

FRIDAY
AWARDED CONTRACT.—Mr. P. G. Clark, of Summerside, has been awarded the contract for building an addition to the Sanatorium at North Wiltshire. The work will be started at once.

TRYON BAPTIST SERVICES.—Sunday, Jan. 4th, Rev. F. A. Hubley will conduct services at Albany, 10.30; Tryon, 3; Westmoreland, 7; General Theme, Inter-Church Forward Movement.

MORE FOXES FOR JAPAN.—A few days ago Yokei Hags, manager of the Far East Fur Farming Company was in Summerside buying live foxes. On Saturday, two pairs were shipped from Summerside to Japan via Vancouver.

ORWELL.—Next Sabbath, Jan. 4th services in Orwell Head at 11, in St. Andrews, Orwell at 6.30, from the 5th to 7th in Orwell Head and 8th and 9th in Orwell Head. Prayer services will be observed.

CORNWALL—YORK INSTITUTE.—The December meeting of the Cornwall-York Women's Institute met recently at Mrs. David White's, York Point. Many useful hints for Christmas work were given by the members as they busied themselves with quilting. At the next meeting, which is at Miss Kathleen McDonald's on January 5th work for the Public Dispensary will be carried on, and the members may bring any donations for this purpose to this meeting.

FORTUNE FOR YOUNG LADY.—Rumors circulating around Bonshaw for some time told of expectations of a fortune about to fall to a young lady of that place who resided in Boston. Miss Agnes Jane McNevin, daughter of the late Alex. and Mrs. McNevin. The rumor has been confirmed by a telegram announcing that Mrs. Mary C. Knight, whom Miss McNevin had cared for for a number of years had willed her the Knight residence and property valued at \$250,000. News of Miss McNevin's good fortune will be heard with pleasure by her many friends in Bonshaw and elsewhere throughout the province.

MIDNIGHT SERVICES.—The passing of the old year and the advent of the new year were marked last night by midnight services in the Methodist Church and St. Paul's Church. At the former the pastor Rev. Mr. Glendenning gave a thoughtful discourse from the words in Deuteronomy 8: 2—"Thou shalt remember All the way which the Lord thy God Hath Led Thee." Scripture readings and hymns appropriate to the occasion were features of the service. In St. Paul's the first hour of the new year was observed by a celebration of the Holy Communion and the singing of hymns appropriate to such a solemn occasion. The rector Rev. H. D. Raymond in a brief and impressive address gave out as a text for the year the words in II. Corinthians 5: 17—"If any man be in Christ, he is a new creature, and the old things are passed away, and all things are become new."

FINDING OF BODY.—The Halifax Herald, referring to the finding of the body of Capt. Walsh of Summerside, says: "Diver John Scroggie, who on Saturday brought to the surface the remains of Abraham Cox, who was drowned at the head of the cable wharf on the night of November 26, has also found the body of Captain Walsh, of the schooner 'Heaver', at Mill Pond, Dartmouth. The remains of the latter were lying in five-fathoms of water, and were buried in mud, only one foot being left uncovered. Capt. Walsh was a well-known seafaring man, and in the highest respect by all, especially in Summerside, where he resided. There are left to mourn a widow, three sons, Harold, in Summerside, Jack at P. of W. College, Frank in Sydney and three daughters, Mrs. Ralph Brundage, Summerside, Mrs. Byron Bowness, Charlottetown, and Miss Florrie Walsh, Calgary. The work of the diver in both cases was exceptionally hard, and he is to be commended for his success. The water at the head of the cable wharf is very deep and his task was particularly arduous."

POLICE COURT.—A case brought against a woman by a man for abusive language before the Court yesterday morning was adjourned until Saturday morning.

BRADALBANE AND NEW GLASGOW.—Services in the churches of Christ on next Lord's day as follows:—Bradalbans, 11 a. m. Frederickton Hall, 3.30 p. m.; New Glasgow 7 p. m. (Patriot please copy.)

RECORD POLL TAX COLLECTION.—The coming civic election may have something to do with the fact that already the sum of \$5,000 has been collected in poll taxes for the current year, the city's biggest poll tax receipts on record.

