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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 1763, the most of whom went early to farms, or, moving to other countries, left the whole

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 (small) town, spent much time and got an order, but...

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This advertisement dated at New York, December 1, 1914, was to be a

65 Year

The first wireless telegraph coastal run in the District was the one between Dighy and the mainland. The equipment was installed and was seen in use on her trip to the mainland on December 22, 1914.

The new lightship for the island was put into service on January 15, 1914. It was a 100-ton vessel, with a 12-foot lighthouse on the mast and a 10-foot lighthouse on the bow.

Passage and along the coast of the island.

Loss of the schooner "W. Coombs" is a tragedy. The schooner, of Jamaica, was wrecked on the ship struck the rocks in Cuba Bay some 10 miles from the shore, and was carrying a cargo of iron. All the crew were rescued, but the vessel was shipped. The schooner was estimated at \$10,000.

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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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Kiwanis Club of Digby Accomplished Much During Year

The Kiwanis queens and other friends of the members of the Digby Kiwanis Club were guests at a New Year's luncheon on board the steamer Princess Helene, Tuesday noon. Fifty-two persons sat down to the tables.

The luncheon was the most successful of its kind ever held by the club. One of the most pleasing features of the occasion was the presentation of a wedding cake to Mr. and Mrs. James J. Wallis, who, on that day were celebrating their thirtieth wedding anniversary. The cake, made by the chef of the ship, was decorated with the figures 1903 on one corner, and "1934" on another corner; a large Kiwanis "K" in the centre and a message of good wishes on the top. The cake was presented by A. J. Dillon, while E. J. Theriault, club pianist, played the wedding march.

P. W. Holdsworth, retiring president of the club, gave a review of the work the club had done during the year of office, and during the two and a half years of its existence.

The new officers for 1934 were installed, and presented with their badges of office, as follows:

President—R. H. Lockward
Vice-President—H. J. Campbell
Treasurer—C. L. Bowley
Secretary—J. W. Merkel
President Lockward was not inducted as president until after he had undergone a Kiwanis "medical" examination by Kiwanian Dr. W. R. Dickie. He was then examined for his "understanding" by Kiwanian A. J. Dillon, and answered a few "simple questions" put to him by E. J. Theriault.

In the musical part of the program the singing of "Aloft" by A. J. Dillon and Harry Y. L. Beaman was one of the highlights.

The President's Address

Officers and Members of the Kiwanis Club of Digby:

"Yellow Kiwanians"—Regardless of color in the nation or the world, time rolls on and we find ourselves at the close of another year when Kiwanis activities for 1933 will become history in our community. Just two and one-half years ago the Kiwanis Club of Digby was organized and a review of its accomplishments during that period will, I am sure, give reasons for justifying its existence as a service club. This club, like all service clubs, is composed of "mixed" men, men with wide differences of opinions, religious, political, social, likes and dislikes, and at times we wonder how we succeed as well as a group. The only bond that holds us together in Kiwanis is the mystery of the one common question—love of service. With this firmly embedded in our hearts and souls there develops fellowship, comradeship and an unselfish spirit towards others. Kiwanians without this true spirit of service are no different from church-goers without

CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTY HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Balser, on behalf of the inmates of the County Home, St. Marshalltown, wish to thank all those who gave so generously for the Christmas treat, that no one was omitted. The usual generous cheque by Fritz Dakin is to be used for apples for the institution. They also wish to thank Mrs. H. S. Hoyt, of Weymouth, for a beautiful General Electric Radio, installed by C. H. Brittain. May Mrs. Hoyt receive as much joy in her life as she has given the people in the home.

Marriages

Goodell-Willson

A wedding of interest to friends in Nova Scotia took place in St. Peter's church, Beverly, Mass., on December 2nd, 1933, when Mrs. Louis B. Willson of Beverly Falls, Vt., formerly Annie L. Payson, of Deep Brook was united in marriage to Frank E. Goodell, of Hartford, Conn. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Arthur S. Payzant, brother-in-law of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Goodell will reside in Hartford, Conn., where Mr. Goodell is connected with the Hartford Fire Insurance Company.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH NOTES

No choir rehearsal tonight. Tomorrow, being the Festival of Epiphany, there will be a celebration of Holy Communion at 11 o'clock. The services on Sunday will be as follows:

8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion at Marshalltown.
10:00 a.m.—Church School.
11 a.m.—Matins and Holy Communion.
7:30 p.m.—Evensong—Parts of the Christmas Cantata will be sung.

The Sunday School treat was held in the Parish Hall yesterday afternoon, with a full attendance of scholars. Each received a bag of candy, apple and present. Refreshments were served. (The Sunday School is growing larger each week and the children are looking forward to the series of lantern slides to be shown from now until the end of February. The grown-ups are invited to enjoy these Friday afternoon with the children, beginning next week. The pictures will include trips through India, Canada, China and Japan.

The annual meeting of parishioners will take place in the Parish Hall on Monday, January 15th, at 8 p.m.

Please remember to bring your envelope, pledge card to church this coming Sunday.

Fred Rockwell sailed on Tuesday to return to Bermuda.

Howard Watkin returned on Friday after visiting relatives in Somerville, Mass.

Wednesday, January 17th, is the night of the Children's Aid Society Concert in the Bijou Theatre. Reserve the date.

William Ward, of Kentville, is assisting at the D. A. R. station here.

A. F. Comeau, of Weymouth, was in town on Tuesday investigating Old Age pension applications.

Miss Florence Wallis returned to her school in Central Grove on Wednesday.

William K. Burgess, of Watertown, Mass., has been visiting relatives in Brighton.

Attend the lecture free to everyone interested in Better Lighting, at the Court House, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Harry Hersey, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Delaney Gesner, Wolfville, has returned home.

Miss Annie Marshall, who has been visiting in Digby and Acadia, returned to Shelburne on Friday last.

Thomas Hicks, of Westport, was a visitor to Digby this week. While in town he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wallis.

Charles Clinton, who has been visiting his sister, Miss Mary Clinton, returned to Portland, Me., on Tuesday last week.

Miss Mary E. Beaton and Mrs. I. P. Beaton, of Brighton, Mass., arrived on Saturday to spend New Year's day with Miss Beaton's mother, Mrs. M. E. Beaton, at the Adams Cottage.

E. M. Sallis, salesman with the Canadian Colonies, returned to Montreal on Wednesday, after spending Christmas with his people, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sallis.

Dr. Frank Schelstner, director of the Yale University Observatory, says the next total eclipse of the sun to be visible in the Eastern United States, will be in 1959. It will be total in only a small area east of the Hudson River.

Everyone interested in better lighting is invited to attend a lecture on that subject by E. W. Jeffrey, at the Court House, Tuesday evening.

Local and Personal

Miss Edythe Burnham, of Halifax, is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. E. Burnham.

Add to the beauty of your home by Better Lighting. Hear Mr. Jeffrey, at the Court House, Tuesday.

Miss Edith M. Corkum, teacher at Upper LaHave, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wallis, returned on Wednesday.

The Canadian army is limited to 20,801. The one, says the Omaha World-Herald, is to guard the international boundary line between the United States and Canada.

Better Lighting means Better Sight. Hear Mr. W. Jeffrey at the Court House, Tuesday evening. The lecture is free.

Earle Anderson has returned to McGill University, Montreal, after spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Anderson.

Alfred Dickie has returned to Sackville to resume his studies at Mt. Allison University after spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dickie.

Eric Armstrong, who has been spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Armstrong, returned to Acadia University, Wolfville, on Tuesday.

F. C. Purdy, principal of the Digby Academy, and Mrs. Purdy, who have been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colin MacIntosh, New Germany, returned to Digby on Wednesday.

The monthly meeting of the V. O. N. will be held on Tuesday, at 8 o'clock, in the Town Hall. The annual meeting will be held in the Town Hall next Friday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sallis announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Mildred Mary, to Samuel C. Mansfield, of London, England. The marriage to take place in the early spring.

Miss Mildred Robbins, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robbins, Rosedale, returned on Tuesday to Plainville, Mass., where she has been teaching school for the past five years.

Reserve the evening of Wednesday, January 17th, for the Children's Aid Society Concert, in the Bijou Theatre. You will enjoy it!

The Canadian National Railways has plans afoot for the building of a large roundhouse at Fairview, just on the outskirts of Halifax, that would house the locomotives of the Yarmouth division, as well as those of the main line and the D. A. R. locomotives.

Gordon Potter, of Montreal, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Potter, Plympton, during the Christmas season, returned on Monday. Keith Potter, who is student at Acadia, has also returned to Wolfville, after spending Christmas in Plympton.

Miss Dorothy Moses, primary teacher in the Digby school staff, who shortly before the closing of the school for the Christmas vacation, underwent an operation at the Digby General Hospital, returned on Tuesday to resume her duties on the staff when school opened on Wednesday. During her absence Mrs. Fred May substituted.

The members of King Solomon Lodge, A. F. and A. M., marched to Holy Trinity church, on Sunday evening, to attend divine service in commemoration of St. John, the Evangelist's day. A special masonic sermon was given by the pastor, Rev. A. E. Gabriel. Before the sermon the Christmas Cantata was rendered by the choir, under the direction of Mr. Gabriel.

The Digby Fire department was called out twice during the below-zero weather last week. The first time was on Friday afternoon for a chimney fire at the residence of Charles E. Armstrong, Queen street. The fire caught some of the wood work, and caused a lot of trouble and considerable damage. The second was on Saturday morning when they were called out for a chimney blaze at the residence of A. A. Montrose, St. Mary's Street. Very little damage was done.

Malcolm Leonard, of Kentville, visited friends in Digby during the holidays.

Speaking of strange marine sites, what about that neighborhood of the old fishermen have nicknamed the "stone fence," which is just to the eastward of Sable Island. There's where they might set their trawl for halibut and be rewarded with a queer looking tree of coral, saturated in by the tides in about 70 fathoms. And when they get the tree, they lose the trawl, but the fishermen claim that every hook which can be retrieved, has a halibut on it. It is some help. There's a case where it's a good policy to "keep off the fence".

CHRISTMAS IN THE JOGGINS SCHOOL

A very enjoyable concert was held in the African Baptist church, at Acadia, on December 20th, given by the school children of the Joggins School, under the capable direction of Miss G. Hill, the teacher. The programme consisted of a number of songs, recitations and dialogues. Miss Hill presented several gifts to the children. At the close, Santa Claus distributed presents to all the pupils, and as he was in his best mood, he provided a lot of fun and merriment for the little ones.

Obituary

Edward C. Cousins

On Saturday morning, December 30th, 1933, Westport lost one of its most valuable and well loved citizens—Edward C. Cousins, after a long illness, due to heart failure, was a great shock to the entire community. Mr. Cousins was a man interested in and devoted to all that is high and best. For years he was a great temperance advocate and a valuable worker in the Y. M. C. A. division. He was a devoted deacon in the Christian church here, and was Sunday School superintendent for more than twenty years. He was a friend to all, and more often than not, he was a man of a helping hand to those in need. He was also a valuable member of the I. O. O. F., though his work prevented him from attending much. For about 25 years he has been connected with the E. C. Bowers' Company, of Westport. He worked up until the day previous to his death. His heart had been in a weakened condition, and he had been under the doctor's care. Friday morning he returned home from work feeling unwell. He was in bed in the evening, and the day, but next morning he dropped dead on the kitchen floor, as he was preparing to leave the house, to go to work. The deceased was born in Digby and was in his 59th year. He leaves to mourn his wife, formerly Annie Porter, on son, Maxwell, one brother, Frank, his step-father, John N. Peters, one half-brother, Dalton Peters, (all of Westport); one half-sister, Mrs. Darcy Spinnery, Hebron, N. S.; many other relatives, and a large number of friends. He was a daughter of Edgar Porter, now deceased, and a sister of Mrs. A. C. Payson, of Brooklyn, N. S. and of Capt. Arthur Porter, Westport. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, and the service, in the church, was conducted by Rev. Malcolm H. G. Hutchins. Among others, the favorite hymn of the deceased, "The Old Rugged Cross" was sung—the hymn that was the inspiration of his life.

Mrs. Jane Rafuse

There came away on Wednesday last week, at the home of Welcome Thomas, Bear River, Mrs. Jane Rafuse, after a short illness at the age of 71 years. Mrs. Rafuse was formerly of Yarmouth, Annapolis County, but had lived a number of years at the Thomas home. She is survived by one sister. The funeral was held on Friday, with interment in the Victory cemetery.

Mrs. Lucy Caroline Woodworth

The death of Mrs. Lucy Caroline Woodworth, widow of the late Leonard Woodworth, occurred at Mount Pleasant, on Wednesday morning. The late Mrs. Woodworth was born in Berwick, on April 19th, 1844, and was a daughter of the late Lebere Woodworth. The funeral will take place Sunday, at 1:30 p.m., Rev. E. W. Forbes officiating. The interment will be in Fairview cemetery, Digby.

Mrs. Cynthia Morehouse

Mrs. Cynthia Morehouse, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. Davies, Clarence, died very suddenly on Monday evening. She and Mrs. Davies were returning home after spending the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Davies, when she was stricken, expiring shortly after. The remains were forwarded to Little River on Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Davies. She lies in state at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Davies, at Little River, also five daughters, Mrs. Austin Gordon, Mrs. Hugh Donahue, Mrs. Alfred Troup and Mrs. Frost, all of Little River, and Mrs. Davies, in Clarence. Her husband, predeceased her by eight years.

Jeffrey Dillon

Jeffrey Dillon has returned to Acadia University, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dillon.

Mrs. B. C. Clarke

Mrs. B. C. Clarke, of Bear River, was the overnight guest of Mrs. B. C. Clarke, of Bear River, on Wednesday. Mrs. Clarke and Mrs. Raop left yesterday to spend the week end in Annapolis Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Collins

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Collins and two children returned to Lunenburg on Wednesday, where Mr. Collins is principal of the academy. They have been spending the vacation with Mr. Collins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Collins.

An entertainment of fun and

lighter in the Bijou Theatre, on Wednesday, January 17th, in aid of the Digby Children's Aid Society.

Red Ravens Run Into Streak Of Bad Luck In First Games

The Digby Ravens were defeated last Friday night by a score of 3-2, by the Middleton Maple Leafs, in the first game of the local season and the opening game of the Central Valley Hockey League, which took place in the Victoria Rink. Don Doucette, of the visiting team, scored the lone tally of the first period. In the second frame both teams failed to score, the half-way mark. The visitors again found the net when Don Hills slipped the rubber past Dunn. A few minutes later Winchester, winger for the Ravens, found the net. The Ravens opened the play in the last period with a slight edge over the visitors—Smith tying the score. In the dying moments of the game, G. Schaffner, of Middleton, notched the winning tally. The line-ups:

Middleton—Goal, G. Marshall; defence, Ross, Schaffner, Reg. Burt, forward, Don Hills, Gordon Schaffner, Paul Ross, Fred Smith, Billy Foster, and Cameron Spurr.

Digby—Goal, W. Dunn; defence, G. Tupper, L. Hayden; forwards, H. W. Webster, D. Daley, B. Walker, S. Smith, C. Walker and K. Winchester. Referee—V. G. Turnbull and G. Goucher.

Annapolis Takes Second Game

After sixty minutes of keenly contested hockey on Tuesday night in

the Annapolis Royal rink, Annapolis came out on the long end of a 3-2 score against Digby. But the setback was a tough break for the Ravens who came from behind after an uphill battle, only to lose out when Digby Digby forward, in passing the puck from behind his own net, struck the goal, and the puck rolled behind him for what proved to be the deciding marker.

Riley put the Annapolis team in the lead in the first period on a spectacular end to end rush, and Frank Munroe followed with another tally a few minutes later. But Digby went back fighting, Winchester cutting the Annapolis lead in half when he bagged a neat score.

Winchester duplicated the feat midway in the second, denoucing the count, but the visitors could not bring into the lead as they forced the play, partly because of Hirtle's brilliant work between the Annapolis uprights.

The line-ups:

Annapolis—Hirtle, goal; Mr. Parker, W. Parker, R. Riley, defence, F. Munroe, R. Munroe, R. Mille, L. Wray, K. Spurr, M. Ritchie, forwards.

Digby—W. Dunn, goal; G. Tupper, F. Hayden, defence; H. Webster, D. Daley, B. Walker, S. Smith, C. Walker, K. Winchester, forwards.

Referee—Dr. J. R. Sutherland and D. Cossabon.

NEW POSTMASTER AT CHURCH POINT

Major E. J. Stiehl, has been appointed postmaster at Church Point, filling the vacancy left by the death of Louis A. Melanson. During the war Major Stiehl served with the 15th Overseas Battalion, was transferred in 1917 to the Canadian Forestry Corps, was demobilized in August, 1919, upon his return from Africa, where he, as a Canadian forestry officer, made a survey of the forests of the Atlas Mountains for the Resic Marochie. He came to Canada in 1924 and was one of the founders of New France, back of Weymouth.

The engagement is announced of Miss Katherine Alberta Blackadder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Blackadder, of Weymouth, N. S., to William Mosher, son of the late William Mosher, of Weymouth, N. S., but for the present associated with the Department of Ethics at Yale University.

The day of the sailing ship may have gone by, but forty Yankee clipper ships still sail the sea from American ports to distant lands. The Commerce Department's bureau of Navigation and Steamboat Inspection has found that no fewer than 1227 sailing ships, including the forty full-rigged vessels, are still operating under the American flag, manned by hardy old salts who prefer sails to steam. These sailing ships, many masted schooners and sloops, form only a tiny fleet in comparison with the more than 20,000 vessels of more than 4,500,000 gross tons that comprised the American sailing fleet in 1860, the peak of the clipper ship era.

Miss G. H. Sallis, R. N., supervisor of Payzant Memorial Hospital, Windsor, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sallis.

Better LIGHTING..

This subject will be ably discussed by E. W. JEFFREY of the Northern Electric Company at the COURT HOUSE, DIGBY Monday, January 8th at eight p. m.

Every home maker in Digby is interested in better lighting and in the most efficient way of lighting, as well as how to add to the beauty of the home by decorative lighting effects.

This lecture is free and everyone interested in this topic is invited to attend.

Better Light Means Better Sight

Digby County Power Board

"THE BUYRITE STORE"

"London" Floor Wax large tin 35c
Velvet Rubber Soles complete with Cement 20c
Ladies' Silk and Wool Hose pair 39c
Milk of Magnesia large bottle 25c
Pure Castile Soap large bar 15c
Boy's School Knickers pair 95c
Men's Cashmere Sox pair 25c

VISIT

The Red Store, next Wright's, for this Week's Bargains

WRIGHT'S

Discounted 20 per cent.
Your opportunity to buy super quality goods at a big discount. For the next two weeks we are discounting Jaeger pure wool goods and Kenwood Products.

Jaeger Lines are:—Sweaters, Scarfs, Slippers, Gloves, Hosiery, Bath Robes, Rugs, Blankets, etc. Kenwood includes:—Plain Blankets, Couch Throws, Bath Robes, Reversible Blankets and Baby Blankets.

Ladies' Winter Coats are being discounted 1-3 off

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LAWS WE MIGHT COPY

There has been considerable agitation through the courts and in the press for better regulations covering the collection of debts. And now it comes out that we must look to Siam, of all places, for enlightenment.

In that country, instead of sending a debtor to prison, where he manages to spend a fairly comfortable time, the legislators have decreed that he shall work for his creditor without payment until the debt outstanding has been discharged. In this way debt is not encouraged, and the country's remain untouchable.

We might also, with advantage, copy two French laws which deal with infant welfare. A prominent medical man has expressed the opinion that quite half the number of infant deaths are the result of wrong feeding, especially the giving of solid food to mere babies.

In France, unless medically prescribed, it is a punishable crime to give solids to children under twelve months old. The French mothers are not allowed a free choice in the matter of feeding bottles, for certain types have been declared harmful and have been forbidden by law.

PORT WADE

Wilfred Kendall, who is working in Paradise, spent a few days with friends here recently.

Edgar Johnson, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Alice Johnson, returned to Saint John on Monday.

Rev. H. S. Martin, of Acadia University, spent the week among friends here.

The Misses Elizabeth and Ruth McWhinnie, teachers at Digby and Sable River, returned to their schools on Tuesday.

Miss Nita Snow, who has been spending the holidays at her home here, returned this week to Annapolis Royal, where she is attending the academy.

Owing to the pressure of ice at the port Wade pier, the fleet of scallop boats took refuge at Victoria Beach breakwater. The chuguel and bar buoys shifted their positions, almost dragging ashore at Port Wade.

Qualified

Despairing Employer (engaging fourth typist within a month. Can you punctuate?)

Typist (brightly)—O yes! I'm always early in the morning.

Why did you stop going around with Peggy?

"After taking her to theatre, dinner, football games, giving her costly presents and a birthday gift of a nice car, her father accused me of amusing myself at her expense."

It is cheaper to mail a parcel to Denmark than to the United Kingdom, the Montreal Board of Trade has found. The Board decided to ask the postal authorities to explain the fact. The rate, they stated, on a seven-pound package to Denmark is 81 cents, while the rate on a parcel of the same size to Great Britain is \$1.32. In explanation to the anomaly the postmaster general said the trans-Atlantic rate structure is a complex one. The rates rest upon individual agreements with the countries concerned.

REGULAR MEETING DATES

Children's Aid Society, 1st Friday of every month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.

Victorian Order of Nurses, 2nd Tuesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Court House.

Hospital Board, 2nd Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Hospital.

King Solomon Lodge, A. F. & A. M., 1st Tuesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.

St. George Lodge, I. O. O. F., 1st Friday of each month, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.

Zelma Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., 2nd and 4th Monday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.

Town Council, last Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.

Hospital Ladies' Aid, last Friday of each month, at the Court House.

Fire Company, 1st Wednesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.

Digby Kiwanis Club—Luncheon on board the steamer Princess Helena, at 12:15 noon, Mondays, unless special notice is given.

SENTENCE SERMONS

Rev. Roy L. Smith

Life Is Not So Short

—that there is not time for some self-improvement;
—that there is not time for courtesy and politeness;
—that there is no opportunity for lifting other's loads;
—that there is no chance for self discovery;
—that there is not enough time for friends;
—that there is no room for spreading good cheer;
—that there is not a big place for gratitude.

NEW TUSKET

Miss Marie Gaudet, of Jamaica Plain, Mass., spent the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. S. Gaudet.

Gordon Prime, who is employed in Weymouth, is spending a few weeks at his home here.

Mrs. William Gaudet is very ill. Little Jean Mullen, of Hasset's, spent the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harding Mullen.

Bessie Mullen, teacher at Rockingham, Yarmouth County, and Esther Mullen, teacher at Central Woods Harbor, Shelburne County, spent the holidays with their father, Robie Mullen, and Mrs. Mullen.

Miss Marion Hamilton, of Minneapolis, Minn., visited her sister, Mrs. William Sagan, and Mr. Sagan, recently.

Richard Delaney, of Digby, visited friends here over the holidays.

Lucy Mullen, teacher at Port Joli, and Merle Mullen, teacher at Melville, spent the holidays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Mullen.

The Misses Fannie and Helen Mullen, of Saint John, spent the holidays at their homes here. Devern Mullen, also of Saint John, is visiting friends here.

Louis Gaudet had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly while working in the woods recently.

Bessie, Esther and Lucy Mullen and Bessie Sagan were super guests at the home of Nellie Lewis on Tuesday last week.

A number of young people were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mullen, on Saturday.

Miss Esther Mullen spent a few days of last week with friends in Eastern.

A Christmas programme was given in the New Tusk Baptist church, on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 24th, under the auspices of the B. Y. U. C., which was greatly enjoyed.

We wish the editor and readers a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

SALMON RIVER

The Rev. Father Etienne, of St. Ann's University, Church Point, was the celebrant here, at the different services Sunday and Christmas.

Rev. F. A. Maillet, rector, was at Rectory, on those two days.

Mr. and Mrs. George LeBlanc and family, of Yarmouth, spent Christmas with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter LeBlanc, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Deveau.

Alphonse Deveau returned to Forest on Tuesday. Eddie P. Deveau, of Lake Doucet, who is also employed there, accompanied him.

Gob Humour

"Can't something be done for that ship in distress?" asked an old lady at the seaside.

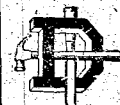
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FREEPORT

(Received too late for last issue)

Miss Phyllis Crocker, Keith Ferry, Maxine Westcott and friend, Miss Freeman, Miss Evelyn Thurber and friend arrived home from Acadia to spend Christmas.

Eric Titus, theological student at Acadia, arrived home to spend the holidays with his parents.

Marcell Salovey is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Solovs. He is from British Columbia and will shortly be joined by his wife, who is at present visiting in Port Maitland.

Cecil Powell, of Montreal, is spending the winter here with his mother, Mrs. Edith Powell. Miss Dotie Powell, of Saint John, who has also been visiting her mother, returned to Saint John on Tuesday.

Harold Powell, of Saint John, an employee of the C. P. R., is spending the holidays here with his mother.

Miss Eleanor Stevens, teacher at Brazil Lake, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Stevens, for the holidays.

Miss Lucy Thurber, of Springfield, is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Zillah Thurber.

Herman Young, of Halifax, with Mrs. Young, is visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Iola Young.

Edwin Haines is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Haines. He is accompanied by Miss Evelyn Hall.

Miss Margaret Cossaboom was the Christmas guest of Reynold Haines, of the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Haines, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lauriston Small and children, Leonard and Helena, of Tiverton, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Small's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ring.

Miss Lois Ring, R. N., of Boston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ring.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Small and daughter, Elaine, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Finigan for a portion of the holidays.

Miss Elsie Eaton and Miss Margaret Weir returned from Meteghan, where they are attending school, to spend Christmas at their homes.

Aubrey Elliott, of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff, spent Christmas with his parents in Tiverton.

Mrs. Ernest McDormand and son, Shirley, of Westport, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George Crocker, Freeport.

A social was held in Union Hall last Friday evening, this event closing the contest. The programme consisted of a Christmas tree, formed by girls holding lighted candles and singing Christmas carols. A Christmas service was then conducted from the hymn book, during which a quiet song was sung by Jennie Thurber and Evelyn Finigan; a mixed quartette, "Away in a Manger," by Jennie Thurber and Evelyn Finigan; a male quartette, by Leonard Haines, Reynold Haines, Reynold Prime and Aubrey Elliott.

The services on Sunday were conducted by Rev. Dr. Greenwood. The special musical numbers in the morning were a Christmas Response, by the choir; an anthem, "Christmas Joy Be Ring," and a solo, "Star of Bethlehem," by Rev. Dr. Greenwood. The special numbers in the evening were two Christmas anthems, "Worship the King," and "Shepherds in the Fields Abiding"; also a ladies' Evelyn oshrdu temwyp shridshrd.

Quartette by the Misses Jennie Thurber and Evelyn Finigan, Mrs. Bern and Blackford and Mrs. Victor Finigan.

Miss Mary Prime arrived home from Boston on Saturday last to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prime.

The Sunday School held its usual Christmas tree and concert on Saturday.

urday evening last. A good program was given by the children; also two mixed quartettes by Miss Jennie Thurber, Miss Evelyn Finigan, Leonard Haines and Willie Stevens; a Christmas solo by Miss Jennie Thurber; also a trio by the Misses Gwendolyn Finigan, Marion Finigan, and Barbara Blackford. Following the program, Santa Claus came in and distributed bags of candy to all the children, and gifts to different families.

The three departments of the Freeport school held their closing exercises on Thursday morning of last week. Mr. Haines and Miss Finigan held their closing in the hall as they had a tree there, very prettily decorated. Boxes of candy were distributed to the children by the two teachers, and gifts were exchanged. In the evening a school concert was held in the hall, under the direction and leadership of the preparatory teacher, Mr. Haines, and the primary teacher, Miss Finigan. The hall was nicely decorated with ribbons and bolls, and there was also a tree sparkling with tinsel and lights. The programme followed an opening speech by Mr. Haines, and was read by the principal, Melford Thurber. The following numbers made up the programme:

Opening Chorus—"We Are So Glad To Welcome You Here"—Primary Pupils.

Recitation—"A Welcome"—Jack Connell.

Song—"The Candy Tree"—Primary Children.

Recitation—"A Christmas Welcome"—Rose.

The Christmas Renewal.

Recitation—"The One Day"—Betty Young.

Chorus—"The First Noel"

Recitation—"The Eleven's Christmas"—Barbara.

Recitation—"Santa's Little Son"—Diet by Thelma and Lillian.

Recitation—"Expecting Santa"—Marion.

Santa Claus Made—Primary Girls.

Exercise—"What the Boys Found Out"—Primary.

Recitation—"Signs of Christmas"—Rose.

Dialogue—"Squire Hawley's Objection"—"Merry Christmas Time Is Here"—Primary.

Recitation by Merna Finigan.

Dialogue—"Gifts and Gifts"—Primary.

Quartette—Thelma and Lillian Teed.

Blair McNeill and Wintford Thurber.

Recitation—"Expecting Santa"—Jean.

Recitation—Glen Morrell.

Dialogue—"Eager Ears"—Primary.

Exercise—"Christmas Eve"

Exercise—"Hurrah for December"

Piano Solo—Lillian Teed.

"The Christmas Spirit"—Barbara Quartette—"Drifting and Dreaming"

Ukelele Solo—Blair.

Duet (ukelele accompaniment)—Blair and Venna.

Recitation—"Our Christmas Day"

Freda Crocker.

Exercise—"Christmas Symbols"

Dialogue—"The Hypochondriac"

High School Pupils.

Recitation—"Last Christmas Wishes"

Venna.

Closing Chorus—"Silent Night"

NORSEMAN CAME TO NOVA SCOTIA IT IS THOUGHT

Believed to indicate the exploration of Manitoba and the Hudson Bay as far back as 1262 A. D., a grey weather beaten stone, found near Sandy Hook, little summer resort on Lake Winnipeg, has thrown Winnipeg scientific groups into a fever of excitement. The stone which may prove that Norsemen penetrated the interior of Canada 130 years before Columbus discovered America, bears

inscriptions which have been identified with Scandinavian runic.

Nova Scotia historians declare Leif Erikson and his crew of adventurers not only visited Nova Scotia more than 900 years ago and noted it as "Markland," but actually lived at what is now known as Upper Prospect. Shelburne historians claim the landing was made at Sandy Point and Yarmouth historians point to Cape Sable Island. Moreover Yarmouth claims a Runic stone left by another party about 1907.

What is believed to be tangible evidence of the landing of the Norsemen at Yarmouth in the year 1000 exists in a large boulder weighing some 400 pounds and bearing the inscription which has been interpreted as "Harkusen Men Varr," which has been translated as "Harko Son addressed the men." The stone now rests in the Public Library in that town, and is a source of great interest.

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Persons who wish to become Telephone Subscribers at this time, and Telephone Subscribers who want changes made in their listings, are urged to send in their orders to our nearest business office at once and at all events not later than January 11th.

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CONCESSION

Miss Leance LeBlanc, Brooklyn, New York, arrived on Saturday, Dec. 23, to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Innocent Comeau, and her two sons, Innocent, Jr., and Lloyd.

Josephine Comeau came home from Boston to spend a couple of men with her parents, Coun. Agno Comeau, and Mrs. Comeau.

Duane LeBlanc took advantage of the excursion, and is here in Boston to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo LeBlanc.

Lizette Boudreau, who is employed in Weymouth, and Laura Audreau, employed in Digby, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Boudreau.

Martha LeBlanc, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay LeBlanc, is home for a few days.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

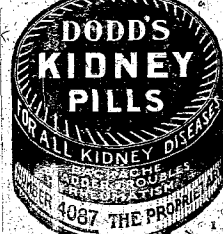
A foolish hermit closed his doors and said:

"Till I live a godly life, untouched by sin."

Alas! Who builds a wall about himself.

Shuts out much more of God than he shuts in.

—J. C. Lindberg



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Do you ever stop to think
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H. L. Wain, editor of the St. Catharines Ont. Standard, says:
"We are living, despite the human misery and want, from a four-year world wide depression, in the most forward moving era of socialism this continent, the United States and Canada, has ever witnessed. And it is not the socialism which used to be the bugbear of the forefathers, but soundly based on man's responsibility to man. It is progress in human welfare."

"Harking back, French peasants, ten millions of them, are once a cross between a rodent and a beast. They retired at night into dens where they lived on black bread, water and roots."
"Back in industrial England, 30,000 workers lived in Leeds in rat-infested cellars unprovided with water, heat, light and sewers. A dozen slept in the same room and garbage and food matter cluttered the streets. The English mill hand worked 18 hours a day for \$2.50 a week, and so on with all his family."

"Up until 1820, there was imprisonment for debt in the United States, the debtor joining with the very lowest class of criminal."
"What of today? Billions are issued to wage war on depression. It is an era, in this province of Ontario, and it applies fairly generally to the rest of America, of mothers' allowances, workmen's compensation, old age pensions, free hospital clinics, public relief based on legislative and voluntary contributions, public ownership of vast resources, and many."

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BIRTH AND INFANCY OF JESUS

Golden Text:—"Thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins."—Matthew 1:21.

Lesson Passage:—Matthew 2:1-12.

A Boy was born at Bethlehem that knew the haunts of Galilee. He wandered on Mount Lebanon; and learned to love each forest tree.

But I was born at Marlborough, and love the homely faces there; and for all other men besides, 'tis little love I have to spare.

I should not mind to die for them, my own dear down, my comrades true.

But that great heart at Bethlehem, He died for men He never knew.

And yet, I think, at Colgothia, as Jesus' eyes were closed in death, They saw with love most passionate the village street at Nazareth.
—Sir Edward Hilton Young

Matthew's Gospel

For the next six months the Uniform Lesson Series is devoted to a study of the life of Christ from the Gospel of Matthew. This Gospel is called this first Gospel because it stands first in the New Testament. It was not, however, the first to be written. Mark's Gospel was written before Matthew's. We are sure of this because Matthew's Gospel includes much of Mark's Gospel. Matthew's Gospel is the second longest, having more chapters than any of the other three Gospels, but Luke's Gospel has more words. It is thought that Matthew's Gospel was written in Aramaic and later translated into Greek. His plan of writing was to give his hearers a cycle of incidents and a cycle of teachings. The Sermon on the Mount is one instance of the way in which Matthew collected the teachings of Jesus. Matthew wrote especially for Jewish hearers and readers: there are seventy quotations from the Old Testament. The writer of the first Gospel stresses the Messiahship of Jesus. Evidently he was writing for Jewish Christians. Matthew as a tax collector was accustomed to using pen and ink. Later he made good use of his skill as a biographer of Jesus.

Bethlehem, 1-6

The little town of Bethlehem has had a long history. It was to Bethlehem, the house of bread, that Ruth and Naomi came. It was water from the well of Bethlehem which David refused to drink because it had been procured by the jeopardy of brave men's lives. For Christians everywhere Bethlehem has become sacred because it was the birthplace of Jesus Christ. The village was hospitable to Joseph and Mary. By reason of the crowd gathered to be assessed for taxes, there was no room in the inn. A children's hymn speaks of the Baby of Bethlehem having no crib for a bed. It was the East come in a stable that the little Lord Jesus first was sheltered. As far as we know Bethlehem did not enter into the experience of Jesus in later life. We wonder if Mary told him about her visit to Bethlehem, or did Jesus ever go back to see his birthplace? He must frequently have been quite near, as Bethlehem was only six miles south of Jerusalem. During the Christian centuries countless thousands have wended their way to Bethlehem to pay homage to Christ.

The Wise Men, 7-8

"It was said of Jesus that the common people heard him gladly. Not many mighty and not many wise were called. He is the Saviour of mankind and not of any one class. Yet the wise men of the East came searching for his birthplace. Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews, and Paul, one of the most learned of the Pharisees, became his followers, and Joseph of Arimathea, a wealthy man, loaned his tomb. Some of the world's choicest scholars have devoted their strength to interpreting the

teachings of Jesus and the meaning of his appearance. This is very natural because the thinking of Jesus is always modern. He had a power of expression which clothed truth in beauty, and he dealt with the fundamental problems of faith and of conduct.

Symbolic Gifts, 9-11

It is significant that the wise men from the East brought gifts to Jesus thereby showing their allegiance and devotion. There was also a symbolic meaning to the gifts they gave. Gold stands for our best symbol of value. Frankincense is a token of joy, symbolizing beauty. Myrrh, a balm for sorrow, is fragrant. These gifts might have been offered to King Herod upon the throne and would have meant little to him, offered to the Baby Jesus they pressed his truth, character and influence. The gifts indicate the character of the givers.

Herod Foiled, 1

Herod had power; he was governor. He had publicity; he lived in a great palace. He had military strength; an army was at his command. Yet he was afraid of a new born baby distressed by a fear and doubt, to whom he had never seen. He was take the young child's life. These wise men were far too wise for Herod. They read his character and detected his motives, and returned home by a different road. Suppose, just for an instant, that Herod had succeeded and that Jesus had perished in the slaughter of the innocents. How different human history would have been! How much poorer the religious experience of mankind would have been! Is it too much to say that the civilization we have enjoyed could never have developed had the cruel purposes of Herod not been foiled? The power of the day rested with Herod, but the power of the ages was to abide with the Child King.

Questions for Discussion

- 1.—What religious value had Christmas, 1933, for you?
- 2.—What motives prompted your Christmas gifts?
- 3.—What appeal does Christ make to scholars?
- 4.—Do you receive guidance through dreams?
- 5.—Do you believe this? "The incarnation was a fresh coming of God into human life."
- 6.—Why have all great religions come from the East?

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"So as that you are the sole support of a widowed mother. What caused the explosion in which your father was killed?"

"Mother says it was too much yeast, but Uncle John thinks it was too little sugar."

CELEBRATED GOLDEN WEDDING

Doubtless many were the homes made happy on Monday, December 25, by the return of dear old Christmas, with its thousand pleasant associations and reunions. Especially so was the home of Bradford A. Hutchinson, Centerville, on that occasion rendered doubly interesting by the celebration of the golden wedding anniversary of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Hutchinson, who, fifty years ago on Christmas day, were united in marriage by the late Rev. J. T. Eaton. As the bride and groom of fifty years ago entered the dining room, prettily decorated for the occasion, to partake of a bountiful re-

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past, there stood in the centre of the room, beneath a pretty wedding arch, from which was suspended a bell, a miniature bride and groom, with a miniature clergyman. On the table was a pretty wedding cake, made and decorated by Miss Jean Hutchinson, granddaughter of the bride and groom. Very suitable and loving remembrances were received, for which many thanks are expressed. May the happy couple live to enjoy many happy returns of Christmas, the anniversary of their wedding.

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DIGBY, Nova Scotia

Kiwanis

(Continued from first page)

ed its members thro' the discussion of this wide range of subjects.

Special Events of Note—Kiwanis guests were entertained on Ladies' Day (February 13th), at St. Valentine's, where special music was provided. On June 26th, "All Kiwanis Night" and "Canadian Citizenship Week" were observed at the Myrtle Hotel, where the ladies present. Following the dinner a special program of entertainment in song and recital was provided by the members of the Yarmouth Kiwanis Club, concluding with a dance. On July 24th, Lt. Governor Abbott paid an official visit to our Club and was entertained at luncheon at the Myrtle Hotel. He gave a report on the progress made by the various clubs in the Maritime Division of Kiwanis International, and concluded with an address on "Kiwanis Ideals". Ladies Night was again observed on July 31st, at the Myrtle Hotel, where a motion picture entitled "Apple Blossom Festival" was shown and the evening spent in dancing with Harry Cochrane's Orchestra.

The Treasure Chest presented by the Kiwanis Club of Sydney to the Maritime Division for the purpose of financing the Yarmouth Kiwanis Club, was delivered to the Digby Club by President Bob Giest, of the Yarmouth Club, in June. In turn, it was presented to President John Flood, of the Saint John Club, at the Adelphi Hotel, in August. Eight members attended this inter-club meeting and enjoyed the musical program provided by the Saint John boys, as well as an address by Lt. Gov. Abbott on "Kiwanis Treasures". After the chest had been conveyed to the St. John Club and returned to Saint John, President John Flood and 14 members of the Saint John Club returned to the Digby Club on November 2nd. On November 28th, your president, accompanied by ten members of the club, presented the chest to the Yarmouth Club to be returned step by step to the Sydney Club from whence it came. On this occasion Rev. A. E. Gabriel spoke on "Kiwanis Treasures". Four inter-club visits were made and a wonderful spirit of co-operation prevailed.

As a service club, our efforts have been largely spent on Under-Privileged Children of the community, although whole-hearted support has been given to all community enterprises which tend to the advancement and progress in civic welfare. In order to secure funds to carry on this important work, the Club staged a mock trial, "The Trials of Erastus Carbon" on April 6th, under the direction of Arch Butcher, which not only afforded much pleasure to the cast and crowd, but delighted a full capacity house. It will be seen, therefore, that this work is not carried on by the collection of club fees and dues, but by actual work and endeavor on the part of the members, who are ready to serve and build. Under the supervision of Mrs. Sturgeon, of the V. O. Nurses, eight of our school children, who were found to have defective eye sight, were transported by two members of the Club to Marston in November for special eye treatment and glasses, which were provided by the Digby Red Cross Society. Following an inspection of the school children, the Club provided dental treatment for under-privileged children and a number of cases were cared for with still more successful results. Just recently the Club has become interested in the treatment of a child with spinal trouble.

In this time I wish to thank Mrs. Sturgeon for her co-operation and assistance in carrying out the work of our service towards the needy. In boys and girls' work, the Club contributed \$25 towards the expenses in connection with the Boy Scouts' camp at Pecker's Lake in June, and also provided a trophy for each member for annual competition in local high school sports, which I am pleased to say, was won this year by the Digby High School boys. Many of our members visited the Digby Red Cross, thus showing an interest in and aiding an intimate knowledge of our educational system and the conditions under which the pupils are trained by an efficient staff of teachers. I believe these visits, by our members should be continued and much assistance in relation to our needy boys and girls.

It is a pleasure to note that many of our members have associated themselves with the Digby Music Council as body of aggressive and enterprising business men of the town, who organized the Digby Civic Band, with a sincere desire to promote musical training and encourage music appreciation and performance, both in homes and in community life. The band, through only one year old, has made wonderful progress under the direction of Kiwanian Paul Yates and with Paul and the boys' continued success.

During the Christmas season we distributed gifts to 115 children and parents, consisting of 170 lbs. of beef, 2 bushels potatoes, 2 bushels, 3 bushels carrots, 1 bushel parsnips, 1 bushel apples, 30 cash-blossoms, 10 doz. oranges, and 25 lbs. candy, silver pens and toys. We also supplied to children in the community 29 pairs boots and shoes, 10 pairs rubber-soled rubbers, 6 pairs raincoats, 13 pairs rubbers, 1 pair slippers, at a cost of \$101; and 50 pairs of stockings, 50 suits of underwear, 10 sweaters, 3 pairs mittens, bloomers and 20 yards of flannel.



Between Ourselves

Have you listened to the "I told you so's?"

I've heard a lot of it since Friday last, just because the Ravens lost the first two games they have played. But—what if it if they did lose? Give the boys some encouragement instead of hollering from the nose-stands: "What else can you expect?" It is no disgrace for the Ravens to lose a game or two—as long as they are good losers.

Digby hockey fans must bear in mind that this year's Ravens so far, are practically a new organization. There are some of the old team, but for the most part they are a group of younger boys who can't be expected to come quite up to the old Digby Ravens in the first one or two games. The old Digby Ravens did not do it in one year, and it is only fair to give this new bunch, who are carrying on an even break. Give them time and there won't be a team in the valley able to beat them. Most of all give them your support and co-operation: root for them, hoot for them, holler and shout for them, encourage them, and attend their games. Show them that you are behind them.

Sure, the team misses Bill Eldridge, Charlie Hynes, "Porky" Raymond, Freddie Muise and "Mutt" Hutchinson. The latter has left Digby but it may be that some of the others will come back into the fold. But if they don't that's their business. They have stuck with the old team through thick and thin. Bill, I believe, has minded the net for the past ten years; Charlie and "Porky" have been with the team almost as long, and Freddie has been with the Ravens for some time. The boys I have named would be the backbone of any team. We all know what they can do and have done to make the Ravens the best purely amateur team in the province. But, as much as we would like to see them back in action if they feel it is time to give a new bunch a show, it's up to them—and I for one will not object. The new team will still have "Bus" Walker, "Syd" Smith, "Mexie" Daley and Raymond Winchester—and with the right kind of encouragement and coaching there is no reason why the new Ravens shouldn't prove themselves as good as the "old" team. It doesn't necessarily follow that the team that loses in the first of the series continues in its losing streak.

For the first time in history a government will issue special postage stamps to be sold for the benefit of a religious or welfare organization. The Dutch East Indies has ordered four sets of stamps bearing pictures of the work of the Salvation Army. They are cancelled at the post office with a message to "buy Salvation Army stamps, and so help the work in our land." This has been done in recognition of the work of the Army among the lepers and beggar boys in Sumatra and Java.

Courier Address LABELS

are changed every Saturday; therefore if your subscription was paid since Saturday noon, your label has not been changed.

If there is a mistake in your label, kindly notify us immediately.

The Digby Weekly Courier

To all who assisted in this splendid work of distributing Christmas cheer to those less fortunate than ourselves, and particularly to the ladies and Mr. Boden, who gave so generously of their time and energy to wish to express on behalf of the Club my sincere thanks and appreciation.

Throughout the entire year, I have always received your whole-hearted support and co-operation in promoting the best interests of the community, and it has been a real pleasure to serve with you during my term of office. I thank you for the honor conferred on me in electing me to the position of the Kiwanis Club, and in conclusion urge the Kiwanians to do their part in promoting the welfare of the community, and to be aggressive and serviceable citizens.

Respectfully submitted,
P. Y. Holdsworth
President

WHO HAS THEM?

Some year ago—possibly 20 and it may have been 30—quite a number of the bound files of The Digby Weekly Courier, were borrowed, and taken away from the office, but by whom nobody knows, except those who have them. The late Isaiah Wilson once told us that he was not sure about them all being bound—but he knew they had been loaned, as a former manager of the Courier told him he had handed them out himself. It is possible these files are still in existence in somebody's attic. They belong to us and we would like to have them. But we do not want those who have them to have their trouble for nothing after all these years, as the chances are that the party who borrowed them has "passed on" ere this, so we will give two full years' subscription for every year's file returned.

WESTPORT

Miss Elizabeth Kenney, teacher at Danvers, is spending her holidays at her home here.

Miss Elizabeth Kenney has returned from Mayfield.

Milred Hicks, who spent the Christmas holidays at his home here, returned to Wolfville, via Yarmouth, on Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Thompson, of Aylesford, accompanied by Geo. D. Craft, of Saint John, spent a week here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thompson, returning on Sunday.

Miss Mildred Denton is spending the holidays at her home here. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Denton, of Victoria Beach, are the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Denton.

Miss Nina Gower spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gower.

Mrs. Esther Stevens and granddaughter, Lorna, are spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Gower.

Mr. and Mrs. Josie Oast, of Tiverton, spent Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Winifred Garton; and Mr. Garton.

Capt. Earle Denton has returned to Saint John.

Miss Virginia Gower and Leonard McDormand, who are attending Normal College, at Truro, are spending the holidays at their home here.

Ronald Gower, of Sydney Mines, is spending his holidays as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gower.

Lyall Hersey was a passenger to Digby on Wednesday last week, returning on Thursday.

R. H. Pope, assistant inspector of customs, was in town this week. Sheldon Miller, of Freeport, was in town on Monday.

SANDY COVE

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Morehouse left on Saturday last to visit their daughters, Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Rooney, in Boston.

Miss Margaret Morehouse, Granville Ferry, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Morehouse, returned on Wednesday.

Miss M. V. Merritt spent Christmas with relatives in Centerville.

Mrs. Harry Saunders and daughter, Dorothy, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Morehouse, Digby.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Dakin are visiting at Mr. Dakin's former home in New Brunswick.

Arlington Crowell, of Digby, spent Christmas with his family here. Jack Morehouse has returned home after spending several weeks in the States.

Mrs. Edward Mackey was a recent visitor to Yarmouth.

The young people of this community met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Saunders on New Year's eve, later, according to their church calendar, while they sang the old year out and the new year in. After that a pleasant half-hour was spent in singing carols.

R. H. Pope, Inspector of Customs and Excise, left for Westport on Tuesday last. The customs house at that port has been discontinued and the collector, W. A. Fugh, retired in superannuation.

WEYMOUTH and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Coggins and family, spent Christmas with Mrs. Coggins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Doty, at Ashmore.

An enjoyable carol service was held in St. Peter's Anglican church on Wednesday evening last, despite inclement weather conditions.

A meeting of the Young People's Service Club of the United Church will be held in the church vestry on Friday evening, if the weather permits.

Vernon Jones left for Halifax on Tuesday last week.

Hugh Potter was in town on Friday, returning to his home in Plympton on Saturday.

Miss Hazel Thurber, of Halifax, spent the week end and New Year's with Miss Nellie Johnson.

Councillors H. B. FitzGerald and E. F. Hankinson were in Digby yesterday on municipal business.

EAST FERRY

James Eldridge is ill at the time these notes are written, with pneumonia.

Miss Hazel Hebb, teacher, is spending her vacation with her parents in Granville Ferry.

Mr. Harley Theriault is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Fyne, Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Thurber, of Little River, visited Mrs. Thurber's sister, Mrs. Carl Small, recently.

NORTH RANGE

Miss Reta Height spent the week end with relatives in Digby.

Lloyd, Irvin and Allen Thomas returned to their home in Mississauga, last Friday.

Dennis Theriault, of Auburn, was a recent visitor at his home here.

Miss Doris Powell, of Yarmouth, visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Andrews, and Mr. Andrews, last week.

Mrs. Gordon Scragg, of Gretna, has returned to her home after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Height.

She was accompanied to her home by her brother, Redford Height.

Miss Ina O'Brien has returned from her vacation with her parents in Noel, Harris County, by resuming her duties on the Digby School staff.

BUOY DREAM

SATURDAY, Jan. 6
— Special Western Picture —
"Smoke Lightning"
News Weekly and TARZAN.
No. 7.
7.30 and 9.25c. and 35c.
Matinee, 2.30

MONDAY and TUESDAY
January 8-9
"Night Court"
— A Special Action Picture —
8 o'clock 25c. and 35c.

SKATING AT THE RINK.
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons, and Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights.
Admission—Afternoon, 15c.;
Nights, 15c. and 25c.

TONIGHT
HOCKEY
Annapolis vs. Digby
at VICTORIA RINK

ROYAL DEPT. STORE

Friday and Saturday Specials

GROCERY SPECIALS

Lane's Baked Beans, 2 tins, 15c.
Wetley Jams, 2 jars, 25c.
Heinz Tomato Soup, 2 tins, 25c.
Bovril Corned Beef, 2 tins, 25c.
Bulk Cocoa, 1 lb., 10c.
Split Peas, 1 lb., 6c.
DeLuxe Jelly Powder, 5 pkgs., 25c.
Mixed Cookies, 2 lbs., 25c.

CHINAWARE

English China Cup and Saucer, 2 for 15c.
Plain White Cup and Saucer, 2 for 15c.
Plain Glass Tumblers, 5c.

DRY GOODS

White Flannelette, 27 in. yard, 12c.
Plain Broadcloth, 36 in. yard, 20c.
Linen Towelling, yard, 15c.

MEN'S WEAR

Men's All Wool Socks, pair, 19c. to 50c.
Men's Red Back Overalls, pair, \$1.00
Men's Work Shirts, 69c. to \$1.39
Men's Merino Shirts and Drawers, each, 79c.
Men's Heavy Corsets, \$1.29

LADIES' WEAR

Ladies' Knitted Dresses, clearing at \$1.69
Ladies' Two-Piece Knitted Dresses, \$2.89
Ladies' Print Cotton Dresses, clearing at \$1.00

CONFECTIONERY, etc.

Hard Mixed Candies, lb. 18c.
Peanut Clusters, lb., 25c.
Salted Peanuts, lb., 15c.
Grapefruit, 6 for 6c.
Oranges, sweet and juicy, dozen, 1.15
Mixed Nuts, clearing, lb. 15c.

ROYAL DEPT. STORE

VICTORIA BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Haynes and daughter, Bertha, spent Christmas in Clarence, as guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Avard Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Finigan spent the holidays at their respective homes—Freeport and Westport.

Miss Geraldine White is spending the holidays with friends here.

Theodore Everett, who is employed in Cambridge, Kings County, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Everett.

Miss Louise Thorne, of Thorne's Cove, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Everett.

A successful Christmas school concert was held in the school house on Thursday, December 21st. A large number were present and the close Santa arrived and distributed many gifts, as well as oranges and candy.

MORGANVILLE

Murray Smith, John Miller, Chas. Miller and Thomas Miller left a few days ago for Rossignol where they have employment.

Ernest DeForest, of Halifax, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Murray Smith, on Christmas day.

Miss Mildred Martin, of Halifax, recently spent a few days with her friend, Marjorie Smith.

Mrs. R. Rice, of Cambridge, Mass., has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Botsford Rice. She returned to Cambridge on Tuesday.

Miss Catherine Morgan is visiting friends in Lansdowne.

Murray Smith spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Morgan.

CULODEN

Miss Ida Sherman, of Bridgetown, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Ross.

Miss Dorothy Stark, of Mt. Pleasant, spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Sadie Stark.

Miss Annie VanFassell and Miss Lizzie VanFassell, of Mt. Pleasant, visited friends in this village last week.

Miss Muriel Handsplaker has returned home from Digby to spend the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Handsplaker.

MT. PLEASANT

We wish the Courier and all its readers a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Fleet and son, Donald, spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Fleet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Banks, at West Ingalls.

Mr. Fred Daley was called to Greenlawn last week, owing to the illness of her father, George Schuss.

Miss Agnes Spence, the teacher, who spent the holidays at her home in Torbrook, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stark and baby have gone to Florida to visit Mrs. Stark's mother, Mrs. Eva Tibbitts.

Mr. Miller, of Annapolis Royal, spent New Year's day with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everett and daughter, Marguerite, spent the New Year's holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Jefferson, and Mr. Jefferson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Perry and two children, of Freeport, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gagnon.

Kenneth Stewart, of Boston, spent Christmas week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Delaney.

Miss Mary Delaney, teacher at Lake George, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Delaney.



Picture Frames

Preserve that fine picture you received at Christmas
PHOTOGRAPHIC GEMS
of Nova Scotia Scenery
The Yates Studio

A STRANGE FATALITY

One of the most remarkable fatalities ever recorded occurred in Prague, in Europe, a short time ago. A police inspector and a doctor had been called in to a case of suicide by shooting. When the officials entered the room the man lay on his face, his right hand still grasping the automatic pistol with which he had taken his life.

The inspector and the doctor bent down to turn the dead man over in order to examine the wound. Apparently the movement caused a contraction of the muscles of the hand, and the man's finger, being still on the trigger, caused the pistol once more to go off. The inspector fell dead with a bullet through his heart.

Persons who try to chisel free publicity from newspapers might be interested in the following item which appeared in the "Editor and Publisher", "Dear Mr. Editor:—There are 60,000,000 policy holders in the United States who, no doubt, will be interested in a discussion of life insurance, and the enclosed short article is released for your use."—Yes, replied Major Frederick Sullivan, editor Jackson, Miss., Daily News, "and there are twice 60,000,000 people in the United States who are intensely interested in ham and eggs, but I can see no reason why we should advertise ham and eggs free of charge."

All the cargo has been removed from the wreck of the schooner Ena F. Parson, at Westport, and the hull, which has defied all efforts to turn it over, has been hauled up to the beach, and is being gradually torn to pieces for wood.

H. P. Newcombe, of Halifax, was in town on Thursday.

Bevis Turnbull returned to Montreal on Tuesday.

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THE FIRST CUP OF TEA DRUNK IN ENGLAND

In all probability the first cup of tea made in England was drunk upon the site of Buckingham Palace, St. James' Park, London, for the Earl of Arlington took the first pound of tea to England, having bought it at Holland for sixty shillings, and at this time the Earl resided at Arlington House, which was taken down to make room for Buckingham Palace.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

I have sold my meat and produce business to ANDERSON'S
This business will be conducted in this store commencing

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13

I wish to take this opportunity of thanking you all for your past patronage and many favors; and trust that Anderson's be given a fair share of your future patronage.

Digby Cash Market

L. D. Fowler

NOTICE!

We have taken over the business of The Digby Cash Market which will be conducted at our store after

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13

We will carry a full line of choice meats and produce. Mr. Fowler, former proprietor of the Digby Cash Market will be in charge of this department. We trust that we will be given a fair share of your patronage.

Anderson's

Groceries, Meats and Provisions

Specials: Fri, Jan. 5, Sat. 6, Mon. 8

Fleur de Lis Pea Soup, tin 11c
Regal Toilet Paper, 4 rolls 14c
Robin Hood Oats, China, pkg. 33c
Quality Peaches, tin 18c
Quality Peas, 2 tins 25c
Swifts Lard, 2 pkgs. 25c
Babbitts Cleanser, 3 tins 25c
Pineapple, sliced, 2 tins 25c

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Digby Scallop Boat Blown to Pieces at Government Pier

Digby Municipal Council, In Annual Session.

The Digby Municipal Council, opened their annual session at the Court House, on Tuesday afternoon, with all the members of the council present, with the exception of H. E. Marshall. Coun. Marshall, unfortunately, is away on business, and this session is the first he has missed since he became a member, thirty years ago.

In his opening address, Warden Andrews stated that the county should be relieved to some extent from indirect taxes, and recommended that the council draft a resolution protesting against the present method of collecting the highway tax and urging that the Highway Department collect this levy in some other manner, as they collect automobile and gasoline taxes. He also protested against the present high cost of keeping inmates in Provincial institutions.

The council voted a resolution of appreciation to Mrs. Emma Hoyt, of Weymouth, through whose generosity a radio had been installed in the County Home, at Marshalltown, for the benefit of the inmates.

Harold A. Nichols, of Digby, was appointed County solicitor.

The reports of Dr. W. C. Harris, fall physician, and Dr. E. DuVerney, aims house physician, were very favorable.

The report of the chairman of the Committee on Tenders and Public Property showed among the expenses, \$372.39 for a new boiler and repairs to the Court House furnace.

There has been a big increase in the Outside Poor account, while inside Poor cost the municipality \$4,293.61 during the past year.

The auditors' report, on Wednesday, showed a deficit of approximately \$4,000, due mostly through uncollected taxes. For the first time the Municipal Hydro-Distribution showed a deficit which was in the vicinity of \$600. This was due, to some extent to the present condition of the roads, which has made it impossible for collectors to gather but a small portion of their December accounts.

Resolutions urging that the government take over the collection of highway taxes and the removal of snow from the highways, were passed on Wednesday.

Children's Aid Society Concert Postponed.

The Children's Aid Society's Variety Concert, announced to take place in the Bijou Theatre, on Wednesday next, has been postponed one week, until Wednesday, January 24th. It will be a splendid entertainment worth more than the price of admission. Be sure and come and help a worthy cause. The Children's Aid Society are doing a great work in this community—they need your help and the community needs them. For a brief outline of the programme read the advertisement in this issue.

Mrs. Ernest Lewis left this week for Yarmouth where she will remain indefinitely.

Snow Regulations Must Be Changed

In conversation with the Courier recently, Guy Morehouse, Digby Neck mail contractor, referred to the unfairness of the present out-of-date system of keeping the highways clear of snow.

Mr. Morehouse referred particularly to the conditions along his mail route, one of the longest in this part of the province. For the first five miles along the Digby Neck road, he said, most of the land is owned by non-resident property holders, and it is too much to expect the resident farmers to keep this section of the highway clear, without remuneration.

Then, in the Centreville district, there are two and a half miles of road and some eighty men to keep it clear. These men can clear away the snow in a comparatively short time, while in the next district below—Lake Midway—there is another two and a half miles, and only four men to do the shovelling. After a recent storm these four men worked without pay for the best part of three days, and yet the road was through no fault of the men—is not fit for automobile travel.

Mr. Morehouse says that the present system was devised for the days of the horse and carriage, but those are gone never to return, and a new and better system must be devised. He contends that the government is losing more than enough in gasoline tax to pay for keeping the main highways open during the winter months, and stated that he planned to suggest to the Municipal Council on Monday that they petition the Highway Department to take some steps in this matter. He says that should the government impose an extra gasoline tax of a few cents per gallon from the first of December until the middle or last of March, they, with the tax already on gasoline would realize enough to bear the cost of snow clearance, and the motorists who use the roads during the "snow months" would pay the cost in that way.

Owing to the impossibility of getting cars over the road Mr. Morehouse is transporting his mails and fares with horse and sleigh this winter, thus mails and passengers can only reach Sandy Cove in one day and there they have to stop overnight before continuing to other points on the Neck and Islands.

E. W. Jeffrey, illuminating engineer of the Northern Electric Company, was the guest speaker at the weekly luncheon of the Digby Kiwanis Club on Tuesday. Mr. Jeffrey spoke on the proper uses of artificial light, and particularly stressed the harmful effects to the vision of improper lighting. He made a number of demonstrations of proper and improper lighting, and of various lighting effects. His address and demonstrations were most interesting.

Visit Wright's White Goods Sale.

BAND NOTES

The first Sunday evening "Community Concert," given by the Digby Civic Band, met with such hearty approval from the public that the Band is encouraged to try it again, and so will give its second concert after church services, Sunday night, February 4th.

These concerts, if given once a month, would be welcome events during the dull winter period and would be well patronized. The Band is kept up to a high standard of musical performance, which this band is capable of maintaining, but the collection taken at the door would need to be very liberal in order to cover expenses and leave a margin for the band treasury which stands in need of replenishing. The Band has no source of income before summer except from such entertainments as it may offer for patronage by the public. Although the collection was quite generous at the first concert, an observer noted a predominance of "nickels" on the plate and wondered what place they had in a "silver collection." Probably they were contributed by the numerous children present.

Everybody enjoys a good old-fashioned "sing-song," and the Band hopes that the entire audience will take part in the familiar melodies to be sung. Wherever community singing is practised, it is found to be a powerful influence in developing a "get-together" spirit which always works out to the mutual benefit of all taking part.

The question of placing a copy of the words of the songs in the hands of every singer is a difficult problem, but it is hoped that some solution will be found. It would add greatly to the general interest.

Intermission was considerably lengthened at the last band rehearsal while thirty or forty good appetites were satisfied from a bushel of fine eating apples sent to the room by their old friend, H. T. Warne.

It is rumored that the "oom-pah-oom-pah" little German band will soon be heard in town. It is usually a sign of spring when Hans Eisenbannhandlung says "Ein, zwei, drei, commence!"

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. E. W. Forbes, Pastor

The services on Sunday are: Digby, 11 a.m., and 7 p.m.; Smith's Cove, 3 p.m.

The service in the evening will include forty-two pictures of the "Other Wise King," by Henry VanDyke, and the story of his search for the infant Christ. These are beautiful slides, and well worth seeing.

The regular meeting of the Brotherhood will be held in the hall on Wednesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. A grand rally of all men of the congregation is being arranged for the opening meeting of the new year. A good programme is being arranged.

TIDSVILLE

Dorothy Elliott has returned from Tiverton, where she has been spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Elliott. She was accompanied by her sister, Mildred, who was an overnight guest at the Wayside Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Frost returned home Friday from Freeport, where they spent the holidays with their children, Mrs. Percy Fringe and David Frost.

A number of people from here attended the funeral service at East Perry, of the late James Eldridge. The remains were taken to Beaver River for burial.

H. H. Marshall, supervisor of fisheries for Western Nova Scotia, is in Halifax this week, attending a meeting of the supervisors of the province.

The annual meeting of the Digby Branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses has been postponed until Tuesday, January 23rd. This meeting will be held in the Court House, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Irving Beaton and Miss Mary Beaton, who spent New Year's with the latter's mother, at Adams' Cottage, returned to Brighton, Mass., on Friday last.

Miss Sara M. Hall has returned to resume her studies at the Normal College, Truro, after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Hall, Roxville.

Visit Wright's White Goods Sale. The auxiliary schooler Phyllis C. Crocker, from Freeport, arrived on the 8th with her mother, the Maritime Fish Corporation, clearing to return the same day.

Rev. Father McGreeley, superior of St. Anne's College, was a passenger from Saint John on Monday, en route to Church Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hysan, who have been visiting at the former's old home in Hantsport for the past two weeks, have returned.

On February 13th a Valentine Bridge will be held for the benefit of the V. O. N., at the Court House.

The 14-ton scallop boat, "Violent L," owned by Captain Wylie Ross, became a total loss yesterday afternoon, when she was blown to pieces at the government wharf wharf, and three men, James Todd and Angus Handspiker, of the Violet L, and Lawrence Elliott, of the Violet M, barely escaped with their lives.

The sloop was re-fueled at the pier with Handspiker on the wharf attending to the gasoline barrels, and Todd on the deck, working with the re-fueling hose, when suddenly, the craft, but also flames, below deck. The cause of the combustion is a mystery. Todd made a leap for the ladder and climbed to the wharf above. It is estimated that there were about 100 gallons of gasoline in the tanks.

The explosion came shortly after the flames broke out, the concussion of the blast knocking Lawrence Elliott, who was on the deck of the Violet L, into the water. The Violet L, sank in a few minutes after the explosion, but before she sank, Elliott was "fished out" and the Violet M, cut away from the burning vessel.

At the time of the fire and explosion a large number of the scallop fleet, were tied up at the spur, but none of the others were damaged. The sides and deck of the Violet L, were blown out by the blast. The boat, which was uninsured, is a total loss, although efforts will be made to salvage her machinery and rigging.

Yesterday's fire was the fourth in the Digby scallop fleet since the season opened last fall, but in these four fires only two boats have been involved—the Violet L, (the same boat which was destroyed yesterday) catching fire at the "Iron Duke" during the first week of the season. On Armistice Day the "Ford" was badly damaged, the craft was again damaged, and before she had been refitted, two weeks later, and yesterday the Violet L, had her turn again. Fortunately none of these boats caught fire while on the grounds, miles from shore, for very few, if any, of the Digby scallop fleet carry life boats or are equipped with fire extinguishers.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Sturgeon, V. O. nurse, is suffering from an infected finger.

There will be a Card Party at the Court House, on Tuesday, January 16, for the benefit of the Digby Fire Department.

Kenneth Beckwith, of Paradise, has been visiting friends in town.

Gordon Buxton left last night for Halifax, where he has accepted a position.

Visit Wright's White Goods Sale. Miss Hazel Bent, who has been visiting friends in Hantsport, returned on Saturday.

Miss Mary Marshall, who has been visiting her father, H. Marshall, has returned to Toronto.

Mrs. Jack MacDonald, of Smith's Cove, was a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Sara Cossaboon.

William Ward, who has been assisting at the D. A. R. station here, has returned to Kentville.

James Hazleton left on Tuesday for West Somerville, Mass., to visit Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Rickards.

Miss Catherine Weir, of Smith's Cove, spent the week end with her brother, Reginald Weir, and Mrs. Weir.

Visit Wright's White Goods Sale. Mr. and Mrs. George Turnbull, of Lighthouse Road, spent Monday in Deep Brook, guests of Joseph F. Shaw.

Mrs. Margaret Theriault, of Ocean Gardens staff, who has been visiting her parents in Ashmoor, returned on Monday.

Miss Elsie Amerault has returned to her duties in Mink Cove, after spending the Christmas season with her parents in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Chesterton, of Central Clarence, were overnight guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Abramson.

Miss Addie McKinnon, of Saint John, who spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. McKinnon, has returned to that city.

Miss Nina B. Budd left Tuesday for Boston, after spending the past few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Budd, of Sea Brook.

SUCCESSFUL TELEPHONE BRIDGE

A very successful telephone bridge, held on Tuesday of this week, netted the sum of \$50.85 for the benefit of the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society. During the afternoon and evening parties were in progress in all parts of the town the hostesses (and hosts) being as follows:

Mrs. Dickie and Mrs. Faust; Mrs. Dillon and Mrs. McBride; Mrs. C. Denton and Mrs. J. W. Meikel; Mrs. B. H. Ruggles and Mrs. Reicker; Mrs. H. M. Wayne and Miss Kathleen Graham; Mrs. William Turnbull and Mrs. Chipman; Mrs. E. DuVerney, Mrs. C. L. Bowley, Mrs. V. Turnbull, Mrs. George VanTassel, Mrs. Walter VanTassel, Miss Campbell, R. N., Capt. G. M. Morrell, H. P. Williams, A. A. Shortliffe and G. E. Torrey.

Prizes were donated and won as follows: Ladies' Bridge, donated by Miss DuVerney; won by Mrs. C. R. Sydnor; score 7,200.

Gentlemen's Bridge, donated by E. C. Soloway; won by Gordon Cossaboon; score, \$210.

Ladies' 45's, donated by Miss Campbell, R. N.; won by Mrs. Budrow.

Gentlemen's 45's, donated by Mrs. H. P. Williams; won by George Peters.

V. O. N. REPORT FOR DECEMBER

No. of Patients	20
Nursing Visits	129
Clinics and Classes	8
School Inspection	6
Child Welfare	11
Miscellaneous	33
Total	197
Amount Received in Fees	\$61.50

The following contributors to the Supply Committee, are thanked: Mrs. Elsie Turnbull, Mrs. Tupper, Misses Shreve, Miss Mullen, Mrs. J. Halgh, Mrs. Levy Mrs. F. Eisner, Mrs. MacMahon, Mrs. Geo. Turnbull, Mrs. Driffield, Mrs. J. Merkel, Mrs. Lynch, Mr. Troop, Miss Holdsworth.

DO YOU REMEMBER WHEN

—the Salvation Army sang at Freeport held a banquet in their barracks and raised \$100.

—when Miss Ida Peters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Peters, Barton, was married to A. W. Brooks?

—when the wreck of the Fairsboro went ashore at Phinney's Cove, was sold for \$97?

—when an Evening with Longfellow's social was held in the Baptist hall?

—when H. E. Gillis and Fred W. Harris, barristers, of Annapolis Royal, formed a co-partnership under the name of Gillis & Harris?

—when the steamer Bridgewater made two round trips a week between Saint John, Digby and Annapolis?

—when G. L. Letteney & Bro. advertised the 31-ton schooner Sovereign for sale?

Perhaps you remember these things and perhaps you don't, but accounts of them were printed in the Digby Weekly Courier just forty years ago today.

Miss Helen Turnbull returned to Montclair, N. J., on Friday.

Visit Wright's White Goods Sale. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Flordon, who have been spending the winter at Adams' Cottage, left on Wednesday to spend some time in Port Wade.

Miss Evelyn Cummings, R. N., and Milton Reed, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cummings have returned to New Bedford, Mass.

The annual business meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society will be held in the Court House, on Tuesday, January 16, at 3 o'clock, p.m.—Louise M. Warne, Secretary.

Rev. A. E. Gibson, Baptist Education secretary, has been conducting a Sunday School Teachers' Study Class, in the Baptist vestry this week. The classes, which have been very helpful, have been well attended by teachers and others, from the Baptist and United Church Sunday Schools. Mr. Gibson spoke in both the Digby Baptist and United churches and in the Hillgrove Baptist church, on Sunday.

Miss Georgina Denton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Denton, Little River, underwent an operation for appendicitis, at her home, on Sunday. Dr. Rice, of Sandy Cove, Weir, of Freeport, and Dickie, of Digby, were in attendance. But to the almost impassable condition of the roads it was impossible to bring Miss Denton to the hospital in Digby. Dr. Dickie was five hours in covering the twenty-five miles between Digby and Little River. It is cases like this that forcibly call attention to the importance of keeping the highways clear of snow.

The V. O. N. is holding an Afternoon Tea and Pantry Sale at the residence of Mrs. D. Smith, on Saturday, January 20th. Price, 25 cents. Some interesting prize winning contests will be held and a good time may be expected.

Digby Ravens Defeat Annapolis

Strengthened by Eldridge, Maise and Raymond, the Digby Ravens broke their losing streak last Friday night by a 6-2 victory over their old rivals from Annapolis. Friday's game was fast hockey from start to finish. The first score was made in less than two minutes after the sardonic whistle when Frank Munro, assisted by R. Munro, slipped the rubber past Eldridge. Five minutes later, Winchester found the Annapolis net for the Ravens. Wilson followed Winchester by scoring on an assist from Daley, after the period was about three quarters over. Max Ritchie evened up the score for this period a few minutes later with a solo rush.

The second period was fast and furious. Both goalies were kept busy sweeping rubber from the front of their nets. Syd. Smith was the first to score in this period after a good ten minutes of play, with a beautiful shot from centre ice, scoring again three minutes afterward on an assist from Billie Walker. One of the features of this period was some pretty work of the Ravens goalie, Bill Eldridge. In a mix-up in front of the net Billie's stick was knocked out of his hands, and before he could regain it, Billie saved the day three times.

Winchester scored twice in the third period for the Ravens, first on a solo and second on an assist from Smith. Both teams put up a good game, and the two net-tenders were almost unbeatable. It was seldom that the Annapolis boys attempted to skate through the stone wall defence. They did attempt to shoot through but Eldridge was very much on his job.

Annapolis—Hindle, goal; M. Parker, W. Parker, R. Riley, defence; K. Spurr, Weir, R. Munro, M. Ritchie and F. Munro, forwards.

Digby—Eldridge, W. goal; L. Hayden, F. Maise, D. Raymond, defence; S. Wilson, R. Winchester, C. Walker, W. Walker, D. Daley and S. Smith, forwards.

Referee—G. V. Turnbull and C. L. Bowley.

Mrs. Burton Taylor, of Smith's Cove, spent the week end with her sister, Miss Blanche Morgan, at Adams' Cottage. Mrs. Taylor left on Tuesday to spend a few weeks in Halifax, visiting friends.

The services on Sunday will be as follows: 8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion 10:30 a.m.—Sunday School 11 a.m.—Matins 3 p.m.—Service at Marshalltown 7:00 p.m.—Evening Song.

The annual meeting of the parishioners takes place on Monday, at 8 o'clock, in the Parish Hall.

The Women's Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. G. W. Connell, on Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1934

A BABY'S NAME

The infant Japanese prince was named the other day, according to the ancient ritual. His father, Emperor Hirohito, brushed the name in ink on a golden scroll while imperial physicians chanted ancient Japanese classics. At the same time, the emperor's courtiers, regiments and warships fired the imperial salute. The whole thing was broadcast over the radio throughout the Japanese Empire, and to remote parts of the world. It was a curious combination of ancient and modern ways which may be regarded as symbolic of present-day Japan and of the life ahead of the Japanese heir.

The name given to the imperial baby is Tsunomiyama Akihito. It means "the wise and successful prince." That is a large order for a baby. It is even a large order for a grown man. No one can say today in what sort of world the prince will eventually rule, or even what the Japan of his reign will be. Kindly people, whatever their attitude toward militarism, the Japan now, however the baby's awe-inspiring name may prove prophetic and that he may have both wisdom and success when he comes to emperorship.

HOW IT SOARS

Here is a case in point to illustrate the extent to which a debt soars once it is placed in the hands of a collecting agency, says the Halifax Daily Star. The case is that of a Halifax man whose original debt, which by the way, was in dispute, amounted to \$8.75. By the time the matter was wound up, the costs sheet looked like this:

Debt, \$8.75; costs, \$2.00; execution, \$0.50; constable, \$0.30; commissioner's fee, \$2.00; constable, \$0.75; special examiner, \$4.00; constable, \$1.85; execution to arrest, \$1.00; city's fee, \$1.50; total, \$19.65. In short, the account, when finally paid, was almost two and a half times the original debt, and the fees paid to a commissioner and special examiner were two-thirds as much as the original debt. It is monstrous to consider that any man should be empowered to advise a debtor to appear before him in his office, no matter where that office may be, and either compel him to pay his debt, plus varied charges, or have the power of sending him to jail. It is appalling to think that such practices are countenanced by law and that the authorities permit such a condition to exist. Commissioners and examiners are needed; people who refuse to pay their legal bills must pay a fitting penalty. But it would be far better to pay such officials a standard salary, rather than pay the law which appoints them, open to abuse, as must be the case when fees are their sole remuneration.

(The Star did not go quite far enough in its condemnation of this procedure. The fact is that the whole system of the collection of debts by process of law, is legalized robbery. The fees do not consist of money earned—it is money extorted—and under threats in many cases where they think they can get away with them. There should be a radical change. The present method may be law, but it is not justice, by any means.)

"These are not the latest styles are they?" remarked the customer at the glove counter.

"Yes, madam," replied the salesgirl, "see how they had them in stock only two days ago."

"I didn't think they were," the lady explained; "because the fashion paper says black kids have tan stitches and vice versa. I see the tan stitches, but not the vice versa."

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WHO HAS THEM?

Some year ago—possibly 20 and it may have been 30—quite a number of the bound files of The Digby Weekly Courier were borrowed, and taken away from the office, but by whom nobody knows, except those who have them. The late Isaiah Wilson, once told us that he was not sure about them all being headed. But he knew they had been loaned, as a former manager of the Courier told him he had handed them out himself. It is possible these files are still in existence in somebody's attic. They belong to us and we would like to have them. But we do not want those who have them to have their trouble for nothing after all these years, as the chances are that the party who borrowed them has "passed on" ere this, so we will give two full years' subscription for every year's file returned.

BORN, BAPTIZED, DIED SAME DAY

Delphis LeBlanc, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay LeBlanc, died at his home in Concession, a few days ago, at the age of 13 months; Rose Marie Boudreau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Telephone Boudreau, died in Concession the same day. These babies were born, the same day; baptized the same day; died the same day, and were buried in the same grave on New Year's eve. Rev. Father Comeau officiated. Parents of the babies live about two miles apart and the children died from different sicknesses.

Mrs. H. S. Hoyt and Mrs. L. H. Potter were visitors to Digby on Friday.



Any town or city is just as good as the people who make up its population.

Motor cars are measured by the millions. More and more insistently they clamor for place on the highways of the world. Far-sighted people are building highways so wide, so direct and unobstructed that the flow of thousands of cars each day is swift and easy.

It seems that it is not a question of what industries can pay in the way of taxes, but a question of how much can be wrung from them by any means.

A good citizen is one who is willing at all times to make some sacrifice of his time and money to advance the common welfare of his home town.

A favorite sport of some of our professors is to imagine themselves prophets and with fascinating visions talk about day before yesterday and the day after tomorrow, while the people wait to hear about what is going on today.

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BISHOP LeBLANC GOING TO ROME

His Excellency, Rt. Rev. E. A. LeBlanc, D.D., will leave Saint John on February 8th for New York to sail for Rome on his "ad limina" visit to the Holy See, where he will pay his respects to His Holiness, Pope Pius XI. The ad limina visit to Rome is one that all Roman Catholic bishops or heads of dioceses throughout the world must make every ten years.

His Excellency will be accompanied to Rome by Rev. Monsignor J. M. O'Reilly, D.D. In making the announcement at the 9 o'clock Mass on New Year's Day, His Excellency took occasion to wish his people all graces during 1934.

William Lent, brother of the primary department, Tusket, Yarmouth County, spent the Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hatfield, in Boston.

Temperance Table Talks

By UNCLE JOHN

(Sponsored by the Social Service Council and Temperance Alliance)

ALCOHOL A CURE-ALL?

I have just been listening in on the radio to the "March of Time." Some evening perhaps Statio WABC may treat us to an array of some of the high spots in the thought of the medical world regarding the use of alcohol. Meanwhile a little reviewing on our own part will be of value. One finds that until about the middle of the nineteenth century the use of alcoholic drink as medicine was almost universal. A drink of brandy was good for the sick man, no matter what was wrong with him.

Sir Benjamin Ward Richardson, an eminent English physician and surgeon, boldly proclaimed in 1875 that this was all wrong, and this he did on scientific grounds, after years of research. Today the medical profession is practically unanimous in holding that "the introduction of alcohol into the body is deleterious under almost all circumstances; that as a beverage alcohol is not only useless but a menace to health; and that as medicine it is to be used only in very rare cases, and then not as an uncertain ingredient of white brandy, whiskey or beer, but in its pure form and not toxic (poisonous) quantities."

Note this experiment made by Dr. Richardson. It had to do with fresh water Medusa or jelly fish. He filled a jar from the water of the tank in which the jelly fish lived. Then in another jar he poured water from the same tank, only putting in some absolute alcohol, one gramme to a thousand of water. In each he placed a jelly fish, whose swimming movements were seventy-foot in the tank in which the jelly fish lived. Then in another jar he poured water from the same tank, only putting in some absolute alcohol, one gramme to a thousand of water. In each he placed a jelly fish, whose swimming movements were seventy-foot in the tank in which the jelly fish lived. Then in another jar he poured water from the same tank, only putting in some absolute alcohol, one gramme to a thousand of water. In each he placed a jelly fish, whose swimming movements were seventy-foot in the tank in which the jelly fish lived.

HEALTH

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TUBERCULOSIS IN CHILDREN

In the public mind, tuberculosis is regarded as being a disease of adult life. This attitude is quite natural because it is in early life that tuberculosis takes its heaviest toll. Nevertheless, tuberculosis is a serious problem at all ages, being responsible for many deaths in all age groups.

Tuberculosis is caused by a germ which invades the body and which may attack any part of the body. The germs as they affect children come either from tuberculosis cattle, through milk, or from a tuberculous person, through sputum. All danger from bovine tuberculosis is removed when milk is pasteurized, and that is one reason why children should never be fed on raw milk.

Tuberculosis in children is not the same thing as tuberculosis in adults. When a child is found to be suffering from tuberculosis, a careful examination of the parents and other adults with whom the child comes into repeated intimate contact in the home will nearly always reveal the source as being an unsuspected case of tuberculosis in the home. Tuberculosis is essentially a family disease. It is not that the disease is inherited, but rather that it spreads in the family from one member to another.

Apparently the gravity of tuberculosis in children is in proportion to the opportunity for further infection.

By this we mean that if the child is left living in the home where there is an active case of tuberculosis, the outlook for the child is bad, if not hopeless. If, however, he is removed from further contacts, and so does not receive any more heavy doses of tuberculous germs, the outlook is good.

Practically this means that adults with tuberculosis are responsible for tuberculosis in children. The adult with an old chronic cough may be tuberculous and should be regarded with suspicion until it is proved that his condition is not tuberculous. No child should be living with an open case of tuberculosis. This means that the case should be placed in sanatorium, or else that the young children should be removed from the home. There is no other practical way of protecting the children. The proof of this statement is seen in the reduction of tuberculosis almost in proportion to the number of sanatorium beds provided. The sanatorium gives the adult a good chance for recovery, and saves the children from the contact which means tuberculosis.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

CHURCH POINT

Joseph G. Saulnier, who spent the holidays in Boston, has returned. Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe Boudreau and baby, of Comeauville, were New Year guests of Captain and Mrs. P. G. Boudreau.

Yves Gaudet and Patrick Comeau, of Concession, were visitors here on Tuesday.

St. Mary's Bay is now partly frozen over and the local lobster fishermen had to abandon their work, leaving their traps, suffering thus a severe loss.

Miss Zita Comeau, who has been employed by Mr. and Mrs. Louis LeBlanc, for some time, returned to her home in Little Brook this week.

Miss Emilda d'Yon, of Pictouville, spent the week end here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Adrien LeBlanc.

Miss Cecile Thibedeau has gone to resume her position as principal of the Hecanocua school.

Mr. and Mrs. Moise Blinn spent New Year's at Little Brook Station, at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dure, of Yarmouth Hospital staff, spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Saulnier.

Miss Gilbert Belliveau, of Bellevue Cove, spent a few days recently at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Comeau, Comeauville.

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METEGHAN

Many residents had vegetables frozen in their cellars during the recent severe weather.

Severin Deveau, of Meteghan Centre, is on the sick list.

Joseph F. Melanson, of Meteghan, is dangerously ill at his home.

Miss Chantelle Comeau recently arrived from the United States to visit her mother, Mrs. Emilie Comeau, at Meteghan Centre.

Miss Emilie Comeau, of Little Brook, recently visited friends and relatives at Meteghan and Meteghan Centre.

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Between Ourselves

The Digby Board of Trade will hold its annual meeting on Tuesday of next week. Going?

I am neither a pessimist nor a knacker, but somehow or another I can't seem to work up a great deal of enthusiasm over the Digby Board of Trade's annual meeting. I have faith in the town, confidence in its future, and will do everything I can to boost it; and I believe that Digby needs an active Board of Trade. Such an organization would be worth a great deal to our town—but I am disinterested Board of Trade is worse than none at all.

I have been a member of the Digby Board of Trade for several years, and will likely continue; but, like other members and non-members, I cannot help but ask myself: What does the Digby Board of Trade do? They hold an annual meeting.

At this meeting they elect their officers and go through some routine business. A few citizens get up and talk about the beauties of Digby, and its wonderful prospects for the future—and let it go at that. We all know that Digby is one of the most beautiful situated towns in the Dominion; we are also well aware that there should be a wonderful future in store for the town, BUT to (and "we" applies particularly to the Board of Trade) should do less talking among ourselves and more boosting to the rest of the world, in order to bring about these wonderful possibilities.

For a time last year it did look as though the Digby Board of Trade was going to wake up and do something; they made big plans for a big Old Home Week, to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the arrival of the United Empire Loyalists—the best opportunity the Digby Board of Trade ever had to "put the town on the map"; and they let this golden opportunity fall through because someone was afraid it would cost a little money. Sure it would—but how much would it have brought back to the merchants and citizens of Digby?

Yes, the Digby Board of Trade turned down the Last Old Home Week because "it might cost a little money". The Digby Board of Trade had every assurance of the whole-hearted co-operation of the transportation companies and interested individuals, all of whom would have gone to considerable expense to help the Board of Trade carry out their plans; their faith was greater than that of the representative citizens of Digby who comprise the Board.

This Board of Trade business should be brought to a head at the annual meeting. If the Digby Board of Trade is going to confine itself to an annual meeting and one or two gatherings during the year—why keep up the organization. On the other hand, if it will wake up, want to do more and "risk" less, more things the Board of Trade could do to improve business conditions in the town and province if they were inclined to wake up and do a little doing. The publicity end has been sadly neglected, and some action on the part of the local board is needed to improve the highways in Nova Scotia.

I don't think anyone wants to see the Board of Trade drop the picture, but we all—members and citizens—should expect a little more activity from this quarter.

The next thing on the programme is the civic election. This year the office of Mayor becomes automatically vacant. Three councillors are elected annually. This makes it necessary to select four men to administer public affairs in Digby. The retiring councillors are Casswell,

Morehouse and Morrell. Mayor Holdsworth's term of office also expires. I do not know whether any of these gentlemen will offer for re-election, and I have heard, but little talk of their possible successors, although I have heard a few names mentioned, some who would make good administrators, and some who, in my humble opinion, would make a huge joke. However, the election of a mayor and councillors is a serious problem and should not be dealt with lightly. Good business men are needed. It is strange why most folks take their provincial and federal politics so seriously and pay little or no attention to civic elections, and yet most of them must realize that it is the taxes paid into the town treasury that affects the tax payer's pocket book most.

Ye Junior Ed.

Marriages

Dakin-Frost

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Risser, Lunenburg, on Saturday evening, December 30, when Margaret Lillian Frost, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mendell C. Frost, of Little River, Digby County, became the bride of Maynard Alister Dakin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth P. Dakin, of Centreville, Digby County. The bride was becomingly attired in a gown of blue silk, with accessories to match. Both bride and groom were unattended. The ceremony, which was performed by Rev. H. Stanley Bland, took place by the side of the Christmas tree, which was beautifully decorated by Mrs. Risser. The bride and groom are receiving hearty congratulations from their many friends, who wish them a long life of happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Dakin will reside in Lunenburg, where the groom has a position with the Lunenburg Sea Products.

United Church Sunday School

Has Successful Year.

The annual meeting of the Board of Management of the Grace United Church Sunday School was held at the Manse on Monday evening. The treasurer's report was the most encouraging in years, showing that the school, after 1933 bills are paid, only left \$2.63 short of "breaking even".

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Superintendent—J. Oakley Turnbull. Assistant Superintendent—Charles E. Armstrong. Secretary—Reginald Turnbull. Treasurer—J. M. Wallis. Temperance Superintendent—Mrs. Gladys Brown. Home Department Superintendent—Mrs. Charles E. Armstrong. The appointment of the Superintendent of Missions and of the teachers was left until a later date.

GOLDEN WEDDING OF FORMER WEYMOUTH COUPLE

On December 26, 1933, Capt. and Mrs. Joseph Oliver, now of Brighton, Mass., but formerly of Weymouth, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. A delightful supper was served at the home of their son, Charles, at Fernside Road, in that city, with whom they now make their home. Four generations were present. Owing to the severe snow storm prevailing that day, which tied up traffic many of those invited were unable to attend. Capt. Oliver, in his early days, followed the sea for many years, and was one of the few who safely made port during the historic gale of November, 1888. He afterwards conducted a general store in Weymouth for many years, in the building now occupied by Harris Garneau, and also kept a grocery store on the road. He left there some years ago to make his home in the United States. Their many friends in Weymouth and Gilbert's Cove will wish them many happy returns.

NEW T-SKET

Miss Marie Gaudet returned to the United States on Friday, after spending the holidays here. Jennie Mullen spent the week and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sabean.

Marion Hamilton has returned to her home in Minerville, Hants Co., after visiting friends here. A number of young people were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Sabean recently. The evening was spent in playing crokinole and draughts.

Ritchie Delaney has returned to Digby after spending his holidays here. Carl Mullen went to Saint John on Saturday to remain indefinitely. The Misses Helen and Fannie Mullen and Devern Mullen returned to Saint John on Saturday.

Mrs. William Gaudet is much improved in health.

The many friends of Joseph Cornwall, of Weymouth North, will regret to learn that he is among those on the sick list.

Miss Doris Gaudet and brother, Richard, of Danvers, are spending a week at their home at Weymouth North.

BORN

Oliver—At Parker's Cove January 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Oliver, a daughter.

Obituary

Simondson-Outhouse

The village of Tiverton was saddened on Tuesday morning of last week to learn of the death of Simon Outhouse, one of the old timers of the village. The deceased had been ill in health for some time, but only confined to his home a few weeks. He is survived by his wife, four sons and one daughter—Ellsworth, Alveries, Edson, Murray and Arlene, all at home, also two sons, Mrs. A. Cousins, of Westport, and Mrs. A. Bridges, of Quincy, Mass., and one brother, Rev. Wilfred Outhouse of Charlottetown, P. E. I. The funeral took place on Thursday.

BELLEVUE'S COVE

Among those who went to Boston on the holiday excursion were Francis Bellevue, Leila LeBlanc Delphis Doucet, Benoit Bellevue and Mrs. Adolphe Gaudet.

Adolphe Melanson, of the Bronx, N. Y., has spent Christmas with his aged father, Frederick Melanson, of Meteghan, who is ill.

Adolphe Melanson and his cousin, Edouard LeBlanc, visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bellevue on New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey and Miss Helen Bellevue, R. N. of Boston, also Miss Loretta Bellevue and Miss Camille Bellevue, R. N. of New York, who spent the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bellevue, have returned home.

Charles Doucet, Jean Theriault, Thomas Buckley, students at St. Anne's College, are spending their holidays with their parents.

The young daughters of Dr. P. A. Bellevue, Meteghan—Marlette and Etienne—have spent a few days here recently, the guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bellevue.

Miss Catherine Bellevue, teacher, has spent a few days in Little Brook recently, the guest of her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Doucet. Miss Marie Theriault, of the Yarmouth teaching staff, spent her holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Theriault.

ASHMORE

Those returning to their positions in Wolfville last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Ensley Prime; Marjorie and Cecil Prime; Lucy and Ronald Kinney; Gladys Marshall, Ellsworth Doty and Kenneth Manzer.

Mrs. David Kinney was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cornwall, at Weymouth North, on Sunday.

Rebecca and Edith Marsall were guests of their little friends, Lois and Willis Brooks, on Wednesday.

Alice Kinney and Mrs. Oliver Comeau were passengers to Boston on Friday last.

Lic. Hyron Manzer, after spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Manzer, has returned to his studies at Acadia College.

Mrs. Hubert Kinney and Renetta Kinney were guests of Mrs. Elvin Marshall, on Wednesday.

Ronald Thaurer has returned from his vacation, and again opened the Ashmore school.

Doris Brooks, of Weymouth, was a guest of Doris Manzer, on Sunday.

TIVERTON

Mrs. Earle Leeman is confined to her home through illness.

D. C. Outhouse, of Halifax, was in town last week on business.

The Radio II, Capt. Clifford sailed for Gloucester, Mass., on Saturday last.

Glester Outhouse has returned to his studies at Sackville.

Miss Margaret Cossaboom returned to Truro on Monday.

Miss Melba Outhouse returned to her school at Riverdale last week.

Bernard Young made a trip to Gloucester this week.

Mrs. Frank Cousins, of Westport, attended the funeral of her brother, the late Simon Outhouse, on Thursday of last week.

Merrill P. Outhouse has returned home from North Head, Grand Manan.

Leonard Cunningham returned a few days ago from Halifax, where he has been spending the Christmas holidays with his family.

Miss Dorothy Elliott returned to her school in Tiverton on Monday.

Reynold Haines was the over-2000 guest of Miss Margaret Cossaboom.

Blair Leeman is ill with flu.

Miss Hazel Hobbs, teacher, at East Perry, was in town on Saturday evening.

Miss Edna Young is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Reginald Titus, at Central Grove.

Miss Etta Outhouse visited relatives at Freeport last week.

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School Club Notes

New Year greetings to all the girls and boys and to their teachers. I trust you have all enjoyed your vacation with its coasting and sleighing in the frosty air.

Our Objective

The close of the half-year in February, should be marked with the record of a club in every school. Are you going to help us reach this objective? Even though you may have a club in your own school you can help by encouraging a neighboring school to enroll as soon as possible. Less than four weeks to go! Let us start now and see what we can accomplish in the time left. It is possible that we may hold a club "Roll Call" in February. How many will be ready?

Club Contests

We would like to remind you again of our Club Contests for this term. They are: School Magazine, (1) Local History, (2) Nature Book, (3) History of Road Making in Your District. We would be glad to have you report your progress with any of these projects and if you want help concerning the construction of your school magazine, or the outline of your material, please do not hesitate to ask for it.

An Acknowledgment

I would like to take this opportunity to thank many schools and their teachers for Christmas greetings which were gratefully received.

Helping Teacher

RECEIVES SPECIAL PRIZE

Stafford Killam, Weymouth, N. S.

Dear Stafford: Although your photograph of the ice boat did not win a prize in the "Christmas Money" contest recently sponsored by the Boys' World, we think it is so good that you should receive a special award. A cheque for \$1.00 is being sent to you under separate cover.

Cordially yours,
The Boys' World

The photo referred to was taken last winter, at Len's Pond, and consists of an ice boat with skates on runners, an old harness sail and three-man crew—Fred Killam, Jim Dunkley and George Long.

WEYMOUTH and Vicinity

REBEKAH'S INSTALL OFFICERS

District Deputy President, Miss Mildred Amero and staff, installed the officers of Olive Branch Rebekah Lodge, No. 100, on Wednesday evening, and also presented certificates of perfection in the unwritten work to two of the members—Mrs. R. B. Powell and Mrs. A. L. Thaurer. A visitor was present from Esplanade Rebekah Lodge, No. 87, A. S. John. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served. The following officers were installed for the present term:

P. N. G.—Miss Kathleen FitzGerald, D. D. P.
V. G.—Mrs. R. B. Powell
R. S.—Miss Mildred Amero, D.D.P.
P. S.—Miss Roberta Rand
Treasurer—Miss Grace Brooks
Chap.—Mrs. A. L. Thaurer, P.N.G.
Warden—Mrs. John Dunkley, P.N.G.
Conductor—Miss Kathryn Goodwin.
R.S.N.G.—Mrs. Adelaide Moore, P.D.P.
L.S.N.G.—Mrs. Leslie Ruggles, P.N.G.
R.S.V.G.—Mrs. G. O. Harkinson
L.S.V.G.—Miss Annie John.
I. G.—Mrs. W. R. Harris
O. G.—Mrs. C. R. Ruggles.

On January 17th the members will meet in the lodge rooms in the afternoon to work on the fell work, taking their supper with them, after which they will have their semi-monthly meeting at which a special programme will be given in honor of Thomas Wilkey, founder of the order.

Right Rev. Monsignor Augustin P. Ambrault, a native of Centre East, who is now living in Amherst, N.S., has been heard of in the radio in the western district of the United States. During the Christmas season he is called upon to act as distributor by several organizations to the poor and needy. He is a strong supporter of the Red Cross and a few days ago he appeared over the radio for its support.

Miss Mae Earle, primary teacher at Smith's Cove, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. C. R. Ruggles, and Mr. Ruggles.

Friends of H. W. Taylor will regret to learn that he is critically ill. Randolph Payson was a guest of Mrs. Eva Wendell, at Barton, on New Year's.

Mrs. Albert Grant was called to Eaton on Saturday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Brooks.

"Laddie" Jones is clerking at the Weymouth Cash Market.

A. F. Comeau went to Digby Neck on business on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Jennie Wagner was a recent guest of her sister, Miss Evelyn Wagner.

Mrs. R. B. Powell was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mullen, on New Year's day.

Miss Roberta Rand was an overnight guest of Miss Mildred Amero on Wednesday.

Miss Mary Rose Martin spent the New Year week-end at her home in Gloucester.

Mrs. Oliver Comeau, of Ashmore, left on Tuesday of last week to visit her daughter, in Boston.

Mrs. Frank Journey, who spent Christmas at her home here, has returned to Annapolis Royal.

Capt. Arthur Moore, of the ill-fated schooner "Hull", has returned home from the United States.

Miss Evelyn Wagner spent a recent week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch. Wagner, at St. Basile.

The Misses Roberta Rand and Kathleen FitzGerald were dinner guests of Miss Helen Taylor on Tuesday of last week.

Emile Theriault, of Bellevue's Cove, a member of the Halifax Herald staff, left on Tuesday of last week for Halifax.

Mrs. Curtis Stark, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Budd Lewis, in Danvers, returned to her home in Digby on Tuesday of last week.

An enjoyable party was held at the home of Lyle Martin, at Grosse Pointe, on New Year's day, it being the occasion of his birthday.

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Around Our Town

Mrs. R. H. Purdy is on the sick list.

Mrs. Fred Daley returned to Digby on Saturday.

Mrs. William Yarrille returned from Boston on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moynie returned on Tuesday from Boston.

Joseph Russell left on Tuesday for treatment at the Sanatorium.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McKenna returned recently from a trip to Boston.

The Misses Florence and Ruth Dunn returned from Boston on Friday.

Miss E. Dukeshire, of Boston, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lyle Stevens.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Schmidt.

The W. M. S. of the United Church met on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. W. A. Chute.

The Men's Contract Club were entertained this week by Fred R. Harris and Carol Clarke.

Lawyer Owen, of Annapolis Royal, was in town on Tuesday, a guest at the Commercial House.

William Marshall, of Shelburne, spent several days in town recently, the guest of Mrs. John Rice.

Randall Cashman, who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cashman, returned to college on Tuesday.

Mrs. Murray Harris and family, having spent a couple of weeks in Clements, returned home on Sunday.

The Ladies Circle of the United Baptist Church was entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. A. Harris.

Lucifer Rutledge has again resumed his studies at Dalhousie (Kings) University, returning to Halifax Wednesday.

Voorhies Dittmars, who has spent the past month at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dittmars, returned to Saint John on Monday.

Miss Grace Hubley, who has been in Halifax the past few weeks receiving treatment at the Halifax Infirmary, returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Viola Rice, of Dorchester, Mass., who was home owing to the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Rice, left on Tuesday for Boston.

Miss McCurdy, of the staff of the Netherwood School, Rotheray, N. B., left for Halifax on Saturday, to spend the remainder of the holiday season.

The Week of Prayer is being observed by union services, conducted in the Adventist church, St. John's Anglican church, United Baptist church, and United Church of Canada.

Allan Harris, who spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Harris, returned to Wolfville last week, where he will resume his studies at Acadia University.

George Peck returned home on Friday after spending the Christmas holidays with Miss Edna Peck and other friends, and has accepted the position of janitor at Oakdene Academy.

Mademoiselle Lenoir, of Switzerland, who is French instructor at "Netherwood," Rotheray, is Mrs. Harry Anthony's guest, arriving from Saint John on Friday, and returning to the school today, with Mrs. Anthony, who is also resuming her duties there.

Mrs. James Hubley entertained at tea on Friday afternoon, in honor of her sisters, Mrs. M. McLeod and Miss Florence Ross, of Sydney, C. B., who have been her guests for the past week. Mrs. L. J. Lovett presided over the tea-feast and was assisted in serving by the hostess and Miss Ross.

Mr. Walter Romans was hostess to the Ladies Contract Club on Wednesday afternoon. A number of guests were invited for the tea hour. The table in the dining room was very prettily decorated with candles and greenery, and Mrs. Anthony, who is spending the holidays here, dispensed the "cheerful cup." Among out-of-town guests were Mrs. M. McLeod and Miss Ross, of Sydney.

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Our returns for November was 21 cents per pound, butterfat. It is the average price for the month that counts and not the price for any one week.

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Sciatica Kept Him At Home

It is the wife who sends us this information about her husband's troubles. She writes: "For some time past, my husband has been unable to work only one week in two, on account of sciatica. He has been suffering from it for some time, but we tried many things, but without result. Then we saw in the papers an account of the good results that had been obtained from Kruschen Salts and we decided to give them a trial. After twelve months past, my husband has been working in his little dose of Kruschen every morning. Now he has no more trouble with the sciatica, and is working regularly." (Mrs. J. M. M.)

Doctors estimate that one-half of civilized humanity suffers from partial constipation. This condition is a part of an unsuspected residue of waste matter, which poisons the blood and produces sciatica, as well as many of the mystery aches and pains from which people suffer. Kruschen keeps the organs of elimination in perfect action, so that the parts of the body which are expelling this waste material are expelled gently, regularly and completely.

FIRST Y. W. C. A. IN CANADA

The first Y. W. C. A. in Canada was established in Saint John, sixty-three years ago, and the anniversary of the founding was recently celebrated in that city. The first record of the event is in a local newspaper dated December 1870, and it is followed by a mission school has been sustained by the Young Women's Christian Association for the purpose of enabling young girls who obtain their living from various factories of our city to obtain a better education. Books and stationery, arithmetic, reading, writing, spelling, arithmetic and grammar taught. The number of the register is 35, with an average attendance of 13.

"Your mistress tells me, Jane, that you wish to leave us to become an attendant in a sanatorium. What makes you think you'll like it? What experience have you had?"

"Well, sir, I've been here three years."

The convalescent husband had a friend to stay with him for the week end. When the guest was being shown up to his room he noticed that there were faint crosses on several of the steps. He asked the reason.

"Ah," whispered the host, "these come into operation after midnight. X means that the step creaks."

Mrs. Charles Greene, Miss Tarrist Greene and Arthur Green, who have been spending the past month in Brookline, Mass., guests of Mrs. Greene's sisters, Mrs. Chapman and Miss Lexie Haffield, arrived home on Tuesday.

PRINCEDALE MAN MEETS WITH ACCIDENT

Late Saturday afternoon William Hearn, of Princesdale, Annapolis Co., while cutting wood in the adjacent forest, had the middle finger of his right hand almost completely severed when the axe of a companion glanced from a limb. With roads almost impassable from the heavy snow, it was some time before the injured man could have surgical aid. Dr. L. J. Lovett, of Bear River, eight miles distant, dressed the wound and hoped to save the finger, though the chances are slight. This accident is particularly unfortunate, as Mr. Hearn has a large family of children and a blind wife, and will be unable to work for some time.

CHRISTMAS TREE AND PROGRAMME

The Sunday School of the United Church of Canada held its Christmas programme and tea on Thursday evening of last week, in the church vestry. The following programme was given:

Chorus—"It Came Upon a Midnight Clear"

Prayer—Rev. C. L. Blanchard.

Recitation—"The Christ Child"—Tom Laramore.

Piano Solo—Emma Benson.

Recitation—Jean Benson.

Piano Solo—Eileen Baxter.

Reading—"New Year Act"—Emma Benson.

Chorus—"Silent Night"

after which the lovely tree was stripped by Mr. Blanchard and the teachers of the Sunday School.

PARISH OF ST. CLEMENT

Rev. Rural Dean Smith, Rector

Next Sunday will be the Second Sunday after the Epiphany. The services arranged (weather permitting):

Deep Brook, 10.30 a.m.

Bear River, 3.00 p.m.

Clementsport, 3.00 p.m.

The annual meeting of the parish is called for 2 o'clock on Monday (next), in St. Matthew's church, Deep Brook.

LESSON IN VERSE FOR GOOD CHILDREN

On Sunday begin

The week without sin;

On Monday resume

Your tasks without gloom;

An pray don't be vexed

That Tuesday comes next;

And when it is gone

Doth Wednesday come on;

And Thursday can't be

To follow for aye;

And Friday, no doubt,

Not being left out;

With Saturday last,

The week will be past.

—SAR COLERIDGE

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. C. P. Henderson, Pastor

Regular Services—

Sunday, 10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

Church School, 11.30 a.m.

Prayer Meeting—Friday, 7.30 p.m.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Mrs. Harry E. Harris

Mrs. C. D. Rice

Mrs. L. J. Lovett

Tom Porter returned to Saint John on Saturday.

Miss Viola Potter left on Monday for Annapolis Royal.

Councillor H. E. Chisholm left on Tuesday for Digby to attend council.

A number of our men are employed in the woods down the "Shelburne Road."

Mrs. B. C. Clarke returned on Monday from a trip to Digby and Annapolis.

Miss Crosby returned on Saturday from Yarmouth, to take up her duties at the Milford Corner school.

Miss Lingley returned from Fridge-town on Saturday, to resume her duties in the Bear River East school.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown returned from Lawrenceton on Thursday. Lawrence Hubley left on Monday for Saint John.

Joyce Townsend left on Monday for Meteghan, where she is a pupil in the Sacred Heart Academy, after visiting her grandmother, Major Simmons, and Mrs. Simons.

The annual meeting of the lot owners of Mt. Hope Cemetery will be held in the Masonic kitchen, Tuesday evening, January 16, at 8 o'clock. Any person interested is welcome to attend, and all lot owners are urged to be present.

BEAR RIVER HOLDS FIRST CARNIVAL OF SEASON

Tuesday evening, January 2nd, saw Snell's Rink the setting for a merry band of skaters in costume, and many spectators, at the first carnival of the season.

The ice was in the condition, and in spite of the extreme cold, both skaters and those looking on, enjoyed the sport.

Seven prizes were awarded for the best costumes, as follows:

Men's First—Carroll Snell and Joyce Coombs—"Father Time and 1893"

Men's Second—Walter Jack—"Aunt Dinah"

Men's Third—Mrs. S. Stevens and Mrs. Wilbur Rice—"Time to Retire"

Men's Second—Married Rice—"Highlander"

Junior Prizes

Boys' First—Philip Rice—"Witch"

Girls' First—Elinor Morine—Chinese Costume

The judges were Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre and the Misses Ethel Clark and Katherine Hille.

The proceeds of carnival go to the Bear River Junior Hockey team, plans to play the initial junior league game shortly.

The support of the community for this hockey team is solicited.

MISSIONARY MEETING HELD

The Women's Missionary Society of the United Baptist church of Bear River, held its annual meeting on Tuesday afternoon of last week, at the home of Mrs. John A. Purdy, with a large number attending. After the routine business had been transacted, the efforts for the last year were reviewed and it was found that an excellent amount of work had been accomplished and a large sum of money received.

The following officers were appointed for 1934:

Honorary President—Mrs. Chapman Harris

President—Mrs. John A. Purdy

First Vice-President—Mrs. Boyd Rice

Second Vice-President—Mrs. Fred Rice

Secretary—Mrs. J. L. Warren

Assistant Secretary—Mrs. Clarence Henshaw

Treasurer—Mrs. C. D. Rice

The meeting closed after repeating the Lord's prayer, in unison, after which the hostess served refreshments.

SOUTH RANGE WEST

Clarence A. Sabean, who has spent the past week at home, has returned to Digby.

Ronald F. Porter, of Digby, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. L. M. Porter.

Ira Sabean and family spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Marshall.

Willie G. Porter and brother, Darrell, visited their sisters, Mrs. Clarence Peet and Mrs. A. E. Sabean, on Sunday.

Mrs. Chigiote Marshall is spending the winter at the home of her grandson, Gilbert E. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Shortliffe spent Sunday last with Mrs. Shortliffe's cousin, Mrs. Alex. Porter.

Lawrence Sabean has returned home after spending the week end with friends in Danvers.

The friends of Mrs. Arthur R. Baxter are sorry to learn that she is so poorly.

Little Miss Clemmie Sabean is staying with her grandmother, Mrs. Alex. Porter.

Ed Marshall was in this place on Sunday.

Mrs. Benjamin Sabean is in poor health.

WESTPORT

Mrs. Bradford Finlay has returned to Victoria Beach.

Miss Mildred Denton, Miss Nina Gower and Miss Elizabeth Kenney left on Friday for their respective schools.

Miss Vivian Gower and Leland McDermott have returned to Normal College, Turco.

Councillor Edward Pugh left on Monday for Digby to attend the session of the Digby Municipal Council.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lent spent the week end in Digby, where Mrs. Lent was called by the death of her grandmother.

Capt. C. M. Hicks was a passenger for Digby on Friday, returning on Saturday.

Capt. and Mrs. L. F. Barkhouse were passengers to Yarmouth on Friday to spend a few weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Fred Finimney, and Mr. Finimney.

Mrs. Esther Stevens and granddaughter, Lorna, have returned to Freeport.

Ronald Gower has returned to Sydney Mines.

Mr. and Mrs. Norval Morehouse have returned to their home in Lake Milford.

William Glavin has returned from Halifax.

BORN

Harris—At Bear River, January 8th, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harris, a daughter.

Obituary

Mrs. James Wilkey Rice

The community of Bear River was saddened by the death, on Friday, January 5th, of Eugene wife of James Wilkey Rice, a well known resident of the town. The late Mrs. Rice, though debarr'd by a long illness from active participation in community life, will be greatly missed by her many intimate friends, relatives and neighbors.

Mrs. Rice was born in Bear River seventy-six years ago, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Obediah Parker. Mrs. Rice had been a life long resident of this her birth place. She leaves to mourn their loss, her immediate family, her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Ina Solloway, R. N., and Miss Viola, both of Dorchester, Mass., two sons, Roy R. Rice, of Lexington, Mass., and Leland Rice, of Bear River; four brothers, James H. Parker, Holbrook, Mass., E. B. Parker, Bear River; Stephen Parker, Weymouth, and Herbert Parker, Greenwald, Alberta. The impressive funeral services were conducted at the Rice residence on Sunday afternoon, the officiating clergyman being Rev. A. W. L. Smith, of St. John's Anglican church, and Rev. C. P. Henderson, of the Adventist church. Interment was in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Herbert James Petrie

Herbert J. Petrie, of 64 Wildwood Street, proprietor of the Petrie Bake Shop, died on Wednesday in the Winchester Hospital, after a short illness. He was stricken while at the bakery Tuesday, rushed to the hospital where an operation was performed, but of no avail. He was 43 years of age and was born in Lynn, Mass., and has been living in Winchester, Mass., about ten years. In 1917 he married Miss Gertrude Morine, of Bear River, who survives him with his mother and sister, in Lynn. Mr. and Mrs. Petrie have a summer home in Smith's Cove, and are well known in and around that village.

CLEMENTSVALE UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. C. Burnett, Pastor

The services on Sunday will be as follows:

Sunday School at 10 o'clock

Public Worship at Clementsval at 11 o'clock

Victory, at 3 o'clock, and Bear River East at 7.30 o'clock.

All are welcome.

MILFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Nass spent the week end in Clementsval.

Miss Maude Roy and Miss Edna Nass have returned to Milford after spending Christmas at their homes in Margareville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Brown and children spent the week end in Milford.

Mrs. Charles Sullivan was the guest of Mrs. Alfred Fancy, on Wednesday.

Miss Debra Wagstaff was the guest of Miss Pauline Fancy, on Thursday.

VICTORIA BEACH

A 15-cent tea was held at Mrs. Joseph Haynes' on Tuesday evening of last week. The proceeds are for church purposes.

Mrs. Bradford Finlay, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Denton, in Westport, returned on Saturday.

Guy Hamilton, who is employed on the C. P. steamer, Princess Helene, spent the week end with his family here.

Miss Margaret Apt. Port Wade, visited Miss Freda Apt. recently.

Charles McGrath and Reid McGrath, of Lynn, Mass., have returned to that city after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Freda Apt. R. N., went to Little River on Monday.

Mrs. Henry Casey sustained a bad fall on Friday last.

PARKEE'S COVE

There will be service in the United Church on Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, by Rev. G. T. Bryant.

The school re-opened on Monday. Claude Milner visited friends in Hillsburn recently.

Earl Forey, of Annapolis Royal, was a guest of Mrs. Gertrude Halliday for several days this week.

Marjorie Halliday, Alice Anderson and Austin Anderson returned to Annapolis Royal on Monday, to resume study.

Mr. and Mrs. David Milner visited their daughter, Mrs. Edward Hudson, and Mr. Hudson, on Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Guest, of Young's Cove, recently visited her daughter, Mrs. Elwood Oliver.

Tarascons, a tribe of Indians in Mexico, have been declared the world's greatest archers, many of them being able to split a grain of wheat at thirty feet.

Good hay is one of the best standards for rabbits, and the rack of each hutch should be constantly replenished.

CURLING REMAINS MODERN SPORT

Curling remains a thoroughly modern sport, though it has nothing to do with milady's electric tongs, according to A. A. Gardner, of the Canadian National Railways, in a letter to the Bowling Club in Montreal.

