence of officials, and the spurs of supporters who egged us on to run. Who would grant and sweat in a stuffy council chamber, but that the deed of someone else marring up town affairs forces our hand, and makes us rather bear those ills we are sure to have than take a chance with some other candidate. Thus conscience does make martyrs of us all, and thus the native hue of what should be a worthy job is sicklied o'er with the pale green cast of a thankless one, and enterprises of great pith and moment are turned down and we lose sight of a noble world called action. Soft you now, the fair rumpseyer. Get someone else for the job.

Trinity Parish Annual Meeting

The 19th Annual meeting of the parishioners was held on Monday last, the day appointed by the Church Act of Nova Scotia. The Rector presided and there was a fair attendance. The financial report of the retiring Churchwardens, duly audited, and the accounts of the Rector, were read and adopted. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Messrs. Swaby and Lynch, the retiring church wardens. The Rector's report showed 280 services and 204 sermons and addresses during the year. The accounts of budget payments (missions, etc.) showed a surplus of \$100.00. A cordial vote of thanks was presented to the various societies for their good work during the past year. The appointments of Messrs. J. W. and S. E. Woodman as church wardens, and G. L. Marshall as secretary of St. Paul's, Marshtown, were duly confirmed by the meeting. The following elections were made:—Church wardens, A. L. M. Swaby and Vestry, Jas. Caswell, A. D. Daley, E. DuVernet, M. D., P. C. R. Harris, H. E. Jones, T. E. G. Lynch, J. W. Merkel and C. E. E. Harris.

Synod representatives, A. L. M. Swaby and T. E. G. Lynch. Substitute, Dr. DuVernet and P. C. R. Harris.

Auditors, P. C. R. Harris and Dr. DuVernet. Cemetery Committee, Rector and wardens, Messrs. Lynch, Daley and Jones, Mrs. Shreve and Mrs. Caswell. At the close of the meeting, a short meeting of the new Vestry was held, when Mr. Harris was elected Vestry clerk.

Weddings

AMERO-GAUDETTE
On Jan. 16th, at 8:30 o'clock, in the church of St. Croix, Plympton, took place the marriage of James Hugh Amero, of Hill Grove, and Miss Margaret J. Gaudette, of Swanville, Mass. A few friends attended the Nuptial Mass. The bride was prettily gowned in white beads and over lace and wore a crown veil with orange blossom wreath. Miss Susie Amero, sister of the groom was bridesmaid and looked charming in blue

silk with hat to match. Enos Amero, of Doucetteville, acted as best man. After the ceremony the party drove to John Amero's, father of the groom. Supper was served to a few relatives and intimate friends and a reception and dance was held in the evening at which about 93 guests were present. Out of town guests included Mrs. Charles Burton and Mrs. James Driscoll, both of West St. John. The bride received numerous gifts from her many friends, both in the U. S., and at home the gifts including cut glass, silver china, linens and many other useful articles.

Treat Sore Throat With Vicks

Follow The Example Of This Nova Scotia Lady

Mrs. F. S. Myra, of Bridgewater, Nova Scotia, writes: "I am delighted to let you know of the good Vicks VapoRub has done me. A few weeks ago I had a very bad sore throat. I happened to have a sample of Vicks in the house, so I used it, and it did my throat so much good that I bought a bottle from my druggist. I cannot praise Vicks VapoRub too highly."

Treat one cold with Vicks VapoRub and you will adopt this external treatment for all the cold troubles of the family. Vicks is a salve that acts like a plaster and a vapor lamp at the same time. It is absorbed and inhaled. When the children come in wet and sniffling, apply Vicks liberally over throat and chest and cover with a warm flannel cloth.

Treated at bedtime, the child is usually better next morning and all the bad after-effects of internal dosing are avoided. Croup attacks are kept away too. At all drug stores, 50c a jar. For a free test size package, write Vicks Chemical Co., 344 St. Paul St., W. Montreal, P. Q.

Though Vicks is new in Canada it has a remarkable sale in the States. Over 17 million jars used yearly.

HEALING SOOTHING ANTISEPTIC
For Glands & Skin Troubles
Lam-Buk

A good programme of novelty stunts and contests has been arranged for the Pie social at the Baptist church Tues. evening next. All come! 25 cents.

Bijou Dream

Grand Carnival Victoria Rink

TO-NIGHT

January 25th

Three Cash Prizes

Only those in costume allowed on the ice (fill after the prizes are given)
One hour skating after
Children and those in costume, 25 cents
Adults not in costume 30 cents

Saturday, January 26

A very fine picture

The Dangerous Age

And great comedy 'Over the Fence'
20 and 30c

Tuesday, January 20

Another fine picture of the South Sea Islands
Lost and Found
Cartoon and Comedy. 20 and 30c

Thursday, January 31

Big Fox Special

Hells Hole

And great comedy 'Roaring Lions'
25 and 35c.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

In Scribbles, Exercise and Note Books we carry only the best. Also Inks, Pens, Pencils, Rulers, Examination and Letter Tablets, Envelopes, Bridge Tally and Score Cards. Look our stock over and we shall be pleased to serve you.

The VARIETY STORE

per S. S. AYMAR, Mgr.

Wm. Shaw

General Mason

Raymond's Corner, Digby

20-41 P. O. Box 39

Underwear

Men's Ribbed heavy weight, all sizes, to clear at 98c a garment
Another line 100 p. c. pure wool, red label, all sizes, to clear at \$1.35 a garment

Hosiery

Ladies Cashmere, Sage, Boyats, Fawns. A few left to sell at 55c a pair
Pure Wool English Hosiery, Grey, Fawn, Black, going at 75c a pair
Ladies Bloomers in Fawn, Grey, White, clearing at 75c a pair

Lettney-Wright Store

DIGBY, NOVA SCOTIA

We teach your dollars to have more cents.

Haven't Coughed Yet?

Well, here's hoping you don't, but Winter is now on us, and an investment of 35c in a bottle of Jones' Compound Syrup of Tar, Eucalyptol and Honey will enable you to deal promptly with the first symptoms of Bronchial irritation.

H. E. JONES, Prescription Druggist

The Kodak Dealer

Phone 21

Digby, N. S.

Cream

Wanted

Ship Your Cream to

McKenzie's Creamery at Middleton, N. S.

Satisfaction guaranteed. Pay twice a month.

Price paid patrons for the last half of December cream was 45c per pound butterfat.

7 lbs. Write for particulars.

No! We Have Not Closed Up For the Winter

But had we listened to the advice of some we would have closed. Do you know what keeps the stores open all the year round? Home Town Buyers! When there are not enough of those the stores close up. Have you any idea what it would mean to you personally and financially, whether you live in Digby or in the country around it, if all the stores closed up? Some night when you can't get to sleep try to figure it out for yourself.

And in the meantime if you need—

A pair of Larrigans—we have a few left at \$3.50 per pair.
A pair of Snow Shoes—we have them.
Sleds or Toboggans—we have them.
Stationery and School Supplies—Our stock is very complete at a good range of prices.
Good books by popular authors—95c each and bound in cloth.

Boys and Girls Books—We can start you at 5c each and go up.

And then there's Paint and China and Pocket Knives, Stainless Steel Cutlery, Bridge Tally Cards and Pencils and—Oh, Well! If you need anything come and see us anyhow. It's like we have it.

And as for Shoe Repairs—if you can't bring them, send them by mail. We will return them and take the postage off the cost of the job.

Connell's Cash Store

Special Clearance Sale

We have a few Men's and Boys' Overcoats left, and any of which will be sold at a discount of ONE THIRD off the regular price.

Men's and Boys' Mackinaws at Big Reductions.
STANFIELD'S BLUE LABEL UNDERWEAR only \$2.25 per garment. Other makes of Rib Underwear from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per garment.

Balance stock of Ladies and Childrens WINTER COATS now going at a discount of ONE THIRD off the regular price.

A few Ladies Serge Dresses at \$5.00 and \$10.00. Very great bargains.

SEE OUR BARGAIN COUNTER.

Sweaters, Ladies Skirts, Children's Dresses, House Dresses, Waists and many other lines.

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The best flour milled in Canada today. It makes bread lighter and whiter than most flours. Every barrel and bag guaranteed. Your money refunded if flour does not prove entirely satisfactory.

Corn Meal, Oats, Cracked Corn, Middlings, Bran, Oil Cake Meal, all at lowest cash prices.

A. R. Turnbull

Phone 16.

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The Economy Store Dunham Building

Have just taken the agency for Fry's Bread of Halifax, which is counted one of the best, if not the best made in Nova Scotia.

White, Brown and Raisin Bread, Buns with or without Raisins.

We also sell their Famous Ray-Sun Bread made only by them.

Give us a trial order please.

ROSS & C. SMALLIE

Cash and Carry

Phone 117

Mathieu's SYRUP OF TAR & COD LIVER EXTRACT STOPS COUGHS

Sold in numerous bottles by all druggists.
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Johnson's Liniment
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taken internally soon works a wonderful change. For more than 100 years the internal use of this doctor's prescription has quickly mastered Croupy Colds, Bronchial Coughs, Sore Throat, Croup, Cramps, etc., while for external use on Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Sprains, Strains, etc., it has no superior. For more than a century it has been praised and respected by the general public and the medical profession as well. Sold and commended by good dealers everywhere. 25 and 60c.

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Your choice of 2 breeds. This fine premium is given free to all who enrol as students at the

Coldbelt Poultry Course
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BURNS 94% AIR
Beats Electric or Gas
A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light, even better than gas or electricity, but without the cost of either. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no pumping, no simple, clean, safe. Burns 94 per cent. air and 6 per cent. common kerosene (coal oil).
The inventor, J. M. Johnson, 246 Craig St. W., Montreal, is offering to send a lamp on 10 days' FREE trial, even to give one FREE to the first user in each locality who will help him introduce it. Write him to-day for full particulars. Also ask him to explain how you can get the agency, and without experience or money make \$250 to \$500 per month.

How to Prevent Biliousness
Doctors warn against remedies containing powerful drugs and alcohol. "The Extract of Root, long known as 'Mother Syrup,' has no powerful ingredients; it chases away indigestion, biliousness and constipation. Can be had at any drug store." Get the genuine. 5c and 25c Bottles.

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Annual Reports of the V.O.N.

TREASURER'S REPORT

MR. CHAIRMAN, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

The third annual report of the financial affairs of the Victorian Order of Nurses in Digby is presented with much satisfaction by your Treasurer.

Since the inception of this Society in our town, perhaps this important side of the good work has not been the least interesting.

It has been a surprise to many, and a wonder to not a few, that such a creditable sum of money could be obtained without greater effort during what might be called seasons of unprosperous depression.

This, however, only helps to demonstrate the fact that such a beneficial society as the Victorian Order cannot but receive the support and approbation of any community which has once experienced its value.

The sincerity of the real V. O. Nurse is unquestionable; honesty of purpose being above all the aim of the Order's consistent members. Part of their regard at least is achieved by the following record of figures.

The method of raising funds last year was as formerly:

A town canvass for membership, 7 patty sales, 9 afternoon teas, 2 rummage sales, 1 benefit bridge party have been held. These receipts were augmented by cash donations and a civic grant of \$200.00.

Acting on the instructions of the Field House of the Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., Miss Johnson, and after consultation with Mrs. Hannington and Miss Boswell, applications were made to the Metropolitan Life Ins. Co. for an increase of their fee for nursing service. This was readily granted as, as we were being done in many places where the Victorian Order did not work. The increase from 60c to 75c has materially assisted our funds.

It is gratifying to see our understanding recognized by the summer residents who take such a warm interest in Digby's welfare. This branch has to thank Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Layton, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. McDonald, "three little girls" Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Power, Mr. Sedford, Mrs. Kane, Mrs. Chipman, Miss Doolittle, Mrs. Jenner, two anonymous friends, and C. E. Walker, all for special donations.

Following is the account of all monies received and expended during 1923.

By grant from town of Digby \$200.00
By membership fees 126.00
By collections from nursing fees 506.10
By afternoon teas, sales and donations 910.35
By interest on Victory Bond 27.50
By interest on saving accounts, B. N. S. 14.67

Total for year \$1797.30
Jan. 1st, balance brought forward 727.76

Dec. 31st. Gross receipts \$2575.06

EXPENSES
To salary accounts \$1490.15
To telephone accounts 37.40
To drug supplies 10.50
To school requirements 17.84
To stationery and postage acc. 10.50
To taxi, Jan. and Oct. 6.00
To general expenses 492.70

To investment fund 492.70
Total \$2144.92
Dec. 31st. Balance on hand \$430.14

ASSETS.
One 1934 Daimler of Can. Victory Bond 1-2 per cent. \$500.00
One 1915 Daimler of Can. Gov't Bond 5 per cent. 500.00

Total assets \$1000.00

Some people may remark the V. O. N. has too much money; but please bear in mind this society is working for an investment fund for a person who is to be on duty during the day. This told on her health, so that she never wholly recovered from the effects of her accident and in October was obliged to seek a change of climate. Miss Purcell took over work in April and May and successfully carried on while Mrs. Hart was incapacitated.

In October we welcomed Miss Lester, our second Nurse, who is very arduous

and faithful in her work. While there has not been as much sickness as usual for bedside nursing, more time has been devoted to Social Service and Public Health work in which Miss Lester has shown her proficiency. To the poor and sick she has brought much comfort.

Last year the Public School work was new feature in our year. By the Victorian Order Nurse here. How well that work has been done will to some extent be shown in Miss Lester's report. I might cite an instance. Mrs. Hart in her examination of a boy in the school suspected his having tuberculosis. Her suspicions were confirmed by a physician—he was removed from the school and sent away to where he could have proper care; thus removing a menace to other children in the school. While it is difficult to get many adult people to change to more hygienic ways, our hope lies in educating the children so that the coming generation may be healthier.

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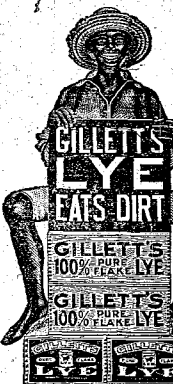
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representative men in this town were forwarded, and letters written to our County member asking for their support. Digby was ably represented on that Committee by Mrs. Lynch, who when said Committee came before the Premier and members of the Legislature spoke on "How the Order was Financed." The Committee stated the Order desired co-operation with other Public Health Activities to prevent overlapping, and also that Ontario, Manitoba and British Columbia were receiving grants from their Provincial Governments. No material has been as yet obtained, but the wedge has been entered and we all know Government work slowly. So if the Victorian Order keeps hammering at the wedge, results will come in due time. This branch is well financed, but there are many towns in Nova Scotia which need a V. O. Nurse and have not the possibilities of raising that Digby has.

In the signing of our esteemed and efficient Dominion Superintendent, Mrs. Hannington, we are sustaining a great loss. The Victorian Order of Nurses in Canada has lost a person who is to be on duty during the day. This told on her health, so that she never wholly recovered from the effects of her accident and in October was obliged to seek a change of climate. Miss Purcell took over work in April and May and successfully carried on while Mrs. Hart was incapacitated.

In October we welcomed Miss Lester, our second Nurse, who is very arduous

and faithful in her work. While there has not been as much sickness as usual for bedside nursing, more time has been devoted to Social Service and Public Health work in which Miss Lester has shown her proficiency. To the poor and sick she has brought much comfort.

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Mothercraft classes have been started. Mrs. Hart had the work all planned and expected to begin the classes in September, but had to leave this work to her successor. A life-sized baby doll has been procured and Miss Lester taught her class to make a layette and will proceed to give lessons on the proper care of the baby. On the completion of the course, certificates will be presented to each successful member, who measures up to the requirements.

We gratefully thank Mr. Walker for the use of the Theatre, Mrs. Abbott, P. Robinson, Mrs. Eber Turnbull, Mrs. S. A. Letterson, Miss Grace Fountain, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Dexter, Rev. Mr. Driffield for the use of the Parish Hall, and the Management of the Golf Club for places in which to hold our teas and sales, to the Digby Weekly Courier for publishing our notices, to town's people and visitors who donated cash and furnishings for our kitchenette and equipment, and to all those who have assisted in any way in the work of the Victorian Order in Digby. On behalf of Board of Management we would thank our retiring President, who although not being able to attend as many meetings as he would have liked, has been from the inception of the Victorian Order in Digby, given his wholehearted support to the work. To the various members of the Committee who have worked faithfully and arduously in collecting membership fees, and holding teas and sales, we also tender our thanks.

May the good work go on increasing in 1924 as it has in the past two years.

Respectfully submitted,
JESSIE S. TURNBULL,
Secretary.

THE NURSE'S REPORT
Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen:

I beg to present the annual report of the Digby branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses for the year 1923.

Total number of cases nursed during the year of 1923 is 215; of these 104 were Medical, 38 Surgical, 11 Obstetrical, 19 Infant or obstetrical cases, 3 other infants, and 6 Prenatal.

14 operations and 18 confinements were attended.

Number of nursing visits paid were 829

Number of nursing visits to infants 11

Number of nursing visits to prenatal 11

Number of nursing visits to infant and child welfare 46

Number of social service visits 75

Number of school inspection visits 16

Number of home visits in connection with school 8

Number of instructive visits 178

Number of telephone consultations 124

Number of collection visits 14

Total 1259

Fees received from patients \$275.10

Metropolitan insurance fees 231.00

Total \$506.10

The committee have asked me to give an account of the social service visits, which it would be interesting for you to know what we are doing along that part of our work.

As some of the visits recorded were made by the previous nurse, I will only be able to give you an account of my work in the last three months. You will see from my report that 45 visits were made; of these 24 were made by myself.

On making an infant welfare visit, I discovered that the family was in need of help. I immediately paid them a visit and found the mother of the house sick in bed and not able to get up or feed the house. Through the Town Clerk we were able to supply them with wood and coal. Through our resources we provided food for them. At present they are fairly comfortable. They are an old couple and will be in need of assistance continually.

On making a visit to another family, I found the kitchen in a very unsanitary condition as regards the floor which was covered with old pieces of dirty carpet and pieces of bag. Through a few suggestions the carpets and bags were burnt and a new floor was laid.

Many of my other calls have been in the nature of making suggestions regarding the cooking of food for infants and adults also regarding sanitary conditions in the home. Some of these suggestions have been carried out, others we hope will be carried out in the future. I feel that these calls have not been made in vain, as we all know it is impossible to bring about radical changes all at once.

Respectfully submitted,
DELL LESTER,
V. O. N.

SUPPLY COMMITTEE'S REPORT
Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen:

Your supply comm. beg to submit the following report.

Donated to the Club House Kitchen (furnishings), 12 cups and saucers, 4 towels, 1 pail, 1 teapot, 1 dipper.

To the Mothercraft class, Bath-tub, scales, talcum powder, boracic acid, wash cloth, 2 Daisette blankets, 7 napkins.

Assistance has been given to one patient in the way of padding, fruit, cups, eggs, etc.

Respectfully submitted,
ADA CARY,
Con. of Supply Comm.

Central Grove

Rev. J. H. Copeland, Pastor of the Weymouth North Baptist Church, will conduct services in the Tiverton and Central Grove churches during the months of Jan. and Feb.

Mrs. George Hersey and son Clarence of Mink Cove is spending a few weeks with her daughter Mrs. Eldred Guier.

Mrs. Mary Delarry spent last week with her daughter Mrs. Edgar King at Freeport.

Mrs. Savory of Bear River is visiting her daughter Mrs. Wm. Shaw.

Mrs. J. H. Gidney of Mink Cove spent last week with her sister Mrs. E. B. Tibert.

Mr. Bernard Bouchie of Freeport was the week-end guest of his friend Miss Elnor Tibert.

Weymouth

Elmwood Cemetery of Metephan Station was in flower on Tuesday.

Rev. Father Donnelly of Pictou was the guest of Rev. Father Tibbault at St.



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REGAL FLOUR

Joseph's Globe on Wednesday returning home Thursday.

Hilarton O'Neill of St. John who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Neill, Concession, has returned to St. John.

Dave Thomas of Bridgetown and Arthur Sallie of Smith's Cove were registered at the Goodwin on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wallace J. Melanson was taken to Yarmouth, Tuesday last week, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. Her husband, who accompanied her returned home Friday.

E. J. Hankinson, Coun. returned on Friday morning's train from Halifax, where he had gone with Mr. Thomas, keeper of the Poor House, to bring back four patients from the Nova Scotia Hospital, whose condition warranted their return to the Alma House.

George Sabean who came home to attend the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. Eben Sabean, has returned to Lynn, Mass.

Miss Frances Brooks left Saturday for Digby for a few weeks visit to friends.

A. M.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

METHODIST CHURCH.
Rev. C. M. Mack, B. D., Pastor.
Preaching at Bear River every Sabbath
at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Sabbath School at 11.45 a. m.
Prayer Service Wednesday at 7.30 p. m.
C. G. I. T. Friday at 7.30 p. m.
Sabbath afternoon services as follows:
1st Sabbath, Kerr's Corner, 2nd, Lanna-
downe, 3rd, Bear River East, 4th, Cleve-
land, 5th, Pinecreek.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. R. S. Gange, Pastor.
Sunday morning, 10.30; Preaching by
the Pastor.
Sunday School, 11.30 a. m.
Evening 7.30, Preaching by the Pastor.
Wednesday evening 7.30. Prayer meet-
ing Friday evening, 7.30, B. Y. P. U.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.
Father Somers will hold service in the
hazel on the first Sunday in each month.

ADVENT CHURCH
Sunday services 10.30, 3.00 and 7.30;
Sunday School at 11.30; Prayer Meeting
Friday at 7.30; Philip J. Cleveland,
minister.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

December 16th, 10.30 a. m.
December 23rd, 3 p. m.
Christmas Day 10.30 a. m.
December 30th, 10.30 a. m.
January 6th, 3 p. m.
January 13th, 3 p. m.
January 20th, 10.30 a. m.
January 27th, 3 p. m.
February 3rd, 7.30 p. m.
February 10th, 10.30 a. m.
February 17th, 7.30 p. m.
February 24th, 3 p. m.
March 2nd, 10.30 a. m.
Ash Wednesday 3 p. m.

Notice of Sailing

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Mink Cove, Sandy Cove, Weymouth.
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B. P. Collins,
Secretary

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ment in every detail, in moderate
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At your service day or night.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Silas Wyde who has been seriously
ill is now on the road to recovery and
wishes to express heart-felt thanks to the
Women's Institute and friends in Cleve-
land and Bear River East for many
gifts and acts of kindness during her ill-
ness.

The Greenhorn bridge club met on
Saturday evening with Mrs. A. Campbell.
The members of the Women's Institute
met on Wednesday afternoon at the home
of Mrs. Fred Harris and made garments for
a needy family.

Mrs. A. B. Campbell entertained a
number of her friends at tea one afternoon
last week.

C. Wilson Jefferson who has bought
the Harry Harris farm has made exten-
sive repairs on the house. He and his
family will in the future reside there.

Miss Catherine Desborough of St. John
arrived Saturday to visit Mrs. Alfred
Potter.

Mrs. T. W. Rice of Deep Brook, is
spending the winter months with Mrs.
Cordelia Rice.

Kreman Morris returned this week
from Halifax.

The bridge club was entertained last
week by Mrs. L. V. Harris.

St. John's Guild was entertained this
week by Mrs. Reginald Gooddy.

The Methodist Aid was entertained
this week by Miss Florence Vroom.

Special Union Services by the Method-
ist, Baptist and Advent churches are
being held every night with very good
attendance.

A number of members of St. John's
Episcopal church are rehearsing for a
play to take place before Lent. Proceeds
to go towards paying for the new furnace
in the church.

The wolf cubs were organized last
Thursday evening under the direction
of L. V. Harris and will meet Friday
evenings at 7 o'clock in Oakdene hall.

Public Installation Friendship Lodge

On Thursday evening Jan. 17th,
Friendship Lodge I. O. O. F. held a pub-
lic installation of officers. District Deputy
Grand Master Wm. Ramsay was the
presiding officer, who received many con-
gratulations on the manner in which the
work was done. He was assisted by Past
Grand L. J. Lovett, J. Garrahan, Thel-
ma Rice, Herman Harris, H. C. Trimmer, W.
Marshall and O. A. Risner. Past Grand
J. O. Harris presided at the piano. After
the officers were installed the Noble
Grand called on several for speeches, after
which refreshments were served. A
large number of guests were present.
Many expressed their appreciation of the
pleasant time enjoyed.

The list of officers follows:
A. B. Marshall, N. G.
Minard Chute, V. G.
P. A. Chalmers, P. G. R. S.
R. A. Harris, E. G. F. S.
L. V. Harris, P. G. Treas.
Howard Smith, Warden.
George A. W. L. S. N. G.
S. B. Beeler, Chap.
Jesse Harris, P. G. R. S. N. G.
Harland Trimmer, P. G. L. S. N. G.
Burton Harris, R. S. S.
Wm. Morgan, L. S. S.
Clarence Gooddy, J. G.
Gerrard Harris, G. S. S.
George Chute, R. S. V. G.
Wm. Harris, L. S. V. G.

Elta Rebekah Lodge

Emily E. Chalmers, N. G.
Lillian Harris, V. G.
Hazel DeForest, R. G.
Lina Harris, P. S.
Jennie Chute, Treas.
Hattie Rice, R. S. N. G.
Thelma Yorkie, L. S. V. G.
Jennie Dune, R. S. V. G.
M. J. Flemming, L. S. V. G.
Maudie Cope, d. Warden.
Emma Trimmer, Conductor.
Eva Rice, Chaplain.
Nina Campbell, Inside Guardian.
Esther Benson, Outside Guardian.

Annual Meeting Of St. Clement's Parish

The Parish meeting met on Wednesday,
Jan. 24th, at Deep Brook. Good repre-
sentation of members were present. Rev.
A. W. L. Smith was in the chair, and the
meeting opened with prayer and hymns.
Excellent reports were read from the dif-
ferent churches, also reports from the
various Guilds of the parish, which did
good work throughout the year. A litany
deed was given by the Guild, to the church,
at Deep Brook, and a new furnace install-
ed at Bear River. All officers were re-
elected. Wardens, W. G. Smith and J.
Farquhar; Chapel Wardens, R. W. Caffrey,
Clementson; W. H. Spurr, Deep
Brook; Mrs. Geo. Harris, Bear River; and
F. W. Darras, Victory. Delegates to
Synod were—W. G. Smith and F. J. P.
Caffrey. Sub-committee of Mrs. Geo. Harris,
V. Dimeas, Geo. Dimeas, Vestry Clerk.
Heartfelt words of thanks are extended to
the three Guilds for their excellent work,
to the Lay Readers, W. G. Smith and L.
V. Harris, and to St. Ann's Chapel,
Smith's Cove, for forty dollars (\$40.00)
for mission.

The Parish is entering on 1924 with
every prospect for a good year.

SPECIAL INSTITUTE MEETING

Miss Helen MacDougall, Superintendent
of Women's Institute of Nova Scotia, will
be present at the February meeting
to be held Wednesday afternoon, Febru-
ary 6th, and desires to meet all the mem-
bers. A large attendance is requested
not only of members, but of the town
women generally.

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MASS MEETING

A Mass Meeting of the churches was
held on in the auditorium of the
Methodist church, when the
choirs and congregations of the Method-
ist, Advent and Baptist churches combin-
ed. The speaker of the evening was
R. S. Gregg, of the Baptist church, who
delivered a special address, after which
the meeting was continued under the
leadership of Rev. C. M. Mack. A second
community service will be held on Sunday
evening next in the Baptist church.

BIRTHS

HARRIS—At Bear River, on Wednesday, Jan. 16,
to Mr. and Mrs. Murray Harris, a son.
McCORMACK—At Tiverton, on Wednesday,
Jan. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. McCormack, a son.
VROOM—At Deep Brook, Jan. 21, to Mr. and
Mrs. Robert Vroom, a son.

Plympton

The regular monthly meeting of
the Woman's Institute met last
Wednesday evening at the home of
Mrs. Jos. H. Melanson, matters of
importance were discussed and acted
upon. The next meeting will be
held at Mrs. Adelbert Treffrey's,
Feb. 13th.

Mrs. John Smith arrived last
Saturday to spend a few days with
Mr. and Mrs. Smith returning to
Karsdale on Wednesday accompan-
ied by her husband.

Mrs. Agnes Teabo who spent
the Christmas holidays with her
daughter Mrs. Martin Melanson
returned to Salem Mass. last Fri-
day.

Mrs. Crosscup who spent the
holidays at her home returned last
Saturday and reopened her school
on Monday.

There passed peacefully away
last Thursday the 10th at the home
of his son Martin after a lingering
illness of several months, John M.
Melanson at the advanced age of
85 years, three sons and two daugh-
ters survive, all of whom are resi-
dents of the U. S. A., excepting the
son with whom he lived. Burial
took place on Monday at St. Croix
Cemetery.

Fort Point

Hallett Seabean is recovering
slowly from his recent illness of
pneumonia.

Mr. George Seabean was a pas-
senger from Boston Tuesday 8th,
to spend a few days with his par-
ents.

Frank Alcorn has returned home
after attending the funeral services
of his sister Mrs. E. Seabean.

Archie Brooks has returned to
Boston after spending the Xmas
holidays with his family.

Harry Manzes of Ipswich Mass.
has been visiting his aunt Mrs.
Bickford Brooks a few days, and
proceeding to Campbell's car, to
visit and aunt Mrs. Bradford
King, before returning to Boston.

Dennis Theriault has been spend-
ing a few days with his sister Mrs.
George Dion.

Miss Zelma Thurber returned to
school at Plymouth Var. Co. Jan.
5th.

Culloden

Mr. and Mrs. Hart Hayden and
little nephew of Bay View were the
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace
Handspiker on Sunday.

The Ladies of the Baptist Sew-
ing Circle met at the home of Mrs.
Henrietta Handspiker last Thurs-
day afternoon.

Mr. J. Trohon of Digby spent a
few days last week in this place
gunning, while here he was the
guest at Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred
Murphy.

Rendon Stark, Charles VanTas-
sel and Wallace Handspiker have
gone into the woods to cut timber
for Mr. Banks.

Tiverton

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cann left
Thursday for their future home in
Hebron N. S.