On the evening of the 27th inst., a large number of the leading citizens of Souris assembled in the Board Room of the Canadian Bank of Commerce to say farewell to Mr. E. P. Stavert who during the last four years has been Manager of the Bank there. Hon. Senator McLean, being called to the chair, made a few happy remarks appropriate to the occasion. Judge Freese then arose and read the following address:

To Mr. E. P. Stavert, Manager, Canadian Bank of Commerce, Souris, P. E. I.

We have heard with regret of your intended departure from us, and we take this occasion of expressing the esteem and appreciation held by your many friends and customers during the four years you have been with us.

In your capacity as Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce here we beg to say we have always found you considerate, courteous and obliging, and now you are to be promoted to a larger field of operations, we are pleased to know that your merits have been recognized and rewarded by your superior officers, and trust that you will meet with the same success in your new sphere as has attended you here.

As a citizen you have shown commendable interest in all things pertaining to the welfare and advancement of this town, and socially you have ever been ready and willing to help out in a cheerful and hearty manner.

In conclusion we would ask you to accept this present, not indeed so much for its value but as evidence of kindly feelings towards you. We also ask you to convey to Mrs. Stavert our kindest regards and wish you both good luck and a happy and prosperous New Year.

At the conclusion of the address Lieut. Roy McLean stepped forward and presented Mr. Stavert with a handsome travelling bag.

In reply Mr. Stavert heartily thanked the donors for their valuable gift, and also for the many acts of kindness towards him during his stay here. He said that the years spent here were among the happiest of his life and he felt he thanked the people and business men of Souris for their treatment and goodwill towards him, and expressed the intention of visiting Souris, this beautiful seaside summer resort during the coming summer, and if possible, on many other summers. He bespoke for Mr. Tanner, his successor the same degree of confidence and consideration as had been shown him. Concluding, he expressed his appreciation of the kindly reference to Mrs. Stavert and said they would both carry away happy memories of Souris.

The chairman called on any other who wished to speak, and among those who spoke in terms of praise and commendation were Senator McLean, Archibald Currie, John E. Macdonald, H. H. Acorn, Dr. Sullivan, Dr. Macdonald, A. F. McQuaid, William Whalen, A. L. Fraser, A. R. Fraser, A. C. Cox and others.

Mr. Stavert has been transferred to North Sydney as Manager of a new branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce about to be opened there.

Mr. Tanne, his successor here, has had considerable experience in Banking business, and has just returned after five years' service overseas.

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.—Rev. Jas. MacDougall will preach on Sabbath the 4th at Canoe Cove at 10.30, Argyle at 3 and DeSable at 7.

YORK CIRCUIT.—Rev. F. H. Littlejohns will conduct services on Sunday as follows:—11 a. m. York, 3 p. m. Brackley, 7 p. m. Union Road. Sacrament will be disposed at, each appointment.

FUNERAL SERVICES.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Nelligan who passed away at the home of her niece Mrs. (Dr.) Fleming, Stanley Bridge, on Sunday took place on Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock from St. Paul's church to the Catholic Cemetery, Summerside.—L.

His Honour The Lieutenant Governor will hold a "Levee" at 61 Grafton Street on New Years Day 1920 from 2.15 p. m. till 3.30 p. m. Gentlemen calling will provide themselves with two cards which are to be left in the Hat when registering and one handed the Manager of the Reception Room. Morning or Afternoon Dress. Edward Palmer, Capt., Private Secretary.

Mrs. McKinnon wife of Lieutenant Governor McKinnon will receive at 61 Grafton Street on New Years Day 1920 from 3.30 p. m. till 5.00 p. m.