But a non-curler needs a new vocabulary when he takes up the sport. He reads such terms as "bunspeck," "skiving," "outwreck," and "doo" (unflavored), among others, which are curlers' language. The speaker wondered how Irishmen, Germans even Thibetans and Afghans had managed the verbiage. He said all these have taken to curling. "Skiving" is a slang word for curling, but Mr. Gardner thought it was a complete sport unto itself and that the accompaniments were not a necessity. In seriousness, he said that curling had done much to form Scottish character, that it was more than just the sport of ancient times, and that its tendency to inculcate fortitude and sportsmanship was never needed more than today, when Canada was sharing the tribulations of a troubled world.

THEY WORKED FROM SIX IN THE MORNING UNTIL NINE AT NIGHT

Many of us remember the days when stores and other business places remained open for long hours. The Kamloops Sentinel has come across the rules and regulations of the Marshall Field store in Chicago for the year 1882. Here they are:

- 1.—This store must be opened at sunrise. No mistakes: Open 6 a.m. summer and winter. Close about 8.30 or 9.00 p.m. the year round.
- 2.—Store must be swept, dusted, the doors and windows opened, lamps filled, trimmed and chimneys cleaned; counters, base shelves and show cases dusted; pens made; a pail of water, also coal, must be brought in before breakfast, if there is time to do it and attend to all customers who call.
- 3.—The store is not to be opened on the Sabbath day unless absolutely necessary, and then only for a few minutes.
- 4.—Should the store be opened on Sunday, the clerks must go in alone and get tobacco for customers in need.
- 5.—The clerk who is in the habit of smoking Spanish cigars, being shamed at the barber's, going to dancing parties and other places of amusement, and being out late at night, will assuredly give his employer reason to be ever suspicious of his integrity and honesty.
- 6.—Clerks are allowed to smoke in the store provided they do not wait on women with a "slogie" in the mouth.
- 7.—Each clerk must pay not less than \$5.00 to the church and must attend Sunday School.
- 8.—Men clerks are given one evening a week off for courting, and two if they go to prayer meeting.
- 9.—After the day's work is over the leisure hours should be spent in reading.

It is interesting to read such rules at a time when there is considerable talk of a 30-hour week, already in effect in many places, and others not even putting in that number. Yet many men who graduated out of high school at an establishment, reaching eminence in business and public life, and tell us they were none the worse for the long hours. The world has changed very considerably in the last fifty years.

CHURCH POINT

Adelaide and Raymond Comeau, of Saint John, are passing their vacation with their family at Comeauville.

Mrs. (Dr.) Thibault, who has been in Boston, visiting her sister, Mrs. J. LeBlanc, returned to her home for the holidays.

Miss Alma Boudreau, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Boudreau, has passed through Church Point on her way to Halifax, where she is to join the staff of the steamer Prince David. She was on board the steamer when she was wrecked on a coral reef, near Bermuda.

Emile Blinn and Isaac LeBlanc, who are employed in Digby, passed the week-end with their respective families here.

John V. Thibault, of St. Anne's College staff, sustained a painful accident while walking in the icy street a few days ago, breaking his ribs.

For the holidays the reverend fathers of St. Anne's College went to different parishes of Clare and Argyle to assist the parish priests: Rev. Fr. McGesley, superior, to Saint-Joville; Rev. Fr. Ovee, to Concessions; Rev. Fr. Etienne, to Saint-Joville; Rev. Fr. Kuntze, to Yarmouth; Rev. Fr. Fitzgerald, to Plympton; and Rev. Fr. Hache, to Meteghan.

Mrs. L. J. Lovett entertained at a tea on Saturday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. M. McLeod and Miss F. Ross, of Sydney. Only candle light was used in the pine-decorated rooms, and on the tea table. Those serving were Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre and Miss B. Anthony.

CANADA'S AGRICULTURAL COLLEGES

The agricultural colleges in Canada maintained by the provinces, are the Nova Scotia College, at Truro; the Ontario College and Experimental Farm, at Guelph; the Manitoba College, at Winnipeg; the Saskatchewan College, at the University of Saskatchewan; the Alberta College, at the University of Edmonton; and B. C. Faculty of Agriculture, at the University of Vancouver. The three agricultural colleges in Quebec—Macdonald College, the School of Agriculture at Ste. Anne d. la Pocatiere, Lake of Two Mountains, are assisted and the Oka Agricultural Institute by the Quebec Provincial government.

ICELANDIC FISHERMEN FOR- SAKE TRADITIONAL LEATHER BOOTS

The inhabitants of Iceland, descendants of the old Vikings, are for saking the traditional heavy leather boots with either leather or wooden soles, and uppers of various height, which have been worn for centuries, for rubber boots. It has taken a considerable time to introduce this type of footwear among the fishermen of Iceland and it was long after rubber boots became popular in Canada that the effort was made. Added to tradition and a certain amount of superstition in favor of leather, the fishermen stated it was their belief the rubber boot could not easily be repaired and it was moribund to cause accident by slipping in wet weather. The greatest danger in respect to rubber boots for those of knee height to which the Icelanders add a hip top which he makes from red rubber imported in rolls and cut to suitable shape. The old belief that leather provided a better foothold on the decks of ships is about overcome is evidenced by the fact that there is no demand for boots with special soles or other unusual features.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' FARM CLUBS

"Boys' and Girls' farm club work has been secured at a great extension school of agriculture in which the subjects for study are the club projects, and the pupils are the enrolled club members. The fact that each club member must carry on the club project on the home farm is probably one of the most important factors underlying the success that has been achieved. Primarily the work of the Dominion and Provincial Departments of Agriculture, the club movement has been featured by a remarkable amount of encouragement and assistance from agricultural societies, farmer's clubs, women's institutes, banks, railways and other institutions. The general secretariat is located in the Confederation Building, Ottawa.

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BAPTISM AND TEMPTATION OF JESUS

Golden Text:—"In all things it becometh him to be made like unto his brethren."—Hebrews 2:17.

Lesson Passage:—Matthew 3:13 to 4:11.

O Jesus, come a Nazareth boy, And tempted like as we, All inward foes help us destroy, And spotless all will be. We trust thee for the grace to win The high, victorious goal, Where purity shall conquer sin In Christlike self-control.

Jesus and John, 3:13-15

One of the intriguing facts of life is our power to influence others and our capacity to be influenced by others. It is usually a reciprocal experience. A dozen words at a certain period of life may change a whole career. Or a silent example may set up a lifelong standard. Jesus and John the Baptist were about the same age. They lived in the same country and both had deep spiritual insights. John recognized the superior greatness of Jesus, and Jesus gave the highest praise to John.

Simple Rules Prevent WEARINESS

Do you know that there is a simple, natural way to stay on the high road of good health and to end those days of weariness when body and brain seem sluggish and heavy? Then it is in just doing right, plus being sure that you are not unnecessarily suffering from incomplete elimination. And that's all! Eat moderately. Sleep sufficiently. Get lots of fresh air, exercise and recreation. Don't worry. And make sure of complete elimination by taking a stimulating, pleasant-tasting glass of Andrew's Liver Salt once or twice each week. Do not make the mistake of supposing that just because your habits are good your system is functioning perfectly. It is because your eliminative organs are not functioning that you go through days of weariness, or suffer from indigestion and headaches. The latest weekly magazine of Andrew's Liver Salt will help you learn to maintain complete elimination, and thus give you a mental appetite, and sustain you in a healthy habit. Prevention is better than cure. Begin now to observe these simple, inexpensive Andrew's Rules for Health. Get Andrew's Liver Salt from your druggist. In 35c and 60c. New large bottle, 75c. Sole Agents: John A. Huston Co., Ltd., Toronto.

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They had different outlooks upon life, and their methods of work were in contrast. Yet they could respect each other while continuing to do their own work in their own way. Perhaps their resemblances were greater than their contrasts. John was stern and Jesus was gracious, but both had a passionate love of right, and were fearless in speaking truth. Both died rather than compromise with evil.

As a Dove, 3:16, 17

There is a wide difference between pacifism and passivism. In the twentieth century pacifism should not mean inaction, but rather requires positive active service in the cause of peace. The personal decision to determine future history that is determined will for peace. Each year since the Great War more Christians have come to feel that they must have done with war. Many, perhaps the majority of Canadian soldiers, fought from patriotic motives, and through love of right and freedom. But from what we know now of world politics, it is difficult to foresee any moral issue which will justify methods of warfare using poison gas and disease germs which science has devised. The spirit of God came upon Jesus at his bap-

Province of Scotia Nova County of Digby In The Court of Probate

In the Estate of William M. Cossaboom, late of Smith's Cove, in the County of Digby, Hotel Proprietor, Deceased.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION at the Court House, at Digby, on FRIDAY, the 26th day of JANUARY, A. D. 1934, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to a License to sell, granted by the Court of Probate, in and for the County of Digby, dated the 16th day of December, A. D. 1933.

ALL the estate, right, title, interest, claim and demand of the said William M. Cossaboom, deceased, at the time of his death, of, in, or out of the following lots or pieces of land, situate, lying and being at Smith's Cove, in the County of Digby and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the North side of Old Post Road; then running North eighteen degrees West to a stake; then East eighteen degrees North to a stake; then North eight degrees West to a stake and bounded so by land owned by Estate of Bishop Jagger. Then running North East bounded by land of H. S. Ford to shore of Annapolis Basin; then in a Southerly direction along shore of Annapolis Basin to a point adjoining land of Harry Smith; then in a South West direction bounded by lands of Harry Smith, Fred Smith and Cemetery, to a point on West Corner of Cemetery. Then running South; then East along Cemetery line to a point adjoining land of Fred Smith then South eighteen degrees east to a point meeting land of Bessie Sulis; thence West to lane, so called; then Southerly along lane, to Railroad; then Westerly along Railroad to Old Post Road; then along North side of Old Post Road to point of beginning. Containing sixty acres more or less.

Subject, however, to a certain right of way (to H. S. Ford) as set out in a Deed from Thomas A. Jagger to William M. Cossaboom and registered at the Registry of Deeds of New Brunswick in Book 100, page 345 et seq. Subject also to several cabin site leases.

Reserving from the above described lot of land all that certain piece conveyed by the heirs of the said William M. Cossaboom to Gertrude H. Cossaboom, containing three-quarters of an acre more or less, as well as right-of-way thereto, by Deed dated the 21st day of October, A. D. 1924, and recorded at the Registry of Deeds Office in Book 140, page 95.

Reserving also that certain piece of land conveyed by William M. Cossaboom and Clara B. Cossaboom to A. Harvey West, and containing one acre more or less, by Deed dated the 15th day of November, A. D. 1924, and recorded at the Registry of Deeds Office at Weymouth in Book 139, page 483.

Together with the buildings, easements, tenements and appurtenances thereto.

Including hotel furnishings, furniture and equipment.

TERMS:—Ten per cent. deposit at the time of sale, remainder on delivery of Deed.

Dated at Digby in the County of Digby, December 16th, A. D. 1933.

Clara B. Cossaboom

Executrix

ism in the form of a dove, not an eagle. He is the Prince of Peace.

Who Told? 4:11

The story of the temptation of Jesus is told in very vivid language. Only one person could have told it, the Master himself. Why did he tell it? Certainly he had no desire to draw attention to his personal victory. His motive then must have been to help his disciples to win a victory over their temptations. There are some Christian people who pride themselves upon their reserve, saying that they do not wear their religion upon their sleeve. This religion may be carried too far. Some experience we have had, if shared with others, may protect them against our mistakes. If we have found the way of moral victory, we owe it to others to tell them our secret. It helps us greatly to know that Jesus was tempted like as we are. It helps us still more to know that evil could gain no hold upon him, and that we may learn his secret of victory.

Three Temptations, 4:2-10

Each period of life has its own form of temptation. The temptations of middle life may be quite as dangerous as the temptations of youth, but they assume a different form. Avarice may be a greater danger in middle life than indulgence in the teens. The temptations which came to Jesus in the wilderness all converged upon his decision to give his life for the Kingdom of God. Would he hold to this ideal or would he become selfish? Would he seek to escape publicity or plan something spectacular? Would he stress the spiritual aspects of religion, or would he make a secular appeal? With his unique abilities Jesus could have had luxury, popularity and power. He could have chosen the way of truth which in the end proved to be the way of the cross. It is significant that Jesus recorded three temptations. It is seldom that a temptation comes singly. We have to struggle against interlocking temptations, and we need to have a sure moral defence to withstand their combined attack.

Victory, 4:11

Jesus won his victory over temptation because of his great thinking. He pierced through the half-truths so plausibly presented to him. He also was armed with scripture knowledge. Each temptation was met with a verse from the book of Deuteronomy. It is worth while memorizing the verses of text from the Bible if only for the advantage of their appropriate help in hours of temptation. Jesus also had a great purpose. He had dedicated his life to the service of man and obedience to the will of God. In the light of such a high spiritual purpose, food, fame and earthly thrills had little appeal. Jesus experienced temptation all through his ministry. Later he spoke to his disciples who had continued with him in his temptations, but during this time of solitude in the wilderness temptations made a massed attack. It was a protracted battle after which Jesus had relative peace. The devil left him. Angels came and ministered unto him. This inner satisfaction is open to all who will fight evil with spiritual weapons, and in God's strength triumph.

Questions for Discussion

1. Why did Jesus tell about his temptations?
2. How does self-knowledge help us to resist temptation?
3. Why did Jesus quote scripture to meet each temptation?
4. What do you understand "devil" or "tempter" to have been?
5. At what times are you most subject to temptation?
6. How may Christ help us to triumph over temptation?

Happy New Year, Everybody

Br-r-r-r! It's been anywhere from 10 to 17 degrees below zero all this week. Frozen waterpipes, house plants and frost bitterners comprise the toll at "The Patch", but the sun is shining today, and water dripping from the eaves so it looks very much so if the old year will relent, and promise a new deal before the end of the year. I don't know if anyone will stay up until 12 o'clock to toast a whistle or blow a horn, but I do hope we will all wake up with a smile in the morning. Do you ever think you would like to know just what is going to happen to you next year? We often say "I wish I knew," but do we really? And what would we do if we did know? Do you think we would spend every minute of our time, getting and keeping ready for what is going to happen? I don't! Not for one instant

would we sit and wait, because we are never ready for trouble or happiness, even if we know it is inevitable. It is the unexpected thing that catches us, and life will always be that. The greatest worries are the ones that never happen only in our imagination, and the greatest troubles are the ones we bring on ourselves. And more often than not we never profit by our mistakes. If we eat too much and get sick, it doesn't take a doctor's diagnosis to tell us what is wrong. But next time the big box of candy is there, we reach out and help ourselves, and repeat the performance over again. So even if we could know what the New Year will bring to us, perhaps it is better that we live from day to day, look ahead, not back, and have faith that whatever is, is best.

Would you like to hear about Christmas day at "The Patch"? We had a warm sunny day, and we had old friends with us. We had a beautiful little tree, trimmed with blue, silver and red, and artificial snow sparkling over all. At 8 a.m., we tuned in on the broadcast from the British Empire through the N. B. C., and I hope none of you missed it. It was a wonderful beginning with the singing of Big Ben from London, ending with Christmas greetings from King George. We heard carols sung from Westminster Abbey and from a Children's Hospital. We heard a talk from the bottom of the deepest coal mines in the whole world from W. L. and T. L. If you were listening, you heard the whine and rasp of the cables taking the buckets to the bottom of the mine. We heard them speak from St. Mary's Light ship, off the rugged Northumberland coast, where they told us two men were stationed all the time. One had been in charge over 30 years and his mate 25 years. He said they could see two miles in both directions up and down the ocean. I wish I could tell you all that we heard in that wonderful broadcast from England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Each little programme partly the language spoken in that particular place; and the last fifteen minutes were spent in circling the world—a greeting from such an old country to her possessions "over which the sun never sets", India, New Zealand, Australia, Bermuda, Canada, and across the ocean again to London. I hope you heard it, too. It is unforgettable. We said dinner at noon and spent the afternoon talking over old times until it was time to light the red candles for Christmas night. Just a nice, quiet home day. I almost forgot to tell you that our cat does not approve of decorations. It hung some small wreaths in the windows and after looking at them for some time she leaped on the table, grabbed one and threw it on the floor! Then she stamped her paws on it and flung it over in the corner, and proceeded to wash her paws of the whole business. Such temperment!

Now I think I will tell you about a letter I got this week from Washington, way out on the west coast. It was a great surprise, and I was much mystified. I don't know anyone way out there. When I opened it, who do you think it was from? An old pal of my printing office days in the old Free Press building, none other than Leslie H. Sabine, and I am sure that you who are living in Weymouth today were a part of our staff then. We were pleased to hear from him. He sends greetings to you all through me, and recalled so many things that happened in those days that I wish he would write them up for the Gazette. Of course he did not mention any of the tricks he used to play on the long-suffering girls, or how, on a cold night he always forgot to put the ink roller away, but always left it stuck on the ink slab so that in the morning it was frozen, more solid than a chunk of cement. I recall now how frankly we pulled and hauled, and employed all the devices known to anyone who works out a newspaper office to get it loose and put it away before T. S. Farn-

ham arrived. Bless his heart! I don't suppose he would have scolded, but we thought he might anyway. And you know how it is—you feel a lot more safe if the boss does not know all about it. Of course, Leslie Sabine has grown up since those far away days, but he would just love to throw a pan of slop water and a pall of ashes on the neighbor's pig like he did then. He tells me he lives in a small west coast city, where lumber is the chief industry, and has a family of four children. He is a New Tuskett boy and sounded home sick. We all get that way sometimes, do we not? He reads the home paper and spoke of the prevalence of strange names, hardly one associated with the old life, and the people that he knew. Perhaps he could be induced to write something of his life since he left Weymouth, and of how the great West Coast appeals to a boy from the shores of St. Mary's Bay.

Leslie's a fine chap, and we know he will give us something special shortly. The Digby Courier will issue a special anniversary number sometime during the year and it is our intention to ask all our readers—former residents of Digby County, wherever they may be or whatever they may be doing, to write a special article about themselves and their reminiscences for that edition. Leslie's mother and several of his brothers

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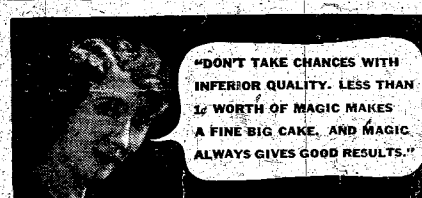
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DIGBY, Nova Scotia

REGULAR MEETING DATES

Children's Aid Society, 1st Friday of every month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
 Victorian Order of Nurses, 2nd Tuesday of each month, 3 o'clock, Court House.
 Hospital Board, 2nd Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Hospital.
 King Solomon Lodge, A. F. and A. M., 1st Tuesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
 St. George Lodge, I. O. O. F., every Friday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
 Zeeman Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., 2nd and 4th Monday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
 Town Council, last Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
 Hospital Ladies' Aid, last Friday of each month, at the Court House.
 Fire Company, 1st Wednesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
 Digby Kiwanis Club Luncheon on board "S. S. Princess Helena, 12:15 noon, Mondays (unless special notice be given).

WEYMOUTH and vicinity

Mrs. Arthur Moore, sr., who has been spending the holiday season at her home here, was a passenger to Yarmouth on Friday, en route to Boston.
 Miss Avis Cosman is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. H. Thurber, and Mr. Thurber, at Weymouth North, while going to school there.
 Miss Cecile Theriault, intermediate teacher in the Weymouth school, has returned after spending her vacation at her home in Bellevue, Que.,
 Earle Anderson, who spent the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Anderson, in Digby, has returned to McGill University at Montreal.
 Miss Evelyn Wesley, who spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Emma Wesley, at Weymouth North, returned to Dedham, Mass., on Tuesday of last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Bartlett and baby daughter, Jessie Louise, are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Bartlett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Kilcup, in Kenville.
 Lloyd Grant, who was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Hunkinson, for the New Year week end, returned to his home in Barton on Tuesday of last week.
 Miss Rosalie Comeau, who has been spending her Christmas vacation in Brighton, Mass., returned on Friday to resume her position as teacher in Comeauville.
 Rev. L. W. Mosher, rector of the Anglican churches of this place, who has been spending the Christmas holidays with friends here and at his home in Dartmouth, returned to the United States on Friday to resume his studies at Yale University. He was accompanied as far as Yarmouth by Miss Katharine Blackadar.

RIVERDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cosman spent a day last week with their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Smith, and Mr. Smith, in Harlem.
 Miss Dorothy Sabine, has returned to Saint John after spending the holidays at her home here.
 Herbert Cossaboom and George Cosman, of Danvers, spent Sunday with friends here.
 Miss Edith Cosman spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Smith, in Harlem.
 A "sing" was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daley Wagner on Sunday evening.
 Miss Melba Outhouse has returned after spending the holidays at her home in Tiverton.
 A number of the young folks enjoyed good skating on the lakes last week.

Middleton Entertains Red Ravens and Wins 5 to 3.

The Digby Ravens made their first appearance at Middleton Wednesday night in a regular league fixture, and suffered their second defeat by the Middleton bunch, by a score of 5-3. Doucet opened the scoring for Middleton after about two minutes of play. E. R. Miles made it two up when he poked the disc behind Elbridge who had no chance to save. This ended the scoring in the first period which was very fast, with the play pretty evenly divided.
 In the second period Digby pressed hard to even the count and C. Walker scored twice to tie the count. This period produced some fast skating and clever stick handling by both teams.
 The third period started very fast with both teams fighting hard to break the tie. Capt. E. R. Miles, of the Maple Leafs, who played one of the best games of his career, scored his second goal of the evening followed by goals by Foster and Smith, while one tally was made for Digby by Hyson. The Digby team was composed of all the players who for a number of years have been runners up for the N. S. title. Both goal tenders were in good form and made a number of spectacular saves. Foster, Smith and Miles were outstanding for Middleton, while C. Walker, Hyson and Daley starred for the Ravens. H. G. Goucher handled the same in a very creditable manner. About 350 fans witnessed the game.
 In all nine periods the game was refereed by Goucher, five to Digby and four to Middleton.
 Digby—Goal, Elbridge; defence, Raymond, Hayden; forwards, Hyson, C. Walker, Daley, Smith, Winchester, E. Walker, Wilson; sub goal, Dunn.
 Middleton—Goal, Marshall; defence, Bartheaux, R. Shaffner, forwards, Hills, G. Shaffner, Doucet, Miles, Smith, Foster; sub goal, Stalling.

Obituary

Mrs. Cynthia Morehouse

(Published by Request)

On New Year's day, while visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chesteron Davies, Clarence, Annapolis County, Mrs. Cynthia Morehouse, widow of the late Lorenzo Morehouse, of Little River, died suddenly of heart failure. Sixty-five years of age she had spent many of those years in loving service to her family, and in ministering to the sick. Although afflicted with heart disease for the past several years, her cheerful disposition never failed her, and her life is a lesson in smiling perseverance. At the end of a happy day, she was taken gently and without suffering from this life that she loved so well, and her remains were taken to her home in Little River, where on Thursday of last week, she was laid away, her pastor, Rev. C. L. Chute, officiating at the service. She was a valued member of the Ladies' Aid Society and the Philanthropic Class, where her presence will be greatly missed. She has left a grief-stricken family to mourn the loss of one whose place cannot possibly be filled. Her son, Gordon, resides in Centerville, and the daughters are Mrs. Austin Denton, Mrs. Hugh Denton, Mrs. William Frost and Mrs. Rupert Trask, all of Little River; and Mrs. Davies, of Clarence; besides a large number of grandchildren. Her husband predeceased her by five years.

Fold up the tent! the sun is in the west.
 Tomorrow my untended soul will roam
 Among the best,
 And I am well content,
 For what is left, is left,
 And God knows best.

Fold up the tent! Its tenant would be gone.
 To father skies than mortal eyes
 May look upon.
 Above the mountain's crest,
 I hear a clear voice calling, calling clear—
 To rest! To rest!
 And I am glad to go.
 For the sweet oil is low.
 And rest is best.

Thomas H. Perry

Thomas H. Perry, formerly of Freeport, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frederick C. Rodgers, at Edgartown, Mass., Sunday, December 31st, 1933. Mr. Perry was 76 years old and had been ill about a year. He had made his home in Edgartown about five years. He was born in Freeport and was a fisherman by vocation for many years, fishing from many Nova Scotia ports in his long career. After giving up the fishing industry he was employed in factories in Freeport, Yarmouth and other places, until advancing age made retirement compulsory. He married Miss Ida Prince, of Freeport, about fifty-two years ago, making his home in that town until the death of his wife. Two daughters were born of this union, Mrs. F. E. Rodgers and Mrs. Lyman Grant, formerly of Yarmouth, both now residing in Edgartown. He is also survived by seven grandchildren, two great grandchildren and other relatives in Nova Scotia and the United States. Mr. Perry was a member of the Freeport United Baptist church. Funeral services were held January 1st, 1934, at the Freeport Baptist church, Rev. Harry Butman officiating. Interment was in the West Side Cemetery, in Edgartown.

Mrs. Norman Potter

There passed away on Friday last, in Bridgetown, Mrs. Norman Potter, after a long illness. She was forty-nine years old and was a daughter of the late Charles and Eliza (Hicks) Potter. She leaves to mourn her husband, mother, two sisters and two brothers: Mr. Corey Henshaw, Deep Brook; Lotie Potter, in the West; Gilbert Potter, Deep Brook; and Herbert Potter, at home. The funeral was held at Clementsvalle, on Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. P. C. Burnett, of the United Baptist church. Interment was in the Clementsvalle cemetery.

Mrs. Mary DeLong

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary DeLong, was held at Clementsvalle, on Saturday, with interment in the Clementsvalle cemetery, conducted by Rev. P. C. Burnett. Mrs. DeLong was formerly a resident of Bear River.

Thaddeus F. Sanford

There passed away at his home in Torbrook, Saturday evening, December 16th, Thaddeus F. Sanford, in the 71st year of his age. He was born in Bear River East, where he lived until about ten years ago. He suffered a shock three years ago, and never fully recovered his strength. He bore his sufferings with great patience, and always had a pleasant smile and a warm welcome for his friends. He longed to go home and be with Jesus, whom he had learned to love. He leaves to mourn their loss a wife and two sons, Kenneth, of Bear River East, and Aubrey, at home, who tenderly cared for him in his declining years; and two daughters, Mrs. Lovett Harris, of Brighton, Mass. The funeral service was held on Wednesday, at the Baptist Church, in Torbrook, conducted by Rev. L. B. Wright. Burial was at Torbrook Mines cemetery. "Abide With Me," and "Rock of Ages" were sung, and a solo, "In the Upper Gar-

den" was beautifully rendered by Frank Martyn, of Nictaux Falls. The flowers were many and lovely and testified to the esteem in which he was held.

Maurice McCullough

On December 24th the eldest resident of Tidville, Maurice McCullough, passed peacefully away, at the age of 83 years. He had been confined to his bed for nearly a year from the effects of a fall sustained on New Year's day, 1932. He had been postmaster of Tidville for thirty years. He leaves to mourn, one son, Harold, and one daughter, Mrs. Howard Frost; and seven grandchildren. His wife predeceased him by two years. He was a member of the Christian church, at Tidville. Interment took place at Little River, with Rev. C. L. Chute, of the Little River United Baptist church, officiating.

James Eldridge

Another familiar figure of the Bay of Fundy coast, and a coast pilot of more than usual ability passed recently in the death at East Ferry, of James Eldridge, a former resident of Beaver River. The deceased, who was at one time pilot of the City of Saint John, has been living in East Ferry for several years. His body, as fitting one who followed the sea, made its last voyage by water, being taken to Beaver River by motor boat. The deceased is survived by his wife, formerly Mrs. Chloe Stanton, of East Ferry, and his step-mother, Mrs. J. Eldridge, of Pleasant Lake, Yarmouth Co. as well as two half-sisters. Interment was in Beaver River, Rev. Mr. Friend, of that village, officiating.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT AT TIVERTON

A Sunday School concert was held in the United Baptist church, under the direction of the teachers, the Misses Eva Blackford and Ena Outhouse. The programme was as follows:
 Opening Chorus—"Christmas Time"
 Scripture Reading—Luke 2:8-30, followed by the Lord's Prayer, in unison.
 Hymn by the Choir—"Joy to the World."
 Recitation—"A Christmas Wish."
 Melbourne Outhouse.
 Christmas Exercise—Ten Girls.
 Recitation—"Empty Stockings"—Anabel Elliott.
 Song—"Santa is Coming"—Three Boys.
 Recitation—"Last Instructions"—Ken Pyne.
 Star Drill.
 Reading—"Magic for Red Riding Hood"—Elaine Small.
 Dialogue—"Christmas Sunday on the Farm"—Alberta Outhouse, Reta Howard, Mildred Elliott, Eve Howard and Mrs. J. Murray Small.
 Christmas Stockings—Fourteen Boys Play—"Spirit of Christmas".
 Duet—"No Room in the Inn"—Mrs. Arthur Powell and Mrs. Roy Small.
 Recitation—"Family Troubles"—Elaine Outhouse.
 Solo—"Away in a Manger"—Elaine Small.
 Pantomime—"Santa's Mistake"—Leola Guier.
 Duet—Marie Small and Lydia Outhouse.
 Farewell Exercise.
 Farewell Song.
 At the close of the programme Santa distributed 92 bags of candy to all the children of the community and also many gifts.
 Many thanks are extended to the choir for their assistance in the musical part of the programme, and also to the "Busy Helpers' Class" who helped to make the concert a success.

Classified Advertisements

CARD OF THANKS—To all whose gifts helped to brighten the Christmas season; to all who gave assistance by friendly calls to all who gave assistance in more tangible ways during the illness and death of our husband and father, we express our sincere thanks and appreciation. Signed, Mrs. Simondson Outhouse and family, Tiverton. 24 lip

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank for the kindness, help and sympathy shown us in our sad bereavement by our friends and neighbors in this community, also the friends and neighbors of Mrs. C. W. Davies, of Bridgetown and Clarence West, and our pastor, Rev. C. L. Chute, for the helpful prayers at our home and service in the church; the Aid Society and Philanthropic Class for lovely wreath, and friends who sent flowers.—The family of the late Mrs. Cynthia J. Morehouse. 24 lip

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CLEMENTSVALE

Miss Hazel McConnell has returned to Sydney, after spending a week here visiting Mrs. N. D. Sanford. Miss Alice Marshall, of Belleisle, was a week end guest of Mrs. Leslie Baird.
 Miss Hazel Potter returned to Perotte on Saturday after spending her vacation at home.
 School re-opened here on Monday, after the Christmas holidays.
 Mrs. Murray Harris and family returned to Bear River on Sunday.
 Mrs. Ira Dukeshire entertained the Baptist Sewing Circle on Thursday evening.

On Sunday evening, instead of the usual preaching service in the United Baptist church, the pastor held a Song Service. A number of old familiar hymns were sung and the pastor called attention to the writer of each one, and told the life story of the writer. It was an interesting service.
 Mrs. Milner, of Bear River East, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright.
 Donald Baird spent a day last week in Belleisle.

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Curtain Scrim, yd., 17c.
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 Hard Mixed, lb., 18c.
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 Mixed Nuts, lb., 15c.
 Grapes, lb., 20c.
 Celery and Lettuce.

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LOWER GRANVILLE

Mrs. John Armstrong, of Liverpool, was called here recently by the illness of her father, Fred W. Thorne.
 Fred Shaffner returned on Friday from a short visit to friends in Massachusetts.
 The teacher, Miss MacDonald, returned from spending her Christmas vacation with her parents in Scotsburn, Pictou County, and re-opened school on Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bath, of Toronto University, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Wheelock.
 Marjorie Johnson has returned to her school in North Williamstown, after spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Johnson.
 The many friends of Mrs. Arch. Coad were sorry to learn that she had to return to the hospital for further treatment.
 Miss Dorothy Smith has returned from a visit to Halifax.

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Woman Has Serious Accident At Barton Found by Neighbor

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Parker Lambertson, while out walking and pulling her little daughter, Marion, on a sled, fell on the ice, breaking two bones in one of her ankles. The accident occurred near her home and some time later she was discovered by Mrs. Mossman, a neighbor, who was passing by, pausing to attempt to crawl home. Mrs. Mossman assisted her as much as possible, and then hastened to summon Dr. Harris, the local physician. Owing to the prevalence of chieftain pox, Phyllis, her older daughter, was at home, and was quickly sent to find her father, who was in the woods at the time. Much sympathy is being expressed for Mrs. Lambertson, for she is an active worker in the community, in club and church circles.

HOLY TRINITY PARISH NOTES

The annual meeting of parishioners was held in the Parish Hall on Monday last. Reports presented were very satisfactory.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Wardens—R. H. Lockward and J. W. Merkel.

Vestry—T. E. G. Lynch, A. D. Daley, Fritz Dakin, Alfred Boden, Geo. Cardozo, F. C. Purdy, James Casswell, Garfield Hayden, Dr. E. DuVernet and G. V. Turnbull.

Vestry Clerk—Fritz Dakin. Cemetery Commission Clerk—S. A. Keen.

Auditors—Dr. E. DuVernet and Alfred Boden.

This afternoon at 3.30 o'clock lantern slides will be shown in the Parish Hall. No charge for admission—all welcome.

The services on Sunday will be as follows:

8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion.

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.

3.00 p.m.—Service at Marshalltown.

7.00 p.m.—Evangelism and Sermon.

Wednesday next—7.30 p.m.—Evangelism and Address.

Friday next—3.30 p.m.—Lantern slides.

CORRECTION

A mistake was made in a paid local inserted last week. This local was to the effect that the V. O. N. will hold an Afternoon Tea and Entertainment at the home of Mrs. D. Smith, on Saturday afternoon, January 20th. Price 20 cents. This should have read at the residence of Mrs. H. L. Smith, Sydney Street. V. O. N. trust that this will be well patronized tomorrow afternoon.

V. C. Bower, editor of the Yarmouth Herald and Telegram, was a visitor to Digby during the week. Mr. Bower was accompanied by Hugh Allan, of Yarmouth.

MATHESON CASE PUTS DIGBY IN LIMELIGHT

Digby got its name on the front pages of many New England and Nova Scotia papers this week on account of the Yankee bombster arising out of new clues in the seven-year-old Matheson-murder mystery. About midnight, Monday, the ocean tug, Foremost 42, Captain Rush, arrived here with Captain Stephen Matheson of the Boston criminal investigation bureau, and Detective Inspector Robert McGrouth, of Boston, accompanied by a small army of reporters and photographers.

The reporters and newspaper men arrived in Saint John from Bangor on Tuesday morning, and then came too late to catch the steamer to Digby, and on account of the urgent business chartered the tug to bring them across the Bay of Fundy. They spent most of Tuesday morning in the Waverly Hotel and departed on the afternoon train for Barrington, via Yarmouth, two and a half hours after the Princess Helene arrived at Digby on her regular Tuesday trip.

One of our Halifax papers states that the detectives interviewed parties at North Hants and Seabrook Falls, "on the western coast of Nova Scotia." Perhaps they did; if so, we give them a lot of credit for accomplishing the unaccomplishable. How, with roads in the condition they are in today, to visit these settlements by car team and get back in time to take the afternoon train is a remarkable feat, especially when the Courier was in conversation with some of these gentlemen as late as 11 o'clock, Tuesday morning, at the Waverly Hotel.

Comments in some of the Boston papers are amusing. One of them says the people of Digby are greatly interested in the Matheson case because the girl came from this locality. Maybelle Matheson was a native of Little Narrows, near Whycocomagh, Capt. Breton, about half as far again as the distance from Digby to Boston, but, nevertheless, in Nova Scotia. Another says that the detectives came by way of Digby because that was the shortest route to Barrington. By waiting another day and travelling by way of Yarmouth, they could have been in Barrington 24 hours sooner than by taking the route they did.

The secrecy surrounding the case is amazing. News of the detectives and their grand was broadcast on the radio thirty-six hours before they arrived in Digby; Boston and Halifax newspapers interviewed the man whom they were seeking forty-eight hours before the sleuths arrived in town.

Maybelle Matheson, a nineteen-year-old girl, was murdered at West Roxbury seven years ago this month. Recent developments connect Elton Scott, of Barrington, with the crime. A hit man Scott was employed as a time-keeper in an establishment near where Miss Matheson worked, and close to where her body was found. In newspaper interviews Scott says he can furnish an alibi for the night in question. Some mystery? Where were you seven years ago?

W. J. O'Rourke, of Halifax, was in town this week on official business in connection with the C. N. Telegrams.

Miss Nina Budd left for Boston, on Tuesday last week, to resume her position with C. F. Compton & Co.

Municipal Tax Rate of 3.60 Remains Unchanged

The Digby Municipal Council concluded their annual session on Saturday last, setting the tax rate for 1934, at 3.60, plus 40 cents highway tax. The rate is the same as the 1933 rate. Estimated expenditure for the year was placed at \$40,506.81.

On Thursday last the Council passed a resolution authorizing the borrowing of \$2,000 to cover capital expenses incurred during 1933.

A resolution was also passed to the effect that the 10 per cent salary cut made at the January session last year, be continued.

H. J. Campbell, superintendent of the Digby County Power Board, reported that operations during the past year had been confined chiefly to keeping the line in good condition as economically as possible. Throughout the year a number of new customers had been added and more energy used. However, due to the decrease in rates the revenue had shown a decrease, but the board was able to show a small operating surplus.

He also stated that the new rates saved the consumers approximately \$3,000 during the year. The town of Digby and the Municipality of Barrington showed a decrease in the number of h.c. hours used, while the Village of Weymouth and the Municipality of Digby showed an increase.

The council made grants of \$300 to the Digby Children's Aid Society and \$150 to the Digby General Hospital. Among the appointments made at this session were the following: Solicitor, Harold A. Nichols; Digby; jail physician, Dr. W. C. Harris; Barton; alms house physician, Dr. H. J. Melanson; Weymouth; jailor of court house and court constable, David Hazelton; Digby; court clerk, James Robbins; Rossburg; board of revision and appeal, H. P. Bowers, Westport; G. O. Hankinson, Weymouth; and H. P. Bowers, Digby. H. A. Nichols was named to collect taxes outstanding.

A committee from the Council has given the Council to understand that the minutes of this session will be published in full in our next edition.

School Club Notes

Making a Portfolio

In the Junior Red Cross at North Range they are completing a Red Cross portfolio to send to a school in Australia. At Christmas they made cards and wrote letters to the patients in the Children's Hospital in England. The portfolio, and health committees are appointed to meet on Monday, January 22nd, at 7.30 p.m. Maude Andrews is the reporter.

An Omission

When the Exhibition Prize list was revised we forgot to make a class for Book Club. Copies of "Annie's Digby Junior Club News". Please prepare your exhibit in this class, as you did last year, and when the printed Prize List comes off in the Spring it will contain the correction. Hunt up your book copies, mostly school news, now, and plan a cover for them. You can add other copies as you receive them.

Band of Hope

From the Granville Centre teacher we have the name of the secretary of their Band of Hope. It is Jacques O'Leary. We would like to have a secretary's report of the activities of this club.

Had Christmas Concerts.

At Bear River East they had a concert on December 18th, and made \$60.00 proceeds, which they used to buy an organ for the school. Ola Sanford is the reporter.

The pupils at Deep Brook held their concert on the 21st. They made \$12.75 and plan to spend some of this money for library books. One of the boys is making a picture frame for the school. When the pupils came back after the Christmas holiday they found the school had been cleaned, the floors oiled and new borders on the boards. This of course was pleasing to everyone. Exhibition work and a Current Events contest are other activities mentioned in their report, which was sent by Doris Comeau.

School Fairs.

Rural School Fairs Prize Lists for 1934 are out. If you are in a fair and have not received your copy, write to Mr. Collins, Lawrencetown. Digby pupils will write to Mr. Raymond LeBlanc, Metehan River.

Notice

Club secretaries should never mail reports as open letters. When you do so I have to pay double the amount of insufficient postage.

R. H. Lockward made a trip to Halifax on Friday.

Local and Personal

Capt. B. N. Melanson, of Gilbert's Cove, was a visitor to town during the week.

Miss Louise Daley and Mrs. Victor MacNeill are patients in the Digby General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Riordan, who have been visiting in Port Wake, have returned to Digby.

The W. B. Club will come on Monday on Friday, the 26th, in the Court House.

All Felt Hats selling at \$1.00, at Miss Chisholm's.

Through an error in the report of last week's Telephone Bridge, the name of Mrs. Mary VanTassell and Mrs. Walter VanTassell were included in the list those who entertained. Instead, the list should have read: "Mrs. Ernest VanTassell, Queen Street," who was one of the hostesses.

Mrs. William Cream returned on Wednesday night of last week from Yarmouth, where she had been attending the regular meeting of the Eastern Chapter of the Eastern Star. At that meeting she was presented with a star and a banner, and that town, she was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edy Wetmore, of Brunswick Street.

The Courier has been advised that the following slate has been consented to allow their names to be placed on the nomination papers for the coming bye election: For mayor, R. W. Holdsworth; for councillor, G. M. Morrell, Kingsley Collins and Churchill Sallows. We are also advised that a paper is being circulated asking that A. A. Shortliffe offer for the mayoralty.

WANTED—More men to join the Beginners Band starting right away. Director Yates wants a man with musical inclinations to help playing one of the big basses, and others to learn clarinet, cornet, or alto. About ten beginners, already recruited, are waiting for someone to take the band horn, and the Director would be glad to learn of a likely candidate. Membership in the Junior Band costs \$2 and the Music Council furnishes everything except solo instruments.

Golden Wedding Celebration Unique Feature of Church Service

A unique part of the watch night service held at the First Baptist church, in Compton, California, on New Year's eve, was the celebration of the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Marshall, 25 West Cocoa Street. (A brother of V. C. Marshall, of Marshalltown, Digby County.) It was at 9 o'clock in the evening, fifty years ago New Year's eve, in the city of Telluride, Colorado, that Mr. and Mrs. Marshall were married, and at the same hour on New Year's eve just past, the couple were re-united in marriage by Dr. Floy T. Barkman, minister of the church. Preceding the ceremony, Dr. Williams played several pipe organ numbers, after which Earl Palmer sang "I Love You Truly" by Carrie Jacobs Bond. As the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march were heard, the bride party entered the sanctuary. Little Dolly Bedford, grand-niece of the bride, was flower girl and led the procession. She was followed by Mrs. Theodore Bedford, Mrs. Marshall's niece, and Mrs. Harry Craig, who acted as bridesmaids. Mrs. Marshall was given in marriage by her nephew, Theodore Bedford, of Los Angeles, while Harry Craig, of Compton, a friend of many years, served as best man. Following the impressive ceremony the bride couple received the congratulations of their friends, and which refreshments were served in the social hour.

A beautiful wedding cake, with miniature bride and groom upon it, was baked for the occasion by Mrs. Bedford. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall are prominent members of the First Baptist church, of Compton, and have many friends extend heartfelt wishes for many more years of happiness.

In a letter to his brother, in Marshalltown, Mr. Marshall, who, he says, will be better remembered by his friends, Mrs. Marshall, in his initials, states that Mrs. Marshall wore the same veil and orange blossoms that she wore as a bride fifty years ago.

BAD WEATHER INTERFERES WITH FISHING

Due to unfavorable weather conditions there has been little or no change for the better in the fishing industry of Digby county. Lobstermen have met with severe losses in gear and catches; in one instance two Gulliver's Cove fishermen received 300 lbs. of lobsters worth \$80.00, but were forced to throw them away because their lobsters were "chilled" by the cold weather. In the same community shore fishermen have had little or no opportunity to fish for more than a month. They made sets on December 8th and 9th, and since then they have been able to attend their traps more frequently.

In some communities in the county, particularly on the Islands, the situation has been somewhat relieved by the shipments of dry fish to Gloucester and Boston during the past few months, hundreds of thousands of pounds having been shipped.

Digby Board of Trade Elects Officers at Meeting

At their annual meeting held in the town hall on Tuesday evening the Digby Board of Trade elected D. W. R. Dickie as president for 1934. Dr. Dickie succeeded A. J. Dillon. Other officers elected were as follows: Vice-President—E. C. Sallows. Secretary-Treasurer—E. J. Theriault.

At their annual meeting held in the town hall on Tuesday evening the Digby Board of Trade elected D. W. R. Dickie as president for 1934. Dr. Dickie succeeded A. J. Dillon. Other officers elected were as follows: Vice-President—E. C. Sallows. Secretary-Treasurer—E. J. Theriault.

At this meeting a motion was passed to alter the date of the quarterly meetings of the second Tuesday instead of the first Monday of the month of September, be extended.

It was also unanimously agreed that an invitation to the Maritime Board of Trade to hold their annual convention in Digby, during the month of September, be extended.

On motion it was decided that the next quarterly meeting of the Board be in the nature of a banquet, and that George E. Graham, of Kentville, be invited to speak on that occasion. P. W. Holdsworth spoke, urging the Board pay more attention to the educational facilities in the town, emphasizing the present over-crowded condition in the Digby school.

He also gave a very forceful talk on the necessity of some form of hard-surfaced highways, and made the statement that the Province of Nova Scotia should call a halt on tourist advertising until the present condition of the highways was remedied. "Dust, he said, is driving tourists from our province. Mr. Holdsworth felt that some sort of the hard-surfacing of the roads would be made this year.

In explaining how hard surfaced roads could be financed he suggested that first, a lower tax be placed on pleasure cars; (the government has already announced their intention of doing this); second, that the tax on motor vehicles be lowered; and in all kinds of weather, and doing more damage in one wet day than the average pleasure driver would do in the whole season; be increased; and, thirdly, that the gasoline tax be increased.

In discussing this matter it was felt that as 80 per cent. of the tourists entering the province enter through the Yarmouth and Digby gateways, and that most of these use the Land of Enchantment road, the highway from Yarmouth to Bedford should be the first to receive attention in any hard-surfacing programme. A resolution to this effect will be drafted by a committee of the Board, and copies will be sent to every Board of Trade and every town and municipal council in the district between Yarmouth and Windsor for their endorsement, and that copies also be forwarded to the Minister of Highways.

In DuVernet's in a discussion that the Digby Board of Trade take some steps in urging the government to take over the clearing of snow from the highways. "Snow-blocked highways," he said, "have cost the merchants of Digby many thousands of dollars this season." The Board decided to forward a resolution endorsing the one passed by the Digby Municipal Council in this respect, and to forward copies to the local member and the Minister of Highways.

The committees appointed at last night's meeting were: Tourist and Publicity—J. W. Merkel, J. M. Wallis, T. E. G. Lynch. Entertainment—J. A. Faust, H. M. Warner, of Compton.

Transportation and Industrial—C. F. MacBride, H. T. Wane, T. E. G. Lynch, Dr. Turnbull. Civic Advisory—Fritz Dakin, S. A. Keen, H. M. Warner, J. W. Merkel.

CHILDREN'S AID

The children of the Children's Aid Society request your generous patronage at the Variety Entertainment to be held in the Bivou Theatre, Wednesday, January 24th.

Kind friends of the Aid are giving unsparingly of their talents and time to an amusing and enjoyable evening at popular prices. As this to make this a success and to promote the public it is sadly in need of funds with which to carry on its humane work, we therefore, the unfortunate children of this community.

It is earnestly hoped that everyone who possibly can will take this opportunity of assisting these who really give their services in this cause, and show their appreciation of the performance by their presence on Wednesday evening.

For further particulars see ad. on this page.

An Afternoon Tea, Pantry Sale and Interesting Concerts will be held for the benefit of the V. O. N. tomorrow at the home of Mrs. H. Smith, Mrs. Roy Sypher is convener. Price 25c.

HOSPITAL AID HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual business meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society was held at the Court House on Tuesday afternoon of this week. Reports of the officers and committees were listened to with interest, a very successful year's work having been accomplished. The Treasurer's statement showed the sum of \$1,124.53 to have been disbursed, with the sum of \$16.8 in cash on hand. A vote of thanks was presented to the retiring officers and responded to by Mrs. H. Anderson, who becomes Honorary President; the newly elected officers being as follows:

President—Mrs. J. W. Merkel. Secretary—Mrs. H. A. Nichols. Treasurer—Mrs. C. L. Bowley. Asst. Secy-Treas.—Miss Kathleen Graham.

A number of committees were appointed to carry on the work of the society, the convensors being as follows:

Supply Committee—Mrs. J. A. Faust. Buying Committee—Mrs. A. J. Dillon. Club Committee—Miss Isabelle Wene.

Calendar Committee—Mrs. H. F. Williams. Entertainment Committee—Mrs. G. V. Turnbull.

Complete reports of the activities of the Society will be published at an early date.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA—Digby Circuit

Rev. E. J. Forbes, Pastor

Sunday's services—Digby, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Bayview, 3 p.m. At the evening service pictures will be shown on "The United Church in Action." These will include the welcoming of immigrants by port chaplains; home missions among the French, Indians, Chinese and Japanese; Sunday Schools and Young People's Work; and the Educational Work of the Church. Thirty-five finely colored slides will be shown.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society will be held in the Court House, on Friday afternoon, January 26th at 3 o'clock p.m.—Lillian N. Nichols, Secretary.

And Another Severe Storm Sweeps This Part of Province

Digby is again snow-bound. Yesterday morning a small army of men were given employment moving snow from the railway yards and the town highways. Incidentally these men are being paid for their work, while in the country districts the law compels them to work for nothing.

The snow storm which struck here Wednesday night, was the worst of the season so far, and in all probability communication with Digby will be out of the question for some days. In that respect this winter has been the worst in years. Snow drifts ten feet in depth are not uncommon.

"President's Day" at the Kiwanis Club

R. L. Schaffner was made a member of the Digby Kiwanis Club, at their regular luncheon on Monday. Mr. Schaffner is the first member to be added this year. Monday was observed as "President's Day," and President Lockward outlined to the various committees what they would be expected to do during the coming year. At this luncheon the Kiwanians present expressed their views as to changing the day of luncheon from Monday to Tuesday and it was decided to make the change.

United Church Brotherhood Holds Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting and supper of the Grace United Church Brotherhood was held in the church hall, Wednesday night, and considering the weather conditions at that time, was well attended. The programme started off with a scotch chowder supper. Several audial notices, in which Miss Frances Appleby, Mrs. Frank Hayden, Mrs. Hazel Appleby, Jabez Appleby and Harry Bean assisted, followed, and after this came a short story-telling contest in which quite a number of the members took part. It was decided that the laymen of the church would take charge of a service some time early in February.

Charles Eldridge, of Yarmouth, was a visitor to Digby this week.

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Wool work Socks, 19, 25, 28, 38 and 45c
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Mens' wool Gloves, 49c
Ribbed and plain worsted Socks 35c
Heavy fleeced Combinations, Mens' \$1.59
Shirts and Drawers 65c
Lined Leather Mittens, Mens' 45c
Bath Towels, Special 20c
Silk and Wool Hose 39c
\$1.10 Silk and Wopli Hose for Full fashioned pure silk Hose 65c
Heavy Army flannel Shirts \$1.10

WRIGHT'S

JOGGIN BRIDGE

Mrs. James Winchester is much improved in health since her recent illness.

Lie. W. H. Turner, of Wollville, and Deacon A. D. Sullivan, visited Rev. C. L. Snow on Saturday. Mr. Snow is still confined to his home by illness.

Councillor William C. Woodman attended the council meetings in Digby last week.

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Motors, Heating Appliances and Radios Repaired.

WEYMOUTH and Vicinity

Gordon L. Cahn, of Yarmouth, was in town on business last week.

Darrell Cheney, of Little River, was in town on business on Saturday.

St. Thomas' Guild met at the home of Mrs. F. W. Journeay, on Thursday.

Harley Desautel, of Marlette, was in town on business on Wednesday last.

James Donald, of the Hudson Bay Company, was in town on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. R. B. Powell was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Blackadar on Friday.

C. D. Greene, of Annapolis Royal, former jeweller in this place, was in town on Friday.

We are very glad to welcome G. R. T. Back to our columns, after an absence of some time.

A. L. MacKenzie, representing G. E. Barbour & Co., was in town on business on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Susie Cunningham, of Annapolis Royal, arrived on Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. H. W. Taylor.

A number of the younger folk enjoyed skating on the river above the traffic bridge, for a few days last week.

Miss Stella Sabine and friend, Prescott Hawkins, of Yarmouth County, recently visited her mother, Mrs. Martha Sabine.

Miss Katharine Blackadar was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Powell, of Weymouth North, on Tuesday of last week.

Friends of Mrs. Walter Goodwin, of Dorchester, Mass., formerly of Weymouth, will regret to learn that she is quite seriously ill.

J. C. Trask, of Little River, was a dinner guest at the home of Capt. and Mrs. H. B. Fitzgerald, at Weymouth North, on Saturday.

Miss L. Louis entertained at a delightful bridge on Saturday evening, the January 6th. Winners of the first prizes were: Mrs. Elderkin and W. R. Harris; and the consolation went to Ephraim Gates.

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Fred Naus, of Yarmouth, was in town on business last week.

Capt. R. D. Barkhouse, chief officer of the government cruiser Scutiger, who has been home on leave, has returned to Halifax.

Mrs. Albert Grant, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Cook, at Easton, has returned to her home at Weymouth North.

Councillors E. P. Hankinson and H. B. Fitzgerald were in Digby last week, attending the annual January meeting of the municipal council.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mullen and son, Willis, and Miss Sarah Hankinson, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Sweeney, one evening recently.

Mrs. E. A. Ferguson, Mrs. F. H. Lent, and the Misses Ruth and Catherine Goodwin, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harris one day recently.

Stafford and Fred Killam, who have been spending the Christmas vacation with relatives in the United States, returned home on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Mabel Melanson and Mr. Melanson, who have been spending two weeks with relatives in the United States, returned home on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. H. B. Fitzgerald entertained a quilling party on Wednesday. Those present were Mrs. L. M. Allen, Mrs. G. L. Coggins, Mrs. Sadie Mullen and Mrs. A. L. Thurber.

Miss Anna Ruth Harris entertained some of her little friends—Masters Gerald Lent, Bobby and Stuart Ferguson—at a delightful birthday party on the 6th, it being the occasion of her second birthday anniversary.

Randolph Payson was a guest of Mrs. Eva Wendell, at Barton, on Sunday.

Mrs. Delphis Saulnier, of Melaghan Station, was in town on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Ruth Blackadar, Yarmouth, has been visiting her cousin, Miss Adele Blackadar.

Mrs. A. C. Smith, of Saint John, spent a couple of days last week with her brother, C. C. Nicholl, and Mrs. Nicholl.

Thomas White, of Weston, Mass., was a visitor at the Gazette office, on Monday. He arrived last Friday and is visiting his friends at his former home in Ashmore.

Mr. Condon, of Great Village, representing the Watkins Company, arrived in town last week and is making his headquarters here while working this territory.

Miss Marion Melanson, who has been spending several months with relatives in the United States, returned home on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Augusta Brittain, R. N., has been called home from the United States, by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Silas Faxon. She accompanied home by her son Richard, who has been spending the Christmas vacation with her.

Belmont Nickerson, who conducts a trucking business between Yarmouth and the South Shore, narrowly escaped death at Eelbrook on Tuesday afternoon of last week, when his truck skidded on the icy highway as he turned out to allow a second truck to pass. He turned completely about and crashed through the heavy railing of the Eelbrook bridge, over the Tusket River. Only a stone which saved a tragedy as the front wheels were hanging over the rushing waters, with the rear end of the truck caught on the stone abutment; some twenty feet of the rail was completely wrecked and the iron supports bent.

CONCESSION

Agnes LeBlanc, who is employed in Halifax, is home visiting her mother, Mrs. Martin LeBlanc.

Janie Amore, Desmetville, is the guest of Emile Comeau and Charlotte Comeau.

Mrs. Isaac LeBlanc entertained a group of friends at a whist party on Tuesday evening. First prize was won by Mrs. Joseph Gaudet, and the consolation by Josephine Comeau.

Mrs. Simon Theriault, Briar Lake, is spending a week here, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samie Comeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Nadeau, Bessville, Grossex Coques, were in this place on Sunday, visiting friends.

METEGHAN STATION

Mrs. Delphis Saulnier spent Tuesday in Weymouth.

Miss Frances Gaudet, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Boudreau, at Cones, on, has returned home.

R. J. Comeau, of Little Brook, was a recent business visitor here.

Mrs. Freddie Sabagh and daughter, Lorraine, have arrived from Detroit, Michigan, to spend the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Boudreau.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moulaison, of Cape St. Mary, visited Mr. and Mrs. Valerie T. Deveau, on Saturday.

Emile G. Boudreau, Mr. Patrick Boudreau spent the week end at Herby, the guests of their uncle Nicholas C. Boudreau.

BELLIVEAU COVE

Miss Rose Belliveau, of Church Point, was a visitor here this week, the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. P. Theriault.

Ulysse Belliveau attended the meeting of agents for the Sun Life Insurance, in Halifax, recently.

E. O. Theriault, was the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Theriault.

Willie Belliveau, of the staff of the college at Church Point, and young son, were visitors here on Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Belliveau was a visitor to Weymouth on Wednesday.

SMITH'S COVE

The Smith's Cove Rangers were defeated by Digby in the Victoria Rink, in that town, on Wednesday night last, by a score of 5-1. J. Nichols, H. Webber and R. Holdsworth scored for Digby, while A. Adams scored for the Rangers' lone goal.

Digby-Goal, "Bub" Mount; defence, G. Morehouse, R. Holdsworth; forwards, J. Nichols, H. Webber, C. Cowan.

Smith's Cove-Goal, C. Brinton; defence, A. Payson, R. Turnbull; forwards, B. McHugh, A. Adams, W. MacGregor, R. Smith, C. Woodman, A. Comeau.

Referee—"Duke" Cossaboom.

The January meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Austin, on Wednesday afternoon last. Regular routine business was transacted, and several special matters dealt with. A Publicity Committee was appointed.

Miss Cecelia Thomas gave a reading on Institute work.

At the close of the meeting the hosts, assisted by Mrs. Mark Longworth, served refreshments.

The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Edward Payson, with Mrs. George Weir as hostess. The roll call subject, "St. Valentine's."

Dr. C. B. Brown, of the Department of Immigration and Quarantine, Ottawa, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Morgan one day last week.

W. B. Snow and nephew, William Snow, spent the week end in Kingston.

Mr. Pierson, of Greenwich, Kings County, is a guest of his daughter, Mrs. B. L. Merry, and Mr. Merry.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wightman and son, Warren, arrived last week from Amos, Quebec, and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wightman.

John Smith left recently for Truro, where he will spend the winter.

Mrs. Minard Weir is, we are glad to report, much improved in health.

Mrs. William Cossaboom is spending a short time with her nieces, the Misses Woodman.

C. B. Wetmore was an over-night guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Weir last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Beals of Berwick, spent Sunday with Mrs. Beals' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Weir.

W. H. Turner was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Sullivan.

William Berry, A. Hubley, Paul Morgan, and Jack MacDonald, who are employed by the C. P. R. doing track work, spent Sunday at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Titus and family are occupying the house owned by Mrs. A. Beale.

Miss Kaye McHugh returned from

Digby on Friday, after spending a few days visiting friends.

CENTRAL GROVE

Mrs. Reedall Titus and two children are visiting relatives in Tiverton this week.

The W. M. A. S. met at the home of Mrs. C. F. Delaney on Wednesday afternoon.

The young people held a pie social in the hall Friday night. Proceeds for church purposes.

A number from here attended the dance in Tiverton Saturday night.

Arthur Titus and E. Titus, of Westport, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Johnson.

Miss Myrna Finigan, of Freeport, spent a few days last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Powell.

Miss Lily Small spent Sunday with friends in Tiverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Shurtleff, son, Ivay, and Rupert Cann, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Tibert, Saturday night.

Mrs. James Rosencrantz, of Waldeck, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Albert Grant, and Mr. Grant, at Weymouth North, on Friday and Saturday while en route to Easton to visit her mother, Mrs. Margaret Brooks, who is seriously ill.

When She Lost 28 lbs.

She Gained Energy

This young woman's method of reducing overweight is evidently as beneficial as it is effective, and a letter she writes is therefore worth publication.

"I am 24 years of age, height 5 ft. 5 1/2 ins., and a short time ago my weight was 28 lbs. above normal. I was listless and without energy. Now after taking Kruschen, I am regularly I have lost 28 lbs. in weight, and have much more vitality. Also I do not have face blemishes of any kind. Surely this must be due to my having pure blood, and I attribute the fact to my taking Kruschen Salts."—(Miss) M. S.

Kruschen combats the cause of fat by assisting the internal organs to throw off each day those waste products and poisons which would otherwise be converted by the body's chemistry into fatty tissue.

Paul Stethin is one of the new members who recently joined the Yarmouth Kiwanis Club.

Miss Ruberta Rand, of Weymouth North, spent last week in Weymouth.

4-DAYS' SALE-4

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, MONDAY

January 18, 19, 20, 22

Four days of real values given to the public of Digby. Come early as some of these specials are limited.

Grocery Specials

Onions	9 lbs., 25c.
Dates, New Pack	4 lbs., 25c.
Prunes, New Pack	3 lbs., 25c.
Sugar, White	10 lbs., 75c.
Roller Oats	6 lbs., 25c.
Jams, 40-oz. Jars	32c.
Lane's Pork and Beans, per can	12c.
Ingersoll Cream Cheese, pkg.	10c.
Bacon Squares, lb.	16c.
Baking Powder, 1-lb. tin	23c.
Mixed Cookies, Jam Filled	2 lbs., 25c.
Chocolate Coated Marshmallow Cookies, lb.	15c.

Strictly fresh Eggs, 38c. doz.
Choice Dairy Butter, 2 lbs. 48c

Chinaware Specials

Plain White Soup Plates	8 for 15c.
Plain White Cup and Saucer	2 for 15c.
Plain Glass Tumblers	2 for 15c.
Fancy Decorated Berry Sets	35c.

Hardware Specials

Wet Mops, long handles	20c. to 40c.
Galvanized Water Pails, each	25c.
Granite Wash Basins, each	25c.
Granite Pie Plates, each	10c.
Mer d Your Own Shoes So-Lo Mending	35c.
Rubber Soles, with Cement, pair	25c.
Sheff Oil Cloth, yard	15c.

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Review Favorable Year For Royal Bank of Canada

STRONG POSITION MAINTAINED

Sir Herbert Holt, President, Takes Strong View That Canada Is Now Definitely On the Upgrade

Morris W. Wilson, Vice-President and General Manager, Reviews Strong Statement

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Royal Bank of Canada marked the close of a most successful year.

Sir Herbert Holt, President, in his address, stressed an optimistic note. When he stated that he considered that Canada was now definitely on the upgrade, its progress, however, was being retarded by too heavy taxation and the cost of maintaining so many Governments in the country was rapidly becoming unbearable.

Morris W. Wilson, Vice-President and General Manager, in his address, reviewed the outstanding features of the strong statement of the Bank. The feature of paramount importance in connection with the possible formation of a Central Bank, added Mr. Wilson, would be the quality of its management.

President's Address

Sir Herbert S. Holt, President, in moving the adoption of the Directors' Report, said in part:

"The 64th Annual Report and Balance Sheet submitted to you today disclose the strong position of the bank. While the Balance Sheet figures are somewhat smaller than those of a year ago, this reflects a falling off in international deposits rather than contraction of Canadian business. In fact, a notable feature is an increase in Canadian Demand and Savings deposits during the year. The liquid position is eminently satisfactory. As you would expect, the restricted demand for commercial loans, and the resultant increase in our holdings of less remunerative assets in the form of Dominion and Provincial Government securities, has combined with other factors to reduce profits. In April last, the dividend was reduced from 10 per cent. to 8 per cent. and the last three quarterly dividends have been paid at that rate. The improvement which has taken place in business during the last six months, has already had a beneficial effect on earnings."

Referring to the situation in Canada, the President said: "I am glad to say that since we last met there has been a distinct improvement in Canadian business. I have had the opportunity to visit various parts of the country and to observe the recovery from depression on various occasions during the last six months and the present movement appears to be taking place along the accustomed lines. As soon as world trade commences to revive there is an important opportunity for Canadian raw materials. Canadian exports increase substantially surplus inventories disappear and greater activity in the principal exporting industries provides additional employment with a consequent improvement in purchasing power and domestic trade. This has been the sequence of events in Canada during the last six months."

The Railway Situation

Dealing with the situation of the Government railways, Sir Herbert expressed the opinion that the time for half measures had passed and that bold and courageous action was required. He felt that the views expressed at the last Annual Meeting that enforced co-operation between the two railway systems could not be satisfactory. The Government had been confirmed by the experience of the past year and is still of the opinion that the maximum of economy can only be obtained by some form of administrative amalgamation.

The President made a strong demand for reduction of governmental debts and pointed out that the cost of maintaining the numerous governments, Federal, Provincial and Municipal, was becoming unbearable. He said: "Greater activity in business will reduce unemployment, produce increased revenues, and a reduction in disbursements for public relief. Advantage should be taken of these developments to reduce debts rather than increase expenditures."

Conditions in Other Countries

In referring to conditions in other countries he expressed the view that the low point in the depression for most of the world was reached in the latter part of 1933 and since that time there has been a general increase in international trade. Reference to the United States was made as follows: "While business in the United States is commencing to improve, about the middle of 1933 it later suffered a relapse due to their banking difficulties and the hesitation and uncertainty which preceded a change of administration. Since last March

in conclusion Mr. Wilson said: "At our last Annual Meeting I ventured to suggest that the prospect of further improvement in the coming year was very much more hopeful than it was the previous year. That prediction has been borne out by subsequent developments. For the first time in years an attitude of quiet but confident optimism is in evidence among business men. The country still has to be reassured but I have full confidence in the ability of Canada to share in the continued improvement in economic conditions which I believe lies ahead of us."

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quite material progress has been made. It is difficult to analyze the effects of their policies and impossible to prophesy the outcome. Their central idea that an increase in the price level must be obtained is sound common sense and is now quite generally accepted as such throughout the world. At our Annual Meeting the last three years we have emphasized and re-emphasized the necessity for a higher price level. I see no reason why it cannot be achieved in due course."

In closing Sir Herbert Holt said: "At our last Annual Meeting I expressed the feeling that indications pointed to the attainment of a substantial recovery in 1934. This year it is possible to go one step further and to venture the opinion that we are now definitely on the up-grade. If we deal intelligently with the main problems that confront us we can expect with reasonable time a return of general prosperity."

General Manager's Address

Mr. W. Wilson, Vice-President and General Manager, in referring to the position of the bank pointed out that liquid assets totalled \$362,471,000, and were equal to 55.76 per cent. of the total assets of \$649,000,000 of the previous year. A notable feature is that 24.26 per cent. of such liabilities is represented by cash and cash balances aggregating \$157,699,000. He mentioned the further interesting fact that in Canada current deposits have increased by \$17,000,000 during the year and savings deposits were higher by \$2,000,000.

In discussing the proposed central bank he recalled the hope which he expressed at the last Annual Meeting that the Government would be fit to have the project examined by a body of experts. The Royal Commission on Banking and Currency which was constituted last summer could not have been better chosen. On the Chairmanship of Lord Macmillan their sittings in all parts of the country were notable for freedom of view, with the possibility of evidence was received and the patience and tact displayed in dealing with the material submitted. While I do not agree with the Report in its entirety I believe that a properly constituted Central Bank can be a most valuable and useful adjunct to our banking system."

Note Issue

Mr. Wilson expressed the strong opinion that the recommendations in the Report with respect to the gradual withdrawal of the note-issuing privileges of the Chartered Banks did not appear to be in the public interest. Retention of these privileges would not hamper the Central Bank in its efforts to control credit. In this connection he quoted an editorial which appeared in the London Standard, Dec. 10, 1933, to the effect that the Central Bank would not be in the least weakened by allowing the Chartered Banks to retain their present issues under the present restrictions. Mr. Wilson went on to say: "I think, therefore, that we should view the elimination of bank note issues not as a step which must inevitably accompany the creation of a central bank but as a separate matter entirely. The real question is whether the Government desire to have banking service maintained at a high standard throughout the country or to appropriate the revenue of note issues for themselves. I believe that the gain to the Government would not offset the loss to the public through curtailment of banking facilities. Unquestionably, there are many advantages in the former, and I believe that the Government should support a branch bank if note issuing privileges were to be withdrawn. The operation of a number of small branches at a bare margin of profit is characteristic of banking in this country. We have a system, which in many of its aspects is native to the Dominion and prudence should prompt us to be very cautious in advocating fundamental changes."

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Miss Agnes Cress, of Clementsvalle, spent a few days with Mrs. Charles Sullivan recently.

BUY NOVA SCOTIA PRODUCTS

Around Our Town

Mrs. Fader is on the sick list.

Harvey Chisholm left on Monday for Halifax.

Mrs. Rose Ford returned on Saturday from California.

Miss Ethel Curtis spent the past week in Annapolis Royal.

R. R. Baxter spent several days in Annapolis Royal recently.

Harry Lewis spent the week end at his home in Weymouth.

Mrs. C. L. Blanchard spent the past week in Annapolis Royal.

Dorothy Morgan left on Monday to resume her studies at Meteghan.

Chas. Combs left on Wednesday for Tupperville, where he is employed.

Miss Clara Sills of Windsor, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Clarke recently.

J. J. Wallis, of Dieby, was a guest at the Commercial House on Friday and Saturday last.

Mrs. Robar, of Bridgetown, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Combs.

B. Merry left on Tuesday for Maitland, owing to the serious illness of his father, Charles Merry.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. R. H. Purdy.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Baptist Church was entertained on Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. R. J. Anthony.

Miss Clara Bishop, who has been the guest of Mrs. Chute and Mrs. Crouse, left on Saturday for Lawrencetown.

Mrs. Sophia Marshall was called to Bear River on Monday owing to the death of her cousin, F. H. Parker. Mrs. Marshall is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Harris.

Mrs. L. H. Morse, of Digby, who has been spending the past month in Halifax, a guest of her son, Eric, and family, arrived in town on Thursday and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. R. Kinney, and Mr. Kinney.

The Ladies' Contract club was entertained on Wednesday of last week by Mrs. A. B. Campbell, and on Monday of this week by Mrs. L. J. Lovett.

J. H. Cunningham was one of the members of the lumbering industry convention, recently held in Halifax, returning from that city on Saturday.

Mrs. H. Cunningham and Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre were joint hostesses at a "tea" on Wednesday afternoon, at which a number of out-of-town guests were present.

The annual meeting of the Guild of St. John's Anglican church, was held at Mrs. L. V. Harris' home on Wednesday afternoon, the report of which will be published next week.

Mrs. H. Anthony entertained at Courtin' Breakfast on Thursday evening, last in honor of her guest, Madeleine Lepore, formerly of Switzerland, now of the staff of the Newherwood School, Rethby, N. B. Four tables were "triply" and honors went to Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre and Mrs. Clyde Brown. Mrs. Anthony and guest left next morning for Rethby.

WEEK OF PRAYER SERVICES

The Week of Prayer services by Bear River were unusually interesting and well attended.

On Monday evening, in the Adventist Christian Church, the Rev. A. A. MacLeod, Field Secretary of the Nova Scotia Society of Temperance, was the special speaker.

Tuesday evening's services in St. John's Anglican church were conducted by Lay Reader, L. V. Harris, Rev. C. L. Blanchard and Rev. S. Stevens.

On Wednesday, in the Baptist Church, was in charge of the young men, representatives of all the town churches and was an inspiring one.

On Thursday evening, in the United Church of Canada, Rev. Stanley Stevens made the main address, and the interesting singing Friday night, in the Baptist church, the young people of the various churches conducted in a most interesting manner.

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WOMEN'S INSTITUTE HOLDS MEETING

The adjourned January meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the Masonic Reading Room Thursday afternoon, the president, Mrs. L. J. Lovett, in the chair.

The meeting was wholly given over to important business and reports of committees.

The Benevolent Committee, Mrs. H. Kinney convener, reported a large number of boxes sent out at Christmas to needy families, containing clothing, groceries and Christmas goodies. Also that thirty-one children had received from the Institute Christmas stockings packed with toys, fruit and candy.

The Home and School Committee, Mrs. A. B. Campbell convener, reported that through December cotoba had been served to the pupils of the lower grades in Oakden Academy, as part of the Institute program of tea weeks serving of this nourishing drink through the winter months. A special committee was appointed to formulate plans for a public concert to secure funds for further home and school work.

Rev. A. A. MacLeod, superintendent of Sons of Temperance work in Nova Scotia, will be the guest speaker at the February meeting and a social cup of tea will be served by a committee of members.

HEALTH

A HEALTH SERVICE OF ASSOCIATION AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES

HAND TO MOUTH

Many disease germs may be described literally and accurately as living a hand-to-mouth existence. As far as we know, disease germs do not multiply in nature, outside of the human or animal body. They may persist for a time, but most of them die fairly soon because drying and light, particularly as produced by direct sunlight, destroy them. This means that disease germs, if they are to pass from person to person, must make the journey by a fairly direct route if they are not to perish on the way.

From a practical point of view, it is of great importance that we be able to recognize the routes taken by disease germs. Provided we know the routes, we may be able to erect barriers along the way and so stop the traffic completely. The less we may be able to do is to delay the traffic, and so increase the likelihood of the germs perishing before they reach their destination.

Secretions from the nose and throat reach the hands through the use of the handkerchief, or the use of hands of placing fingers in nose or on the lips or nose. Most of the communicable diseases which attack us are to be found in the upper part of the respiratory tract, and so the secretions of the mouth and nose frequently carry the germs of the common cold, influenza, pneumonia, and other communicable diseases.

Hands that are soiled by nose and mouth secretions transfer germs to objects which they touch, and if these objects are handled by another person, the germs are transferred to the hands of that second person, who may carry them to his mouth or nose. In this way the cycle is completed, and if this action takes place with sufficient rapidity, there is the real danger that living disease germs will spread.

Another practical danger is that hands soiled by secretions will touch food which is later taken into the mouth, without having been cooked and in this way are passed into the mouth of the food consumer, the secretions of the hands which may contain disease germs.

Knowing these routes, it is obvious that first of all, hands should be kept away from the face, and that the hands should be thoroughly washed before food is prepared or eaten. If these simple precautions are taken the hand-to-mouth transfer of disease germs will be prevented and a very real danger will be overcome.

Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. C. P. Henderson, Pastor

Regular Services—

Sunday Preaching, 10.30 a.m. and 7.40 p.m.

Church School, 11.30 a.m.

Prayer Meeting, Friday, 7.30 p.m.

ADVERTISE IN THE COURIER

OBITUARY

Mrs. Reed Morehouse

News has been received of the sudden death, on Thursday of last week, at North Tonawanda, New York, of Mrs. Reed Morehouse a former well known resident of Bear River, where she has relatives and many friends, whom she annually visited. The late Mrs. Morehouse, formerly Desire Liske, was born eighty-eight years ago, at Mill Village, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Liske, and was married to Capt. Reed Morehouse, of Bear River, coming here to reside after marriage, but moving to the United States with their family many years ago. Her husband dying there. She is survived by four children: Mrs. Frank Pearson, Arlington, Mass.; Mrs. B. McLeod, North Tonawanda, (at whose home she resided); Mrs. Harold Brunette, Kenmore, N. Y.; and one son, Harry W. Morehouse, of Boston, Mass.; one of the best known hotel men in the United States. There are also two sisters residing in Bear River, Mrs. Agnes Fader and Miss Agnes Liske.

Fulton H. Parker

The death of Fulton H. Parker, one of the leading citizens of Bear River, took place at his residence there, on Monday, after a short illness. The late Mr. Parker was born at New Brunswick, Annapolis County, 64 years ago, and was the son of the late Gulford and Ada Parker. He was a member of the Parker family so closely identified with the business, professional and agricultural interests of that county. From the days of its first Loyalist settler ancestor, when a young man he went to the United States, where he had a successful business career, from which he retired eight years ago, coming to Bear River and entering at once into the community life of the town, and was always ready to assist any charitable object, or any effort to advance the town's well being. He was secretary-treasurer of the Bear River Agricultural Society, and by his energetic work, did much to make the Digby County Agricultural exhibitions, during his regime, the great successes they were. He also took a deep interest in educational matters, and as secretary of trustees, was of great assistance to the management board of Oakden Academy. As a citizen, his friend he will be greatly missed and deeply mourned by those associated with him in public and private life. Mr. Parker was married twice, his first wife being Miss Alice M. Percy, of Dorchester, and his widow, Miss Alice O. Dugan, of Boston. The latter and a niece in Western Canada are the only immediate surviving members of his family. The largely attended funeral service was held on Wednesday afternoon, and was conducted by Rev. C. L. Blanchard, of the United Church of Canada, and Rev. A. W. L. Smith, rector of St. John's Anglican church. The burial service, a Masonic one, was under the auspices of The Keith Lodge, No. 16, of Annapolis, A. M., of which the late Mr. Parker was an active member. The pall bearers were J. L. Warren, E. H. Harris, Fred R. Harris, J. MacKenna, C. E. Clarke, and B. Alcorn, business associates and personal friends of the deceased, and interment was in the family lot in Mt. Hope cemetery.

NEW TUSKET

Garnetta Mullin spent the week end with Mrs. Harry Ford.

Winifred McLean left on Saturday for Kingston, Ontario, to attend the training camp there.

Lucy Halliday spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sabean.

Mildred McCullough spent the week end at her home here.

The Women's Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Chas. Hudson on Thursday afternoon last.

HARLEM

Miss Ruth Aldie, of Weymouth Mills, spent Wednesday of last week with Miss Margaret Boudreau.

Charles and Albert Thibault and Melvin Saulnier spent Sunday with her former sister, Mrs. John Boudreau.

Dennis Boudreau and Everett Boudreau, who are employed in the woods, spent Sunday at their homes here.

Miss Bertha Mullen spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Stephen Ford, Hasset's.

Miss Margaret and Evelyn Boudreau visited friends in Ashluore recently.

The Misses Emma Gaudet and Beulah Ford of Hasset's, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mullen.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Mrs. Harry E. Harris

Mrs. C. D. Rice

Mrs. L. J. Lovett

Mrs. E. F. Harrison spent Friday night and Saturday, in Digby, and was registered at the Waverly.

BORN

Dugas—At Harlem, Digby County, January 1, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Carman Dugas, a son.

MEN'S PROGRESSIVE BIBLE CLASS HOLDS MEETING

The Men's Progressive Bible Class met on Monday evening, January 15, at the home of Boyd L. Rice, with a goodly number present.

This being the annual meeting new officers were appointed as follows—President—Carroll Sackell. Vice-President—Boyd L. Rice. Secretary—Stanley Sullivan. Treasurer—J. L. Warren.

A very instructive program was presented by the Literary committee, followed by a spirited discussion. Next month's subject for discussion will be "The movement for the Sterilization of the Unfit". Refreshments were served by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

PARISH OF ST. CLEMENT

Rev. R. Dean Smith, Rector

Next Sunday will be the 3rd and last of the Sundays after the Epiphany. The services arranged, weather permitting, are: Bear River—10.30 a.m. Deep River—9.00 a.m. Clementsvalle—7.30 p.m. Next Thursday will be the Festival of the Conversion of St. Paul. The annual parish meeting has been postponed indefinitely, owing to weather conditions.

LEGION HOLDS MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Bear River branch of the Canadian Legion, was held in the room formerly known as the Tupper office, which has been completely re-modelled; dark, electric lights and heating arrangements installed, and will be used in the future for social assemblies and business purposes by the Legion, which now has a membership of thirty-eight.

In the absence of the president, Major A. Banks, Lieut. Vernon Harris presided.

Owing to bad road conditions there were very few out-of-town members present, and much important business was left over for discussion at the next meeting.

CHILD RESCUED FROM DROWNING

Friday, the sled on which Lewis, the young son of Reginald Rice was being pulled by older children, coasted into Rice's mill pond, at "Head of Tide".

Fortunately, the father of the child was cutting wood in the yard of his home, adjacent to the scene. He heard the screams of the frightened children, and plunging into the icy water at the outlet of the pond, where rescue would have been impossible.

The child suffered from cold and shock, but recovered under treatment.

WALDECK MAN INJURED

Ingram Henshaw, a young unmarried man residing with his widowed mother at Waldeck, three miles from Bear River, met with a serious accident on Friday last, while cutting firewood in his home yard, the axe swinging and completely severing two fingers of his left hand. Medical aid was secured as soon as possible, and Mr. Henshaw, though suffering from shock and loss of blood, is resting comfortably.

Ralph Haydon spent the past week in town.

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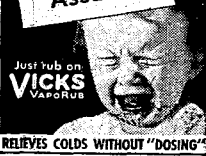
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REGULAR MEETING DATES

Children's Aid Society, 1st Friday of every month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
 Victorian Order of Nurses, 2nd Tuesday of each month, 3 o'clock, Court House.
 Hospital Board, 2nd Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Hospital.
 King Solomon Lodge, A. F. and A. M., 1st Tuesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
 St. George Lodge, I. O. O. F., every Friday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
 Zelman Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., 2nd and 4th Monday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
 Town Council, last Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
 Hospital Ladies' Aid, last Friday of each month, at the Court House.
 Fire Company, 1st Wednesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
 Digby Kiwanis Club—Luncheon on board S. S. Princess Helene, 12:30 noon, Mondays (unless special notice be given).

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Lesson Passage:—Matthew 4:12-23.

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Dear Lord, abide within my heart, And live with me today; Choose me as friend with all the rest, Who share Thy work and meet the test.

Of loyalty and love.

—Elizabeth McF. Shields

The Choice of Capernaum, 12-16

At the beginning of his public ministry, Jesus left Nazareth and went to dwell in Capernaum. He was so well known in Nazareth that his fellow villagers could not accept him as a religious teacher. Also in Northern Galilee there were many Gentiles who were little responsive than the Jews. In Capernaum Jesus was working in a seaport, in a large town on a great highway where there were many traders coming and going. The population was predominantly Jewish, with many of whom Jesus spoke as "the lost sheep of the house of Israel." Capernaum was the political centre of Galilee, but it may be that Jesus was influenced more by the fact that this town was the home of his friends, Peter and Andrew. When speakers present Jesus as a dreaming idealist, they

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In the Estate of William M. Cossaboom, late of Smith's Cove, in the County of Digby, Hotel Proprietor, Deceased.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION at the Court House, at Digby, on FRIDAY, the 26th day of JANUARY, A. D. 1934, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to a License to sell, granted by the Court of Probate, in and for the County of Digby, dated the 16th day of December, A. D. 1933.

ALL the estate, right, title, interest, claim and demand of the said William M. Cossaboom, deceased, at the time of his death, of, in, to or out of the following lots or pieces of land, situated, lying and being at Smith's Cove, in the County of Digby and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the North side of old Post Road, then running North eighteen degrees West to a stake; then East eighteen degrees North to a stake; then North eighteen degrees West to a stake and bounded so far by land owned by Estate of Bishop Jagger, then running North East bounded by land of H. S. Ford to shore of Annapolis Basin; then in a Southerly direction along shore of Annapolis Basin to a point adjoining land of Harry Smith; then in a South West direction bounded by lands of Harry Smith, Fred Smith and Cemetery, to a point on West Corner of Cemetery. Then running South; then East along Cemetery line to a point adjoining land of Fred Smith then South eighteen degrees East to a point on land of Bessie Sullivan; then West to a lane, so called; then South along lane, to Railroad; then West along Railroad to Old Post Road; then along North side of Old Post Road to point of beginning. Containing sixty acres more or less.

Subject, however, to a certain right of way to H. S. Ford as set out in a Deed from Thomas A. Jagger to William M. Cossaboom and registered at the Registry of Deeds of office at Weymouth in book 100, page 345, et seq. Subject also to several cabin site leases.

Reserving from the above described lot of land all the certain piece conveyed by the heirs of the said William M. Cossaboom to Gertrude H. Cossaboom, containing three-quarters of an acre more or less as well as right of way thereto, by Deed dated the 21st day of October, A. D. 1924, and recorded at the Registry of Deeds Office in Book 140, page 95.

Reserving also that certain piece of land conveyed by William M. Cossaboom and Clara B. Cossaboom to A. Harvey Weir and containing one acre more or less by Deed dated the 15th day of November, A. D. 1924, and recorded at the Registry of Deeds Office at Weymouth in Book 139, page 483.

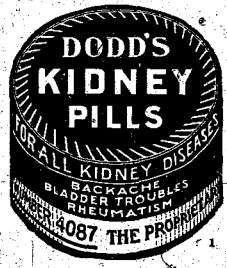
Together with the buildings, easements, tenements and appurtenances thereto.

Including hotel furnishings, furniture and equipment.

TERMS:—Ten per cent. deposit at the time of sale, remainder on delivery of Deed.

Dated at Digby, in the County of Digby, December 16th, A. D. 1933.

Clara B. Cossaboom, Executrix



should be reminded that Jesus showed practical wisdom in choosing Capernaum as a base of action. It was a place where he could reach many people, so Jesus "made his home" there. It was wise strategy in planning his program of teaching and healing.

Repentance, 17

In years of prosperity following the War, little was heard about repentance. A great British scientist said that people were no longer bothered about their sins. After several years of depression we have ceased this jauntiness. Men are very much troubled by their sins. Many are confessing their sins and seeking to make restitution for wrongs done. Collectively, the confession of sins is very common. Investigations into financial dealings have convicted firms of dishonesty and our generation stands convicted of gambling and greed. Someone is to blame for the present sorry plight of the world, and back of all economic causes lie moral faults. Repentance must precede restoration, not lip repentance but a repentance that affects itself in changed and reformed conduct. Jesus began his ministry by preaching repentance. He made no mistake. He knew where the root of the trouble lay and he spoke to the conscience and will. Repentance is not a pleasant process, but conviction of sin is the first step towards moral recovery.

Organization, 18-22

The falsehood of extremes is frequently seen in discussions about organization. Some put their whole trust in organization and think that if you have a manager with executive ability, success will result. They glorify card indexes, form letters and memorized sales talks. Critics of organization stress the personal element and expect a truth to spread by reason of its value. Wisdom is to be found by seeing the value in organization and also the dangers in it. Jesus deliberately organized his disciple group. He chose men who were interested and he trained them to become teachers. Jesus did not leave anything to chance but planned his ministry. True the organization was simple, but it was effective. The organization was never allowed to come between Christ and his purpose. The world in which we live is highly organized and we need constantly to keep in view the purposes of the organizations lest they lose their aim and soul in the carping for machinery.

Busy Days, 23, 24

How did Jesus spend his days? If we had been members of his disciple group, what would we have seen him do? A specimen day might include a visit to a synagogue, with a word of teaching, a somewhat informal sermon in a home, interviews with questioners and several acts of healing. When he stayed for a few days at one place crowds of sick people would gather around him. It was this kind of life that Jesus had deliberately chosen in his wilderness temptation in preference to soldiering, trading or politics. Doubtless some of his work was monotonous and some of his efforts brought little result. The parable of the sower shows that he was under no illusion as to the difficulties of teaching. Yet he was content to go on, day after day, doing this work because people were in need. His disciples were being shown to distressed people who had felt they were orphans in a careless universe. At the end of his ministry Jesus pledged his disciples to continue this same form of ministry.

Growing Fame, 25

In the best sense of the word Jesus was a sensational preacher. His gospel was news. It started people talking. The parables were so different from the dry commentaries of the scribes, that they were told and retold. Dramatic cases of healing caused the neighbors to talk. Even though there were on telephones, telegraphs, newspapers or radio broadcasts, the news about Jesus spread rapidly and over a large area. Great crowds followed him from both city and country. They were not disappointed. They saw dull minds quickened, bad men made good and cripples restored to activity. After a visit to a Galilean village Jesus and his disciples would be the subject of conversation for weeks. Wherever

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JARROW

(Capt. Alfred Hutchinson now in charge of the Anglican churches in Weymouth, wrote the following article about Jarro, his home town, in England, and we are sure our readers will enjoy it.—Ed. Courier.)

As one passes down the south bank of the River Tyne, the boundary between the counties of Northumberland and Durham (England), one gets a brief glimpse of a little ancient church surrounded by ruined walls. Very insignificant it looks when measured against the latest works of man on that busy river. Yet it has a claim to our attention that shall last as long as the English tongue is spoken for in this hallowed spot, laboured and died, one whom Bede styles "the father of English learning." Born in the year 673, Bede, (or as we now call him Bede with the prefix "the Venerable") was a student in an off-shoot at Jarro, of that great abbey reared at the mouth of the Wear by Benedictine monks and at the end of his most important work "The Ecclesiastical History of our Island and Nation" he has left us a brief sketch of his life: "Thus much of the Ecclesiastical History of Britain, and more especially of the English nation, as far as I could learn either from the writings of the ancients, or the tradition of our ancestors, or of my own knowledge, has, with the help of God, been digested by me, Bede, the servant of God, and priest of the monastery of the blessed apostles Peter and Paul, which is at Wearmouth and Jarro, who being born in the territory of the same monastery, was given, at seven years of age, to be educated by the most reverend Abbot Benedict, and afterwards by Ceolfrid; and spending all the remaining time of my life in that monastery I wholly applied myself to the study of the Scripture; and amid the observances of regular discipline, and the daily care of singing in the church, I always took a delight in learning, teaching and writing. In the nineteenth year of my age I received Deacon's orders; in the thirtieth, those of the Priesthood—from my age, I have made it my business, for the use of me and mine, to compile out of the works of the venerable Fathers, and so interpret and explain according to their meaning these following pieces, and a list of his writings follow. His industry alone was marvellous, since these include some forty treatises. Twenty-five are Biblical, mostly commentaries on the Old and New Testaments and the Apocrypha; lives of saints, martyrs, and the "Abbots of the Monastery," his famous Ecclesiastical History, a painstaking and trustworthy work, and treatises on "The Nature of Things"—astronomy, chronology, arithmetic, medicine, philosophy, grammar, rhetoric, poetry and music—attest his knowledge of the science and learning of his day. The influence of the most learned teacher at Jarro gradually extended over Western Europe and Northumbria for a time became its literary centre. That ancient kingdom had fallen from its military glory at the fatal battle of Nechtansmere, but its school, its libraries and its learning, chiefly represented by Bede, restored its lustre. At Jarro 600 monks, besides strangers from a distance, were in attendance on the learned priest, and Pope Sergius vainly tempted him to transfer his presence and counsel to Rome. His heart was English; "he loved the English tongue; he was skilled in English song; he was the first English historian. All that we really know says Macaulay, of the century and a half that follows the landing of Augustine we know from him—that he owed to no informant was his own exquisite faculty of story telling, and yet no story of his own is so touching as the story of his death. A long letter of his pupil, Cuthbert, has been preserved recording this event, which took place in 735. Two weeks before Easter the gentle old monk was seized with illness; "he suffered in his stomach and drew his breath with pains and sickness," he continued his work in translating the Gospel of St. John into the English tongue, in spite of sleepless nights and weary days. His cheerfulness and good humor never left him. His scholars wrote at his dictation and mingled their tears with his work. His sickness increased towards Ascension 1.c.e. and there came a day when he told the group around his couch, "Learn with what speed you may. I know not how long I may last." Day wore on to evening and a little scribe at the bedside said, "De profundis: there is only sentence untrite." "Why, it is quickly," answered Bede. "It is finished now," said the youth at last. "You speak truth, all is finished now," was the reply of the dying man. Then "placed upon the pavement," his head supported in his

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Ravens Lost Out In Two More Matches.

Bridgetown Hawks defeated the Digby Red Ravens at the regular fixture of the Central Valley League, by a 3-2 score. The ice was soft but the game was fast and played before five hundred fans. F. Melanson shot the only goal of the first period. Tyson tied in the second. Digby was tied in the third and Winchester shot a goal for the Ravens.

A fairly good crowd saw a fast and exciting game in the Victoria rink on Tuesday night, when the Ravens and Hawks played before five hundred fans. The Hawks, of Bridgetown, a new piece of combination work which led in the lead at once, after but a half a minute's play. Shortly after Wm. Walker scored the score with a very good shot. The Hawks then scored again. Wm. Walker again put the Hawks ahead in a play around the net, and the first period ended with the visitors leading 2-1.

"Buster" Walker scored after 30 seconds in the second period, evening the tally. LaFrance scored again for the visitors but play had hardly been resumed when Hyson scored for the Ravens. Shortly before the end of the period Melanson scored for the Hawks. This period which featured many good long shots by Wm. Walker, some nice poke-checking by Syd. Smith, and good team work on the part of the visitors, ended with the Hawks leading 4-3.

The last period passed with the visitors "ragging" the puck to kill time and hold their lead, and the Hawks again playing hard in a last endeavor to even the score. The only goal scored was by Melanson for the Hawks, shortly before the end, making the final score 5-3 in favor of the Hawks.

PORT WADE

The Women's Missionary Society met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Burke. Miss Mildred White, who is a waitress at the Grand Hotel, Yarmouth, is spending a month with relatives here.

Music lovers were given an unusual treat on Wednesday evening when some of the young people, with guitar, a violin and one harmonica, rendered in perfect harmony a pleasing selection of songs—old and new. There were also some vocal numbers. This musical was given at 7:30 p.m. in the social in church of the United Baptist church, at the home of James John, and was well patronized.

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Sing with all the sons of glory,
—Sing the resurrection song!
Death and sorrow, earth's dark story,
To the former days belong.

All around the storms are breaking.
—Soon the clouds of earth shall cease.

In God's kingdom man, awaking,
Comes to everlasting peace.

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CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Mrs. Lucy Caroline Woodworth wish to express their thanks to their many friends for the many kindnesses shown them during their recent bereavement.

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Between Ourselves

The annual meeting of the Digby Board of Trade is over, and with it the NEW committees re-elected, this body ought to show some life during 1934, for there is nothing like NEW BLOOD to give life to any organization. I wish the Board every success during the coming year, and must the members will give this support to the new, and very wisely chosen, officers. They will need no cooperation.

On Tuesday night the Board of Trade did discuss some very vital problems, and it is only to be hoped that their resolutions, especially in regard to the hard surfacing of our highways, will carry some weight when they are brought to the attention of our provincial government officials. As has already been stated, the present condition of our roads—especially the dirt menace—is costing this province the hundreds of thousands of dollars annually through the falling-off of our tourist traffic. And Digby, being the principal summer resort in Nova Scotia, feels this loss more than any other town in the province. It is in the interest of every Digby citizen to work for the surfacing of highways in the province and town.

I am also glad that the Board decided to extend an invitation to the Maritime Board of Trade, inviting them to hold their 1934 convention in our town. There is no person in the world who Digby should not become the convention centre of the Maritime Provinces—and one could, with very little thought, name a number of very important persons who would like to hold their convention here. Should the Digby Board of Trade's invitation to the Maritime Board be accepted, there is no doubt that the acceptance of the invitation by that body, would be a powerful, and I hope, lasting, stimulant to the Board of Trade.

Frankly, in spite of my remarks last week, I have a feeling in my bones (possibly my wishbone) that the Digby Board of Trade will show a marked progress during 1934. There are always important matters to be dealt with, and it is in the interest of the representative citizens of Digby who comprise the board, should take an interest; and if the Digby Board of Trade urges upon its membership the importance of attending all meetings they will find plenty to occupy themselves with. It is getting down to business, our Board of Trade will again become an active body, and an asset, instead of a farce, of an annual meeting and a banquet.

I am of the opinion that Digby is going to get (or has got) quite a bit of publicity in the Boston papers this week. I have it pretty strong that one Boston newspaper will tell the world that we are so snow-bound up this way that about the only mode of transportation is by means of ex-teams! Boston reporters and detectives have to have some reason to enter our accounts—including the cost of chartering an ex-team—in order that they may have five more hours to lounge around while waiting for trains which they could have caught by using the regular methods of transportation. But it was surely a wonderful example of Yankee bombast, wasn't it?

There are times when we think our own police and R. C. M. P. very inefficient, although, on the whole, they are a fine lot of men, but can anyone imagine them creating such a wailing, chasing sound with a army of reporters, the broadcasting of their moves over the radio, and the interviewing of their suspects by telephone by every newspaper in the country forty-eight hours before the detectives who chase the suspects and most expensive routine arrive at the destination? We can't—unless there was something more important in the wind—which might have been the case.

Ye Junior-Ed.

YOUNG PEOPLE ENJOY SOCIAL EVENING

On Friday evening, January 5th, about twenty-four of the young people of the Young People's Society, Sandy Cove, gathered at the parsonage to enjoy a social evening. Rev. and Mrs. Forsyth were to the occasion as host and hostess, and helped to make the evening enjoyable. Games of "endurance" and "intelligence" were played and the highest in points were: Mrs. William Croft, Mr. Percy Harris, Mrs. Joseph McWhorter, Mrs. R. W. Spry, and Kenneth Carter. The five-piece orchestra, the society favored the group with some songs. Refreshments were served, a committee in charge, and each left feeling they had spent a very enjoyable evening.

Dr. Acklin of Halifax was a visitor in town during the week.

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THURSDAY, Jan. 25
ROBERT MONTGOMERY
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Friday, Jan. 19,
Tonight

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League Game

Obituary

Mrs. Angeline Saunders

There passed on to her reward on Sunday, January 14th, at her home in Sandy Cove, Mrs. Angeline Saunders, aged 72 years. Mrs. Saunders has been in failing health for some time and her death was not unexpected. The funeral service was held on the afternoon of the 16th, and was conducted by Rev. W. H. Forsyth, of the United Church, of which she was a member, assisted by Rev. C. L. Chute, of the Baptist church. Mrs. Saunders' family to mourn their loss was, William, at home; two daughters, Mrs. Frank Morehouse, who tenderly cared for her mother during her last illness, and Mrs. William Lichtman, of Denon, Conn.

BARTON

Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell are spending a month in Ontario. At the request of Mr. Russell, who is president of the School and Community Club, the January meeting was devoted entirely to games and a social good time.

The young folks of Barton and Brighton held a party in Union Hall, on Friday last. Dr. and Mrs. Krausnick, Miss Brooks, Mrs. Wendell and Mrs. Parker Lambertson acted as chaperones. The evening was devoted entirely to dancing, and about thirty young people enjoyed this special function.

School attendance has been much reduced of late owing to an epidemic of chicken pox.

Rev. R. Payson, of Weymouth, was the guest of Mrs. Eva Wendells on Sunday.

HECTANOOGA

Rev. Father A. Maillet was unable to keep his regular appointments here for the celebration of High Mass and Vespers, on Sunday last, on account of the condition of the roads, following the storm of Saturday evening.

Henry Devere, Fred Deveau and Edith C. Deveau, who are employed in Mattamuskeet's mill, at Richfield, put in a week-end with their respective families.

Glennie & Son, during the week, shipped five cars of lumber to Halifax for the British market, and Mr. Deveau took care of the loaded lumber for the same market. The latter is a particularly fine grade of hardwood.

Miss Elsie Charles, student at the Sacred Heart Academy, Moncton, returned last week to resume her studies. She has spent her vacation with her father, Joseph Charles.

Don Glennie spent the week-end in Cornerbie, returning here on Monday. He is now stopping at Mrs. For LeBlanc's.

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Here and There With G. R. T.

New Year's Day in Pasadena, California—Well! California voted wet and that is what we have received. Water, and plenty of it! Starting Saturday afternoon and continuing all day Sunday, the last two days of 1933 and the first of 1934 have been raining wet. Over twelve inches of rain has fallen so far, for the storm, bringing the total rainfall for the season up to seventeen inches, against two and a half inches for the same period in 1932. Never in the 21 years that weather records have been kept in the Los Angeles office, has there been such a storm. On in the hillsides residential district of Glendale, a beautiful suburb of Los Angeles, between 700 and 800 houses are estimated to have been seriously damaged; hundreds of automobiles were tumbled into the swirling waters; and the old Los Angeles river, whose bed, ordinarily is as dry as the city sidewalks, is a raging torrent and running full from the San Gabriel river, near Mexico. Many bridges have been swept away, and the highways in many places are covered with mud, tying up automobile and railroad traffic in various districts. Twenty-three persons are reported dead from drowning and ten others killed in train accidents directly attributable to the storm.

But today is the day of days in Pasadena—the day of the annual rose carnival, officially known as the Tournament of Roses. Great parades are made for the year's show to have been the most beautiful in any of the forty-five years of similar carnivals. And hecically Pasadena went through with its great rose parade in spite of all that old Jupiter Pluvius had done, although laded out moisture in his belch upon the heads of some 200,000 spectators, who, with Spartan courage, had braved the elements and traffic dangers to witness the beautiful parade.

It is reported that last year more than 1,000,000 spectators witnessed the 44th annual rose parade, but that day was beautiful—warm and shiny.

The theme of this year's show was "Tales of the Seven Seas," with more than 75 floats, 22 bands, and approximately 2,000 musicians, drummers or taking part in the parade. It was probably the most beautiful array of floats that has ever been assembled in Pasadena or any other place. King Neptune and his beautiful shimmers (and slimmers) mermaids, put in a grand show, regardless of the efforts of the rag god to make it a washout.

The City of Long Beach, with a beautiful pastel shaded float depicting "Queen of the Beaches," won the grand sweepstakes prize. The Firestone Tire and Rubber Company won the grand theme prize, with its twenty-four floats. "The Fleet Admiral," both of the winning floats were done in delicate shades of pink, white and purple; both floats were covered with most beautiful roses and some of the trimmings were worked out in Chinese lily blossoms, and both pink and lavender were used in great quantities and with beautiful effect.

The city of Glendale, whose wonderful floats have won the main prizes in many former carnivals at Pasadena, suffered a sad disappointment today on account of the storm. Flooded highways delayed the arrival of Glendale's beautiful float portraying the Antarctic explorations of Admiral Byrd, and it was with great difficulty that the entry was finally delivered at Pasadena in time to bring up the rear of the parade. It was a beautiful thing and certainly deserved the special prize that the judges awarded.

Admiral Sims, of the U. S. Navy (retired), was grand marshal of the parade, "assisted" by twelve other admirals from the Pacific fleet, now in Los Angeles harbor.

The float carrying the Queen of the Seven Seas was a beautiful creation. The Queen, crowned in white satin, with a glittering crown, was sailing driving three huge glistening gold fish over a foamy sea of white and blue. The float was also decorated with white lilies stodd guard at her throne; the body of her chariot was made up of thousands of Talamas roses and maderian ferns.

And then came Columbus' historic ship, the "Santa Maria," with furred sails of white flowers, and with a hull of blue, pink and lavender sweet peas and moss of a delicate green.

The Los Angeles float, "The Sea Queen," was certainly a thing of beauty, but the big parade scene was Pasadena's own float, carrying 70,000 inhabitants, the sixty-eight being the millionaires still living there and the other seventy thousand made up of folks from Minnesota, Wisconsin and Iowa—not quite rich but more or less in the money. They are not prepared to say how many of them are paying taxes or incomes of \$5,000 per year, but there are at least 30,000 who travel back and forth to Los Angeles each day to work on the treadmills of commerce and estate offices, which would indicate that even if Pasadena has lost a lot of millionaires, the population of folks over there are fairly well fixed. Pasadena is also said to have some 100,000 Canadians residing within its city limits, and Canadians as a rule are never known to be without a

25 feet wide; the background and buildings of "Little America" was made of thousands of blossoms worked into dazzling effects of ice floes and snow banks of the polar regions. It was wonderful.

The little city of Popocatepetl had a wonderful float also; forty-two feet long, representing a replica of a Norse ship at anchor, at night. Here is what went into the construction of that ship: 17,850 yellow chrysanthemums, 7,500 blue cornflowers, 7,500 small lavender chrysanthemums, 4,400 pompons, 5,500 lavender asters, 250 bunches of Spanish fern, 4,400 bunches of heather, and 2,500 carnations.

Depicting "Treasure Island" in flowers Catalina Island, owned by Wrigley, the chewing gum magnate, had one of the most novel floats in the parade. It showed a huge treasure chest guarded by a floral of fish on each side, and a small ship in the background. The sandy beach upon which the chest lay was made of stelia, against which was thrown a floral rug made of 4,000 red roses. On the rug rested the treasure chest, made of bronze chrysanthemums, and a small boat of gold in yellow roses, and from a sea of blue flowers darted a gigantic swordfish driven by six beautiful mermaids—I am not sure whether they were chewing gum or not, but they were just chomping on the ends of their jaws. Being rather clad, I suspect the latter cause. However, it was a most gorgeous affair and it is said that more than 150,000 blossoms were used in creating this entry.

The Paramount Studios had one of the finest floats in the parade. It was the first time that a motion picture company had entered the parade in the annual classic. The float sailed forth with several of the studio's budding stars as sons and daughters of Neptune. An immense sea shell in the back with small sea shells floating in a blue ocean of larkspur petals, and a small boat of gold in sweet peas and calendulas were used on this entry. A number of girls—very wet, and looking as though they would have welcomed the loan of a suit of oilskins and a sou' wester—rode on this beautiful float.

I have not the space to tell you about the other seventy odd floats that followed in that grand procession—plate craft, British man-of-war, beautiful yachts, with every variety of flower grown in Southern gardens: roses, chrysanthemums, dahlias, daisies, gladioli, pansies, tablas, lilies, tulips, poppies, sweet peas, delphiniums, carnations, calendulas, evergreen ferns, heather and dozens of other flowers in colors of blue, pink, gold, and purple. A gorgeous sight—a sight to be remembered always. Don't miss the Tournament of Roses at Pasadena if you are in Southern California on New Year's day. It is a show to become greater and more beautiful each year! My first sight of this great New Year's show was away back in 1908. I thought it magnificent at that time. When all of the floats were drawn by grand draft horses with silver-mounted harnesses. But today the show moving along on motor-driven vehicles, has the old show beaten by 26 years of advancement in art, science and industry. But there were still some horses in the parade—about 300 beautiful saddle horses ridden by some of the old time members of the old Spanish-American riding clubs in costume of early days, giving a touch of color in keeping with the thrilling, romantic, historical and adventurous ideas carried out in today's programme.

In addition to being the day of the Tournament of Roses today is the 60th anniversary of the founding of the city of Pasadena. A very small community it was, sixty years ago, but the founders were evidently men of vision and they could not have picked a more beautiful location for a city if they had been offered a prize for the best location. Nestling against the tall Sierra Madre Mountains and sloping gradually and smoothly toward the Los Angeles Valley it was certainly an easy place on which to lay out a small city. It has long been called the crown of the southland, and for years it was the winter home of many of the nation's millionaires. Some of these millionaires still come to Pasadena for the winter but not in crowds, as in former years. Whether some of them have lost their millions or not is hard to say, but it is generally conceded by real estate men and others who ought to know, that Pasadena does not have as many millionaires as it used to have twenty-five years ago. Be that as it may, the 1930 census gave Pasadena a population of having 70,000 inhabitants, the sixty-eight being the millionaires still living there and the other seventy thousand made up of folks from Minnesota, Wisconsin and Iowa—not quite rich but more or less in the money. They are not prepared to say how many of them are paying taxes or incomes of \$5,000 per year, but there are at least 30,000 who travel back and forth to Los Angeles each day to work on the treadmills of commerce and estate offices, which would indicate that even if Pasadena has lost a lot of millionaires, the population of folks over there are fairly well fixed. Pasadena is also said to have some 100,000 Canadians residing within its city limits, and Canadians as a rule are never known to be without a

SHIPPING NOTES

The crude oil vessel Tagati, Capt. Thumber, arrived on Monday from Centerville with fish for the Maritime Fish Corporation.

The ocean tug, Foremost 43, Capt. Rush, arrived on Monday from Saint John with a cargo of Boston detectives and newspaper men, shipped in good order and condition. After discharging her cargo she cleared immediately to return.

Mrs. Alva Shortliffe arrived at Westport in ballast from Gloucester, Mass., on Monday.

The freighter Radig III, Capt. John Clifford, left Gloucester for Tiverton early this week, after discharging a cargo of salt fish at the Silverton branch of the Gorton-Pew Fisheries, in that city.

NORTH RANGE

Warden J. Vian Andrews spent a few days last week in Digby attending the annual session of the municipal council. Mr. Andrews has returned to Truro to resume his studies at the Provincial Normal College.

Alfred Bragg and friend, of Conyago, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bragg.

Mr. H. B. Short, M. P., leaves on Monday for Ottawa.

Y. P. S. meetings on Thursday and Friday evenings.

C. G. I. T. meetings on Saturday night at the home of Mrs. A. N. Elbridge, their leader. At this meeting they are having the Dedication ceremony and a number are invited to attend. Mrs. Elbridge has been leader of girls' work for the past ten years, and although she is not enjoying the best of health at present, she gives unsparingly of her time and efforts for the work of the church and Sunday School.

The annual congregational meeting will be held on Wednesday next, at 7:30 o'clock, p.m., in the United Church, at Sandy Cove. Every member and adherent is invited to attend.

The annual meeting of the V. O. N. will be held on the 23rd, at 8 o'clock, in the Court House.

FORMER DIGBY MAN HONORED BY SINGERS

Recently the combined choir of Trinity M. E. church, in Paterson, New Jersey, tendered a reception to J. Hallett Campbell, their leader, formerly of Digby, and a brother of J. A. Ward Campbell, Mrs. R. C. Snell and Miss Minnie Campbell. The gathering was held at the parsonage, under the direction of a committee guided by Mrs. Helen Renshaw Wilson and Miss Nellie Dalry.

After an evening spent in pleasant games, gifts were distributed from a hobbyist and Mr. Campbell was presented with a beautiful gift from the choir in appreciation of his personal friendship as well as recognition of his splendid work for the music department of the church. The pastor, the Rev. W. R. Nett, spoke of the value of Mr. Campbell's work for the church to which Mr. Campbell made suitable reply, thanking those present for their friendship for him.

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Rev. W. H. Forsyth, B.A., Pastor

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Who is Eligible For Nomination?

To the Editor of the Courier.

Sir—Will you kindly inform me as to the qualifications for the office of Councillor. In an argument recently I heard that to be eligible for nomination a man must be absolutely clear of debt to the town; the other side took the ground that the law only required that the taxes be paid; water and electric bills, and other bills of similar nature, did not figure in a man's qualifications.

Interested

When this question was first submitted to us two weeks ago, our first impulse was to answer it to the effect that a man must be clear of all indebtedness; then we remembered that about two years ago, in the case of an Eastern Nova Scotia town, where a man had been refused the nomination because he owed an electric light bill, the attorney general at that time ruled that the man was eligible, provided his taxes on real and personal estate and income had been paid within the statutory limit. But in order not to get in wrong, we submitted the question asked us to the attorney-general's department, in Halifax, and received the following reply:

Halifax, 12th January, 1934

James J. Wallis, Esq.,
Editor The Digby Weekly Courier,
Digby, Nova Scotia.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 11th instant to the Attorney-General, I beg to inform you that it is provided by Section 55 (2) (b) that no person shall be qualified to be elected Mayor or Councillor who has not fully paid his rates and taxes of all kinds for the previous year at least ten days before the day for nominating candidates. I am of the opinion that the rates and taxes referred to do not include all indebtedness to the town, but only include rates and taxes that can properly be described as such. Bills for electric light service or for water rates would not be taxes unless the ratepayers were compelled to pay whether or not they desired the services. The question was before the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in City of Halifax vs. Nova Scotia Car Works Limited, 1924 Appeal Cases, page 992, and in the case their Lordships said at page 998—

"All rates and taxes are supposed to be expended for the benefit of those who pay them, and some really are so, but the

APPROVES HOLDSWORTH'S STAND

The following is taken from a letter recently received from one of our New Hampshire subscribers: "I just have to have the Courier. Am very much interested in Mayor Holdsworth's remarks regarding us, as we have had the pleasure during the past four summers of spending from six weeks to three months in Nova Scotia, and get quite a laugh out of watching the man with the tractor scrape sand in the roads and the cars beating him to it both ways in throwing it out again. Hope something can be done about tarria for the roads, as the drive from Digby to Deep Brook and down the back way is certainly a lovely drive at twilight, and we love it best of all the drives in the province."

NEW MILL FOR DIGBY

The MacMillan Lumber Company, of Halifax, commenced this week to erect a mill on the site of Floyd Snow's warehouses, at the Racquette, which were destroyed by fire two or three years ago. It is understood that the mill will be electrically operated, and that the wood-cutting plant of Amos Hill, of Weymouth North, will be removed to Digby, and set up in this new mill. Sowing operations will commence shortly, and already timber is being cut by local farmers to supply this new enterprise.

Mrs. J. W. Marshall, of Halifax, is spending the winter with Mrs. George Dunn, "Elm Cottage," at the Racquette.

Jeffrey Dillon, student at Acadia University, Wolfville, spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dillon.

"Essence of taxation is that it is imposed by superior authority without the taxpayer's consent, except in so far as representative government operates by the consent of the governed. Compulsion is an essential feature of the charge in question. The respondents might have drained their factory for themselves; they might think that it needed no drainage; they might object to the municipal scheme as defective; but the city sewers would be laid and the respondents would have to pay, just the same. There is not enough here to differentiate this charge from taxation."

Yours truly,
Fred T. Mathers
Deputy Attorney General

Thirteenth Annual Meeting Victorian Order Nurses Held

The thirteenth annual meeting of the Digby Branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses was held at the Court House, Digby, on Tuesday evening, with the president, Rev. F. E. Bishop, in the chair. Considering the weather the meeting was well attended.

Mrs. C. E. Walker, secretary, read the minutes of the last annual meeting, and the secretary's report for 1933, which reviewed the work done during the year.

The report of the Treasurer, S. S. Aymer, was splendid. Receipts for the year were \$2,566.45; expenditures, \$1,577.29; cash in bank at the end of the year, \$1,134.35.

The report of Mrs. Sturgeon, V. O. Nurse, was most enlightening. During the year she had attended 1,059 nursing visits, and with non-nursing instructive visits in connection with school, child welfare work, etc., had made a grand total of 2,237 visits during 1933. She reported an increase of 83 nursing visits over 1932, while the total number of visits made in 1932 were 2,254.

Her report also included an interesting account of the visit of their excellencies, Earl and Countess Bessborough, on July 6th, when a baby clinic was held at their special request. This clinic was the first of their excellencies' had attended. During the year 37 baby clinics were held with a total attendance of 268; 2,068 individual inspections of school children were made by the nurse; 599 minor treatments given to pupils; 30 pupils referred to their family physician, and 21 to the health officer.

