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The Central Guardian

IT PAYS to buy in this province.

THE STANLEY which has been employed taking up the buoys arrived in port here yesterday morning.

LADIES' KID GLOVES cleaned promptly and well at The Boston Shoe Shining Parlor, Sunnyside.

P. O. WICKETS.—The Post Office wickets will be open this morning, Christmas Day, from 11 to 12 only.

THE MORNING GUARDIAN may be had at the News and Novelty Store of Miss Florine McCarey, 1011.

ATTENTION.—Everyone wanting smelt for fox feed should apply to John MacQuillan & Co., Queen Street, 1783-12-1917.

GREETINGS.—The Guardian has received "The Season's Greetings" from the 165th Battalion Comfort circle, through their energetic manager and secretary, Miss Rose M. Stanway. The greetings are heartily reciprocated.

IN METHODIST CIRCLES.—We much regret to learn that Mr. A. M. C. Dawson, of Fredericton, is in poor health and has been obliged to give up the duties as president of the Laymen's Association of the N. B. and P. E. I. conference. The vice-president, Colonel F. S. Moore, of Charlottetown, will kindly assume the responsibility. We hope Mr. Dawson will soon recover, says the St. John Telegraph.

NEWTON AND VICINITY.—Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dawson spent the weekend in Newton, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. George S. McKenna. Mr. James Murphy has selected one of the finest pump houses in the vicinity where he intends to install his new engine. Inspector Baulter paid a visit to Newton school and reports it progressing favorably.

Mr. John A. Smith has erected a splendid dwelling house, which he intends to occupy before long. Mr. Isadore Smith has remodelled his barn and has now one of the finest in the district. Mr. Peter A. McKenna has two very fine colts and he expects to show the boys some speed. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Curley spent the weekend in Newton, the guest of her brother, Mr. George S. McKenna.

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.—The semi-annual examinations of Pleasant Grove took place on Dec. 19th. There was a large attendance of visitors and pupils. The school was very tastefully decorated and the examinations proved very successful. The pupils were examined by their teacher Miss Edith E. McIntyre and by their prompt answers showed the efficient manner in which they have been instructed. The following program was capably rendered:—Opening by Sadie Lamphier.

Welcome—by seven pupils. Chorus—Columbia the gem of the ocean. Devotion by Mary Lamphier. Recitation by Alice Lamphier. Chorus—The Island Boys. Recitation by Jean McDonald. Song by Misses Mary and Alice Lamphier. Recitation by Jennie Roberts. Drill by six girls. Chorus—Santa Claus is coming. Recitation by Frank Boyle. Recitation by Edgar Power. Chorus—Old Santa Claus. Instrumental music by James Brophy. Voluntary by Cora Roberts. At the close of the program Santa Claus appeared and treated all to a liberal supply of nuts and candy and presented each child with a Christmas gift, after which he tripped the light fantastic to the music of the violin provided by James Brophy. After many complimentary remarks on the progress of the school the meeting was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem and all dispersed to their homes after spending a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon.

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TO HELP HALIFAX.—Mayor Brown intends leaving tomorrow morning for Halifax with a construction gang of thirty-five men.

WEDDING BELLS.—A pretty wedding took place in St. Joseph's Parish Church at 10:15 on Nov. 27th, when Leona Mary, daughter of Mrs. Wallace McVarish and John W. Muttar, of Albany, were united in the Holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Father Duffy. The bride was handsomely attired in sky blue silk, with a becoming hat and wore the groom's gift a handsome pair of tulle. She was attended by her sister Miss Laura McVarish, who was also becomingly attired in blue silk. The groom was ably supported by his cousin Mr. Hubert Muttar. After the ceremony a dainty wedding breakfast was served at the Arlington Hotel for the bride and groom. The lovely wedding presents received, including several in cash, are evidence of the popularity of the bride and groom.

IRIS SCHOOL.—The half-yearly public examination was held on Friday, Dec. 21st, the school room being handsomely decorated for the occasion. About thirty pupils were present, also about thirty rate payers and visitors, thus showing the keen interest taken in education in this district. The pupils were examined in their subjects by the ratepayers, and visitors, and by their teachers, and answered all questions very satisfactorily. After the examination was over a program of songs, recitations and dialogues was given. The program was as follows: Singing, "The Empire's Call," by school. Recitation by Anne McLeod and Nina Stewart. Recitation by Lena Daley. Recitation by Annie McLeod and Nina Stewart. Recitation by Gladys McDonald. Dialogue by Nina Stewart and the teacher. Song by Annie Stewart. Recitation by John A. Smith. Recitation by Annie McLeod. After the program was over the pupils were treated with candy, after which short addresses were given by some of the ratepayers and teachers. Then all joined heartily in singing "God Save the King" and the school closed for Christmas holidays.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.—At Murray Parlor on Sunday evening Dec. 16th last, a memorial service was held in honor of the late Gordon McKay L. Cpl. who was killed in action in Flanders on the 9th of November, 1917. A large audience was present, a part of the church being occupied by the members of Prince Albert Lodge, F. O. C. T., who wore a bow of white ribbon in honor of their departed brother. The service was conducted by the Rev. E. S. Weeks who gave a very stirring and pathetic address. In his sermon he paid a high tribute to Gordon's sterling character and loyalty, and said that he had been a faithful member of the order to which he belonged, never having used liquor or tobacco in any form. Suitable hymns were selected and after the sermon while "Rest Soldier Rest" was being sung by the large choir signs of sorrow were visible in the audience. He has left behind him a brother in service overseas, a brother at home who has lately enlisted, his mother, four sister and four brothers to mourn his loss. "We shall meet but we shall miss him. There will be one vacant chair. We shall linger to care him home. While we breathe our evening prayer."

