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### RHODES SCHOLARSHIP.

To Victoria County and more particularly John B McNair, son of James McNair of Arthurette falls the honor of receiving the Rhodes scholarship from the University of New Brunswick for the year 1911.

While it is the greatest, it is not the first honor that has fallen to Mr McNair. At the Andover Grammar school and at the Florenceville Consolidated school he led his classes and won the Victoria County scholarship on matriculation; the U N B. At college Mr McNair has won distinctions in mathematics, philosophy, economics, and French, having an average in general work of from 91 to 96 during the past two years.

The young man has been prominent, too in college life. He is one of the best football forwards that ever attended the U N B and was manager of the team for this year. He was a prominent member of track and basketball teams. He was more over leader of this years debating team and is one of the senior editors of the University Monthly.—Victoria County News.

Ralph Allingham, a student of Electrical Engineering, at McGill is spending his vacation with his parents Mr and Mrs R Allingham.

### MONTGOMERY-GARTLEY

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon Dec 14 at four o'clock at the home of Mrs Elizabeth Gartley, Watson Settlement when her daughter Inez Irene was united in marriage to George Everett Montgomery of Bedell. The ceremony was performed by Rev A W Teed in the presence of only the immediate friends of the contracting parties. The bride was dressed in cream nuns veiling with silk trimmings, and carried a bouquet of white carnations and maiden hair ferns. Miss Pauline Henderson played the wedding march. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome fur lined coat. Mr and Mrs Montgomery were also the recipients of many useful and valuable presents. After the wedding supper the happy couple left for their home in Bedell followed by the best wishes of many friends.

Miss Louise Jacques who has been nursing at Presque Isle and Ida who has been teaching in Caribou arrived on Wednesday to spend Christmas with their parents Mr and Mrs Howard Jacques.

Mr and Mrs John Henderson of Richmond N B were guests of Mr and Mrs Ernest Turney East Higon on Sunday last. Mr and Mrs Ernest Turney East Hodgson were in Woodlawn N B Wednesday Dec 14 to attend the wedding of Mrs Turney's sister Aroostook Times.

### Presentation

A pleasant surprise was given Rev H. C. and Mrs Archer on Friday evening Dec 23rd by the members and Congregation of the Reformed Baptist Church at Woodstock. At the close of the regular prayer service after the pastor had pronounced the benediction, Mr H G Noble took the chair and after a few remarks called upon Mr B M Colpitts who presented Mrs Archer with the following address.

Dear Sister Archer:—In this season of well wishing on the anniversary of when the angels heralded the grand message of "Peace on Earth good will to man." We thought it only fitting to select some one in special to give our good wishes to and this time choice has fallen on you. Hence we wish you all the Compliment of the season and a Merry Christmas thrown in. We feel like complimenting ourselves in the way we have been favored as a church, in the matter of pastor's wives that seem to fit into their place easily and naturally, and we are glad to say you are no exception to the rule. We are glad to welcome you to our midst and hope we can be a real help to you while here, and you to us and be real workers together in God's Vineyard in the upbuilding of His Kingdom and as the months multiply and grow into years, so may our friendship and love for you ever grow and increase till it culminates in Heaven above.

As a slight token of our esteem to you we present you with this muff, and as your hands are kept warm by its protection, may your heart ever be warm towards these your friends here assembled, and better than all may your heart ever grow warmer and brighter with a good christian experience that will ever be a help wherever you go.

In behalf of the Church B M Colpitts, Mrs Archer made a very fitting reply thanking the people for their kindness toward her, and especially for their kind remembrance of her at this time.

The congregation then arose and sang "Blest be the tie that binds." The chairman then called upon Deacon Jas. Drysdale who presented Rev Mr Archer with the following address.

Dear Brother Archer:—The church and congregation among whom you have so faithfully labored during the past few months, desire to show their appreciation of your work by presenting you with this small purse of money amounting to one hundred and twenty dollars. It is the wish of the donors that this should be used by you in the purchasing of a fur lined coat. We have always been in the habit of remembering our pastors in the past, and we consider it a greater privilege to remember you at this time, and we trust you may accept of it, not for its intrinsic value, but as a slight token of the affection and respect in which you are held by your people.

We are glad to be identified with you in the work, and feel that the Lord is blessing our united efforts.