Officers elected for 1934 were as follows:

Honorary President—Mrs. George Turnbull.
President—Rev. F. E. Bishop.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. R. H. Lockwood.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. G. V. Turnbull.
Secretary—Mrs. C. E. Walker.
Treasurer—Mrs. T. E. G. Lynch.
Executive Committee—Mrs. S. J. Abbott, Mrs. (Dr.) Morse, Mrs. G. M. Morrell, Mrs. H. Anderson, Mrs. G. W. Connell, Mrs. W. J. MacMahon, Mrs. W. Vauzelle, Mrs. E. W. Forbes, Mrs. Howard Smith, Mrs. J. W. Merkel, Mrs. F. W. Holdsworth, Mrs. Louise Diller, Miss K. Graham, Mrs. Roy Sypher, Mrs. Fritz Dakin, Mrs. H. T. Warner, Mrs. F. K. Hayden, Mrs. H. J. Campbell.

The first three mentioned will constitute the Supply Committee.
Rev. F. E. Bishop, Mr. Edwards were appointed delegates to the V. O. N. Council at Ottawa; T. E. G. Lynch and Mr. Boden, auditors.
At this meeting a new set of by-laws was adopted by the Digby branch; the report of the supply committee read, and brief speeches lauding the work of the Order in Digby by T. E. G. Lynch, P. W. Holdsworth, Rev. A. G. Gabriel, F. C. Purdy and G. H. Peters.

COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF TRADE

Tourist and Publicity—P. W. Holdsworth, J. M. Wallis, James W. Merkel.
Entertainment—J. A. Faust, H. M. Warner, Dr. J. R. McCleave.
Transportation and Industrial—C. F. McBride, H. T. Warner, E. W. Anderson, T. E. G. Lynch, Dr. G. V. Turnbull.
Civic Advisory—Fritz Dakin, S. A. Keen, Dr. E. DuVernet.
Membership—P. W. Holdsworth, R. H. Lockwood, H. M. Warner, J. W. Merkel.

CLEMENTSVALE UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. C. Burnett, Pastor

The services on Sunday will be as follows:—Sunday School, at 10.00 o'clock. The increased attendance is noted with gratitude.
Public Worship at 11.00 o'clock. Prerequisite, at 3.00 o'clock, and at Virginia at 7.30 in the evening. Come and Worship!

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. F. W. Forbes, Pastor

The services on Sunday are as follows:—Digby, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Smith's Cove, 3 p.m. In the evening the second set of slides on "The United Church in Action," will be shown, with forty pictures of missionary work in Africa, Japan, South and West China, Korea, India and Trinidad. Do not miss seeing these slides and hearing about the work abroad.

The classes in the Sunday School have been again increasing, and an attendance last Sunday of 118.

Miss Marion Abbott, of Bridgetown, was a recent guest of Miss Marion Roop. Miss Abbott has since left for Montreal.

Local and Personal

Alfred O'Neill has entered Camp Hill Hospital at Halifax, for treatment.

Don't fail to see Wednesday night's hockey match between the ladies and the business men of the town. Admission 25 cents. Skating after the same.

The auxiliary vessel Radio III, Capt. John Clifford, arrived from Gloucester this week, in ballast.

A. F. Comeau, of Weymouth, was in town this week investigating the applications for Old Age pensions.

The V. O. N. Bridge will be held in the Court House on February 13th.

The Nova Scotia Farmers' Association is now meeting in Halifax. Harvey Chisholm, of Bear River, is presiding.

Elizabeth MacGregor, who has been visiting in Boston for the past month, is expected to return home today.

Next Friday evening—a supper in the United Church hall, benefit of the High School. Supper 25 cents. Don't forget it!

Mr. W. H. Haynes has been visiting for the past two weeks in Deep Brook, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Silver.

Old Straw Hats blocked and remodelled for Spring. Bring them early. Ruby's Husbands.

We have the name of a name for the contraption that brought Lloyd Sanford, of Bear River, to Digby yesterday, but whatever it was it seemed to be getting over the roads in pretty good shape when we saw it. It was shaped like a conventional sedan, but with dual wheels on the rear; the rubbers were taken off the front wheels and six fastened on the wheels, of course, being made stationary.

Miss Gertrude Oliver has moved her lending library to the "Little Shop Around the Corner," formerly occupied by Mr. May. She will have a showing of Millinery later. Watch for her ad.

"The Tiny Tattler," Canada's smallest newspaper, published at Central, in the county, has been admitted to the mails as second class matter, by authority of the Postmaster General.

The Tattler now has the same privileges as its larger contemporaries, which includes free postage to any address within forty miles of the office of publication, and a low bulk rate for the rest of Canada. Editor Shortliffe writes us that the circulation is constantly growing. It can be found on file in the Senate and Commons reading rooms in Ottawa, both of those departments of the government being subscribers.

Dr. H. W. Kirkpatrick, of Halifax, will be at his office, Middleton, for treatment of diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, on Tuesday, February 6th, and Wednesday, February 7th, until noon. Classes fitted.

VICTORIA BEACH

Chicken pox is prevalent in this vicinity.

Miss Marion Taylor is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Raymond, Digby. Mrs. Herbert Ring is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Littlewood, Coast Island.

A "slug" was held at Mr. Charles Haynes' on Sunday evening last. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Riddan, of Digby, spent the week end as guests at Fandy View House.

Our entire line of Lamps is discounted 20 per cent. for this week. Connell's Cash Store, Digby.

CULLODEN

Miss Florence Griffin has returned to resume her studies in the Sacred Heart Academy, at Monaghan.

Miss Geneva Frost is visiting relatives and friends in Yarmouth.

Gerald Handsaker, who is working in the woods in Acadia, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Handsaker.

Miss Grace Handsaker, of Mt. Pleasant, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Handsaker on Sunday.

Milton Bain, of Mt. Pleasant, spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Sadie Stark.

For these long winter evenings we suggest a Jig-Saw Puzzle from Connell's Puzzle Library at 5 cents per day. New subjects added daily.

CORRERIE

Edward Blinn, Martin and Gerard Lombard, who are working with Glenn & Son, Richmond, spent the week end at their respective homes.

Simon, Eli, Leo and Alex. Melanson are all on the sick list.

Cous. C. S. Melanson, who attended the annual meeting of the Municipal Council at Little Brook, has returned home.

James Melanson was the guest of Basile Robichaud one day recently. Mrs. Eliza Melanson held a quilting bee on Thursday last.

Veronique, visited Miss Certe Blinn recently.

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Farm Hand Hangs Self in Barn of Clarence Thomas

A coroner's jury at North Range, presided over by Dr. W. G. Harris, of Boston, inquiring into the strange suicide on Saturday, of John Wilson, 44 year old farm hand, brought in a verdict, "that John Wilson, of North Range, took his life while temporarily insane by placing a rope about his neck, and hanging himself in the barn of Clarence Thomas, North Range."

Only two witnesses, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, were heard at the inquest. The case is one of the strangest in the history of Digby County, and gained international prominence within a few minutes after the details of the tragedy became known, because of its seeming connection with the seven-year-old Matheson slaying which has been investigated in this province. Boston and Halifax newspapers kept the telegraph and telephone wires hot asking for particulars.

Wilson, who claimed his birthplace to be in Scotland, came to North Range as a hobo, some time in 1922, and was given a home and employment on the Thomas farm. Since the re-opening of the Matheson case a little more than a week ago, and especially since the arrival of the Boston sleuths in Digby, he had been in an uneasy state of mind, and had been heard to remark, "I wonder if they are coming after me?"

On Friday night he was especially uneasy. He arose early in the morning, lit the fire, and about 5.30 left the house. About two hours later his body was found hanging in the barn, by Mr. Thomas.

Although certain newspaper accounts of the Matheson case stated that the detectives visited North Range, on Tuesday, January 16, the residents of North Range deny it, and certainly Wilson was not interviewed by detectives.

An undated and unsigned note was found on Sunday morning, which read: "People surprise me guilty of this crime in the papers. I swear to God I am innocent. My troubles are my own. Don't give up the search on account of me."

Mr. Thomas, in speaking with the Courier, said that no person thought Wilson guilty—he just thought they did. He had a morbid mind, and worried over these things.

Wilson is said to have fished out of Gloucester for some time. It is also said that he may have been known by the name of Sam Taylor. He was buried on Sunday, at Barton, with Rev. M. C. Higgins, pastor of the Barton United Baptist church officiating.

On Monday Captain Flaherty and Detective Robert McGeough arrived at North Range, but found nothing that would connect Wilson with the Matheson crime.

Think Crimes Connected

Since leaving Digby the Boston sleuths have been making investigations in the vicinity of Barrington, where a number of persons have been interviewed. The case is now inclined to link this famous murder case with the Farrington case, at Oak Park, and before their departure for Boston on Tuesday expressed themselves to the effect that both crimes were committed by the same person. The case is now left to the hands of the R. C. M. P. of Hilltown, of Barrington, who has interviewed and questioned by the detectives and R. C. M. P. as to his knowledge of both of the above mentioned cases.

The executive of the Children's Aid Society wishes to express their hearty gratitude to all who participated in the entertainment on Wednesday evening, for the benefit of their funds. The efforts of the Broadcaster, Musicians, Actors and Dancers all deserve the highest praise, as well as the splendid assistance of the ticket sellers, waiters and those behind the scenes, and the fine cooperation of Mr. Walker, the proprietor of the Theatre, and of the "Courier" in the promotion of publicity. These and all others who contributed to make the entertainment a success are hereby assured of the deep appreciation of the committee and can also feel that their work has the approval of One who is a lover of little children, and who has said, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto Me."

THANKS!

E. W. Forbes
President, C. A. S. Digby

Mrs. William F. Ross has returned to her home in Gloucester after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huber Small, Roxville.

Mrs. Fred Graham, accompanied by Miss Kathleen Graham, left this week on a tour of the American cities. They plan to visit in Miami, Florida, before returning to Digby.

GOLDEN WEDDING AT CLEMENTS

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Banks, at Clementsport, was the scene of a happy gathering on New Year's day, the occasion being the 50th anniversary of their wedding. Fifty years ago they were united in marriage by the late Rev. Maynard W. Brown, D. D. Many friends of the bride and groom gathered to congratulate them and to wish them many happy returns of the day. The happy couple greatly enjoyed the program of old time songs given in their honor, after which dainty refreshments were served, including a prettily decorated wedding cake. Suitable remembrances were received from members of the family and friends. Of a family of four, Mr. and Mrs. Banks are the third couple to celebrate their golden wedding recently. The others were Mr. and Mrs. Obediah Kaulbach and Mr. and Mrs. William Banks, of Maplewood.

More Snow—More Cold—More Trouble

We were visited by another heavy snow storm over the week end, but we are getting used to that now. Following the snow storm came another spell of extremely cold weather. We are not sure just what the thermometer readings were around here, but have heard that in some sections of the county it went down to 16 below. Still, that's nothing compared with the 52 below they say they got up around Wallace River, in Cumberland County.

The roads have been blocked up, and it has been almost impossible to get to any place. The Digby Neck mails have been tied up again on account of impassable highways, and at the time of writing this article are still using five miles of woods and pasture roads out of the 20-mile distance between here and Sandy Cove.

The Courier has also been told that in some sections of the county where the residents are dependent on travelling grocery stores and grocery trucks delivering and soliciting orders, it is becoming quite a problem to keep the pantry filled; but the situation, we are informed, has not yet become a serious one.

A Trio of Special Values . .

Ladies' One Eyelet Tie, also one strap and Pump, black kid, Cuban heel, rubber lift and arch support, and the price \$2.95.

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SPECIAL 'ON JELLY ROLLS 20c each
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Our well known varieties of Breads always on hand—right from the oven.

Baked Beans, 15c pt., 25c. qt.

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We are offering the balance of our Knitted Suits at greatly reduced prices . .

These are the well known "Knit-to-Fit" and "Ballentine" makes, noted for their style and fine wearing qualities. We believe them the best values in knitted suits, come in and make your selection.

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Friday, February 2
Five to Seven
Admission Twenty-five cents

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Listerine Antiseptic bottle 15c
Colgate's Toothpaste tube 25c
Listerine Toothpaste 15c
Face Cloths 05c
Mead Dish Cloths 10c
Men's Woolen Sox pair 10c and 25c

VISIT
The Red Store, next Wright's, for this Week's Bargains

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Stamped Goods for Embroidery HALF PRICE

Pure wool Jerseys, Boys' 98c
Wool work Socks, 19, 25, 28, 38 and 45c
Boys' wool Mittens, heavy 25c and 35c
Mens' Heather Sweater Coats \$1.49
Mens' wool Gloves 49c
Ribbed and plain worsted Socks 35c
Heavy fleeced Combinations, Mens' \$1.59
Shirts and Drawers 65c
Lined Leather Mittens, Mens' 45c
Bath Towels, Special 20c
Silk and Wool Hose 39c
\$1.10 Silk and Wool Hose for Full fashioned pure silk Hose 65c
Heavy Army flannel Shirts \$1.10

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1934

CALENDAR REFORM

A number of very fine people are busy trying to bring a reform in the calendar. The old calendar suits most of us well enough, but of course if you look at it closer it is a hodge-podge affair, holidays never come on the same day two years in succession. Easter shifts in a wonderful way and Thanksgiving is almost as bad. Yet with the help of the old almanacs we get along very well. Julius Caesar hit the year off so closely that no discrepancy resulted for several hundred years. The trouble is that the Creator did not run the universe on the decimal system, for any Hebrew system of sevens or threes. Pope Gregory in 1582 dropped ten days from the calendar in order to make the vernal equinox come right. But that did not wholly correct the difficulty. In 1752 England added eleven days to the calendar and changed New Year's Day from March 25 to January 1.

The calendar reformers have different schemes, most of which are theoretically good. Some of them want a thirteen-month year. Others want a twelve-month year with an extra Saturday after December 30, which would always come on Saturday, and in Leap Year an extra Saturday after June 30, which would always come on Saturday. A patient man will see merit in many of these calendar reforms, but he sees no possible chance that they will ever be adopted. We regard these Calendar Reform Associations as beautiful little eddies of reform in the swift current of life, where you may meet nice people and talk earnestly about an utterly impractical thing. Yet the world cannot accept daylight saving except by the hour, because of a lost hour. The world is not reasonable enough to get up an hour earlier in summer and enjoy the sunlight. Daylight saving, the most reasonable of healthful devices, is bitterly fought by the majority of people, and can be put through only by a mental evasion. If daylight saving meets such difficulties what chance has calendar reform?

The metric system is incomparably superior to the English tables of weights and measures, yet it cannot be substituted in their place. Reformers have worked for this reasonable change for decades, but they make no progress with the people. They stick to their pounds and ounces, their feet and yards. The impossibility of substituting the metric system for our present tables of weights and measures illustrates the impossibility of changing the calendar. It is too much for human mentality. People are used to the old calendar and they will stick to it in spite of the reformers.

MAVILLETTE

Raymond Deveau and Elias Boudreau have returned to St. Anne's College, Church Point, after spending their vacation at their homes here.

Miss Alma Thibault, of Mayflower, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Deveau.

A whist party was held at the home of Louis Boudreau, Tuesday evening, where 14 tables competed. First prizes were won by Miss Margaret Comeau and Frank Boldreau, while Miss Margaret LeBlanc received consolation prize. The sum of \$20 was received for St. Alphonse church.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mallet have gone to Auburn, Kings County, where they will make their home.

Jack Hankinson, of Weymouth, and K. C. Woodman, of Digby, were over-night guests of the former's sister, Mrs. R. B. Powell, and Mr. Powell, at Weymouth North, on the 14th.

Temperance Table Talks

By UNCLE JOHN

(Sponsored by the Social Service Council and Temperance Alliance)

THE SAME BUT DIFFERENT

Neighbor Ben sat down with us to dinner the other day. Just dropped in on us at dinner hour. We enjoyed the simple menu and chat together. When it came to topping off with fruit—it was just after the Christmas season—the grapes were passed. Here, for the first time, the question to ask, partly for information, but more especially for argument, I think, for he dearly loves an argument. "I can't for the life of me see," he said, "how, if grapes are so good a dish, why wine, which comes from grapes, should be so harmful as some people make out it is." I was glad the school master was with us to dinner that day, and he seemed all ready for a talk on this point. "You see," he said, "there is going on around us two things of change. Here, for example, is a glass of water. Put this outside on one of these cold nights and it would be a solid lump of ice in the morning. Or put it in a kettle on the kitchen range and it will all go off in steam. Gather the steam in a condenser and you can bring it all back again to water and then to ice. The properties have changed in the process, but nothing has changed in the element itself. Or again, put a spoonful of salt in a pint of water and it will all dissolve so that it cannot be seen. But add that pint of water and while the water goes off in steam, the salt will be left at the bottom just as before. This is what we call a physical change, a change in form but not in substance."

"Now take a few thin sheets of copper, put them in a vessel, add some sulfuric acid. What happens? The metal dissolves as the salt did. The liquid looks greenish. Evaporate the liquid as before, and it is no longer copper that is left behind, but a piece of material that looks like a piece of metal, but is not. It is a new substance. The copper has gone, and in its place a new substance that is neither of the things we started with. A change has taken place which we call a chemical change. Now, that is the kind of change that takes place in the fermentation of the juice of the grape, which makes it into wine. Not only the properties of the grape juice have changed, but also the spirituous elements. The sugar in the grapes has been turned into alcohol, and no process yet known can change alcohol back again into sugar. The neighbor Ben listened to all this with keen interest. He didn't say much, but I think he saw that it does not follow that because grapes are good, wine made from grapes must be good also.

HEALTH

A HEALTH SERVICE TO THE CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES IN CANADA

THE USE OF MEAT

Nature works with a large factor of safety. We have two lungs and two kidneys, yet it is possible for us to get along with one, or even a part of one of these. We should, therefore, not be too much impressed by statements as to the least amount of meat required in the diet, and presume that any excess is necessarily harmful.

So much is being said with regard to the value of vitamins and minerals that we are apt to forget that proteins are as necessary as they ever were. Protein is needed in the diet of the growing child to provide building material, and in that of the adult to replace worn-out tissues. The growing child because he is growing, requires relatively more protein than does the adult.

The sources of protein are meat, fish, fowl, eggs, milk, cheese, nuts and other vegetables. The primary purpose of meat in the diet is to supply the body with protein. At the same time it does furnish minerals, fats and vitamins.

Although the foods we have mentioned do contain protein, the type of protein is not the same in all foods. It has been found that the proteins from animal sources meet the needs of the body more completely than do the vegetable proteins. For this reason, it is not advisable to rely upon vegetable entirely to meet the protein requirements of the body.

It is desirable that meals be attractive. It is true that no one has died from a diet because the diet was merely monotonous. Our interest is in making life worth while, not a mere existence, and part of making life worth while is making meals enjoyable. Food that is eaten with relish, under pleasant surroundings, is more valuable in the nutrition of the body.

The flavour of meat makes it a most appetizing food to most people. Without meat, meals are apt to be monotonous. There is no scientific evidence to support the common critical statement made regarding meat, and as to the ill effects



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which are attributed to its use in the diet.

Practically, it appears that the best way is to use meat in moderation as part of a balanced diet, secured through the use of a wide variety of foods. Meat once a day, replaced by fish or fowl according to the desire of the individual or family, is a good rule to follow. Meat is an expensive food, and where the income is limited care must be taken not to spend too much of the food budget on meat; cheaper cuts of meat, properly cooked, are just as valuable. It is much better to reduce the amount of meat than to diminish the quantity of milk and vegetables used.

Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

THERE IS HOPE FOR EVERYONE

A barber invented the old time spinning wheel.

A farmer experimented and worked during the long winter nights, and finally brought forth the invention of calico, in its many pretty colors.

A gardener spent his evenings studying architecture and became famous while working in his employer's garden.

A blacksmith earned his living working at his trade, and in his spare time, learned eighteen languages and twenty-two dialects, brought him money and fame.

A baker became one of the world's distinguished astronomers.

A common printer discovered electricity, with two sticks and a silk handkerchief—probably having borrowed the latter.

A shoe cobbler, while working at his bench, naturalist while working at his bench.

A school teacher invented the Linotype, the type-setting machine which has revolutionized newspapers all over the world.

A Few Sips—A Few Cents—Coughs, Colds Gone

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BACK TO EAR MUFFS

A Maine manufacturer has received an order for 15,000 pairs of ear muffs, the first such order he has had in years. He attributes the demand to prospects for a cold winter, but others half suspect the radio has something to do with it.

How to Stop a Cold

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Table 2 Aspirin Tablets.

Drink full glass of water. Repeat treatment in 2 hours.

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a staff of lodge officers. Miss Finigan is the youngest district deputy president to ever officiate at this ceremony in this lodge. The officers are as follows:

N. G.—Eva Stevens.
V. G.—Nellie Thibault.
P. G.—Elsie Young.
R. S. N. G.—Helen Finigan.
L. S. N. G.—Leta Finigan.
Warden—Bessie Weir.
Treasurer—Agnes Whitehead.
Conductor—Frances Stevens.
F. S.—Elizabeth Haines.
L. S. Y. G.—Ethel Thibault.
I. G.—Elizabeth Morrell.
O. G.—Annie Thibault.
R. S.—Bessie Thibault.
Chaplain—Od Alsar.
Pianist—Evelyn Finigan.

After the installation Sister Lena Perry, the newly installed Past Noble Grand, was presented with a bouquet of flowers in appreciation of her work. Refreshments, consisting of sandwiches and coffee, followed, after which games were entered into.

Obituary

Mr. Della M. Perry

Many friends, throughout Nova Scotia will be grieved to learn of the sudden death of Mrs. Della M. Perry, at Lynn, Mass., on January 12th, at the Union Hospital. Mrs. Perry fell on New Year's day after having paid a visit to a neighbor, and her system could not withstand the shock. Mrs. Perry, who was the widow of George C. Perry, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Prime, of Freeport, spent her early life in that town, but since her marriage has resided in the United States. The funeral was held on the afternoon of Sunday, January 14th, from the First Baptist church, West Lynn, the services being conducted by the pastor, Dr. A. W. Jefferson, and Rev. Robert C. Prime, of Pawtucket, R. I., a nephew of the deceased. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, and there were many former Nova Scotians present, as well as large delegations from the Rebekahs and the Eastern Star. Two sisters and two brothers were present at the funeral services: Mrs. Mary E. Haines and Mrs. Rudolph Campbell, both of Somerville, Mass.; L. C. Prime, Natick, Mass.; and Seth V. Prime, of Freeport. Two sisters and a brother unable to be present are Mrs. Charles Morrell, Mrs. Iola Young and Frank Prime, all of Freeport. The bearers were all nephews of Mrs. Perry: Clarence Haines, Perry, Cornwall, Floyd Campbell, Clarence, Carl and Prosser Prime. The interment took place in Pine Grove cemetery beside the body of her husband, who passed on eight years ago.

Marriages

Mallet-Comeau

Lawrence Mallet, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mallet, of St. Alphonse de Clare, was united in marriage to Miss Regina Comeau, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Comeau, also of that place, on Tuesday morning last. The ceremony took place at St. Alphonse church, the Rev. Father M. LeBlanc, pastor, officiating, and who also celebrated the nuptial High Mass. The bride was assisted by Miss Helen Deveau, and the groom by his brother, Stanley Mallet. After the wedding breakfast the bride party motored to Yarmouth. They returned in the afternoon to the home of the bride's parents, where supper was served and a reception held in the evening. They will reside in Auburn, Kings County.

BELLIVEAU'S COVE

Mrs. Charles A. Comeau celebrated her 55th birthday on January 9th. Although the Comeaus have been married for over 30 years, she still has a wonderful memory and takes great interest in all her surroundings.

Mr. and Mrs. Antoine Comeau, and baby, of Saint-Jovite, are spending the winter with Mrs. Comeau's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emilie LeBlanc, White's Cove.

Mrs. Sifrol LeBlanc, of St. Bernard's, is seriously ill.

Miss Alzora Soucie, Normal College student, who has spent her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delphis Soucie, has returned to Truro.

Miss Alda Comeau, of this place, who is a student nurse at the Yarmouth Hospital, has gone to Providence, R. I., to complete a six months course in a hospital in that city.

Mrs. Alphe Belliveau has spent a few days in Mavillette, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harley Deveau.

Miss Margaret Bourque, of Truro, is visiting her home in Weymouth.

ST. ALPHONSE DE CLARE

Nelson Geddy and Mrs. Moses Geddy are seriously ill, and Dominic Mallet has gone to the Yarmouth Hospital for X-ray examinations and medical attention.

Alfred Saulnier and Lewis Geddy returned on Saturday to St. Anne's College, Church Point, after spending their vacation at their respective homes.

Miss Cecile S. Comeau, teacher at Little Brook Station, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Zoe Comeau.

Mrs. Damien Boldreau recently returned from a short visit to Boston.



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More Co-operation Needed

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir—Can you spare space for a resume of the recent discussion in the local press re the varied natural resources and advantages of Kings-Annapolis-Digby and the possibility of making fuller use of the great assets?

The suggestion was made that a central board of trade might prove more suitable than the activities of the semi-dormant local boards and to deal with movements of interest to the whole constituency. The aim of any progressive program undertaken by such a central board should be the benefit of the whole district, not merely a few points.

President Withrow of the Wolfville Chamber of Commerce, suggests as a possible alternative to a central board of trade a committee of representatives of the local boards. If there is to be a form of organization more suitable than the central board of trade that is what is needed, but the important thing is the determination to carry out a progressive program and the best form of organization through which to work.

Editor Haffield of the Berwick "Register" suggests the suggestion of the Land of Evangeline Tourist Association and a central board of trade. He probably has in mind something akin to the New England Trade and Tourist Association, which seeks business and industrial progress and stresses the tourist trade.

P. F. Lawson, of Beaufort, Texas, cites the West, South and East Chambers of Commerce of Texas. He believes permanent paid secretaries essential to the success of a central board of trade for this constituency. The Cape Breton Board of Trade and the South Shore Board of Trade are Nova Scotia examples of useful district boards.

To make the people of the large constituency of Kings-Annapolis-Digby better acquainted and to stir to more responsible citizenship L. E. Shaw, of Wolfville, would favor an annual goodwill or get-together picnic, with addresses by representatives, live men, sports and opportunity for social intercourse.

That 1935 be made an Old home and Reunion summer in the communities of Kings-Annapolis-Digby was another suggestion.

Still another suggestion was that greater use be made of the public institutions we are fortunate enough to have within our borders. For instance, through the free distribution of fish from the hatchery at Nictaux our depleted streams and lakes might be re-stocked.

Similarly through free distribution of commercial trees and ornamental trees and shrubs from the government nursery at Lawrenceton much of wealth and beauty might be added to the district.

Also, the growing desire of our colleges to help in leading the way out of the present economic difficulties and to bring these educational institutions closer to the life and problems of the people might find a practical demonstration in the Annapolis Valley through Acadia University.

The Experimental Farm at Kentville under the able management of Dr. Blair, is rendering valuable assistance to our agriculturalists in the increasing complexity of their vocation. The beautiful crops raised are evidence of this, but in marked

keting and processing these products equal success is not being attained. It is here that the training and experience of our business and professional men, if organized, might assist our sorely beset farmers.

We should also be alert to play our part in the industrial development of our province. The great quantities of hard wood in our southern district and the soft wood with which the slopes of this part of the constituency are being rapidly reforested possess important industrial possibilities.

A not far distant demand of our tourist business will be a dust-free airway through the Annapolis Valley. By making emergency landing fields at intervals and establishing an airport midway between the Annapolis and Halifax airports, this airway could be opened.

We have entered upon 1934. Is it like 1933 to be a year of lethargic waiting for the return of prosperity, or are we to follow the English example and adopt the Henry Ford motto that work is the only cure for the "depression"? We with our fellow Canadians, are engaged in the inspiring task of building a great nation. Are we to leave it only to Russia, Turkey, and Italy to carry out constructive programmes? Or are we to mark 1934 as the beginning of a movement to make Kings-Annapolis-Digby the balmier constituency of the Dominion?

Fred E. Cox
Middleton, January 22, 1934.

SMITH'S COVE

William Snow who has been the guest of his father, Oscar Snow, returned to the United States on Friday last.

Mrs. Arthur Suis is confined to her home with a badly scalded hand. She has been injured from a fall from a horse while riding on Mainland Bridge, where he was killed by the illness and death of his father. Mr. Ward, relief agent, supplied during Mr. Merry's absence.

John Smith has returned from Tiro.

Rangers Win In Second Meeting

The Smith's Cove Rangers defeated Digby 3-2 in a Victoria rink Monday evening. After playing two periods of scoreless hockey, Pete Germain put the homesters in the lead, but Capt. George Adams, Rangers' tricky centre player, equalized on a pass from McHugh. After the face-off Adams again scored on a beautiful individual rush. Then the game lived up with Digby forcing the play. After several rushes by the Digby forwards, McHugh forced the play to put the teams on even terms. With two minutes to go Adams broke away from his own blue line to score the final goal. The game ended with Digby playing all man up.

The stars for the winners: A. Adams, C. Brinton, R. Turnbull and R. Smith; for Digby, C. German, H. Webber and J. Nichols.

Smith's Cove—Goal, C. Brinton; defence, H. Smith, R. Turnbull; forwards, A. Adams, B. McHugh, R. Smith, A. Payson, C. Woodman.

Digby.—Goal, Mount; defence, Morehouse, German; forwards, Webber, Cowan and Nichols.

CLEMENTSVALE

On Saturday evening last Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ruggles celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of their wedding. The roads were not of the best but about sixty guests gathered at the home in honor of the event. The old farm house, nearly one hundred years old, with its spacious rooms, was decorated in white and gold, and everyone had a pleasant evening. Old time songs and hymns were sung and games of olden times played. Mrs. Ruggles, before her marriage, was Miss Josephine Dukeshire. They lived in Upper Waldeck until about fourteen years ago, when they moved to Clementsvalle on the farm owned and built by Israel Potter. They have on son, Percy, with whom they reside, and three grandchildren.

Rev. F. C. Burnett, of the United Baptist church, presided. Mr. and Mrs. Ruggles with a purse of money. They responded with thanks in a very pleasing manner, after which short speeches were made by others. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and all kinds of cake, including a huge decorated wedding cake made and presented by Mrs. Israel Dukeshire, were served.

At a late hour the guests left for their homes after wishing the bride and groom of fifty years ago, many more years of happy life together.

JOGGIN BRIDGE

Mrs. James Slocum, Port George, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Foster, en route to Saint John. S. E. Rice had the misfortune to lose a shoe under recently.

F. P. Weir, who injured his hand several weeks ago, is improving.

The annual roll call services will be held in the United Baptist church at Smith's Cove, on Sunday evening.

Miss Ila Roop is on the sick list.

Owing to the roads being blocked there was no service in the Smith's Cove United Baptist church last Sunday afternoon.

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ACACIAVILLE AND HILL GROVE

Miss Rena Marshall, who spent a few weeks in Little River, has returned home.

Goudy Nichols is attending the Farmers Association which meets in Truro this week.

Mrs. Perkins, of Bear River East, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Roop, was a passenger to Weymouth on Tuesday to visit another daughter, Mrs. Charles DeLong.

Mrs. William Roop entertained the W. M. A. S. on Monday night. Owing to the bad condition of the roads not as many were present as usual. However, a good meeting was held and the usual social hour was spent, and much enjoyed.

The mill of Mr. Cole on the Shelburne Road is turning out a lot of lumber, having put on a night crew this week.

Harold Robinson, of Annapolis Royal, spent Sunday with friends at the Racquette.

"Marty" Barnes, of the C. P. R. Telegraph office, has gone to Kentville to relieve the operator there, who is on sick leave.

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Boston Paper Amuses Digby County

Corporal Joseph Hetherington, in charge of the Digby detachment of the R. C. M. P., got his picture on the front page of the Boston Post in connection with the seven year old Matheson slaying. Corporal Hetherington is pictured as being interviewed by Capt. Stephen J. Flaherty and Detective Robert McGough at Salsboro Falls—although the scene looks suspiciously like the back yard of a hotel at Digby.

On another page of the same paper is another picture taken by the Post's staff photographer. This picture shows the two sleuths with "the cat" with the picture of the man over the snow filled roads to North Range on a Matheson clue. This picture, incidentally, was taken in front of the D. A. R. station. Digby. The "chauffeur" shown in the Digby picture is a well known Digby man, and the cat is laden with a load of wood.

The taking of this picture was entirely unknown to Corporal Hetherington who was surprised when he saw the picture come out in the press.

ROSSWAY

Miss Vivian Gidney and Nelson Raymond were united in marriage at the United Baptist parsonage, at Digby, on January 13th.

Miss Teresa Hill, who has been a patient in the Digby General Hospital, is now convalescing at the home of Ralph Gossaboot.

George Thibault and John Gidney spent the week end with friends in Sandy Cove.

Mrs. John MacInnes, of Smith's Falls, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie MacKay.

Oscar Dugas, of Centreville, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Alphonse Dugas, of this place.

Fred Worthylake spent Sunday in Boston and returned on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Raymond spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gidney.

SEA BROOK AND ROXVILLE

Miss Lennie Banks, of Upper Clements, is spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Cossett, of Centreville, are spending the winter months with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Hall.

Gene Bowe has returned home after spending a few days in Weymouth.

William Hall spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haight, North Range.

Mrs. Elsie K. Budd spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George VanTassel, Lighthouse Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Potter have moved to the old Shelburne Road, and are occupying the house owned by John Baker.

Dan Rumer says Wedding Bells will soon be ringing.

BIRTHDAY PARTY AT LITTLE RIVER

Mrs. Harry Trask was hostess to a birthday party given in honor of William B. Denton, at his home, Little River, on Saturday evening last. Twenty-five relatives, and friends gathered for the occasion. Deacon A. B. Frost presented Mr. Denton with a gift of money, on behalf of these present. Mr. Denton responded in a feeling manner, it being the first family gathering since the passing of Mrs. Denton, three years ago. A pleasant evening was spent in music and games, after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. After wishing Mr. Denton many happy returns of the day, the company joined in singing the National Anthem.

Obituary

Capt. James R. Eldridge

Published by Request
Death has again entered the community of East Ferry and claimed as a victim, James R. Eldridge, a resident of that village for only two years, at the age of 73 years and 1 month. He formerly lived in Beaver River, Yarmouth County two years ago, when he went to East Ferry, and married the widow of the late William A. Stanton. He was a good citizen, liked by all, and took a deep interest in the community. He had been ill for some time, but never gave up his residence, and the school paid a mark of respect to him by observing a short period of silent prayer at its session following his death. He had been in his usual health until January 1st, when he went to church this day better. Thinking he was staying longer than necessary search was made and he was found in his hay mow, in an unconscious condition, believed to have been caused by gas from the ear. Medical help was called and every remedy possible, but he passed away on January 5th. A short service was held at his home by Rev. C. L. Chute, at which the hymns sung were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Nearer My God to Thee". The remains were taken to Beaver River for interment, and the services there were conducted by Rev. H. J. Friend. The hymns on that occasion were "Safe in the Arms of Jesus", "Rock of Ages" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul". The remains were accompanied by his wife, his daughters and under-keeper Conrad Gidney.

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MILFORD
Bertram Wagstaff has returned home from Tupperville, where he has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Nass were the week end guests of Mrs. Wellington Brown, of West Springfield.

Stanley Wilcox spent the week end at his home here.

CANADA, 1934

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics announces the publication of the 1934 edition of the official annual handbook dealing in convenient and handy form, with present conditions and recent progress in the Dominion.

The publication opens with a foreword by the Hon. H. H. Stevens, an introduction of eight pages touches on the world situation as it affects Canada and summarizes the Canadian internal situation as it stands at the close of 1933. Chapter 1 deals with the Physiography of Canada and its influence on the settlement of the country, and Chapter 2 surveys the salient features of Canadian industry. Treatments of all phases of national endeavor including Population, Wealth and Production, Agriculture, Forestry, Mining, Water Powers, Fisheries, Fur Trade, Manufactures, Transportation, Trade, Finance, Labour, Education, etc., follow.

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Around Our Town

Mrs. John Rice is on the sick list.

Mrs. Ravis is improving in health.

James Hubley spent the week end at his home.

Mr. Crooks, of Halifax, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. E. Schmidt entertained at the tea hour on Friday.

Harold Hatheway went to Halifax on Monday on business.

Supper Mission Band met on Friday afternoon in the vestry.

Rev. A. W. L. Smith, of Clements, was in town on Monday.

The Ladies Aid met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. L. J. Lovett.

L. Hay, of the Pension Board, was a guest at the Commercial House the past week.

Miss Landers, of Paradise, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Carl Parker, and Mr. Parker.

Mrs. Harry E. Harris entertained at the tea hour on Monday. Covers were laid for eight.

John Apt. of Greenland, is making a satisfactory recovery from his latest operation, at the Digby Hospital.

Mrs. Fletcher Milbury, who has been nursing at the home of Mrs. Russell Harris, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Harry E. Harris left on Wednesday for Bridgetown, as a delegate to the Annapolis Presbytery, at Bridgetown.

Herbert Steves and young son, of Midgie, N. B., are visiting Rev. Stanley Steves and Mrs. Steves, at the Baptist parsonage.

H. E. Chisholm left on Monday for Halifax to preside at the Nova Scotia Farmers' Association meetings, taking place this week.

Owing to the ice in the river the steamer Glenholm has to discharge at the Bridges. This makes extra work for the men and teams.

The ladies of the United Baptist church were entertained at the home of Mrs. Chipman Harris, and Mrs. J. L. Warren, on Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. A. A. MacLeod, field secretary for the Sons of Temperance, spent two days in town recently with his family, at the home of Mrs. Clarence Henshaw.

Edgar Morgan, of Morganville, who has been a patient at the Hospital for some time, has recovered sufficiently to be removed in the near future to his home.

D. Owen, Annapolis Royal; W. C. L. Hargre, Round Hill; Rev. Snow, R. C. M. P., Digby; and Lloyd Hersey, Digby, were guests at the Commercial House recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cassidy, of Manchester, Miss., attended the funeral of the late P. H. Parker, on Wednesday. Mr. Cassidy returned on Friday, but Mrs. Cassidy will remain for a time.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rice were very pleased to learn that their daughter, Miss Doris Rice, nurse in training at the Montreal Foundling Hospital, has successfully passed her Junior examinations.

A very delightful dinner-bridge, at the home of Mrs. Campbell, took place last Thursday evening. Bridge was played at four tables. Mrs. A. M. Simons and J. H. Cunningham winning "honors".

James Campbell returned from Halifax on Monday after having spent the week end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hatheway, entertained at a supper party on Friday night last. When covers were laid for eight.

A special broadcast will be given over radio station, WHEB, (740k.), on Sunday afternoon, January 28, at 2:30 o'clock, to the people of Nova Scotia, especially in memory of those Nova Scotians who have been and are ministers of the Advent Christian denomination. A cordial invitation is given to all to "listen in."



HIGHEST CREAM PRICES

Our returns for December were 23 cents per pound butterfat. It is the average price for the month that counts and not the price for any one week.

Yarmouth Creamery

HOSPITAL NOTES

As time goes on more and more districts appreciate the valuable services rendered by the Digby Hospital. On Saturday last Miss Campbell, R. N., who is in charge, sent Miss Rilda Darling, R. N., on special duty to Clements. Miss Darling left the suburban train at Clements and drove to Clements, carrying with her a full supply of sterile articles required in doing an operation for acute appendicitis at the home of J. Murray Oickle, whose little daughter, Phyllis, had been taken seriously ill, and could not be moved. Doctor Campbell was at the home, and Dr. L. J. Lovett, accompanied by Nurse Rilda Darling, drove out from Bear River. The operation was carried out successfully and it is hoped that Phyllis may recover. Miss Harris, remained with the patient and Miss Darling came to Bear River, later driving to Bear River station where the train stopped to take her to Digby. This special service, rendered cheerfully and efficiently, and including as it did, three long, cold drives in almost zero weather, should be very sincerely appreciated not only by the family and our doctors, but by the whole countryside, proving as it does, the high type of service available.

The last calendars handed to the Hospital were filled in by Mrs. Alfred Parker, Bear River; Mrs. R. Van Dine, De Brook; Mrs. Frank Dimars, Deep Brook; Mrs. Richard MacEwan, Bear River East; Mrs. H. Snell (partly filled), Bear River. Money from calendars received from now on will help to pay for a new washing machine which was badly needed. Will those who still have calendars please send them to me—every bit helps.

M. S. Campbell

PARISH OF ST. CLEMENT

Rev. Rural Dean Swift, Rector.

Next Sunday will be Septuagesima Sunday and services arranged (weather permitting) are as follows: Victory, 10:30 a.m.; Bear River, 3 p.m.; Deep Brook, 7:30 p.m.

The Bear River congregation will be advised where the afternoon service will be held.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. C. P. Henderson, Pastor.

Regular Services:—
Sunday Teaching, 10:30 a.m., and 1:30 p.m.;
Church School, 11:30 a.m.;
Prayer Meeting—Friday, 7:30 p.m.

The Ladies' Contract Club met this week at the home of Mrs. Carroll Clarke.

News has been received by Mrs. May Morse, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. R. Kinney, that her son, Eric, of Halifax, met with an unfortunate accident last Friday, breaking one of his legs in two places. He is now a patient in the Victoria General Hospital in that city.

Automobile manufacturers have anxiously been waiting for this year. For instance, our maker has designed a car which conceals its motor in the rear, the spare tire in front, there are no running boards and instead of a rear view mirror there is a periscope which gives the driver an open vision of the road in the rear. What next?

On Monday morning Merton Yorkie, while chopping wood on the Dunbrack, had his left ankle quite badly cut when his axe slipped from a frozen tree, striking deeply into the flesh. Several stitches being required to close the wound. Mort walked a mile and a half to the village, accompanied by Alfred Marshall, later driving to his home on the River Road.

There used to be a saying that on February 1st the Yarmel should have used half his wool and half his hay. Another old saying is that by February 1st the home owner should be "able to walk into his coal bin," meaning that the coal supply had dwindled. Due to severe weather during November and December we venture to say that many coal bins now have almost room enough to park a car.

On their 100th wedding anniversary Stoyan and Yolkia Dimitrievitch, in the tiny village of Kilmora, Jugo-Slavia, received more attention than they had enjoyed all the rest of their lives. Conservative newspapers chronicled the event on the front pages, others printed pictures of the two, and some made editorial mention. The couple were married at 18 years of age and have worked on their farm ever since. Both are in good health.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE WIPES OUT VALUABLE PROPERTY

The fire, which late Friday night destroyed Bear River's fire academy and St. John's Anglican church, was one of the most spectacular and disastrous in the history of that town, and but for the strenuous efforts of a very large number of volunteer fire fighters assisting the local fire brigade, together with the snow-brigade, would have swept the entire section of the town on the Annapolis side of the river.

The fire had gained great headway when first noticed, about 9 o'clock, and nothing could be saved of the building's equipment, of well-appointed class rooms, valuable school library, and the top floor assembly hall, capable of seating 400 people, with its fittings of stage scenery, piano and furniture. This hall was the largest assembly hall in town, and regarded as a community hall for all large entertainments.

The Academy was built in 1892, and was one of the finest in Western Nova Scotia. The \$12,000 insurance on the building will go but a short way on cost of replacement.

The residence of John Yorkie, in close proximity to the academy, caught fire from flying embers, and the fire fighters concentrated on saving that building, as it was within 25 feet of the United Church, and was one of the finest in the adjacent congested part of the town—the Annapolis County side—containing some of the finest residences, the extensive buildings of the Bear River Trading Company, the new Oddfellows Hall, which houses the Bear River Bank, the department office of Dr. Crowe, and its own beautiful Assembly hall.

St. John's Anglican church was the oldest Anglican church in the district, with the exception of the old church at Clements, having been originally built in 1792, and was built in 1933, and dedicated by Bishop Inglis, Nova Scotia's first Anglican bishop, in May, 1834, and was originally very quaint with its high box pews, closing with a private door, and its wall pulpits and reading desk.

The church was completely remodelled and redecorated in recent years, at great expense. It had many beautiful altar fittings, including a handsome reredos, dedicated last year to the memory of Mr. R. G. Smith (father of the rector, Rev. C. P. Henderson), and the Rev. M. Romans, former manager of the Royal Bank in Bear River; a large brass cross presented in memory of Mrs. John Farquhar; a memorial Bible, and a stone baptismal font, presented many years ago by one of the earliest members, John V. Hardy. Many of these were saved but the insurance of only \$2,000 will be of inadequate help in rebuilding.

Scholars Did Not Miss a Day

Great credit is due to the efficiency and promptness through which the School Board of Management of the destroyed Oakdale Academy, assisted by private citizens, opened a temporary department of the school, at the usual hour Monday morning.

Robins were secured on the second floor of the Bear River Trading Co., housing Grades I, II, III, and IV; at the second offices of the Bear River Pulp Company for Grades V, VI, VII, VIII, and IX; and Grades X and XI in the Masonic Reading Room. The pupils of Grade XII will, at present, meet in a private house, offered by Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Rice.

A corps of workmen on Sunday made the necessary installation of chairs and make-shift desks, and from the church pulpits an appeal for donations of school supplies was made, and responded to generously by the citizens of the town and the local Women's Institute, the latter organization resuming the service of hot cocoa, as had been done in the burned building.

H. Hatheway, of the Board of Trustees, left Monday morning for Halifax to interview the Provincial Board of Education, to supply some necessary books, as a large number were destroyed in the fire.

PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting of the citizens of Bear River, will be held Monday evening, January 29th, in the school room over the Bear River Trading Company's store, at eight o'clock, for the purpose of voting on the desirability of devoting the Memorial Fund raised several years ago at the request of the citizens, to the purchase of fire equipment for the protection of the property of Bear River's citizens.

A pleasant social event in prospect for next week, is the "Benefit Tea," which will be held on Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. B. C. Clarke—Riverside Lodge. The funds from it will be devoted to the "Recovery Programme" of St. John's Anglican church. The small fee of fifteen cents will be asked from patrons.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Mrs. Harry E. Harris
Mrs. C. D. Rice
Mrs. L. J. Lovett

Obituary

Charles F. Merry

There passed away at Maitland Bridge, on Thursday of last week, Charles F. Merry, a highly respected citizen, a man of sterling character and whose friendly disposition had won him a host of friends. He was 74 years of age. A devout member of the United Church, and for many years superintendent of the Sunday School. He leaves his widow, who was formerly Miss Laura Dukeshire; three sons, Everett, at home; Leslie, of the C. N. E., at Mahone Bay; and Brenton, of the D. A. R., at Bear River; one daughter, Bertha, (Mrs. Lloyd Sanford), at Bear River; four brothers, Richard, of Boston; Simon, of Milton; Andrew and Porter, of Maitland Bridge. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. W. H. McPhail, of Caledonia, with interment at Maitland cemetery. Mr. Merry was well known in Bear River, having spent some time there every year.

Mrs. Addie Reade is nursing at the home of Mrs. Fader.

Marriages

Balsor-Harris

On Monday evening of last week at the home of the bride, at Lansdowne, Rev. C. L. Blanchard united in marriage, Mildred Harris and Charles Balsor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eber Balsor. The bride was unattended. The bride was dressed in brown silk. A buffet lunch was served to the immediate relatives and friends.

LANDSLIDE MAN INJURED IN THE WOODS

On Saturday, Layton Hinxman, of Lansdowne, was seriously cut in the leg by his partner in log chopping. Both men were employees of the Colville mill, on the old Shelburne road, eight miles from Bear River. The injured man had to be carried out on an open bob-sled, the road having to be broken out through huge snow drifts by men who accompanied the team for that purpose. When half way to Bear River the injured man became nearly paralyzed from the intense cold and was warmed and fed at his brother-in-law's home, before going any further towards the town, where medical aid was secured. In order to get Mr. Hinxman to his own home, a number of men went out from Bear River to break through the almost impassable road three miles to Lansdowne. In spite of his terrible trip the injured man is doing as well as can be expected.

BEAR RIVER INDUSTRY RECEIVES BAD BLOW

On Wednesday morning of last week, the roof of the Imbert Saw Mill, owned by J. H. Cunningham, collapsed from excessive weight of snow, completely wrecking the mill, which will have to be rebuilt from the ground up. The accident occurred at seven o'clock, just as the workmen were commencing the day's operations, but fortunately no one was hurt, as the strong frame work of saws and other machinery protected the men when the roof fell in. The destruction of the mill is most unfortunate, as it was operating to fill contracts, and will deprive a number of men of employment. Mr. Cunningham intends to rebuild at once.

Miss J. Edwards, of Middleton, is the guest of Captain and Mrs. Wm. McMurray.

LADIES' AID HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The Ladies Aid of the United Church of Canada held its yearly meeting at the home of Mrs. R. H. Purdy, on Tuesday evening of last week, with an attendance of 18 members. After the regular business was disposed of, the officers brought in their reports for the year. The President, Mrs. H. Cress, thanked the officers and members for their co-operation in all the work. The treasurer, Mrs. R. H. Purdy, gave a full report of money raised and the expenditure. The recording secretary, Mrs. Harry E. Harris, gave a full outline of all the year's work. After the adoption of these reports the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. H. Cress
1st Vice-President—Mrs. William Morine
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. Schmidt
3rd Vice-President—Mrs. R. R. Baxter
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Harry E. Harris
Assistant Secretary—Mrs. R. H. Purdy
Entertainment Committee—Mrs. L. J. Lovett, Mrs. R. Baxter (convenor), Mrs. O. R. Rice, Miss Lemna VanBurskirk
Buying Committee—Mrs. H. E. Harris, Mrs. E. Schmidt, Miss VanBurskirk
Flower Committee—Two to be appointed for each month.

The Secretary's Report

The Ladies Aid of the United Church of Canada has a membership of 78; 4 new members have joined during the year, 2 have moved away from the place and there have been 2 removals by death. Have held 49 regular meetings, with an attendance of from 12 to 30 members. A Valentine social was held in the church vestry Feb. 14th, which all enjoyed, on March 18th a St. Patrick's Banquet was held in H. E. Harris' sample room—proceeds \$11.37. We also had a Shamrock Apron, each member placing a piece of money on the apron and a shamrock sewed over the amount, the proceeds amounting to \$5.50, which was used for church hymnaries; on June 29th a strawberry festival was held in the vestry—proceeds \$25, \$20 of which was given to the men of the church; August 2nd, our garden party on the lovely grounds of Mrs. W. A. Chute—proceeds \$11.50; our Aid picnic was held at the home of Mrs. Walter Payson August 30th, with an attendance of 27 members; on November 1st we served supper to the Masonic district which met here—proceeds \$75—which we gave to the men of the church; our annual chicken supper on December 7th—proceeds over \$50, also gave \$65 toward the Parsonage debt, paid similar for the year; paid a man for the summer cleaning of the church; besides work at the parsonage and bought some new furnishings. The sick and visiting committee made 792 calls during the year; the Sunshine bag, besides caring for the sick with fruit, flowers and cards at Christmas, sent out ten large red and green Christmas stockings, filled with fruit, candy, nuts, etc., to the sick ones. To four little new babies we gave each a silver spoon and jacket; also twelve greeting cards were sent to our absent members, have raised in the Sunshine Bag, \$10.04. We had a balance of \$175.17, have raised \$358.31—making a total of \$533.48; have paid out \$388.34—have on hand \$145.14. We feel that 1933 has been a very successful year in this, our Master's work. But we would urge that all our members would come and take more interest, a more active part in the work; not merely have our names on the roll book but be real live active members. To the work!

Flo. I. Harris

ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. JOHN'S GUILD

The annual meeting of St. John's Guild, Bear River, was held on Wednesday, January 10th, at the homes of the members and considerable business was transacted. After the reading of the minutes and the treasurer's report, the following officers were elected for 1934:

President—Mrs. B. C. Clarke
Vice-President—Mrs. Howard Rice
Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. W. M. Romans
Altar Guild—Mrs. L. V. Harris and Mrs. A. M. Simons
Shopping Committee—The officers

Ten was served and a discussion followed during which it was decided to again hold a garden party on the grounds of Riverside Lodge, on the second Wednesday in July.

During the year 1933, St. John's Guild held sixteen meetings at the homes of the members, and considerable work was accomplished; and the collections, although less than other years, more than paid for the sewing materials purchased.

Sick members have been remembered with fruit and flowers; one of the younger members, who left to take a course in nursing, and a bride, a newcomer, received suitable gifts, as also did three new infants.

At Easter and Christmas beautiful flowers were provided for the altar. Christmas boxes were sent two families and cards sent to eleven former members, now absent.

In April \$5 was voted to the Restoration Fund, and a gift of fancy work was donated to the Hospital Fair, at Digby in August.

With our new tables, benches, dishes, and silver, the 1933 garden party was a joy to those who had the arrangements in hand. The weather was ideal, the patrons numerous, and, growing all, was the presence of His Grace, Archbishop Worrell, and Mrs. Worrell.

Jessie M. Romans
Recording Secretary

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Harris were hosts at a pleasant dinner bridge, on Monday evening, Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre winning the honors.

COULD NOT KNIT FOR NEURITIS

If neuritis bothers you, deal with it as this woman dealt with hers. "For years, I was unable to knit," she writes, "owing to neuritis in my hands. Last year I started taking Kruschen, and now I can keep up with anyone. Already this year I have knitted about 12 pieces in all, including men's sweaters and ladies' fancy pullovers, as well as several babies' articles. Naturally, I feel quite proud, and I owe it all to Kruschen. I have not felt in better health for years and will keep on taking Kruschen as long as I live." (Mrs. A. S.)

Neuritis is caused by deposits of needle-pointed, flint-hard, uric acid crystals, which pierce the nerves and cause those stabbing pains Kruschen salts break up these deposits of uric acid crystals and convert them into harmless solution, which is promptly removed through the natural channel—the kidneys.

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Notice

This is to advise that the Trustees of Bear River School Section No. 24 have appointed Fred R. Harris to succeed Fulton H. Parker as Secretary. Payment of arrears of Taxes is required forthwith.
J. L. Warren, Chairman

NOTICE

Any children for the 5-5 five year grade expecting to enter school during second term can apply only on the school days Feb. 5th to Feb. 26th inclusive.
Clyde Brown, Principal

Proceedings Municipal Council, January Session, 1934

The Council for the Municipality of the District of Digby met at the Court House, Digby, on Tuesday, January 9th, at 2 p. m. Present J. Vian Andrews, Warden, and Councillors Chisholm, Cossaboom, L'ent, Pugh, Fitzgerald, Outhouse, Cornwell, Woodman, Hillman, Hankinson. The Warden took the chair and addressed the Council as follows:

"It affords me great pleasure to again meet you at another annual meeting of our Council, the old year with all its problems has passed leaving its legacies, whatever they may be for us to carry on as best we may. We are thankful, however, that the old year has brought us safely through to the open door of the New Year, thereby permitting us to meet old friends, whose friendship becomes more precious as the years go by.

"There are many problems for us to face in fact we are starting the year with an awful lot of them; we feel that we are compelled to carry a load of some of these making. Had they been of our own making we could find some compensation for our regret by laying it to our own dumbness and feeling that experience had taught us something and that never again would it happen. But alas, such is not the case. We are still compelled to carry on burdens placed upon us by other Powers who are over us and who can compel our wills to bend to theirs. We are therefore compelled to perform in spite of curses and jeers at our performance.

"One of our problems is the Highway Tax which we are compelled to pay, collect and pay out of our taxes for the collection of the same. In many cases we are unable to collect, especially poll taxes and recorded Property Taxes. This is reassessed back on the men who have already paid their taxes and are forced to pay again. I say that this is so unfair that something should be done to eliminate this, that is, that the burden should be placed where it belongs. I would recommend that this Council deal with this and draft a Resolution recommending a change in the method of the collection of Highway Taxes. In fact, I would recommend that the Council be relieved of the collection of this tax in the case of the automobile and gasoline tax.

"Another burden which we have to bear is the high cost of patients in the Public Institutions. Somebody's salary is still too high when one considers the tax payer who earns little more than fifty cents or perhaps one dollar per day, who must maintain his family and pay their bills as well. I would also recommend that in this something must be done by those who are able to do something to make our burdens light enough for us to carry on. In regard to the collection of taxes I would recommend that we follow the Statutes in collecting and place taxes in the warrant. In fact if we do otherwise we are out of order and the last two years have proven to us that we have been unable to make our method work in these depressing times, as too many who are able to pay are hiding behind those who are unable to pay. I would recommend that the Council go carefully into this matter.

"The Outside Poor accounts are mounting to an alarming extent. Poor who cannot be rated for Direct Unemployment Relief, though in many cases the trouble is due to unemployment, and the methods that were used to procure a living having been destroyed. Owing to this the burden of the one who is able to pay a tax is made greater, thus causing an increased discontent. It is time for us to begin to hesitate when we are confronted with the problem of taking money from the pockets of some to help feed others. There must be a time in the near future when a halt will have to be made. This cannot go on forever. A number of Towns have reached that place already and are faced with enormous debts and probably there will be defaults in payments.

"I am not making my statements too strong; in fact I feel that I am not making them emphatic enough.

"Now gentlemen there are

various other matters of importance that you will have opportunity to deal with as the reports are brought in by your various committees and which I do not now need to mention.

"In closing I wish to thank you for your co-operation during the past year and wish you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year."

The minutes of the May meeting were read.

A letter from Councillor Marshall was read in which he expressed his regret at not being able to attend, an unavoidable business engagement having called him away from town; he stated that this was the first annual meeting of the Council that he had not attended for thirty years.

Councillor Hankinson reported that Mrs. Emma Hoyt of Weymouth had presented a radio to the inmates of the County Home as a Christmas gift and moved that the Clerk be asked to forward a letter of thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Hoyt from the Council. The motion was seconded by Councillor Chisholm and passed by a standing vote.

Moved by Councillor Hillman that the Firemen of Digby be allowed the use of the Court House for the holding of three card parties; seconded by Councillor Hankinson and passed.

The Standing Committee on nominations (Councillors Fitzgerald, Pugh and Chisholm) retired and brought in their report, recommending that the committees of 1933 be re-elected; on motion this was received and adopted.

An application from Mr. H. A. Nichols was read in which he asked that he be appointed solicitor for the Municipality for 1934. Moved by Councillor Hillman that Mr. H. A. Nichols be appointed solicitor for 1934 at a fee of \$25.00; seconded by Councillor Chisholm and passed.

The report of Dr. W. C. Harris, jail physician for the year past was read and on motion received and left on file.

The report of Dr. DuVernet, physician for the County Home, was read and on motion received and left on file.

The report of the Board of Assessment Revision was read and on motion received and left on the table.

Applications from Dr. Harris and Dr. Dickie for the position of physician to the Jail for 1934 were read and on motion left on the table.

Applications from Dr. Harris and Dr. H. J. Melanson for the position as Medical Health Officer for 1934 were read and on motion left on the table.

The Chairman of the committee on Tenders and Public Property read the report of the Keeper of the County Home for 1933, which was on motion received and left on the table. He also read the report of the committee on Tenders and Public Property for the Jail, Court House, County Home, Outside Poor, tenders for supplies, etc., which was on motion received and left on the table.

The question of the holding of religious services at the County Home was discussed; and the Councillors being very desirous that services should be held whenever possible. It was moved by Councillor Chisholm that the committee on Tenders and Public Property arrange whenever possible for the holding of religious services at the County Home at least once every month; seconded by Councillor Hillman and passed unanimously.

On motion the Council adjourned until 10 a. m. Wednesday.

Wednesday, Jan. 10th.

The Council met at 10 a. m. on Wednesday, January 10th, all attending Councillors present: the Warden in the chair. Minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

On motion Mr. McKinnon representing Belyea, McNeice & Company read the auditors' report for the Municipality for 1933 and also for the Municipal Hydro Distribution System. The Warden thanked Mr. McKinnon for his detailed report and for information furnished.

On motion the auditors' report for the Municipality was received and left on the table as was the report for Municipal Hydro Distribution System.

Moved by Councillor Lent that the Warden and Councillors Chisholm and Pugh be appointed a committee to draft a

resolution to be brought before this Council and to be forwarded to the Government of this Province, asking that the Municipality be relieved from the collection of the Highway Tax; seconded by Councillor Hillman and passed.

Moved by Councillor Pugh that Councillors Hillman and Hankinson be appointed a committee to draft a resolution asking that the Highway Department take over the clearing of the roads of snow; seconded by Councillor Chisholm and passed.

On motion Mr. J. A. Andrews, collector for Plympton, came before the Council, speaking of the collection of taxes and asking that the collectors be allowed the percentage on rates collected by warrants.

On motion Mr. Isaiah Hill came before the Council asking information on assessments.

On motion the Council adjourned until 2 p. m.

The Council reassembled at 2 p. m., all attending Councillors present, the Warden in the chair.

On motion the Council resolved into assessment committee, Councillor Lent taking the chair.

The committee on Matters Pertaining to the Poor and Harmless Insane also held a sitting.

These committees rose to report later and the Warden resumed the chair.

On motion the Council adjourned until 10 a. m. Thursday.

Thursday, Jan. 11th.

Council met at 10 a. m., all attending Councillors present, the Warden in the chair. Minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

An application from Dr. John R. McCleave for the position of physician to the Jail was read and on motion left on the table.

An application from Belyea, McNeice & Company for the position of auditors for 1934 was read and left on the table.

The following resolution was moved by Councillor Lent, seconded by Councillor Hankinson and passed: "That the Treasurer of the Municipality of the District of Digby be authorized to borrow on overdraft, from the Bank of Nova Scotia, a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) for current expenses for 1934, as provided for under Chapter 83, section 127 of 1923 Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia and amendment as in Chapter 29 of the Statutes of 1933; that in order to facilitate the borrowings in the form of overdraft as above authorized, the Treasurer is instructed to execute and complete a special form of agreement for operation on an overdraft account, with the Bank of Nova Scotia."

Moved by Councillor Hankinson that Dr. W. C. Harris be appointed physician to the Jail for 1934 at one hundred dollars for the year, all medicines to be included in this fee; seconded by Councillor Fitzgerald and passed.

Moved by Councillor Hankinson that Dr. H. J. Melanson be appointed Medical Health Officer for 1934; seconded by Councillor Cornwell and passed.

Moved by Councillor Hillman that Belyea, McNeice & Co. be appointed auditors for 1934, the fee to be ninety dollars for the year; seconded by Councillor Lent and passed.

Moved by Councillor Hillman that David Hazelton be appointed janitor for the Court House and Court Constable for 1934; seconded by Councillor Cornwell and passed.

Moved by Councillor Chisholm that the ten per cent cut in all salaries over which the Council has control be continued for 1934; seconded by Councillor Woodman and passed.

Moved by Councillor Woodman that H. P. Bowers, G. O. Hankinson and H. W. Purdy be reappointed as Board of Assessment Revision and Appeal; seconded by Councillor Lent and passed.

Moved by Councillor Chisholm that the ten per cent cut in all salaries over which the Council has control be continued for 1934; seconded by Councillor Woodman and passed.

On motion the Finance Committee hold a sitting. This committee rose to report later.

On motion the Council adjourned till 2 p. m.

Council reassembled at 2 p. m., all attending Councillors present, the Warden in the chair.

Mr. H. A. Nichols, the newly appointed solicitor, for the Mun-

icipality came before the Council, addressing them on the Revision of By Laws and the collection of outstanding taxes. Discussion followed.

Moved by Councillor Lent that Mr. Nichols be appointed to collect all outstanding taxes at five per cent commission on all money paid by Mr. Nichols to the Municipal Treasurer, magistrate and constable fees; Mr. Nichols to be responsible to the magistrates and constables for their fees; seconded by Councillor Fitzgerald and passed.

Moved by Councillor Hankinson that all collectors be instructed to have their warrants in the hands of the Municipal Clerk by February 1st, 1934; seconded by Councillor Lent and passed.

On motion Mr. H. J. Campbell, superintendent of the Digby County Power Board, came before the Council giving his report for the Municipal Distribution System, the Auditors' report, the report for the operations of the Digby County Power Board and the Auditors' report for the Power Board.

The Warden thanked Mr. Campbell for his report and expressed his satisfaction at the present standing of the Hydro System; and also expressed his appreciation of the efficient and satisfactory oversight given by Mr. Campbell to all departments as Superintendent of the Municipal Hydro Distribution System. Mr. Campbell thanked the Warden and expressed his appreciation of Councillor Marshall as Chairman of the Digby County Power Board. The Warden and Councillors Hankinson and Hillman endorsed this appreciation most heartily each paying tribute to Councillor Marshall's continued interest in, and efforts for Hydro development since first he brought before the Council the idea of an Electrical Hydro Distribution System for Digby County.

Moved by Councillor Woodman that the report of the Superintendent, the report of the Digby County Power Board and the auditors' reports be received and placed on file; seconded by Councillor Chisholm and passed.

Councillor Chisholm brought up the case of Arthur Hatt, a patient at the Nova Scotia Hospital, who has property at Bear River, which is now vacant. Moved by Councillor Hankinson that Councillor Chisholm be appointed to take up this matter with the solicitor and take necessary steps to protect the Municipality's interest in the property; seconded by Councillor Woodman and passed.

Moved by Councillor Pugh that Councillors Hankinson and Outhouse, with the Warden, be appointed to draft a resolution to be sent to the Government, regarding the reduction in cost of maintenance for patients at the Nova Scotia Hospital; seconded by Councillor Chisholm and passed.

On motion the Council adjourned until 10 a. m. Friday.

Friday, Jan. 12th.

The Council met at 10 a. m. on Friday, January 12th, all Councillors present, except Councillors Marshall and Lent, the Warden in the chair. Minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

Councillor Pugh reported for the committee appointed re Highway Tax Collections and moved the following resolution, which was seconded by Councillor Woodman and passed: "Whereas the Provincial Government of Nova Scotia at the present time collects taxes on automobile licenses, fees, gasoline and other taxes used for road purposes; Therefore BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Government of Nova Scotia also take the collection of Highway property and poll taxes, thereby relieving the Municipality from the burden and responsibility of collecting these taxes." (A copy of this resolution to be sent to the Minister of Public Highways, the Secretary of the Union Nova Scotia Municipalities and to the Premier of Nova Scotia.)

The following Resolution was moved by Councillor Hankinson, seconded by Councillor Hankinson and passed: "WHEREAS there has been great difficulty throughout the Municipality in having the Highways cleared of snow, owing in part to the opposition of rate payers, and various other causes, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that this Council is of the opinion that the Highways Department take

over the Highways during the winter and have the said Highways made passable and thus relieve the Municipality in that respect." (A copy of this resolution to be sent to the Minister of Public Highways and to the Secretary of the Union Nova Scotia Municipalities.)

Moved by Councillor Hillman that the Keeper of the County Home be asked to come before the committee on Matters Pertaining to the Poor and Harmless Insane at 2.30 p. m.; seconded by Councillor Chisholm and passed.

Councillor Fitzgerald gave the report for the committee for Direct Unemployment Relief. Discussion followed, the Councillors giving their experiences and suggestions.

Moved by Councillor Hankinson that Councillors Fitzgerald and Chisholm be the committee on Direct Unemployment, for 1934; seconded by Councillor Pugh and passed.

Moved by Councillor Pugh that Councillor Hillman be appointed to arrange for the printing of the minutes in the Digby Weekly Courier, these to be printed by February 1st, and also to arrange for the printing of copies of the by-laws; seconded by Councillor Fitzgerald and passed.

On motion the Council resolved into assessment committee, Councillor Woodman taking the chair pro tem. This committee rose to report later. The Warden resumed the chair.

On motion the Council adjourned until 2 p. m.

Council reassembled at 2 p. m., all attending Councillors present. The Warden in the chair.

On motion Mr. A. L. Robbins, agent Children's Aid Society came before the Council, telling of different wards of the Municipality in boarding homes and Institutions and asking for a continuation of the grant from the Municipality. The Warden thanked Mr. Robbins for his address.

Moved by Councillor Hillman that the Children's Aid Society be granted three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for 1934; seconded by Councillor Pugh and passed.

On motion Mr. A. J. Dillon came before the Council on behalf of the Digby General Hos-

pital, asking for a continuation of the grant from the Municipality. The Warden thanked Mr. Dillon and assured him his request would receive consideration.

On motion the committee on Matters Pertaining to the Poor and Harmless Insane held a sitting. The Keeper of the County Home being present.

The Finance committee also held a sitting.

The first named committee rose and Councillor Hillman read their report, which was on motion received and adopted.

The Finance committee rose to report later.

On motion the Council adjourned until 9.30 a. m., Saturday.

Saturday, Jan. 13th.

The Council met at 9.30 Saturday. The Warden in the chair. All Councillors present, except Councillors Marshall and Lent. Minutes of the previous day were read and approved.

The following Resolution was moved by Councillor Outhouse, seconded by Councillor Hankinson, and passed: "WHEREAS the sum of \$828.55 was spent on repairs for the County Home in 1933 and WHEREAS the sum of \$1072.39 was expended at the Court House for a new heating plant in the same year, and WHEREAS the said accounts are chargeable to Capital account BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Provincial Legislature be asked to permit the borrowing through the sale of debentures, of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00), and be further Resolved that the Warden and Clerk be authorized to obtain the necessary debentures without further instructions from the Council, AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk make a full explanation to the Deputy Attorney-General."

Upon the number of days present and distance travelled being read the following bills were ordered paid: The Warden, 5-13; \$23.80; Councillors Chisholm, 5-12; \$23.70; Cossaboom, 5-16; \$24.10; Lent, 5-40; 2 ferries; \$27.00; Pugh, 5-12; 4 ferries; \$32.20; Fitzgerald, 5-22; \$24.70; Outhouse, 6-30; \$30.00; Cornwell, 5-8; \$23.30; Woodman, 5-4; \$22.90; Hillman, 5-4; \$22.90; Hankinson, 5-22; \$24.70.

The minutes of the present session were read and approved.

After the singing of the National Anthem the Warden declared the Council adjourned sine die.

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE ON TENDERS AND PUBLIC PROPERTY FOR THE YEAR 1933.

To the Warden and Councillors of the Municipality of the District of Digby—

Your Committee on Tenders and Public Property beg leave to present the following report for the past year 1933:

COURT HOUSE

Your Committee had very little repairs this last year, just cleaning and varnishing the Clerk's Office, until on December 11, 1933, when the Heating Boiler gave out and your Committee was obliged to take action. On examination with the plumber, we found the old boiler and tubes beyond repair. Your Committee decided it would have to get a new boiler at once, so after a number of telegrams and telephone calls were exchanged, your Committee decided to new boiler from James Robertson & Sons of Saint John, N. B. We now have a new boiler installed which to the present works satisfactory. During the twenty days the Court House was without heat and the Officers of County had to find quarters else-

where. The cost of the new boiler, fittings and setting up, and removal of old boiler, amounted to Ten Hundred and Seventy-two Dollars and Thirty-nine Cents (\$1,072.39), this amount being paid from our regular fund of \$1,000.00. Your Committee Some provisions will have to be made by this Council during this Annual Meeting to replace this amount. The total amount for Court House Maintenance paid during the year 1933, not including the cost of installing the new boiler, amounts to \$1,054.51. This cost of boiler installed amounting to \$1,072.39. The Janitor's Salary for the year 1933 being \$400 per month was paid by Treasurer, less 10% amounting to \$360.00, making a grand total of \$2,558.90 for the year 1933. You voted for Court House Maintenance for year 1933, \$1,400.00. Your Committee would recommend a vote of \$1,400.00 for year 1934. Your Committee authorized for Coal for Court House, Tenders for A. R. Turnbull and H. T. Warner were received. The tender of H. T. Warner being accepted for one 30-ton car Springhill Screened Soft Coal to be delivered in bins in Court House.

JAIL

Your Committee issued order to the Jailor for Keepers of Prisoners and turnkeys for the year 1933 to the amount of \$1,273.00, this amount being much larger than year 1932

due to prisoners being sentenced to long terms. The total amount of orders issued during the year for Jail, not including the Jailor's Salary, was \$1,524.81; the Jailor's Salary of \$850.00 per month, less 10%, amounting to \$765.00, making a total amount of Jail Maintenance for year 1933, of \$2,289.81. You voted for Jail Maintenance for year 1933, \$1,600.00. Your Committee would recommend a vote of \$2,000.00 for year 1934.

OUTSIDE POOR

Your Committee issued orders during the year 1933 for the poor outside, to the amount of \$4,236.12, also, a number of bills were paid by this Committee marked "Direct Relief," amounting to \$417.79, making a total of Outside Poor for year of \$4,653.91. There are a number of bills outstanding which have not to date reached the chairman, of approximately Three to Four Hundred Dollars, which will make a total of about \$5,000.00 for year 1933. The Treasurer received from the Federal and Provincial Governments, a refund of \$265.36, to date, which makes a total for Outside Poor for the year 1933, approximately \$4,734.55. By keeping the different figures separate, you will be able to see, to whom the orders were issued, persons receiving the aid, and amount, viz:

District No. 1—Hillsburgh

Persons Receiving Aid	Amount
Expenses for Burial Geo. Morgan	\$ 4.39
Casket and Robe for Geo. Morgan	40.00
Profess. to Mrs. Henry Mailing	26.00
Goods to Fred Rice	5.60
Goods to Mrs. Morgan and Fred Rice	12.00
I. Hatt, E. Morgan and H. Mailing	6.80
Edgar Morgan and Henry Mailing	6.01
Edgar Morgan and Henry Mailing	10.75
Edgar Morgan	10.00
Edgar Morgan	.90
Edgar Morgan	4.60
Ezra Morgan	1.35
Expenses Arthur Hatt to N. S. Hospital	31.10
Taking Edgar Morgan, to Digby Hospital	7.00
	\$156.44

District No. 2—Marshalltown

Persons Receiving Aid	Amount
Services to John Dugas	\$ 2.00
John Dugas	27.93
Mrs. McLeod and Arthur Johnson	12.00
Mrs. Elizabeth Hanpou	8.00
Board Irene and Eileen Amero	42.00
Board to Mrs. McLeod and Ralph Jordan	10.00
Mrs. E. Hanpou	6.00
Mrs. McLeod and Arthur Johnson	12.00
Burial Nelson Ryan	15.00
Goods to Mrs. McLeod, A. Johnson, Hugh Amero	12.94
Mrs. E. Hanpou	6.00
Board Melvin Amero	28.50
Mrs. McLeod, A. Johnson and Hugh Amero	15.80
Board Irene and Eileen Amero	26.00
Mrs. E. Hanpou	6.00

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May 18—Frank Gates	Mrs. John Maxwell	3.00
May 18—J. A. Morehouse	Goods to Emery Comeau	5.00
June 3—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Prof. to Francis Miller	35.50
June 3—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Prof. to John Dugas	6.00
June 6—R. W. Marshall	Mrs. E. Hannon	6.00
June 6—W. W. DeLong	Mrs. McLeod and A. Johnson	12.00
July 5—W. W. DeLong	Arthur Johnson and Mrs. McLeod	12.00
July 12—R. W. E. Marshall	Mrs. E. Hannon	6.00
July 12—R. W. E. Marshall	Mrs. E. Hannon	6.00
July 27—Mrs. Henry Thibodeau	Board Irene and Eileen Amoro	33.00
Aug. 7—W. W. DeLong	Arthur Johnson and Mrs. McLeod	15.50
Sept. 7—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Prof. Services to Marion Thornton	49.50
Sept. 7—W. W. DeLong	Mrs. McLeod and A. Johnson	12.00
Sept. 7—R. W. E. Marshall	Mrs. E. Hannon	6.00
Sept. 19—Mrs. James Thibodeau	Board Melvin Amoro	33.00
Sept. 19—J. A. Morehouse	Chas. Lewis Child	10.50
Oct. 3—R. W. E. Marshall	Mrs. E. Hannon	6.00
Oct. 16—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Florence Amoro and Chas. Lewis	12.25
Oct. 16—W. W. DeLong	Mrs. McLeod and A. Johnson	15.00
Oct. 16—Mrs. Henry Thibodeau	Board Irene and Eileen Amoro	36.00
Oct. 26—R. W. E. Marshall	Goods Mrs. E. Hannon	6.00
Oct. 27—A. Keen	Burial Arthur Johnson	35.00
Nov. 5—W. W. DeLong	Mrs. McLeod and A. Johnson	12.00
Nov. 20—R. W. E. Marshall	Mrs. E. Hannon	6.00
Dec. 4—W. W. DeLong	A. Johnson and Mrs. McLeod	12.00
Dec. 19—R. W. E. Marshall	Mrs. E. Hannon	6.00
1934		
Jan. 4—W. W. DeLong	P. Perkins, A. Francis, Mrs. McLeod, A. Johnson	21.25

District No. 4—Sandy Cove		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Feb. 3—Mrs. Geo. Thibodeau	Nursing Mrs. James Titus	\$ 10.00
Feb. 22—P. E. Rice, M. D.	Mrs. Geo. Thibodeau	19.75
Apr. 1—Wm. L. Titus	Goods to Elijah Raymond	2.51
Apr. 27—B. P. Collins	J. Stark, V. Tidd, T. O'Neill and L. Trask	24.20
May 11—B. P. Collins	V. Tidd and Jos. Stark	13.43
June 15—Frank Saunders	Geo. Albright	2.50
June 15—B. P. Collins	V. Tidd and Jos. Stark	15.56
June 15—Chas. R. Morton	J. Titus, J. H. Hersey, Walter Walker and Minard Ossinger	38.98
June 16—Conrad L. Gidney	Burial W. J. Albright	25.00
July 12—Chas. A. Height	Tenny O'Neill	2.50
July 12—B. P. Collins	Pres. O'Neill, Jos. Stark and Vicie Tidd	16.99
Aug. 7—Frank Saunders	Harry O'Neill	3.15
Aug. 8—F. E. Rice, M. D.	Harley Dakin, Mrs. Albright, Mrs. Height and Sadie Thibodeau	23.70
Aug. 14—B. P. Collins	Vicie Tidd, P. O'Neill and Jos. Stark	21.50
Aug. 14—Chas. R. Morton	Goods to Elijah Raymond	19.97
Sept. 18—B. P. Collins	Pres. O'Neill, Joe Stark and V. Tidd	19.19
Sept. 20—B. P. Collins	Mrs. E. Raymond and Mary Thompson	77.50
Oct. 26—B. P. Collins	Joe Stark, V. Tidd and Pres. O'Neill	20.57
Dec. 5—B. P. Collins	T. O'Neill, J. Stark, P. Tidd, Pres. O'Neill, John P. Tidd	38.45
Dec. 19—Conrad L. Gidney	Burial Ellard T. Raymond	15.00

District No. 5—Freepoint		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Jan. 12—Mrs. A. R. Westcott	Curtis Higgins and Earl Titus	\$ 45.10
Jan. 12—A. F. Weir, M. D.	Curtis Higgins family	15.20
Aug. 14—A. F. Weir, M. D.	Services Vivian Bushey	32.32
Nov. 20—Mrs. A. R. Westcott	Goods to Earl Titus	100.25
Dec. 26—Mrs. Edgar Whiteneck	Board Rita Perry	12.00
Also bills marked Direct Relief were paid.		
Mar. 27—Mrs. A. R. Westcott	Pertins Higgins, Edwin Moore, Holland Thurber, Sedge Perry, Chas. Sullivan, Sam Foote and Wm. Sullivan	167.17
Nov. 20—Mrs. A. R. Westcott	Chas. Sullivan, Sledge Perry, Edwin Moore, Sam Foote and Curtis Higgins	25.92

District No. 6—Westport		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Jan. 11—E. B. Pugh	Milk Garnet Frost and Gordon Dakin	\$ 14.72
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Mrs. Clarence Weber and John Titus	34.50
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Board Len Denton	12.00
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Milk G. Dakin and G. Frost	4.96
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Goods to John E. Titus and C. Webber	20.17
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Goods to Garnet Frost	9.22
Mar. 8—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
Mar. 14—E. B. Pugh	Milk G. Frost and G. Denton	4.48
Mar. 14—T. M. Hicks	Goods to Garnet Frost	10.30
Mar. 14—E. B. Pugh	John Titus, G. Dakin, C. Dakin	50.46
Apr. 4—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
May 3—E. B. Pugh	Milk and Wood G. Frost, G. Dakin and W. Gower	11.80
May 3—T. M. Hicks	Goods to Ed. and Geo. Thomas	16.49
May 18—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
July 5—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
July 13—E. B. Pugh	Milk G. Frost and G. Denton	7.36
July 13—A. F. Weir, M. D.	Prof. to Clarence Titus	18.80
Aug. 7—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
Aug. 14—E. C. Cogins	Garnet Frost	10.01
Aug. 24—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
Sept. 18—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
Sept. 18—Frank McDormand	Goods to Garnet Frost	9.98
Oct. 27—E. C. Cogins	Board Len Denton	12.00
Dec. 4—E. B. Pugh	Goods to John Titus	9.32
Dec. 4—E. C. Cogins	Milk Gordon Dakin	7.28
1934	G. Dakin, G. Frost and John Titus	22.94
Jan. 3—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00

District No. 7—Plymouth		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Jan. 11—Mrs. William Amoro	Margaret Robicheau	\$ 65.00
Jan. 11—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Margaret Robicheau	14.75
Jan. 26—F. M. Grant	Melvin Amoro, Frank E. Amoro, H. Lewis and Jos. C. Amoro	14.00
Feb. 4—Mrs. Ida Amoro	Board Arline Gosson	16.00
Feb. 10—B. M. Nelson	J. L. Melanson, Frank Melanson, Jos. Amoro and Melvin Amoro	17.40
Feb. 22—Martin Dugas	Goods to James E. Taylor	9.10
Feb. 24—Wm. M. Warner	Goods to Kingsley Melanson	8.98
Mar. 14—Mrs. Amy Amoro	Goods to Kingsley Melanson	3.00
Mar. 14—Wm. H. Comeau	Board James E. Taylor	18.00
Apr. 4—Mrs. Amy Amoro	Board Henry Comeau	5.25
Apr. 5—Fred M. Grant	Board James E. Taylor	2.75
Apr. 20—Miss Ida Amoro	Mrs. Geo. Lewis	22.80
May 3—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Board Arline Gosson	83.75
May 11—F. M. Grant	J. L. Amoro, Jos. Amoro, Ada Melanson, Marg. Robicheau, E. Harding and Mrs. Geo. Lewis	2.75
May 11—Mrs. Wm. Amoro	Mrs. Geo. Lewis	65.00
May 12—Wm. H. Comeau	Board Marg. Robicheau	13.50
June 6—Martin Dugas	Board Henry Comeau	10.13
June 20—Ida Amoro	Goods to Albert Sabean	20.00
July 5—Mrs. Eva Amoro	Board Arline Gosson	6.00
July 5—Roy Melanson	Goods to Leonard Amoro	6.24
July 10—Wm. M. Warner	Milk and Eggs to Leonard Amoro	63.33
July 12—Martin Dugas	Wm. J. Amoro, Jos. Amoro, Frank O'Neill and Kingsley Melanson	11.62
Aug. 14—Mrs. William Amoro	Goods to Albert Sabean	65.00
Sept. 15—Mrs. Ida Amoro	Board Margaret Robicheau	22.00
Sept. 18—Wm. H. Comeau	Board Arline Gosson	1.28
Oct. 3—Wm. M. Warner	Board Henry Comeau	141.65
Oct. 3—Leonard E. Melanson	Melvin Melanson, Frank O'Neill, Kingsley Melanson, Wm. Dinkley and Wm. James	38.36
Oct. 3—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Board Chester Amoro	28.75
Oct. 16—Martin Dugas	Marg. Robicheau, Amoro and Henry Comeau	8.61
Dec. 4—Mrs. Ida Amoro	Goods to Albert Sabean	85.00
Dec. 19—Mrs. Ernest Gosson	Board Marg. Robicheau	18.00
Dec. 19—Wm. M. Warner	Board Arline Gosson	6.00

District No. 8—Weymouth North		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Feb. 27—Wm. Warner	Prof. Services to Basil Lewis	\$ 17.25
Mar. 8—Wm. Warner	Casket and Hearse to Basil Lewis	45.00
	Prof. Services to Basil Lewis	8.00
	Goods to Basil Lewis	21.45
	Goods to Floyd Tidd	1.75
	E. Rodney Robicheau to Alms House	1.67
	Rodney Robicheau	1.75
	Prof. to Hiram Amoro	12.00
	Hiram Adlers to N. S. Hospital	33.50

District No. 9—Sandy Cove		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Feb. 6—J. R. McCleave, M. D.	Nursing Mrs. James Titus	\$ 10.00
Feb. 16—S. A. Keen	Mrs. Geo. Thibodeau	19.75
Feb. 24—E. DuVernet, M. D.	Goods to Elijah Raymond	2.51
Apr. 18—J. W. Cornwell	J. Stark, V. Tidd, T. O'Neill and L. Trask	24.20
June 15—C. W. Cornwell	V. Tidd and Jos. Stark	13.43
July 27—F. Worthyvale	Geo. Albright	2.50
Aug. 8—F. E. Rice, M. D.	V. Tidd and Jos. Stark	15.56
Dec. 19—F. E. Rice, M. D.	J. Titus, J. H. Hersey, Walter Walker and Minard Ossinger	38.98

District No. 10—Sandy Cove		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Jan. 26—C. L. Snow	Burial W. J. Albright	25.00
Feb. 6—Norman Collins	Tenny O'Neill	2.50
Feb. 6—C. O. Morgan	Pres. O'Neill, Jos. Stark and Vicie Tidd	16.99
Feb. 15—S. A. Keen	Harry O'Neill	3.15
Feb. 21—C. L. Snow	Harley Dakin, Mrs. Albright, Mrs. Height and Sadie Thibodeau	23.70
Feb. 21—O. F. Woodman	Vicie Tidd, P. O'Neill and Jos. Stark	21.50
Mar. 15—C. L. Snow	Goods to Elijah Raymond	19.97
Mar. 27—C. L. Snow	Mrs. E. Raymond and Mary Thompson	77.50
Apr. 4—O. F. Woodman	Joe Stark, V. Tidd and Pres. O'Neill	20.57
Apr. 5—C. L. Snow	T. O'Neill, J. Stark, P. Tidd, Pres. O'Neill, John P. Tidd	38.45
May 18—C. L. Snow	Burial Ellard T. Raymond	15.00
June 15—C. L. Snow	L. Trask, W. Stanton, Joe Stark and Vicie Tidd	27.05
June 15—C. L. Snow	James Titus	2.07
July 12—C. L. Snow	Wallace Stanton	4.43
July 12—C. L. Snow	V. Tidd, Joe Stark, T. O'Neill and N. Addington	23.74
July 27—Elmer B. Weir	T. O'Neill, Preston O'Neill, Joe Stark, John Walker and F. Tidd	32.58

District No. 11—Sandy Cove		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Jan. 12—Mrs. A. R. Westcott	Curtis Higgins and Earl Titus	\$ 45.10
Jan. 12—A. F. Weir, M. D.	Curtis Higgins family	15.20
Aug. 14—A. F. Weir, M. D.	Services Vivian Bushey	32.32
Nov. 20—Mrs. A. R. Westcott	Goods to Earl Titus	100.25
Dec. 26—Mrs. Edgar Whiteneck	Board Rita Perry	12.00
Also bills marked Direct Relief were paid.		
Mar. 27—Mrs. A. R. Westcott	Pertins Higgins, Edwin Moore, Holland Thurber, Sedge Perry, Chas. Sullivan, Sam Foote and Wm. Sullivan	167.17
Nov. 20—Mrs. A. R. Westcott	Chas. Sullivan, Sledge Perry, Edwin Moore, Sam Foote and Curtis Higgins	25.92

District No. 12—Sandy Cove		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Jan. 11—E. B. Pugh	Milk Garnet Frost and Gordon Dakin	\$ 14.72
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Mrs. Clarence Weber and John Titus	34.50
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Board Len Denton	12.00
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Milk G. Dakin and G. Frost	4.96
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Goods to John E. Titus and C. Webber	20.17
Feb. 13—E. B. Pugh	Goods to Garnet Frost	9.22
Mar. 8—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
Mar. 14—E. B. Pugh	Milk G. Frost and G. Denton	4.48
Mar. 14—T. M. Hicks	Goods to Garnet Frost	10.30
Mar. 14—E. B. Pugh	John Titus, G. Dakin, C. Dakin	50.46
Apr. 4—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
May 3—E. B. Pugh	Milk and Wood G. Frost, G. Dakin and W. Gower	11.80
May 3—T. M. Hicks	Goods to Ed. and Geo. Thomas	16.49
May 18—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
July 5—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
July 13—E. B. Pugh	Milk G. Frost and G. Denton	7.36
July 13—A. F. Weir, M. D.	Prof. to Clarence Titus	18.80
Aug. 7—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
Aug. 14—E. C. Cogins	Garnet Frost	10.01
Aug. 24—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
Sept. 18—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00
Sept. 18—Frank McDormand	Goods to Garnet Frost	9.98
Oct. 27—E. C. Cogins	Board Len Denton	12.00
Dec. 4—E. B. Pugh	Goods to John Titus	9.32
Dec. 4—E. C. Cogins	Milk Gordon Dakin	7.28
1934	G. Dakin, G. Frost and John Titus	22.94
Jan. 3—Frank McDormand	Board Len Denton	12.00

District No. 13—Sandy Cove		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Jan. 11—Mrs. William Amoro	Margaret Robicheau	\$ 65.00
Jan. 11—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Margaret Robicheau	14.75
Jan. 26—F. M. Grant	Melvin Amoro, Frank E. Amoro, H. Lewis and Jos. C. Amoro	14.00
Feb. 4—Mrs. Ida Amoro	Board Arline Gosson	16.00
Feb. 10—B. M. Nelson	J. L. Melanson, Frank Melanson, Jos. Amoro and Melvin Amoro	17.40
Feb. 22—Martin Dugas	Goods to James E. Taylor	9.10
Feb. 24—Wm. M. Warner	Goods to Kingsley Melanson	8.98
Mar. 14—Mrs. Amy Amoro	Goods to Kingsley Melanson	3.00
Mar. 14—Wm. H. Comeau	Board James E. Taylor	18.00
Apr. 4—Mrs. Amy Amoro	Board Henry Comeau	5.25
Apr. 5—Fred M. Grant	Board James E. Taylor	2.75
Apr. 20—Miss Ida Amoro	Mrs. Geo. Lewis	22.80
May 3—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Board Arline Gosson	83.75
May 11—F. M. Grant	J. L. Amoro, Jos. Amoro, Ada Melanson, Marg. Robicheau, E. Harding and Mrs. Geo. Lewis	2.75
May 11—Mrs. Wm. Amoro	Mrs. Geo. Lewis	65.00
May 12—Wm. H. Comeau	Board Marg. Robicheau	13.50
June 6—Martin Dugas	Board Henry Comeau	10.13
June 20—Ida Amoro	Goods to Albert Sabean	20.00
July 5—Mrs. Eva Amoro	Board Arline Gosson	6.00
July 5—Roy Melanson	Goods to Leonard Amoro	6.24
July 10—Wm. M. Warner	Milk and Eggs to Leonard Amoro	63.33
July 12—Martin Dugas	Wm. J. Amoro, Jos. Amoro, Frank O'Neill and Kingsley Melanson	11.62
Aug. 14—Mrs. William Amoro	Goods to Albert Sabean	65.00
Sept. 15—Mrs. Ida Amoro	Board Margaret Robicheau	22.00
Sept. 18—Wm. H. Comeau	Board Arline Gosson	1.28
Oct. 3—Wm. M. Warner	Board Henry Comeau	141.65
Oct. 3—Leonard E. Melanson	Melvin Melanson, Frank O'Neill, Kingsley Melanson, Wm. Dinkley and Wm. James	38.36
Oct. 3—W. C. Harris, M. D.	Board Chester Amoro	28.75
Oct. 16—Martin Dugas	Marg. Robicheau, Amoro and Henry Comeau	8.61
Dec. 4—Mrs. Ida Amoro	Goods to Albert Sabean	85.00
Dec. 19—Mrs. Ernest Gosson	Board Marg. Robicheau	18.00
Dec. 19—Wm. M. Warner	Board Arline Gosson	6.00

District No. 14—Sandy Cove		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Feb. 6—J. R. McCleave, M. D.	Nursing Mrs. James Titus	\$ 10.00
Feb. 16—S. A. Keen	Mrs. Geo. Thibodeau	19.75
Feb. 24—E. DuVernet, M. D.	Goods to Elijah Raymond	2.51
Apr. 18—J. W. Cornwell	J. Stark, V. Tidd, T. O'Neill and L. Trask	24.20
June 15—C. W. Cornwell	V. Tidd and Jos. Stark	13.43
July 27—F. Worthyvale	Geo. Albright	2.50
Aug. 8—F. E. Rice, M. D.	V. Tidd and Jos. Stark	15.56
Dec. 19—F. E. Rice, M. D.	J. Titus, J. H. Hersey, Walter Walker and Minard Ossinger	38.98

District No. 15—Sandy Cove		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Jan. 26—C. L. Snow	Burial W. J. Albright	25.00
Feb. 6—Norman Collins	Tenny O'Neill	2.50
Feb. 6—C. O. Morgan	Pres. O'Neill, Jos. Stark and Vicie Tidd	16.99
Feb. 15—S. A. Keen	Harry O'Neill	3.15
Feb. 21—C. L. Snow	Harley Dakin, Mrs. Albright, Mrs. Height and Sadie Thibodeau	23.70
Feb. 21—O. F. Woodman	Vicie Tidd, P. O'Neill and Jos. Stark	21.50
Mar. 15—C. L. Snow	Goods to Elijah Raymond	19.97
Mar. 27—C. L. Snow	Mrs. E. Raymond and Mary Thompson	77.50
Apr. 4—O. F. Woodman	Joe Stark, V. Tidd and Pres. O'Neill	20.57
Apr. 5—C. L. Snow	T. O'Neill, J. Stark, P. Tidd, Pres. O'Neill, John P. Tidd	38.45
May 18—C. L. Snow	Burial Ellard T. Raymond	15.00
June 15—C. L. Snow	L. Trask, W. Stanton, Joe Stark and Vicie Tidd	27.05
June 15—C. L. Snow	James Titus	2.07
July 12—C. L. Snow	Wallace Stanton	4.43
July 12—C. L. Snow	V. Tidd, Joe Stark, T. O'Neill and N. Addington	23.74
July 27—Elmer B. Weir	T. O'Neill, Preston O'Neill, Joe Stark, John Walker and F. Tidd	32.58

District No. 16—Sandy Cove		
Date	To Whom Payable	Amount
Jan. 12—Mrs. A. R. Westcott	Curtis Higgins and Earl Titus	\$ 45.10
Jan. 12—A. F. Weir, M. D.	Curtis Higgins family	15.20
Aug. 14—A. F. Weir, M. D.	Services Vivian Bushey	32.32
Nov. 2		

REGULAR MEETING DATES

Children's Aid Society, 1st Friday of every month, 4 o'clock, Town Hall.
 Victorian Order of Nurses, 2nd Tuesday of each month, 3 o'clock, Court House.
 Hospital Board, 2nd Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Hospital.
 King Solomon Lodge, A. F. and A. M., 1st Tuesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
 St. George Lodge, I. O. O. F., every Friday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
 Zelman Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., 2nd and 4th Monday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
 Town Council, last Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
 Hospital Ladies' Aid, last Friday of each month, at the Court House.
 Fire Company, 1st Wednesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
 Night K'wanza Club, Luncheon on board S. S. Princess, Helene, 42:15 noon, Mondays (unless special notice be given).

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Sunday, January 28, 1934

STANDARDS OF THE KINGDOM

Golden Text: — "Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God."—Matthew 5:8.

Lesson Passage:—Matthew 5:1-12, 43-48.

Lord, help me to live the Gospel I profess.
 May each look and word and action, these confessions;
 May every deed be prompted by thy love;
 Grave to do thy will be granted from above;
 All the truth which thou hast taught me
 Help me to live;
 Freely then, these truths to others I may give.

Christ, the Teacher, I. 2

A very painful exhibit may be made by collecting sermon subjects from Saturday newspapers throughout North America. Some of the themes are flippant and trivial. Occasionally themes are actually vulgar. Many of them deal with current events without any indication of eternal principles. Many have no flavor of the Gospel though today True, the sermons may be better than the sermon titles, but with great themes to discuss in the pulpit, why should catchy, flashy questions be used as baits for attendance? It may be that ministers who phrase those titles are less to blame than church members who refuse to go to church unless their ears are tickled with something sensational. To read several pages of these Saturday sermon announcements and then to read the Beatitudes in the fifth chapter of Matthew is to move from the ridiculous to the sublime. Christ was not afraid to discuss the most sacred truths of conduct and faith with common people who heard him, gladly because he respected their intelligence and knew that life was no sham battle. The Beatitudes set forth lasting truths. They were valid when Christ spoke them; they are valid in the twentieth century as in the first century. Many sermon themes in newspapers and on billboards should be labelled "Good for this day and date only." The sermon on the Mount has stood the testing of the ages.

Christ's Faith in Men, 3-9

Jesus Christ believed in men. He believes in us. He taught the Beatitudes about meekness to John, the man with a voice of thunder. He taught the Beatitudes about the peacemaker to Peter who was too ready with his sword. He taught the Beatitudes about the poor in spirit to Thomas who was prone to take a dark view of things. Jesus expected his disciples to live the Beatitudes. They did not do it all at once. They never lived them perfectly, but they entered into the spirit of the Beatitudes, and henceforth went in the direction of the ideal Jesus set forth. Perhaps the Beatitudes will seem a little nearer within our reach if the words are translated into modern terms such as playing fair, not making trouble, being an apostle of the square deal, having a clean tongue, something of those intangible qualities indicated by the phrase, "a good sport." Jesus did not waste his time teaching impossible ideals. He knew enough about human nature to believe confidently in the heights to which it could attain.

Persecution, 10-12

Our Lord was dealing with actualities when he spoke about persecution. Nearly all his disciples met violent deaths. He himself was crucified upon a cross. In the early Christian centuries persecution was a commonplace of Christian experience. In recent times Christians have been persecuted in mission lands; witness the Christians during the Boxer rebellion in China, and during recent years of civil war in China. Japanese Christians have been ruthlessly punished for pacifism. Russian Christians have been exiled because they would not accept Lenin's form of Communism. In recent months German Christians have had to risk life itself withstanding governmental decrees in Germany. In North America persecution has remained more in the realm of social disfavor than



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Some year ago—possibly 20 and it may have been 30—quite a number of the bound files of The Digby Weekly Courier, were borrowed, and taken away from the office, but by whom nobody knows, except those who have them. The late Isaiah Wilson once told us that he was not sure about them all being bound—but he knew they had been loaned, as a former manager of the Courier told him he had handed them out himself. It is possible these files are still in existence in somebody's attic. They belong to us and we would like to have them. But we do not want those who have them to have any trouble for nothing after all these years; as the chances are that the party who borrowed them has "passed on" ere this, so we will give two full years' subscription for every year's file returned.

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GENERAL NEWS FROM HERE AND THERE

Carlos Mendota, 60-year-old veteran of four decades of political battling, on Wednesday accepted the presidency of Cuba, leading the south government Cuba has had in a little more than five months, taking over office from the youthful Carlos Hevia, who held sway for three days after taking office, while bullets whizzed outside the presidential palace.

Vice Admiral Huguemau Suetsugu, commander of the Japanese Navy, who was reported in the Gendai monthly magazine, as saying that "Japan must prepare and is preparing to defend herself against what appears to be America's policy of hostility, encircling Japan by every possible means," said that he did not know if he had been quoted correctly or not.

Five high French officials and five other persons were burned to death when the giant tri-motored aeroplane, the Emeraude, pride of the French commercial fleet, fell in flames and exploded at Cognin, in France, on a return flight from French Indo-China.

Disaster threatened the second Antarctic expedition of Rear Admiral Byrd, when 100,000 tons of ice crashed near the expedition flag ship, at Little America, Antarctica.

The London Times is quoted as saying the Government had informed agencies that not more than 350,000 standards of Russian soft woods may be brought into England this year.

A proposed New York to Bermuda air line service came under discussion in the House of Assembly, in Bermuda, recently. This scheme would unite the Imperial and Pan-American Airways.

Clarence Guy Gordon Haddon pleaded guilty at London, England, on a charge of attempting to blackmail King George. He was released on suspended sentence.

Masonic Lodges have been ordered closed in Germany, by Hermann Wilhelm Goerring the Prussian Premier, on the grounds that there was no further need for their existence.

The people of India were warned of

the big quake which rocked all India, killing hundreds, by mystics who were ready for the quake.

An outbreak by some of the most desperate criminals of the Tucker Prison Farm, Arkansas, resulted in three of the convicts being slain by the guards.

Miss Edna Parsons, teacher at Harbor Grace Newfoundland, was burned to death in a \$20,000 hotel fire in that town on Thursday last.

Rev. C. K. K. Prosser, the rector at Alert Bay, B. C., performed a mass wedding ceremony recently, when twenty-eight Indians and their families marched there from the Kwakwaka'wekw Indian reserve after being refused relief because they were unmarried and could not qualify for assistance.

Nor was our own fair province simply keeping quiet behind the snow banks. Detectives and police officials from Boston, accompanied by reporters and photographers, were scouring Digby and Shelburne counties in the man-hunt for the slayer of Maybelle Matheson whose murder had taken place seven years ago, on West Roxbury, and of the attacker of Mabel Farrington, the Oak Park

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school teacher, several years ago. This investigation resulted in the suicide on Saturday morning last of Tom, Wilson, of North Bangor who feared being questioned in connection with the matter.

More W. House walked to his death in the LaHave River as the ice gave way while he was crossing it. He was the third victim of the LaHave in a month.

A 20,000 fire loss occurred in Turo, and the village of Bear River was endangered as the raged the Oakdene Academy building and the Church of

England, with a loss of \$30,000.

As has probably been noticed by many persons on looking at their calendars, there will be no full moon in February. This unusual occurrence happens on an average of about once in 22 or 23 years, but at irregular intervals. The last month not having a full moon were in the Februarys of 1013 and 1885. It will not happen again until 1961.

Miss June Mattinson, who has been spending the past few weeks with her uncle, Rev. Father Melanson, left recently for Armdale.

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Ronald Robicheau,	Waterford	228
Chas. Grant,	From spoorhouse at Waterville	350
Ingram Hall	Bear River	38
Insane Inmates		
Agnes Willett,	Culloden	365
Oliver Dunn,	Culloden	365
Elizabeth Bain,	Culloden	365
Etta Lewis,	Freeport	365
Lottie Raymond,	N. Weymouth	365
Fanny Morrell,	Barlton	365
Lillian Titus,	Central Cove	365
Mildred Rice,	Digby	365
Flossie Melanson,	Ashmore	365
Annie Nichols,	Acadville	365
Will Snell,	Bear River	365
Fred Thomas,	Sandy Cove	365
Frank Buskirk,	Bloomfield	365
Harold Warner,	Grand Pre	365
Harry Smith,	Marshalltown	365
Arthur Melanson,	Weymouth North	365

Total \$9,506

E. B. BALSER, Keeper

REPORT OF ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE

We your committee on assessment hereby recommend that the following uncollectible taxes be cancelled or recorded from the different rolls mentioned below, and the collectors relieved.

District	Year	Cancelled	Recorded
Plymouth	1933	\$67.60	\$120.53
Smith's Cove	1933	\$7.14	204.14
Rossway	1933	13.20	74.13
Westport	1933	35.60	138.60
Weymouth	1933	27.60	35.51
Weymouth Village Supply	1933	4.38	67.86
Freeport	1933	10.15	14.76
Tiverton	1933	11.53	12.60
Sandy Cove	1933	31.70	40.40
Culloden	1933	5.30	17.60
1931		5.30	
Hillsburgh	1933	27.20	135.49
Brighthelm	1933	50.71	95.80
Weymouth North	1933	51.85	7.88
Weymouth North Village	1933		
Supply	1933		

Moved by Councillor FitzGerald, seconded by the Warden and passed that Mrs. Minnie Trask have 1933 taxes to the amount of \$10.50 cancelled and her assessment be reduced by two hundred and fifty dollars, the assessor and collector to be so notified.

(Signed)
Henry W. Cossaboom, Chairman.
D. C. Outhouse, Secretary.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

We your committee on Finance and Public Accounts hereby recommend that the following bills be paid to the persons mentioned below and the same, with any estimate mentioned be assessed upon the Municipality.

John Freeman—Assessor No. 1	\$ 30.00
D. C. McKay—Assessor No. 2	35.00
E. J. Stoughton—Assessor No. 3	24.00
Ernest Haines—Assessor No. 4	20.00
Albert Dakin—Assessor No. 5	20.00
Therophilus Melanson—Assessor No. 6	42.50
F. H. Leat—Assessor No. 7	24.50
Wm. Cossaboom—Assessor No. 13	15.00
Frederick Raymond—Assessor No. 15	24.00
E. R. Thomas—Assessor No. 16	30.00
C. Y. Young—Assessor No. 17	50.00
P. O. Hankinson—Assessor No. 22	10.00
Union N. S. Municipalities	54.38
E. J. Theriault	42.50
A. A. Theriault, Registrar Deeds Office	50.71
E. F. Hankinson, Committee	49.08
Conrad Gidney, Run-killed by dogs	5.00
Norval Morehouse, Sheep Valuer	100.00
Medical Health Officer	25.00
Court Clerk	15.00
Court Constable	50.00
Wardens' Salary	5.70
Mrs. W. P. Reid, Revision Board	9.70
G. O. Hankinson, Revision Board	15.00
H. P. Bowers, Revision Board	
Telephone for Jail (one half year)	

ESTIMATES

Court House Maintenance	1,200.00
Jailers' Salary and Jail Maintenance	1,500.00
Outside Poor	4,250.00
Inside Poor	4,000.00
Victoria Bridge Keeper	150.00
Tiverton Bridge Keeper	10.00
Municipal Clerk's Salary	900.00
Stationery and Stamps	150.00
Printing	6,000.00
Nova Scotia Hospital	500.00
Confederacy	1,500.00
Council and Committees	1,000.00
Jury Fund and Criminal Prosecutions	1,000.00
Court House and Jail Debtenture and Interest	11,000.00
Education	90.00
Children's Aid Society	300.00
Digby General Hospital Estimated Expenses	450.00
Public Charities	2,500.00
Commission on Rates	1,800.00
Interest	600.00
Vital Statistics	100.00
Public Health	100.00
Victoria General Hospital	100.00
Digby Hospital Grant	150.00
Digby Farmers' Association	15.00
Direct Unemployment Relief Sinking Fund and Debtenture Int.	875.00

(Signed)
W. C. Woodman, Acting Chairman.
H. Chisholm, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE POOR AND HARMLESS INSANE

We your committee on Matters Pertaining to the Poor and Harmless Insane have examined the accounts for 1933 and find the following expenses:

Spent for Outside Poor	\$4,539.91
Spent for Inside Poor	4,293.61
	\$8,943.52

We would recommend for the Estimates for 1934:

For Outside Poor	\$2,500.00
For Inside Poor	4,000.00
	\$6,500.00

We find after examination of the accounts for the previous year the necessity for a recommendation for the cutting out of the purchase of a number of articles used at the Alms House that are classed as luxuries.

(Signed)
J. F. Hillman, Chairman.
W. C. Woodman,
H. W. Cossaboom.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

ASSETS	
Fixed Assets:	
Court House and Jail	\$ 75,000.00
Alms House Land	3,000.00
Court House Land	13,000.00
Alms House Bonds	20,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures, Court House	1,400.00
Furniture and Fixtures, Alms House	1,600.00
Farm Equipment, Alms House	438.60
	\$114,438.60
Current Assets:	
Bank of Nova Scotia, Direct Relief	3,209.54
Taxes Receivable—1933	\$ 21,662.96
1932	5,493.43

1931 and Previous	1,873.40
1930 and Previous	615.67
	\$ 29,536.46
Less Reserve for Taxes	2,000.00
Live Stock, Alms House	557.00
Farm Supplies, Alms House	354.20
	911.20
Deferred Assets:	
Direct Relief	1,173.74
Heating Apparatus, Court House	1,079.39
Suspense Acct.	161.81
	\$148,507.74

LIABILITIES AND MUNICIPAL SURPLUS

Current Liabilities:	
Current Acct. Bank Overdraft	\$ 8,555.40
Bonds Payable	20,000.00
School Grants Owng	1,213.49
Bond Interest Payable	143.75
Accounts Payable	18,977.38
Sinking Fund Reserve	6,000.00
	\$100,140.89
Surplus Acct.	2,054.77
Less Surplus Adjustments	
	\$ 98,086.12
Deficit for the year	4,468.49

Certified correct from the books.
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REVENUE AND EXPENSE ACCT.

Revenue	
Assessment 1933	\$48,055.30
Sundry Income	388.60
Town of Digby—Joint Expense	3,877.51
District of Clare—Joint Expense	272.46
	\$52,593.87
Less Recorded Rates and Tax Refunds	3,554.51
	\$49,039.36

Expenditure	
Commission on Rates	\$ 2,044.15
Coupon Interest	806.79
Bank Interest	688.40
Court House Expense	1,739.05
Jail and Jailor	1,806.71
Criminal Prosecution	945.26
Inside Poor	4,285.72
Outside Poor	3,836.76
Vital Statistics	119.60
Public Health	100.00
Provincial Highway Tax	8,108.14
Sheep Fund	26.40
School Grants	10,204.90
General and Contingent (List Attached)	4,662.71
Insurance and Expense, Alms House, Court House	717.79
Nova Scotia Sanatorium	336.60
Nova Scotia Hospital	6,735.00
Victoria General Hospital	1,043.50
N. S. Training School for Mentally Deficient	
Children	597.64
Digby General Hospital	2,249.74
Children's Aid Society	1,374.00
Sinking Fund Reserve	1,000.00
	\$53,507.76
DEFICIT FOR YEAR	\$ 4,468.49

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

Disbursements	
Overdraft—Bank Current Acct. Jan. 1st, 1933	\$ 1,000.00
Bonds Paid, Court House and Jail	1,609.90
Commission on Rates	731.25
Coupon Interest	688.40
Bank Interest	1,238.05
Court House Expense	1,861.71
Jail and Jailor	945.26
Criminal Prosecution	717.79
Alms House	4,285.72
Inside Poor	4,715.44
Outside Poor	119.60
Vital Statistics	36.40
Sheep Fund	9,037.57
Schools	2,130.37
Nova Scotia Hospital	336.60
Nova Scotia Sanatorium	302.62
Kings County Hospital	1,874.00
Digby General Hospital	1,885.39
Children's Aid Society	4,524.21
General and Contingent	586.00
Direct Relief Transfer to Bank Acct.	39,534.31
	\$52,387.86

Receipts	
Rates 1933	\$25,223.56
1932	10,355.43
1931	3,872.00
1930 and Previous	27.09
Village Supply 1933	163.97
Village Supply 1932	5.66
Dog Tax 1933	24.00
Dog Tax 1932	13.00
Direct Relief	2,418.50
Recorded Rates	23.81
Municipality Clare	31.51
Town of Digby	674.91
Mrs. Emma Hoyt (for Kings County Hospital)	32.62
Sundry Income	308.09
Overdraft Bank Current Acct. Dec. 31st, 1933	\$43,002.16
	\$52,357.56

ANALYSIS OF GENERAL AND CONTINGENT ACCT.

Council and Committees	\$ 1,344.69
Salaries	837.80
Stationery	67.81
Printing	108.62
Postage and Revenue Stamps	92.08
Auditors' Fees, 1933	\$ 60.00
Auditors' Fees, 1932	30.00
Rent	90.00
Assessors and Revisors	396.50
Bridge Keepers	170.00
Court Clerk	25.00
Court Constable	15.00
Insurance	32.57
Exchange	13.47
Registrar Deeds Office	73.06
Solicitor's Fees	47.00
Warrant Costs	29.00
Recording Costs	72.00
Probate Office Supplies	8.05
Inquests	32.00
Sheep Fund	3.00
Digby Co. Farmer's Ass'n. 2 years	50.00
Union Nova Scotia Municipalities	10.00
Public Charity:	
St. Joseph's Orphanage	260.58
Home of Good Shepherd	444.95
Interdenominational Home for Young Women	176.32
Soldiers' Memorial Hospital	42.00
Middleton	28.55
John Thibideau (allowed by Council)	952.40
	\$ 4,562.71

DIRECT UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

Revenue	
Transfer from Current Acct.	\$ 586.00
Sale of Bonds	3,500.00
Bond Interest Accrued	55.71
Bank Interest Earned	39.26
	\$ 4,180.97
Payments	
Interest Bank Overdraft Apl.	90
Interest Bank Overdraft May	2.75
Interest Coupons	87.50
Orders Paid April	604.55

SCHOOL CONCERT IN CENTRE-VILLE

On Saturday evening last, in the Centreville Hall, a concert was given by various of the school pupils together with a number of the other young people of the community for the purpose of raising money to buy a set of chemical equipment for the school. The programme which consisted of both instrumental and vocal music, dialogues, recitations, short plays and stunts, was intended to be of a popular rather than instructive nature. It would be unfair to try to name outstanding numbers on the program as the greater part of the entire program was enthusiastically received by an audience which was surprisingly large considering weather conditions.

In order to supplement the amount raised by the sale of tickets, ice cream and candy were sold during the intermission. Those most closely connected with the school are very grateful to the generous people who gave the materials for, and made, the candy and ice cream. Without this assistance it would have been impossible to obtain the desired objective. As it was, however, sufficient money was raised to buy the required equipment, pay the expenses incidental to the concert, and leave a small surplus which will be used to buy more chemicals when the supply becomes exhausted through use. The concert was under the direction of the school principal, Wm. C. Hankinson, who was assisted in his capacity as director, by the primary teachers, Mrs. Vernon Greenough.

THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA

An exceptionally strong cash and liquid position, together with deposits of approximately \$5,000,000 and satisfactory earnings are features of the 1933 Annual Report of The Bank of Nova Scotia now being sent to the shareholders. The cash held consisting of current coin, Dominion notes, United States and other foreign currencies and deposit in the Central Gold Reserve is 15.65 per cent. of liabilities to the public compared with 14.09 per cent. of the previous year. Similarly, readily available assets are approximately 61 per cent. of public liabilities. These percentages indicate the unusually strong working capital position of the Bank enabling it to give full assistance to industry and enterprise in any expansion of business that may occur.

