

### Gleanings of a Rural District New Glasgow

Miss Blanche Wyand has returned home after a very pleasant and interesting visit in Western Canada.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the family of the late Mrs. Craswell, who passed away after a short illness. Besides his widow and sons there is an aged father and mother at home, and a brother William in Western Canada, who will long for a touch of the vanished hand, and sigh for a voice that is still.

The genial bus driver, Mr. Andrew Gallant, had the misfortune to have four ribs broken when he was kicked by a horse, causing great pain. He was rushed to the Charlottetown Hospital where he is resting as comfortably as possible. His many friends will look forward to a good and hasty recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Woolley enjoyed a short visit to their daughter, Miss Evelyn Woolner, of the Capital. Although her stay on the island was brief she took time to call on her grandmother, Mrs. Adam Brown, who has been bedfast for some time, but is still privileged to retain all her faculties, and needless to say, she was overjoyed at seeing her granddaughter.

Mr. R. R. Bell, M.L.A., is adding further improvements to his farm home here, and will be one of the most modern when completed. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Doyle are the caretakers of his stock, etc.

Mr. Leith Orr motored from St. John to his home here on Christmas eve to spend a week's holiday and enjoy the festive season with his parents and brothers. Mr. Elmer Clark accompanied him as far as Hunter River, where he stopped off to visit his sister, Mrs. Cyril Smith, later visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clarke and brother George, in Cavendish.

The many friends of Mr. Jeremiah Doucette will be pleased to learn of his arrival in Vancouver, where he plans to spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Millar Orr, Messrs. C. B. Orr and Leith Orr, and Mrs. John Pursey motored to the capital on Christmas afternoon, where they had an enjoyable visit with the latter's daughter, Mrs. Reg. Fraser and son Jack.

The weather was ideal for the Christmas holiday, good car roads, and the soft snow flakes falling which made good sleighing, and the countryside looked so Christmassy. There were many happy reunions.

Mr. David Patterson is spending the winter months in Vancouver, where his many friends will be pleased to know, he is enjoying the warmer climate and beautiful scenery.

The W. M. S. and Ladies' Aid of New Glasgow Christian Church were entertained at the home of the vice-president, Mrs. R. L. Dickerson, for the December meeting. A program in keeping with the Christmas season was carried out, the leader being assisted by Mrs. Lloyd Houston, Mrs. H. Hill, Mrs. R. B. Dickerson, Mrs. Earle Houston, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Wynand, and Mrs. Herbert Stevenson. During the Aid session Mrs. Brenton Dickerson auctioned numerous articles which realized a good sum. The January meeting is invited to the home of Mrs. Brenton Dickerson, when the roll call will be answered with a verse containing the word new. Lunch committee to be Mrs. Howard Ling, Mrs. Reginald McNeill and Mrs. Allen Wynand. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Earle Houston and Mrs. R. B. Dickerson, assisted by the hostess.

A very successful concert was presented in Mayfield Hall on Dec. 20th by the pupils of Mayfield School under the capable direction of their teacher, Miss Catharine Stevenson. There was a good attendance. Home-made candy was sold during intermission by the local institute. Mrs. Lloyd Houston presided at the organ and was assisted by Mrs. Blair Andrew. Mr. Lloyd Houston presided as chairman. The following was the program:

Welcome Song as a duet by Pearl Nicholson and Doris Andrew.  
Recitation, Kind Wishes, by Elizabeth Cole.  
Exercise, Santa's Gifts, by eight pupils.  
Chorus, Christmas Time, by the

### Wright - Knowles Wedding

St. Lambert United Church was the scene of a wedding at half-past four o'clock the 29th of December, when Barbara Joan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Victor Knowles of St. Lambert, was united to Mr. John Robert Wright, of Montreal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Wright, of Digby, Nova Scotia. The Rev. J. D. McCrue officiated and Mr. G. L. McFadyen played the wedding music, while Mrs. W. J. Hindess sang during the signing of the register. Chrysanthemums with green and silver Christmas trees composed the decorations.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of ivory crepe, with fitted bodice, and an insert of lace at the hip-line, and the bouffant skirt flowing into a train. Her full-length veil of Chantilly lace, was held by a Juliet cap trimmed with a cluster of orange blossoms worn by her mother at her wedding and she carried a semi-cascade bouquet of Joanna Hill roses.

Mrs. John M. Porter of Toronto, as matron-of-honor, wore a long-sleeved frock of fire-glow red crepe, fashioned on simple lines, and carried a bouquet of pale yellow carnations. Miss Joan Wright, niece of the bridegroom, as junior bridesmaid, wore a frock of pastel green tulle with a toning headdress and carried a nosegay.

Mr. Alan Wright acted as best man for his brother and the ushers were Mr. Ralph Purser and Mr. Donald Knowles, brother of the bride.

The reception was held at the Mount Stephen Club where pink and white carnations were used as decorations. Later Mr. and Mrs. Wright left for North Hatley, Que., the bride travelling in a suit of hunter's green gabardine under a muskrat coat and wearing a brown hat and accessories and a corsage bouquet of cypripedium orchids.

Among the out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Wright, of Digby, N.S., parents of the bridegroom; Mr. and Mrs. John Porter of Toronto; Mrs. Harold Gardiner, of Cleveland, Ohio.

The bride is a graduate of the Montreal General Hospital Training School for Nurses and the bridegroom graduated from Queen's University as an electrical engineer, with the Federal Electric Co. of Montreal. Mr. Wright's parents formerly belonged to Charlottetown.

School.  
Recitation, When Pa's Sick, by Pearl Nicholson.  
Song and Tableau, by Pearl Nicholson, Doris and Nell Andrew.  
Recitation, Might As Well, by Marjorie Cole.  
Exercise, His Star, by nine pupils.  
Instrumental Music, by Billie Andrew.  
Dialogue, Night After Christmas, by eight pupils.  
Recitation, Who's Has Seen Old Santa Claus, by Elizabeth Cole.  
Song, by Billie Andrew, "Encored."  
Intermission Sale of candy.  
Pantomime, Silent Night, by five girls, sung by Nellie Andrew.  
Recitation, Dolly Elizabeth, by Nellie Andrew.  
Exercise, What Does Christmas Mean To You, by seven girls.  
Trio, by Shirley Moffatt, Pearl Nicholson, and Doris Andrew.  
Instrumental Music by Billie Andrew.  
Silent Dialogue by nine pupils.  
Recitation, That Brother Bill, by Doris Andrew.  
Solo, with guitar accompaniment (encored) by Billie Andrew.  
Duet, I Am A Little Dutch Girl, (encored) by Doris and Nellie Andrew.  
Exercise, Trimming The Tree, by the pupils.  
Chorus, Santa's Bells, school.  
Recitation, Good-Nite, by Shirley Moffatt.  
Santa appeared on the scene, and in his usual jovial manner distributed the gifts from the beautiful tree. Candy, nuts, etc., were presented by the Institute to the pupils and little ones of the district. The singing of the National Anthem brought a pleasant evening to a close.



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