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WOOD ISLANDS. —Rev. R. H. Stavert will conduct service at Wood Islands tomorrow, Sunday.

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AT ST. JAMES CHURCH. —Mr. Ordway Lloyd will sing in St. James' Church at the morning service on Sunday.

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ODDFELLOWS PARADE— The Oddfellows will leave their Hall, Richmond St., at 10.45 a. m. tomorrow and headed by the Veteran's Band will parade to St Paul's Church—where they will be addressed by the Rev. H. D. Raymond, M. A., Rector of the Church. Visiting Oddfellows are cordially invited to attend.

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WEDDING BELLS.—St. Ann's Church, Hope River, was the scene of a very pretty wedding when the pastor, Rev. W. V. MacDonald united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Mr. George Murphy and Miss Margaret Harrington, daughter of Mr. Timothy Harrington, both of this parish. The bride who was charmingly attired in a navy blue suit with gray hat and gloves was attended by Miss Marion Pendergast, who also wore a navy blue suit and gray hat, while the groom was capably supported by Mr. Harold Harrington, brother of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the parochial house where a delicious breakfast was served them in Miss Power's usual excellent style. The happy couple then left for Moncton returning Friday evening to their future home, Millvale, where a large number of friends and relatives were assembled for the purpose of celebrating the happy event. An excellent supper was served to which all did ample justice and it is hard to say which was more enjoyed, this delicious repast or the dancing which was indulged in for many hours. It is certain however, that all enjoyed themselves thoroughly as it was almost daybreak before the last guests took their departure after wishing Mr. and Mrs. Murphy many happy years of wedded life.

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THE DOUBLE STANDARD, or WHY MAKE THE WOMAN PAY? —In the Central Christian Church tomorrow, Sunday evening, Rev. Neil Herman will speak on the subject: —The Double Standard or Why Make the Woman Pay?. Mr. Herman says: "Talk as we like, we have one standard for the man and another for the woman. What about the fallen woman? What about her brand? Gambling? What about it? What about the woman in the game? Is there no law to protect her? What about slot machines and other machines? Male choir and quartette. Welcome to strangers!

LAID TO REST. —The funeral of the late Rev. J. C. McMillan, D. D., was held at St. Georges on Thursday morning. Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Right Reverend Monsignor McLean, V. G., assisted by Rev. A. McAulay. Deacon, Rev. Owen Kiggins, Sub-Deacon, and Rev J. C McDonald, Master of Ceremonies. An impressive and touching sermon was delivered by Rev. G. J. McLellan who dwelt at length on the life work of the deceased priest from the time of his early education with the late Father Francis up to the time of his passing. The choir was assisted by Rev. Theodore Gallant and Rev. B Gillis. The funeral was exceptionally large the church at St. George's being crowded. The honorary pall bearers were:—Messrs. Chrysostum McCormac, Gregory McLeod, Innocent Campbell, Jas. Morrison, Patrick McIntyre and Jas. A. E. McPhee. The active pall bearers were:—Messrs. Rod McLellan, A. B. Walker, Neil D. Morrison, J. J. Campbell, B. J. McCormac and Capt. W. Sencabaugh. The remains left the city on Tuesday for Cardigan and owing to the storm the train had only reached Peakes the following morning. The funeral party then left by team for Cardigan, and from there to St. George's, also by team.

PERSONALS

Mr. Roland Paton is in Halifax on a business trip.

Mr. J. W. Coffin, Bristol leaves this morning for Edmonton, Alberton where he intends locating in future.

The many friends of Mr. Frank Clark of Clark Bros., will regret to learn that he was operated on yesterday in the P. E. I. Hospital for appendicitis.

The many friends of Miss Gertrude Toombs of North Wiltshire, who has recently undergone a very serious operation for appendicitis in the P. E. I. Hospital will be glad to know that her condition is gradually improving.

Mr. D. P. McDonald, Souris was a visitor to the city yesterday, Mr McDonald reports that there are still banks of snow fifteen feet high along the eastern line to Charlottetown.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. M. C. McGowan and family Kilmuir, wish to express through the Guardian their appreciation of the many acts of kindness done, and expressions of sympathy tendered them during the recent illness and death of the husband and father. 8905-4-24-21

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Hunter River And Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs J. S. MacLeod were visitors in Charlottetown on Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Aitken, New Glasgow left Tuesday morning on a visit to Halifax.

Miss Amy Barrett, Wheatley River spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. J. S. MacLeod.

Mr. Peter McGuigan, Hope River and his son Mr. Walter McGuigan who recently returned from Quebec, were visitors to the city on Monday.

Mr. B. W. Taylor, Granville was a visitor here on Monday, Tuesday morning he left for Sydney, C. B., where he will represent the Baird Drug Co., of Woodstick, N. B.

Mr. Ernest Matthews left Monday morning for Halifax where he will undergo medical treatment at Camp Hill Hospital.