The Bank's investments, all shown at not exceeding market value, are \$79,190,271, the increase of \$4,001,291 for the year being entirely represented in Dominion, Provincial and Municipal Securities. Call loans in Canada and elsewhere show a reduction of \$4,234,843. Current loans in Canada at \$97,117,482 show a slight increase. Current loans elsewhere in Canada declined \$507,365. The total assets of the Bank at \$270,316,753 represent an increase of \$5,402,636.

Total deposits at \$207,592,360 are up roundly \$5,000,000 or 2.42 per cent. over last year; the increase being mainly in non-interest bearing deposits. Notwithstanding the continuation of the business depression, which now happily shows some signs of lifting, the Bank has made an excellent showing in respect to earnings. They amount to \$2,935,900 or a return for only \$284.54 compared with last year. Out of these earnings the Bank paid dividends amounting to \$1,540,000, while \$250,000 of Bank Premises, contributed \$115,000 to the Officers' Pension Fund and paid the Dominion government \$112,000 taxes on its circulation. \$63,124 is carried forward in the Profit and Loss Account.

It is of interest to note that the Statement now issued is the 102nd Annual Report of the Bank, having been established in 1832. This fine old Bank has paid dividends uninterruptedly since its incorporation.

Frank Jones, K. C., returned on Friday last after an extended visit to Toronto and Edmonton.

Orders Paid May	275.73
Bank Acct.—Balance Dec. 31st, 1933	911.43
	\$ 3,209.54

Collector	1933	1932	1931	1930	1929 & Prev.
J. A. Andrews	\$ 986.75	\$ 312.26	\$ 74.26	\$ 68.22	\$
H. A. Blackadar		813.18			
H. A. Blackadar—Village Supply		153.17			
W. H. Brooks			84.90		
W. H. Brooks—Village Supply			13.33		
George Delaney	157.37	193.23	138.92	80.26	A
Elias Evered and C. M. Nase			14.00		
John Freeman		274.04	411.37		80.57
John Freeman—Snow Tax			4.14		
P. E. Fillet					65.68
Village Supply					24.06
Wilfred Gidney				79.01	
E. R. Gaudet	1,626.03	333.76	149.22	41.00	9.81
C. H. Gower	448.20				
Leslie Height	4,226.48		38.85		
A. Mulse	947.19		3.60		
J. A. Mulse—Village Supply	1,885.00	443.02			
L. B. Marshall					
P. A. Morehouse	1,883.80	205.56			
Jesse Marshall		41.34			
C. C. Nichol	1,490.74		380.08		
C. D. Rice	2,264.00		24.86		
Chas. Robicheau Est.	2,120.75	1,539.16	4.40	6.70	27
Lemuel Raymond	1,470.32	55.69			
P. S. Smith					
E. O. Turnbull		714.70	353.43	86.52	27
C. E. Turnbull					
	\$21,562.99	\$5,483.43	\$1,873.40	\$373.76	\$345.94

LETTER OF THANKS.

On behalf of the corporation and members of St. John's church, I wish to sincerely thank all those who so kindly assisted in salvaging the contents of our Church at the recent fire. Also to express our deep appreciation to Rev. M. Blanchard and Rev. Mr. Steeles and the elders of their respective churches for their kind offer of the use of their Churches. Also the many friends who expressed their sympathy in our great loss. We look forward to rebuilding and with the help of our many friends in due time hope to be in our new church.

On behalf of the Corporation and Members,
Yours for Service
Rev. A. W. L. Smith

WESTPORT

The Willing Workers met in the church parlour on Thursday evening. When the following officers were appointed:
President—Mrs. Randolph Gower
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Albert Thompson
Secretary—Mrs. John Swift
Entertainment Committee—Mrs. John Swift, Mrs. Albert Moore, Mrs. Ernest McDermott, Mrs. Holland Titus and Miss Ina Thompson.
Refreshment Committee—Mrs. Albert Moore, Mrs. Irvin Thompson, Mrs. Frank Cousins, Mrs. Coleman Dakin, Mrs. Clarence Titus, Mrs. Lulu Repoll and Mrs. Albert Thompson.

ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTES

Rev. E. E. Gabriel, P. P.

Septuagesima Sunday, January 28. The church now enters the penumbra of her Lenten Eclipse and all her services are shadowed with the sombre hue of the approaching season of humiliation. The name of this Sunday implies that it is 70 days to the Feast of the Resurrection or rather 40 days may be to the centre of that Festival.
8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Matins and Sermon
3.00 p.m.—Evensong at Marshalltown.
7.00 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon

This afternoon's pictures will tell of Church work in the Diocese of Caledonia, including the Peace River District.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1934

PUBLICITY AND CRIME

It is a pity that Commissioner Hultman, of Boston, has been betrayed by subordinate in the search for an alleged criminal in Nova Scotia, says the Gloucester Daily Times. Kiteville is being cast on the well-meaning commissioner because one of his captains journeyed to Nova Scotia with a battery of newspaper men and photographers to examine a man who might know something about a murder which occurred seven years ago. Mr. Hultman himself informed the press in advance of this expedition to foreign territory. All but one of the press men kept silent, but the offending one had a long telephone conversation with the suspected man who was thus amply prepared for the examination when the army of observers and the lone police captain appeared on the scene.

The Canadian police have made fun of the publicity attending this search. They rightly say that such attempts to pin crime on any suspected person should be conducted quietly. They made fun of the newspaper men and photographers broadcasting all the details of the examination to the world, and of course their ridicule was well founded. The police captain evidently wanted some publicity. He planned a spectacular trip to Nova Scotia and the dramatic arrest of a suspect. Up to date, he has succeeded only in exciting ridicule of American methods and has not even made an arrest. The incident is not important except for the chance it gives to advert to American publicity methods in regard to the catching and trying of criminals. The desire for publicity which leads to impropriety and court room abuse should be excoriated. We have had murder trials with microphones installed so that the testimony could be broadcast. The trial is made a spectacle for the crowd to enjoy, and common sense is put to scorn. Scandal has accompanied these publicity trials in which the criminal and his deed are dramatically presented for the enjoyment of the nation.

Too often today the escaping criminal journeys through the newspapers of the plans of the police to apprehend him. The desire of the papers to publish the very latest news is praiseworthy as long as it is not anti-dramatic. All newspapers should soft-pedal publicity when it helps the criminal to escape.

CLARE'S UNCOLLECTED TAXES

TOTAL \$36,277.34

The Municipal Council of Clare closed its meeting on Tuesday of last week after a long and protracted session. The tax assessing year, the general extension has been increased by \$1,000. The cost of outside poor was \$4,500 for the year, and uncollected taxes \$36,277.34. Tax on shingle boxes has been raised to \$8 per ton, in place of \$5. The appointment of chief of police, Vincent O'Brien, was revoked. The report of the hydro electric commission showed a small profit over expenses. A new hydro electric commission was appointed as follows: Councilmen Vincent Melanson, chairman; W. C. C. L. Doreau, and Councilor Sir John Combs, members.

Dr. Claude Doyon was appointed Medical Officer, and Philippe A. C. Doucet, commissioners of the court house.

By adjourning the Council voted unanimously that most sincere condolences and regrets be expressed to the wife and family of Councilor Omer Blinn, recently deceased.

MILFORD

Miss Pauline Fanny was the guest of Miss Doris Wadsworth, on Thursday. Mrs. Wilfred Wadsworth was the guest of Mrs. Frank Gehue, on Thursday. Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. John Hubby, on the birth of a son.

WHO HAS THEM?

Sometimes they are possibly 20 and it may have been 30—quite a number of the bound files of The Digby Weekly Courier, were borrowed, and taken away from the office, but by whom nobody knows, except those who have them. The late Isaiah Wilson once told us that he was not sure about them all being bound, but he knew they had been loaned, as a former manager of the Courier told him he had handed them out himself. It is possible these files are still in existence in somebody's attic. They belong to us and we would like to have them. But we do not want those who have them to have their trouble for nothing after all these years, as the chance are that the party who borrowed them has "passed on" ere this, so we will give two full years' subscription for every year's file returned.

HEALTH

A HEALTH SERVICE, THE CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION AND LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANIES IN CANADA

DRAUGHTS.

A question that is frequently asked is—How am I to know that my room is properly ventilated? The simplest practical test is to step outside into the fresh air for a few minutes, then return to the room. If the room is stuffy, then it is not ventilated and the windows need to be opened.

Many people who quite agree that fresh air is desirable are afraid to ventilate their rooms because they fear a draught. There is only one kind of draught that is dangerous, and that is the one which strikes and chills one part of the body. You do not get an effect from a breeze out of doors, and you will not suffer from an indoors, excepting, as we said, when it strikes one part of the body and chills that part.

Cold draughts along the floor should be avoided. When the feet are chilled by draught along the floor and the head is warm, the resistance is lowered and a common cold frequently follows.

None of these undesirable draughts is necessary in the ventilation of a room. The draught is easily raised sufficiently to allow a movement of air in the room. Such a movement of air is hardly perceptible and is not at all chilling to the body.

Ventilation demands the use of a little common sense in making the size of the opening of the window according to the temperature and direction of the wind.

Never fear draughts; just remember not to allow a breeze or current of air to chill one part of your body while the remainder is warm.

Fresh air or cold air do not cause colds. Colds usually follow living in overheated, stuffy places, and the chilling of the body in one part, especially the feet, when the rest is warm.

Keep the feet dry. Damp or wet shoes result in chilled feet, and chilled feet pre-dispose to colds.

Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

NEWS ABOUT PAPERS

Few reporters write shorthand. Those who do generally do not use it often because of the time required to transcribe shorthand notes.

Special kinds of reporting society, political, sporting, dramatic, financial and financial) require special training and experience.

Qualifications for successful reporting are: Tact, rapidity, accuracy, a sense of news values, and perseverance.

In other employment does a young man gain experience? A knowledge of contemporary life as in newspaper reporting in a big city, and the same applies to a small town.

The reporter meets the active men, the men who are doing the constructive work of the world.

In the race for higher journalistic honors, college-trained men generally outstrip those who have had equal educational opportunities.

Every newspaper of importance receives daily from two to four times as much news matter as can be printed in its columns.

On small dailies the editor has little time for literary work. He must study a single subject long enough to become an authority. Large newspapers have experts on many subjects who meet daily in staff meetings and receive assignments for editorials.

The many friends of Miss Georgina Denton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Denton, of Little Brook, recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. In the evening a reception was given in their honor at which a large number were present.

Temperance Table Talks

By UNCLE JOHN

(Sponsored by the Social Service Council and Temperance Alliance)

THE NEW ERA

We have come into a new era, an era of co-operation. Find it everywhere. It is the call and the programme of the hour. It is going on in business, in industry, in social, religious, national and international affairs. The so-called "rugged individualism" that once upon a time was lauded is passing of the stage. The man, or the nation today, who won't co-operate with others seals his own doom. Except we repent and co-operate, we shall all likewise perish. What is called fog today and tomorrow, it stands in the way of the individualism of the past, which too often was just selfish individualism, but the socialized individualism in which man consciously recognizes his responsibility to and for his brother man.

I have a bit of a quarrel with the whole liquor business right along these lines. It stands in the way of the socializing process of this new era. It comes up for judgment on the score of co-operation for the common good. There is the drinker of today, moderate drinker if you will, without arraigning the sorry spectacle of the drunkard. Does he not seem like one who just waits to have his liquor when he likes, change the laws of the land so that he can have it decently, no matter what it may mean in hardship or shame or bad example to others in his home or community. Then there is the manufacturer, and too, the seller. Well, they are pushing their business, counting their dimes or dollars. What matter about the loss of money, happiness, character by others who must be induced to drink in order that they may have a market for their goods? It is business, and it is profits that matter. Then there is the boot-legger. Well, he is just doing what other sellers are doing, only he is doing it against the will of the community rather than with it. The effect of his sales is much the same. If they are in the business, legally or illegally, and they who are the drinkers and make the business possible, would simply rise to the socialized individualism, the co-operationism, the brotherhood of this new era there would be no drinking, there would be no selling, there would be no manufacturing of alcoholic liquors for beverage purposes.

Rent Collector's wife—What are you looking so worried about, Horace?

Rent Collector—The landlord's become a client of our firm, and if I don't collect my rent I get the sack for inefficiency.

Owing to the illness of Alexander Melanson, of Corberrie, who is a patient in the Yarmouth Hospital, the decision in the manslaughter case against him was not made public, but it is understood that Magistrate Sabine will not commit him.

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The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson

Sunday, February 4, 1934

PUTTING GOD'S KINGDOM FIRST

Golden Text:—Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.—Matthew 6:33

Lesson Passage:—Matthew 6:19-33

I do not think of God as being stern, austere, and cold. When at a twilight hour I stand Uproof some wind-swept hill, and see The heavens warm with love and gold.

—Jeanette Steele Brooks

The Wealth Motive, 19-21

"The time is coming," says a magazine author, "when men will learn to spend their lives accumulating wealth." In a new contentment such as North America, with vast natural resources, it may be inevitable that there is something better. Christ who was rich, for our sakes became poor that he might bring us into the world's goods but rich in mind and heart. Christ who was rich in heart, yet no one can say that he was not superlatively rich in the things of the spirit. We may share the unsearchable riches that are in Christ Jesus. When we have experience of his truth and grace and love, we scorn to live first place to get money and then to use it to get more money. We are not rich men are not notably happy. They are harassed looking after their wealth. In the autumn of 1920 riches vanished over night. Further, the pursuit of wealth often makes men so preoccupied that they miss the joys of life. I wonder what speculators get in cash to equal what they spend in time thought and devotion.

Power of Purpose, 22, 23

A purpose is powerful. It unifies our powers. It is like the focussing of the eyes, which prevent us from seeing double. A purpose is like the rudder of a ship that prevents us from drifting, a menace to ourselves and a dangerous derelict to others. A purpose is as the mainwinding plates that converges the sun's rays into one point of such intense heat that it can cause fire. A purpose is as the rope maker, taking single work strands and weaving them into one strong rope. A purpose is as a good radio, selective, choosing what it wishes, out of many sounds catching the wave length it seeks to use. Or a purpose is as one lost in a forest and travelling in circles comes to a road that gives direction and makes it possible to reach an objective. One of the wisest bits of psychology is this: "Organize your life around a purpose." Jesus knew for what he lived and he lived for it. He said, "I have set my face to go and will not turn back." "I will be a witness to the truth." From this high purpose he never swerved.

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A TRANSIENT'S POEM

One of the transients who stopped over night at the Cobourg lock-up recently wrote the following verse in an inconspicuous place on the wall:

"Bound for the Harbor of Nowhere, Headed for Port Forget; Fearing and hated—an outcast, CHANGING a resting spot, Gleanings they no welcome beacon, Looms there no friendly hand, For the soul that was mine has died— With me, For want of a guiding hand."

In commenting on the verse the Cobourg World has the following: "Among the steady stream of transients who pass through Cobourg by rail and highway, are men who are not 'hoboes' in the accepted sense of the word. Down but not out, these wanderers still cling to the little things that link them with a past much more prosperous. There are men with the unmistakable something that makes them stand out a little to the forefront of their fellow transients. It is exemplified in many ways. For instance among a collection of verses scribbled on the wall of the lock-up, where hobo are quartered over night is one that has been written in an inconspicuous spot as if the writer had composed it merely for his own gratification, not for the gaze of others. The writing is cultured.

SENTENCE SERMONS

Rev. Roy L. Smith

No Man Lives

—who has not found labour improving the flavour of his food; —who does not stand in need of occasional disappointments; —who is not continually jostled by unexpected opportunities; —who does not need to take stock of his conscience occasionally; —who can afford to trifle with his convictions; —who is not helped by the honest complaint of one he trusts; —who is unable to master all the circumstances he meets.

between the two ideals. In the end the money making lust won, and the people lost their champion. Some such Canadians have died worth millions, but poor in every ideal they cherished in youth. It is significant that Canada's greatest benefactors have been relatively poor men. They were not hampered by having their minds cluttered up with large investments.

Forethought Without Afterthought

25-32

In some parts of the East life is on a different basis from that with which we are familiar. The climate is mild, there are several crops a year and it is safe to live from hand to mouth. People may relatively be as carefree as the birds and the flies. But in the greater part of Canada, where there is a long winter and a short summer, provision must be made for a twelve-month food supply. This may be done in a spirit of worry or a spirit of trust. Christ's teaching is that by trust in God we may live without worry. We may have forethought without fear thought. For instance, a commission has recently studied the Canadian banking situation and recommended a central bank. This will be discussed in the federal parliament and a decision reached. Banking has become so complicated that it requires much thought and forethought. The problems must be faced and solved trusting in human ability and integrity. To refuse to think about it or to get into a panic lest a mistake be made, will handicap Canadians from improving the banking system. In Canada, if we do not plan beforehand we risk starvation.

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LITTLE RIVER

Miss Georgina Denton, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at her home recently, it being impossible on account of the condition of the roads to get her to a hospital, is making a good recovery. Miss Freda Apt. R. N. of Victoria Beach, who was looking after her, has returned to her home.

The young girls' "Swastika" club and the young men's "Pal" club met together on Thursday night in the Community Hall, and a very interesting debate took place, after which games were enjoyed and refreshments served by the young ladies.

The Ladies' Aid held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Lyndon Collins.

The Optimist The Psalmist

Clouds, Rain, Always Rain; First a trickle, Then a sprinkle, Finally a torrent, but Always rain. Sun, sun, Always sun; First a sunbeam, Then a sunbeam, Finally a scorcher, Always sun.

March 2—Winner A. P. C. Cape Breton Valley leagues and South Shore.

March 6—Nova Scotia intermediate champions play at Senior "B" champions.

March 9—Nova Scotia Senior "B" champions play at Nova Scotia intermediate champions.

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In The Municipal Council

ANNUAL MEETING, JANUARY 1934 - LIST OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

COMMITTEES

Assessment - The Whole Council.
Road and Bridge - The Whole Council.

Finance and Public Accounts - Councillors Marshall, Outhouse, Cornwell, Lent, Woodman, Cossaboom.

Matters Pertaining to Poor and Harmless Insane - Councillors Woodman, Cossaboom, Hillman.

Deeds and Public Property - Councillors Hillman, Chisholm, Fitzgerald, Marshall.

Licence - Councillors Cossaboom, Hillman, Marshall.

Assessment - Councillors Cossaboom, Hillman, Marshall.

Arbitration - Councillors Pugh, Chisholm, Hillman, Lent.

Revising Jury Lists - Councillors Chisholm, Fitzgerald, Hillman, Lent.

Hydro Distribution - Councillors Pugh, Woodman, Fitzgerald.

To Nominate Standing Committee - Councillors Pugh, Fitzgerald, Chisholm.

The Warden a member of all committees.

Police Officers for the Municipality of the District, Digby for 1934.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 1 - HILLSBURGH

Police Constables - Ernest Davis, John Freeman, Maurice Benson, Obed Berry.

Inspectors of Fruit and Vegetables - R. A. Harris, John Harrow.

Inspector of Leather - John Freeman.

Inspectors of Wood, Timber, Logs, Piling, Shingles - Vernon McCormack, Harding Benson.

Inspectors of Barrels - C. M. Miller, Howard Rice.

Inspectors of Meat and Fish - Wilfred Chute, Stewart Dargis.

Prevent Cattle Running at Large - Fred Harris, Chas. Morgan, John Payne, Ben. Alcorn, Wm. Hixman.

Commission West Branch - Roy Snell.

Health Wardens - R. H. Purdy, F. B. Dunn, Dr. A. B. Campbell, Dr. L. J. Lovett.

Clerk of License - George Benson.

Overseers of Highways - No. 1, Murray Alcorn; No. 2, C. D. Rice; No. 3, Wm. Hixman; No. 4, Alphy Banks; No. 5, Robco Alcorn; No. 6, Dr. Harris; No. 7, George Chute; No. 8, Percy Dargis; No. 9, Maurice Benson; No. 10, Maurice Benson; No. 11, Maurice Benson; No. 12, Percy Dargis; No. 13, Burton Morine; No. 14, C. P. McCormack; No. 15, Robert Rice.

Fire Wardens - Wm. Hixman, H. R. Kinney, Roy Alcorn, Bernard Alcorn, Roy H. Fennell, Elmo Rice, Jack Miller.

Fire Wardens - Carl Miller, Minard Chute, John Freeman.

Fire Wards - Harding Benson, Maurice Benson, Rupert Harris.

To Prevent Coasting West Side Bear River - Stewart Dargis.

Preventing Officer Municipal Elections - H. R. Kinney.

Collector of Rates - C. D. Rice.

Inspector of Electoral List - H. R. Kinney.

(Overseers of Highway to take office at once).

Councillor - H. E. Chisholm.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 2 - BRIGHTON

Assessor - D. C. MacKay.

Preventing Officer Municipal Elections - Joseph Vincent.

Clerk of Licenses - J. A. Morehouse.

Overseers of Poor - J. A. Morehouse, V. C. Marshall, Frank Gates, Goudy Nichols, Wm. Mallett.

Board of Health - William Cossaboom, H. B. Bell, John A. Nichols, Darcy Rupp.

Constables - Wm. Mallett, Henry Marshall, Elmer Balsor, Edward W. Smith.

Surveyors of Lumber - Wm. Mallett, Frank Gates, Herbert Thurlau.

Surveyors of Wood, Logs, Piling, Barrels - Pugh, Wood, Stewart, Goldsmith, Frank Gates, J. A. Morehouse.

Fence Viewers - Charles Savary, Roy, Augustus Marshall.

Prevent Animals Going at Large - Wm. Mallett, Charles Savary, O. L. Bell, Herbert Thurlau, John Abbott, George Adams, Thomas Abbott, Joseph Foster.

Pound Keepers - Benjamin Franklin, Goudy Nichols, Joseph Bell, Hanford Marshall, Herbert Thurlau, John Ryan, Samuel Woodman, Charles John.

Overseers of Highways - to take effect at once - District No. 1, Lloyd McNeil; No. 2, Oscar Cossaboom; No. 3, Morris Melanson; No. 4, Chas. Seeler; No. 5, Charles John; No. 6, Fred Durland; No. 7, J. C. Connell; No. 8, Hanford Foster; No. 9, Herbert Thurlau; No. 10, Charles Mallett; No. 11, C. Wright; No. 12, Henry Marshall; No. 13, L. B. Marshall; No. 14, Preston Harris; No. 15, John Nichols; No. 16, Ben. Franklin; No. 17, Wm. Barton; No. 18, Charles Savary; No. 19, John Marshall; No. 20, Harold Simms; No. 21, Wm. Foster; No. 22, Vernon Rice; No. 23, Arthur Ryan; No. 24, John Murray.

Councillor - H. H. Marshall.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 3 - SANDY COVE

Assessor - Guy Stanton.

Collector of Rates - Lemuel Raymond.

Preventing Officer - Frank Saunders.

Deputy Preventing Officers - Chas. Martin, Centreville; Sydney Denton, Little River.

Constables - Orwell Outhouse, Israel Hershey, Reginald Sypher, Geo.

Merritt, Conrad, Gidney, Harley Thurlau.

Police Constables - Leslie Titus, C. H. Saunders, Thomas Denton, Charles Wright.

To Prevent Cattle Running at Large - William Gidney, Alton Graham, R. Sypher, Wilfred Gidney, Charles Morehouse, Irving Height, Harley Thurlau.

Pound Keepers - Percy Holmes, Walter Thompson, Frank Saunders, Randolph Thurlau, Robert Denton, Charles Wright, Oscar Thurlau.

Wardens of Coal - L. Dakin, Elmer Gidney, Bowman Collins.

Overseers of Highways for Shovel - Albert Titus, Alton Graham, Elmer Gidney, Clair Elmer, Winnie Gidney, Arthur Denton, Nelson Kelly, Guy Stanton, Harold McCullough, Carl Small.

Fence Viewers - Kenneth Dakin, William Crowell, Sydney Denton, Bill Stanton.

To Prevent Rubbish or Fish Waste Being Thrown on the Beaches - Centreville, Lemuel Raymond, Sandy Cove, Floyd Height, Mink Cove, Eustace Eldridge, Little River, C. Denton, East Ferry, Edward White.

Board of Health - Fred Morehouse, Dr. F. E. Rice, Bowman Collins.

Overseers of Poor - Kenneth Dakin, C. H. Saunders, Thomas Denton.

To Prevent Coasting on French Beach Hill - Wilfred Thurlau.

Revisor of Electoral Lists - Floyd Jeffrey.

Board of Fire Escapes - K. P. Dakin, E. H. McKay, Walter Denton.

Councillor - H. W. Cossaboom.

POLLING DISTRICT NO. 5 - FREEPORT

Assessor - John W. Thurber.

Clerk of License - Egbert R. Crocker.

Measure of Coal and Salt - John W. Thurber.

Preventing Officer at Municipal Elections - G. A. Thurber.

Collector of Rates - Carmen M. Nease.

Board of Health - Dr. Weir, B. S. Morrell, Victor Pinigan.

Overseers of Poor - W. F. Perry, B. S. Morrell, W. F. Morrell.

To Run the Ferry from Landing Pier, Freeport, to Landing Pier at Westport - Mrs. R. E. Morrell.

Constables and Police Constables - B. Nease, Ray E. Pinigan, Byron Delaney.

Overseers of Highways for Shovel - District No. 1, Eroni L. Thurlau; No. 2, Clarence Bates; No. 3, G. L. Haines; No. 4, Percy Prime; No. 5, Fred Hershey; No. 6, William Sullivan; No. 7, George Young; No. 8, George Young; No. 9, George Young; No. 10, George Young; No. 11, George Young; No. 12, George Young; No. 13, George Young; No. 14, George Young; No. 15, George Young; No. 16, George Young; No. 17, George Young; No. 18, George Young; No. 19, George Young; No. 20, George Young; No. 21, George Young; No. 22, George Young; No. 23, George Young; No. 24, George Young; No. 25, George Young; No. 26, George Young; No. 27, George Young; No. 28, George Young; No. 29, George Young; No. 30, George Young; No. 31, George Young; No. 32, George Young; No. 33, George Young; No. 34, George Young; No. 35, George Young; No. 36, George Young; No. 37, George Young; No. 38, George Young; No. 39, George Young; No. 40, George Young; No. 41, George Young; No. 42, George Young; No. 43, George Young; No. 44, George Young; No. 45, George Young; No. 46, George Young; No. 47, George Young; No. 48, George Young; No. 49, George Young; 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THE BEAR RIVER WEEKLY COURIER

"For Home and Country"

Edited by Women's Institute, Bear River

Around Our Town

L. Farn, of Wolfville, was in town on Friday.

Miss May Anthony is confined to her home by illness.

Mr. Stophord made a business trip to Halifax on Monday.

H. E. Goshorn returned from Halifax on Saturday.

Mrs. B. C. Clarke entertained at the tea hour on Thursday.

Mrs. H. E. Harris returned from Bridgetown on Thursday.

R. B. Baxter spent several days of last week "up the Valley".

Miss Ethel Curtis returned from Annapolis Royal on Monday.

Rev. C. P. Henderson left on Tuesday for collection in Kingston.

The Men's Two-Six Contract Club met this week at Dr. Lovett's.

Lillian Alphon left on Tuesday on a business trip to Saint John.

Alison Seaborn was hurt quite badly a few days ago while coasting.

The Ladies' Contract Club will have this week Mrs. Fred R. Harris as hostess.

And of the United Church met on Tuesday evening with Mrs. James D. Hobbie.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church are having a social and play on Valentine's day.

Messrs. Genser, Getti and Whitman of Bridgetown were guests at the Commercial House the past week.

Mrs. J. T. Davidson attended the Annapolis Presbytery, which met in Bridgetown during the past week.

Carl Parker, W. Davis, Lawson M. S. Gossens Purdy and Miss G. Purdy attended the hockey match at Digby on Friday.

The ladies circle of the United Baptist church was entertained at the home of Mrs. W. W. Clarke on Tuesday afternoon.

Messrs. M. B. Harris, Saint John arrived home on Friday and is the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Dimars.

Mrs. W. Milbury and Miss Leina VanBaskin spent the week end at Bear River, with Mrs. Charles VanBaskin.

Mrs. W. M. Romans left on Tuesday for New York to visit her sister Miss Louise Jones, and will visit friends in Boston en route.

Saturday evening a very jolly throng of friends gathered to welcome Mrs. L. V. Harris, the honours going to Mrs. J. H. Cunningham.

There was an error in the report of the recording secretary of the Ladies' Aid. In the list of officers the treasurer should have been Mrs. R. H. Purdy, and the assistant secretary Mrs. Otis Rice.

C. Corbitt, W. L. Thorne, of Saint John, and Mr. Lewis of Halifax, fire insurance adjusters, were in town on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, and were registered at the Commercial House.

Committees are being held to arrange an entertainment by the members of the local Women's Institute, the funds from which will be used to re-decorate and re-furnish the Bear River room in the Digby General Hospital.

Sunday afternoon the members of the Anglican church met for service in the Bear River Pulp Company's building. Efforts are already on foot to rebuild their burned church, and a wonderful spirit of courage is being displayed by members towards the problem.

Friends of Mrs. J. Harold Lovett of Philadelphia, will be interested to know that both his sons, James L. Lovett, an official of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit, and John W. Lovett, as least counsel for the P. R. T., took prominent parts in the recent inquiry into the extensive strike of taxi-drivers, accused by the P. R. T. of "substantial violation" in the strike which lasted six weeks.

Harold Hawthorne, one of the Board of Trustees of Oakleigh Academy, returned the latter part of last week from a most successful trip to Halifax where he had gone to intercede with the provincial department of education for assistance in supplying necessary school books, etc. to replace to some extent the loss of equipment in the recent fire. Mr. Hawthorne was also a delegate to the annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Fish and Game Society.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. C. P. Henderson, Pastor

Regular Services—

Sunday—Prayers, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Church School, 11:30 a.m.

Prayer Meeting—Friday, 7:30 p.m.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Mrs. Harry E. Harris

Mrs. C. D. Rice

Mrs. L. J. Lovett

WOOD'S PHOSPHORINE

The Great Phosphorine

ANNUAL MEETING UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual meeting of the Bear River United Baptist church was held in the vestry on Wednesday evening last with a large attendance.

A short devotional service was held before transacting the business, which was presided over by the pastor, Rev. Stanley F. Stevens.

A large number of reports were submitted including reports from every organization of the church. All these societies reported a credit balance in their treasury and the general financial picture was encouraging.

The treasurer's report was very favorable, showing all bills paid and a substantial cash balance on hand.

The church is absolutely free of debt. Practically the same officers were re-elected for 1934, and both pastor and people are hopeful.

CLEMENTS' UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. C. Burnett, Pastor

The services on Sunday next will be as follows:—Sunday School, at 10:00 o'clock, a.m.; Public Worship, at 11:00 o'clock, and at 7:30 o'clock, p.m., there will be a service of "Hymns and Their Writers."

Under Waldeck, at 2:00 o'clock. Come and Worship.

BEAR RIVER AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY HOLDS ANNUAL MEET

The Bear River Agricultural Society held their annual meeting on Saturday evening last.

On account of the very inclement weather only a small number were in attendance, but a considerable amount of business was transacted.

Much regret was expressed by all present at the passing of the former secretary, Fulton H. Parker.

The following officers were elected for 1934:

President—Harvey E. Chisholm.

Vice-President—Bernard Alder.

Secretary—Treasurer—Harold E. Hatheway.

Trustees—J. L. Warren, C. W. Jefferson and Reuben Alphon.

Many plans were laid out for aggressive work in the early spring in preparation for the 1934 exhibition.

REPORT OF W. M. S. OF UNITED CHURCH

The Women's Missionary Society of the United Church, Bear River, has held eleven regular meetings, with an attendance of from eight to thirteen members.

We have held several special meetings and have had a good attendance.

Our study book, "His Dominion of Canada," was taken up, each member preparing a chapter and giving it as a lesson. One meeting during the year is given over to Temperance and one from the Blue Book prepared by the Missionary Play.

Mrs. C. L. Blanchard, as delegate to the Presbytery, brought us a splendid report as did Mrs. J. T. Davidson, as delegate to the Branch in Prince Edward Island. Both of these reports were given in detail and were most interesting and helpful.

The sick calls numbered 288 for the year. Considering our small numbers this means a good many calls for each member.

One of our dearly loved members, Mrs. Thaddeus Harris, was called home during the year.

The total amount raised during the year was \$109.50, and expended as follows:

Sent to Presbytery Treas. \$97.75

Gifts to Local Church \$2.00

Expenses of Auxiliary \$6.75

This money was raised in different ways. Old Time Concert in February; a Parlor Concert at the home of Mrs. Hubbard; Rev. M. Forbes, lecture and slides on Mission Play; "Thank-offering" meeting in December; and each member earned a dollar in any way he could.

The World Day of Prayer was held in March, all the churches uniting in the service.

We feel we have done our best for the cause of Missions in the past year, and we go forward with the same idea and thought in mind for the new year.

Lillian Morine

PARISH OF ST. CLEMENTE

Rev. Rural Dean Smith, Rector

Today is the Festival of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary and commemorates the Presentation of Christ in the Temple. (St. Luke, 2:22).

Next Sunday will be Sexagesima Sunday. Services arranged (weather permitting) are:

Clements—10:30 a.m.

Bear River—7:30 p.m.

Drep Brook—7:30 p.m.

(This is a slight change from the printed schedule).

Temporary arrangements have been made at Bear River for holding the service in one of the rooms in the upper floor of the Pulp Mill Company's office building.

Rev. Father Murphy was in town on Monday.

E. D. Kempton is confined to his home by illness.

TO PURCHASE MORE FIRE EQUIPMENT

In spite of the extremely unpleasant weather, the Citizens' meeting, held Monday evening in the Trading Company's building, was largely attended.

Dr. L. J. Lovett was chairman and C. Clarke was secretary.

A fund of \$540, raised at the Cherry Carnival in 1927, was unanimously voted to be used to procure additional fire fighting equipment for the town brigade.

The meeting was also considered as the annual meeting for election of officers, members, trustees of the brigade, which is purely a volunteer force, and to the efficient action of which Bear River owes the preservation of the greater part of the town, the night of the recent disastrous fire.

The following were elected: If any mistakes, correction will be welcomed.

Fire Chief—R. H. Baxter.

Assistant Fire Chief—Vernon L. Harris.

Chief of Fire Police—E. G. Davies.

Captain Hook and Ladder Department—Howard Gress.

Captain Pump Department—C. E. Clarke.

Trustees, (re-elected)—L. V. Harris, B. C. Clarke, L. J. Lovett, Rose Men—W. M. Morine, R. H. Purdy, Robert Yorke, Maurice Benson, Waldo Chute, Alvin Yorke, S. E. Davies, Wilton Banks, Lewis Benson, Vernon Peck.

Pump Department Men—Earl McCormick, Harry Benson, Lloyd Sanford, Alpheus Banks, Oscar Balcom.

Hook and Ladder Department—Harding Benson, Oakley Banks, Harry Harris, V. T. Barr, Ernest Davis, Adam Wamboldt.

NOTICE

The February meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Monday afternoon next, at half past three o'clock, in the vestry of the United Church of Canada, as its usual meeting place, the Masonic Reading room now being used for a school room.

Rev. A. A. MacLeod will be the "guest speaker", and tea will be served by a committee of members.

TOO BAD!

Unfortunately the fire insurance on the Anglican church, at Bear River, was only \$1,000, instead of as at first reported. It will not go far towards re-building the church.

EAST FERRY

Misses Lennie Theriault and Dorothy Todd, of Tidville, visited friends in this place on Saturday.

Millicent Todd spent Sunday with her brother, Grosvenor Todd, at Mrs. Chloe Eldridge's.

Miss Leah Gossion visited Mrs. Harley Theriault, one day recently.

Charles Pyne, of Centreville, was the week end guest of his sister, Mrs. Harley Theriault.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Theriault spent Sunday with Mrs. Effie Todd, in Tidville.

Mrs. Carl Small's has returned from Little River after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Denton.

RIVERDALE

Mrs. Ellery Lewis, of Danvers, spent a couple of days last week with her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Fulton.

A number of the young folks from here enjoyed skating on the lake at Danvers on Saturday evening.

Miss Esther Wagner and Miss Kenney, also Carl Wagner, of Danvers, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Wagner.

The miscellaneous sewing circle met at the home of Mrs. Alfred Costman on Tuesday evening of last week.

Miss Melba Outhouse spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Lewis, Danvers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fulton and daughter, June, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Wagner, on Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Wagner is at present among those on the sick list.

SOUTH COVE

Mrs. Alex. Banks spent the week end in Digby at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Reg. Weir, and Mr. Weir.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Weir, of Digby, were week end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Weir.

Miss Katherine Morgan is at the home of E. B. Weir for an indefinite time.

The many friends of Miss Inez Rice, who has been quite ill, will be pleased to learn that she is improving.

Mrs. A. D. Sully met with a painful accident last week scalding her hands with hot syrup. We are glad to say the wounds are healing nicely.

The Misses J. Taylor and Margaret Ross of Wolfville, N.S., were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. H. B. Ross, on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. B. Ross, on Tuesday.

SUNBEAM MISSION BAND

The Sunbeam Mission Band held its annual meeting on Friday afternoon last, in the church vestry. After the worship period the election of officers took place, resulting as follows:

President—Eileen Banks.

1st Vice-President—Alfreda Rice.

2nd Vice-President—Joyce Benson.

Secretary—Elinor Morine.

Treasurer—Dorothy Rice.

Pianist—Emma Benson.

Superintendent—Mrs. Harry E. Harris.

Report for 1933

The Sunbeam Mission Band began its year's work January 20th, 1933, with a membership of 15. Have held 13 meetings during the year, with an average attendance of 12.

In July the Band held a picnic near Morganville, the superintendent taking them there and bringing them back by car. During the summer months the band is closed till September.

A Halloween party was held in the church vestry with all the band in costume, for which prizes were given; games and contests were enjoyed after which a Halloween lunch was served. We are using for our study book, "Canadian Missionary Heroes." We have tried for "standards of excellence" and have gained our ten points, for which we are looking for a banner and gold stars. (Since writing the report the banner and stars have been received, held two missionary concerts and only two bands winning them.) Have played in May and June in November. Amounts raised \$27.55, gave \$10.00 to Prebysterial treasurer for our allocation; \$5.00 to the men of our church, and the remainder for general expense and supply work.

The band is doing a splendid work; they are all very young—from 4 to 12 years old, all willing to work for missions. We are making plans and looking forward to a still better year in 1934.

Mrs. Harry E. Harris

BADMINTON NOTES

The first tea of the season at the Badminton Club rooms, is to be held on Saturday evening, and all members and their friends are cordially invited to come, the usual small fee being requested.

The play will continue until 9 o'clock. Then dancing and refreshments will follow.

The new larger court in the Sanford building is being well patronized, and is very satisfactory for play.

NEW TUSKET

Brenth H. Mullen, of Kentville, spent a few days of last week with relatives and friends in this place.

Mrs. J. Eldon Ford and little daughter, Marion, spent Thursday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Gaudet.

Garnetta Mullen, Bessie Sabean and Albert Marx were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurstow Mullen, on Sunday.

Mildred McCullough and Alice Mullen, of Easton, spent a few days last week at the former's home here.

Jennie Mullen is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sabean.

Mrs. Harry Ford, of Hasset's, spent Thursday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mullen, on Sunday.

Our teacher, Mrs. Wilbur Sabean, had the misfortune to fall on Friday last, dislocating her left wrist and breaking a bone in one of her arms. She went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sabean, where Dr. H. J. Tobin, who had been called, set the injured limb.

A large number of the young people of this place gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sabean, on Friday evening last, to give a surprise party to their daughter, Bessie M. Sabean, who is leaving today for Waltham, Mass.

The evening was spent in playing games. Refreshments consisting of fudge, cake and ice cream were served.

A number of the young men of community enjoyed a Thursday party given by Mrs. C. F. Sabean, on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Dennis Saultier, of Corbiere, called on friends here on Saturday.

Bessie and Kenneth Sabean, Regina Jordan and George DeLoane sported Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sabean.

Mrs. Stephen Sabean is very ill.

ACACIAVILLE AND HILL GROVE

Miss Florence Bacon is spending a few days in Saint John the guest of her sister, Miss Marion Bacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Franklin are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl on January 24, at the Digby General Hospital.

Basil Porter was the week end guest of Miss Alice Henshaw, at her home in Waldeck.

Mrs. Joseph Vincent was a passenger to Weymouth on Monday, to spend a short time with Mrs. Vernon Jones, who is on the sick list.

Stewart Goldsmith and Dennis Richardson were unfortunate in getting hurt last week in the pull on the Shelburne Road.

School Club Notes

Attention, Everybody!

Friday, February 9th, is School Club Roll Call day for all the pupils in Annapolis County and Digby Municipality. Be ready to sign your enrollment sheet as the club member listed in mail it back to the Helping Teacher and see if you will be one for 1934. As soon as your sheet is of the first schools to be recorded on the list. Remember, our objective is 100 per cent.

Cover Designs

Cover designs submitted for the January-February Club News were disappointing. In general the printing was not good and not suitable for transferring to the designs submitted were the correct size. Please remember the size is always the same and it is that within the margin of your monthly Club News copy. When you make your drawing it can be done of any kind and put your design within it. Drawing and putting must be done in outline; solid drawing cannot be transferred to a mimeograph. We are sorry we couldn't use any of the designs submitted by Gordon Graham, James Henshaw, Marie Gaudet, Frederick MacFarley, Henry Anderson, Edna Masarey, or Hilda Robar. They should not be discouraged, though, from trying again. A prize will be given for the best March design sent in before February 28th. Let us have many entries.

A Surprise

Geraldine Ford of the Upper Clements Junior Red Cross Club, says they are looking forward to a surprise on February 14, promised to them by their club members. This club is one of the faithful ones to report their activities. At their Christmas concert they raised the sum of \$8.70 which they expect to spend in improving their schoolroom. Wide part of it they are buying a new floor for the schoolroom. The floor was old and now they have a dustless broom which keeps it clean.

Valentine Programs

Many schools, including Bear River, plan to have a Valentine program on Friday, February 9th. New Year for a few suggestions for your nice or party.

Construction Paper

You can buy your own print shop where you buy paper for your Exhibition. You can buy construction paper at a very low price. You can buy it at a very low price. You can buy it at a very low price.

Valentines

Remember the shut-ins in your village and the children's Hospital by making a Valentine for them. And now the best Valentine you can send me is your School Club enrollment sheet, properly filled in and promptly mailed.

Helping Teacher

The Helping Teacher is a very important person in the school. She is the one who helps the children to learn and who helps the teacher to do her work.

CLEMENTS' PORT

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Bent are visiting Mr. Bent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Huggles have moved to Digby. They have come, parried by Mrs. Huggles' sister, Miss Marie Purdy.

Mrs. Regan Burns entertained at bridge on Thursday afternoon last.

The Sewing Circle of the United Baptist church, met at the home of Mrs. MacNinch on Tuesday afternoon.

The Senior Bridge Club met with Mrs. Herbert Hicks on Tuesday last.

A very pleasant card party was held in the Hall under the auspices of the Boys' Hockey Club, on Monday evening last.

The bridge prize was won by Gordon Love and the 45¢ prize by Colleen Burrell and Malcolm Purdy.

Having harvested the ice supply, Herbert Hicks has kindly given permission to the boys to use the pond as a rink. After considerable labor they now have a beautiful sheet of ice which was enjoyed by all on Saturday afternoon. Hockey practice until 3 p.m., followed by general skating.

Everyone should patronize their home team and give them a boost.

Clothing Manufacturers announce

that the trend in men's winter underwear is towards heavy flannels like grandfathers used to wear. If the style best likes general, we may soon see red flannel underwear waving like banners from the clothes lines.

Manufacturers of the new motor cars have stressed the point that the style best likes general, we may soon see red flannel underwear waving like banners from the clothes lines.

Coccy's Regulating Compound

Coccy's Regulating Compound is a reliable regulating compound. It is sold in three sizes: 1 lb. for \$1.00, 2 lb. for \$1.50, and 4 lb. for \$2.50. It is sold in all drug stores.

HIGHEST CREAM PRICES

Our returns for December were 23 cents per pound of butterfat. It is the average price for the month that counts and not the price for any one week.

Yarmouth Creamery

ROLL CALL AND BUSINESS MEETING AT DEEP BROOK

On Saturday afternoon last, at 3 o'clock, the members of the United Baptist church, at Deep Brook, assembled for their annual business meeting. The pastor, L. V. H. Turber, occupied the chair. The various activities of the church during the year were reviewed, and the reports all showed a substantial balance on the right side. Records of appreciation were spoken of the pastor and his faithful ministry, and especially as regards the young people's work and the Sunday school. Mrs. J. M. Nichols gave the treasurer's report; Mrs. Bessie McBride gave the report of the finance committee, stating over \$400 had been received from all the activities of the church. Mrs. Augustus Purdy reported for the denominational funds; Mrs. Myrtle Jackson for the missionary society; Mrs. L. E. Sherman for the Dorcas society; Mrs. E. Benson for the Senior School; and J. R. Berry gave the trustees report. The following officers were all re-elected for the coming year:

Treasurer—Mrs. J. M. Nichols.

Clerk—Mrs. Carl Nichols.

Chairman—Finance Committee—Mrs. Augustus Purdy.

Treasurer—Denominational Fund—Mrs. E. L. Berry.

Superintendent—Sunday School—Trustees—J. M. Nichols; W. W. Henshaw, J. R. Berry.

Organist—Miss Bernice Purdy.

Assistant Organist—Mrs. Wm. H. Turner.

Choir Director—L. W. H. Tupper.

Ushers and Collectors—Vernon Adams, Hugh Berry, Warren Walker.

On Sunday afternoon the annual roll call service took place. There was a goodly number of resident members present. Letters were read from non-resident members by the pastor. Many of these sent generous offerings. The choir rendered special music. The text for the appropriate message by the pastor was found in 1 Peter 2:9. "But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people. Many of these sent forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvelous light." was well received by a good congregation. Nearly fifty dollars was received from the roll call thank offering.

METEGHAN STATION

Mrs. J. Jeddry and Mrs. C. Jeddry and son, New York, were at G. C. ing relatives over the week-end.

Millon Halifax and Mr. Thomas and of New York, were at G. C. Boudreau this week and have since returned home.

E. J. Comeau, Gustave Jeddry, Denis Comeau are back from the woods where they have been cutting the past week.



Between Ourselves

It was not altogether on account of laziness that my column did not appear last week. It happened that there were a "yellow million" other things that had to be attended to, and I just couldn't get around to writing it.

I trust that it is not too late for me to offer my sympathies to my friends in Bear River on their serious losses last month, in the burning of the Oldsboro Academy and the historic old Saint John's Episcopal Church; also for the destruction of the Mount West 1-brother the whole province sympathies with Bear River folks in their losses, and in the same breath, congratulate them for carrying on in spite of difficulties. Their school and all equipment were lost on a Friday night, and on Monday pupils of Oldsboro Academy attended classes in improved class rooms. Various parts of the village as usual, without a break. That meant what a loss of it all, of our appreciation, but it is the residents of Bear River who realize most just how much work it meant.

However, these material losses in Bear River can all be replaced. In a comparatively short time a new school and church will be built to take the place of those destroyed by the fire. At the same time will be erected to replace the one which collapsed under the weight of the snow. But during January, Bear River met with another great loss that cannot be replaced in the death of Fulton Parker—a sterling citizen who gave his best to serve his community.

—Ye Junior Ed.

WILKINS. At Deep Brook, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilkins a daughter, Jean Elaine.

BUDD DREAM

SATURDAY, FEB. 3rd.

MIRIAM HOPKINS and KAY FRANCIS

"Trouble in Paradise"

Also single act, weekly and "TARZAN" Starts 7.30 and 9.00, 25c., 35c. Matinee at 2.30 p.m.

MONDAY, FEB. 5th.

The last League Game before the Playoffs.

Bridgetown vs. Digby

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6-7.

Big Special English Picture: "The Rome Express"

and Comedy. 8.00 p.m. 25c., 35c.

THURSDAY FEB. 8th.

CHARLES HUFFORD and CONSTANCE CUMMINGS

"The Last Man"

Weekly and the last chapter of "TARZAN" 8.00 p.m. 25c., 35c.

THURSDAY, FEB. 15th.

Big Valentine Carnival and Rubber Race and Match at Victoria Rink.

PRIZES

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

The services on Sunday will be: Digby, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bay View, 3 p.m.

The evening service will be of special interest. It will take the form of another popular Service of Song. The title is "The Story of Martin the Cobbler, or Where Love is God." by David Leo Tolstoy. There will be an augmented choir and good music may be expected.

The Anti-Can't Class is enjoying a mild boom during the past few weeks. There were sixteen present last Sunday, in the room at the rear of the hall which is all too small to accommodate them. They are holding a Pantry Sale on Saturday afternoon at the Royal Store for their class funds.

The latest organization in the church has come into being before the first month of the new year passed out. It is called the "E-G-C" Club (Eam and Give) and is a society for the younger women of the congregation. Its object is to earn money and give it to the payment of the current indebtedness on the church. The first meeting was held at the Parsonage on Tuesday evening, when the following officers were elected:

Hon. President—Mrs. E. W. Forbes.
President—Mrs. Frank Hayden.
Vice President—Mrs. Edgar Jones.
Secretary—Mrs. Fred May.
Treasurer—Mrs. Budrow.
Entertainment Committee—Miss L. J. Fowler, Mrs. Wm. Cream.

The club plans to hold a paid entertainment each month for the benefit of its funds. The next meeting will be on Friday, Feb. 9th, at the home of Mrs. Edgar Jones.

A Musical Tea was held at the Parsonage on Tuesday afternoon, which was much enjoyed by all present. Mrs. Frank Hayden was in charge of the programme, and those taking part were Mrs. Hayden, Miss Eleanor Walls, Miss Frances McNeill, Miss Edith Snow, Miss Audrey Holdsworth and Miss Phyllis Deagle. Refreshments were served by members of the Ladies Aid.

Ladies Aid met yesterday afternoon at Mrs. Chas. Armstrong's.

Choir Practice this evening at the Parsonage. W. M. S. next Tuesday afternoon at the Parsonage.

ANGELICAN CHURCH NOTES

Rev. A. E. Gabriel, P. P.

The subject of the Lantern Slides this afternoon will be "Indian Residential Schools in Canada." All members of the congregation are invited to see these interesting slides.

Sunday is St. Agnes' day, the sixteenth day of the month. The services will be conducted by Captain Alfred Hutchinson of the Church Army, who has been in charge of the services at the church since the absence of the Rev. Canon Rev. W. E. Gabriel will make a priestly visitation to Weymouth on Sunday.

The services on Sunday will be as follows:

10 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.

Preacher, Captain Hutchinson, C.A.

3 p.m.—Service at Marshfield.

7 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

Preacher, Captain Hutchinson, C.A.

METEORIC

Jules L. Dureau recently returned from Little Brook where he attended the golden wedding of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Thimot.

Many persons from surrounding places, including Bear Brook, Weymouth County, were present. Many telegrams from the United States were received.

A large number of men are at present engaged in cutting pulpwood in this district, for the Mercer Paper Company.

Roads were completely blocked with snow during the past week, making truck driving and other traffic impossible.

The many friends of Mrs. Victor McNeill, of Digby, who is now a patient at the Digby General Hospital, will be interested to learn that she is progressing favourably.

WEYMOUTH and Vicinity

Perry Hines, of Digby, motored here on Saturday.

J. J. Wallis, of Digby, was in town on business on Friday.

Gordon L. Cann, of Yarmouth, was in town on business on Friday.

Mrs. H. B. Fitzgerald, of Weymouth North, is among those on the sick list.

Miss Elané Moore left recently for Halifax, where she has accepted a position.

Miss Mabel Comeau, of Ohio, had the misfortune to break an arm one day recently.

Mrs. Harley Brooks of Ashmore, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Powell at Weymouth North on Thursday.

William Moore and daughter, Winifred, are guests of the former's brother, Capt. Arthur Moore, at Weymouth North.

Miss Bertha Fraser, Helping Teacher for Digby-Annapolis Counties, was in town for a few days last week and visited schools in this vicinity.

The many friends of Miss Dorothy Conings, of Weymouth North, nurse in training at the Weymouth Hospital, will regret to learn that she is seriously ill at that hospital with rheumatic fever.

Mrs. Augusta Brittain, who was recently called here by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Silas Parker, of Weymouth Mills, returned to Boston on Friday.

Despite the very inclement weather conditions on January 17th, members of the Rebekah Lodge met in the lodge rooms where a social afternoon was spent, and a delicious supper enjoyed after which the regular semi-monthly meeting was held.

The Canadian Girls in Training met at the home of the leader, Kathleen Fitzgerald, on Monday evening of last week. The devotionary was led by the leader, assisted by members of the Group.

Each group member told the story of their favorite heroine, which included the following:—Margaret Bonfield, Grace Darling, Florence Nightingale, Laura Secord and others.

Mr. Patterson, of the Digby Railway, was in town on business on Monday.

Hugh Potter made a business trip to Saint John on Thursday, returning Saturday.

Donald Glennie, of Oxford, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLoughlin.

Mr. Macleach, of Saint John, spent a recent week with his sister-in-law, Mrs. L. H. Potter, at Rose Manor.

Mrs. C. C. Nicholl left recently for a business trip to Middleton, bearing with her the illness of her father, Mr. Parker.

Lloyd Grant was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanks on Sunday last, returning to his home in Barfleur on Monday.

Mrs. G. D. Campbell, Jr., was the hostess at an enjoyable snow shoe and bridge party on Monday evening of last week. The guests present included Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Jones, the Misses Ruth and Kathryn Goodwin, and Greta Journeay, also "Ladies" Jones.

It is said that the shovel manufacturers are still working overtime to keep up with the demand occasioned by relief work, which reminds us of the story of a snow shoveller who wrote to headquarters, asking for the proper use of the shovel. He was furnished with a number of "don'ts", among them being, "don't lean on the handle."

NOTICE

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE TOWN OF DIGBY: I hereby sincerely ask that you do not support me in the forthcoming civic election, as I would be unable to act due to business reasons and lack of time to properly serve the town.—K. E. COLLINS, Digby, 27 1/2

Rev. E. W. Forbes Addresses Kiwanians.

Every member of the Digby Kiwanis Club in town Tuesday, was present at the regular weekly luncheon, at which Kiwanian F. Courtney Purdy, Principal of the Digby Academy, presided.

President E. H. Lockward and C. F. McBride, chairman of the Kiwanis Civic Affairs Committee reminded those present that the day was nominating day, and that the town election, if any would be held next week.

Before introducing the speaker of the day, Mr. Purdy spoke briefly on the need of vocational guidance in the Digby schools, especially the need of a manual training class. He said that there were scholars who were not fitted, through no fault of their own, for academic work, and without vocational guidance in the schools they were forced into a groove which did not prepare them to meet the problems of later life.

Rev. E. W. Forbes, pastor of Grace United Church, was the speaker. He spoke on the Boy Scout Movement and its value for academic work, and had done more toward the solution of the so-called boy-problem than any other living man. Mr. Forbes spoke on the scout movement as the standpoint of educational value; character development, and as an organization to promote world peace.

Mr. Patterson, the new General Manager of the Nova Scotia Railway, is a resident of Digby. He was in town on Tuesday, Feb. 1st, to meet the staff of the Bank at Campbellton in 1890. He brings to the General Manager's desk a thorough knowledge of the Bank's business through his wide experience as an executive officer at the "Bank Office" and in branches, principally Montreal, Chicago, New York, where he was the Bank's agent, and in recent years at Toronto.

RAVENS WIN THIRD PLACE IN LEAGUE

The Digby Ravens made third place in the Central Valley League by defeating the Annapolis Tigers on Friday night with a score of 6-2.

The teams seemed well matched during the first ten minutes of play, and the only goal in the first frame was made by "Porkey" Raymond, the Ravens' left defense man, who, unassisted, made a spectacular entry to end rush and beat Hirtle with a smashing shot from the blue line.

Shortly after the beginning of the second period Syd Smith received a neat pass from Winchester and slammed the rubber in the net from centre ice. Frank Munro scored for the Tigers reducing the lead to 2-1, but play had hardly been resumed when Daley received a pass from Hyson, passed to "Bus" Walker who cooled Hirtle and scored. A few minutes later Bud Winchester received a good pass from Smith and scored with a very fast shot, and the period ended with the Ravens leading 3-1.

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KIWANIS LUNCHEON

There was another good attendance at the weekly luncheon of the Digby Kiwanis Club, on Tuesday, of board the Princess Helene, at which C. Fred McBride was chairman. At this meeting Kiwanian H. J. Campbell read the report of the President's school, recently held in Saint John.

New Mayor and Council To Be Sworn In Tonight

The Courier has been informed that the new mayor and town council will be sworn in at the Town Hall this evening, at 7 o'clock.

A LETTER OF THANKS

To the Editor of the Courier:—Sir:—I wish to thank you, publicly, for inserting my letter of some weeks ago, in your valuable columns; and also those of your patrons who went to the trouble to forward copies to friends at a distance, as well as those who wrote me directly. To the latter I have already written personally. But there still remain some whose mailing address I have failed to obtain; therefore I am taking this way of expressing my thanks and appreciation of their kindness. One such token went from Boston to a friend in the neighboring state of Washington, and another from Florida to Halifax, N. S.

Such things, perhaps, seemingly trivial in themselves, show that "the milk of human kindness" has not all soured yet, in the midst of the world's stress and strain, and are very gratifying to those who have spent a long life in trying to instill a spirit of unselfish helpfulness into the youth with whom they come in contact.

John Wright

4320 Cambridge Street, Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 2, 1934

We have been requested to announce that a Mass Calendar is being prepared for the Roman Catholic churches in Bridgetown, Annapolis Royal, Bear River and Digby. The order for printing the same has been given to the Wallis Print, who will receive the "copy" during the latter part of the week or early next week.

Mrs. Fred Harvie, Mrs. Raymond Winchester and Miss Regina Woolaver were among the hockey fans to attend the game in Bridgetown last Friday.

The V. O. N. will hold its regular meeting for February at 3 o'clock, next Tuesday afternoon, in the Court House.

To The Electors of The Town of Digby

May I take this opportunity of thanking you for the splendid support given me at the polls on Tuesday. I will try and do the best I can in the interests of the town and electors.

H. L. Woodman

"The Buyrite Store"

Face Cloths 5c
Talcum Powder, large tin 15c
Gift edge Cans and Sauces 15c
Men's All wool Sox, pair 19c and 28c
Pure Castile Soap, large bar 15c

VISIT

The Red Store, next Wright's, for this Week's Bargains.

Opposite the Post Office

WRIGHT'S
FEBRUARY 9, 1934

Digby
Nova Scotia

WRIGHT'S
Anniversary Sale
now in full swing

Great reductions on Ready-to-Wear Clothing, Dry Goods, etc., for Men, Women and Children.

Come in and Save

Just Ten More Days for Sale Bargains

Syd. Smith Making Very Good Recovery

The most regrettable accident in the history of the Digby Ravens Hockey Club occurred at Bridgetown last Friday, in the game between the Bridgetown Hawks and the Digby Ravens, when Syd. Smith, Ravens' star, fell, striking his eye on the skate of the player ahead of him. The accident cost him his right eye, which was removed at the Digby General Hospital, on Saturday.

Syd is one of the most popular young men in Digby and has the reputation of being one of the "cleanest" players in the league. The mishap was purely accidental. He returned with the players on the night train which arrived here about 4:30 o'clock Saturday morning, and was taken immediately to the hospital, where his sister, Miss Dorothy Smith, R. N., was assigned the duties of special nurse. Dr. Finney, eye specialist, of Yarmouth, arrived Saturday morning, and after an examination, removed the eye. Dr. DuVernet assisted in the operation.

Syd is making very favorable progress and keeps in splendid spirits. The management and players of the Ravens Hockey Club wish to express their thanks to Dr. Stone, of Bridgetown, for the many kindnesses shown to them and the injured player, on the night of the accident.

J. P. Milbray, well known Digby merchant, was stricken with a heart attack while in his store Wednesday morning, and had to be taken home, where he is doing as well as can be expected.

The Anti-Cant group, of the United Church Sunday School, gave a surprise birthday party to "Pat" McPhie, at her home, on Wednesday evening.

The Victorian Order of Nurses. Invites you to open your purse. And donate the price of a ticket. (Only thirty-five cents you remember.) Fun and mystery will reward your new dresses will grace the occasion. For Hard Times decreed an omission at 8:15 please assemble. Of all such folly and fashion. To test your skill at the table. At Bridge and Forty-Fives if you're able. Your identity is to remain hidden. Until unmasked you be hidden.

A DAY OF PRAYER

The Commission on Evangelization of Canadian Life, consisting of representatives of the Anglican, Baptist, Presbyterian and United churches has requested that Sunday, February 11th, be observed by every minister and congregation of these communions as a Day of Prayer for relief from the conditions that exist in our Dominion and in behalf of the peace of the world.

In conformity with the above request, a special service for prayer will be held in the United Church on Sunday morning at 10:30. The regular morning service will be held at the usual hour, but those who desire to join in prayer for the above objects are invited to meet at the earlier hour in the church.

LOOK AT THE TOWN BOOK

To the Editor of the Courier:—Sir—May I advise my fellow taxpayer to get the Financial Report of our town for 1933—yours for this asking at the town office—and see how your hard-earned taxes are being spent and donated to Band: Baseball, Hockey, Milk (\$80), etc. \$450 for the double-barrelled assessment.

Miss R. M. Campbell (for what?) \$420.00 Electric Light Debentures. \$10,000 Overdraft in Banks for which we pay interest. \$1,575 for Town Clerk. \$415.00 for Stenographer. \$864 for Police, (\$15 police court fine).

\$500 for Superintendent of Streets \$500 for Mr. Daley's Reading meters \$668 for half the Cost of Upkeep of the Front Street. \$630 to Digby General Hospital (if you wonder we are paying \$4.00 tax rate).

Belaboured Tax Payer

Eighteen events of public interest five of them being in Digby and Bear River are included in a list of 1934 celebrations, services and meetings given to the press on Monday by Hon. A. S. MacMillan, Minister of Highways, and head of the Provincial Bureau of Information. It is believed that the list will prove of value to the readers of this paper, as well as to prospective visitors. The list will be widely circulated abroad by the Bureau of Information in the interests of the tourist industry of Nova Scotia. They are as follows:

Apple Blossom Carnival—Kentville, in June.
Provincial Golf Tournament—Digby, July 10, 11, 12.
Highland Games—Antigonish, July 11.
Cherry Carnival—Bear River, in third week of July.
The Indian Carnival—Bear River, in first week of July.
Indian Mission—Bras d'Or Lakes, July 26 (St. Anne's Day).
Nova Scotia Summer School—Halifax, July 8 to August 15.
International Yacht Races—Charlottetown, July and first week in August.
Provincial Tennis Tournament—Bridgewater, week of July 30.
Nova Scotia Golf Tournament—Sports Meet—Lake William, August 21 to August 25.
Annual Regatta—Dartmouth, first Wednesday in August.
United Church Camp Meeting—Berwick, August 3 to August 11.
Provincial Exhibition—Halifax, August 27 to September 3.
Maritime Golf Association Tournament—Digby, August or early September.
Maritime Seniors Tournament—Digby, August or early September.
Fisheries Service and Procession—Lunenburg, first or second Sunday in October.
Fisheries Exhibition and Fisheries Reunion—Lunenburg, September 11 to 14.
Old Home Week—Lunenburg, September 19 to September 15.

Committees in charge of sport or other events throughout the province are urged to send in immediately full particulars, including dates, to the Bureau of Information, Halifax.

JOGGIN BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Marshall, accompanied by Mrs. Stephen Marshall, of Marshalltown, were in the village on Sunday, due to the illness of Mrs. James Winchester. Edward Tibbels, who has been employed on the railroad is spending some time at his home here. Miss Vera Woodman, of Conway, was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ellery Woodman. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Franklin, of Acadaville, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Ella Frances. Mrs. Franklin was formerly Miss Maude Winchester, of this place. Mrs. Edith Berryman spent a few days recently in Saint John. Glen Hutchinson spent the week end visiting in Digby. Lieut. W. H. Turner, Wolfville, and Rev. A. A. MacLeod were in the village on Sunday. Rev. A. E. Gabriel, of Digby, was a visitor at James Winchester's on Monday.

Local and Personal

Frank Jones, K. C. is registered at "The Elms". Horton Stark had the misfortune to lose a horse this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lynch were week end visitors to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Wright left on Tuesday on a trip to Florida.

Mrs. Frank Hayden, is on an extended visit to Boston and New York.

Miss M. A. Clinton has returned from Halifax very much improved in health.

R. P. Guest, of Yarmouth, proprietor of the Royal Stores, was in Digby yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Theriault left on Friday for a trip to New York and Philadelphia.

Special for Saturday at Gertrude Oliver's Lending Library—New Books and Home-Made Kisses.

Max Leonard, of Kentville, was a week end guest at the home of A. Watkins, Birch Street.

A real optimist was seen in Digby on Wednesday—carrying a fish pole down "the main drag" in zero weather.

Miss Dorothy Moses has been called to her home in South Ohio, Yarmouth County, on account of the serious illness of her father.

On Wednesday, February 14th, the Men's Class of the Baptist Sunday School will hold a Valentine's Supper in the Church Hall. Supper, 25 cents and 35 cents.

Miss R. M. Campbell, R. N., has returned from visiting friends in Montreal, Boston and Springfield. While in Springfield she was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Harry L. Roberts.

Reading Library at Miss Chisholm's.

Ralph Baxter, proprietor of Baxter's Barber Shop, underwent a serious operation at the Digby General Hospital yesterday morning, when his left leg, injured many years ago, was amputated. Reports from the hospital yesterday afternoon were to the effect that his condition was favorable.

Reserve next Tuesday evening for the Hard Times Bridge and Forty-Fives Party, at the Court House for the benefit of the V. O. N.

WEYMOUTH NORTH SCHOOL PRESENTS PLAY

The Weymouth North High School Dramatic Troupe presented the three-act comedy, "A Fortunate Calamity," at the Community Theatre, on Sunday evening. Despite the icy weather and the fact that a fairly large audience greeted the first performance of this play, and the interest was well maintained throughout.

The school song was sung before the beginning of the first act and a quartette was sung by the Misses Margaret Grant, Nina Titus, Green, Dolyn Titus and Avis Cosman between the second and third acts. Miss Margaret Wilson acting as accompanist.

Act I took place in the city home of Mrs. Merkle, a widow with two daughters, one a very dishonest one, the other kind and gentle. Mrs. Merkle refused to see the bad in her elder daughter (who with her boy friend is working against her mother), when she refuses to let the other daughter marry the man she loved, the daughter ran away and was supposedly drowned. Rastus and Dinah, the colored servants, caused much laughter; also the cook and her boy friend, who was a detective.

Act II took place two years later; the older daughter and her husband were living with Mrs. Merkle; he had robbed her of her money and invested it in stills which were at last found by the detective. Mrs. Merkle is still mourning for her lost daughter.

Act III took place three years later in a little log cabin where the younger daughter is happily married to the man she loved. Rastus and Dinah have come to live with them and the cook and the detective are married and are visiting there. Ruth came into a fortune and as the scene ends Mrs. Merkle came in to plead forgiveness. All but the dishonest daughter and her husband were getting ready to leave for Texas.

The play was under the direction of the principal, R. B. Powell, and with the exception of himself and one other of the members of the cast, it was their first public appearance, and each performed his or her part in a pleasing manner.

The cast of characters was as published last week.

Hockey Special

A special train will leave Digby at 6:30 Monday night for Bridgetown for the

Digby vs. Bridgetown

Play-off Game, Central Valley League

The train will stop at all stations, special low fares. For particulars inquire "D. A. R. Ticket Agent."

BAND NOTES

The second Community Concert by the Digby Civic Band last Sunday night was well attended and greatly enjoyed. With song sheets distributed among the audience, and with a good choir led by Harry Beaman, the singing was more interesting than usual, everybody joining heartily in the familiar songs. The trombone duet by Ross and Fred Turner was a fine number. Ianus "Flower Song" was well played, and the favorite old "National Emblem" March was handled with the correctness and the vim of veteran players. "The Vacant Chair" was impressively played as "a tribute to the fidelity, the sterling manly qualities and the genial companionship of Syd. Smith," a leading clarinet player who was at the hospital as the result of a most deplorable accident that will cause the loss of an eye. The Director voiced the hope of all that the band might be able to make vacant for a short time only.

The band has a trombone, and a tuba not in use, and wants some ambitious young fellows to take them up at once and come in with the other beginners who are waiting for the new class to start. Lessons will begin immediately after these two vacancies are filled. Answering the question recently asked as to why so large a band is necessary, and why more money is being taken for more players it should be explained that an additional expense is incurred by adding more players—quite the reverse because each one pays a membership fee of \$2.00 which buys his music. The instruments are already at hand. Furthermore, more experience has shown that a band starting with all beginners suffers a loss always of 25% membership each year until permanently established. A new band of 40 will drop to 30, or less, during the first year. To insure permanency, a large band at first, and a steady supply of players, is the only way to succeed. But this is only a partial explanation of the wisdom of training a large band, and the larger the better. This phase may be mentioned in later Band Notes.

WENTWORTH RALLY TO WIN FROM HAWKS IN FAST GAME

A large crowd saw the fastest and most exciting game of hockey of the season here on Friday night, and the best ice that either team had encountered. The game was a fast and furious one, the Hawks trying to increase their lead and the Ravens doing their best to even the tally, but due to the fine work of Eldridge and Campbell in the nets no further score was made in the first period.

Racing from one end of the ice to the other the forwards of both teams set a pace that kept the spectators in a high pitch of excitement, and the "hooker" Harwood added a little humor to the scene by playfully upending an opposing forward who ventured over his blue line with the "hook." Hyson, on a nice pass from Daley, scored the only goal in the second period, evening the tally.

Evening began with a shot from the blue line and later a nice piece of combination play, Hyson to "Bus" Walker to Daley, who scored, put the locals in the lead, 3-2.

The visitors made many good attacks in the third, but due to the checking by the Ravens' defence and the superior work of Eldridge in the goal, the only one scored was by some Digby man, who, in a mixup, near the net scored in his own goal.

The Ravens played no one in place of Syd Smith, but used Hyson and Daley in turn, in centre ice.

The Game at Bridgetown.

Soft ice made last Friday's game between the Bridgetown Hawks and the Digby Ravens, in Bridgetown, quite a tame affair, with the exception of a few minutes in the second period.

The Hawks carried the first period with the only goal scored in that frame, and scored a second goal shortly after play was resumed.

Fierce attacking by the Ravens, who did their share of the roughing, was continued in the second period, resulted in their scoring 3 goals and leading 3-2, but before the end the Hawks evened the tally.

After three minutes in the third the locals scored a fluke goal, the buckblancing of Syd. Smith, it was thought.

The Ravens had more than their share of the play, but the unfortunate accident which befell Syd Smith, after another two minutes of play terminated the game abruptly.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

The services on Sunday, on the Digby circuit, are as follows:—Digby, 11 o'clock and 7:00 o'clock; Smith's Cove, 3 o'clock.

The evening service will be in charge of the Brotherhood, with the Larman's Service throughout. The members of the Brotherhood will provide music and speakers. The subject will be "The Place and Work of the Church in the Community and the World." It will be an interesting service. Come and hear this male choir.

A. A. Shortliffe Elected Mayor of Digby

As the result of Tuesday's election A. A. Shortliffe, well known Digby grocer, was elected Mayor of Digby by a majority of 84 votes over Mayor P. W. Holdsworth. Mr. Shortliffe polled 243 votes, P. W. Holdsworth 159.

H. L. Woodman led in the election for councillors with 439 votes, followed by Capt. G. M. Morrell with 331 votes and E. C. Sallows with 294 votes.

Defeated candidates were: C. E. Armstrong, 210 votes; T. J. Harris, 123 and E. C. Collins, 33. The small vote polled by Mr. Collins is not an indication of his unpopularity for it is generally felt that he would have led the polls had it not been for the fact that he inserted an advertisement in the Courier of last week asking the public not to vote for him. The public simply respected his wish.

The campaign itself, locally dubbed the "battle of the severals" was one of the most hectic in the history of the town, and had most of the earmarks of a Federal or Provincial campaign. The vote was of the heaviest ever polled.

Both tickets, the Board of Trade and the other, will be represented on the new council. Board of Trade nominations were Holdsworth for Mayor and Collins, Morrell and Sallows for Councillors. They were successful in electing Morrell and Sallows.

The other group nominated Shortliffe for Mayor, Armstrong, Harris and Woodman for Councillors. Elected were Shortliffe and Woodman.

It is interesting to note that all the successful candidates for civic honors had double letters in their names: the same applied to all but two of the candidates nominated.

The retiring councillors were G. M. Morrell, (re-elected), Guy E. Morehouse and J. D. Casswell. The 1934 council will be made up as follows: Mayor, A. A. Shortliffe; Councillors, H. L. Woodman, S. S. Aymer, G. V. Turnbull, G. M. Morrell, E. C. Sallows and H. L. Woodman.

The Voters' Lists for the Town of Digby, have been posted at the Post office and stores of J. F. Melberry and K. B. Collins. All persons eligible are qualified to have their name on the list should see that the same is added, if not already there.

The Digby Fire Department has been called out three times within a week. On Saturday morning for a chimney fire in the residence of E. H. Collins, South End, on Monday evening for a truck owned by the Cold Lumber Company, which caught while taking gasoline at the Digby Garage; and yesterday afternoon for a chimney fire in the residence of William Gaines, First Avenue. Veritable damage was done by any of these fires.

Notice

To the Citizens who supported me in the recent civic election, I extend my thanks.

To the members of the council who assisted me in providing an honest administration, I am deeply grateful.

P. W. HOLDSWORTH

My Sincere Appreciation

I wish through the columns of the Courier to thank all those who supported me so wonderfully in last Tuesday's election. During my term as Mayor I propose to do everything I possibly can to further the interests of the town. I shall be glad of your co-operation in any way.

A. A. Shortliffe

To The Electors of The Town of Digby

I take this means to thank everyone of the electors who supported me at the polls on Tuesday last, and also wish to thank the friends who lent their services and worked on my behalf, the result was most gratifying and much appreciated by me.

Yours sincerely

G. M. Morrell

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1934.

FORTUNE FOR ONE BIBLE

The purchase by England of the "oldest Bible in the world" at a cost of approximately \$500,000, one-half of which is paid by the Government and the other half by popular subscription, has occasioned some controversy. Yet there are values that may exceed even the pound, and the purchase of this Bible appears to furnish a case in point.

Russia, custodian of the Bible, but despising religion, sells the sacred volume to England, where religion still is recognized as an essential factor in moral and spiritual progress. And it is conceivable that the emphasis the purchase places upon this difference may be worth even at sum so large as \$500,000.

Perhaps the purchase of this rare volume may so kindle interest in the things that were written therein, so many centuries ago, that multitudes may feel an awakened interest—and an awakened interest in such matters clearly is one of the urgent needs of the time.

WHO MOVED THE COLD WAVE PLANT?

Meteorologists have been calling attention to their wariness with some excellent specimens of "cold waves." Some sections of the Maritime Provinces had not seen a full grown "cold wave" for so many years that during the last few weeks folks thought somebody had left the refrigerator door open. The forecasters evidently have a new formula for "cold wave." They're trying hard to keep up with the procession of improvement that is marking every other line of progress. At any rate, the type of streamline knee-action "cold wave" that has been appearing on the highways since the opening of winter in this part of Canada has left little to be desired.

The "cold wave" as it is known to "weather men" should not be confused with the "cold snap." The latter is merely a small sample, inadequately frozen, of a genuine "wave." "Cold snaps" prevail in varying degrees all over the Dominion of Canada and are especially noticeable in the rural areas at about the end of the harvesting season. And then there is the "cold spell" which has, feature similar to those of the "snap" and often is mistaken for it. But all these are only minor demonstrations of the ancient and honorable "cold wave." They are of the same family but far milder in disposition.

There used to be an idea that the meteorologists made their "cold waves" up, in the arctic regions, and then shot them down through Canada by means of fifty-mile gales and other contrivances. But now the "cold wave" plant has been moved. It has been located in the suburbs of the stratosphere, where labor conditions are especially favorable. Lower barometric pressure is the power used and visitors are welcome.

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By UNCLE JOHN

(Sponsored by the Social Service Council—Insurance Alliance)

RE-BUILDING THE BRIDGE

What about the future of alcoholic beverages? Are we just going to go on steadily sapping our physical, mental and moral vigor by their use? Are brewers and distillers and retailers not satisfied with exchange and "dry" governments, just going to go on looking to the trade in beverage alcohol as a source of revenue? Are we going to go on paying for the cost of its use in broken homes, wasted lives, weakened intellects and general deterioration? Are we going to go on paying for the upkeep of prisons, reformatories, and benevolent institutions of various kinds, so many of whose inmates are the direct or indirect product of the beverage alcohol? Surely not. With all our resources, we are now in possession of the inevitable injury of alcohol on body, mind and character; with all our new passion for creating causes rather than mere effects, for preventing wrong rather than dealing only with its tragic results, and with all our desire to go on in the same old way, clothing mere use and want as justification, or a course whose folly is becoming clearer every day.

The people of eight provinces of Canada have voted down prohibition and have chosen a sort of "Canadian way" of so-called temperance. The people of the other half of the American continent have with almost wailing grief exchanged prohibition for what? Well, it has not yet been decided. They have leaped, and now they are looking around to see where they have landed. Now they will get out of the ditch. Maybe it has all been necessary in the process of experimenting, that people may learn even through error the way of right. The first Quebec bridge had to fail in order that the next one, safer and stronger, should take its place. But note that the builders did not leave the river wide open after the crash. They rebuilt it again, stronger than ever. And there is a sort in Canada and the United States that is far more content to leave the river of drink wide open after the fall of prohibition. The bridge will be rebuilt, stronger than ever.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

I heard a voice at evening softly say:
"Bear up this yesterday into to-morrow."
No load this week with last week's load of sorrow.
Lift all the burdens as they come, nor try
To weigh the present with the by-gone day by day.

ICE CAUSED ACCIDENTS

Ice roads caused two more timber accidents to be reported in the vicinity of the Raccoquet Bridge on Saturday. Harry Turnbull's team slowed in the bridge and upset. Mr. Turnbull, avoiding injury or jumping car. Harry Jefferson's team upset in the Raccoquet Hill in the vicinity of River. There was no injury. Neither horses or drivers were hurt in either accident.

Earlier in the week Joseph Jefferson's team crashed through the railing of the bridge, doing considerable damage.

ENJOYABLE BAND CONCERT

On Sunday evening the Digby Civic Band gave a very enjoyable concert in the Bijou Theatre, which was well attended. A number of sacred pieces were played, and the audience joined in singing.

"The Vacant Chair" was played as a special number as a tribute to Sydney Smith, who was injured in Friday night's hockey game at Bridge town, and as a result he is now a patient in the Digby General Hospital, where his injured eye was removed, on Saturday. Sydney is one of the most valuable players in the band. In announcing this number Director Yates remarked "we can thank God that the chair is only temporarily vacant."

It is the intention of the band to hold a series of these Sunday night concerts.

ONE LOST A HAT, ANOTHER PROFITED

David Daley, of the Ravens Hockey team, has a new hat—at least the original owner says it was only two days old when David came into possession of it! On Thursday night the Ravens played a game with Middleton, and on Friday morning the boys left by train for Bridgetown, where they played that night. David was sleepy and went to sleep on the train; just as they were pulling into Bridgetown one of the team members took a hat from the rack, and handed it to David's head, passed him his coat and skates and shouted, "We're here!" And that was that, until David got up the street and discovered that the hat he was wearing was not his hat at all, and that there was a Digby check in the hat band.

The original owner who was getting off at Digby, did not discover his loss until approaching Digby station—but remarked that he was thankful that he was left a hat to wear.

Another amusing incident connected with the Bridgetown game, which resulted in such a tragic accident, was that on Friday a number of Digby boys thought they would like to go to Bridgetown, but having no cash decided to ride "blind baggage" from Digby. The trains crossed that day at Bear River, the Yarmouth express being late. The boys were not molested until they reached Deep Brook when they were put off and had to walk home—almost 14 miles, that is, the majority of them, but there were two or three the majority, did not see and they reached Bridgetown.

MILFORD

Mrs. John Brown was the guest of Mrs. Alfred Fancey, on Thursday. Miss Bertina Wagstaff was the week end guest of Miss Pauline Weir. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wambold, of West Springfield, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Simon, on Thursday.

Nature is a wonderful thing! A million years ago she didn't know we were going to wear spectacles. Yet look at the way she placed our eyes.

Charles R. Grant, of Weymouth North, is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. B. Hardwick, and Mr. Hardwick, in Annapolis Royal.

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PARKER'S COVE

(Received too late for last issue).

The ladies of the United Church held their annual donation on Wednesday, the 24th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson. There was quite a gathering. After the inner man was satisfied with lots of good eatables, the evening was spent in games and music. A goodly sum was realized for the pastor, Rev. G. T. Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hudson, of Hillsboro, were recent guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. David Milner, and Mr. Milner.

Wilfred Weir and Paul Melanson, of Clementsport, are guests of the former's father, Austin Weir, over the week end.

Harold Saunders, of Annapolis Royal, spent the week end with his wife, who is staying a little while with her father, Benjamin Robinson.

Judson Longmire, of Hillsboro, recently visited his sister, Mrs. David Milner, and Mr. Milner.

Clifford Rice, of Granville Ferry, was a guest of his brother, Joseph Rice, and Mrs. Rice, recently.

Cyril White, who has been staying for some time with his sister, Mrs. Leroy Halliday, and Mr. Halliday, returned to his home in Young's Cove, on January 31st.

MORGANVILLE

Edgar Morgan returned recently from the Digby General Hospital, where he has been a patient for some weeks.

Miss Louise Thorn was the guest of Mrs. Murray Smith, at the tea hour on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Thorn and Miss Frances Clark went on a hike to Lake Le-Mercant on Saturday; from there to Bear River, and back home. Some hike, considering the condition of the roads!

Mrs. Boleford Rice recently celebrated her 92nd birthday. She assisted in making cake and pies, and is now engaged at piecing a quilt.

School Club Notes

News from Tiverton

Margaret Osullivan, secretary of the club in the Intermediate Department of the Tiverton school, reports that they were late in getting their club started this year. They hold regular meetings now—every two weeks. They held a concert in December and each pupil received presents. The members like their magazine "Animal Life" and they plan to make some Humane Posters for the contest mentioned in the Club News.

Roll Call Day

Your copy of February Club News and the School Club Roll Call form were mailed to you last week. Remember, Roll Call day is Friday, February 9th. Be ready to sign your name as a club member in Annapolis or Digby County. Here's for 100 per cent enrollment!

CLUB ROLL CALL

School Clubs are now considered a part of the modern school curriculum and their value stands high as a powerful factor in teaching the seven objectives of Education. These are: Health, Command, of Fundamentals, Citizenship, Worthy Home Membership, Vocational Efficiency.

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Around Our Town

J. J. Weis, of Digby, was in town the past week.

Rev. P. Henderson spent the week end at his home.

Reuben Alcorn returned from St. John on Thursday.

Rev. A. MacLeod spent the week end with his family here.

Inspector Foster, of Bridgetown, was in town on Wednesday.

Leslie Fair, of Wolfville, was a guest at the Grand Central last week.

Mrs. Cecil Bell was taken to the Digby Hospital on Monday for treatment.

R. R. Baxter recently spent several days in Digby, in the interest of the Fisheries.

D. Owen, K. C. of Annapolis, was in town on Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. W. Brinton was hostess this week to the Guild of St. John's Anglican church.

Among those on the sick list are John Nichols, Mrs. James Banks and Mrs. Cecil Bell.

The Sunbeam Mission Band met on Wednesday afternoon in the vestry of the church.

The Ladies Aid met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. (Capt.) William McMurray.

Mrs. Fred Jones, who has been the guest of Mrs. Lovett Harris, left on Tuesday for Weymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Benson entertained at three tables of forty-fives on Tuesday evening.

The World's Day of Prayer will be observed on Friday, February 16th, in the United Baptist church.

The Baptist Circle met on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. Chalmers (Commercial House).

Mrs. Sophia Marshall, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Harris, returned to Lawrencetown, on Saturday.

Mrs. William Vidito left on Friday for Boston and New York, where she will be the guest of her two daughters and son.

Mrs. Walter Comeau, of Boston, arrived on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Comeau's mother, Mrs. Matilda Comeau.

Malcolm Parker and Carlton Hyde left on Monday for Annapolis, where they are playing this winter in the Annapolis Hockey team.

The W. M. S. of the United church, met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. V. A. Chute.

As delegate to the Presbytery, Mrs. Harry E. Harris gave the report.

Carl Parker, Lawson Harris, Cedeno Purdy, Woodford Davis, B. Frazer attended the hockey game at Digby on Monday night, Digby and Bridgetown playing.

Capt. McMurray, Leslie Rice, Lyle Stevens spent the week end at their respective homes.

On February 14th, (Valentine's night), the Ladies Aid of the United church are having a play and social, at a Valentine lunch. All come! "Antel Church vestry, 10 cents admission.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hill announced the engagement of their son, Vernon, to Miss Dorothy Bright, of Southville, the marriage to take place at the near future. Vernon was the guest of his parents over the week end.

"The friends of Dr. and Mrs. Willis Allen will be glad to learn that Dr. Allen has resumed his practice at Campbellton, N. Y., having completely recovered from his illness of last year. Dr. and Mrs. Allen have visited Mr. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Purdy, a number of times since their marriage.

Malcolm and Mrs. Simons' "dinner bridge" on Thursday evening, was greatly enjoyed by the guests, of about being played at three tables following the dinner. The centre of the dining table was ornamented with a beautiful "bride's cake", in honor of the recently-wedded anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Harris, the "bride" cutting the cake, and receiving the special prize at Bridge—Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Lovett, also entertained at a "dinner bridge" on Friday evening, when 120 guests were said for a party of twelve.

INTERESTING MEETING OF WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The February meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the vestry of the United Church, as its usual room in the Masonic building was being occupied by the High School, department of the burned Catholic Academy.

The president, Mrs. Lovett, was in the chair, and the necessary business was transacted as rapidly as possible, as the main feature of the afternoon was an address by Rev. A. A. MacLeod, field secretary of the Nova Scotia Sons of Temperance.

Very interesting reports were given by the convener of the committees. The convener of the Home and School committee, Mrs. A. B. Campbell, reported the successful serving of cocoa to the pupils of the lower grades; also donations of milk, cocoa and sugar, which had augmented the \$15 voted by the Institute for this very important work.

Also that part of the sum voted by the Executive for school supplies lost in the fire had been expended.

The secretary, Mrs. J. H. Cunningham, read very original letters of thanks from the pupils of grades served with the cocoa, and a letter from the Home of Colored Children, Halifax, soliciting aid. The sum of \$2.00 was voted for this, as was also \$5.00 to the work of the Sons of Temperance in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre, convener of the Special Entertainment committee, appointed to make arrangements for the evening entertainment to be held in Oddfellows' Hall, on March 16th (evening of St. Patrick's), the funds to go to the re-furnishing of the Bear River room in the Digby Hospital, reported committee meeting, and arrangements progressing.

Mr. MacLeod's address was clear and concise, bearing particularly on the evil physical effects of alcohol, and was appreciatively received by his audience of Institute members and guests.

A pleasant social hour followed, when a refreshment was served by the following ladies: Mrs. A. M. Simons, Mrs. H. Kinney, Mrs. L. J. Lovett.

The next meeting will probably be held at the home of the president.

BADMINTON CLUB HOLDS SOCIAL EVENING

On Saturday evening last the Badminton Club held its first social event—a very jolly tea and dance. The first part of the evening was taken up with play, and part of the play-off in the inter-club tournament.

About twenty-four members, and some guests, thoroughly enjoyed the sport and dancing, and a repetition of this form of entertainment will be held again at the last of the month.

Arrangements, assisted by a number of the other club members.

REBEKAH LODGE OFFICERS.

The officers of Beta Rebekah Lodge No. 22, Bear River, were installed at the last meeting by District Deputy President, Clara Rice, assisted by a staff of lodge officers. The officers are as follows:

N. G. Verna MacGraw, V. G. Evelyn Stewart, P. G. Verna MacGraw, R. S. N. G. Annie Rice, L. S. N. G. Frances Brinton, Warden—Jennie Chute, Treasurer—Alice Harris, Conductor—Lila Harris, F. G. Lila Harris, L. S. V. G. Lila Chute, R. S. V. G. Lila Harris, I. G. Ed Rice, O. G. Mary Rice, R. S. Viola Cross, Chaplain—Minnie Larimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wightman returned from Smith's Cove on Saturday.

Mrs. John Strothard, of Lawrence town, spent the week end as guest of her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Brown, and Mr. Brown.

Mrs. M. Kalyka who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Purdy and Mr. Purdy, returned on Tuesday to her home at Bear River East.

John Ayl, of Greenfield, has made a very satisfactory recovery from his operation at the Hospital, and will be returning to his own home very soon.

C. D. Rice has done a much needed piece of preventive work on the highway having had a long heavy snow plough between the buildings owned by H. C. Anthony and the railway at the Bear River bridge. This was a most dangerous place, owing to the glassy ice covering the sidings roadway, and the agony had continued for the want of a day. A severe accident might easily have occurred, this has been averted by Mr. Rice's action.

JUNIOR HOCKEY CLUB NOTES

The Junior Hockey Club held an important meeting the first of this week, the president, Carol Snell, in the chair.

It was unanimously voted to apply for entry in the Nova Scotia Junior Hockey Championships, and to secure funds for necessary attendance expenses. It was decided to hold an old-fashioned "Bean and Brown" supper, on Saturday evening, at six o'clock, in the dining room of the Commercial Hotel, which had been graciously offered free of charge by Mrs. Chalmers.

The following committee was appointed to make arrangements for the supper: W. MacIntyre, convener; W. Anthony, C. Hirtle; H. MacLeod. The refreshments will be substantial, but simple, in keeping with the modest sum asked for tickets: the boys themselves will act as waiters, and a "door prize" has been contributed.

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It is hoped the citizens of the town will, by attending the supper, encourage the boys in their efforts to continue successfully this form of

clean, manly sport. The club showed its gratitude to those who have already assisted it, by passing a vote of thanks at their meeting.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. C. L. Blanchard, Minister

The services on Sunday will be as follows:

Bear River—Morning, 10.30; evening, 7.30.

Clementsvalle—Afternoon, 3.00.

Young People's League, on Friday, at 7.30 o'clock, p. m.

Little Phyllis Oickle, daughter of Murray Oickle, of Clementsvalle, is making a satisfactory recovery from her serious operation. Miss Beulah Harris is still in charge of the case.

On Tuesday, Jan. 30, Frank Miller was removed to the Digby General Hospital and operated on for appendicitis. The operation was successful and he is convalescing nicely.

Roscoe Alcorn made a business trip to Middleton the past week.

Obituary

Matilda Comeau

These passed away at her home, on Friday last, after a short illness, Matilda Comeau, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Luke Comeau, of Bear River, at the age of 89 years.

Her death removes one of the oldest inhabitants, and she has lived her entire life in the town. She is survived by two sons, Herbert, in Maine, and Walter, in Boston; one daughter, Hattie, (Mrs. Fred Ward) predeceased her by two years. The funeral was held on Tuesday from the Roman Catholic church, conducted by Rev. Father Murphy, with interment in the R. C. cemetery.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. C. P. Henderson, Pastor

Regular Services: Sunday Preaching, 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.

Church School, 11.30 a. m. Prayer Meeting—Friday, 7.30 p. m.

SUCCESSFUL "BENEFIT" TEA

The "Benefit Tea" given at Riverside Lodge by Mrs. B. C. Clarke, on Wednesday afternoon of last week, to secure funds for re-building St. John's Episcopal church, was very largely attended.

The spacious rooms of the lodge were most attractive with their shaded lights and cheery open fires, and the prettily decorated tea table in the dining room, with its particularly dainty decorations and refreshments, was presided over by Mrs. L. V. Harris, and her assistants, Mrs. W. Brinton, Mrs. K. M. Simons, Mrs. Hatheway and Miss Lydia Rice.

Mrs. Howard Rice was the busy ticket seller, and tickets were freely taken on the beautiful piece of fancy work contributed by Mrs. F. Leary and Miss Lonna VanBuskirk.

The proceeds amounted to \$35, of which \$13 were donations from friends wishing to assist in the re-building of the church.

Another effort to raise funds for this object is the "Bride and 45" Social to be held in the local Oddfellows' Hall, on Tuesday evening next. Beside refreshments, prizes will be given for successful score-winners in the games.

The single community should cordially sponsor this entertainment, as another step in the financial programme for the re-construction of St. John's church.

PARISH OF ST. CLEMENT

Rev. Rural Dean Smith, Rector

Next Sunday will be Quinquagesima Sunday. Services arranged (weather permitting), will be as follows:

Bear River—10.30 a. m. Clementsvalle—7.30 p. m.

Owing to the wintry conditions there has not been a celebration of the Holy Communion in Bear River for three months. No doubt the congregation will avail themselves of this opportunity.

Wednesday will be Ash Wednesday and the first day of Lent. It has been found necessary to deviate from the printed schedule and services (weather permitting) will be:

Deep Brook—10.30 a. m. Bear River—4.00 p. m. Clementsvalle—7.30 p. m.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Mrs. Harry E. Harris, Mrs. C. D. Rice, Mrs. L. J. Lovett

James Hubley spent the week end at his home.

J. O. Russell returned from Kentville on Saturday.

Glad to report Miss May Anthony improving in health.

ANNIVERSARY - REMNANT - CASH DISCOUNT

SALES

Begins February 15 -- Ends March 1
Our Doors will Swing open Thursday Morning at 9 o'clock. Sale Closes at 0.30 p.m. March 1st.

SAVE AS NEVER BEFORE

Everywhere you will find PRICES are SMASHED. Inventory time has passed. We have taken out all our Remnants and Shelf Warmers from our Stock and Prices have been CUT, CUT, CUT. They must be sold. We would rather take a Loss than have these Odd Lots hanging over. Clearance Sales keep Stock fresh and up to date. Without reserve the whole of our Stock is subjected to a radical Cash Discount during the Sale.

— DON'T MISS THIS GREAT ECONOMIC SALE —

Come by motor. Drive if you can't walk, but by all means get here on time. It is impossible to itemize every article. Below will be found a list of a few of our BIG VALUES:

REMnants

We offer the Remnants of our entire stock at Crowd Drawing Prices. Everything in our store is Discounted on Sale Days.

— PRICES ARE SMASHED —

We give you 20 per cent. CASH DISCOUNT on all Shelf Dry Goods, including Men's and Boys' Underwear, Top Shirts, Sweaters, Windbreakers, Mackinaw Coats, Women's and Misses' Underwear, Corsets, Gloves, Hosiery, Boots and Shoes, Men's Furnishings, Towels and Towellings, Table Linens, Hats, Caps, Toilet Sundries, Stationery, Etc., Etc. Don't forget 80c. buys \$1.00 worth of merchandise during this Sale.

— 10 per cent. on RUBBER FOOTWEAR 10 per cent. —
We give you 10 per cent. on all purchases of Rubber Footwear during this Sale.

FLANNELETTE BLANKETS

Medium Size \$1.50 pair
Large Size 1.85 pair
Extra Large Size 2.00 pair

GINGHAMS

Be on hand and avoid the rush.
Gingham 32 in. and 33 in. wide. Going at 16c. yd.
Prints 36 in. wide, reg. 25c. and 30c. Going at 20c., 24c. yd.

BOYS' RAIN COATS

Rubber and Oil Coats: Priced \$3.50. Going at \$1.00 each.

BARGAINS

Space does not permit us to feature every Bargain. Whatever you need from our Stock we have it at Bargain Price. Taking advantage of this Sale is your duty and will bring long life to your dollar.

GROCERIES

13 lbs. Fine Granulated Sugar \$1.00
12 cakes Surprise Soap .50
12 cakes P. & G. Soap .50
12 cakes Lenox Soap .50
10 lbs. Onions .35
5 lbs. Cocoa .25
3 boxes Matches .25

CASH DISCOUNT

PAINTS, OILS and VARNISHES

During the Sale we offer you 10 per cent. Cash Discount on all purchases from Stock. We have some odd Lots of Paints, Stains and Varnishes that will be sold at one-half price. These you will find in our Hardware Dept., on a table on the Floor. Buy now for future needs.

FLOUR and FEEDS

During this Sale we will give you 10c. per bag from our regular Cash Price on Flour and Feeds, which includes: Middlings, Bran, Shorts, Dairy Feeds, Scratch Feed, Cotton Seed Meal, Corn Meal, Cracked Corn and Corn Barley and Oats. All goods delivered at Warehouse at time of Sale.

— STORE POLICY —

Small Profits and Quick Sales is our Store Policy for 1934. It Pays to Pay Cash at the Company's Store.

WOMEN'S DRESSES

We have 10 Silk Dresses in Stock. Priced at \$3.93. Going at \$2.00 each. Figured Prints. Priced at \$1.00. Going at 50c. each.

— SAVING MONEY —

Do you believe in Saving Money? Our Discount Sale gives you the opportunity.

FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR

Men's Combination Suits. Priced \$1.50. Going at \$1.20 per suit.

Boys' Combination Suits. Priced \$1.00. Going at .80 per suit.

Men's Fleece Lined Shirts. Priced 75c. Going at .60 per suit.

Drawers. Priced 75c. Going at .60 per suit.

Boys' Drawers. Priced 50c. Going at .40 per suit.

Men's Standfield's Grey All Wool Heavy Weight Shirts. \$1.12 each.

Men's Standfield's Grey All Wool Heavy Weight Drawers. 1.12 pair.

Men's White All Wool Heavy Weight Standfield's Shirts. 1.12 each.

Men's White All Wool Heavy Weight Standfield's Drawers. 1.12 pair.

Men's White Woolen Shirts. .80 each.

Men's White Woolen Drawers. .80 pair.

Men's Medium Union Suits. 80c., \$1.00, \$1.40 per suit.

PRIN PATS

12 Sanitary Towels going at 20c. per package.

— S A L E —

Don't forget the date of Sale. Begins February 15th, and closes March 1st, at 10.30 p. m. We have many broken lots of Boots and Shoes. Be sure to visit this counter. Every pair is a bargain.

HARDWARE, TINWARE, CROCKERY

During this Sale we will give a Special Cash Discount of 20 per cent. on all your purchases of Hardware, Tinware, and Crockery.

BEAR RIVER TRADING CO.

I M I T E D

Pianoforte Lessons

Tar in Thoroughly

EILEEN Y. BAXTER

HIGHEST CREAM PRICES

Our returns for December were 23 cents per pound but that is the average price for the month that counts and not the price for any one week.

Yarmouth Creamery

HARLEM

Mrs. Dennis Boudreau spent Thursday with Mrs. Fred Mullen.

Miss Evelyn Boudreau has accepted a position in Brookline, Yarmouth County.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Sparold recently spent a few days in Hilltown.

Mrs. Hector Barr spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Tooker, Weymouth North.

Miss Reta White, of Southville, spent Friday with Margaret Boudreau.

Vincent Gaudet and Carl White, of Southville, spent Sunday in this place.

Mrs. William Sparold, of Hilltown, spent Sunday with her brother, Ed Barr.

Mrs. Tobe Sabean has gone to Montreal.

Believe It Or Not

We have 150 different designs of VALENTINES, ranging in price from 5 cents to 50 cents each.

If you prefer to make your own, or if you require Party Supplies, we can furnish:

Closet Red Paper, per sheet	5c.
Construction Paper, per sheet	5c.
Cardboard, per sheet	10c.
Valentine Seals, packages	10c.
Valentine Cutouts, packages	5c.
Decorated Paper, fold	25c.
Red and White Crepe Paper, fold	10c. and 15c.
Red and White Streamers, roll	15c.
Valentine Napkins, per 100	75c.
Valentine Bridge Tables, per doz.	35c.
Library Paste, per bottle	10c.
Sign Writing Ink, per bottle	25c.
Cellophane Ribbons, per bundle	10c.

You can't be sure till you try

Connell's

Here and There

The first event in the celebration of the Centennial of the City of Digby, to be held this year, took place at the Royal York Hotel in the closing week of 1933 when Mayor Stewart handed out tickets of "Centennial" bread to a large crowd of interested recipients.

A tip for the encouragement of the younger side generation is given by the Canadian Pacific Railway in the company's inauguration of a special school age ski excursion at low rates to the Laurentians just outside Montreal. The special was heavily patronized by the youngsters.

Statistics recently issued by the Bureau of Railway News and Statistics show that the safest way to travel is by railroad. In a year's operation of Canadian and United States railroads only one passenger was killed out of a total of 46,948,258 persons carried a total of 16,341,246,199 miles.

The old belief that women cannot wear high heels without injury to posture and health was described as "bunk" by J. S. Brower, shoe expert of Milwaukee, delegate to the National Shoe Retailers' association convention recently held at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto.

A Canadian inter-collegiate ski meet, unique development in Eastern Canada as far as skiing is concerned, will be held at the University of Toronto, Ontario, University, Ottawa University, McGill and St. Patrick's College in Ottawa are among the collegiate teams to be represented.

Many shovels and twenty below in snow places in Canada are replaced by machines and 55 above at Victoria B.C., those days the shovels and machines were put to work in the snow. The tournament was held at the Royal Colwood Course February 19-21. Enquiries and early entries from all over the country indicate that again this year the tournament will be a big success.

Silver Fox Breeders' Association convention was the first of three big gatherings held at the Chateau Frontenac Quebec City this winter. It was significant with that of the Canadian Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Association and was followed shortly after by the convention of the Canadian Association of Tourists and Publicity Bureaus.

Gratification at the way in which the public is using the new rail "skittle service" between Moose Jaw and Regina expressed by H. R. Matheson, general passenger agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, Winnipeg when he had had ample opportunity to view the running of the new "seven-day" train service between the two cities and golfers pleased with the results being obtained.

BELLIVEAU'S COVE

Louis Theriault, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Theriault, has returned home from Halifax.

Mrs. Siffert C. LeBlanc, of St. Bernard, who has been quite ill, is reported improving.

Embering in the woods has started but the men met much handicapped on account of so much snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Theriault, Mrs. Urbain Belliveau and Miss Cecile Theriault, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Belliveau, Church Point on Sunday.

BUOY DREAM

TONIGHT, Feb. 9
PLAY-OFF HOCKEY GAME
Bridgetown vs. Digby
(Special Train from Bridge-town)

According to League arrangements prices for play-offs are 25 cents and 35 cents.

SATURDAY, Feb. 10
CHARLES BICKFORD AND
CONSTANCE CUMMINGS, in
"The Last Man"

A Real Action Picture
News Weekly and Last Chapter
of TARZAN
7.30 and 9.30. 25c. and 35c.
Matinee, 2.30

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
February 13-14
Sherlock Holmes in
"A Study in Scarlet"

A Fine Detective Picture
Also Two-Reel Comedy
9 p.m. 25c. and 35c.

THURSDAY, Feb. 15
Grand Carnival and Rubber
Boot Hockey Game at
the Rink

Three Good Prizes. Only
these in costume allowed on
the ice till after the Prizes
are given out. 25 cents to all



SANDY COVE

Mrs. Orwell Morehouse has returned home from an extended visit with her daughter, Margaret, at Granville Ferry.

Mrs. Jeannette Dakin has returned home from Annapolis Royal, to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Terah Morehouse is on the sick list.

The Willing Workers Sewing Circle of the Baptist church, met with Mrs. Scott Sypher on Monday evening.

Coming to the stories they have not held their regular meetings since December 8th. The next meeting will be held next Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Bertram Gidney.

President (and Organist)—Florence Jeffrey.

Vice-President—Verna Crowell.

Secretary—Edwina McCullough.

Treasurer—Yvonne Sypher.

Recently they spent a pleasant two hours in the school house in games and refreshment, under the supervision of Miss Edith Johnson, assisted by Mrs. Harry O'Neill.

The Light Bearers Mission Band was organized at Mr. Floyd Jeffrey's, on Friday evening, January 26th. Officers appointed for the year were:

President—Mrs. Scott Sypher.

Secretary and Organist—Florence Jeffrey.

Treasurer—Edwina McCullough.

Programme Committee—Mrs. Scott Sypher, Rowena O'Neill and Yvonne Sypher.

The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Scott Sypher's this evening.

Miss Patricia MacPhee, Miss Zella Height and Mrs. William Cream, were visitors to Yarmouth during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baxter were among the Digby folks who went to Bridgetown last Friday to witness the hockey match.

Notice

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned, up to and including THURSDAY, the 22nd day of February, 1934, for the following assets of the Estate of William M. Cossaboom:

1.—All the Furniture, Equipment and Furnishings of the Hotel, Annex, Casino, Bungalows and Residence known as Harbor View House and Cabin Colony.

2.—One Bay Mare, 2 Wagons, 1 pair Bob Sleds, 1 Plough, 1 Sleigh, 1 Spring Harrow.

3.—1 Chrysler Sedan, 1930 model, 1 1929 Plymouth car, 1 Re-Modelled Buick Truck, 1 Ford Truck.

Tenders may be for any item or for the whole in Groups 2 and 3. Detailed Inventory of the items comprised in Group 1 may be seen at the office of E. J. Theriault or at the residence of the undersigned and inspection of any of the above assets may be had at any time upon application to the undersigned.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Clara B. Cossaboom
Executrix of the Estate of William M. Cossaboom

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Classified Advertisements

IN MEMORIAM.—In loving memory of our dear mother, who passed away February 6th, 1928.

Sleep on, dear mother,
Your past is over;
Your willing hands will toil no more.
For all of us you did your best,
May God grant you eternal rest.

Gone but not forgotten by her children. Inserted by her daughter, Mrs. Digby Baxter.

CARD OF THANKS.—I would like to thank through the columns of the Courier, all those who supported me in Tuesday's civic election. As I was nominated without my consent and against my wishes, I took no interest in the campaign. While I was not elected, through my own fault, I appreciate very much the support given me.

Charles E. Armstrong

FOR SALE.—Gurney Electric Store and Jacket Heater to match, in perfect condition; used slightly. At a bargain price.—Box P, care Courier, Digby, N. S.



Between Ourselves

The "Battle of the Sewers" is over or has it just begun? Anyway, the election is a thing of the past, and the new mayor and councillors will be sworn in shortly.

And, after this civic campaign, to think that we have accused the people of Digby of not taking an interest in civic elections. A campaign like this one would have been an eye opener for any campaign organizer for any election.

If now remains for me to offer my congratulations to the successful and defeated candidates. They both put up a good fight. The successful ones have their work cut out for them for the next two years, the defeated ones will perhaps feel in time that they were the lucky ones.

And, now, that the election is over, may I suggest another campaign—"buy at home campaign"—to be sponsored by the Digby Board of Trade.

I was greatly amused last fall when I received through the mail a clipping which contained a splendid argument for giving our patronage to our local merchants. It was a splendid article, but I didn't use it for the simple reason that it was enclosed in an envelope printed by an out-of-town printing house, and somehow I seemed to feel that the sender was not so sincere as he tried to make us believe.

But this week it went one better, received a circular signed by the chairman of the Civic Advisory Committee of the Board of Trade and the purpose of the Board of Trade is to boost the town and its industries. This circular was printed by an out-of-town printer. It was a nice piece of printed matter, but I'm not saying I couldn't do better. I must confess, I felt a little sore over the matter, but it didn't influence my voting. However, I feel that if the Board of Trade sends out of town for its printing, they are getting a splendid example for home trade.

We don't expect to "hog" all the printing orders awarded by business men, and it is seldom, if ever, that we make any remarks about printing orders being done out of town. We know that Digby business men are like the business men of other towns and some of our best out-of-town customers are located in towns and cities where Nova Scotia's best printing are located, including Truro, Halifax, occasionally Sydney, Antigonish, and others in fact. On Monday we were awarded the biggest order of its kind we ever handled, and it came from a town not far from here where a printing office is located, and we doubt if the printer in that town even knows about the job. The two largest individual orders outside of election printing we have ever handled came from Canis and New Waterford—so why should we raise a fuss when Digby business men send out of town for their printing occasionally when we know that business is being done out of town. We send away for theirs. But, it does hurt our pride when a Board of Trade committee sends out of town for a simple bit of campaign literature.

But that's enough of that.

I read where the name of Major Milton F. Gregg, V. C., has been suggested for the post of Sergeant-at-Arms in the Canadian parliament.

Major Gregg is well known in Digby County, having been located at Little River, where he was connected with the Diatomaceous Earth plant some time.

We all wish Syd Smith a speedy recovery, and regret very much the accident which cost him an eye in the game between the Bridgetown Hawks and the Ravens at Bridge-town, last Friday.

Ye Junior Ed.

HO BEHEADED KING CHARLES? Barbados, known as "Little England", may have solved an historical mystery. A Barbadian has found a letter dated 1669 from John Newing, of Barbados, to James Drax, of London, England. It states that one Hugh Peachall "who has been in the island (Barbados) almost twenty years and lived with many of the best of our best men" was much troubled in conscience.

and did acknowledge himself a person that cut off the head of King Charles, for which he had 100 pounds sterling. Following the declaration Peachall died, "after resting as much as aching in his mind, one person Lashley could afford him." The letter adds that one William Hewel was at the moment held at Newgate for the beheading. Barbados is the most easterly of the British West Indies Islands, and is on the Canadian National Steamship route.

FREEPORT

Merrill Solows, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Solows, left last week for Port Maitland to join his wife. They will return together to their home in British Columbia.

Mrs. Allan Perry went to Tiverton on Monday, returning on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Perry visited Mr. and Mrs. Allan Perry on Sunday week.

Harold Teed spent Sunday last with friends in Central Grove.

Reginald Haines spent last Sunday with friends in Tiverton.

A number of young people attended the party at Tiverton on Saturday evening last.

Dr. Greenwood returned on Friday night, last, spending a few days.

Miss Lois Ring, R. N., who has been visiting her sister in Tiverton for the past few weeks, returned home today.

Chippewa Lodge, I. O. O. F., staged their officers on Tuesday.

The regular meeting of Fair Isle Rebekah Lodge was held last evening.

Miss Mildred Thurber and Miss Pauline Stevens were the supper guests of Mrs. Blanchard Morrell on Friday last.

Miss Gertrude Burt, who is spending the winter with Mrs. Morrell, spent Sunday at her home in Tiverton.

Reginald Haines attended the party at Central Grove on Friday evening last, at the home of Mrs. Reginald Haines.

Mr. C. O. Gough was in town last week, while he visited his mother-in-law, Mrs. Iola Young. He returned to Halifax the latter part of the week.

George Delaney, of Central Grove, visited his daughter, Mrs. Jessie Thurber, on Sunday last.

Miss Eleanor Thurber is on the sick list.

Due to the extremely cold weather the fish houses have all their ice for the year.

The three departments of the Freeport school are now on their way to the completion of the second quarter of the work for the school year. The attendance, especially in the primary department, has been poor, owing to the severe weather of the last month. However, examinations are going on and good results are hoped for in all departments.

Singing classes are in full progress at Freeport these days. Many who thought themselves thoroughly advanced in music had difficulty in the last month. However, examinations are going on and good results are hoped for in all departments.

Burton Flanagan, of Lynn, Mass., spent a week with relatives here, returning to his home by way of Yarmouth on Thursday morning last.

Mrs. Samuel Young entertained company on Saturday evening last.

Miss Mildred Thurber, accompanied by her parents, left this week for Saint John. From there, Miss Thurber will leave for Montreal where she will enter a hospital to treat her nervous prostration.

Mrs. Willie Stevens and her Sunday School class of young ladies met at the home of Miss Mildred Thurber on Tuesday evening of last week to hold a surprise party in the nature of a "handkerchief shower". Refreshments were served and games played. A party was held by the B. Y. P. U. in the form of a social was held in her honor on Thursday evening last. A programme was planned but owing to the stormy weather not many were present. Games were played and refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake, cookies and coffee, were served. The president, Mrs. Willie Stevens, presented Miss Thurber with a gold piece in recognition of her services to the Union. Miss Thurber responded by reading a suitable poem. A "sing" was also enjoyed and the party was a success.

Specials: Fri., Feb. 9, Sat. 10, Mon. 12

Fairy Soap 5 cakes 23c
Grape Nut Flakes 2 pkgs. 25c
Quick Quaker Oats pkg. 31c
Oydyol pkg. 23c
Swifts Pure Lard 2 lbs. 25c
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Friendship Wax Beans tin 11c
Meadows Lipiment bot. 25c

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ly broke up about 10.30.

The B. Y. P. U. on Friday evening last, was led by the former president, Miss Jennie Thurber, and Mrs. Preston Thurber. The programme consisted of hymns, readings on the topic and a duet by Miss Jennie Thurber and Willie Stevens, a duet by the Misses Jennie Thurber and Evelyn Finigan; a piano solo by Jean Haines, "In the Gloaming," and a piano solo by Evelyn Finigan, entitled "Cathedral Chimes." A good number were in attendance.

The annual business meeting of the Freeport United Baptist church was held on Wednesday evening of last week. The following officers were appointed:

Church Clerk—W. F. Morrell.
Secretary—Treasury—E. W. Haines.
The same board of deacons and the same board of trustees were kept in office for the coming year.

Church Organist—Evelyn Finigan.
Superintendent of Sunday School—Willie Stevens.
Substant—Simeon last year.
Sexton—Ray Finigan (re-appointed).

Reports were read from the various societies of the church, and on the whole, they showed the church to be in a good position financially, and able to meet its obligations.

Plans were also discussed for the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the church, during the coming summer.

Following is the list of officers for the Freeport United Baptist Sunday School, for the year:

Superintendent—Willie Stevens.
Assistant Superintendent—Mrs. Frank Lent.
Pianist—Evelyn Finigan.
Assistant Pianist—Jean Haines.
Treasurer—Mrs. Ralph Israel.
Secretaries—Mrs. Ernest Haines.
Librarians—Miss Anna Stevens and Miss Theresia Nichols.

Walter Outhouse, of Tiverton, was in town on Monday of this week.

Harry Thurber, of Tiverton, was in town last week visiting his parents.

Miss Luella Teed and Miss Thelma Teed accompanied their father, Capt. Charles Teed, to Saint John, on Monday of this week.