Mrs. Lloyd Blackford and little
daughter Louise are spending a few
days at the Blackford House.

Rev. J. H. Copeland of Wey-
mouth arrived here Jan. 12th. He
is to be with us for the next two
months, officiating the Baptist
Church, we extend a hearty wel-
come and wish him every success.

Miss Luella Blackford left here
Dec. 24th for Armond Beach, Flo.
where she will spend the winter in
company with her aunt Mrs. L. B.
Pettigill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols and
two children of St. John are visiting
her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joel
Blackford.

Miss Helen Blackford, R. N.,
returned to St. John last week after
a three weeks vacation spent with
her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Outhouse
entertained at four tables of whist
on Jan. 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blackford
entertained at a progressive Whist
party recently. The fortunate
prize winners were Mrs. Roy Small,
Mrs. D. C. Outhouse, Laureston
Small and Heber Outhouse.

Barton and Brighton

H. W. B. Warner, our local mer-
chant has been confined to his home
for sometime by illness.

Mrs. George Smith and Miss
Thelma Worthlylake sailed for Bos-
ton last week.

George R. McNeil Proprietor of
the "Boston House" is quite ill.
Mrs. Frank McClellan has re-
turned from the V. G. Hospital,
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Why Do the Boys Leave Digby County

"Needless Lack of Industry" And For No Other Reason, Declares Subscriber

To the People of Digby County:

Hundreds of folks have advanced as many reasons "Why the Boys leave Digby County" and hundreds of these at home still insist that there is no need of their leaving. Fact remains they do, and the problem of keeping them at home remains unsolved, chiefly because those who could apply the remedy avoid the issue. They are apparently not interested. In this letter I will establish the "reason" and in my next I will offer the "remedy" and both based on my experience and observation.

The essentials of right living and health, happiness and prosperity, and wherever you find these essentials there you will find Digby County boys content to live. Now to create this condition in Digby County the boys must "first" have congenial employment, "second" opportunity for education, and, "third" healthful recreation.

Boys are by nature creators. They like to make things with their hands. They like to "get along," they want opportunity to "do things" for themselves, and some like to do for others. The latter are usually the more successful for in this nineteenth century we only profit as we serve our fellow man. So they are obliged to leave Digby County as the "first" essential to right living is not to be found there.

Frankly and truly the boys leave Digby County because of the "needless lack of industry" and for no other reason. I say "needless" because nowhere in Canada or the United States have I found the same money making possibilities as are buried in the undeveloped natural resources of Digby County.

I have never met the Editor of the Digby Courier but I know he is a man with "vision" and without vision the people perish in Digby County or anywhere else. He is the right man in the right place if the boys are to remain in Digby County. Now find a natural genius for industrial organization and give him the support of The Courier and those taxpayers of Digby County who will say "it can be done." This combination following the plan which I will suggest in my next letter can not only keep the boys in Digby County but can turn the tide of humanity from Boston and St. John to Digby County in search of more "congenial employment" opportunity for "education" and "more healthful recreation." This has been done.

GEO. W. MacNEILL,
Chicago, Ill.

Oh, Girls! Paint and Powder Cause Cancer Says American Doctor

Use of powder and paint by women to conceal facial blemishes, instead of medical treatment, is largely responsible for the growth of cancer among women, according to Dr. Joseph Colt Bloodgood, associate professor of surgery at John Hopkins University.

By covering up skin defects women often hide blemishes that later, thru lack of proper treatment, develop into cancerous growths, Dr. Bloodgood told the Woman's Welfare Association at the National Museum in New York this week.

Corberrie

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Saulnier of Meteghan, are spending the winter with their relatives here.

Basile Robichaud after spending a few days with friends in Concession proceeded by train to Weymouth on Tuesday to attend the wedding of his nephew, Gerald Saulnier.

John H. Blinn and Siffroid Comeau, of Saulnierville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blinn, Wednesday and Thursday.

Louis Stehelin, of Weymouth, motored here on Friday morning and spent the day at his lumber camp at McQuinn's Lake.

Courier Complimented On Neat Appearance Of Town Book

Several bouquets were given The Courier on Monday evening last at the regular meeting of the Town Council on the appearance of the Annual Report this year. His Worship claimed it was the best report in years. Other Councilors remarked that it was the first time in years that the report had been in the hands of the ratepayers before nomination day.

The Courier is now in a position to do all kinds of printing at very short notice. We have secured the services of an expert printer and can compete with any firm in Nova Scotia, both in quality and price. No matter what you have to do in the printing line, submit it to this office or telephone and we will receive your prompt attention. We are prepared to serve you to the best of our ability and nothing but the best in stock and ink will be used. Phone us and our representative will call. No delays will take place as in former years.

CELEBRATES GOLDEN WEDDING

(Morganville Correspondent)

Surrounded by upwards of 40 relatives and friends of New Year's eve, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith observed their golden wedding anniversary, both enjoying the best of health. They were the recipients of \$13.50 in gold and owing to the unfavorable weather many regretted being unable to be present but then many friends and near sent congratulations, showing the esteem in which the couple are held.

They were married here by the Rev. G. D. Cox, pastor of the Baptist Church at Bear River. Mrs. Smith, before her marriage was Miss Mary Sophia Morgan, daughter of the late H. J. Morgan. Mr. Smith was born in Dartmouth but has resided here since 1867.

They had ten children, nine of whom are living and were present in a happy reunion. The daughters are Mrs. Thatcher Hilton and Miss Adeline, both of Melrose, Mass. Mrs. Estella Hilton, Mrs. J. Maude Smith, Mrs. Thomas Lumb and Mrs. Norwood Miller, all of Malden, Mass., and three sons, Gordon, of Ipswich, Harold, of Malden and Murray, at home. They have twelve grand children.

The house was prettily decorated with poinsettias and Christmas greens and at a late hour refreshments were served. Games were enjoyed by all and the guests departed just in time to usher in the New Year, wishing the couple many more years of happiness.

Among the guests were Mrs. Joseph Snell, bridesmaid of Mrs. Smith. Edgar Morgan, best man was unable to be present.

A. L. M. Swabey Re-elected Vendor

At the regular meeting of the Town Council on Monday evening, A. L. M. Swabey, who has been vendor for the Town since November, 1922, was re-elected to the position for another term by the unanimous vote of the Town Council. Mr. Swabey was complimented on the able and efficient manner in which he has looked after the office since his appointment. In view of this his salary was increased from \$300 to \$500 per year.

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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Evidence from the U.S.A.

Mrs. S.D. Murray of Pickton Landing sent a box of Moir's Chocolates to her son and his family in Worcester, Mass., last Christmas because "they can't get any chocolates like Moir's up there."

Karsdale

Miss Rosena Calnek, of Granville Centre, visited her cousin, Miss Muriel Solaker last week. Raymond Thorpe, of Boston, Mass., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Thorpe.

Willie Chisholm who has been in the Barnum surveying party in Dalhousie East, is spending a week here.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. Dora Hudson entertained a number of young folks at a surprise birthday party for her son Howard.

The ladies of the Church of England held a clam supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Chisholm. Despite the inclemency of the weather a large crowd gathered and nearly fifty dollars were realized.

George T. Chisholm was the week-end guest of his little friend Alex Dargie Jr., of Round Hill.

Glendon Dargie spent Sunday at his home in Round Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Chisholm Thursday with their son Ralph, of Granville Ferry.

Mrs. Charles Karns, of Granville Centre, recently visited friends here.

Edward Johns, of Port Wade, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Covert.

Norman Wade, after an absence of many years spent the week end here. Mr. Wade is engaged in the lumber business in Vancouver. His many friends gave him a most cordial greeting.

The ladies of the Episcopal church held a supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Chisholm on Wednesday evening of last week. A most enjoyable evening was spent. Clams served in all forms, buns, cakes, pies and all the good things that the ladies of Lower Granville know so well how to prepare were in abundance. The proceeds \$47.50 go to the funds of the church.

Tiverton

Rev. W. Burr, pastor of the Christian church, who has been visiting friends here, left for Lord's Cove, via St. S. Keith Cann, Monday.

D. C. Outhouse and family are spending a few weeks at Freeport. Miss Grace Young visited friends at Freeport last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Justason, of Black's Harbour, are visiting relatives here.

Miss Helen Blackford, nurse of St. John, visited her parents here recently.

Mrs. Boyd Farnsworth is in poor health.

James Nichols and family, of St. John, are visiting Mrs. Nichols parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Blackford. Rev. J. H. Copeland, pastor of the Baptist church at Weymouth, is holding special meetings here. We hope much good will be done.

Herman Elliott has returned home from Dipper Harbour.

Culloden

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Murphy and son Edward, went to North Williamston last week to visit Mrs. Murphy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weston Crawford, and to see her brother, who is very sick.

Several of the men from here are working in the logging woods for Warne, Banks and Sealey.

We had the coldest days of the season recently, 10 below zero on Sunday morning.

Mrs. White and Mrs. Lizzie Handspiker are on the sick list.

Just Talks--On Common Themes

On "A View Of the Fundamentalist"

A FRIEND who has many impulses other than political, which he probably abhors; and a sweeter side than criticism of his neighbors has sent me a little book "Fifty Years" by Bishop William Lawrence, Bishop of Massachusetts—a sort of general letter to those of his diocese who may do him the favor to read it.

Bishop Lawrence has peculiar charm of writing; but that is not all that I find in the book—sweetness and light, inspirational power—that power to make one better of the world. It is very much more than a letter, it is a transcript of a life.

My purpose in transcribing it is to copy for the readers of this column, Bishop Lawrence's thoughts about this "fundamentalist and modernist difficulty." The book was published before the recent outbreak of discussion within the Episcopal church, but what a fine lesson it does give.

Says Bishop Lawrence: "I was brought up to believe that Jesus, His only Son our Lord, was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, and in my earlier ministry assumed through a large part of the Christian era and in Christian theology, that this fact was an essential element in the incarnation."

"It is now well-recognized that scholars are divided upon the question of the Virgin Birth, whether the stronger evidence leads to a confirmation of this, as a fact, or whether it is a tradition, which must be re-examined. These scholars are not more critics and skeptics, but men (on either side) of equal reverence, faith and belief in the Incarnation."

"With the conservatism of my nature, I have always acceded to the tradition, but with a mind open to further light. Some thirty years ago, however, I was convinced that there is no essential connection between the belief in the Virgin Birth and a belief in the Incarnation. In giving expression to this conviction, which was founded on the careful study of a few American scholars, I was charged, by friends dear to me, with heresy. It is now a comfort to me and a source of satisfaction to read in Bishop Gore's later works, wherein he defends the doctrine of the Virgin Birth that he has come to the same conclusion."

"There are as we well know, clergymen, a number of them, who find it difficult if not impossible to accept the doctrine of the Virgin Birth, whose belief in the Incarnation is yet sincere and firm; indeed, whose belief has been made the firmer by their release from that doctrine. Their reasons are to them convincing, and inasmuch as the two creeds stand for the essentials of the Faith, and as belief in the Virgin Birth is not to them an essential, I am clear that with an honest heart they may join in a recital of the creeds."

"Since my first canonical examinations, as Bishop, I have never asked my candidates for ordination at that point; for knowing the division of judgment among scholars and saintly men on this subject, I have not wanted to commit them to a decision before they have enough maturity of thought to make one. I believe that the results of this conduct have justified themselves. These candidates have as a whole been loyal to the Faith of the Church and especially to the Incarnation of our Lord."

"Indeed, experience has taught me that the vital test of a young man as he enters a high calling, is not what particular doctrine he believes today, but what is his essential trend of thought; what his attitude toward the ever-revealing truth; not in what he does, but what in the long run, he is, what spirit, character, temper, controls him. Some one wrote a while ago, that the American youth are looking deep to foundations of faith; that they are fundamentalists. True in a sense; but I like another figure better. I believe that American youth are best won when faith is made a matter of adventure, and when that Adventure leads on thru questions, struggles, sacrifice, to the Truth."

"I have found it impossible to stand still in thought and beliefs, for two consecutive weeks through this fifty years. The movement of thought and action, religious, scientific, philosophic, has been such that one can not live and not move. One can not hold fast to the dock by the cable as the ship sails out. With helm true and sails full, but with the charted seas and continents, with unerring compass, she leaps into the open sea."

The foregoing seems so fine and full-hearted, free and kindly that it appeals to me particularly. Recognizing the freedom of thought of every man; giving him liberty to grow.

—E. S.

Belleisle

F. C. Parker purchased a fine yoke of oxen from Charles Saunders, of Lequille, last week.

Alfred J. Bent has closed his home for a time and is staying with Mrs. William Bent and family.

Miss Vera Hudson returned to her school in Hants Co., on Friday. Her many friends will be glad to know she is much improved in health.

Miss Margaret P. Troop was called to Granville Ferry last week to the serious illness of her brother-in-law, William Amherstman.

Miss Bessie Young, of Granville Ferry, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. C. M. Bent.

Mrs. Fred Gesner is at Hampton with her mother, Mrs. Henry Allen. Mrs. Watson Jones, of Clements-port, recently visited her sister, Miss Mary F. Gesner.

Inglis Austin and his sister, Mrs. Albert Phinney were called to Halifax on Friday owing to the serious illness of their father, J. H. Austin, of the hardware firm of Austin Bros., Halifax.

Mrs. Fred Hutchinson of Barton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leonard Phinney.

A three act comedy drama entitled "An Unhappy Journey on the Way Path" was given in Belleisle Hall Thursday evening by local talent. The characters were well chosen and the play was a decided success. The sum of \$30.00 was realized for church purposes.

Sandy Cove

Ingram S. Nolley, of Nictaux,

was the week-end guest of Miss Elsie Mitchell.

Mrs. B. E. Dakin spent one day of last week at Digby.

Mrs. E. H. McKay left on Thursday last for Yarmouth where she underwent a successful operation at the Yarmouth hospital for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Saunders left last week for the United States where they will remain for an indefinite time.

Miss Anna McKay arrived home from Boston last week and expects to spend the next month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McKay.

A bridal shower was given Miss Grace McKay at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Rice on Saturday evening. Mrs. McKay received many useful gifts including silver, china, linen and cut glass. A pleasant evening was spent by all who gathered. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Derald Morehouse who spent the past year at Bridgetown, arrived home on Saturday.

A. J. Mitchell, of Middleton, spent the week-end with his mother Mrs. Slater Mitchell.

Miss Grace McKay arrived home from the States a short time ago. And will leave for the West in a few days where she will be one of the principals in a coming event.



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Sabbath School at 11.45 a. m.
Prayer Service Wednesday at 7.30 p. m.
C. G. I. T. Friday at 7.30 p. m.
Sabbath afternoon services as follows:
1st Sabbath, Korr's Corner, 2nd, Lansdowne, 3rd, Bear River East, 4th, Clements, 5th, Princeville.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. R. S. Grogan, Pastor.
Sunday morning, 10.30, Preaching by the Pastor.
Sunday school, 11.30 a. m.
Evening 7.30, Preaching by the Pastor.
Wednesday evening 7.30. Prayer meeting.
Friday evening, 7.30, B. Y. P. U.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.
Father Somers will hold service in the chapel on the first Sunday in each month.

ADVENT CHURCH.
Sunday services 10.30, 3.00 and 7.30.
Sunday School at 11.30. Prayer Meeting Friday at 7.30. Philip J. Cleveland, minister.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND.
December 16th, 10.30 a. m.
December 23rd, 3 p. m.
Christmas Day 10.30 a. m.
December 30th, 10.30 a. m.
January 6th, 3 p. m.
January 13th, 3 p. m.
January 20th, 10.30 a. m.
January 27th, 3 p. m.
February 3rd, 7.30 p. m.
February 10th, 10.30 a. m.
February 17th, 7.30 p. m.
February 24th, 3 p. m.
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Local and Personal

Oiled Goucher of Middleton, was in town on Monday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Kinney.

Mr. Anderson, representing Rennie's Seeds, spent the week end at the Grand Central Hotel.

Messrs. J. H. Cunningham and A. G. MacIntyre returned from Halifax on Friday of last week.

Miss J. O. Saunders, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Graves, in Bridge town, returned this week, and will resume her duties in the Royal Bank.

The Ail Society of the Methodist church met this week at the home of Mrs. Fred Harris.

Mrs. J. H. Cunningham entertained the Bridge Club on Saturday afternoon of last week.

Milton Frazee, who spent last week with his grandfather, Isaac Kempton, returned Tuesday to Amherst, to resume his position in the Royal Bank.

M. A. Cunningham, exchange manager of the Maritime Telegraph & Telephone Co., of Digby, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. L. J. Lovett, who has been confined to the house since Christmas, is improving.

The many friends of Lenfest Ruggles who is spending the winter in Entailus, Alaska, will be interested to know that he is enjoying his work, and the climate, and very much delighted with the people.

Miss Louise Jones, accompanied by Master Bruce Dexter of Digby, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Anthony.

The Greenhorn Bridge Club met on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. H. C. Anthony.

SPECIAL INSTITUTE MEETING

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Overflowing Measure Of Enjoyment At Prince Edward

"Spooks" Was The Feature of a Splendid Programme Last Night

(Charlottetown Paper)

Pressed down and running over was the measure of entertainment given by the Young Adams company to a capacity house in the Prince Edward Theatre last night.

The big feature of the evening's performance was the sensational mystery play "Spooks" which was a delightful combination of thrills and comedy.

Miss Adams was quite at home in the role of the handsome young heiress, "Laurette Payne."

Mr. Young with his characteristic ability played the double parts of Silas Willoby an old secretary, and the determined Police Inspector Ryan who is bent on solving the mystery.

Mr. Redway as Sam Morgan was exceptionally good, and kept the audience in roars of laughter.

Miss Young as "Marion Blackwell", Mr. Ball as Douglas Blackwell, Mr. Stauffer as "Aunt Judy" gave strong support. Mr. MacMillan as "Officer Holden" had little to do but did it well.

The specialties as usual were excellent, with some changes in the acts.

The Wilmot-Young Company are becoming more popular the longer they stay.

This capable Company has been employed by Manager C. E. Walker to appear at the Bijou Dream, Friday Feb. 8th.

There will be a special matinee after school Friday when the play will be "The Bijou Dream."

At night the play will be the sensational hit of New York—"Spooks" There has never been a play presented in the Maritime Provinces that has created more excitement than "Spooks". Eight vaudeville acts and the Young Adams jazz orchestra.

What ever you do, do not miss Spooks, Friday Feb. 8th.

Evening prices, children 35c adults 75c. No Reserves.

SEMPER COVE

Miss Theodora Sanderson has returned to her home in Digbyville.

A roll call was held in the Baptist Church on Thursday eve, Jan. 24th a very large number of attendance. At 5.30 a clam chowder supper was served to all. The Rev. Mr. Nunn of Digby, was the speaker for the evening service.

Theodore Beck of Levesqueville, is spending a few days at Mr. Minard Weir's.

A Pic Sale was held on Sat. evening at the home of Mrs. Wm. Berry, the proceeds for church purposes.

Mr. Williams who has been making a short stay here, left for Amherst.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cossaboom left Monday to make an extended visit to the States.

Mr. Joseph Steadman of Annapolis spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cossaboom.

George Weir is on the sick list; also Mrs. Burton Taylor.

Miss Irma Comeau is visiting Miss Stella Goodman.

Mrs. Henry Sault is visiting her mother at Shubenacadie.

A community Sing was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Taylor on Monday evening.

Reginald Weir spent Sunday with his family.

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Phones: 606 426

DEEP BROOK

The Roll Call and Reunion of the Deep Brook Baptist church was held on Friday afternoon and evening, Jan. 18th. The annual business meeting was held at 3 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. J. D. Lytle, is the chair. The reports from the church treasurer, J. R. Berry; W. M. A. Society, Mrs. Jessie McBride; Sunday School and Dorcas Society, Mrs. L. E. Sherman, were very encouraging, all told of a good year financially. Mrs. Jessie McBride was elected church clerk, J. R. Berry was re-elected treasurer, and B. H. A. Kingsley elected on the board of trustees. At six o'clock about fifty members and friends sat down to a well prepared supper. At 7.30 a public meeting was held in the church, Rev. J. D. Lytle presiding. The music was under the direction of the faithful and efficient organist, Mrs. R. A. Spurr. A solo was well rendered by Rev. J. D. Lytle. After words of welcome by the pastor, Rev. A. Gibson of Annapolis Royal, was introduced and he gave a very helpful address on "Consecration" to a well filled house. This was followed by the calling of the church roll, when almost every member answered to their name. Many letters and gifts of money were received from absent members. \$40.00 was received from the thank offering. The pastor and people went to their homes feeling that a profitable and pleasant gathering had been held in the interest of Christian work.

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A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light, even better than gas or electricity, has been tested by the U. S. Government and 33 leading universities and found to be superior to 10 ordinary oil lamps. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no pumping up, is simple, safe, and burns 94 per cent. air and 6 per cent. common kerosene (coal oil).

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Nova Scotia Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities

In the matter of the application of the Westport Electric Light, Heating and Power Co. Ltd., for approval of an issue of stock and also for approval of a schedule of rates for electric energy.

TAKE NOTICE that the application of the Westport Electric Light, Heating and Power Co. Ltd., for approval of an issue of stock and also for the approval of a schedule of rates, will be heard by the Board at a sitting to be held at its office, Technical College Building, Halifax, N. S., on Wednesday, February 13th, 1924 at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons desiring it will be given an opportunity to be heard at such sitting.

Any objections to the granting of such applications may be filed with the Board, in writing, on or before Tuesday, February 12th, 1924.

By order of the Board,
L. B. TAYLOR, Clerk,
Halifax, N. S., January 25, 1924.

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Sorry to report Mr. Tuttle Graham received a very painful cut to his hand on Saturday.

East Ferry

Mrs. Chloe Stanton has returned to her home in East Ferry for a short visit.

Solomon Stanton spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mrs. Ada Theriault.

Mrs. Sarah Honer, of Tidville, is the guest of Byron Small.

Leonard Theriault spent a very enjoyable week-end at the home of Mrs. Carrie Griffith.

Frank Eldridge has returned to this place after a short visit at his home, Sandy Cove.

Wilfred Theriault and Willie McCafferty made a flying trip to Meteghan last week returning home same day.

Mrs. Lyoma Stanton spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Burton Frost, of Little River.

Holland Theriault is spending the winter months with Isabelle Melanson.

Herman Theriault is still on the sick list.

THE WHITEST, LIGHTEST

MAGIC BAKING POWDER

CONTAINS NO ALUM

Obituary

JOHN M. MELANSON

In the death of John M. Melanson, which occurred on Friday 11th, at the advanced age of 36 years, following a few weeks illness, Gilbert's Cove—loses one of its oldest and most respected citizens. Deceased leaves three sons, Martin at home, Charles and Fred, of Gloucester, Mass., and three daughters, Mrs. O'Donnell, of Lynn, and Annie and Mary, of Boston. The funeral was held on Monday morning the 14th, from his late residence to St. Croix R. C. church, Yarmouth, where a High Mass of Requiem was celebrated by the pastor, Fr. Doucette. One brother, Henry, of Gilbert's Cove, the last member of the family, survives. Among relatives present was Mrs. Joseph Oliver of Weymouth, a niece of the deceased.

W. C. T. U. High School Contest

Subject—Total Abstinence, and Modern Industrial Organization.
Number of words—Maximum 800; Minimum 600.
Markings—Essays shall be graded three fourths on subject and one fourth on style, and grammatical excellence.
Prizes—\$3.00, \$4.00.
COMMON SCHOOL CONTEST
Subject—Five reasons why one gains by Total Abstinence.
Number of words—Maximum 400; Minimum 200.
Prizes—\$5.00, \$3.00.
Notes—In High and Common School Contests each pupil in the room is expected to write.
The teacher decided upon the best five essays, which should be sent in to the County President, Mrs. Wm. Lent, Digby, N. S., by March 15, 1924.
All essays should be sent by the County President to the Provincial Superintendent not later than April 1st, 1924.

MRS. E. C. ADAMS, Prov. Supt., N. S.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

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Here and There

A new record has been established by the Department of Marine and Fisheries in the number of white fish eggs collected for hatchery purposes in the Great Lakes and the Lake of the Woods. A total of 464,500,000 eggs were obtained, which exceeds all previous collections in the province of Ontario.

A new deposit of soapstone has been discovered on Trap Lake, a small lake south of Wabigoon Lake, in northwestern Ontario. The quality of the stone has been reported as excellent for various industrial uses, and practical trials are under way. Water transportation is available direct from the deposits to Wabigoon and Dryden, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

It is announced by the Canadian Pacific Railway that two free scholarships covering four years' tuition in architecture, chemical, civil, mechanical or electrical engineering at McGill University, are awarded, subject to competitive examination, to apprentices and other employees enrolled on the permanent staff of the company and under 21 years of age, and to minor sons of employees.

Canada's fisheries production during 1923 is estimated to be worth \$40,000,000. At the beginning of the year it was not thought that anything like this estimate would be reached, for the Fordney tariff had cut deeply into exports to the United States. But as the year wore on the demand and prices generally improved, thus giving fishermen along the Atlantic coast especially a much better market.

Approximately \$5,000,000 will be spent by the Dominion Coal Commission to open up a new mine and colliery at Lingap, Nova Scotia, and construction of a branch line of railway to the new site has already been started. The new colliery will be equipped with every modern device, and a model town will be planned in its vicinity. It will have a capacity of some 2,000 tons daily.

The tenth annual Ski Tournament will be held at Revere, Maine, on the 6th and 7th, in connection with which skiing, tobogganing, snowshoeing, skating, etc., will be featured. An endeavor is being made to secure the attendance of Uno Hjalstrom, Sweden's champion ski-jumper, as well as other famous ski-jumpers from both Canada and the United States.

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DEATH
TAYLOR, entered into rest at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. J. Taylor, on Saturday morning, January 26, 1924, at the age of 91 years. Burial in the Digby cemetery.

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Sunday School, 12 a. m.
Hill Grove, 3 p. m.
Evening service, 7 p. m.
Preacher for the day, the pastor.

GRACE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. W. H. Watts, Minister.
Services for Sunday, February 3rd.
11 subject, "The Beginnings of European Christianity."
3.30, Vespers, subject, "The Message of Luke, N. V. 10."
7.30, subject, "Repentance."
Sacramental service following evening worship.

Election Cards
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:
Having been requested by a large number of ratepayers to offer myself as a candidate for Town Councillor on Tuesday next, and having accepted to their request, I take this opportunity of soliciting your support.
I am in favor of a better lighting system for the town and will use my influence at the Council Board and vote for the immediate purchase of an oil engine as requested by the ratepayers on two different occasions.
Being bound to go, party or clique, I will vote impartially on all questions which may come before the Council from time to time.
Hoping to receive your support on Tuesday next, I remain,
Your obedient servant,
J. ARTHUR MARSHALL

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF DIGBY:
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:
Having been nominated a candidate for the office of Councillor, in the forthcoming election which takes place on Tuesday, February 5th, I must, as an interested citizen of our town, graciously accept nomination.
I cannot, in person, solicit your vote, but if you desire to support me, and I am elected a councillor, I will give my influence to the ensuring term of my affiliation. I shall seek to be a guest at the Travellers Inn over the week end, and I shall endeavor to do my utmost to the interest of the ratepayers in the town and to advance the common good.
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Does your address label bear the date it should?
The tag on the label was laid up for the winter at the Digby wharf.
A. J. Mitchell of Middleton was in town Saturday calling on friends.
R. C. Michie of Halifax was in town for a few days this week.
Melbourn Bend, Kentville, was in town this week calling on friends.
A. L. Treble of New York was a visitor in town for a few days this week.
William J. Ridd of Yarmouth was visiting friends in town Monday.
Rev. C. E. Rockingham of Centerville was a visitor in town this week.
A. J. Boudreau of Meteghan River was in town for a few days this week.
Miss Helen Craig of Woodstock, N. B., was in town last week visiting friends.
W. L. Palmer, Vancouver, B. C., was a guest at the Waverly over the week-end.
C. J. Jones of Bridgetown, was in town yesterday visiting friends and relatives.
M. D. D'Entremont of St. John spent the days in town this week calling on friends.
Dr. P. S. Campbell of Halifax was a guest at the Travellers Inn over the week end.
R. H. Frazee, Inspector of the Royal Bank, was in town last week on official business.
Willard J. Robbins of Little River was in town for a few days this week visiting friends.
Miss Carolyn Curtis left Tuesday for Wolfville to resume her studies at the Wolfville Normal School.
J. B. Rice of Boston arrived here Saturday and is spending a few days in town among his friends and relatives.
Among the week-end guests at the Travellers Inn were W. French, H. E. Ewald and J. H. Waddell of Toronto.
There must be something radically wrong about some Canadian prisoners. Few prisoners want to stay in them.
H. J. Palmer, Waltham, Mass., was a visitor in town Tuesday. While here he was a guest at the Travellers Inn.
Miss Francis Brooks of Yarmouth returned to her home on Tuesday after spending a week with relatives in Digby.
Lucien D'Entremont, who has been working in Boston for the past year, was in town for a few days this week visiting friends.
Ed. Webster, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Halifax for the past two weeks, arrived home on Tuesday.
Master Lucien Ratto, who has been the guest of Mrs. Byrds for the past two months, returned to his home on Thursday.
Boyd Dunham, who has been visiting friends in Digby during the past two weeks, returned to his home in Halifax Monday.
Mrs. Eber Turnbull entertained at six tables of bridge on Saturday last. The successful winners were Mrs. H. Robertson and Miss Vyse.
Mrs. C. B. Dexter has been appointed representative of the Centennial Casualty Co. and also of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company.
Mrs. Frank Saultier of Weymouth passed through Digby Wednesday on her way to the hospital in Digby. She will spend a few weeks visiting friends.
A Robinson who has been employed in Boston for the past three months, arrived home on Friday to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson.
The ladies of the V. O. N. will hold their party on Saturday 9th, at the residence of Mrs. Dexter. Afternoon tea will be served and Mrs. Dexter is the convener.
An inventor announces that within a few months, he hopes to perfect a device to transmit motion pictures by radio, so that one may sit at home and watch big news events transpiring many miles away.
A. Milne Fraser, Typewriter Dealer of Halifax, will be at Travellers Inn, Wednesday afternoon Feb. 6th.
Any one desiring to purchase a new or secondhand typewriter should see him there or leave word and he will call.
The store of Annie L. Warner at Conway was broken in a few days ago and a quantity of groceries, etc., stolen. The robbers gained an entrance by breaking the window in front of the store. No clue whatever was left behind and the culprits are still at large.
The better quality of tea is, that is, the more delicate its flavor, the more need there is for making it properly. When the tea is of the quality of the SELECTED ORANGE PEKOE Tea, be sure to read the brewing directions on the label. And what is more important, still, be sure to follow them.
There are few outstanding men today, but that is because so many minds are trained and developed, that no one man can shine as a beacon light set on a hill. In ages bygone, there were outstanding men, educated men, whose education lifted them above the mass, but the rabble had minds utterly untrained.

