

## Local News

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## Entertainment

The Ladies Aid of St. Paul's Church, held a social in the school room on Friday evening. Mr. Julius Nielsen, very kindly showed his views of "A trip around the world" among them being a number of public buildings in Belgium, France and Germany many of which are now in ruins. He also showed some views on the "Life of Christ."

Piano solos were rendered by Miss Winnifred McCunn and Miss Mrrguerite Merriman. Sandwiches, Cake and Coffee were served. The sum of \$5.60 was realized.

## Handicraft Exhibit

A large number of people were present at the Vocational School on Thursday evening to inspect the handicraft exhibit made by the members of the Women's Institute. One of the upper rooms of the building was used for the display of the work which placed on long tables, and also hung around on the walls.

The work consisted of beautiful embroidery filet, crochet, oil paintings and water colors. Among the exhibits were some articles made many years ago, including a wedding dress, a beautifully embroidered baptismal robe, an embroidered collar, samplers, silk embroideries etc. In the room adjoining sandwiches, cake and coffee were served.

This Institute, of which Mrs. F. H. J. Dibblee is Hon President and Mrs. I. B. Merriman the President was only organized in February and is now the largest Institute in the Province of New Brunswick.

The sum of \$35 was realized, which will be used for field comforts for the soldiers.

## Bedell Red Cross Society.

Since Oct 8th, 1914, the Bedell Red Cross Society has taken in \$227.26, also several other donations of yarn and socks, and we have sent away the following:—

64 pair wristlets, 23 pair mitts, 8 helmets, 97 pads, 24 cakes soap, 3 day shirts, 32 doz handkerchiefs, 67 hospital shirts, 198 rolls bandages, 21 pillow cases, 8 pair bed socks, 14 flannel cholera belts, 112 cheese cloth squares, 1400 mouth wipes, 24 wash cloths, 194 pair socks.

Besides this we sent two sugar barrels of clothing to the Belgians, and we still have on hand \$53.40 and 7 lbs of yarn. At our last meeting the old officers resigned their position and the new ones were appointed as follows:—

Mrs Chas Hand, pres; Mrs John Blackie, vice p., Mrs Ernest Haynes, sec tres; Mrs Everett Montgomery, assistant sec tres.

Mrs GARNET CAMPBELL, Sec Treas.

Mrs. M. A. Orford and daughter Margaret leave on Thursday for Quebec to say good bye to Sergt. M. A. Orford of Vancouver, B. C., who expects to reach Quebec on Friday with the 54th Batt. They expect to sail the same night for England.

Mr. W. B. Belyea, Grand Master of the I. O. O. F. for the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland, returned on Saturday from a week's visit to the lodges on the North Shore. He addressed meetings of the brethren in Loggieville, Douglastown, Chatham, and some others of the nine lodges in that district, in each of which he was given a grand reception, highly creditable to the members of that well known fraternal society.

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## PERSONALS

Miss Mabel Perkins, R. N., of Scribner N. B. is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Durost.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, of Fredericton, motored to Woodstock on Sunday returning the same day.

Rev. G. B. Trafton, of St. John, who has been visiting his mother and other relatives and friends at Woodstock and Richmond for the past two weeks, has returned home.

Miss Marion B. Dibblee of Boston who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Alfred C. Dibblee for several weeks, returned to Boston Friday. She was accompanied by her cousin Miss Ada Hovey, who made a flying trip to Boston for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Burpee, of Avondale, motored to town on Monday.

Miss Ramsay of Marysville was the guest last week of her sister, Mrs. W. Drysdale.

Mrs. T. W. Griffin, who has been visiting friends in Virginia, returned Thursday.

Harold Ferguson of the Royal Bank of Canada left last week for Fredericton, where he has been transferred.

T. C. L. Ketchum, court stenographer, returned on Tuesday from Richibucto, Kent county, where he was attending Supreme Court.

Walter Stone has received word that his brother, Arthur Stone of Moncton, has enlisted and joined the Second Heavy Siege Artillery at Charlottetown P. E. I.

Miss Kathleen Lynott left on Wednesday to spend several weeks with friends in St. Stephen and St. John.

D. W. Olts and W. H. Murchie of Benton, were in town on Tuesday on business. Mr. Olts was a caller at "The Dispatch" office.