Miss Grace Welch, of Westport, is visiting relatives at Freeport this week.

CENTRAL GROVE

Richard Delaney is visiting his father, George Delaney.

Charles Pyne, of Centerville, is visiting at the home of his uncle, J. S. Pyne, and Mrs. Pyne.

Mrs. Fred Hersey, who has been spending several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Whitcomb, of Freeport, returned home last week.

A surprise party was given to Mr. Reginald Titus by the young folks, at his home last Friday, it being his birthday anniversary. Refreshments were served.

Miss Margaret Tibert arrived home from the Yarmouth Hospital this week to spend a few days with her parents, before leaving for Providence, R. I., to continue her training.

Harold Teed, of Freeport, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Small.

Mrs. L. B. Delaney spent a few days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Outhouse, Tiverton.

Miss Edna Young, Tiverton, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. Titus.

H. H. Marshall and Miss Rachael Marshall have taken rooms at The Elms for the winter.

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Roller Oats, 6 lbs. 25c.
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Fruit 6 lbs. 25c.
P. & L. Laundry Soap, 10 for 32c.
Crosby Blackwell Soups, 3 for 25c.
Anne's Oaten Jams, 4-oz. jar 35c.
Eagle's Pork and Beans, 2 lbs. 25c.
Margarine Maid Sodas, 1-lb. pkg. 19c.
Dairy Butter, lb. 30c.
Strictly Fresh Eggs, doz. 35c.

Mixed Chocolates, special, lb. 25c.
Pure Milk Chocolate Buds, lb. 25c.
Hard Malted Candies, lb. 18c.
Orange Sherbet and Juice, doz. 25c.
Grapefruit 6 for 25c.
Eagle Brand Grapes, lb. 25c.

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Chick's Plainette Beans, 5 lbs. 95c.
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Men's Heavy Coat Sweaters, \$1.59
Men's Grey Flannel Work Shirts, \$1.29
Men's Broadcloth Shirts, 69c.
Men's All Wool Hose, pair, 49c. to 50c.
Men's Heavy Combinations, \$1.39
White Enamel Pie Plates, each 12c.
Grey Enamel Saucepans, 35c. to 45c.
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Aluminum Pots, with covers 30c.
Wire Dish Strainers, 30c.
Glass Wash Boards, 60c.
Knocking Pads, 19c.
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Digby Academy Examination Report for Second Quarter

Grade XI		Grade VII		Grade X	
Harlow, Josephine	95.2	Comesau, Della	76	Germann, Edith	95
Hampden, Roscoe	95.2	Trask, Arnold	76	MacMahon, Jennie	93
VanTassel, Merna	86.7	Musie, Louise	75.5	Williams, Ronald	88.1
Walls, Eleanor	82.5	Dickie, Hugh	73.2	Woodman, Beatrice	85.6
Woodman, Phyllis	82.5	Baxter, Mary	72.3	Woodman, Beatrice	85.6
Wright, Ralph	76.4	Sniew, Ronald	70.9	Abrahamson, Bernice	73.8
Bowe, Charlotte	75	Hazleton, Edith	64.6	Dakin, Charlie	73
Macdonald, Frances	75	Turnbull, Virginia	63.1	Keen, Edward	72.1
Dickie, Dudley	70	Hazleton, Helen	63.1	Hawthornth, Margaret	70
Hayden, Florence	70	Cowan, Harriett	57.6	Lahry, Ruby	69
Robinson, Jean	70	Raymond, Margaret	51.7	Therault, Margaret	68
Cummings, Edna	64	Donnelly, Kenneth	51.1	Keen, Mary	67.8
Nichol, Jack	64			Webber, Doris	67.8
Macdonald, Frances	46.1			Watkins, Howard	63.8
Syda, Margaret	39.2			Frade, Rena	62.1
Eldridge, Elizabeth	39			Daley, Mary	61.5
				VanTassel, Mary	55.3
Grade IX		Grade VI		Grade VIII	
Christie, William	92.8	Purdy, Margaret	90	Syda, Geraldine	82.9
Holmesworth, Audrey	92.3	Melanson, Agatha	88.8	Franklin, Helen	80.5
Franklin, Claude	91.6	Abrahamson, Gwendolyn	84	Ganong, William	88.2
Bailey, Maxine	86.3	Golden, Arthur	83.5	Woodman, Hilma	86.1
Durkin, Mary	85.3	Eisenor, Marie	81.2	Holmesworth, Marjorie	86.1
Durkin, Mary	85.3	Tidd, Audrey	78	Beaton, Richard	84.8
Sprule, Wilfred	77	MacNeill, Jack	76.5	Cormack, Lucille	84.4
Bailey, Max	74.8	Robicheau, Vernon	75.4	Saulnier, Helen	83.1
Baxter, Joyce	74.5	Wilson, Dorothy	75.4	Baxter, Bernard	82.4
Snow, Marjorie	70.1	Cowan, Geraldine	74.9	Weldon	82.2
Webb, Robert	70.1	Musie, Geraldine	74.5	VanTassel, Ronald	77.4
Snow, Paul	67.8	Baxter, Edward	73.5		
Donnelly, Willard	66.8	Stark, Feme	73.5		
Trask, Marian	66.3	Handspiker, Gora	73.5		
Winchester, Hilma	66	Wier, Jean	73		
Campbell, Maxwell	64.5	Tidd, Edward	72.3		
Woodward, Lloyd	64.5	Raymond, Frank	71.5		
Handspiker, Osborn	62.6	Melanson, Elsie	70.4		
Baxter, Harry	60	Joseph, Kathleen	69.5		
Tidd, Delbert	57.8	Winchester, Marie	69.5		
Musie, Robert	56.1	Baxter, Gordon	67.7		
		Russell, Josephine	67.4		
		Baxter, Rena	65.9		
		Barnes, Eddie	65.9		
		Raymond, Kenneth	59.8		
		Winchester, Carl	55.5		
		Stark, Lawrence	54.4		
		Sydney, Harold	52.2		
		Reidson, Roy	48.5		
Grade V (a)		Grade V (b)		Grade IV (a)	
Franklin, Doris	93	Campbell, June	90.6	Lambert, Victor	90.2
Dickie, Phyllis	89	Bowby, Phyllis	87.1	Purdy, Emma	88.6
Morehouse, Edith	87.5	Beaton, Robert	86.8	Woolaver, Philip	88.6
Christie, Dorothy	86	MacKay, Douglas	84.5	Thibault, Teddy	83.3
Trask, Harold	80.5	Kings, John	84	Syda, Barbara	83
Barnes, Violet	80	Savary, Cecil	83.8	Daley, Louise	81.5
Walker, Teddy	78.5	Turnbull, Joseph	82	Merkel, Claire	81.5
Baxter, Eleanor	76	Dickson, Frances	81.7	Richer, Patricia	80.2
Hayden, Evelyn	73.4	O'Neill, Alice	81	Kings, Phyllis	80.2
Stark, Thomas	76	Cook, Ruth	75.4	Daley, Lewis	79.8
Thomas, Pauline	70.5	Savary, Cecil	75.4	Moult, Murray	79.5
Manthorn, Evelyn	64	Winchester, Dorothy	72.3	Wilson, Donald	76.8
VanTassel, Ronald	60.5	Durkee, Churchill	70.9	Cow, Roy	59.5
Wilson, Paul	46.5	Melanson, Geraldine	70.9	Kaynaugh, Margaret	59.1
		Hayden, Vivian	63.1	Cowan, Phyllis	58.8
		VanTassel, Kenneth	57.6	Wilson, Grace	54.4
		Saulnier, Carl	51.7	Ward, Reta	50.2
		Handspiker, Florence	51.7	Woolaver, Douglas	46.1
		Johnson, Ralph	51.1	Handspiker, Frank	37.5
		Ward, Clifford	50.2		
		Hazleton, Asaphene	46.8		
		Donnelly, Marguerite	38.4		
		VanTassel, Gerald	38.4		
Grade III		Grade II		Grade I	
Joseph, Harold	89.1	Levy, Donald	88.9	Hanson, Eleanor	91
Wright, Robert	88.8	Cook, Dorothy	87.8	Baxter, Barbara	90
MacKay, Harriett	87.5	Therault, Esther	87.8	Robicheau, Ethel	90
Vincent, Grace	86.5	Bowby, Phyllis	86.5	Reckwell, Richard	89
VanTassel, Roma	85.6	Warner, Ardis	84	Baxter, Pauline	87.5
Surette, Leona	78.1	Franklin, Hazel	83.4	Donnelly, Ruby	87.5
Robinson, Kathryn	77.6	Handspiker, Adella	81	Warren, Eleanor	87
Humphrey, Donald	77.1	McNorgan, Edward	81	Hall, Charles	86.5
Everett, Digby	75.3	Raymond, Joyce	80.2	Heigh, Jevie	85
Webber, Josephine	72.3	VanTassel, Joyce	79.8	Stark, Jean	83.8
Melanson, Arnold	70.8	LeDrew, Jean	79.2		
VanTassel, Josephine	70.5	Saulnier, Annie	78		
Victor, Walter	70.5	Winchester, Charles	76.7		
Cowman, Gordon	67.8	Savary, Glen	75.3		
Russell, Lloyd	67.8	Handspiker, Audrey	72.8		
Hayden, Arden	67.3	VanTassel, Garfield	72.7		
Melanson, Carl	67.3	Morehouse, Paul	70.7		
Daley, Marjorie	66.5	Marshall, Ellen	70.7		
Savary, Genevieve	66.5	Wilson, Dorothy	70.7		
Wier, Teddy	62.6	Collins, Kathleen	69.5		
Johnson, Carl	59.8	Saulnier, Clifford	68.8		
Everett, Robert	58.3	Jefferson, Helen	68.5		
Woolaver, George	49	King, Laura	68		
Wilson, George	45.3	Hazleton, Elgen	68.5		
		Baxter, James	66		
		MacNeill, Kathryn	65.8		
		Robicheau, Helen	65.8		
		Thibault, Frances	65.5		
		Johnson, Thelma	65.5		
		Sibley, Laura	65		
		Daley, Joyce	61.8		
		Savary, Joyce	61.2		
		Wilson, Donald	61.8		
		Saulnier, Laurie	60.3		
		Thomas, Arthur	59.8		
		Victor, Marjorie	57.1		
		Winchester, Robert	54.5		
		Everett, Dorothy	53.7		
		Eisenor, Bernice	53.2		
		Barr, Helen	52.8		
		Sullivan, Arthur	52.8		
		Farnworth, Leona	50		
		Musie, Geraldine	48.5		
		VanTassel, Evelyn	48.5		
		McDonald, Patricia	46.5		
Grade I		Grade I (b)		Grade I (c)	
Hanson, Eleanor	91	Webber, Mary	92.5	Webber, Mary	92.5
Baxter, Barbara	90	Munro, Olive	91.5	Munro, Olive	91.5
Robicheau, Ethel	90	Connell, Robin	86.5	Connell, Robin	86.5
Reckwell, Richard	89	Turnbull, Archer	85	Turnbull, Archer	85
Baxter, Pauline	87.5	Baxter, Shirley	84	Baxter, Shirley	84
Donnelly, Ruby	87.5	Eisenor, Ruby	83.5	Eisenor, Ruby	83.5
Warren, Eleanor	87	Blair, Elaine	83.5	Blair, Elaine	83.5
Hall, Charles	86.5	Wilson, Gerald	82.5	Wilson, Gerald	82.5
Heigh, Jevie	85	Purdy, Joseph	81	Purdy, Joseph	81
Stark, Jean	83.8	Daley, Wiley	80	Daley, Wiley	80
		Robar, Dorothy	77.5	Robar, Dorothy	77.5
		Johnson, Lillian	77.5	Johnson, Lillian	77.5
		Sniew, Shirley	77.5	Sniew, Shirley	77.5
		Everett, Robert	70.5	Everett, Robert	70.5
		Kaye, Robert	64.5	Kaye, Robert	64.5
		Savary, Layton	64.5	Savary, Layton	64.5
		Saulnier, Reta	32	Saulnier, Reta	32
		VanTassel, Donald	32	VanTassel, Donald	32

LOST FAITH

We have lost much during the last few years. The dissipation of material values, the crumbling of standards upon which we placed reliance, the disarrangement of plans and prospects for the future, and the fading of cherished hopes and aspirations, have been followed by loss of faith, perhaps the greatest injury we have sustained.

We have lost faith in many of our business and financial institutions and in those that protect our liberties and privileges; we have lost faith in fraternal bonds and obligations and a portion of the public press is still doing its utmost to wipe out our faith in humanity.

It seems to us that it is time to re-dedicate our faith in the eternal truth that in the end right will prevail over wrong. The structure of civilization which has been erected by faith and work during the ages that have passed will not crumble and engulf us in darkness and destruction. The weakness of humanity leads us into unreasonable extremes. We would not counsel a return to the blind faith which led us to build towering structures on insecure foundations, but equally untenable is the note of despair that nothing can be secure. The world today needs faith more than anything else—faith in our ability to right the wrongs which have been permitted to creep into our life; faith that honesty is still the best policy; faith that courage and hard work will be rewarded, and faith that with the help of an Omnipotent Creator humanity can overcome all.

Without faith, what? Nothing!

CLEMENTSPORT

Mrs. S. W. Abbott has moved to Beaver Bank where Mr. Abbott is employed in the railway station.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Westover and little daughter, Dorothy, spent the week end in Digby.

Rev. and Mrs. A. W. L. Smith entertained at three tables of Bridge on Wednesday evening. Prize winners were Mrs. Herbert Hicks and Harry Lowe.

Thirty hockey fans attended the game in Annapolis Royal on Monday evening, and on Thursday evening several attended the carnival in Annapolis Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Shaw entertained at Bridge on Friday evening. Edward Bent is still on the sick list.

Mrs. Harriet Tupper entertained at Bridge on Thursday afternoon. Rev. A. W. L. Smith, field secretary of the Nova Scotia Sons of Temperance, spoke in the United Baptist Church on Sunday evening last. A public meeting was to have been held on Friday evening but owing to the weather conditions this was postponed until some future date.

The Ladies Sewing Circle of the United Baptist church met with Mrs. Fred Millett, on Tuesday afternoon. The Cribbage Club met with Mr. and Mrs. William Burrell, on Thursday evening.

The Wide Awake Club has been having very interesting meetings this winter. The meeting on Friday evening last was of special interest, it being put on by the charter members. The program consisted of songs, readings, a club history, and a club prophecy in verse, which was most amusing. At the close of the entertainment refreshments were served.

Miss Daisy Burrell, patient in the Victoria General Hospital, is improving in health.

Owen Balcomb is attending the Sportsmen's Show in Boston.

Bacteria that cause fish to spoil can grow at a temperature as low as 20 degrees Fahrenheit and that is one good reason why frozen fish should be kept at very low temperatures. Canadian research in this field has also shown that rapid-freezing and repeated freezing, causes greater destruction of bacteria than slow freezing.

Vincent, Robert 83.5
Lafayette, Wilson 82.5
Wood, Thelma 82.5
Frude, Eleanor 80.5
King, Burton 80
VanTassel, Marion 78
Barr, Buddy 78
Mullen, Enley 77
Harvey, Beth 76.5
Melanson, Viola 75
Everett, Victor 75
Winchester, Flora 70
Hazleton, Mildred 69
Thibault, Florence 69
Musie, Gordon 60
Winfield, Billy 56
VanTassel, Bernice 54
Woolaver, Robert 53
Jones, Pauline 50
Mullen, Phyllis 48
Trask, Ivan 26

Grade I (b)
Webber, Mary 92.5
Munro, Olive 91.5
Connell, Robin 86.5
Turnbull, Archer 85
Baxter, Shirley 84
Eisenor, Ruby 83.5
Blair, Elaine 83.5
Wilson, Gerald 82.5
Purdy, Joseph 81
Daley, Wiley 80
Robar, Dorothy 77.5
Johnson, Lillian 77.5
Sniew, Shirley 77.5
Everett, Robert 70.5
Kaye, Robert 64.5
Savary, Layton 64.5
Saulnier, Reta 32
VanTassel, Donald 32

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Obituary

Mrs. Eliza Titus

The remains of the late Mrs. Eliza Titus, whose death occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Claude Bishop, in Liverpool, arrived at Westport, her former home, from Yarmouth, on Monday. Mrs. Titus was 73 years of age and leaves two sons, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Shaw, and three daughters, Mrs. Claude Bishop, of Liverpool; Mrs. William Akron, Ohio; and Mrs. Alfred Charles, in Washington; Leonard, in Cape Breton, N. S.; four sons, Providence, Lawrence, in Amherst, and Alfred, in the Kenilworth Sanatorium. The funeral was held from the United Baptist Church, Monday afternoon, and was conducted by her pastor, Rev. H. Morgan. The floral offerings were very beautiful.

Simon Melanson

The death of Simon Melanson, well known and respected resident of Cobequid, occurred at the home of his son, H. J. Melanson, M. D., at Westport, on Friday last. The late Mr. Melanson was 70 years of age, and although sick for a year, was confined to his bed only during the past month. However, he endured his trial with resignation and was sustained by the spiritual assistance of Holy Church. He leaves to mourn their loss his wife, four sons, H. J., of Westport; Roger and Rene, at home; and Daniel, of Boston; also two daughters, Mrs. Melbourn Colman, (Emma), of Meteghan; and Rita, of Boston; and also an adopted daughter, Ella O'Brien, R. N., of Boston. Practically the whole family was at his bedside when the passing occurred. Surviving his are three brothers, Rev. Father D. C. Melanson, P. P., of Westport; Dr. Thomas, of Yarmouth; and Charles, of Cobequid; and four sisters, Mrs. Luke Babine, (Olive), Mrs. William Melanson, (Evelyn), and Mrs. Etzel Saulnier, (Frances), all of Cobequid, and Miss Marie Rose, R. N., of Boston. The funeral took place on Monday morning, Rev. Father D. C. Melanson being the celebrant at the Requiem High Mass, assisted by the Rev. Father Bunn and Bournout, of St. Bernard's. The choir was under the direction of Miss Pauline Melanson, a niece of Mr. Melanson. The pall bearers were the four sons of the deceased. The remains were taken to rest in the R. C. cemetery at Cobequid.—R. I. P.

Joseph Saulnier

Joseph Saulnier, formerly of Meteghan, but now residing at Ashmore, Digby Co., died at that place, Monday, Jan. 22, aged 79. Mr. Saulnier was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexis Saulnier, and was born at Meteghan, a quiet young man, and there married Miss Madeleine Babin, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Babin, of Meteghan. She predeceased him some years ago. He was a devout Roman Catholic, and was active in several religious societies. He was also a member of Branch 164 of the Artisans Canadian Franchise, and was a member of the club of Meteghan. He is survived by his widow, who was formerly Mrs. Margaret Melanson, widow of Mr. Melanson of Ashmore, and one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth, Cobequid, widow of Hilariou Comeau, of St. Martin.

Mrs. Augustin J. Comeau
The death of Mrs. Augustin J. Comeau, of Meteghan, took place on Thursday, January 25, at the age of a membership of thirty years.

JOGGIN BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Smith, of Bear River, were the Sunday guests of Miss Blanche Woodman.

Mrs. William Hutchinson, accompanied by her sister, Miss Murphy, of Culloden, and Harold Hutchinson, of Digby, were recent guests of Mrs. S. E. A'ary.

Miss Pauline Brinton is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Winchester.

Miss Marguerite Cossett left recently for Granville, where she has employment.

FARKER'S COVE

We have experienced a very cold rough winter, so far. As this is written it is quite mild, and we hope it will continue.

Miss Myrtle Maguire spent last week as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Minard White and family, at Young's Cove.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lewis are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter on February 3rd. Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Weir and baby of Clementsport, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Weir.

Miss Myrtle Guest, of Young's Cove, was a week end guest of her sister, Mrs. E. Oliver, and Mr. Oliver. Quite a number of our own folks are awaiting and storing ice for future use.

Miss Clara Robinson has taken a position in the Spectator office, at Annapolis Royal.

Clyde Clayton, of Hantsport, was a guest over the week end of his parents, Capt. and Mrs. D. D. Clayton.

Colds seem to be prevalent at the time of writing; some are confined to the nose.

Judson, Hudson, of Port Wade, visited his grandmother, Mrs. David Milner, and Mr. Milner, on Friday last.

The Misses Vivian and Jean Robinson were guests of Vivian's sister, Mrs. Lester D'Amour, and Mr. Longmire, on Friday last.

Frank Clayton, who has been employed in the lumber woods and is operating a mill in Milford, was home with his family over the week end.

WESTPORT

William Deaton, of Little River, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Deaton, and Mr. Deaton.

Cecil Thurber, of Freeport, spent the week end in town.

D. B. Kennedy has returned from Halifax.

Miss Annie Kenney has gone to Halifax, where she will take a course in hair dressing.

Mrs. Floyd Deaton returned from Trenton on Monday.

The Widening Workers Sewing Circle held a Valentine social, on the I. O. O. F. hall on Saturday evening. The proceeds, which amounted to \$22.00, will be used for church purposes. Many thanks to all who helped to make it a success.

Leland McDermott, who has finished his half-year at Normal College, arrived home on Monday.

(The young men gave a banquet in the vestry Friday evening in honor of the ladies who led in the Sunday School collection in 1933. Much credit is due the gentlemen for the wonderful supper they served. The contest was in full swing to see which side wins in 1934. The gentlemen again have the lead.

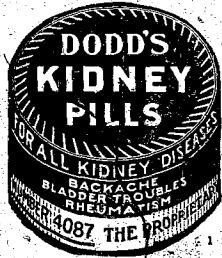
School Club Notes

Club Roll Call

At the time this news goes to the papers Roll Call reports are in from twelve schools. The first two reports received were from South Farmington, Annapolis County, and Ashmore, Digby County. However we feel that these two schools must have signed up before the 9th. The schools with their number of club members are: Paradise, primary, 81; Carleton Place, 47; Morden, 39; Trinity, 17; Meteghan, 17; Ashmore, 25; Boston, advanced, 19. The names of other schools will be published in the order in which their reports are received. Watch for your school.

WHO HAS THEM?

Some year ago — possibly 20 and it may have been 30 — quite a number of the bound files of The Digby Weekly Courier, were borrowed, and taken away from the office, but by whom nobody knows, except those who have them. The late Isaiah Wilson once told us that he was not sure about them all being bound — but he knew they had been loaned, as a former manager of the Courier told him he had handed them out himself. It is possible these files are still in existence in somebody's attic. They belong to us and we would like to have them. But we do not want those who have them to have their trouble for nothing after all these years, as the chances are that the party who borrowed them has "passed on" ere this, so we will reward the finder with a subscription for every year's file returned.



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—Matthew 9:13.

Lesson Passage: —Matthew 9:1-13.

Love thyself last. Look near, behold thy duty. To those who walk beside thee down life's road; Make glad their days by little acts of beauty. And help them bear the burden of earth's load.

Love thyself last. Look far, and find the stranger. Who staggers 'neath his sin and his despair; Go lend a hand and lead him out of danger. To heights where he may see the world is fair.

A Bond of Fellowship, 1

It is not fanciful for occupational groups to think of Jesus as interested in themselves. Carpenters are interested that Jesus worked in a carpenter's shop. Fishermen recall that on one occasion "he directed the placing of the nets, and that he called fishermen to become fishers of men." Farmers dwell on his parables of growth. A cowboy was impressed by the fact that Jesus rode upon an unbroken colt. Naturalists hear him saying, "Consider the lilies," and "Behold the birds of the air." Poultriers recall his description of the hen with her chicks, and housewives treasure his talk about lamps, brooms and breadmaking. Teachers think of Jesus as the Great Teacher, and doctors think of him as the Great Physician. Preachers think of Christ as a preacher, and mission-aries quote the saying that God had only one Son and he was a missionary. Though Jesus lived among a non-seafaring people, the sailors have a bond with him. Several times he crossed the Sea of Galilee with his disciples, and once from a boat on the shore, he slept through a storm on the lake, he calmed the stormy waves, and he had a fire on the shore awaiting the coming of his weary fisher folk and others. "We have not a High Priest who cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities. His personal experience on earth gave him sympathy with our vocational interests and problems.

Forgiveness, 2

A speaker said that there is little forgiveness in Nature—a volcano devastates the surrounding region; little forgiveness in society—prisoners are given life sentences; little forgiveness among individuals—grudges are harbored, little forgiveness to ourselves—there are some things for which we can never forgive ourselves. At the conclusion of the address a group challenged these statements. There is forgiveness in Nature—trenches and shell holes are now grain fields, and our bodies are

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Between Ourselves

It seems that at the beginning of every civic year some person writes a letter to the editor in the same tone as Belaboured Tax Payers' epistle which appeared last week. And, invariably, some crack is made about the salary paid to Digby's Town Clerk. I am not referring to the salary paid to the present clerk. In particular, but, in looking over the Courier files of years ago, I find that usually, at about this time of the year, there has usually been a lax payer writing a letter to the editor, kicking about many things in general—but always the town clerk's salary.

The present-day correspondent has advantage over the old timer, for he can now include the stenographer's salary in his (or her) complaint.

But, is there one private business concern in the Town of Digby that has even one-half of the business handled in the town clerk's office, that doesn't employ at least one stenographer to assist the business manager?

I am, as good as fault-finding as the most of you, but for one I have no complaint to make over Mr. Boden's salary, or the salary of his stenographer. Mr. Boden is an efficient and conscientious official, and gives his best to his work. It may be in the carrying out of his duties he has made mistakes—but those who haven't made mistakes have never made anything else.

However, I am going to say very little about "Belaboured Tax Payers' letter, neither am I going to state my attitude regarding the town expenditures he has outlined, for, no doubt, he knows as well as I do that some of these "just have to be" for the ratepayers of the town have asked for them, but probably he feels as I do, that in regard to others economy might be made. The only matter I am going to discuss is the "entireties" expense of \$80 for milk supplied to the Digby Public School. Possibly school commissioners and town councils didn't show such extravagance when he (or she) attended school. Personally I know there has been many little teapots over this matter, but I think that any enlightened citizen of the town of Digby feels that this expense is more than justified.

Before now, I have known of persons who get quite sore when one can't see eye to eye with them. I have also known of societies and organizations to "regret" that they all couldn't agree. In other words, "it is to be regretted that we are not 100 per cent, yes men." Interest in such societies is short-lived: of those who make proposals should bear in mind that there are two sides to every question, and in nine cases out of ten, each side has as many good arguments for their attitude as the other has for theirs.
Ye Junior Ed.

CULLODEN

(Held over from last week)

William P. Ross, of Gloucester, Mass., arrived on Saturday to spend a few days at his home here.

Mrs. Garfield VanTassel returned to her home in Digby on Saturday, after spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Ross.

Gerald Handsper, of Acadaville, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Handsper.

Reginald Handsper and Miss Agnes Spinney, of Mt. Pleasant, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Post, on Sunday.

Miss Mildred Porter spent the weekend in Acadaville with her parents.

The Misses Lizzie and Annie VanTassel, of Mt. Pleasant, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dacey, on Sunday.

Chords that were broken will vibrate once more.

Questions for Discussion

- 1.—Which do India and China need more, doctors or clergymen?
- 2.—Do you know any instances of faith-healing?
- 3.—Why did Jesus choose Matthew a publican?
- 4.—Is public opinion tending to favor state medicine?
- 5.—Did Jesus forgive sins or announce God's forgiveness?
- 6.—What are the religious motives for cultivating a health?

Lashed by foam from Chilly Bay of Cumberland water, and shivering from the bitter cold of 23 degrees below zero, four scantily clad Parrsboro seamen rowed to safety last Friday morning after their tug, the Vanessa, out of Saint John for Parrsboro struck submerged wreckage or ice about ten miles off the coast, and sank in a few minutes.



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That the civic spirit of a town is the sum total of the spirit of its citizens.

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If the business men of some towns would spend as much time fighting for business as they do fighting among themselves, each individual business would be in better shape, as well as that of the entire town.

LAKE MIDWAY
Mrs. Marjorie Thompson and little son, Harold, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Walter Thompson.

Mrs. Henry Cossabodin, who has been ill the past two weeks is much improved.

Walter Walker, who has been in the United States for the past six years, has returned to his home.

Calvin Ossinger is spending the winter with his aunt, Mrs. Walter Thompson.

Carl Dimock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walker.

Miss Bernice Hersey spent a few days recently with Miss Mary Graham. Guy Outhouse has also been a guest at the same home.

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DIGBY, Nova Scotia

Major Gregg, V. C., Gets Appointment

One of Canada's war heroes, a wearer of the most coveted decoration for valor in the Empire will carry the name in the midst of Commons according to reliable information. Official announcement is expected shortly of the appointment of Major Milton Gregg, V. C., a sergeant-at-arms in the House of Commons, in succession to the late Col. H. J. Connolly.

A native of Mountville, N. B., and a graduate of Acadia University, Major Gregg went overseas in the ranks and earned his commission on the field of battle. He won the Military Cross and bar and finally the prized and rarely awarded Victoria Cross.

At Caribou, in September, 1918, when the Canadians were driving forward with heavy casualties, Major Gregg crawled forward alone one night and explored the enemy barbed wire entanglements until he found a break. Through this he led his men and forced an entry into the German trench. Later, though wounded, he returned under fire to bring up a supply of bombs to lead his men in the attack.

The official report of the engagement says he killed or wounded 11 of the enemy, took 25 prisoners and captured 12 machine guns.

Austral acquired new territory by a bill passed through the Commonwealth Parliament last week, transferring to the Commonwealth from Britain four unincorporated islands situated between Timor and Australia, lying about 40 miles from the northwest coast of Western Australia.

Mrs. Adelaide Moore is among those on the sick list.

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IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Hersh McLean, who died February 18, 1929.

The one whose going left us lonely is scaling back and down and yore. And guided on by love's unfading light, Has gone upstairs and shut the door.

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(Boston Globe, Feb. 12.)
Walking a mile over sea-ice from the seashore Ronald R. Longmire, a Cur Point Pier, Capt. A. M. Weymouth, N. S., came ashore Sunday over the ice in Dorchester Bay to pay a social call on friends in town.

The ice, he declared, was five to six inches thick, perfectly smooth, and so solid that it never even cracked under the weight of the captain's party which included three seamen and a small dog.

"The dog was for the sake of prudence. Capt. Moore had had much ice experience in Hudson Bay and the Arctic and has learned to be prepared for sudden opening of leads in sea ice."

"I never remember seeing sea ice make so fast as it did Thursday night when the mercury started sailing down," said Capt. Moore. "We anchored in Dorchester Bay, thinking to start our cruise next morning but instead we are frozen in fast."

Capt. Moore came down on the Yarmouth steamer the first of the week to take command of the R. and B. Longmire, whose original master is shore-bound in the City Hospital while a broken leg, sustained in a fall, is mending.

The Ronald R. Longmire is one of the few all-steel vessels left in the coasting trade. She brought a cargo of lumber to Cape Cod, and sails from here, when the ice goes out, to the island for a cargo of the prime sea salt, produced by evaporation.

"It will suit me fine to get to a place where I'm warm on both sides," said Capt. Moore. "We flung up our way, that a bad cold came down in seven days, and it might well be that the next snap will find no more sailing vessels about to be frozen in at Boston. They are disappearing fast from the seas."

Sees Warmer Winters
Asked if he had noted any disposition on the part of the Gulf Current to move away from the Atlantic seaboard, making the climate colder, he countered with a prediction that the St. Lawrence ship channel, if deepened in the Waterways project favored by President Roosevelt, will alter materially the course of the Gulf Stream.

"It's bound to change the set of the tides," he argued, "and that will bring the Gulf Stream closer in and temper the Winters a lot."

He also had a twinkle in his eye over the trick played by the cold wave. "I think that when we had the Ronald R. Longmire anchored down in Dorchester Bay, a commercial tug-captain spoke to him, offering to bring him up the harbor for two dollars, any time he flew a signal in the rigging."

When Capt. Moore hoisted himself up from the ice on to City Point pier, the tug-captain rubbed his eyes at the apparition.

"How'd you get here," he demanded.

"Walked," said the captain succinctly. "And there's no telling for walking over the bay that I know of."

Japan's successful conclusion of a trade agreement with India has brought a congratulatory response from the press. With many eyes to what is considered the failure of the economic, the disarmament and other conferences under the League of Nations.

Various flat fish, such as flounder, possesses the power to change the colour and pattern of their skin to match the predominant colouring of their surroundings.

Ben Webber of Digby, was a week end guest at the home of Mrs. Bertha Titus, Weymouth North.

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MCMAC INDIAN "TOUGH HOMBRE"

San Francis, Attached to Nova Scotia Exhibit at Sportsmen's Show, Going Strong at 60

(Boston Evening Transcript, Feb. 8)
When Sam Francis, MCMac Indian guide, was thirteen years old, his grandfather took him hunting, down in Nova Scotia. Sam got separated from the old man and became lost. Four days he wandered about, and finally emerged into his own back yard. He had covered 180 miles, but half that would have got him home if he had gone in a straight line. The first day he killed a porcupine with a club. He had no gun, but he did have some nails, and he used them to make a "porky" and during the next three days he ate everything but the bones and the quills.

This was one of the stories he told at the Sportsmen's Show today. He is attached to the Nova Scotia exhibit. When he arrived in Boston, last Saturday, he laid a course from India Wharf to Mechanics Building by compass and map and, landed safely. For nine years, when a young man, he followed the sea. He was wrecked at a place called West Head, twenty-seven years ago, and again had to walk 100 miles to get home, all the way around St. Mary's Bay. Hundred-mile jaunts are nothing in Sam's young life. He is only sixty and is still going strong.

He was born at Kingsport, West County, N. S. There were 500 Indians in that locality then, but only a few now. Summers his people lived in bark huts, winters in log cabins. It was a life any healthy American boy would envy—nothing to do but hunt and fish, learn boat craft and have a good time. He killed his first moose near his grandfather's camp, at Great Lakes, and he has lost all track of the number since then. He had a cousin who was a hunter and a trapper, but Sam never had one charge him. His grandfather was once threatened by an irate moose bear from whom he had stolen two cups, but Sam never had any trouble with bears.

The old man told his grandson the tale of a bear who was badly mauled. Probably served him right. In Sam's philosophy, kidnappers deserve rough treatment.

Has Close Call

The closest call he ever had was while driving logs through the schooner passage of the Weymouth River, eighteen years ago. The morning of the day it happened, he had established a record for not getting overboard during the long drive. Then the logs became jammed, and Sam volunteered to break the jam. He broke his heavy setting the log-free, and there was no time to reach dry land. Away went the logs, carrying him down and over end. Forty men raced along the bank seeking to recover Sam's mangled body. But the particular log around which Sam had wrapped his arms and legs miraculously brought him through without injury. He was under water most of the time, but managed to get an occasional breath.

He had a peculiar accident once that nearly finished him. He was returning from his trap line, with a string of traps, a fox, a gnat and an axe on his back. He was crossing a crude bridge that spanned a gully. The bridge broke and Sam threw the axe away from him as best he could. He landed on the rocks, ten feet below, and the axe came down on his shoulder, cutting edge down, and inflicted a frightful gash. He saved himself from bleeding to death by binding an old newspaper he happened to have on the wound. It formed a plaster and stopped the bleeding until he reached medical assistance.

Sam's life has been full of such incidents, but they have left him tough and strong. He is still an active guide and is much sought by moose-hunting sportsmen from the States. His territory is in the Great Lakes region and his home is at Brazil Lake. "Don't get me wrong," says Sam. "I'm no object of pity. I belong to one of the oldest families in fact. I'm an original American. Whoever else came to this continent, I didn't. My folks have always been here."

SMITH'S COVE

We regret to learn of the death in New York, of W. Harris Roome.

Mr. Roome and family have been coming here for a number of years to their cottage, "The Bowling Green." He will be much missed this summer in the Harbor View colony.

Mrs. Raymond Winchester, of Digby, attended an overnight guest last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McHugh.

Seventeen hockey fans from here attended the game in Digby on Friday evening last.

Mrs. John Wightman and son, Warren, left for Montreal last week, where they will visit Mrs. Wightman's mother, Mrs. Graham.

Miss Cornelia Thomas left on Monday for Annapolis Royal where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Allen Keisler and Mr. Keisler.

Lieut. H. Turner, who had been guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Robbins.

Ralph Cossitt and "Billy" MacGregor attended the hockey match in Bridgetown, on Monday evening.

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DIGBY RAVENS ELIMINATED FROM PLAY-DOWNS

Bridgetown carried the first playoff game in the Central Valley Hockey League here last Friday night, by defeating the Digby Ravens 3-2. Both teams worked hard in the first frame and although the only goal scored was by W. Walker, on an assist from his brother, "Dus", the only thing that kept the visitors from leading was the superb work of Eldridge, in the local net. The second period, although fast and exciting, was scoreless. After eleven minutes in the third period "Billy" Walker, with a nice shot, put the home team two up.

The Hawks rallied shortly after this and with some nice combination work scored two goals in less than one minute, one by F. Melanson and the other by J. Melanson, which evened the tally. While Raymond was off F. Foley managed to score the visitors' winning goal.

A special train brought the visiting team some two hundred fans from Bridgetown, and despite the stormy weather there was a fair crowd of locals.

Digby—Goal, Eldridge; defence, Muise, Raymond; forwards, Hyson, C. Walker, W. Walker, Daley, Winchester.

Bridgetown—Goal, Connell; defence, Collins, Munro; forwards, J. Melanson, F. Melanson, LeBlanc, Foley, Williams, Robb, Jackson.

Monday Night's Game

Staging a sensational comeback in the late stages of the game after their opponents had wiped out the one-point margin gained in the opening frame, the Ravens on Friday night, at Bridgetown, have eliminated the Ravens from the Central Valley play-downs on Tuesday night, in Bridgetown, by scoring a 6-2 victory. The locals took the round, 9-4, and qualified to meet Middleton for the championship.

Goals by C. Walker and Hyson shot Digby into the lead early in the first period but Frankie Foley and F. Melanson equalized the count before the session closed. Then the Hawks went on to victory, LeBlanc tallying the only score in the second and adding another in the third. Frank Foley clinched the decision with two more markers before the round closed.

The game drew the largest crowd ever to see a hockey match in Bridgetown. Fans bled present from Middleton, Annapolis, Digby and other centres.

Bridgetown—Goal, F. Connell; defence, Collins, Munro; forwards, Robb, J. Melanson, F. Melanson, LeBlanc, S. Williams.

Digby—Goal, Eldridge; defence, Raymond, Muise, forwards, Hyson, C. Walker, W. Walker, Daley, Winchester, Hayden, Holdsworth and Webber.

LOWER GRANVILLE

Mrs. John Armstrong left on Saturday for her home in Liverpool.

Dr. Clarence Thorne left on Tuesday for his home in Melford, Sask.

Miss Hazel, Faulkner entertained a number of her friends on Thursday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Parker.

Mrs. Albert Angers has returned from Annapolis Royal, where she had spent the past few days visiting friends.

MARRIED

Allen Sabine—At South Bend, Wash., Jan. 27, 1934, by the Rev. Arthur G. Smith, the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Allen, all of Raymond, Wash.

CLEMENTSVALE

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Simpson, of victory, were Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Stewart Potter.

A number of the young people attended the hockey game between Digby and Bridgetown, at Bridgetown, on Monday evening.

A musical and entertainment was held in Gen. Sanford's residence, on Tuesday evening, in aid of the War Memorial.

The Ladies Sewing Circle was entertained at the home of Mrs. Maynard Brown, on Thursday.

Mrs. A. L. Danielson is on the sick list.

Mrs. Bramin Beeler, who is ill, went to Halifax Friday to enter the V. G. Hospital for treatment. She was accompanied by Mrs. Albert Wamboldt.

Miss Emma Band, of Annapolis Royal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baird.

Little Phyllis Oickle is making a speedy recovery since her serious operation a few weeks ago.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. E. W. Forbes, Pastor

The services on Sunday will be as follows: Digby, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Bayview, 3 p.m. At the evening service pictures of India and missions there will be shown. These will include the largest mosque in the world, at Delhi; the vicerey's palace at Simla; the Durbar, and scenes from Gandhi's life. There will be forty five views. Good music may be expected from the recently re-organized choir.

The Brotherhood Meeting
The regular monthly meeting of the Brotherhood will be held next week on Wednesday, instead of Tuesday. A good singing, a good programme and a good supper—and all the men of the congregation are expected to be present.

Service by the Laymen
The laymen's service last Sunday evening attracted a large congregation. H. J. Campbell, president of the Brotherhood, occupied the chair.

Dr. W. E. Dickie, vice-president, read the lesson, and prayer was offered by Oakley Turnbull. The address was given by A. R. Turnbull on the history of the local church from the beginning. His story was very interesting and included the story of the old lady whose prayer-meeting testimony used to be so long that the minister had to go on with the meeting while she was finishing up; and also of the two boys, one of whom went to sleep in the gallery of the old church and spent the night there when the prayer-meeting was locked, and the other of the boys he knew very well who earned a dollar nailing lathe when the present church was building. He managed to hold on to his hard-earned and much-prized dollar, even when the minister who was a "good beggar", and who had slipped down, and like the beggar in the parable, has been "carried by the angels to Abraham's bosom," urged him to give the money to the building fund of the church.

SEA BROOK AND RONVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Ross are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl, born February 3, 1934.

Mrs. Kathryn M. Porter, having graduated from the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, after taking a three-year training course, has returned home to spend a few months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Porter.

Mrs. Charlotte E. Bove of Digby spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bove.

The ladies of the "Willing Workers" Sewing Circle will next meet at the home of Mrs. E. K. Budd, on Monday last, Thursday afternoon.

A Valentine Picnic was held in the school-house on Friday night, and the sum of \$8.55 was realized. Proceeds go for school purposes.

Freeman MacAlpine is confined to the house with a very severe cold.

H. B. Budd spent the week-end at his home here.

V. O. N. REPORT FOR JANUARY

No. of Patients 28
No. of Nursing Visits 132
Clinics and Classes 2
Sickroom Visitation 21
Home School Visits 1
Child Welfare Visits 4
Miscellaneous Visits 10
Total Visits 171
Fees Collected \$32.46

The V. O. N. committee wishes to thank the following for contributions to the Supply Committee: Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. J. Haight, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. G. Turnbull, Mrs. McGeorge, Mrs. Sypher.

CULLODEN

Miss Barbara Ross spent last week-end pleasant with Mr. and Mrs. Van Tassel.

Mrs. William Hutchinson and Miss Margaret Murphy spent last week in South Cove, with Mrs. James McGeorge.

Herbert Handspiker, who is working in H. T. Warner's mill, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Handspiker.

Robert Handspiker and Edward Handspiker spent Sunday with friends in Pleasant.

James Ross and Mrs. Ida Sherman spent Sunday in Roxville with Mr. and Mrs. Heber Small.

PORT WADE

Mrs. Roland Hudson, of Granville Ferry, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hudson.

The Women's Missionary Society met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. R. Parker. The World's Day of Prayer was observed and the session was full of interest.

On Thursday evening of last week a church social, with dainty refreshments, was held at the home of Edward Johnson. In spite of zero weather a goodly number assembled and enjoyed the programme, provided.

The funeral of the late Lemuel Ryder, of Middleton, but a native of Port Wade, took place here on Sunday afternoon, with interment in the United Church cemetery. Owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. G. T. Bryant, the services were led by Rev. W. B. Crowell, of the United Baptist church. The deceased, whose sudden death was caused by cerebral hemorrhage, was 61 years of age, and unmarried. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Ryder, and leaves a sister, Mrs. Joseph Mackintosh, and one brother, Walter, both in Everett, Mass.

Mr. Mason, representing the Atlantic Coast Line, while making a business trip here recently, was a guest at the home of Ralph Hayden.

CLEMENTSVALE UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. C. Burnett, Pastor

The services on Sunday are as follows:
Sunday School, at 11 o'clock
Public Worship in Clementsvalle at 11 o'clock and at 7:30 o'clock
Lower Wardens, at 3 o'clock
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Golden Wax Beans 2 tins 25c
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Boneless Cod 2 lbs. 25c
M. M. A. Baking Powder, 15 bottle 25c
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Fire Destroys Old Landmark

An old Digby landmark on the Light House road, about two miles from town, was destroyed by fire on Tuesday morning. The place was known as "The Condon House" and was situated at the foot of Beaman's Mountain. It was owned by William Condon, of Digby, and occupied by William McGrath.

Mr. McGrath, built on a fire on Tuesday morning, then went into the woods to haul a load of wood. On his return he found the house on fire. The blaze was caused by an overheated stovepipe. With the help of neighbors his household effects, except for the kitchen range, were saved, but the building was levelled. There was no insurance on the property.

The building is said to have been built more than 100 years ago. Originally the main part of the house was on the shore road but many years ago this was moved across the fields and an addition built on.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Sunday Services:—Digby, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Smith's Cove, 3 p.m. In the evening there will be forty more pictures of Missions in India. These slides are particularly good, and there was a large congregation to see them last Sunday evening.

The E-G Club meets on Friday evening at Mrs. Arnold Turnbull's, Bay Road, on Saturday evening. They are holding a Bean Supper in the Church Hall, with hot-baked beans, brown bread, coffee, etc. Supper from 5 to 7 o'clock.

GRACE CHURCH BROTHERHOOD

At the meeting of the Brotherhood Wednesday evening, sixty-five men sat down to a clam chowder and then heard the speaker of the evening, Mr. Gerald Syda, describe his war experiences. With the help of large maps he described in most straightforward manner his over-sea service from the time of his enlistment to his return to Digby. He gave particular praise to the Scottish surgeons whose skill in treating his wounds he knice supplied him with a flexible joint. He corrected any impression that any one might have that the soldiers had a good time "over there." "If they did I didn't see it. Sixteen years ago on his return he made his maiden speech in the "Methodist Mission Fields" and now he was speaking there again, in expressing the appreciation of the audience. Rev. E. W. Forbes read the names of the six members of the Sunday School who were killed in the war. These are engraved on metal maple leaves on an oak tree memorial shield, hanging in the church hall.

In memory of our members who gave their lives in the World War, Memorial Buildings were erected in the "Methodist Mission Fields." The names are W. Hayden, L. F. Young, E. Handsaker, R. A. Cairns, Devere D'Arcy, B. Hutchinson. He said that just as surely as these others, had the speaker, Mr. Syda, given his life (as every soldier did who enlisted). The church had welcomed him back when he went out from the Sunday School with these others and now the Brotherhood were glad to welcome him again.

The next meeting of the Brotherhood will be on Wednesday, March 21st.

T. E. G. Lynch was a recent visitor to Halifax.

Local and Personal

Alma Meanson spent a few days last week in Yarmouth.

Mrs. C. H. Garty was a visitor to Halifax during the week.

Mrs. A. E. Gabriel has returned after visiting in Halifax.

Miss Lillian Watkins returned on Tuesday, after spending two weeks in Kentville.

Bargains in Silk Hose at Miss Chisholm's, on Saturday.

Martin Barnes, of the C. P. R. Telegraph staff has returned after being on relief duty at Kentville for several weeks.

Eory Bishop, Bridgetown Police Chief, and at one time Chief of Police here, was a visitor to Digby yesterday.

Burrell Davis, of the Yarmouth Academy teaching staff, who accompanied the "Yarmouth Basketball Team to Digby last Friday as coach, was the guest of J. M. Walls during his stay here.

Chester Levy has returned from Portland, Me., where he attended the Nova Scotia Celebration by Glass 12, of that city. Others from this vicinity to attend were James J. Wallis, A. R. Turnbull, Lloyd MacNeill and Mrs. Minnie Appleby, who are expected to return on Tuesday next.

Quite a number attended the "Carnival and Rubber Boot Hockey Match on Thursday night in spite of the disagreeable weather. The Rubber Boot Hockey Match between the Ravens and a picked town team resulted in a 3-3 draw. Little Miss Patricia, Heasterington, won the Children's Prize, she dressed as "bride and groom." The Ladies' Prize was won by Rita Ward, who represented "A Little Old Woman." David Daley, who went as "Ace Bailey" was awarded the gentlemen's prize.

LET'S GO!

"At dawn the mercury stood at 56 degrees, but by noon it had shot up to 78 degrees. Yesterday the temperature rose to a high of 79 degrees. This gave a mean for the day of 66 degrees, which was 11 degrees above normal. The forecast was for continued balmy weather tomorrow."

The above clipping was sent from a friend in California, and tells of the weather on February 12th of this year. We don't wish our friend any hard luck—but we do wish he would jump in a lake—in this section of the county at about this time of the year.

"AIN'T IT THE TRUTH?"

Too many men salt away money in the brine of other people's tears. Oftentimes it takes longer to mend a broken heart than a broken head. The pessimist is disagreeable, but gives less foolish advice than the optimist.

CULLODEN

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Stark and Mrs. Howard Daley spent Sunday with friends at Mt. Pleasant.

Elliot VanTassel, of Mt. Pleasant, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Ross on Sunday.

Miss Mildred Porter spent the week end with friends in Bay View.

The Young People's Society had their entertainment in the church on Monday evening. The time was spent with singing and games, refreshments were served at the close.

YARMOUTH ACADEMY DEFEATS DIGBY AT BASKETBALL

Yarmouth Academy defeated the Digby team in a basketball game last morning on their home floor in handy fashion. Yarmouth assumed the lead from the opening whistle, and played an offensive, tallied up 19 points to their hosts 6 in the first half. Mr. Moore was the outstanding player on the floor and with his accurate long shots managed to pile up a total of 12 points. R. Wright for the lofers, succeeded in gathering in 11 markers for his side, all gained on free throws.

Digby: H. Watkins, f. 5; R. Wright, c. 11; J. Nichols, f. 2; R. Williams, g. D. Dickie, g. Campbell, g.

Yarmouth: R. Fleet, c. 8; C. Boyd, g. 4; K. Homer, g. 5; G. Star, f. 2; F. Moore, f. 12; B. Bent, c. 9; G. Smith, g. 2; A. Denney, f. 2; A. Hamilton, g. 2; F. Welch, f. 1; P. Gullison, f.

Referee—Ken Veniot, Yarmouth.

Digby Neck Mailman Has Trying Trip

After the most harrowing experience in his twenty years as a rural mail route driver, Guy Morehouse, accompanied by two passengers, Mrs. Walter VanTassel, Assistant Old Age Pensions Investigator, and William Morton, Bay oil buyer from Massachusetts, arrived in Digby Friday night from Centerville, 15 miles from Digby, with the first mail since Tuesday.

They left Centerville early Friday afternoon, after a connection had been made with the mails which had reached there from East Ferry. For ten miles the horses struggled through deep trackless snow, wallowing through drifts and plunging along the snow blown highway. Mrs. VanTassel, chilled with the cold, walked along behind the sleigh for six miles. The party reached Digby in an almost exhausted condition from fatigue and exposure.

ANGELICAN CHURCH NOTES

The subject of the Lenten Slides this afternoon is "Canadian Indian Residential Schools." These pictures should be of special interest to the members of the Women's Auxiliary. Meeting of the Junior Auxiliary immediately after the pictures.

Regular Friday Lenten Service in the church at 8 p.m., followed by a choir rehearsal. Subject of the address at this service is "Anas."

Sunday Services as follows:—8 a.m.—Holy Communion. 10 a.m.—Sunday School. 11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Lesson. Sermon Subject—"Selfishness." 3 p.m.—Service at Marshalltown. 7 p.m.—Evensong. Sermon Subject—"Courage."

Lenten self-denial boxes can be procured at the Church. The money is to be used for re-lining the walls of the church interior. Members are urged to help up matter how small the offering.

We need more men in the choir and teachers for the Sunday School. Will you volunteer?

Reserve March 7th, for Big Hockey Benefit Show at the Bijou Dream Theatre.

Smith Cove Roads Cleared of Snow

Thanks to a few of our enterprising men our roads were nicely broken after the recent storms. Messrs. E. B. Weir and Edward Payson on the "Main" road, and Ernest Thomas and Cuthbert Welsh on the "Old Post" road with homemade snow rollers put the roads in excellent condition. We suggest that those who do not like to shovel snow, or who find it inconvenient to do so might by contributing a very small sum make it possible to hire horses to pull these ploughs. It would improve road conditions until our Council brings it before the people to repeal the old Statute Labor Law. Who will "take up the collection?"

METEGHAN STATION

Miss Cecile Comeau spent a few days in Saultville Station, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Comeau.

Felix Thibodeau, of Church Point, spent the week end here, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. August Senechal.

Miss Mabel Fournier, of Saultville Station, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leo E. Deveau.

Miss Alpha Mallett is on the sick list, also Elsie Saulnier.

Miss Loretta Comeau, who was employed in Saultville Station, has returned home.

Pierre LeBlanc has been obliged to give up his studies at St. Anne's College, Church Point, for the present, on account of eye-sight trouble, and returned to his home at Sluice Point.

The "Earn and Give" Club of Grace United Church will hold a Bean Supper in the Church Hall tomorrow from 5 to 7 p.m. Supper 25 cents. Proceeds to go toward church debt.

Obituary

Mrs. James Winchester

There passed away early Wednesday morning of last week, after a short illness, at her residence, Joggin Bridge, Mrs. James Winchester. She was born at Marshalltown 62 years ago, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Marshall of that place. Mrs. Winchester endured much suffering without a murmur. She was well-known in her own community and surrounding districts, as she was always on hand to help in cases of sickness and trouble and she was greatly missed in that respect.

Lieut. W. H. Turner, of Wolfville, officiated at the funeral service, using as his text, I Cor. Chapter 13, Verse 12—"For now we see in a mirror darkly, but then face to face, now I know in part, but then shall I know fully, even as also I was fully known. The Smith's Cove Baptist Choir rendered, "When the Mists Have Rolled Away," and "Rock of Ages." During the service, a trio comprising Mrs. W. C. Woodman, Mrs. F. Woodman and Miss Frances Austin sang, "Just Beyond the Hills." Mrs. Winchester was a life-long member of the Anglican Church. The deceased leaves to mourn the loss, besides her husband, five daughters and two sons, George, of Joggin Bridge; (Maude) Mrs. Ben Franklin, of Acadiaville; Sue, Ada, Hilda, Robert, Dorothy, at home; also one sister, Mrs. Arthur Marshall, of Smith's Cove, and two brothers, Stephen and Ralph, of Marshalltown, and two grandchildren. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. The pall bearers were J. P. Weir, C. P. Graham, W. C. Woodman and C. W. Foster. Interment was at the Thomas Cemetery.

Mrs. Milford Munroe

Mrs. Milford Munroe, wife of Milford Munroe, Victoria, B.C., died away on Friday last, after a few days illness. She is survived by her husband and six children. Service was conducted by Deacon Stephen Ellis. The body was taken to Yarmouth for burial.

Mrs. Martin VanTassel

The death of Mary Eva, wife of Martin VanTassel, Mount Pleasant, Digby County, occurred in the Digby General Hospital early Tuesday morning. She was the daughter of Henry C. and Louise (Cox) Melanson, of Gilbert's Cove. She is survived by her husband and a family of children, one an infant. The deceased was 36 years of age.

Mrs. Isabella B. Durland

The death occurred on the 13th, inst., at her home at North Range, of Mrs. Isabella B. Durland in the 89th year of her age. She was active all her life until a few years ago when her advanced age compelled her to give up her household duties, and during the past year she felt that her passing away was near, for she often quoted the first verse of that beautiful old hymn composed by Michael Pöhlke:

"The hour of my departure's come, I hear the voice that calls me home. At last, O Lord, thy troubles cease And let thy servant die in peace."

She was born at Barton, and was the last surviving member of the family of the late John Ross (preceptor) and Margaret (Nelson) Ross. She was the widow of the late Wallace R. Durland, who pre-deceased her 54 years ago, and is survived by two daughters and three sons, Mrs. Harry Collins, Hudson, N. H.; Miss Blanche, John R., and Dwight S., at home with whom she lived and Augustus R.; She also has two grand-children, Mrs. Albert Nelson and Wallace M. Durland, and one great granddaughter, Miss Jean Wilton, Dorchester, Mass. Mrs. Durland had a host of friends and acquaintances in this county, many of whom have passed away and she leaves a large connection of relatives in Hants and Colchester Counties. The burial service was performed by her pastor, Rev. M. R. Evans, of the United Church of Canada, and the interment was in the family lot in the Durland Methodist Churchyard, North Range. The following hymns were sung: "The Hour of My Departure's Come," "Abide With Me," "There's a Land That is Fairer Than Day." Doxology was sung at the grave.

Mrs. Wellington Titus

The death of Mrs. Wellington Titus, aged 78, occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hall, Queen Street, on Monday evening. She had been in failing health for some time. Funeral services took place at the United Church yesterday afternoon. Rev. E. W. Forbes officiating. She is survived by her sister, Miss Amron.

Henry H. Hamilton

The death of Henry H. Hamilton, 65, occurred in St. Stephen's Hospital, Winnipeg, on February 6th, after a short illness. The deceased was well-known in Digby, and at one time was Principal of the Digby Academy. He was born in Halifax and went to Winnipeg 28 years ago, where he was a prominent barrister. He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Addie Stewart, of this town; three sons and two daughters.

RUM SEIZED; FOUND IN SAUER KRAUT BARRELS

Local officers of the R. C. M. P. made an important discovery last week when they inspected ten barrels of sauer kraut (supposedly) in the hold of the Eastern Coastal Steamship Company's steamer "Glenholm," at Digby.

The barrels, instead of containing sauer kraut, contained a five-gallon keg of overproof rum packed in sawdust. It is alleged that the cargo was taken on at Victoria Bridge at the mouth of the Bear River, and consigned to Saint John.

The rum was transferred to the Customs Office at Digby.

Westport Church Has Successful Year

The Westport United Baptist Church held its annual business meeting recently in the vestry. After a short devotional period, Rev. H. C. Morgan was appointed chairman. Very satisfactory and encouraging reports were presented by the pastor, clerk, treasurer and also treasurers of the Sunday School, Women's Mission Society, Mission Band, Ladies' Sewing Circle, Willing Workers and B. Y. P. U.

During the year six have been received into the membership of the church: three by baptism and three by letter. In the early part of November, the church held a very successful rum roll. A special message was delivered by the pastor. Several quartette selections were rendered by Messrs. Frank Shaw, Gerald Bailey, Dean Pugh and the pastor, which added greatly to the inspiration of the service. A duet was also beautifully rendered by Rev. H. C. and Mrs. Morgan.

After the program a splendid luncheon was served by the ladies and a social time enjoyed. The offering amounted to ninety-five dollars (\$95.00).

The Sunday School, whose faithful Superintendent, Mr. W. A. Pugh, has served a long term of years, with its band of faithful officers and teachers, has had a very successful year.

A banquet was given in January by the men and boys to the women and girls of the Sunday School, who won the collection contest.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the church has completed a very successful year. The total amount of money raised for church purposes during the year amounted to four hundred and twenty-eight dollars (\$428.00). The officers for the year are as follows:

President—Mrs. H. P. Bowers. Vice-President—Mrs. Lloyd Denton. Treasurer—Mrs. Cynthia Welch. Secretary—Mrs. Harry Lent.

FIND WRECKED BARGE AFLOAT IN FUNDY BAY

Possibly that the half-submerged scow reported Wednesday morning floating in the Bay of Fundy is the same menagerie to navigation sighted off Cape Sable a week ago Tuesday. It held among marine men who swept the obstruction into Fundy waters.

Squall fishermen boarded the scow, which appeared, like a ragged pig cake, Mashed, then 100 feet of chain with anchors weighted and a large rope hawser hanging over the side were foyed. A large V-shaped indentation made it apparent there had been a collision.

The life boat searched the Bay before darkness set in this evening, but its occupants were unable to locate the hulk.

Sighting of the obstruction last week gave rise to fears that it was the hull of some vessel that met disaster some time ago, while others thought it might be the Ospeque now 34 days out of Lunenburg with three Ontario yachtsmen aboard.

BRIDGEWATER BLASTED FROM PLAKOFF RACE

Smooth combination thrusts that carried them to the heights of Central Valley hockeydom this season, swept Bridgewater Hawks into the semi-finals for the Nova Scotia championship at Bridgewater Wednesday night when they blanked Bridgewater South Shore title-holders 4-0, to take the two-game series by a count of 8-3. The Hawks will now tackle Acadia for the right to meet the survivor of the Sydney K. of C. Troop bracket series for the Provincial crown.

Three goals in the first period of play settled the issue. F. Melanson teamed up with Frank Foley for the opener, and the latter contributed another, similar to Williams to put the homesters two to the record before the period ended. J. Melanson beat Still again.

Both goalies gave sensational displays in the second period, but Still wasn't good enough to handle Foley's drive midway in the session for the final marker of the night. Incidentally the former (Halifaxian) played sixty minutes without relief. Whydacht was the outstanding player for the visitors, although Still and Connell both gave superb performances between the uprights.

Only Miss Addie Stewart, of this town; three sons and two daughters.

Local and Personal

Glad to see Syd. Smith out at in yesterday.

Miss Evelyn Purdy is visiting friends in Halifax.

"Glosses," and "Anthony Adverse" at the Digby Lending Library—G. Oliver.

Wallace Smith, of Ashmore, left recently for Halifax to enter the Camp Hill Hospital, for treatment. Special Broadcast over Radio Station WHEB (140 Kilocycles) Sunday, Feb. 25, at 10 a.m., by Rev. D. I. Campbell, Secretary of the American Advent Mission Society, Boston. Mass., dedicated to the fishermen and their friends.

The Sewing Circle of the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society was well attended on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. R. H. Lockward. An enjoyable tea was served by the hostess. Mrs. DuVerger will entertain the Circle next Wednesday afternoon.

Come and have a good time at the Hospital Benefit Dance on Tuesday, February 27th, at the Scott Hall, Good Music and Novelty Dances.

E. A. Graham was a passenger to Saint John on Friday, returning with Mrs. Graham and Miss Kathleen Graham, who have just returned from a southern trip. On Monday they left for Halifax, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

There will be no changes in the teaching staff, all teachers having been re-appointed. The staff is as follows:

Principal—F. C. Purdy. Vice-Principal—Miss R. MacWhinnle. Grades VII and VIII—Josephine Driffield. Grades V and VI—Louise Turnbull. Grades IV and V—Jean Anderson. Grades III and IV—Bessie B. Turnbull. Grade II—Ina O'Brien. Grade I—Dorothy Rogers.

Mr. Boden has informed us that to date some fifty applications have been received.

F. R. Eisner, F. J. Anderson and H. H. Marshall were passengers to Halifax on Monday.

Eustace Dunn, of Halifax, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dunn.

One of the Big Features of the coming Hockey Benefit will be the Question Box. If you want to know the answer to any question, same will be given at the Hockey Benefit Show, Wednesday, March 7th. Send in your questions now to the Voice of Experience, care of Dillon's Shoe Store, Digby.

Twenty Years Ago.

Rev. E. A. LeBlanc, left for Rome to pay his last tribute visit to the Pope. He was accompanied by Rev. D. Comeau, of Bel Brook, N. S.

The above is taken from the files of the Saint John Globe of twenty years ago, Feb. 20th.

Announcing

the Curtain going up on Dillon's February Shoe Sale. We offer you bargains in footwear for one week starting Saturday, February 24th

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Women's Cuban Heeled Black Gore Pump with fancy trim on Vamp; a dressy shoe for any occasion. Sale Price—2.39	Men's Heavy POLICE Boots. Well viscolized leather sole, full leather lining, rubber heel. Sale Price—4.79
32 prs. Women's Bedroom Slippers, per pair—39c.	Women's Black Kid Spike Heel. Pumps, at—1.99
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Not all sizes in this lot.	Women's Felt Cosey Bedroom Slippers: several colors, pr.—69c

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1934

DIGBY—AND RELIEF

In these days while the daily press of the province are discussing new relief schedules for and con, while word pictures of poverty and distress in other sections of the province, are being painted, the people of Digby town and Municipality can give thanks for their fortunate position.

True, we are not "as well fixed" as we were a few years ago. There has been a marked decline in all our branches of trade and industry. Many have had to deny themselves, many have suffered privations, but, on the whole, Digby town and country has weathered the depression splendidly. A look into the goes to prove this.

Last year Digby town's poor accounts were in the vicinity of \$2,000. The Municipality spent something in the vicinity of \$5,000 on relief. These, we will admit are quite large sums, but, in comparison with less fortunate towns and municipalities, we should not complain.

That letters of thanks are returning, there is little doubt. We can all see an improvement especially in the lumber industry which is now very active all over our country. As an indication that conditions generally are improving, the Courier has been advised through a very reliable source that Municipal Relief in the Municipality of Digby has barely exceeded \$100 a month for the past three months—and as we all know, the past three months have been "the har' l' months". This, in deed, is encouraging.

THE KING OF THE BELGIANS

Albert, King of the Belgians, whose tragic death caused sorrow and regret throughout the entire world, was one of the outstanding figures of the Great War. When the threat of invasion faced his people in those grim days of midsummer, 1914, he stood resolutely to defend his territory against the aggressor. Placing himself at the head of his army, he resisted the advancing Germans at every step. Had the Prussian expectation of non-resistance been realized, perhaps a very different result would have been the outcome of those early war days.

Although hopelessly insignificant, compared with the masses of highly trained and well equipped troops that were thrown against them, the tiny Belgian army bravely defended their beloved land, fighting back through Liège, Namur and Antwerp, but holding the advance of the enemy until the weight of the allied armies was able to stop the attack before it reached the English Channel. And at their lonely, guiding them, encouraging them, sharing their hardships was their King, beloved, revered, their King, Belgium's King.

Although proportionately Belgium perhaps suffered most of all the nations because of the war, she has been one of the most tranquil in Europe since that time. The peace concluded, she set herself to the task of reconstruction, and here again she had the guidance of a wise ruler who so people as his children, and in the future of recent years in Europe and Asia, the name of Belgium has been significantly absent.

The whole world will join with the Belgian people in mourning the loss of their beloved sovereign, and they will unite in the hope that, under their new ruler, Leopold III, the little kingdom will go forward in continued peace and prosperity.

WEATHER—WHETHER WE LIKE IT OR NOT!

I vowed to myself when I sat down to write this letter that I wouldn't mention the weather, but, what's to talk about, when there's nothing else but. After the spell that we had last week when the temperature dropped to 28 below and the snow creaked and snapped under our foot-steps, I felt that I would like to crawl in beside the old wood chuck and sleep for 6 weeks. Nothing makes me more peevish than to get up on a cold morning and have to remind the family that "it will be warmer when the sun gets up." Oh yes! I'm up before Old Sol every work day. Still, it's a grand sight to see the sun rise on a frosty morning. The snow is all gilded and rosy, the trees sparkle and shimmer, and when the sun is high enough to shine in through the living room windows, well, I begin to think that there is something to this early rising business after all, besides bacon, eggs and coffee. I had a letter from Sundridge, Ontario, last week, and my friend wrote me that it was 60 below, and she had been snow bound most of the winter, so the Maple Leaf still has something on Uncle Sam's, even if it is only weather.

I went to a week-end house party on Long Island two weeks ago, all Weymouth people, and had a grand time talking about you and me and the weather. Some of the folks I hadn't seen for many years, and there is so much to talk about when old friends meet; questions to ask about this one and that one; births, deaths and marriages to discuss; jokes to remember and laugh at. It was a grand party, and I just slip backwards when I think of a friend from the old home town.

Do you throw out your bread crumbs for the birds these bitter days when food is scarce, and everything is frozen up? I saw a pair of juncos pecked under my lilac bush one day last week and they looked so pitiful, I threw out food for them, but they were so miserable and cold they didn't even move. Wish you could hear our cat cooing them in a most cajoling voice. She is promising them if they will let her she will put them right inside her warm turtleneck and let them play on her fiddle strings. Nice pussy!

How would you like to have the Pacific Ocean pay you a visit? Quoting from a letter received from the West Coast, so ago, "During a period of high tides, we had the misfortune to be made the hosts of a ninety-mile gale which drove the Pacific Ocean not only up to our doors, but actually in through them. As a result, we were the very unwilling entertainers of about 10 inches of the briny deep throughout all the lower floors of our home. It was quite interesting to see the ocean enter as an unbidden and an unwelcome guest, and to know that by another word we need could we induce the visitor to leave. It was good and ready to do so. Nice friendly old ocean, wasn't it? I refer the Sissiboo River. I don't believe it would act up so.

Do you ever hear "The Gospel Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday dinner" singing "W. Z. 12" in the morning at 11 o'clock, (Canadian time). All the grand old hymns and played old songs. Do tune in. You will enjoy every minute of it.

Did you get a valentine? Oh, what two nice boys with hearts, flowers and gilt daggers. I love valentines. Have some new pitchers added to my collection since I told you about them. One, a blue hen, with a pink bonnet and lace collar and black buttons down the front of her bodice. Another is a swan, with the neck crooked up for a hankie. Another a yellow cow, Jersey I think.

Things I like—too numerous to mention. Things I don't like have centers on them, so when St. Peter comes me at the "early gates" I'll say, "No thank you, I don't want vines, but I will take 'flus'." Good night.

M. G. 1934

An angry man dashed into the doctor's office. "Look here," he cried. "I wrote a poem about my little son and began the verse with the words:

"My son, my pigmy counterpart."

"Yes?" replied the doctor.

The poet pointed to the poem in his paper. "Read that," he stormed, and see what your foot of a compositor has done."

The editor read:

"My son, my pig, my counterpart."

When Noah sailed the ocean blue, he had his troubles same as you, he drove and drove and drove his ark until he found a place to park.

SENTENCE SERMONS

—Rev. Roy L. Smith.

The Noddest Mind—

Scriptures least time thinking of revenge.

Thinks most on the loftiest heights.

Given least hospitality to cynicism. Is least disturbed by trifling troubles.

Is least enamored of the great lives.

Thinks little of his own troubles.

Thinks sympathetically of others' troubles.

HEALTH



A HEALTH SERVICE OF THE CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES IN CANADA.

GOITRE

Situated in the front of the neck is the thyroid gland. A gland is a body organ that is designed to produce a particular secretion. Most glands pour out their secretions on the external or internal surfaces of the body, perspiration and saliva being examples of this. Several glands, of which the thyroid is one, discharge their secretion direct into the blood stream, and are known as ductless or endocrine glands.

If the thyroid becomes enlarged, it is called a goitre. The enlargement may be due to any one of several reasons. The body requires a certain amount of thyroid secretion, and if the gland is unable to supply it, the natural result is that the gland becomes enlarged in its effort to supply the amount of secretion needed. This type of enlargement is known as simple goitre.

The secretion of the thyroid gland is essential to the proper growth and health of the individual. The child who is born without a thyroid gland is called a cretin. He fails to grow properly, and remains dwarfed physically and mentally. Fortunately, he can be rescued from this condition by being fed the thyroid glands of sheep which supply what is lacking in his own body. An over-secretion acts as an accelerator; the human body being driven at excessive speed, using up unnecessary energy.

Simple goitre is more common in some countries than in others, and in large countries, such as Canada, there is a great variation in its occurrence in different localities. The disease occurs more frequently in girls and women than in males, and it is seen chiefly from eleven to seventeen years of age, and during or after pregnancy.

One explanation, and the one that is most generally accepted, is that simple goitre is due to a lack of iodine in the diet. Apparently iodine is required by the thyroid gland for its proper functioning. In certain areas, there is little or no iodine in the soil, and the water supply as well as the foods grown in such areas are deficient in iodine, with the result that there is a good deal of simple goitre in these areas. Persons living near the sea are usually free from simple goitre because of their use of sea-foods which get their iodine from the sea-water.

All cases of simple goitre should be properly treated, even though they cause no symptoms, as it often leads to a more serious condition. Exophthalmic goitre, or Graves' disease, may result. It is a mistake to attempt the self-treatment of goitre with iodine or anything else. In the first place, a diagnosis should be made, and secondly, the advisability of using iodine in a particular case must be decided by the physician. Furthermore, the amount to be used and the period to be used are important and call for individual consideration. (Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.)

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CLOUDS

"Thy fate is the common fate of all. Into each life some rain must fall. Some days must be dark and dreary."

—Langfellow.

Yes, into each life some rain must fall, and some days must be dark and dreary, but let's turn from Longfellow to the equally true and comforting words of Riley's beautiful poem: "There is Ever a Song Somewhere." Are you bowed with grief by a newer trouble? Have your friends forsaken you and the dark spectre of trouble encompassed around about you? Well, through such a state we all have passed, or will pass, so let us bear in mind that "into each life some rain must fall," and sorrow must follow joy, and joy follow sorrow, just as the night must follow the day and the day must follow the night. No matter how great your sorrow it could be worse, and with this thought be mindful that though some days be dark and dreary, eventually the cloud will disappear, the sun will shine, the world will seem bright and cheerful and if we try we'll find it true, "there is ever a song somewhere."

BONES WERE PLENTIFUL

The inspector had come to examine the class in physics. He tried a little girl with this teaser: "How many bones have you in your body, little lady?" "Something like nine hundred," was the prompt reply. "Well, that's a great many more than I have," said the inspector, "I guess you ain't had herring for breakfast."

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Temperance Table Talks

By UNCLE JOHN

(Sponsored by the Social Service Council and Temperance Alliance)

LISTENING IN.

Since beer and wine notions are in the air hereabout, let us "listen in" to some of the things that are being said along these lines, going a bit a-field for our sending stations. Here is a statement of suggestive significance made over in England by Sir Edward Sanders, in an address to the British Brewers last summer: "We want new customers, habit instilled into thousands, almost millions, of young men who do not at present know the taste of beer." Such a statement has great value from the point of view of the liquor trade. But who wants to provide the boys and young men for the beer-drinking business? The financial columns of the Toronto Mail and Empire carried on December 5, a Montreal despatch like this: "An influential Montreal group is said to have looked into the Ontario brewery possibilities. One of the group states that there are 2,300 standard hotels in Ontario. Each would doubtless get a license for beer. Assuming only two restaurants licenses to each hotel, that would mean 4,600 licenses for restaurants. There are 150 golf courses in Ontario. New sale avenues in Ontario would be about 6,750." You see again the strong hand of the liquor trade behind the movement for wine and beer sale. Again, where are the customers to come from? Trade, not service, profit, not personality, is the impelling motive.

Dr. Hugh Dobson, of Vancouver, B. C., speaking in Saskatoon of conditions in British Columbia, where beer by the glass has been introduced, to an audience of Saskatchewan where efforts are being made to secure the free sale of beer and wine, cited the greatly increased sale of wine in British Columbia, following immediately upon the opening of the beer gates—increased drunkenness, increased illness, increased automobile accidents, increased gambling joints. And then he quoted the words of the Attorney-General of British Columbia before the Legislature: "I have no sympathy for the brewers. I could not after my three years' experience. There has never been a day when the brewers have not spent every minute in doing their utmost to convince the will of the people, defy the Government, and tear down the law of the land. I have come to the conclusion that beer by the glass is not an issue raised by the people but by the brewers."

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BUY MADE-IN-CANADA GOODS

MOUSE IN HORSE'S NOSE

(Woodstock, N. B., Sentinel).

An unusual occurrence is reported from the farm of Albert Burt, Jacksonton, N. B. Mr. Burt was pressing hay in his barn a few days ago when he noticed that his horse was covered with sweat and appeared nervous and agitated. Going to the animal's head he found that it was thrusting its tongue over its nostrils as if it were trying to brush something away. The nostril was bleeding slightly. Mr. Burt held the horse's nostril open to see what was wrong and out dropped a good sized mouse.

It is supposed that the mouse was in some oats which the horse had been eating and had found its way into the nostril, and that the rodent in trying to climb up it found his way into the air again cut into the membranes of the nose. The horse showed no serious ill effects of its experience.

Ideas are like stars. You will not succeed in touching them with your hands, but like the seafaring men on the desert of waters, you choose them as your guide, and following them, you reach your destiny.

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TOWN OF DIGBY

Annual Appointment of Officials

Applications are invited for the Joint Position of Superintendent of Streets and Water and Chief of Police for the civic year 1934.

Also for the Separate Positions of—1--Superintendent of Streets and Water --2--Chief of Police.

Applications must be made in writing, addressed to the undersigned and must state salary per month required.

The positions entail the ordinary duties of the Officials named.

Signed,

Alfred Boden, Town Clerk

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THE BANDMASTER ANSWERS
SOME QUESTIONS CONCERN-
ING BAND MANAGEMENT

Editor of the Courier.

Dear Sir:—On one night last week Digby people paid-out approximately \$300.00 in cold cash to see a single game played in a neighboring town. That's a good sign. It shows that this town is alive and fond of pleasure, and it also shows that town is not "broken" as the calamity howlers will tell you. But what can anybody show today for that \$300? Nothing but happy memories. And yet happy memories have their value in keeping up a fellow's good spirits on gloomy days.

Now here's a different case. During the year 1933 the Town Council paid to the Music Council exactly \$500.00—no more, no less—which gave, for hundreds of townsmen, NINETEEN good band performances. What can they show for it today? Happy memories of course, but what else? First, it helped start a permanent Civic Band always ready to help with any public town event. Second, more than 60 boys and men received the benefit of a year's discipline and education in music. Third, it was good advertising and brought in a little out-of-town trade. Finally, and here's the climax—THE TOWN STILL HAS ITS \$500.00 (in stock) for the Music Council took it, added a few hundred more, and then spent it for instruments, these instruments slowly being replaced by new ones. They are worth much more than their cost. Today they are the property of the Music Council, but Article XII of its Constitution provides for their permanent possession by the town in the following words: "Article XII. The Mayor, the Town Clerk, and the President of the Board of Trade of Digby, or their successors in office, shall constitute a Board of Trustees to take charge, and have custody of the funds and property of the Music Council in the event of the Music Council ceasing to exist. It is clear that every cent of town money has been wisely spent for permanent equipment. Over \$1,800.00 has been spent on instruments, music, repairs, and the hundred-and-one accessories required by a band. The players have paid about \$1,000.00 of this money out of their own pockets, and it would be grossly unfair to them to withhold liberal support at this time, and thus throw the entire investment into wasteful idleness. Few people realize that a single instrument of standard make costs from \$75.00 to \$400.00, according to its size, if bought new.

The band expects to provide its own running expenses, but it cannot also buy its needed equipment. \$600.00 more is necessary to complete a fair outfit without which we cannot keep up the interest of the players, nor can we make progress, nor can we maintain the reputation we made as a band of beginners.

It is sometimes objected that times are too hard to spend money on a band just now. Let me ask the objector to read again the first para-

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Here and There With G. R. T.

Today the daily papers brought us headlines to the effect that Boston was freezing to death with the thermometer at fourteen below zero, and that icebergs were drifting off Cape Cod, and if that is so I wonder what the weather is like in Weymouth, Nova Scotia. I fancy there must be a lot of ice in the upper reaches of St. Mary's Bay and the old Sissiboo River must be frozen solid from Light-house Point to Gates' Bridge. "It sort of gives me the shivers to think of it for this is a charming California is warm and balmy and dry."

We have not had a drop of rain since the deluge that flooded the country on New Year's Eve, and New Year's day. It is spring time in California and it is also blossom time. Each tree is covered with their pink blossoms and the apricot and almond trees are beginning to burst out in white which at a distance looks as if they had been showered with freshly made popcorn. It's a beautiful sight—and farther out to the Golden California the fields, and the sweet pea gardens—acres and acres of them—are all abloom with their dainty pinks and lavenders and gorgeous reds and purples and soon the orange trees will be in bloom and filling the air with sweet perfume almost to the point of intoxication. And yet, with all of this about them people go out to Pasadena and jump off the Colorado Street bridge, dropping a hundred feet into a rocky river bed, to get away from it. The evening papers report that seven people were frozen to death today in Boston, while in Los Angeles six committed suicide in various ways. Life is strange, and that is enough to say about it.

The annual automobile show has been the big event of the week here in Los Angeles. All of the leading makes and styles are on display from the Willard "baby buggy" to the six-cylinder Packards, Cadillacs and Duesenbergs, ranging in price from \$519. to \$1,200. Ford's and Chevrolts seem to attract the largest crowds. The present day "Heery" and "Chevy" is good enough for anybody, why pay more? "Ye cannot be grand and comfortable at the same time," said Bobby Burns. Very true says Mr. Will Rogers: "A stiff white collar always did interfere with my breathing."

Next week the Orange Show at old San Bernardino goes on the program of winter events. The citrus districts of Central and Southern California are now reaching their peak of their best in oranges, lemons and grapefruit. Avocado growers also will have their products on display. San Bernardino, 70 miles from Los Angeles, is one of the old towns of this southern country. It was founded by the Mormons back in 1841 when they were fleeing across the desert from Salt Lake City on their way to Wilmington to do a little trading with old Captain Banning, who had a general store and a

of the Courier, and clarify matters that had apparently muddled some minds. The Music Council Directors agreed that it should be done, and I have endeavored to clear up the questions mentioned by my friend as coming from some one not conversant with the facts.

"I'm college 49 years ago, I organized my first band, with 15 players, and have been more or less active in band work ever since, but the past fifteen months, although the most exhausting, have been the most gratifying of all because of the fine enthusiasm and warm friendship of the band boys, and the hearty and best appreciation expressed by hundreds of our best people whose opinions are worth while, and to whom I am, sincerely grateful."

Now Mr. Editor, let me thank you for the generous use of your columns and assure you that I shall try to not trespass on your space like this often, but once a year—unless someone starts an argument. And let me conclude by stating my firm conviction that no one will regret, in later years, his strong support of the Digby Civic Band as directed by the present Music Council. Give us the money needed for immediate requirements, and we can give you a band that will return your money with interest.

Yours very truly,

Director of Digby Civic and Junior Bands.
P. S.—Pardon a little added ancient history. Sixty years ago in Blue Ball, N. J. part of my father's circuit. I had a band. Joe Jackson played the drum. George Hall had a triangle which his father (a blacksmith) made, and I had a fife. We could play Yankee Doodle and Her Old Gray Goose is Dead, but Dad made us stay in the barn.—P. Y.

MILFORD ITEMS

Miss Rena Healey is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Wagstaff.

Miss Bernice Rice of Moschelle, is spending a few days with Miss Pauline Fane.

BORN

Hudson—At Lower Granville, on Feb. 18, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hudson, a daughter, Elizabeth Lullia.

new wine has come into the market, which may in time become an active competitor of the product of the grape. It is a wine made from orange juice and a dash of champagne wine has a rather delicious flavor. With it it is said to become quite brassy and enough of it will make it seem considerably brighter to anyone down in the dumps.

How it will taste and what its effect will be when processed into port, sherry, champagne and brandy is still something to look forward to. In the meantime I am taking my orange juice fresh every morning. I imagine that taken that way the benefits to the old body are more helpful than if taken in the fermented form.

G. R. T.

BARTON NOTES

The School and Community Club Meeting was finally postponed until the regular meeting for March which is March 23rd, as it seemed impossible to meet in February because of the stormy weather.

Miss Freda Rice of Bear River, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Daniel Fraser.

Mrs. Parker Lamberton is making a good recovery from her recent accident. Her mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leslie

The most delicious tea

"SALADA"
TEA

'Fresh from the gardens'

are making an extended visit at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ritchie and little daughter, Jean, are visiting in Digby and Saint John.

Lloyd Grant spent the week-end with friends in Weymouth.

Charles Warley, Oscar Comeau, Arthur Moore and Stephen Smith recently returned from a week's camping at Wapineau camp, Unalaska.

The public library here is well patronized. Saturday afternoons are busy for those acting as librarians. Those interested in this new project must feel that it was truly worth while.

LOWER GRANVILLE

The ladies of the United Baptist Church intend to have a Clam Supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Anthony on Feb. 29.

About fifty gathered at the Lower Granville Hall on Friday evening last, and tendered Miss Freda Forbes a surprise party. A very pleasant evening was spent in contests and games. Freda was presented with a dinner set, aluminium ware, glass, etc. At the close of the evening dainty refreshments were served.

The World's Day of Prayer was observed on Sunday afternoon in the United Church at the Island.

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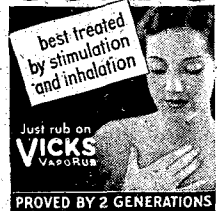
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Hospital Board, 2nd Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Hospital.
King Solomon Lodge, A. F. and M., 1st Tuesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
St. George Lodge, I. O. O. F., every Friday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
Zelman Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., 2nd and 4th Monday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
Town Council, last Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
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February 25.

"THE TWELVE SENT FORTH"

Golden Text:—"The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few: Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest."—Matthew 9:37, 38.

Lesson Passage:—Matthew 9:35 to 10:10; 8:10-32, 33.

Love thyself last. The vastness above thee
Are filled with spirit, forces strong and pure;
And fervently these faithful friends shall love thee,
Keep thy watch over others, and endure.

Love thyself last: And thou shalt grow in spirit
To see, to hear, to know and understand.
The message of the stars, lo, thou shalt hear it,
And all God's joys shall be at thy command.

On Tour, 9:35

Jesus went to Capernaum: he did not wait for them to come to him; he came to them. He was in touch with both residents and transients, but he was not content to work only in this one centre, and organized a tour throughout Galilee. He sought to give the gospel seed in various localities, but he conducted a diversified ministry in each locality, preaching, teaching and healing. This is sound missionary policy to this day. The most successful missions combine institutions and specialists, churches and preachers, schools and teachers, hospitals with doctors and nurses. No single arm of missionary service is sufficient. Christianity seeks to minister to the whole man in all his multiple needs. Each different form of service may be evangelism. A missionary teaching agriculture in Africa is winning African boys to Christ. A contact is made and confidence is established through farming, but the final goal is Christian character.

Christ and the Crowd, 9:36-38

Faces are somewhat discouraging. Walking through a crowded street, many happy faces are seen. There is much more evidence of tension, fear, suffering and despair. Even in a select audience gathered for a concert, lecture or church service, few faces are so radiant with light, heartiness, contentment and inner peace. Yet the crowds that Jesus saw were more hard pressed, fatigued, diseased and fearful. Many were slaves. The state made citizens pay taxes and the church made them pay tithes, and no man can live it. The crowd made him think of a great field of grain ready for harvesting but with no harvesters to work. Because of the parable we often think of teachers as sowers; but not forget that Christ spoke of teachers as harvesters, also.

Twelve Disciples, 10:1

Christ chose twelve disciples chiefly because it was a convenient number — the group being neither too large nor too small — but also because his people were familiar with the history of the twelve tribes, each tribe headed by one of the twelve sons of Jacob. No scorn need be poured upon those patriarchs who lived according to their light, but they never had the privileges of the disciples. They attended their leadership by birth, the disciples by choice. The tribal leaders were fighters, the disciples were teachers. The sons of Israel had many jealousies, the disciples formed an apostolic group filled with Christian love. The heads of the tribes were on the defensive, protecting their followers from attack; the disciples took part in an offensive of peace, a campaign of service as teachers and healers. The leaders of the twelve tribes depended upon tradition to preserve the story of their exploits; several of the disciples wrote of their experiences, and their records were preserved in our New Testament. The contrast between these two groups of

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Old friends I loved when life was new.
Come into view.

This room is our very own. The fire and I are all alone. Upstairs the others are asleep. The fire and I a vigil keep. The clock upon the mantle ticks. And friends long dead come back to me, Front memory.

Thus will I sit when I am old, Secure against the wind and cold. This will I sit and rock and dream, And watch the freight reach and gleam, And in this room, just as tonight, Old friends will make my dreaming bright. Coming again to touch and bless My loneliness.

twelve men shows that the way of progress is through education and co-operation.

In Christ's School, 10:2-4

Sometimes a minister thinks that his church officials are inexperienced and inefficient. Sometimes a Superintendent is discouraged at having to run a Sunday School with amateur teachers. May we not read between the lines and see how Jesus was hampered in his work by commonplace disciples, well meaning but slow minded men? Only three or four of them were outstanding—excluding those whose fame was an infamy of shame. We are not altogether sure of the names of several of them. They asked "stupid" questions and made foolish mistakes and misunderstood their Master's purpose and time and again. They were in Christ's school, however, and they grew in moral and spiritual stature. Gradually their unbelief disappeared. Occasionally they said or did something that revealed their latent possibilities. Clumsy and fumbling at first, they were, it was these men that eventually Jesus entrusted the care of his mission on earth. Instead of lamenting the deficiencies of our Christian workers, it is better to think of what they may become.

A Trial Mission, 10:5-8

Christ's disciples became apostles. First they were learners and then they became teachers. From being followers told to come, they became missionaries commanded to go forth. Christ spent much of his public ministry in the training of the twelve. He did not put his truths into books but into lives. His method proved effective. In Canada there are approximately one hundred thousand

THE ORPHAN BOY

In the month of March, on a cold winter's day, An orphan boy was wending his way To an old rotten hoghead that he called his home, Placed down by the river all covered with foam.

He once had a mother and father so dear, But both of them died in the one lonely year. Now he was wandering along on the street, With only a crust or an apple to eat. His shoes were so worn that his feet appeared through, His coat and his pants had seen better days too. But the lad had ideals that he never turned down, And so he decided to reach yonder town.

So on walking and riding he soon arrived there, And started out walking, he did not know where. But peeping in windows and glancing around, The lad grew acquainted with the things in this town.

As he was passing a large business store, He noticed a "Boy Wanted" sign on the door, So he decided that he would make good, And work for a living as everyone should.

He applied for the job, and was accepted to work, And from his days duty he never would shrink. He saved all the money that he possibly could spare, After buying himself food and clothing to wear.

He worked very hard both daytime and night, And soon he obtained a much better height, Then higher and higher, he was no longer poor.

For he was the owner of the large business store, And so the poor orphan who once had no home, But down on the river all covered with foam, He became the owner of the large business store, All obtained from that "Boy Wanted" sign on the door.

—Rupert E. Cann, Central Grove, N. S.

VALENTINE PARTY HELD

The Young People's Service Club of the Heart Memorial United Church of Canada held a Valentine Party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Blackadar on Thursday evening, March 22nd. The party was given by the Social and Entertainment Programme acting as hostess. The house was attractively decorated with hearts and scarlet streamers in true St. Valentine way. The evening was spent playing progressive games, the prize winners for the highest score being: Ladies—Katherine FitzGerald, Gertrude Lyons, Ann Baykhouse, Roberta Rand, Clara Hankinson, Geraldine and Kathleen FitzGerald and Messrs. Donald Barkhouse, Willis Mullen, Unstet Saunders, John Congdon, Jack Hankinson and Gerald Tingley.

WHY COMPLAIN?

Season of snows, and season of flowers,
Seasons of loss and gain,
Since grief and joy must alike be ours,
Why do we still complain?
Ever our falling, from sun to sun,
O my intemperate brother,
We want just a little, too little of one,
And much too much of the other.
—James Whitcomb Riley

Sunday School teachers—one out of every hundred Canadians is a Sunday School teacher. In recent years much effort has been devoted to leadership training. Only the "taught can teach." Teaching skills may be developed by training and practice. Every Christian should be a missionary. If we have a message we will be messengers. It is not necessary to go to foreign lands to be a missionary—every Sunday School worker may be a missionary. It is the whole duty of the Sunday School and the duty of the whole Sunday School to give the whole gospel to the whole world as speedily as possible.

Questions for Discussion:
1.—How did Jesus train his disciples?
2.—To which disciple would you give first place for efficiency and influence?
3.—Is there still a place for lay preachers?
4.—What is the motive in "freely ye have received, freely give."
5.—Is there any essential difference between home and foreign missions?
6.—For which countries would Christ feel the greatest compassion today?

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Sixty-third Annual Report—1933

ASSURANCES IN FORCE, December 31, 1933.	\$2,770,453,871
NEW ASSURANCES PAID FOR	216,567,441
INCOME	152,235,821
DISBURSEMENTS	127,505,801
EXCESS OF INCOME OVER DISBURSEMENTS	24,730,020
PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS AND BENEFICIARIES	
During the year 1933	97,457,059
Since Organization	800,170,033
ASSETS	624,146,035
Liabilities	609,965,832
PAID-UP CAPITAL (\$2,000,000) and balance at credit of shareholders' account	\$3,342,547
RESERVE for depreciation—in mortgages and real estate	4,885,904
SURPLUS	5,951,752
	\$14,180,203

The valuation of bonds and stocks has been made on the basis prescribed for all companies by the Insurance Department of the Dominion of Canada and, in conformity with the basis authorized by the Departments of Insurance of the various provinces of Canada.

Policy liabilities have been valued by the full net level premium method, a standard more exacting than required under the stringent provisions of the Dominion Insurance Act.

Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada

SUN LIFE ANNUAL REPORT

Behind the imposing figures which mark the annual reports of our great life insurance companies lie significant facts which may escape the notice of the casual reader. None of our great institutions are more cosmopolitan in character than those concerned with insuring people's lives. Their business extends to a wide class of people. It is broadly based, the great majority of insured being those of limited income and of widely diversified occupations. The investments of insurance companies are equally diversified, both occupationally and territorially, and tend to stimulate business and provide employment. One cannot conceive of a curtailment of the functions of these companies that would not profoundly and adversely affect the whole social structure.

A good illustration of this is revealed in the sixty-third report of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada printed on another page. Here is an organization that, last year, paid out \$100,000,000 in benefits of various kinds to its policyholders and their dependents. Thousands received such payments last year from this Company, neither as doles nor charity but as a right. Other life insurance companies made similar payments in varying degree. In these times of the most burning question of the day is how to preserve our economic equilibrium, often accomplished only by giving from those who have to those who have not, the fact just cited is a luminous example of how these insurance companies have evoked a systematic, safe and scientific way whereby a man may provide, at little inconvenience, during his productive period, and without forfeiting his self-respect, for the lean years ahead.

There are other features in the report well worthy of note, among them the huge sum of two and three-quarter billions of dollars of assurances now in force and which will be payable to the insured in this generation. The increase in assets over \$55,000,000 and of insurances in force of over \$300,000,000 during the last four trying years, is another notable achievement. The foundations of our great life insurance companies, plainly, have been laid so soundly and securely that they are impervious even to the strain of a depression which no institutions have been able to withstand.

QUATRAIN—LIFE

"Life has fed me bitterness
And days I wear its scars,
But through the blinding darkness
I saw — a star."
Politeness is like an air cushion,
There may be nothing in it, but it eases our jolts.

Obituary

George B. Sabean

(Quincy, Mass., Ledger)

A large representation of friends was present at Central Baptist church recently to pay their last, sorrowful tribute to George Benjamin Sabean at the funeral services, conducted by Rev. Frank T. Littorin, pastor of the church and Rev. Daniel W. Stahfeld of the Adams Shanty Community church. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful, coming from persons in various walks of life who had known the deceased and honored his example as the good citizen ever ready to give aid, living a quiet, unostentatious life. Four of the sons acted as bearers. Mrs. Dorothy Gilmour of Pictou, N. S., former sister at the church, sang "Sometime We Will Understand" and "Pace to Peace." Mrs. Helen Crumshank was the organ accompanist. Burial was in Mt. Wollaston cemetery. George B. Sabean was a native of New York, N. S. A brother, Handley C. Sabean, lived in Brockton. There are 15 grandchildren.

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Between Ourselves

I want to pass on to you a letter I received last week. It reads as follows:

"Friend Mac:
 I want to drop you a line and tell you how pleased I was in the way you handled the story of the two detectives from Boston. You started that, and it went through the American papers great, and made a good bit of wholesome fun that was fine.
 "Keep up, you Junior Ed. Column," it is the first thing I read when I receive the Courier.
 "I suppose the people who have been making such a fuss for months are feeling pretty well satisfied. The west gave us our share of their winter this time."
 Yours, "By"

The letter was dated at Tiverton, and was addressed to the identity of the writer. It's a pretty safe bet that you know who "Tiverton By" is.

Thanks, "By" for their kind words. In all seriousness I have thought sometimes when I take a vacation I would like to have you write this column for me, and I'll wager you could do a fine job. Anyway, I wish you would come across with a few letters and reminiscences once in a while, fact is, if you don't, the no one might strike me as the run-down to Tiverton, invite myself to spend the week end at your house, and spend all day Sunday pumping you—that's warning enough, isn't it? A lot of you Long Islanders and Brier Islanders could give the Courier some of their good yarns if they were only inclined to loosen up a bit.

Speaking of those Boston Detectives and the publicity given them reminds me of a life incident that occurred in my office here in Digby. I happened to be in Halifax—and, as usual, called on all the print shops and newspaper offices I had time to visit. (I suppose when "By" goes to Halifax he spends most of his time on the Dartmouth ferry looking for pointers.) One of the newspaper men I called on asked me several questions about folks and doings in Digby, and asked:

"By the way, how big a town is Digby?"
 My reply was "Only about 1,500."
 This surprised him, he said he thought Digby was much larger. I managed to get in the news so often. Honest, I could have said 5,000 and got away with it.

My point in telling this little story is to impress upon folks who publicly mean—I don't mean I think it would be an advantage to Digby to have people think that our town had twice the population it really has, but to impress upon you what an important thing publicity is in newspapers and in the public eye, and once a story gets into a newspaper, it's hard to tell where it will end, and how many other papers will make "copy" out of the original story—and it is the kind of news that gets into the papers about your town or village that gives other folks their impressions of the place you call "home."

If the stories are stories of crime and violence, of wind and storm, of poverty and distress, the impression is not always the most favorable. If the stories are of peaceable people, of contentment (not necessarily prosperity), of people striving to serve their communities; if they are stories of human interest, of amusing incidents that put none to extremes of ridicule, but give other folks their impressions of the place you call "home."

But, strange to say, it is not always these nice stories that make headlines and the front pages of the metropolitan newspapers—it is usually the morbid and destructive ones. And yet, even with my short and limited experience, I am convinced that, generally, the human stories are the best liked.

However, don't blame the newspaper correspondent or reporter who covers your district for the publicity he sometimes has printed about you or your town. He has no control over fate, and when certain things happen it is his duty to see that the story reaches the paper he represents as quickly as possible. He is the "first with the news." He has to gather and arrange his material, write his press, and file it at the telegraph office. It may be one hundred words, so it may be one two or three—and he has to think, work, and write quickly, and very often in his haste, he makes mistakes.

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NORTH RANGE

Frank A. Haight, proprietor of the Weymouth Market, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. Donald Marshall and daughter, Barbara, are visiting relatives in Digby.

Oscar Foster spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Andrews, Hill Grove.

Miss Hazel Parker, of Little River, has been spending her vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary White.

Mrs. Edward Amirauf has returned home from Lansdowne where she has been visiting her brother, Ralph and Mrs. Haight.

Frank Andrews has been confined to his home with a severe attack of neuritis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ring and family, of Barton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sherman Thurber.

Death has again entered our community and claimed for its victim, an aged lady, Mrs. Isabel Durland. We extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

to speed. He has a job; he is paid to do that job, and to do it, he must get as much accurate information as possible. In his work, he finds many who, because he is working for a newspaper refuse to co-operate in furnishing him with the information he needs. There are some who will even give false information (not always deliberately) and others who won't help out of clear cussedness or because they don't like publicity. They never take into consideration that the reporter is only trying to do his duty—that he has no brief with anyone—but, they don't forget to put the blame on his shoulders when, through their refusal to help, his story is slightly inaccurate. Again, one must remember "there are two sides to every question". Often a reporter that comes one side will give him the assistance he asks for; the other side lets him "find out for himself"—and after the story appears in press they are the first to accuse him of being biased.

Well, the Boss is on a little vacation, and "Ye Junior Ed." has full sway over the destinies of the Courier for the next couple of weeks. Don't be too hard on him.

—Ye Junior Ed.

WEYMOUTH and Vicinity

Lloyd Grant, of Barton, spent the week end with friends in town.

Mrs. Arnold Lent, of Weymouth North, is among those on the sick list.

Rev. M. R. Ewing went to North Range on Saturday, to conduct a funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Comeau, of Saulnierville, were in town one day recently.

Miss Ruberta Rand was a guest of Mrs. H. W. Taylor for a few days last week.

A. E. Dickson and Harold Mount, of Digby, were in town on Tuesday, of last week.

L. H. Potter went to Annapolis Royal on Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. E. M. Potter.

Mrs. G. O. Hankinson went to Middleton yesterday, being called there by the illness of her son, Curtis.

Mrs. Edmund Comeau and three children left on Saturday to spend a month at her former home at Meteghan.

Miss Geraldine Fitzgerald and Harry Fitzgerald, Jr., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mullen on Sunday.

A. D. Sills, of Smith's Cove, was in town on Monday, in the interest of the firm of Puddington-Cole Ltd., of Saint John.

St. Patrick's Debating Society of St. Anne's College, Church Point, will have for its topic at a meeting to be held Feb. 25th, the following:

"Resolved, that the press as it exists at present should be restricted."

Members of the Rebekah Lodge are meeting in the lodge rooms this afternoon to work on the felt work after which they will have a picnic supper and the regular lodge meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Harris and the Misses Kathryn Goodwin and Pauline Melanson motored to Meteghan on Tuesday evening of last week to attend a party at the River-side Inn.

Miss Stella Saulnier, ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Saulnier, of Meteghan Station, is at the Yarmouth Hospital, where she is now doing nicely, following an operation.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 1

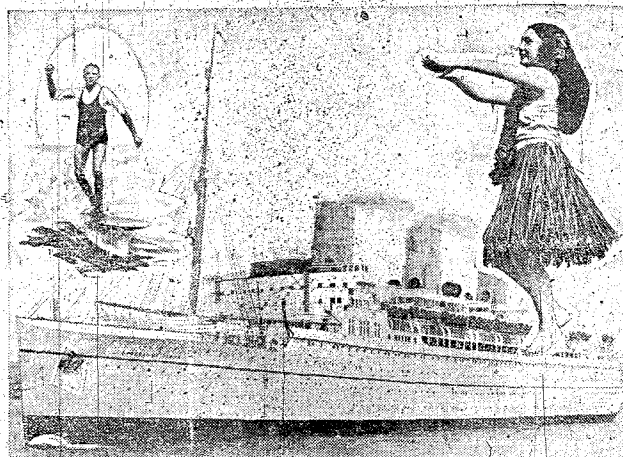
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"She Done Him Wrong"

The picture that made Mae West.

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Honolulu! Here I Come



Twelve days of sea and sun on board trans-Pacific luxury liners and twenty-four hours at the mid-Pacific playground of Honolulu are featured in a unique vacation (so different from the average two weeks holiday) offered by the Canadian Pacific and Canadian-Australasian Lines in May and June this year. A surprisingly low rate for the

round trip between Vancouver and Victoria and Honolulu has been set for the excursion. First-class on the Pacific Queen, the Empress of Japan and the Empress of Canada to Honolulu, and on the Aorangi and Niagara back to the Canadian ports will be only \$150, a reduction of more than 30% of the regular round trip rate. It is announced.

The first excursion leaves on the Empress of Japan from Vancouver and Victoria on May 5, arrives at Honolulu May 10, leaves the next day in the Aorangi and returns to the Pacific Coast ports on May 18. The second departure leaves from Vancouver and Victoria on June 24, the Empress of Canada, reaching Honolulu on June 7, leaving there the next day in the Niagara and returning to Canada on June 15.

CENTREVILLE NOTES

We sure have had some winter here. Dear Editor do you know? Takes half the time to poke in wood. And shovel out the snow.

For many days we got no mail. The roads were drifted full.

The horses have had some pull. Both teachers have a mile to walk. And different roads to take.

Please send along some nice fish days.

We ask for pity's sake. "Old Satan has been cast to earth."

—Rev. 12, 12. He's doing all he can. To blow up snow and gales of wind. It's certainly hard on man.

We've prayed for years "Thy Kingdom Come."

"Thy will be done on earth."

We find the Devil will be destroyed. —Heb. 2, 14.

Then comes the time of mirth.

Mrs. VanTassel of Digby Town has been calling on several folks. She filed out Old Age Pension lists. Now lay aside all jokes.

Some men of this place are hauling especially Lloyd Graham.

We often find him the first man up. His Whoa! How! just the same.

The women folk are still hooking rugs.

We make them nice and neat. How about a few orders now. From a carpet to a good chair seat.

Mrs. Fred Morehouse likes to get out. She visits Lake Midway friends. The young folks like to go there to skate.

On that beautiful lake with bends.

Much ice is now being hauled from there.

For L. Sed Products factory here. Five trucks have been working night and day.

Itching it while the road is clear.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES WEYMOUTH

Captain Alfred Hutchinson, C. A. Captain N. A. Sugs, C. A.

Services throughout the parish this week are as follows:

St. Peter's Church, Weymouth North: 10 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Matins and Address. Preacher, Captain Sugg.

St. Matthews, Weymouth Falls: 3 p.m.—Evensong and Address. Preacher, Captain Sugg.

St. Thomas', Weymouth: 10 a.m.—Sunday School. 7.30 p.m.—Evensong.

The subject for the morning service will be "Praise for Applause," and the Evening service, the hymn, "Christian Seek Not Yet Repose."

Young Men's Fellowship meets on Sunday in the Parish House. Breakfast will be served at 9.30 a.m. promptly after which the fellowship will meet for a round table discussion on "The Faith by Which We Live." Will those intending to link themselves up with the Fellowship please notify the Captains this week.

Captain Norman Sugg joined us last Saturday and assisted with the services on the following day. As a parish we were glad to welcome him.

Have you any questions? Have you anything you want to know? Ask the Voice of Experience by placing them in the Question Box at Digby's. They will be answered at the Digby Ben-Fit Show, Bijou Theatre, March 7th.

LEARN SERVICES

This evening in St. Peter's Guild Hall, at 7.30 p.m. and Friday in St. Thomas' Church at 4 p.m. All are welcome.

Choir Practices are as follows: St. Peter's Boys on Wednesday in the Parish house at 4.15. Adults in the Guild Hall at 8.30 p.m. St. Thomas' on Friday in the Church at 7.30 p.m.

St. Thomas' Ladies' Guild meets on Thursday at 4.30 p.m. at the home of Miss Taylor.

St. Peter's Altar Guild meets at the home of Mrs. A. Carr on Fridays, at the usual time.

Church of England Institute meeting in the Parish House, will be on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, at 7.30 p.m. Arrangements are in hand to have another Pool Knock-out Competition next week.

Please place your name on the club notice board this week if you desire to enter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Sparrow recently visited friends at Elliptown.

Miss Reta White, of Southville, was a guest of Miss Margaret Boudreau, Friday.

Mrs. Winna Sparrow, of Hilltown, was a Sunday guest of her brother, Edward Barr.

Mrs. Toby Sabcan has left for Montreal for an indefinite period.

Carl White and Vincent Gaudet of Southville, were Sunday visitors here.

Miss Evelyn Boudreau has left for Brooklyn, Yarmouth Co., where she will remain for a few months.

We received a lengthy letter for publication from W. S. Troop on Wednesday afternoon, at that time we had in type another lengthy letter which appears in this issue, for lack of space, have had to hold over Mr. Troop's letter.

At the Digby Bakery SATURDAY

Vanilla Wafers, doz. 20c.
 Lemon Pies, each 30c.
 Three Varieties of Rolls
 Lady Fingers
 Baked Beans, pt. 15c. qt. 25c.

SPECIALS

Jelly Rolls, each 20c. Plain Pound Cake, lb. 35c.
 Cherry Pound Cake, lb. 35c. Sultana Pound Cake, lb. 30c.

Digby Bakery
 Digby, Nova Scotia

Specials: Fri., Feb. 23, Sat. 24, Mon. 26

Club House Stuffed Olives, 8 1-2 oz. 25c
 Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour 18c
 Crown Corn Syrup, 2 lb. tin 20c
 Kellogg's All Bran 22c
 Jell-o 4 pkgs. 25c
 Fleur de Lis Pea Soup 11c
 Edgy's Matches 3 boxes 25c
 Fanny Pink Salmon 2 tins 25c
 Chipso large 23c
 Mixed Cakes lb. 15c
 Ingersoll Malted Cheese, pkg. 10c
 Elfard Cocoa 1 lb. bags 15c

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Sommers—At Stouffville, Ont. on January 31, 1934, to Rev. and Mrs. Chester Sommers—nice Lucia Blackford, Tiverton Digby (Yarmouth) a daughter, Jean Frances.

Classified Advertisements

CARD OF THANKS—Mr. James Whicher and family wish to express their thanks for the floral offerings and telegrams received during their bereavement; also to Mr. Ralph Cassatt and all others who assisted in any way. 30-1p

FOR SALE—At a quarter each: an article shown in Connell's bar in Windsor. Many of them at a quarter their value.

FOR SALE—I have a few copies of "History of Digby County" for sale; paper covers. These books are c. t. of print and unobtainable. Price, \$3.50.—J. J. Wallis.

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Port Maitland Choir and Friends at Portland



(Cut through courtesy of the Portland Daily Express).

Harbor Freezes Over, First Time In Half Century

On Monday morning the Annapolis Basin was frozen over for the first time in half a century, that is, according to the information we can get. The ice extended from the shore in Digby to well beyond Bear Island.

Ice conditions made docking difficult for the Princess Helene, it taking one and a half hours to dock the steamer on her arrival from Saint John in the morning, and just about as long to get away from the wharf in the afternoon.

The storm on Monday, like most of the storms we have had this year, was "the worst in years." A raging blizzard drove by a terrific portland wind blocked the highways with snow, cars became stranded and practically buried. Trains were delayed.

On Tuesday afternoon two Victoria Beach scallop fishermen boarded a derelict scow adrift in the Bay of Fundy. On board they saw an anchor welded to 100 feet or so of chain, a quantity of rope and some lumber. It was weighed down fore and aft by huge cakes of ice which had it down close to the water's edge.

On Wednesday the crew of the Life Saving Station at Bay View were requested to look for the derelict, but found no trace of it. However, at three o'clock the same afternoon Kenneth Lewis of Roseway saw the craft strike at Indian Head. She was later carried by the winds and tides to Theriault's Cove where she pounded to pieces.

Gulliver's Cove fishermen who visited the wreck found the name plate, "Corine Gotro, Saint John," which identified the craft as the missing Saint John scow. They also found old clothing, rubber boots and blankets, an eight horsepower Fairbanks Morse engine. Another larger engine is known to be under water below the tide.

Ever since the wreck the men of Gulliver's Cove and vicinity have been searching the shores for the pieces of the missing men. Their efforts have been handicapped, however, by ice and high winds, but, as soon as the weather moderates boats will pick out and patrol the shores as close as possible with safety.

It is known that the Corine Gotro carried a staunch dory, and it is thought that the men may have attempted to make their escape in that, a faint hope being held that they may have landed at some isolated spot along the coast, but it is feared that had they attempted to make their escape in this way, the boat was swamped in the heavy seas. No dory is reported to have come ashore.

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The Sewing Circle of the Ladies Hospital Aid met with Mrs. Dr. DuVerne, on Wednesday afternoon. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hubert Warner next Wednesday, at 3 o'clock.

Three Lives Believed Lost, Wreck Washed Ashore at Gulliver's

Captain William Gotro, 57, John Gogan, 21, and Harold Stewart, 33, are believed to have lost their lives in the wreck of the Saint John lumber scow, Corine Gotro, which piled up at Theriault's Cove, just below Gulliver's Head on the Bay of Fundy shore of Digby Neck on Wednesday afternoon last.

The scow left Truro, N.S., with a load of 60,000 feet of deals on February 13th, for Saint John, N.B., a distance of some 35 miles; she never reached her destination, and grave fears were held for her safety.

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Notice

Owing to the illness of Austin L. Robins there will be no meeting of the Children's Aid Society today. The meeting has been postponed until Friday afternoon, next week. J.M. WALLIS, Sec'y

NOTICE

Picked up on Bay of Fundy shore, at Waterford, a small quantity of deal. Owner can have same by paying expenses. (Signed) WALTON LEWIS, Waterford.

Local and Personal

A. R. Turnbull, who has been visiting in Boston, Mass. and Portland, Me., returned on Friday.

Great Values still available at Dillons' Special Shoe Sale.

Mrs. Isaac Everett had the misfortune to fall down stairs and dislocate her shoulder on Sunday.

J. A. Deveau, of the Meteghan Shipbuilding Company, Meteghan, was a visitor to Digby on Monday.

Mrs. W. E. VanBlarcom, of Annapolis Royal, was the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. C. H. Carly, and Mr. Carly.

Miss Lillian MacRae, of the Middleton teaching staff, was the weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Purdy, and Mr. Purdy.

Still strong Special Price Shoes: see our Window Displays, at \$1.79, \$1.95 and \$2.95—Dillon's Shoe Store.

Lloyd McNeill, of Marshalltown, who attended the Nova Scotia day of the 13 Class, in Portland, Maine, returned home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Wallis returned on Wednesday from Boston, where they have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. G. A. Robinson.

Councillor E. C. Solloway, who, with Mrs. Solloway, attended the winter in Halifax, attended the regular meeting of the Town Council on Monday.

Mrs. Minnie Appleby returned from Portland, Me., on Wednesday.

Mrs. Appleby attended the Nova Scotia gathering of "Class 13" in that city.

Dr. H. W. Kirkpatrick, of Halifax, will be at his office in Middleton, for treatment of diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, on Tuesday, March 13th, and Wednesday, March 14th, until noon. Glasses fitted.

CANADIAN SPRUCE WELL RECEIVED IN ENGLISH MARKET

Imports of spruce from Canada into the United Kingdom market, particularly the fourth of England, show a gratifying increase. This would appear to be a highly remunerative market for shippers of Eastern Canada, and the Canadian product is freely admitted to be superior to Polish white wood, which has been used quite extensively, the latter having various defects, one of which is a tendency to dry rot. With the improvement in exchange conditions there would appear also to be a greater market in the United Kingdom for Canadian boxboard, states the Industrial Department of the Canadian National Railway.

Spectacular Fire Destroys Victoria Rink Completely

Victoria Rink was totally destroyed by fire early Tuesday morning. The alarm was sounded at about 12:30 a.m., and the massive building was levelled in less than an hour. The origin of the blaze is unknown. It has been years since Digby has witnessed a fire as spectacular as this one. The reflection could be seen for miles around, and in spite of the raging blizzard and a terrific northeast gale, hundreds turned out.

During the evening there had been a hockey match between Bear River and Digby Junior teams. The rink closed at 10:30. It is thought that the blaze may have started from a smouldering cigarette butt or a defective flue.