Boy Scout parade tonight 7 p. m.
Mr. Denton left Monday on a visit to Kentville.
Radio away many an hour of the Sun Dodgers. Dakin Bros., head of the radio station, was in town.
Many interesting things come through on Radio. We heard the alarm when the big U. S. airship broke loose. Dakin Bros., Radio H. Q.

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Some of the small town weeklies which now carry display advertising which were with that in the Metropolitan dailies, used to find their way to the local merchant scarcely believed in advertising at all. The notion that a merchant advertised out of the goodness of his heart, in order to help the newspaper, and ought, therefore, to have something to say about the policy of the editor, used to prevail widely. One hears little of it now, except from persons who know nothing of the facts. An advertiser advertises because it increases his business, and if he stops, his business decreases.

On Thursday evening of last week a splendid "surprise party" was given at the home of Mrs. Joseph Berry. Deep Brook in honour of Mrs. Elvira Berry's 21st birthday. A large sleighing party, consisting of friends from Milford Corner and the surrounding district, came down by Roscoe Avenue's fine span of horses. The sleighing party, consisting of friends from Milford Corner and the surrounding district, came down by Roscoe Avenue's fine span of horses. The sleighing party, consisting of friends from Milford Corner and the surrounding district, came down by Roscoe Avenue's fine span of horses.

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Service at Culloden on Sunday, Feb. 2nd.
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Surrounding Villages

Victory

The men have been improving the golden moments, while the sledging lasted. Some have been busy hauling meadow hay, while others have been cutting logs and hauling them to the Darres Mill. A few had cordwood to get out of the brush.

Joshua Simpson has a nice little pile of cordwood started out to the main highway ready for transportation. He is now ready to fill orders for old growth dry wood.

Freeman K. Darres is cutting a quantity of valuable timber. He has three men hired and two teams hauling to the mill. By the looks of the number of logs yarded up at the mill, he will be a busy man next summer.

Another annual January "thaw" has passed by, leaving us in the middle of October for a couple of days. Having turned colder we hope it is making ice so the lakes will be rendered safe for teams and the swamps will be frozen up.

Congratulations to Mrs. Charlie Baxter on the arrival of a bouncing baby boy.

We hope soon to hear the Rev Carpenter speak in the Baptist Church.

Elmer Darres is visiting her sister Mrs. Elmer Darres at Bear River.

A number of the residents are looking forward to the "Family Gathering" at the "Bee Hive" namely the Annual Mark-down Remnant Sale.

Aeciaville

Goudy Nichols attended the Short Course at Truro, returning on Friday. He reports a pleasant and profitable time.

Mrs. Lena McKay entertained her Sunday School class to tea on Saturday. All were present and had a pleasant time.

An old fashioned candy pull was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roops. A general good time was had and an abundance of excellent candy.

Quite a number attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Warner on Monday evening. All had a good time.

Centreville

Mrs. Rachel Moghouse entertained a few friends on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Herbert Titus is spending a few days with relatives at Mink Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hersey returned from Halifax where they were married on Thursday last. We all join in wishing them every success in the coming years.

Mrs. Beacher Morehouse and daughter Amy returned from Boston Friday where they spent the Xmas holidays.

Mr. C. R. Hamilton of Litchfield, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Orwell Outhouse.

Mrs. I. E. Hersey spent a very pleasant evening at the parsonage Saturday.

We understand a very interesting event took place in the parsonage Saturday.

Rev. C. E. Rockingham called on friends at Sandy Cove on Friday.

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. I. E. Hersey on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gidney have returned from Boston.

We are glad to report Mrs. Fred Morehouse has greatly improved since last writing.

A fishing sloop from Grand Manan ran ashore on the rocks below the Centreville breakwater in the fierce storm on Monday evening. The four men who were aboard made a miraculous escape.

Mrs. Clair Dukeshire entertained at a knitting party on Tuesday evening. The music rendered by Mrs. Orwell Outhouse was appreciated by all.

Mrs. Charles Morton entertained a few friends on Friday evening at being Mr. Morton's birthday. A dainty lunch with ice-cream was served.

Mr. F. C. Purty spent a very pleasant evening at the parsonage Saturday.

Sorry to report Mr. Tuttle Graham received a very painful cut on his hand on Saturday.

A reception was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Gidney on Saturday in honor of the bride, Mrs. G. W. Hersey.

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Guy Outhouse spent the week-end in Sandy Cove with his aunt Mrs. E. D. Morehouse.

Little Willie Dakin had the misfortune of breaking his arm while coasting last week.

Rossway

Douglas Andrews spent Sunday with Miss Amy Marr.

Miss Mable Raymond has returned home from Roslindale Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Sabean of Watford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aron Sabean.

We are sorry to report Mr. Aron Sabean's confined to his bed.

Fred McKay has gone to the U. S. A.

Miss Edna Dearnmond and Barbara Ross spent the week-end with Mrs. Jere Banks.

William McDormand is visiting his brother Mr. Byron McDormand.

Kenneth Peters has gone to Wallingford, Conn.

New Tusket

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Sabine, of Dorchester, Mass., on the arrival of a baby girl on Jan. 9. Mr. and Mrs. Sabine are both formerly of this place. Mrs. Sabine being Miss Florence Smith.

Stanley W. Sabine who spent the last two months in Dorchester, Mass., returned to his home on Tuesday the 15th. He is just recovering from a very bad case of the measles.

Mrs. Harvey Mullen and Mrs. Herbert Sabine spent one day last week at Moody Mullen's camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Mullen and family have moved to a camp in the woods where Mr. Mullen intends logging.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sabine and son Stanley spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mullen.

Alphonse Thibeau spent Sunday with his fiancée Miss Grace E. Gaudett.

Roger Sabine has had a radio installed in his residence. W. G. Blackadar installed it for him on Tuesday the 15th. It is sure wonderful listening to stations in New York, Detroit, Philadelphia, Boston, etc.

Miss Nellie Lewis spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Judson Mullen.

Chester Stevens is visiting his friend Miss Neva Gaudett at time of writing.

Miss Clara Sabean spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. A. J. Hobbs.

Messrs Ellwood and Ashton Mullen, of Easton, spent Monday with Ernest Mullen.

We are having quite a snow storm to-night but it is just what is needed as the loggers were beginning to think they would have to move out of the woods as there was no sledging and it was very hard on the teams.

Morganville

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Morgan are receiving congratulations on the arrival of their first grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Morgan, of Ottawa, Jan. 6th.

Mrs. Emdon Fleet and two children visited Mrs. Clarence Morgan recently.

Miss Dorothy Wagner, of Danvers, has returned to her school duties after spending the holidays with her parents.

Miss Hazel DeForest who spent the holidays with her parents, has returned to Clementsvalle to re-open her school.

Mrs. W. W. Payson, of Malden, Mass., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith.

William Morgan who visited his brother Clarence, has returned to his duties at Culloden.

Charles Morgan and son Frank have returned to their work at Sissaboo after enjoying the holiday festivities, also Clarence Morgan, returned to Weymouth.

Freeport

"Fair Isle Rebekah Lodge No. 92" was instituted at Freeport, on the 11th day of October, 1923, by Mrs. Elizabeth Matatal, Vice President of the Rebekah Assembly, assisted by the Degree Staff of "Zelma Lodge" Digby. The work was performed in a very beautiful and impressive manner. Since the organization the Lodge has been very progressive, and at present is in a flourishing condition. The membership now numbers 47, and 14 candidates names have been received for admission. On the evening of Jan. 7th, a special meeting was held for "Initiation and Degree work." Great credit was certainly due the officers of the lodge and the degree staff for the excellent way in which the work was accomplished. January 10th, the following officers were installed having been duly nominated and elected, are as follows:—N. G.—Mrs. Florence Blackford, V. G.—Mrs. Bessie Weir, R. S.—Miss Bessie G. Thurber, F. S.—Mrs. Lillian Thurber, Treas.—Miss Maud L. Haines, Warden—Mrs. Vivian Stevens, Con.—Miss Dorcas Powell, Chap.—Mrs. Alice B. Lent, R. S. N. G.—Archibald Thurber, L. S. N. G.—Mrs. Beatrice Westcott, R. S. V. G.—Mrs. Lena Perry, L. S. V. G.—Mrs. Eva Stevens, I. G.—Miss Muriel K. Nickerson, O. G.—Edgar Bates. After the installation on a fine programme consisting of music, readings, songs and speeches was successfully carried out. At the close of the session, refreshments were served, after which all departed to their homes with best wishes for "Fair Isle Lodge" for 1924.

North Range

Mrs. Viola Andrews, who has been very ill is slowly improving. Mrs. Edward Bragg, who has had the gripp, is improving.

Mrs. Karrie MacIntosh of Digby, visited friends and relatives here recently.

Councillor Vian Andrews, who attended council in Digby, has returned home.

Mrs. Sherman Thurber and little son Lawrence, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Ernest Ring, Barton, has returned home.

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Just Talks—On Common Themes

On "Giving a Boy an Opportunity"

I CAN'T see much difference between boys nowadays and what they used to be—they have merely accommodated themselves a little to the attitude of the old-folks and are struggling along with the same problems and the same anguish of heart that they always had.

Maybe they are a little cleaner and smell a little better than they used to do.

If you think that boys are happy you have another guess. If you can remember when you were a boy, you will recall that life was not altogether one long sweet song.

You had your troubles—just the same as now and a lot of things went all-fired wrong. The world was just as unequal as it is now. There were boys who "had things" and boys who didn't have things and who wanted them; how they did want them. Social distinction was frequently settled by the boy with a new pair of pants. A boy with a good jack-knife frequently copied all of the honors of the school-yard and the boy with a base-ball would play any position he wanted to play and be captain of the ball-team.

You can't judge what a boy is about by just washing his ears. You can't fathom his thoughts by asking him if he is a "good boy." You can't see into his passionate soul by telling him the story of Easter. You can't tell that he is looking when he is just sitting around and looking off into space, wondering with wide open eyes about things that are beating like the roaring rain storm against the windows of his being.

He is possibly estimating the socialistic elements of his own environment. He is considering the inequalities of his own existence as compared with some lucky Huck-Finn who does as he "damned please" while he is bound around by social conventions; made to go to bed at a certain hour; get up at a certain hour; eat certain foods and take a certain amount of cod liver oil emulsions because someone has taken a notion that he is looking "peaked" when all that ails him is "love."

There is not one whit of difference between the boy of today and the boy of yesterday except that the old-fashioned father was more thrifty and a harder worker than the father of today and expected everyone to work who is round about him. Old-fashioned boys had chores; today you can't expect a boy to do a chore when the "old gent" dresses up in a \$100 suit with a pink in his button-hole and gets into a \$4,000 limousine with a chauffeur in pigskin leggings to drive him to his upholstered office where he chats with a frizzled blonde all day over a type-writing job.

You have got to allow that boys are going to be good men, bad men, active men, idle men, lazy men, ambitious men, honest men and crooks—just as they used to be.

There was the meanest boy in school; he lied and stole and would not work and even drank some when he got to be along towards young manhood. He is now worth about \$3,000,000; has retired to his own golf course; has built up a business employing thousands of people; has circulated millions of dollars in pay roll; has endowed hospitals and has never done a wicked thing since he came to the use of understanding. He was not understood in his young days. As I think back, his so-called lying was imagination; his so-called stealing was pilfering from orchards, which was a venture; his so-called drinking was investigation which he found to be of no use, and his life has been a reaction of a much misunderstood lad, who was so free from home influences that he was untutored. If your boy will tell the truth—he'll come along all right.

You have to make allowances for a boy's nerves—he is a tight little bunch of radio; tuned into the universe. Give him a chance. He has to have his own life, give him a chance; don't try to make him a man, even though you try to make him money. He has to have his experiences; he has to have a camp in the woods; ought to have a dog; ought to roam the woods; ought to have his battles and his defeats; ought to fall in love with the school-marm; ought to dwell in the stars, with hands folded and laziness sticking out all over him.

Don't get impatient; this is not laziness; it is only the dreaming of a growing soul, striving to penetrate the mystery—all too soon.

—E. S.

Tiverton

Sch. Souvenir, Capt. Oscar Out-house of Beaver Harbor was in port the 18th.

Roy Morse of White Head G. M. called on friends here this week.

Mrs. Belyea of Sandy Cove is the guest of Mrs. Laurana Snow.

Mrs. Laura Outhouse is visiting friends at Sandy Cove.

Mrs. Chloe Stanton of East Ferry is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Joel Blackford is visiting her daughter Mrs. James Nichols at St. John.

Mr. Alexander McKay will leave for Halifax this week where he will enter the Hospital to undergo a serious operation.

Mrs. Herman Elliott was suddenly called to Barrington on account of illness of her daughter Miss Pearl Elliott.

Charles Woodworth of White Head is spending a few weeks with his family here.

Mrs. Harvard Outhouse and daughter Miss Violet have returned home from Grand Manan.

Dyas Smith has returned home from White Head G. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Justason have returned to their home at Blacks Harbor.

Mrs. Sadie Mitchell has returned to Eastport Maine.

Milo Hales of Lowell came to his wife's father's funeral, John K. Winchester.

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybodys Tongue

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FREE

Arizona:

"This is the same cake we got in the trenches. It seemed like manna from heaven then. And it is the same delicious treat."—extract from a letter from Arizona, referring to Moir's Sultana Cake.

Kimberly:

"I am glad I am a Nova

Scotian and come from the place where they make such good cake."—referring to Moir's Plain Pound Cake sent to Kimberly, B. C.

Montreal:

An order for 800 lbs. Sultana 320 Cherry, 160 Genoa, 200 Plain Pound; 1480 lbs. in all—eloquent tribute to Moir's Cake.

Digby Wins From Church Point By A Score Of 7 To 2

Interesting Game Played Here Friday Evening Before A Large Crowd—Fine Exhibition Of Hockey

The Church Point senior hockey team went down to a decisive defeat in Digby on Friday evening last, the fast travelling locals, the High School Boys, turning in their most brilliant game of the season, outplayed the visitors, and came through with a seven to two win.

It was one of the finest exhibitions of hockey seen in the Arena this winter, with the Digby team displaying a brand of hockey that was not thought possible for a school team to exhibit. In fact this team has yet to go down to defeat having won every game played this season.

The crowd was not as large as it should have been, due perhaps to lack of advertising. However, the fans who were present received their money's worth and when the local boys met Canning tonight the rink should be overflowing.

A most distressing accident occurred in the first period when Arthur Casey collided with two of Church Point players and had to be removed from the ice, delaying the game for about five minutes. He was replaced at left wing by Raymond. Starting the game with dazzling speed the Digby team kept the puck well into the visitors territory and J. Stewart was called upon to stop several hot shots. Denton seemed to be doing good work in this period for the local boys but lack of team work was in evidence on several occasions and some nice shots were missed. The first period ended with no score.

Edgar Jones and Fred DuVernet certainly played a good brand of hockey in the second period. Jones, however, was the bright constellation of the evening and his stickhandling and skating was magnificent, being responsible for four of the seven goals scored. He secured the first goal in the second period after a pass from DuVernet. Each member of the Digby team played brilliant hockey, and although Jones seemed to be the star of the evening, still the support given him was magnificent. The game was clean from start to finish and very few penalties were handed out.

After the first period, Church Point seemed to be tired and the fast Digby skaters could run from them. A. Thibeault for the visitor, played a good brand of hockey and his rushes at times were magnificent. He was supported by Wilfred McLaughlin at cover point, but the team lacked combination playing as well as the local team. Each player seemed to be playing the game himself, forgetting at times that combination playing would have meant a score.

New Council Sworn In Monday Evening—Interesting Session

Committees Appointed For the Year 1924—Applications To Be Called For Various Positions—Inaugural Speeches of New Councillors

Monday evening at eight o'clock the first official meeting of the 1924 Council was held in the Council Chamber of the Town Hall. After some little delay the new Board sat down in the seats which they will probably occupy during the ensuing year. Mayor E. DuVernet occupied the chair at the head of the table and on his left sat Deputy Mayor Anderson, with Coun. Jordan, Peck, Warrington, Holdsworth and Aymar completing the circle.

Each member was sworn into office after which the Councillors gave their inaugural speech, but only two Councillors, Jordan and Holdsworth took part.

Coun. Jordan was the first to respond to the invitation of the Mayor and congratulated the new councillors on their success at the polls, and hoped that they would live up to the ideals which the ratepayers expected and at all times look after the interests of the ratepayers. Coun. Jordan wanted to see the wishes of the ratepayers carried out in respect to the building of permanent streets and sidewalks, and the purchasing of an oil engine for the town. The ratepayers had spoken, declared Coun. Jordan, and surely that and the petition sent to Council would be acted upon by the new Council in the right spirit.

Coun. Holdsworth acted as spokesman for the new councillors and thanked Coun. Jordan for his kind words. During my term of office, declared Coun. Holdsworth, I would like to see a new school building, extension of water works, etc., and I will work for the interest of the citizens at large and see that their interest are carried out in the best way possible.

The committees were then appointed as follows:

Schools—The Mayor, Coun. Anderson and Holdsworth.
Finance and Tenders—Coun. Jordan, Holdsworth and Aymar.
Public Property and Streets—Coun. Warrington, Peck and Anderson.
Poor and Temperance—Coun. Aymar, Anderson and Warrington.
Police—Coun. Jordan, Warrington and Aymar.
Fire and Water—Coun. Anderson, Holdsworth and Jordan.
Licenses and Lighting—Coun. Peck, Jordan and Warrington.
Assessment Appeals—Coun. Holdsworth, Peck and Aymar.
Revisors of Jury Lists—Coun. Peck, Jordan and Aymar.
Arbitration—The Mayor, Coun. Anderson and Holdsworth.
Electric Light Managing Committee—The Mayor and Council.

Considerable discussion arose over the personnel of the latter committee. Coun. Anderson wanted the committee to consist of three.

The teams lined up as follows: Church Point—J. Stewart, E. Comeau, A. Thibeault, Wilfred McLaughlin, A. LeBlanc, G. Melanson, Digby—Lew Weir, Seymour Denton, Douglas Baxter, Edgar Jones, Fred DuVernet, Arthur Casey. James Hillman referred to the entire satisfaction of both teams. Coun. Percy Holdsworth acted as time-keeper.

Lower Granville

John K. Winchester died on Tuesday the 12th and was buried in the Anglican Cemetery on Thursday. The Valentine Sale at Mr. and Mrs. VanBlarcom was a great success when \$35 dollars was added to the Hall fund on Thursday evening. Vernon Clark and two daughters went to Granville Centre on Saturday to spend Sunday with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob W. Calneke. George Robinson of Lynn came home Tuesday and visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ransworth for two weeks his wife being there, and will return with her and his two children.

"ASLEEP AT THE SWITCH"

Barter And Exchange Must be Abolished in This County

"Home Builders League" Will Bring Natives Back to Nova Scotia-- Citizens Must Wake up And Get Busy

TO THE PEOPLE OF DIGBY COUNTY:

Now that we have organized "The Digby County Industrial Trust" to become the business organization of "The Home Builders of Digby County," it naturally follows that we should set up one at a time the various industries of this Trust Estate and put each on a money making basis, and this I promised to do as the next step. BUT on second thought it is apparent that we should first consider the possibilities, some of nature's laws and the fundamentals of industrial organization, for I am well aware that many of the folks who read these letters will say "it can't be done" and it is to these I am writing this week.

Thos. A. Edison tells us that only three per cent of the people "think," another learned man disagrees with Mr. Edison, and offers proof that only two per cent "think." Another analytic mind informs us that of all those who "think" only five per cent are right in their thinking. In other words ninety five per cent of those who think are wrong all the time. That is interesting and it reminds us that we must be careful in our thinking. We often hear of the fellow who succeeded because he didn't know that "it could not be done."

Many are prone to believe that Nova Scotia is handicapped as a manufacturing center because of its geographical position and for other reasons which are purely imaginary. The steel mills in England ship their product via way of Halifax to Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg, and from their clearing houses in Montreal they ship to Pittsburgh and other manufacturing centers in the U. S. The world's supply of silver mined in the Cobalt region of Canada is shipped to refiners in the U. S. and from there the bulk of it is shipped

to Europe in normal times. Where is the silverware made that you have on your table? A firm in Buffalo, N. Y., turns out "Kiddie Kars" by the million from material imported from Canada. These are sold at almost every hardware store from Halifax to Vancouver, and a jobber in Montreal ships them to England by the car load. A firm at Salem, Mass., employs some twenty-five hundred men and women in the manufacture of toys and games. The material they use comes from Nova Scotia, and where do the toys and games come from that Santa Claus leaves at your home on Xmas eve? Same is true of thousands of other products I might mention and yet Nova Scotia stands in the center of all this commercial activity "asleep at the switch." And some folks wonder "why the boys leave Digby County?"

And you must know that to export raw materials as you are now doing means skimming the milk and throwing the cream away. We must consume our foodstuffs and use our raw materials. We must sell only manufactured products and by so doing siphon into Digby County the wealth (cash) of other countries, and in this wealth all of our investors and workers would share. The county that sells raw materials will always be poor. If you have a forest and can work it up into chairs, tables, bookcases and violins you will make more money than if you sell firewood. Manufacturing is the useful organization of materials and in Digby County the raw stock for manufacturing purposes is as available as in any other section of Canada or the United States.

Henry Ford sells steel, brass, leather and wood property co-ordinated at fifty cents a pound. Thereby he is able to pay a minimum wage of six dollars a day. He does this with the aid of manufacturing equipment. Mr. Ford first supplies the market at home and having done this he has the facilities

for supplying the foreign trade. His agencies are established in every civilized land. BUT Henry Ford has no monopoly on the idea nor the method employed.

The present system of "barter and exchange" in Digby County must be wiped out and trading put on a "cash" basis. Wood, piling, lumber, labor, etc., must be paid for with "cash" and not with flour or molasses. There must be no credit to ensnare and ruin the man with a large family and a small credit. Income is a curse to mankind.

The Digby County Industries Trust would establish an industry at every station on the C. P. R. and at every sea coast village and town, and ample funds would be available for this good work. "The Home Builders of Digby County" would bring certain pressure to bear, meaning free factory sites, taxes exempt and such other concessions as we would need to enable us to compete with other manufacturers operating under like conditions elsewhere. In fact, "The Home Builders of Digby County" would see to it that the Government took a hand, building Piers and dredging so that our transportation department could operate to the best advantage. As time goes on you will understand why we first organized the "good will" of Digby County. No, we are not going into politics. We are simply going after the things that rightfully belong to the boys and girls of Digby County.

In my next letter we will take a little stroll over to Bear River or Weymouth or down to Tiverton and make some money just as it is made everywhere else on earth, and why not in Digby County?

GEORGE M. McNEILL,
Chicago, Illinois

Centreville

Mr. and Mrs. Arwell Outhouse spent Sunday at Sandy Cove the guests of Mrs. E. D. Morehouse.

Mrs. Gordon Morehouse has returned from Yarmouth where she was called by the serious illness of her son, Ronald.

Mrs. W. M. B. Denton is spending a few days at Waterford the guest of Mrs. Harry Vidito.

Mrs. Fred Morehouse who has been spending the past few weeks with her mother returned home Tuesday.

The C. G. I. T. spent a very evening at Mrs. Arwell Outhouse Saturday.

The teachers were entertained at Mrs. Ingram Dakins at tea on Wednesday.

Glad to see Miss Harriet Bunker out to church again after being confined to the house for sometime.

Harry Outhouse met with a bad accident Monday falling on the ice and cutting a severe gash in his head.

Roy Graham has returned from Boston where he has been employed for the past months.

Mr. Leonard Morehouse and mother spent Sunday at Sandy Cove.

Mr. Ruby Morehouse has had a radio installed.

Mr. Arch Weir has returned from Boston.

Rev. C. E. Rockingham received a very pleasant surprise on Friday when he was presented with several loads of wood. Tea was served at the parsonage by the ladies of the church.

Mrs. Tuttle Graham entertained a few friends Tuesday evening at Finch.

Mrs. B. Denton of Little River returned to her home on Friday after spending a few weeks with relatives here.

North Range

A. W. Andrews, Sea Book spent Sunday with his family.

Mrs. James Wright who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Wallace Wright has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Andrews spent last week with Mrs. Andrews sister, Mrs. Charles Yarricle, Bear River who is seriously ill.

Mrs. A. W. Andrews and son Tom spent last Sunday with Mrs. Andrews' father Norward Gates, Weymouth Mills.

The Ladies Aid Society met last Thursday in the Baptist church.

Miss Mary Thomas who has been in U. S. for a few months has returned home.

Newman Andrews, Seabrook, spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Andrews.

Alfred Andrews who is attending Digby School spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Andrews.

We are glad to see Eugene White

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ter Mrs. Fred Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander of Point Prim were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Ross on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Daley and daughter George spent Sunday in Gullivers Cove the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. David Peters.

The Misses Dora and Ruby Campbell of Digby spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Enock Campbell.

Charles Adams and Elexandi Adams and Hart Hayden of Bay View were the guests of Mrs. Henrietta Handsaker on Sunday.

Acaciaville

Mrs. B. M. Goldsmith went to St. John last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith and family who have been visiting her brother Bernard have returned to their home in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Carr (Eva Nichols) are visiting friends here before leaving for their home in Saskatchewan.

Several of the men from here attended the farmers meeting at Smith's Cove on Tuesday night.

The Mat Fever is making its annual rounds and has claimed several victims.

Mr. Fred Paysou of Roxbury Mass., has recently purchased a farm from Mr. Warne and expects to reside here in the future; we welcome him and family back near his old home.

out again after a serious accident.

Culloden

Martin VanTasle of the U. S. spent a few days recently in this place.

Roy Middleton spent the week-end in Gullivers Cove with his sis-

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Year	Capital	Reserve	Resources
1833.....	\$ 50,000		\$ 85,863
1843.....	\$ 140,000	\$ 2,568	\$ 267,000
1853.....	\$ 140,000	\$ 5,335	\$ 320,000
1863.....	\$ 560,000	\$ 80,000	\$ 1,718,000
1873.....	\$ 748,000	\$ 80,000	\$ 3,208,000
1883.....	\$ 1,114,300	\$ 470,000	\$ 6,717,000
1893.....	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 10,441,000
1903.....	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 3,100,000	\$ 29,072,000
1913.....	\$ 6,000,000	\$ 11,000,000	\$ 80,151,000
1923.....	\$ 10,000,000	\$ 19,500,000	\$ 227,889,000

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Preaching at Bear River every Sabbath at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Sabbath School at 11.45 a. m.
Prayer Service Wednesday at 7.30 p. m.
C. G. I. T. Friday at 7.30 p. m.
Sabbath afternoon services as follows:
1st Sabbath, Kerr's Corner, 2nd, Lanesdale; 3rd, Bear River East; 4th, Clemeville; 5th, Princeton.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. B. S. Guss, Pastor.
Sunday morning, 10.30, Preaching by the Pastor.
Sunday school, 11.30 a. m.
Evening 7.30, Preaching by the Pastor.
Wednesday evening 7.30. Prayer meeting.
Friday evening, 7.30, B. Y. P. U.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.
Father Somers will hold services in the chapel on the first Sunday in each month.
ADVENT CHURCH.
Sunday services 10.30, 3.00 and 7.30; Sunday School at 11.30; Prayer Meeting Friday at 7.30. Philip J. Cleveland, minister.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND.
December 16th, 10.30 a. m.
December 23rd, 3 p. m.
Christmas Day 10.30 a. m.
December 30th, 10.30 a. m.
January 6th, 3 p. m.
January 13th, 3 p. m.
January 20th, 10.30 a. m.
January 27th, 3 p. m.
February 3rd, 7.30 p. m.
February 10th, 10.30 a. m.
February 17th, 7.30 p. m.
February 24th, 3 p. m.
March 2nd, 10.30 a. m.
Ash Wednesday 3 p. m.

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WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING

A largely attended meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Wednesday afternoon, February 6, in the Masonic Reading Room, when Miss Helen Macdonnell, of Truro, Supt. of the Institute of Nova Scotia was present and addressed the meeting. Regular business was promptly disposed of, including minutes and reports of standing committees. A donation was given toward purchasing a flag for the Boys' Scouts; also it was decided to purchase a flag to be used for our own meetings, etc.

New committees were then appointed as follows:

School visitors—Mrs. Fred Harris, Mrs. A. B. Marshall.

Publicity Committee—Mrs. W. M. Romans, Mrs. L. V. Harris, Miss Blanche Purdy.

Library Committee—Mrs. W. J. Wright, Mrs. P. H. Read, Mrs. Fred Harris.

Entertainment Committee—Miss M. Kinney, Miss L. Henry, Mrs. C. M. Mack.

Miss Macdonnell was then called upon, and responded in her usual pleasing manner. She brought to the meeting a strong address, giving a great many new ideas to work upon during the year of the Institute as regards national problems, Pure Food Laws, and so on. Our work is mainly that of foundation laying, getting a good ground work upon which to build our future endeavors. Several new committees to be formed were then discussed, also about a

Miss Macdonnell then offered a short Demonstration Course in Home Economics, the course to last four days, with two lessons per day. Miss Miller, who has charge of the demonstration, is available for some time during the last of February, so first of March, it was decided to put on the course under institute auspices.

