

MONDAY

Frank Barr, the hotel man of Bridgewater, Mass., is tracking the four-year-old filly, Rilla Todd, a daughter of Echo Todd 2.14% and Rilla Hall, by Walnut Hill 2.08% and developing the beautiful yearling filly Ruby Steyer by Henry Setzer 2.10% out of Misses Nowaday (3) 2.23% by Rubinstein 2.05.

The death occurred suddenly at his home in Bay View on the morning of July 9th of paralysis. Mr. William Moore, aged 66 years leaving a sorrowing widow (three brothers and four sisters besides a host of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. P. Sterling assisted by the Rev. W. Piper. The remains were laid to rest in the cemetery at Cavendish. (Examiner please copy.)

BIBLE SOCIETY.—Principal J. D. Seaman, the energetic secretary of the Prince Edward Island branch of the Bible Society is making a special visit in the Eastern parts of this province at present. He held services at North Lake, South Lake, Kingsboro yesterday, Sunday, on Monday the 10th he will address a meeting at Fort Fortune, Tuesday 17th Marie, Wednesday 19th at Martintale, Thursday 19th, Cardigan, on Friday 20th, Dundas. The work of the British and Foreign Bible Society throughout the world and especially during war times to the soldiers, deserves the sympathy and support of all right thinking people.

Mr. Alex. McDonald, Kensington has received the following kind letter of sympathy.

Dear Mr. McDonald,— I desire to express to you my very sincere sympathy in the recent decease of your son, No. 712442, Pte. Michael Augustine McDonald, who in sacrificing his life at the front in action with the enemy and rendered the highest services of a worthy citizen. The heavy loss which you and the Nation have sustained would indeed be depressing were it not redeemed by the knowledge that the brave comrade for whom we mourn performed his duties fearlessly and well as became a good soldier, and gave his life for the great cause of Human Liberty and the defence of the Empire.

Again extending to you in your bereavement my condolence and heartfelt sympathy.

I am, Yours faithfully, A. E. KEMP, Minister of Militia and Defence for Canada.

Major H. P. Stanley who arrived at his home in Montreal from the front a few days ago, has been awarded the D. S. O., for special gallantry at the battle of Vimy Ridge. He was wounded and gassed on April 9 and was ordered home for further medical treatment. Major Stanley is the eldest son of Mrs. J. T. Bethune 439 Sherbrooke street, west, formerly Mrs. George Stanley of Charlottetown. He enlisted for overseas service in the 72nd Highlanders in 1916, but was drafted into another battalion in the firing line, shortly after his arrival in England. He is a civil engineer by profession and was graduated from McGill with honors in Applied Science. His brother Driver A. K. Stanley, who recently visited in Charlottetown with his mother, is at the front, having enlisted in an ammunition draft raised in Montreal by Lieut. Col. Costigan. Since crossing to England Driver Stanley has been drafted into No. 2 Heavy Canadian Battery, with which corps he is fighting in France. He has fortunately escaped so far without a scratch.

GOOD NEWS FROM ISLANDER.—Mrs. John A. Croken, City, has received the following telegram referring headquarters telegram 4th inst. Cable received from England states that 1256 Sapper Edward Tierney Croken is slowly improving but favorably removed from seriously ill list. Will send further information when received. Director of Records. His many friends here will be glad to hear of his recovery.

POOL TABLE FOR DALTON SANATORIUM.—Sir Charles Dalton raised subscriptions among his friends for the provision of a pool table for the Dalton Sanatorium and it is now being greatly appreciated by the inmates and particularly the thanks are due to Mr. J. A. Macdonald, Cardigan, and Mr. James Tuplin, Lot 11, who contributed the sum of \$50 each and enabled the table to be placed free of debt.

SMOKES FOR THE FRONT.—Mr. G. D. Montgomery of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Summerside, has kindly forwarded to the Secretary of the 105th Comfort Circle the sum of \$20 the proceeds of a Patriotic Dance and Pie Social held by the young people of St. Eleanors which amount they wish to be used for smokes and a gift to the 105th boys. This is an example that might be followed by other young people as the demand for smokes is great and the boys are duly appreciative.