H. E. Clarke, of Boston, who has been visiting his father, Mr. E. J. Clarke, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Katharine Clarke, of Boston, is visiting her father, Mr. E. J. Clarke.

Riffler-Humboldt Sharp, has enlisted with the 102 R.M.R. at Kamloops, B. C.

Geo. Hayward, of Essex, England, who has been in this country three years and who has been with Peabody Bros., for two years, enlisted last week with the 88th Batt.

Miss Ola Everett, teacher in Lake View district, attended the Institute at Grand Falls last week.

Havelock Clark, of Nutt, Mont., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram E. Clark. This is Mr. Clark's first visit home in eighteen years.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Holyoke have returned from a six weeks' visit with relatives in Petit Roche.

J. K. Sutton has returned from a trip to Boston.

Andrew Stephenson and Isaac Stephenson, of Florenceville are spending a few days in town, guests at the Stephenson House.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson, proprietor of the Nickerson Lake Hotel and Mrs. Lougee, of Houlton, motored to Woodstock on Thursday returning home the same day. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Lee.

Bandman Denzel Wilcox, with the 55th Batt., Valcartier, who has been spending a few days at home, returned to his duties on Saturday.

## M'LEAN-SHAW.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Shaw, Middle Simonds, on Oct 7, when their daughter, Della, became the wife of Arthur J McLean of Stickney. The bride received many beautiful and costly presents. All join in wishing them a prosperous journey through life. The ceremony was performed by Rev P J Quigg.

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## Canadian Red Cross Society.

The local Red Cross Society sent 2 boxes to St John, Oct 13.

One box contained:—  
1 parcel from Belleville R.C.S.  
1 parcel Benton Woman's Institute.  
10 sheets, 10 pillow slips, 15 rolled bandages, from Pythian Sisters.

From Woman's Institute, Woodstock, old linen and cotton, safety pins, tape, needles, soap, linen, thread, pins, etc., 31 pillow slips, 14 sheets, 8 pillows.

From our Local Society—8 surgical shirts, 8 bed jackets, 13 grey field shirts, 34 cheese cloth handkerchiefs, 23 rolled bandages, 1 shaker quilt, 500 mouth washes, 18 white hospital shirts, 27 cakes soap, 1 pillow, 1 pillow slip.

The other box contained:—  
33 pair socks, 20 hospital shirts, 3 suits pyjamas, 7 grey flannel shirts, 5 wash cloths.

Mrs. James Lipsett, Sen. and her daughter of Waterville, Mrs. R. W. De Grass, were in town yesterday.

## Red Cross Society

The ladies of the Woodstock branch of the Red Cross Society, wish to acknowledge and thank the following girls of grade 8, under the direction of Miss Marvin, for making hospital shirts:—

Misses Hildreth Whitehead, Marian Marsten, Cassie Bates, Mary Pringle, Ida Saunders, Hazel McConchie, Dorothy Mooers, Evelyn King, Adeline Mooers, Ethel Wenzell, Bessie Gunter, Nita Little, Isadore Stokoe, Hilda Griffith, Doris Hanson, Helen Troy, Beatrice Fields.

Mrs H Burr 1 pair socks.  
Miss Elizabeth Loane 1 " "  
Mrs Poole 1 " "  
R Allingham 1 " "  
A P Allingham 1 " "  
Vince 1 " "  
Fred Boyd 2 " "  
J C Hartley 1 " "  
A B Connell 1 " "  
Allen Dibblee 2 " "  
John Ferguson 1 " "

Mrs Thos Strong, Lindsay, 2 pair socks.  
Mrs W Wallace Hemphill, Argyle, N B, 1 pillow and slip, 9 white handkerchiefs, 1 pair of socks.

Mrs Wm Hemphill, 2 pair socks.  
Miss Maude Crawford, 1 pair socks.  
Mrs Warren Bull, 2 pair socks.  
Mrs W B Belyea, 500 mouth wipes.

## Interesting Event In Yarmouth

(Yarmouth Times.)

The Rebekah Lodge, I O O F, was honored on Friday evening last with an official visitation by Mrs Mary Baker, of Woodstock, N B, president of the Maritime provinces. She was accompanied by Mrs Chas G Pollard, vice president of the assembly, whose guest she was over Sunday.

The lodge room was most prettily decorated with a profusion of flags and flowers, the members assembling in large numbers to greet these popular officers.