A hearty vote of thanks was given Miss Macdonnell at the conclusion of the talk, after which a mixed quartette was given in costume, and afternoon tea served.

ST. VALENTINE'S SLEIGH DRIVE

On St. Valentine's Feb. 14th, the pupils of the Presbyterian Church of Oakdale celebrated the evening with a straw drive over Victoria Bridge and through Deep Brook.

Still carrying about thirty-four persons left the Post Office about 6.30. After a most enjoyable drive made merry by singing, stories, and games, they returned to Oakdale where an hour was spent in games. A very delicious lunch was served and left for home promising it one of the "best times ever."

A vote of thanks was then given to Miss Henry by the young people for the fine time given them, and Miss Louise Purdy their guest of honor.

In the estate of John H. Benson, late of Bear River, in the County of Digby, Shubert, Deceased.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION at the Court House in Digby, in the County of Digby, on Saturday, the fifth day of March A. D. 1924, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the said land, to license to sell granted by the Court of Probate of the County of Digby, dated the seventh day of February, A. D. 1924.

All the following real property of the deceased that is to say:

FIRST All the Homestead lot including Ship yard, situate at Bear River in the County of Digby, and bounded Northwardly by land now owned or occupied by Herbert Morin, Eastwardly by the River, Southwardly by land now owned or occupied by Norman MacDonald.

Westwardly by the Street leading from the Main Street to the Flat so called.

SECOND A lot of land situated at Meteghan in the said County of Digby on the Northern side of the Main Post Road and bounded as follows:—Commencing at a Post marking on the corner of the residence formerly of Dr. Gaudet at the Main Road and running along the division line Northwesterly from said Post fifty-six feet to a stake, thence Northwesterly parallel with the Main Road fifteen and one half feet to another stake, thence Southwesterly fifty-six feet to another stake at the Main Road, thence Southwesterly along said road fourteen feet to the fence line, thence Southwesterly along the fence line to a well, also a privilege of passing to and from over the road on the north east side of the said land, and of building a step a width of three feet, at the door of the building on said land and also of using the well.

THIRD A lot of land situate at Meteghan in the said County of Digby, and bounded as follows:—Commencing at the western corner of the last lot, and running Northwesterly along the division line between the said land and land formerly of James Cosman to land of Archibald Morrison (in distance of about fifty-eight feet), thence Northwesterly along said Archibald Morrison's land fifteen and one half feet, thence Southwesterly parallel to said division line to the Northern corner of the last described lot, thence Southwesterly along said last described lot fifteen and one half feet to the place of beginning; also the privileges of using a road along said land to the barn (said road being ten feet in width) in common with William Aynde his heirs and assigns.

The last two lots being the same lands conveyed by William Aynde to John H. Benson by deed making in the County of Deeds for the County of Digby in Book 98 at page 398 and in Book 104 at page 369.

Together with the buildings on all the lots above described and the appurtenances thereto belonging.

Terms—Ten per cent deposit at time of sale; remainder on delivery of deed.

ADDIE E. REED, Executor.

FRANK JONES, Digby, N. S., Solicitor for Estate.

Dated Digby, N. S., February 5th, 1924 27-51

MOTHER OF LARGE FAMILY

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Women who suffer should write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Coughing, Ontario, for free copy of Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Letter Book, which contains "Allments Peculiar to Women."

Local and Personal

Master Henry Romans, returned on Wednesday from Halifax, while there he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Romans.

Frank Riddick, of Bridgetown, spent several days in town the last of the week. The Elts Rebekah Lodge met on Monday evening.

Miss Clara Campbell, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mansel and Campbell, returned to Salem, Mass., on Friday.

The small pavilion owned by the Bear River Tennis Club was this week removed from the ship yard on the river road to the property adjoining Capt. Roop's residence, which has recently been purchased by the club.

L. B. Roy who spent several days in Halifax, returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Reginald Goodday entertained a number of her friends with their sewing on Monday evening.

Mrs. A. B. Marshall and Mrs. J. W. Wright were hosts at four tables of bridge at the home of Mrs. A. B. Marshall on Monday afternoon in honor of out of town guests. The lucky prize winners were Miss Desborough and Miss Blanche Purdy.

On Monday evening, the young people of the Baptist B. Y. F. U. took advantage of the moonlight evenings and good roads by going on a "bike". On their return to the parsonage a social hour was enjoyed all present looking forward to another "bike" in the near future.

The Bridge Club met on Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Fred Harris.

Mrs. Burpee Alexander entertained the Baptist Sewing Circle on Tuesday evening.

The Methodist Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. S. Walsh, on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris gave a bridge party on Friday evening. The prize winners were Miss Olive Sanders and Dr. Roop.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anthony gave a most enjoyable bridge party on Wednesday evening, in honor of their guest Miss Jean MacDonald, of Montreal. Bridge was played at eight tables.

HOME ECONOMICS SHORT COURSE

A short course in Home Economics will be given under the auspices of the Women's Institute in the Masonic Reading Room, commencing on Monday afternoon, Feb. 25th. Lectures will be given by Miss Miller, demonstrator of the course and will include Cooking and Home Nursing.

This course is open to all ladies of the town and all School girls over (14) fourteen years of age.

The lectures will commence at three o'clock in the afternoon and at 7.30 in the evenings.

The fee for the whole course of 8 lectures will be 25 cents, due in advance. A small number of places will be used to defray expenses. It is hoped that a large number will attend these lectures as they are most interesting and instructive.

PROGRAM.

4 Lectures in Cooking.
3 Lectures in Home Nursing.
1 Public Meeting.

COOKING.

1 Soups vegetables. Soup accompaniments.
2 Fish and Meat cookery.
3 Quick Breads and Leavenings.
4 Desserts.

HOME NURSING.

1 Physiology, Health Rules etc.
2 Invalid Cookery.
3 Bed-making, changing bedding, bathing patient in bed etc.

STEREOPTICON EXHIBITION

February 29th, a set of ten ektachrome will be given in the Methodist Vestry. Among the pictures will be a set, illustrating Tompkins' "Brook Arden."

ST. VALENTINE'S PARTY.

The Misses Peck, Schmidt and Cornwell teachers in Oakdale School gave a most enjoyable St. Valentine party for the pupils of the High School on Thursday evening. The School room was very prettily decorated with "hearts" for the occasion. During the evening games were played after which, most delicious refreshments were served. The evening was brought to a close by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and "Cheers" for the teachers.

SCHOLAR'S "AT HOME"

On Feb. 14th, the pupils of Grades V and VI were "At Home" to their parents from the hour of two-thirty to three-thirty. The hour was spent in a short review of regular school work, consisting of drawing, higgene, spelling, arithmetic and memory work.

THE ARRIVAL OF KITTY!

This is the night when Kitty arrives! and such a Merry Kitty—truly boys and girls! and the rest of the cast—oh well! I hope you have your seats, as even Lawrence MacSwain will be at a premium in Oakdale Hall to-night.

School Exams

NAME AVERAGE

Eric Robillard 78.8
Florence Beck 77.6
John Hamilton 76.3
Basil Harris 76.3
Marguerite MacGillivray 76.3
Ruby Dunn 76.3
Muriel Curtis 76.3
Carlton Parker 76.3
Hattie Ryan 76.3
Aida Benson 76.3
Leland Robbins 76.3
Selma Stewart 76.3
Edith Hill 76.3
Bertha Freeman 76.3
Nellie Stevens 76.3
Lawrence MacSwain 76.3
Wendall Sullivan 76.3
Orren Woodworth 76.3
Clayton Robbins 76.3
Walter Currie 76.3

NAME AVERAGE

Reginald Harris 81.8
Gatherine Hirtle 81.8
Wilfred Hirtle 81.8
Frederick Kempton 81.8
Carlton Hirtle 81.8
Chester Snell 81.8
Selma Stewart 81.8
Clayton Harris 81.8
Edith Trimmer 81.8
Mildred Chute 81.8
Edith Wilkes 81.8
Lawrence MacSwain 81.8
Bernice MacDonnald 81.8

NAME AVERAGE

James Hubley 73.3
Jennie Peck 71.8
Helen Woodworth 71.8
Phyllis Darron 71.8
Margaret Parry 71.8
Hattie Peck 71.8

NAME AVERAGE

Grace Hubley 73.3
Courtney Harris 63.8
Evelyn Chute 63.8
Florence Dunn 63.8
Bruce Reid 58.6
Edwina Morine 47.2
Walter Fries 39.3
Evelyn Sullivan 39.3
Grace Simpson 36.3

NAME AVERAGE

Randall Cushman 78.3
Hattie Macdonnell 78.3
Melita Ford 78.3
Edith Wilkes 78.3
Edwina Morine 78.3
Wilfred Woodworth 78.3

NAME AVERAGE

Billy Anthony 83.3
Robert Rice 83.3
Hattie Macdonnell 83.3
Aida Benson 83.3
Pauline Woodworth 83.3
Allister Harris 83.3
Norman Robillard 83.3
Florence Beck 83.3
George Langley 83.3
Mable Morine 83.3
Eileen Copland 83.3
Edward MacDonnald 83.3
Edith Kempton 83.3
Lawson Harris 83.3

NAME AVERAGE

Willard MacIntyre 84.7
Florence Beck 84.7
Audrey Robillard 84.7
Vivian Rice 84.7
Lawrence Colndae 84.7
Clayton Hirtle 84.7
Willard Peck 84.7
Jennie Alexander 84.7
Edith Hill 84.7
Bruce Fullerton 84.7
Margaret Milbury 84.7
Boyd Goss 84.7
Anna Davis 84.7
Ethel Reid 84.7
Bertha Dukeshire 84.7
Harold Stewart 84.7
Dorothy Stevens 84.7
Goldie Coombs 84.7
Allen Harris 84.7
John Harris 84.7
John MacGillivray 84.7
Victor Rice 84.7
Harry Hill 84.7
Gordon Rice 84.7

NAME AVERAGE

Marion Prude 88.6
Muriel Curtis 88.6
Henry Romans 88.6
Eileen Baxter 88.6
Donald MacDonnald 88.6
Alfreda Coombe 88.6
Kenneth Wamboldt 88.6
George Davis 88.6
Edith Hill 88.6
Malcolm Parker 88.6
Jessie Kennedy 88.6
Bertha Woodworth 88.6
Llewellyn Hudson 88.6

NAME AVERAGE

Woodford Davis 87.4
Helen Harris 87.4
Lawrence Hubley 87.4
George Milbury 87.4
Avis Morine 87.4
Marion MacGillivray 87.4
Alva Benson 87.4
Margaret Benson 87.4
Walter Reid 87.4
Edith Robillard 87.4
Thora MacGillivray 87.4
Mertie Harris 87.4
Maurice Nicholl 87.4

NAME AVERAGE

Ethel DeLong 82.9
Lillian Rice 82.9
Lillian Harris 82.9
Edna Coombe 82.9
Alice Wentzell 82.9
Evelyn Harris 82.9
Catherine Morgan 82.9
Carl Campbell 82.9
Frank Parker 82.9
Verna Burke 82.9
Willie Hudson 82.9
Helen Barkhouse 82.9
Marge Morgan 82.9
Keith MacDonnald 82.9

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Lillian Harris 82.9
Edna Coombe 82.9
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Evelyn Harris 82.9
Catherine Morgan 82.9
Carl Campbell 82.9
Frank Parker 82.9
Verna Burke 82.9
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Marge Morgan 82.9
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Nellie Stevens 76.3
Lawrence MacSwain 76.3
Wendall Sullivan 76.3
Orren Woodworth 76.3
Clayton Robbins 76.3
Walter Currie 76.3

NAME GRADE VII

Annabel Dukeshire 59.2
Alice Dukeshire 59.2
Walter Perkins 65.7
Ada Jefferson 65.7
Norman Maling 61.8
Rocco Burrell 53.3
Willis Buckler 53.3
Malcorn Robar 52.2

NAME GRADE IV

Muriel VanBuskirk 76.3
Lila Perkins 70.2
Mildred Dukeshire 65.7
Ruby Blackadar 53.3
Marguerite Blackadar 53.3
Elsworth Varrill 46.0
Clayton Buckler 49.3

NAME GRADE III

Elizabeth VanBuskirk 85.3
Courtland Wilkes 71.3
Mildred Dukeshire 58.4

NAME GRADE II

Muriel Dukeshire 88.3
Carnot VanBuskirk 79.3
Mary Dukeshire 74.2
From GRADE I TO GRADE II

NAME GRADE I

James Hubley 73.3
Jennie Peck 71.8
Helen Woodworth 71.8
Phyllis Darron 71.8
Margaret Parry 71.8
Hattie Peck 71.8

NAME GRADE X

Grace Hubley 73.3
Courtney Harris 63.8
Evelyn Chute 63.8
Florence Dunn 63.8
Bruce Reid 58.6
Edwina Morine 47.2
Walter Fries 39.3
Evelyn Sullivan 39.3
Grace Simpson 36.3

NAME GRADE IX

Randall Cushman 78.3
Hattie Macdonnell 78.3
Melita Ford 78.3
Edith Wilkes 78.3
Edwina Morine 78.3
Wilfred Woodworth 78.3

NAME GRADE VIII

Billy Anthony 83.3
Robert Rice 83.3
Hattie Macdonnell 83.3
Aida Benson 83.3
Pauline Woodworth 83.3
Allister Harris 83.3
Norman Robillard 83.3
Florence Beck 83.3
George Langley 83.3
Mable Morine 83.3
Eileen Copland 83.3
Edward MacDonnald 83.3
Edith Kempton 83.3
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Willard MacIntyre 84.7
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John Harris 84.7
John MacGillivray 84.7
Victor Rice 84.7
Harry Hill 84.7
Gordon Rice 84.7

NAME GRADE VI

Marion Prude 88.6
Muriel Curtis 88.6
Henry Romans 88.6
Eileen Baxter 88.6
Donald MacDonnald 88.6
Alfreda Coombe 88.6
Kenneth Wamboldt 88.6
George Davis 88.6
Edith Hill 88.6
Malcolm Parker 88.6
Jessie Kennedy 88.6
Bertha Woodworth 88.6
Llewellyn Hudson 88.6

NAME GRADE V

Woodford Davis 87.4
Helen Harris 87.4
Lawrence Hubley 87.4
George Milbury 87.4
Avis Morine 87.4
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A Home Or
A House

Putting it on paper as the meteorologists show the temperature range or as the statistical sharps trace the rise and fall of prosperity, your life and mine as indicated by our movements to and fro would look something like the spokes of a wheel, only uneven in length and infinitely more numerous, but each radiating from a common center—the home.

There would be paths to the grocers, the butcher's the clothier's the office, the shop or the store, black with frequent traveling; there would be other lines reaching out to church, to school, to libraries, to theatres and one or two perhaps through a Gethsemane of personal sorrow to the cemetery on the hill—but all, with the exception of the last one returning to the place from which they started, the normal, rightful abode of all that we hold dear.

Home is the basic unit of all social, all political, all religious thought and values and just as surely as we raise the standard of our home life so do we contribute in like degree to the character and tone of our town, our state and our national life. To be sure the essential qualities of a successful home cannot be bought or sold, neither can they be taught or learned by the individuals themselves or they do not come at all—granted that; nevertheless environment, the physical side of the home—the house and its surroundings—yield a greater influence than we are frequently willing to admit.

Money doubtless could not induce you to part with the memory of the kindly old elm that spread its deep shade like a cooling carpet for bare feet just outside the kitchen door and whose giant arms were always extended to support the rope for your swing. And there is, yes, even yet the recurring fragrance of roses riotously climbing the trellis to send their full-blown sweetness through the windows of your room.

Corpers, nooks and angles in the dear old house each have their particular association and have become a part of life itself.

For Drunken
Drivers

The decision, that the crime of driving an automobile while drunk is a felony, is one which should result in more uniform punishment for the offence in this state.

Under this ruling the offender will be brought before the grand jury for indictment and will not be subject to the jurisdiction of police courts or trial justices, who may have more lenient views than will obtain when the gravity of the crime is emphasized under the new procedure.

The law as now amended fixes the penalty imprisonment for not less than 30 days nor more than one year, or a fine not exceeding \$1000 or both fine and imprisonment.

It would seem that we have the law and the method of applying it well prescribed. There remains the enforcement. That had, it is reasonable to suppose the minds of those who have no other scruples against driving cars when drunk will find this at least a substitute for a very compelling scruple; in other words they will arrange their drinks for some other locality than

behind the steering wheel of an automobile. It is time they did so anyhow.

The Problems
Of Living

A college professor on the Pacific coast told an audience of school teachers that the greatest human problem in the world to-day is the problem of living together.

But is it such a problem after all? Is it not simply unless we make it complex?

The science of living together is after all, not a science at all. It is friendliness. Nothing more.

People who dwell in peace and happiness are friendly people. They make friends by being friends to others.

There is no deep secret about it. Reduced to its simplest terms, living together in peace and harmony is practicing friendliness to everyone, never harboring hatred and never questioning the motives of others.

Now and then, perhaps, you may find some perverse souls who refuse to permit you to practice the art of friendliness on them.

But in the long run, being friendly will overcome barriers that could not otherwise be scaled.

Harlem

Mrs. H. E. Walker, Andrew Elliott and Fred Richardson spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Ford, Hassett.

Miss Isabelle Walker had tea with her friends Miss Dorothy and Bertha Mullen on Tuesday.

The young people of Harlem spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Boudreau.

Hector Barr had tea with his friend Dorothy Mullen on Sunday. Miss Dorothy Mullen spent the week-end with her friend Miss Violet Cook, Weymouth.

Ernest Hersey had the misfortune breaking two ribs while working in the logging woods.

Andrew Elliott had the misfortune of cutting his foot while cutting pulp wood.

Clyde Amoro, who is working in the logging woods spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Amoro.

Osborne Smith who is working in the logging woods spent Sunday with his family.

Central Grove

Edmund Guier who has spent the past few months in Boston returned home last week.

Carl Tibert, of Digby, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tibert.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Finigan, of Boston, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Powell, last week.

W. M. A. S. meets at the home of Mrs. C. M. Tibert, Wed. 20th.

Quite a number from here attended the Powell and Finigan reception at Freeport Thursday 14th.

Miss Lulu DeLaney and her friend Clarence Bates, of Freeport, spent Sunday the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Byron DeLaney.

Culloden

Mr. and Mrs. Gered Banks and children, of Roseway, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. William Hazell.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hazell and family, of Digby, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ross on Sunday.

William Daley and daughter Elida, spent Sunday in Brighton with Mr. and Mrs. Hantford Daley.

Rubs by Rambler

In this column not long ago we quoted the saying that "law is merely common sense expressed in legal phraseology." This may be only partly true, but in any case there is no reason why common sense should not be used in the making and carrying out of laws. The law governing motor cars, which provides that new license tags must be shown on or after January 1st, is one of the laws of the province, notably Annapolis, this law is strictly enforced. In Digby, we have been in the custom of allowing car owners to use their last year's tags up to April or May each year. We're not arguing for or against a more strict observance of the law, it is more or less of a hold up so far as fees are concerned, but if there are any fines imposed every car owner should be treated alike. Considering the habit that has prevailed of late years, there would appear to be only one sensible thing to do, and that is to notify the owner of every car at present in operation in our town (there are very few) that unless new license tags are displayed within one week after January 1st, they will be prosecuted. Then when the time limit has expired go after every car seen on our streets without 1924 license.

Whatever may be said about the Americanization of the business of operating a motor car, we have always considered the playing of bridge to be a pure and simple pastime or recreation. Not so with all players. We have recently encountered some who make of the game a serious business—a life or death matter that so absorbs the mind and attention that all other considerations are overlooked. To see such concentration applied to a social afternoon game, would seem to be a waste of time and energy. The personal satisfaction of playing is the personal satisfaction of playing; the personal satisfaction of playing; the personal satisfaction of playing.

Arguing against the proposed increase in the cost of coal to miners (to \$3.50 per ton, think of it.) Mayor Morrison of Cape Breton, stated that the average miner used a ton of coal a month. Winter in Cape Breton, as some of us know, lasts about six months, so that a miner living in a small miner's cottage would burn 24 tons of coal during the cold weather. So long as exaggerated claims as this are made the miners or their advocates can expect little sympathy from those who like ourselves are content to pull through the winter on six or eight tons of coal costing \$12 per ton.

The public meeting held Friday evening at Hamilton's Hall for the purpose of discussing fire protection and electric lighting, was very well attended. A representative number of the leading business men of the town. The minutes of the preliminary meeting held two weeks previous were read and approved. Rev. Morris Taylor who is the leading spirit in these vital matters affecting the town, presided at the meeting. The Rev. Morris Taylor was elected secretary. The main question discussed was whether the town of Weymouth should be a member of the Village Supply Act, Chapter 3, of the statutes of 1923. It was suggested, after consideration, that the residents of Weymouth came under the act. A vote was taken and the motion of suggestion was passed unanimously.

A committee of five W. G. Blackader, E. F. Hamilton, R. S. Hallett, Louis Steinhilber, and E. R. Gaudet, was appointed by the meeting to act in the matter of laying the boundary lines of the district and also to secure the signing of the requisition to be presented to the Board of the county. Fifteen ratepayers signed the requisition at the meeting.

The movement to accomplish benefits for Weymouth gives a strong impetus at the assembly of last evening.

Obituary

RICHARD RUGGLES.
Richard Ruggles, third son of the late Richard and Mary Ann (Purdy) Ruggles, of Upper Clements, N. S., passed away at his late residence in Danvers, Mass., Friday, Feb. 8th.

He is the last of twelve children and a twin brother of Timothy who pre-deceased him a few years ago. Mr. Ruggles had been living in Danvers for many years. He was eighty years old. Mr. Ruggles was a great grandson, of Brig. Gen. Timothy Ruggles, of Colonial fame.

His wife, Elsie Harris Hunt, his niece, who in spite of her affection of lameness had visited him many times during his illness was with him in his last hours, the end came very peacefully, after rising erect and looking at his watch at ten minutes of two p. m. he looked around as though he recognized one or more persons then lay back in his niece's arms and passed quietly away.

Funeral services were held Sunday Feb. 10th, from the Calvary Episcopal Church, of that town. Burial at Broughton Street Cemetery.

Mr. Ruggles was a farmer, always being employed on large estates, a dour lover of animals, oxen and horses especially, it always being very notable how they obeyed him by kind speech only.

Mr. Ruggles was a brother to Annilla, the wife of the late John G. Rice, of Digby.

SEWING CIRCLE GOSSIP

There was some discussion at the Sewing Circle this week about the respective merits of local and western beef.

The wife of the new Bank Manager said that she had no preference; she would just as soon have one as the other. The only thing on her table she said about which she was very particular, was her coffee. She insisted on LUXOR ORIENTAL COFFEE, and would take no other kind. If the grocer sent her any other kind she sent it back. The new bank manager's wife is a strong-minded woman and a sensible one too.

A. G. McIntyre and W. G. Clark, of River, were visitors in Digby Sunday and paid the Editor a friendly visit.

HODKEY AND
THAT SORT
OF THING

To the Editor of the Courier:

Having been requested to write my views on the hockey situation in Digby, I thank you in advance for the publication of the same. Because I have every reason to believe that you will support the good clean athletes of this country in their efforts to keep Digby on the sporting map of this country.

During the past few weeks two county teams have met the school-boy's team of Digby town.

Both outdoor teams were heavier, older in years, had just as much standing, but were defeated by the younger and lighter opponents because they lacked two great essentials—team play and ability to shoot.

Digby won because they at times assisted each other, and were able to shoot more accurately.

Dear River and Church Point do not have the advantage of playing in a rink at all times but I can encourage them by saying that not so many years ago a certain hockey team in this Province never saw the inside of a rink until the night of their first league game, but they went through the league without a defeat and won the championship of Nova Scotia. And I want to tell you that they were beaten by the slickest combination players in the league and were all dead shot. But more of the later.

In common with many others I regret that the school-team is not playing for the Herald Trophy.

That trophy carries with it the championship of school hockey of Nova Scotia and I feel confident that our little school team is the best bet in the province and if they had proper training they would demonstrate the same. I have my contention on my fifteen years experience in managing and coaching hockey clubs, and I freely admit that during all that experience with senior, intermediate and junior teams I have never seen a hockey team of their weight, and limited knowledge of the game play such good hockey. But they must learn to combine, and to always remember that it is how many goals are scored that counts, and not who scored them. So help your team-mates by passing him the puck, then when he gets the old time you will share in the glory.

The player who hogs the puck never gets anywhere in hockey. He gets all the bumps and very few of the goals. He may be first in his own estimation but spectators' opinions are different. The most valuable players have gone many games without scoring but they always figure in the assist. The Digby school team have shown much improvement and it is hard to praise one more than the other. Jones is the right boy at centre. He is a good shot but he must learn to get that shot loose. When he does that he will fill the net with pucks. DuVeret is a valuable player because he never fails to the lad who has a better chance to score than himself.

Case surprised me by putting up such a good game against Church Point. He is a fast, but must learn how to look for his team mates. Baxter and Denton are both fast and wicked shots, but Baxter would be more valuable if he stayed on the ice all the time.

Weir has class as a goal-keeper and will be the real thing when he learns to turn the puck away with the hand instead of the centre of the stick.

Raymond, Tupper and Eldridge are substitutes that any team can be proud of. They are three brainy players and a wonderful help to the team.

All in all it is a mighty good bunch, and if I criticize it is only because I wish to help them. They are giving us the only sport we are having this Winter and should be given every support.

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ALFRED BODEN,
Town Clerk

Weymouth

George O. Haskinson returned on Saturday from a business trip to Yarmouth in connection with the arrival of his Sch. J. Scott Haskinson.

Mrs. Frank Saulnier returned Friday from a visit to her daughters, Mrs. Harrington, St. John.

Major Emil Schulin who for the past three months has been visiting at his former home in France where he met the members of his family who since the war are living there, returned home Tuesday. George Amerault of Yarmouth is visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Comeau.

Emile Gaudet, station agent at Church Point was in town Saturday attending the funeral of his sister the late Mrs. Emile LeBlanc.

Dr. Dickie of Barton was in town on Thursday calling on friends.

A Valentine party in aid of the Methodist parlour was held in Hamilton's Hall Thursday evening. A large crowd was present and the evening was spent in games and musical selections were rendered. Solos were sung by L. H. Potter, Miss Margaret Hamilton and Miss Vera Corbin. The accompanists were Mrs. J. D. Rice, Miss Gladys Gates and Miss Ruth Goodwin. A feature of the evening was the hat trimming contest in which the most grotesque and outlandish and which caused considerable fun. First prize in the contest was won by L. H. Potter and E. Hamilton captured the trophy. The proceeds amounted to eighty dollars. Refreshments were served. The occasion was also the twenty anniversary of the new Methodist church.

Dr. E. O. Hallett returned from a trip to Boston on Tuesday. He was accompanied by Mrs. and daughter, Miss Daisy Hallett, who have been visiting relatives for the past few weeks.

Bernard LeBlanc left on Tuesday for Lynn, Mass. to assume his employment having come home to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Emile LeBlanc. He was accompanied by his brother Edward.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Emile LeBlanc was held from her late residence on Saturday morning at nine o'clock. The funeral procession which left the house about 3.30 o'clock, arrived at St. Joseph's R. C. church where the services were held. A solemn High Mass of Requiem was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Luke Thibault, assisted by Rev. Luke Gaudet, student at the Holy Cross Seminary, Halifax, brother of the deceased, as deacon, and Rev. Augustus Himm as sub-deacon. In the sanctuary were the Rev. Fathers Mery, of Church Point, Doucette, of Plympton, and Melanson, of St. Bernard. The church was well filled with the largest congregations ever present at a funeral service in this community.

People of all walks of life and all denominations were present to pay their last respects to one whom they revered in life.

The choir of St. Joseph's church rendered the Mass, assisted by A. F. Hache, of Meteghan organizer of the Artisans' Chorus, Halifax, Ulysses Comeau, professor of music at St. Ann's College, Church Point, and Louis Thibault, also of Church Point. Prof. Comeau presided at the organ. At the offertory Dr. H. J. Fother, beautifully and touchingly rendered in solo, "Nearer My God To Thee". As the body was removed from the church to its last resting place in the R. C. cemetery many an eye was moist. Rev. Father Doucette conducted the services at the grave. The pallbearers were deceased's three sons, Fred, Edward, and brother, Charles Gaudet.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Langford, a well known and respected resident of Weymouth Falls, whose death occurred suddenly on Saturday the 9th inst., was held from her late residence on Tuesday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. G. Pente, and burial was in Riverside Baptist church, Weymouth Falls. The late Mrs. Langford was born in Dartmouth, N. S., April 17, 1857. Besides her husband she is survived by seven daughters, Mrs. Herbert Daniels, Dartmouth; Mrs. Vincent Chandler, Halifax; Mrs. Chas. Adams, Boston and Mrs. Clifford Sisco, New York; and Caroline, Daisy and Beatrice at home, two sons, Chester and Reginald at home, two brothers, Fred Tyne, of St. John, N. B., and Joseph Tyne, of Framingham, Mass., and one sister, Mrs. Rosie Johnson, of Boston. The entire family were home for the funeral services.

Mrs. Leger Doucette entertained at a birthday party.

Mrs. Leger Gaudet arrived Saturday from Comeauville and is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leger Gaudet.

Mr. Henry Langford and family wish to thank the many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown in their recent sad bereavement.

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Ralph Teed of Freeport is visiting his sister Miss Mary Teed for a few days.

Cecil Smith of Dorchester is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith.

Miss Margaret Dunn spent the week-end with Miss Annie Green.

Mrs. John Teed and Miss Helen Sabean spent Sunday at Moody Mullen's camp.

Miss Clara Sabean teacher of Easton and Miss Violet Mullen spent the week-end with the former's mother Mrs. A. J. Hobbs.

Cecil Smith, Ralph Teed, Roger Sabean and Stanley Sabean spent Monday at Moody Mullen's camp.

Thurston Mullen and Miss Mildred Marr spent Sunday at Miss Marr's home.

Clifford and Vincent Gaudett spent Sunday at their home here.

