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FOR PATRIOTIC FUND—The Kensington fund contribution towards the Patriotic Fund was handed to the Treasurer yesterday. It amounted to \$625.30.

KINDLY REMEMBERED.—Rev. J. F. Johnston was this week presented by the young men of his parish at Cardigan with a handsome driving sleigh, buffalo robe and harness. Needless to say Rev. Father Johnston deeply appreciated the spirit which promoted the young men to this very kind and thoughtful action. The sleigh was of the type known as "The Lady of the Snows," and is a very fine model, easy running and comfortable in every way.

GRAND TRACADIE.—The following is the standing of the pupils of Grand Tracadie School for the month of January. Grade V.—1, Louis MacDonald, Grade V.—1, Earl Keizer; 2, Leonard MacDonald, Grade IV.—1, Stella Court; 2, Secelia Fanning and Alfred MacDougall (equal), Grade III.—1, Margaret McEwen; 2, Gerald Watts and Hilda Keizer (equal); Grade II.—1, Roy Keizer; 2, Michael Boote, Grade I.—1, Amy Keizer; 2, George Court. Perfect attendance and Punctuality: Louis MacDonald, Earl Keizer, Alfred MacDougall, Ivan MacEwen, Cecelia Fanning, Gerada Watts.

WEDDING BELLS.—The St. John Globe of the 19th says: In the Cathedral this morning at nine o'clock Miss Mary Francis Gullivan, daughter of Mr. Michael and the late Mrs. Gullivan, and Walter G.Holdon, London, Eng., were united in marriage with Nuptial Mass by Rev. M. P. Howland. The bride attended by Miss Juliet Desmond, wore a tailored suit of tan broad cloth trimmed with pink and sand colored hat with old rose trimming. She carried a white prayer book. The bridesmaid's costume was of brown broadcloth with Canary colored hat. Following the ceremony wedding breakfast was served at the Queen Hotel. The happy couple left at noon by train on a ten days' trip to Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, and on their return will reside in the city. On Sunday evening the bride, lady of the Queen, was presented with a chest of silver by guests of the hotel.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING.—The regular meeting of the Ray of Hope Institute met at the home of Mrs. Matthew MacLeod on Feb. 2nd. The roll call was responded to with quotations from favorite poets. A paper on How the Red Cross Society was organized was read by Miss Etta Cain. Reports from the schools were brought before the meeting and the required amounts of money were voted for the various improvements. It was decided that the Institute purchase a new screen for the public Hall. The Institute is planning on holding a concert in the near future to help increase their funds.

POWNAL.—Pownal Bay was bushed last week by Mr. Wilfrid Lawton. Miss Ona McLeod, of Uigg, has returned home after spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. Nat Gay of Pownal.—The many friends of Mrs. Fred Praught are glad to know she has recovered from her recent attack of a gripe.—The ladies of the Pownal Red Cross are busy knitting socks for the boys at the front.—Mr. Fred Robertson, Mt. Albion, was a visitor to Pownal recently. Miss Winnie Carver has returned home after a pleasant visit to Montague, the guest of her aunt.—Miss Barbara Carey, China Point, has returned home after a two weeks' visit in Pownal, the guest of her cousin, Miss Annie Praught.

CANOE COVE NOTES.—Mr. Alexander Campbell, one of the oldest residents of Canoe Cove, is very ill.—Mr. and Mrs. Kempford Scott and Cecil Scott, of Cornwall, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. John D. McLean.—Mr. and Mrs. Neil McPadayen are visiting friends in Montague.—A party of young people from Canoe Cove, among whom were Mr. Neil McEachern, Miss Myrtle Rogerson, Mr. Jack McEachern, Miss Bell McEachern, Mr. Earl Rogerson, and Mr. Daniel McKinnon, made a short visit to Victoria Monday night.—Miss Ruth Gladys McRae, Miss Myrtle Catherine Rogerson, and Mr. Artie Rogerson attended the horse race at Clyde River Saturday.—Mr. Sidney McNevin, of Bonshaw, and Mr. Jas. McQuarrie, of Riverdale, made a flying visit to Canoe Cove Saturday night.

