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HIGH BANK.—Rev. E. S. Week will preach in High Bank Hall next Wednesday evening at 7 p. m.
CONCERT AND BASKET SOCIAL will be held in Howe's Hall, Bracley Beach, Wednesday, 12th. Stormy, first fine night following. 3762-2-3mt
HORSE RUGS.—Comfort for you horse at a mighty small price—get a new horse rug at the Men's store Special sale Wednesday and Thursday. Moore & McLeod Limited. 3911-2-11M11.
NAME AND ADDRESS.—As the mobilization is proceeding rapidly it is strongly recommended that the name and address of senders be placed on all letters and parcels that are sent overseas to the soldiers, so that if no delivered they can be returned here with the least possible delay.
COMING HOME.—Mrs. Jasper Pickard has received a cablegram from her son, Mr. Harold Pickard announcing that he is now on his way home from England. He left by the S. S. Mitagama last Saturday for St. John. Mr. Pickard has been absent four years during which time he was connected with the Record Office in London.
AN EXAMINATION.—The semi-annual examination of the Murray Harbor Graded School was put through on Friday last. The attendance of parents was not as large as it should have been. Murray Harbor is not yet fully convinced of the importance of education. However, the examination clearly indicated that the teachers Mr. Brehaut and Miss Cann, are proving themselves earnest and painstaking workers. Rev. E. S. Weeks, a teacher of twenty years ago was given a free hand and took full charge of the examination.
ISLANDER WOUNDED.—Among the Canadians gazetted in London as having been awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal is No. 279325, Company Sergeant Major John J. McDonald, Railway troops. While engaged on light railway work, the enemy suddenly opened intense bombardment which wounded five men and cut off two trains. He rescued the wounded and got them under cover, then returned and repaired the broken track. For this brave deed he was also raised to the rank of Lieutenant. Lieutenant McDonald is a son of the late D. J. McDonald of Glenfinnan and cousin of Lieut. Leo J. McDonald.

RESERVE TUESDAY 18TH.—For the big concert in the Union Road Church.—City talent. 3909-2-11m11.
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.—Rev. D. McLean will preach at Stanchel on Wednesday and Thursday nights the 12th and 13th, at 7 o'clock.
PERSONALS
 Mrs. and Albert Burnoe, Mount Hope, are visiting in the city.
 Miss Freda Haszard has returned home from a visit to Ottawa.
 Miss Bonny Peters has arrived home from Boston where she is taking a course in nursing.
 The many friends of Mr. Walter S. Grant will be sorry to learn that he is again confined to his home with illness.
 Miss Julia B. MacDonald, of Nine Mile Creek has returned from visiting her friends in Highfield, the guest of Mrs. Frank Chowan.
 The many friends of Miss Mabel B. Jenkins, teacher, Marshfield are glad to learn that she is recovering from a severe attack of quinsy.
 Miss Jamie Campbell, Freetown, has returned home after spending the past week in Linkletter, the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McLeod.

quences all are recovering from wounds received in France.
 After some very appropriate words of welcome from the chairman, Mr. Peter Warren and others an address of welcome was read by Mr. Emerson Woodside and each of the boys presented with an address and signet ring by Mr. Wilfred Pickering. The boys replied briefly thanking all for their kindness after which a very enjoyable programme was rendered. The ladies then served a very dainty lunch, and meeting closed with the National Anthem and three hearty cheers and a tiger for the returned boys.
Dear Returned Heroes:—
 It is with glad hearts that we, your relatives and friends, have gathered here to bid you welcome to the "Garden of the Gulf" your P. E. Island home and to show our appreciation and gratification at having you once more among us.
 Several times in the past we have assembled with hearts burdened with sorrow to bid farewell to our nearest and dearest friends before they left us to do their bit for their King and Country.
 On this occasion we meet not with hearts bowed down with sorrow, but with hearts brimming over with joy and thankfulness that our boys have been sent safe home again.
 Four long weary years have we watched and waited in the hope that the Divine Creator might see fit to bring that terrible war to a close. We have not waited in vain. That long heart-rendering period of dissolution has passed away like a cloud from the heavens the sunshine of peace has dawned once more and our boys are returning to us.
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SUPREME COURT.—The court was still occupied yesterday with the case of Hugh J. McLean vs Wm. Leonard et al on charges of trespass. 3911-2-11M11.
MURRAY HARBOR.—Services in Murray Harbor Methodist Church on February 18th will be:—Harbor at 8.30, Cape Bear at 2.30, White Sands at 6.30.
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S. A. DRIVE.—The Salvation Army Drive in Sydney is meeting with splendid success and many of the business firms are giving most generously. Among the Island contributors are Messrs. H. C. Ballou and H. A. W. McCoubry, both of whom gave \$100, the latter being one of the energetic collectors.
ACKNOWLEDGED.—The following gifts for P. E. I. Military Convalescent Hospital are thankfully acknowledged. Fort Augustus Red Cross society, 6 pairs of socks. Knights of Columbus, 1 index and 15 volumes of "The Catholic Encyclopedia;" Mrs. D. W. Stewart, Magazines; Granville Red Cross Society, Granville, P. E. I., 31 pairs of socks; Miss Nettie Gates, Now Haven, Conn. 1 years subscription to the National Geographic Magazine; The Sterling Woman's Institute, Stanley Bridge, per Mrs. Wallace MacKay, 6 pairs socks.

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