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..SOURIS AND BRIDGETOWN.—Next Sunday Rev. E. A. Westmoreland will preach Missionary Sermons at Bridgetown 11, Souris 7. Mr. Westmoreland will also speak at the Missionary meeting, Souris on Monday evening.

..CONTRIBUTIONS.—The following pupils in Souris East School have contributed to the Army Field Fund: Lilla Garret, Dorothy White, Anne Garrett, George St. John, Alfred Styles, George Fraser, Casimir Marcou, St. Clair Paquet, Alphonsus Feehan, Clifton McCallum, Harold Lavie, Willie Lavie, Winnie Sterns, Bessie Aillam, Bessie Garret, Mary McLaren, Walter Hamlin, Lucie Bushby, Dan McLaren, Nellie Garret, Willie Brennan, Russell Leard, Lareon Paquet, Reginald Paquet, Gordon Cheverie, Maud Buffett, Harry McCallum, Maurice Cheverie, Kimbell McEwen, Frank McDonald, Earl Paquet, Eunie Garret, George Billard, Michael Cheverie, Edward Cheverie, Phillip Hughes, Jack McLean, Alex. Mooney, Reginald White, Milton Pelham, Willie Pelham, Russell Poole, Molly Poole, Hubert Mahon, Howard Donalds, Charlie Styles, Michael-Lavie, Frank Blackett, Ivan Cheverie, Wallie McEwen, Willie Praught, Peter Paquet, James McCallum, Jack Sullivan, James Brennan, Bertha Lane, Arthur McCallum, Warwick Weeks, Kenneth Poole, Alma Poole, Wendall Leard, George Leard, Olive Lane, Gordon McLean, Helen Cameron, Bernard Foley, Thomas Paquet, Margaret Baker, Russell Billard, Russel St. John, Hilary Paquet, Fred McEachern, Reggie Buffett, May Gillan, Grace Gillan, Willie Roach, Earl Roach, Irene Roach, Richard Lyons, Irving Fraser, Frank Paquet, Bernard Praught, Jas. Praught.—X.

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..THE REV. J. C. MARTIN Cardigan will lecture in the Hall at Fanning Brook, Thursday, Nov. 5th on "The Value of a Scrap of Paper." It will be in reference to the present war. Proceeds to go in aid of the Red Cross. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Lecture beginning at 7.30 p. m. Admission 10 and 15 cents. Ladies with pies free. By order of Committee. 6267-10-29M31.

EASTERN PERSONALS

..Mr. D. J. Mullin, St. Peter's, Inspector of schools, was in Souris Saturday.

..Mr. John D. McDonald, Barrister-at-Law, Charlottetown, was in Souris on business, Wednesday.

..Mr. Gilbert Gaudet, Charlottetown, was a visitor to Souris on Wednesday.

..W. W. Dingwell, Funeral Director, Souris, paid a business trip to Annandale on Tuesday.

..Mr. John J. Campbell, Elmira, accompanied by his little son, was a visitor to Souris on Tuesday.

..Mr. Donald Montgomery, St. Margarets, was among those visiting Souris, on Tuesday.

..Mr. William Hanning, Monticello, paid a business trip to Souris on Wednesday.

..Mr. John P. C. McDonald, Monticello, was a passenger to Souris on Tuesday morning.

..Mr. Joseph McCormack, Selkirk, was in Souris on Tuesday afternoon.

..The Sisters of St. Mary's Convent held their annual bazaar in St. Patrick's Hall on Wednesday and Thursday.

..Miss Sadie Montgomery, St. Margarets, who was visiting friends in Souris, was a passenger to Bear River on Wednesday morning.

..Master Alban Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peters, Rustico has returned to his home after spending two weeks with his sister Mrs. William J. Paquet, Souris.

IN MEMORIAM

THE LATE THOMAS PICTON RICHARDS

Mr. John Richards, M. P., has received the news of the death in Swansea, Wales, on October 19th, of his uncle, Thomas Picton Richards, who was in his ninety-second year being three years younger than his brother, the late Captain William Richards whose long and successful career is so well known to P. E. I. people.

The late Thomas Picton Richards like his brother, possessed remarkable vitality. Up to about a month of his death he had the activity and alertness of a man of sixty. His death came only after a short illness. The deceased was a man of great ability, whose rare judgement and marvellously keen foresight won for him the admiration of those familiar with his career. He was born in Swansea, and when a young man caught the gold fever and went in 1849 to California, where he underwent an interesting and adventurous career. He subsequently returned to Swansea, and there laid the foundation of the great shipping business of T. P. Richards and Company, the largest of the kind in South Wales. His brother, the late Captain William Richards, was also a member of the firm, and whilst the latter built ship after ship in this province, over 100 in all, his younger brother managed these ships when sent across to the Old Country.

The two brothers were associated for many years in this business, and with the death of Thomas Picton Richards the last surviving member of a family who have left their impress on the commercial world has passed away.