Irwin Beaudreau of Harlow is visiting friends in this place at time of writing.

We are glad to report Nellie Lewis able to go to school again after her recent illness.

Miss Thelma Mullen who has been ill with diphtheria in Hebron is spending a few days at the home of her father Robie Mullen.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Wagner of Riverdale spent Sunday at Moody Mullen's camp.

Elise Bourgeois spent the week-end at Moody Mullen's camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gaudett and family also Lewis Thibault and Irvin Beaudreau spent Monday at Sprague Lake.

A Basket Social will be held in the New Tusket Hall on Saturday evening March 1st. Proceeds for



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Miss Jacqueline Stelina of Church Point left on Thursday for Halifax where she entered the Congregation of the Good Shepherd as a religion. She was accompanied by her mother who returned home Saturday.

Rev. Father Thibault motored to Doucetteville on Monday returning Tuesday, while there he called upon several of his fellow parishioners.

Raymond Comeau of Middle West Pubnico was in town calling on friends this week.

Mrs. H. Daniels who attended the funeral of her mother Mrs. Wm. Langford has returned to her home in St. John's.

Major Emil Stelina of Church Point was in town Saturday on business.

Miss Emma Saulnier left for St. John Saturday to visit her sister Mrs. Harrington.

Mrs. Rosie Johnson and Mrs. Clifford Sisco who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Henry Langford left on Tuesday for their respective homes in Boston and New York.

Harry Harris, cook of the sch. J. Scott Hankinson spent a few days this week with his family.

Rev. Luke Gaudett left on Wednesday for Halifax to resume his studies at the Holy Heath Seminary.

Rev. Luke Gaudett, arrived Thursday from Halifax to attend the funeral of his sister the late Mrs. Eugene LeBlanc. Mr. Gaudett who has only five months more of study before being ordained to the priesthood was allowed leave of absence of a week and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Gaudett, Ohio, during his stay.

Edward LeBlanc arrived Friday to attend the funeral of his late mother, Mrs. Berneice LeBlanc.

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Obituary

The Angel of Death, which for the past few days has been hovering over the home of **James LeBlanc**, entered the death chamber on Wednesday morning and took away his beloved wife. Confined to her bed with a serious illness which despite the best efforts of attending physicians and specialist gradually grew worse. She bore the suffering with perfect resignation until death released her, the circumstances of her passing are sad and distressing. A little over three weeks ago she gave birth to her twelfth child a baby girl. A true Christian mother her life was spent in earning for the large family. Deceased was only 43 years of age. She leaves to mourn the loss of a loving wife and devoted mother her husband and eleven children, nine sons, **Bernard** of Lynn, **Fred**, **Eugene**, **Philip**, **Richard**, **Albert**, **Gustave** and **Wilson**, all at home and **Edward** of Lynn and three daughters **Catherine**, **Marguerite** and **the Baby**. Her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Gaudett, Ohio, six brothers, **Valerie**, and **Desire** of Lynn, Mass., **Emily** Church Point, Rev. **Luke Gaudett** at the Holy Heart Seminary, **Halifax** Charles Jr. and **Alceste** at home, and two sisters, **Mrs. Geo. Comeau** of this place and **Mrs. Eva Thibault** Whites Cove also survive.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved husband and family. The late Mrs. LeBlanc was a devoted Catholic a member of St. Joseph's Parish and during her illness had the consolation of receiving the last Sacrament of her religion. The funeral will be held Saturday morning with Requiem High Mass at St. Joseph's church. Burial will be in the R. C. Cemetery.

CHANDLER—MELANSON
A wedding of interest to Halifax and Digby County people was celebrated in Providence, Rhode Island on Wednesday Jan. 9th, when Miss **Bertha Allen Melanson**, sister of Mrs. Charles A. Curtis of Halifax and a former resident of Weymouth was united in marriage to Mr. **Willis Edgar Chandler** of Providence.

The Bride will be remembered as principal of the West Pubnico school, leaving this work she graduated from the Nurses Training School of the Rhode Island Hospital in Providence, and was appointed Supervisor for the Providence District Association. Upon outbreak of the World War she volunteered for service and was on duty for one year in the Chateau Thierry section in France. At the close of the war she returned to Rhode Island and organized district and industrial nursing service covering Smithfield. During the summer of 1923 she acted as Superintendent of the Providence Floating Hospital.

Mr. Chandler is a well known social worker having been identified for the past ten years in the organization of public health work throughout Rhode Island. After a trip of several weeks through Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Chandler will make their residence in Providence.

So Declares Mother Of Twin Babies.

Mrs. Frank Cox, R. R. No. 2, Mountain Grove, Ontario, says: "My twin babies, aged twenty-one months were seized with convulsions and croup. They were so choked up that I did not know what to do. Finally I rubbed their chests and throats with Vicks Vapor Rub and

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Bear River East
Cleveland Jefferson met with a painful accident while coasting Thursday evening.

Miss **Annie Ruggles** accompanied by Miss **Irma Rice** of Deep Brook, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. **Kenneth Sanford** spent Sunday at Deep Brook.

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Obituary

JOHN K. WINCHESTER.

The death of John K. Winchester Esq., one of the oldest and most respected of our citizens took place Tuesday morning. Mr. Winchester was born in Granville 71 years ago.

About 35 years ago he moved to Lowell, Mass., and became associated with the railways there. A few years ago he returned to his home here, where he has been actively interested in everything that pertains to the well being of the community. Up to New Years he was in his usual good health when he was suddenly attacked with illness. An obliging neighbor and a man of more than average ability has passed away leaving a large circle of friends to mourn his departure.

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In The Supreme Court

1923. "A" No. 553
BETWEEN: James M. Roop Plaintiff
and Fred A. Rice Defendant

Before the Honorable J. Arthur Croftson, Judge of the County Court for District No. 3 and Master Ex-Officio of the Supreme Court in Chambers at Digby.

Upon reading the Affidavit of Frank W. Nichols, sworn herein on the twelfth day of February A. D. 1924, and the papers on file herein, and on hearing Mr. Nichols for the Plaintiff herein.

The Plaintiff herein having in pursuance of an order granted by this Honorable Court bearing date the twenty-sixth day of October A. D. 1923, issued a Writ of Summons herein on the twelfth day of November A. D. 1923 for service out of the jurisdiction.

It is Ordered that the Plaintiff be at liberty to serve the said Writ upon the Defendant Fred A. Rice at any place in the Dominion of Canada or within the United States of America, by sending the same by prepaid registered post in an envelope addressed to the said Defendant Fred A. Rice at Bear River in the County of Digby, and by inserting an advertisement of such order and Writ twice in the Digby Weekly Courier, a Newspaper Published at Digby, in the Province of Nova Scotia, by one insertion each for two consecutive weeks, and that the posting of such Writ and order and the insertion of such advertisement shall be good and sufficient service of the Writ of Summons herein upon the said Defendant Fred A. Rice.

And It is Further Ordered that the said Defendant Fred A. Rice shall have thirty days after the said posting of said Writ and order to appear and answer to such advertisement which ever may list order within which to enter an appearance to the Writ of Summons herein.

Dated Digby, N. S. this twelfth day of February A. D. 1924.

Signed, JAMES A. TAYLOR, Prothonotary.

In The Supreme Court

1923. "A" No. 553
BETWEEN: James M. Roop Plaintiff
and Fred A. Rice Defendant

George The Fifth, by the Grace of God and etc.

To Fred A. Rice, residing at Manchester, in the County of Hillsborough and State of New Hampshire.

We Command You, that within twenty days after the service of this writ on you, inclusive of the day of such service, you do cause an appearance to be entered on your action at the suit is James M. Roop.

And Take Notice that in default of your so doing, the Plaintiff may proceed therein and judgment may be given in your absence.

I issued the 20th day of November A. D. 1923.

PLAINTIFF'S SOLICITOR.
N. B.—This writ is to be served within twelve calendar months from the date hereof, or if renewed, within six calendar months from the date of the last renewal, including the day of such date and not afterwards.

The Defendant may appear hereto by entering an appearance, either personally or by his Solicitor at the Prothonotary's Office at Digby, in the County of Digby Nova Scotia.

The Plaintiff's claim is against the Defendant for the forfeiture of a certain Indenture of mortgage dated the twenty-second day of January A. D. 1921, made by the said Defendant at the Prothonotary's Office at Digby, in the County of Digby, for the sum of \$257.00 payable in one year from the date thereof with interest at seven per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and for sale of the said land at Public Auction in payment of the amount due on the said mortgage, and for possession of the land and premises described in the said mortgage.

Particulars:
1921.
1923.
And 22—To value of Mortgage \$257.00 Oct. 8—To interest to date \$0.75

To amount due on Mortgage \$207.75 This writ was issued by Francis W. Nichols of Digby, Nova Scotia, Solicitor for the said Plaintiff, whose address is Hill Grove, in the County of Digby.

N. B. This writ is to be used where the Defendant or all the defendants, or one or more defendant or defendants is or are resident in the Jurisdiction. When the defendant to be served is not a British Subject, and is not in British Dominions, notice of the writ, and not the writ itself, to be served upon him.

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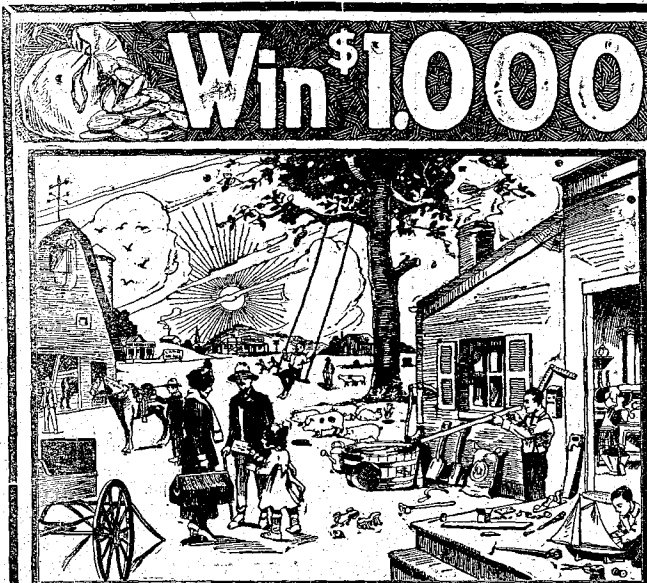
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YOUNG AND OLD, JOIN IN THE FUN

The Halifax Morning Chronicle and The Evening Echo announce today a most interesting and amusing puzzle game—a puzzle that is different and a game in which all can participate—from the infant child to grandfather and great-grandmother. It really is a puzzle at all for all the objects have been made perfectly plain, with no attempt to disguise or hide them. There are no small but what the poorest eyesight can see them; it is a test of skill. Your ability to find "S" words determines the prize you win. We suggest this evening, gather all the members of your family together; give each of them a pencil and sheet of paper, and see who can find the most "S" words. You'll be surprised to find how many a find. Send in your list after a few minutes study. Sit down NOW and try to find them, send in your list and try for the big prize.

COSTS NOTHING TO TRY

It costs nothing to take part and you do not have to send in a cash subscription to win a prize. If your answer is awarded first prize by the judges, you will win \$20.00, but if you would like to win more than \$20.00, we are making special cash prizes during this Big Advertising and Reader Campaign whereby you can win bigger cash prizes by sending in one or two subscriptions to either The Morning Chronicle or The Evening Echo.

OBSERVE THESE RULES

1. Any man, woman, girl or boy who is not an employee of The Halifax Morning Chronicle, or a member of an employer's family may submit an answer.
2. All answers must be mailed by March 1st, 1924.
3. Answers should be written on one side of the paper, only and words numbered consecutively: 1, 2, 3, etc. Write your full name and address on each page of the paper, and use a separate sheet.
4. Only words found in the English Dictionary will be counted. Do not use proper nouns, compound words, or words of more than one syllable. Use either the singular or plural, but where the plural is used, the singular cannot be counted and vice versa.
5. Words of the same spelling can be used only once, even though used to designate different objects. The same object can be named only once; however, any part of the object may be named.
6. The answer having the largest and nearest correct list of names of visible objects shown in the picture will be awarded first prize. Nextness, style, or handwriting has no bearing upon deciding the winners.
7. Candidates may cooperate in answering the puzzle, but only one prize will be awarded to any one household nor will prizes be awarded to more than one of any group outside the family, where two or more have been working together.
8. All answers will be received the same consideration, regardless of whether or not a subscription for either The Morning Chronicle or The Evening Echo is sent in.
9. Those who will be three independent judges, having no connection with The Morning Chronicle or The Evening Echo, will judge the answers submitted, and award the prizes at the end of the puzzle game. The judge will send in his report to the publisher, and accept the decision of the judge as final and conclusive.
10. Candidates will meet on March 12th, 1924, and the answers will be read and prizes awarded. The prize winners and correct list of words will be published in both The Morning Chronicle and The Evening Echo as quickly thereafter as possible.
11. Subscribers (both new or renewed) will be accepted by mail or carrier will be accepted for the Big \$1000.00 prize. At least one NEW subscription must be sent in. A new list of one who has not been received by the publisher will be accepted for the Big \$1000.00 prize. Subscriptions must be sent in by March 1st, 1924.

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Do You Take Your Child Seriously?

"A Boy's will is the wind's will, And the thoughts of youth are long, long thoughts."

Most of us who are parents make one mistake commoner, more nearly universal, than any other. We fail to take seriously the real tragedies of youth. And these are tragedies in truth, no less real and intense because of their ultimate triviality. Youth feels with an intensity and a grim finality that age rarely understands, or that age, once understanding, has forgotten. For it is strange how unskilled is age in the re-creation of the hot emotions of youth.

The check on desire, the bafflement of hope, the collapse of plans are tragic to boys and girls because their brief experience of life has not been long enough or broad enough to give them even the beginnings of perspective. And without perspective life which may reach the heights of ecstasy one moment is utterly grim the next. Youth has

acquired no balance with which to weigh the past and present, no measures by which to gauge the future.

Youth, unacquainted with the blessed necromancy of time, sees in every childish grief the end of joy, the insurmountable bar to happiness. No future has more than a moment of youth's regard, and that moment envisions only dreams and roses. Thus it is not strange that sorrow, however ultimately unimportant, blankets the child's world with so dark a shadow.

These are just facts that every father and mother should know. Few do know them, or if they do, they do not sense the duty which such understanding lays upon them. Take your child and his griefs with all the seriousness that an occasion of importance demands. This does not mean that you shall mourn with him, share his gloom, or emphasize his pain by emphasizing its reality.

It means that you shall understand his viewpoint, and understanding that viewpoint, you shall deal with him intelligently. It means that you shall lead him through his valley and make plain to him as best you can the length and breadth of other valleys through which he must pass.

This is not as hard a task as it sounds. For boys and girls are more easily taught, and led and influenced than grown-ups. Despite all you can do the griefs of boyhood and of girlhood must always be exaggerated. But with patience and with intelligence you can plant the beginnings of that perspective which makes life tolerable and more than tolerable. All this is not alone for youth's comfort. Nor is it for the relief of exasperated parents. It is primarily because youthful emotions carry over into maturity amazing imprints. Childish sorrows and childish reactions must not be permitted to set too forcefully. The course of character wears deep the grooves of early years.

The affairs of your child, however little in your eyes, are among the most important affairs in your life.

Freeport

The men are busy getting their usual supply of ice for the various fish firms.

A number of the young friends met last Monday evening at the home of Ralph Morrell, superintendent of our Sabbath School, and were entertained by him and Mrs. Morrell in their usual genial manner.

Our pastor, the Rev. G. W. Brooker, has, owing to failing health, been forced to leave his church and seek medical aid in Toronto. Mrs. Brooker is making preparations to join her husband shortly. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to them in their trouble.

A. H. Thurber, of the Davis Fisheries, was a passenger to Yarmouth on Thursday by steam. Keith Cann, in the interest of that firm.

A number from Westport joined their Freeport friends on the brook last Saturday afternoon and enjoyed the good skating.

Auxiliary choir. Firelight, Capt. Horace Thurber, is loaded, bound for Gloucester.

Mrs. Doris Nickerson, who has been confined to the house for the past week owing to a slight indisposition, we are glad to report better.

Mr. and Mrs. Craswell arrived on Thursday where Mr. Craswell will take up his duties as bank manager. They will occupy the house of C. F. Morrell.

Mr. Amherst, who has been stationed here for the past few months as manager of the bank, left Tuesday for Halifax to which place he has been transferred. We are sorry to lose one from our community who has proved himself so efficient and helpful in every way during his short stay amongst us. What is our loss will be another gain.

Corberrie

Miss Lottie Cole, of Philadelphia, is spending the winter with her sister, Miss Julia Cole.

The Misses Rosalie and Charlotte Comau, of St. Joseph, were the weekend guests of Miss Catherine Comau.

Mr. and Mrs. George Comau and son Peter, of Little Brook Station, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Melanson.

Among the late arrival at the Farmer's Hotel are: Mr. and Mrs. Martin LeBlanc, of Concession, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thibault, and son Amadeo, and Mr. and Mrs. Augustin Comau, of St. Joseph.

Stipendiary Magistrate Louis Stehelin and Mr. Miller, the road engineer of Kentville, motored here on Thursday. While in the city they gave a pleasant call to Louis H. Melanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Doucette, of New Edinburgh were here yesterday visiting relatives and friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wright drove down to Weymouth North Sunday and were guests of her brother, Jas. W. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bragg called on their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Lamberson, Barton, on Sunday last.

Mrs. Cyrus McNeil is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chesley Forsythe, Bridgetown.

Miss Mary Thomas who has been to the United States for the last six months has returned home.

Sandy Cove

Mr. Henry Tidd of Tiddville spent Sunday the guest of her sister Mrs. Slater Mitchell.

A few of the young people from here motored to Digby on Friday evening and enjoyed the play given by the Adam's Company.

We regret to chronicle the death of Mrs. Jones A. Morehouse, who passed away at her home here on Wednesday Feb. 6th. She leaves her husband and one daughter Mrs. Gilbert Merritt.

Mrs. C. J. Eldridge entertained a number of her friends from Digby at her mothers residents on Wednesday.

Mrs. Norval Morehouse entertained the "Progressive Club" at her home at Lake Midway on Friday evening.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

1924 "A" No. 855

In The Supreme Court

BETWEEN:—Maud M. Turnbull, Plaintiff
and
Elizabeth H. Dexter, executrix
of the estate of Clifford E. Dexter, Defendant.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION,
by the Sheriff of the County of Digby, in
front of the Court House, at Digby, in
the said County of Digby, on Monday,
the 24th day of March A. D. 1924, at eleven
o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to an
order of the Court, and sale hereon on
the twenty-eighth day of January A. D.
1924, unless before the day appointed for
such sale the amount due to the Plaintiff
hereon on the Agreement of Sale signed to
be foreclosed, he paid to the Plaintiff or
her Solicitor.

All that certain, piece, parcel or lot
of land situate, lying and being in the Town
of Digby, in the County of Digby, and
known as the Eastern half part of
Town Lot numbers twenty-one and
thirty in Block or Division Letter "P"
and bounded and described as follows:—
On the North by Mount Street, on the
East by an Alley, on the South by lands
belonging to Mary L. Morse and on the
West by the Western half part of said
lots numbered twenty-nine and thirty,
formerly belonging to Joseph Henry
Churchill and now owned and occupied
by Guy MacGowan, containing one
quarter of an acre more or less, together
with all the buildings situate there on,
and all the easements and appurtenances
to the same belonging.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. cash deposit
at time of sale and balance on delivery
of deed.

HEBER R. BISHOP,
High Sheriff of the County of Digby.

FRANK W. NICHOLS,
Solicitor for Plaintiff.

Dated at Sheriff's office Digby, N. S.,
the fourth day of February A. D. 1924.

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In The Supreme Court

1924 "A" No. 859

In The Matter Of "The Judicature Act"

In The Matter Of An Intended Action

Before The Honourable J. Arthur Grier-

son, Judge Of The County Court For Dis-

trict No. 3 And Master Ex-Officio Of The

Supreme Court In Chambers At Digby.

BETWEEN:

Clytie V. Clarke Plaintiff

and

Henry C. King Defendant

Upon reading the affidavit of Frank W.

Nichols, sworn to herein on the twelfth day

of February A. D. 1924, and on hearing

Mr. Nichols for the Plaintiff herein, and

on motion.

It is Ordered that the Plaintiff herein

be at liberty to issue a Writ of Summons

against the above named Defendant

Henry C. King for service out of the juris-

diction.

It is Further Ordered that the Plaintiff

be at liberty to serve the said Writ of

Summons upon the said Defendant Henry

C. King at any place within the Domini-

on of Canada or in the West Indies, by

sending the same by prepaid registered

post in an envelope addressed to the said

Defendant Henry C. King at Bear River

in the County of Digby, and by inserting

an advertisement of such order and Writ

twice in the Digby Weekly Courier, a

Newspaper Published at Digby aforesaid

in the Province of Nova Scotia, by one in-

sertion each week for two consecutive

weeks, and that the posting of such Writ

and order and the insertion of such notice

shall be good and sufficient service of the

Writ of Summons herein upon the said

Defendant Henry C. King.

And It is Further Ordered that the

said Defendant Henry C. King shall have

thirty days after such posting of said

Writ of Summons and order and the last

insertion of such advertisement, which ever

may last occur with in which to enter an

appearance to the Writ of Summons here-

in.

Dated, Digby, N. S., this 12th, day of

February A. D. 1924.

Signed,

J. A. TAYLOR,

Prothonotary.

In The Supreme Court

1923 "A" No. 859

BETWEEN:

Clytie V. Clarke Plaintiff

and

Henry C. King Defendant

George Th. Fifth, by the Grace of God

and

To Henry C. King, formerly residing at

Bear River in the County of Digby, and

Province of Nova Scotia.

And Whereas You that within thirty

days after the service of this order on you,

inclusive of the day of such service, you

have not appeared to be entered for

an action at the suit of Clytie V.

Clarke.

And Take Notice that in default of

your so doing, the Plaintiff may proceed

therein and judgment may be given in

your absence.

Sent the fourteenth day of February

A. D. 1924.

FRANK W. NICHOLS,

Plaintiff's Solicitor.

N. B.—This Writ is to be served with

in twelve calendar months from the date

hereof, or if renewed, within six calendar

months from the date of the last renewal,

including the day of such date and not

afterwards.

The Defendant may appear hereto by

entering an appearance either personally

or by a Solicitor, at the Prothonotary's

Office at Digby, in the County of Digby,

Nova Scotia.

The Plaintiff's claim is against, the De-

fendant for the foreclosure of a certain in-

terest of Mortgage dated the twenty-

third day of October A. D. 1917, made

by the said Henry C. King and Ethel

King to William R. Rice, late of Bear

River in the County of Digby, and now

deceased, of land situate at Bear River in

the County of Digby, for \$415.88 payable

in annual instalments of \$60.00 each,

with interest on the whole amount re-

maining unpaid at the rate of six per cent.

per annum, which said mortgage was on

the twenty-third day of August A. D.

1922 assigned to the Plaintiff for \$346.16,

principal and interest then due on the

said mortgage, and for sale of the said

land at Public Auction in payment of the

same due on said mortgage and for pos-

sion of the land and premises describ-

ed in the said mortgage, and for insur-

ance thereon.

Particulars—

O. 23—To balance of Principal of

mortgage \$295.86

To interest to date 76.32

1923, May 10.00

To Insurance premium 10.00

To interest to date .45

Total amount due \$382.73

This Writ was issued by Frank W.

Nichols of Digby, Nova Scotia, Solicitor

for the said Plaintiff, whose address is

Greenwich in the County of Fairfield and

State of Connecticut.

N. B.—This Writ is to be used where

the Defendant or all the Defendants, or

one or more Defendant or Defendants is

or are out of the Jurisdiction. When the

Defendant to be served is not a British

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notice of the writ, and not the writ itself,

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GRADE XI

Pass mark 330.

NAME No. Sub. Avg.

Edward Dakin 7 508 75.4

Doris Baxter 7 573 78.1

Gladys Warner 7 553 70.1

Mary Weir 7 487 65.4

Almon Gibbons 6 441 62.5

Gladys Savary 6 424 60.6

GRADE X

Pass mark 300

NAME No. Sub. Avg.

William Saylor 8 638 87.5

D. Van Tassel 8 602 86.0

Ben Adams 6 459 76.5

E. Van Tassel 7 446 66.5

Gerald Tupper 8 424 64.4

Booth Snow 8 400 62.8

Fred DuVernet 8 405 62.8

Mac Willis 7 374 58.1

C. Woodman 6 315 52.5

Edna Jones 6 280 48.5

Harold Gibbons 6 286 47.0

Edgar Jones 6 273 44.5

7000 partial exams.

Garfield Hayden 4 262 65.5

Edith Warrington 4 146 36.0

Rac Holdsworth 4 124 31.0

GRADE IX AND TRIAL IX.

NAME AVERAGE

Seymour Denton 70.6

Harold Nichols 70.6

Nancy Morhouse 66.5

Charles Walker 66.5

Nina Hewitt 65.1

Vivian Lewis 65.1

Frank Wightman 60.1

Arnold Snow 52.3

Robt Dent 39.6

Absent during some or all the examina-

tions.

Vernon Bremner

Kenneth Woodman

John Baker

Josephine Eldridge

Gouldie Hayden

Burdie Warner

GRADE VIII.

Shirley Haines 89.8

Carlos Connell 83.9

Evelyn Warrington 80.8

Phyllis Dakin 79.2

David Daley 71.7

Josephine Dakin 70.1

Charles McBride 71.6

Edna Baxter 68.9

Vernon Franklin 60.9

Eric Armstrong 68.5

John Hayden 44.0

Dorothy Turnbull

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American Lawyer Writes Interesting Letter For Courier

Explains Object Of "Home Builders Of Digby County"—A Real Fraternity.

To the Editor of the Courier:

My good friend, George W. MacNeill, who has had a practical dream of what could and should be done for the benefit of Digby County, has requested me to communicate to you and through you, to the citizens and others that are interested in Digby County, my idea of "The Mission of the Home Builders of Digby County." As I have discussed with him the great possibilities that can, by proper organization, be realized from the natural resources of your community, I must admit that to outline the full mission of such an organization, would take much more space than I will be permitted to use in your valuable paper.

The mission of a Fraternal organization, such as has been mentioned by Mr. MacNeill, is largely what the membership choose to make it. The proper mission for this particular organization should be of a practical, progressive educational character, reaching to uplift and elevate the citizenship of the entire community, through the practical workings of the organized effort that can be produced through such an organization. It is my sincere belief that a nation or a community of a nation can be no better than the citizenship of which it is composed. Therefore, if we are to elevate our community, we must commence upon the foundation, that is, the citizenship of the community.

History teaches us that the home is the real foundation for all civilization, and naturally, it is the foundation upon which our present citizenship rests. If we, therefore, have more and better homes, we have the opportunity to have a better foundation for a higher, more intelligent, progressive, up to date citizenship. It will be the mission of this proposed organization to educate its membership to the idea of the necessity of each of us helping the other to procure a home and to advance in the affairs of the community. When I speak of a home, I do not mean only a house or a building fitted out that one can live in it, but I mean a home in the broader sense, where the environment is such that it has its effect not only upon the members of the home but upon the neighborhood and the community as well. I mean a fireside that is devoted to progressive thought and study, to the development of high ideals; that is devoted to the furthering of all that is moral, clean and beautiful in human life.

The mission of this fraternity will be to assist the membership and other citizens in having such homes. The true mission of a progressive fraternity of this kind will never be accomplished until the fraternity, through its local chapters, is so organized that there is maintained in each locality, a Fraternal home, owned, operated and maintained for the benefit of the families of the membership. Fraternal homes where all of the advantages of education can be brought, not only to the children, but to the matured, as well, where the citizenship of the community can meet upon an equal basis; where people of all creeds and of all classes may exchange their views; where the ideals of real citizenship can be studied; where the history of our country, whatever country it may be, the history and the possibilities of the local community can be discussed with a view of taking advantage of the lessons to be obtained and the opportunities to be observed. It is not the mission of a Fraternity of this kind to take the place of the church or religious worship, but it is the mission of a Fraternity to further religious ideals and to assist in the cultivation of the mind through education and moral example that the desire to live a Christian life shall be created in each and every member and in each and every citizen of the community.

A real Fraternity such as this one should be so organized that it will be the one intensified organized body that all would turn to for leadership in every movement that has for its purpose the betterment of the citizenship of the community. As an organization it should not engage in active politics or in religious discussions, but it is the purpose of the Fraternity to so educate and advance the ideals of the individual members that they will take to their political party the ideals of real patriotism and real duty of a citizen so that all political questions that come up to be solved in the community will be solved from the viewpoint of the high ideals and the high moral standing and training of such a Fraternity. If the affairs of the world could only be conducted from the standpoint of real Fraternity, graft, crime and all those things that lead to the destruction of civilization should be eliminated.

If a community is dominated by the membership of a real Fraternity, it will immediately become an ideal community in which to live. An ideal community in which to live would be one where the opportunities are open for all to further

Just Talks--On Common Themes On "Insurance Agents"

HE COMES in and fixing me with a mercenary eye says "What will happen to you if you die?" "I dunno," says I. "It ain't been decided yet,"—forgetting my grammar under the shock.

"What will happen to your family?" adds he, impressively. "What will your poor family do?" "God only knows," says I, "maybe they will do just like most people—buy a closed car and fur coats."

"Say," says he, "wouldn't you like to die and be sure that she was going to receive a steady income just as long as she lives." "No," says I, "what I want is to live and have them receive a steady income. If you have anything to sell that will make that a sure thing, open up your samples and I will look them over."

"Suppose you was crushed under an automobile and mangled and all but passing in your checks, wouldn't you like to have a plenty of accident insurance?" asked he anxiously.

"Sure," said I, "I once saw a man hurt some years ago. He was run over by an ox-team. He was the happiest-looking man I ever saw. Reaching his mangled hands into his breast pocket, he pulled out a blood-stained policy insuring him for forty dollars a week and \$4,000 in case of death and said he to me, 'Aha! Aha! I've got 'em now, live or die I win.' I've seen men staggering out of railway accidents waving their accident policies and singing songs of joy. I have seen 'em die, with the most serene look upon their countenances and in every case they have proven to be well-insured in some reliable accident-insurance company."

