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THURSDAY

***STOCK NOTE.**—Mr. W. R. Webster of Rollo Bay has purchased a few very choice brood ewes from the vet. cran sheep breeder Mr. William Stead of Red House.—F.

THOUGHTFUL ACT.—The T. H. Taylor Co. Ltd. have distributed among the lady workers of the Red Cross in this city through their representative, Mr. Arnold Rattenbury aluminum thimbles with the words "Beaver Flour" printed around them in red letters. These are a handy necessity and will be much appreciated by the ladies.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS.—In Grace Church last evening there was held a union service preparatory to the coming of Evangelist J. Ritchie Bell. Rev. F. H. Littlejohns, Rev. R. G. Fulton, Rev. C. R. Freeman and Rev. J. D. McKenzie assisted in the service. Rev. J. D. McKenzie gave a powerful address based on the words "Ask and Ye Shall Receive, seek and Ye shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you." The meeting was very largely attended and of the deepest interest.

KINGSTON.—The many friends of Mr. William Colwell will congratulate him on having recently installed the telephone, and it is to be hoped more of his friends will follow his example. The many friends of Mrs. B. W. Rodd, will regret to hear that she is confined to the house with a sprained ankle.—Miss Azza Parkman, of New Glasgow, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. Rodd.—Miss Marion Newson, of Kingston is visiting friends in Milton.—Mr. Tyrus Holmes was in the city Sunday.—The Trustees of Kingston school, visited it Friday afternoon, and report everything is O. K. It is encouraging to know they take such an interest in the welfare of the school.

The subject of debate in Kingston Star Division Friday was "Resolved, that Sir Robert Borden is a better leader for Canada than Sir Wilfrid Laurier." The majority were in favor of Sir Robert Borden. This was considered the best debate of the season.—Mr. William Auld and son have sold their beautiful draft mare for a large sum.—Miss Bessie James, Midgell, spent the week-end in Kingston, where she was the guest of Mr. William Paul.—Mr. Frank MacArthur, Cornwall, spent Sunday in Kingston, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Marshall.

***SICKNESS PREVALENT.**—La Grippe is very prevalent in Fortune Bridge and vicinity and a number of people are confined to the house with it.—F.

***HORSE NOTE.**—Mr. John McPherson, Montague, has purchased some new horseflesh, this time, a son of that good sire, Commodore Ledyard, and from "Fairy," the trotting mare owned by Lester Hayden Vernon River, she was sired by Parkside, and her dam by Hernando, second dam by Blackfoot. This colt though not yet rightly broken to harness, looks well and some day should develop into a fast trotter, in the capable hands of "MacPherson".—B.

***CHURCH HAPPENINGS.**—The work of the basement of the Montague Christian Church is steadily going on. The teacher of the junior girls class, has the honour of being the first to teach her class in the new apartments. Although not finished, the class and teacher gratefully descended the stairs on Sunday mornings, and by the heat of one of the furnaces, in a cosy seat, held their first session. Needless to say the other teachers were jealous.—T.

GOING OVERSEAS.—Capt. T. G. Taylor has returned from a trip to Halifax where he was on the purpose of bidding farewell to his son Gunner Gibson Taylor, who is going overseas with the New Brunswick Number Nine Siege Battery. Gunner Taylor, together with two other islanders named Gallant and Barbour are the only three in the battery belonging to this Province. They enlisted in Windsor, afterwards being transferred to St. John.

SPECIAL SERVICE.—Today at noon at Y. M. C. A. for half an hour a business men's prayer meeting will be held. Mr. A. F. Webster chairman, on Saturday noon, same place and hour, the Rev. Mr. MacKenzie will conduct the service. This (Thursday) evening at 7.30, in Baptist Church a union service will be held, conducted by Rev. Mr. Fulton. On Good Friday morning in Zion Church at 11 a. m. a union service will be held by the Rev. Mr. Freeman. All are invited to these services. A ladies committee has been appointed to arrange for their part in the special services in connection with the mission commencing in Charlottetown April 7th, by Mr. J. Ritchie Bell, of Montreal.

