

Anglican Progress

CANTERBURY

Rev J E Flewelling has now been nearly fifteen years in charge of this parish, having previously served twenty-four years at Centreville, Carleton county. The parish has met all its missionary calls. Services have been regularly held at the churches during the year. On July 27th an out-door service was held at London's Cottage at Skiff Lake for the summer visitors and others, at which 175 persons were present and the collection amounted to \$17.

RICHMOND.

Rev A W Teed has now been twenty-five years in charge of this laborious mission. Mr Teed took a distinguished course while at the University of New Brunswick and in his graduating year was the best all-round athlete. He settled down to the work of a country parson in 1888 and has been faithful in his ministrations to the people of his first and only charge from that day to this. During the past year twenty-two persons have been confirmed. Four Sunday schools are in operation, one at the parish church, the others at Hartford, Monument Settlement and Golden Ridge. Two branches of the W A are doing good work. The delegates who attended the convention at St Johna came back filled with enthusiasm. The parish has increased by \$110 its annual contribution to the Diocesan Mission Fund. A mission was conducted by Rev A H Crowfoot at South Richmond in August from which much good has resulted.

WOODSTOCK.

Rev A S Hazen reports an increase both in the number of communicants and in the attendance at church services. The Sunday school, too, has made an advance, and the various parochial organizations are doing well. A chapter of the Brotherhood of St Andrew has been organized with the assistance of Mr Birmingham, the Brotherhood secretary. A junior branch of the W A has been started and during the few months of its existence has accomplished much. A brass credence table has lately been placed in the parish church as a memorial to Mr and Mrs Jarvis Betell. The W A senior and junior branches have by their gifts helped to beautify St Luke's church. The parish has a zealous body of laymen who have, by their efforts, helped to promote the well-being of the church. Mr A J Raymond, lay reader, has greatly assisted in the services at the two churches. A monthly service is held by the rector at St Peter's church Jacksonville.

HARTLAND.

Rev A Franchette, lately appointed to this comparatively new mission, writes very encouragingly of his field of labor. A new church will shortly be begun in Hartland. The services there are well attended. Services are also held at Glassville and Beaufort. A small church will be built at Beaufort, for which a building fund has been started. There have been fifteen baptisms in the past nine months.

CENTREVILLE.

Rev Hazen F Rigby has been only six months in his extensive mission. The principal centres are Florenceville, Greenfield and Centreville, at each of which places there is a church in excellent condition. Bishop Richardson visited the mission in October.

MAY DIE FROM INJURIES

Mr George Farmer, a young Englishman who resides at Millville, is lying in the Fisher Memorial Hospital at Woodstock, hovering between life and death as the result of an accident in the lumber woods near Millville, a few days ago. His skull is fractured and his backbone broken and the doctors who have been in consultation regarding his case agree that there is not as much as one chance in a thousand for his ultimate recovery. Mr Farmer is about 25 years old.

An almost similar accident occurred last week on the lumber operations which Mr George W Upham, ex-M L A, of Woodstock, is carrying on, a young man residing at Newburg having been seriously hurt by a dry stub crashing down upon him. It is said that this man suffered a broken shoulder and other injuries and that his recovery is doubtful.

JOHN HAWKES

There passed away about noon on December 21st, John Hawkes over 80 years of age; he has resided in Kirkland, Car Co, for about a year; he was three times married, all his wives predeceased him. He leaves three sons,

James of North Lake; Henry of Crystal, Me; Robert of Houlton. Three daughters, Mrs Winfield Spinney of Benton; Mrs Stephen Gogan of Houlton; and Mrs Thomas J Graham of Bear Trap Point; several grand and great grand children. A short service was held at the church. His remains were buried up the horseback in the cemetery.

The Shaw Scholarship.

The scholarship of \$25 won at the Provincial Normal School by Miss Ella Mills, of Harrisville, Westmorland county, was donated to the Normal School by Mr Weldon B Shaw, of Victoria B C, and formerly of Carleton county. The scholarship is for the highest average made at the Christmas examinations held at the Normal School, and is open for competition among all the classes at the Normal School Miss Mills was in Class B for second class license. Mr Shaw is a graduate of the Provincial Normal School, graduating in 1905. He has been very successful in the West and his scholarship is an annual one.—Gleaner.