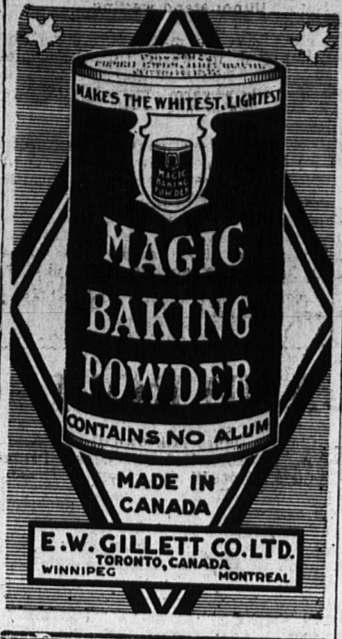
W. M. S. MEETING.—On Tuesday afternoon a combined meeting of the Methodist W. M. S., of Cape Wolfe, Knutsford, O'Leary and Maddock, Rev. R. Brodie presiding. During the service prayer was offered by Mrs. R. Brodie, Mrs. J. Crossman, Mrs. G. Taylor and Mrs. J. McLeilan. The ballot for delegates to attend the district meeting at Elliot was held on the 19th inst., resulted in the election of Miss F. Crossman, Mrs. Polley, Mrs. H. Ramsay, and Mrs. J. Dymment.—W.

POTATO PRICES SLUMP.—The bottom has dropped completely out of the potato market in New Brunswick and the United States says a Sydney exchange. Big shippers in Carleton County, N. B., found themselves with a surplus amount of "spuds" after seeding and flooded the market with the excess. The final result was that potatoes which were \$6 market about ten days ago have now slumped to \$1 a barrel, in fact, farmers find it hard to get their price now.

ISLAND ROADS BETTER FOR MOTORING THAN THE N. S.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Leslie McDuff, of Halifax, are leaving for home this night touring the island in their Cadillac Eight. Mr. McDuff, formerly of Brookfield, was engaged in the teaching profession for six years in P.E.I. He is now manager for Nova Scotia for the Mutual Life of Canada. He states that the Island roads are far superior for motoring to those of Nova Scotia, being freer from stones and much wider.

OPEN DRAINS.—Professors L. Tennant and Reid have spent the second week of July in Mont Carmel directing operations in the construction of an open ditch following what should be a natural water course, but on account of lack of a definite course and outlet the water heretofore lost itself over a considerable area and gradually eroded the soil or gradually flowing over a gentle grade, when in time of freshets. On the 10th a meeting was held in Mt. Carmel hall for the purpose of considering about other outlets. Four more outlets or open drains were arranged by those interested in each case.—I.

AUTO TRIP FROM BOSTON.—Mr. Douglas E. Foster and William J. Hall, wife and child made a delightful trip from Boston to Salisbury, N. B., where they left their auto and proceeded to Suffolk, P.E.I. by train and boat. They were not acquainted with the fact that autos were allowed to run on P. E. I. till they were aboard the Northumberland. The part of the trip from Boston, to Bangor, Me., about 250 miles was made in thirteen hours. Messrs. Foster and Hall spoke of the great preparations in Boston to carry on the war; of the royal reception given to Col. Guthrie of the 236th Battalion in his recruiting campaign in Boston; also of the contrast in Canada in regard to the displaying of flags. In Boston the National emblem is displayed everywhere. The party will visit Mr. Jos. Dover of Suffolk where they will remain for two weeks.



TUESDAY

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—Mr. Lloyd Gorrell, Summerside met with a painful accident on Thursday evening while driving a spirited horse in the direction of Bedouque. In holding up the animal one of the reins broke with the result that Mr. Gorrell was thrown from the buggy and received a few bad cuts on his head as well as a shaking up. Assistance soon came and Mr. Gorrell was taken to the P. C. hospital where his wounds were dressed. He is now doing nicely and will be around again in a few days.—H.

A PRETTY JUNE WEDDING.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Jenkins, of Annapolis, was the scene of a very happy event on the evening of June 21st, at 8.30 o'clock when their daughter Myrtle, became the wife of Norman W. McLeod, of Bridgetown. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. McLeod, assisted by Rev. R. Rand. The bride, who was beautifully attired in a dress of embroidered net, was attended by her cousin, Miss Mary McFarlane. The groom was supported by his cousin, Mr. Otis McLeod, of Uigg. Only the immediate relatives were present. On the following evening the home of the groom's father was the scene of a reception where over fifty invited guests spent a happy evening and enjoyed generous hospitality leaving their good wishes with the happy young couple.