The following letter was received by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dolron, of North Rustico, from their son, No. 249246 Spr. Raymond Dolron, B. Co. 5th Platoon, 6th Battalion, Can. Royal Troop, B. E. F.

France,
Feb. 24th, 1918.

Dear Parents: It is with the greatest of pleasure that I take the opportunity of writing you a few lines, to answer your more than welcome letter received a few days ago, and glad to learn by it that you were all well as those few lines leaves me enjoying the same at present.

Well dear parents I won't have much news to interest you, as I wrote you not long ago, but I will do the best I can. You said in your last letter that the weather is very cold across the pond. I suppose it must be, and plenty of snow. Well for here we have had some cold weather, but it is more favorable at present, only sometimes we have very much weather, but I suppose we must not mind that. All the rest of our boys are well, and all sending their best regards. We are working at railroads, and it is practically the same as in Canada, the only thing over here is that we work all day, and then maybe a coal box will come over and destroy all our work.

I suppose you are all working every day; mostly horse shoeing I suppose and I wish I could be with you for a while to give you a hand, but I suppose Dolph is a great help to you, all my friends, and all your customers.

I got some of the parcels that you sent me, many thanks for them, as I appreciate them very much, I haven't had any news from Mat for quite a while, so he must be surely on his way to Canada, which I hope he is. Well dear parents I don't hardly know what to tell you so I will conclude my letter, by saying, good-by and good luck, your loving son,
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CHAUTAQUA FOR CHARLOTTETOWN.

Dr. Sutcliffe is at present in the city making arrangements for a visit of the Chautauqua Association meeting in July or August. Arrangements have already been made for Fredericton and Sackville, and Dr. Sutcliffe feels confident there will be no difficulty in concluding arrangements here. The visiting company will total 95 to 100 and a seven days series of lectures and entertainments will be given. The company having their tents, chairs, etc. and guarantee a week's feast of reason and flow of soul.

BLOOMFIELD SCHOOL.

The standing of the pupils of Bloomfield station school for the month of February was as follows:—Grade 1—Mrs. Leola Shaw; 2nd, Thelma Saunders and Marjorie Foley; Grade VI—1st, Robert Shaw, 2nd, Frank Foley, 3rd, Stephen Saunders; Grade V—1st, Fortuna Pratt, 2nd, Mary Peters, 3rd, Bertha Smith; Grade IV—1st, Fred Richard, 2nd, Fred Foley; 3rd, Ethel Smith; Grade III—1st, Keith Pratt; 2nd, Russell Foley; 3rd, Louie Gallant; Grade II—1st, Walter Saunders; 2nd, Harry McAusland; 3rd, Frank Saunders; Grade I—1st, Edna Foley; 2nd, Rose Peters; 3rd, Cleely Richard, Hazel Sherry, (teacher).

VICTORIA.

Among the passengers to make a return trip on the car ferry on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Leola and family, Tryon; Mr. Chas. L. Wright, Miss Minnie Wright, Miss Marion Lea, Mr. Clifford Lea, Mr. Evan Wright, Victoria; Miss Marion Nicholson, Miss Mary McDonald, Miss Margaret Cobb, Miss Helen Lowther, Mr. Erle Lowther, Mr. Hubert Nicholson, Mr. Denton Leard, Miss Vera Wilson, Cape Travers, Miss Maude Wright and Mr. Hudson Lowther, Bedoune.—Miss Edna Walker, New Annan, is spending a few days in Victoria the guest of Miss Cottie Lea.—Mr. Art Wright New Annan, is spending a few days in Victoria the guest of Mr. John B. Lea.—Mr. James Henderson, Bedoune, made a business trip to Victoria on Tuesday last.—Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith, Victoria have returned home after spending a short time in Gysboro, the guest of the Mrs. Smith Sr.—Mr. and Mrs. James Gill, Craupaud spent Monday with friends in Rose Valley.—Mr. R. P. Rogerson, Victoria, made a business trip to P. E. I. on Friday.—Pte. Fenton Howatt, Charlottetown spent Thursday with friends and relatives in Tryon and Augustine Cove.—The many friends of Miss Wanda Lea, Tryon, will regret to hear that she is confined to her home with a sprained ankle.—Mr. Evan Wright, Victoria was a visitor to P. E. I. on Friday.—Miss Grace Wordsides, Tryon, spent Sunday with friends in Victoria.—Mr. John Rogerson, Hampton, spent Sunday in Victoria.—V.