Death Of Famous Episcopal Missionary

The news of the death of Rev. Edmund A. Neville, who had charge of St. Mary's Episcopal Church at Dalhousie the summer of the Campbellton fire, and also had been there on a previous occasion, is reported in the Christian Herald, New York, under the heading 'The Death of a Famous Missionary.' While travelling in Mexico, the Rev. Edmund A. Neville, one of the most widely known missionaries in the world, died on November 2nd, at Saltillo, the capital of the State of Coahuila. Mr. Neville had circled the globe many times in the interests of the Episcopal Missionary Board. It is probable that no missionary was ever subjected to a more startling experience than that of Mr. Neville in 1892, when, as a member of a party of six English missionaries, he saw his five companions eaten by cannibals and was himself held captive for fifteen months on a small island off the coast of New Guinea. The incident attracted world wide attention at the time, and until Mr. Neville was rescued, warships of many nations touched at port towns in New Guinea and sought information regarding the party. He finally managed to attract the attention of a party of sailors from a Dutch gunboat which passed the shore of the island upon which he was detained and he was returned to the United States. After the experience in New Guinea, Mr. Neville went to Oxford and completed his studies, and for several years devoted himself to missionary work in China, Japan, Singapore and nearly two thousand words, which he gathered in New Guinea while among the cannibals, has been of great service to religious workers who have since worked among the natives.

Women Suffer More than Men

Women have more than their share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity. They must "keep up," in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, etc. Mas. Edward Calwood of 123 S. Harold Street Fort William, Ont., says: "I suffered with dull miserable pains, soreness across my back and in my sides for months. They would catch me so badly at times that I could scarcely move around. I would have dizzy spells and altogether, felt generally run down. After using a number of remedies without finding relief, I learned of Booth's Kidney Pills and found them an excellent remedy. They not only relieved me of the miserable pains and soreness in my back but cured me of my kidney trouble."

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It is just as well to bear in mind that if it wasn't for the rain there wouldn't be any hay to make when the sun shines

Chinese and Japanese designs are noticeable in all the printed silks intended for next year.

The following were the retail prices on Christmas Eve:

Best turkeys, 22 to 25 cents per pound.  
Best chickens, 18 to 22 cents. Beef, chuck roast, 18 cents; sirloin roast, centre cuts (untrimmed) 30 cents per pound; rib roasts, 25 cents per pound; sirloin steak, 30 cents; round steak, 22 to 25 cents.

Dealers declare that the farmers of Ontario lost a great deal of money.

Mrs. Frederick W. Lehmann, wife of the former Solicitor General of the United States and a grandmother, is a freshman at Washington University. The secret of her enrolment leaked out. Mrs. Lehmann attends the university classes three times a week to study English.

1,319 LABOR WARS IN TWELVE YEARS.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—An average loss of \$1,500,000 is caused to Canada by strikes and lockouts, according to the annual report of the Department of Labor, just issued.

A review of all strikes and lockouts from 1901 down to 1913 made by the department shows that during these twelve years there were 1,319 strikes and lockouts, involving in all 319,880 men, and entailing a loss of working time for the whole period of slightly under 9,000,000 days, or an average annual loss of 750,000 days. Thus, somewhat paradoxically, about 2,000 years of working time are lost during every calendar year by labor disturbances.

Placing on the working day the low money value of \$2, the time losses for the twelve years represent about \$18,000,000, or \$1,500,000 yearly.

There were 150 strikes and lockouts last year, as against 99 for 1911, but the actual time loss was only 50 per cent. of that of the previous year.

ELEVEN MILLIONS PAID TO 10,593 CIVIL SERVANTS.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—The total number of permanent officials in the pay of the Federal government at the end of the last fiscal year, according to a blue book published to-day, was 10,593, and the total amount paid in salaries was \$11,640,813. During the year 63 civil servants were superannuated, the annual superannuation allowances totalling \$53,240. Nearly half a million dollars per year are now paid from the Federal treasury in superannuation or retirement fund allowances.

SING XMAS BELLS.