The Rebekah degree was conferred in an excellent manner, Miss Bessie Pollard being the presiding Noble Grand, assisted by the degree staff, the work eliciting the most favorable approval of the President.

Mrs Baker addressed the lodge at some length, urging upon the members that in living up to the cardinal principles of the order—Friendship, Love and Truth—they would be promoting the grand object for which it existed. She also set forth the great need of an Oddfellow's Home in these Provinces, the need becoming more necessary in the immediate future, when the thousands of the Three Link Brethren, who have enlisted in this great war, have paid the toll of their service in the unaimed ones who may return in addition to the widows and fatherless children of those who will give their life for their King and country.

Mrs Pollard spoke along the lines of a closer living up to the obligations and duties required of all those who have united in the mystic circle of Oddfellowship.

Refreshments were served at the close. Mrs Baker left on Monday morning on her visitation to the lodges on the south shore and eastern part of the province. She visited Woods Harbor last evening and will be present at Barrington Passage lodge this evening. Through the kindness of Frank Cox she was shown the town and surrounding country in his auto, greatly to her delight.

H. A. Connell spent a day in St. John last week.

Capt J R Jago of Halifax was in town on Thursday for the purpose of making an inspection of the armory and arranging for wintering a company of troops. The armory here is among the best in the province and can be fitted up in a short time.

About 20 workmen are engaged in the building of the potato products company, putting in the necessary fixtures for the handling of potatoes and the machinery for running the plant. The building is a large one and the company is making these alterations at a heavy expense. They have already a large quantity of potatoes on hand, and expect to start manufacturing potato flour in about three weeks.

Mr and Mrs R B Owens left on Thursday for Denver, Col, where Mr Owens will attend the annual session of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association which opens its four days' session on Monday next. From Chicago the Canadian representatives will have a special car.

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THE YOUTH'S COMPANION,  
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Elder Kersey went to St. John last week to attend the quarterly meeting.

Abbie Davidson, Jean Currie, Goldie Hynes, Eleanor Hanson, Helen Hanson, Ardis Mutch, Marguerite Knox, Mary Jackson, Andrew Mowatt, Willie Hayes, Wilfrid Bulmer, Donald Sutherland, Ross Mowatt, Phillip Potter, Frank Nugent.

Teacher—MARY SLIPP.

GRADES III and IV.

Pupils enrolled, 50, average attendance, 47.76, percentage, 95.52.

Perfect attendance, 21, Fenton Mooers, Mary McGibbon, Elmo Saunders, Donald Bowlin, Clarence Stuart, Mabel Carson, Doris Corey, Bessie Folster, Winnifred Connell, Rowena Britton, Theo. Kennedy, Nina Blaney, Marguerite Hughes, Dorothy King, Georgie Estabrook, Katherine King, Marjorie Watson, Herbert Knox, Edwin Hayes, Jean Williams, Grace Mowatt.

Teacher—M. GUSSE MCKEEN.

GRADES IV and V.

Aug. and Sept. 1915.

Pupils enrolled, 45, average attendance, 38.92, percentage, 86.48.

Perfect attendance, 10, Stella Knox, Catherine Mitchell, Harold Wilcox, George King, George Folster, Kathleen Sutherland, Elva Corey, Donald Craig, Byron Carr, Harry King.

Teacher—MARY MILMORE.

GRADES V and VI.

August and September 1915.

Pupils enrolled, 39, daily present on average, 35.6, percentage, 91.28.

The following 15 pupils had perfect attendance, Frank McKinley, Clifton Glew, Fred McKinley, Harace Kennedy, Donald Hall, Paul Rowlen, Alli on Westall, Susan Hickey, Cassie Craig, Kathleen Griffith, Helen McKinley, Verna McKinley, Hazel Forman, Marion McPhail, Mary Currie.

Teacher—HELENA MULHERRIN.

GRADES VII and VIII.

Pupils enrolled, 44, average attendance, 40.48, percentage, 92.

Perfect attendance, 20, Mildred Saunders, Helen Craig, Chester McDonald, Cecil Smullen, Grace Smith, Rita McKinley, Lottie Mooers, Paul Green, Eugene Griffith, Agnes McCaffrey, Kathleen Bowlin, Douglas Mitchell, Harold Hopper, Frank Wright, Gordon McKinley, Lawrence Howard, Harry Wright, Albert Sutherland, Isadore Stokoe, Neta Little.

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