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Victoria, the Village by the Sea

Miss Elsie Boswell, Victoria, has gone to Tryon where she will reside for the winter months. Mrs. Donald Murdochson, Victoria, is spending some time in Cape Traverse, guest of her sister, Mrs. John Walker.

Mrs. Harry Leard, Charlottetown, was a recent weekend guest at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Myers, Victoria.

Mrs. James Lockwood has returned to her home in North Adams, Mass., after spending some time in Victoria, being called home to attend the funeral of her father, the late P. J. Rogerson, who passed away recently.

Mr. Morley Mullins, Tryon, assisted by Mr. Fred Inman, Victoria, have been engaged at the residence of Mr. Wilbert MacPhail, Arisley Shore, where Mr. MacPhail is having an up-to-date water system installed.

We are pleased to report that Master Gordie Miller, young son of Mr. Hedley Miller, Victoria, is home again from the Prince Edward Island Hospital, Charlottetown, which improved after a stay of some few weeks there.

Mrs. Wilfred MacQuarrie, Victoria, left quite recently for Malden, Mass., where she will spend the early part of the winter with members of her family who reside there. Mrs. MacQuarrie will be much missed in social circles, where she was always "the life of the party."

On Saturday, December 4th, the ladies of the Women's Institute, Victoria, held their annual supper and bazaar which was a decided success from every point of view, a good sum being realized which will help to swell the funds which have become somewhat depleted.

A hearty welcome is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Gorge Wren and family of two daughters from England, who have purchased the residence of Mr. Clifford Sherrin near the Anglican Church on the Victoria-Crapaud highway. Mr. Wren who is a blacksmith and plumber will fill a much needed want in this section and we wish them good luck in all their undertakings in their new home.

We are sorry to relate that Mrs. Walter M. Lea has also left Victoria to spend the winter months elsewhere, this making more houses than we care to report closed down for the coming months in "The Village by the Sea" due to several of the residents seeking more suitable abodes to escape the arduous task of shovelling paths, stoking, etc., but here's hoping this winter may be a bit milder than the last.

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Mr. Clayton Miller, Victoria, who is ever ready to keep business humming is to be congratulated on his recent purchase from Mr. Keith Boulter of the building known as the Penpraise store where he is doing a business in meat, and which will be much appreciated by the villagers. It is to be hoped as time goes on Clayton will be able to go into things on a more extensive scale and build up for himself a good place of business.

At the recently organized Y.P.U., Victoria, Rev. T. G. Head showed slides of Newfoundland, which proved very interesting. These meetings are to be held fortnightly and it is hoped that a profitable winter of inspiration and pleasant entertainment for the younger people will be spent. The meetings will be capably presided over by the newly appointed president, Mrs. Scott MacQuarrie, with Miss Florence MacDougall vice-president and Mr. John Knox secretary.

On a recent visit to the Village by the Sea the writer of this column who is spending the winter months in Charlottetown, was shown a branch from a lilac tree, breaking out in full leaf for the second time on December 9th, also she was informed that Mrs. Whitfield Howatt had picked a beautiful bouquet of marigolds and calendulas in the garden of Miss Fannie Rogerson on December 4th, which was used to adorn the tables at the recent Institute Tea. This is a mark of the mildness of the climate on Prince Edward Island these late autumn months, so just why people seek a better climate elsewhere is hard to understand.

Heartfelt sympathy is extended by many friends in Victoria and surrounding districts to Mr. Joseph Ince, Hampton, in the tragic suddenness of the death of his beloved and only brother, Charlie, on the night of December the first. The late Mr. Ince who was a life-long resident of Hampton and who had reached the age of seventy-seven years, possessed a buoyancy of spirit which was remarkable for a man of his years and being the possessor of an exceptionally strong body, hard work to him was only as play, but the strongest must yield to the hand of Death, and so this strong man went out from his home in the evening as he had often done before to visit a neighbor, but in the heavily approaching darkness, had in some unaccountable way lost his bearings and came to the end of life's journey here on earth by falling over the high bank of the shore, not far from his home, the shore he had loved so well all his life, and where his lifeless body was found early the next morning.

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Stream Flow

OTTAWA, Dec. 15 (CP)—Stream flow conditions in Canada during November were above normal in the Ontario and Quebec, it was reported today in a joint statement by the Dominion Water and Power Bureau and the United States Geological Survey. In the latter part of the month the flow in increased flow in most representative rivers averaged 75 per cent of normal as against 74 per cent in October. The increased run-off relieved the heavy demands on storage in power-producing rivers in Eastern Canada, while in Western Canada normal rain reserves were maintained in fairly satisfactory volume.

Maritime stream flow conditions follow, showing the percentage of normal: Nova Scotia—St. Mary 125, LaHave 99 and New Brunswick—Lepreau 111, St. John 110.