WON FIRST PRIZE.—In a recent patriotic essay competition conducted in Grade 5, Miss Bertha Murphy's department of the Summerside High School, the winning essay was that composed by Master Edward Arnett and Bert Larkin taking second and third place respectively. These competitions are conducted from time to time at the request of the Daughters of the Empire, and the compositions are judged by a committee appointed by that order. The society presents the class with a framed picture on which the name of the winner is inscribed. On this occasion the prize was a beautiful reproduction picture of the "Death of Wolfe" and was presented by Mrs. Neil McLeod, regent of the Absegweit Chapter I. O. D. E. who told the class the historic story of the great deeds performed by that illustrious General in the early history of our glorious Dominion. A short program was rendered by the class which added materially to the pleasantness of the occasion.

MASONIC LODGES.—The anniversary of St. John the Evangelist, which fell on Saturday last, was observed by the two Masonic Lodges of Summerside, when installation of officers took place. The installation of officers for the ensuing year of King Hiram Lodge, No. 3, A.F. and A.M., took place in their lodge room when the following were installed by A. S. McKay, P. G. M., assisted by J. S. Ramsay, P. M.:—Albert Oakes, W. M.; B. R. Sharp, Senior Warden; A. P. Jamieson, Junior Warden; Philip Jean, Treasurer; R. E. Ellis, Secretary; B. Bernard, Junior Deacon; A. E. Lyle, Senior Deacon; C. E. Corney, Tyler. In Mount Libanon Lodge the following were installed:—Douglas Gordon, W. M.; H. A. Darby, Senior Warden; Stanley Tanton, Junior Warden; Vered Rodgers, Treasurer; Archibald Murray, Junior Deacon; L. R. Romcke, Secretary; J. D. Goss, Treasurer; A. S. McKay, Chaplain; Charles Mountain, Senior Steward; Percy Marchbank, Junior Steward; Ernest Mills, Tyler.—L.

Early Saturday morning December 27 the angel of death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Sanphy, Baldwin Road, and claimed for its own their dearly beloved daughter Mary at the early age of 7 years and 9 months. Mary always enjoyed excellent health until Christmas Day when she complained of a sick stomach. She continued to get worse until 10 o'clock Christmas night she became unconscious then Rev. Father McDonald and Dr. Ahan were summoned. The Doctor did not think there was any danger of her death and he said she would be alright. But God had planned it otherwise and at 12.30 Saturday morning she passed peacefully and quietly away. Although Mary was quite a young girl she was a very advanced school than one would expect. Mary was a very sweet-tempered loving little girl and at the age that she will be greatly missed in the home and by her playmates at school. She leaves to mourn besides her mother, father, and many school chums the following sisters and brothers, Marion and Tillie residents of Beverley, Mass., Nellie Willie, Lawrence, Florence, George and Genevieve, all at home. The pall bearers were Joseph Trainor, Cyrus Sanphy, Peter McKenna, James Corcoran, Joseph McLellan, and Harry Trainor. The whole family has the heartfelt sympathy of the community.

CAVENDISH.—On Sunday, Jan. 4th, Mr. J. Sydney Bonnell of Pine Hill College will conduct service at North Rustico at 11 a. m., Cavendish, 3 p. m. and New Glasgow at 7 p. m.

A social event of more than ordinary importance took place at Nine Mile Creek on Friday night, Dec. 26th, when upwards of one hundred of his friends assembled at the comfortable and commodious home of Mr. Archibald MacGregor, to celebrate his 94th birthday. Mr. MacGregor although having attained to this great age is in full possession of all his faculties to a wonderful degree and is able to be about and do a fair amount of work and can still read the finest print without the aid of spectacles and can converse intelligently on any topic of the day. At about 8 o'clock Mr. Archie McDonald was called to the chair and after a few appropriate remarks, called on Mr. A. K. McPhee, who read the following address:

To Mr. Archibald MacGregor: Most respected friend on this occasion it affords your friends great pleasure in meeting together to extend to you our heartiest congratulations on the attainment of account of his 94th birthday. For the great part of your life you have lived amongst us and have always been one of our best citizens. You Sir—have at all times been found foremost in all movements which were for the betterment of our community—notwithstanding the fact that during life time you have travelled a great part of this continent and have seen life in many of its phases and engaged in varied occupations, we find you at this great age enjoying a measure of health, strength and vitality far beyond your years. We therefore take great pleasure in presenting you with this chair, not for its intrinsic value but as a small token of the respect and esteem in which you are held by friends and neighbors.

