

Greetings

To our many friends and patrons we extend our most hearty wishes for all that is best in life during the New Year.

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IT PAYS to buy in this Province.

DISCOUNT.—Everyone should pay their Dec. electric light bill before January 10th as that date is the last to get a discount. 3818.

BARGAINS.—No one should miss the bargains offered at our White-wear sale. Promote Bros. 3823-1-8M21

NORTH RIVER.—Services will be held in the Baptist Church this week on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights at 7.30. All welcome.

TAYLOR'S NOVELTY SHOW will hold forth in the new hall at Victoria on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 12th and 13th. Doors open at 7.15. Curtain at 8 p. m. 3828-1-8M31.

ISLANDER ENLISTS.—Anchor Islander who has donned the King's uniform is William C. Bearsto, son of Mr. Charles Bearsto, Freetown. Mr. Bearsto left P. E. Island about seven years ago and has since resided in Saskatchewan and owns a 320 acre farm at Big Muddy, Sask., but left it in answer to the call of King and country. He enlisted in the 22nd Regiment and is now training at Moose Jay.

SCHOOL WORK.—Standing of the pupils of East Royalty School for October: Grade VII—1, Emma Holmes; 2, Edna Holmes; 3, Muriel Andrew; Grade VI—1, Jean Miller; 2, Jane Heartz; 3, Gertrude Holmes; Grade IV—1, Marion Holmes; 2, Verna Newson; 3, Marion Newson; Grade III—1, Leona Chappelle; 2, Frank Miller; Grade II—1, Vera Andrew; 2, Harold Heartz; 3, John Andrew; Grade I—1, Ruth Harper; 2, Marjory Harper; 3, Stanley Stewart. November: Grade VII—1, Emma Holmes; 2, Isabel Holmes; Muriel Andrew; 3, Janie Holmes; Grade V—1, Jean Miller; 2, Jane Heartz; 3, Ruth Miller; Grade IV—1, Verna Newson; 2, Marion Holmes; 3, Marion Newson; Grade III—1, Leona Chappelle; 2, Claude Carroll; 3, Frank Miller; Grade II—1, Vera Andrew; 2, Harold Heartz; 3, John Andrew; Grade I—1, Ruth Harper; 2, Marjory Harper; 3, Stanley Stewart.

RETURN FROM FURLOUGH.—Among those who were left behind, (owing to having taken the mumps) when the 187th left, was Sergeant Stewart Moore of Innisfield, Alta. On recovering Sergt. Moore got a pass for one week to visit his old home in Pownal where he arrived on Saturday 23rd accompanied by a chum, Pt George Reid of Olds, Alta. The boys were having a grand good time when they contracted tonsillitis. But under the skilful treatment of Dr. Dewar were soon all right again and left on Friday morning. Sergt. Moore is a married man with four young children and was doing a large profitable business, but hearing the call men and mere men, felt his duty to join the colors and left all to fight for King and country. This is a pattern of loyalty that many a young unmarried man on the island might well follow. Sergt. Moore above referred to, is a son of Mr. A. A. Moore of Pownal. The Guardian wishes the boys bon voyage and safe return.

OF LOCAL INTEREST.—The crew, or at least the majority of the men on board the mighty icebreaker Mikula Sellamaird which came in to port last week to undergo some minor repairs and take bunkers at the Scotia pier, previous to her sailing for Russia, made things pretty lively for the police force during their brief stay in port, says the North Sydney Herald. In fact before the repairs were made, Capt. Read was compelled to anchor the big icebreaker in the stream in order to keep the men on board. There were some ninety men constituting the crew, and all, or nearly all, were a thirsty, if even a jolly lot of salts. Among the number was "Jonk" Ryan, a third rate St. John pugilist, who made his first appearance here during the boom days. Like the majority of the steamer's crew Ryan imbibed a little too freely, and things on board the steamer were as a consequence kept up to the boiling point all the time. Some of the crew when on shore got into altercations with the police, and as many as ten at one time graced the dingy with the cooler. A trail of blood from Shean's corner to the lockup told of how one fellow who tried to evade arrest fared off. And a nice penny was harvested at the police court as a result of the visit of the Russian icebreaker to this port.

Wednesday is the last day for receiving discounts on electric light bills for December lighting. Pay today and save money 3817-1-8M31.

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We have one of the nicest assortment to be found in the city. Evaporated Apples. Evaporated Peaches. Evaporated Apricots. Evaporated Prunes. Full range now in stock.

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WHITE WEAR SALE.—Big Savings for you if you buy now at Promote Bros., White-wear Sale. 3823-1-8M21.

REGULAR MEETING St. Lawrence Lodge No. 8 I O O F. Installation of officers and important business. Members requested to be present. Visitors welcome. 3819.

AN INDIAN SCENE.—Mr. Charles J Mitchell, manager of the Charlottetown Bottling Works has the Guardian's thanks for a handsome 1917 calendar.

SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—The semi-annual examination of Sherbrooke School took place on the afternoon of Friday, December 22nd. The school room presented a pretty appearance to the goodly number of friends and rate payers who were present, with its spruce, flags and red, white and blue decorations and well laden Xmas tree. The pupils were examined in the various subjects by the teacher Miss Lila Milligan assisted by Geo. McCallum, and Mrs. A. H. Locke and acquitted themselves in a very creditable manner. At the close of the examination, a program, consisting of choruses, recitations, duets, exercises and dialogues was well carried out by the pupils and afforded much enjoyment for those present. Santa Claus then made his appearance and with the aid of the teacher stripped the tree of its pretty gifts and candy and distributed them to the scholars after which Miss Ruby Locke, on behalf of the pupils read an address and little Florence Harris presented the teacher with a beautiful ebony toilet set. The address read as follows:—Dear Teacher:—We the children under your care, take this opportunity of thanking you for your efforts in our behalf. For more than two years you have been with us, and during that time you laboured patiently and unselfishly for us all. We feel you have done your best to instill knowledge into our minds, and though at times we have been slow and perhaps a little unwilling to learn, yet you have borne with us and encouraged us, and in return we give you our warmest love. We also ask you to accept this small gift as a token of our love and appreciation of your efforts. We wish you a very Merry Christmas. Signed on behalf of your pupils, Marion Townsend Florence Harris, Ruby Locke. The teacher cordially thanked them and expressed her appreciation of the interest taken by the parents in the school. Some very complimentary remarks were made by those present on the satisfactory work being done in the school. This pleasant meeting was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION

On Saturday evening, the 30th inst. a member of the congregation of the Baptist Montague, assembled at the Parsons, when a racoon coat was presented to the pastor, Mr. Hubley, and a purse to Mrs. Hubley, accompanied with the following address:—

Montague, Dec. 30, 1916. Rev. Freeman Hubley, Montague. Dear pastor, We the members and congregation of the United Baptist Church of Montague, Georgetown, and Sturgeon, cannot let this season of the year pass without some expression of the good-will we feel toward you. During the three short years you have labored among us, you have greatly endeared yourself to us by your untiring devotion. And we herewith present you with this gift; it is of no intrinsic value of itself; but is such in love and respect and we ask you to accept it with our best wishes for a bright and happy New Year, and trust Providence may smile upon you in the years to come. To your help mate and life partner, we present this sincere purse and although at present absent from home on account of illness we hope you will shortly return in perfect health and once more be able to take up her duties in home and community. Signed on behalf of the congregation, FREEMAN HEWITT, JAMES HEWITT. The evening was pleasantly spent after which refreshments were served by the ladies present.

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MORELL RINK.—Opening skate at Morell Rink, Wednesday, January 10th. Special train will leave Charlottetown 6.30 p. m. Band in attendance. Supper after skate. Return fare 70c. 3803-1-6M41.

LETTER OF SYMPATHY.

Kingsboro, Dec. 4, 1916. To Talbot Stewart. Dear brother:—Being called upon to mourn the loss of your dear brother, Freeman, who has so nobly laid down his life in this, the world's greatest war, may it be said of him that he has fought the good fight, he has finished his course and has gone to his reward in Heaven. And now, we, your brethren of Orman L. O. L. No. 2286, do take this opportunity of expressing our deepest sympathy to you in this your recent sad bereavement. May the God, the comforter of all sorrow, be with you. We are yours fraternally, Signed on behalf of the brethren of Orman L. O. L. Committee, W. W. McLEAN, WALTER ROBERTSON.

WOMEN WITH WEAKNESS FIND NEW STRENGTH

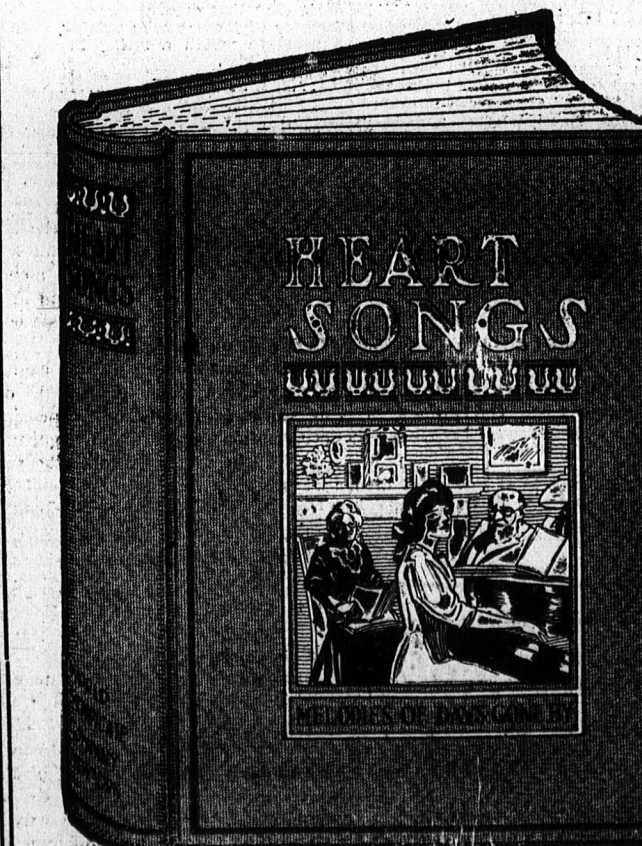
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