PRISONERS ADOPTED.

More prisoners adopted in this Province knowledge Christmas Cards sent by the officers of the Fund. Sergt. J. J. Farginson adopted by Tryon Red Cross, writes: It was with the greatest pleasure I received your Christmas greetings, and I heartily desire, even though a prisoner of war, to reciprocate your sentiments, and trust this will bring our happiest desires. Pte. Wm. Hunt, adopted by Sunday School of Grace Methodist church, received card bearing Christmas greetings from the officers of the Prisoners of War Fund and shall be glad if you will extend my best thanks and appreciation to the members of the Society, for their kind greetings; also to you, through the Red Cross. Pte. W. E. Kane, adopted by Charlottetown W. P. A., writes: I wish to thank yourself and officers of the P. of W. Fund for remembering me at Christmas. I receive my parcels from England regularly. Accept my sincere thanks for your kindness. Pte. S. LeBlanc, adopted by Summerside Methodist Sunday school, writes: Dear Friends,—Just a card to thank you for your Christmas greetings, and to wish you all success in your undertakings for this year. Thank you all for your kindness. Pte. H. J. Jewell, adopted by Grayville Red Cross Society, writes: Your most welcome Christmas card to hand. Pardon me for not answering it before, as I have had considerable trouble with my wound and could not write myself. Being wounded in the head it causes me a lot of pain, the bullet entering my left eye and coming out behind my right ear. I am blind and deaf, having lost the

of both these organs. I am now waiting for an operation which I find necessary, as I have two pieces of bone in my head which must be removed. I enclose a photograph of myself. The contents of the parcels are just what we need here. I hope my acknowledgements cards have been received. Many thanks for your kindness to me during the past year.

Five battle-scarred veterans of the world war returned to their island homes yesterday, four of them being welcomed at Charlottetown.

The men were met at the station by Mayor G. D. Wright and city Recorder K. J. Martin, later being driven to their homes in the Mayor's splendid equipage.
The returning men were Gunner Albert MacKay, Murray Harbor.
Gunner J. Robertson, Souris.
Private A. B. McIntyre, St. Avards.
Sergt. D. S. Bertram, Bradalbane.
Pte. D. Arsenault, Summerside.

Gunner Albert MacKay belongs to Murray Harbor. He donned the khaki as a member of the old 98th Siege Battery (now the 2nd.) but on reaching England with that famous Island battery, was drafted into the Royal Canadian Artillery. He received his hurt while in England his leg being injured while he was serving as a despatch rider.

Gunner J. Robertson is a native of Souris. He, too, enlisted with the hard-fighting 98th Siege Battery and saw 14 months service in France. He received his "Blighty" at Vimy Ridge, his right hand being badly injured by shrapnel.

Private A. B. McIntyre is a Charlottetown man, a resident of St. Avards. He enlisted with the original 105th and crossed to France with the first draft from that battalion. He saw service in many engagements until a shrapnel wound in the left wrist at Hill 70 put him on the Disabled List.

Sergent D. Spurgeon Bertram enlisted from Bradalbane and was attached to "B" Co., 105th Battalion under Capt. MacLeod when the Island battalion sailed for England. Eager to get to France he reverted to the rank of private in order to cross the Channel with the 13th Reserve and later was transferred to the hard fighting, famous 26th Battalion from St. John. He fought at the battle of Lens early last spring and was through the major portion of the famous Vimy Ridge fight. He was wounded early last October in the right knee by barrage fire, receiving his wound the same day as Lieut. Douglas Sutherland was killed.

Private D. Arsenault enlisted from Summerside in the 105th Battalion and crossed to France with the first draft from that unit. He was wounded in the leg, necessitating amputation, at Vimy. As he detoured at Emerald and left for his home, no further particulars regarding him were available.

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