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ON BRIDAL TOUR—Mr. Arthur Simmons and bride (nee Miss Lavelle) of Crapaud, P.E.I., are guests of the former's cousin, Mrs. Geo. Steeves and Mr. Steeves last week. Accompanied by Mrs. Steeves they visited relatives at Garryville on Thursday.—Moncton Times.

SELLING THE SEALS—The members of the recently organized Commercial Club are getting behind the sale of Christmas seals in real earnest. Teams from the club have been visiting the wholesale houses and business offices throughout the city, selling these little messages of health, and are meeting with marked success. A report of the sales to date will be given out at the club's meeting on Monday.

THE MARKET—The following prices prevailed at the market yesterday:—Butter 40c; eggs 60c; cranberries 15c quart; apples 10c; fowl and chicken 75c to \$1.45; chickens \$1.50; ducks \$1.00 to \$1.45; blue potatoes 60c to 70c; oats 70c to 72c; straw 10c; turnips 18c; hay 75c to 90c; smelt 15c; cod (fresh) 10c; cod (pickled) 7c; cod (dried) 8c; pickled mackerel 10c; eels 20c.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH—Early prayer meeting at 10 a.m. Preacher at Morning Service, Rev. Hammond Johnson. Subject "Soulship before Service." Anthem, "God is a Spirit." (Bennett). Rev. Dr. Ramsay, preacher at Evening Service, his subject being "The Books," especially the Parables. Mrs. You Hewitt will sing Nevin's "The Holy Hour." Anthem "Like as a Father." (Hutton). Sabbath School and Bible Classes at 2:30 p.m. The morning service broadcast.

GREENWICH WOMEN'S INSTITUTE—The third annual meeting of this Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Ambrose Rattray. Nine members were present. One new member was welcomed. The meeting opened with the singing of the Ode, and roll call was answered with "My Favorite Occupation." The minutes of the last annual meeting and the minutes of the last monthly meeting were read and adopted. The president and secretary then read their reports of the year's work, after which the correspondence was read by the secretary. During the business discussion it was decided to serve hot cocoa to the school children. The purchase of a fence for the school yard was discussed, also the means of raising funds for the Institute by lottery. The president's resignation was received, and Mrs. Ambrose Rattray was appointed president for the new year; vice-president, Mrs. Mina Sutherland. New directors and auditors were appointed, the secretary being re-elected. An interesting feature of the program was a demonstration in needlework by Mrs. Earl McEwen. After lunch was served by the hostess, the meeting adjourned. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Sanderson and roll call will be answered with the "Name of my first school teacher."

PERSONALS—Mr. Houton McCabe, Alexandria, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Michael Curley, Fort Augustus, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS WELL OUTLINED IN SUBJOINED COMMENTS.

(Historical)

It is always interesting to read an article in a London leading journal inasmuch as it gives the latest information compiled with events in Great Britain's home affairs. The views set forth below are gleaned from the London News and are a case in point. In the writer's opinion it may be ranked as a serious question. For what are no doubt good and sufficient reasons, the Government have decided to reopen the unique problem of Indian administration before the time required by statute. India, a land of marvels, is in nothing perhaps more marvellous than in its present political system. This was founded by the Act of 1919, its distinctive feature being a scheme of diarchy or dualism, in which responsibility is divided in the various provinces between the Governor-in-Council and the Governor acting with Ministers. The former deals with "reserved" subjects, including public works, health, education, agriculture, Excise, and development of industries. The Governor-General-in-Council has the fullest powers of control in every thing relating to "reserved" matters, but in regard to those "transferred" is authorized to interfere only when necessary. This provision, under which the Governor-General was empowered to assert or efface himself, was the most delicate part of the machinery created by the Act of 1919. Had those responsible for its interpretation lacked wisdom, the future of the Act was assured. We do not yet know if it can be held to have succeeded. That is the grave question the Royal Commission will have to answer, and on the final results of its inquiries hang issues, in the words of the Premier at the Guildhall, "vital not only to India, but to the Empire and civilisation."

Indian Status Under British Rule

These statements show the importance and how far-reaching effects of the problems now to be adjusted. "It," as the News states, "is in favour of continuing the present policy, it will be for the Government to frame appropriate proposals. It, on the other hand, the Commission think otherwise, that the time has not come for an advance, or even that a retreat is in some measure desirable. Great Britain and her representatives in India cannot be blamed. The Act of 1919 was an experiment of extraordinary courage, hundred and twenty millions of people, of overwhelming majority illiterate, composed of different races, of varying religions, speaking different languages, all accustomed from time immemorial to despotic rule. There was no question of asking a nation into partnership in the contract of its affairs. India is no more a nation than is the Continent of Europe, which it equals in extent, if we exclude Russia. In carrying out under such adverse circumstances, far-reaching reforms, Great Britain incurred heavy risks. That the changes were effected without serious dislocation can only be ascribed to a zealous for government developed in the course of long centuries. To that genius, India herself is an amazing monument. Under British rule she has attained to unprecedented prosperity. The peasant and the jobber of the country, is secure in his homestead. Splendid roads and railways link every quarter of the vast territory. At home there is order, wealth, last but not least her soil, so long the prey of invaders, is safe under the protection of the Imperial Sword. Modern India is indeed, what British brains, blood, and treasure have made it. And further now arises: To what question now arises? To what further extent are the fruits of our labours to be handed over to a new trusteeship? A serious question for the British people. The guiding hand of Britain for the future means peace, progress and development whereas a reckless plunge in the midst of her half-matured civilization would set her back for a long period of time. Well, will it be for her if she remains steady until her millions of population all become educated in British schools and then proceed in the march of nations to shape her career as a free and enlightened partner of the greatest empire that yet has done a leading part in governing the world. Mr. A. Bennett McDonald, Morrell, is spending a few days in the city.