Signed on behalf of your friends, NEIL McDONALD, GARNET CAMPBELL, JAS. W. TAYLOR.

During the reading of the above address Mr. MacGregor was presented with a beautiful chair. Mr. J. W. Taylor making the presentation.

Mr. MacGregor after thanking his friends for their kindness in rendering him gave a very interesting account of his travels to the Californian gold fields in the early fifties which was much enjoyed by all, after which short complimentary speeches were made by Messrs G. Lowther, H. McPhee, N. J. McNeill, A. K. McPhee, A. McDonald and N. McCannell. At this stage of the proceedings the good ladies announced supper and all proceeded to the spacious dining room where ample justice was done to the good things provided.

Singing, games and the various amusements were then indulged in much to the enjoyment of the entertainment was the step-dancing by Mr. A. Doull, although a man of 70 years, Mr. Doull can still give the young folks some tips on "The Light Fantastic."

After singing Auld Lang Syne, and the National Anthem, all departed to their homes, all deemed a most enjoyable night had been spent.—Com.

Half Brackley Point Road Poll, collected by Charles E. Stewart \$58.25 as follows: J. A. Moore \$2; James W. Rodd \$1; D. Shaw \$1; Bertram Tombs \$1; Mrs. C. S. Mathieson \$1; J. T. Rodd \$1; George H. Jones \$1; Benjamin Newton \$1; Mrs. Ernest Prowse \$1.50; R. T. Bryant \$1.50; Harry Rodd \$1; Ernest Axworthy \$1; F. W. Newton \$1; Benjamin Rodd \$1; Mrs. P. Prowse \$1; Albert Newton \$1; John Wood \$1; Hammond Pierce \$1; Alfonso Bryant \$1; Ed ward Sellick \$1; Arthur Jackson \$1; Silas Prowse \$1; W. R. Younk-McMillan \$1; Ray Clark \$1; Peter Quaid \$1; John B. Roper \$1; Harold Gillespie \$1; Wallace Wheatley \$1; William P. Carroll \$1; John E. Holmes \$1; Charles Stewart \$1; T. W. Prowse \$1; Mrs. Lee Essory \$1; George Abbott \$1; B. Brynton Abbott \$1; Ray Clark \$1; Peter Quaid \$1; Charles Mellett \$1; John A. McKinnon \$1; Norman Beaton \$1; Joseph Bryant \$1; A. G. Mellett \$1; Mrs. John Gill \$1; Mrs. Ross Wheatley \$1; William McNaughton \$1; A. J. Wise \$1; Stanley Prowse \$1; Mrs. Cephas Hughes \$1; Barbara Gordon \$1; Annie J. Walker \$1; Rowe Hughes \$1; Cephas Ford \$1; Chas Phillips \$1; Robert Stewart \$1.

Pleasant Grove School District, Queen's, collected by Edward Wyatt \$8.50 as follows: J. M. Crockett \$1; Henry C. Watts \$1; William Watts \$1; Alfred Watts \$1; Richard Roberts \$1; James Mahar \$1; Frank E. Watts \$1; Harry E. Roberts \$1.

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50; Parnell Roberts \$1; James Hardy \$1; Arthur Wyatt \$1. Kensington, collected by James Pendergast, Dr. Darrach and others \$41.25, as follows: Wm. Doyle \$2; James Kennedy Estate \$5; Dr. A. A. Lockhart \$1; George E. Brown \$1; W. R. Mann \$1; G. W. Proffitt \$1; Cliff B. Mathieson \$1; Harry E. Warren \$1; Andrew Bowness \$1; J. McGougan \$1; A. L. Rogge \$1; Pamphile Lelaine \$1; E. H. McFarlane \$1; Calvin McKinnon \$1; J. B. Proffitt \$1; Wm Goss \$1; T. W. Bentley \$1; James Pendergast \$1; Hector F. Morrison \$1; Gordon Glover \$1; W. L. Delaney \$1; Rev. J. A. Ives \$1; Miss Clark \$1; W. Champion \$1; B. R. McFadyen \$1; H. Caldwell \$1; John Walker \$1; Heath Bowness \$1; Alvin Glover \$1; James B. Bernard \$1; J. F. Proffitt \$1; E. Gamble \$1; Arch McMurdo \$1; John Hogg \$1; Patterson Walker \$1; Henry Mill \$1; B. Paynter \$1; Mrs. Evans \$1.