Six Escape When Car Goes Into River. GAGETOWN, N. B., Dec. 15 (CP)—Six Gagetown residents escaped with minor injuries when a car skidded at the Upper Jemseg Bridge and landed upside down in the Jemseg River. Water filled most of the space inside the car. Thomas E. Briggs, the last to escape, finally opened a door. His wife, young daughter, Miss Elma Biddiscombe and Jack and Kenneth Johnston escaped through the back window.

CROSS ROADS W. I. The annual meeting of Cross Roads Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Jane Ballen. Meeting opened by repeating Creed. Roll call was answered by fourteen members with payment of dues. Minutes of last annual meeting were read. It was moved and seconded that we assist Junior in the school, having hot lunches in the school. \$15.00 was donated to the Salvation Army. Treasurer's report showed expenditures \$231.01, leaving a balance of \$80.26. Election of officers resulted as follows: President: Mrs. Malcolm Reeves. Vice-Pres.: Mrs. Earl Balderston. Secretary: Mrs. Robert MacKinstry. Treasurer: Mrs. Lloyd Balderston.

A grab-bag was held which amounted to \$2.75; collection \$1.45. Red Cross work passed in: 3 pairs children's stockings and one sweater. Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Balderston. It was decided to invite all the ladies of the district who are not members, to attend this meeting. Meeting closed with the King.

The December meeting of Cross Roads Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Balderston. Roll call was answered by fourteen members with an exchange of 25c Christmas gifts. New committees appointed were: Sick: Mrs. Earl Jenkins and Mrs. Ed Stewart; Red Cross, Mrs. Earl Jenkins. It was decided that we make Christmas stockings for the school children, to be filled with an assortment of candy, fruit, etc. The aged people in the district are to be remembered with Christmas boxes. It was moved and seconded that we purchase a \$5.00 T. B. Bond and also that we donate \$10.00 to the United Emergency Fund for Britain. Recipes for supper dishes were distributed among members. The meeting adjourned and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess and committee in charge. (Patriot please copy)

St. John's

His funeral, on Saturday, December 13th, from the Hampton United Church, was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. It came to pay their last tribute of respect to their neighbor and friend, Rev. T. G. Head, pastor of the church, officiated at the service at the home, the church and graveside. Mr. Ince was a son of the late Thomas and Mrs. Ince and resided on the old family homestead, comfortably situated on Hampton Shore. To his sorrowing brother Joseph of Hampton, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gable and two young children and other relatives, the sympathy of the entire community goes out in this their hour of sorrow. What a life! It is even as a vapor that appeareth for a little time and then vanisheth away.

In the early morning hours as the dawn of the Sabbath of November 21st was about to break the Angel of Death again visited the home of the late Rev. T. G. Head, who gave it. Surrounded by his loved ones who gave him every care and attention and with medical assistance and all that human hands could do to stay his life, the end came rather suddenly, although he had been a victim of a heart ailment for some time past. The late Mr. Rogerson was of a rugged and energetic constitution, and during his lifetime, which he spent on the lovely farm where he was born and reared, he never spared his strength for the up-building and maintaining of a most comfortable home for his family. He possessed a wit and humor that helped him through many difficulties, and although of a somewhat brusque nature his sympathies could always be relied upon when help was needed. He and his wife were devoted to Mother Earth and was never happier than when delving in the soil on his beloved farm or taking brisk walks through the fields or to the near-by village, but these favorite haunts shall know him no more, for he has gone the way of all mortals. His funeral on Thursday, November 25th, at the St. John's Anglican Church, Crapaud, after a short service at the home, was very largely attended. Burial took place in the St. John's Anglican Church of England cemetery, the pastor Rev. B. Pream giving a splendid discourse on the words: We shall be like Him. The floral tributes were many and beautiful bearing silent testimony to the departed. The pall-bearers, all neighbors of the family, were as follows: Messrs. Miner MacNevin, Whitfield Howatt, Charlie Howatt, Emerson MacDonald, Donald MacLeod and Carl Boulter. Burial was in the church cemetery, where his remains were tenderly laid to rest beside loved ones gone before there to await the Resurrection Morn. He leaves to mourn a sorrowing widow, formerly Celia French, besides a family of five daughters, (Jeanette) Mrs. James Lockwood, North Adams, Mass.; (Mary) Mrs. Roderick MacNeill, and (Frances) Mrs. Spurgeon MacLennan, Charlottetown; Belle of Hampton; (Hattie) Mrs. A. R. Taylor, Public Landing, N. B., and one son Willard on the homestead, several grandchildren and one daughter Fannie of Victoria. His eldest daughter, Helen pre-deceased him by eleven years. To those who are left to mourn along with other relatives and friends the sympathy of the entire community is extended.

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