

Hunter River and Vicinity

Mrs. J. L. Stevenson, New Glasgow, recently spent a pleasant week with her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Mills Hunter River. She then left on Friday morning, May 24th, for Kingston Ont. where she will visit her daughter-in-law Mrs. E. E. Stevenson. From there she will journey to Ottawa to visit her daughter Mrs. G. L. Bryant and three of her sons George W. Harvey E. and William H. who live at Fort William, Ontario. From there if health permits she will go to Maskef, Sask. to visit two other sons Burton E. at Maskef and Miller H. who is a civil engineer at North Battleford, Sask. Mrs. Stevenson looks forward with the greatest pleasure to being re-united with the various members of her family. If all goes well she expects to be away until the fall.

Word has been received that Keir MacLeod, a former school teacher here, but now a pilot in the R. A. F. has landed safely in England. Friends and former pupils here wish Keir the best of luck and a safe return.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewen Lamont, Springfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Cameon are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a baby girl to each home respectively.

Miss Dorothy MacKenzie, teacher at Stanchel, has resumed her duties after a severe attack of measles. She reports a very small attendance as several of her pupils have measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Whitlock have as their guest, Mr. Whitlock's brother Paul, of Concord, New Hampshire.

Master Ralph Josey was taken to the Prince Edward Island Hospital on Friday last, where he underwent an operation. Latest reports are that he is doing well.

Miss Verna Roberson who has been seriously ill in the Prince Edward Island Hospital is still a patient there. Her condition at time of writing is considered good. On Thursday morning she underwent an operation for appendicitis, which was successful and she is doing fine.

Mr. Ed Kelly has been confined to the house for some weeks suffering from a severe attack of flu.

Mr. Nelson Carew who has been quite ill at his home in Hopedale, has entered the Prince Edward Island Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Albert Todd entertained the members of the Stanchel W. L. at their last meeting. The afternoon was spent in quilting for the Red Cross. Tea was served by the hostess.

Among those from Hunter River attending the funeral of the late Rev. H. Stave were: Mrs. L. R. Silliphant, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Stewart, Mrs. Wilfred Whitlock, Rev. Lewis Murray and Mrs. MacDougall, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Smith and Mr. William Smith, Mr. Neil Nicholson of Hartsville.

Miss Cella Stevenson of Ellits is filling the vacancy at the store of Mr. N. A. Cutcliffe. Their former saleslady Miss Jean MacLeod has accepted a position in Charlottetown.

The regular monthly meeting of the Hunter River Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. W. I. Bowman with the president in the chair. There were twenty members present. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. A committee consisting of Misses Florence Noye, Dorothy Cutcliffe, Miriam Woolner and Verna Andrews were appointed to solicit candy to be sold at the day. It was decided to spend \$3.00 on programs for coming play. Several completed articles were passed in by various members also a quilt donated by Mrs. J. S. MacLeod. Collection amounted to \$1.27. Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. William MacDougall. Meeting closed with "The King."

Mr. Hamibal Murray, a highly respected citizen of Fredericton, passed away on May 21, at the home of his son James Murray, age 83 years.

A service of more than passing interest took place at Hunter River United Church on Wednesday evening May 21st, when William Ira MacDonald, a native son received his licence to the ministry of the United Church of Canada. Rev. Lewis Murray pastor of the church read the scripture and introduced the candidate. Rev. Mr. Skinner who has been elected president of the P. E. Island Presbytery was in charge and presided the ceremony of licensing. Rev. Mr. Tiley of Cavendish addressed the congregation, and Mr. Millay of Breadalbone addressed the candidate. The scripture read was 2 Timothy, 4th chapter verses 1-8, and the hymns were 681, 233, 249, 288. The service was a beautiful one throughout, and all present rejoiced to see a boy of their own community taking his place in the ranks of the Ministry. Mr. MacDonald who is the youngest son of the late D. M. and Mrs. MacDonald of Hopedale will be ordained at Mt. Allison, Sackville on June 8. He will then go to take up his chosen life's work. The prayers and best wishes of a multitude of friends follow him whenever he may go. B.

In Memoriam

MRS. ALICE NEWSOM

Mrs. Alice Newsom of Somerville, Mass. aged 83 years who lived four years in Daytona Beach, Florida, died at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon at a hospital from injuries received from a fall, and other ailments from which she couldn't regain her strength. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Linda Goldsmith of Somerville, Mass., a grand daughter Mrs. Vincent, Sola Conn., one great grand son George Sola of New Britain, Conn. and three sisters Mrs. Grace Myers, Hampton, P. E. I., Mrs. Robert Myers and Mrs. Carrie Coles Kennington P. E. I. One brother also survives, Mr. Herb Lowther, Charlottetown, P. E. I. The body was to be sent to Boston Friday accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Goldsmith, where burial will take place beside her husband, Mr. James B. Newsom who passed away last year.



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