Although occupied with the details of an extensive business, the late Thomas Picton Richards had time for extensive reading. He had literary and artistic gifts and a taste for oil painting. Many valuable pictures were produced by him in his lifetime, and he would have been a marked success as a painter. If he had not devoted himself mainly to commercial pursuits,

he was one of the most prominent citizens of Swansea, and several times had been asked to enter public life, both as a member of the council of his native city and of the British Parliament, but such a career did not appeal to him.

He made several visits to Prince Edward Island, the last being made about twenty-eight years ago.

The deceased leaves a widow, formerly a Miss Rose of London, England. The family originally consisted of two sons and two daughters, but one of the sons died in South America, where he was engaged in mining operations. The second son resides in Swansea, where he carries on an extensive coal and shipping business. There is one daughter, Miss Charlotte, at home. The eldest daughter is the wife of Sir Richard Augustine Redmayne of Birmingham, England who has a world wide reputation as a mining expert and author of many valuable works on mining, and who was recently knighted by the King for his great services in connection with that industry. The deceased possessed wonderful physical and mental vigor, and like many Englishmen, was an inveterate walker and attributed his health to indulgence in this exercise.

MAYOR MAX IS MADE OF REAL HERO'S STUFF

Defied Arrogance of Prussian Victors in Belgium's Captured Capital

GAVE OUT NEWS OF DEFEATS

And Enraged Official Disseminations of Faked Victories Who Ordered His Arrest

By Percy M. Sarr, United Press Staff Correspondent.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—(By Mail & New York)—While the civic authorities of the captured Belgian towns have, almost without exception, behaved admirably during the German occupation, there is one man who deserves all the best a grateful country can do for him, and that is Alcide Max, Chief Burgomaster of Brussels, who in sticking to his post, maintaining order and ensuring the protection of his fellow citizens, has displayed wonderful courage and resource.

Scarcely known outside his own city, and certainly quite unknown outside Belgium, Burgomaster Max has made himself famous throughout the world in less than two months and while no openly put up obstacles in the German way, he has stood out against oppression so stoutly that it is well known that the Germans would be only too glad of an opportunity to shoot him.

It would not have taken much to prove the Germans to be really destroyers of the beautiful Belgian capital, if it believed, but Burgomaster Max kept a firm hold on the reins of civic government and by advice and example he persuaded his subordinates and fellow citizens that the evil of peaceful occupation was better than futile resistance and certain destruction.

NO HOMAGE FROM HIM.

The invaders did not make it easy for him, because he flatly declined to render that obsequious homage demanded by Prussian militarism. Max told the German commander bluntly: "If you want me to retain the job and keep order I am going to be a real mayor," and as he has loyally adhered to the terms under which Brussels surrendered, the Germans have been compelled to let him alone for "very shame's sake."

The first day of the German occupation Max returned to his office at the Hotel de Ville to find the new military governor of Brussels seated at his desk. The German took no notice of him and evidently proposed keeping him standing at the door like an ordinary prisoner, but Max wasn't used to being treated that way. He pulled up a chair and made himself comfortable beside the intruder.

A few days later the Germans issued a proclamation stating that as the Belgian government had fled, finding itself unable to govern the country, Germany would considerately take over the job. Max promptly had placards pasted up alongside. This brought down on him a peremptory notice that no posters must be displayed without the sanction of the German commander, who proceeded to warn the Burgomaster that a repetition of such an offense would be sternly dealt with.

WAIT FOR SATISFACTION.

No whit dismayed, when ordered to haul down all Belgian flags, Max issued the required instructions with an addition of his own: "Let us accept temporarily the sacrifice imposed upon us, let us haul down our flags to avoid a conflict, and let us wait patiently for the hour when we shall obtain satisfaction," his notice read.

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tiently for the hour when we shall obtain satisfaction," his notice read.

This drove the German governor in to a furious temper and that evening Max received a note saying: "The German government alone has the right to issue notices. You have acted in violation of this right. Such a thing is intolerable. This is the second time you have thus offended and a last warning is now given you not to offend again."

Max replied: "So long as I am Burgomaster of Brussels I shall act according to my idea of duty. In this I shall never fail."

TOLD OF DEFEATS.

He posted no more proclamations, but he aroused the Germans to a perfect frenzy of rage by making a speech from the steps of the Exchange building. Addressing an enthusiastic crowd he said: "I am forbidden to post circulars on the walls, and I do not possess any newspapers by which to let you know the good news that I have received. But I cannot be prevented from talking and I will use that means to inform you every day of the situation and prevent the false news spread by the Germans affecting your spirit."

The brave burgomaster then detailed the defeats in the field sustained by the Germans and Austrians, and added: "Let every one of you go into the town and inform your friends and families of the good news."

After he had repeated this action several times, Max was arrested, and held for deportation, but even the German commanders could not but admire his courage.

It is understood that King Albert proposes to grant titles of nobility to his brave representatives in Belgium's captured capital.

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