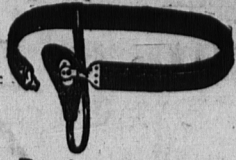


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INTERCESSORY SERVICE.—St. Peter's Cathedral war-intercessions today, 5 p. m.

ADVANCE IN RUBBER.—It is announced that the price of rubber footwear is to advance 20 per cent. on February 1st.

ON FURLOUGH.—Rev. W. A. Cotton of Charlottetown was in England recently on his way home from South Africa on furlough. Last week he had a day at Bramshot with his brother and other relatives in units thereabouts.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The Railway Department, owing to a shortage in coal, have decided not to run special guaranteed trains, with the one exception of emergency trains, where life may be at stake. DISTRICT PASSENGER AGENT'S OFFICE, January 24th, 1917. 4051-1-25M81.

GREEN BAY.—Mr. Daniel Currie, of Boston, is spending the winter here, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Currie. The "night school" in this district is now making rapid progress under the direction of the teacher, Mr. Louis Costello. A debating club has been organized in connection with the "night school"; and on Friday night of each week interesting discussions are heard from the pupils and from visitors coming from the outlying districts. The subject for debate last Friday night was "Which is the More Useful for the Farmer, the Automobile or the Horse."—Mr. Ernest Corney and Mr. Eugene Malone, of this district took a trip to New Glasgow, N. S., some two weeks ago, but they returned in a few days, reporting "no work in that country."

SILVER JUBILEE.—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gaudet, of Miscouche, on the 18th inst., celebrated their silver wedding anniversary. The affair was more than ordinarily elaborate, considerable preparation having been made for the auspicious event. The desire of so many friends to be present made it necessary to hold the reception in the Parochial Hall. About eight o'clock the invited guests to the number of 150 began to arrive and in a few minutes all had taken their seats. The Miscouche Glee Club furnished an excellent program of music, instrumental and vocal, consisting of solos, duets and quartets. During an interval in the musical program an address of filial love and devotion to Mr. and Mrs. Gaudet was read by the eldest daughter, Miss Uldene while their best son, Benoni, and baby, Whimmin, presented them with gifts of silver. Mr. Gaudet responded to the address in French and English, thanking the guests present for the many kindnesses shown to himself and wife and family, not only on this occasion, but during their residence among them. After the program, the guests were taken in groups of twos, by each to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gaudet, where substantial refreshments were served. After all had partaken of the hospitality the company resolved itself into a dance, the music for which was supplied by the Miscouche Orchestra. The accompanist on the piano was Mrs. Dolron, sister of Mrs. Gaudet, whose musical talent is well known and who did her part in her usual excellent style. Among the guests present were Rev. Dr. Monaghan, P.P., and Rev. F. L. Connolly, Vicar, Grand River. Mr. and Mrs. Gaudet's children, nine in all, were present and from the eldest to the youngest enjoyed the festivities to the full. Silver presents, almost innumerable were showered upon the host and hostess, among them a beautiful and valuable sterling silver tea service from the Rock City Tobacco Co., Ltd., Quebec, which Mr. Gaudet represents in this province. The whole occasion was a most enjoyable one, and all were delighted. After extending congratulations and good wishes, with the hope of being present at the golden wedding, the company and orchestra joined in the National Anthem. On the following morning a mass of thanksgiving was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Monaghan, a harmonized mass being sung by the choir with Mrs. Dolron as accompanist on the organ.

BLOOMING PLANTS and cut flowers at William's Nursery, 4216.

MEETING.—Caledonia Club meeting tonight at eight o'clock. Full attendance requested. 4211

DOING THEIR BIT.—Mr. Bruce Stewart called at the Savings Bank yesterday and handed to the secretary of the Canadian Red Cross the sum of \$80, proceeds of the patriotic reception held at his home last week.

FURTHER HONORS.—Sergeant Ernest G. Weeks, according to an Ottawa despatch, has had a bar added to the military medal he won some months ago. Sergeant Weeks, who is a son of Major Weeks, is a Charlottetown boy, who is certainly making a name for himself for courage and efficiency at the front.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The Sunday School of Grace Church will give a moving picture entertainment tonight at eight o'clock. Six reels of excellent quality have been procured under management of W. E. Burke, interspersed with orchestral music. Collection for Belgian Relief. Everybody invited. 4208

SOME DOG FIGHT.—Two bulldogs got into an altercation at the corner of Queen and Kent Streets about 11 o'clock on Sunday night and for a solid quarter of an hour they made a din that could be heard for quite a distance. The arrival of the police who made a liberal application of their bills, upon the pates of the enraged canines, was the only thing that brought a suspension of hostilities. One of the dogs was badly torn about the throat and the snow was profusely dyed with blood.

RUNAWAY.—A horse, belonging to a Mr. Leonard, of Cornwall, broke through the ice while coming ashore at Brighton landing on Sunday morning. The affrighted animal, which was badly lacerated about the knees by the ice on reaching the shore, ran furiously to town, and made down Lower Queen Street, where the sleigh coming in conjunction with a hydrant, was demolished. The animal, when captured later, was taken to the North American Hotel Stables, where the owner, who was also somewhat badly cut, took charge of it.

CANOE COVE NOTES.—Quite a number of the young people were very angry at the mercury going so low during the past week, thus denying them the privilege of attending the Burns' concert. A very successful entertainment and basket social was held here recently in aid of war work. Mr. Roderick McEachern is confined to his home with an attack of pneumonia. Miss Gertrude Gorveatte, of Cumberland, has returned home after spending the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Neil McCannell. Mr. D. K. McNeill, of Outlook, Sask., is the guest of his cousin, Mr. Neil McKenzie. Mrs. Malcolm McKenzie is recovering from an attack of pneumonia, under the care of Dr. J. M. Marchison. Mrs. I. W. McGregor, New Dominion, spent the week-end here. Miss Annie McLean, teacher, has left for New Dominion to take charge of the school there.

WEDDING BELLS.—"Hilliest," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunsford, South Melville, was the scene of a happy marriage ceremony on Wednesday evening January seventeenth, when their daughter Lilla May was united in marriage to David Ferguson, son of Mr. Ducean Ferguson of Hampton. At eight o'clock the bridal party entered the parlour to the strains of the wedding march, sweetly played by Miss Fannie Bell of Charlottetown, cousin of the bride, where the nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Geo. Morris in presence of about fifty invited guests the immediate friends of the bride and groom. The bride who was attended wore a simple gown of pure white with fur trimmings and a wreath of white flowers in her hair, which was sweetly becoming to her. After the usual round of congratulations and good wishes the guests entered the dining room to partake of the good things there. Music, both instrumental and vocal, was enjoyed by all, the accompanists being Misses Fannie Bell and Jennie Dunsford, cousins and Miss Grace sister of the bride. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly gifts amongst them being a number of generous checks. Their many friends join in wishing them a happy journey through life.

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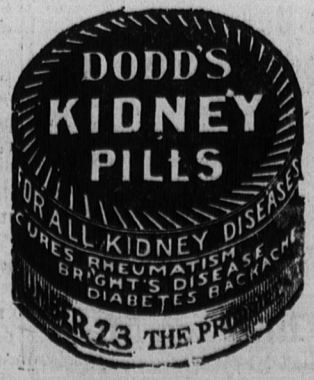
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