"How," said he, "would you look at a policy for \$10,000 payable in fifteen \$1,000 installments, after death of the insured, semi-annual dividends, accumulative, semi-amortized, retroactive as to the fiduciary element and in the highest company on earth."

"How would I look at it?" says I. "When? Now, do you mean or after I am dead?" It looks all right now. "Can't take it for debts," said he. "Your family can take every cent of it and let your creditors go hang themselves if they want to," said he. "I don't believe they feel that way, says I, 'but if they do they are that kind of death seem any brighter—or does it, provided that they are that kind of people.'"

Nothing—nobody I mean—is more cheerful than the Life and Accident Insurance man, when he is selling his goods. He wants to help you welcome death. He will even help you make your will—so that you can leave all of your money to your family and the bulk of it to the various charities and the personal and really shall not hold for debts, and the funeral expenses shall be paid out of the income tax and the inheritance tax shall be settled out of losses and the losses that stand as an annuity and collateral for all bank-loans that may have accrued. Then, when the sister of your first wife shall have had her share as against the children of your brother's wife shall have had her dower in the estate by way of amicus curiae, the residue shall be allocated to the residuary legatees with proportional allocations to the other legatees.

Anyone can make a will of this sort when it is hard to make a will giving the money to one person. For this reason the insurance man will agree to have his company take all of your money forever and see that your family does not starve. You can, as a rule, tell by looking into the face of the corpse whether or not he was well insured. He has lived long, paid in his money and gotten the best of the trade by premature demise.

But there is one thing about life-insurance that cannot be denied, it is the only way that one can spend his money and have it also. It is at least the best way to save money; for the payments have to be met and the estate is so much the richer. Life insurance is the backbone of thrift. Many a wife would otherwise be left penniless and her children uneducated and helpless against the world.

So when the life-insurance agent comes in, I always listen and tell him I am all insured. Accident, life, fire and everything, and he is so. Nobody has any right to trust in the Lord and not keep his powder dry.

—E. S.

advance themselves morally, physically and mentally, and where the opportunities are present that the citizens may advance in the material things of the world. The real Fraternity through its organized effort should see that educational facilities for the young are the best that is possible to obtain and such facilities should be extended so that the child, when it has taken advantage of such opportunities has a complete education. And, by a complete education, I mean a practical one as well as theoretical, an education that educates a child completely along the line that the child is best fitted for. For instance, if he is mechanically inclined, that his education be such, that he goes into the world as a competent through mechanic. If he is inclined toward agricultural pursuits, that his education be completed so that he may successfully carry on his chosen work. In other words, that instead of limiting the specialties in education to the professions, let us include the trades and crafts so that every one will have an equal opportunity to make a success in his chosen life work.

In my Fraternal experience throughout the world, I have come to realize that there is much that could be added to our present day system of education. I am, of course, not familiar with the educational facilities of Digby County, but I am quite sure that is similar to the ordinary kind of the ordinary community, and one of the great mischiefs of the world would be to see to it that the educational facilities of Digby County where the best that the world could afford and it is not necessary, in my humble judgment, to accomplish that, to have great universities or colleges.

I am not opposed, and I do not think the Fraternity should oppose the college of to-day, but I do think that the Fraternity and every citizen should do what is possible to do to make the life of today a practical institution. A college, such as we have throughout the world, that has the viewpoint of so many, that an education is obtained by a child that it may go into society and take from society more than it gives, is wrong, and

Who Said So?—We All Say So!

Getting out a paper is picnic. If we print jokes, folks say we are silly. If we don't say we are too serious. If we publish original matter, they say we lack variety. If we publish things from other papers, we are too lazy to write. If we stay on the job, they say we ought to be rustling news. If we are rustling news, they say we are not attending to business. If we don't print write-ups and contributions, we don't show proper appreciation. If we do print them, they say the paper is filled with junk. Like as not, some fellow will say we swindled this.

SO WE DID.

is the sufferer cause of much of the wrong and suffering of the world to-day. The Fraternity would reach out and in giving the industrial possibilities of the community, organizing great manufacturing institutions, organizing the agricultural advantage of the natural resources, and when all these things have been accomplished, we will find that each individual has accomplished more for himself than he had pursued his selfish, independent course of grabbing all in sight and giving as little in return as possible.

The mission of this Fraternity would be accomplished when every community of the County was thoroughly organized, and that each and every citizen by co-operating with his neighbors and friends was so situated that he could live a life that would demonstrate the advantages of citizenship. And, that by such life there would be a living ideal for the coming generation to follow, and we must not overlook the value of a proper moral ideal to be placed before the citizenship of a community. The value of such ideals for the children cannot be measured or estimated. With such ideals demonstrated by the daily lives of the citizenship of Digby County, the problem of "Why the Boys Leave," would be solved and instead of the young men leaving, the older men that have gone would be coming back home to live in happiness and contentment in a community that has been made happy and prosperous through the efforts of the Fraternity in having its members help one another.

If this mission is fulfilled, which it can be by reasonable effort, then will not the advantages to each and every citizen many times compensate him for any effort or for any expense that he may have been put to in the furthering of this movement?

Sincerely trusting that I have been able in this rambling way to put before you my idea of the true mission of the proposed Fraternity and assuring you of my very great desire to have the citizenship of your County take advantage of the possibilities of their own community and of their own abilities, and sincerely trusting that I may be of service in the furthering of this end, I am

Sincerely and Fraternally yours,

ARTHUR H. JONES.

It Pays to Advertise in The COURIER

Digby Gets Easy Hockey Win Over Bridgetown Team

Senior Team From Valley Town Goes Down to Defeat in One Sided Game By a Score of Ten to One

On Friday evening last the Digby High School team again added another victory to their laurels by trimming the Bridgetown senior team to the tune of ten goals to one. At first it looked as if the teams were evenly matched and the only goal scored in the first period was by Digby, when Jones after a wonderful run scored, just a second or two before the bell rang. But with this first period Bridgetown had played their game and had it not been for the good work of their goal tender a much larger score would have been the result.

Five minutes after the second period opened Digby had found the Bridgetown net four times. Then the visitors rallied and no more goals were shot until near the end when Little scored the only goal for the visitors.

Play seemed to have improved during the beginning of the third period then Jones after another of his sensational rushes scored on a shot from centre ice, followed a few minutes later by Baxter, who made a splendid rush the whole length of the ice, passing to DuVerne, who scored. Near the end Jones scored the final goal of the evening.

The teams lined up as follows: Bridgetown:—Williams, Deelman, Longmire, McKenzie, Poole, and Little. Digby:—Daley, Baxter, Denton, Jones, DuVerne, Casey, Tupper and Eldridge.

Lower Granville

Mrs. George McKenzie entertained a large dance on Friday evening with Cummings orchestra; had fine music, and was pronounced the best of the season.

Miss Hicks has had to give up the school on account of poor health and Miss Edith Goodwin of Belleisle has taken charge.

Miss Johnson has been quite sick for two weeks and is still on the sick list.

Mrs. Baxter has been visiting her son Arthur at Karsdale the past week.

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Make Yourself
A Factor

Have you carved your niche in the community you call home?

Rather a pertinent question, perhaps, but listen: We once heard of a man who applied for membership in a lodge. The name was referred to a committee for investigation. Only one man on the committee even knew the applicant. Who he was? What does he do? What church does he belong to? Who are his friends? There are only a few of the questions that were asked when his application was being considered. No one could answer them except one acquaintance, who knew his name and where he worked. What did the committee decide? That a man who had lived in the community as long as he had and had made no more of an impression on it than he would be of no value to the lodge as a member.

What impression have you made after living here as long as you have? When your name is mentioned to people think of you as standing for something definite, as having left your impress upon them? It is a question that everyone may ask himself or herself.

Stand for something.

The Local
Tie

Some people are pure individualists and they go through life sufficient unto themselves. They may be able to take care of themselves, but they do not commonly reach the higher results, because they do not make many warm friends.

Other people feel keenly the tie that binds them to others. It is second nature for them to support the enterprises and activities of their home town. If some one suggests that they might gain some supposed advantage by buying merchandise elsewhere, the thing goes against the grain.

"What will I gain by buying elsewhere, when my own townspeople, whose prosperity and welfare is essential to the advance of my community, is selling the same stuff?" they say. "Their instinct of town fraternity tells them to stand by their home industries. People of that type do not want for friends when they are looking for co-operation."

Look at Your Label

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Opportunities
At Home

It is natural for youth to take far distant looks. Many young folks today look in a somewhat slighting way on the town where they have grown up. They think that far away scenes offer broader opportunities.

Sometimes they do to young men of an exceptional type. But in the majority of cases, a young person does best in his home environment. He knows the way of his own people and how to adjust himself to their personalities and ways of thinking.

The acquaintance that a young person has in his home environment helps towards success. The young man starting life in some distant town must push himself entirely. In his home town he can back of him what ever of friendship and reputation has been created by those who went before. It is a big asset. The young people of Digby should hesitate long before throwing it away, and settling elsewhere.

Keeping Youngsters
Democratic

A Canadian newspaper lays most blame on parents if children turn out to be snobs and jealous and prejudiced. Children are natural-born democrats—not political, of course. It is grown-ups who make them aristocrats—never God, she says.

Much depends on the attitude of the present generation, whether the next will remain tolerant, kindly, generous; using influence and power to help rather than to exploit others less influential or powerful.

Consideration of the children should temper those who today are swift to promote hatred, jealousy, prejudice, whether based on sex, color or creed.

NEW TUSKET

The Basket School held in the New Tusket Hall on Saturday evening proved a success.

There was seventeen basket daintily trimmed by the ladies. The highest priced basket was six dollars. Receipt of the evening about \$43.00. Proceeds for the hall.

Ralph E. Teed who has been visiting his sister, Miss Mary Teed returned to his home in Freetown on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Mullen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mullen.

Miss Eva Prime spent the week-end with Miss Helen Prime.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mullen entertained on Sunday evening Misses Mary Teed, Nellie Teed and Helen Soban, Messrs Cecil Smith, Dwight Sabean, Reginald Shaffer, Ralph Teed, Stanley Saban and William Gaudet. The evening was spent in music.

Moody Mullen went to Yarmouth Monday on business returning Tuesday.

Messrs Vincent and Clifford Gaudet spent the week-end at their home here.

Louis H. McManus of Corberrie was in this place on Sunday.

C. F. Sabean Esq. spent Monday in Corberrie on business.

Miss Thelma Mullen who spent a few days with her parents returned to Freetown on Saturday.

Mrs. Alfred Bourque, Mrs. Chas. Doucet and Miss Elizabeth Comeau spent Monday at Rennie Beaudreau's to a quilting party.

CULLODEN

Chester Ross of the United States spent last week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ross.

Donald Miller of Yarmouth was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Ross last week.

George Bain of Digby spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Bain.

Mr. and Mrs. William Daley and daughter George spent Sunday in Bay View, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Morehouse.

Judson Handspiker has returned home after being over a year in the Yarmouth Hospital. Hope he will continue well.

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Last night some boys passed this office singing "There's a long, long trail a-windin' on." We were struck with the significance of the title.

If anyone has met with that \$100.00 hotel, will they kindly notify the Editor, so that we give some sort of intelligent answer to the numerous inquiries received daily.

Young folks will take notice that the Curfew hour again rising at 8 o'clock each evening, and they must not be seen loitering about the street after that hour. Moreover we have a first class police officer who intends enforcing this law. The co-operation and support of grown ups is of course expected.

Among the songs in the programme of the "Dumbells" production shown on the billboards in St. John this week is an old favorite by Red Newman: "Are you working, are you?" We understand that the president of the Loafers Association has entered protest against this song, as a slur on the unemployed. In Digby we have a popular song to the same tune: "Are you bowling, no are you?"

Sooner or later we must have permanent streets in Digby and we might just as well make a start this spring, and by building a small section each year eventually we shall have all our principal streets paved. The material put out on the streets from time to time is either carried away glued to the wheels and undergar of motor cars, or else blown back into the basins and must continually be replaced. Permanent streets are cheaper in the long run. Other towns are doing it, why not Digby?

The crime wave has switched from the ranks of the bank bandit to that of the public official. There's the Teapot Dome scandal; the Ontario graft; the Squires scandal; the Experimental Farm scandal (also in Nfld.); the City of Halifax scandal; the City of Sydney scandal; and Heaven knows what else. It would appear that many public officials possess a very low conception of honesty, or the responsibility of their position. The only place for a man who uses his position or influence to swindle others, is jail with hard labor. Page House Bank officials.

Since the opportunity to say "I told you so" has presented itself, we cannot forego the temptation to do so. Several times during the past year or two we have protested against the "mistaken kindness" and "unwise leniency" in dealing with juvenile law breakers, on the ground that failure to punish would inevitably encourage such offenders to repeat their crimes. This is exactly what has happened. Had one of these boys in particular been sent to a reformatory twelve months ago, it is safe to say that he would by now have been well on the way to recovery, instead of the present state of affairs. Moreover, the evil influence on other boys of like tendencies would have been removed. As we reported a week or two ago, law and common sense should go hand in hand.

Did you ever hear of a disease called "grogginess"? It is one of the oldest known, and is common to all people and climates. It is quite prevalent in Digby during nine months of the year. The symptom of this disease is a strong and overpowering aversion to anything requiring mental or physical exertion or effort. In other words, it is what is commonly known as "pure damn laziness." A New York doctor who has made a study of Grogginess, its effects, etc., declares that the only cure is a good steady job under an aggressive boss. The difficulty however, would be to induce a victim to try the cure. Take the case of the employment agent who accented an able bodied appearing man in a bread line: "Would you like to go to work?" he asked. "Sure, I would," he answered, "and I'd like to come back from work again, but it's the long interval between that I can't stand."

Wedding Bells

MILBURN-MACKAY.

At Winnipeg, on Wednesday, Feb. 20th, by the Rev. D. MacIvor, pastor of the Newwood Presbyterian church, Grace Darling second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McKay, Sandy Cove, Nova Scotia to Mr. Cecil Clark Milburn of Craik, Saskatchewan. The bride was very prettily given in grey tulle and carried a bouquet of bridal roses and maiden hair fern. After the marriage ceremony, the happy couple returned to the Royal Alexander Hotel where a very dainty luncheon was served. After spending a few weeks in Winnipeg, and Brandon and Regina, Mr. and Mrs. Milburn will return to their home in Craik, where the groom is a prosperous farmer. The bride was a successful school teacher in both Canada and the United States while the groom was a popular member of the Brandon College in 1916.

TIVERTON.

D. C. Outhouse is at home for a few days. Rev. J. H. Copeland has returned to his home at Weymouth. Mrs. Merrill Outhouse has returned from her visit to Weymouth. Mrs. Arthur Outhouse who spent the winter at St. John has returned home. Mrs. Marella Walker returned home last week.

Mrs. E. C. Sollows returned home from Bridgewater Saturday 2nd.

Alex McRay returned home from Halifax, much improved in health.

Sorry to report Mrs. Warren Ossinger leaving for health.

Mrs. Levingstone Sollows entertained a large number of friends on Saturday evening in honor of her birthday. A good time was enjoyed by the entire evening being spent in games. At 10.30 a dainty lunch was served by the hostess, after which all returned to their homes.

Wisting Mrs. Sollows' many happy returns of the day.

Miss Thelma Small teacher at Centra Grove spent Sunday at her home here.

The home paper gives you the reading matter in which you have the greatest interest—the home news. Its every issue proves a welcome visitor to every member of the family.

CENTRAL GROVE

Ralph Thaurer is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fowell.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy DeLaney are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son born March 1st.

Sorry to report Mrs. George DeLaney still on the sick list.

Miss Thelma Small spent the week-end with her mother at Tiverton.

Rev. Mr. Copeland who has had charge of the church for the months of Jan. and Feb. preached his farewell sermon on Sunday from the words found in 2 Timothy 4:7. His sermon being for the encouragement of Christians to persevere the young people who have so recently started to serve. During special service conducted by Mr. Copeland the church has been greatly revived, and quite a number of young people have enlisted at this great service.

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Prayer Service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
C. O. I. T. Friday at 7:30 p. m.
Sabbath afternoon services as follows:
1st Sabbath, Kerr's Corner, 2nd, Lansdowne, 3rd, Bear River East, 4th, Clementsport, 5th, Pictouville.

BAPTIST CHURCH.
Rev. R. S. Gazo, Pastor.
Sunday morning, 10:30, Preaching by the Pastor.
Sabbath School, 11:30 a. m.
Evening, 7:30, Preaching by the Pastor.
Wednesday evening, 7:30. Prayer meeting.
Friday evening, 7:30. B. Y. P. U.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.
Father Somers will hold service in the chapel on the first Sunday in each month.

ADVENT CHURCH.
Sunday services, 10:30, 3:00 and 7:30; Monday Service at 11:30; Prayer Meeting Friday at 7:30. Philip J. Cleveland, minister.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND.
December 16th, 10:30 a. m.
December 23rd, 3 p. m.
Christmas Day, 10:30 a. m.
January 3rd, 3 p. m.
January 13th, 3 p. m.
January 20th, 10:30 a. m.
January 27th, 3 p. m.
February 3rd, 7:30 p. m.
February 10th, 10:30 a. m.
February 17th, 7:30 p. m.
February 24th, 3 p. m.
March 2nd, 10:30 a. m.
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SCOTT'S EMULSION

Local and Personal

A "Stag Supper" was given by Harold Highway on Friday to a number of his friends.

H. D. Romans of Halifax was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Romans over the weekend.

Capt. Reginald Gooday went to Halifax Tuesday for a few days.

Miss Jean Mills of Granville is the guest of Mrs. Chalmers at the Commercial House.

R. B. Feltus of Lawrencetown has purchased the building formerly belonging to the Marshall Estate, and for a time occupied by Drs. Dinsmore and McLean and intends using it for a watch repairing establishment.

L. V. Brown, representing Hall and Fairweather, St. John, was in town yesterday.

Miss Edna Peck, principal of the Oakdene school who was injured by being thrown out of a sleigh, is slowly improving.

H. M. Romans, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, left on the night train for Halifax on Tuesday for a few days.

At the meeting of Etta Rebekah Lodge on March 17 three new members will be initiated.

Mrs. Robinson of Annapolis was the guest of her sister Mrs. Jefferson over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Thomas, who spent several days in the city, returned to their home in Sussex before returning to their home in Weyburn, Sask.

Wm. Smith of St. John was in town Monday.

Mrs. Thos. Raymond of Bath, Me., who was called here by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Chas. Yarrigle, returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Louise Jones, who underwent an operation last Wednesday at the Halifax Infirmary is slowly and we hope surely recovering from her very serious illness.

During Lent services will be held in St. John's church every Tuesday evening.

The service of the Baptist church next Sunday morning will be devoted to "Missions." It is being fifty years since Canadian Baptist Pioneer Missionaries began work in India. A special Jubilee offering will be taken for Missions.

The Circle of the Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. Chipman Harris on Tuesday evening.

The Methodist Aid Society was entertained by Mrs. A. E. Marshall on Tuesday afternoon.

The Baptist Missionary Aid met at the parlour on Thursday afternoon.

St. John's Guild met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robillard.

Easter cards, in the latest styles and colors, will be mailed to the friends in Digby county on receipt of order. 5c each, envelope included. Order now and get the best in stock.

In the Estate of John H. Benson late of Bear River, in the County of Digby, Sheriff, Debtor.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION at the Court House in Digby, in the County of Digby, on Saturday, the fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1924, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to license to sell granted by the Court of Probate of the County of Digby, dated the seventh day of February, A. D. 1924.

All the following real property of the deceased that is to say:

FIRST All the Homestead lot including Ship yard, situated at Bear River in the County of Digby, and bounded Northwardly by land now owned or occupied by Herbert Morine, Eastwardly by the River, Southwardly by land now owned or occupied by Norman McQuinn, and Westwardly by the Street leading from the Main Street to the Plat so called.

SECOND A lot of land situated at Meteghan in the said County of Digby on the Northern side of the Main Post Road and bounded as follows: Commencing at a Post marking the eastern corner of the residence formerly of Dr. Gaudet at the Main Road and running along the Eastern line Northwesterly from said Post fifty-six feet to a stake, thence Northwesterly parallel with the Main Road fifteen and one half feet to another stake, thence Southwesterly along said road fourteen feet to the place of beginning. Also a privilege of passing to and from over the road on the north east side of the said land, and of building a step a width of three feet, at the door of the building on said land and also of using the well.

THIRD A lot of land situated at Meteghan aforesaid adjoining the lot last described and bounded as follows: Commencing at the western corner of the last described lot and running Northwesterly along the division line between the said land and land formerly of James Cosman to land of Archibald Morrison (a distance of about sixty feet), thence Northwesterly along said Archibald Morrison's land fifteen and one half feet, thence Southwesterly parallel to said division line to the Northern corner of the last described lot, thence Southwesterly along said last described lot fifteen and one half feet to the place of beginning; also the South western half of the barn; also the privileges of using a road along said land to the barn and back to the place of beginning in width in common with William Aymar his heirs and assigns.

The last two lots being the same land conveyed by William Aymar to John H. Benson by deeds recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Digby in Book 88 at page 398 and in Book 104 at page 366.

Together with the buildings on all the lots aforesaid and the appurtenances thereunto belonging.

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Executors,
FRANK JONES, Digby, N. S.,
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INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

At the regular communication of The Keith Lodge No. 16 A. F. & A. M., Monday evening March 3rd, there was both election and installation of officers as follows:

W. M.—H. J. Moore
S. W.—R. D. Barker
J. W.—J. H. Cunningham
Treas.—A. B. Marshall
S. D.—J. E. Ferguson
J. D.—R. B. Alexander
S. D.—Dr. B. B. Roper
J. S.—Dr. A. B. Campbell
Tyler—J. M. Morgan
Chaplain—Rev. E. S. Gregg
Organist—R. H. Purdy, P. M.
Marshall—W. M. Romans.
R. W. Bro. Geo. A. Kennedy, District Deputy Grand Master accompanied by R. W. Bro. W. E. Read, P. D. D. G. M., made his visitation during the evening and accepted request of the Worshipful Master installed the officers. He found the lodge of the lodge well kept and it's affairs generally in excellent shape.

HOME ECONOMICS COURSE

The short course, given last week under the auspices of the Institute, was a splendid success from start to finish.

On Monday afternoon, February 25th, the first lesson started at 3 o'clock, and by the end of the afternoon 37 persons had enrolled for the course. The number increased daily until the enrollment totalled 52 by the end of the week. The instructor, Miss Helen Miller, of Truro, was most interesting and the methods shown by her were very instructive and helpful. Cooking lessons were given each afternoon; and in the evenings talks on Home Nursing and Invalid Cooking, etc. The small fee of 25c per person for the whole course, was used to defray expenses, such as rent of hall, supplies, etc.

A social evening was held on Wednesday in the Oddfellows Hall, when about 60 members and friends met to join in a game, after listening to a splendid talk by Miss Miller on the work and ideals of our Institute. After music and a social hour, refreshments were served by the ladies.

Thursday, the final day of the course, was a very stormy one, and at first it was thought wise to give up the classes. However, a number were so interested in the work that they began to arrive at the classroom, and 19 members were present both afternoon and evening.

The members of the Institute are greatly indebted to Miss MacDougall, our Superintendent, who suggested our having such a course, and also to Miss Miller, who won the hearts of all and made the course so attractive to everyone.

MARCH INSTITUTE MEETING

The Bear River Woman's Institute held their regular monthly meeting in the weeks past, on Monday afternoon, March 3rd. As Mrs. Cunningham was absent, the Vice Pres. Mrs. A. A. Harris took the chair. Seventeen members were in attendance.

Regular business was carried on and reports of standing committees heard.

The new committee for the month are as follows:—Library Com.—Mrs. H. P. Mrs. Fred Harris; Mrs. Robillard.

Purity Com.—Mrs. L. V. Harris; Miss Blauch; Mrs. W. M. Romans; School Visitors.—Mrs. Fred Harris; Mrs. A. B. Marshall.

Entertainment Com.—Miss Lillian Henry; Mrs. C. M. McKee; Mrs. Hubbard.

A report of the Home Economics Course was ordered to be read by MacDougall also a committee consisting of Mrs. A. B. Marshall, Mrs. L. V. Harris and Mrs. W. M. Romans, was appointed to purchase a flag suitable for our use.

After finishing the business of the evening, Mrs. C. M. Mack gave a delightful vocal selection. A paper entitled "Suitable Reading for Boys and Girls" was given by Miss Lillian Henry.

After roll call the meeting adjourned.

BEAR RIVER EAST

Mrs. Arthur Jefferson who has been confined to her bed for a number of weeks past, has the sincere sympathy of her many friends in the loss of a kind and loving mother, making it doubly hard for her as she was unable to be with her during her sickness or follow her to her last resting place.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanBuskirk will be pleased to hear of the arrival of a little son at their home 33 Queen St., Ahimsa, on Feb. 18th, (LeRoy Fraser).

Rev. Mr. Coland, of Bear River, preached a very impressive and instructive sermon in Union Hall Sunday morning, his discourse was highly appreciated by all of his hearers and we hope to have him with us again some time in the future.

Miss L. Banks and Cleveland Jefferson drove to Deep Brook on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. A. C. Chute, of Clementsville, spent a few days of last week with her aunt, Mrs. C. VanBuskirk.

George Jefferson returned from N. B. on Tuesday of last week where he had been working for the last three months.

Rev. Mr. Coland, of Bear River, was a guest at the Douglas and VanBuskirk homes on Sunday last.

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The special meeting of the Bear River Board of Trade was held according to notice in the Masonic Reading Rooms Friday evening last. About forty had responded to the invitation of whom twenty-five enrolled as members.

Election of officers resulted as follows:—Vice President—A. A. Eisner. President—Dr. Wm. J. Wright. Secy. Treas.—W. F. Reid.

Council—Rev. C. M. Mack, Rev. R. S. Gregg, L. V. Harris, H. R. Kinnear, A. B. Marshall, F. R. Harris, B. C. Clark, R. H. Purdy, A. J. MacIntyre, J. L. Warren, J. H. Cunningham, C. D. Rice.

Auditors—A. B. Marshall, M. B. Alexander.

The President made some appropriate remarks of acceptance intimating he would expect the hearty co-operation of all the members within which the office could not efficiently carry on.

The Secretary who had held office continually for eighteen years (this a short historical sketch of the Board since its organization in 1905, referring particularly to its various activities since then).

Mr. MacIntyre who had been in attendance at the meeting in Halifax the day before when the Publicity Bureau was organized gave quite a lengthy report which was favorably received and an active interest in this movement is anticipated.

Several tentative matters were discussed informally all looking to the betterment of the community, and report upon the several topics at the next meeting of the Board to be held at the Masonic rooms, March 14th. The Council will meet Tuesday evening to carry out the matters committed to them.

Routine business having been disposed of at this meeting, it is expected that of the 14th inst., will see the beginning of effect work.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting when every member was requested to become a committee of one to secure more members and no doubt this will bring good results.



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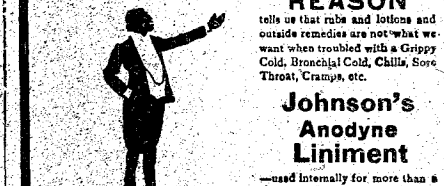
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Two Georgia Girls Describes Trip To Land of Evangeline

Several Days Spent At the Myrtle House—Popular Proprietor Receives Word of Praise

(By Irene E. Parker)

We two Georgia girls had decided to spend our vacation in Acadia, and from the time our boat touched Yarmouth and we got the first peep of Nova Scotia soil from our stateroom window things began to run in superlatives. When the sea and sky came in the bluest blue, and the shore and all the little dots of islands can be the greenest green at 6 o'clock in the morning, we know that you are very near to Paradise.

Yarmouth is a tidy, flowery little town, rather unassuming and sleepy, we thought but perhaps that was because our visit to it was made at such an early hour. We had only a short time there, so we walked around to find the famous water lilies, which were of every variety, shape, size, length, width and cut. Our little row boat was flattered beyond recognition by being called "The Flying Blue Nose." This was to take us to Digby and we sat enraptured all the day at the view from Blue Nose's window. Millions of wild flowers! Lavender and lemon lilies, plummy lilacs, and on every clear little pond, gorgeous water lilies! We decided that this entire surface of Nova Scotia was covered with blossoms—until we reached Digby. And there, upon low tables, drying in the sun, were fish, acres and acres of fish, smelling to heaven! We were glad to be whisked away from them to the lovely old English inn where we were to stop. Here we found the flowers again; buttercups, pink and blue columbine and yellow myrtle on the dainty, trailing, green vines, and from these our inn took its name.

OXFORDS INSTEAD OF AUTOS
Everything inside was as sweet and clean and fragrant as the flowers; pulled beds with plenty of matted cover, adorable little waitresses in quaint, white aprons, good food and a host and hostess who welcomed us as they might long-lost children.

We soon met our fellow guests and hurried out-of-doors again to see any of the spicily air and wonderful landscapes. We started out by automobile this time accompanied by the good-looking young supervisor of the Royal Baking Powder Co. who was to take us to the old mill, a quaint, foreign-looking village, visited a very white church, then sped on to Weymouth and down the Sissabou river. We met more oysters than motor cars on the trip. The town were decorated with ancient, white chimes on their foreheads. These stolid animals yoked together and driving heavy loads, came to be a familiar sight but we did not get to ride behind them as we had hoped.

The next day was Sunday. Trains do not run in the province on Sunday. There is no business of any kind, not even any mail. The captain of an English sailing vessel and his first officer, laid out and the young banker to be their guests on a motor trip through the valley to the home of Evangeline.

It was a golden day, the thermometer flirting with fifty degrees, so we bundled up in all our coats and carried furs, rugs and robes. Our road ran for miles, the Bear River, clear and blue, to the little town of this name, on to Bridgetown, and to Annapolis Royal. This is one of the oldest towns in America, having been established in 1604 by Pierre du Gast, and at that time called Port Royal.