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On Wednesday evening after a short prayer service the annual meeting of the United Sunday School was held, Rev. R. H. Baxter B. A., presiding. The secretary, reported seven classes with an enrollment of 103 members and an average attendance of 52, of whom five had perfect attendance for the year, also nine enrolled in Cradle Roll Department. Two members, one from the adult class and one from the primary were removed by death since last annual meeting. Thirty eight visitors were in the school during the year. The Treasurer's Report showed total amount of money raised $169.99. $50.00 was given to maintenance and Executive Fund and $7.20 was the special offering to the Bible Society. Election of officers resulted as follows: Supt. Dr. George Green; assistant supt. Mr. Donald Andrews; teachers mens' adult class, Dr. Green; assistant, Mr. Donald Andrews; ladies' adult, Mr. Clifford Carew; girls intermediate, Mrs. J. S. MacLeod; assistant, Mrs. E. Seaman; Boys Intermediate, Mrs D. M. MacLeod; assistant, Mrs Andrew Bagnall; Girls Junior, Miss Janie Andrew; assistant, Mrs John Bertram; Boys Junior, Mrs. Gertrude Dingwell; assistant, Mrs J. F. McMillan; Primary, Mrs Ira Rackham; assistant, Miss Reta Pickering; secretary, Beatrice M. MacLeod; treasurer, Orville Sellar; Misionary supt., Miss Reta Pickering; Cradle Roll supt., Mrs. Eldon Seaman; librarians, Misses Hazel Sellar and Helena McMillan; collectors, Russel Smith and Howard Houston. A missionary offering will be taken every three months for which a special program will be arranged and instruction given on the missionary work of the church. After the business of the meeting had been concluded, Mr. Donald Andrews spoke feelingly of the loss the whole countryside had sustained in the death of Mr. Artemas Moffatt, New Glasgow and a resolution was passed expressing sincere sympathy with the sisters in their bereavement and appreciation of his many years of faithful service and devotion to the Master's cause. Meeting closed with Benediction by the Pastor. L.

THE PUBLIC FORUM

(Continued from page Twelve)

are suffering from American competition, these too are consumed, but not produced to any commercial extent in the west, and, per order of the Progressives, don't dare to protect them.

The East consumes cocoa very largely; increase the duty on this and make them pay up. Cocktails vodka and strange drinks are more in favor with the foreign population in progressive areas. Angustura bitters are essential to these mixtures, therefore, the duty is cut down fifty per cent.

The Progressives' demand is for the cheaper grade of automobiles: these are manufactured in the East. Cut the duty so that they can buy the cheaper Yankee cars, and wipe out the factories making them in the East. The higher priced cars, most of them not made in the Canadian workshop, are more generally used in the East. These have to be imported therefore soak these users an extra 7½ per cent duty; it will help make up for the income tax of which the West is relieved.

Cheap freight rates have already been granted the West while the East are still paying to the extreme limit. We must tax ourselves without mercy to provide a fifty million Hudson's Bay railway. Then Rural Credits and Old Age Pensions not wanted in the East, are amongst the other sops thrown out as the bait for Progressive permission to the King government to hang onto office. The Budget should be closely scanned by every voter, for every detail will disclose the cloven foot of eastern sacrifice for Progressive advantage. In every case, we pay the bill, but they swipe everything of value. And all this to keep a strap hanging government in power.

I am, Sir, etc.,

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NO DEMAND FOR CANNED LOBSTERS

There is Less Meat in the Lobsters This Season

(Halifax Chronicle 20th)

There is 20 percent, less meat in lobsters caught off the Southern and Western coasts of Nova Scotia this season than ever before in the experience of men engaged in the lobster fishery, so The Morning Chronicle was informed yesterday by a foremost operator. It is a situation absolutely unparelled, this man said.

There is practically no demand for canned lobsters in any market at present, and a situation faces the Nova Scotia canneries which is not a pleasant one at present, although not hopeless, as the situation is subject to improvement under changing conditions. The canned lobster pack is today not over 25 per cent of what it was last year this time.

Another interesting phrase, when The Morning Chronicle Reporter inquired as to some of the causes behind the market conditions for canned lobsters was revealed by the reply that Japanese crab meat was being imported in large quantities by New York, Japan had last year exported 100,000 cases of crab meat to New York, and were looking forward to the time that they would can 200,000 cases of such shell delicacy, comprising such a substitute for lobster, that the average man would not recognize he was not eating lobster.

The live lobster production had been seriously curtailed by bad weather this season, which had caused the widespread damage to gear. The live lobsters stored in Maine were all used up by the first of March. When the season opened in Nova Scotia quantities were put on the Boston market starting out at 55 cents a pound, but as soon as a few went in they tumbled from that price to 25cents, and operators were seriously affected. The market from the last boat from Yarmouth was 28 cents a pound. Some operators in Nova Scotia actually started the season with a $10,000 loss. Asked why there was no large sized lobsters in Halifax restuarants, this particular operator said it was due to the exceedingly high prices prevailing, averageing 55 cents a pound wholesale.