In behalf of the church Jas. Drysdale Mr Archer arose to reply but was so completely taken by surprise that it was some little time before he could give expression to his feelings, but in a few well chosen words he expressed his appreciation of the thoughtful and kind remembrance in this very generous gift. He closed by wishing that God's blessing might richly rest upon the church and that in the coming days we might see many precious souls room for the master.

### JOHN B BEAIRSTO

The death occurred on Saturday, Dec 24th, of typhoid-pneumonia, of John B Beairsto, at Outlook, Ala, aged 17 years. His death came as a great shock to his relatives and friends, as his father, Dr James Beairsto, of Lakeville, only returned from Outlook about a week ago, and then it was thought that the young man was on the road to recovery. He went West in March last with his brother Gerald, who will accompany the body home. They will arrive in Woodstock on Thursday or Friday. The funeral service will be conducted at his home in Lakeville by the Rev H M Manuel. Burial will be in the family lot at Williamstown. He leaves his father, Dr James Beairsto, of Lakeville, two sisters, Mrs Colin M King, of this town, and Miss May Beairsto of Lakeville, and four brothers; Gerald, of Outlook, Sask, and William, Harold and Robert of Lakeville.

### THE SALVATION ARMY CONCERT

The Christmas Tree in the Salvation Army Citadel for the children of their Sunday School will be conducted in the Citadel on Monday Night next the second day of January. In connection with it the Program which was given in the Opera House on Monday last will be repeated. You are invited to attend.

### Teacher's Institute

The Thirty Third Annual Session of the Carleton County Teachers' Institute and the Victoria County Teacher's Institute met in joint session for the third time on Thursday and Friday last. The meeting was held in the Broadway School Building and was the largest in the history of either institute.

The opening address, by President C D Richards, B A, on "The Personal Element in Teaching" was a particularly able discussion and in it he set a high standard for those who were to follow.

Inspector Meagher had many interesting thoughts for the teachers.

Mr W B Boiyea, Chairman of the Board of School Trustees for Woodstock, welcomed the teachers in his usual happy manner and although they now seemed to be in very comfortable quarters he hoped that next year he would be able to welcome them to a still more magnificent building.

Mr T C L Ketchum in a very pleasant address welcomed the teachers on behalf of the Town.

At the afternoon session Miss Gaynell E Long, of Jacksonville held the closest attention of her audience in a discussion of Grammar and Analysis. Her paper was excellently thought out and clearly expressed, and called forth a good deal of discussion.

The remainder of the session was occupied with a Question Box. A large number of very interesting questions dealing with problems that arise in the school room were thoroughly discussed.

On Friday morning Miss Beatrice Welling B A P Principal of the Victoria County Grammar School, presented a most excellent paper on English Literature, and Principal R L Simms gave a very interesting and forceful paper on Constitutional History and Political Ethics.

The Institute then divided and in the Primary Division Miss Winnie E Thompson of the Collège gave an excellent paper on Arithmetic for Primary Grade, and Prin R B Masterton of Centreville gave another on Common School Arithmetic in the Advanced Division and in the afternoon Prin Emerson C Rice of Hartland gave a well prepared paper on Physical Training and Military Drill, ending with a practical lesson before a class.

It was decided to hold next meeting of Institute at Florenceville early in October next.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows:—

President—Principal R B Masterton, Centreville

Vice-Pres—Miss Gaynell E Long, Jacksonville

Secretary—R E Estabrooks, Woodstock

Additional Members of Executive—Miss H Mabel Lister, Inez Bradley

### VICTORIA COUNTY TEACHERS

Alexander Ciara  
Carvell Mrs M I  
Curry Janet M  
Grant Mae B  
Hemphill Jennie  
Lunn George H  
Parent Hazel V  
Plummer Faye M  
Scott Margaret

Bull Edna A  
Curry Bessie A  
Fraser Bessie M  
Havens Alma B  
Jones Beatrice L  
Marston Nettie A  
Peterson Clinton H  
Pickett M Louis  
Welling Beatrice