IN BETHLEHEM
The white star made a way for them
Across the fields of Bethlehem,
Who came to worship at His feet,
And kiss her tattered garment's hem.

The ox hath raised his voice to show
The way wherein their steps should go;
And they have entered with their gifts,
And one hath smiled upon them so.

Above the frankincense and myrrh
They bear the deep-breathed cattle stir;
But they have touched His baby hand
And felt the trembling smile of her.

Amen! amen! but would to-night
A star could lead my steps aright,
To bow my head upon His feet
And weep my heart out in His sight.
—Theodosia Garrison.

Wishing You One and All A Merry Christmas

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CANADIANS WANTED

Mrs. W. W. Paynter, North Rustico, has received the following letter from overseas:

Ben Hill-in-Lea
Dec. 4th 1917

Dear Mrs. W. W. Paynter,—Just a few lines to let you all know that I'm still kicking and enjoying good health, hoping this will find you all the same. I've no stirring news to let you know we are on the eve of a big election to see whether conscription comes in or not, if its left to the soldiers, Borden will be returned by a large majority. It's near time some of those husky slackers were coming out to do their bit if they are not men enough to come out voluntarily. Conscription should shame them out. If the Canadian people at home don't hold out and send men over here to fill up the ranks, the good name which the Canadian Corps has earned for itself will soon go down, for the men which have suffered, once should have a rest and others take their place. Here's hoping that Borden is returned.

How are Mr. Paynter and Doris? Would not mind to be back there again as this life is getting rather monotonous. I've volunteered twice to go back to France, but they will not let me go. They say I've done my bit and of more use, in England as an instructor, still I think I'd go back this spring if its not over which I don't think it will. I suppose you people remember Mr. Cosh, he is here at present taking a course in gas. Well this will be all for now. Best Regards to Mr. Paynter and Doris. Wishing you and all a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year. Your obedient servant

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THE CHRISTMAS VISION

We might suppose that after seeing such wonderful things—a vision of angels and then the infant Jesus—the shepherds would have been too full of ecstasy to think of their common task work for that night. But they went right back to their lowly duties. There is a familiar legend of a monk who was at his devotions, and to whom was granted a vision of the Master. At the same moment the convent bell rang, and calling him to his duty without. It was the hour when the blind and halt and lame came to receive their dose of food, and this monk, now on his knees before the wonderful vision, was alighted that day. Should he go or should he stay? Then a voice came, "Do thy duty, that is best; leave unto thy Lord the rest." So he rose and hastened away, distributed the alms among the poor, and returned to find the vision waiting where he had left it. As he came back a voice said, "Hast thou stayed, I must have died." The ecstasy of communion with Christ must never detain us from his common task-work. Our visions are meant to inspire us for service, not to seduce.

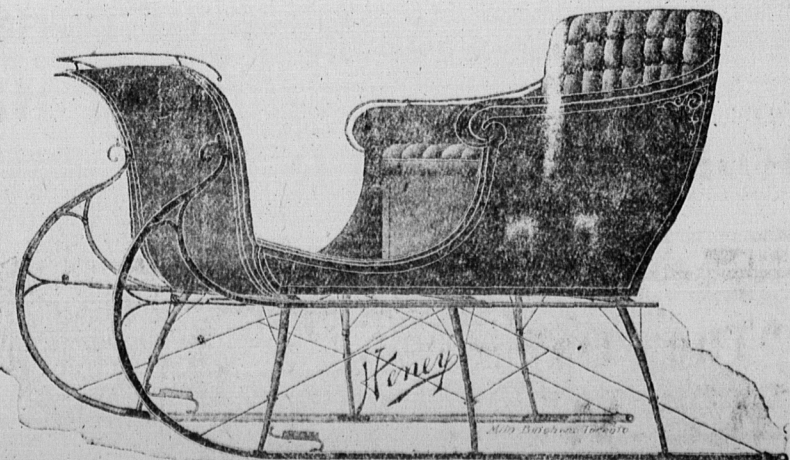
CHARGE OF SMUGGLING MAIL TO GERMANY

NEW YORK, December 22.—After six letters signed by her had been found in the possession of a Norwegian, an arrested on a charge of smuggling mail to Germany, Miss Astrid Amundsen, daughter of a captain in the Norwegian navy, was arrested at her home in Brooklyn today by agents of the naval intelligence bureau.

Miss Amundsen, who was held in bail of \$750 on a charge of violating the trading with the enemy act, had addressed the letters to relatives and friends in a neutral country, but general officials said the letters wanted the recipients that the writer was violating the law in sending them. They suggested that the letters might be in code.

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