SHIPPING.—The schooner Three Bells, Captain Skerry, is again in port with a cargo of coal for Joseph Head & Co. There has been a large quantity of coal landed here this season and much activity is noticed among the sea captains, but the record so far this season has been broken by Captain J. P. Reinhardt, formerly of the Summerside-Bedouque ferry, who this spring, purchased the schooner Dictator. During the first month, Captain Reinhardt landed in Summerside five cargoes of coal, one of which was from Pictou, and the other four from Point du Chene—a good record for these waters. On Saturday the Captain purchased the motor auxiliary schooner Bertha M., whose engine is a powerful forty-five horse power and which he intends to remove and have it installed in the Dictator, thus incurring still quicker trips in the near future. The Bertha M. will still make a good net fishing boat or smack for the western part of the province when for sale. The schooner Ellen Mary, Capt. Olson, finished discharging and sailed Sunday morning for Point du Chene. H.

Westmoreland lost one of its fore most citizens on July 8th, in the death of Robert MacVittie in his seventy-ninth year. His death, although not unexpected, was a severe blow to his family and wide circle of friends. A quiet and unassuming man, Mr. MacVittie was, yet one who wielded much influence, owing to his sterling integrity, force of character, and ability much above the average endowment being a great reader, he was always well versed in the current events of the day. Coming from Dumfries' when a lad of seven years he was possessed with much information about the land of his forefathers, for which his warm feelings of affection remained unabated till his death. He was gentle and hospitable in his home, considerate and charitable to the needy, and always ready and willing to assist materially in every good cause. He bore his last sickness in a spirit of resignation that charmed and edified all those whose privilege it was to be admitted to his bedside.

The funeral on July 10th was very largely attended, the service at the house being conducted by his pastor Rev. J. S. MacKay of the Presbyterian Church, Hampton. From here his body was conveyed to St. John's Church, Crapaud where the Rev. Mr. D'Athe delivered an eloquent and touching address, after which the remains were taken charge of by his brother Masons, who in Mr. MacVittie's death lost one of their oldest and most respected members. His remains were borne to the adjoining cemetery where the burial and impressive Masonic service was read by a grandson of the deceased Rev. W. A. MacQuarrie of Bedouque. The pallbearers were six Masons: Messrs David Holm, K. C. Holm, Wesley Myers, Donald MacLean, William Collett and Warren Newman. Mr. MacVittie was twice married, his first wife being Miss Matilda, matters by whom were born five children i.e. Mrs. Albion Howatt, Tryon; Mrs. W. A. MacQuarrie, Hampton; James, Chron and Health of Westmoreland. His second wife Miss Fannie Inman with two children viz., Mrs. George MacQuarrie, Crapaud and Mark of the home-stead Westmoreland survives him.

Robert MacVittie in politics was a staunch Liberal. He will long be missed in the community where he lived for so many years and where he exemplified the poet's ideal: "Act well your part, there all the honor lies."

WEDDING BELLS.—St. Joseph's Convent was the scene of a very pretty wedding yesterday morning when Miss Margaret Butler daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Butler, Prince Street, became the wife of Mr. Joseph Gillis of the Gillis Jewelry Store. The bridal party left by the Arammore for Halifax hence to Sydney to visit Mr. Gillis' former home.

BARN BURNED.—Yesterday afternoon at 5.15 the fire bell rang an alarm for a blaze in the barn owned by the Miss Robinson estate on Grafton Street. When discovered the fire had made considerable headway and the building was practically doomed before the firemen came upon the scene, although they responded with their usual promptness. The barn, which was leased by Mr. H. A. Phillips, manager of the Crabbe Hardware Company, contained a goodly quantity of hay and oats, besides a new buggy and a horse, practically all of which fortunately were got out and saved. Mr. Phillips' loss is therefore trifling, apart from the inconvenience. The building was burned to the ground. The origin of the fire is unknown.

HORSE NOTE.—Among numerous foals of the standard bred stallion Leeland F. 2.11%, at Montague, the following are not worthy of special mention. Chestnut filly owned by Cyrus Moore, Union Road, dam by Joe Patchen Jr., second from Mr. Allright it is handsome from an angle, and it would be hard to find a more likey speed prospect than this one. Another bay filly owned by McLaren Ross, Union Road, dam by Joe Patchen Jr., second from Mr. Allright it is handsome from an angle, and it would be hard to find a more likey speed prospect than this one. Another bay filly owned by McLaren Ross, Union Road, dam by Joe Patchen Jr., second from Mr. Allright it is handsome from an angle, and it would be hard to find a more likey speed prospect than this one. Another bay filly owned by McLaren Ross, Union Road, dam by Joe Patchen Jr., second from Mr. Allright it is handsome from an angle, and it would be hard to find a more likey speed prospect than this one.