SPORTING COMMENT

(By "TEC")

HOCKEY

The Abegweit Hockey Committee, namely, Dr. Ira J. Yeo, S. F. Doyle and Byron Brown, were appointed by the Executive to handle the red and black destined this winter. The above committee is understood met this week to discuss plans, etc., for the coming hockey campaign.

Players will be called together shortly in order to get an early start and to complete organization for the first ice practice which "won't be long now."

The committee has under consideration the appointment of a suitable coach, a man well versed in all the fine points of the game and one who knows the conditioning of a hockey aggregation.

A suggestion offered at the annual meeting with reference to more foreign games will be adopted and acted upon. It is the intention of those in charge to have more foreign teams play here than ever before.

There is abundance of material in the offering this winter, and with a good coach in charge a very presentable team should be the result.

Intermediates and Juniors will be well looked after this winter. The younger fry are also to benefit from the coach's instructions.

THE VICTORIAS

"Dame Rumor" has it around

the city that the Victorias, 1927-28, Intermediate Maritime Champions will step into the senior ranks this winter. This team made a wonderful reputation last season, and if they are intending to try the big league, would no doubt make an excellent showing. However it would be well, I think, if the wearers of the blue and white remain for another year in the Intermediate League. They have a fast and clever team, and just a little too light for senior company. Another year should see the Vics stepping out and traveling fast in the Maritime senior league.

Charlie Gorman, world's champion amateur skater, has announced that he would refuse to compete in the Olympic skating meet to be held at St. Moritz, in February, unless season at least a month earlier than the date set for the sailing of the Canadian Olympic team for Europe, so as to be able to get acclimated and to work out on Swiss ice before the big guarantee of action and satisfaction contests. He reasoned that if sent on the first of February which Berlenbach gave and took, Canadian contenders would have little or no time to get used to conditions and he feared a repetition of what occurred at the last time he was working towards the Olympic games, when he arrived top only a few days before and was tory over an ex-champion of the "Virgins" ice and consequently made a poor showing.

Charlie Gorman and the Canadian hockey team was Canada's best hopes for points, and Gorman is pretty well though even before the likeliest bet of all, therefore he should be given every chance to slip, in fact, that Dan Hickey,

get into condition before going into the games. In 1924 Gorman was advised by Paul Berlenbach to retire. The latter was so positive that the end of the road had been reached that he disclaimed any responsibility for the making of the Walker match, and his last announced men was that he hoped a failure in that match would cause Berlenbach to quit the ring for good.

Next week—Will Jack McKenna go far in his initial debut and subsequent invasion of United States rings?

Japan has a population of almost 55,000,000 in an area of less than

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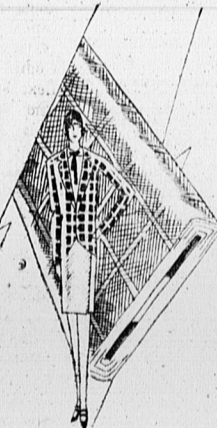
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St. Peter's Tea And Sale, Dec. 7th

Every one goes to the Annual Tea and Sale at St. Peter's Schoolroom not only for the good time socially, but to purchase dainty articles for Christmas presents. The tables this year promise to be as good if not better, than ever before, because many new designs and patterns have been introduced into needlecraft lately. This is especially true with regard to the Handkerchief Table where an entirely new design has made its appearance—silver edged and flower pattern in pink, mauve and blue silk. Already, special orders are demanding extra work on the part of conveners and helpers. Even if you do not wish to purchase articles for presents—it will do you good to see the dainty frocks which are always an attraction. Then the Tea—a luxurious and bountiful supply of good things as a small charge of fifty cents, including admission. Don't fail to take in this important Annual Attraction. See Advertisement.

SCOTTISH FOLK NOTED FOR STICK-TO-IT-IVENESS

"If there is in the Scottish race one characteristic more widely distributed than another, it is the power of endurance—the ability to persevere against difficulties, to accept patiently any circumstances and any condition and 'stick it out,'" said Rev. Stuart C. Parker, B.D., in his sermon to the St. Andrew's Society at St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, Sunday from the text, "Jesus said unto them, he that endureth to the end shall be saved." Matthew 10:22.

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A sock-darning bureau for the benefit of men students has been inaugurated at the University of Toronto by a group of co-eds who style themselves "Free Lancers," and those undergraduates who have often been able to pull on their socks from either end have raised a great shout of delight. The Free Lancers will charge so much per darn.

MRS. H. H. CARVELL

CHATHAM, N.B., Nov. 30—The death occurred about 9.30 this morning of Mrs. H.H. Carvell at the Hotel Dieu Hospital. The late Mrs. Carver, who was a very well known and most highly respected resident of the town, had been in failing health for about a year, but was about and was eating her dinner yesterday when she was suddenly stricken with paralysis and removed to the hospital. She was sixty-two years of age and is survived by her husband, three sons—Frederick, Kingston and Wilbur, and two daughters, Mrs. F.G. Morrissey, Renfrew, Ont., and Miss Gladys at home. There also survive two brothers, Donald, Kingston, P.E.I., and Samuel Kingston of this town.

SCOTTISH R. C. JUDGE DEAD

EDINBURGH, Nov. 29.—Lord Skerrington, of Randolph-erescent Edinburgh, who died at the age of eighty-two, leaving £43,770 in addition to real estate of great value, was the first Roman Catholic to be appointed a judge of the Scottish High Court since the Reformation.

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