We stopped to look at the old, old rock powder magazine, Fort Anne the officers' quarters, and the quaint, ancient cannon.

MILES OF APPLE ORCHARDS
From Annapolis Royal to Grand Pre we rode through miles and miles and miles of apple orchards. Just one week before when they had been in full bloom the whole province had celebrated Apple Blossom Festival; there were still profusions of them, and we caught our breath at the sheer loveliness.

We passed Kentville, Middleton, and lunched at Wolfville. The next stop was Grand Pre, Evangeline's home. It is said that Longfellow never visited this country to see the home of the Acadians, whose story moved him so deeply, but we found it exactly as it is described in the poem:

"In the Acadian land, on the shores of the Basile de Minas,
Distant, secluded, still, the little village of Grand Pre
Lay in the fruitful valley. . . .
And away to the northward
Blomdora rose, and the forests old, and aloft on the mountains.
Sea-larks pitched their tents, and mists from the mighty Atlantic
Looked on the happy valley, but o'er from their station descended.
There, in the midst of the farms' repose the Acadian village."

Just Talks—On Common Themes

On "A Few Things That Puzzles Us"

A MAN in Digby told me the other day that the universe must be infinite in extent because it had an end, the ending would have to be about on something—so it could have no ending. It is like building a fence—what's on the other side of the fence?

Maybe that will puzzle you a bit.

When I was on my way to Montreal this year, I met a philosopher who talked about the problems of Zeno. He said that they are now about to be solved by higher mathematics.

Zeno proved that there is no such thing as "space" which is exactly what my Digby friend who runs a successful business and thinks all of the time, when he is not figuring, said in the foregoing.

Zeno said that there could not be such thing as space; because space must be enclosed in space and that space is some other space and so on forever without ending.

Zeno's most remarkable problem that my Montreal acquaintance referred to was the problem of Achilles and the tortoise. Achilles runs ten times as fast as the tortoise and gives the tortoise a hundred yards start. While Achilles runs the first hundred yards, the tortoise has gained ten. While Achilles runs that ten yards, the tortoise gains one yard. While Achilles runs that one yard, the tortoise has gained a tenth of a yard and so on and on forever and forever and Achilles can never overtake the tortoise. The fallacy has been called insoluble by the greatest mathematicians. The fallacy lies in the assumption that what is infinitely divisible is also infinite.

One of Zeno's statements relates to motion but it was probably said before he put it. It is ascribed in Diogenes Chronos. This proves that there is no such thing as motion. The statement was as follows and we ask you if you can disprove it.

A body must move either in the place where it is or in the place where it is not. In the place where it is not, it must be stationary. And it plainly can not move in the place where it is not. Hence a body can not be put in motion in the place where it is and it can not be put in motion in a place where it is not. Therefore it can not move at all.

His favorite example was the flight of an arrow. He said if that motion can not begin, because the moving body cannot arrive at any place where it is, until it has passed through a number of intermediate spaces. Now as it is at any particular instant of its flight in a particular place, it can not leave that position, therefore it is at rest.

Aristotle nearly went crazy over this problem—trying to disprove it logically. It was in answer to this famous problem that the phrase originated, "Solitus ambulans" (he is solved by walking). Diogenes dislocated his shoulder. The physician said "Your shoulder can not possibly have moved out of place. It can not be put of the place where it is and it can not possibly be in the place where it is not."

Zeno tried to prove that a grain of corn of a ten-thousandth of a grain in weight made a noise when falling to the ground—either that or a measure of corn made no noise in falling. Which amounts to the question whether there be any sound where there is no ear to hear it; because sound requires that waves of sound strike in the ear. A tree falling in the woods makes waves; is there sound if the waves strike no ear? This puzzle is debated every year and no decision as yet.

When we were boys we used to have the problem "if a herring and a half cost a cent and a half, what will three herring cost?" But a better problem is "if a hen and a half lay an egg and a half in a day and a half, how many eggs will six hens lay in seven days?" You will doubtless feel rather certain that the hens will lay 42 eggs; but you would lose money on the contract. They won't do it. Of course in this problem you should consider it mathematically and not as an absurdity and go to asking "What can half a hen do?" That is not the problem.

These are simple old problems that once amused your fathers and mothers and perhaps may yet amuse you.

—E. S.

shoulders and the yearning gaze turned seaward whence the river was dragged from her arms and lost to see—perhaps forever. The statue was just as we had pictured the sad young heroine—only, we wondered if she really had as large feet as the artist gave her.

It was interesting to notice the Acadia pronunciation of her name. Long a broad a, soft g and short i as E-von-eh-lin.

THOUGHT OF HOME

Silently we began the journey back to Digby, filling our minds with the exquisite pictures of the Cape Breton valley, looking toward Cape Blomidon, and seeing the little church with its twin spires standing in bold relief against the afternoon sky. "Nova Scotia is more like England than any place we see," said the Captain softly. "And it is exactly like the south," we asserted contentedly.

Each of us was thinking of home—that's the kind of feeling this country gives one. Some one started to sing "Home Sweet Home," and we all chimed in. Then we sang and sang, and the queer thing was that those two Englishmen and the Canadian knew "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia," "Kentucky Home," "Old Black Joe," "Swanee River," and even "Dixie," as well as we. They had brought up with them just as we had, they said. Our own southern songs!

We came along Bear River through a world glorified by a radiant sunset, great plash of crimson and rose, with long streamers of Nile green fading into every pastel shade ever known.

The first thing that attracted my attention was a large, handsome picture of the Prince of Wales.

"Is he your ideal?" I asked the young officer. "Oh, not at all," he answered Englishly. "But he is a jolly good sport and all that. I don't think he'll ever marry," he added gratuitously, "he's fond of sports and of English loyalty faltered, but curiosity in pair of feminine eyes prevailed and of him."

We watched the loading of the pulp which was to be taken to Manchester, England, for manufacturing purposes, and we had an excellent and a happy time altogether.

In fact, every hour spent in Nova Scotia held happiness, and we hated to leave this delightful province, where peace and pleasantness, happiness and harmony went to dwell. But one afternoon we boarded the Empress and sailed away through Digby Gap, into the Bay of Fundy, strain our eyes for last glimpse of this quiet, lovely land, where

Province-Wide Publicity Bureau Officially Launched

Left over from last issue.

Delegates representing all parts of the province, convened in the Halifax Board of Trade rooms on Thursday of last week and formed an incorporation known as the Nova Scotia Publicity Bureau, under government sanction, and following an outline prepared by leading bankers, financial experts, heads of industries and transportation companies assisted by lawyers and advertising experts. The session was practically continuous from 10.30 a. m. to 6.10 p. m. Lieut. Governor Grant, Premier Armstrong, deputy mayor Colwell and other delegates present, and representatives from 17 towns expressed their views. It is emphatically stated that the activities of this bureau are to cover every part of the province without favoring any section. The officers are distributed as follows: President, Halifax; two Vice Presidents, east and west; Executive Council, three in Halifax, five in other countries. Annapolis is represented on the Board of Directors by J. C. Whitman, Digby by Paul Yates, Yarmouth by V. R. Cann. \$25,000.00 is required for the first year, \$10,000.00 of which is to be appropriated by the government. Halifax has subscribed \$5,000.00 already, with more to follow. Digby should probably come in for about \$500.00. It is proposed to employ a Field Secretary of consummate ability and wide experience to work 365 days of the year in the interests of trade and tourist travel in the province, at a salary of about \$5,000.00 a year, on a three-year basis. Such systematic and wide-spread advertising cannot fail to be productive of great results.

This new organization absorbs the Nova Scotia Tourist Association which has done wonderful work during the past year, and also the Old Home Summer organization whose vigorous activities started the ball rolling, and proved the need of the present greater and more comprehensive Publicity Bureau.

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Mr. and Mrs. Agrio Melanson, and Mrs. Edmund M. Melanson spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Remi Boudreau of New Tuscot.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Melanson entertained on "Mardi Gras" evening, the Misses Gerita Blinn, Julia and Leticia Cole, Ella O'Brien and Rita Lott.

Dwite L. Sabean and Reginald Shaffner of New Tuscot were in the vicinity on Wednesday.

Germain Lombard, who has been confined to his home all winter, has left for the Yarmouth Hospital, where he will undergo an operation. We wish Mr. Lombard a speedy recovery.

Basile Robichaud and Augustin Lombard were to Yarmouth on business one day last week.

Philippe Saultier, of Brier Lake spent Thursday here visiting friends.

Amedee Comeau and his sister Miss Regina, of Concession, were the over Sunday guests of their sister Stella and Mrs. Sadie Robichaud.

"Maidens still wear their Normandy caps and their skirts of homespun. And by the evening, fire repeat Evangeline's story."

While from its rocky caverns the deep-voiced neighborliness

Maritime Rights Discussed by Digby Board of Trade on Monday Evening

Resolution Passed Protesting Against High Freight Rates in Maritime Province

Digby, falling in line with other towns in the Maritime Provinces, has entered a protest against the increased freight rates, which, in the opinion of several members of the Board of Trade, accounts for the increased prices in food-stuffs and other articles which the citizens are called upon to purchase daily.

The cause of the depression in the Maritime Provinces is partly due to high freight rates and poor transportation, and every Board of Trade and Town Council should fall in line at once and enter a protest to the Federal Government so that something may be done during the present session of parliament to remedy this evil.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trade on Tuesday evening, last, the following resolution was moved by James F. Hillman, which was seconded and passed unanimously, and the Secretary authorized to forward a copy immediately to the Chairman of the Railway Commission, Right Hon. McKenzie King, L. J. Lovett, M. P., and the Provincial Government.

Whereas it has become increasingly evident that much of the discontent among the people of our County and Province has been caused by the existing high Railway Freight rates, which has rendered to increase the cost of living. Whereas the present rates are crippling the industries of our Province:

Be it hereby resolved that the Digby Board of Trade, believing that it is acting in the best interests of the people of Digby County and of the Province of Nova Scotia, places itself on record as being unalterably opposed to the present high rate of freight charges, and wish to influence the Federal Govt., the desirability of an immediate reduction. This Board is of the opinion that a substantial reduction of freight rates would lower the cost of living, bring back prosperity by stimulating our industrial life and still allow for a fair return on the money invested in the railways concerned.

SMITH'S COVE

Orville MacGregor of St. John spent a few days at his home this week.

Mrs. Minard Weir is visiting her daughter Mrs. Ralph Pyle, Rivendale, Mass.

Dr. S. B. MacGregor was successfully operated on for appendicitis, at Halifax, on Thursday last.

Miss A. L. Jagger has gone to New York to visit her brother, for an indefinite time.

The Women's Institute met at Mrs. E. R. Thomas's on Wednesday. The meeting for this month was wholly agricultural.

Melvin Efford of Digby, visited here on Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Sells and children have been sick with "la grippe" but are improving.

A series of Evangelistic meetings are being held in the Baptist church, by the pastor Rev. I. D. Lytle. Each evening brings a larger attendance, and great interest is being shown.

N. T. Rockwell has returned from a trip through the Province.

"The Star Class" will hold their next meeting on Saturday evening, April 5th, at the home of Miss Stella Woodman.

Reginald Weir spent the week-end at his home.

Mrs. E. R. Thomas has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Kelsall in Annapolis.

Mrs. Henry Sells has returned from Shipsham, where she has been visiting her mother.

Miss Ellen Sanderson is on the sick list.

Leo Gaudett and his brother Camille of Concession gave a pleasant

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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The Biscuit Trick

It took so easy they all fall for it; make a bet that it is impossible to eat five soda biscuits in five minutes without spilling any. Eating one in a minute is hard enough.

That's because the sodas are so flaky, so crisp, they absorb a lot of water when you are eating them

and should be eaten slowly—a point in their favor.

Another good trick is to take a kettle of boiling water right off the red hot coals and balance it on the fingers. Strange as it seems it's easy provided you keep your fingers on the cool central part of the kettle (where you expect to find the greatest heat.)

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FRIDAY, MARCH 14

Booze In
The In

Certain provinces are getting ready to make a campaign this summer against automobilists who carries his load of booze on the inside of his own physical system, and Digby County, and especially Digby, should fall in line and assist the sister provinces in enforcing this law to the full extent.

After a rummy-driver has killed one of your own fair-haired children you are apt to yell for laws and edicts. But it is better to have the law and the edicts all ready and to have, on hand, a magistrate or judge who has the gimp and the method of trial and agreement by which guilty men shall not escape.

It has been almost impossible to convict a man of driving his car in an intoxicated condition (himself intoxicated, not the car, we mean to say). We have in mind a couple of young men in this town who should have been bailed before a magistrate last year and punished to the limit but nothing whatever was done and no doubt the same tactics will be adopted this season unless the proper authorities take a hand at once.

The carelessness of officials, both town and county, only leads other young men to not only disgrace themselves but disgrace the town and county as well. They have no self respect. This has been proven a number of times.

It is much the same with the duty of officers in the apprehension of persons driving automobiles under the influence of liquor (again we must say that this is the fault of the driver, not the automobile that is under the influence of liquor).

Let Digby be the first town in Nova Scotia to follow the example of other provinces. A general clean-up campaign would be a good thing for the town this summer.

Two Different
Kinds

The citizen who stands on the street corner, with his hands stuffed down in his pockets, his shoulders stooped and a sneer on his face, is of no value to any community.

He is the fellow who says the fire department doesn't know how to fight a fire, and tells how it ought to be done. But he never lends a hand.

He is the fellow who complains

about the nuts in the streets, but he hasn't paid any taxes for years and of course doesn't help keep them in condition.

He is the fellow who finds fault with the public schools and the teachers, but never did anything in his life to improve the schools.

He is the fellow who condemns everything and sees no good in anything.

You all know him and his type. The sooner he leaves us, the sooner we will be able to move forward.

Contrast him with the citizen who is a booster and may be counted on to help every worthy cause.

This type of citizen pays his debts and his taxes, stands for everything that is for the betterment of the place where he lives and never allows his enthusiasm for his home town to lag.

He is an asset to any community. It is men of his class who are responsible for all of the improvements that are made. We owe it to him that we have as good streets as we do, that our school system is as modern as it is and that we live in a place that we can boast of to our friends.

Classify yourself and see which class you belong to, which type you match. If you belong to the former, it's time for rejuvenation. If you belong to the latter, more power to you.

Informing
The Public

The failure of many communities to appreciate progressive measures is due in many cases to a failure to give the public information as to what is being done. People often entertain false conceptions in regard to public work.

For instance, there have been in the past many places, and possibly are still, many people who were prejudiced against public hospitals. Such sentiments were especially common among ignorant people, who would circle fantastic stories about things that happened in hospitals.

During recent years, however, such institutions have made a big effort to acquaint the public with their methods, and as a result public sentiment almost always gives them hearty support.

The question was recently raised, in regard to certain very fine musical services given by a church in another city, as to why they were not better attended. In spite of the fact that programs of great merit and beauty were offered, the public did not come in. The whole story was told when some one remarked that they were not advertised well. All that was done was just to put a little three line item into a local newspaper. If a little more had been spent on a more adequate notice, a good audience could have been expected.

The people who desire to promote good causes must not assume that the public knows all about them. People are very busy, and they have as a rule only vague ideas of the work accomplished by churches, charitable, civic, and business organizations, unless they are mentioned in the daily press.

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just plain carelessness. How many will resolve here and now never to pass a boy or a girl from this day forth without some sign of greeting? If you could but appreciate what it means to the youngsters. You can, if you will go back in your book of memories and recall the days of your childhood.

Remember the man or the woman who always "knew" you? To this day you have a very fond remembrance of those persons who were never too busy, never too engrossed with their own affairs to recognize you with a nod of the head, a wave of the hand or a smile.

You know how their word of encouragement helped you along when you thought your burdens were heavy. You know that their recognition made you feel that you were of some importance in the world after all, and gave you a new grip on yourself.

Don't slight the boys and girls who are going to be men and women of the community a few years hence. Give them a boost.

Speak to them. It makes no difference if you don't know their name. The point is—speak.

Rubs by Rambler

In the course of an article appearing in a recent issue of this paper, reference was made to the lack of a pipe organ in any of our churches. Permit us to say that a splendid organ has been in use in Trinity Church for over 35 years. Why not to church some day and hear for yourself?

Just because we live in a small town it does not necessarily mean that we all have only small town minds. The trouble is that we spend too much time thinking in small town thoughts. If anyone in our community shows evidence of unusual ability or more successful in making more money than the rest of us, we immediately allow some narrow personal prejudice or dislike to influence our reasoned judgment, and we go about knocking or belittling that individual. This doesn't help us, and it hinders the man who is trying to get somewhere.

Although the Board of Trade meeting on Tuesday evening was well attended, yet there should have been twice as many members present. Every business man and every other live man in Digby should become a member. It isn't your fee (\$1) that is sought. It is your active support and any suggestions that you may have. Don't stay away in order to avoid a job being thrust on you; the appointments have all been made for this year. The Publicity Committee of the board, is the liveliest body we have had in Digby for many years. They have been giving a great deal of their own time to the work entrusted to them and later on in the season we shall begin to see the results of their labors.

Following Dr. Banting in his discovery of a cure for diabetes, we are informed that another CANADIAN, Dr. J. C. Clover, has discovered a cure for Cancer. It all goes to show that we have just as much brains and brains as in any other country on earth. Unfortunately however, as in the case of Dr. Clover, the talents of our men of outstanding ability are recognized abroad more readily than at home. Many of our leaders in Art, Literature, Medicine and Science have been compelled to go to other countries, chiefly the United States, in order to attain success. This is due no doubt to the better opportunities offered in the large centres, yet it may be that frequently we fail to give the financial assistance and encouragement necessary to achieve success at home.

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Board Of Trade
In Regular Session
Tuesday EveningProtest Entered Against
Increased Insurance
Rates—Other Important Matters

The regular monthly meeting of the Digby Board of Trade was held Tuesday evening in the Council Chambers of the Town Hall. A large number of members were present and considerable discussion took place over various questions which came before the meeting.

The meeting opened at 8.15, President Harris in the chair. In the absence of F. W. Nichols, Secretary of the Board, who is spending a well earned vacation in Hamilton, Bermuda, P. W. Holdsworth was elected Secretary pro tem.

A letter was read from the Secretary of the Board of Fire Underwriters, re a resolution passed at the last meeting of the Board of Trade, protesting against increased fire insurance rates. The matter will be placed before the Board of Fire Underwriters at their next meeting, declared the Secretary at Halifax.

This matter was fully discussed among the members. The water system and electric wiring was the chief cause for increased rates, declared several speakers. The town itself was at fault because no bylaw existed re electric wiring. One member suggested that the Board should wait upon the Town Council and get them to secure the services of a certified electrician for Digby. The whole wiring system must be standardized, declared the members. The matter was settled when Fred McBride moved, seconded by James T. Hillman, that the matter be laid on table for further reference.

Paul Yates, who attended a meeting of the Nova Scotia Publicity Committee at Halifax a few days ago as a delegate from the Board of Trade, gave a full and lengthy report of the proceedings and questions which were brought before the meeting in the Capital city.

The report as presented by Mr. Yates was received on motion and the Secretary authorized to write Halifax saying that Digby was heartily in sympathy with the movement.

Mr. Yates also presented the report of the local committee on Publicity Work. The new booklet is progressing rapidly, declared Mr. Yates, and same will be rushed to completion with all possible speed.

The committee appointed to secure suitable quarters for Board of Trade Rooms presented their report. Nothing definite had been done, declared A. J. Dillon, who acted as spokesman for the committee but several places in town had been examined, but the rent asked for rooms seemed to be rather high.

President Harris was appointed a delegate to wait upon the Town Council at their next meeting, asking the honorable body to donate the sum of \$25.00 towards paying expenses of the Publicity Committee in this campaign to advertise Digby.

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Weymouth

Plus Bellevue who attended the funeral of the late Peter Bellevue of St. Mary's returned to his home in Malden on Friday.

James Gaudet left on Friday for Malden, where he intends visiting his sister Mrs. Edna Melanson and Mrs. Plus Bellevue for a few weeks.

Miss Vic Cormier has returned home from a brief business trip to Boston. During her stay there she visited the Military Hospital at the Copley Plaza Hotel and also visited the Military Departments of the big stores.

The S. S. Marie Marguerite which plies between St. Mary's Bay points and Weymouth, resumed her regular sailing on Friday, making three trips weekly Tuesday, Friday and Saturdays.

Edward Melanson of the Royal Bank and his wife returned to his home undergoing special medical treatment.

Mrs. Ann Melanson left on Monday for Yarmouth where she entered the Yarmouth Hospital for surgical treatment.

Dr. H. J. Pothier was a passenger to Weymouth on Thursday morning returning on the night train.

Mrs. Louis A. Melanson of Church Point returned to her home on Monday morning after a visit to her sister Mrs. Leonie Leblanc.

Rev. J. H. Copeland, who for the past two months has been conducting services at St. Mary's, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Capt. L. P. Barkhouse, who has been visiting a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Barkhouse, left Tuesday for Weymouth.

A Surprise Party At Church Point

A surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gaudet Sunday evening, March 2nd at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Melanson, at Church Point. About twenty-five friends arrived unexpectedly by the train and presented them with a monetary gift. Silver trays, a Suction of a silver tray, were rendered by Miss Regina Thibodeau, also a selection of classical music given by Ernest LeBlanc, Manager of the Royal Bank, and accompanied by Miss Amy Thibodeau. Miss Honorine Melanson and Lucy LeBlanc caused great enjoyment to the happy group by dancing old fashioned dances and wearing old fashioned costumes. The bride (Miss Marguerite Melanson) looked charming wearing an imported gown of brown "Vera Broche". Delightful refreshments were served after which the party ended extending to Mr. and Mrs. Gaudet very best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

Something for everyone

China, Earthenware—Tin and Enamelware. Stocks for men, boys, stockings for women and children. Toys of all kinds for the little ones.

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It is explained why a sluggish liver is attended by such symptoms as Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headaches, Sourness and gas on a weak stomach, Loss of appetite, Pains in the Back and Sides, and a nervous run-down condition, symptoms that lead to the dangerous and expensive sick-bed unless corrected in time.

Dr. H. S. Thacher's noted medical practitioner, perfected a wholesome vegetable prescription to keep the liver healthy. It is giving renewed strength, energy and vigor to numbers here. This prescription known pharmacologically as Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup, doesn't cost much, pleasant to take and contains only ingredients that are known to physicians for their corrective and health giving properties.

Try this great prescription, yourself. Notice the quick difference in the way you look, eat, sleep and feel. You will be completely satisfied; otherwise there will be no cost.

Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup is sold and recommended by F. W. Holdsworth and H. E. Jones.

Shelbourne Has A Sensation

A shortage of \$2,655 in the accounts of former Town Clerk and Treasurer of Shelbourne was disclosed in the report of the special auditor, George G. Duxton, C. A., of Halifax, made to the Town Council on Wednesday night. Of this sum it is stated, \$1,800 was misappropriated in 1923; and a demand for restitution of the sum will be made on the bonding company which was

surely for the former clerk it was decided Wednesday night. Beyond this decision no definite action was taken by the council concerning the matter.

The incumbent occupied the position of trust with the town for a little more than two years at a salary of \$750 a year. While the salary was small, it was considered adequate for the service required, the position being regarded as "a part time job," and the incumbent, in fact, carried on a law practice while filling the position. He was permitted to resign a few weeks ago and an audit of his accounts was ordered immediately.

The report submitted was a summary of the results of the audit, which has just been completed by Mr. Duxton, whose full report will be presented to the town within a few days.

The late clerk, it is understood, has promised to make up any shortage that might be disclosed by an audit.

The case is a local sensation, and the question arousing the most curiosity is what became of the money. The ex-official had, apparently, no expensive habits, and his scale of living has not been such as to suggest an excuse for taking the town's money, as he had an income from his law practice, it is understood, sufficient to meet ordinary expenditures.

He is a member of one of the town's old families, and some twenty years ago practised in Halifax, afterwards living for a while in Boston.



It Pays to Advertise in The COURIER

New Tusket

Ulyse Smith, of Saulnierville Station, spent a few days recently at William Gaudet's.

Mrs. Luke Gaudet spent a few days of last week with friends in Southville.

Mrs. William Mullen spent last Tuesday with Mrs. A. J. Hobbs, C. A. Spaulding, of Bingham, Maine, called at the home of C. F. Sabean recently.

Louis H. Melanson, of Corberrie, spent Friday afternoon with friends in this place.

The last dance of the pre Lenten season was held at Ramie Beaudreau's on Monday evening March 3. The following crowd were present, Mr. and Mrs. Agno Melanson, Mrs. Edmund Melanson, Ellie Melanson and Ivan Blinn, of Corberrie, Ulyse Smith, of Saulnierville Station, Martin Thibodeau and Edward Amaro, of Doucetteville, Mrs. Simeon Doucette, Mrs. Alfred Bourque, Adaise LeBlanc, Rosie Doucette, Elizabeth Comeau, Nellie and Grace Gaudet, Melbourne Bourque, John Tidd and Wilbur Sabean. The music for the evening was supplied by Frank Gaudet and Ivan Blinn.

Dwight Sabean spent Monday and Tuesday with relatives in Weymouth.

A. Shane, Optometrist and Optician, of Yarmouth, has been in this place for a few days. While here he boarded at C. F. Sabean.

Miss Clara Sabean spent the week-end at her home here.

Chester Stevens, Miss Neva Gaudet, Martin Thibodeau and Mrs. Luke Gaudet spent Sunday in Weymouth.

Louis Thibodeau spent the week-end with his wife in Yarmouth.

Sorry to report John Tidd on the sick list.

Ephram Gaudet spent the week-end with his friend Miss Marjorie White, Southville.

Alphonse Thibodeau spent Sunday with friends here.

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"Fruit-a-tives" is pleasant to take and will always restore the health when taken regularly as directed.

50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At Dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

East Ferry

Mrs. Laura Outhouse, of Tiverton, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris.

Miss Lena Theriault is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. George Nodding, at Beaver Harbour, N. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son born Feb. 15th.

Miss Pearl Stanton, of Centreville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Theriault.

Whitefield Outhouse spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harris.

The young folks of this place spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mrs. Arbella Melanson. Rev Mr. Harvey, of Little River, preached a very impressive and instructive sermon in Union Hall. Sunday evening his discourse was highly appreciated by all of his hearers and we hope to have him with us again some time in the future.

Lyons Stanton and son Roy, has gone to Port Maitland to spend a few months.

Byron Small has been spending a few days with friends at Tidville.

Obituary

EUGENE DeLONG

It is with much sorrow that we have to chronicle the death of Eugene LeBaron DeLong which took place here on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 27th, at one o'clock at the early age of twenty two years.

The deceased, who was one of our most promising young men was stricken with that dread disease tuberculosis over a year ago, was of a very genial disposition and bore his sufferings with the greatest courage. He was a member and active worker in the Hill Grove Baptist Church and of Hope Division S. of I., and was very popular with the young people of his native village.

The funeral services were held in the Hill Grove Church Sunday afternoon and very largely attended. Rev. L. E. Nunn officiating. The floral tributes were beautiful, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

In addition to the regular music "We Shall Meet Them (Miles)" was beautifully rendered by the Digby Male Trio.

Those of his immediate family who are left to mourn are his father W. W. DeLong, two brothers, Charles at home and Walter DeLong, B. S. A. of MacDonald's College, Quebec, and one sister, Miss Susie, also at home.

The Courier extends deepest sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Weekly Newspaper Big Asset To Any Town

There is, after all, no newspaper in the world that means so much to one as his own town paper. The daily, with its flaring headlines and its sensational news, coming red-hot off the wires, that tells us what is happening in the great outside world is a very necessary visitor to our breakfast tables. But there is, another world—the world of our own home town—where all the actors on the stage of life are known to us, where the way each acts his part in the drama of life is a matter of personal interest to all, where sickness and death, losses and accidents arouse something deeper than the passing curious interest with which we read of such happenings to unknown persons in the daily newspapers, and where the outstanding success or the winning of distinction by a member of this little world become matters for pride and gratification to the whole community.

And the recorder and chronicler of these happenings is the town newspaper. It is a community organization, in which everyone should have a personal interest, and in which everyone should co-operate in an effort to have it present each week a correct history of the town and district that week, to voice correctly the public opinion of the community and to take the right stand on all public questions that arise.

TIVERTON

Sehr. Souvenir, Capt. Oscar Outhouse, is in port.

T. O. Morgan, of Smith's Cove, was in port.

Mrs. Laura Outhouse has returned from her visit at Sandy Cove.

Amos E. Outhouse of Sandy Cove, was to town last week.

Norman Robbison made a trip to St. John last week.

Schr. Radio, Capt. Clifford, sailed for Dipper Harbour, 8th.

Mrs. Cleveland Elliott, Miss Flora Outhouse, and Miss Evelyn Morhouse were on the sick list last week.

Alvah Young, returned home last week from Springfield, 8th.

N. S.

We are glad to report Herman Theriault improving in health.

Joseph Statk made a flying trip to Sandy Cove, returning same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Greenlaw and son Howard, are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Ella Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Small spent the day with their son, Sydney small.

A. E. Outhouse called on friends in this place one day last week.

The fisherman report Lobsters very scarce

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Daily more and more of them are finding out the pleasure to be derived from a little social chat with some friend in another town over the Long Distance Telephone.

One's best friends are not necessarily in one's own town, and these ladies recognize that, for the preservation of friendships with separation and distance threaten, nothing is more effective, simple and enjoyable, than an occasional chat over the Long Distance Telephone Lines.

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Chiropractic has never had a single dollar of endowment, aid from state or national governments. It has overcome the prejudice of the public, the opposition of other professions placed on its extermination and adverse laws in every state and province.

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Westport

W. A. Pugh our popular custom
official made a short visit to Yar-
mouth on the 21st ult., returning on
the following Monday.

On the 28 ult. H. F. Bowers made
a short business trip to the above
town as also Dean Pugh and son.

Mr. Bowers returned on the 29th ult.
inst. Mr. Pugh will visit his sister
Mrs. Reginald Watkins for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Watkins and family
moved to Yarmouth where for the
present they will reside. Mr. Wat-
kins services have been engaged by
the Austin Nickerson Co. Ltd.