"BLOOMING PLANTS and cut flowers at William's Nursery. 4442-71.

C. G. S. PRINCE EDWARD.—The Car-ferry steamer, docked in Picton yesterday at 11.30 a. m.

FREE DEMONSTRATION.—Ladies who are not satisfied with the appearance of their hair should consult Mrs. White, Queen Hotel. 4543-2-24M1f.

GRACE CHURCH.—Special monthly service for young people tomorrow night at Grace Church. Sermon, subject, "Heaven on Earth." The church orchestra will assist in the music. Soloist, Mr. A. Gaudet. A welcome for all. Seats free.

ISLANDER WOUNDED.—Mrs. John Byrne, Iona, has received a telegram from Ottawa, stating that her son, Patrick J., was officially reported admitted to a military Hospital, London, a few days ago, suffering from a gunshot wound in the foot. Mr. Byrne, although still a young man, left home many years ago. He saw active service in the Philippines, and later returned to Western Canada, where he enlisted more than a year ago.

105th SOLDIER WOUNDED.—A telegram received yesterday morning by Mrs. Mary King, Upper Hillsboro Street, that her son, Pte. Arthur George King, of the 105th Infantry, is officially reported wounded accidentally on Feb. 15th. The telegram is from the Officer of the I. C. Records and is dated Ottawa, Feb. 22nd. Pte. King went over in the first draft from the 105th to France, and was at the front at the time he was wounded.

ISLANDER REPORTED MISSING.—Mr. Samuel Beaton, Bonshaw, received an official notice from the Records Office, Ottawa, informing him that his son, Pte. Heath Eardley Beaton, infantry, was officially reported missing on September 27th, 1916. This report had only just been received from the base. Private Beaton's letters home suddenly stopped in September and naturally, although no official word came, much anxiety was felt regarding his safety. Two other sons of Mr. Beaton are in khaki, one in France, the other in Winnipeg, preparing for the front. The sincere sympathy of all goes out to Mr. Beaton and family in the sorrow that has come to them, a sorrow that is falling on so many homes throughout the Empire.

PRINCE EDWARD THEATRE.—"The Shielding Shadow," the enthralling serial which has been running for fifteen weeks at the Prince Edward Theatre was brought to a close yesterday, all the mysteries being cleared and everything ending satisfactorily. The first instalment of a weird and unusual serial, "The Crimson Stain" was commenced to take its place. There are sixteen episodes to the new serial. In this picture appears Maurice Costello who was a favorite of the screen with Canadian audiences until a year ago. Then he went on a round-the-world tour, and on his return was taken ill. As a result, he could not work in pictures. His sickness has completely vanished, and a good long vacation restored him to perfect health and vigor. He is assisted in "The Crimson Stain" by Miss Ethel Grandin, a dainty little star who plays admirably opposite him. This picture, it is claimed, solves the mystery of a series of murders that started New York not so very long ago, and were never publicly explained, because of the weirdness of the whole matter. Albert Payson Terhune, of the "New York World" knew the truth of the murders, and on them has founded this serial, which has a dozen surprises in every reel. A splendid three-part drama, shown yesterday was "The Scape Goat." It is a story with the pleasing quality of realism, a quality which should certainly make it appeal to public taste. There is fun galore in the Chaplin comedy, "The Fireman" and the last act winds up with Charlie a great hero. This programme is repeated today.

The publisher of the best Farmer's paper in the Maritime Provinces in writing to us states: "I would say that I do not know of a medicine that has stood the test of time like MINARD'S LINIMENT. It has been an unfailing remedy in our household ever since I can remember, and has outlived dozens of would be competitors and imitators."

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RATES.—Return rates at single first class fare on standard certificate plan will be issued for the Seed Fair at Murray River. February 25th; Souris, March 2nd; Georgetown, March 6th; Charlottetown, March 7th and 8th. 4546-2-24M21.