Nothing in the building was saved. The fine band organ installed a few years ago, was destroyed with other items. The rink, sticks, several uniforms and other equipment belonging to the Ravens, were lost.

The loss is put at between \$7,000 and \$8,000, partially covered by insurance. The burning of the rink is a big loss to the town, it being one of the leading centres of amusement during the winter months—the "home ice" of the Ravens Hockey Club, and during the summer months was used for special occasions as the Hospital Fair, Nomination Day Speeches, etc.

The building was owned by C. E. Walker. It was built in 1912.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. E. W. Forbes, Pastor

The services on Sunday, on the Digby circuit, will be as follows: Digby, 11 a.m., and 7 p.m.; Bayview, 3 p.m.

The evening service will be of special interest. One of the best cantatas will give an account of the Class 13 Nova Scotia day, in Portland, Maine. There will also be a short service of song with the singing of familiar hymns.

The bean supper held by the E-G-Club, on Saturday, was quite a success. There was a good attendance, and the supper was well cooked and well served. The club meets this evening in the Parsonage.

Howard Daley of Culloden Killed in Accident Yesterday

Howard Daley, of Culloden, was instantly killed early yesterday afternoon in an accident near the top of the Esquelite Hill.

Mr. Daley was coming to Digby by ox-team, with a heavy load of logs. It is thought that the load slewed on the slippery road and threw him off, or that he fell from the team. The front-runners of the bob-sled passed over his body, while the rear runners dragged him under the sled for a distance of one hundred feet or more.

The accident was first noticed by William Daley, a cousin, whose team was just ahead. He went to the assistance of his cousin as quickly as possible, but too late.

When taken from under the team

it was not known whether Daley was alive or not. He was removed to the nearby home of Arch Hand-spiker and Dr. DuVerne was called, who pronounced him dead.

Howard Daley was about 60 years of age, and was one of the best known and most highly respected residents of Culloden, taking an active interest in the welfare of the community. For a number of years he was secretary to Trustees of the Culloden School Section.

The accident occurred at Mount Pleasant, less than a mile from the town of Digby, in the little hollow over the top of the Esquelite Hill.

Coroner S. A. Keen has decided that an inquest is not necessary.

Digby Hockey Benefit Show

BIJOU DREAM THEATRE

Wednesday, March 7th

A full two hours of Fun, with 15 acts of Vaudeville—funny and otherwise. Hear the new station on the air—D.R.H.C. (Harry Beaman, Announcer). Bring along an extra dime. Candy for Sale. Tickets on sale at Holdsworth's Drug Store. Sponsor a pleasant evening and help the boys.

Reserved Seats 35c. Rush Seats, 25c.

Just Arrived. New Tip

Top Suit Samples for Spring

Come in and see them -- and order your spring suit today. Tip Top is the best suit buy on the market.

One Price \$23.50

All boys up to 16 years free pair pants with each suit.

Frederick's

Fred Thibeault Appointed Police Chief At Council Meeting

At the first regular meeting of the new Town Council on Tuesday evening, Fred Thibeault was appointed Chief of Police, succeeding A. G. Cowan, who has resigned on account of poor health, after several years of faithful service. W. W. Hayden was re-appointed Superintendent of Streets and Water. Other town appointments remained the same.

Councillor G. V. Turnbull at this meeting gave notice of a motion to rescind the present sewer tax of 75c per foot frontage and \$25, entrance fee. This motion will be put before the March meeting of the Council.

Y. O. NURSE MAKES VISIT ON SKIS

Mrs. Sturgeon, the Victorian Order Nurse in Digby, doesn't let the heavy snow hinder her in making her professional calls. The roads are impassable for cars and far too treacherous for the most of us to go very far on foot, but Mrs. Sturgeon has invested in a pair of skis and manages to make her rounds in that way.

MINOR ACCIDENTS

There has been a series of minor but painful accidents in and about Digby this week. Mrs. Isaac Everett had the misfortune to fall down stairs, dislocate her shoulder; Frederick (Buddy) Abramson fell while playing on the school grounds and fractured a collar bone; and Mrs. Gordon VanTassell fell while washing windows and broke two ribs.

Why buy Cheap Shoes when you can purchase Good Shoes as low as \$1.79, at Dillons' Special Shoe Sale.

"The Buyrite Store"

White China: cups and Saucers Gold Band	15c
Jergens hand Lotion	10c
Small size Hand Brush	5c
Double Mesh Hair Nets	5c
Lay-Trix Carbolic Soap	2 for 15c

VISIT
The Red Store, next Wright's, for this Week's Bargains

WRIGHT'S DIGBY

Overalls

That have Proven their economy to the working man. Brotherhood Overalls, Snag Proof Overalls, Gold Crescent Overalls and Acme Overalls. Coats to match the above. A full range of sizes in stock.

Prices, \$1.25 up to \$2.50

D. & A. Corsets

More and more favorable comment is heard day after day about the comfort and low price of the D. & A. Corset. Prices range from \$1.10 up. None better for the price. See window display.

WRIGHT'S

Digby Men Attend Day Services in Portland

ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTES

At 3:30 o'clock this afternoon there will be a Children's Service; tonight, at 7 o'clock, Junior Choir rehearsal; at 8 o'clock, Evensong and Address; 8:30 o'clock, Choir rehearsal of special music.

Sunday's services—10 a.m., the Church School; 11 a.m., Matins and Holy Communion, (sermon subject, "Indifference of Gallio"); 3 p.m., Service at Marshalltown; 7 p.m., Evensong and Sermon, (Sermon subject, "Patience").

The Sunday services are being well attended during Lent, in spite of the stormy weather and cold. On Sunday evening, after the service, there will be a short instruction and sing-song.

Monday afternoon—Trinity Guild Monday evening—Girl Guides; under the leadership of Lolla Walker, in the Young People's Hall.

Monday evening—Church Boys' League, under the leadership of Victor Cardoza, in the Parish Hall.

Thursday evening—Trinity Guild Club, at the home of Mrs. Bowley; Friday, 3:30 p.m., Children's Service; 8:00 p.m., Evensong and Address.

"I suppose at the efficiency expert's wedding you didn't do anything so wasteful as throwing rice?" "O yes, we did; but as a concession to his teaching we had the rice done up in cotton bags, each missile weighing two pounds."

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We know that this is rather a late-ly to deal with the visit of the Port Maitland Ladies' Choir and the Port Maitland Ladies' Quartette, to the 13 Bible Class, of Portland, Me., two weeks ago. At the same time we know that the majority of our Digby County readers are interested in this matter, because the 13 Bible Class and its teacher, Henry P. Merrill, are more familiar to many of them than are the Bible classes and teachers in their own churches. It was the editor's pleasure to accompany the Port Maitland party to Portland; others in the party from Digby were A. R. Turnbull, Chester Levy and Mrs. Jabez Appleby, as well as Lloyd McNeill, of Marshalltown. Mrs. Wallis was with the party as far as Boston. It was a very enjoyable trip on the "Yarmouth" to Boston; the weather was fine but bitterly cold. The party left Boston in two buses, shortly after noon on Saturday, arriving at Portland in due time, over beautiful roads. At Portland the visitors were met and entertained by members of the 13 Class. It was the good fortune of the editor and Mr. Turnbull to be domiciled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Chase, at 48 Morning street—a delightful couple and a delightful home.

On Saturday evening the visitors were the guests of the 13 Class at Boston's Restaurant, at a shore dinner—the ladies down stairs in the spacious building and the gentlemen upstairs. The Governor of Maine, Louis J. Brann, welcomed both parties in person, before the banquet started. At the close of the dinner the ladies were removed and both parties came together, and listened to interesting addresses from James E. Barlow, the city manager of Portland; Henry P. Merrill, the teacher of the 13 Class, through whose efforts the party had been made possible; and others. Great stress was laid upon the spirit of good will which has existed between these two nations for over a century, and this sentiment was further expressed on the gathering in a letter from Premier Angus L. MacDonnell, of Nova Scotia, to Wilfred Sanders, president of the Port Maitland Class, which read as follows:

Nova Scotia sends her expressions of genuine regard to the people of Maine and the American Union, and the story of the Good Samaritan; the joy with which she has lived so amicably and happily for more than a century.

The Canadian visitors were in Portland until Monday, when they left for Boston, some to return home by steamer, but many remained the full ten days of their special excursion ticket.

The principal speaker, President Franklin W. Johnson of Colby College, remarked on the feeling of neighborliness which has long united the United States and Canada, and pointed out that if the rest of the world would follow the example wars would never come again.

"We have been slow in understanding and putting into practice the story of the Good Samaritan," he said. "Neighborhood is simple and easy, but the war habit is hard to break."

While asserting that he was no pacifist, Dr. Johnson declared that if all young people would refuse to take part in a war, armed conflict would cease. Neighborhoodness, he insisted, would reduce almost to nothing the troubles of mankind.

Henry P. Merrill, leader of the 13 Class, said this Country and Canada are united by blood and tradition and only separated by an imaginary line. He saw in the visit paid Portland more evidence of the high esteem in which the two nations hold each other.

Wilfred Sanders, President of the Port Maitland class, invited Mr. Merrill, the Rev. Howard O. Hough, pastor of the First Radio Church of America, the Rev. P. J. Jefferson, pastor of the St. Lawrence Church, and the 13 Class band and quartet to visit Port Maitland next summer. Musical entertainment was furnished by the women's chorus and men's chorus of Port Maitland.

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The Weymouth Courier

Successor to Weymouth Gazette



Major Glidden Campbell returned home last week from a business trip to Halifax.

Rev. M. R. Ewing attended the Presbyterian meetings at Bridgetown last week.

Mrs. H. S. Hoyt and Mrs. L. H. Potter were visitors to Digby one day recently.

Mrs. J. A. Goodwin entertained the Ladies' Afternoon Bridge Club one day recently.

Ellsworth Coggins, who has been taking a fishing course at Halifax, returned home on Saturday.

Willis Mueba was an overnight guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Blackadar on Thursday.

The many friends of Councillor E. P. Hankinson will regret to learn that he is among those on the sick list.

Mrs. Potter, of Bear River, arrived last week to visit her aunt, Mrs. E. J. Wesley, at Weymouth North.

Peter and Sam Weaver, of Weymouth North, left last week for Digby where they have accepted positions.

Frederick M. Steadman, pioneer manufacturer of pulp at Muskegon Falls, died at his home in Halifax on Saturday, Feb. 17th. He was 78 years of age.

The flag at the Armouries was flown at half mast on Thursday in honor of the late King Albert of Belgium, whose funeral services were taking place in Brussels.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Bartlett and baby, who have been spending the past three months in Kentville, with Mrs. Bartlett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kilcup, have returned home.

Jack Hankinson, of Weymouth, and Ted Woodman, of Digby, were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. R. B. Powell and Mr. Powell, at Weymouth North, on Sunday.

The ladies of St. Peter's Guild held a pound party at the rectory on Monday evening, Feb. 26th. Present were: Mrs. H. S. Hoyt, Mrs. L. H. Potter, Mrs. J. A. Goodwin, Mrs. W. G. Blackadar, and Mrs. M. R. Ewing.

"A young" couple, the man 93, and the woman 75, walked 8 miles one day last week in 25 below zero weather, to witness a dog derby held at Smith's Falls, Ont. That's sport for the love of the thing alright.

The vacancy in the office of postmaster at St. Alphonse de Clare has been filled by the appointment of Mrs. Evangeline Boudreau, school teacher, who has her daughter, Miss Anna Boudreau, as assistant.

Miss Margaret Grant entertained the Weymouth North Baptist Church at a progressive crokinole party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grant, at Weymouth North, on Friday evening. At the conclusion of the evening refreshments were served. Those present included: Rev. James Neilson, the Messrs. Margaret Neilson, Ruth Mullen, Gwendolyn Doris and Nina Tittus, Dorothy Coggins, Geraldine and Kathleen FitzGerald, Dorothy Thubert, Margaret and Roberta Rand, Annie Brooks and Helen Tooker, and the Messrs. Winthrop Doly, Harold FitzGerald, Harold Coggins, Lindley Saunders and Frank Campbell.

Miss Audrey Blackadar entertained at a progressive crokinole party on Thursday evening, it being the occasion of her birthday. Seven tables were in play, the first prizes being won by Muriel Hankinson and Stafford Kilham, Dan Hankinson, Donaid Barkhouse, Lin Jones, Jim Dunkley, Richard Taylor, Dennis Comeau, Lindley Saunders, Kenneth Hankinson and Willis Mullen.

IT'S LIVER THAT MAKES YOU FEEL SO WRETCHED

Wake up your Liver-Bile

No Calomel necessary

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Obituary

Joseph Cornwall

The death of Joseph Cornwall occurred at his late home at Weymouth North, on Monday evening, February 19th, at eleven o'clock. Deceased, who was in his 75th year of age, had been in ill health for some time, and his death was not unexpected. He was a man of sterling Christian character, and for many years was both Superintendent of the Sunday School and a deacon of the Riverside Baptist Church, where he never failed to attend a church service of any kind, whenever his health would permit. The late Mr. Cornwall is survived by his wife, who was formerly Miss Annie Sabean, of Weymouth North, and by five children: Reginald, of Geneva, N. Y. (Florence) Mrs. Dana Peaseley, of Beach Bluff, Mass.; Clifford, of Toronto, Ont.; Winifred, of Halifax, N. S.; and (William) Mrs. Carl Reeves, of Mulgrave, N. S. Also one brother, Henry, of Berwick, N. S., and one sister, Mrs. Eleanor Dakin, of Centerville, N. S., and three grandchildren. The funeral service was held on Friday afternoon, and owing to the heavy rain and wind storm of that day, it had to be held at his late residence, instead of at the Riverside Church, which he had loved so well and where he had served so faithfully. The service was conducted by Rev. James Neilson, of the Baptist Church, with interment in the Riverside cemetery.

The Canadian Rockies each summer draw hundreds of visitors from all over the world. The Medicine Lake area, it is expected, will attract a great number of anglers this coming season due to the great success of the fish culture experiment in that lake, last season anglers taking many fine specimens of speckled trout from these waters. Big game hunters also find this a paradise where they can go after big horned sheep and mountain goat along with moose, deer, caribou and bear. Canada's largest national big game sanctuary and national playground is located in the Canadian Rockies, Jasper National Park, in the centre of which is Jasper Park Lodge, the famous mountain resort owned and operated by the Canadian National Railways which will open this year June 15th and will continue in operation until September 23rd.

Mr. Hardy, of Yarmouth, was in town on business, on Wednesday last week.

Miss Revona Weaver arrived from Saint John last week, to visit relatives at Weymouth North.

Miss Cecile Theriault, Intermediate Teacher, spent the week-end at her home in Bellevue's Cove.

Miss Irene Robichaud, R. N., of Cape St. Mary, and Miss Rebecca Gaudet, R. N., of St. Bernard, visited friends at Yarmouth last week.

Capt. Richard Marshall, of Weymouth North, celebrated his 93rd birthday on the 22nd. Many visitors called during the day to offer their congratulations to him.

The Primary Department of the Weymouth School was closed on Tuesday, owing to the illness of the teacher, Miss Clara Hankinson, who was confined to the house with a severe cold.

Miss Dorothy Coggins, Nurse in Training at the Yarmouth Hospital, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Coggins at Weymouth North, returned to Yarmouth on Saturday.

The ladies of St. Peter's Guild met at the Guild Hall on Tuesday afternoon, to work on the surplus for the choir. A picnic supper was enjoyed, after which the regular Guild meeting was held.

Members of Olive Branch Rebekah Lodge met in the Lodge Rooms on Wednesday afternoon, to work on the felt work, after which a delicious picnic supper was served and the regular semi-monthly meeting held.



WEYMOUTH TROOP

Dr. E. A. Fergusson gave an interesting talk on "Surgical Operations," to the Boy Scouts at their last week's meeting. Ronald Elliott was put through his investiture by Scout Master Baden Powell. Patrol Leader Adolph Comeau passed Richard Journey through the tenderfoot test. Foster Journey was chosen as a new member to the Troop.

Mrs. G. D. Sack has made the very liberal offer of supplying the Scouts with land and seed to start a garden of their own.

The scores of the games between the three patrols were: Wolf Patrol, 14; Owl Patrol, 9, and the Beaver Patrol, 7 points.

SOUTHVILLE

The Misses Jessie and Madeleine Comeau spent a few days recently in Ohio.

Miss Flora Steele spent Thursday with Mrs. Elery Lewis, Danvers.

Bernard Sullivan, of Brighton, spent the week end in this place.

Miss Elsie Gavel spent a few days recently with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Amero, Harlem.

A number of the young folks of Southville spent Monday evening at the home of Flora Steele. A very enjoyable evening was spent in playing games, etc.

Philip Gaudet had the misfortune to cut his hand quite badly recently.

NEW TUSKET

(Held over from last week.) B. H. Mullen, of Kentville, spent a few days here recently on business.

Miss Bessie Sabean returned Saturday from Wolfville, where she has been visiting at the home of her cousin, Karl Nowlan. She left on Tuesday for Boston, where she will remain on indefinite time.

Sorry to report Mrs. Stephen Sabean very ill at time of writing.

Miss Emma Gaudet spent the week-end at her home here.

Miss Emma Gaudet, who is working in Corberie, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emme Gaudet.

Miss Nellie Lewis spent several days of last week with her aunt, Mrs. Judson Mullen, at Havelock.

THE LIVING EPIGRAPH

When I pass out and my time is spent,
I hope for no lofty monument,
No splendid procession marching slow,
Along the last long road I go;
No pomp and glory I care for then,
When I depart from the world of men.

But I'd like to think when my race is through
That there will be in the world a few
Who'll say, "Well, there is a good man gone,
I'm sorry to see him passing on,
For he was a sort that's fair and square,
The kind of fellow it's hard to spare."

"He hadn't money, he hadn't fame,
But he kept the rules and he played the game,
His eyes were true and his laugh was clear,
He held his truth and his honor dear,
And now that his work is at an end,
I know how much I shall miss my friend."

If my life shall earn such words as those,
I shall smile in peace as my eyelids close,
I shall rest in quiet and lie content,
With the words of a friend for my monument.

—Berton Braley.

Two young lady artists, Miss Lucy Jarvis, of Fredericton, and Miss Helen Weld, of Lowell, Mass., are back in Yarmouth County to sketch winter scenes. They were there last summer, sketching along the coast line and spent some time at Cape St. Mary sketching the cliffs.

DOROTHY'S DEFINITIONS

Duty means doing things you don't like to do.
Charity means to be nice to people that are cross to you.
Politeness is to keep still and not pout when you are mad at anything.

Contribution is to be so sorry that you won't do it any more.
Hope is the way we feel when morning is here, and the sun is shining.

Patience is to wait until school is out.
Piety means to say your prayers when you're sleepy.

Perseverance is to keep on doing what is right.
Miss Ruberta Rand was an overnight guest of Miss Mabel Sabon on Monday.

Ernst Nauss, of Yarmouth, was in town on business, on Wednesday of last week.

Gerald Thingley, principal of the high school, was a visitor in Barton on Sunday.

Paul Stehelin, L.L.B., of Yarmouth, was in town on business on Tuesday of last week.

Lloyd Hersey, of the Maritime Telephone Co., was in town on Wednesday of last week, on business.

Lambert Gillette, who has been employed in the Annapolis Valley, returned to his home in Ashmore Shore last week.

A subscriber in Paradise writes that he especially enjoyed M. G. T.'s and G. R. T.'s articles in the last issue of the Gazette.

Miss Bessie Sabean, of New Tusket, returned home from Wolfville on Monday of last week, and on Tuesday left for Waltham, Mass.

Mrs. Carl Reeves, of Mulgrave, and Winifred Cornwall, of Halifax, arrived on Tuesday of last week, being called here by the death of their father, the late Joseph Cornwall, of Weymouth North.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Riverside Baptist Church, held an afternoon service on Wednesday, Weymouth North, on Tuesday. Owing to inclement weather conditions, the attendance was very small.

ANGELICAN CHURCH NOTES, WEYMOUTH

Capt. Alfred Hutchinson, C.A. Captain Norman Sugg, C.A. Services in the parish on Sunday next are as follows:

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BARTON

The regular meeting of the School and Community Club planned for this evening has been postponed until there is an indication of more favourable weather.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. Parker Lamberton last Saturday evening, to celebrate the 25th day of both Mrs. Lamberton and her daughter, Phyllis. An enjoyable social evening of games was spent, at the close of which two birthday cakes were presented. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Charles Lamberton and Mrs. Arthur Lamberton, assisted by Mrs. Charles Leslie. Mrs. Lamberton also received a dainty shower of handkerchiefs.

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Most of us are aware of the fact that Digby's Civic Election is a thing of the past.

We have also been taught to recognize the fact in the case of elections, that "the majority rules" and the candidates who received the majority of votes, are declared elected, and administer the affairs of the town for the term for which they were elected. The voice of the majority is final.

Elections, as I have said before, are funny things. Sometimes they are taken too seriously, sometimes not seriously enough.

In our everyday life we hold a certain amount of admiration and respect for the man who doesn't know when he is licked and keeps fighting. On the other hand, our respect for the man who wins and still keeps fighting after peace has been declared, diminishes.

No matter what kind of an election it is, a certain amount of "rough slugging" is indulged in by both sides—it seems to be part of the game, but, why continue playing in the mud after the election is over, after the question of who will administer our town affairs has been settled by the election? The campaign is over. If you lost your vote, be a good loser, and give the winners a chance. If you won, your part in the fight should be over.

And the town would benefit if both winners and losers would quit growling and "each other" and commence mending fences.

Tuesday morning's fire gave us a real scare. We can be thankful that the wind was blowing the way it was, otherwise most of the south end of the town would have gone up in smoke. It was bad enough as it was.

Are you a member of the Digby Children's Aid Society? This society which is doing a splendid work in this town and county, is greatly in need of funds—and to carry on, money is needed. The agent's salary has to be paid—board bills for their numerous wards have to be met, and many other incidental expenses. This society depends on gifts from towns and municipalities, on membership fees, and on money paid by town, municipal and provincial governments for services. Their revenues have not been sufficient to carry on their work as effectively as they would like, more money is needed. So far only 24 persons have signed up as members—the membership fee is \$1.00 a year, won't you join and help in this great work? Dr. J. S. Timpany, of Digby, is treasurer—send your membership fee to him, it will be graciously acknowledged, as will any other contributions for smaller or larger amounts than the \$1.00 membership. The Children's Aid executive hold their meetings at the town hall.

Revival meetings were being held at the Peoples' Church, Westport, Elder Murray, of Milton, Queens County, assisting Elder Cook.

The schooner S. H. Walker, owned in Taunton and Fall River, Mass., was reported missing. This schooner left Baltimore during the latter part of January, with coal, for Weymouth.

A paragraph states: "We are publishing in this issue a story by Thomas F. Anderson, of Boston, Villages Unearthed, or, the Judgment of a Fisher Court." We recommend this serial to our readers as it will hold their interest from start to finish, and would do credit to a much older and more experienced novelist than Mr. Anderson."

Capt. G. A. Veites, had arrived with his latest purchase, the tug, "Clipper."

The first installment of deer, a beautiful buck and doe, arrived for the Nova Scotia forests on Wednesday, February 28, 1934. We recommend this serial to our readers as it will hold their interest from start to finish, and would do credit to a much older and more experienced novelist than Mr. Anderson."

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Victorian Order of Nurses, 2nd
Tuesday of each month, 3 o'clock,
Court House.
Hospital Board, 2nd Monday of
each month, 8 o'clock, Hospital.
King Solomon Lodge, A. F. and A. M.,
1st Tuesday of each month, 8 o'clock,
Ottendell's Hall.
St. George Lodge, I. O. O. F., every
Friday, 8 o'clock, Ottendell's Hall.
Zelman Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., 2nd
and 4th Monday, 8 o'clock, Ottendell's
Hall.
Town Council, 1st Monday of each
month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
Hospital Ladies' Aid, 1st Friday
of each month, at the Court House.
Fire Company, 1st Wednesday of
each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
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"JESUS' TESTIMONY CONCERN-
ING HIMSELF"

Golden Text:—"Come unto me, all
ye that labour and are heavy laden,
and I will give you rest."—Matthew
11:28.

Lesson Passage:—Matthew 11:2-6,
16-19, 28-30.

Blessed is the man who sees
The hand of God in cloud and trees,
But blessed most the man who knows
The selfsame God within him
glows.
—Gaston Burrage.

Stone Walls, 2, 3

Richard Lovelace said:
"Stone walls do not a prison make,
Nor iron bars a cage."

An educated man writing of his
experience in a penitentiary where
he served several years affirms just
the opposite, that stone walls do
make a prison and iron bars make
a cage. Richard Lovelace was writing
as a lover, and sentiment made
him less conscious of his surround-
ings. This much, however, may be
said truthfully, that thought control
may make prison more bearable than
it would otherwise be. One who is
thinking of his own misfortune will
suffer more from incarceration than
a prisoner who is working on
something outside the prison walls.
John the Baptist found that the
stone walls of the castle of Macha-
beus did make a prison. Herod
intended a prison to be a prison, not
a rest cure. There is no working
justification for John's desecration.
He had looked upon Jesus as the
Messiah, perhaps as a revolutionary
leader and instead Jesus was teaching.
In the Jordan Valley John had
displayed no spirit of desecration, but
in the prison he asked half doubt-
fully, sending his disciples with the
enquiry, "Art thou he that should
come, or do we look for another?"

Faith and Facts, 4-6

Religion must be based upon facts.
Faith may go beyond the facts, but
it must go in the direction the facts
indicate. Jesus had a strong sense
of fact. Actualities, not fictions,
were the basis of his faith. He an-
swered John's question giving the
truth, the whole truth and nothing
but the truth. Never once is there
any indication of Jesus saying more
than the truth. He gave a state-
ment of fact, work, and left the
conclusion to John the Baptist's in-
dependent judgement. The descrip-
tion which Jesus gave of his work is
in perfect accord with the predi-
ction he made about it in the syna-
gogue at Nazareth. The program of
Christ's public ministry may have
been what John the Baptist ex-
pected, but Jesus did not misre-
present what he was doing. John
got his answer without hesitation of
any coloring of the facts. The
Christ faith seeks investigation.
What is spoken in the parable may be
proclaimed from the house tops.
Personal faith is only secure when
it is founded upon convictions arising
from a knowledge of facts.

Grown Up Children, 16-19

The Gospels tell us little about the
boyhood of Jesus. As far as our
knowledge goes these were silent
years. We may, however, in part
reconstruct this period from hints
and allusions found in the words of
Jesus. If he played games as other
children, we have no way of know-
ing, except from his passing refer-
ence to the children's game of mar-
bles and funerals. This allusion
shows that he had observed the
children at play, probably he him-
self had participated repeatedly in
this game, which was a form of
charades. Eastern funerals are vocer-
bal demonstrations of grief.
Children liked to play as the matre-

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geant-at-Arms during the 40th Gen-
eral Assembly of Nova Scotia.

Donald Buchanan MacLeod was a
member of the Nova Scotia Legisla-
ture from 1925 until 1933, being de-
feated at the last general elections.
For over thirty years he was a mem-
ber of the Victoria county municipal
council. As a member of the House
he was always a well-beloved figure,
and many will recall how at the
close of each year's session he would
arise in his place and sing a
farewell song in his native Gaelic.
He is now in his 70th year.

DEEP BROOK

"(Held over from last week.)
The W. M. A. Society held their
February meeting with Mrs. L. E.
Sherman. The very interesting pro-
gram in keeping with the "World's
Day of Prayer" was in charge of
Mrs. Myrtle Jackson. All members
present taking part.
St. Matthew's Guild held a Valen-
tine Social on Tuesday evening, Feb-
ruary 19th, at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. W. H. Spurr. There were a
goodly number of guests and all re-
ceived very pleasant evening. Dainty
refreshments were served. The of-
fering, over \$5.00, will be used for
the Organ Fund.

Rev. A. A. MacLeod, Field Secre-
tary for the Sons of Temperance,
and Mrs. MacLeod, were in Deep
Brook on Sunday evening and re-
organized Clements West Division
Sons of Temperance.
W.P.—L. W. H. Turner.
W.A.—Walter Dikmar.
R.S.—Miss Evelyn Burrill.
F.S.—Mrs. Howard Adams.

The officers were duly installed by
Rev. A. A. MacLeod, P.G.W.P., and
Mrs. MacLeod acting as conductor.
The Division will meet on Saturday
evenings. All interested in temper-
ance work are cordially invited.

ers, taking off the funeral procession.
Suddenly they would change to
the gladness of a marriage cere-
mony. It was good training in flex-
ibility of personality. Jesus used
this village pastime to illustrate the
silly moods of the scribes and Phar-
isees who had condemned John the
Baptist for being an ascetic and who
also condemned Jesus for being
companionable. They were like the
children who would not enter into
the game of marriages and funerals,
refusing either to laugh or cry. They
would not play. As we become old-
er and learn more wisdom, we cease
to indulge in childish slights. Paul
said, "When I became a man I put
away childish things."

Childlike Adults, 25-27

Jesus did not like to see adults
acting in a childish way, but he did
like to see a childlike spirit among
grown up. The learned Pharisees
of Jerusalem would not listen to him,
but the fisher folk of Galilee be-
came his little children. The children
liked to hear his story. Beggers and
lepers appreciated what he could do
for them. Religion is more than a
matter of the intellect, it has to do
with emotion and will also. Some
of the truest Christians are the un-
minded people who may be fittingly
described as babes in Christ. A
highly educated cynic may have a
cutting wit and miss all the poise
and peace of one who lives in daily
fellowship with Christ, practising
the presence of God and living in
the spirit of love. The real prob-
lem of education is to enable us to
grow out of our CHILDISHNESS
without losing our CHILDLIKE-
NESS.

The Periphrastic Pronoun, 28-30

In the English translation of
Christ's invitation to the weary and
heavy laden, the first personal pro-
noun is used in four or another
seven times over. If we were to
"I" as frequently as this, we should
be convicted of egotism. Christ's
use of the first personal pronoun,
however, serves to indicate his sym-
pathy, his mercy and compassion.
Visiting at the church of a great
Canadian preacher remarked that
in the whole service the pro-
noun "I" had not once been used.
The minister offered himself com-
pletely. He sought to hold forth
Christ, and hide behind his Master.
Christianity differs from all other
religions in that it is essentially a
religion of a person. Christianity
is Christ in a way that Buddhism
is not. Buddhism can continue
just with its ideal, but Christian-
ity depends upon the personal
relationship of the believer to Christ.
We find God through coming to
Christ. We learn love for our fel-
lowmen through fellowship with
Christ. We have a hope of immor-
tality through a desire to be with
Christ which is far better. Many
have discovered the reality of religion
by accepting Christ's word, "I
am the door."

Questions for Discussion:

- 1.—Which word best describes
what Christ is to you?
- 2.—How could Jesus speak so
much about himself without egotism?
- 3.—What is your understanding
of this statement: "Christianity is
Christ?"
- 4.—Why should we guard against
mock modesty?
- 5.—Have you found Christ's robe
easy?

A REPLY TO EX-MAYOR HOLDS-
WORTH

To the Editor of the Courier.
Sir.—Referring to ex-Mayor
Holdsworth's analysis and approval
of the business and financial condi-
tion of our Town's affairs: Had he
saw fit to criticize, contained the
fact that the assessors for 1933 cost
the taxpayers about three times
what it should be, he would have
approved of that also. Fortunately
however, we do not all see with
the same eyes or act with the same
knowledge of facts. If we did there
would not have been 86 of the principal
taxpayers of our town who did not
sign the petition signed by Mr.
Holdsworth's business methods as
the chief executive of our town. If
they did, he would still be in that
responsible position.

The town is paying \$15,355.88 for
Electric Energy from an independ-
ent company, of which Mr. Camp-
bell is Electrical Superintendent, at
a salary of \$2,400.00 yearly, \$400.00
of which is paid by the Town of
Digby. I again ask why and for
what? Mr. Holdsworth's vague at-
titude at bottom is that we should
not change the fact that upon every
occasion the town has been without
lights was caused by trouble at the
generating plant at Sishiboo or on
the line from there to Digby, and
not at the electric light system of
our town which Mr. Daley had
charge of for years and could be doing
so now in conjunction with the
position he now holds and has lots
of time to spare, and save the tax-
payers \$500.00 each year. Valua-
tion of the electric light system at
\$37,000.00; Electric Light Debentures,
\$42,700.00, a difference of 5-
700.00 more than the System is
worth. Is this good business man-
agement for the taxpayers? Over
Mr. Holdsworth's statement in his
Town's Report, \$2,000.00 Electric
Light Operating Loss; \$1,378.19 Over-
draft—will Mr. Holdsworth ex-
plain how this and all other over-
drafts are protected by debentures,
which are the holders of same.

Follow Taxpayers, the facts are
your taxes are going to pay interest
at 5-1-2 per cent. on \$12,000.00 over-
draft in the banks. I am quite will-
ing Mr. Holdsworth and all should
know my affection for our Band and
our activities so termed the fact that
the taxpayers some \$1,600.00 the past
year and about \$2,000.00 for Town
Clerk and assistant; \$1,000.00 for
walking instead of working Street
Superintendent and about the same
for police with police advantages of
\$150.00, all of which can stand for a
substantial reduction to be in keeping
with present conditions and the
earning capacity of all kinds of busi-
ness or the professional or labour-
ing class. The fact is, however, that
the matter of police is not cer-
tainly well protected, having no less
than three, all of which have juris-
diction in our town. The Provincial
Police are invariably called instead
of our local police when or where
police activities is needed. It is the
principal occupation of our town
police to carry the mail to the town
office and ring the curfew at 8-
per year.

It should not be necessary to re-
mind Mr. Holdsworth that in 1918
revenues from taxes were \$23,000.00.
There was no overdraft, and the tax
rate 1.75. Taking into considera-
tion the additional amounts for
sinking funds and interest on de-
bentures, the town now has \$37-
000.00 revenue from taxes due to the
exorbitant rate of \$4.60 per hundred
dollar, which is a full stop to all pro-
spective business or building contem-
plated, coming to Digby; and will
continue to be just so long as such
rate exists.

As to the question of sewers
(omitting the roses), I had a dis-
tinct understanding before my three
sewers were connected to the Water
Street sewer, with Mr. T. E. G.
Barnard, Police Superintendent, that
charge would be \$25.00 each, which
I am ready and willing to pay, and
not \$75.00 each with costs for con-
nections, as I have been billed for
by the town.

I do not have to remind our pre-
sident Mayor and Councilors of the
strenuous condition of the times,
the privations and hardships en-
dured by the many who are called upon
to pay such a high rate of taxes, and
that every effort should be made to
reduce the cost of sewerage.

A wit or poet once wrote:—"We
can live without music; we can live
without books, but civilized man
must have something to chuck."

LOWER GRANVILLE

Henry Hicks, of Bridgewater, passed
through Granville the past week
on the interest of the applicants for
the Aid Age Pension.

The Claim Supper which was held
by the ladies of the Baptist Church
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George
Anthony, on the 20th inst., was a
success, a good crowd being pres-
ent, and the sum of \$27.25 was re-
ceived for church purposes.

Miss Freda Forbes left on Sat-
urday for Wolfville to visit her sister,
Mrs. Walsh.

Richard Thorpe was a week-end
guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crocker,
Mallett, Plympton.

Glad to report Gladys MacNeill,
who was operated on at the Digby
General Hospital, much improved.

EXPRIED

"Boys, I've quit to hold-up" came
"I'll hang around tonight no more."
"With a sigh
"And a faint little cry."
The garter stretched out on the
floor.

FREEPORT

(Held over from last week.)

Mrs. Ronald Thurber and son, Ir-
ving, of Ashmore, are visiting Mr.
and Mrs. Irving Thurber.
Miss Mary Teed entertained the
members of her Sunday School
Class on Tuesday evening last.
Games were played and refresh-
ments consisting of ice cream, cake,
candy, etc., were served.
Owing to the severe cold weather,
no mail arrived on the Island on
Saturday last.

Miss Margaret Tibert, in training
at the Yarmouth Hospital, was in
town visiting relatives on Wednes-
day of last week. After visiting her
mother, Mrs. David Grove she left on
Sunday for Providence, R. I. Hos-
pital.

Mrs. Leonard Rink entertained the
ladies of the Missionary Aid Society
at her home on Tuesday evening
last.

Due to severe weather last week no
B. Y. P. U. was held on Friday night.
The Masonic Lodge at Freeport
met on Thursday evening last for
its usual meeting. A few were pres-
ent from Westport.

The Fair Isle Rebekah Lodge held
its regular meeting on Thursday eve-
ning last. About thirty were pres-
ent. A programme was given fol-
lowing the business session. Re-
freshments of sandwiches, cake and
cookies were served.

The following error in last week's
notes is now corrected:—The bou-
quet presented in Fair Isle Lodge on
the night of the installation of offi-
cers was presented to Sister Elsie
Young, retiring Noble Grand, by
Sister Lena Perry. The following
were also omitted from the list of
officers' names:

R.S.V.G.—Sister Lena Perry.
L.S.V.G.—Sister Lillian Campbell.
GLAD to say that Frank Prime who
has returned to his home for the
past months, is now able to be
around.

The Tagit returned from Halifax
recently. Gordon Thurber, Irving
Thurber and Horace Thurber, mem-
bers of the crew, are now at their
homes.

Gerald McNeill, of the S. S. Mar-
quette, New York, is spending a
month with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. W. P. Morrell.
The I. O. O. F. Lodge at Freeport,
held its usual meeting on Tuesday
evening of last week. Installation
of officers took place, and the offi-
cers were installed by Willie Cossa-
boom, of Tiverton, as follows:—
N.G.—Alton MacNeill.
V.G.—Dr. A. F. Weil.
R.S.V.G.—George Haines.
L.S.V.G.—Glen Perry.
R.S.V.G.—Reynold Prime.
L.S.V.G.—Willie Stevens.
P.G.—Theodore Morrell.
Warden—Saver Finigan.
Guard—Bernard Blackford.
R.S.—George Buxey.
Chaplain—William Thibert.
Treasurer—W. V. Perry.
P.S.—Blanchard Morrell.
F.S.—W. P. Morrell.
L.S.—Leonard King.
O.—Walter Finigan.
O.G.—John Finigan.

Following the installation chowder
and pies were served.

The following is the list of aver-
ages for the half yearly examina-
tions in Grades III and IV in the
Freeport Department of the Free-
port School.

Grade III	
Lorraine Young	89.1
Freda Crocker	88.8
Marion Finigan	88.7
Conna MacNeill	86.1
Barbara Blackford	83.5
Louise Thurber	82.3
Rose Sullivan	76.7
Melville Blackford	66.6
Douglas Thibert	57.8

Grade II	
Lorna Stevens	87.5
Jean Blackford	83.8
Theodore Laugher	82.3
Donald Weil	79
Peggy Connell	78.7
Frank Thibert	78.5
Kevin Titus	78.1

Evelyn Odell Finigan (Teacher).

The regular meeting of the B. Y.
P. U. was held on Friday evening
last. It was conducted by Theo-
dore Morrell and Harold Crocker.
Singing school was held after Union.
Dr. Greenwood motored to Central
Grove on Sunday afternoon to con-
duct service there. He was accom-
panied by the following group of
young men:—Singing quartet: Mel-
vin Titus, Reynold Prime, Reynold
Haines, Herman Teed, Harold
Teed and Aubrey Elliott. Dr. Green-
wood also sang with them. The
quartettes were: "Guide Us and
Guard Us" and "Just Outside the
Door."

Owing to the severe storm of
Wednesday last, there was no school
in the Primary Department of the
Freeport school, also no prayer ser-
vice in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Thibert
returned home via the S. S. Keith
Cann last week.

A delightful evening was spent at
the home of Mrs. A. H. Weil on
Thursday of last week.

A hike up the Meadow Road was
enjoyed on day last week by Mrs.
Weir, Mrs. Preston Thurber, Miss
Lois King, Miss Pauline Stevens,
Miss Gertrude Elliott, Miss Jennie
Thurber, Mrs. Welton Finigan and

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CORN SYRUP

A pure, wholesome,
and economical table
Syrup. Children love
its delicious flavor.

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Miss Evelyn Finigan. Snaps were
taken of the scenery, etc., and lunch
was eaten during the hike. A good
time was had.

A dance was held in the Freeport
Hall on Friday evening last. Quite
a number were present.
The Sewing Society was enter-
tained at the home of Mrs. Victor
Finigan on Tuesday evening last.
A party was held at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Connell on Tuesday
evening last. Bridge was enjoyed
by those present and delicious re-
freshments served.

They observed Valentine's
Day.

Appreciation
The Helping Teacher wishes to
thank the following schools for the
many lovely Valentines she received
from them last week: Lake LaRose,
South Farmington, Bear River East,
Milford Corner, North Range, Mar-
gareville East.

MILFORD ITEMS
Mrs. Frank Gehue has gone to the
Victoria General Hospital, where
she will receive treatment.

Kenneth Gates is visiting friends
in Annapolis Royal and Bear River.
Vernon Mallman, Ralph and Don-
ald Chavlen returned home recent-
ly from Tupperville, where they were
employed with Frank Clayton.

Miss Bernice Rice returned home
to Moschelle, recently, after spend-
ing several days at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Alfred Fancy.

J. S. Irish, Editor of the *Greenery*
(Chatham Islands) Evening Press,
says:

"America certainly has made ad-
vertising a fine art! That was my
impression on tuning in WTIC
(Hartford, Conn.) one recent eve-
ning. The speaker was quite in-
triguing. The speaker ignored by
reminding hearers that the day was
an anniversary (birth or death, I
forget which) of Mr. Hansom, the
inventor of the now defunct hansom
cab. He described the peculiarities
of the vehicle and went on to tell
something of the history of road
traction from the basket chariots of
ancient Persia to modern vehicles.
There was just a suggestion of ad-
vertising at the end. 'Nearly won-
dered if it suggested the advantages
of insuring motor cars (probably he
said 'automobiles') with a certain
company. Very clever, very art-
istic, very effective! That method is,
of course, not unknown to print-
ers. But I feel convinced that Radio,
no matter how smart, will never
outrun newspaper advertising. Wire-
less is so inherently impermanent
that its advocacy falls far short in
effectiveness of that of the news-
paper. The best of the columns
of the newspaper, as the best of
advertising mediums is the often ex-
pressed opinion of leading advertis-
ers, and I have had much local evi-
dence in support of this theory. I
remember a 'cut-throat' dentist
friend of mine at establishment in one
of our suburban roads. Another
dentist had taken an office in a
main street of St. Peter Port, which
my friend thought a waste of money.
If you have in a back alley, he
said, and I have seen people want
they will surely come to you IF YOU
LET THEM KNOW THROUGH THE
NEWSPAPER."

JUNIOR CLUB NOTES

More Roll Call News
Since last week's news column
was written, the Junior Roll Call Reports
from the following schools and with
the number of members given in
each case: Margareville East, 28;
Grade V and VI at Middleton, 42;
Allen River, 17; Lake Pleasant, 18;
Margareville East, 20; Hills-
burn, 22; Parker's Cove, 32; Bear
River East, 31; West Inglewood, 10;
Tiverton, 33; Weymouth, North, 42;
North Range, 43; Miss Turnbull's
Class at Digby, 42; Upper Granville,
36.

Cover Designs
Designs for the March Club News
cover have been submitted by: Karl
Wright, Virginia East; Barbara Pay-
son, Lovett, Woodman, Irene Smith
and John MacDonnell, Smith's Cove;
Vaden, Outhouse, and Malcom
Greenleaf, Tiverton.

A New Club
A new branch of Junior Red-
Cross has been organized at Mar-
gareville East. We welcome this
new club and hope it will be a
club work as much that they will
wish to carry it on from year to
year.

From Tiverton
The Tiverton club members made
over for Valentine's for the Child-
ren's Hospital at Halifax. They re-
port that they made good marks in
their recent examinations. We are
sorry to learn that Marilyn Pyne of
this club has been ill for some time
from an attack of blood poisoning.
We are sure you all wish
for her a speedy return to health.
Marilyn has been a very active mem-
ber in her club.

Lake Pleasant
Violet Zink, Secretary of Lake
Pleasant Club, says they are trying
to live up to the health rules and
carry out various health ideas each
week. Some of the duties of their
Service Committee are: Keeping the
outside doors closed; paper from the
door; the room ventilated;擦擦擦

It dissolves
clogging grease
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the plumbing

WHY be annoyed by stopped-
up drains? It's so easy to
keep them clear and free-running.
Simply sprinkle Gillett's Pure
Flake Lye down each week. Use
it full strength—it will not in any
way harm the enamel or plumb-
ing. It cuts right through all
clogging matter... kills germs
and destroys odors.
It's easy to buy your own plumber,
this workless way, and you've no
unwelcome bills to pay after-
wards! Get a tin

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EXPENSES MUST BE CURTAILED

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir—A letter from Mr. Paul Yates appeared in a recent issue of the Courier, in which he strove to justify taxation for the benefit of the Digby Band. Mr. Yates stated that the Band would be self-supporting, but that \$500.00 is still needed for the purchase of new instruments. If that is all I am sure that the citizens of Digby will cheerfully subscribe that amount; for, as Mr. Yates says, it is only about the cost of a couple of hockey matches. There is no need of adding to the taxes of the town, which are far too heavy already.

While much of what Mr. Yates said is true, especially as to the value of education and training in music that the members of the Band receive, his reference to those citizens who complain of high taxes as "Calamity Howlers" and "Moping Croakers" is in very bad taste, and likely to injure the cause that lies nearest his heart. If the people of Digby who are demanding economy and lower taxes, are Calamity Howlers and Moping Croakers, then all most every newspaper and magazine editor in Canada, every bank president, every Board of Trade, every public speaker and every member of parliament is a Calamity Howler and a Moping Croaker; for they are all warning us against extravagance and increasing taxes. It is acknowledged on all sides that public debts and excessive taxes that is causing the trouble and unrest in this and other countries and preventing the return of normal prosperity.

Waste and extravagance in public affairs have been going on for very many years, and the mass of the people have tolerated, if not encouraged it. The inevitable results, financial and economic distress and ruin, are now plainly to be seen. The people are becoming aroused at last to the fact that only the most rigid economy can save the situation; and they will insist that their elected representatives shall in future cut out every dollar of unnecessary public expenditure.

Observer

BAND NOTES

Last Tuesday night the new Junior Band met in the band room for its first lesson. Fifteen beginners and a dozen others spent the two-hour period in careful study of music fundamentals as explained by Director Yates. Several older players are voluntarily taking up these lessons as a review, and find them very interesting. Instructional Elementary principles taught in the band room are applicable to all kinds of vocal and instrumental music. Education is not complete without a knowledge of music in some form. All members of the Music Council and all band members are entitled to the benefit of this course of study without charge. The second meeting will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

The band boys were much in evidence at the Hockey Benefit last Wednesday night, when a reed quintette and an orchestra in the band room, directed by Fritz Dakin, contributed their share to the evening's entertainment. The boys were very glad of the opportunity to employ their versatile talents in helping along a good cause.

It is not too late for others to join the new band, if application is made

Local and Personal

The Ea-Gi Club will meet this week at Mrs. Fowler's, Bay Road. Mrs. Marilla Walker is stopping at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Westhaver.

Miss Parsons, of Halifax, spent the week-end in Digby the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Maise.

Miss Mary Lynch left last week on an extended visit to Upper Canadian and American cities.

The March meeting of the V. O. N. will be held in the Court House, on Tuesday afternoon next, at 3 o'clock.

Friends of Ralph Baxter will be glad to learn that he returned to his home from the Digby General Hospital last week.

Under the spell of the thawing weather, fences, walks and shrubbery are gradually emerging from their snowy blankets.

If there is any truth in the old saying that "snow is the poor man's fertilizer," we should see some bountiful crops the coming season.

Rev. A. B. Higgins, pastor of the United Church at Petite Riviere, New Brunswick County, was in town on Wednesday, returning yesterday.

The postponed meeting of the Digby Children's Aid Society Executive will be held in the Town Hall, this afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

In spite of all outdoor appearances the house-clearing season is close upon us. Now is the time for men folk to gather up their treasured belongings and hide them away in the garage or some other safe spot outside the field of operations.

Welcome Thomas, of Bear River, the farmer and lumberman, residing a few miles from Bagby, whose foot was badly frozen a short time ago, was brought to the Digby General Hospital on Monday afternoon, his attending physician having decided that amputation of part of the foot was necessary. Mr. Thomas is 71 years of age, but in vigorous health.

Wylie Tower spent a few days recently in Saint John, and passed examination for Master of Passenger Steamers, before Capt. D. A. Reid, Examiner of Masters and Mates.

To the Director immediately. The first lessons should not be missed. Modesty (or bashfulness) is perhaps holding back some young people of natural musical inclinations. Such a trifle should not deprive them of this great opportunity to accomplish something that will be a lasting benefit to them.

Thaw Plays Havoc With the Roads

Since November we have been telling of the severe winter storms that have visited this section of the province. This week we are kicking about the thaw.

It almost looks as though the winter commenced to "break" last Friday, for the past week we have been enjoying delightful spring weather, with occasional rains. We are told that in some sections the roads are quite bare, while in others the snow drifts are still many feet deep; in other words, there is neither sledding or wheeling.

Operations in the woods have been handicapped. The combination of "sledding" W. H. Cover, at nine o'clock, March 1st, in Halifax. The division of the house is 22 liberals and 3 conservatives. Many of the members are appearing in the legislature for the first time, among them being the Premier, Angus L. Macdonald; and three cabinet ministers: Dr. F. R. Davis, Minister of Public Health; Hon. Michael Dwyer, Minister of Works and Mines; and Hon. J. H. MacQuarrie, Attorney-General. Heading the opposition are Col. the Hon. C. S. Harrington, leader of the late government; and Hon. Percy Black and Hon. Joseph Macdonald.

GENERAL NEWS FROM HERE AND THERE

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The Chinese Ministry of Railways has awarded a contract to a firm in British Columbia, for 130,000 creosoted railway ties, or the equivalent of about 4,500,000 feet of lumber, valued at over \$100,000. The Trade and Commerce Department announced on Friday last. The ties are to be used in completing the Canton-Hankow railroad and it is stated that similar contracts will be placed in Canada on the verge of completion as the railroad proceeds to completion.

After an exchange of diplomatic representations between Tokyo, and Moscow last week, a government said that the world need not be afraid that Russia and Japan were at the very least, in a protest, sent to Moscow through the Japanese ambassador there, charged that Soviet planes had flown over Korea and Manchuria, and demanded guarantees that such flights would cease. At the same time, the Japanese protested to the Foreign Office that Japanese planes had been sighted in Soviet territory. A war department spokesman viewed the alleged incidents as "somewhat less serious in nature than did even the government spokesmen."

John Kaminski, 18, of New Britain, Conn., Sher Sheriff D. J. Manning in the law in the Superior Court, one week last week, when he became incarcerated because a bomb containing two sticks of dynamite failed to explode after it had hurled it at the sheriff. When overpowered he wore a steel vest and was found to have two other crudely constructed bombs, two pistols and two knives in his possession.

PERK UP! DIGBY!

Get Ready for Summer Visitors

Florida says The Depression is over. It hasn't had such a business boom since 1928. The Literary Digest reports that "Tens of thousands, by train, ship, plane and motor, have rushed down to... to dance, dine and spend their money spinning." At the big resorts money flows like water, and prices soar. Movies and restaurants are jammed. Not only are the big hotels jammed, but the suburban hotels and tourist camps are filled to capacity. Chambers of Commerce scour their cities and towns for rooms to accommodate the overflow.

At Palm Beach, it is said, the best hotels are charging \$50 a day. And at Miami Beach a cot in a hotel parlor costs as high as \$25. These reports and other unmistakable signs indicate an early return of better times, and Digby should wake up and go after its share of the tourist business for the coming summer. The world is full of people who might enjoy a summer at Digby but they don't know there is such a place. Business will not come here unless we go after it. Advertisers pay! Florida advertisers on an enormous scale. The C. P. R. is planning extensive advertising for the Maritime Provinces, and only this week our local photographer has had a request from this company's Montreal office to submit photographs suitable for this purpose. Old Man Depression is on the run! Give him the boot as he goes by!

Obituary

Mrs. B. C. Morrison

There passed away at Halifax, on Sunday morning, after an illness which developed last May, Mrs. Bessie Crosby, widow of the late Dr. D. N. Morrison, of Sydney. Mrs. Morrison would have been 70 years old last Tuesday, was a daughter of the late Capt. Watkiss Lewis, of Freeport, a well known sea captain of his time; her mother was a Miss Haines of Freeport. Following her marriage to Dr. Morrison she went to Cape Breton to live. The doctor died in 1911, when she went to Halifax and made her home in that city. From early womanhood she supported ardently the cause represented by the W. C. T. U. and she was tireless in her efforts to promote interest in its work. She was nine years' president of the Halifax W. C. T. U., and for seven years president of the Provincial W. C. T. U., and by her sister members of that organization throughout the province. News of her death will bring a very intimate and real sense of loss. On going to Halifax she became a member of St. Andrew's congregation, and at once entered actively into church work. The work of Missions especially interested her and she was one of the most earnest and valued members of the Women's Missionary Society of St. Andrew's, of which she finally became the president. There survive her to mourn a loss in which they have warm sympathy of all who know them, a daughter, Mrs. Kenneth A. MacKenzie, of Halifax, with whom she made her home; one son, Dr. L. N. Morrison, of Mahone; four brothers, all of whom, like their father, are well known; Capt. C. F. Lewis, of Saint John; Capt. Ernest Lewis, of Digby; Capt. Murray Lewis, of Three Rivers; and Capt. Albert Lewis, of Boston; and two sisters—Mrs. Morrill, of Freeport, whose husband, Ralph E. Morrill, died some time ago; and Mrs. Howard Welch.

ANGELIC CHURCH NOTES

Today—Children's Service at 3:30 o'clock; Junior Choir at 7:30 o'clock; Evening Service at 8:00 o'clock; Senior Choir at 8:30 o'clock.

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Richard C. Brooks

The funeral took place on Wednesday last week, in Centrales, Annapolis County, of Richard C. Brooks, who passed away at the age of 81 years, after an illness of twelve months duration. Mr. Brooks was born in Sandy Cove, Digby County, but went to Centrales when a boy and spent the remainder of his life in that community. He was predeceased by his wife six years ago, and is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Alfred Harris, North Easton, Mass.; Mrs. Robert Kennedy, Port Hawkesbury; Mrs. Arthur Piper, Yarmouth; and Mrs. Michael Kavanagh, Brockton, Mass. He is also survived by two sons, Capt. C. H. of Yarmouth, and a daughter, Mrs. C. B. of Centrales, and by one sister, Mrs. S. C. Healey, of Marbledale, Mass.

Charles Potter Coggins

Charles Potter Coggins, only son of the late Capt. and Mrs. Handley Coggins, of Centrales, passed away in Weylesboro, Mass., on March 1st. Mr. Coggins was an architect by profession and had resided in Massachusetts for the last thirty-five years. He leaves his widow, formerly Emma Phillips, of Centrales, C. B., and one sister, Mrs. Willard F. Kempton, of Liverpool.

Howard Daley

(Published by request)

This sudden death occurred on Thursday last of Howard Alexander Daley, from a heart attack, at the age of 57 years; he had been a victim of asthma and heart spells for some time. The deceased was a well known resident of Culloden, and a member of the United Baptist Church. He was a son of the late John and Eliza (Copeland) Daley, and is survived by his wife, formerly Clara A. VanTassel, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Benedict VanTassel, Mt. Pleasant, and one daughter, Mrs. Sydney Stark, of Culloden; one brother, John Daley, of Culloden; and three sisters, Mrs. Orinda Carter and Miss Cynthia Daley, of Dedham, Mass.; and Mrs. Nelson Matthews, of Campbell, N. B. The funeral was held on Sunday last from the Culloden United Baptist Church, Rev. F. B. Bishop officiating. The pall bearers were Newton Ross, Oliver Ross, Fred Murphy, Wilfred Murphy and Arthur Hersey. Interment was at Culloden.

Rev. E. E. Graham

Rev. E. E. Graham M. C., 47th year, pastor of the Valley United Church, near Truro, passed away at 1 o'clock, Wednesday morning, having suffered two strokes on Sunday. He had been pastor at Valley about two years. Mr. Graham suffered the first stroke in his church on Sunday afternoon. After being removed to the Manse he suffered a second stroke, and on Tuesday night had a relapse. He was born in Centerville, Digby County, and was a son of Captain Robert and Mrs. Graham. He served in the Great War and also in the South African war. He leaves his wife, three brothers and three sisters. The brothers are Aubrey and Ralph, in Boston, and Herman, in Vancouver. The sisters are Mrs. Charles Shaw, Centerville; Mrs. Goldy, Port Maitland, and Mrs. Morehouse, also of Centerville. The funeral was held from the Valley church

Hockey Benefit Show a Success

The hockey benefit show at the Bijou Theatre Wednesday evening proved an outstanding success. It would be difficult to say just which numbers on the programme were best received, or just who of the performers were "stars," for every number was "the best," and every performer an artist.

This programme was in the nature of a broadcast from Station DRHC (Digby Hockey Club), with Harry Berman as announcer. Arch Dillon was director.

The boys are well pleased with their success, and wish to take this means to thank all who helped in any way. The theatre was filled on this occasion.

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Monday—Trinity Guild in the afternoon

at the home of Mrs. Torrie C. B. L. and Girl Guides in the evening.

Thursday—Dorcas Sewing Circle in the afternoon at the home of Miss Adams. Tea will be served. Evening Guild at 8 o'clock; place of meeting to be announced Sunday.

AN ANSWER TO THE 19TH CENTURY SPECIFICATIONS FOR A WIFE

Here's to the man who wants a wife Who can roast and toast without any strife; I can pickle, can and boil and bake, Can brew and stew and make your cake; Can knit and sew and patch and darn; Can make preserves and mend with yarn; Can keep the buttons on your clothes, Repairing rends and bath your nose; Can mop and scrub and wash and ring; Can rinse and play and dance and sing; Can make the parlor shine all day, And find the work as good as play; Can drive the team to town and buy; Can sell or trade—this is no lie. I know a shower from a bon, Can rake or spade for any beau, Can milk the cows when you're away, Can strain, and skim, and churn, I say; And have an eye to save, as well, As having eyes to earn, don't tell me not to strive to get a wife. Or face a snake or toad, then run, I do not screech, can read and write, Can give you all the news at night, Can make your shoes and build the fire.

Seeing that is your desire, Of other men I'll never see, The smiles that may belong to me, I'll give my heart and soul for you, But don't you dare to smile at me, I'll attend to your wants, and I'm full of fun.

If there's any holding to be done, You can see to that, for all I care, I'm a smiling happy elf to share, I can cheer your life—don't be a dunce, And I hope we all won't speak at once.

Composed and sent in by Mrs. Beecher Morehouse, Centerville, Digby C. N. S.

Mrs. P. K. Hayden has returned from a visit to Boston and New York.

yesterday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. D. Macdonald, St. Andrew's Church, Truro. Interment will be in Lakeside cemetery, Centerville, tomorrow afternoon.

Rev. William Ryan, veteran minister of the United Church of Canada, died at his home in Annapolis, Kings County, on Wednesday morning. He was 101 years old.

Local and Personal

Miss Margaret Stewart, municipal clerk and treasurer, has been visiting friends in Annapolis Royal.

H. J. Campbell, superintendent of the Digby County Power Board, spent the week-end in Halifax.

New Spring Hats are ready for your inspection tomorrow (Saturday), at "The Little Shop Around the Corner"—G. Oliver.

This is a season of coughs and colds, so don't forget to put on your rubbers or overshoes, when going out. Restaurant men say Miami, Florida, has more eating places than any resort centre in the world five times its size.

The sewing circle of the Ladies' Hospital Aid met at the home of Mrs. Hubert Warne, on Wednesday. The next meeting and afternoon tea will be held at the home of Mrs. A. E. Dickson, on Wednesday afternoon next.

The first quarterly reports from the House Loan Corporation in New Mexico show that that state has the smallest number of closed banks and the smallest amount of money tied up in defunct institutions of any state in the Union.

The public is invited to attend a Pantry Sale and Afternoon Tea for the benefit of the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society, at the home of Mrs. G. M. Morrill, on Saturday, March 24, from 4 to 8 o'clock. Convenors are Mrs. Howard Anderson and Mrs. George M. Morrill.

We take it that somebody has worked out 55,000 as the mileage of the average human being on his pilgrimage by foot from his world to the next. We'll bet Arch has a boot that will start the baby right on its first mile of that long 55,000-mile tramp.

A batch of personal notes from Miss Cove had to go in the waste paper basket yesterday, because they were not signed. When will people who send news to the papers learn that they must send their names, not for publication but for the information of the editor.

FIVE PAGES MISSING FROM OLDEST BIBLE

Portions of the Codex Sinaiticus, which the British Museum recently purchased for 100,000 pounds sterling, have been kept back by the Soviet government, a London newspaper has disclosed. These missing portions consist of about five pages, some of them in a fragmentary condition.

There was consternation at the Museum when the discovery was made. But the full purchase price had already been paid. Museum experts who were comparing the manuscript with a photostatic facsimile taken in pre-war days, reported: "The Codex is incomplete. The Russians have not sent all the pages."

All officials concerned were sworn to secrecy. Meanwhile, stern representations were made to the Soviet authorities, who were told, both by letter and telegrams, in code, that the missing portions must be found at the earliest possible moment.

They have promised to make a thorough search of the Leningrad Public Library and the Library of Ancient Books, also in Leningrad, where the Codex was housed until its recent sale. Photostatic copies of the missing pages were sent to the Soviet government.

Forty Years Ago

(From the Files of the Courier, Mar. 9, 1894.)

The Courier stated that "March came in like a lamb, now for the lion business." (Does that apply to 1934?) The steamer Weymouth made the first trip of the season from Westport to Weymouth.

Seven persons were admitted into the Baptist church at Broad Cove through baptism, by Rev. A. T. Dykeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth VanBlarcom celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, 51 582 Boston Street, Marblehead, Mass., on Thursday, March 1st. They were married at Freeport, by Rev. Mr. Hall.

The City of Monticello was welcomed on her appearance at Digby on the steamer "The Star." The steamer has ever given better satisfaction than the City of Monticello. Write this steamer had been laid up for repairs, the Bridgewater had been run in her place.

Thursday was Nomination Day at the Court House. Dr. Jones was in twenty minutes to speak. Candidates. Each candidate was given five minutes in the field: Conservative—Timpany and Dugan; Liberal—Tupper and Comeau.

The following was taken from the Freeport notes: "We had the honor of having a call from Digby's police chief last Friday; he was looking for a man whom his companion, a merchant from Yarmouth, suspected to be intending to leave the country."

The steamer "The Star" ran ashore this morning, (March 2), at Keg Cove, near Tiverton. The steamer John L. Cain was sent for to tow her off. We have not yet learned the particulars.

Mr. James A. Collins is here paying the bounties to the fishermen entitled to the same. If all would accept salvation as willingly as they do the money, none would be lost."

MASONS ELECT OFFICERS

At the regular communication of King Solomon Lodge, held last Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected: W. M.—Harold J. Campbell S. W.—Dr. W. R. Dickie J. W.—Dr. S. B. MacGee S. E.—H. H. H. Treas.—P. W. Holdsworth, P. M. S. D.—J. F. Height J. D.—J. W. Merkel S. S.—Gerald Syda J. S.—F. Courtney Purdy Tyler—no. A. Donnelly Chaplain—Dr. Purdy Mar.—Frank Robinson Organist—Rev. A. E. Gabriel

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA Digby Circuit

Rev. E. W. Forbes, Pastor

Digby 11 a.m., and 7:00 p.m.; Smith Cove, 3:00 p.m. At the evening service the celebrated picture, "Christ Before Pilate, by Muncey, one of the largest pictures in the world, will be shown on the screen and described. There will also be an illustrated hymn, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross."

The armed strength of strife-torn Austria has been rapidly increasing since Russia's Socialist civil war and today the government is reported to have at least 110,000 armed men to deal with emergencies.

"The Buyrite Store"

Pure Olive Oil, 1 oz. bottle 25c
Face Cloths 5c
Mens' Work Socks 9c and 28c pair
Ladies' Silk Hosiery pair 19c
Good Size Fancy Bath Towels each 20c

VISIT
The Red Store, next Wright's, for this Week's Bargains

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FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1934

ORATORY

The idea of government by discussion in a democracy is excellent in theory, provided it is kept within the limits intended by its originators. It was never meant to be anything more than representation of a people, assembled for legislative purposes, to be allowed all reasonable latitude in the discussion of facts relevant to questions before the House.

It was not meant to waste the time of cabinet ministers discussing innumerable questions with countless delegations. It was not meant to admit popular clamor into the discussion once the election was over; Legislators who know their job can gauge popular feeling far more accurately from the press. It was not designed to permit irrelevant speechifying in the House, nor to facilitate dubious parliamentary manoeuvres like "talking out" a bill, nor to afford an opportunity for individual members to make an impression on their own constituents.

Abuse of the principle of government by discussion is one of the causes of the weakening of democracy. Democracy is liable to be throttled by oratory, in fact Mussolini declares that it will eventually be destroyed by the orators. It is one thing to admire a speaker who deftly uses words to set forth valuable ideas; it is quite another thing to endure speakers who inflict words to make an impression on their own constituents. Oratory is no more than the vehicle of thought and without the latter it is empty and annoying.—Telegraph-Journal.

INVENTIONS

What do you think of the triumph of the engineer? Has he been an unmitigated blessing to mankind? Are you disillusioned when you stand aside and watch the sweeping pageant of discovery and invention?

Thank to machinery the output of man is increased, but gone is the old pride of craftsmanship. Today the poorest among us commands luxuries that a Roman emperor might have envied, but never in the world's history has there been such bounty of material comforts. But are we happier than we were?

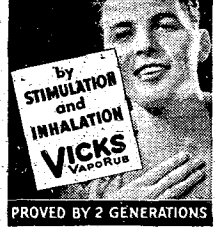
Are we being deprived of the inestimable blessings of toil? The gifts of science always come with a price tag. We conquer the air and become subject to air-raids. We perfect the motor car and it increases crime. We hear wonderful music on the radio and we cease to make music ourselves. Are we becoming slaves to inventions? Were we happier fifty years ago?

Were you not happier and more contented jogging along behind the old grey mare with your sweetheart by your side than in the limousine of today? An exchange points to the fact that one out of every twenty persons in the United States is on the government payroll. Well, we understand Canada has that beaten by a long shot. It is reported that in Canada one out of every thirteen (some say one in eleven), is on public pay-roll—federal, Provincial or Municipal—and these figures do not include those getting public relief.

WHAT IS YOUTH?

The voice of youth is both persistent and noisy. We are constantly told that this is the day of young men; we are asked to give youth a chance, and informed that there is nothing wrong with it. Simultaneously, we still hear

Ends a Cold SOONER



that forty is too old, that sixty is not only incapable but practically a disgrace.

Ramsay MacDonald is said to have recently been recasting his government. His ambition is to be head of a cabinet of young men.

Sixty is the present average age of our political rulers. But the real test is not a question of youth or age in point of years. Youth is a spirit, that is if we mean by youth the power of efficiency.

Some of the world's greatest men have retained this Spirit to the very end at a ripe old age.

There is Hindenburg, in Germany, and there was Clemenceau, in France. Nobody can ever accuse Lloyd George of being old, despite Anno Domini.

Youth in itself is not enough. Plus that little extra, vaguely called genius, and it is everything.

School Club Notes

Library Pile
The following pupils of Deep Brook School have qualified for I. O. D. E. library pile and will receive their diploma within the next few days: Ruth Henshaw, Karl Henshaw, and Billy Berry. These pupils are presented to their school by the Daughters of the Empire. If any school has pupils eligible for these pins, they should notify the Helping Teacher, giving names, age, grade and names of books read.

New Officers
On Friday, February 16th, new officers were elected in the Lamsdowne school club. They are: President, Estella Harris; Vice-President, Ronald Harris; Secretary, Bob Woodgate; Treasurer, Evelyn MacAndrews. The secretary sent a well-written report of their meeting. He is eleven years old and is in Grade V. In addition to the report Bob sent some original verses that he wrote recently.

The King's English
How many of you learned English Drills in February? If you haven't a copy of the King's English Drill in your school, write to me for some drills. Some schools are now learning their 15th drill. It begins: "Am I not?" etc. Can you finish it?

Cover Designs
More cover designs have arrived. They are from Edna Maguire, Myrtle Gregory, Gordon Abraham, Elman Hudson, Paul Sarty, Frederick Maguire, all of Parker's Cove, Annapolis County. Since these designs are merely a pattern, I might remind you again that they could be done of brown paper or newspaper so that you may save your better paper for some other purpose.

Announcements
A few schools have not yet sent in their Roll Call sheets. If you did not receive one, please let me know at once.

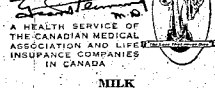
Prizes for best club reports for January were won by the following: Lillian Coates, Hillsburg, Annapolis County, and Margaret Ossinger, Tiverton. Those for February were won by: Robert Woodgate, Lamsdowne and Violet Zinck, Lake Pleasant. So many good reports were received in January we decided to award a second prize in the Senior Division. It was equally merited by Jean Anthony, Lower Grandville, and Warren Walker, Deep Brook. A beautiful Roll Call report from Central Clarence did not contain the age and grade of the sender.

Keeping Up With the Parrots
A lady approached an Edinburgh surgeon and asked him if he would perform an operation.

"What for?" he enquired.
"Oh, anything you like. You see I attend a lot of women's bridge parties and never having had an operation I simply can't take part in the conversation."

The solicitor had conducted a case for the client, and the client was called upon to pay his fees.
"How much do I owe you?" he asked.
"Your father and I were old friends," said the solicitor; "let's say \$200."
"Well," said the client, as he handed over the money, "I glad you didn't know my grandfather."

HEALTH



MILK
The day when mankind discovered that animals could be domesticated marked a new era for the human race. We do not know at what particular period the dairy industry arose, but we have a record that Abraham was "very rich in cattle, in silver and in gold." It is rather singular that his cattle were mentioned first, before the precious metals.

The vigorous, progressive and successful races have been those which freely use milk and milk products. New Zealand is essentially a pastoral country, and the inhabitants of New Zealand enjoy, on the average, a longer span of life than do the people of any other country.

For the town and city dweller, it was necessary to find some means whereby milk could be readily and safely transmitted from the farm to the city. This necessity brought about many radical changes in the dairy industry, with the result that today we have, in many cases, dairy herds which are free from disease. The milk thus comes from a healthy source and is produced in a clean manner. The milk is kept cold so that bacteria will not grow in it, and it is sent to the city where it is pasteurized to make it safe, put into sterilized bottles and delivered to the consumer.

The use of milk is a mark of civilization and an evidence of intelligence, for there are few facts as well established in theory and in practice as that the use of milk is conducive to health.

Milk contains a considerable variety of food elements, fat, sugar, protein, minerals and vitamins. Yet it is a simple food in that it is readily digested, because in milk, these various food elements are present in a form which is easy for the body to use.

Milk cannot be replaced in the diet under ordinary conditions. There is, for example, no other way whereby the growing child can be given a sufficient amount of calcium (lime) to build strong teeth than through the regular use of milk.

Milk is the most ideal food for all ages. Adults should use milk, because it is a simple and satisfactory means of securing a balanced diet, since milk supplies minerals and vitamins which might otherwise be lacking in the diet.

Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 124 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

THE LADDER OF SUCCESS

100%—I did
90%—I will
80%—I can
70%—I think I can
60%—I might
50%—I think I might
40%—What is the chance?
30%—I wish I could
20%—I don't know how
10%—I can't
0%—I won't

—New York Commercial
"Can you get board at the place where you stay?"
"I'll say you can—bored stiff."



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SHIPS PASSOVER BURIAL PLACE OF DRAKE AND HAWKINS

Possibly many of those who travel through the waters of the Caribbean Sea on the luxurious liners of the Canadian National Steamships fleet in the British West Indies service, little realize that as their ship plows through these waters they are passing over the burial place of two of England's greatest admirals who laid the foundations of the greatness of the British navy, namely, Sir Francis Drake and Sir John Hawkins.

It was off Nombre de Dios, in the Spanish Main, that the remains of Drake were committed to the deep on January 29th, 1595-56, being preceded by his kinsman and trusted friend, Sir John Hawkins, who accompanied him. And who died off the island of Porto Rico, his body being buried in the waters close by. Two of the liners bear these illustrious names, the "Lady Drake," and the "Lady Hawkins."

The Spanish Main, which now includes Venezuela, Colombia and Panama, is the name given in the days of the buccanniers to the northeast coast of South America between the delta of the Orinoco and the Isthmus of Panama. It has erroneously been applied to the sea which washes the coast of the buccanniers.

A pirate band of freebooters of all nationalities who were deadly opponents to the rule of Spain and derived their name from South American hunters, Dutch flyboats in which they made their expeditions. These hunters were in the habit of drying their meat on wooden grills called "buccans" and the name "buccanniers" was given to the whole gang. Their headquarters were at Port Royal, on the island of Jamaica, which became a town of immense wealth and perhaps the richest in the West Indies, while Morgan, one of their leaders, eventually became Lieutenant-Governor of Jamaica.

The town of Port Royal was destroyed by an earthquake on June 7th, 1692. In an account of the earthquake it is stated that a church warden "was swallowed up" by the earthquake and by another shock was thrown into the sea and was miraculously saved by swimming until a boat took him up. He lived many years after in great reputation. His tomb is at Green Bay across the harbor.



Our politicians seem to be right busy right now abusing the other fellow.

We read a lot of ancient history. Not that ancient history is not interesting, but too many on the payroll are taking up too much time talking ancient history. But I imagine the average taxpayer is supposed to foot the bills and listen and admire.

There seems to be a lot of controversy about this and that. Political controversies will probably rage until the pig of time, for once politicians get a bone of that nature between their teeth, they are loath to let go.

A lot of our lawmakers continue to flog the same old dead horse, apparently in utter ignorance of the fact that a whole team of new horses have galloped away with the situation they are discussing.

There also seems to be a lot of hysterical outpouring from the "yes men." Well, the folks at home are ready to talk to them when they get home.

WESTPORT

(Received too late for last issue)
Mrs. Charles Prime, of Westport, spent the week end the guest of her brother, Judson Mordhouse, and Mrs. Mordhouse.

Mrs. Irene Pugh spent Tuesday in Westport the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charles Tidd.

D. B. Kenney was a passenger from Yarmouth on Monday.

Walter Outhouse of Tiverton, was in town Friday and Saturday, reading meters.

Miss Arlene Hessie, of Yarmouth, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Delaney.

Mrs. Holland Titus and Mrs. Percy Peters spent a few days recently in Westport.

The fishermen are busy putting ballast in the hull of the derelict schooner, A. A. F. Parsons, which now lies from the end of Holland Titus wharf as the ship belongs to R. C. Coombs. The fishermen will then have a safe place to put their boats from ice and heavy wind storms.

Harold Height has returned to Tiddville.

MILFORD

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Wagstaff on the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Brown, of West Springfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Nass, of Lake Munroe.

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At present, though it may not be a time for hearty laughs. At least, let's wear the smile that we use in our photographs.

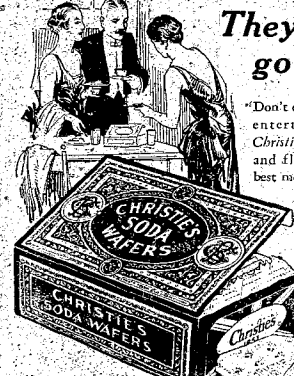
WHO HAS THEM?

Some year ago—possibly 20 and it may have been 30—quite a number of the bound files of the Digby Weekly Courier, were borrowed, and taken away from the office, but by whom nobody knows, except those who have them. The late Isaiah Wilson once told us that he was not sure about them all being bound—but he knew they had been loaned, as a former manager of the Courier told him he had handed them out himself. It is possible these files are still in existence in somebody's attic. They belong to us and we would like to have them. But we do not want those who have them to have their trouble for nothing after all these years, as the chances are that the party who borrowed them have passed on in the meantime. We will give two full years' subscription for every year's file returned.

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Neighborhood News

Miss Doris Titus is among those on the sick list.

Alfred McLanson, of Weymouth Mills, is quite seriously ill.

Dr. H. J. Pothier was in Yarmouth on business on Saturday.

Randolph Payson spent the week end with friends at Barton.

Fidelie Doucet, of New Edinburgh, was in town on Saturday.

Master Buster Lent, of Weymouth North, is visiting relatives in Wood's Harbor.

Mrs. M. R. Ewing, entertained the Sewing Circle of the United Church, on Friday afternoon.

Amos Hill, who is working in Digby, spent the week end at his home in Weymouth North.

Miss Dorothy Thurber was a supper guest of Miss Margaret Grant, at Weymouth North, on Tuesday.

Friends of Mrs. Howard Grant, of Weymouth North, will regret to learn that she is among those on the sick list.

Peter and Sam Weaver, who are employed in Digby, spent the week end at their homes in Weymouth North.

Mrs. G. O. Hankinson, who has been visiting her sons, Thomas and Curtis, at Middleton, returned home last week.

William Nickerson, who has been spending a couple of weeks at the home here, returned to Mcford, N. S., on Friday.

E. J. Theriault, of the Halifax Herald staff, was in town on business on Thursday and was registered at the Goodwin Hotel.

The many friends of "Volley" Saulnier, of Weymouth Mills, will be interested to learn that he is recovering from his recent serious illness.

Mrs. Arnold Lent, of Weymouth North, left on Friday for the Yarmouth Hospital to undergo an operation. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Bertha Fraser, Helping Teacher, was registered at the Goodwin Hotel over the week-end, and on Monday left for North Range to visit the school there.

Among the outstanding social events recently held in Bridgetown, was the delightful bridge and dance given by Mrs. Mayhew C. Foster, at her home, for Miss Bertha Fraser, Helping Teacher, in honor of the latter's birthday.

The home of Charles Theriault, of Bellevue's Cove, was destroyed by fire on evening recently. The dwelling was considerably improved recently and contained some valuable furniture. Mr. Theriault lost everything, with the exception of the clothes he was wearing at the time.

Miss Lucille Theriault, graduate of Mount St. Vincent, and a member of the clerical staff of the Halifax Harbor Commission, is at Bellevue's Cove for a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe Theriault.

Mrs. Margaret Tooker, of Weymouth North, entertained a number of the young people at a croquet party on Saturday evening, in honor of her daughter, Helen, whose birthday it was. Three tables were in play and at the conclusion of the evening delicious refreshments were served. Those present included the Misses Dorothy Thurber, Margaret Rand and Margaret Grant, and Messrs. Ellsworth Cogswell, Harvey Fitzgerald, Lindol Saunders, Geo. Taylor and Arthur Jones.

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A CORRECTION AND A REQUEST

In last week's Neighborhood News, one item read: "Willis Mullen was an overnight guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Blackadar, on Thursday." Mr. Mullen has since informed us that this item was incorrect, and has asked us to please correct it, which we are very glad to do. Our information came from a source which we thought was authentic, but it seems that it was not.

We are always very glad to have any of our readers send us in news items, and we wish every subscriber would cultivate the habit of sending in the news of visits they have had from friends or to friends; of parties or other celebrations in their homes; of social activities, news of church or of other organizations; and we know these are of great interest to our readers and help to make our paper your paper.

We greatly appreciate all such help which we are receiving, but we would like you to please bear in mind that when sending in news for publication, you must be sure the items are correct.

March this year came in like the proverbial lamb. The weather since the 1st has been mild, with either bright sunning or rains, and we feel that Old King Winter's reign is about over. True, we expect to see more cold days and snow before spring really arrives, but somehow we have a feeling that in the common jargon of the day—"it won't be long now!"

We were visited by our first electrical storm of 1934 on Tuesday morning. It was very brief, consisting of a few crashes of thunder and a flash or two of lightning, accompanied by heavy rain, but cleared by afternoon and Old Sol was again a welcome visitor.

MARCH

We are taking another step. On the pathway of the year, With an earnest, forward look, With a heart that knows no fear, For wherever that path may lie, Neath skies that are blue or gray, We know that the father's love Goes with us all the way.

To them who trust and serve, We know there can come no ill, Who is glad in his neighbor's weal Shall find the father's love.

As we give, 'tis measured back— And so, with smile and cheer, We take each step as 'tis shown Up the pathway of the year.

A. D. Sullis, of Smith's Cove, was in town on business on Monday.

Lloyd Grant, of Barton, spent the week end with friends in town.

St. Thomas' Guild was entertained at the Goodwin Hotel on Thursday of last week.

Miss "Kit" Weir, of Smith's Cove, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. A. H. Brooks, and Mr. Brooks.

Capt. Haines R. Marshall, of Weymouth North, chief officer of the C. N. S. Scottish, is expected to arrive at Halifax on March 10th, from Australia.

Right Rev. Edward A. LeBlanc, D. B. Bishop of Saint John, was received in audience by Pope Plus, one day last week. Bishop LeBlanc is a native of Digby County.

The Helping Hand C. G. I. T. group met at the home of the leader, Kathleen Fitzgerald, on Monday evening. The devotional period on the theme, "The Call of Jesus," was read by Queenie Brooks, assisted by Pauline Ruggles; and included among other things an interesting story entitled "The Two Searchers." The program of the evening was on the life of Marie Dressler. The meeting was followed by games.

It's hard to miss a boat or train, reveals John S. Stuart's "Magazine" feature writer, in his column, "Stranger Than Fiction"; but think of the member of the Canadian Mounted Police, who writes, who was stationed thirty-five miles north of the terminus of the supply ship. He spent three years in that northern spot and when the time came for him to be relieved, he made six trips to the base, but missed the relief ship and had to stay another year. And here's the irony of the thing—when he did catch the ship it took eighty-two days, nearly three months, to reach St. John's Newfoundland.

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Obituary

Theophilus Comeau

There passed away, after a lingering illness, on Tuesday, February 20, at Ohio, one of Digby County's oldest residents, Theophilus Comeau.

Born at Ohio on November 18, 1848, Mr. Comeau spent practically all his life there. He was a competent carpenter and was very active until a few years ago when his health began to fail, which necessitated his retirement from the work he had taken such a keen interest in all through life.

Many residences in Ohio and Weymouth stand in his memory. St. Joseph's R. C. Church and Glebe may be mentioned, as well as some of the buildings Weymouth was credited with before the fire of 1928. His last work was at the age of 79, remodeling one of Ohio's oldest residences.

Mr. Comeau is survived by his widow, for whom much sympathy is felt, and two sisters, Mrs. Rose Amrault and Mrs. Venera Dugas, both of Ohio. The funeral took place on Friday morning with Requiem High Mass at St. Joseph's R. C. church, Rev. Father McKinnon officiating. The pallbearers were Thomas and Nelson Amrault, nephews of the deceased; Harley LeBlanc and Siffert Theriault. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Mr. Mark LeBlanc

The death occurred at Salmon River recently. Mrs. Mark LeBlanc in the 88th year of her age. Her parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Archange Deveau, of Lake Doucet, where she was born. Besides her husband, who is 93 years of age, she is survived by three sons, five daughters, two brothers, two sisters, eighteen grandchildren and twenty-eight great grandchildren. One of the daughters is Mrs. Armand A. Deveau, of Mayflower, wife of the former ranger for the District of Clare.

EAST FERRY

Miss Hazel Hobbs was the week end guest of friends in Tiverton.

Mrs. Carl Small spent the week end in Tiverton.

Edward Weir recently spent a few days in Sandy Cove, with his daughter, Mrs. Reginald Weir, and Mr. Weir.

Mrs. Wilfred Theriault spent Sunday in Tiverton, as did also Mrs. James Pridgitt.

Hooking mats and quilting quilts seems to be the order of the day.

Leonard Theriault, of Central Grove, has returned home after visiting his son, Herbert Theriault, and friends here.

A. F. Comeau, of Weymouth, was in this place last week in the interest of the Old Age Pensions department.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA Weymouth Circuit

Rev. M. R. Ewing, Minister

The sewing circle last week was entertained at the parsonage, by Mrs. Ewing.

The Young People's Service Club met on Friday last. In the absence of Mrs. Ewing, Mr. Ewing took charge of the programme. Subject was "Glimpses of Home Mission Work." Those taking part were Misses Kathleen Fitzgerald, Katharine and Dorothy Blackadar and Dorothy Hankinson and Mr. G. E. Tingley.

Lenten services are being held each Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

The Young People's Service Club will meet this evening in the church vestry, at 8 o'clock.

The services on Sunday will be as follows:

10.30 a.m.—Divine Worship at Weymouth.

11.30 a.m.—Sunday School at Weymouth.

3.00 p.m.—Plympton.

7.30 p.m.—Barton-Brighton.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES

Captain Alfred Hutchinson, C. A. Captain Norman Sugg, C. A.

The services throughout the parish on Sunday will be as follows:

St. Peter's, Weymouth North—10 a.m., Sunday School; 11 a.m., Matins and Address; 2.30 p.m., Evensong and Address; Preacher, Captain N. Sugg.

St. Matthew's, Weymouth Falls—8 p.m., Evensong and Address.

St. Thomas', Weymouth—10 a.m., Sunday School; 7.30 p.m., Evensong and Address.

Men's Fellowship will meet in the Rectory: 9.30 a.m., Breakfast; 10 a.m., Fellowship and Discussion; 11 a.m., Matins at the Parish church.

We welcome new members, and please tell the Captains that you will be coming.

Notices for the Week

Lenten Services are held each Wednesday night, at 7.30, in the Guild Room, and at St. Thomas' church on Fridays, at 4 p.m. An invitation is extended to all who may wish to attend.

The choir practices are as follows: St. Peter's choir meets in the Guild Room, Wednesday, at 8.15 o'clock; St. Thomas' choir, in the church, on Friday evenings, at 7.30 o'clock.

St. Peter's Ladies' Guild meets on Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock; St. Peter's on Tuesdays, in the Guild Room, at 7.30 o'clock.

St. Peter's Guild meets in the home of Mrs. Carr, on Friday, at 4.15 p.m.

The Church of England Institute is open on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday of each week, from 7.15 p.m. The final of the Pool Knock-Out Competition was played off on Monday last, between E. Cogswell and H. Tooker. The former won by the last ball, while the latter knocked up the highest score in the first round of the competition. The committee met on Tuesday evening in the club rooms and discussed the means and means of enlarging the club's activities.

Social Service—For the past three and a half months the ladies of Weymouth have given one afternoon a week to sew on behalf of the poor. Under the able leadership of Mrs. L. Marshall many old garments have been renovated and put to a useful purpose. In this way many families who would have found it impossible to make ends meet as far as having suitable clothing for the hard winter, were able to keep warm and dry. Through the kindness of friends, known and unknown, several bags of flour, tea, sugar, canned goods and other food have been distributed. As the winter is almost over these ladies are no longer meeting so it is only fitting that we should place on record our thanks to them for their thoughtfulness and service. To Mrs. Marshall and all friends who have helped her, on behalf of those of Weymouth and district who you have helped, as well as myself personally, we say "Thank you very much," remembering that "inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, ye have done it unto Me."

For more Weymouth news see page 6.

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Temperance Table Talks

By UNCLE JOHN

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AREN'T WE FOOLISH?

A Judge of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia has recently stated that "a majority of accidents occurring on our highways are due to drivers operating motor vehicles while under the influence of liquor." And judges do not speak at random. A Boston morning newspaper in the early days of January, reporting some tragic happenings, stated that "drunken drivers caused all three deaths in the opinion of the police." And an evening paper in the same city on the same day reported the arraignment of two Harvard students for separate crimes of assault and battery, stating that the accused pleaded guilty to the charge but pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness. An Ontario judge stated two or three years ago that a man who has taken one glass of liquor is not fit to drive a car.

And these are but mere "tid-bits of the literature" that liquor is causing among us. If we could just see ourselves from some eminence, get a bird's eye view of ourselves, wonder if we would not decide we were a very stupid generation of people, that if we should be found drinking the stuff, one glass of which makes us unfit to drive a car on the king's highways, and a little more of which puts us in that state of mind (or lack of it) that we commit assault and battery without knowing what we are doing. And then it think that any persons among us should care so little about the welfare of others that for the sake of a few paltry dollars we should become makers or sellers of the stuff that inevitably brings injury to everyone who uses it. And to think further that as a people we should become officially clothed the whole business in the habiliments of respectability, commending it when we should be condemning it! And all this with the grateful warning of highways tragedies and the dictates of scientific knowledge repeatedly thundering in our ears the truth of an ancient maxim: "Who is a meeker, stronger drink is raging, and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise!"

HARLEM

Mrs. John Baudreau, sr. and Mrs. John Baudreau, jr. are both on the sick list at present.

Mrs. Perry has returned and opened the school again.

Mrs. Henry Spavold and daughter Althea spent Sunday in Southville.

Mrs. Hector Barr, Mrs. Arnold Barr and Miss Hazel Barr spent Sunday with friends in Danvers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Amero and two daughters, Rosalind and Helen, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gavel, Southville.

Fred Brittain, Dudley Raymond, who are employed at the mill here, spent the week end at their homes, in Weymouth North.

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TEACHERS OF DIGBY WEST IN SESSION

The third meeting of the Digby West Teachers' Study Club was held at North Range, on Saturday last, from 11.00 o'clock, a.m. to 3.00 p.m., with R. B. Powell, the president, in the chair. The roll call was answered with the outline of a teaching project. Miss Bertha Fraser, Helping Teacher, expounded an industrial project that is being carried out in Annapolis County to promote knowledge of local industries. A variety of other interesting and unique projects were explained, after which Miss Fraser led a discussion on "Teaching by the Project Method." A report of the books read from the Provincial Library since last meeting was given. The mid-day meal was a substantial lunch, presided over by members of the social committee.

After lunch, Mrs. Eva Wendell gave a book review of Stevenson's "The Project Method of Teaching" and Alice Comeau reviewed A. Gowan White's book, "How Life Grows On." Ruth Specht led a discussion on "Nature in Grades IV, V, and VI," in which the training of the observational powers, and the development of the child's aesthetic sense was said to be the chief motive for Nature Study in those grades; and Gerald Tingley outlined the required course in Science, and Nature for Grades VII and VIII, stating that the principal object of this course should be to develop reasoning power, and acquaint the pupils with a broad outline of scientific study as a basis for the more advanced sciences of the senior high school grades.

The remainder of the period was spent discussing the Sport Day proposed to be held in June in Weymouth. The next meeting will be held April 28, at Barton, at which members are to respond to the roll call with a quotation from a Canadian poet.

Those present were: Bertha Fraser, Helping Teacher; Helen Banks, North Range; Eva Wendell, Barton; Ruth Specht, Plympton; Alice Comeau, Gilbert's Cove; Ronald Thurgood, Ashmore; R. B. Powell, Weymouth North; Gerald Tingley, Weymouth North.

A vote of thanks was passed to Miss Banks and the trustees of the North Range school section for the use of the school house and the arrangements made for the comfort of the teachers.

BARTON

A very enjoyable card party was held at the home of Mrs. S. Cosman recently, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of her daughter, Beatrice. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Cosman, assisted by Mrs. George Adams. Miss Cosman received several nice birthday gifts on this occasion.

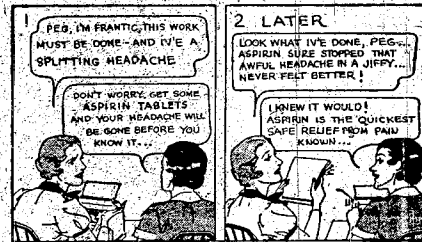
"Dick" Ritchie left for Montreal on Wednesday. His departure was much regretted for his musical talents have been greatly appreciated here during the last few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Harman Heighat and two children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Specht.

Margaret Specht spent the week-end in Plympton; the guest of her sister, Mrs. Norman Taylor.

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Mrs. Blanche Morgan spent the week end in Yarmouth.

The woodchuck's prediction of 40 more days of winter, same almost being 100 per cent. perfect. But cheer up, official spring is only twelve days away.

More News from

WEYMOUTH and Vicinity

C. C. Nicholl recently returned from a trip to Saint John.

Mrs. H. R. Marshall was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baxter on Tuesday.

Mrs. John Dunkley entertained the sewing circle of the United Church yesterday afternoon.

The government patrol boat, Cape-lyn, Capt. Lewis, was in port at Weymouth North on Tuesday.

The monthly meeting and tea of the W. A. of the Anglican churches, was held at the Rectory on Wednesday.

The W. M. A. S. of the Riverside United Baptist church met with Mrs. A. L. Thurber, at Weymouth North, on Tuesday.

WEYMOUTH BOY SCOUTS

Scout Master Baden Powell gave the Boy Scouts a lesson on Map Reading on Tuesday evening. Assistant Scout Master Ellsworth Coggins, who recently returned from Halifax, described to the Scouts the actions of the Scouts in Halifax, when he visited them.

Scout Master Baden Powell put Scout Andrew Elliott through the investiture. The book, Boy Scouts' Canoe Trip, donated by Ellsworth Coggins, was given out through the library.

THE WEYMOUTH REBEKAHS

Olive Branch Rebekah Lodge met in the lodge room on Wednesday evening. Under the good of the order a special Thomas Waike program was put on as follows:

Song—Meeting in Our Old Lodge Hall.

Reading—Thomas Waike (1)—Mrs. John Dunkley.

A Few Words on the Progress of Old Fellowship—Kathleen FitzGerald.

Poem—Ruberia Hand.

Reading—Thomas Waike (2)—Ger-aldine FitzGerald.

Poem—"A Tribute to Old Fellowship"—Mildred Amero.

In The Supreme Court

BETWEEN: Elmer Weir, George Weir, Herbert L. Woodman, and Frank Dargie,

PLAINTIFFS and Clara B. Cossaboom and The Royal Bank of Canada,

DEFENDANTS

Sale of Hotel Property

PURSUANT to an Order made herein and dated the 7th day of March, A. D. 1934, I will at the Court House, in Digby, in the County of Digby, at three o'clock in the afternoon of SATURDAY, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1934, sell in bloc all the real and personal property belonging to the Estate of William M. Cossaboom, late of Digby, Hotel Keeper, deceased, heretofore used in the conduct of the hotel business carried on by the said William M. Cossaboom in his lifetime at said Smith's Cove, and after his death by his Executor, together with the beneficial interest in all leases of portions of the said real estate and also all leases of water rights pertaining to the said premises.

Schedules of said Real Estate, Personal Property and Leases may be had on application to the undersigned, or to Frank Jones, Esq., K. C., Digby; E. J. Theriault, Esq., Digby; or Daniel Owen, Esq., K. C., Annapolis Royal. Copy of the Order above referred to may also be inspected at the respective offices of the above.

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Dated March 7th, A. D. 1934.

KENNETH L. CROWELL, Receiver.

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Song—"The Old, Old Story"

Kathleen FitzGerald, P. D. D. P., had charge of the program. At the conclusion of the meeting the felt work was carried on. The members intend meeting in the lodge room on the afternoon of March 21st, to continue the felt work, after which they will have a picnic supper and the regular semi-monthly meeting.

Classified Advertisements

IN MEMORIAM — In ever-loving memory of our dear little daughter and sister, Jean Margaret Van-Tassel, who left us to live with Jesus; March 14th, 1929.—From her parents, brothers and sister. Digby, N. S. 32 11p

CARD OF THANKS—William Barton, of Acadiaville, desires to express his sincere thanks for the many kindnesses shown him at the time of his recent bereavement. 32 11c

CARD OF THANKS—Mrs. Howard Daley, of Culloden, and Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Stark wish to thank all those who sympathized or assisted in any way during their recent bereavement; also those who sent letters and cards, also telegrams of sympathy; and his Culloden friends and neighbors for the lovely floral offering, and Warren and Kendall Bryant and the Daley family.

CARD OF THANKS—The Digby Fire Department wish to express their thanks to Messrs. H. T. Warner and H. M. Warner for the co-operation given them on the night of the Victoria Rink fire, by supplying men and teams to convey the hose to the scene of the blaze.—Harry Herse, Chief. 32 11c

WANTED—A Piano to rent by the month for use in private home.—Apply to XYZ, Digby, N. S.; care Courier. 32 11c

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FOUND—In the Bay of Fundy, a Ship's Boat. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. Emmerson Outhouse, Tiverton, N. S. 32 11p

FOR SALE—Male Pure 9 months old; very intelligent; can do a number of tricks; a good cattle dog.—McLaughlin, Digby. 32 11p

BUNGALOW TO LET—Five-room Bungalow; centrally located; terms reasonable. Apply to Mrs. Lena Cossitt, Smith's Cove, N. S. 32 21c



Between Ourselves

Spring must be "just around the corner." The mild weather of this past week certainly has made the snow disappear—and none of us are shedding any tears on seeing it go. But we'd better not hope too soon, there's liable to be another blizzard any time.

Still, the boys have been talking fishing for some little time now—and only the other day I heard a group discussing baseball. Those are pretty sure signs—but the young men aren't playing marbles yet that I have noticed, and none of us believes spring is really here until the marble bags come out.

I want to congratulate Fred Thibault on his appointment as chief of police. Fred, we feel is a good man for the job, and has proved his worth through the services rendered on the local police force during the months he has served as acting chief.

We are all sorry, though, that our old friend, Chief Cowan, has had to give up his position on account of ill health. Mr. Cowan was most efficient and obliging and very often went out of his way to do a favor.

We have all heard and read criticisms over the cost of maintaining the police force, and the \$15 collected in fines last year. That, in my opinion, is something to be proud of. Digby is a busy town in spite of all we hear, and the mere fact that in 1933 only \$15 was collected in police court fines is certainly to our credit as law-abiding citizens. Still, I suppose there are those who would think it a sign of progress if the fines were in excess of police court expenditures—just as there are those who might think that the best teachers are those most expert in wielding the strap—just as long as they practise "on someone else's brats."

We have to maintain a local police force; we need a local policeman.

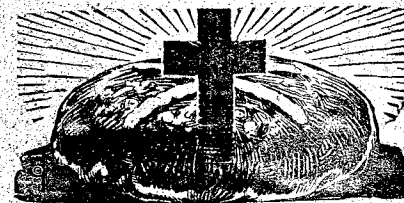
The police department, I think, is the one department that is to the town's credit when it operates at a loss, particularly when law and order is maintained as it is in Digby.

Without casting any reflection on the older generations, I think that Digby's splendid record of the past few years as a law-abiding town, is largely due to the younger generation—those of school age and just past, and to their trainers, be they parents, day school teachers, Sunday school teachers, ministers or scout masters. The Boy Scout organization has "worked" wonders among the younger boys, and made men of those who have "graduated."

We seldom hear of an act of wanton vandalism. We can go away for weeks and months at a time and feel certain that the windows in our buildings will not become slungshot targets; even the windows in tumble-down properties are safe. What so when you were a boy? Still, one cannot say that the Digby boys of today lack "pep" because they have regard for the rights of others—they have been trained to work off their excess energy in a better way. Ye Junior Ed.

E. H. Targott, who is residing at the Customs House, Annapolis Royal, was in town the early part of the week, and took the opportunity of calling on several of his old friends.

Special... FRIDAYS AND SATURDAYS During Lent



Hot Cross Buns

Specials for Saturday

Parker House Rolls, dozen, 15c.

CREAM PUFFS

Baked Beans, pint 15c; quart 25c.

Digby Bakery

Digby,

Nova Scotia

EXTRA SPECIAL AT ROYAL STORE

Sat. and Mon., Mar. 10 and 12

This week only special showing of Ladies' Silk Dresses in all the latest styles and colors and marked at special price ranging from \$4.49 to \$13.00.

Ladies' New Plaid Blouses \$1.98

Ladies' Celanese Blouses, in colors 1.19

Ladies' New Style Wool Sweaters 1.98

Ladies' Full Fashion Silk Hose, pr. 1.00

Ladies' Full Fashion Silk Hose, pr. .69

Ladies' Lisle and Cotton Hose, pr. .39

Mens' 3 piece Tweed Suits \$5.00

Krinkle Bed Spreads, size 80 x 100 \$1.89

All Linen Roller Towelling, yard .15

Print Cottons, 36 in. wide, new patterns .20

Wabasso Plain Broadcloth, 36 in. wide .20

Cotton Batts, Quilt Size, 72 x 90 .69

Striped Flannellette, 27 in. wide, yd. .11

Chocolate Marsh Mellow Cookies 2 lbs. 25c.

Mens' Broadcloth Shirts, Collar attached \$.79

Mens' Work Shirts, ranging from 69c to \$1.39

Mens' All Wool Socks, pr., from 19c to .50

Mens' Red Back Overalls, with bib, pr. 1.19

Mens' Jumbo Heavy Knit Sweaters 1.59

Old Cheese Special 13c lb.

Children's Cotton Ribbed Hose, pr. \$.19

Girls' Cashmere Hose, colors, pr. .39

Girls' Silk and Wool Sweaters .79

Children's Fancy Sweaters .50

Children's Celanese Silk Dresses 1.00

Large Jaffa Seedless Oranges dozen 55c

Lane's Yellow Bred Baked Beans, 2 tins, 25c

Bovril Corned Beef, 2 tins, 25c

Anne Paton's Jams, 40-oz. jars 35c

Bulk Cocoa, Extra Special, lb. 10c

Ladies' Rayon Silk Bloomers, pr. \$.39

Ladies' Glove Silk Bloomers, pr. .39

Ladies' Celanese Slips, in colors 1.00

Ladies' Broadcloth Slips 1.59

Ladies' Print Cotton Wash Dresses 1.00

New Lace Collars for Dresses .29

Boys' 3 piece Tweed Suits \$4.99

Plain White Cups and Saucers, 2 for 15c

Heavy Plain White Plates, each 10c

Kobosole, for mending Rubber or Leather, tin .39c

Egg Beaters, Green Handles, each 15c

Meat Platters, Green Glass, each 25c

Large Size Mixing Bowls, each 27c

Maritime Maid Soda Biscuits pound 10c.

Boys' Broadcloth Shirts, colors 69c

Boys' Sweaters, from 69c to \$1.90

Boys' Blue Serge Knickers, pair 1.25

Boys' Overalls, with bib, pr. 65c to 89c

Boys' Overall Pants, sailor style, pr. 1.19

Large California Grapefruit, 6 for 28c.

Royal Special Mixed Chocolates, lb. 25c

Molasses Sponge Toffee, lb. 19c

Pure Milk Chocolate Buds, lb. 25c

Jumbo Salted Peanuts, lb. 15c

Sunkist Oranges, sweet and juicy, doz. 22c

Robin Hood Rapid Oats with China 31c pkg.

Fresh Herring, in tins, each 25c

Chief Herring, in tomatoes, each 15c

Ingessoll Malted Cheese, pkg. 10c

Bulk Icing Sugar, extra special, lb. 10c

THE ROYAL DEPT. STORE, DIGBY

Specials: Fri., March 9, Sat. 10, Mon. 12

Schwartz Baking Powder 1s tin 29c

Inger of Malted Cheese pkg. 12c

Regal Toilet Paper 4 rolls 14c

P. & G. Soap 5 cakes 21c

Kellogg's Whole Wheat Flakes (the new cereal) 2 pkgs. 25c

Maxwell House Coffee 1s tin 40c

Singapore Sliced Pineapple 2 tins 21c

Red Clover Salmon 1-2s tin 20c

Jaffa Oranges, Sweet, juicy, doz. 39c, 50c, 60c

Grapefruit, Lemons, Bananas, Apples

A. R. TURNBULL Phone 16 DIGBY

An M. M. A. Store

Cash will buy:

Clarkes Governor Sauce, per bottle 21c

Heinz Tomato Soup, per tin 10c

Green Pea Soup, per tin 10c

Mutton Broth, Scotch Style, per tin 10c

Beef Broth, Scotch Style, per tin 10c

Clarkes Tomato Juice, per tin 10c

Family Pilot Biscuits, 2 lb. pkg. 25c

Ross C. Smallie

Phone 117

Bargains in 98c. Lots During March

Savings in Spring Cleaning Supplies. Cash Bargains.

Quart cans Walnut Varnish Stain, regularly \$1.75, for 98c.

Half pints Sherwillac Enamel, reg. 60c. ea., any two for 98c.

Rogers' Enamel, one and 1/2 pints, reg. \$1.35; now for 98c.

Hawes Car Cleaner, reg. .50

Hawes Car Polish, reg. .50

Hawes Lemon Oil Polish, reg. .25

\$1.25 1 each as above— .98c.

Sherwin Williams Red Floor Paint, reg. \$1.25 qt. for .98c.

2 pzs. Hawes "Floor-Gloss" (self-polishing wax) reg. \$1.30 .98c.

Any four quart pint tins Rogers Enamel, 30c. ea. 98c.

Any three quart pint tins Sherwillac Enamel, 35c. ea. 98c.

Wallpaper remnants, values up to \$3.85, while they last 98c.

1 can "Metal-bright Polish, reg. .35

1 pint Hawes Liquid Wax, reg. .75

\$1.10 now for— .98c.

5 lb. pkg. Alabastine, any color, reg. .75

2 1/2 lbs. White Alabastine, reg. .30

\$1.05 now for— .98c.

5 lbs. Alabastine, any color, with sufficient matching border for one room, all for .98c.

The above two lots give you sufficient Alabastine for the walls and ceiling of an average room, with border to match, at a cost of only \$1.96).

Quantities of the above are limited and cannot be replaced at the prices quoted.

Connell's

Touch Up The Woodwork In Your Spare Time

and this is the time of year to do it. It is surprising the number of improvements you can make in the various rooms of the house, also on the furniture.

Brandram - Henderson Paint and Floor Glaze 4 Hour Enamels and Varnishes

—leave you with the satisfied feeling that you have done a good looking job. Get a can of either finish, a good brush and make a start. For the walls and ceilings use—

B. F. Frescota in colors, Muresco White in bulk.

FRITZ DAKIN, Successor to DAKIN BROS. The Cash Hardware Store. McCLARY'S STOVES and RANGES Telephone 51 Digby, N. S.

BIJOU THEATRE TO BE MUCH IMPROVED

C. E. Walker, who left this week on a trip to Virginia and other points on the Atlantic sea board, partly on business and partly for pleasure, has made arrangements for the practical re-building of the Bijou Theatre this spring. The western end of the floor is to be lowered to allow of a slanting floor for the auditorium; a modern theatre front is to be put into the building; and the whole is to be painted and renovated. A new machine will be installed and, when completed, Digby will have a theatre to be proud of.

BARTON

Miss Oda VanBlarcom gave a very enjoyable card party on Tuesday of last week, at which "Dick" Ritchie was the guest of honor. Mr. Ritchie, who has spent several months in Barton, during which he has made many friends, left the following day for Montreal.

Miss Freda Rice has returned to Bear River after spending several months with her aunt, Mrs. Daniel Fraser.

Mr. H. Payson, of Weymouth, was a week end visitor here.

Miss Estella Brooks, primary teacher here, has accepted a position on the staff of the MacDonald school in Middleton, for the ensuing year.

NORTH RANGE

The monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Club was held in the school house on Wednesday evening of last week. Owing to the absence of the president, Mrs. Alice Brittain was appointed chairman. The roll call was answered by current events from members present. It was suggested that the roll call for next meeting be answered by a verse of poetry and name of author. A special programme is being arranged for the May meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Theriault, of Auburn, spent the week end with relatives.

Reginald Jordan, of New Tusket, is visiting relatives and friends.

Byron Andrews has returned from Hill Grove, where he was the guest of his brother, Ernest, and Mrs. Andrews.

Tom Andrews, of Digby, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Andrews.

Mrs. Hannah Savary, of Digby, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Donald Marshall, and Mr. Marshall.

Marriages

MacLeod-Urquhart

In an effectively simple ceremony, at the Church of the Ascension, Waltham, Mass., on March 4th, Miss Ursula P. Urquhart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Urquhart, and Frederick H. MacLeod, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. MacLeod, all of Waltham, were united in marriage. The church was filled with relatives and friends of the popular couple. The bride, attended by Miss Vera Johnson, wore a becomingly fashioned afternoon frock of blue crepe, with matching hat, and carried white roses. Miss Johnson wore a rose crepe with white hat and accessories, and carried tea roses. Norman Smith was best man. An informal reception in the parish house followed the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Hugh Wallace Smith, of Melrose, acting rector of the church. The bride and groom, with both former Nova Scotians and they have many friends and relatives in Barton and other parts of the province.

ACACIAVILLE AND HILL GROVE

Mrs. W. A. Bacon is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Masters, Deep Brook, for a short time.

Miss Susie DeLong spent the week end as the guest of her brother, Charles, and Mrs. DeLong.

A sleighing party of young folks from South Range were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Porter on Friday evening last. Some from here were present and a good time was enjoyed.

Miss Nettie Warné was a recent visitor in Digby, at the home of her brother, H. T. Warné. Frank Gates has accepted the position of woods foreman for the Colp lumbering industry.

Mrs. Stuart Godsmith, who has been visiting friends in Digby, returned home last week.

Mrs. (Rev.) E. E. Gritham, of Valley, who accompanied the remains of her husband to Centreville, was the over-Sunday guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Forbes, at the United Church parsonage.

Freeman Wilson, mechanic at the Digby Garage, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Digby General Hospital. We are glad to report that he is making good progress.

Capt. John Simms Victim of Serious Assault Tuesday

Captain John Simms, 60, formerly of Digby, lies at his home in Yarmouth with a three-inch gash in his forehead caused by a blow from a fire iron weighing about two pounds. Horace Frost is in jail charged with committing the assault and with causing bodily harm.

It is alleged that Capt. Simms had purchased a quantity of fish from a boat tied up at Sweeney's wharf, and was in the act of placing it in his car when Frost appeared on the scene, demanding payment, claiming that the fish belonged to him.

An argument, followed by blows, led to the assault with the fire iron bar which had been in Simms' car.

KIWANIS

The regular Kiwanis luncheon took the form of a musical program on Tuesday in charge of Kiwanians A. J. Dillon and Rev. A. E. Gabriel, song leaders, with Kivian E. J. Theriault at the piano. The program was very much enjoyed.

Rev. A. E. Gabriel was given an enthusiastic welcome back into the Digby Kiwanis fold. Mr. Gabriel was one of the charter members of the club.

Others who are to join the club shortly are Corp. Joseph Hetherington, of the R. C. M. P., and William Cream, manager of the Royal Department Store. Including these two, four new members have joined the club since the beginning of the year.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA—DIGBY CIRCUIT

Rev. E. W. Forbes, Pastor

The services on Sunday will be as follows:—Digby, 11 a. m., and 3 p. m.; Bayview, 3 p. m. At the evening service Munkasey's famous picture, "Christ Before Pilate," will be shown and described. There will also be an illustrated hymn, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross." Do not miss seeing this wonderful picture.

The March meeting of the Brotherhood will be held in the hall on Wednesday, the 21st inst., at 7.30 o'clock. The B. A. C. Club meets this week at Mrs. Gordon Ellis' home.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Rev. A. E. Gabriel, Rector

Tomorrow is known all over the world as St. Patrick's Day in the morning. Every Irishman who loves Patrick is there is nothing like it in all history. It was not the Roman church that brought it to pass, for he was not canonized until 700 years after he died. It was not that he was an Irishman, for he himself tells a different story. Patrick was born in Britain, in a village near Dumbarton, Scotland, about 384 A. D.

When a boy of 16, playing in the fields, he was carried away, bound as a slave. The lonely youth, tending his sheep on the hillside, had holy memories of home, and found the mountain a ladder to God. At 22 years of age he wandered to the sea coast and took ship home again. In Britain with his kindred, as the restless years passed, the Spirit of the Lord was upon him and he saw in a vision on Victorinus, and heard voices saying, "We beseech thee, holy youth, come and walk among us once more." He returned to the Emerald Isle and preached the Gospel, having the old "barn" for a preaching place.

Sunday will be the 5th Sunday in Lent, or Passion Sunday, when the Epistle speaks of redemption as involving the sacrifice of the Cross, while the Gospel deals with our Lord's rejection by the Jews. The services are as follows:—8.00 a. m.—Holy Communion. 9.00 a. m.—Church School. 11.00 a. m.—Matins and Sermon. 1.00 p. m.—Service at Marshalltown. 7.00 p. m.—Evangelism and Sermon. (Question box and singing of favorite hymns.)

Monday—Girl Guides and C. B. L. Tuesday—Trinity Sewing Guild. Thursday—Trinity Girls Club. Friday—Evangelism and Choir rehearsal.

Keep Easter Monday free for the Special Easter Parade.

The Federal government at Ottawa was urged on Tuesday by H. B. Short, M. P. for Digby-Annapolis, to spend more money for codfish as a food. Mr. Short stated that in his opinion \$40,000 spent on advertising in newspapers and periodicals would be money well spent. The minister of fisheries will consider making provision for such a venture in the supplementary estimates.

Local and Personal

Several interesting articles, as well as the last batch of local news, have been sent out this week. As you will notice this issue is pretty well filled up with local matter of interest.

Mrs. T. E. G. Lynch was a recent visitor to Halifax.

Mrs. Hilda Ellis, of Kentville, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Walker have left on a trip to Sweet Briar, Va.

Spring millinery at Miss Chisholm's splendid line of Straw Hats at \$1.95. Also other models, including the Breton Sailor.

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Miss Dorothy Smith, accompanied by her brother, Sydney Smith, have returned from Saint John.

The construction of radio station C.J.S., at Yarmouth, is well along. Station apparatus has arrived and will be installed this week. The studios are located on the fourth floor of the Grand Hotel.

It is heard that for the festive skunk to come forth from his winter den, to make his presence known on the highways and byways. The woodchuck appeared more than a month ago, to make a prediction; but no one seems to give a hoot about the pole cat's "coming-out" party.