Canned Pack Small

The canned lobster pack is not over 25 per cent, of that of last year, due to the same cause, the bad weather effecting the catch. There was a fairly good supply canned lobsters from 1925. The demand for canned lobsters in Europe is not strong due to the industrial unrest in England; decline of the franc in France and Belgium. The old stock is disposed of in Norway and Sweden and Denmark. Of that stock held in England, part of it was brought back to the United States some time ago and disposed of there. But the Americans, the Morning Chronicle was told, were not buying futures, as the conditions were such that grocers were afraid of stocking up

The season opens up, today from Halifax to Red Point, Richmond County, and the season in Inverness County opens on the 25th of April but owing to the enormous quantity of ice off that coast, there will be little fishing at present it was prophesied. "There is the slackest meat in lobsters this year we have ever known, if fact there is twenty per cent. less meat in the average lobster than any one in the business has ever before experienced" said this operator. "The only cause to which this can be attributed is the unusual coldness of the water, and the lobster has not crawled to new feeding grounds." One operator on the south shore of Nova Scotia who had been engaged in the business for thirty years, said he never knew of such conditions before. In South Cape Breton waters which are usually much colder than southern Nova Scotia, in the early spring catch it would require 240 pounds to make a case of lobsters of 48 pounds whereas by the 15th of May it would get down to 200 pounds; while on the South and Western coast they would begin operations at 200 pounds, and get down to 185. There have been times in the late autumn when such discrepancies prevailed, due to the thinness of the lobster after spawning and not had opportunity to fatten but conditions as they exist today are unprecedented.

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The sesqui-Centennial Musical Committee, made up of music-loving citizens of the city, plans to have every state in the Union represented and as many local communities as possible. States, cities and communities would select their own singers in quartettes. Communities unable to defray the expense of sending four singers, could combine with neighboring communities in making up the group— representng perhaps a county.

The chorus committee will issue membership cards and send the music to be used. There is to be no charge for the music.

Tributes to the Late L. E. Prowse

The following tributes to the memory of the late lamented L. E. Prowse, have been received:

A FAREWELL

Rev. W. A. Thomson

If once I could have spoken ere you passed,
And caught the kindly gleam from friendly eyes;
Ere it so nerveless fell, your hand had clasped,
And held it long in tender sympathies—

With day's last light to linger near the West,
To shield from nightly chill a lowly bloom,
To wrap a friend upon a couch of rest,
Were evening joys within a lovelit room.

But better do I like the dawn's full gleam,
When rich effulgent rays of glory fall,
And gone are night, and all the things of dream;
And o'er the scented mead comes morning's call.

And so I'll just a little longer wait,
And cherish things together we hold dear:
Beside the beauty of the opal gate,
Until shall break the glad, good morn of cheer.

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The following was written by a lady who was when a girl, a pupil in the late Mr. Prowse's Sunday School class in Grace Church:

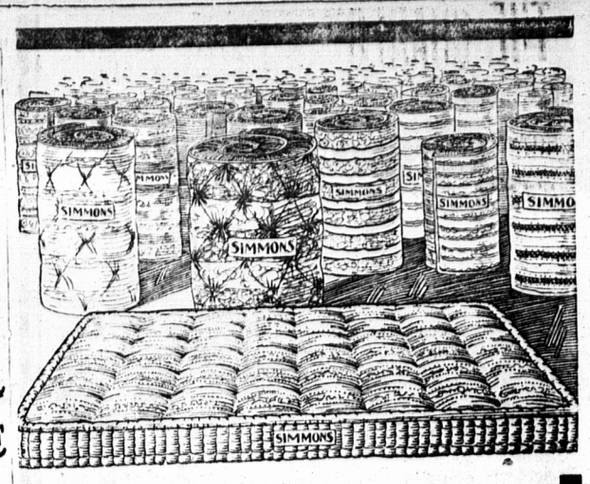
SONG OF PATIENCE AND FAITH

Live on, O life of mine
Though often thou dost yearn to be at rest,
He who hath lent thee life, hath thought it best
Thine to prolong till more through thee are blest,
Live on, and cease to repine.

Work on, O hands of mine
Ennobling thought that even thou canst share
A part with God in making earth more fair,
Then labor calmly on, and to complain forbear,
Fulfilling His design,

Trust on, O heart of mine
Though dark the way and rough the angry sea,
Thy Pilot holds the helm, thy Father beckons thee;
One guides the course of every songster free,
To Him thine all resign.

Sing on, O soul of mine
Sing songs of faith and hope and joy and cheer;
Outsound the discord grating on thine ear
And bring celestial music sweet and clear,
To lonelier hearts than mine.



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Cotton Felt Mattress, Roll edge. Regular $12.00 value. All sizes..	$8 95
Brass Beds Satin finish. Regular $25.00. All sizes	$18 75
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