OTTAWA, Dec. 31.—Tonight at midnight all Orders-in-Council passed and enforced by virtue of the War Measures Act, become ineffective, some hundreds of orders being numbered in those which are no longer law after midnight on December 31.

Commenting on this a member of the cabinet stated today that contrary to the interpretations of the rescinding Order in Council which had been published, the Order in Council relating to censorship is among those rescinded from January 1 and only new orders relating to trade and financial matters in effect until the end of the forthcoming session of Parliament.

The only Orders in Council passed under the War Measures Act which will remain are Government control of pulp and paper, sugar, coal and wool; orders governing silver coinage and gold export, trading with the enemy and internment of aliens, and the order relating to the war purchasing commission.

DETROIT, Michigan, Dec. 31.—Buyers in Windsor, Ont., across the Detroit River from this city of American money, are making high profits according to a leading Windsor banker, who declares that 95 per cent of the approximately \$250,000 that monthly goes to Windsor from here is bought at a premium.

A sign displayed in a Windsor store window this week reads: "American money bought here; highest prices paid," the dealer's price being 7 per cent. Chartered banks less than a block away were taking all offerings at 8 per cent it was stated. Retail stores advertise in the newspapers that they allow 7 per cent on American currency while street car conductors are making handsome profits, Canadian holders of United States Liberty Bonds quoted below par are declared to be selling their bonds in Detroit for American money, which they resell in Windsor at a profit to make up their losses in Detroit there is a 10 per cent discount on Canadian money and at many places it is refused entirely.

The Government has forwarded the following reply, in the form of an extract from minutes of Council, to the delegation that waited upon them this week requesting that an invitation be extended to the members of the Empire Press Union to visit P. E. Island in July.

"The Government, after careful consideration of the facts as presented, concludes that it cannot comply with the request and for the following among other reasons.

1. The present state of our finances would hardly permit or justify such a large expenditure.
2. The Government had received no official communication on the subject.
3. On behalf of all the Provinces the Federal Government had contributed \$50,000 and the National Railways free transportation. Yet this province was not included in the original itinerary.
4. The people of Summerside had generously offered to entertain the visitors and supply them with luncheon.
5. The Auto Association had also generously offered, free of charge, to convey the visitors from Borden to Summerside and thence to Charlottetown through the most beautiful sections.
6. The visitors were to land at Borden about 10 a. m. proceed to Summerside, have luncheon, visit the fox ranches, leave about 2.30 p. m., reach Charlottetown about 6 p. m. and leave for Borden shortly after.
7. The Government had previously offered to contribute \$500 towards the expense and supply appropriate literature.

This offer the government deems reasonable and under the circumstances all that is justified in making.

QUEBEC, Dec. 31.—Grave fears are entertained here for the steamer Canadian Spinner, which has been drifting in the ice for upwards of two weeks in the vicinity of Matane. The greatest danger which menaces the vessel is, should she drift down to Cape Chate, she might be wrecked there before assistance could reach her.

The Quebec Board of Trade after a meeting today sent a telegram to the Minister of Marine and Fish eries suggesting that the steamer Lady Gray be loaded with coal to her full capacity and make another attempt to reach the steamer.

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I WANT YOU TO LOOK UP IN THE BOOK ON ETIQUETTE AND SEE HOW YOU ARE TO ADDRESS A JUDGE.

I'LL JUST ASK YOUR BROTHER—HE CERTAINLY KNOWS HOW TO TALK TO A JUDGE.

SUPPOSE I'LL GIT THE NECK OF THE CHICKEN AGAIN!