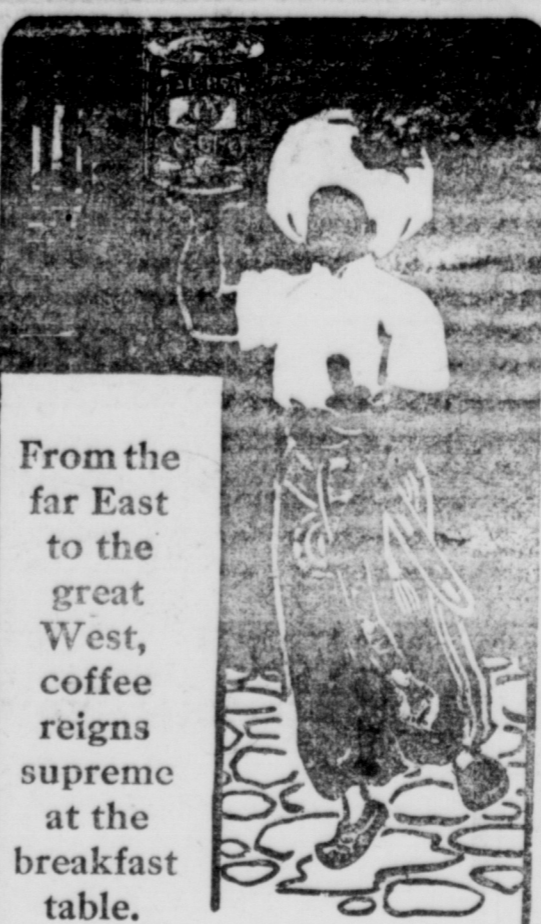
Sing, Christmas bells!  
Say to the earth this is the morn  
Whereon our Saviour-King is born;  
Sing to all men—the bond, the free,  
The rich the poor, the high, the low,  
The little child that sports in glee,  
The aged folk that tottering go—  
Proclaim the morn  
That Christ is born  
That saveth them and saveth me!  
—By Eugene Field.

In baking bread and rolls, put a saucpan of boiling water into the oven. The steam will keep the crust smooth and tender.

What the Boston Transit Commission considers substantial proof of the activities of the people who lived on the site of Boston 2000 years ago has been revealed by workmen constructing the Boylston street subway. Thirty feet beneath the surface in Copley Square they have dug up remnants of a prehistoric fish weir that not only furnishes a clew to what the inhabitants did, but also to how much "made land" has sifted in during the succeeding centuries.

ROD AND GUN.

'Old Chief Nassau of Admiralty In. let,' decorates the cover of the January issue of ROD AND GUN IN CANADA, published by W. J. Tennant, Ltd., Woodstock, Ont. The leading article, 'An Expedition into the Arctic Regions,' is descriptive of a trip to Baffin's Bay by a hardy company of adventurers led by 'Lucky' Scott of Toronto, and is illustrated by some skating photographs taken on the trip. Of particular interest are the replies to Mr. Hamilton Fisher's article in the November number on 'Bull Moose and their horns.' Mr. R. J. Frazer's well written article on 'The American Indian Language,' H. Mortimer Battan's 'Prints from Canadian Trails,' an amusing story entitled 'The Burning Moose,' etc., etc. The number is an exceptionally good one, the regular departments being replete with interesting information. Under the Trap appears an account of the Grand International Tournament held at St. Thomas, Dec. 1st. to 5th.



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It isn't the things that you really do—  
It's the things you have left undone  
Which give you a bit of a heartache  
At the setting of the sun.  
The tender word forgotten.  
The letter you did not write.  
The flowers which you might have sent  
Are your haunting ghosts at night.  
The stone you might have lifted  
Out of a brother's way;  
The bit of kindly counsel  
You were hurried too much to say.  
The loving pressure of the hand,  
The gentle and friendly tone  
That you had no time nor thought for  
With troubles enough of your own.  
For life is short—too awful short,  
And sorrow is all too great,  
For all our slow compassion  
That waits till it's too late,  
And it is not the things that you really do—  
It's the things you leave undone  
Which gives you the bitter heartache  
At the setting of the sun.

SAFE IN HER HANDS.

An old Scotch lady was noticed by her minister to fall asleep every time he preached, whilst when young men from St. Andrew's University acted as substitutes for him she remained awake and was most attentive. The minister one day demanded an explanation of her conduct, and she replied, "Weel, meenister, I ken the Word of God is safe in your hands; but when the young fellows from St. Andrews comes along t takes me all my time to watch them."

FORMER CANADIAN PREMIER 90 YEARS OLD.