QUEENS AND KING'S HANDICRAFTS.—A well attended meeting of the Charlottetown Branch of the Canadian Handicrafts Guild was held yesterday afternoon in the Legislative Assembly Chamber. Mrs. Davis, the President, occupied the chair. An interesting feature of the meeting was an exhibition of home-made toys, shown chiefly as a design and a suggestion to be taken up by the members. A general programme of work for the coming summer was mapped out. It was decided to offer prizes for home-made rugs, table-linens, woven woolen goods, (ladies wear). The Guild purposes encouraging in every way possible the revival of home-weaving, rug-making, &c. and solicit the co-operation of all the ladies in Queens and King's Counties. They feel that a splendid opportunity is open to all to help on in this laudable work.

ISLAND SOLDIERS IN BEST OF CHEER

Mr. Brent Wood, Tryon, has received the following letter from his brother, who is now a signaller, somewhere in France:—

France, Jan. 26, 1917. Dear Brother.—I received your letter of December 22nd this morning. It reached me right here in the front line, came up with the rations, along with one from Ruth. I was some glad to hear from home after waiting about three weeks for my mail. I got that box you and Sammy sent me, thanks very much! The three of us on our station soon made away with it. We all share alike in respect to boxes out here. The lobster and chocolates certainly went to the spot with us. This is an awful cold place, all kinds of ice and snow, and my feet are cold half the time. I don't know whether it is being so near "Fritz" or the atmosphere. We have innumerable rats to keep us company, who, being in such robust condition do not mind the cold in the least.

A German sniper nearly got one of us the other night. I certainly is anything when at work, to hear "ping" through your ear. The snipers are on the watch all the time. If I am out here another winter I'll want you to send me a pair of good boots, that will reach almost to the knees, and will keep out the water. I have not heard from Amos for a long time now, he was wounded, you know. I was through a little French village a while ago, which had been shelled by German artillery. There were hardly anything standing, except part of a wall here and there still stood. The church and church-yard were blown to pieces and the tombstones were all smashed to atoms. It makes a person feel sad to see desecrations of this kind on all sides. There was an old Massey-Harris binder, just like the one at home. It stood near what was left of a blacksmith's shop. The binder was all twisted up by shrapnel. There were pieces knocked right out of those still shafts under the packing table. Well, I guess I must wind this thing up. How are all the fellows? I suppose hockey is the outstanding feature at this time of the year. I wish I could score down on left wing against Victoria. Do you ever see Monty now? I often think of our wheeling into Charlottetown. Had some fine times in Summerside, eh? Well, I will write when I get out of the trenches.

SIG. LYMAN WOOD, 475469, 2nd. Battalion, C. E. F. France.

GERMANS YEARN FOR PEACE

BERNE, Feb. 22.—From Americans arriving here from Berlin, some of whom have had exceptional opportunities to study internal conditions in Germany, the following information representative of the generally expressed views has been obtained: "The attitude of the German people became more of a problem when the break with America occurred, not because any overwhelming majority was opposed to the break, but because it followed so closely on the heels of the widespread peace talk, coming at a time when the yearning for cessation of hostilities had lately received such enormous impetus. There exists in Germany a cynical though not disloyal minority which frankly believes the peace offer was not made in the expectation that peace could be brought about, but for the purpose of heartening a large but only potentially dangerous stratum of the population which is tired of war. This section has been antagonized by the unselfish and uncontrollable pan-German element which has clamored for the annexation of everything thus far conquered or at least for very material increases in territory. Although naturally unorganized, this stratum is very extensive. It has taken the attitude that the war and the causes thereof are none of its affair and that annexations would be of doubtful value. A majority of this element is indifferent whether Belgium is retained or returned. It longs with increasing anxiety for peace."

"The growing opinion that Germany cannot hope to obtain all that it desires by the extremists, and the passionate desire to have it all over with on any reasonable basis and to get the members of the families back home has brought into being in the last few months a more or less powerful peace party. The cynics argue that the Government, recognizing the existence of the faction, decided on a moderate peace offer which, if accepted, would please the peace advocates even Germans, while if rejected the result would be unification of the people and obliteration of the chasm between the peace faction and the pan-Germans."

"Attention is directed also by these Americans to another phase of the problems having to do with German public opinion which is presented by the relations with the empire's allies, influence at times to keep the dual monarchy in line. Austrians had never felt the great need that Germany has experienced almost from the beginning, and has never acquiesced gracefully, in measures prescribed by Germany as absolutely essential."

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