### CARLETON COUNTY TEACHERS

Avery Margaret  
Barker Katharine  
Black Idella M  
Branscombe T E  
Buxton Elva M  
Campbell Annie  
Campbell Dailia  
Carpenter Pearl  
Carton Evelyn C  
Clark Deborah A  
Cumming Helena  
Dalling C Mable  
Drake Annie C  
Ebbett Mable A  
Forrest Laura E  
Gallagher Eva E  
Gray Annie L  
Hall Bernice  
Hanson M V  
Harper Helen E  
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Jameson Carrie R  
Lockhart L S  
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McKeen Annie S  
McCain Hazel B  
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McGuire Lewis M  
Manuel Madge B  
Masterton R B  
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Milmore Mary  
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Orser Ethel M  
Paget Jennie I  
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Barnett Sadie M  
Bradley Inez  
Brophy Genevieve  
Camp Katherine M  
Campbell Augusta  
Carpenter Re A  
Carson Clara M  
Chapman Maude  
Cocharne Mary I  
Cummis Lucy A  
Denham Muriel D  
Ebbett Jennie M  
Estabrooks R E  
Forrest Sadie J  
Glass Laura A  
Haley Enda L  
Hanson A Ethel  
Harold Alice I  
Harper Ruth A  
Hilman Adelia C  
Kinney Frances J  
Long Gaynell E  
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Manuel Nettie S  
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Milmore Frances  
Neales Julia  
Osborne Mary R  
Page Maude C  
Price Prudie A

### FAMILY RE-UNION.

Rev J C Berrie, pastor of the Marysville Methodist Church, celebrated his seventieth birthday on Christmas Day. A family reunion marked the occasion. Among those present were Mr and Mrs J Charleton Berrie, of Woodstock, son and daughter in law of Rev Mr Berrie; Miss Tillotson, daughter of the late Rev Robt Tillotson, of London England; Mrs W O Good, of Woodstock; Mr and Mrs L C Thorne, of St John, and Mrs Percy Townsend, late of England was also present. The celebration took place on Monday.

### ROLAND BALFOUR BURTT

Roland Balfour Burtt, only son of Mr and Mrs Woodford Burtt, of Royalton, N B died of consumption, on Friday morning, Dec 16, 1910, aged seventeen years, five months and twenty four days.

Although his death had been long expected it brought deep grief not only to the fond parents who had so tenderly and lovingly cared for him through his long illness, but also to the whole community.

Rollie was not old in years yet his short life was such an example of gentleness, sweetness, purity—the fruits of a heart filled with the love of God—that we truly believe his life has accomplished more of good, has left a deeper impression upon this and all the surrounding communities, and will be remembered longer than the lives of some whose days have numbered three score and ten.

Two years ago he gave his heart to God and made a public confession of his faith in Christ, giving new beauty to his life, which from childhood has been a wonderful example of piety, his parents and friends declaring that they had never heard him speak an unkind or wicked word.

Much sympathy is felt for the sorrowing parents and only sister who remain, but we are comforted with the thought that when the toils and cares of this life are ended we shall go to meet him in the land where they have no need of the sun to shine by day, for the Lord God is the Light of it.

The funeral which was held on Sunday afternoon in the Reformed Baptist Church of this place, was largely attended, testifying to the high esteem in which he was held by all who knew him.

Would that many of our young men and women might follow his example of godliness that not only in death but also in life it might be said of them "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God."

### PRESENTATION TO ISAAC DRAPER.

A number of friends of Mr. Isaac Draper gathered at his home on Main street, Tuesday evening and Mr. W. E. Stone on behalf of the company presented him with the following address accompanied with a beautiful Morris chair.

Your associates in the Wolverton House take this opportunity of extending to you our hearty congratulations in regard to an event which we understand will take place in a few days. The mutual intercourse and friendship which has existed during the time we have been resident in the same household, has revealed to us the many traits and characteristics which have made you even welcome among us. In a circle such as we have here the weakness and strength of each of us is ever revealed and we are happy in the knowledge that the intimate friendship which we have had has but revealed the great possibility for happiness in your new life which you will so soon enter upon.

Permit us to give to you this which but represents in a small way our regard for you and our best wishes that the future may be one continual day of happiness and bliss. Please extend to your bride elect our best wishes for a joyous voyage through life.

Sincerely Yours,

James Woolverton, Frank Woolverton, Don McAdam, William Thompson, William Lowney, Maitland Hovey, Roy Carr, William Veasey, E Yerxa, H Hockenhull, W E Stone.

Mrs Thomas Duncan who has been quite ill in Bangor, has recovered sufficiently to be able to go to Boston.

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| Rice Emerson C   | Ryan Katharine     |
| Robinson Hazel   | Rice Annie I       |
| Robertson F E    | Robinson Grace     |
| Scott Lena V     | Sharpe Sadie M     |
| Shaw Dora M      | Sleep Hester G L   |
| Sherrwood Persis | Simms Robert L     |
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