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Obituary

Mrs. Henry Casey

There passed away on Wednesday of last week, Sophronia Casey, wife of Henry Casey, well known and very highly respected resident of Victoria Beach, after being in failing health for several weeks, at the age of 80 years. Mrs. Casey was born at Victoria Beach, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Finch. A host of friends mourn the passing of a valued member of the Baptist church and community, and a faithful wife and mother. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Chas. Haynes, Victoria Beach; four sons: Ansel, Port Wade; Walton; Roy and John, of Victoria Beach; also Fred MacNeill, who spent his boyhood days with his aunt, Mrs. Casey, now residing in Lynn, Mass.; a twin sister, Mrs. John Litch, Port Wade; two other sisters, Mrs. Gilbert Ellis, Digby, and Mrs. James Ellis, Bay View, as well as seven grandchildren. To pay their parting tribute to the departed, a large circle of friends gathered at the Baptist church in Victoria Beach, where the funeral service was conducted by Rev. W. B. Crowell.

Barnford D. Morehouse

The death of Barnford D. Morehouse occurred on Thursday, February 22, at his late home, on the Exeter Road, Hampton, N. H. He moved there from Lynn about 25 years ago. During the last eight years he has been employed by Archibald Williams, of Hampton. He was a man of sterling qualities; a quiet, faithful worker, good and kind in his own home, and always ready to help in any time of need. He will be greatly missed by those who knew him. Besides his widow he leaves to mourn one son, Earl; three sisters, Mrs. Ella A. Dobson, and Miss Annie D. Morehouse, both of Halifax, N. S.; and Mrs. Fred Thompson, of Hampton; and one brother, Embree B. Morehouse, of Centreville. Also several nieces and nephews. The funeral service was held at his late home on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 25, at two o'clock. Rev. Norman Longmaid, pastor of the Hampton Methodist church, officiating. Interment was in Hampton. (Mr. Morehouse was a native of Centreville.)

Capt. Roland Teed

Relatives in Freeport have received news of the death of Capt. Roland Teed, which occurred suddenly at Seattle, Wash., the result of an accident. Deceased was a son of the late Capt. Samuel Teed, of Freeport, and lived in that place during the early years of his life, moving to Seattle a long time ago. He was 75 years of age. Surviving him are one sister, Mrs. Geo. Calvin Stevens, of Seattle, and two brothers, George F. and Frank, both of Freeport.

Alphonse Saulnier

The death of Alphonse Saulnier, 43, occurred at his home here on

LORD ABERDEEN IN CANADA

The Marquis of Aberdeen and Tennyson, former Governor-General of Canada from 1893 to 1898, died on March 7th, at his residence, the House of Gromar, at Tarradale, Aberdeenshire. He was 87 years of age, and is succeeded by his son, the Earl Haddo.

Lord Aberdeen was active in many fields during his long and useful life. His marriage with the former Isabel Marjorie Banks, who survives, was held up as a remarkable example of domestic felicity. Lady Aberdeen, when in Canada, was the founder of the Victorian Order of Nurses, and was invited to go to Saint John to speak on this subject. The coming of nurses to visit in the homes was viewed with alarm by the members of the medical profession of that day, and it is recalled that a chilly silence mostly greeted the speaker. Lord Aberdeen almost blushed his hands, applauding his wife, and trying to make up for the lack of other applause. Lady Aberdeen is also the present president of the International Council of Women, which office she has held for many years.

Some months ago the Anti-Catholicism of the United Church, gave the public a ripal treat in the form of an "Edgar Guest evening" as their first effort to raise money for the North End tennis court, which they hope to build this spring. The North End needs a tennis court and these young people are working hard towards that objective. It is a long hard pull but if everyone will just lend a hand it can be done. Show your interest and good will by attending their "Pictured Songs," on Monday, the 26th of March. You cannot fail to enjoy it. Be sure to save this date.

Monday, after a year's illness, Mr. Saulnier was a well known carpenter and highly respected. Funeral services were conducted from St. Patrick's church, Wednesday morning, with Rev. Father Murphy officiating. Members of the Digby Fire Department attended the service in full uniform, as a parting tribute to their fellow member and friend. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Emile Saulnier, of Sault Ste. Marie, and was born in Sault Ste. Marie. He deceased is survived by his wife, three children, four brothers and six sisters.

Mrs. Ariminta Rockwell

The funeral of Mrs. Ariminta Rockwell, widow of the late Nathan Rockwell, took place on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. F. E. Bishop, pastor of the Digby United Baptist church, officiating. Interment was in Woodlawn cemetery, Digby. The death of Mrs. Rockwell occurred very suddenly on Monday evening, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Campbell, Queen Street. She was 72 years of age, and is survived by her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Campbell; five sons, Leon and Dwight, of Annapolis; Carl and Ira, of Saint John; and Fred, of Bermuda.

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WRIGHT'S

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St. Patrick's Day

Tomorrow, being the anniversary of St. Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland, we wish our many readers, the "top of the mornin'!" We hope that everyone who breathes the least bit of Irish blood, will not forget to wear a sprig of shamrock, or a bit of green of some kind.

THE IRISH TONIC

For forty years I roamed the world from China to Peru; I mixed with men of every shade, ex-

ceptin' green and blue; For forty years I roamed the world and then at last says I, "I'll tie me back to Ireland's shore an' my me down to die."

But when I landed home again an' looked the country round, An' when I sniffed the Aitrim hills an' dunes o' County Down, A strength came to my weary limbs, a new light to my eyes, Says I, "Bedad ye needn't die to get to Paradise."
—Rudolph Miller

CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES

Captain Alfred Hutchinson, C. A.
Captain Norman Sugg, C. A.

The services throughout the parish on Sunday next are as follows:
St. Thomas', Weymouth—10 a.m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 11:00 a.m., Matins and Address.
St. Mary's, Barton—2:30 p.m., Evensong and Address; preacher, Capt. N. Sugg.
St. Matthew's, Weymouth Falls—3:00 p.m., Evensong and Address.
St. Peter's, Weymouth North—2:00 p.m., Sunday School; 7:30 p.m., Evensong and Address.

Lenten Services—St. Peter's, on Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; St. Thomas' on Friday, at 4:00 p.m.

Choir Practices—St. Peter's Boys in the Guild Hall, on Wednesday, at 6:30 p.m.; Adult members, at 8:15 p.m.; St. Thomas' Boys, on Fridays, at 7:30 p.m.

Men's Club—Meets on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays of each week in the Rectory, at 7:15 o'clock; membership fee, 25 cents, and a monthly fee of 10 cents.

Ladies' Guild—St. Peter's, Tuesday evenings, in the Guild Hall, St. Thomas', on Thursday afternoons, at 3 o'clock.

St. Peter's Altar Guild meets each Friday at the home of Mrs. A. W. Carr.

The Girls' Branch of the W. A. meets this evening at the Rectory, at 5:30 o'clock.

The Easter services will be in charge of the Rector, Rev. W. L. Mosher.

ANNUAL TOLL ON MOOSE IS CONSIDERED

Doubt is expressed in the annual report of the Department of Lands and Forests, Nova Scotia, as to whether the annual toll on moose which this year was 1,470 or 99 fewer than in the 12 months preceding. Deer on the other hand appear to be thriving and in no danger, though the open season on does a couple of years ago is believed to have brought serious curtailment.

The old issue as to whether bears kill and eat deer is revived in the report, with the statement made that there is no evidence of the killing of deer but that there is of the bears having parties of venison perhaps killed by other agents.

In one game preserve 21 bears were reported trapped and strangely only two of these were mates. The ravages of wild cats continued and this problem is considered serious.

Turning to the report of fur farming the report points to the great increase in black foxes, which in 1924 and 1925 the number was 1,434, while last year there were 5,054, representing a market value of \$156,680.

Miss Ruberta Band was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mallen on Friday.

Mr. Keith, representing T. H. Estabrooks & Co., Saint John, was in town on Tuesday.

The many friends of Councillor E. P. Hankinson will be interested to learn that he is recovering from his recent illness.

Friends of Mrs. F. G. Waldron, sr., of Rosedale, Mass., (formerly Miss Agnes Haley of Weymouth), will regret to learn that she recently had the misfortune to fall while coming out of Jordan, Marsh's store, in Boston, spraining her left knee.

AND I DON'T MEAN, MAYBE!

The last blizzard and the demise of the Gazette just about wrecked me. I get so voluble when I think of a town that can have a newspaper if they want one, and then don't appreciate it enough to keep it going. That I just stutter. My heavens, if the merchants don't have enough business to advertise, why don't they advertise and get some? How do they expect people to know what they have if they don't tell them? The days of the old "grapevine" telegraph are gone forever. Aren't you just shamed of yourselves for an of you! Next thing you know, some one will say, "Weymouth? where is that?" and the answer will be, "Oh, it's not much of a place; don't even have a newspaper!"

Prosperity's Copper has been turned and people are once more thankful of a few weeks' vacation. Are you going to stand on the old side walk and watch the parade go by because your town is not on the map? For Pete's sake, wake up! Stir up your civic spirit and bring back your self-respect! Perhaps the Gazette wasn't a great big affair, but it meant a lot to folks away from the old home town, and you will never know how eagerly it was watched for and read.

The only means of communication old friends have is the home paper. You are reading it, and suddenly a name that you hadn't heard a year will catch your eye, and start a whole train of memories. Some one that you haven't seen for years will return to see the face you still long to be there and chat with them. Or you read of the death of some one that you knew and liked so much in the days that are gone forever, and you would never have known of it if it were not for the home paper. It looks like one more venture that has fallen for lack of support, and I'm just guessing at what the fate will be of the work started last year by the Village Improvement Society. I'll be willing to bet my old home skirt that the work will outnumber the flowers this summer. Why don't you up and fool me.

I was pleased to read the interesting article written by L. H. S., and how he will continue the story. He must have been many years since he started his education under that wagon that he spoke of. I well remember the taste of the Red Aschtrachans and Sweet Boughs that he used to bring back to the office from Father Sabine's farm. I presume they are still growing on the same old trees, and L. H. S. would give a good deal to have one now. Come on, Leslie, write again.

Have you ever stood on a wharf just at dusk with the fog sweeping in from the water and a fog horn blowing in the distance? It's the most cheery feeling, and the most chilling experience. I spent last week end in Boston. The big boy was coming home, and I went up to meet him. The fog was so heavy, the ship and the wharf were lighted several hours before we were told they would not dock until morning, and I never expect to be so cold again. It was his forty-first trip across the Atlantic Ocean, and his seventh trip around the world. There is a very small town near here called Pleasant Valley, and when I was in Minnesota three years ago, we stayed at a place called Eden Valley. Sounds like one of Eden, Gale's stories. Speaking of stories, some time I will tell you about the library in our town. It's my happy privilege to work there twice a week and it's the most interesting place! The original library was founded in 1760, and the old records and book catalogues, all made and written by hand, are still there. It was before the Revolutionary War when English currency was used in America and people had to pay so many shillings and pence to borrow books—and books were very scarce in those days and had to be taken care of, so people were fined for many things so much for a torn page, or a mark, and so much for a grease spot. As the only light to read by was from candles, many grease spots are in evidence even now on the pages of the old books. They are all of a deeply yellow age, with a very small print, and are never taken off the shelves these days only to be dusted. Really, it was a thing to be feared in the seventeenth century, and was to be unto the one who didn't practice it.

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J. A. Deveau, press correspondent, has returned from a business trip to the shore villages.

Eddie V. Deveau returned on Saturday from a visit to friends and relatives in Meteghan and Meteghan. H. C. Deveau, press correspondent, was a recent business visitor to Yarmouth.

Frank E. Burridge, of Salmon River, was here Monday.

J. J. Thibault spent Friday at Church Point, on business.

Clifton Melanson, of Salmon River, spent the week end with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Thibault.

James Curry and Robert Clarke, of New Brunswick, were here Saturday. One of the worst snow storms of the season was experienced Saturday night and Sunday. The heavy gale prevailing piled up the snow in huge drifts, 8 to 10 feet high. Traffic will be again interrupted for a few days.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA—WEYMOUTH CIRCUIT

Rev. M. R. Ewing, Minister

Services in the Weymouth Church each Tuesday evening during Lent, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. John Dinkley entertained the sewing circle on Thursday last week.

The Young People's Service Club met in the church vestry on Friday last for their regular weekly meeting. Mr. Ewing, convener of Christian Fellowship, had charge of the programme. Those assisting were Misses Agnes and Jean Payson and Clara Haskins. Mrs. Ewing and Victor Nickerson.

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Obituary

Mark L. Robichaud

The death of Mark L. Robichaud, aged 74, occurred at the home of his brother, Peter L. Robichaud, at Meteghan, N. S., on March 14. In his early days he fished out of Yarmouth, then from Gloucester, and later took up the trade of carpenter, which vocation he followed with success in and around Boston. Five years ago he came back home to live with his brother, who is now the last survivor of the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Luke E. Robichaud. His grandfather, the late Basil Robichaud, was one of the first settlers of Meteghan. The deceased was a bachelor.

Miss Gertrude Seelye

With a keen sense of personal loss, friends here have heard of the death of Miss Gertrude Seelye, which occurred in the Fifth Avenue Hospital, New York, on Saturday last, after an illness extending over several months. Miss Seelye was a daughter of the late Daniel J. and Charlotte L. Seelye, of Saint John, and spent her girlhood in that city. She later studied nursing in the New York General Hospital, from which institution she graduated and practiced her profession with success in New York, where she made her home. During the Great War Miss Seelye applied to the Canadian Red Cross Society for service overseas, but owing to the fact that there were many Canadian nurses on the register, she signed on with the American Red Cross, saw service overseas during the war, and was with the army of occupation in Germany. Miss Seelye was beloved not only by her friends but by all who had the privilege of her acquaintance. She, with her sisters, Misses Helen and Elizabeth, spent the summer months in Weymouth North last year. Four sisters and three brothers survive.

SENTENCE SERMONS

Rev. Roy L. Smith

Nature Never Sends—a hardship that she does not provide a dividend;
—a luxury that she does not demand a price;
—a crisis that she does not raise up some savior;
—a winter that spring doth not follow soon after;
—a great soul into the world that has not been greatly disciplined;
—a great opportunity that she does not affix a great responsibility;
—a bed of roses that she does not embed a few thorns for safety's sake.

HOWLERS—BUT NOT SCHOOL-BOYS

Some time ago we reprinted some extracts from letters received by the Pension Board regarding allowances. The following old letters received by Major Roper, President of the Canadian Legion, from wives of soldiers, regarding their allowances, have recently come to our notice, and thinking they might prove interesting, we are herewith passing them on to our readers. A few quotations show the funny mixing-up of the English language in serious situations, causing humor amid sadness.

"I am glad to tell you that my husband has been reported dead."

"You have changed my little girl into a little boy will it make any difference?"

"Please hurry up with money as we are sitting with empty stomachs and I expect you are sitting with full ones."

"On answer to your letter I have given birth to twins hoping that will be satisfactory."

"I have not received no pay since my husband was interred in a conscription camp in Germany."

"In accordance with my instructions on the ring paper I gave birth to twins in the enclosed envelope."

"My Bill has been in charge of a spittoon, shall I get more pay?"

"I am willing to tell you that my baby was born two months old when shall I get pay?"

"Just a few lines to say owing to your delay in sending my money we have not a morsel of grub in the house having no one to cook."

"I am expecting to be confined next week. Will you please tell me what to do about it?"

MOSCHELLE

H. W. Teef, of Presport, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Bartheaux, Moschelle.

Miss Little Small, of Central Grove, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Merrill Bartheaux and Mr. Bartheaux, at Moschelle.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"To make a sunrise in a place where darkness reigned alone, the light of God's grace is a face that joy has never known. To plant a little happiness in plots where weeds run riot, takes very little time—and, oh, it isn't hard—just try it!"

Harry Davis, of Digby, spent the week end at his home in Danvers.

CARD ROOM INCIDENT

They called the doctor to the phone and three of us, in silence grim. Made our impatience plainly shown. The while our Bridge game stayed for him.

At last he came to us and smiled: "I'm sorry I must go away. I can't see an ailing child. Get someone else my hand to play."

"Finish the game," one friend replied. Another: "Make a morning call!" You know that many a tot has cried: "Who really was not sick at all!"

"Yes," said the doctor, "maybe so. But worried mothers cannot wait. The truth of what is wrong to know. To-morrow night, be just top late."

"Well, play the game, anyhow. His partner muttered: 'I confess I can't see why you leave us now.' Said he, 'A child is in distress.'"

"They want a doctor right away. You want a Bridge game, it shall be as you desire. Trust in the Lord. It's your child I've been called to see."

—Edgar Guest

The Higgins Band, C. G. I. T. group met at the home of the leader, Kathleen FitzGerald, on Monday evening. The devotional period on the theme, "The Living Life," was led by Alice Thibault, assisted by Pauline Ruggles, Queenie Brooks and the leader. The programme was on the life and works of Pauline Johnson, the Canadian poet. A period of games followed the meeting.

The mid-Lent Carnival was celebrated last week. This carnival is held at the middle of the Lenten season each year and lasts a week. Large crowds of people dress in masquerade costumes and go from house to house, much the same as is done at Christmas.

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DOMINION BADMINTON

The result of last week's tournament in Toronto was as follows:

Men's Singles—Douglas Grant, of Halifax.
Men's Doubles—Mitchell and Goodwin, of Ottawa.
Ladies' Singles—Mrs. Patrick, of Vancouver.
Ladies' Doubles—Misses Barrow and Delage, of Quebec.
Mixed Doubles—Mrs. Patrick and Dick Birch, of Vancouver.

John Porter, of Saint John, captured the Men's Singles Consolation match, defeating S. J. Bryson, of Ottawa, in the finals 11-15, 15-10, 15-2.

The meeting next year will be in Ottawa, and has been extended from three days to four.

MY WISH

The late Senator "Larry" Wilson, last year, circulated among his friends a card expressing his wishes, baster boxes laid out, full of fragrant perfumes of sympathy and affection, which they intend to break over my dead body. I would rather they would bring them out in my weary and troubled hours, and open them that I may be refreshed and cheered by them while I need them. I would rather have a plain coffin, without a flower, a funeral without a eulogy, than a life without the sweetness of love and sympathy. Let us learn to anoint our friends before hand for the burial. Post mortem kindness does not cheer the burdened spirit. Flowers on the coffin cast no fragrance backward on the way."

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THE BEAR RIVER WEEKLY COURIER

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Neighborhood NEWS

Mrs. Mary Henshaw is on the sick list.
 C. D. Rice spent Saturday at Digby on business.
 Mrs. McEneaney and Eileen are on the sick list.

Arthur Jefferson returned from Halifax on Saturday.
 Rev. C. V. Henderson left on Monday for Kingston.
 Come and enjoy yourself this evening at the Cabaret.

Chas. Combs returned from Tupper on Saturday.
 Don't forget the Cabaret tonight, in the Odd Fellows' Hall.
 Mrs. H. E. Harris entertained at the tea hour on Wednesday.

One of the worst storms of the year took place on Sunday last.
 Rev. F. J. Murphy, of Annapolis Royal, was in town the past week.
 H. C. Clarke and H. Stopford returned from Halifax on Monday.

Mrs. Walter VanTassell, of Digby, is a guest at the Commercial House.
 James Campbell left on Friday for Halifax, where he spent several days.
 Miss Lena VanBuskirk spent the week and a half home in Bear River.

Frederick Kenyon, of Lawrenceville, spent the week and a half home.
 Benjamin Alcorn is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Starns, and Mrs. Alcorn, in Halifax.
 Miss Ruth Parker, Shubenacadie, spent the week and a half home.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church met on Tuesday evening with Mrs. R. Baxter.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Benson entertained at a table of bridge on Tuesday evening.
 Lloyd Hensley, of Digby, spent several days in town last week, at the Commercial House.

Miss Linsley, of Bear River-East, spent the week and a half home.
 Patricia VanBuskirk.
 Mrs. Carey Henshaw entertained a number of guests on Wednesday, it being her birthday.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church are now planning a bazaar sale on March 21 and 22.
 Mrs. C. (Capt.) William McMurray and son, Gordon, spent several days in Middleville during the past week.
 Mrs. Rose Ford left on Tuesday for Cape Breton, called there by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. P. Doyle.

Gordon, of Middleville, spent a few days recently with his daughter, Mrs. McMurray, and Capt. McMurray.
 The Men's Progressive Bible Class of the United Baptist church was entertained at the home of C. D. Rice on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Hubbard returned from Annapolis Royal on Thursday and is a guest at the home of Mrs. B. C. Clarke, R. R. View Lodge.
 Rev. A. A. MacLeod arrived in town on Monday from Wolfville, where he addressed the students of Horton Academy, on Temperance.

Hardy Benson, Maurice Benson and William Henshaw have been moving a boiler at the pulp mill for the Fraser Company, in New Brunswick.

PHILATHEA CLASS NOTES

The Philathea Class of the Bear River Baptist Church met on Thursday evening last at the home of Mrs. W. D. Chute.

The meeting opened with the president, Mrs. Snell in the chair, and after some discussion and considerable business being transacted the meeting was given over to the entertainment committee with Mrs. R. C. Anthony, convener. A very fine and helpful programme was presented, after which dainty refreshments were served by the refreshment committee.

A very pleasant evening came to a close with singing "Blest be the Tie that Binds."

SCOUT NOTES—BEAR RIVER TROOP

The Bear River Troop has been built up to full strength for the first time this year. The Beavers, Foxes and Wild Ducks have now their full complement of eight scouts each. Chipman Chisholm, of the Beavers, was the last to join, and passed a very creditable examination of the Tenderfoot tests.

At the last meeting eight members of the Troop passed their First Aid tests, and two passed the signalling tests.

Toy Gehue, patrol leader of the Beavers, is the first member to procure 7 his Musician's Proficiency badge, and he has also passed the examination for Starns's badge.

Half of the Troop is busy getting up their parts for a play which will be presented later in the season.

Troop Leader William Peck is giving assistance to Cub Master Blanchard at the regular meetings of the Pack.

Our congratulations are extended to the newly formed Veymouth Troop, on the excellent progress they seem to be making, and we will hope for an opportunity to meet them in the "good old camping time."

Both men's contract clubs are continuing their regular meetings through Lent, and this week were entertained at James Brown's and C. C. Anthony's.

Welcome Thomas, whose badly frozen foot was operated on at the Digby General Hospital last week, is at the time of going to press, progressing favorably.

J. H. Cunningham shipped a carload of staves by the steamer Glenora, and the river will still be ice bound they were transferred by teams to the Victoria bridge.

Royal Division, Sons of Temperance, are progressing very favorably. At their Monday evening session this week, four new members were initiated with more to follow next week.

Rev. C. L. Blanchard and Mrs. Blanchard were visitors to Annapolis Royal, returning on Friday. They attempted to make the trip by car on Thursday, but were held up in Deep Brook by the deep snow, and remained overnight the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spurr.

The Ladies' Circle of the United Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. R. A. Harris, on Tuesday afternoon. Tea was served. The same circle is holding an apron and panicle sale on Saturday afternoon, March 24. They are specializing in Doughnuts.

NOTICE

It is hoped that the "IRISH CABARET", under the auspices of the Bear River Women's Institute, to be held this evening, will be well patronized by the Community, as the proceeds are for such a laudable object as the re-furnishing of the Bear River room in the Digby Hospital, and should receive general support.

BADMINTON CLUB NOTES

The finals in the Mixed Doubles tournament were completed on Tuesday evening, the winning couple being Mrs. A. B. Campbell and "Billy" Anthony, who were presented with new "birds" as trophies.

This tournament has stimulated interest in the game and improved the "play" of those competing; the full size court also contributed largely to sharp play.

The season's play will be concluded by a double tournament between teams of Ladies' Doubles and Men's Doubles, which is now underway, and an informal bridge and 45's party, in the club room, on Easter Monday evening, will end its social activities.

The result of the tournament follows:

Mixed Doubles
 First and Second Rounds—Carroll Snell and Miss O. Schmidt, won from Frank Wightman and Mrs. McIntyre, 15-12.

C. Snell and Miss O. Schmidt won from C. Blanchard and Mrs. McIntyre, 15-8.

W. Anthony and Mrs. Campbell won from W. Snell and Mrs. Hatheway, 15-5.

W. Anthony and Mrs. Campbell won from V. Dittmars and Mrs. Hatheway, 15-17.

L. Harris and Mrs. Wightman won from J. Harris and Mrs. Hubley, 15-7.

J. Harris and Mrs. Wightman won from J. Hubley and Miss H. Greene, 15-11.

C. Hirtle and Miss J. Schmidt won from L. Warren and Miss N. McIntyre, 15-9.

W. MacIntyre and Miss E. Stewart won from E. McDonald and Mrs. Blanchard, 15-0.

C. Hirtle and Miss J. Schmidt won from W. MacIntyre and Miss E. Stewart, 17-15.

Semi-Finals
 W. Anthony and Mrs. Campbell defeated C. Snell and Miss O. Schmidt, 21-17.

C. Hirtle and Miss J. Schmidt defeated L. Harris and Mrs. Wightman, 21-16.

Finals
 W. Anthony and Mrs. Campbell defeated C. Hirtle and Miss J. Schmidt, 18-13, 18-16.

Harry Lewis spent the week end at his home in Danvers.

Bernard Smith returned from Halifax on Monday.

St. John's Guild met on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Dittmars.

R. R. Baxter left on Tuesday to spend a few days in the Valley, in the interest of the fisheries.

Civil War is said to be imperilling the Irish Free State.

Obituary

Belya Kathleen Cosby

There passed away, at the Digby General Hospital, on Sunday morning last, Belya Kathleen, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cosby, Smiths Cove. Ld. W. H. Turner conducted a short service at the home on Tuesday morning. Interment was in the Thomas' cemetery at Smith's Cove.

Beating her way into harbor under temporary sail, the storm-wracked four-master Avon Queen, with a weakened and injured crew, made port at Shelburne on Friday, more than a week overdue from Turk's Island to Lockport. Telling how the craft had passed through three terrific storms, Capt. R. A. MacLeod declared it was one of the worst voyages in his long experience. The crew suffered from frost bites and other injuries.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Rev. C. P. Henderson, Pastor

Regular Services—
 Sunday Evening, 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
 Church School, 11:30 a.m.
 Prayer Meeting—Friday, 7:30 p.m.

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In the Matter of the Application of the Town of Digby for Approval of an Interim Schedule of Rates for Alternating Current Power—General Use.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the application of the Town of Digby dated February 28, 1934, for approval of an interim schedule of rates for alternating current power—general use—will be heard at a sitting of the Board to be held at its offices, Capitol Theatre Office Buildings, 363 Barrington Street, Halifax, N.S., on Wednesday, the 4th day of April, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

A copy of the proposed schedule of interim rates may be seen at the office of the Town Clerk, at Digby, N.S., or at the office of the Board, Halifax, N.S.

All persons interested will be given an opportunity of being heard at said sittings. Any objections to the approval of the application may be filed with the Board, in writing, on or before April 3, 1934.

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SMITH'S COVE

Miss Helen MacGregor has returned from Boston.
 C. B. Wetmore, of Wolfville, was in the village last week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Weir.

Miss K. Weir returned on Friday from Weymouth.

Mrs. John Smith has had word that her son, Charles Merritt, who is employed with the Boston and Albany Railway, has been promoted to Chief Train Despatcher, with headquarters in South Station. We offer congratulations. Both Mr. and Mrs. Merritt were formerly residents of this village, and their friends are glad to learn of his success.

Because of the severe snow storm on Sunday no services were held in either church.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cosby in the death of their baby. The funeral was held from their home on Tuesday morning, Ld. W. H. Turner officiating. Interment was in the Thomas' cemetery.

Mrs. Reginald Weir, of Digby, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Banks, during the week.

PARISH OF ST. CLEMENT
 Rev. Randal Dean Smith, Rector

Next Sunday, the 5th Sunday in Lent, is called Passion Sunday, and marks the commencement of the period of Passiontide, in which our thoughts and meditations are directed to the sufferings of our Saviour, which culminated in the awful sacrifice of the Crucifixion on the Cross of Calvary. Services arranged, weather permitting:—
 Bear River—10:30 a.m.
 Deep Brook—8:00 p.m.
 Clementsport—7:30 p.m.

MOOSE VISITS TOWN

"The inhabitants of Bear River were treated to a most unusual sight on Saturday afternoon, when a sturdy young bull moose, apparently about two years old, walked down the very steep bank by the Electric Light dam (west side), and proceeded down the brook below, to the mill pond of J. H. Cunningham's mill, attracting a large number of spectators.

Apparently the moose was much exhausted, as though he had been chased, and all efforts to drive him to land and back to the woods, failed. He continued walking up and down in the centre of the brook, and at length submitted, without much opposition, to having a rope thrown around his neck and being taken to the adjacent barn of F. B. Dunn. The moose is reported much revived in strength, has eaten of the "brouse" provided by his captors, and is being cared for by Mr. Dunn, until other arrangements are made for it. The animal is in good condition, and evidently not driven from its natural haunts by lack of food.

CLEMENTSVALE UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. C. Burnett, Pastor

The services for Sunday are as follows:—Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock; Public Worship at Clementsvalle at 11:00 and 7:30 o'clock, and at Lower Waldeck, at 3:00 o'clock.

PORT WADE

Mrs. Harry Nokes, of Millidgeville, N.B., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ellis.

Mrs. Howard Burke, assisted by her sister, Mrs. A. Letteney, entertained the church social at her home on Wednesday evening. Refreshments were served, and a pleasant social evening enjoyed.

Arthur Hudson was conveyed to the Digby General Hospital on Monday afternoon to be operated on for appendicitis.

Word was received on Saturday evening of the sudden death of Lemuel Morrison, at his home in Louisa, Mass. "The deceased" who was 62 years of age, was a former resident of Karsdale, and with his wife and other relatives, spent the month of August here last year. Mr. Morrison, who was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison of Karsdale, was well and favorably known here, although he moved to the United States some years ago, where he was successful in business. James Morrison and Mrs. George Anthony, of Lower Granville, are brother and sister of the deceased.

Wedding bells were ringing on Monday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril McWhinnie, who were married last week, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. R. Welsh, in Wolfville. The groom is the enterprising young captain of the scalp boat, "The Fish Hawk," and is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McWhinnie, of this village. The bride, who was Miss Freda Forbes, and who has for a number of years made her home in Lower Granville, was tendered a shower before leaving by her many friends there. A reception was given then on Monday evening.

and they were the recipients of some pretty and useful gifts. The young couple will reside at Port Wade.

VICTORIA BEACH

Mrs. Della Tabner visited her sister, Mrs. Addie McGrath, recently. Mrs. William Rogers Karsdale, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Ellsworth Taylor.

Mrs. Ira Haynes is spending a few days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Haynes, Digby.

Mrs. George Everett is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Murray Push, and Mr. Pugh, in Westport.

Miss Thursa Porter, who has been spending the past few months in Saint John, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McGrath, Arthur Hudson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Hudson, rushed to the Digby General Hospital, on Monday, for an appendicitis operation.

Mrs. Herbert Ring and infant daughter, returned home on Saturday. Mrs. Ring spent the winter at Mr. and Mrs. John Littlewood's, Goat Island.

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 For the Trustees

Estate of William M. Cossaboom, Deceased

PURSUANT to an Order made in the Supreme Court in a Certain action therein numbered "A" 3719 between Elmer Weir, George Weir, Herbert L. Woodman and Frank Dargie, Plaintiffs, and Clara B. Cossaboom and The Royal Bank of Canada, Defendants, all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of William M. Cossaboom late of Smith's Cove in the County of Digby, Hotel Keppel, deceased, are required on or before the 6th day of April, A. D. 1934, to send by post prepaid to Kenneth L. Crowell, of Bridgetown in the County of Annapolis, Barrister, the Receiver of the property of the said Estate, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from participation in the distribution of the said estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Judge presiding at Chambers in Halifax on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1934, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication of the claims.

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Lesson Passage:—Matthew 15:21-31.

VIEWS OF THE OFFICE PHILOSOPHER

There's wisdom in a few words. No man is impossible until he acquires the alibi habit. Some children drag reluctantly to school; others run there. Many prayers have too much "plumage" and not enough gratitude. The goodness in the hearts of men carves its image on their faces. Red tape can slow up business even worse than red lights can slow up traffic. Lots of people would be content to live in a barn if they had a new car. Courtship is the period of suspense for the girl and expense for the man. Some folks can talk for hours on a subject; others can talk for hours without a subject. Children have their unhappy hours but soon forget their troubles. Grown people stretch their troubles into years.

REGULAR MEETING DATES

Children's Aid Society, 1st Friday of every month, 4 o'clock, Town Hall.
Victorian Order of Nurses, 2nd Tuesday of each month, 3 o'clock, Court House.
Hospital Board, 2nd Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Hospital.
King Solomon Lodge, A. F. and A. M., 1st Tuesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
St. George Lodge, I. O. O. F., every Friday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
Zelman Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., 2nd and 4th Monday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
Town Council, 1st Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
Capital Ladies' Aid, 1st Friday of each month, at the Court House.
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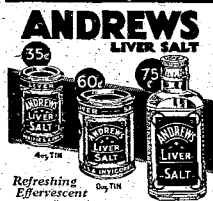
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The Pharisees stressed the belief that God had chosen Israel above all the nations of the earth, but John's message was that "God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son." In recent years there has been a wide revival of nationalism but Christianity is an international religion. Christians can be true national patriots and at the same time for them the field is the world.

Need, 25-27

Need is universal and awakens sympathy in kind hearts everywhere. A child's cry of pain or a shout of "Fire!" breaks down racial and social barriers. The woman who asked Christ for mercy, was in the judgment of the disciples, a member of an inferior race, but to Jesus she was the mother of a sick daughter. A child was sick and that lowered her status in the eyes of the Jews. We have far to go to attain this range of sympathy. Canadians have been much less concerned about unemployment in other countries than in Canada. It is a world problem and we should rest content with nothing less than a world solution. Canada prosperals and the rest of the world in want is not the goal of either a high-minded patriot or Christian.

Faith, 28

The Canaanitish woman could not have given a definition of faith but she did trust Jesus. Her confidence was not in a doctrine but in a Person. We do not believe that a person says as much as we believe in a person. What is said is believed because of a belief in that person. Jesus tested the faith of that woman by suggesting that his mission was to the Jews alone, and half playfully alluding to her race as to the little dog. With Greek readiness of repartee she replied that the little dogs pick up the crumbs around the table. In spite of his apparent indifference, she continued to trust him, and remained expectant that he would help her sick daughter. Jesus said unto her, "O woman, great is thy faith." Christianity is a true religion, but is also, pre-eminently the religion of a Person. Christian faith means to trust Christ and to live in daily fellowship with him. Dr. Speer has written, "Faith with Jesus is a personal confidence in himself. Faith, with Jesus, is the answer of a man's soul to his soul, the touch of a man's personality upon his personality, the surrender of a willing life. Jesus Christ as his Lord and King."

Service, 29, 30

During his temptation Jesus decided what manner of life he would live. He renounced money, fame and power. To that decision he was true throughout all his ministry. See him conducting an out-door clinic on a mountain near the Sea of Galilee. Crowds came bringing the lame, the blind, the dumb and the crippled, and he healed them. Was he not repaid for his great personal renunciation when he could help people that way? He might have been a military conqueror like Caesar—instead he gave sight to the blind. He might have been a political orator like Cicero or Demosthenes—he was content to make the dumb speak. He might have been an athlete like Alexander; instead he made the lame walk. He lost his life that he might gain it; he surrendered all to God in the service of man and he got a reward in satisfaction through a ministry of human helplessness such as king or emperor could never know.

Wonder, 31

The crowd wondering when it saw Christ healing sick people. The world still has wonder about Christ. That so much could be accomplished in a short life—his public ministry was for less than three years and he was killed at thirty-three; that his words should be known in a world wide way nineteen hundred years after he spoke them; that there should be in so many lands Christian churches in honor of him; that a carpenter of Nazareth and died upon a cross; that a dozen fisher folk should now be represented by hundreds of millions of Christians; that

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The Proposed Central Bank

The papers have been full of late regarding the proposed Central Bank for some time, but it has been written in such a way that only financiers or experts could understand it. We have been favored with a copy of a letter written by H. J. Barber, M. P., worded in such a way that even the common man who understands nothing of finance except his own troubles, can understand it, and we take great pleasure in printing it, as follows:

Parliament is at present dealing with legislation setting up the Central Bank which will be known as the Bank of Canada, and as there appears to be a great deal of confusion in the country as to what the Central Bank is supposed to be, I thought it might be proper for me to explain briefly some of the outstanding features of this legislation. There are all sorts of misconceptions, some people believing that the Central Bank is just another competitor of the chartered banks. That certainly is not true. We do not want to set up another bank just to be a competitor of the chartered banks and operate on the same basis as they do. That would not mean much for anybody. There is another group of people who think that the Central Bank is just a new government bank, to issue old credit in abundant amounts to all and sundry at very low rates of interest. That again is not the function of the Central Bank.

The real function of the Central Bank is to act as a regulator and controller of credit and currency within the country. That is its primary function. It has, of course, to act as a regulator of foreign exchange also, but it accomplishes that end by keeping our currency in the exchange markets at a par with the currencies of other countries on a similar standard. It performs that function primarily by means of regulating credit within the country.

The Central Bank can also be of very great service to the Dominion Government and to the Provincial Governments as a financial advisor. One thing of course that is fundamental is the ownership of the bank. We are setting up a privately owned institution, a bank whose stock is to be owned by the public. This was recommended by the MacMillan Commission, and while we will have a privately owned bank, we will have one that is safe-guarded against the dangers of private ownership; we will have a sort of a compromise between Government and the Provincial Governments as a financial advisor. One thing of course that is fundamental is the ownership of the bank. We are setting up a privately owned institution, a bank whose stock is to be owned by the public. This was recommended by the MacMillan Commission, and while we will have a privately owned bank, we will have one that is safe-guarded against the dangers of private ownership; we will have a sort of a compromise between Government and the Provincial Governments as a financial advisor.

What else have we in the act? The Governor, Deputy Governor, and Assistant Deputy Governor shall be appointed in the first place by the Governor-in-Council. When their term expires they are appointed by the shareholders, but they have to receive the approval of the Governor-in-Council even after the first appointment. The directors are appointed in the first place by the Governor-in-Council, and they hold office for a period of five years and are re-elected in rotation.

With these seven or eight provisions we have safe-guarded the bank against the dangers of the private ownership. In this we have an institution that avoids the dangers of both political control and of private profit-seeking ownership; an institution that ought to function as a public trust.

The new bank can buy and sell gold and silver, bills of exchange, can buy, sell, or rediscount bills of exchange or promissory notes endorsed by chartered banks; can make loans to private banks on suitable security. It can also loan to Dominion and Provincial Governments. It must act as fiscal agent of the Dominion Government without charge. It may not enter into such commercial transactions as are now performed by the private banks. It cannot loan on real estate, or accept of deposits at interest.

The Central Bank, to be known as the Bank of Canada, will have the sole right to print and issue bank notes. The note-issuing privilege of the chartered banks will be withdrawn gradually. The Bank of Canada's notes will be legal tender. Canada officially goes on the "gold dollar" standard; Bank of Canada notes to be redeemable in gold but not in smaller quantities than a bar containing 400 ounces at present worth, \$13,600. The Government will be given power to require every person owning gold in Canada to transfer it to the Bank of Canada. The chartered banks are required to turn over the gold coin and bullion to the Central Bank on the day on which the latter commences business. This may sound

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WINTER ACTIVITIES AT LITTLE RIVER

Swastika and Pals Clubs

A friend who has been on vacation for two months, arrived home and while away was being asked what's doing at Little River. He never saw anything in the Courier about your town; it must be some dead place this severe winter. Well, it has been the reverse: we have had a lively and enjoyable time since the fall, and I take the liberty of giving you a brief outline of our activities.

There is a Girls' and Boys' Club formed. The Girls' Club is called "Swastika," meaning Good Luck, with the motto: "I serve." The Boys' Club has the simple name, "The Pals," with motto, "Serve and Share." Harold Frost is the president and leader of the Swastika, with Fred Tidd, Vice-President, and Betty Brown, Secretary and Treasurer. The Pals are led by John C. Brown, with Edgar Task as President, Curtis Blunkhorn, Vice-President, and Ernest Frost, Secretary and Treasurer.

The object of these clubs is the building of character and the fostering of Christian fellowship, looking ever forward to the better things of life. The clubs meet once a week and have debates and discussions, which have given the young people an opportunity to voice their opinions on the various subjects taken up and expressing their thoughts has been a wonderful education to all. They have gained confidence in themselves which allows them to get up and talk in public. This is seen particularly in the open meetings which are held once a month, when a team of the Girls' Club debate against a team of boys. These meetings are attended by the parents and are greatly enjoyed. There have been Mother and Daughter banquets, and Father and Son banquets, which have been already reported; also a "Minstrel Show" by the Pals. "The Barber's Shop." The events of the Clubs have brought joy and happiness to this community and hope they will continue and bring more sunshine into their lives.

Young Peoples' Club

This club meets in the church every Wednesday evening, under the leadership of Mrs. Lindon Collins, and very interesting subjects are discussed by the young people.

Philatelic Class

This class meets every Friday evening. Mrs. M. Denton is president; Mrs. M. Task, Vice-President; Mrs. M. Moreau, Treasurer; and Mrs. Gladys Task, Secretary. This class is attended by practically every woman in the village, when the Sunday lesson is studied under the able leadership of Mrs. Burton Frost, after which a social hour is spent in song and story. The subscriptions for this class, also money derived from occasional concerts held for church purposes and other community objects, thereby showing, as well as deriving good from their meetings, their interest in a practical way in helping the community.

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Here and There

In January 1934, 500 commercial vessels passed through the Passamaquoddy River, \$2,150,793.53 in tolls, according to an announcement by the United States War Department. In the same month of 1933, 415 commercial vessels passed through the Canal, paying \$1,762,808.56 in tolls. Canadian galleys are operated by the government free of toll, and the cost of operation is borne by the Canadian Taxpayer.

Mr. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, grandson of William Lyon Mackenzie, first mayor of Toronto, will be the speaker at the Centennial dinner to be given by the William Lyon Mackenzie Chapter, I.O.M.E., at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, March 5. He will be introduced by ex-Mayor Thomas L. Church and a number of former mayors of Toronto will be present at the function.

Bringing back a United States speed skating title, Miss Edith Kilmer, recently returned by a large crowd of sport enthusiasts at the Canadian Pacific railway station at Winnipeg, where she had won the 400 yard speed skating race for women, shattering the American record.

Miss Dorothy Standish, of Banff, is now "Queen Dorothy" of the 1934 Banff Winter Carnival. She was escorted down the aisle at the ballroom where the function took place, knelt at the feet of the late Queen, Miss Violet Davis, of Edmonton, and was crowned by her. Queen Dorothy thanked her subjects and expressed the hope she would make as good a queen as her predecessor on the throne.

Something new in ski-ing has been evolved in the Laurentians, skiers' paradise to the north of Montreal. This is the "Flying Kilometer" challenge, in which the skier is given a 100 yard start, and is expected to ski down the slope, a speed of 53 miles an hour was recorded.

"The dogs like altitude," was the comment of Tom Wheeler, well-known eastern Canada skier, after he had been swept over Montreal in a six-passenger plane heading for the Lacania, New Hampshire, Dog Derby. Last year the Quebec International Dog Derby in which he also engaged.

No less warm for being a trifle overdue, 500 Winnipeg sportsmen tendered a banquet and presentation to the Winnipeg Rugby team at the Royal Alexandra Hotel in that city recently. They were in the play-offs for the Dominion Rugby championship last fall.

It may look like a long winter this time of year, but A. D. Bain, manager of the Canadian Pacific mountain hotels and bungalow camps in the Rockies states they will be opened earlier this year than in previous years. The first scheduled for the latter part of June, June 22 was stated by Mr. Bain to be the date when they would be opened.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Cochran Forbes honeymooned at the Seignette Club, Quebec, after their marriage at Ottawa recently. Mrs. Forbes was Irene Helen Robbins, daughter of Hon. Warren D. Robbins, United States Minister to Canada, and a relative of President Roosevelt.

MORGANVILLE

Mrs. Roy Snell and Mrs. Murray Smith were among those who attended the Philatelic Class at the Grand Central Hotel in Bear River on Thursday evening last.

Mrs. Ernest Blaise entertained some of her friends recently at a mat party. A delicious supper was served.

Mrs. Charles Morgan was the guest of Mrs. Jacob Morgan one day last week.

Clayton Hirtle, of Bear River, was the week end guest of Walter Snell, Harold Potter, who had the misfortune to cut a foot quite badly some weeks ago, is now able to attend school.

SEA BROOK AND ROXVILLE

James H. Budd spent the week end at his home here.

J. H. Armstrong has returned to the United States.

Miss Charlotte E. Bowe, of Digby, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bowe.

Mrs. E. K. Budd spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Woodman, Conway.

G. Potter, of Acadiaville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Freeman MacAlpina.

Hocking mats seems to be the order of the day.

EAST FERRY

Charlie Pyne, of Centreville, spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Harry Thurlant.

Edgar Thurlant, who is scaploping out of Centreville, spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. Wilfred Trask, of Little River, is the week end guest of Mrs. Carl Small.

Miss Hazel Hebb, teacher, spent the week end in Tiverton.

Mrs. Chloe Eldridge is visiting in Tiverton.

Herman Thurlant, of Tiddville, visited friends in this place one day last week.

Mrs. Sydney Denton, Little River, spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Small, and Mr. Small.

ADVERTISE IN THE COURIER

FREEPORT

Miss Florence Wallis, teacher at Central Grove, was the week end guest of Mrs. Robbie Tibert, a short time ago.

Miss Eleanor Thuber, who has been ill for some time, is improving slowly.

Cecil Powell returned from Kempville, Yarmouth County, on Monday last. He has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Jeffrey, in that place.

Mrs. Ernest Powell and daughter, Doreen, returned from Tiverton last week; they have been spending a few weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Ruggles. Ernest Powell has also been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Powell, at Central Grove.

Miss Mildred Outhouse, of Tiverton, has been the guest of Mrs. Ernest Powell the past week.

Gerald Morrell has returned to New York to resume his duties on the New York Steamship Line.

Miss Lois Ring returned from Tiverton on Tuesday last, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lauriston Small. She was accompanied by Miss Helena Small, who will visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ring.

Miss Barbara Blackford, of Freeport, was the week-end guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Blackford, Tiverton.

The first of a series of talks was given on Thursday evening last in the Community Hall. Dr. Greenwood is giving the talks, and his subject dealt with "The Government of Italy". The subject for this week is to be "Russia".

Frederick Powell is on the sick list. Coleman Powell, of Central Grove, was in town last week and was the guest of his brother, Frederick Powell, and Mrs. Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Small and daughter, Elaine, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Finlayson, on March 4th.

Aubrey Elliott was the week-end guest of his parents, a week ago.

Preepoot Lodge, A. F. and A. M., held its regular communication on Monday evening of last week.

Wilfred Gidney, of Miramichi, was in town last week and was Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Finlayson, on March 4th.

Capt. George Crocker in the Phyllis C. made a trip to Meteghan River last Thursday, returning with word.

Harold Teed, who has been visiting his parents, returned to Halifax last Thursday, where he will again resume his position.

The Men's Bible Class, of Freeport, held a social in the hall on Thursday evening, March 1st. The programme was taken charge of by Dr. Greenwood, who presented a number of hymns, a few speeches and a reading by Dr. Greenwood. Refreshments were served, consisting of cake, sandwiches, cookies, etc., in the form of a "napkin lunch" with coffee. Then followed games until a late hour, at which, all left, having spent a very enjoyable evening.

Scott Perry motored to Tiverton on Friday last to spend the week end with friends.

The members of the sewing society were entertained at the home of Mrs. Preston Thuber, on Tuesday evening last.

Miss Maye Haines entertained the members of the Bridge Club on Tuesday evening last.

Miss Lily Small, of Central Grove, was the guest last week of Miss Mary Teed.

No services were held on Sunday owing to the blocked roads and the storm.

Weldon Finigan, accompanied Holland Thiss from Westport to Saint John, on Tuesday last. They returned on Saturday night, the trip having been a business one.

A very enjoyable programme was given at the B. Y. P. U. on Friday evening last, under the direction of the president, Mrs. Willie Stevens.

Mrs. Stevens, in her "The programme, reading the life of the poet, having many of his poems read, and two of his musical compositions sung by quartettes: "Crossing the Bar," and "Sweet and Low." The quartettes were composed of Leonard Haines, Willie Stevens, Jennie Thuber and Evelyn Finigan.

The sewing circle of the Ladies Hospital Aid met with Mrs. A. E. Dickson, on Wednesday, and will meet with Mrs. G. H. Peters on Wednesday of next week.

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PENNY WISE AND POUND FOOLISH

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir—A reader of Observer's communication in last week's Courier might get the impression that we are not of very good terms. Quite the contrary. We are the best of friends personally, and he fully agrees with all the essentials of my previous letter, but he has scrambled my words and made a hash unlike anything written or intended by me. For instance, he says I referred to those citizens who complain of high taxes as Calamity Howlers, etc." In the slang of Tin Pan Alley, "How do you get that way, mister?" I made no such reference; I did not imply it, nor hint it, nor even think it. He picked up misconstrued words here and there in my letter and patched up a sentence of his own concerning "those citizens who complain." He will find calamity howlers mentioned but once in my letter, in the first paragraph referring to \$300 for a hockey game. Croakers would be the only class to think it wicked extravagance to spend money just for fun while the town is broke. He will find moping croakers only once, in my fourth paragraph, in connection with the one dedication to a hockey game. The Band furnished clean entertainment for those who wanted it, and kept 50 or 60 fellows so busy that they had no time to heed pessimistic diatribes about depression, war clouds, bankruptcy, dissolution of empires and the high price of nonce.

He will find my first and only reference to taxpayers in the sixth paragraph, having no connection with anything preceding, but referring to my salary as being of no concern to the taxpayer.

The preceding details show where he picked up the words to build the sentence he attributes to me.

Kicking about taxes has been a popular form of amusement for many centuries. It has become a habit, and a bad one, though sometimes justified. Some of my best friends do it, BUT they are not calamity howlers. Their faces do not wear an aspect of funereal gloom, nor do they snivel about the world going to the dogs. They don't blame taxes when baby gets the pip.

Everybody detests a calamity howler. He is the pest of society. He spreads gloom and blue devils wherever he goes. One of them (a business man in town) tried to tell me, only a few days ago, that Digby is on the rocks, the province going into bankruptcy, the Dominion not better off, and the British Empire tottering on the brink of disaster. Bosh! Talk like this is not only foolish, it is immoral. Such a croaker is as far removed from those people who find their tax burden too heavy and who reasonably object to civic extravagance, as the north pole is from the south. They are not to be mentioned in the same breath. Now, with no reference whatever to taxes, let me repeat that we are plagued by the dismal forebodings of too many pessimists. They give us the jitters. Dejection is contagious.

Louisa will find a "non sequitur" in Observer's paragraph reading, "Waste and extravagance in public affairs..." The inevitable results, financial and economic distress and ruin, etc." That statement attributes a colossal upheaval to a relatively insignificant force, and implies that all nations are debauched by an orgy of wastefulness in public affairs and therefore face disaster. Causes of the world-wide depression are multitudinous and cannot be found in such a restricted field of survey, nor can they be slanted in such few, brief sentences.

Waste and extravagance have no advocates nor supporters. The long category of "big business" listed are no doubt united in urging thrift and no doubt united in urging thrift and economy. But they are not united in urging parsimony or not economy. High taxes did not cause the depression, and reduced taxes will not cure it.

Our present town council is one of the best balanced we ever had, and it is my sincere opinion that we need not lecture them on extravagance, nor force our private opinions on them. They have the town's best interests at heart, and can be trusted to take care of them. We might do well to stop grumbling and give them our hearty co-operation.

Paul Yates

Digby, March 14.

CENTREVILLE

Mrs. Douglas Denton, of Saint John, was called home owing to the illness of her father, Benjamin Robins.

Mrs. Graham, who arrived here on Saturday to attend the funeral of her husband, Rev. E. E. Graham, returned to Turo on Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Morehouse.

Mrs. W. H. Goudy has returned to her home in Port Maitland.

Vernon Greene left for Turo on Tuesday to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Chas. Shaw, Mrs. W. H. Goudy and Mrs. Fred Morehouse were supper guests at the home of Mrs. Tittle D. Graham, on Monday.

Mrs. William Crockett and son, Billy, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Ray, have returned to their home in Granville Ferry.

ROSSWAY

Mrs. David Peters, who has been on the sick list, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Arch. Morehouse, of Lakeside, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. David Peters.

Mrs. Sarah Eldridge spent a few days last week, visiting friends in Rossway.

Miss Connie Banks is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Renrichard, Digby.

Nelson Raymond and Victor Lewis spent the week end with friends in Centreville.

Theodore Thibault is spending a couple of weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thibault.

Miss Dorothy VanTassel, school teacher, is on the sick list.

F. L. ANDERSON JOINS M. M. A. GROUP

This week F. L. Anderson joined the Maritime Merchants' Alliance and gave this town its second M. M. A. home-owned store, at R. B. Turbull has been a member of the M. M. A. for the past two years.

The now familiar Blue and Red fronts of the M. M. A. are extending rapidly throughout the Maritime Provinces, with distributing warehouses in Saint John, Moncton, Fredericton, Campbellton, Woodstock, Amherst and Windsor, with 300 home-owned stores operating in the Maritime Provinces.

The Maritime Merchants' Alliance is an alliance of independent home-owned stores co-operating with certain independent wholesale distributors to market food products to the consumer at greatly reduced prices.

The M. M. A. was formed for the purpose of acquiring closer co-operation from the producer to the consumer, to eliminate waste and cutting out the middle man to help market the products of the local producer, and to assist the community in which the M. M. A. operates to retain the wealth which is rightfully theirs in the face of outside competition.

The Maritime Merchants' Alliance is a purely Maritime organization. The stores are independently owned and operated, but their supplies from Maritime distributors, and their earnings stay in the community, in which they operate.

Each week certain articles of food are offered at special prices but the quality remains the same. Every article is guaranteed and the service is given cheerfully, and without extra charge. The M. M. A. insures the permanence of the independent merchant and a market at reasonable prices for the local producer.

During the past week Mr. Anderson has installed in his meat department an up-to-date refrigerator counter. This is a very modern piece of equipment for a provision store and it enables the customer to see what is offered for sale, and at the same time the most perishable of the stock is kept in the pink of condition.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Budd of Seabrook, on Friday night, when a group of young people gathered at their home. Games of all kinds were played and refreshments served.

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CLEMENCEVILLE

The Baptist sewing circle met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Leslie Baird.

Mrs. Nettie Brown went to Boston on Friday last.

Owing to the storm on Sunday, there were no church services held here.

Mrs. Manning Sanford, who has been ill, is much improved.

Golden Wedding

Fifty years ago March 12, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Potter, of Clementsville, were married by Rev. M. Parker. About sixty guests gathered at the home of their son, Maurice, on Monday evening to honor them on this happy occasion. The room was decorated with potted plants and white and gold streamers, from which was suspended a large wedding bell, under which Mr. and Mrs. Potter sat and received their friends. They were a very young looking couple, and are both in good health and very active. Mrs. Potter was formerly Miss Annie Wright. They have two sons living, William and Maurice, both of Clementsville. Every one enjoyed the evening in singing old time songs, parlor games and piano music by Mrs. Watson Potter. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and her assistants.

The Fireproof schooner Eva L. Capt. Charles Teed, sailed from her home port to Meteghan on Tuesday to go on Devant's marine railway for repairs.

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BROTHERHOOD HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

The Men's Brotherhood of Grace United Church held their monthly supper in the church hall on Wednesday evening. There was a splendid attendance—and a good supper. J. J. Wallace addressed the gathering and spoke of the impressions he had formed on his recent visit to the 13 Class, in Portland, and in Boston, in connection with the Nova Scotia Day of Class 13, of the St. Lawrence Conventual. Church, A. R. Turnbull and Chester Levy, who also attended the meeting, have previously given their accounts of the trip, the former in the United Church and the latter in the Baptist Sunday School.

DIGBY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. E. Bishop, Pastor

The choir of the Digby United Baptist Church will render a Cantata, "Crown Him," by Charles Fyfe, on Easter Sunday evening.

Harry Jensen, of Sandy Cove, was a visitor in town yesterday.

You can't afford to miss the Keen Scrap and the Dramatized Songs in the United Church Hall, on Monday evening. This entertainment is being given by the Anti-Cant class, under the direction of Mr. Dillon. Help them to raise money for the North End Tennis Court. Only 25c.

SCALLOP FLEET HAS RECORD DAY

It is estimated that more than 200 barrels of scallops were landed by the Digby and Annapolis fleet of forty-five boats, on Wednesday. The value of the catch is estimated to be more than \$5,000 at present prices—which are not peak prices.

CULLODEN

Wallace Handspiker, who is working in Digby, spent Saturday at his home here.

Miss Mildred Porter spent the week end at her home in Acadiaville.

Mrs. Judson Handspiker spent Thursday of last week in Digby, the wife of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Weir.

Edward and Arthur Murphy spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Weston Crawford, Lighthouse Road.

Kenneth Peters, of Gulliver's Cove, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Daley.

Herbert Handspiker, of Point Prim, spent the week end with his parents, Misses Annie and Lizzie VanTassel, of M. Pleasant, were guests of Misses Muriel and Gwendolyn Handspiker on Sunday.

Mrs. Otis Middleton spent Saturday in Middleton, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Weir.

A scallop boat, owned by Capt. Bernard Longmire, received a severe "squeezing" when she was caught between the wharf and the Norwegian steamer Aun, on Wednesday. She was considerably damaged and caused to leak.

Firemen Circulate A Petition For New Equipment

The Digby Fire Department are circulating a petition asking that they be provided with modern equipment. The firemen claim that the present equipment is inefficient and out of date, and for the protection of the citizens new and better equipment is necessary.

Twice this week they were called out to fires in the south end of the town, and on both occasions, due to the failure of the fire truck, the fires were put before they arrived on the scene.

A large number of ratepayers have signed the petition, which is being circulated by Chief Harry Hersey.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Rev. A. E. Gabriel, Rector

Sunday is Palm Sunday, when the Cross begins to cast its shadow before us. Beginning this day the Gospels for each day of Holy Week tell the story of the Cross and Passion. Thursday in this Holy Week is called Maundy Thursday—Maundy meaning a command or mandate; the reference being to the New Commandment "Love one another," that our Blessed Lord gave His followers when washing their feet. Good Friday is a name peculiar to the English church; in early English days it was called Long Friday, on account of the long fast observed on that day. Meetings of the various organizations are cancelled until after Easter, and you are urged to keep the days free from all social engagements.

Services each day at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.

The choir will render a short Cantata, "The Crucifixion," on Good Friday evening.

Children's service on Thursday afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

Capt. Sligg, of the Church Army, will be with us on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

JUST ARRIVED—New Stock of Verichrome Kodak Films, 8-exposure. The Best Film made.—Yates Studio, Digby 33 tf

"LOOK BEFORE YOU LEAP"

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir—In considering the two letters from Mr. Yates that have lately appeared in the Courier, it is necessary for me to bear in mind that it is his one and only purpose to induce the Mayor and Town Council to impose a tax upon the ratepayers for the benefit of the Band. Having made a successful raid on the Town Treasury last year, he is planning another for this year. This is the reason why he is so bitter against those who do not agree with him, and who oppose his wishes. In his eyes, everyone who stands in his way, is a Calamity Howler; a Moping Croaker, a Shriveller, or a Creaked It is for the same reason that Mr. Yates hands a bouquet to the present Town Council, which he says is one of the best balanced we have ever had. That may be so. But, the Town Council is well balanced, the Town Finances are certainly not well balanced. I am informed that at the beginning of this year there was an overdraft of more than Ten Thousand dollars standing against the Town of Digby Bank, in which, I daresay, is included the \$500 paid to the Bank last year.

With an enormous funded debt, a heavy overdraft and a tax rate of \$4.60 on the hundred, the plain duty of the Council is to cut expenses to the bone, and lessen the burden of the hard pressed taxpayers. The Band should be helped, if it needs help, by voluntary subscriptions and contributions, which no doubt would be forthcoming if an appeal were made to the public.

Mr. Yates says that "High taxes did not cause the depression and reduced taxes would not cure it." If he heeded what is being spoken and written from one end of Canada to the other, he would hardly make a statement like that. As a sample, let him read the editorials in the last five numbers of MacLean's, a magazine having the largest circulation of any publication in Canada. Let him also notice what is going on in his own country—the United States—where municipal taxes have increased to such a degree that the people cannot pay them, and even in great cities like New York and Chicago, school teachers and other employees have lately had to go without their pay. It is recognized everywhere that waste and extravagance and consequent high taxes have been one of the chief causes of the depression, and are doing more than anything else to prevent the return of good times.

So far as I am concerned this letter will close the discussion. I have said all I wish to say upon this subject, for the present, at least.

Observer

Mrs. Victor MacNeill returned on Saturday from Kentville.

GOOD FRIDAY

Next Friday is Good Friday and it will be observed as a holiday by the Courier staff. The staff will go to press on Thursday. Advertisers and correspondents—particularly in Bear River—are asked to co-operate with us by submitting their copy a day earlier than usual.

Local and Personal

Capt. George M. Morrell won the "guessing cake" that has been on display in the Digby Bakery window. The weight was 3 pounds, 5½ ounces.

Max Pigott left for Bridgetown on Wednesday to visit his father, who is ill. During his absence Donald Winchester is relieving at the freight shed here.

A Card Party (Auction 45's) will be held in the Masonic Hall, Warner Block, tonight. Proceeds for needy families.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Dunn, of Yarmouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cummings, of Middleton who attended the funeral of Miss Emma Dunn, returned to their homes on Wednesday.

Daylight saving time in Montreal will commence April 28th, when the train schedules change. Montreal, May 21st, and Saint John, May 26th, all will continue on the last week in September, including Sunday.

Smart Millinery, "Snappy" Scarves, Pretty Dress Flowers—all the Digby Hat Shoppe, for Easter—G. Oliver.

The Steadfast Princess Helena, it is announced will go into dry dock at Saint John on Saturday evening, April 21st, for her annual inspection. It is hoped to have her on her regular run on April 23rd.

The Salvation Army Home League and Pantry Sale in the Salvation Army Hall, on Saturday afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock.

The sewing circle of the Ladies' Hospital Aid was entertained last Wednesday by Mrs. G. H. Peters. The regular monthly meeting of this society will be combined with the sewing circle on Wednesday next, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Dillon.

Coming—The Show of the Season. Greater Kwanin Minstrels—Watch for the date.

The St. George Lodge, I. O. O. F., celebrated its anniversary on Friday by holding a Card Party and Social to which the Rebekahs and the wives of the Oddfellows were invited. There was a good attendance and the affair passed off very pleasantly.

The death of George H. Robertson, for many years superintendent of the Yarmouth Water system, occurred in the Yarmouth Hospital, on Wednesday of last week. The late Mr. Robertson has many friends in Digby, and was a frequent visitor at "Idlers' Rest."

Do not miss the Dramatized Songs and Comic Sketch in the United Church Hall, on Monday evening, by the Anti-Cants.

A surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. George Nichols, on Wednesday at their home on the Burnside Road, the occasion being her birthday. About twenty friends gathered, among them three of her children and several grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Games were played and dining room presents were given by Eileen Franklin and Mrs. John Nichols. The birthday cake was made and decorated by Mrs. John Nichols, her daughter-in-law. The party broke up at quite a late hour, after wishing Mrs. Nichols many happy returns of the day.

A rather new batch of Band Notes—handed in to the office this morning, in spite of our repeated requests to have them in earlier in the week, when we can handle them to better advantage—had to be put out to make room for advertisements.

H. J. Campbell gave a very interesting talk on the Town's Lighting System, at the weekly Kiwanis luncheon, on Tuesday. We have in hand quite a lengthy report of it, but the sudden pressure on our advertising columns which only developed in the last two days, has forced us to hold it over. As it is not "news" it will not lose interest by having to wait until next week.

The Toronto Globe recently published a special edition entitled "Builders of Greater Toronto," containing photographs of a large number of Toronto business men. Among them is that of Capt. William M. Jones, D.C.M., eldest son of Frank Jones, K. C. of this town, and Mrs. Jones. Capt. Jones went overseas with the First Canadian Contingent from Val Cartier, in 1914, and served throughout the whole of the Great War. He was awarded several times, on the last occasion losing one of his eyes, and won the Distinguished Conduct Medal with a Bar. He is now engaged in the real estate business in Toronto. His brother, Cecil E. Jones, of the Colonial Arms Hotel, went overseas in 1915, and served during the remainder of the war, winning the Military Medal.

Do not miss the Pantry Sale and Afternoon Tea for the Ladies' Hospital Aid, at the home of Mrs. George Morrell, on Saturday. Tickets, 25 cents.

Steamer Moves Out In Stream To Finish Loading

The Norwegian steamer Aun moved out into the stream on Wednesday to complete the loading of her two million feet of lumber for the British Isles. We have heard a number of rumors over this move. It is suggested that Capt. Tvedt has been warned that his steamer would be in danger of grounding on rocks near the spur pier, if allowed to remain there, and thus strain her plates.

On the other hand we have heard on good authority that there is a good mud bottom at the spur, and that no damage would come to the steamer should she ground at low tide.

On Wednesday some were loaded at the wharf, and taken out into the stream yesterday, and discharged their cargo into the steamer.

The Courier has also been given to understand that an engineer and diver are expected to investigate the situation. Personally we have seen many good sized steamer loads at the spur without difficulty.

A SCHOOLMASTER SPEAKS UP

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir—Under the caption "Schoolmasters Speak Up," last week's Courier contained some editorial comment with which, in the writer's opinion, some of our fellow citizens would disagree with others of the "axioms" of the Greater Digby and Schoolmasters' Club, is certain. That the nation's thinking is controlled by the two per cent minority which, in turn, controls the goods upon which the people depend for existence, is not only uncertain but very doubtful. We are living under an economic dictatorship, or, worse still, under a despotic minority, in which the people are asked to think if they can pay well and good; if not, what they may think is useless. And therein lies the trouble. The people do not think enough to realize just what sort of a dilemma they are in, and hence when they vote, which is the only time their fingers even remotely touch the wires of national control, they do not—they can not—vote intelligently. They do not read extensively; they have not the educational background to interpret what they do read intelligently. We see the result in the failure of Democracy. Most of us will agree that "government of the people, by the people, for the people" should not perish from the earth, but even government presupposes a class of voters sufficiently intelligent to govern themselves.

We do not approve of Communism. We shrink in horror at the word, "Socialism". But, until there is "national control of industry and ways of life," there will always be those who will prosper on the tears and sweat and blood of their fellow men, and there will always be millions of people insufficiently provided with the necessities of life in a world in which supply must be curtailed to protect the producer. We would be horrified at a family in which two or three had extra fine clothes while others were not able to have one whole suit, and in which the same two or three sat down to the dinner table, polished themselves on the best of food, and then threw the rest into the garbage can, and made their brothers and sisters do without. Yet, that is what this two per cent minority is allowed to do in the family of each. Until the people can think sanely enough to provide themselves worthy of democracy, they will always be led about by some political Mark Anthony.

Critics may object to giving the schoolmaster the power to shape the thinking of the rising generation, but until the rising generation does more thinking, there is little chance for improvement of conditions, and the schoolmaster is the only one who is in a position to shape that thinking.

More talk from mere schoolmasters, however, will not do. There will be more and bigger taxes from someone before things are sufficiently righted so that the taxpayer won't be taxed to keep his next door neighbor alive in a world which is suffering from colossal insurance of the fundamental economic controls.

A Schoolmaster

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA—DIGBY CIRCUIT

Rev. E. W. Forbes, Pastor

The services on Sunday will be as follows: Digby, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Smith's Cove, 3 p.m. At the evening service another picture of Stankac's will be shown. "The Crucifixion." There will also be picture slides on the hymn, "The Old Rugged Cross." In addition to these 25 views of the Passion Play will be shown. These have been shown before, but they are well worth seeing again.

WHEN THERE WAS A REAL WINTER

No doubt inspired by the severe winter through which we have just passed the Annapolis Spectator and the Bridgeport Monitor have been digging up some episodes of the past. Probably the most interesting was the account of the winter in which the ocean steamer Azorian, which had arrived at Annapolis to load apples and lumber in the old country, was frozen in at Goat Island, and had to be banded from the ice. A photo of this vessel, now in the possession of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mills, was recently found in the house of Mrs. DeLaplante-Granville Ferry. According to notes on the back of this photo, written in February, 1888, the ice stopped in the river, Jan. 21st, 1888; frozen to Goat Island, Jan. 25th; fruit steamer (Azorian) came within two miles of Annapolis on Jan. 28th; steamer, on river with teams, hauling coal from the vessel, Feb. 3rd; men at work cutting the steamer out, Feb. 10th; finished loading steamer with apples, Feb. 23rd; sea bridge went out, Feb. 23rd; Corbett's steamer went to Digby with freight and passengers, Feb. 23rd; R. C. Hamilton, owner of the Spectator, William Macdonald and Joseph Bellmore (the latter a Belgian who was there on business in connection with the steamer), went first to walk to the vessel on the ice. The steamer took 5,000 barrels of apples, and a deck load of coal, all being shipped by Thomas Whitman. During the six weeks the river was frozen over thousands walked or skated to the vessel.

The late Edward MacFarland had the contract to load the steamer, and was the last to leave, on the evening of Feb. 21st, walking up the ice on the Grandville side, and crossing over to the Queen's wharf after dark.

Marriages

Frizzell-Bent.

The marriage of Hazel Pearl Bent, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Vernon Bent, of Kentville, to Rupert Frizzell, of Kentville, took place on Saturday evening, Rev. A. E. Gabriel, rector of Holy Trinity church, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Frizzell will reside in Kentville.

Home Division, at Smith's Cove, are holding an Entertainment on Tuesday evening next, for the purpose of raising funds for painting their hall. This Division can always be depended upon to give something good, and we bespeak for them a good patronage. The program will be followed by "tea," consisting of a lot of good things. The admission will only be 20 cents.

In writing the obituary notice of Mrs. Emma Reid, I neglected to mention a nephew, Clifford L. Reid, of Boston among the survivors.

DIGBY NECK BUS ON THE ROAD AGAIN

The Digby Neck bus made its first trip over the Digby Neck roads, after many weeks, on Wednesday. On this trip the bus only got as far as Sandy Cove, and it took four hours to do that. Before the end of the week, Mr. Morehouse hopes to be able to get through to East Ferry. At the present time snow drifts at Mink Cove prevent going any farther. These drifts, which are now frozen, will be ploughed out by oxen.

LITTLE RIVER

The Misses Georgina Denison and Beulah Trask were the supper guests of Mrs. John Trask recently.

Quitting parties seem to be the order of the day. Mrs. Minnie Trask, Mrs. J. C. Trask, Mrs. Shirley Tidd, Mrs. Emmertine Trask, Mrs. Walter Denison, Mrs. Otto Frost, Mrs. Roy Trask, Mrs. Burton Frost, Mrs. B. P. Collins and Mrs. Howard Frankland have all been recent hostesses.

Capt. Shirley Tidd and Ernest Deaton, who have been prevented from coming home by the bad roads, arrived in port on the "Jessie May," from Digby, to spend the week end. Mrs. Bradford Pitman, of Victoria Beach, spent a few days recently with her aunt, Mrs. Roy Trask, en route to Westport to visit her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Denison, Miss Helen Frost is on the sick list. The Swastika Club met with Betty Brown last week.

William McNeill and Rupert Trask, who have been employed in survey work at Oxford for the past two months, have returned home.

William Denison, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Denison, has returned home.

The members of the Pals Club gave a social in honor of the Swastika Club on Thursday of last week. Hospitality Presidents, Mrs. Lyndon at which speeches were made by the Collins and J. C. Brown; Presidents, Miss Helen Frost and Edgar Denison; Vice-Presidents, Miss Freda Tidd and Curtis Blenkhorn, after which the tables were spread and an enjoyable lunch was served. The week before an open meeting night was held and debate, entitled, Resolved, Men are More Valuable than Women, was enjoyed. It was won by the affirmative side, which was taken by Miss Elaine Frost, who was supported by the Misses Freda Tidd and Margaret Kelley. The negative side was taken by Roy Denison, supported by Cecil Banks and Lawrence Trask. The judges were the Misses Helen Frost, Evelyn Foster and Mr. Curtis Blenkhorn.

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Regardless of whether you purchase or not, we would welcome the opportunity of showing you what we have to offer.

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Specials for Easter . .
We have just received a very attractive assortment of **EASTER NOVELTIES** including Cotton and Celluloid Chicks, Rabbits, Baskets and other lines. **BIG VALUES at 5c., 10c., 15c. and 25c. each.**
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MARCH 23, 1934

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New Spring Top Coats
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Coats Priced from \$14.00 up; Caps from \$1.10 up.

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WRIGHT'S

The Weymouth Courier

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Kathleen FitzGerald, Local Representative

Neighborhood NEWS

Don Glennie, of Oxford, was in town on Saturday.

Lloyd Grant, of Barton, spent the week and with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Powell visited friends at Plympton on Saturday.

Antoine Comeau, of Concession, was in town on business recently.

Albert Comeau, of the Old Age Pensions Board, spent a few days recently in Clare.

Mrs. H. M. Mullen and son, Willis, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grant, at Barton, on Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Thurber was a week end guest of her cousin, Miss Aris Cosman, at Ashmore Shore.

Miss Cecile Theriault, intermediate teacher, spent the week end at her home in Bellefleur.

Miss Esther Wagner, of Danvers, returned to her school in East Victoria on Wednesday last week.

R. L. Stevenson said: "It is better to travel hopefully than to arrive." But then he had never had a second hand car.

Ernest Robicheau, of Weymouth Mills, spent a few days recently with his mother, Mrs. Charlotte Robicheau in Ashmore.

What have we to say about the weather this week? Well, Spring is now with us for certain—that is, officially, of course!

Mrs. Albert Grant, of Weymouth North, received word last week that her mother, Mrs. Margaret Brooks, of Easton, was seriously ill.

Chester Stevens motored to Digby on Saturday. He was accompanied home by Peter Weaver, who spent the week end in Weymouth North.

Mrs. Dennis Theriault and little daughter, Theresa, have been visiting Mrs. Theriault's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jules LeBlanc, at Concessions.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grant and daughter, Margaret, of Weymouth North, attended the funeral of Mrs. Grant's mother, Mrs. Margaret Brooks, at Southville, on Sunday.

Mrs. B. W. Lyons, of Delhaven, who has been spending several months with her mother, Mrs. R. K. Newcombe, at Weymouth North, returned to her home last week.

Mrs. Anne LeRoy, who recently underwent an operation at the Yarmouth Hospital, returned home on Monday. She was accompanied by her little son, "Buster," who has been visiting relatives at Wood's Harbor.

P. O. Long, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada in Weymouth, was called to his former home in Fredericton on Tuesday of last week, by the serious illness of his mother.

During his absence Mr. McIvor, of Frank St. Fols, representing the International Fertilizer Co., of Saint John, was in town on business on Wednesday and Thursday of last week, while en route to Yarmouth.

He was a caller at the Weymouth office of the Courier while in town.

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Arrived in attractive Prices and Colors.
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Obituary

Mrs. D. W. Newcomb

Mrs. Margaret C. Newcomb, widow of Daniel W. Newcomb, died at her home in Saint John, on Wednesday of last week. She was actively connected with the West Side Kirk and various women's organizations. She is survived by two daughters, a sister and a brother. Mrs. H. M. Mullen and C. C. Nicholl, of Weymouth, and Mrs. O. E. Denton, of Little River, are near relatives of the deceased.

Mrs. Margaret Brooks

The death of Mrs. Margaret Brooks occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Enoch Mullen, at Easton, on Friday. Deceased, who was in her 98th year, was born in Maine and came to Weymouth when but three months old. She was twice married, first to Benjamin Wagner, of Riverdale, and after his death to Ephraim Brooks, of Weymouth North, who died about thirty years ago. Of her fifteen children she outlived all but five. Mrs. Brooks had possession of all her faculties and until this winter had been in good health. During the past summer she was able to walk out of doors undisturbed and enjoyed a 50-mile car drive and back with her grandson. She is survived by five daughters: Mrs. Enoch Mullen and Mrs. Charles Mullen, of Easton; Mrs. Albert Grant, of Weymouth North; Mrs. Addy Marshall, of South Range, and Mrs. Margaret Rosenblatt, of Deep Brook; also 48 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren and 16 great-great-grandchildren. The funeral service was held at the Christian church, in Southville, on Sunday, Rev. Handley Mullen, of the Reformed Baptist church, New Tuskett, officiating.

Miss Lois Tooker visited her aunt, Mrs. Jennie Gaudet, at Danvers, last week.

Miss Edna Tebo, of Sissibou, has been visiting friends at Ashmore Shore.

Miss Gerry FitzGerald was a supper guest of Miss Roberta Rand on Sunday.

Miss Pauline Blackadar was a guest of Mrs. G. O. Long for a few days recently.

Miss Susan DeLong was a recent week end guest of her brother, Chas., and Mrs. DeLong, at Weymouth Mills.

We understand that there are to be some changes in the business section of Weymouth. The restaurant is to be opened in the building where LaVoye (Gladys' wear store) was, instead of in the Mouise Building as last season. Israel Melanson is having the second floor of his building, the lower floor of which is occupied by Thurber's Cafe and Let's Meat Market, finished, and it is to be occupied in the near future.

The Women's Missionary Aid Society of the Riversdale United Presbyterian church held a tea at the Paragon, Weymouth North, on Friday.

The rooms were most artistically decorated with shamrocks, etc., in true St. Patrick Day style. The supper tables looked most attractive with their white linen cloths, shamrock trimmed doilies and scattered shamrocks, gleaming silver, yellow and green candles in brass candlesticks, and centred with a potted shamrock.

The tea tickets were also cut in shamrock shape. Those assisting were Mrs. James Neilson, Mrs. Sadie Mullen, Mrs. A. L. Thurber, Mrs. William Lent, and the Misses Margaret Neilson, Ruth Mullen and Gwendolyn Titus.

A largely attended and enjoyable St. Patrick's Day Social was held at the United Church paragon, on Friday evening. The rooms were decorated in St. Patrick's day fashion, with shamrocks and crepe paper streamers. Games were played after which most delicious refreshments were provided by members of the Ladies' Aid. An offering amounting to nearly \$100 was taken up for church purposes. The committees in charge of the games and decorations consisted of G. E. Taylor, Mrs. Katharine Blackadar, Clara Hinkinson, Kathleen and Geraldine FitzGerald, Those assisting in serving were Mrs. M. R. Ewing, Mrs. H. A. Blackadar, Mrs. W. G. Blackadar, the Misses Clara Hinkinson, Katharine Blackadar, Gerald Tinsley and Jack Hinkinson.

FEEDS APPLES TO DEER AND TAMES THEM

Owing to heavy snow storms and severe cold this winter creatures of the wild have been deprived in many instances of food and shelter. Ex-Forest Ranger, Armand Dureau, of Mayflower, Digby County, has said that as many as six deer have been visiting his orchard every day struggling in deep snow, seeking apples he has fed them until they have become quite tame. Dureau has had some experience dealing with life and he recalls many interesting tales in his experience as ranger.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES

Capt. Alfred Hutchinson, C. A.
Capt. Norman Sugg, C. A.

The services throughout the parish on Sunday are as follows:

9:30 a.m. — Men's Fellowship Breakfast in the Rectory; 10:00 a.m. Men's Fellowship Meeting; 11:00 a.m. Matins at St. Peter's Church; 1:30 p.m. Evensong at St. Mark's, Burtonvale; 3:00 p.m. Evensong at St. Mark's, Burtonvale; 3:00 p.m. Evensong at St. Mark's, Burtonvale; 3:00 p.m. Evensong at St. Mark's, Burtonvale.

7:30 p.m. Evensong at St. Thomas' Church, Weymouth; 7:30 p.m. Evensong at St. Thomas' Church, Weymouth; 7:30 p.m. Evensong at St. Thomas' Church, Weymouth.

We are now approaching the last stage of the Lenten Season—Holy Week, on the Wednesdays and Fridays throughout the season we have been meditating on the truths of the Christian Faith, which should have been fitting us for the message of this week.

The services for the week are as follows:—Monday, Litany and Intercessions in St. Peter's Church, 7:30 p.m. Intercessions, "The More Abundant Life," Meditation, "God and Practicing the Presence of God."

Tuesday—Litany and Intercessions at St. Thomas' church, 7:30 p.m. Intercessions, "Christian Work in Other Lands," Meditation, "Inspiration."

Wednesday—Litany and Intercessions at St. Peter's Church, 7:30 p.m. Intercessions, "The Church Universal," Meditation, "Seeking for Assurance."

Maundy Thursday — Litany and Intercessions at St. Peter's Church, 10:30 a.m. Meditation, "God's Children."

Evensong and Meditation, "Success from Failure," in St. Thomas' Church, at 7:30 o'clock.

Capt. Hutchinson will be in charge of the Meditations. Let us this week enter upon this holy ground in an earnest desire to understand God and His plan of redemption for us. Let us set aside all things, our own desires, pleasure and unnecessary duties that we might seek and be with God.

The Good Friday services will be as follows:—10:00 a.m. Litany and Anti-Communion at St. Thomas' Church; 2 to 3 Last Hour Service, in St. Peter's church. These services will be in charge of the Rector, Rev. W. Mosley.

2 to 3—Last Hour Service in St. Matthew's Church, Weymouth Falls. Meditation, "The Words from the Cross." Capt. Hutchinson will be in charge of this service.

2 to 3—Capt. Sugg will have charge of the service at St. Mark's, Burtonvale.

Choir practices are as follows:—Tonight, in St. Thomas' Church, 7:30 o'clock; also after the Evening service on Sunday, also on Tuesday and Thursday, after the service.

St. Peter's Choir will meet on Monday and Wednesday evenings in the church after service. A special practice for the boys will be held before the service, beginning at 6:30 prompt.

The Church of England Institute will not be open during Holy Week nor on Easter Monday.

The Easter services will be in charge of the Rector, and will be announced on Sunday in church, and through the press. It is hoped that all will be ready to share in the joy of the Easter Morn and that all communicants will be present to meet their Risen Lord on His Altar on Sunday. It is hoped that in the St. Peter's church will be vested for Easter.

RIVERDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Lewis of Danvers, spent the week end with relatives here.

Mrs. Alfred Cosman visited her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Smith, Harlow, one day last week.

A "sing" was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daley Wagner on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Melbourn Cosman entertained a number of lady friends at a "quitting" on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Lydia Mullen, of New Tuskett, spent a few days recently with her father, Mrs. LeRoy Wagner.

Glidden and Reginald Lewis, of Danvers, visited friends here on Monday.

The Sewing Circle met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sabine on Tuesday of last week.

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NEW TUSKET

Reginald Jordan, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Ramey, of Bridgeport, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Stanley Sabine returned from Matland, Annapolis County, on Monday. She had been called there two weeks ago by the illness of her father, Jesse Ford.

Mrs. C. F. Sabane spent one day recently at the home of Mrs. Moody Mullen.

Mr. Clark, of Wolfville, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Handley Mullen.

St. Winston Mullen returned from Kingston, Ont., on Monday. Thomas Smith had the misfortune to get hurt quite badly on Monday.

He was helping cut logs and a dead branch fell, striking him on the head and rendering him unconscious. Dr. Ferguson was quickly called but Mr. Smith is suffering considerably and it will be some days before the full extent of his injury is known.

EAST FERRY

Benj. Stanton spent the week end in Little River.

Fred Lent, Freeport, visited friends in this place on Saturday.

Milledge, visited the former's brother, Grosvenor Tidd, and Mrs. Tidd, on Sunday.

Amos Outhouse, of Sandy Cove, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cutler Theriault.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Theriault spent a day in Tidville recently.

Mrs. Emerson Outhouse and son, Richard, and Miss Freda Outhouse have returned home to Tiverton after visiting their sister, Mrs. Arthur Harris.

Mrs. Shirley Tidd, of Little River, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Oscar Theriault, has returned home. She was accompanied by Mrs. Theriault.

Miss Hazel Hebb spent the week end in Tiverton.

Mrs. Arch Greenlaw, of Tiverton, spent a day this week with her mother, Mrs. Ella Harris.

Mrs. Carl Smith visited friends in Tiverton this week.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

If we could see beyond today
As God can see;
If all the clouds should roll away,
The shadows flee;
O'er present griefs we should not fret,
Each sorrow we would soon forget.
For many joys are waiting yet,
For you and me.

Capt. Alfred Hutchinson and Capt. Norman Sugg were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Carr on Thursday.

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BRITAIN PREPARED

Not her most capacious critic can accuse Great Britain of having been impatient in her efforts to reach a more peace-promising state of world affairs through disarmament. Disarmament is not the only way. There is the way of inducing a feeling of trust and security by allaying ancient hatreds and of calming fears by promoting understanding. There is the removal of envy by inducing nations to discuss and reconcile their conflicting interests in the economic field. These are perhaps of more radical importance than disarmament, which nevertheless is not to be derided.

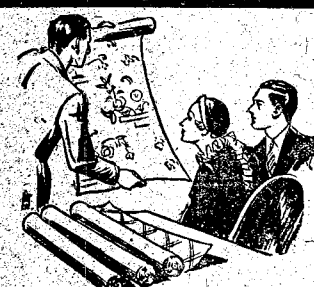
Great Britain has led the way in disarmament, and has gone on and on, wishing by force of example to persuade others to reduce their armaments at a time when she might justifiably have washed her hands of the business. However, for a year or more it has become evident that Great Britain has gone the limit and will now once more add preparedness to her work for peace.

As an Australian newspaper observes: "It is no more inconsistent to do both these things than it is to follow the shrewd advice of Cromwell, to trust in God and keep your powder dry." Faith, with damp powder, courts failure; dry powder and faith may work wonders.

Great Britain has always been a great and powerful nation. Never has she used her power for unworthy purposes. She has protected and supported the weak and she has not misused her might. It would therefore be a world tragedy were Great Britain to allow herself to slip from her position. The sentimentalists may prate of moral force, but in practical affairs the ill-disposed find that moral pressure is easily resisted unless there is some material power behind it. Great Britain must be prepared for war if she is to continue to exercise her influence for peace. She would prefer that others reduce their armaments rather than she increase hers. If, however, they will not—Britain must remain strong.

G. O. Long, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, who was recently called to Fredericton by the serious illness of his mother, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wanamaker, of Jasper, Alta., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. M. Sabine, and Mr. Sabine, recently to visit relatives at South Range. She will go from there to Saint John, en route to the United States.



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Obituary**Miss Emma Post**

The death of Miss Emma Post occurred at the Digby General Hospital, on Sunday morning. Miss Post was a well-known and highly respected resident of Digby, and was admitted to the hospital a few weeks ago as the result of a fall on the pavement near the post office. She suffered a fracture of hip. She had been making very satisfactory progress, and Sunday morning thought that she would be able to sit up in her bed for a while, when she was stricken and passed away very suddenly. She is survived by one brother, Capt. George Post, of the Lighthouse Road, Digby, and two nieces, Mrs. Charles Dunn of Yarmouth, and Mrs. Cummings of Middleton. The deceased was 73 years of age.

Miss K. A. Tobin, who has been spending the winter with friends in the United States, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Chellis, of Deep Brook, who have been spending the winter in Cambridge, Mass., have returned home.

SEVERAL FIRES THIS WEEK

The home of Howard Adams, Deep Brook, was damaged by fire Sunday morning. The blaze originated from a chimney fire, and the burning shingles were first noticed by Joseph Dittmars, who spread the alarm. Neighbors soon had a ladder to the roof, and with the aid of buckets of water extinguished the blaze, but not before a quantity of shingles had been destroyed and a large hole burned through the roof. Mr. Adams was away from the house when the blaze was discovered.

At Digby, on Sunday morning, the department was called out for a fire in the residence of Kenneth Turnbull, Warwick street. The fire burned between the floors but the damage was not serious.

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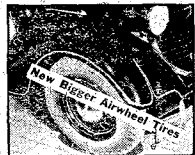


A simple turn of the crank and the windshield
opens—opens wide. Whether it is open little or
open a lot it cannot rattle.

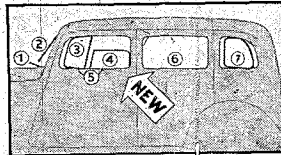


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in this age of progress! You don't see anyone building
wooden bridges today. Steel bridges, steel buildings, steel
ships. Because steel is stronger, steel is safer and will last
longer. Look at the car rolling down hill in the test above.
Only a car with a strong, resilient steel body could stand a
test like this—and then drive off under its own power.

**MANY LOWEST PRICE CARS LACK
MANY OF THESE FEATURES**

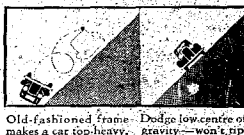


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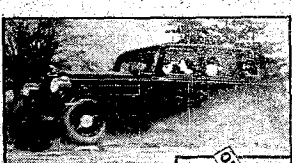
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M. WEBBER**Between Ourselves**

My thanks to Thomas Kinghorn, of Port Wade, for the first of the sea stories I asked for last week. Mr. Kinghorn has given me an account of the wreck of the Bear River brigantine, Sea Breeze, and this week the Courier starts going to him for one year, free.

I hope that more of these sea yarns will come along, and if they are all as interesting as this first one, they will make a collection well worth while. We are not going to publish them right away, but are holding them for a special anniversary edition which we are going to bring out in honor of our sixtieth birthday.

And it is not only sea stories we want. Any kind of a story by our readers will be acceptable—hunting, fishing, reminiscences, commercial, professional in fact any kind, we have already received one other ar-

ticle, entitled "Sixty Years in Masonry," written by a prominent Bear River mason, and we are sending the paper to him for one year, free also. We want as many articles as we can get; you need not take great pains in writing the article—we will put it in shape for publication; in fact, you need not write it at all—come into the office and tell us about it; or if you live outside the town call us by telephone or letter and either "J. J." or myself will call the first time we are in your vicinity to get your story from you. We want dozens—yes, hundreds if we can get them, as we plan on this edition being an "Old Home Edition" written by our own readers and telling of interesting events in their lives. Remember, a year's subscription for every story accepted.

It has been suggested to me that I make some mention of the Digby Golf Links. I would much rather have someone else "in the know" do this, but I understand that to date no meeting of the directors has been called.

The town golf course is undoubtedly one of our greatest assets as a tourist town. We need the town course in order to uphold our reputation as a tourist town; the town course—even with the Pines course, one of the finest on the North American continent—is as necessary today as it ever was, and as a tourist centre we can't afford to lose it if only for one year.

I believe that during the past few years individuals who have undertaken to operate this course, have met with losses, and no one is keen about operating a business at a loss.

It has been suggested that the town take over the management of the Digby Golf course for a year, and I feel at least that this suggestion is worthy of the consideration of the Golf club directors and the Town Council.

However, I am writing these comments on the suggestion of someone else—they are not original with me. Nevertheless, like many other citizens of Digby, I feel that it would be nothing short of a calamity to close down the Digby Golf course for even one year, for as you know and as I know, many of our regular summer visitors come almost for the sole purpose of playing over these splendid links, and the loss of one tour through their being closed would be felt by all of us.

Ye Junior Ed.

JOGGIN' BRIDGE

Miss Blanche Woodman spent a day recently visiting friends in Conway.

Cecil Murley, of Conway, visited friends in this village on Saturday. Due to the ice, considerable damage has been done to the Jojo Bridge. A crew of men are engaged in making repairs this week, under the direction of W. E. Gilliat.

Miss Florence Wallis, of Central Grave, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James J. Wallis.

Henry Shortliffe, of South Range, was the week end guest of his brother, Russell Shortliffe and Mrs. Shortliffe.

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Grape Fruit	3 for 25c.
Easter Candies	All Prices
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THE BEAR RIVER WEEKLY COURIER

"For Home and Country"

Edited by Women's Institute, Bear River

Neighborhood NEWS

Harry Lewis spent the week end at his home in Danvers.

B. Albion made a business trip to Middleton on Monday.

Do not forget the Pantry and Apron Sale tomorrow afternoon.

G. Crowe, of Middleton, is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. McMurray.

The Surbeam Mission band met on Friday afternoon in the church vestry.

J. W. Ren and Mrs. D. Forsythe are confining to their homes by sickness.

Come and buy "eats" at the Pantry Sale.

Miss Lenema VanBuskirk spent the week end at her home in Bear River.

St. John's Guild met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emmons.

An Easter pageant will be given in the United Church on Easter Sunday evening.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Blanchard.

Rev. A. W. L. Smith was ill on Friday and the service was conducted by Lay Reader L. V. Harris.

Miss J. Edwards, who has been the guest of Mrs. McMurray and Capt. McMurray, returned to Middleton on Friday.

Rev. A. J. Prosser, of Annapolis Royal, spent several days in Bear River, recently, returning home on Thursday.

The ice went out of the river on the 18th, and the Glenholme came to her wharf for the first time for many weeks.

Mrs. W. D. Chute left on Thursday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Walbridge, and Mr. Bagley, at New Waterford, C. B.

F. W. Foch, of Saint John, and W. H. McNeil, of Toronto, were guests for several days at the Commercial House this week.

The Ladies Circle of the United Baptist Church, was entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. D. Rice.

Mr. A. ten Wamboldt and Mrs. Curtis Rice left on Tuesday for Centerville to attend the funeral of the late Benjamin Robbins.

Mrs. Nellie Hardacher, of Grand River, spent several days recently with the Rev. William Morine and Mrs. Millie Morgan.

Robert Rice left on Tuesday for Halifax, where he will enter the G. Hospital for treatment. He was accompanied by John Freeman.

On March 10th, Mrs. Reginald Goodday, of Rosthern, N. B., gave a birthday party for her little daughter, Joan, who was born in Bear River.

Reserve the date of the Apron and Easter Sale, on Saturday afternoon, March 30th. Come and buy your Easter "Eats". Given by the Baptist Ladies Circle.

Mrs. T. Sanford, who has spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Lovett Harris, and Mr. Harris, returned to her home in Torbrook on Tuesday.

Mrs. Reginald Benson of Somerville, Mass., arrived in town on Friday having been called here by the illness of his uncle, Welcome Thomas, who is a patient in the Digby General Hospital.

Eber Peck, who recently returned from the Sportsmen's Show, in Boston, left on Tuesday, accompanied by his brother Watson, to compete in the Rhode Island Sportsmen's Show, which opened yesterday.

St. John's Church has formed a Junior Guild, which meets Saturday afternoons at the home of Mrs. B. C. Clarke. Eleanor Rice is president, and Sadie Kerr, secretary-treasurer.

Great interest is being taken, and the juniors hope to organize a Pantry Sale to be held the end of the next week in April.

The Liv' Pool Advance says: "The Ladies of 1934 with a splendid cast of local talent, under the direction of Eugene Ford, and starring Miss Aileen Ramey, of Bridgewater, packed the Oddfellows Hall to capacity on Friday evening last, exceeding the highest anticipations of the promoters and the entire cast themselves."

Mr. Ford is well known in Digby and Smith's Cove, having been on the staff of the Harbor View Hotel for several summers.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. C. P. Henderson, Pastor

Regular Services:
Sunday Preaching, 10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
Church School, 11.30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting—Friday, 7.30 p.m.

PUB. CITY COMMITTEE

Mrs. Harry E. Harris
Mrs. C. J. Rice
Mrs. L. Lovett

SCOUT NOTES — BEAR RIVER TROOP

The absence of "Scout Notes" from this page during the past few months has not been due to inactivity on the part of the local troop, because the 1st Bear River Troop has never been more alive than at the present time. At last Thursday's meeting instruction was given in Compass Signaling and First Aid; also four Scouts passed the Compass test very skillfully.

The week before last seven successfully passed the First Aid and Signaling.

The Second Class Scouts of the Troop are studying for the First Class tests, and one for the King's Scouts Badge.

The three patrols—Wild Ducks, Foxes and Beavers—are all full with eight boys in each patrol; about ten new recruits have been added to the ranks during the past few months.

There has been an average attendance of 25 every Thursday evening.

Long hikes are looked forward to with great anticipation in the coming months. The boys are working hard on a three-act play, entitled, "This is the Life," to be staged in the next two months. The Bear River Troop would like to hear from other boys interested in such work.

Our motto is "Prepared," and we are always prepared to show a brother troop sympathy.

ANNUAL MEETING TENNIS CLUB

The annual meeting of the Bear River Tennis Club was held on Monday evening, the president, L. V. Harris, presiding, and J. A. MacKenna acting as secretary pro tem.

In the absence of H. Romans, secretary-treasurer.

Reports showed the past season had been a most successful one; a number of improvements had been made in the Pavilion and grounds; twelve "teas" had been held on the club grounds with satisfactory results; and a number of tournaments had been carried on with the Bridgetown, Lunenburg and Annapolis Royal Clubs.

The finances of the club were reported in a flourishing condition, and plans were made for putting the grounds in condition for play.

A vote of thanks was given to Mr. Harris, the president, for the great interest he had taken in fostering the club's success.

The following officers were elected: President—L. V. Harris.

Vice-President—W. C. MacIntyre.

Secretary—M. Romans.

Tennis Committee—Mrs. L. J. Lovett (con.); Mrs. W. Romans, Mrs. J. H. Cunningham.

Membership Committee—L. V. Harris, W. C. MacIntyre, H. M. Romans, Mrs. W. M. Romans, F. R. Harris.

Trustees—J. H. Cunningham, L. V. Harris, L. J. Lovett, M. D.

Tournament Committee—C. E. Clarke (con.); W. C. MacIntyre, H. M. Romans, J. A. MacKenna, Mrs. W. C. MacIntyre.

Water Committee—F. R. Harris, J. H. Cunningham.

Auditors—J. H. Cunningham, F. R. Harris.

PARISH OF ST. CLEMENT

Rev. Rural Dean Smith, Rector

Next Sunday will be Palm Sunday, commemorating our Saviour's triumphant entry into Jerusalem.

The morning service scheduled for Victory, has been postponed till traveling conditions improve, and there will be morning service at Bear River instead of as previously announced. Services now arranged, weather, etc., permitting, are:

Bear River—10.00 a.m.

Clementsport—3.00 p.m.

Deep Brook—7.30 p.m.

Leslie S. Purkis, of Hamilton, Ont., was returned a few days ago after spending five weeks in England and Scotland studying British co-operatives, stated that "Canada is the best-off country in the world, morally, physically and mentally."

The new telephone directory has been issued. The Bear River exchange lists a few more names than in previous editions, which is encouraging.

Miss Georgina Hill and Vernon Hill were the guests of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hill, on Sunday. On their return to Digby they were accompanied by Mrs. Vernon Hill, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hill for several weeks.

The Baptist C. G. I. T. met at the Commercial House, on Friday last, after school. The meeting was opened by a "sing-song". During the business period plans were made to hike up to Langley's, on Saturday afternoon to see how the maple sugar was made.

The remainder of the business was concluded, the meeting adjourned. Ada Hill, secretary.

PRINCEDALE MAN INJURED

Forman Wright, a farmer of Princesdale, was severely injured on Monday morning when cutting down a large old apple tree in his orchard. The tree, though not rotten at the base, was decayed at the fork above, and fell across Mr. Wright's back, severely injuring it and badly bruising his body, necessitating immediate medical aid, which was secured from Bear River. Mr. Wright is resting comfortably, but will not be able to attend to his farm duties for some time.

PROGRESSIVE CLASS HOLDS MEETING

The Men's Progressive Class of the Baptist church, met on Tuesday evening last at the home of C. D. Rice, with the president, Carroll Snell, in the chair.

After the devotional and business periods a short prayer was read.

Special mention might be made of a Scotch selection, given by John Harrow—one of his popular readings—"Tam o' Shanter's Ride," which was enjoyed by all.

The dates for the next monthly meeting will be announced later.

At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE STAGES NOVEL ENTERTAINMENT

On Friday evening, in Oddfellows Hall, the Bear River Women's Institute staged a novel and entertaining "Musical Benefit" entertainment in the form of an "Irish Cabaret," with music, decorations and costumes of performers in traditional St. Patrick's style.

The Institute President and Vice-President, Mrs. L. J. Lovett and Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre, received the numerous guests, daintily green and white costumed girl ushers seating them at the many small tables banked about the spacious floor of the hall, arranged in cabaret style, leaving the large centre space for the entertainment, which consisted of Irish songs and choruses, short "skits," and figure dancing in costume.

Perhaps the most amusing part of the program were the "contests" provided for the guests, namely, Balloon, Guessing, and Irish Sweepstakes Hobby-Horse Races, the participation of some of the town's most "weighty" citizens as jockeys in the latter, causing much merriment.

Prize winners in the contests were: Balloon—Harry Lewis; Guessing—Mrs. James Hubley; Irish Sweepstakes Raving Ladies—Miss Florence Dunn; (Men)—Clayde Brown, Semi-Finals, and W. McIntyre, finals.

The former entertainment closed with a bountiful supper, after which a dancing period was provided for those who wished to indulge.

The very substantial proceeds will be devoted to the re-furnishing of the Bear River room in the Digby General Hospital.

The program was as follows: Chorus—"When Irish Eyes are Smiling."

Skit—"Between Trains"—Misses O. Schmidt and M. Oickle.

Song and Chorus—"Rocky"—Mrs. A. Simons, soloist.

Balloon Contest (for guests)—Mrs. Harry Harris, manager.

Solo and Chorus—"My Wild Irish Rose"—Nancy McIntyre, soloist.

Dance—"Sir Roger de Coverly"—Chorus (in costume).

Vocal Duet—"He Rained His Hat"—B. Dukeshire and Nancy MacIntyre.

Tableaux—"March of Time"—(Character Parts).

Childhood, 1834—Margaret Henshaw.

Childhood, 1934, Maxine Rice.

Girlhood, 1834—Muriel Kinney.

Girlhood, 1934—Nancy MacIntyre.

Young Matron, 1834—Mrs. W. Morine.

Young Matron, 1934—Mrs. C. Brown.

Grandmother, 1834—Mrs. H. Kinney.

"Granny," as she is today—Mrs. A. Simons.

Irish sweepstakes Races (for guests)—Dr. Lovett, starter; H. Harris, and Hardy Benson, judges.

Black Pace Skit—"A Scrambled Courtship"—Mrs. F. R. Harris and Mrs. L. J. Lovett.

Guessing Contest (for guests)—Mrs. A. B. Campbell, manager.

Supper and Closing Chorus.

Cast of Chorus—Mesdames Wm. Morine, Harry Harris, A. G. MacIntyre, C. Brown, F. R. Harris, A. Simons, A. B. Campbell, R. Seamone, and Misses G. Hubley, M. Kinney, N. MacIntyre, F. Dunn, B. Dukeshire.

Accompanist—Mrs. Carol Clarke.

Contestor Music Committee—Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre.

Ticket Committee—Mrs. C. Brown, Misses June Schmidt, M. Kinney, Candy Seller—Mrs. H. Hatheway.

Pantry and Apron Sale tomorrow afternoon.

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Even in good health many a woman finds that looking after a home and family is quite a task. How unfortunate then is the woman whose household duties become a double burden, due to sickness.

Such was the condition that confronted Mrs. Lestevie. She had the good sense, however, to be guided by the experience of others and took Dodd's Kidney Pills which soon restored her to perfect health.

MORGANVILLE

Miss Goldie Coombs, of Bear River, was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Porter.

Miss Frances Clarke gave a "quitting" party to a number of her friends on Saturday afternoon last, in honor of St. Patrick's day. A delicious supper was served.

Miss Ethel Barlow, of Smith's Cove, is visiting her friend, Mrs. Frances Clarke.

Robert Rice is still on the sick list.

PARKER'S COVE

There will be service in the United Church on Sunday, conducted by the Rev. G. T. Bryant.

Stuart Rice has gone to Acadiaville where he is engaged as assistant cook in one of the Colp Lumber camps.

Miss Clara Robinson, who is employed in the Spectator office, at Annapolis Royal, was home over the week end.

Judson Hudson, of Hillsburn, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Edward Oliver, over the week end.

Thomas Milner, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Bertha Sanford, in Port Lorne, has returned home.

Miss Vivian Robinson was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Lester Longmire, and Mr. Longmire, in Hillsburn, on Monday.

Claude E. Milner was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hudson, in Hillsburn, on Sunday.

Clifford Halliday has gone to Milford for an indefinite period.

Edward Johnson and Wallace Longmire, of Hillsburn, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Milner.

Miss Alice White, of Young's Cove, is a visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. LeRoy Halliday.

Mrs. Clifford Rice, of Granville Ferry, is a guest of her mother, Mrs. R. E. Hudson, and Mr. Hudson.

The "maddest" taxpayer in Worcester, Mass., on Thursday last the man who was assessed 4 cents in last year for income taxes, was the same tax, and then found he had to pay 6 cents for the money order he was required to use to make payment.

Miss Freda Rice returned from Bar on Monday.

Estate of William M. Cossaboom, Deceased

PURSUANT to an Order made in the Supreme Court in a certain action therein numbered "3719 between Elmer Weir, George Weir, Herbert L. Woodman and Frank Dargie, Plaintiffs, and Clara B. Cossaboom, Defendants, and the Royal Bank of Canada, Defendants, all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of William M. Cossaboom late of Smith's Cove in the County of Digby, Hotel Keeper, deceased, are required on or before the 6th day of April, A. D. 1934, to send by post prepaid to Kenneth L. Crowell, of Bridgetown in the County of Annapolis, Barrister, the Receiver, of the property of the said Estate, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts, and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from participation in the distribution of the said estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Judge presiding at Chambers in Halifax on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1934, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication of the claims.

Dated the 8th day of March, A. D. 1934.

(Sgd.) K. L. CROWELL, Receiver

BADMINTON TOURNAMENT INTERESTS BEAR RIVER

The three days' Badminton Tournament, at Saint John, which ended on Saturday, interested the many friends of John Porter, who made such a splendid record, winning six cups. Young Porter is the grandson of Alfred Porter, of Bear River. He is a regular summer visitor here, and a member of the local Tennis Club. John won the Junior and Senior Singles, the Junior Doubles with Harold Ellis; the Senior Doubles with R. C. Gorham, and the Mixed Doubles with Miss M. Tilly. At about a month ago he won the Maritime Junior Singles, and at Toronto, in the Dominion Tournament, he was awarded the consolation prize, which is a signal honor for one so young. Mr. Porter is only 18 years of age.

OKARDENE ACADEMY STAFF

The new staff of teachers for Okardene School, Bear River, for the coming year is as follows:—Principal, Carroll C. Clarke; B. A. Grades VII and VIII, Miss Grace Hubley; Grades V and VI, Miss Florence Dunn; Grades III and IV, Miss Mary Oickle; Primary, Miss June Schmidt, B.A. It is expected the new building will be ready for occupancy at the beginning of the fall term.

PEOPLE TIRE OF CHEAP TEA

Before the depression set in, people were demanding quality. They had an appreciation of the finer things and realized that there was an actual economy in buying commodities that had quality. The depression had the effect of unbalancing their judgement and magnified the importance of low price in their minds. They came to be so intensely demand for lower and still lower prices. Now there is a swing back in the other direction. People are getting tired of mere cheapness; they want goods that will give them satisfaction on all counts. They have found that cheapness was a square deal and a deception and that the real economy would have been in buying commodities with value in them. Today the wave of false economy is subsiding and buyers are looking for value.

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TEN BEST HUSBANDS

Well, we've had polls on the "ten best," of almost everything from pictures to soup; so here's one on husbands—the ten men in the world who would be the best matrimonial picks, according to Hollywood's choral beauties.

The poll was conducted among the 143 girls working in "Wonder Bar." The results, in the order of their popularity, were John Jacob Astor III, Col. Charles Lindbergh, Jack Dempsey, Benito Mussolini, Ernest Hemingway, "Cotton" Warburton, Jimmy Cagney, the Prince of Wales, Prince Alexis Midyani and Mahatma Gandhi.

O. A. Eisner arrived in town on Tuesday last and spent several days at the Grand Central Hotel, meeting old friends and renewing acquaintances. He returned to his home in Lawrenceville on Saturday.

By Order of the Board, (Sgd.) L. B. TAYLOR, Clerk

33 31c.

R. R. Baxter left on Monday for Yarmouth to attend an association of the officers of the fisheries.

Nova Scotia Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities

IN THE MATTER OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES ACT

In the Matter of the Application of the Town of Digby for Approval of An Interim Schedule of Rates for Alternating Current Power—General Use.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the application of the Town of Digby dated February 28, 1934, for approval of an interim schedule of rates for alternating current power—general use, will be heard at the offices of the Board to be held at its offices, Capitol Theatre Office Building, 363 Barrington Street, Halifax, N. S., on Wednesday, the 4th day of April, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

A copy of the proposed schedule of interim rates may be seen at the office of the Town Clerk, at Digby, N. S., or at the office of the Board, Halifax, N. S.

All persons interested will be given an opportunity of being heard at said sittings. Any objections to the approval of the application may be filed with the Board, in writing, on or before April 3, 1934.

Dated at Halifax, N. S., March 7, 1934.

By Order of the Board, (Sgd.) L. B. TAYLOR, Clerk

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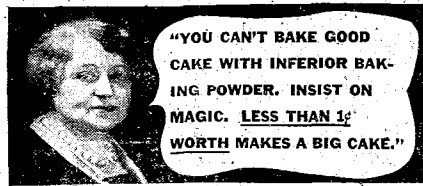
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The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson

Sunday, March 25, 1934

REVIEW

Golden Text—"Unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder; and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The Mighty God, The Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace."—Isaiah 9:6.

Devotional Reading—John 10:7-16.

This is the church of my dreams; The church of the warm heart; Of the open mind; Of the adventurous spirit; The church that cares, That heals hurt lives, That challenges youth; A working church, A worshipping church, A church of courage, A friendly church for all people, The church of the living God.

Reaching a Decision, 13-15

Instead of the regular review lesson, the alternative lesson for Easter Sunday is here used for Review Sunday. The theme, Confessing and following Christ, is very suitable at the close of three months' lessons from Matthew's Gospel. At Caesarea Philippi the Great Teacher tested his disciples to see how well they had learned what he was teaching them. He had been with them for many months and it was time for them to declare themselves. There are some subjects about which it is wise to keep an open mind, but our faith in Christ is not such a matter. We have had opportunity to know enough about Christ to decide whether we are for him or against him. It is idle to try to be neutral—one can hardly remain neutral concerning Christ. Nor can we be satisfied by merely knowing what others have believed about Christ; it is our own personal decision that is most important. He calls to each one of us: "Who do you say I am?" The question from which we cannot escape is, "What think ye of Christ?" Indecision is in effect a decision.

A Straightforward Answer, 16, 17

In many ways Peter was the leader of the twelve disciples and usually was their spokesman. Whether right or wrong he spoke out what he thought. Some people have to reach so many qualifications to their decisions that it is hard to tell whether they mean yes or no. Not so with Peter. His reply to Christ's question has been described as the first Christian creed and it was definite. "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God." Perhaps Peter did not fully understand all that his statement implied, but it was the most significant statement that he could have made. It meant that Peter had felt God's nearness in Christ. No one could associate closely with Christ and not be made more conscious of God. It had taken many months for Peter to reach that decision, but he took a long step forward when he made it. His faith was stronger once he had expressed it. Moreover, the confession meant much to Christ. It was the word he had been waiting to hear.

High Praise, 18-20

Christians confessing Christ make the Church. Peter personally was not sure foundation for any organization, but Peter's confession was the rock upon which the Church could find a sure foundation. Peter's official position was not unchallenged. James soon took over the leadership of the Jerusalem church and Antioch Paul withstood Peter to his face. Nothing, however, could ever take away from Peter his position among the disciples in witnessing to his faith in Christ as the Son of the living God. At the time the words of Christ may have appeared to be extravagant praise in the light of the Church's present position, they have been abundantly justified. Wherever there is a believing and confessing disciple, there the Church is. The principle is not: Where the Church is, there is Christ; but—Where Christ is, there the Church is. Christ is present wherever a loyal disciple witnesses a faith in him. The heart of Jesus as gladdened when he heard this word of Peter, as Peter spoke both

AUTHOR OF ROBINSON CRUSOE ANTICIPATED MODERN PROJECTS

It is not generally known that De. For, the author of the noted imaginative work "Robinson Crusoe," contributed many original and ingenious essays on social science. The locale of "Robinson Crusoe" is Tobago Island, in the British West Indies, which are being visited by an increasing number of Canadians who travel to these sunny holiday islands of southern waters in the luxurious "Lady" liners of the Canadian National Steamships. In a work which he published in 1697 entitled "Essay on Projects," he gave expression to ideas often far in advance of his own times. He wrote with much sagacity on the science of banking. In this work would appear to be the germ, not only of modern branch banks, but of the corporation stock so much favored today. In another essay on highways, he anticipated by more than two hundred years the appointment of highway commissioners. He turned to the Roman system of highways and supplied exact details of dimensions, grading, paving and materials. He also wrote other essays on the higher education of women, on assurance, on the law of bankruptcy and on a national pension scheme. In many directions he was a genuine pioneer in ecological and economic directions, and while the world has been slowly realizing many of the projects he advanced, it is practically unaware of their literary origin. He also published a newspaper called "The Review," which ran from 1710 to 1713 and wrote some supposititious histories so vivid that one is inclined to doubt that they were the works of imagination and not reality.

Mrs. Harley Brooks and Mrs. Elvin Marshall, of Ashmore, visited friends in Weymouth North on Friday.

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Swift Rebuke, 21-23

How often after we have done one worthy deed, we find ourselves committing folly! Always to be consistent with our best seems to be beyond our power. One moment Peter was making a noble declaration of faith and being termed "the Rock of the Church"; the next moment he was being rebuked fiercely with the same phrase that Jesus had used in the wilderness temptation. How can we explain Peter's sudden lapse? Partly it was due to pride and self-satisfaction over the commendation he had received. Also he was being guided by emotion rather than by reason. Again he was trying to do what was an unpleasant fact. In his folly and rash speech he tried to dissuade Jesus from the cross. The temptation to think first of self would come. Jesus from other directions, but a could not bear to have it made by a member of his inner cabinet of disciples. Peter, instead of being a rock had been a stumbling block. We feel sorry for Peter, but he brought the swift, stern rebuke upon himself by speaking before he thought.