Belleville, Ont., Dec 27.—Sir Mackenzie Bowell, former Dominion Premier and for many years a leader in Canadian public life, attended the age of four-score and ten to-day, having been born Dec. 27, 1823 Sir Mackenzie became a member of Parliament at the time of Confederation and in 1878 joined the cabinet of Sir John Macdonald. During his long career he held numerous cabinet positions and for a period of about one year he was Prime Minister.

ONE OF THE SMALLEST MEN DEAD IN LONDON.

London, Dec. 27.—John William White a confectioner, probably the smallest man in the world, died at South End yesterday, aged 53 years. He was only twenty-five inches in height. His two sisters were of normal size.

Two men drowned in the East River, New York, and ten men—the crews of two barges—wrecked on the New Jersey coast, given up as lost, is the toll in human lives of the storm which swept over New York and vicinity early Friday morning.

The garment workers who have been on strike in Philadelphia since July 15, were notified Friday at a mass meeting that the treasury of their unions was empty and no further strike benefits could be paid.

EUROPLANE CARRIED TEN PASSENGERS.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 27.—Sikorsky, the inventor of an aeroplane capable of carrying ten persons, made a flight yesterday lasting several hours. The ten passengers and machine weighed altogether more than a ton.

American Enters Vesuvius's Crater

NAPLES, Dec. 27.—Frederick Burlingham, the American, who made a descent into the crater of Vesuvius on Tuesday, tells a more sensational story of his feat than was imagined when the news was first published here. Mr. Burlingham said yesterday, that he reached the extreme bottom of the crater, a depth of 1,212 feet, while the volcano was active at that depth.

Prof. Mercalli, director of the Vesuvius Observatory, had thought this impossible. He is amazed at the proofs of his assertion submitted by the American. Prof. Malladra, who made a descent into the crater to a depth of 1,200 feet, said that Burlingham's trip was the most dangerous one ever attempted. He surmised from Burlingham's story, that another part of the floor of the crater has collapsed owing to the increasing activity of the volcano. Mr. Burlingham said that three Italians, Sonnino, For massino and Gaudino, aided him. They slept three nights on the top of the mountain, waiting for a propitious moment for the descent. This came on December 21. Ropes were launched over the precipices and the descent begun. On account of the unsteady wind making the descent very difficult, Gaudino remained on the edge of the second precipice to watch the ropes as the other descended.

As my companions kept talking of danger," says Mr. Burlingham, "I volunteered to carry the cinematograph machine, weighing nearly thirty pounds. I also had to carry the half plate camera. Sonnino carried the tripod, which weighed twenty pounds.

"While descending below the third precipice, almost immediately over the large sulphur fumerole, the wind changed and we were enveloped in dense sulphur fumes. A cloud of dangerous acid fumes came next. We had taken the precaution to tie a cloth around our faces. We stood motionless there for twenty minutes, breathing as little as possible hoping for the fumes to pass.

"As they continued we decided to descend further, and eventually reached the floor of the crater by passing over a steep slope between the sulphurous fumerole and the main mouth of the crater which was opened in July.

"There was no immediate danger there, so we took a motion picture of the new crater and the precipitous surrounding walls. Then I suggested making a descent of 200 feet through the tunnel to the mouth. Sonnino, who is an expert on Vesuvius, warned me that the lives of all would be in danger, but we finally attempted to make the test.

"I continued to carry the machine. We reached the edge of the opening, from which red hot lava was issuing in a great volume. I estimated the temperature 600 degrees Centigrade. We got back to the surface without any incident worth relating."

Mr. Burlingham's feat was performed in behalf of the Brandit Cinematograph Company of London. He has films of his descents of the Matterhorn and Mont Blanc.

CZAR'S SON HAS COMPLETELY RECOVERED.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 22.—A special messenger from Livadia arrived yesterday with despatches from the Czar to his mother, Empress Dowager Marie. The Czar said in these despatches that his son had now completely recovered after his illness that began last year, and was now playing as well as any other boy.

The Imperial messengers brought several photographs from the Czar showing the Czarvitch playing golf and riding and walking without assistance, or the aid of sticks. The Dowager Empress left Denmark to-day.

CANADIAN FARMERS GOING TO AUSTRALIA.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—An interesting sidelight upon the problem of Imperial migration is presented by the increasing number of Canadians and Americans who are emigrating to Australia. Today's despatches from Sydney report the arrival of a further party of British Western Canadian farmers on their way to the Victoria irrigation scheme.