Capt. L. F. Barkhouse and Mrs.
Barkhouse are spending a few weeks
at Weymouth at the home of their
son Donald.

D. B. Renney, who under-
went a serious operation at the Yar-
mouth Hospital some weeks ago, are
pleased to say is getting round again.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Piper are
spending a few weeks with their sis-
ter, Mrs. Charles Cower.

Mr. Piper informed your correspon-
dent that a two family house for
sale for \$5500, ten years ago, would
now bring from \$13000 to \$14000.

No wonder that rent is
so high up there.

Arthur Hicks has been
spending a few days with relatives
at St. John and is home again; and
his brother Capt. Chas. has been on
a business trip to Yarmouth.

The new banker at Freeport,
who takes the place of Arthur
Amberley is making a place for
himself in the hearts of his custo-
mers on the Islands.

Miss Adella McDermid employ-
ed at the St. John Hospital came
home with a broken limb a few
weeks ago; will be able to resume
her studies in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Peters
have taken their departure for the
U. S. A. Thus they go. Mr. Hol-
land, who has been to work in
N. Y. for the last few months, has
returned to catch the lobster, or
at least a few of them.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson is at pre-
sent in St. John, on a short visit.
Her husband is chief steward on the
Govt. S. S. Explorer.

The L. O. F. held their an-
nual tea in the hall on the 28 ult.
George W. Clements is at pre-
sent engaged as a travelling sales-
man by the Leonard's fish Co. at
St. John. George is a hustler.

Mrs. Claud Bishop of Liverpool
has been visiting her parents Mr.
and Mrs. Elsie Titus, returned
last week.

The Golden Jubilee of the Wo-
man's Missionary Aid Society held
a very pleasant evening on the 17th
ult. in the Vestry of the Baptist
church. This being the 50 anni-
versary of its founding. Only one
of the Organizers is now living,
Mrs. S. A. Perry of Beaver River.

A very interesting letter was read
from her as also from many absent
sisters and Greetings from sister
churches. Also a splendid lecture
by Rev. J. B. Anderson on the
Missionaries in India and elsewhere.

Choice singing by the choir as-
sisted by the Westport orchestra
helped to pass a very pleasant eve-
ning. Collection was taken which
amounted to over \$23.00.

The Christian church, though
pastorless is having regular Sunday
evening services. The Christian
Endeavour Society celebrated the
Annual Endeavor day in Feb., it
being the 43. anniversary of the
organization of the parent society.

Prepared papers were read by
Mrs. Hilbert Carron and Mrs. Ed-
ward Cousins showing the growth
and progress during the years
of its existence. Special music
by the large choir, a short address
by the president, and several
readings gave a very pleasant eve-
ning of these presents.

Our fishermen are putting out
their traps in large numbers and it
is to be hoped that they will get
some fish for their pains and work,
but it is natural to suppose that
owing to the catching and canning
of the small fish by millions the
harvest will be small.

Mr. and Mrs. Finigan of Free-
port spent Saturday and Sunday
with the guests of her parents Mr. and
Mrs. Leslie Powell.

Mrs. Ignial Outhouse of Tiv-
erton is spending a few weeks with
her daughter, Mrs. Llewellyn Delaney.

Our teacher Miss Thelma Small
spent the week end with her mo-
ther Mrs. Boyd Farnsworth at
Tiverton.

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my baby boy. I had terrible pains and
backache, and was tired and weak, not
fit to do my work and care for my three
little children. One day I received your
little book and read it, and gave up tak-
ing the medicine I had and began taking
the Vegetable Compound. I feel much
better now and am not ashamed to tell
what it has done for me. I recommend
it to any woman I think feels as I do."
—Mrs. J. R. McMahon, 133 Harvey
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pound, made from roots and herbs, has
for nearly fifty years been restoring sick,
ailing women to health and strength. It
relieves the troubles which cause such
symptoms as backache, painful periods,
irregularity, tired, worn-out feelings,
and nervousness. This is shown again and
again by such letters as Mrs. McMahon
writes, as well as by women telling
another. These women know, and are
willing to tell others, what it did for
them; therefore, it is surely worth
your trial.

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home for a few weeks. She will be
leaving here about the first of April
to attend the County Academy at
Annapolis Royal.

Mrs. S. Blaney and her sister
Mrs. Melanson of Stony Beach
were over Sunday guests at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard
Adams.

Miss Jennie Henshaw spent last
week with her sister Mrs. Carey
Morgan at Lansdown.

Mr. and Mrs. Avard Burrell spent
a few days of last week with friends
at Little River.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Henshaw
have been spending two months in
Sunny Florida. They have arrived in
N. Y. and expect to return to
Deep Brook in the early Spring
where they will reside.

Mrs. Louisa Clements is visiting
friends at Middleton.

Mrs. Flora Purdy is spending a
few days with friends at Bear River.

We are sorry to note that our
genial assistant Post Master has
been confined to the house for a few
days with a severe cold.

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FREEPORT

Mrs. Harding, of the United States, is
the guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph
Crocker.

Mrs. Lauriston Small and little daugh-
ter, of Tiverton, have been spending a
few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
R. Thurber.

Fair Isle Rebekah Lodge held its regular
meeting on Thursday evening, when the
degree was conferred upon several candi-
dates.

Mrs. Roy Small, of Tiverton, was the
week end guest at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Weston Dimigan.

The anniversary of Chippewa Lodge
was held on the 19th. After a bountiful
supper served by the brothers was pre-
sented a musical and literary pro-
gramme was given and enjoyed by all.

Special mention should be made of the
"Bugle" which is one of the chief features
of these annual entertainments and con-
sists of the reading of a paper composed
of various humorous incidents and oth-
er happenings which occur during the year.
The author deserves great credit for the
manner in which this year's "Bugle" was
prepared.

A social under the auspices of Fair Isle
Rebekah Lodge was held on Friday even-
ing at which a goodly number were
present and enjoyed a good time. Mr.
Campbell and his patients in a humorous
dialogue contributed largely towards
making the evening entertaining and a
success.

A wedding reception was held at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Finnigan
for their son, and bride and her who re-
cently returned from the U. S. A. A
large number were present and the num-
ous gifts testified to the popularity of both
parties. Mr. and Mrs. Finnigan will re-
side in the house adjoining Mr. A. R.
Westcott's store.

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Just Talks--On Common Themes

On "The Old Hay Barn"

I CAN NOT tell you why I always seem to be looking into the old barn and seeing the open doors and the rain sweeping down against it, visible in the contrast of its sleek whiteness, against the dusky velvet of the barn's slim interior. How many a time have you and I, eager for sunshine perhaps as a lad always was, looked out against those open doors to see if perchance the lowering clouds had begun to weep.

So today, never does the old barn come to mind that I do not see its wooden rooster turning due east, bobbing his scarred tail due west and I a little lad looking out of the tiny panes of the kitchen windows to the last door and hoping that the rain had not begun to fall. Somehow this state of mind invariably runs away from me into a forced meditation of the early mornings of the annual excursion to the seashore where as the fate of early August day would have it, the storm clouds often foreboded rain and the popple trees had been turning up their white sides and a sort of moaning in the eaves and the low flight of the barn-swallows, and the "split" on the grass and a hundred other things had presaged rain. What a miserable return for prayer. What a response to optimism for weeks as to this special day of the calendar. What a concentration and tincture of signs. What a residue of evil and unhappy forebodings, of trials of sure omens, of estimates of chance by the way of boyhood gambings with fate through media that shall be nameless but which I am sure every red-blooded boy of mature years surely understands, else he is stupid.

So, I see the old barn as an open door against which the impending rain yet waits to spell despair. O! those gloomy days of hope for adventure out of a country town toward the sea; the sea, the open sea; the fair, the fresh, the ever free. The positive assurance that if the rain did fall, the annual excursion of the brass band would be "postponed" and might never happen. The certainty that THIS was the only day, that one would ever live. And then the first falling of the rain, dolorously predicted yesterday by "positively the best weather-wise" in town, who was reported to have said that "it looked like rain." Gosh; this IS a hard word.

Lord forgive us tears as we look at the picnic basket, all loaded with wonderful food and condiments, its sides fairly bursting with unusual pabulum. Think! Just think, of what it meant to grandmother to unload that basket and apportion out to us, amid this commonplace surroundings, the goodies designed to be eaten in the sight of the heaving sea, on a sandpit, amid the mosquitoes.

But, after all, the old barn was a retreat on this rainy day. Here we sat. Here also gathered grandfather and the hired man, to sit in door and clean the harness and do other odd jobs. How it rained on that old barn-roof! With what sobbing, one climbed the ladder to the hay-mow and bedded in the old place of yesterday, unless perchance the pitcher of hay had thrown down the "hole" to the stock. Music of the rain on the old barn! Today, I would be happy indeed, to lie there, (care-free as I fancy I might be but surely would not be were I a boy)—and listen dreamily to the comfort of the music of the radioed rain. Below, the cattle champed at their cuds (such as were not at pasture); the bull rattled his chain on the tie-up stanchion; a cow that was malapropos as to pasture was fretting underneath. The rain; the rain; and the rain.

Here lay the boy quite conscious of the wild-life moving around him and familiar with it, as no lad of today can possibly be. There were mice running about—a lot he cared about mice. The pheo-birds and the swallows flitted to and from out of the holes, in the sides of the barn. Bumble-bees lumbered in and out busy enough, and yet, yet, yet, jacks hung up "their paper habitations from its timbers." You may lie there in your desolate nest in the hay, listening to the rude and disturbing rumble of the rain, in a rote as dreamy as the song of the sea, that you were longing for but could not attain. What a wonderful thing, this reiteration of augmented chords of rain and wind and seas; and tides and swish of leaves, and sob of summer winds in eaves, or roar of winter winds in chimneys.

I have no moral for this story—only perhaps recompense for disappointment! For, today I remember little of the excursions of bright days (for we had them)—and all I do remember are the sad days of rain, on excursion days; when amid tears of the world and tears of a poor little insignificant lad, I fell asleep and went on excursions in dreamland finer than any that this poor world had then or ever has had to offer.

—E. S.

Centreville

Fred Daken was given a surprise on Saturday, his birthday, when a number of friends gathered at his home and spent the evening in games.

A. E. Gidney who has been ill is improving.

A Chopping Frolic was given at Cecil Dakins Friday afternoon followed in the evening by a dance. All reported a very enjoyable evening.

Ronald Morehouse has returned from the Yarmouth Hospital where he underwent a very serious operation. Though very ill we are glad to know he is improving.

Miss Hattie Speicht of Yarmouth is visiting her sister, Mrs. Oswell Banks.

Mrs. E. D. Morehouse of Sandy Cove spent a few days with her mother last week.

Byron Lewis has returned from St. Martins, N. B., where he spent the winter.

Mrs. Floyd Jeffery of Sandy Cove is visiting her mother, Mrs. George Holmes.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mrs. Beecher Morehouse on Saturday. A musical program was given by Mrs. Morehouse and family ably assisted by Mrs. Arwell Outhouse.

Iva Lewis was given a birthday surprise Saturday evening.

Town Topics

Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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A Globe Trotter

His first order came from Montreal, followed a few days later by one from New York; asking that five pounds of Moir's Chocolates be placed on board the Andania at Halifax, to accompany him to England. Moir's hope to hear from him when he reaches London and at other points in his progress.

Col. Laurie, too, when setting sail on the Andania took along about 25 lbs "representative to English friends on the high quality of your products."

We can't all enjoy a world tour. But we can all enjoy what adds to its attractions.

Town To Install Water Meters In The Near Future

Matter Will Be Dealt With At Next Regular Meeting Of The Town Council

That the Town of Digby will install water meters in order to overcome the present wastage of water, was the voice expressed at the special meeting of the Town Council on Thursday evening last. The water question was discussed from every angle by His Worship Mayor DuVernet. It would cost \$24,805.25 to build a new 6 inch pipe line, and if such a sum was voted it would mean a big increase in taxation. To overcome the present difficulty His Worship believed the installation of water meters would be the best thing possible. Considerable water was being wasted daily, and by such installation a great saving would be the result. Rather than put in a new pipe line he favored the meter proposition.

Each Councillor discussed the water question very fully and Coun. Aymar moved, seconded by Coun. Anderson, that the matter be referred to the Water Committee and a report be brought in at next regular meeting.

The Influence Of Advertising

The man who claims he never pays any attention to your advertising is probably sincere in his belief. That is because he doesn't notice it's influence; he is not directly conscious of its force. Nevertheless, all the publicity of the retailer has its indirect effect, for as a matter of fact there isn't a normal customer in any civilized community who in purchasing goods is not guided by advertising that has reached him somewhere some time. As a rule, though, your prospect is seldom conscious of being influenced. The people in your community who have eyes to see and ears to hear cannot help but be affected by publicity. Therefore the advertising you do is working all the time, and makes it easier for you to sell the customer. Most successful retail merchants today realize and work on the principle that advertising does the preliminary work and the sales clerks do the rest.

The Social Service Council of Digby was organized on Sunday evening last after the Mass meeting which was held in the Bijou Dream. The officers elected for the ensuing year were as follows: President—Rev. W. H. Watts; Vice-President—Mrs. C. E. Dexter; Secretary—Mrs. S. Cosman; Treasurer—Mrs. (Dr.) E. DuVernet.

The executive committee will be settled from the different churches and fraternal organizations at a later date.

Bill Will Be Blocked In Committee Is the Advice Given Coun.

By a vote of three to two the new Town Council of Digby on Thursday evening last turned down the oil engine scheme and refused to ratify the mandate received from the ratepayers on several occasions, as well as the vote of the old Town Council.

The question was brought up at a special meeting of the Council which was called to discuss several urgent matters, among them being a bill before the legislature re: the authorizing of Bonds to the extent of \$15,000 for the purchase of an oil engine for the town. His Worship Mayor DuVernet outlined the proposition to the new Council, and remarked that in company with the Town Clerk he had met Mr. Warner, the local member for this constituency, at the D. A. R. station and was told that the bill now before the Legislature had received its first reading, was in hands of the Accounts Committee, and unless the new council ratified the decision of the old council it would receive the six months' notice. The committee of the local house thought that this vote was necessary on account of such a small majority of the ratepayers voting in favor of the borrowing of money. Among the minority, as the local house was advised, were some of the heaviest taxpayers of the town. His Worship said it would be a move for the Council to ratify the resolution now on the town books. Even if the bill, passed the House, the town would not be forced to buy an oil engine if hydro was a possibility.

Coun. Anderson did not see why the present Council should be asked to vote on the matter. It was settled as far as he was concerned. Coun. Jordan moved, seconded by Coun. Warrington, that the present Council ratify the old Council's resolution.

Coun. Holdsworth was willing to leave the matter in the hands of the Public Accounts Committee at Halifax. He had voted against the resolution at the Court House and would vote against it tomorrow. It was not popular at present. The

government can suit themselves about the matter, declared Coun. Holdsworth and if they want to give the bill the six months' notice, let them do so.

Coun. Jordan said he would stand by the ratepayers, who had voted in favor of the resolution. He was father of the movement and would stand by the majority every time.

Coun. Holdsworth then remarked that the amount asked for was not large enough and would not be sufficient to have the engine installed, despite what experts and agents had said on numerous occasions. Hydro seemed a possibility at the present time, and developments were going on with the new pulp company at Bear River. If hydro is an assured fact then Digby did not want an oil engine or even an auxiliary. It is wise to go slow in the matter, declared the Council.

"We are not going very fast in this or any other matter, declared Coun. Jordan, and the ratepayers did not think the Council was very slow. The only thing to do was to have the measure put through and follow out the wishes of the ratepayers.

Coun. Aymar believed hydro would start this summer. The town can wait and get the bill through some other time as well as now. It did not make very much difference to him whether the bill passed the Local House or not, declared Coun. Aymar.

His Worship did not see any sense in trying to hold up the bill. We could not buy an oil engine until the Council authorized it, declared Mayor DuVernet. It would be a good thing to have the bill put on the Statute books. The engine could be bought ten years from now. No mistake would be made if the Council ratified the former resolution.

The motion moved by Coun. Jordan was then put before the meeting and declared lost, Coun. Aymar, Anderson and Holdsworth voting against, and Coun. Jordan and Warrington for.

Mass Meeting In Bijou Dream Sunday Well Attended

Dr. H. R. Grant Delivers Interesting Address On Social Service Work

The Bijou Dream was crowded to the doors on Sunday night when Dr. H. R. Grant delivered a very interesting address on "Social Service Work."

A musical program consisting of instrumental selections, singing by male quartette, etc., was greatly enjoyed. Rev. W. H. Watts, President of the local branch of the Social Service Council, acted as chairman, and in introducing the speaker for the evening spoke of the good work which Dr. Grant was carrying on in Nova Scotia, the interest of Social Service work and the enforcement of the Prohibition Law. Dr. Grant, declared the chairman, was a sure leader, a wise counsellor who has time and again hazarded his life on the work which he had been called upon to perform.

Dr. Grant, after thanking the chairman for his kind remarks, gave a review of the work which the Social Service Councils of Nova Scotia were doing. He was pleased

to see so many boys and girls present, because his work had been carried on through them and if given a chance we will have within a very short time, a better Province. What we want is a Nova Scotia without the gambling case and drink habit. The Attorney-General of the Province, declared the speaker, was going to see that every law on the Statute Books was enforced, and if the Mayor, Town Council and Police officers failed in their duties then Mr. O'Hearn would send special officers down and have the laws enforced. What the Province needs is workers, not loafers.

Mr. Grant also spoke on the Prohibition question, showing that the Provinces which today were under Govt. control in the sale of liquor, were going heavily in debt and the Veinder was a failure. The rum runner question was a serious problem and he was sorry to see natives of the Province engaged in the nefarious business; and who were trying to supply the rich bootleggers in the United States with poison. He closed by calling upon the audience to "assist him in order to make Nova Scotia clean for the sake of the boys and girls. Let us clean up."

A vote of thanks to Dr. Grant was moved by Rev. W. Driffield, seconded by Rev. L. E. Nums, for the splendid address given. This was put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

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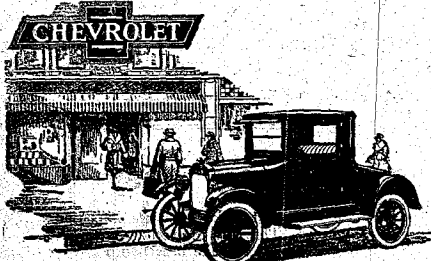
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Weymouth

Mrs. Emile Deveau and daughter Laura, of Salmon River, are spending a few days in Weymouth with relatives and friends.

Leger Doucette returned Friday from a few days visit to his parents at Saulterville.

Fred Mullen, of Augusta, Me., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullen, Weymouth Settlement, for a few weeks.

Frank Saulnier and son George, returned Saturday from a two weeks visit to relatives in St. John.

T. R. G. Lynch, of Digby, was in town Thursday on business.

Miss Vic Cormier was a passenger to Digby Wednesday, returning the same day.

Mrs. Ira Blinn and Miss Lizzy Gaudet, of Bellevue Cove, were in town, Friday, spending the day with Mrs. Blinn's sister, Mrs. Fred M. McEwen.

Mr. Wale, of the Sissiboo and Clyde Pulp Co., who has been on a business trip to Port Clyde returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. Wale, who accompanied him returned home on Saturday.

Miss Marjorie, White, of Southville, left Monday for Kentville, where she has accepted a position.

E. Wahlstrom, of Norway, representing Edward Lloyd, Ltd., of England, who has been in town for the past two weeks in connection with matters effecting the Pulp Co., has left for Port Clyde and Halifax.

He was accompanied on his trip by Mrs. Wahlstrom. During their stay in town they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wale.

Lucius Belliveau, of Church Point, was in town Monday.

Miss Doucette, of Bellevue's Cove, was rushed to the Weymouth Hospital Monday evening, suffering from a ruptured appendix.

Dr. H. J. Pothier accompanied her and assisted at the operation, returning home next morning.

Mrs. Vincent Gendron, of Little Brook, was in town on Tuesday.

A. C. Hatt, superintendent of the Sissiboo Pulp Co., returned on Tuesday evening's train from a business trip to Port Clyde.

Rev. Father Doucette, of Plympton, held services at Rossoway on Wednesday of this week.

Harry Wagner left on Wednesday for Halifax, whence he will sail for London, Eng., on a business trip.

Geo. Geddy, of Saulterville and Miss Caroline Melanson, teacher at New Edinburgh, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Comeau on Sunday.

D. A. Sears of Antigonish, representing the Amherst Road and Sisco Co., was in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Felix Melanson, of Corberrie, left on Tuesday for Yarmouth where she will undergo surgical and medical treatment.

She was accompanied by her sister Mrs. (Capt.) Bernard Bonenfant.

The contract for the erection of the Weymouth Creamery have been given out. Fred Lent was given the contract for the cement foundation and the building contract was awarded to Leon Gaudet.

The directors expect to have the creamery in operation by June 1st, weather permitting.

Tiverton

Miss Evelyn Morehouse who has been on the sick list, we are glad to report better.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Prime expect to leave for Waltham, Mass., about the 1st of April.

Bryant Outhouse of Lynn, Mass., is spending a few weeks with his mother, Mrs. Stephen Outhouse.

Miss Vivian Outhouse has arrived home from Freeport, after spending a few weeks with her sister Mrs. Edgar Bates.

Abram Craft returned to his home last week after spending the winter with his sister Mrs. Edith Elliott.

Mrs. Chloe Stanton, of East Fre.

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regret that we saw him leave, but hope to have him with us again in the near future. While here he was a great help in the Young Peoples Christian Endeavor. He was liked by all, and was always welcome in every home.

Acaciaville

Mrs. W. A. Bacon spent a few days last week the guest of her mother, Mrs. Geo. Adams of Deep Brook.

Several of the folks from here attended the Mass Meeting in the Oddfellow's hall, on Sunday night.

Mrs. Curtis Porter and her little boy Roy, were passengers to Halifax where he was operated on at the V. C. Hospital.

A surprise party was held at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Porter on Saturday evening. It being the occasion of Miss Benson's sixteenth birthday. The evening was spent in games and music. A bountiful treat was served and everyone had a good time.

The Misses Doris, Gertie, and Amy Mallett of South Range, spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Porter.

The division from here were entertained by the C. G. I. T. of Digby on Tuesday.

Plympton

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

The Courier asks every reader to help make this page interesting by contributing any local news or personal items they may know about. The editor must depend on the parties interested to make this page interesting. Don't hesitate to send personal news or your family. We want them all. Don't blame the editor if what you expect is not there. If you have not your own news to send, please see that the office was informed of the matter. Anything in the matter of advertising appearing in these columns must be paid for at the rate of 5c a line. This applies to Cards of Thanks, Announcements, etc. Charged items will be 10 cents a line. No advertisement less than 30 cents.

J. B. Hogan of Shelburne, was in town for a few days last week.

Jas. Irving of Dartmouth spent a few days in town last week.

E. G. Sollows of Tiverton was in town last Thursday on business.

G. E. Mossman of Sandy Cove was in town Friday visiting friends.

Lindsay Haines has accepted a position with the firm of Letteney-Wright.

H. W. Perry of Montreal was registered at the Waverly for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Amerliak of Plympton were in town for a few days this week.

C. F. Archer of Moncton was in town on Friday and left for Halifax the following day.

Jos. Belliveau of Moncton, Alaska, was a passenger from St. John on Monday en route to Church Point.

Rev. R. Doucette of Plympton, was in town Tuesday on his way to Centreville where he spent a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Ruddock of Bridgetown spent a few days in town last week visiting friends and relatives.

Frank Saultier and son, of Weymouth have been in St. John for the past month, returned home on Monday.

The French Government has been making some swift moves trying to bolster up their declining currency the past week.

Mrs. Carrie A. Baxter and little son Malcolm are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Vidito and family of Bridgetown are in town for a few days visiting Mrs. Vidito's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall.

The two Eskimos recently sentenced to be hanged for the killing of two white men, were executed on Feb. 1st at Herschel Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Redding, Truro, who attended the funeral of the late Fenwick Young, returned to their home on Thursday.

One way to get business is to bid for it. Invite people to your store through the Courier that goes into the homes where the reading is done.

The French fleet, which before the war was worth about 23 cents, dropped to a new low level on the New York stock exchange on Thursday.

Mrs. Arden Lewis was a passenger to Bridgetown on Monday, having been called there owing to the serious illness of her sister Mrs. W. Dargie.

Twenty-eight rum-running boats with an estimated cargo of 224,000 cases were seized by U.S. revenue patrols off Sandy Hook, New York, on Thursday.

Miss Marion Muise, of the Couper office staff, accompanied by Mrs. Eugene Muise, were visitors to St. John on Saturday returning by Tuesday's boat.

Messrs. Rice, Anon, Cummings, Urquhart and Williams of Annapolis Bowling Team accompanied by E. J. Muise, manager, were in town on Friday and registered at Waverly.

The British Labor Government which before its election was radically pacifist seems to have changed their coat somewhat now. They are going to build new cruisers and add new squadrons to the Royal Air Force.

The report of the Arbitration Committee re bill of Fred Peck, was ratified at the special meeting of the Town Council on Thursday last. The sum of \$35.33 was voted by Council and the matter has been settled to the satisfaction of all parties concerned.

The annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Athletic Association will be held in the Council Chambers on April 17th. Arrangements will be made for the coming summer. All those interested in athletics are requested to keep the date open and be present at the meeting.

A few days ago the author of "Tipperary" died in England. A cripple from birth, he wrote the song years ago for a vaudeville skit, and had long since realized his paltry pecuniary profits. It was not a good song. It was not even a good marching song. But it will never be forgotten as long as England is spoken of in connection with the Boer War. A generation hence, college students who have never heard of Rawlinson or Horne or Plumer, will be able to follow the refrain of "Tipperary". For Ramo stood unseen at the author's elbow as he wrote it. Addressing the boxes and balcony, in the end he won the big battalions. He sent millions marching to victory.

The second meeting of the Nova Scotia Publicity Bureau took place in Halifax yesterday the 20th, when the Board of Directors convened to lay definite plans for an aggressive campaign of advertising throughout the world during the next three years. Ideas and suggestions from all parts of the province were presented and discussed. Digby hopes to occupy an important position in the deliberations of that meeting. This is another sign that Digby intends to keep in the forefront of Nova Scotia resorts by taking an active part in all important and progressive movements. Paul Yates, the Digby County member of the Board of Directors is in attendance at the meeting as a representative of the Digby Board of Trade. An account of the proceedings will appear in the next issue.

We would draw the attention of readers to the notice referring to the meeting of the Nova Scotia Publicity Bureau and to the fact that inquiries are coming in respecting the possibility of renting cottages and camps throughout the Province during 1924. Those of our readers who have available properties of this character should immediately send in full particulars of the Secretary of the Publicity Bureau, Halifax. It is undoubtedly true that visitors desiring such accommodation comprise a highly desirable class as they are likely to become permanent dwellers and should be met more than half-way in their endeavors to secure satisfactory accommodation. The encouragement of this movement might result in the permanent enlargement of our population by a desirable class of people.

J. D. Geddes of Halifax spent a few days in town last week.

A. R. Ross of Westville spent a few days in town last week on business.

R. A. Magabaly of Lindsay, Ontario was in town on Friday en route to Halifax.

J. Eugene D' Eon of Meteghan was in town Thursday calling on friends and relatives.

Miss Suzanne Halliburton of Annapolis Royal was in town a few days last week visiting friends.

Walter Kenia of the S. S. Arleux, is in town for a few days the guest of his friend Miss Carrie VanTassel.

L. B. D. Inrick of New York was in town on Wednesday while here he was registered at the Traveller's Inn.

Capt. Omar Blinn of Grosses Coques was in town on Friday on his way home to spend the week-end with his family.

Samuel Thibault of Doucetteville, who has been taking treatment from Dr. Rowley spent the week-end with his family.

It cannot be too frequently impressed upon housekeepers that when brewing a pot of MORSE'S Tea, they should never use stale water; that the best tea can only be made with fresh water that has just come to the boil. Do not be fooled into thinking that when water steams, it is boiling; never mind the steam, look for the bubbles.

The members of the Baptist C. G. I. T. Group entertained the Hill Grove Division on Tuesday last. Between 50 and 60 young men and women were present.

The Pastor Rev. L. E. Nunn, spoke at the devotional meeting taking as a basis of his remarks the thought contained in the following lines: "There's a best way to live, and it is best to live the best way." After the devotional exercises the meeting resolved itself into the form of a social evening and a happy time was spent in all kinds of group. Refreshments were served during the evening. Miss Pickin, worthy Patriarch of the Division moved a hearty vote of thanks to the C. G. I. T. This was seconded by Duncan Mackay.

Word reached here today of the finding at Flower's Cove, near Tiverton, several weeks ago, of what is believed to be the missing lifeboat of the steamer Perene, in which four men were drowned when the steamer collided in the fog of St. John Harbor with the schooner Maid of Scotland on Feb. 1st last. The manner in which the men were drowned is a mystery but the theory generally accepted, in explanation to the fatality is that after the steamer rammed the schooner a lifeboat occupied by an officer and three men which was launched was hit by the rigging of the schooner, and that the sudden sinking of the schooner, carried the lifeboat under before it could be unhooked. Although the Bay of Fundy has been searched several times since the collision in the hopes of finding the missing members of the Perene crew no trace of the lifeboat has been secured until the finding of the small craft at Flower's Cove. The finders of the boat it is stated removed identification marks as soon as it came into their hands.

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71 Whiting street, following a short illness of heart trouble. She was born in Culloden, Digby county, N. S. in 1848, resided in Lynn for 37 years and was a member of the Boston Street M. E. church. Mrs. Haynes leaves two sons, Wallace S. and George R., both of Lynn; three daughters, Mrs. Minnie E. Merritt, Seboyan, Wis.; Mrs. Lois A. Boileau and Mrs. Myra Gauthier, of this city; three brothers, Robert Middleton, Grand Manan, N. B.; Walter Middleton, Digby, N. S., and Otis Middleton, Culloden, N. S.; three sisters, Mrs.

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