The Cross in Life, 24-26

The cross runs through all life. Christ could not escape the cross of Calvary. So tradition runs, did not escape the cross. Christ frankly tells us that we must take up our cross if we are to follow him. And our cross will be heavy and cruel unless we learn to carry our cross in the strength of his cross. To deny ourselves is not easy. To give up fame and position might be a bitter renunciation, but if we lose life for Christ's sake, we really find it. The opportunity to make death more domestic is to make Christ conquer us. That gain money is no compensation for losing one's soul. We cease from coyness. Surrender is a first essential in Christian living. Many dread it and postpone it only to discover that once they yield their lives to Christ, the cross no longer weighs them down or chafes. They can play in tribulation, welcome the cross, and deny themselves daily, doing it all gladly for the sake of Christ.

Questions for discussion

1. How can you reconcile Peter's strength and weakness?
2. In how many ways may we make confession of faith in Christ?
3. What did Peter mean when he spoke of Christ as the Son of the living God?
4. Which had done more for the Christian Church, Peter or Paul?
5. What is your duty about Christ?

"LIVING" AT THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

A fact that is not generally known about our Federal House of Parliament is that a member may enter here in the morning and spend the day with all the comforts of a modern hotel at his command, only leaving in the evening to sleep at his rooms; in fact up to a year ago one was allowed that privilege, but the Speaker has now made it taboo. With Parliament in session at the present time it is interesting to hear just how this Canada of ours provides for the comfort and privileges of its 245 members and 35 senators. Miss Agnes MacPhail, the only lady member of the Canadian House of Commons, has aptly called it, "the finest club in the world." Housed in a beautiful building, running from east to west on the brow of the highest promontory in Ottawa, the Senate and Commons, on the right the former, and the left the latter, with their respective chambers and officials' quarters. An imaginary line dividing the two runs through the middle of the building, and the territory of each belongs to the employees of the other, for each have their own organization and one does not encroach on the other. During a session of Parliament the interior of this vast building is comparable to the post office with its large number of employees and visitors, incessantly milling around the numerous corridors. So confusing are these to a stranger finding his way around the buildings that the services of an office often must be invoked to set the person on the right path. The end to end they would reach a distance of some eight miles. It is said, like a small town there is everything from a post office to a lavishly furnished restaurant, surpassing those of the finest hotels. In the evening with its hundreds of brilliantly lighted rooms the appearance is that of a brightly illuminated town of some dimensions.

Here and there comes the member of parliament to attend his sessional duties. In the morning he may visit the post office where he has his own private box, with his mail distributed from eight to ten times each day, by a staff of some fifteen clerks, besides the postmaster and his assistant. He may purchase money orders, and register his mail matters, but he is not called upon to buy stamps because his mail matter in Canada is all carried free (letters under the franking privilege) and probably if this amount were figured in another system of bookkeeping the post office department would show a surplus. Before going to his office (for each member has his own, but there are sometimes two friends occupying one room for convenience) an M. P. may go round to a finely appointed barber shop where he would have a shave, shoe shine, or if he chooses the Turkish bath he is waiting to serve; however he usually spends his morning answering correspondence, and here he will probably ring his bell and summon a messenger from this department, where there are three men employed to answer the calls, the messenger will bring him supplies from the stationary department where all things of this nature are taken care of. Another bell calls the stenographer who takes his letters and returns to this bureau to type them. Here alone are some 75 girls with as many typewriters and desks busily engaged in milling speeches, letters, or what-not. This battery of machines may be heard some distance away, for the room is so large it is never silent through the day up to 5 o'clock at night.

A C. N. R. and C. P. R. telegraph office is right off the Commons Chamber for the convenience of members, but principally there for the use of newspaper men of whom there are some twenty-five representing the foremost journals of the Dominion, ever on the alert for new angles of the swiftly moving colorful scene below them. They do not know what moment a drab, uninteresting debate may suddenly flare into the fiercest fire, that may be flashed, broadcast over the country for public consumption the next instant. Someone therefore is on duty here continually, usually far into the night.

It is perhaps not generally known that the House of Commons (French and English) are on duty in pairs during the session, working in 15-minute shifts, within the chamber, taking down all the speeches and other material for Hansard; as fast as it is compiled and translated from French to English it is sent to the King's Printer two miles away, and in the morning a member takes his finished speech out of his box with his mail.

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centres of the "town." That beautiful old Gothic library building which was saved from destruction and which is the main building about twenty years ago, stands a sentinel guarding the Western portals of Parliament and housing a collection of some 50,000 priceless volumes ancient and modern. Here a member may have a book of reference, or the poorest fellow for the asking. Thousands of visitors each year come here to see this alone. Should a member get lost in the maze of one hundred corridors, a staff of special officers (protective staff) some thirty strong, will put him right. The Sergeant-at-Arms has never to wait for sufficient strength to his arm with his bodyguard at his command. Central block (as the House of Commons building is named) is heated from a central heating plant one mile away and the conduits showing the steam to the building but one per cent of efficiency is lost. In like manner the air within the building is washed and changed every few minutes.

Superb in every other way, there is but one unfortunate circumstance in connection with the perfect planning and layout of the building. The acoustics in the Chamber of the Commons, where all sessions are held and debates take place, are extremely bad, and the most skillful engineers of the Department have so far failed to remedy the drawback. It is thought eventually that a system of microphones and loud speakers may be installed. A central telephone exchange within the building with a chief operator and battery of eight switchboards, takes care of the business with this community. Here all calls from the room of another within the building, to those long distance overseas conversations, are taken care of at the House of Commons. The cafeteria is full of all good things at prices that are as moderate as those outside. This is used mostly by employees, but at lunch or dinner, one may see members, cabinet ministers on rare occasions, stenographers, messengers and other employees all enjoying one another at the "self-service" counter.

A main electric clock is checked three a day for correct time. It is connected with clocks all over the buildings. There are so many interesting things inside Canada's parliament building that it is impossible to tell in chapters, but finally of interest is the fact that the Prime Minister, R. B. Bennett, is the most rapid, and J. S. Woodworth, the C. P. F. leader, the loudest speaker in the House. There are many deaf and quiet debaters, and those for reasons of acoustics are most difficult for even Speaker Black to follow.

Nat Homesick.

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"There are a great many merchants who want to get the maximum of publicity concerning their products who evidently have not studied the subject very carefully. Included in these are the merchants who resort to the use of 'circulars' that are thrown into yards, stuffed behind door-knobs, tossed into automobiles and crammed under windshield wipers."

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"But there is an economic side to it which these circular users overlook. It will cost them little, if any more, to put their advertising in legitimate newspapers of general circulation—with the assurance that their messages will actually reach the prospective buyers. In the case of circulars, it is estimated that not more than ten per cent of the people for whom they are intended—read the circulars. In the first place, it is questionable whether 50 per cent of the circulars are distributed in such a way that the persons for whom they are intended really get them. But even those who find the circulars, especially the drivers of automobiles, in very many instances simply burn them and throw them into the street. If the authorities will me that when they find circulars in their cars they simply throw them into the street, if the authorities will not protect me from having my car cluttered up in this way, one of them explained to me, 'I'm going to register my opposition and indignation by being one to help clutter up the streets so as to draw attention to the outrageous imposition.'"

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In The Supreme Court

BETWEEN: Elmer Weir, George Weir, Herbert Woodman, and Frank Dargie, PLAINTIFFS
and Clara B. Cossaboom and The Royal Bank of Canada, DEFENDANTS

Sale of Hotel Property

PURSUANT to an Order made herein and dated the 15th day of March, A.D. 1934, I will at the Court House, in Digby, in the County of Digby, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, of SATURDAY, the 23rd day of March, A.D. 1934, sell in bloc all the real and personal property, situated in the County of Digby, belonging to the Estate of William M. Cossaboom, late of Smith's Cove in the County of Digby, Hotel Keeper, deceased, heretofore used in the conduct of the hotel business, carried on by the said William M. Cossaboom, in his life time at said Smith's Cove, and after his death by his Executive, together with the beneficial interest in all leases of portions of the said real estate and also all leasehold interests pertaining to the said premises.

Schedules of said Real Estate, Personal Property and Lease, may be had on application to the undersigned, or to Frank Jones, Esq., K. C., Barrister, at his office, in Digby, or to Daniel Owen, Esq., K. C., Annapolis Royal. Copy of the Order above referred to may also be inspected at the respective offices of the above.

TERMS OF SALE—Purchase to be made by deposit of ten per cent, at time of sale and balance upon tender or delivery of a conveyance duly executed by the Receiver, any deposit to be forfeited in the event of the purchaser failing to pay the balance or to purchase the property at the time or delivery.

Dated March 21st, A.D. 1934.
KENNETH L. CROWELL
Barrister, Nova Scotia
RECEIVER

DANIEL OWEN, K. C.
Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia
Plaintiff's Solicitor 22-315

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CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank the many friends of the late Mrs. Emma Post for their thoughtfulness and many kind deeds during her illness; for their many expressions of sympathy conveyed to us, and for moral offerings. Most especially do we wish to thank the Grace United Church choir and Rev. E. W. Forbes—George Post, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Cummings. 34 11c

HORSES FOR SALE—Car load of Horses arrived in Bridgetown March 21. All well-broken. For further particulars apply J. H. McLaughlin, office phone, 69; house phone, 17. Bridgetown. 31 31p

FOUND—On Bay of Fundy shore—Small quantity of Lumber. The owner may take same by proving property and paying expenses. Edgar and Meron Robicheau, Watford, N.S. 34 11p

FOR SALE—Gooseberry Bushes—100 large Downing bushes, at 35 cents each. Come early—A. O. Daley, Digby. 34 31p

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FOR SALE—Two Cows one a Jersey the other a Guernsey. One freshen 4, recently, the other to freshen soon—Apply to Wm. Bacon, Digby, N.S. 34 11c

CONCERT IN SANDY COVE

The Young People's Society of Zion United Church, Sandy Cove, held a miscellaneous concert in the Gidney Hall on Friday evening last. There was a good attendance and the young people did their part well.

Following is the program:
Chorus — "We're Glad to See You Here"—Society.
Reading — "Ma's Good Jug"—Leneika Eldridge.
Pantomime — "The Old Spinning Wheel".
Monologue — "Cohen at the Telephone"—Kenneth Carly.
Duet — "My Wild Irish Rose"—Mrs. Warren Crowell and Mrs. Wm. Crowell.
Dialogue — "Going to Singing School"—Mrs. Percy Harris and Mrs. Curtis Dakin.
Chorus — "Sleigh Bells"—Society.
Reading — "The Birth of St. Patrick"—Clifton Banks.
Duet — "My Gal"—Mrs. Ensch Morehouse and Mrs. Wm. Crowell.
Dialogue — "Dr. Shrivell Snorkin"—Harold Crowell, Bertha Eldridge and Mrs. Forsyth.

FOR SALE—About 50 cords of Dry Hard Wood. Write Elliott Doucette, Marshalltown, or see Ambrose Doucette, at Woodman's Garage, Digby. 34 11p

NOTICE—I hereby forbid any person or persons trusting or harbouring my wife, Celeste Robertson, on my account, as she has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation. — Edward Robertson, Hasset's, Digby County, N.S. 32

FOR SALE—Heintzman & Co. Piano, also Electric Radio. Will sell either or both at a real bargain. Apply Box "M.B." care Courier, Digby. 31 31p

School Club Notes

Making Picture Frames
Doris Comeau, of Digby Brook, writes that one of their club members, Arnold Purdy, is making two more picture frames for pictures for their school room. They are making a School Magazine, Reader Scrap Books, and other exhibits for this year's exhibition. Four more of their pupils qualified for the I. O. D. E. library pins.

Getting Better
You will be glad to learn that

bridge and Mrs. Forsyth. Songs — Mr. Gallagher and Mr. Sheen — Hugh Morehouse and Godfrey Crowell. Monologue — "Mrs. Perkins entertains"—Mrs. Forsyth. Chorus — "We're Only Suggesting This"—Society. Reading — "Pat's Mistake"—Rev. Mr. Forsyth. Duet — "Aunt Jerusha and Uncle Josh"—Leota Raymond and Hugh Morehouse. Monologue — "Reverie in Church"—Mrs. Hugh Morehouse. Duet — "Treat My Daughter Kindly"—Mrs. Wm. Crowell and Mrs. W. Forsyth.

Songs by the Coon, Clown and Hobo — Mrs. D. Sypher, Mrs. R. Sypher and L. Raymond.

Educational Feature—Enrichment of Life Through Y. P. Work—By the Fellowship Group. Illustrated Story — "O Canada" and Provinces — Miss Louise Jeffery and Group. Closing Chorus — "Let Y. P. S. Do Something For You"—Society. God Save the King.

Phyllis Oickle, of Clements vale, who was operated on in her home on January 26, is greatly improved and is able to take short walks again on sunny days. Phyllis was a very sick girl for some time but she came through it all with the good courage that is characteristic of real Red Cross Jurors. This enforced absence from school was the first time she had missed a day from school for over two and a half years. Last week William Horvath, of Upper Clements school, coasted into a tree and got quite seriously hurt. You will be glad to learn, too, that he is making a good recovery.

Planning for Easter

Pauline Woodland, of the Allen River Red Cross Club, writes that they are preparing for an Easter programme to which they will invite their parents and the teacher and pupils from the Upper Clements school. Their new officers are: President, Freda Anderson; Vice-President, Douglas Forrest; Secretary, Pauline Woodland; Treasurer, Olive Balcorn; other officers are Warren Balcorn and Philip Donald.

New Officers
The Mount Pleasant Junior Red Cross Club has been re-organized, with the following officers: President, Kathleen Daley; Vice-President, Douglas Forrest; Secretary, Evelyn VanTassel; Treasurer, Edna VanTassel. They have thirty-two members enrolled—Henry Anderson, Edna Magarvey, Vivian Robinson, Elmer Hudson are the new officers in the Parker's Cove 4-H Club. The boys are making a table for the school. This will probably be used for a sanding table. Later they will make a sand-table, too. They celebrated St. Valentine's Day.

Miscellaneous News

From North Range comes news that they have a King's English Drill every morning. Health inspection is also a regular morning practice. Some of the older pupils are taking a course in First Aid from their teacher, Miss Banks—Annie Coruse, of Springfield Red Cross Juniors, writes that their attendance has been greatly broken up by bad weather and sickness. One family in the community recently lost their home and all its contents by fire. Roll Call returns which were overlooked at the time of writing the last club news are as follows: Grade VII and VIII. Middleton, Secretary, Dorothy Phinney. 38 members. Westport, Secretary, Allan Pugh. 26 members.

Exhibition Helps
Schools desiring advice or materials relative to Exhibition work should write in as soon as possible before the spring rush starts. School magazines have to be sent in to me by the first of May. Leave a few blank pages in the back so that you may enter your May and June activities when the magazines come back to you the middle of June.

Helping Teacher

SIGNS OF SPRING
The steamer Glenholme has at last broken its way through the ice to Bear River. The river has been frozen all winter and the steamer had to handle both towards and outwards cargo from Victoria Bridge. The Glenholme was successful in forging her way through the ice to the town last Friday. Although much of the snow has come from the highways the country districts road conditions

are not improved very much. There is neither "sleddin" or "wheelin" as the farmers say. Bridges and long stretches of road are bare, making it impossible for sleds to go over the roads. In other sections there are drifts many feet deep making it impossible for "wheelers". But on the main roads matters are improving and cars are beginning to get out. But until after the frost gets out of the ground we need not look for normal transportation.

DEEP BROOK

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hiltz and two daughters, Jean and Iris, left here last week to spend a month with Mr. Hiltz' parents, at Martin's River, in Lunenburg County.

The W. M. A. S. met on Wednesday, March 7th, with Mrs. J. M. Nichols. An interesting programme was arranged by the president, Mrs.

Myrtle Jackson, and the lesson from the Mission Study book was taught by Mrs. Jessie McBridge. Mrs. Bernard Comeau returned last week from Halifax, where she had been a patient in the Infirmary for ten days.

Miss Edith Pinkney, of Clements port, is spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pinkney.

Miss Dimock, of Windsor, is relieving at the C. N. Telegraph office. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nicholl, of Weymouth, were in town yesterday.

E. J. Theriault was a business visitor to Weymouth during the week. The fire department was called out on Monday evening for a fire on the roof of the residence of William Theriault, South End. It is thought that the blaze started from a spark from a passing train. The damage was only slight.

Nothing New Under the Sun but Something New Under the Collar

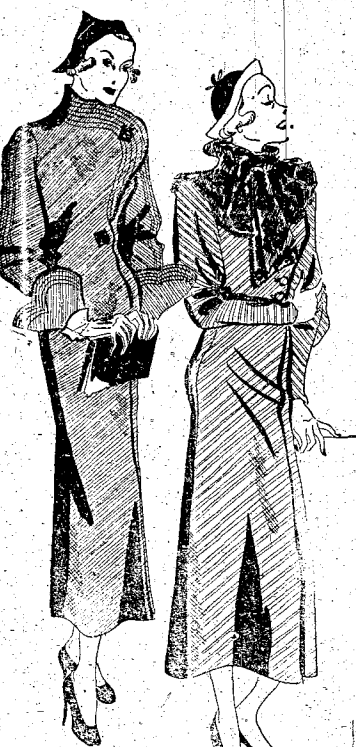
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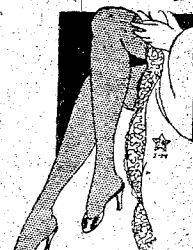
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Men's Blue Serge Pants, pr. 2.98 to 3.29
Men's New Spring Caps 69c. to 98c.
Men's 3-piece Suits 5.00

Boys' Wear

Boys' Broadcloth Blouses 39c.
Boys' Shirts, Broadcloth 79c.
Boys' Fancy Ties 25c.
Boys' 3-piece Tweed Suits 4.98
Boys' Sweaters 50c. to 1.00
Boys' Long Pants 1.00 to 1.59
Boys' Knickers 98c.
Children's 2-piece Knitted Suits 79c.
Children's Silk and Wool Sweaters 50c.
Children's Cotton Crepe Pyjama 79c. to 98c.
Children's Silk Dresses 1.00

Skirts, New Styles \$1.19 to \$2.98
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Cotton Print Dresses 1.00 to 1.98
Broadcloth Slips .59 to .69

Sale of Quality Groceries

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Old Cheese, lb. 19c.
Corn Flakes 3 pgs., 25c.
Granulated Sugar 10 lbs., 75c.
Bulk Cocoa 2 lbs., 21c.
Crosse and Blackwell Soups 3 for 23c.
40-oz. Jar Jams, all makes 35c.
Lane's Baked Beans 2 tins, 19c.

Victory Sweet Pickles, jar 25c.
34-oz. jars Heinz Pickles 39c.
Eddy Swan Matches 3 boxes, 23c.
Puffed Wheat 2 pgs., 25c.
Marshmallow Cookies 2 lbs., 25c.
Mixed Cookies 2 lbs., 25c.

The Royal Dept. Store, Digby



EASTER GREETINGS

Festival of The Ages

(Condensed from The New York Times Magazine)

Easter is the most nearly universal of all festivals in the year, and the most deeply rooted in human sentiment. Before there was a Christmas there were Easters of a sort. The Christian fathers in the fourth century built upon the old Spring feast of heathendom, endowing it with new significance. But to ages of pagans before ever there was a Resurrection Morn, Easter was a time of deliverance. Every tribe, each after its own fashion, took new inspiration in this season of reviving nature.

Most impressive of American Easter customs is one that has lately captured the land: the hilltop watch for Easter dawn. Multitudes gather in the darkness, and amid a hush of meditation turn their eyes toward the eastern sky. The crowds have grown from hundreds a few years ago to tens of thousands now. At New England colleges; on beautiful hillsides in New York and New Jersey; on the high mesas of Rocky Mountain states; on eastward facing elevations all the way to the Pacific the Easter watchers congregate. In Southern California a crowd of 40,000 can be expected in the Hollywood Bowl at sunrise; and a pilgrimage of 10,000 greets the day on the slopes of Mount Rubidoux. At San Francisco on Mount Davidson, from whose summit gleams a great lighted cross, a throng of 30,000 hails the first rays of Easter morn. Near Colorado Springs is left one of the most picturesque of the sacred services. The setting is that weird natural temple where the Indians once worshipped the Great Spirit—the Garden of the Gods, with its pulpit rock, its minarets and pillars and needle spires of red stone, and Pike's Peak looking down from 6000 feet overhead.

In this open-air worship under the morning star there is new contact between man and the universe. There is a peculiar meaning in the hour: it is the coming of a new day and a new year—a brighter year, surely, than the old. This is the true New Year's day.

In some such way perhaps the Trojans, certainly the ancient Syrians, welcomed the return of Spring, the bringer of growth and life. So did the Nordic barbarians in Caesar's time when they danced forth to meet Eostre, their goddess, whose name our Sunday day bears. A cross shines on many a hilltop now. Long

ago there were blazing fires, honoring an earlier conception of salvation from evil.

The Moravians in this country add a glowing bit of color to the American Easter picture. Crowds of pious folk and of sightseers swarm to Bethlehem, in Pennsylvania, and to the historic little brick church at Winston-Salem, in North Carolina. On Saturday afternoon they assemble and remain in worship until Easter evening, led by "dieners" in black who pass among them with baskets.

Soon after midnight the trombone choir marches through the town to summon the faithful who have not already gathered. At Salem last year the band of heralds numbered 300 pieces. Toward daybreak the watch moves from the church. At the first gleam of the rising sun the Bishop calls from the church tower, "The Lord is risen!" and the thousands in the churchyard below respond in a jubilant voice. "The Lord is risen indeed!" That call and that response have been the common Easter salutation of Christian Europe since Constantine's time.

Stranger of American Easter observances is that of the Yaqui Indians of Arizona. All night the warriors dance beside the mission chapel to the booming of bull-drums and rick-filled gourds; their grotesque headresses looking the more outlandish in the light of flaring torches. At dawn the dance suddenly ends, the exhausted dancers drop in their tracks, and a goat's head, emblem of evil to primitive America as to primitive Europe, is borne from the chapel to be burned. Here the religion of the Spanish padres almost four centuries ago, is interwoven with the older tribal religion of the red men.

Our Good Friday Hot Cross buns are pagan in origin. The Anglo-Saxon savages consumed cakes as a part of the jollity that attended their welcome to Spring. The early missionaries from Rome despaired of breaking them of the habit, and at last blessed the cakes, drawing a cross upon them. The Easter fashion parade is another survival from long ago. Before there were cutters of fashion pages there was a lively superstition, dear to princess and peasant maid alike, that a new garment worn at Easter meant good luck throughout the year. So, on Easter, crowds on Fifth Avenue dress in their best, and crowds in Harlem, in Little Italy even in Chinatown, do likewise. Easter is the time of new-

ness and a fresh start. In olden times, home fires long kept, were put out on Easter Eve so that new fires might be laid for Easter morning.

The Easter egg is frankly secular. It has remained through all the ages a folklore symbol of fertility and new life. The ancients exchanged eggs at Easter time, glided if the givers were rich and powerful, crimson otherwise, in sign of goodwill. The egg hunts and egg rollings of today are leftovers from an age when hopeful farmers rolled eggs across their fields to make sure of bumper crops.

The Easter Monday egg rolling on the White House lawn, in Washington has become a national institution. Long ago the children of Washington hunted eggs on the broad acres of the Capitol grounds. The custom grew so popular that the grounds suffered, and authority commanded a halt. Mrs. Rutherford Hayes took pity on the disappointed children and invited them to use the White House lawn, and there this manifestation of Easter gaiety continues. Fifty thousand people take part or look on. It is a children's party, to which the only grown-ups admitted are parents accompanied by little folk. Rumor says that many an enterprising maid of Washington rents herself out at the gate to childless couples who would like to have a closer view of the festivities. The children roll the eggs in streams down the green terraces, then recover their baskets and roll again, and in their exuberance they themselves roll down. There is no picture like it in the world.

The white rabbit of Easter comes hopping down to us from eras when the sun and the moon were gods to men. The white rabbit played in the full of the white Easter moon; and the rabbit, prolific then as now, was a token of prosperity.

Today, at Easter, carillons in city towers and cornets in village bellies spread cheerful tidings. Great choirs and orchestras, borrowing the magic of the radio, sweep the land with heartening music. We don't believe with the people of the Middle Ages that the sun leaps in the sky and makes a pinwheel of itself on Easter morn. Still, we are human. At Easter, in the Spring of the year, we can't help believing that things—even material things—will be better. To renew faith and hope and courage thus in the human heart has always been the function of Easter.

The Cross

They borrowed a bed to lay His head
When Christ the Lord came down;
They borrowed the ass in the mountain pass
For Him to ride to town;
But the crown that He wore and the cross that He bore,
Were His own—the cross was His own.

He borrowed the bread when the crowd He fed
On the grassy mountain side.
He borrowed the dish of broken fish
With which He satisfied,
But the crown that He wore and the cross that He bore,
Were His own—the cross was His own.

He borrowed a ship in which to sit
To teach the multitudes;
He borrowed the nest in which to rest.
He had never a home so rude.
But the crown that He wore and the cross that He bore,
Were His own—the cross was His own.

He borrowed a room on the way to the tomb
The Passover lamb to eat.
They borrowed a cove for Him a grave.
They borrowed a winding sheet.
But the crown that He wore and the cross that He bore,
Were His own—the cross was His own.

The thorns on His head were worn in my stead.
For me the Saviour died.
For the guilt of my sin the nails drove in
When Him they crucified.
But the crown that He wore and the cross that He bore,
Were His own—they should have been mine.

—Author unknown

Almost any day now we expect the service boy the filling station to lean in and pick our teeth.

The average man is proof enough that a woman can take a joke.

Benediction for almost any family circle: God bless our scrappy home.

Too Much

Too much wheat and too much lumber,
Too much steel our mills encumber;
Too much fruit—too much coal.
Too much clothing to be sold,
Too much auto—here's what's funny!
Even too much ready money;
Too much hog, and too much cow;
That's they say, the trouble now.

Selling half and making double,
That's not it; no, here's the trouble.
Too much waiting for the low,
Standing still when signs say Go.
Too much question, too much fear-
ing,
Too much talking, too much hearing,
Too much people every day,
Doubting, Canada every way.

Too much waiting, chicken-hearted,
For the rest to get things started;
Too much saying times are bad,
Too much talk of times we had,
When we ought to start the movement.

Too much waiting for improvement,
Too much brake instead of clutch,
That's the only much too much.

Easter Thoughts

Same say He still is dead,
That that strong gentle voice which spoke

As never man did speak,
Was hushed forever; that those hands
Once stretched in healing, invitation,
prayer

Have never since the harsh nails
pierced them through.
Beef, whole again; that that transcendent power
Which drew all hearts, which calmed
Wild seas and maddened men;

Which brought back Lazarus, and
the little maid;
Itself was conquered; that in Judea's
hills

Somewhere, His body fills
An unknown grave, or blows dust
of the very dust.

Before the winds that sweep that
ancient land;
But how, then, does His work go on?
Why are the lepers healed,
The blinded made to see?

In what strength do dead men and
nations rise
To life again, and call upon His
name?

Ah, no! He is not dead;
Death had, but could not hold Him.
He arose, and His resurgent life
Brings life to all who life desire.
Not only on Judea's hills; Saffaria's
plain.

By Galilee Lake, lives He today.
But in old China's valleys,
By India's paths, on Africa's trails,
In mighty lands His land knew not,
Through all the world, He walks unseen.

But not, O not unknown,
Living, and bearing life, forevermore.
—Chris Allen Speer

Once again, we are passing through
Holy Week and Good Friday,
the conclusion of the Lenten season, and
once more we have had the assurance
that the love of Jesus is the same,
and that the seven words from the
cross are words that never grow
old.

Easter is the most inspiring festival of the Christian year. It heralds the coming of God's springtime, the awakening season of the year. In a few hours the Easter bells will peal and in thousands of choirs

voices will jubilantly sing, "Christ, the Lord, is Risen Today! Alleluia!" The Easter message is not an argument—it is a revelation, and it is the most triumphant message Christ has for His followers. We cannot believe too strongly in the rising of Christ.

"We may go as far as Bethlehem and with the wise men worship the Babe. We may go as far as Capernaum; or the Sermon on the Mount, and listen to the Teacher. We may go to Calvary, and behold His passion and adore His cross. But go to the Mount of Victory and join in the resurrection song, 'He is Risen.' Christ is risen indeed! He does not lie in the garden grave—the tomb is empty. The followers of Christ were filled with new born hope as they joyfully ran, crying, 'He is Risen.' No longer is the life beyond the grave a doubt—it is a joyous certainty.

A story is told that once Easter morning on the cliffs at Cornwall, an old man was asked how he knew that Christ is risen. "Sir," he replied, "do you see those cottages on the cliffs? Sometimes when I am far out at sea I know that the sun is risen by the light that is reflected from their windows. And I know, sir, that Christ is risen because I see His light reflected on the faces of my fellows every day and I feel the light of His glory in my own poor life. As soon tell me that the sun is not risen when I see His reflected glory as tell me that my Lord is not risen."

If we believe in the resurrection of the dead, and the life is a fact of the world to come, that because He lives we shall live also, let us, like the followers of old, tell it out with jubilant voices, for even the centurion cried: "Truly this was the Son of God."

Speaking of that first Easter morning Ruskin said: "Here is a fact full of power or a dream full of meaning." May the power of that fact and the beauty of the dream enter the lives of all of us.

—N. A. F.

The Easter Song

We laid Him in the tomb by night,
And sealed the rock bars;
While close beside the Roman guards
Were watching with the stars.
But in the holy hush of dawn
Our King hath burst His prison.
And sun, and bird, and flower, this
morn

Are singing, "Christ is risen!"
Not any power on earth sufficed,
Nor death, itself, to hold the Christ.

We hear all day along our way
The resurrected voice:
"Ye too, are risen with Christ today;
For aye, rejoice! rejoice!
Who shall trust my gracious power,
Though dead, shall live again.
I am alive forevermore,
Believe! Amen! Amen!"

O Christ, whatever Thy promise saith
We trust, And lo! there is no
death!

—Susan Oak Curtis

Palm Sunday

Last Sunday was Palm Sunday—as it is known throughout the Christian world. It is in observance of Jesus' last entry into Jerusalem before His crucifixion, when the people took branches of palm trees, and went forth to greet him, crying Hosanna, etc.

This date was considered the beginning of the year in England and her American colonies until the middle of the 18th century. An act of Parliament in 1751 moved the beginning of the year to the day after December 31st, substituted the Gregorian for the Julian calendar, and directed that September 3, 1752, should be reckoned as September 14, thus cancelling the 11 days difference which existed between the two calendars.

For a long time both calendars were used in America; but it was April 1 in New England the same day it was April 11 in the Spanish colonies of Florida and California.

Tomorrow

As I walk on an April morning,
With hands outstretched to the dew,
With the soft, white, plum petals
falling—
Love is more sweet than I knew.

Winter has passed with its shrivelled
grape.
Its rust is slipping away.
April unshutters a laughing face,
Haunting me all through the day.

I shall walk in the fields tomorrow,
Wearing a sprig of rue;
Will she come to the Wishing-Well
shelter?

Will her eyes be just as blue—?

College-bred refers to something which requires a fearful amount of dough, is seldom self-raising and usually proves to be nothing more or less than a four-year loaf.

THE BEAR RIVER WEEKLY COURIER

"For Home and Country"

Edited by Women's Institute, Bear River

Neighborhood News

Mrs. Reginald Benson spent Monday in Digby.

Oakley Banks spent the week end at his home here.

Mrs. A. B. Campbell left on Thursday for a trip to Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lenehy and Lewis spent Tuesday in Digby.

Mrs. James D. Hubley spent several days last week in Halifax.

Miss Beulah Harris, R. N., has returned home from Deep Brook.

Otis Rice, Alfred Parke, H. Gehue left on Tuesday for Nictaux.

Do not fail to hear the pageant, on Easter night, in the United Church.

The Ladies' Aid met on Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. H. Cress.

Mrs. S. Stevens has purchased the house formerly belonging to Mrs. Wilson.

Eber Peck, Watson Peck and Malcolm Parker, left on Tuesday for Boston.

Mrs. Benjamin Robbins, of Centerville, is the guest of Mrs. Alden Wamboldt.

Mrs. Alden Wamboldt and Mrs. Otis Rice returned from Centerville on Thursday.

Mrs. J. A. McKenna and little daughter, are convalescing from their recent illness.

Harold Nichols, who is employed in Yarmouth, spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Spurr and F. Nichols, of Deep Brook, were in town on Thursday.

L. R. Farn, architect for the new Olds Academy building, was in town on Wednesday.

The Men's Contract Club were entertained last week by H. C. Anthony and Dr. Lovett.

H. Getti and Mr. Whitman, of Bridgetown, were guests at the Commercial House recently.

Don't forget the Apron and Pantry Sale given by the ladies of the Baptist Church, to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Curtis recently.

Milton Morgan returned from Halifax on Monday. He has been in that city for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parker and Jean, of Annapolis Royal, spent the week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Curtis.

C. W. Payne, of Halifax; and A. E. Armstrong, of Saint John, were registered at the Commercial House the past week.

The Ladies' Circle of the United Baptist Church, was entertained at the home of Miss Emma J. Dunn, on Tuesday afternoon.

The regular meeting of the C. G. I. T., of the United Baptist Church, was held in the vestry on Friday last. The regular meeting was carried out followed by the business period.

H. R. Tupper and R. M. Brown, Royal Bank inspectors, Halifax, were guests at the Grand Central Hotel on Monday. Other guests this week were Edward Colver, Saint John, and F. A. Grimm, Middleton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boyson were pleasantly "surprised" on Tuesday evening, by a number of their friends, in honor of Mr. Benson's birthday. It was a jolly occasion, the guests enjoying various games, refreshments, and a party beautifully decorated birthday cake.

There will be no evening service at the Advent Church, on Easter Sunday evening, so that those desiring to do so may attend the special services in the other churches.

A service will be held on Sunday afternoon, at 3.00 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

Capt. G. M. Morris and son, Nolan Morris, who have spent the winter working in the lumber woods in Cumberland County, arrived home on Tuesday. They made the trip by car and it took them three days to come from Puzosboro. The trip was made without accident until they were going up their own driveway when the rear end of the car went out owing to the deep snow.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. C. P. Henderson, Pastor

Regular Services—
Sunday Preaching, 10.30 a. m., and 7.30 p. m.
Church School, 11.30 a. m.
Prayer Meeting—Friday, 7.30 p. m.

FOR SALE—I have a few copies of Wilson's "History of Digby County" for sale; paper covers. These books are out of print and unobtainable. Price \$3.50.—J. J. Wallis.

HIGHEST CREAM PRICES
We paid for February Cream 28 cents per pound butter-fat.

It is the average price for the month that counts and not the price for any one week.

Yarmouth Creamery

NOTICE

The Bear River Women's Institute will not hold its regular meeting on Easter Monday afternoon, postponing it until April 5th. Notice of the place of meeting will be given next issue of the Courier.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

The home of George T. Tupper was invaded on Friday last by five widows and two maiden ladies of mature age. It is needless to say that there were no sinister motives in this invasion. It was simply in honor of his seventy-sixth birthday, and it was to him a very pleasant surprise. A dainty repast was served by his two youthful housekeepers, Jeannette VanBuskirk and Ruth Morine. In the centre of the table was a large birthday cake, on which his name and age were marked, and candles galore—though not quite the correct number. A pleasant social evening followed, during which refreshments were served.

PANTRY AND APRON SALE

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church of Canada held a very successful pantry and apron sale, with afternoon tea, on Saturday afternoon last, in H. E. Harris' sample room. The room was very tastefully decorated, the colour scheme being in yellow and cream. Mrs. Harry Harris had charge of the table and was assisted by Mrs. Otis Rice. Mrs. William Morine had the apron booth, while Mrs. Schmidt and Mrs. R. Baxter had charge of the tea table. Mrs. Morgan had the cutting, and Mrs. Cress poured. The proceeds were for church purposes.

ROYAL DIVISION IN FLOURISHING CONDITION.

The revival of activity on the part of Royal Division, No. 37, Sons of Temperance, is very marked—a tribute to the interest of the Field Secretary, Rev. A. J. MacLeod, who is now a resident of this town, spending each week end with his family here.

On Monday evening, at a well attended session, the following officers were elected to be installed at the next meeting:

W. P.—Rev. Stanley Steeves
W. A.—Esther Benson
Chaplain—Edward McDormand
R. S.—Louise Harris
A. R.—Walter Snell
F. S.—(Vacant)
A. P. S.—Miss G. Coombs
Con.—Clifton Stewart
A. C.—John Sullivan
I. G.—George Hazleton
O. G.—Clayton Hirtle
P. W.—Harvey Chisholm.

NARROWLY ESCAPES DEATH BY FALLING TREE

Last Saturday morning, John Miller, a farmer and lumberman of Morganville, three miles from Bear River, and his eighteen and sixteen-year-old sons, were cutting trees in their wood lot, when a tree which had been cut and had lodged in an adjacent tree, fell in an unexpected direction, catching Mr. Miller beneath it, striking his head and body, and rendering him unconscious.

Medical aid was promptly summoned and it was found that his leg was broken and crushed in five places, also that a bone in his wrist was fractured. After setting the leg, the injured man was X-rayed for further injuries, and taken by his Bear River physician, to the Digby General Hospital, where his condition will be closely watched.

Mr. Miller and his sons had just returned from a winter's hauling operations at Lake Rossignol, for the Morsey Pulp and Paper Company, and were beginning on Saturday, logging operations on their own property, when the unfortunate accident occurred.

MILFORD

Miss Ruth Parker was the week-end guest of Mrs. Charles Sullivan.

Mrs. John Brown spent Monday with Miss Ritson Longmire.

Mrs. William Farnsworth is spending a few days in her bungalow here.

SOURD ON THE WORLD?—THAT'S LIVER

Wake up your Liver Bile

—No Calomel necessary

Many people who feel sour, sluggish and generally unwell, are suffering from a weak liver. It is the source of all the troubles that beset the body. It is the source of all the troubles that beset the body. It is the source of all the troubles that beset the body.

Start your liver working up daily two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels. Get your stomach and intestines working as they should, once more.

Carter's Little Liver Pills will soon fix you up. Purely vegetable. Safe. Sure. Quick. Ask for them by name. Bottle contains 50¢ at all druggists.

BEAR RIVER BADMINTON CLUB TOURNAMENT

On Saturday night the final in the Women's and Men's Double events (local tournament) were played, resulting as follows:

First and Second Rounds, Ladies' Doubles—H. Green and O. Schmidt defeated Mrs. C. Blanchard and Mrs. A. B. Campbell, 15-6.

Nancy MacIntyre and R. Dunn, "bye".

Florence Dunn and Mrs. A. G. MacIntyre, "bye".

Mrs. H. Hatheway and E. Stewart, defeated Mrs. Hubley and June Schmidt, 15-12.

Semi-Finals—H. Green and O. Schmidt, defeated Nancy MacIntyre and Ruth Dunn, 21-11.

Mrs. Hatheway and E. Stewart defeated F. Dunn and Mrs. MacIntyre, 21-12.

Finals—H. Green and O. Schmidt, defeated Mrs. Hatheway and E. Stewart, 15-6, 18-13.

Winners—Harriet Green and O. Schmidt.

Men's Doubles—V. Dittmars and Lenfest Harris defeated W. A. MacIntyre and W. Jack, 17-15.

W. Anthony and C. Blanchard, and J. Harris and W. Snell, "bye".

C. Hirtle and H. MacLeod defeated C. Snell and L. Warren, 15-3.

Semi-Finals—V. Dittmars and Lenfest Harris, defeated W. Anthony and C. Blanchard, 21-3.

C. Hirtle and H. MacLeod defeated John Harris and Walton Snell, 21-12.

Finals—V. Dittmars and Lenfest Harris defeated C. Hirtle and H. MacLeod, 15-5, 15-10.

Winners—Lenfest Harris and V. Dittmars.

The Badminton Club closes on Easter Monday, with an informal card party, to which all members and their friends will be welcomed.

BEAR RIVER BOARD OF TRADE HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING.

The Bear River Board of Trade held its annual meeting on Monday evening, in the room over the Trading Company's store, with a good attendance. The following officers were elected:

President—Dr. L. J. Lovett

Vice-President—B. C. Clarke

Secretary-Treasurer—J. A. MacKenna.

Council—J. H. Cunningham, F. R. Harris, J. L. Warren, L. V. Harris, H. E. Hatheway, A. B. Marshall, H. E. Chisholm.

Tentative plans were made for 1934 activities of the Board; and following the general meeting, the council met and appointed a committee, composed of J. H. Cunningham, F. R. Harris, and L. V. Harris to bring in a report to the Council meeting scheduled for Thursday afternoon, as to the most pressing activities to be undertaken by the Board.

While a "Board of Trade" is a most desirable organization for any progressive town, it can only succeed through the hearty co-operation of the citizens, and the local "Board" is asking that the citizens of Bear River back up its efforts to further the prosperity and commercial importance of their community.

SAILING SHIPS USED IN CARRYING AUSTRALIA'S GRAIN

Those who are inclined to think that the days of the sailing ship are passed have only to look in at South Australian ports when the grain harvest is about to be shipped. Recently twenty sailing ships were in these ports waiting to load wheat for abroad, the total quantity carried by them being about 60,000 tons. These sailing ships take cargoes at rates with which steamers cannot compete and load for optional ports. Months ahead of the arrival of the wheat carriers at their destination samples of their cargoes have been sent abroad and on the long journey the grain may change ownership frequently.

CLEMENTSVALE

The funeral of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Mansfield was held on Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield accompanied the body from Halifax Saturday night and returned to Clementsvale on Tuesday. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved.

Rev. F. C. Burnett went to Halifax on Monday last to enter Camp Hill Hospital for X-ray examination. He returned on Wednesday.

Mrs. Hazel Fish spent Sunday in Clementsvale.

Mrs. Maurice Potter was hostess at a birthday party given in honor of Mrs. Watson Potter on Thursday evening. Mrs. Potter was wholly taken by surprise as the guests were poured into the room. The evening was spent in music and games. They presented her with a kitchen shower.

Mrs. Potter came here from Lyken, Mass., last September and has taken a keen interest in the church and community, assuming the duties of church organist as soon as she arrived. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

The funeral of Mrs. Frances Chute, of Virginia, was held here on Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. F. C. Burnett.

SPECIAL SERVICE

Commemorating our Lord's sacrifice on Calvary, there will be a Community Service in the United Church, at 3.00 o'clock this afternoon. The service will be conducted by the Rev. W. L. Smith, and Meditations will be given by the local clergy on the Seven Last Words from the Cross, with appropriate hymns. It is hoped a large congregation will avail themselves of this opportunity of participating in the most solemn day of the Christian year—a day which marks one of the foundations of all Christian religion.

BEAR RIVER SETS REMARKABLE RECORD

Though this town is over four miles from train connection at Bear River Station, a remarkable record has been set for it, by the maintenance of un-interrupted mail and passenger service through this exceptionally severe winter when continually heavy snow storms, and huge drifts, combined with very high winds, prevented many other towns throughout the province, from having these accommodations.

Great credit is due to Harry Harris and Waldo Chute for their initiative and energy in maintaining such service, and affording the town citizens and visitors a connection with all trains daily, both for mail and passengers.

HOW IT ORIGINATED

In years gone by when the pioneer was hurried through her own work and then walked across the snow field with three loaves of bread and her last jar of preserves to minister to her sick neighbor, and stayed to clean the house, wash the children and cook a meal, she laid the foundation for the Victorian Nurse. When she went over to the school to hear the teacher who was young and homesick, and talked over with her the problem of a certain family whose big boy would neither work in school, nor let anyone else work, she was laying a corner stone for a school nurse.

When she gathered two other neighbor women and together pieced a quilt for the new preacher's rapidly increasing family, she became the forerunner of the great and powerful Women's Auxiliary, whose splendid activities each year would fill many volumes.—From a Swift Current newspaper.

FOX BREEDERS HAD SUCCESSFUL SEASON

With over \$200,000 worth of business done in the past few months, the Nova Scotia Fox Breeders' Association Shipping Board are completing a most successful season.

5,200 pelts were shipped at Bridgetown, about 30 per cent. of which were from Clare, in this county, where the business is being developed more rapidly than in any other part of the province.

Prices have been good, pelts averaging double their worth three years ago. The highest priced pelt shipped at Bridgetown brought \$150 and came from the ranch of Frank Bath. The next two highest brought \$140 each and came from the ranches of Reuben Allard, Bear River, and Mrs. Leger Comeau, Comeauville. One shipper in the Valley received \$65 net per pelt on his entire shipment.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE

Mrs. Harry E. Harris
Mrs. C. D. Rice
Mrs. L. J. Lovett

Estate of William M. Cossaboom, Deceased

PURSUANT to an Order made in the Supreme Court in a Certain action therein numbered "A 3719 between Elmer Weir, George Weir, Herbert L. Woodman and Frank Dargie, Plaintiffs, and Clara B. Cossaboom and The Royal Bank of Canada, Defendants, all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of William M. Cossaboom deceased, who died on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1934, to send by post prepaid to Kenneth L. Crowell, of Bridgetown in the County of Annapolis, Barrister, the names of the property of the said Estate, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims a statement of their securities (if any) held by them, or a detail of the same, will be peremptorily excluded from participation in the distribution of the said estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Judge presiding at Chambers in Halifax on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1934, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication of the claims.

Dated the 8th day of March, A. D. 1934.

(Sgd.) K. L. CROWELL
Receiver



Between Ourselves

I spent part of last week on Long Island, and believe me, it's no easy job getting to that section of the county this time of year. However, I was thankful I didn't undertake the trip earlier in the season.

Guy Morehouse took us in his bus as far as Sandy Cove over "so-so" roads, on Friday. At Sandy Cove we spent the night at the Sypher House. That evening we also attended a very enjoyable meeting of the Sandy Cove Young People's Society.

From Sandy Cove we continued to East Ferry with Willie Crowell, by horse and team, over "so-so" roads. After warming ourselves at the home of Mrs. Ella Harris, "By" Blackford saw to it that we got safely across Petite Passage to Tiverton, and Ed. Blackford drove us to our destination on the Island.

There certainly is some contrast with the Island Road and the highway on the Digby Neck mainland.

On the mainland, except for a few sections, the roads were hardly shovelled out at all, in some places it was necessary to drive over drifts of snow and ice.

The worst spots on the upper part of the Neck are at Rossy and Waterford. On the lower part, Mink Cove is terrible, and a section of Tidville a little better—perhaps a little worse. I wouldn't want to commit myself.

But, on the Island, there is another story. It is possible to drive over bare ground the whole twelve miles between Tiverton and Freeport.

The Islanders have kept their road shovelled out all winter, and except for a few of the worst days, cars have been on the go the whole time.

By that, I don't mean to say that the Islanders like the idea of shovelling snow for nothing, any more than the folk on the mainland. They are still kicking about it, and will continue to kick about it until the time comes when they will be paid a little something for this hard work, but they did their kicking while they shovelled, and have shared part of the responsibility of the island mail men in getting the mails through. Furthermore, when one road was shovelled out, the men would move on to another section where there was more snow or fewer men to do the work, and lend a helping hand.

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FREEPORT

On Saturday evening last, at 8.30 o'clock, Miss Gertrude Elliott, of Tiverton, was united in marriage to Franklin Thurber of Freeport. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Greenwood, at the home of the groom, only the relatives being present, from Tiverton and Freeport.

On the same evening Miss Florence Wallis, of Digby, teacher at Central Grove, was united in marriage to Melvin Tibert, of Central Grove. The ceremony was also performed by Dr. Greenwood, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Tibert, "Mac" Wallis, brother of the bride of Digby, was present.

Mrs. Leslie Powell and Mrs. Burton Shortt, of Central Grove, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Franigan.

Mrs. Frank Outhouse and Mrs. Lowell Outhouse, of Tiverton, were the week end guests of Mrs. Romaine Perry.

The Traffic left for Tiverton on Monday morning en route to Gloucester, Mass., with a cargo of fish. Gordon Thurber is the chief engineer on this trip.

Mrs. Jane Laugher and Theodore Laugher, and Mrs. J. J. Thurber, spent the week end with Mrs. Thurber's daughter, at Tiverton.

The Ladies of the Missionary Society, assisted by Dr. Greenwood, put on a pageant last evening in the Freeport church, entitled the "Crossroads." The church was attractively lighted and trimmed for the occasion.

The pageant was given with music by the choir and solos by different ladies and gentlemen. A Palm Sunday anthem was also rendered by the choir. The offerings for the benefit of the Missionary Society.

same time proved much better for all concerned than saying "Hi—Hi—Hi" should we shovel the "X" roads for nothing?—and not doing it; and to cap the climax, sending complaints to the upper part of the Neck are at Rossy and Waterford. On the lower part, Mink Cove is terrible, and a section of Tidville a little better—perhaps a little worse. I wouldn't want to commit myself.

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EASTER SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES



EASTER DAY.—Joy and gladness fills our hearts this Easter-tide—not selfishly, because the Forty days of Lent, with their solemn self-searching lessons and discipline are past and over, but because we arrive at the goal which has been uppermost in our thoughts throughout Holy Week; namely, the Completion of the Work of Salvation from sin, which our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, came on earth to accomplish. All that we have been considering of our Lord's Work, of His life in the flesh, His sufferings and death, would have no meaning but for that stupendous event which happened the first Easter Morning when the angels announced to the sorrowing women, "He is not here, He is risen." Let us realize, then, that this miracle of miracles, the Resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, is the "corner stone" of Christianity—the basis of Christian teaching—the foundation of the Christian faith—the warrant of Christian hope," and because He lives, we shall live also.

OF ALL the days in the year there are two that stand out in their power to inspire and lift the eyes and the thoughts of men throughout the world. Those two days are Christmas, when we celebrate the anniversary of the birth of the Saviour, and Easter, when we commemorate His resurrection. And of the two days, Easter sometimes seems the most inspiring because all nature seems to be in accord, bringing new life, new assurance, new hope into the world. . . . Go to church—your church—on that day. Join with thousands of others in a renewal and rebirth of faith.

The combined churches of Digby County and Western Annapolis invite you through this message, to come to whatever church you will. You will be welcome at any of them, not only on Easter Day but on every other Sunday throughout the year. Special services and special music are being planned in all of them.

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CHURCH OF ENGLAND NOTES—PARISH OF WEYMOUTH

The services on Sunday are as follows, and we hope that all communicants will be present to greet their risen Lord, and worship Him upon His Altar. Remember the words of the church: "Every communicant shall communicate at least three times in the year, of which Easter be one." (P. B. para 201) and help us achieve our Lenten aim. Every communicant at the Lord's Table on Easter Day."

St. Peter's Church, Weymouth—10:30 a.m., Children's Service (This will be in charge of Captain Sugrue, 11:00 a.m., Festival Eucharist, celebrant, The Rector; preacher, Capt. Hutchinson.

The newly formed vestal choir will, it is hoped, make its initial appearance, and the order of service will be: Recessional Hymn, 171. "Christ Our Passover." Service of the Word. Plummer. "Gloria." Plain.

Antiphon—Awake Thou that Sleepest—Simper. Offertory Hymn, 157. Sanctus. Gloria in Excelsis. Recessional Hymn, 164.

St. Matthew's Church, Weymouth—3 p.m., Celebration of Holy Communion. . . .

St. Mark's Church, Burtonvale—3:00 p.m., Evensong; preacher, Capt. Hutchinson. . . .

St. Mary's Church, Barton—2:30 p.m., Evensong; preacher, Capt. Sugrue. . . .

St. Thomas' Church, Weymouth—8:45 a.m., Choral Eucharist, 7:30 p.m., Festival Evensong. Recessional Hymn, 164. "Gloria." Plain.

Antiphon—Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead?—Cooke. Hymn, 161. "The Living." The Rector. Hymn, 163. Recessional Hymn, 394.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA—BEAR RIVER CIRCUIT

Rev. C. L. Blanchard, Minister

"If Christ be not risen, then is our preaching vain, and your faith is also vain. But now is Christ risen from the dead, and become the first-

fruits of them that slept."

Easter services will be celebrated in the United Church morning and evening. In the morning there will be Easter music with an appropriate message.

The evening service will be conducted by the Woman's Missionary Society, and will take the form of a pageant. The offering received at this service will be devoted to the spread of the Easter message throughout the world. Service at Bear River East at 3:00 o'clock, p.m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Rev. A. W. L. Smith, Rural Dean, Rector

On Good Friday there will be service at Clementsport at 10:30 o'clock, and at Deep Brook at 7:30 o'clock. In the afternoon, at 3 o'clock, the rector will take part in the community service in the United Church, Bear River. See special notice.

On Easter Day the services are arranged as follows: Clementsport—8:00 a.m., Deep Brook, 10:30 a.m., Bear River, 3:00 p.m., Clementsport—7:30 p.m.

ST. MARY'S BAY UNITED BAPTIST CIRCUIT

"Lift your glad voices in triumph on high, For Jesus hath risen, and man shall not die."

Again we greet you at the Easter-tide and cordially invite you to worship with us, as we pay glad homage to our risen Lord.

The services will be held at: North Range, 11:00 o'clock, a.m., Deep Brook, 10:30 a.m., Barton, 7:30 o'clock, p.m.

The choirs of the different churches will furnish special Easter music. The pastor, Rev. M. C. Higgins, will bring the message of the Easter tide, with the hope that we may gladly.

Lift our eyes to the Eastern skies, And live in the endless light."

DIGBY NECK SECOND BAPTIST PASTORATE

Rev. C. L. Christie, Pastor

"But God who is rich in mercy . . . hath quickened us together with Christ (by grace ye are saved) and hath raised us up together, and

made us sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus."

"If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above."

The services for Sunday are:—

Little River—10:30 a.m., Easter Morning Questions; 11:30, Sunday School; 7 p.m., Concert.

Tidville—2:00 p.m., Sunday School; 3:00, "First Words from the Tomb."

Sandy Cove—2:00 p.m., Sunday School; 7:00, "The Empty Grave."

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA—DIGBY NECK CHARGE

Rev. W. H. Forsyth, B. A., Pastor

"No longer a sealed tomb, now empty that rock-hewn room; The night is over, the Christ they loved, is risen as he said! Fear not, the angel saith, for He has conquered death. Look up, rejoice, your Saviour Lord is risen from the dead."

The services on Sunday are as follows: Sandy Cove—10:00 a.m. Sunday School (Special Missionary offering); 11:00 a.m., Public Worship and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. The choir will render special music, including an anthem, "My Redeemer Liveth."

Centerville—2:00 p.m., Sunday School; 7:00 p.m., An Easter Concert rendered by the Bethany United Church Sunday School.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Rev. A. E. Gabriel, Rector

Good Friday—11:00 a.m., Matins and Table Prayers. 8:00 p.m., Sacred Cantata and Address.

Easter Eve—11:00 a.m., Matins and Table Prayers.

Easter Day—8:00 a.m., Holy Communion; 10:00 a.m., Children's Service; 11:00 a.m., Matins and Holy Communion.

3:00 p.m., Evensong at Marshalltown. 7:00 p.m., Evensong.

Easter Monday, at 4:00 p.m., you are asked to bring in your Lenten Self-Denial boxes to the Rectory. The children will bring their boxes to church on Easter Day.

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DIGBY UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. E. Bishop, B. A., Pastor

The services on Sunday will be:—

Digby, 11:00 a.m., and 7:00 p.m. Hill Grove, at 3:00 p.m.

These services will observe the great truth which Easter commemorates.

At the evening service the choir will render a Cantata, "Crown Him," by Charles Francis Lane.

Sunday School at the close of the morning service. Communion service at the close of the evening service.

"But now hath Christ been raised from the dead."

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA—WEYMOUTH CIRCUIT

Rev. M. R. Ewing, Minister

The services for Easter Sunday on this circuit will be as follows:—

11:00 a.m.—Barton-Brighton—Divine Worship, with special Easter music and the Holy Communion service.

3:00 p.m.—North Range. 2:00 p.m.—Weymouth—Sunday School.

7:30 p.m.—Weymouth—Divine Worship, with Baptismal and Reception services, concluding with the Holy Communion. The choir is providing special Easter music.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA—DIGBY CIRCUIT

Rev. E. W. Forbes, Pastor

Easter Sunday services will be as follows:—Digby, 11:00 a.m., and 7:00 p.m.; Bayview, 3:00 p.m.

The subject of the morning sermon will be, "The Assurance of a Life Beyond." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated. In the evening two pictures will be shown, "The Descent from the Cross," (Rubens), and "He Is Risen," (Ploekhorst). There will be two illustrated hymns, "Beneath the Cross of Jesus," and "Mary To the Saviour's Tomb." There will be special Easter music at both services.

CLEMENTSVALE UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. F. C. Burnett, Pastor

The services on Sunday (Easter Day) will be as follows: Sunday School, at 10:00 o'clock. Public Worship at 11:00 and 7:30

Marriages

Spray-Turnbull

The marriage of Alda May, daughter of Mrs. Sadie Turnbull, Light-house Road, to Stanley Spray, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Spray, of Nottingham, England and now a member of the staff of the Wallis Print, Digby, took place at the United Church parsonage, on Saturday evening last, Rev. E. W. Forbes, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Spray will reside in Digby.

BAND NOT APPLIED FOR AN APPROPRIATION

To the Editor of the Courier:

Sir—Cervantes gave us Don Quixote of old, who with Chivalry as his watchword set forth in broad daylight to right the wrongs of the world and to attack all public enemies, which he did fearlessly and savagely only to find out later (or did I find out?) that his supposed dread-ful antagonists were nothing but commonplace things of everyday life—enemies only in his excited imagination. School children are familiar with the story of those absurd exploits. And now comes the modern Don Quixote but without his banner of Chivalry, and in the dark obscurity of an anonymous signature, who sallies forth to slay an imaginary public enemy and to thwart a gangster in his wicked plot to make a raid on the Town Treasury (or has he found out?) that Don Q's attack was forestalled by a letter which I wrote the Mayor of Digby last February 26 (note the date), as follows:

"If the Band or Music Council has any proposal to make it should come officially from the Music Council and not from me personally. So far as I know, they have no suggestion for the Town Council to consider at present."

And this statement was endorsed by the Music Council when they met last week when they voted unanimously to make no request for a Town grant. And so we see the threatened raid existing only in the nervous imagination of our Don Q, whose barbed shafts smote empty air. His grand assertion that "my one and only object is to induce the Mayor and Town Council to impose a tax, etc., etc." turns out to be a misdirected and futile thrust at a non-existent peril.

In the same recent letters to the Courier, I made any mention of taxation for band uses except in one sentence reading: "My salary is not costing the taxpayer a cent." I wish to repeat my remark with reference to the present well-balanced "Whynot?" We might do well to stop our grumbling and give them our hearty co-operation." Intentional misrepresentation of my motives might be expected from certain services, but I rest easy on that score, my letters being written for readers whose intelligence is supplemented by fair-mindedness.

BUD DREAM

SATURDAY, MARCH 31st
WARNER, BAXTER, MIRIAM
JORDAN, JOHN BOLES, in

"Six Hours to Live"

Cartoon and News Weekly
Shows at 2:30, 7:30 and 9:00
Regular Prices

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
April 2-3

MAURIE CHEVALIER in

"Bed Time Story"

One of Chevalier's Best, and a Picture that will please Everyone

THURSDAY & SATURDAY
April 5-7

DOUBLE FEATURE SHOW
CAROLE LOMBARD and PAT
O'BRIEN, in

"Virtue"

SECOND FEATURE

"On Approval"

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Regular Prices

COMING—APRIL 12-14

"Rome Express"

The Picture You Have All
Wanted to See

The monthly conference meeting of this church will be held tomorrow afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

The annual business meeting of this church will be held at Clements- vale, on Tuesday afternoon next, at 2:00 o'clock.

Come to Worship! Leave to Sorrow!

ANNOUNCING . .

the opening of a new Automobile Show Room, on Water Street, in Digby. We have taken the agency for all the General Motors Cars and have on display at present, several models of the

1934 Chevrolet Six

If no one is in at the Show Rooms call DUNN'S SERVICE STATION, (Phone 74), and they will be pleased to show you the new models, or to service your old car, as they have been appointed the official service men for the General Motors cars.

MACDONALD MOTORS

Phone 43

DIGBY, Nova Scotia

But from the Calamity Howler, Good Lord, deliver us!

Feeling confident that the great majority of Digby people are warm friends of the Band and look upon it as a valuable adjunct in town affairs, and relying on their co-operation, I shall continue to make energetic use of every means sanctioned by the Music Council to give the public what it wants—a good, useful and permanent Civic Band.

Paul Yates
Digby, March 27, 1934.

THE WOOD SITUATION

Getting out their winter's supply of wood has been a serious problem with the Digby County farmers this winter. The woods are so full of snow that chopping operations in many cases have been next to impossible.

The unusually severe winter also "foolled" many who thought they would not have to worry about fuel; they found their wood piles giving out, and in some cases had to cut trees in their back yards and heat their homes with the green wood thus obtained.

One Lake-Midway farmer told us that two years ago he hauled out fifty-five loads, and thought he had enough to keep him going for three

years. He ran short this winter, but has managed to get out enough to put him through the winter to come. Another says that on several occasions this winter he had to sit up all night and keep hot water bottles around his heater to save himself the trouble of chopping out frozen flames the next morning.

The shortage of wood in Digby, and the difficulty of getting what there was, has caused over forty families to install range oil burners. This is going to be felt by both the coal and wood vendors.

Tonight's meeting of St. George Lodge of Oddfellows promises to be an interesting one. There will be a musical program by a portion of the Band, and a talk by one of the members—a repetition of a paper delivered at the Kiwanis Club some weeks ago, all to be followed by refreshments.

MARRIED

Tidd-Burns—At the Baptist parsonage, Weymouth North, on Monday evening, March 26, 1934, by Rev. James Neilson Miss Minnie Burns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burns Weymouth North, to James Tidd, son of John and the late Mrs. Tidd, of Tidville.

Specials: Thurs., Mar. 29, Sat. 31, April 2

P. and G. Soap	5 cakes, 21c.
Clark's Spaghetti tin	10c.
Gillett's Lye	2 tins, 25c.
Kraft Cheese, pkg.	14c.
Shredded Wheat, pkg.	11c.
Beans	7 lbs., 30c.
Heinz Tomato Ketchup, large, bot.	21c.
Campbell's Tomato Soup, tin	09c.
Jello	4 pkgs., 23c.
Grape Nut Flakes	2 pkgs., 25c.
Quality Tomatoes, tin	10c.
Brown Betty Snaps	2 lbs., 25c.
Christie's Soda Wafers, pkg.	10c.

Oranges, Lemons, Grape Fruit, Bananas, Hams, Bacon

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Neighborhood NEWS

Mrs. E. M. Skidmore spent the week end in Kentville.

C. F. Whitcomb, of Saint John, was in town on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Nicholl were in Digby one day last week.

Arnold Lent returned to Digby on Monday to resume his position.

Richard Gaudet, of Danvers, spent Saturday at Weymouth North.

Mrs. George Muise, of Saultierville, was in town one day recently.

E. J. Theriault, L.L.B., of Digby, was in town on business last week.

Hugh Potter returned on Thursday of last week from a trip to Halifax.

Gordon L. Cann, of Yarmouth, was in town on business on Thursday.

Peter Weaver, who has been employed in Digby, returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Amoro were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grant on Sunday.

H. Whitney, manager of the Hamilton Co., was a business visitor to Digby on Saturday.

Miss Katharine Blackadar was a passenger to Yarmouth on Monday, returning on Tuesday.

Mr. Andrews, of North Range, representing the Farmen Co., was in town on business last week.

Gladstone Hutchins and Mr. Duigas, of Rossaw, spent a few days last week at Weymouth North.

Mr. McVior, who has been supplying as manager of the Royal Bank here, has returned to Halifax.

A. D. Sullis, of Smith's Cove, was in town on business on Monday. He was accompanied by Arthur Titt.

Friends of Mrs. Stella Fisher of Northport, will regret to learn that she is reported as quite seriously ill.

Mrs. Hope Killam, who has been in the United States, returned home spending the winter with relatives on Friday.

Rev. L. W. Mosher, who is attending Yale University, arrived on Tuesday to spend the Easter vacation in his parish here.

Mrs. G. C. Coggins and Miss Gerry FitzGerald visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Doty, at Antigonish, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Barr and baby, of Weaver Settlement, were guests of Mrs. Barr's mother, Mrs. Margaret Tooker, on Sunday.

Capt. Norman Surg, of the Church Army, is spending a few days this week in Digby, where he is assisting the rector, Rev. A. E. Gabriel.

Capt. H. R. Marshall, who has recently arrived from Australia, arrived on Thursday to spend an indefinite time at his home in Weymouth North.

G. L. Coggins and Ellsworth Coggins left last week for Centreville, where they have purchased a motor boat which they are fitting up for the fishing season.

Capt. H. B. FitzGerald was in Digby on municipal business on Monday. He was accompanied by Miss Gerry FitzGerald, Harvey FitzGerald, Jr., and Fred Rand.

Sergeant-Major Wallace was in Weymouth for several days last week instructing and inspecting the 52nd Battalion. The prize winners in the signalling course were: First—Ellsworth Coggins; 2nd—Cecil Hollowell; 3rd—Camille Muise.

Among the four new branches of the Nova Scotia Junior Red Cross Society registered at Halifax last week was that of St. Andrew's Anglican school, of which Miss Stella Sabine, of Weymouth, is the teacher.

The Lent retreat for women of St. Mary's Parish, Church Point, began on Friday. Rev. Father Etienne officiating, and Rev. Father Dreaan preaching. The retreat lasted until Sunday morning, when general communion for women took place at the 7 o'clock Mass.

The Ten Commandments are being placed in the Hantsport school building. The placards are about four feet by two, covered with glass and framed in oak. Contributions have been received from different sources among them being the Women's Institute. The placing of the Commandments in the school is due to the strenuous efforts of Rev. Morris Taylor, rector of St. Andrew's Anglican church. Mr. Taylor is a former rector of the Anglican parish of Weymouth.

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That this is true in your case, Mr. Editor, is evidenced by the fact of your re-establishment of the Weymouth Gazette after the business of Weymouth had failed to completely fulfil the promises made you at the time of launching your first newspaper venture in that town, doubly proven by the tenacity with which you clung to what was, even to the eye of the most casual observer, a losing proposition in the present instance.

The ebb and flow of the years have washed away all the ill-will which might have been mine a quarter of a century ago, and today there remains only an amazed contentment for those merchants who were forever asking that the pages of the Gazette be open to every cry against "mail order buying," but whose ads. never graced its columns and whose job printing was done in either Yarmouth or Saint John.

I do not know the present-day reasons being urged by those Weymouth business men to account for their failure to adequately support the "Gazette." It may be that time-honored one, "it doesn't pay," which I believe was either invented or copyrighted by some of those same business men. How this conclusion was arrived at I am at a loss to know. Never having tried advertising as a medium for bringing their wares to the attention of the public some element of second sight or divination must, of necessity, have been included in the sum total of their mental bestowments.

I find, Mr. Editor, one grave fault in your "Farewell" message. The tribute which you pay is not really loyally supported you is not really an adequate one. While fulsome flattery should not have been tendered those who did their part, it seems to me that a bit of filling of the editorial pen, together with the addition of a dash of acid to the contents of the sanctum ink pot, were indicated in tendering farewell to those who danced but wouldn't pay.

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Obituary

Luc C. Robichaud

The death of Luc C. Robichaud occurred on Saturday, March 17, at Meteghan, after a short illness of heart trouble. The deceased was 78 years of age. He always resided, and was known and respected by all. He is survived by five daughters, and six sons. The funeral services will be held from Stella Maris church, Rev. Father Deveau officiating.

CHURCH POINT

Captain B. N. Melanson, of Gilbert's Cove, motored to Church Point on Wednesday, on a business trip.

Mrs. Fidelis LeBlanc, who has been in Saultierville for some time, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Comeau, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Maude Melanson and two children, who have been spending the past two months visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel LeBlanc, at Grosses Coques, returned to Boston on Tuesday.

Miss Veronique Melanson, of Little Brook Station, visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis LeBlanc last week. Miss Melanson will return to Boston shortly.

Mrs. Kenneth Merritt, of the Eastern Steamship Lines, visited friends here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arcade LeBlanc, of Grosses Coques, motored here on Wednesday.

WATERFORD

Mrs. Byron Prime has been visiting friends in Rossaw.

The Misses Alice Cornwall and Dorothy VanTassel, of Rossaw, were Sunday guests of F. C. Raymond.

Mrs. Kenneth Merritt, of Mink Cove, was the week end guest of her mother, Mrs. Annie Westcott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brown, Robert Denton, and the Misses Ardis and Edna Cheney and Gladys Trask, of Little River, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Vidito.

Mrs. H. A. Vidito and grand-daughter, Mamie, are spending the Easter holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. J. Franklin, and Mrs. C. K. LeDrew, Digby.

Ruth Cheney, teacher, is spending the Easter holidays at Saint John the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Cleyne.

Confirmation—Class will be arranged within the next two weeks and those who desire to offer themselves for Confirmation are asked to give their names to the captains as early as possible.

Who should be confirmed? All who have been baptized and can say the Creed, the Lord's Prayer and the Ten Commandments, and can answer other questions from the Catechism, and who have a fixed desire and determination to serve God bravely and all who seek to receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

JOGGIN BRIDGE

Miss Freda Roop, of Deep Brook, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roop.

Edward Robbins, of Annapolis Royal, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson.

"Gus" Morrison has been employed for a few days in Hubert Wilson's garage.

John McGuire, Sr., is spending a few days in Kentville, visiting his daughter, Mrs. Robert Taylor, and Mr. Taylor.

Mrs. Clara Cossaboom, accompanied by the Misses Elizabeth and Stella Woodman, spent the day recently with Mrs. M. M. Wookman.

HECTANOOGA

Don, Glennie left on Monday evening to return to his home in Oxford after Easter. His company have their winter logging finished, having saved over a million feet. There are over forty thousand feet at the mill to be hauled out as soon as the roads are in shape.

Rose Nickerson, of Richfield, and Thomas Thibault, of Briar Lake, were here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Saulnier, of Briar Lake, were here Wednesday. They proceeded to Norwood to visit their daughter, Mrs. James Curry, and Mr. Curry.

W. E. Mattinson has finished his winter sawing at Richfield. The mill is to be moved to Moody's Corner for sawing soft wood lumber during a part of the summer.

CENTRAL GROVE

Mrs. Leslie Powell and Mrs. Burton Shortliffe spent the week end with friends in Freeport.

Miss Florence Wallis, who spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallis, Digby, returned on Saturday, accompanied by her brother Mac. That evening she was one of the principals in an interesting event which took place at Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Delaney spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Outhouse, Tiverton.

Mrs. L. B. Delaney is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Teed, Freeport.

VICTORIA BEACH

Mrs. Re. Casey and son, Kenneth, are visiting Mrs. Casey's sisters, in Digby.

A 15-cent tea was held at Mrs. Ira Haynes', on March 15th.

Mrs. Bradford Finigan, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Denton, Westport, returned home on Thursday last.

Mrs. George H. Haynes, of Digby, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Haynes.

Theodore Everett, who has been employed in Cambridge, Kings Co., returned home last week.

The Chatterbox Sewing Club met at Mrs. Burton Everett's last week. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Jean Taylor has returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Snow, Hillsburg.

Mrs. Henry Raymond, of Digby, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Taylor.

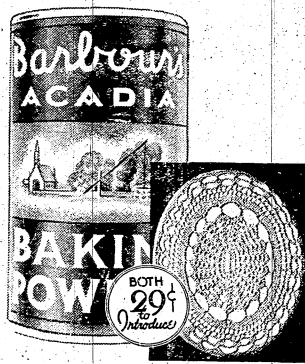
Mr. and Mrs. John Casey and Miss Emma spent Sunday at Thorne's Cove, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thorne.

Wood-clipping frolics are popular.

NEW ZEALAND OWES GRASS INDUSTRY TO NOVA SCOTIA

New Zealand owes its crop of turf grass to the fact of the emigration of Scotch settlers from Cape Breton, to the Wapiti district in New Zealand around 1851. In that year these hardy settlers built a barque called the Margaret, of 236 tons, under the leadership of their pastor, Rev. Norman McLeod, and set sail for Australia. Their mattresses they stuffed with a natural grass, finding south Australia, where they landed, not to their liking the party moved on to New Zealand. During the next

five years five more shiploads moved to New Zealand. In the course of time the mattresses became too stale even for Scotchmen, and the contents were thrown out with the result that the seed got into the ground and spread throughout the Wapiti district. There is a great demand for a superior grass seed for golf courses and the like and the Maritime Provinces have attained considerable success in the cultivation of seed. Prince Edward Island grows a superior seed and it commands a premium over the New Zealand and German article.



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Obituary

Benjamin C. Robbins

The death of Benjamin C. Robbins occurred at his residence, in Centreville, on March 18th, after a lingering illness, in his 82nd year. He went to Centreville as a young man, and spent a very active life in church and community life, until ill health caused his retirement. He was ordained a deacon in the Baptist church by the late Rev. Dr. J. C. Morse. Mr. Robbins is survived by his wife Mary J. His first wife, Emma L., predeceased him twenty years ago; three daughters, Mrs. Coran B. Cossabomb of Watertown, Mass.; Mrs. Wilbur J. Hutchinson, East Milton, Mass.; Mrs. G. Douglas Denison, Saint John; two sons, Willard J. Margaret Harbour, C. B.; and Weldon J. Halifax, also a sister, Mrs. Jane Weir, Digby, and a brother, G. F. Robbins, Centreville. The funeral service was held at his residence, on Tuesday of last week, conducted by Rev. C. E. Chute, assisted by Rev. J. T. Dimock. Interment was in the family lot at Centreville.

MORE CANARIES ENTER CANADA

The approach of spring brings statistics to show that for the past twelve months there has been a definite increase in the number of canaries brought into Canada. Canadian National Express officials, concerned with the travel comfort of the warblers from Germany and England, state that throughout the depression there has been a tendency to view canaries as purveyors of good cheer and therefore a domestic necessity instead of a luxury. While canary-blessed homes are found from coast to coast in Canada, there is reason to believe that in particular Toronto is more canary-minded than Montreal. The latest shipments will be allotted to adopted homes early next month.

CANADA CELEBRATES HISTORICAL EVENTS

Three important historical events will be celebrated in Eastern Canada this summer, the Toronto Centennial, May 24-25, July 2-4, August 4-6; the 400th anniversary of the landing of Jacques Cartier, at Cap de la Madeleine, in 1534; and the 300th anniversary of the founding of the city of Three Rivers, Quebec. Festivities in connection with the Toronto Centennial will include pageants, choral music, military manoeuvres, symphonic concerts and band concerts on a large and lavish scale. In connection with the Cap de la Madeleine, a large cross will be erected as close as possible to what is believed to be the spot where Jacques Cartier erected a cross on July 16, 1534. The exact spot is unknown.

CENTREVILLE

Mrs. G. D. Denton, of Saint John, arrived on Monday of last week, called home by the death of her father, B. C. Robbins. She returned on Saturday, accompanied by her brother, Willard.

Mrs. Aiden Wamboldt and Mrs. Otis Rice, of Bear River, attended the funeral of the late B. C. Robbins, on Tuesday of last week.

Easter brings the promise of new growth and new beginnings. We hope that the coming season may bring new hope and comfort to the hundreds of thousands who have found this season almost beyond what they could endure.

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Marriages

Tibert-Wallis

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Tibert, Freeport, on Saturday evening, when Florence Euphemia, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Wallis, Digby, became the bride of Melvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tibert, Central Grove. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Greenwood, Freeport. The bride was becomingly attired in a peach dress and carried a large bouquet. After the ceremony, dainty refreshments were served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tibert. The newly wedded couple will reside in Central Grove.

School Club Notes

Making Art Books
The schools at Leaside, Brickton, Clements, Bridgetown (VII and VIII), are making lovely Art Scrap Books for the Exhibition.

Wrote Letters
Club members at Bear River Road school wrote some interesting letters for Composition work, and these were forwarded to a school in Cape Breton.

Making a Collection
Bernard Fraser, of the Principale school, writes that he is making a collection of native woods for the Exhibition, and is now working on a comparison of their economic values.

Wanted
Cover designs are wanted for the May Club News. Send them in before the 25th of April, please. The prize for the cover of the March-April issue was won by Irene Smith, of Smith's Cove school. She gets a Canadian picture for framing.

Easter Greetings
Easter Greetings and a happy week-end to all the pupils and their teachers.

Helping Teacher
YOU GET MORE OUT OF IT

There is nothing that revives and refreshes one when fatigued so quickly and so effectively as a cup of good tea. This fact has long been appreciated by Maritime people, who are among the largest per capita drinkers of tea on this continent. Maritime people are good judges of tea, too, and the preference they have in such numbers extended to Morse's Tea is due to the critical faculty in judging the merits of the various blends. They are coming more and more, too, to appreciate the actual economy achieved in using the best blends; hence the better sale, even in these times, of that best of all blends, Morse's Selected Orange Pekoe—Canada's tea de luxe. The price of this tea is 70 cents a pound package, but is so full of flavour that a little goes a long way. It not only gives the best satisfaction in use, but is actually economical. You get more out of Morse's Selected Orange Pekoe—more cups, more energy, more flavour, more refreshment, more enjoyment.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA—DIGBY NECK CHARGE

Rev. W. H. Forsyth, B. A., Pastor

Service will be held in Zion United Church, Sandy Cove, tonight, at 7.30 o'clock.

The Y. P. S. met on Friday evening in the club room. The program given by the Fellowship Group, under the leadership of Rev. W. Forsyth, was on the topic, "The Enrichment of Life Through Church Relationship."

The Ladies' Aid was entertained last Thursday, at the home of Mrs. O. H. Morehouse.

The "King's Daughters" C. G. I. T. group met with their leader, Mrs. A. N. Eldridge, on Saturday afternoon. The devotional service, entitled, "Girls of Other Lands," was led by Mrs. Forsyth. The discussion for the afternoon was on "China."

The Y. P. S. were pleased to have as their guests on Friday evening, Miss Florence Wallis, and her brother, "Ye Junior Ed", of Digby.

OLD COPIES WANTED

We have been recently making up our files for the past ten years, and find we are short the following numbers:

January 14, 1927
January 21, 1927
March 11, 1927
July 20, 1928
July 27, 1928
September 28, 1928
October 5, 1928
November 30, 1928

Can any of our readers supply the missing numbers?

AUSTRALIA ENCOURAGES TOBACCO GROWING

With the object of encouraging cultivation of better grades of tobacco, Australia has voted the sum of \$100,000 per annum for five years for educational purposes. At the present time imports of tobacco into Australia are valued roughly at \$3,500,000, states the Agricultural Department of the Canadian National Railways. A report issued by the Australian Tobacco Investigation Committee covering the operations during the last six years in tobacco growing tests show that good quality tobacco can be grown in Australia but in many cases it was either grown in unsuitable localities or inefficient cultural practices had been adopted.

MORGANVILLE

Mrs. R. MacCormack and Great Dunn, of Bear River, were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Fred Porter, on Wednesday.

Mrs. Clarence Morgan and Mrs. Ernest Hafford spent Wednesday at a "quilting" at Mrs. Fred Porter's. A number of gentlemen were in during the evening and delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. Walter VanTassell of Mt. Pleasant, was in the village recently in the interest of Old Age Pensions. Robert Rice went to Halifax on Tuesday to enter the V. G. Hospital, for treatment.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK
Somebody lived all the hours. Carelessly matched life's fairest flowers. Somebody made life less not gain. Thoughtlessly seemed to live in vain. Was that somebody, you?

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Fig Bars, per lb.	19c.
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"Wagstaff's" Raspberry and Strawberry Jam, per jar	43c.
"Wagstaff's" Plum Jam, per jar	23c.
Jaffa and Sunkist Oranges, per doz.	45c. and 50c.
Grape Fruit	3 for 25c.
Easter Candies	All Prices
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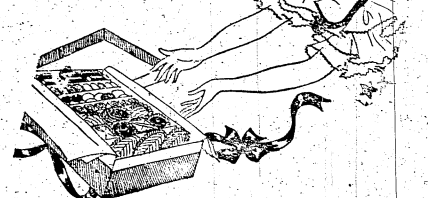
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Question No. 1 When you wake at night and the ominous crackle of flames tells you that your home is ablaze... do you need a telephone? YES ☐ NO ☐

Question No. 2 If a member of your family is seeking employment, do you need a telephone so that employers may locate you quickly when a vacancy occurs? YES ☐ NO ☐

Question No. 3 When sudden sickness comes to some member of your family... do you need a telephone to call the doctor in a hurry? YES ☐ NO ☐

Question No. 4 When your wife is alone, and a thief is heard trying to open a window... wouldn't a telephone be a godsend? YES ☐ NO ☐

Question No. 5 When you are unavoidably detained at the office, or by automobile trouble, would a telephone at home be handy to notify the family? YES ☐ NO ☐

Question No. 6 When a water pipe bursts, or the lights fail, isn't a telephone useful in meeting the emergency? YES ☐ NO ☐

Question No. 7 When it's raining outside, would a telephone save you unpleasant trips to the nearest store? YES ☐ NO ☐

Question No. 8 Insurance tables reveal that a high percentage of all accidents occur in the home. Should a member of your family suffer an accident, wouldn't a telephone be worth its weight in gold? YES ☐ NO ☐

Question No. 9 Isn't it worth a lot just to know that you can lift the receiver of your telephone and call your friends or receive calls from them? YES ☐ NO ☐

Question No. 10 Doesn't it lighten the wife's duties if she has a telephone to order groceries, ask the cleaner to call, or run other errands? YES ☐ NO ☐

If you have more "Yeses" than "Noes" our suggestion would be... a telephone. The cost is moderate, the value is all you wish to make it. Get in touch with the business office. Say: "I want a telephone."

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WINDSOR HAD EARLIEST FAIR

One of the earliest fairs in Canada was held at Windsor, N. S., on May 21st, 1765, under a royal charter granted by George III. For the person bringing the greatest number of neat cattle to the fair for sale a prize was awarded of three yards of English blue superfine broadcloth and silver medal; for the greatest number of horses a saddle, a bridle and a medal; the greatest number of sheep, a pair of shears, a pair of cards and a medal; the largest pair of working oxen, a ploughshare and a medal; next largest, a ploughshare; the finest and largest cow a butter churn and a medal; best butter, not less than twelve pounds, six yards of ribbon and a medal; the best cheese, not less than twelve pounds, six yards of ribbon and a medal; to the best running horse, a pair of buckskin breeches and a medal; and to the best pair of horses, a pair of buckskin breeches and a medal was awarded the owner; the next best

horse got a pair of buckskin breeches and the next in order a whip and a pair of spurs; the best wrestler a pair of shoes and buckles; and the next in order a pair of buckskin gloves. They also had shooting matches but rifle barrels were prohibited, firelocks only being qualified.

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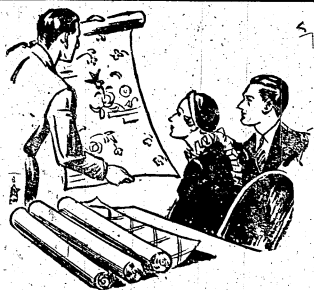
There is only one real Royal Standard in Canada and it is in St. Paul's Church, Halifax-Canada's Westminster Abbey. It belongs to the Society of Royal British Veterans. The right to use the standard was granted to the society, which dates from the Crimean War, by Queen Victoria, and during her reign it was unfurled on all official occasions. The privilege was rescinded in the reign of King Edward VII who decreed it could be flown only in the presence of Royalty.

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MUNICIPALITY OF THE DISTRICT OF DIGBY

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION at the Court House, Digby, on Tuesday, April 24th, A.D. 1934 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon the following properties for unpaid Municipal Rates:

- Eudora Cogins**
Situate at Westport; commencing at western corner land owned by L. F. Barkhouse, running west along Church Street fourteen rods, north east along lands of said L. F. Barkhouse five rods; thence south along lands of L. F. Barkhouse fourteen rods, thence south along lands of L. F. Barkhouse five rods to place of beginning.
- Dalton Stevens**
Situate at Freepoint; bounded on the north and east by lands of Heron Campbell; west by the Main Highway; south by lands of Maurice Melanson.
- Cyrus Albright**
Situate at Freepoint; bounded on the north by lands of W. F. Morrell; east by lands of A. T. Haines; south by lands of Rudolph Thuermer; east by Cow Lodge Road.
- Ambrose Cossitt**
Situate at Smith's Cove; bounded on north by lands of H. A. Challis and Mrs. Susan Darcy (or C. B. Darcy); east by lands Mrs. Susan Darcy (or C. B. Darcy) and John McGuire; south by lands of Mrs. M. E. Berryman and W. E. Gillatt; west by lands of W. E. Gillatt and the late J. E. Woodman. (Lot 1).
- Bounded on the north and east by lands of Mrs. Susan Darcy (or C. B. Darcy); south by lands of H. A. Challis; west by lands Frank Jones. (Lot 2).
- Margaret Stewart**
Municipal Clerk

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson

Sunday, April 1, 1934

CONFESSING AND FOLLOWING CHRIST

Golden Text: — "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God." —Matthew 16:16b.

Lesson Passage: —Matthew 16:13-26

It happened on an April morn.
They hailed a Man upon a tree.
Whose head was circled with sharp thorns;
Lifted Him high that all might see
His agony, His heaving breath,
His awful death.

It happened on an April day.
A tremor shook the paling gloom;
A white flame tore the door away;
Life came a victor from the tomb;
Love cannot die, nor truth betray—
Christ rose upon an April Day!
—John Richard Moreland

Easter

Easter is the greatest day of the Christian year. Christmas may be more popular because of home reunions and festivities. Good Friday may bring deeper feeling as we think of the cross. Yet Easter has the message that completes the hopes of Christmas and vindicates the tragedy of Good Friday. Without the Easter faith Christianity would never have spread around the world. At this Easter season Passion Week services are held, great Easter music is heard, Easter lilies speak of life out of death, and Easter sermons tell of Christ who could not be held in death, but has already begun resurrection and life to his followers. The glad season of spring is reinforced by the victor message of Easter. Life is ever Lord over death. It is a time when we are forced to know whether our response to the Easter hope is negative or positive. "Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by?" Or does Easter confirm our faith that Christ lives and that we may share his triumph over death?

Decision, 13-15

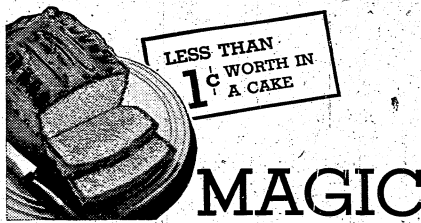
No sudden or snap decision was demanded of the disciples at Caesarea Philippi. Months of companionship and careful teaching preceded Christ's question as to their faith in him. He had allowed time for doubt to change into faith. The disciples had abundant opportunity to see their Master under varying conditions, to bring their hearts to him and to test his teachings for themselves. In due time the period of preparation led up to the necessity for decision. Jesus took his disciples away from the crowds where they were known and in a time of comparative leisure asked them what men were saying about the Son of Man. They reported the various comparisons made. Some saw a resemblance between Jesus and John the Baptist, or Elijah, or Jeremiah. There were points of comparison with these great men, but, to Jesus, more important than hearsay were the convictions which had gradually been ripening in the disciples' minds. He asked: "Who say ye that I am?"

Confession, 16-20

Peter was a man of insight. He could do and say foolish things, but he had a penetrating mind, and the ability to express his convictions clearly and conclusively. All our lives we have been told about Christ, the Son of the Living God, but when Peter said this, it was a discovery of the first order, an original and dramatic confession of faith. Peter's word, "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God," has been named the first creed of the Christian Church. This reply demonstrated that the teaching ministry of Jesus had not failed. At least one of the disciples had sensed the unique character and mission of Christ. Peter's willingness to profess his faith publicly is the rock foundation of the Church. There are many people who are willing to be silent Christians but dumbness is not a virtue. With a burning faith, it is impossible not to desire to tell others. Christ expected his followers to witness for him both for the effect upon themselves and the influence upon others. "Whosoever shall confess"—that duty is inescapable.

Suffering, 21-23

How quickly, by a change in emotional atmosphere, the best may turn into the worst. One moment Peter was spokesman for the disciples in the first Christian creed, and the next moment Peter was renewing the baptism of Jesus like faced in the wilderness. Christ was very frank with his disciples and sought to prepare them for what was to happen. He gave them opportunity to nerve themselves for their time of testing.



LESS THAN 1¢ WORTH for a big three-layer cake! That's all it costs when you use Magic Baking Powder. And you get a fine quality that never varies—always rich and tender. No wonder Canada's most prominent cookery experts say it doesn't pay to take chances with doubtful baking powder. Bake with Magic and be sure!

MADE IN CANADA "CONTAINS NO ALUM." This statement on every tin is your guarantee that Magic Baking Powder is free from alum or any harmful ingredient.

Messiahship was not to mean power, luxury and prestige; it was to bring insult, pain and death. The cross would mean in their lives. Each God's spirit work through crisis, sacrifice and death as well as by beauty, gladness and success. Sacrificial love has a redemptive power that cannot be achieved in any lesser way. For Peter to try to dissuade Christ from the cross was mistaken kindness; only by sacrifice and death could Christ bring life and immortality to light. To wish to escape all suffering is to doom our lives to spiritual sterility.

Surrender, 24-26

After telling what sacrificial love must mean for himself, Christ told his disciples what the same principle would mean in their lives. Each disciple must deny himself, take up his cross and follow Christ. At first, this appears all loss; in the end it proves to be the highest gain. Those who seek to escape all social responsibility survive their own souls; those who are willing to suffer and serve become strong and find rest in life. To gain the whole world is a poor bargain if the price be one's own soul. This is the paradox of the gospel: Christ's demand for full surrender seems to be so harsh and in obedience to it his followers find him so tender and his fellowship brings radiant joy. Surrender to Christ does not mean impoverishment of life; it is the way to the fullest enrichment of life. Those who utter self-forgetfulness, yield themselves to Christ discover that in losing their lives, they begin to have the life abundant.

Questions for Discussion

- 1.—What is this Easter season meaning to you?
- 2.—Is there any other cure for indecision but a decision?
- 3.—What is the most effective way of witnessing for Christ?
- 4.—Have you found Christianity a "kill-joy" or make-joy religion?
- 5.—What distinction do you make between the things of God and the things of men?

REGULAR MEETING DATES

Children's Aid Society, 1st Friday of every month, 4 o'clock, Town Hall.
Victorian Order of Nurses, 2nd Tuesday of each month, 3 o'clock, Court House.
Hospital Board, 2nd Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Hospital.
King Solomon Lodge, A. F. and A. M., 1st Tuesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
St. George Lodge, I. O. O. F., every Friday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
Zelman Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., 2nd and 4th Monday, 8 o'clock, Oddfellows' Hall.
Town Council, last Monday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
Hospital Ladies' Aid, last Friday of each month, at the Court House.
Fire Company, 1st Wednesday of each month, 8 o'clock, Town Hall.
Digby Kiwanis Club—Luncheon on board S. S. Prince of Wales, 12:15 noon, Tuesdays (unless special notice be given).



P. L. Smith, Publisher of the Puxsuttaway (Pa.) Spirit says:

"Judicious, hastily compiled advertisements, intended to fill contract space—rather—than to carry a merchandising message of real import to the public, are a little better than no advertising at all, but only in that they keep the merchant's name before the reading public."

"Many advertisers enter into contract with the newspapers of their community to use a specified space each week. The end of the week appears and the advertiser has used little or none of his contract space. Hastily he grabs a cue or matrix, dashes off a few platitudes and submits the result as an advertisement. The alleged advertisement doesn't please the advertiser, but he pulls into his message and both advertiser and newspaper suffer."

"The pulling force of newspaper advertising is not and cannot be in controversy, but the newspaper can only carry the advertiser's message to the public. The force of the advertisement depends solely on the advertiser. And force in advertising effort to fill a specified space. Care and thought are essential."

"Newspaper advertising has proved its case beyond question. When it fails you can waver your last nickel that it has not been intelligent advertising."

Simple Rules Prevent HEADACHES

The best way—in fact the only safe way—to avoid headaches is to obey Nature. Live a moderate life. Eat moderately. Sleep sufficiently. Get lots of fresh air, exercise and recreation. Avoid worry. And, once or twice each week, use a pleasant, relaxing glass of Andrews Liver Salt.

This last rule is extremely important. Even with the most careful living and the most perfect physical habit you may still suffer from the effects of toxic waste elimination of body wastes. Thousands of people suffer from this cause without suspecting it. Personal use of Andrews helps your eliminative organs to function completely. Andrews helps you to new energy—keeps you fit—and corrects the excessive acid condition which induces general body weariness and the "little life" begins to follow their lead.

Take Andrews once or twice each week. Then you will find that your body is better equipped to resist the harmful effects of the poisons which you eat and drink. You will enjoy the pleasure of vigorous good health.

All druggists sell Andrews Liver Salt. It is in 35¢ and 60¢ New, large bottle, 75¢. Sole Importers: John A. Hanson Co., Ltd., Toronto.

FOR ECONOMY AND LONG SERVICE USE ONLY GENUINE Coleman Generators

GOOD LIGHTING SERVICE can be guaranteed on Coleman Lamps and Lanterns only when Genuine Coleman Generators and Mantles are used.

They are made with great care, factory tested, perfect fitting, and insure good service. Always insist on the Genuine—look for the name "Coleman" on the box.

The following types fit Quick-Lite Lamps and Lanterns:

No. 955 ROTARY with automatic cleaner, . . . Each 60¢
No. 999 standard for many years, . . . Each 35¢
No. 977 STRAIGHT TYPE (like 999), . . . Each 30¢

THE COLEMAN LAMP & STOVE CO., LTD.
Toronto, Ontario



HEALTH

NO LONGER YOUNG
"Man does not die; he kills himself," said Seneca, the Roman philosopher, who apparently had observed that life is frequently cut short by faulty habits of living. Age is not a simple counting of birthdays passed. Some are physically old at forty; others are comparatively young at 60. We have the records of many men and women who have been at their best, physically and mentally, after they had passed into the period of life which is commonly regarded as old.

Heredity plays a definite part in length of life. Most of those who attain to long lives can boast of a list of ancestors who attained to a good age. Nevertheless, heredity is not enough, for the hereditary factor can be offset by bad habits, and length of days can be attained by many through good habits in spite of a poor ancestry as regards long living.

Moderation is apparently the most important aspect to be considered. Plenty of rest, moderation in food and drink, reasonable physical and mental activity, together with a fair share of recreation, by the open air—this is the prescription which would be written for those who wish to live long and enjoy good health while they live.

As we grow older, there is a decrease in physical activity. Less food is required, and as the body begins to lose some of its vigour, it has not the old reserve to deal with indiscretions in diet which formerly caused no inconvenience. It was Sam Weller's father who remarked that "width and wisdom go together." The wisdom which he credited to older persons is not displayed by their increasing girth; this indicates rather a lack of wisdom in choice of diet.

The older person requires a balanced diet, just as much as does the growing child or the young adult. It is well to make up this diet from the simpler and more easily digested foods and to eat smaller amounts of food. Swallow nothing, but eat down the throat, often not readily digested and are then responsible for the formation of gas.

It is not intended to suggest that the older person should become a vegetarian, and start to think that this or that food disagrees with him. However, personal experience is not to be disregarded, and when such experience shows that some foods are not readily digested, it is well to try leaving them out of the diet, will prevent the trouble.

It should be remembered that all foods require a thorough chewing before swallowing. This applies even to the well-cooked, easily-swallowed cereal. Another important point is that green vegetables are essential in the diet. In later years, fruits are usually best taken when baked or stewed.

Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 134 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally, by letter.

NOW NEW BRUNSWICK HAS ITS "QUEEK" FISH

British Columbia may have its "Caddy" and Loch Ness in Scotland, its prehistoric monster, but New Brunswick yields to no one, for a strange fish was recently caught through the ice on the Kennebecasis River at "Queek Point," states the Fish and Game Department of the Canadian National. All the experts have been giving the fish the once-over. It is colored red, is fourteen inches long, and weighs a full pound. It has the appearance of a giant exception to the rule, and is said to have been taken from the bottom. It is a glowing red. The body is thick, shaped like that of a bass, and there is a spiked fin on the back. Belief is inclined to look upon the fish as similar to the rose fish, or Norway haddock, but officials at the Dominion Biological Station at St. Andrews would not make a positive identification until they had a further opportunity to examine the fish. A veteran fisherman thinks it is a red sea bass.

A gentleman called at a Chinese laundry for his washings. Receiving the parcel he noticed some marks on the bundle and said: "My name, I suppose, in Chinese?"

"No name," replied the Chinaman, "say 'li' in man, closed-eyed, no feet."

We are now coming to the season when the most popular men in any neighborhood is the man who has a lot of garden tools to lend.

Permanent Wave now \$4.00

Have one and be ready for your winter parties. No cheap solutions used in our parlors. Appropriation time to give new life to your hair with our well known scalp treatment.

Facial, Plain or Electric Treatments.

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NOTICE

Charles D. Green

Watchmaker and Jeweller

Special attention paid to photograph repairing.

WEYMOUTH, N. S.

EASTERN CANADA COASTAL STEAMSHIPS LIMITED

Steamship "Glenholme"

Receives freight at Saint John every Tuesday for Digby, Granville Ferry, Granville Centre, Annapolis Royal, Victoria Beach, Port Wade, Lower Granville, Victoria Bridge and Bear River.

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Manufacturer of Doors, Sashes, Mouldings and Gutter Mouldings, and all kinds of Building Material.

Nails, Glass of all kinds, Oils, Paints and Varnishes, etc.

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Prompt service in Floral Designs, Wreaths, Sprays, Etc.

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Tastes good, easily prepared, supplies essential minerals, also roughage for regularity, vitamins, highly nutritional, readily digested.

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CHECK UP ON YOUR FROST & WOOD FARM IMPLEMENTS

I can supply any new machine or repair any old machine manufactured by the above Company.

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Phone 172 DIBBY, N. S.



Gifts for Easter

What is more appropriate this year than a Practical Easter Gift of stylish new Accessories? An one will appreciate a gift from Roop's. And you will appreciate the unusual values at very moderate prices. **For Ladies**—Gloves, Hosiery, Scarves, Sweaters. **For Men**—Neckwear, Gloves, Hats, Hosiery, Sweaters, etc.

B. J. ROOP

"Quality and Service our Motto"

Obituary

Dennis J. Robicheau

The death of Dennis J. Robicheau, "Dinnie", which occurred at Meteghan on Sunday, March 18, followed a heart attack. He was 43 years of age and a well known citizen in both Digby and Yarmouth counties. He was the youngest son of the late Hon. H. M. Robicheau, who represented this county in Halifax for many years. Left to mourn are his aged mother, his widow, (formerly Miss M. Margaret Quigg of Welsford, N. B.), three small children besides several brothers and sisters.

Mrs. William Robison

Mrs. Alberta Robison, widow of William Robison, passed away at her home in West Saint John, on Sunday evening last, after an illness of more than a year. She was 71 years of age and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Titus, of Weymouth. She had resided in West Saint John for 53 years, and by her lovely disposition and many charitable acts had won the warm regard of a large circle of friends. She was a member of St. Jude's church, and until her illness was active in the work of that church. She was a charter member of Loyalist Lodge, No. 674, Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and was active in the work of the lodge while her health permitted. Mrs. Robison was survived by two sons, Herbert and Frederick, of West Saint John; and five daughters, Mrs. E. P. Shea, Mrs. Charles Cooley, Mrs. Samuel McAllister and Mrs. Hartley McAllister, of West Saint John, and Mrs. Leonard Armstrong, of St. John's. Her brother, John and Isaac, of Freeport, and one sister, Mrs. Joseph Thubert of Weymouth North.

Alfred Dickie, a student in Mt. Allison University, Sackville, is spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Dickie.

The monthly business meeting of the Ladies' Hospital Aid and Sewing circle was held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Dillon, last Wednesday. A delightful tea was served by the hostesses, Mr. M. C. Denton will entertain the sewing circle next Wednesday.

Why Not . . .

You have been thinking some time of having an extra outlet or switch installed to give you better electric service. Why not have it done now, before housecleaning commences. We have everything from a fuse plug to a complete system.

Gordon A. Cossaboom

Phon. 203

Digby, N. S.

Easter Specials at RYAN'S

Opposite Courier Office

Picnic Hams, lb.	18c
Sliced Bacon, lb.	28c
Strictly Fresh Eggs, doz.	22c
No. 1 Yellow Eye Beans, 7 lbs.	25c
No. 1 Onions, 7 lbs.	25c
Granulated Sugar, 14 lbs.	\$1.00
6 lbs. Quick Cooking Rolled Oats	25c
25 lbs. Shortening in heavy metal pail	\$2.65

Nothing New Under the Sun but Something New Under the Collar

STA-NEAT—the New Combination Collar and Bar Pin, Price, 25 cents.

With it you have soft collar comfort, plus starched collar appearance. Gold plated and guaranteed not to break.

At Your Jeweler's, or Leading Haberdasher.

BEAR RIVER FAMILY HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Five persons escaped in their tight clothes when the home of Derby J. Jack, in Bear River, caught fire just before midnight Tuesday, and was destroyed, endangering five more nearby homes. The five people, all asleep, were awakened by a whistle from a passer-by who discovered the flames bursting through the roof. They were Mrs. Jack, and their four children, Donald, aged 9, Eva 14, Walter, 15, and Ethel, 17. Mr. Jack was away from home.

Mrs. Jack first to awaken, found the top story in flames, and arousing the children, led them to safety, stopping only to gather up an armful of clothing.

For a time the homes of Elem Darre, Everett Stewart, Leslie Rice, Joseph Russell, and John Hinkshaw were menaced, but volunteers prevented them from igniting.

Little was saved from the Jack home which was burned to the ground. The loss is placed at \$3,000, with a small insurance. The fire is believed to have originated around the chimney.

TIVERTON'S NEW BRIDGE BUILT

The new bridge at Tiverton, built to replace the old bridge, which was destroyed by the flood last fall, has been completed and was opened for traffic on Saturday.

Work on this bridge, in charge of Mr. Cummings, has been going on all winter. The new bridge is a draw bridge, and the old bridge has been done away with, and the new bridge is a derrick arrangement locally called "the gallows", to allow boats to pass into the "pond" or inner harbor.

This bridge does not, as erroneously stated by the city press, the "fall" connect Tiverton with the mainland, but spans a little creek not far from the Tiverton breakwater. Above the bridge is a tidal pond, in which the Tiverton fleet seeks shelter in rough weather, or during the winter months. When this bridge went down last fall it fell across the creek and trapped several boats, including the scow used to ferry cars to and from the mainland, for several days.

The new bridge is a credit to the engineer and workmen in charge of the job, who deserve credit for completing it in such good time under the adverse weather conditions of the winter just passed.

TIDVILLE

Rev. C. L. Chute, of Little River, is holding special meetings this week. Owen Morse, of White Head, Grand Falls, was visiting friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Stanton celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding, on Monday. They received hearty congratulations from their many friends and from their children, seven in all, out of a family of nine, residing in the family of the United States. The Courier heartily joins with them in extending its best wishes for many more years of happy wedded life.

Miss Ina O'Brien is spending Easter at home, in Noel, Hants Co. J. A. Muise, of Weymouth, was visitor to Digby on Friday, en route to Toronto.

Kingsley Brown, a Halifax Chronicle staff writer, was a visitor in Digby on Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Height arrived on the Princess Helene on Wednesday, en route to Bear River.

Mr. Melanson, of Weymouth, and E. J. Theriault, of Digby, were recent visitors in Montral.

Master David Levy is spending the Easter holidays with his grandmother, Mrs. Freeman Levy, in Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Height, who have been spending the winter at North Range, have returned to their home in Weymouth North.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gaudet, of Weymouth, visited Mrs. Gaudet's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Belliveau, at Church Point, recently.

Capt. Ernest Lewis was in Digby this week, while the patrol boat Capelin, of which he is master, is undergoing repairs at Meteghan.

A. S. R. Reuthen, wireless operator on board the Princess Helene, left on Friday last to visit in England. He will be gone six weeks.

The Kiwanis Club will hold a theatre party at the Bijou Theatre, on Monday evening. Following this there will be a luncheon in the Odd-fellows' Hall, with dancing and cards.

Mr. J. A. Goodwin, of Weymouth, entertained the Ladies' Committee of the Bridge Club, of that place, in the Goodwin Hotel, one afternoon recently. The first prize was won by Mrs. E. A. Ferrusson.

The rush of contracts for vessels placed in the Clyde district of Scotland is continuing, and the outlook is brighter than for many months. Twelve contracts for naval and merchant marine ships, totalling nearly \$40,000,000, were placed in January.

In that month half a dozen vessels, aggregating 8741 tons, were launched, compared with one launch of 1,000 tons in the corresponding month of last year.

It is not necessary to tell those who are driving cars that the roads are breaking up. Will Franklin, the county superintendent of roads, has requested that we ask all motorists, especially those driving heavy trucks, to refrain from using the roads during the soft days. The roads have not been closed to automobile traffic this spring (except by bad weather), but unless operators show a little discretion they will have to be closed until the frost is out.

Local and Personal

Donald Winchester spent the week end in Halifax with his family.

Mayor Shortliffe has been confined to his home this week by sickness.

Norman Robbins, of Tiverton, was a visitor at the Courier office on Thursday.

Eric Armstrong, student at Acadia University, is expected home today to spend the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Armstrong.

Joshua Height, late of the staff of Digby Motors, has taken over the management of the Super Service Station, in the South End. This station will open for the season's business next week.

See the new "Shovel" and "Wind-up" motor at the Easter attractions at the Digby Hat Shoppe. G. Oliver.

Because of an outbreak of scarlet fever among the pupils of the school at Hectanooga, it has been closed for a time. Miss Cecille Thibodeau, the principal, has returned to her home in Church-Point.

R. H. Lockward, president of the Digby Kiwanis Club and manager of the local branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, gave an interesting talk on the proposed Central Bank of Canada, at the regular luncheon of the Club, on the Princess Helene, on Tuesday.

The Ladies of Trinity Church will hold their Annual Spring Supper on Wednesday afternoon next, in the Parish Hall. Price, 50c. Supper and cents. Everybody is cordially invited to attend. Fish Chowder and Baked Beans are on the menu.

The alarm of fire last Thursday evening was caused by a chimney fire in the residence of J. J. Wallis, Church Street. When first discovered the flames and sparks, in the high wind, looked threatening. But the fire was all above the roof; inside the house there was no smoke or smell of soot, and the chimney was cold to the touch, so the flames soon died out.

Last Thursday evening the Bijou Theatre, for the second time in the last few weeks, was the centre of attraction for feminine eyes, the occasion being a fashion parade sponsored by the Royal Store, and featuring spring and summer coats. The first parade was a showing of dresses, and both have been very interesting. The mannequins were principally the young ladies of the Royal Store staff. The theatre was well filled on both occasions.

Just Arrived—New Stock of Verichrome Kodak Films; 8-Exposure. The best film made.—Yates Studio, Digby. 33 t/c

DANCE

Masonic Hall, Warne Block
Friday, April 6
Music by Guy's Loyal Canadians. Admission 35c.

(This dance was to be on Easter Monday, but has been postponed on account of other events to take place on that date)

Pantry Sale

Sponsored by the "Anti-Cant" Class Grace United Church at

ROYAL STORE
Saturday, April 7

COURIER'S CLASSIFIED COLUMN

FOR SALE—Nine-Room House; hot and cold water; electric lights; one large, fruit, wood house and milk house; fruit and ornamental trees; beautiful for situation; just across street from C. P. R. Club house. Apply to Miss Minnie Campbell, Digby, N. S. 35 t/c

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Mrs. Minnie Rockwell, wish to thank their many friends for the kindnesses and sympathy extended to them in their sad and unexpected bereavement. 35 t/c

TO RENT—Lower flat of house on Birch Street.—W. C. Warrington, Digby. 35 t/c

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Singer Sewing Machine. (Electric) almost new; knee control; cabinet model. Sell or trade for treadle machine or what have you. Apply Box 17, care Courier, Digby. 35 t/c

FISHING RODS re-wound; first-class; binding done with different colors. Work guaranteed.—Horace Smith, Digby. 35 t/c

FOR SALE—Gooseberry Bushes—100 large Downing bushes, at 35 cents each. Come early.—A. D. Daley, Digby. 34 t/c

NOTICE—I hereby forbid any person or persons trusting or harbouring any person named Robertson on my account, as she has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation. Edward Robertson, Hasset's, Digby, County, N. S. 33

Regular Meeting Of Council Held

At the regular meeting of the Town Council on Tuesday evening the minutes for the year were considered and the rate for '34 set at 4.20, a reduction of 40 over the '1933 rate. The meeting was presided over by Mayor Shortliffe, and the councillors present were: Anderson, Aymar, Turnbull and Woodman.

The session was a long one and did not adjourn until 11.30 o'clock.

R. H. Lockward, manager of the local branch of the Royal Bank of Canada, asked that the town's accounts be placed in his bank for a period of four or five years. He argued that the Royal Bank paid the same license as the other bank, and was also a ratepayer. The matter was taken up in the council later in the session when it was decided to let the accounts remain as they are for the present.

Fire Chief Harry Hersey presented a petition signed by a number of the town's ratepayers requesting that the town purchase a new fire truck and up-to-date equipment. When discussed later during the session it was decided that the question would have to be voted upon at a meeting of the ratepayers. The matter was left in abeyance.

Mr. Harris, representative of the Super Service Station, appeared and stated that on account of weather he had been unable to attend the meeting of the Assessment Appeal Council. He asked that the assessment on the real property of the Super Service Co. be reduced. The council, however, made no change in this assessment.

H. A. Nichols appeared for Forrest Eisner asking for a reduction in the assessment of the real property of Digby Motors, stating that in comparison with other like properties, this property was over-assessed.

The town clerk protested against any reductions of either of these assessments, stating that the council had no power or right to reduce them as the appeal court had considered them and had not increased assessments, nor had the assessors increased the assessment over last year.

On motion of Councillor Turnbull, seconded by Councillor Woodman, it was moved that the Digby Motors' assessment on real property be reduced \$500. Two councillors voted in favor of the reduction, and two against. The mayor cast the deciding vote in favor of the reduction.

Town Clerk Boden then read the report of the Appeal Court, which sat on February 27th. The total change was a reduction of the assessment on real property by \$510, and on personal property by \$1090. This report, altered in red ink by the clerk, less the \$800 deducted by the council, was passed and accepted as a basis for the 1934 assessment.

The estimate for the year were made up as follows:

Expenditure	
Streets	\$5,000
Poor and Charities	2,000
Street Lighting	2,265
Fire	650
Police	900
Salaries:	
Clerk	1,200
Stenographer	315
Solicitor	210
Solemnizer	30
School Requirements	9,200
Joint Expenditure	4,000
Town Hall	500
Board of Health	40
Miscellaneous	\$26,240
Deduct Income	\$36,020
To Be Assessed	\$30,214

Miscellaneous Expenditures	
Interest and Sinking Fund	\$2,971
Provincial Highways Tax	743
Grants—Hospital	500
Hospital	150
Children's Aid	250
V. O. N.	180
Evangelical Association	100
Assessors	100
Auditors, and 20 from prev. yr	95
Printing	30
Advertising	40
General Interest	400
Sundries	350
Overdraft	3,761
Expected Income	\$9,780

Expected Income	
Back Taxes	\$3,000
Outside School Taxes	350
Police Tax	550
Log Tax	80
Licenses	305
Academy Grant	325
Municipal Grant	1,200
Already Collected	\$5,805
A rate of \$40 will produce a gross of \$31,205.	
5 per cent discount (on last year's basis), \$1,090.	

It was moved by Councillor Anderson, chairman of the Finance Committee, and seconded by Councillor Aymar, that the rate be set at 4.20.

SELECTED ESPECIALLY FOR EASTER..

We have a complete line of the following from which your Easter demands can be filled.

Washable French Kid & Suede Gloves
Fancy Scarves
Silk Hosiery
Hankerchiefs
Ladies' Neckwear
Gowns
Negligees
Mens' Felt Hats
Caps

The new Spring Coats are selling, select yours now!

WRIGHT'S

"THE BUYRITE STORE"

For Easter . . . We have a few of the Easter Novelties left to complete your Easter basket. Come in and see our big values at 5c, 10c, 15c, and 25c.

VISIT The Red Store, next Wright's, for this Week's Bargains

With a discount of 5 per cent on all taxes paid before the first day of July.

The reports of the Superintendent of Streets and Water, and of the Health Officer, were received. The latter, reported that the health condition of the town was very satisfactory, and that the town sewer was a great advantage. No cases of typhoid have originated in Digby over a period of twenty years.

Charles Comeau appeared on behalf of Mrs. Wertz, asking that permission be granted to build a small dwelling on Mount Street. The council drew his attention to the fact that no allowance was made in the plans, for a chimney. Permission was granted, provided this correction was made.

A letter from the New Glasgow town council was read, asking the support of the Digby council for legislation making it compulsory for voters at town elections to be ratepayers to the extent of a \$200 assessment. Councillor Anderson argued that this would disfranchise a number of people. The matter was allowed to lay on the table.

It was moved by Councillor Turnbull, and seconded by Councillor Aymar that Mr. Boden and H. J. Campbell be authorized to attend the meeting of the Board of Public Utilities, re: the reduction of electric power rates. (This meeting is to be held in Halifax, on April 4th).

Councillor Turnbull, who had given notice of a motion to rescind the resolution passed by the town council on July 29, 1933, moved his resolution, and also that an act be prepared by the town solicitor and presented to the legislative assembly, replacing Chapter 78 of the Acts of 1933, and authorizing the town council to refund monies paid by citizens who had paid sewerage charges in the event of the sewerage charges being changed.

Councillor Aymar thought the council should have at least a definite knowledge of what was to take place, and moved that the matter be referred to the committee.

The Anti-Cant Class of the Grace United Church, are holding a Penny Sale at the Royal Store on Saturday, April 7th.

The Digby firemen will hold a 45th Social in the old Masonic Hall, on Tuesday evening next. Plan to be there.



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