HONOURS FOR ISLAND GIRLS.—The "Enterprise" of Peabody, Mass., in a recent issue publishes the photographs of two young Prince Edward Island ladies who have won distinction in the Peabody High School. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald A. McKinnon formerly of DeSable, and her cousin, Miss Clara Belle Risteen, The Enterprise says in part: "Human interest attaches to the graduation of Miss McKinnon and Miss Risteen of the class of 1917. P. E. I. S., this week for her cousins and close friends their rivalries in other walks of life, and finished third and fourth as leaders of the largest class ever to receive diplomas from the local school. Between the highest girl, Miss Helen Southwick chosen as the valedictory and Miss Risteen, the fourth highest honour girl there was only a margin of two and a half per cent, which showed how keenly these four girls completed for the honours, Miss McKinnon was awarded the free membership in the Peabody Women's Club for her signal honor at school. Her cousin, Miss Risteen, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Risteen, (her mother being a sister of Mr. McKinnon above named.) Both girls are held in popular esteem and are bound to make a name for themselves.

L. Q. L.—Star of the East L. O. L., Georgetown fittingly observed the "Twelfth" on Thursday last by holding a picnic at "Riverdale," Brudenell River, the house of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gordon. The weather was ideal and the afternoon picnic tradition shone out gloriously as usual and this combined with a beautiful situation and a pleasing company made this the most successful picnic of the season. A large number of the guests besides the officers and members of the L. O. L., were present and the grounds presented a very gay appearance enlivened by a large Union Jack which floated grandly supreme on the flag staff and a beautiful Orange Banquet of Star of the East Lodge. Many of the picnicers amused themselves by playing various games such as "Three Deep," "Drop the Handkerchief" and other popular picnic games. Games of skill and prowess such as Quoits, Throwing the Light Hammer, Racing and Tug of War were also played to the enjoyment of all. About three o'clock in the afternoon the cream and cigars were served lavishly to all and later all sit down to a bountiful repast served on the lawn by the Ladies of the Lodge. Instrumental music was also supplied by the Victoria so generously lent for the occasion by Mr. A. A. Chubb and some of the more light hearted tripped to the music, others derived pleasure from boating on the beautiful Brudenell River. The hour growing late the guests all departed after thanking Mr. and Mrs. Gordon for their kindness and hospitality. Before the party left, however three rousing cheers and a tiger were given for Orange Lodge of Georgetown. Credit for this enjoyable outing is due in a large manner to the untiring efforts of Mr. S. N. Johnson, W. M., and to the committee which was in charge.—G.

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THEIR GREAT GREAT GRAND.—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gurney, Covehead, have been offering them hearty felicitations upon the happy occasion of the birth of their great great grandchild. The child is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Misner, Stanhope, and at his christening last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Gurney had the pleasure of being present at the ceremony. The aged couple enjoy the best of health and go out and in among their neighbors and friends pretty much as usual.

Mrs. Esche Gallant of this city received a telegram Sunday from the Records Office, Ottawa, informing her that her son, Private Jerry Gallant, had been killed in action. Gunner Gallant was 25 years old and leaves a widowed mother and several brothers and sisters, one brother Peter in France with the 105th. The late Jerry Gallant was a fine specimen of physical manhood. He was in Boston when the call came and he immediately returned to his native province and joined the 98th, to fight for his King and Country.

At a meeting of the Charlottetown Board of Health called in response to a petition from the residents of Bungalow St., (Bridge Road) was held last night, the full Board, including Water Commissioners McGregor, McDonald, being present. The matter of extending the water system to Bungalow street, which has been in agitation for years was fully threshed out. The subject was opened by His Worship after which Mrs. Melvin, a resident of Bungalow St., was heard. She stated that the water in the wells in the vicinity was injurious to health and was not even fit for washing purposes. She submitted a sample which was examined by the Health Officer and members of the Board. The unanimous opinion was that the water was unfit for use and that this portion of the City should be connected with the Water System. A general discussion followed, in which

cost from the end of Park Street to corner with Bungalow St. The resolution was carried unanimously and Commissioner McGregor stated that the estimate would be furnished with as little delay as possible.

AN AUTO TOUR.—Messrs James E. Howard, Major Carruthers, Edward McFadyen, Austin Cameron and Leslie Campbell, Cape Trevaers, left their home yesterday morning in Mr. Campbell's Ford Car for a tour of Queens and King's Counties. They arrived in the City about 9.30 and were necessary to do so in the interests of the public health. After a long discussion the following resolution was moved by Councillor Miller and seconded by Coun. Rattray: "That the Water Commissioners be requested to prepare and furnish the Board of Health, as soon as possible, with an estimate of the cost of extending the water system to Bungalow street from the Pork Factory, also the

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